

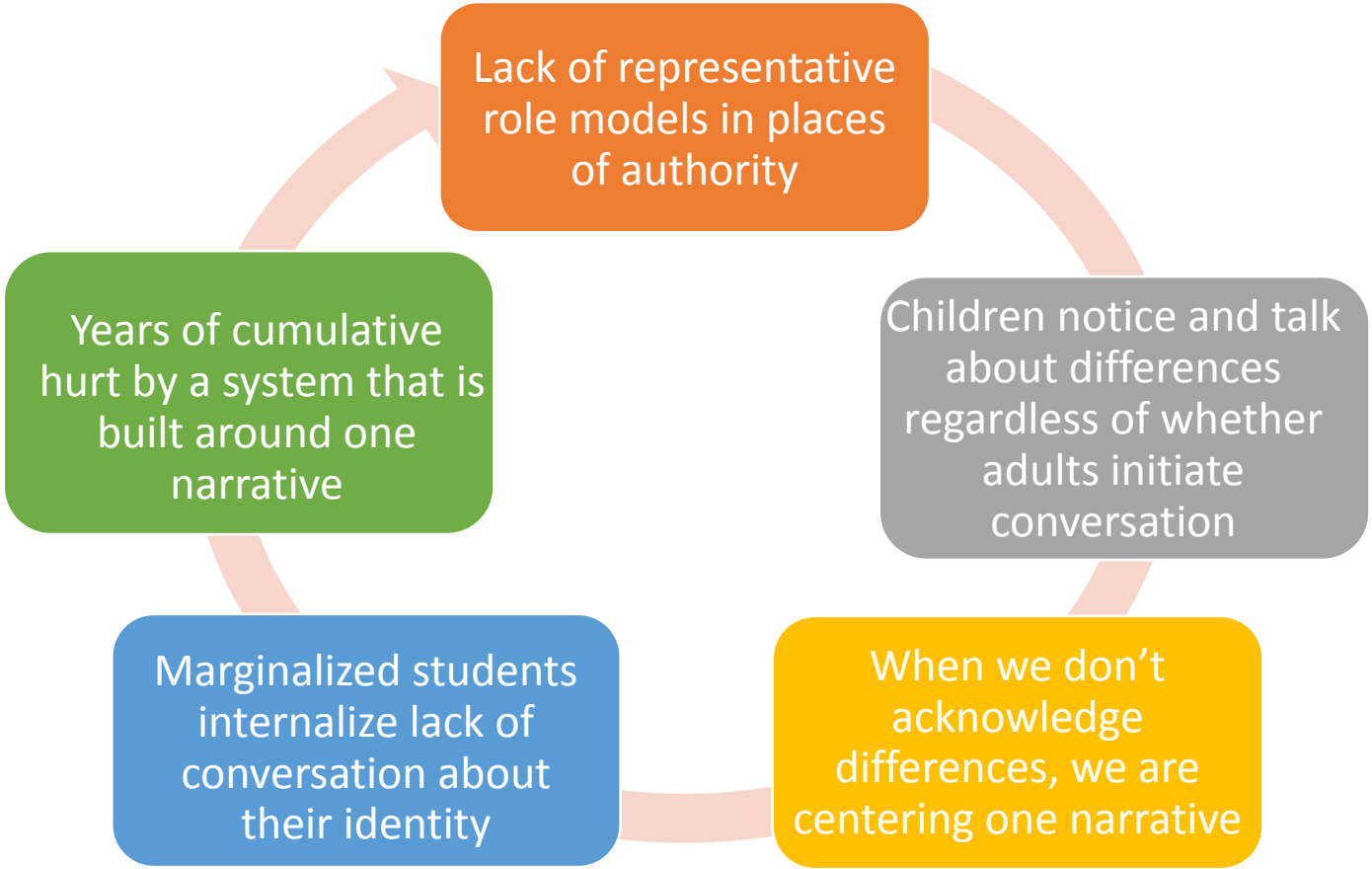
Affinity Mentorship

Jean Chen Takazawa
Affinity Mentorship Teacher

Cheryl Wozniak
Assistant Superintendent

"Upholding and celebrating diversity by building powerful connections and conversations."

The Underlying Invisible Problem



About the Course

- ❏ Yearlong elective course; 10 elective credits per year
- ❏ Maximum credit earned: 20 credits (2 years)
- ❏ Delivered during “8th period”
- ❏ Flipped classroom and service hours outside of class





Affinity Mentorship Course Unit Topics

1. Effective Communication & Lesson Planning
2. Community Engagement and Setting Up Mentor Sessions
3. Restorative Justice and Circle Keeping
4. Identity Development
5. Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion
6. Social Justice



Three Components of Affinity Mentorship

★ **Inward Focus** - Deeper Understanding of Self

★ **Outward Focus** - Mentoring Younger Students

★ **District Focus** - Community-Wide Engagement Events

Classtime - 40 MHS/PHS Students











Mentoring Sessions: Tri-school Elementary Students







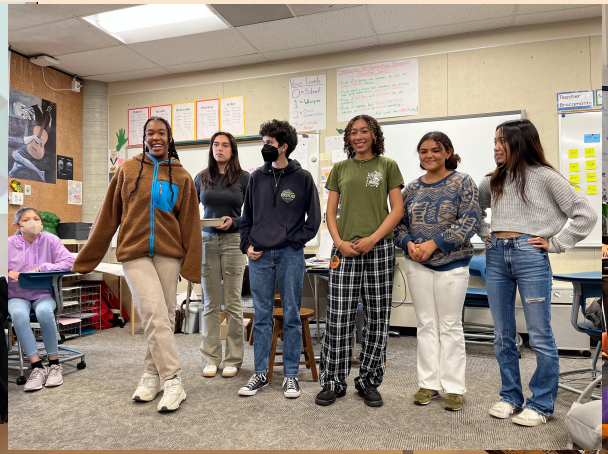






Teaching Lessons to Elementary and PMS Students













Events Led By Affinity Mentors











Affinity Mentors & Mentees

PHS/MHS Mentors: 44

Beach Elementary: **24**

Havens Elementary: **47**

Wildwood Elementary: **23**

Piedmont Middle School: **25**

Total # of Mentees: 119





Board Questions/Public Comment

