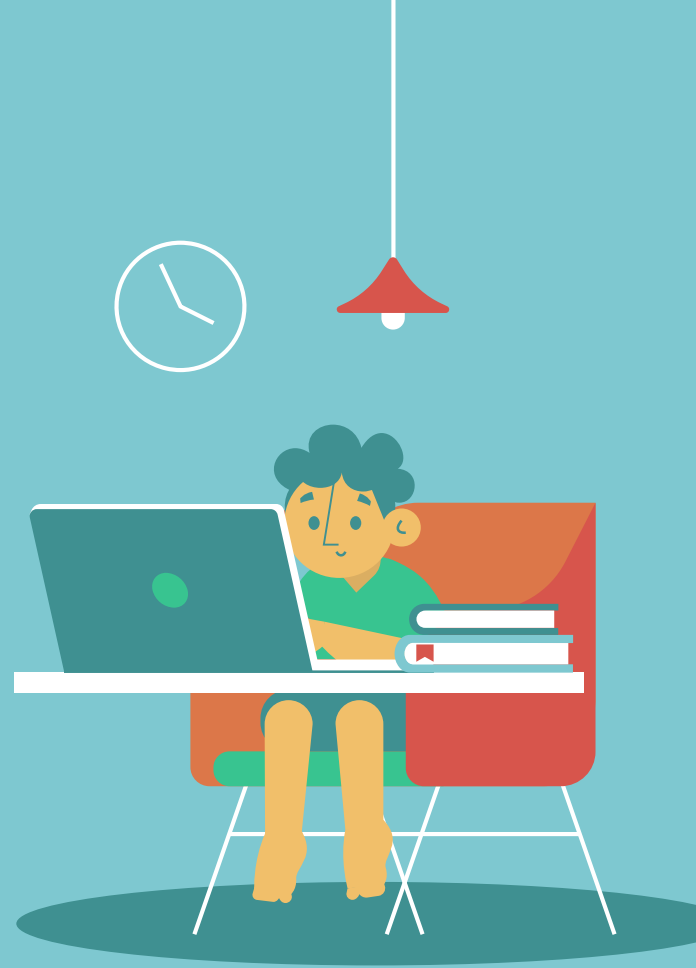


# Distance Learning Update

Board Presentation  
9.24.2020



# Agenda

1. Introduction (Gina Sudaria)
  - a. Response to Distance Learning Needs
  - b. COVID-19 Status
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1. Attendance & Engagement (Cindy Chin, Lara Burenin)
  - a. Tiered Support
1. Community Learning Hubs (Cindy Chin, Will Eger, Delma Camacho)
  - a. Launch
  - b. Operations
1. Technology Support Update (Solomon Hill, John Colleton)



# Introduction



# Pandemics

**Racial**  
Systemic Racism



**COVID-19**  
Distance Learning

**Climate Change**  
Fires, Floods

# Ravenswood will continue to respond to the needs of our community.



## Wi-Fi Hotspot Distribution

Over 1000 have been provided in partnership with [REF](#), [CZI](#), [SMC](#)

## Learning Hubs

BGCP, EPATT & 49ers Academy currently supporting students & families

## Meal Distribution

Continue to serve the children in the greater community. Over 359,163 meals served.

# Snapshot of our Current Reality



Administrative Assistants

Paraeducators  
& AV Techs



Operations

# Snapshot of our Current Reality



Training

Serving



Teaching

# COVID-19 Status



4.1%

Positivity Rate



15.4%

Positivity Rate

Rationale for the prevalence of COVID-19 in East Palo Alto



Recommendation is to continue with  
distance learning through the 1st Trimester  
(November 20, 2020)



# Next Steps

## School Improvement Working Group

Next meeting scheduled for October 14, 2020.

## School Reopening & Recovery Plan

Build upon and continue the planning for in-person learning.

