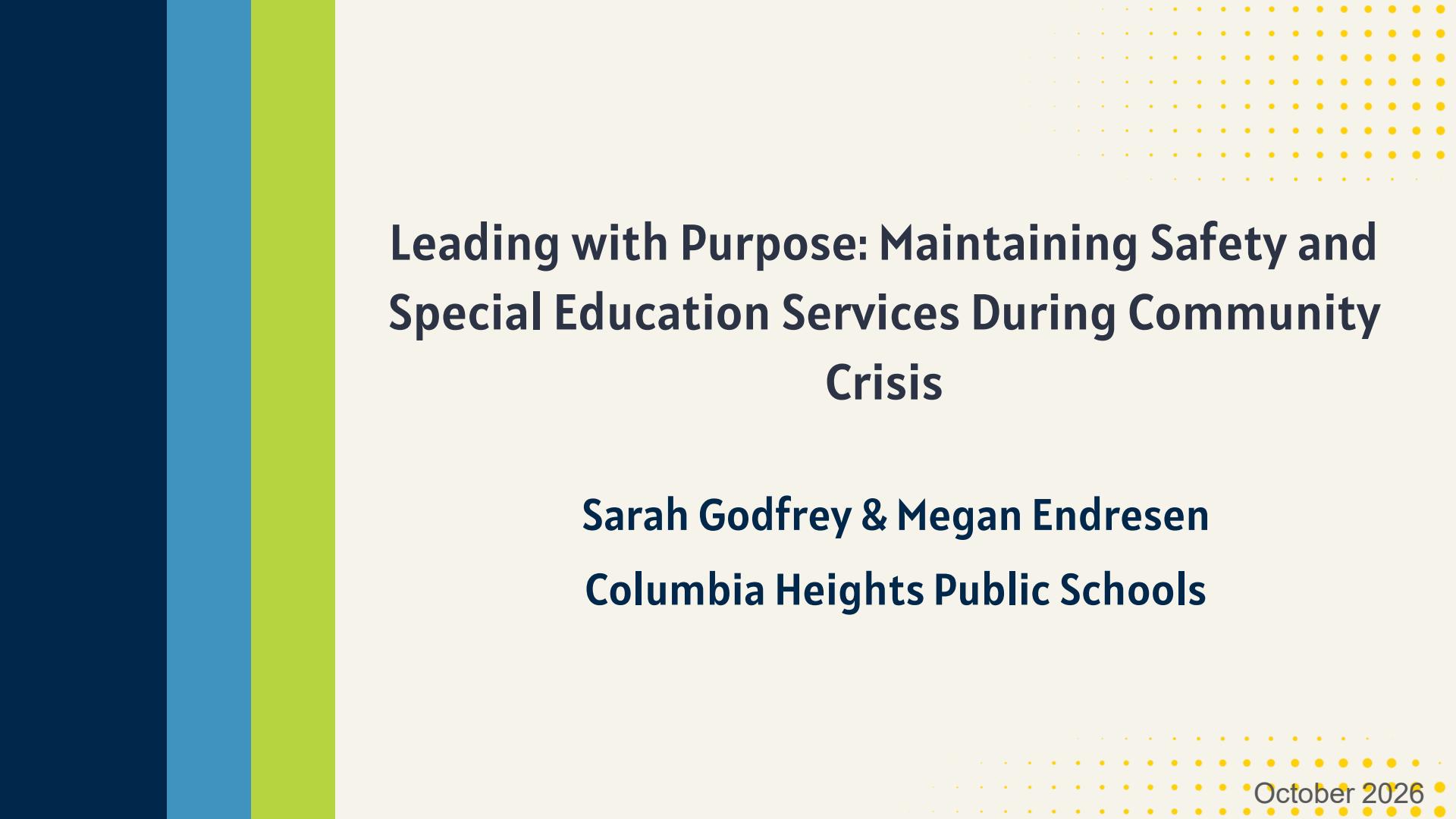


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Leading with Purpose: Maintaining Safety and Special Education Services During Community Crisis

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Creating worlds of opportunity for each and every learner

"All Belong, All Succeed"

SPECIAL SERVICES MISSION

Students receiving special education services are general education students FIRST.

