community partners) to plan ways to support students and families during this unique and
Lynch brought together a diverse group of stakeholders (including school staff and
check in on them and identify needs.
Working with Pasadena HS Principal Roberto Hernandez, Lynch worked on a system to
feminine hygiene kits.
Specialist John Lynch created a bilingual resource guide for Pasadena USD families,
At the beginning of the coronavirus closures, Pasadena HS Community Schools Program
support students' social and emotional needs.
result, the Parent Coffee Corner was virtually reborn. The e-connections allowed parents
Many parents were eager to connect, just like they did when campus was open. As a
Paramount S.D.A Church, which partnered to support Paramount families—especially
families was food insecurity due to economic hardships.
At Paramount HS Senior Campus, staff engaged with our most vulnerable families to
determine immediate needs under the pandemic. The most pressing challenge for many
Littlerock HS Community Schools Specialist Amora Coles secured a partnership with
Antelope Valley Boys and Girls Club and Los Angeles Food Bank. On June 18, they
Littlerock Community Schools Director Jose Gonzalez also supported the Littlerock team. The June
Community Schools explained
programs, resource and referral services and community engagement.
the Greater LA Education Foundation (LACOE's philanthropic arm), the LA County
partnership among schools, county agencies and community services to support students
Community Schools celebrate first year of success
year ago at 15 high schools countywide. We thank the many staff, students,
advocacy. Here, we spotlight LACOE's Community Schools pilot launched one
Azusa High School is transforming from a traditional school to a community school that
uplifts students, families and staff. Platforms created by staff provide parents with
How these programs are rising to the challenge:
As the nation's largest regional education agency, LACOE is able to leverage resources
required for the Community School model — a vital strategy for
"LACOE is uniquely positioned to develop the partnership network

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