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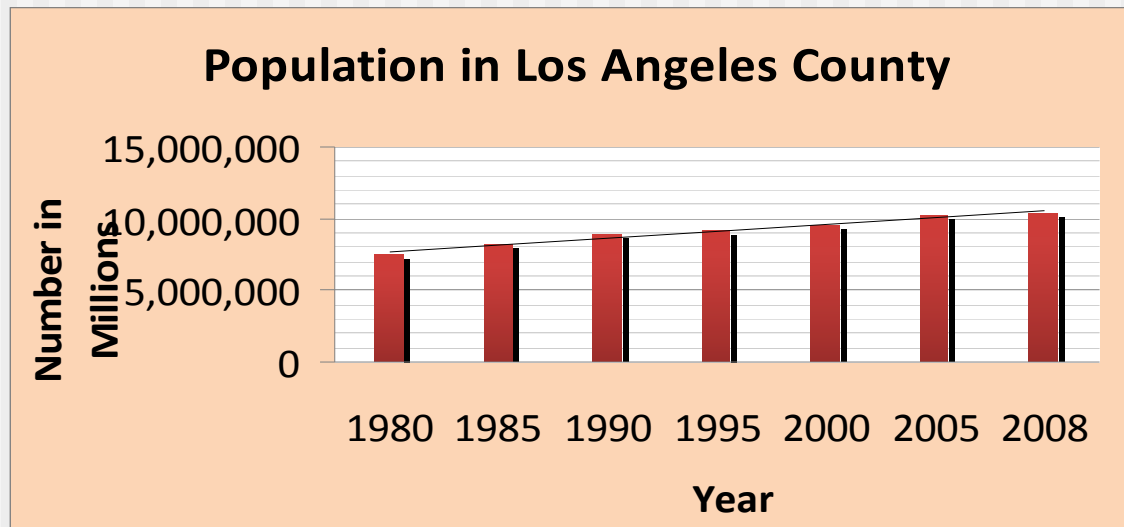
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Introduction

- Animo Venice Charter High School in Los Angeles, CA.
- Presenters Names: Monica Bautista, Jennifer Garcia, Yesenia Ocampo, Daisy Policarpo.
- School Colors: Navy Blue and Gold
- Mascot: Pirates
- Motto: *Preparing students for college, leadership, and life.*

Continued: Introduction

- Estimated population of Los Angeles County in 2008 was 10,363,850.
- Median Household Income, 2007: \$53,494.
- Topic: **Future plans and issues of Latina students at our school.**



Future Plans

- 68% of the girls plan to attend a four year university/college
- 36% plan to attend community college
- 14% plan to work
- Most responded
 - They didn't have the grades
 - Cost was an issue
 - Needed/wanted to work.
- There were no prominent contradictions with their responses.

College Preparation

- Some Latinas feel that they are somewhat prepared to go to college.
- Others do not take advantage of opportunities.
- Most are prepared for the rigor of classes but when it comes to being socially prepared they would disagree.



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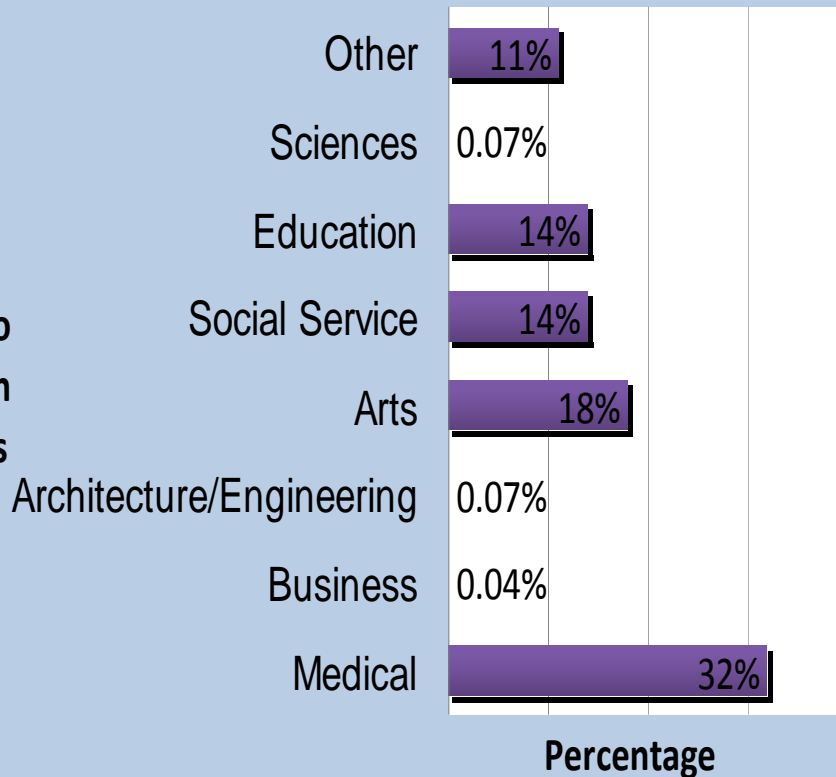
- Our school is small and allows us to help each student individually.
- Lack of a big campus feel.
- Adequately prepared in academics.
- 80% of graduates pursue higher education but through community college.
- Animo prepares them as much as the student is willing to accept.

School Support Services

- Programs for possible student involvement.
- A mission of *Ánimo* is to prepare students for college, leadership and life.
- Some requirements used to achieve this are:
 - *Providing and requiring a college preparatory classes*
 - *A-G courses*
 - *Community Service hours*
 - *Providing information to participate in activities*
 - *Office hours*

Conclusion

Future profession



- Some Latinas at our school desire to pursue the medical, education, and theatre arts field.
- About half of the girls have adequate grades for their goals and the other half lack the grades for their goals.
- Most girls feel that they are academically prepared.

Recommendation to Ánimo

- More programs targeted to Latino students can be created in order to offer help and create a sense of community.
- Involve students more in decisions directly affecting them.
- Learn how to handle situations better.



Recommendations to State Representatives

- Implementing outreach programs in which parents can become involved and informed about expectations students need to attend college.
- Involve yourself directly with students within your district.
- Offer students the ability to participate in decisions regarding California schools.



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