

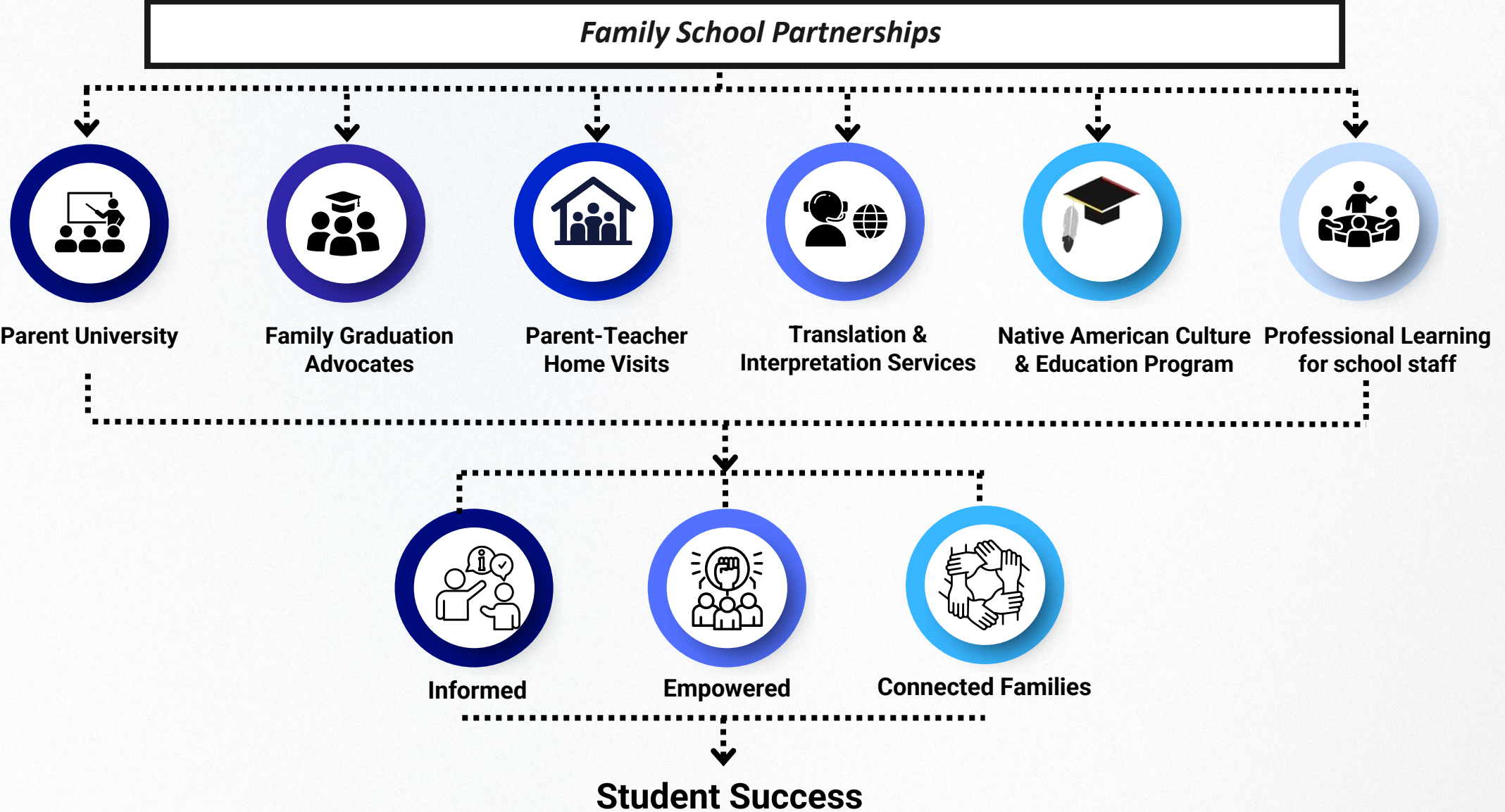


WCSD Department of Family-School Partnerships

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NDE STRATEGIC PRIORITY #4

Informed & Connected Families



Parent-Teacher Home Visits



Parent-Teacher Home Visits

- Established in 2009
- Voluntary and non-targeted
- Transitional visits
- National PTHV Week – September
- PTHV School Awards
- PTHV Mini-Conference

