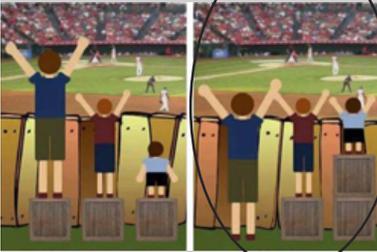


1. Keep in mind - the job of the SSC at Fremont is:

To Increase Equity



All *students get what they need* to graduate prepared for college and career success.

Make Shared Decisions



Make decisions on school budget, staffing, safety, and other school improvement issues.

Be Informed with Data/Info



Use facts, statistics, and information for reference or analysis to inform important decisions.

Get input from students/families



Ensure that a large number of stakeholder voices are included in major decisions.

2. Your SSC Task is: To decide how to spend \$50,000 to improve attendance

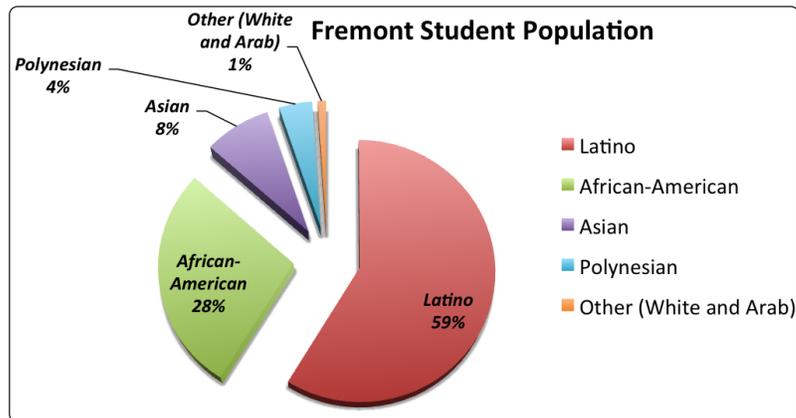
Problem Statement:



The school's attendance is at a low of 80% and it is impacting our budget (ADA per pupil funding based on attendance) and if not corrected will mean a loss of staffing as well as negatively impacting other important programs that students depend on. Low attendance creates low morale among the teachers and lowers the quality of instruction across the board. The goal is to improve attendance to 85%. While our overall budget is \$1.5 million dollars - we have a funding stream of \$50,000 to improve attendance, that we need to make a decision about today.

3. Consider the following data points

- The school's goal to improve attendance this year is from 80% to 85%.
- The district's goal is for schools to improve attendance to 98%.
- Overall school chronic absenteeism rate is 20.6%. We want to reduce it to 18.6%.
- African-American girls have the highest rate of chronic absenteeism at 44%.



4. Consider the following questions

- Who would be most impacted by this decision?
- Who would you need to talk to in order to get the information you need to make a decision?
- What other data would you need to collect in order to make an informed decision?
- Other questions you came up with?: