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Dear Friends of CCCS

February 2021, Issue 3

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Let Us Re-Imagine

This year has forced each of us to face fear, anxiety and uncertainty in our community and in ourselves. As we try to figure out how to take care of ourselves and how to move forward with our lives in an on-going pandemic, the future can feel very scary, lonely, or even hopeless.

During these high-stress times, it can be tempting for all of us to want to hide out, ignore, or just wish for it all to go away. We may long for things to “go back to normal.”

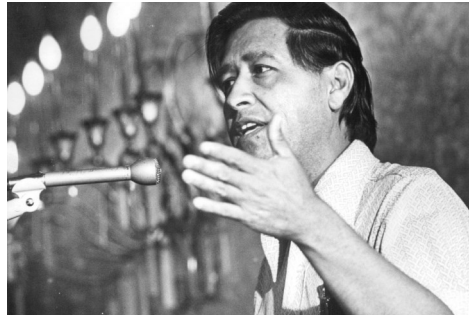
We do, at the same time, have an opportunity to build something new out of this confusing and, sometimes, seemingly empty place. We have an opportunity to face this difficulty with acts of creativity and love pushing back against our moments of fear.

At school this year, we have all mourned the loss of interaction and relationships. All of our staff continue to miss the smiles and interactions with our students. We also have to acknowledge that, whenever it is safe to return to our building, school will continue to look different moving forward than it was before the pandemic.

This is our time to imagine something new. The good news is we are all already rising to the challenge.

This year we have begun creating new ways to do remote learning. We have used creativity and technology to continue coming up with new ways to learn and interact.

As we look forward toward a future that still holds a lot of unknowns, we find some comfort and hope in knowing that we are not alone. We dare to hope that, together, we can create new and wonderful responses to the needs of the moment. We can re-imagine what education can be and what we can be to each other.



If you were going to start “from scratch,” what kind of school would you create to best meet students’ needs? We want to hear your ideas!

Please attend our next **Parent Involvement Mtg on Feb. 25** at 5:30 pm, or reach out to share your ideas by phone or email, or to get the zoom link. **Call 505-750-3048** to share your ideas over the phone or to get a zoom or survey link. We will also be emailing parents a survey, so make sure we have your correct email address if you have one.

Let us greet this moment, and each other, with all the love and creativity we can!

—Tani Arness, Principal



Please Note: To Ensure Safety for our Students, Staff and Community during this Difficult and Relentless Pandemic, CCCS is Continuing in Our Remote Learning Model for the Rest of this 2020/21 School Year.

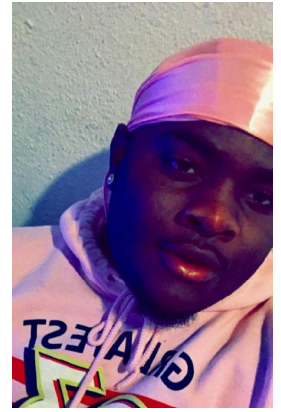
Please call 750-0157 to share your ideas, questions, or concerns.

MESSAGE FROM A STUDENT

Creativity

By Justin FONZA

Creativity is from the mind
like your passion for something that won't go away.
It's like when you love something
and people are giving you hate
because they want you at the bottom with them
and you don't stop because of your work ethic,
That's creativity,
knowing nothing can bring you down,
and, due to your mind and work ethic,
you'll push harder
because that's where your creativity comes from.



Justin FONZA

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CCCS Announcements!

*If you or someone you care about is in emotional or other crisis,
please reach out:*

Suicide Prevention Lifeline: 1-800-273-8255

Agora Crisis Center: 505-277-3013

Domestic Violence Hotline: 1-800-773-3645

NM Crisis and Access Line: 1-855-662-7474

Crisis Text Line: text HOME to 741741

Important Dates to Remember:

Feb. 25—5:30 pm, Parent Involvement Mtg on Zoom. Call 750-3048 for info.

March 16—First Day of Qtr. 4

March 22-26—Spring Break, No School

April 2—Qtr. 3 Parent Conferences with Mentors

May 27—Qtr. 4 Parent Conferences with Mentors

June 1-June 14—Summer Class Session Required for All Students, FREE



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