

# CLASSROOM WORKSHOPS (CW)

## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

### PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Classroom Workshops (CWs) run at FHS in collaboration with AVID. AVID is a class which focuses on and encourages college and career readiness as well as overall personal development/growth. This year we worked with two teachers at FHS and **presented monthly workshops in 4 total AVID classes (2 AVID 9, 1 AVID 10, and 1 AVID 12)**. CWs are intended to help fill curriculum gaps around topics that PI & AVID see as missing in the classroom currently (while also providing support to overworked AVID teachers). CWs exist to introduce students to Passion Impact, emphasize the importance of civic engagement and volunteering, provide hands-on opportunities for students to engage in civic engagement outside of the classroom, and to help students grow in their sense of self/social identity.



#### GOAL #1

For students to grow in their feeling of connectedness & belonging with their school and their community.

#### GOAL #2

For students to grow in their social & cultural empathy toward others as they actively participate in civic engagement.

#### GOAL #3

CW students will grow in their sense of self identity and in their understanding of what their next steps beyond high school can look like.



73.4% of CW participants felt more connected to their school after participating in these workshops.



82.8% felt more connected to their overall community after participating in CWs.

**89.1% of students reported that CWs positively impacted their AVID experience this year!**



AVID 9 and 10 students participated in a letter writing campaign to help express their ideas around how to address community needs within their school community (this served as their end of year micro-volunteer event).