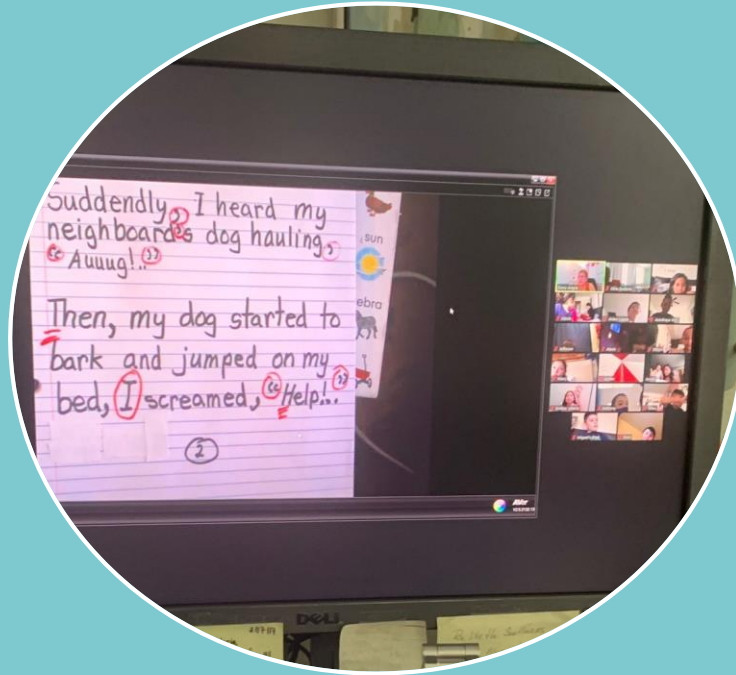


## Input & Feedback

We will continue to gather insight from the Ravenswood community.

## Incremental Implementation

Rollout the in-person learning slowly without disrupting the distance learning plan.



# Attendance & Engagement

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82%

September 4th

88%

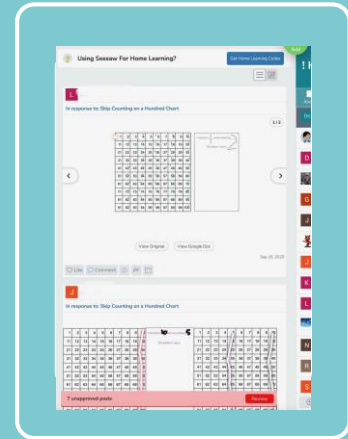
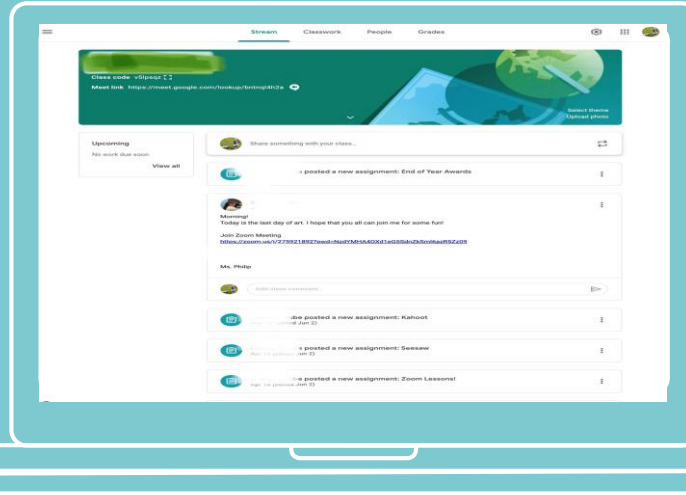
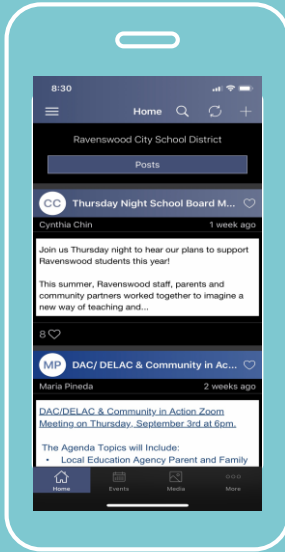
September  
11th

90%

September 18th

# Engagement

Measured through synchronous and asynchronous work and reflected in attendance percentages



