

I WANT STUDENTS IN MY SCHOOL TO:

BE:

SUPPORTED BY TEACHERS AND OTHER ADULTS IN THE COMMUNITY

INFORMED ON HOW TO IMPLEMENT THEIR IDEAS AND DEVELOP THEM

FEEL:

SAFE IN OUR SCHOOLS

THERE ARE PEOPLE WHO WANT YOU HERE, YOU MATTER AND ARE IMPORTANT

THINK:

OUR SCHOOLS ARE A SAFE PLACE

YOU ARE CAPABLE AND CAN WORK HARD TO ACHIEVE WHAT YOU WANT

THEY CAN MAKE A CHANGE – IT DOESN'T HAVE TO BE ADULTS

MOTIVATED

SEE:

THAT ITS OK TO ASK FOR HELP

POSITIVE ROLE MODELS AND PEOPLE TO LOOK UP TO

MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES & SUPPORT

MORE FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES

THAT ITS FUN TO PLAY BOARD GAMES WITH EVERYONE

CHANGING TABLES IN BATHROOMS

HEAR:

ENCOURAGING WORDS FROM THE COMMUNITY TO FOLLOW YOUR PASSIONS

MORE SUBSTANCE ABUSE AWARENESS

STUDENT VOICE FROM ALL STUDENTS, NOT JUST STUDENT COUNCIL AND THEIR FRIENDS – GETTING EVERYONES OPINIONS

VISION

STUDENTS ARE ENCOURAGED, CAPABLE, SUPPORTED, SAFE, AND INFORMED

GOALS

SAFE AND INFORMED

JOB SHADOWING

DEDICATED SPACE IN OUR SCHOOLS

YOUTH CENTER

RESOURCES

CITY, TRIBE, MUNICIPALITY
COMMUNITY MEMBERS
COLLEGE FOR JOB FAIRS – FLY PEOPLE OUT

ACTIVITIES

SURVEYS
COMMUNITY GET TOGETHERS
POTLUCKS
LOCK-INS, MOVIES, GAME NIGHTS

OBSTACLES

FUNDING
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT
COMMUNICATION
- MORE GUIDANCE FOR STUDENTS
LOCATION
STAFFING

WHERE DO YOU ALREADY SEE YOUR VISION HAPPENING AT SCHOOL?

- CAREER FAIR
- SPIRIT WEEKS
- STUDENT-LED ACTIVITIES
 - FUNDRAISING
 - SPORTS
 - PEP RALLIES

WHAT STRENGTHS EXIST AT YOUR SCHOOL THAT ARE HELPING TO MAKE THIS VISION CLOSER TO REALITY?

- OUR SCHOOLS ARE ALREADY DOING ACTIVITIES THAT TIE INTO OUR VISION BUT THEY'RE NOT ORGANIZED AND PUT TOGETHER TO MAKE THEM HAVE MORE IMPACT.

IN WHAT WAYS DOES YOUR SCHOOL NOT CURRENTLY REFLECT YOUR VISION? WHY OR WHY NOT?

- NOT MANY TEACHERS HAVE RELATIONSHIPS WITH THEIR STUDENTS OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM
 - WHEN THE BELL RINGS, THEY'RE DONE.
- SOME KIDS DON'T DO THEIR WORK BECAUSE THEY'RE NOT ENCOURAGED

WHO IS IN YOUR YLI PLANNING GROUP TODAY, AND WHAT EXPERIENCES DO THEY BRING?

- 1 SENIOR AND TWO SOPHOMORES
- ALL INVOLVED IN STUDENT COUNCIL
- ALASKA NATIVE
- FROM RURAL AREAS
- SOME INVOLVED IN SCHOOL ACTIVITIES LIKE SPORTS

WHAT OTHER EXPERIENCES THAT STUDENTS MIGHT HAVE AT YOUR SCHOOL ARE NOT REPRESENTED BY YOUR GROUP?

- NO FRESHMAN SO THERE IS NO PERSPECTIVE AS STUDENTS WHO HAVE JUST ENTERED HIGH SCHOOL AND MIGHT HAVE OPINIONS AND IDEAS FOR CHANGE
- NO MALE STUDENT VOICE
- NO STUDENT THAT IS NOT INVOLVED IN STUDENT COUNCIL THAT MIGHT HAVE A DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVE BECAUSE THEY'RE NOT DIRECTLY INVOLVED

HOW MIGHT YOU THINK ABOUT INCLUDING THESE OTHER VOICES IN YOUR PROJECT – EITHER TO HELP INFORM THE PROJECT OR TO CARRY OUT THE PROJECT? WHAT MIGHT YOU WANT TO KNOW FROM THESE STUDENTS?

- STUDENT-LED SURVEYS
- ANONYMOUS SUGGESTIONS BOX THAT STUDENT COUNCIL WOULD REVIEW AT THE END OF THE WEEK
- STUDENT-LED MORNING ANNOUNCEMENTS
 - ASK OR WRITE OUT ANNOUNCEMENTS TO GIVE TO PRINCIPAL / ADMIN

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