




# Nevada Union Adult Education

Where we were. Where we are. Where we're headed.

# Where We Were: Year 1 (2016 - 17)

- Three principals in 4 years
  - AB 86 just completed a study on the future of adult education
  - AB 104 - Adult Education Block Grant (now CAEP)
    - A new funding model for adult education
    - The creation of consortia
  - The transition of funding models lead to a budget shortfall of \$97K (25%)
  - Principal goals
    - Stabilize funding
    - Observe program
      - Outdated curriculum
      - Inconvenient hours of operation
      - Poor delivery method
      - A need for student support services
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# Transition Begins: Year 2 (2017 - 18)

- HSD diploma teacher resigned leaving an opportunity to restructure
  - Redesign of High School Diploma
    - Apex Online Learning for HSD program
  - Redesign of High School Equivalency (GED/HiSET)
    - Aztec Online Learning for HSE program
- Hired and trained 2 new teachers for HSD/HSE
  - Teacher serves as academic coach
- Funding Improvements
  - Renegotiated Wayne Brown contract
  - Secured ongoing funding for 0.4 FTE counselor

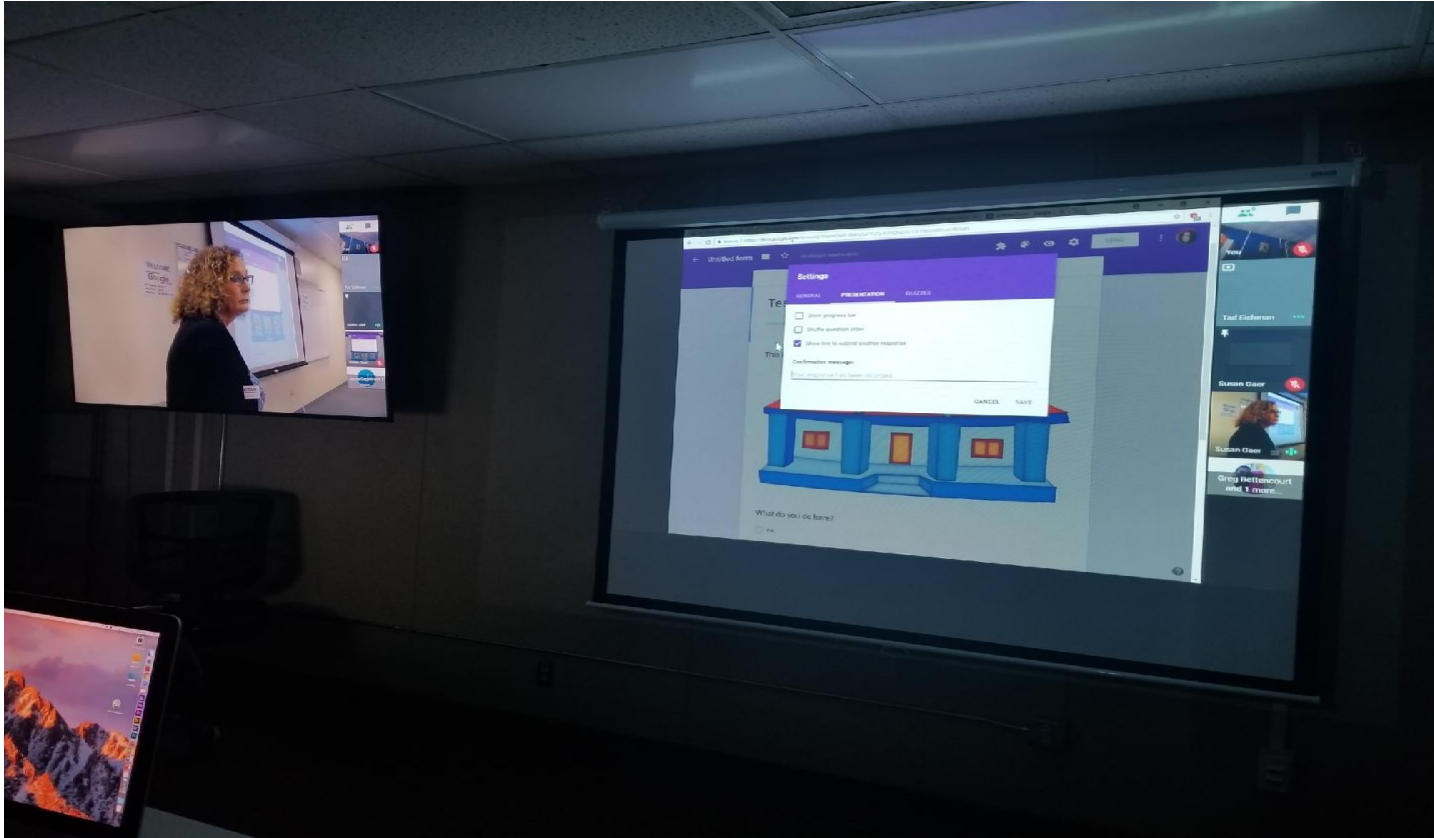


# Transition Begins: Year 2 (2017 - 18) continued

- Facility improvements
  - \$20,000 of electrical and internet drops installed in I-Wing
  - Built Distance Learning Lab
    - 12 computers
    - 2 cameras
    - 75" TV
    - LCD Projector
  - 24 Computers added in Wayne Brown
  - 2 RACHEL devices installed in Wayne Brown
  - 2 Aztec Companion devices in Wayne Brown
- Retirements effective 18/19
  - ESL Teacher
  - Program Secretary



# Streaming Google Summit



# Where We Are: Year 3 (2018-19)

- Negotiated \$20,000 in seed money to redesign the ESL curriculum
  - Abandoned paper based curriculum
  - Adopted modern, updated, hybrid curriculum
    - 6 levels of STANDOUT textbooks purchased