# Re-engagement

## School

Following up when  
teachers are in  
session



## Teachers

Calling and  
connecting with  
families



## District

Home visits

# Tiered Academic Supports



## Literacy Intervention

Small groups taught by Reading Specialists (TK-5) or ELA Intervention Teachers (6-8)

## All Students Matter

1:1 tutoring for 2-5 students with volunteers 2x/week around literacy or math; Classroom Volunteers to assist during teachers' Zoom classes (K-5)



## Reading Partners

1:1 Literacy Tutoring for K-5 students with volunteers 2x/wk using a literacy intervention curriculum; focus grades and levels to be determined by site

## Ravenswood Reads

1:1 Literacy Tutoring for K-3 students with volunteers 2x/wk using a literacy intervention curriculum; initial focus on K/1 with additional support for Spanish tutoring





# Community Learning Hubs



# Learning Hub Partners



## BGCP

Currently at LRRM.  
Hosts a hub of  
students for each  
elementary school site



## EPATT

Hosts hubs with  
students and their  
siblings and students  
work on their tennis  
skills



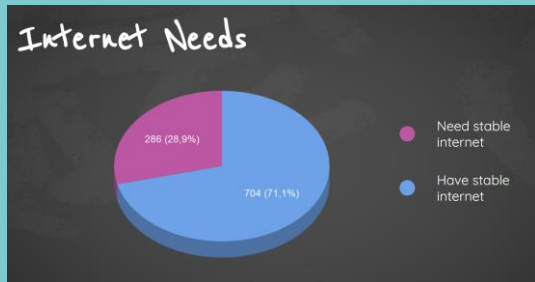
## 49ers Academy

Hosts hubs of middle  
school students and  
siblings in upper  
elementary school



# Technology Support

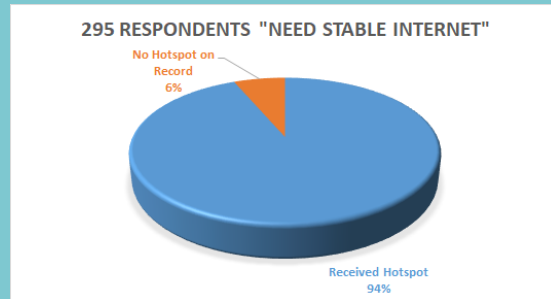
# Internet Needs - Survey Analysis



## Internet Needs Survey

Previously reported 286 parents surveyed from late July thru Sept.9th

“Need stable internet”



# Connectivity - Moving Forward

## 225 New Hotspots

On order... shipping



## Free Comcast

275 free 14-months for families with code - SMC

## SMC Free WiFi

EPA is first target



## 500 Existing Hotspots

Discussing throttling issue with carrier

Connectivity Devices or Solutions Handed Out By Mid-October

1,275



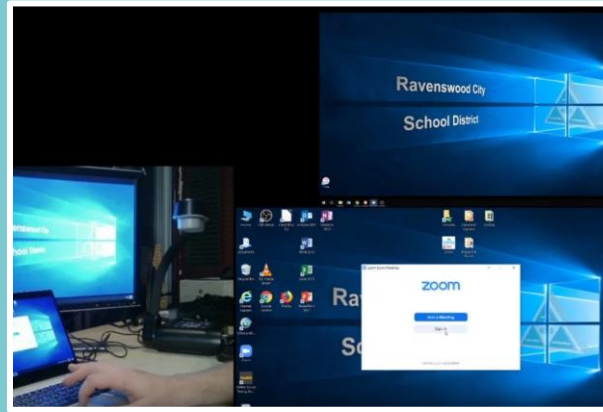
Thank You Partners!

# Staff Technology Training



## YouTube Channel

- Curated video playlists
- Original training videos
- Based on teacher request



## Small Groups

- Virtual
- In Person/On Campus
- Skill level based



## 1-on-1's

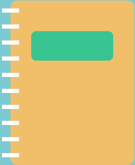
- Through Help Desk
- By Appointment



# Thanks

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