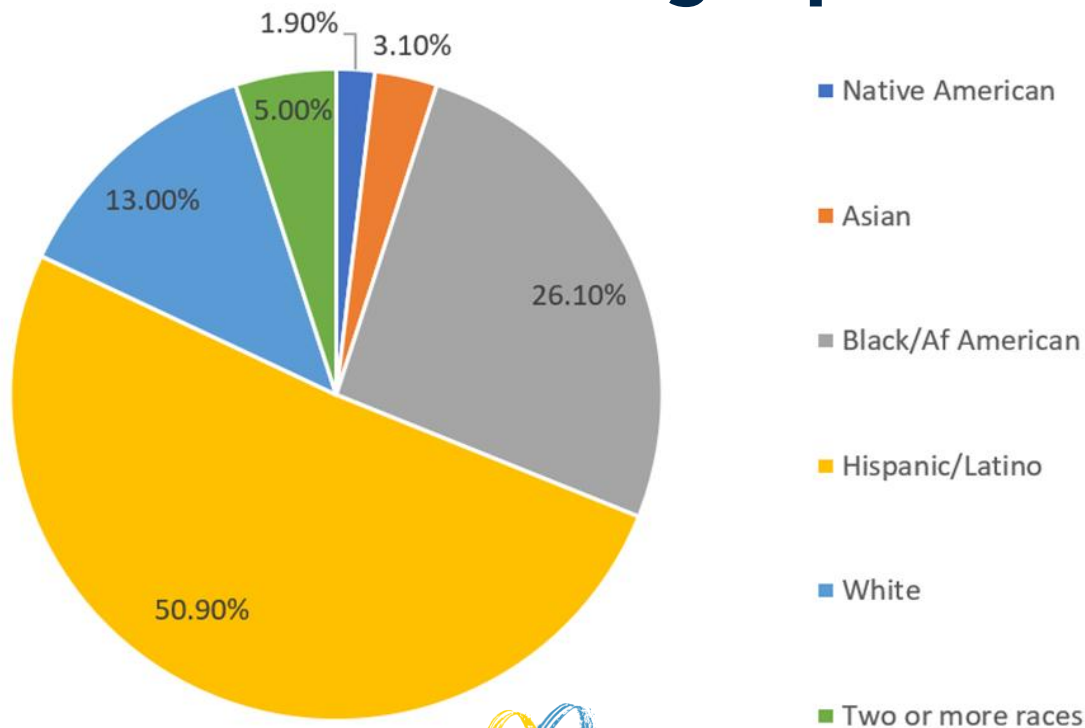
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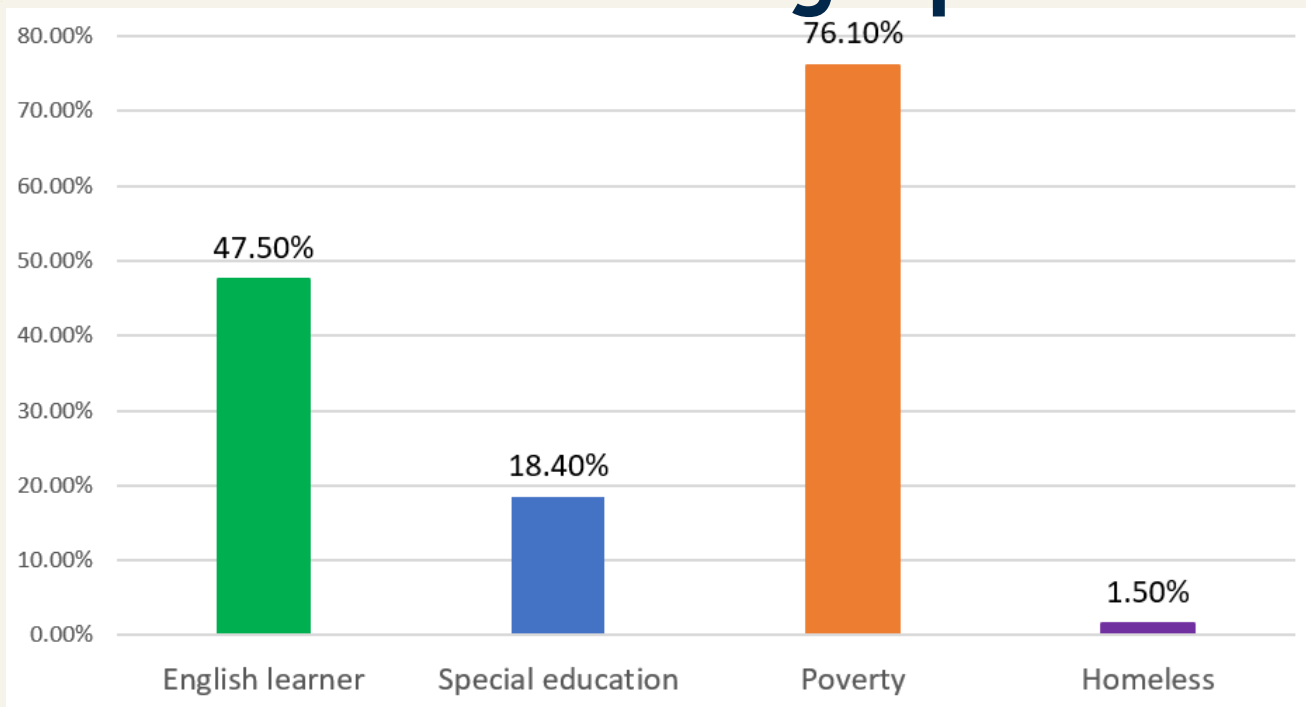
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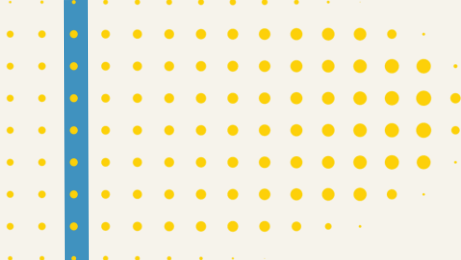


