



## ONE DAY AT A TIME

#### **Our Mission**

One Day at a Time provides Latinx youth and young adults of color with hope, support, healing and opportunity to realize their strengths, their self-worth, and their power.

### **Our Vision**

A world where youth are safe, connected, empowered, inspired, and heard

### **Our Values**

- Respect
- Understanding
- Growth
- Equity
- Dedication / Perseverance



# **Our History**

1997



**ODAT Founded** 

2009



Youth Empowerment & Leadership Development

2010

Beyond Violence

Beyond Violence Youth Empowerment Program



Fiscal Sponsor

2019



Reflection Room, Elementary School

2020-2022



Covid Pandemic

2023-2024



Uplifting Peace Elevate Youth, Mental Health Innovations Grant



# Our Youth Development Model

PROMOTE & DEVELOP

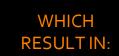
- Positive adult / mentor relationships
- High expectations (academic & behavioral)
- Opportunities for meaningful participation and decision-making
- Healthy social emotional skills







- Increased student connectedness and engagement
- Less vulnerability to risk factors
- Greater resilience & social emotional competencies



- Decrease in school absenteeism / truancy
- Decrease in school discipline referrals
- Higher academic achievement
- Decrease in risk taking behaviors

#### Long Term:

Reduction in disparities for vulnerable youth





# Our School Based Program

- Weekly youth development group sessions
- School site crisis mediations
- Leadership opportunities
- Educational & recreational field trips and
  - activities
- Community service opportunities
- Referral services
- Parental engagement & support





## Youth Community Service & Leadership Activities

- Cinco De Mayo
- Easter Egg Hunt Event
- Los Gatos
- DVC & Dreamer Resource Presentation
- Immigration Forum Event
- Community Guest Speakers







## Recreational & Educational Field Trips

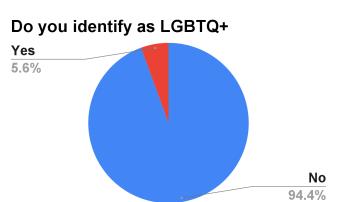
- UC Davis Cesar ChavezConference
- Tesla
- Tana
- Water Rafting & Camping

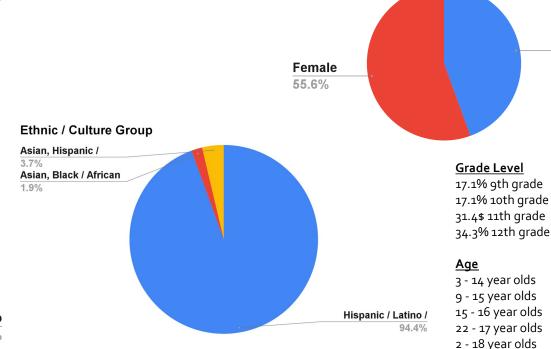




# Demographics

The following information was given to us by the students through a questionnaire they filled out at the beginning of the school year.





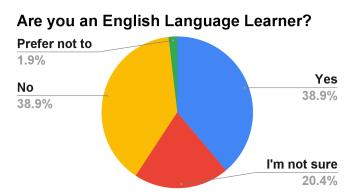
Gender

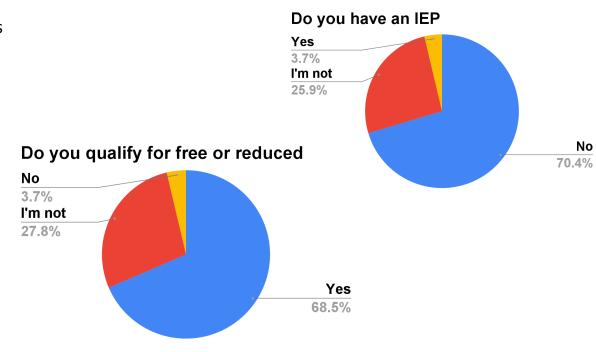
Male 44.4%



# Demographics

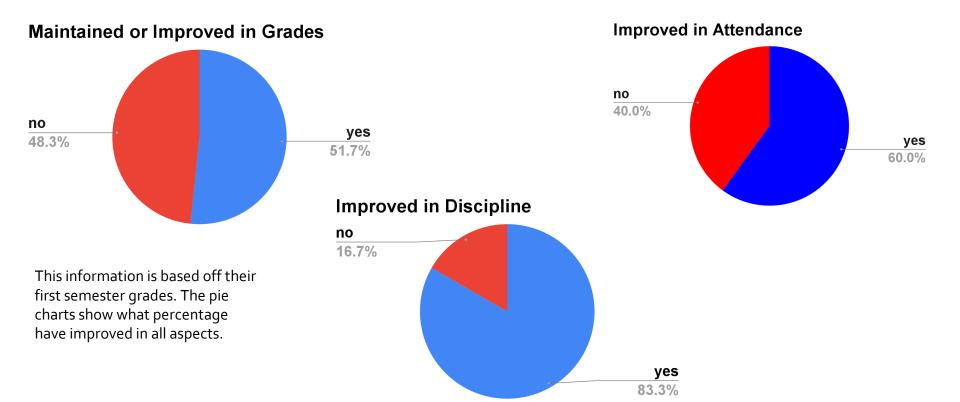
The following information was given to us by the students through a questionnaire they filled out at the beginning of the school year.







# **Academic Impact**





# Youth Testimonies



# Collaborative History

**Educational Partners** 



# AND BEFORE WE LEAVE PLEASE REMEMBER...

"USA youth may represent 23.8% of the population but they represent 100% of the future"

ODAT La Mesa Youth leadership Council Member



# For More Information

Johnny Rodriguez

**Executive Director & Founder** 

925-437-3574

johnny.rodriguez@odatec.org

Sarai Espinoza

Development Manager

209-430-3682

admin@odatec.org









**Donate Here** 

odatec.org