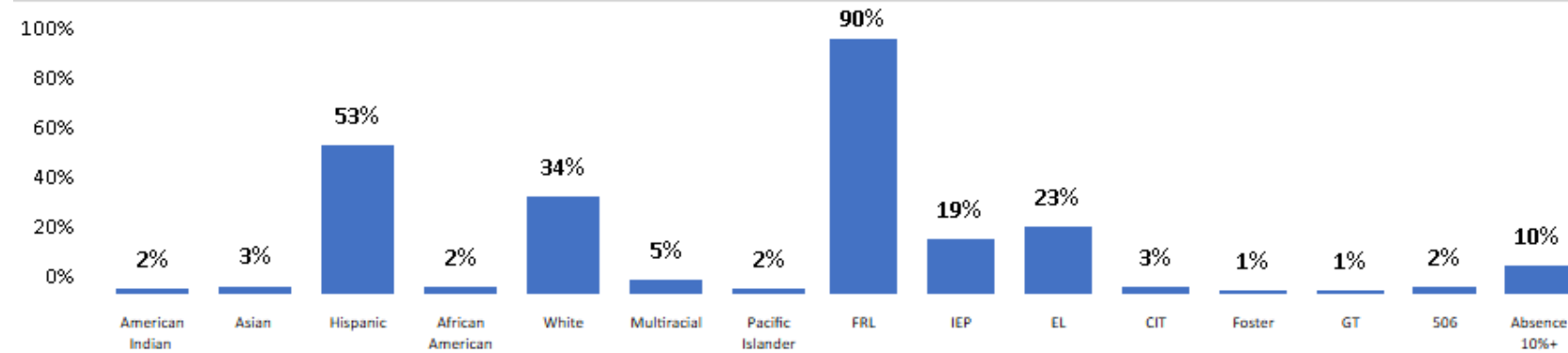


Parent-Teacher Home Visits

2025-2026

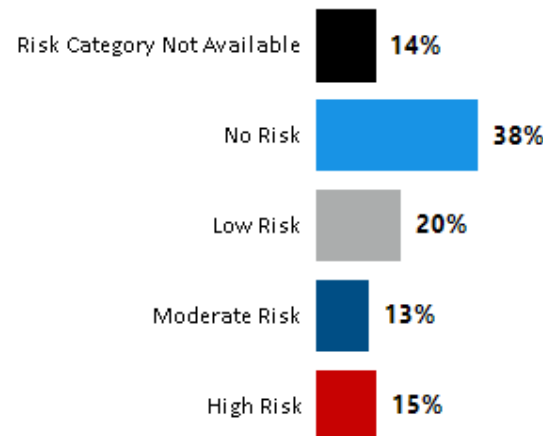
- **44** Schools
- **463** Educators
- **2002** Total visits
- Impacting **1,366** households and connecting with **1,724** students

Home Visit Events by Race/Ethnicity & Special Populations

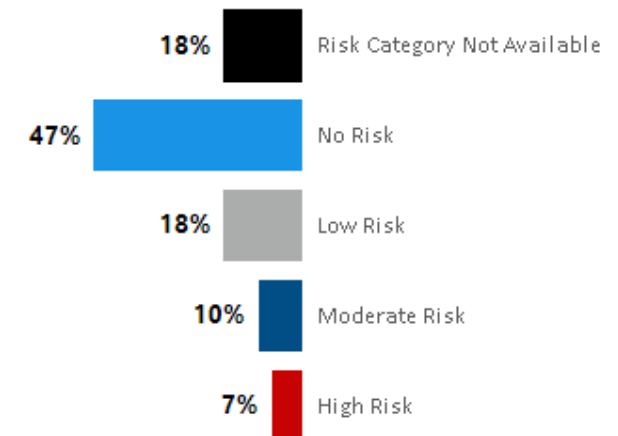


Home Visits Early Warning System (Risk) by Student Population - Month, Calendar and Season filters do not apply to All Risk Population
Potentially At-Risk of Negative Academic Outcomes