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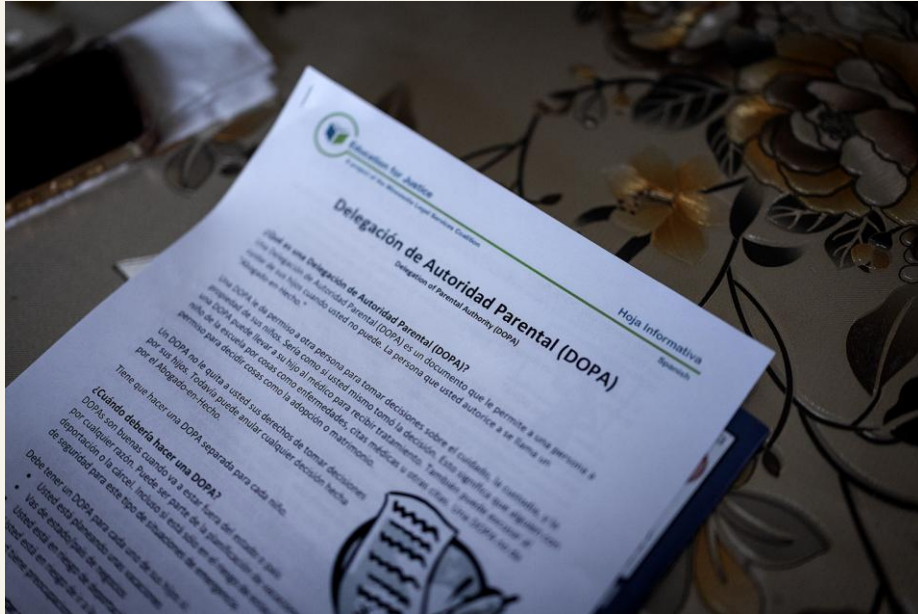
Turn & Talk

How were you affected by the ICE surge
last winter?



