



LRSP Status Report – June 2012

3.02 WH Educational Partnerships SR 2012

Strategic Objective (SO):

3.02 Recognize and increase Educational Partnership opportunities.

Topic of Strategic Objective (SO):

School/Community/Family Partnership Efforts

Department/School: Whittier Elementary

Leader: Building Principal & Steve Nash, Chair

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In a year, we hope to see the following progress on this strategic objective:

All activities included in our Action Steps at the beginning of the year will be completed, resulting in a more thorough overlap of the spheres of influence.

PROGRESS SUMMARY

Most of the Action Steps were completed this year. Thrive played an active part by offering to parents Love & Logic classes, Beyond Engaging Parents, Thriving Kinders, Thriving Tots for preschool age children and their parents who reside in the Whittier attendance area. Several (approximately 10 teachers) of the Whittier Staff Members attended Beyond Engaging Parents.

The staff members and Parent Advisory Committee continued to provide opportunities for parents to be involved with the school by offering free movie nights, decorating for the holidays, fundraising, leveling books for classrooms, listening and/or reading to students, facilitating Journeys science lessons and running Writer's Workshop stations.

This year the teachers also collaborated to identify parents who have not been engaged in the past and actively sought out their support and involvement by making at least three positive contacts throughout the school year.