All Risk Population 2026



Risk Population Served 2026



Parent University



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- Established in 2011
- Free workshops across the district
- Annual College Fair
- Transition to MS events for families

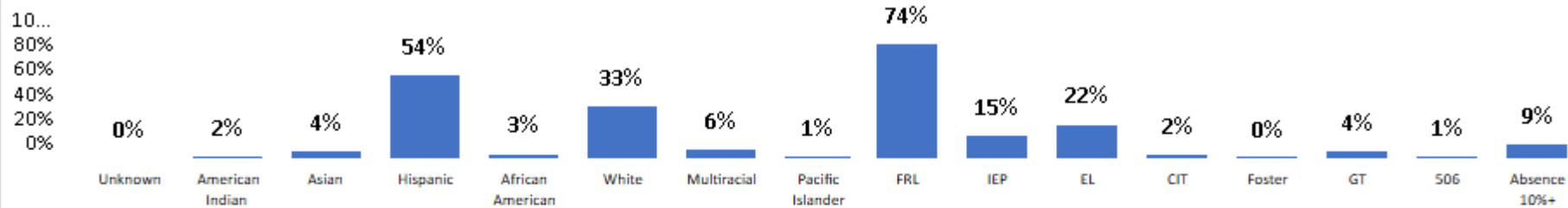


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2025-2026

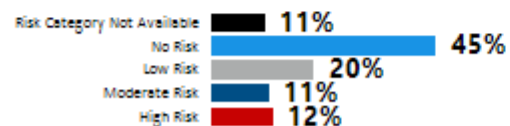
- Offered 166 sessions, 9 Transition to MS events, Annual College Fair
- Served **5,172** total attendees
- More than **5,000** students
- 90% Outstanding or Above Average rating for **usefulness** and **quality**

Percentage of Students by Race/Ethnicity and Special Populations

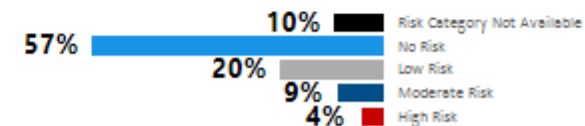


Parent University Early Warning System (Risk) by Student Population - Month, Class Location and Class Name filters do not apply to All Risk Population
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Risk Population Served 2026