November 2024-December

20



January 7



January





Our Response



- This is a private business. You are not permitted to enter non-public areas of this business (including offices, break rooms, storage areas, and staff-only areas) without a valid JUDICIAL WARRANT signed by a judge or magistrate.
- An ICE administrative warrant (Form I-200 or I-205) does not authorize entry into private areas of this business.
- You may not question employees or search the premises without proper legal authority.
- All employees and visitors have the right to remain silent and the right to an attorney.

IF YOU ATTEMPT TO ENTER THIS BUSINESS WITHOUT A VALID JUDICIAL WARRANT, YOU WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE.

IF YOU PRESENT A JUDICIAL WARRANT, PLEASE NOTIFY MANAGEMENT AND LEGAL COUNSEL IMMEDIATELY BEFORE PROCEEDING.

IF YOU ENTER, YOU ARE TRESPASSING, AND WE WILL SEEK LEGAL RECOURSE.

This policy is in compliance with:

- U.S. Constitution, 4th Amendment
- Immigrant Worker Protection Act (AB 450)





January 20



January 21





January 24



January 26

Special Education Students Enrolled

- K-5: 30
- 6-8: 15
- 9-12: 28

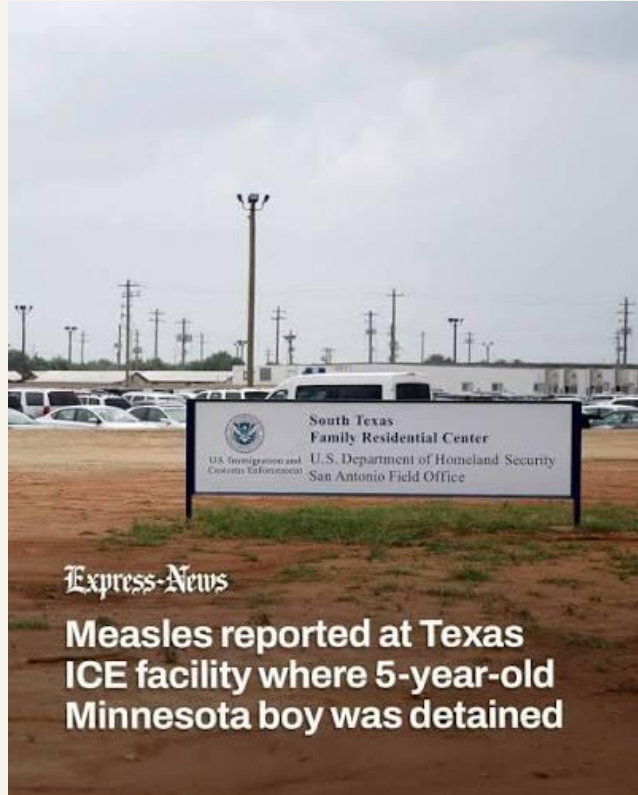
Special Education Teachers

- K-5: 2
- 6-8: 1
- 9-12: 5

PWN Template - Virtual Learning 2026

Virtual Special Education Services 2026

Students with IEPs



February 2

**On February 2,
Columbia Heights
High School had
to close due to a
*bomb threat.***



Community Response





Our Response





Not shared

* Indicates required question

What are you able to help families with? *

- ☐ Grocery delivery
- ☐ Pickup prescriptions
- ☐ Grocery shopping for families
- ☐ Donate money to the fund
- ☐ Rides for adults (we cannot drive students)
- ☐ Other:

Our Response



Trauma Faced by Our Students & Families





The Unseen Response





Moving Forward





Equity Oriented Crisis Leadership Response

- ★ Stay Calm
- ★ Make a Plan
- ★ Maintain Safety
- ★ Support Families
- ★ Follow due process





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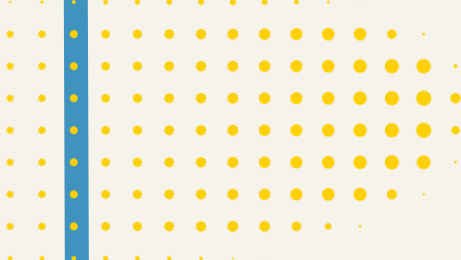
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Questions





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