    - 12 iPads/pens integrating the online curriculum for in-classroom student use
    - Citizenship course online and free
- Facilities Improvement
  - 10 computers installed for CASAS eTesting
  - Document camera
  - Apple TV
  - LCD Projector
  - Signage installed on site and at street level
- Updated and Increased Hours of Operation



# Coming Attractions for 2018

- Secured \$17,000 seed money for Toddler Center
  - Soft opening November 20th, 2018
  - Cameras installed
  - Job posted
  - Room is child safety secured
    - Pagers, radios, phone, 2 CPR certified staff members/5 children, door latches, drawer locks, child gates, etc.
- Streaming Placer County Adult Ed Classes
  - Mondays 9-noon
- WASC
  - Initial visit in the Spring



# Outreach

- 32,000 Placer Adult School catalogs will be distributed in Nevada County
  - 3 pages dedicated to Nevada Union Adult Education
  - Cover will include “For Nevada County, see pages...”
  - Provides metrics for growth of Nevada Union Adult Ed. program
- Coordinated advertising efforts
  - Fliers distributed to area bulletin boards
  - Rack cards distributed to local organizations
- Parent Vue instruction to be offered in Spanish
- Financial Aid night offered in Spanish for Nevada County 11-9-18
- Future Growth
  - Radio (including non English speaking stations)
  - Newspaper
  - Additional outreach as determined by Brett McFadden





# Staff Development

- CATESOL conference for 2 new ESL teachers
  - December 2018
- Principal attended:
  - 2 CASAS conferences
  - 2 AEBG summits (CAEP)
  - 3 WIOA trainings
- Counselor attended AEBG summit (CAEP)
- Mental Health First Aid for adults
  - November 2018
- Adult Education Google Summit attended by staff
- CalPro online classes attended by staff



# To-Do 18/19 and Beyond...

- Jail HSD curriculum modernization
- Satellite locations
  - South County
  - Penn Valley
  - North San Juan
- Expand distance learning offerings
- Expand classroom learning options