High School Family Graduation Advocates



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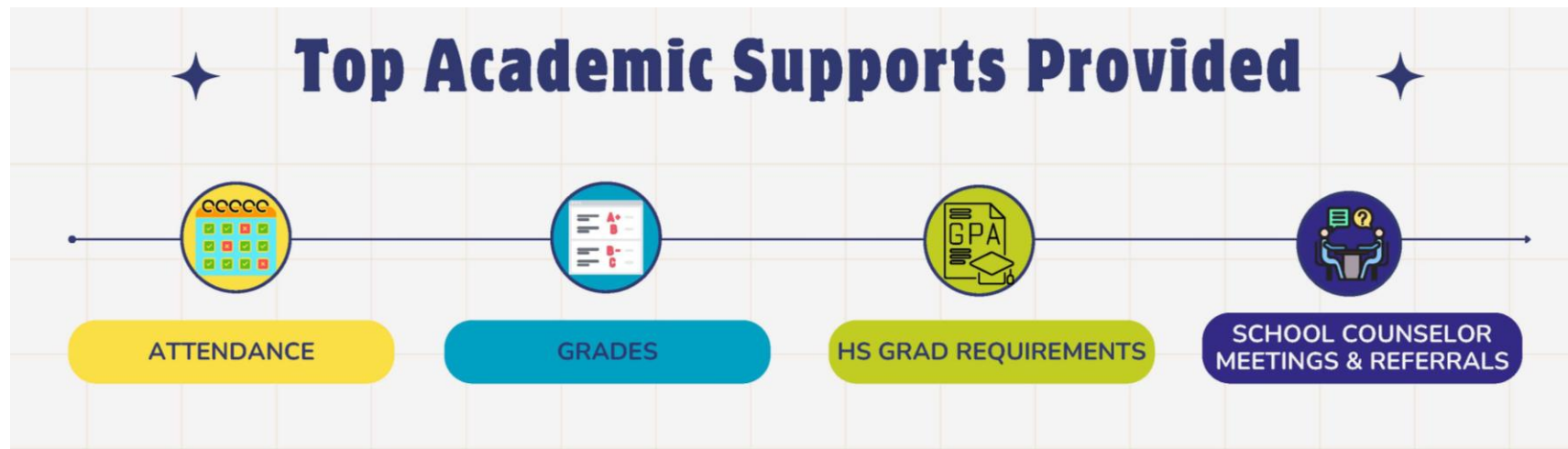
- Established in 2015
- 11 high schools



High School Family Graduation Advocates

2025-2026

- 98% of the 1,286 families on the FGA caseloads, were successfully contacted and provided support.
- In addition 960 families were supported.



Translation and Interpretation Services

- 2024 Restructured language access services for WCSD
 - A team of full-time interpreters / translators, on-call interpreters for Spanish, language contractor for all languages and one district coordinator.
 - Administrative Regulation 1515 defines document translation and language interpretation for LEP families.
 - All WCSD interpreters have completed 40-hour educational interpreting training.

Translation and Interpretation Services

2023 – 2024 SY

1,868 Total requests

82% Filled requests

2024 – 2025 SY (New T&I Team)

