**New Jags - 2015-16**

**Program & Calendar**

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**Meeting Place and Time:** Level 1 Content/Entering Classrooms:

**1st Block** (8:30 am) Rm \_\_\_\_\_; Presenter: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**2nd Block** (10:50 am) Rm \_\_\_\_\_; Presenter: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**3rd Block** (After A Lunch (odd days) and before & after B Lunch (even days) Rm \_\_\_\_\_; Presenter: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**4th Block**: (2:06 pm) Rm \_\_\_\_\_; Presenter: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Three of the 12 meetings will take place during Jagtime in the Small Gym.**

**Goals of *New Jags* (English & Spanish):**

To grant a sense of belonging and connectedness to students who have recently immigrated to this county in order to positively impact their academic engagement. (Otorgar un sentido de pertenencia y conexión a los estudiantes que recientemente han inmigrado a este país con el fin de impactar positivamente su aprovechamiento académico.)

To provide support for newcomer students’ needs as recent immigrants in order to positively impact their academic progress. (Prestar apoyo a las necesidades de los estudiantes que han inmigrado recientemente con el fin de impactar positivamente su aprovechamiento académico.)

**Students Served:**

The New Jags include students who have recently immigrated to the U.S. and are in ESOL Level 1 classes. Due to the large number of Latino immigrants, the meetings will be conducted in Spanish. New students will be added to the group as they arrive to FCHS from abroad.

**Ground Rules:**

1. Confidentiality (Confidencialidad) 2. Respect toward adults and your peers (Respeto hacia adultos y sus compañeros de clase)

**Topics for each session:**

**Oct. 26**: Goals and ground rules of group; each person introduces him/herself, mentions country of origin, states a word that describes a positive personal quality, and states one thing they like about FCHS so far

**Nov. 9:**Goal Setting and creating of SMART Goal

**Nov. 23:** Problem- Solving, in-house resources, and student activities and sports

**Dec. 2 (Jag 8)**: Panel of other less recent immigrants to speak about their experiences adapting to this country.

**Jan. 11:**  WIDA, ESoL, Graduation Requirements, AP, AVID, ACADEMIES, etc.

**Jan. 21 (Jag 8):** Francisco Klockner Gonzalez and Jonathan Melendez (FC Government): Laws regarding attendance/truancy, violence in the home and on the streets, dating minors and more

**Mar. 7**: Reading and discussing *Enrique’s Journey* focusing on coping skills

**Mar. 14:** Reading and discussing *Enrique’s Journey* focusing on trauma expression through the arts

**Apr. 4:** Reading and discussing *Enrique’s Journey*

**Apr. 18**: Reading and discussing Enrique’s Journey

**May 2:** Identity, Resilience, Immigration Adaptation Processes & Reunification

**May 18:** Edgar Aranda-Yanoc (Legal Aid Justice Center Lawyer, Chair of Board of Directors VA Coalition of Latino Organizations (VACOLAO)): “Know Your Rights”.