

# THE GEAR UP UPDATE: ECA EDITION

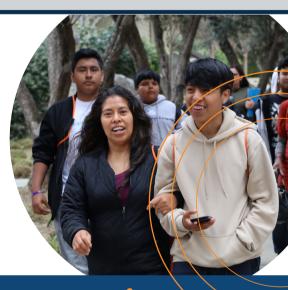
#### Spring 2022



GEAR UP 4 LA is honored to serve ninth- and 10th-grade students and families at Early College Academy. Every day, we support students' college and career goals by providing academic advising, college visits, empowerment workshops, parent field trips, dual enrollment courses, mentoring opportunities, and more! We are proud of the work we have accomplished together and look forward to our continued partnership to support students and Santee's college and career-going culture!

## ACCOMPLISHMENTS August 2021 to December 2021

- Counseling/advising
- College/career workshops for students
- SEL motivational speakers workshop
- SEL check-in with students and parents
- In-person college field trips
- Peer Mentor Summit
- Tutor.com support
- Workshop on learning styles
- Monthly Coffee with GEAR UP for parents



Visit our website for more events and information!



🚬 Spotlight: Sonia Pena (Parent) 🗲

"I keep telling my son to invite his friends to join the Peer Mentors to help change their mindset. Teir workshops are really good and informative."

## **UPCOMING SERVICES**



Staff

Maria Magdesyan, Site Coordinator | Jessica Chai, Counselor | Rosangela Melendez, Academic Advisor Erika Dominguez, Academic Advisor | Sandra Pena, Academic Advisor

# THE GU4LA IMPACT

#### GEAR UP 4 LA BUILDING POWERFUL FUTURES

## AUG. 19, 2021-DEC. 30, 2021

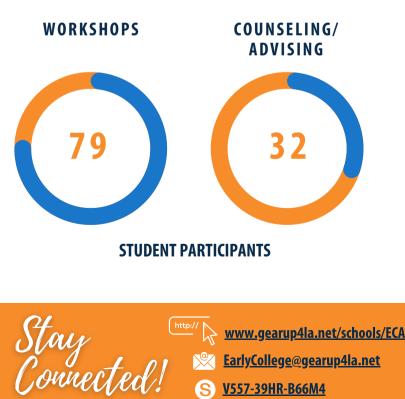
# STUDENT ENGAGEMENT

81 UNIQUE GU4LA STUDENTS SERVED HOURS PROVIDED

About 81 ECA students, or 91%, received GU4LA services, including workshops and counseling/advising, increasing their college and financial aid knowledge and boosting their leadership skills.

### SERVICE HIGHLIGHTS

The most popular service was workshops, which included topics on financial aid and college prep, with 79 students participating. We also were able to serve 32 students through one-on-one counseling and academic advising.



### FAMILY ENGAGEMENT



We provided 30 hours of service to 18 families. Services included parent workshops and counseling/ advising. Our GEAR UP Team provided one-on-one advising to parents in regards to their students' academic progress.

### FAMILY PARTICIPATION

ECA families participated in a variety of workshops and counseling services focusing on topics such as:

- Financial aid
- Tutoring and academic supports
- Transition to high school
- College match and fit
- Credit Recovery
- College knowledge and preparation
- Academic and social emotional advising



**FAMILY PARTICIPANTS: 18** 

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