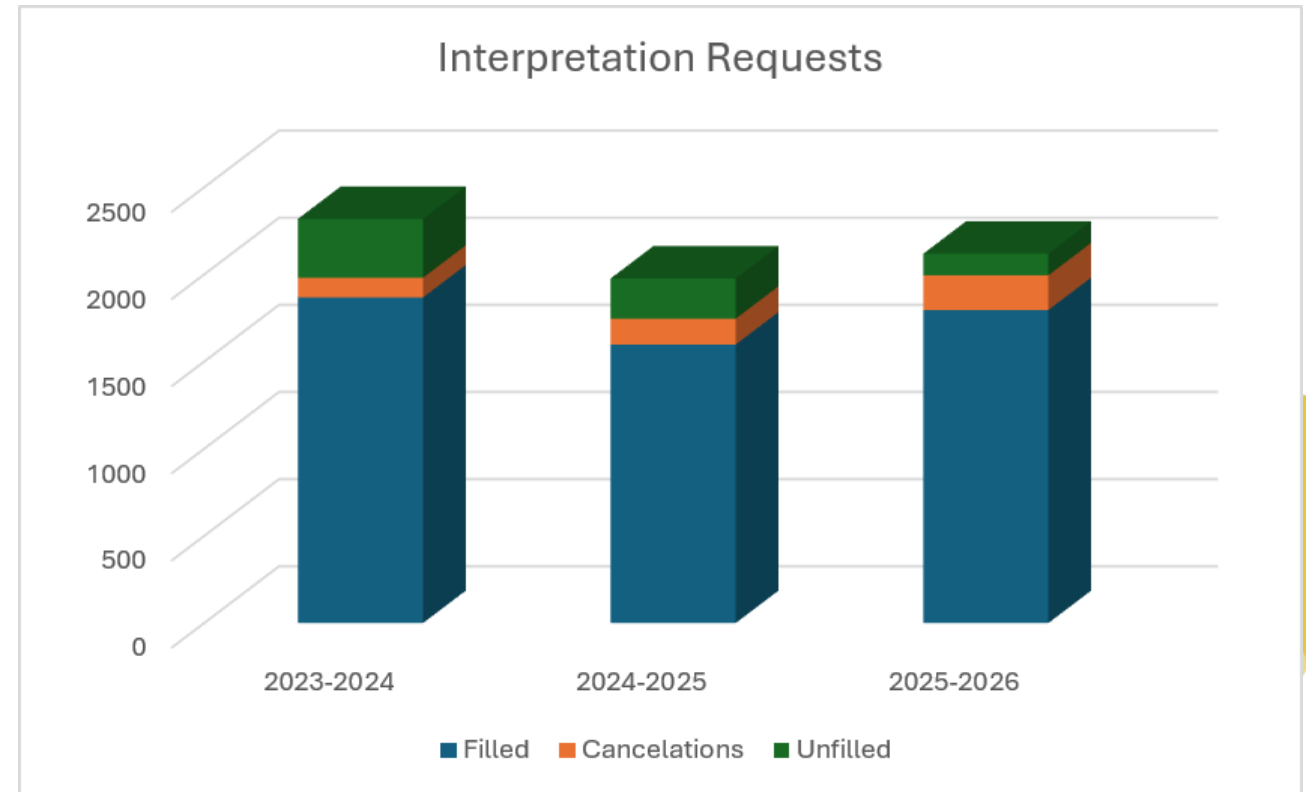
1,977 Total requests

86% Filled requests

2025 - 2026 SY

2,119 Total requests

93% Filled requests





New generation of interpreters

In 25-26 - 18 HS seniors completed the
Community Interpreting Course –
Wooster High School

Native American Culture & Education Program

- Title VI Indian Education
- Native Youth Community Project Grant (NYCP)
- Native American Language Grant (NAL)

Title VI

Native American Culture & Education Program

- Paiute Language Class
 - Reed High School
 - Spanish Springs High School
 - Wooster High School
- Annual Paiute Language Bowl
- Numu Seal of Bi-Literacy



NYCP

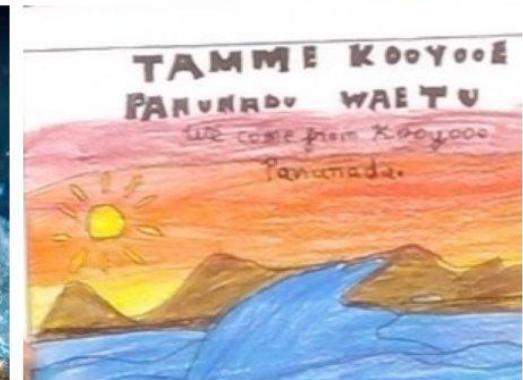
Native American Culture & Education Program

- Goal: To improve the educational opportunities and achievement for Native American students in Washoe County, ensuring students graduate career and college ready.
- Four Tribal Youth Mentors –TYAs serving almost 500 Native students.
- 10/2024 – 9/2025 - Reaching 96% of NYCP students with personalized interventions.
- Graduation rates among students participating in NYCP rose from 59% in 2023 to 75% in 2025.



NAL - The Young Mustangs Strong Futures project at Natchez ES

- Goal: To revitalize the Numu (northern Paiute) language and indigenous knowledge in northern Nevada for more than 130 PreK through 5th grade students at Natchez ES.
- Accomplishments:
 - Built curriculum in partnership with elders and community members
 - Established an assessment



Professional Learning on Family Engagement for School Staff

- Novice Teachers Academy
- Transition to MS Events for Families: from transactional to transformational
- Site-based Family Engagement sessions
- Department-based Family Engagement sessions (Team UP coordinators)



Thank You!

Questions?

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