



# School News



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## Santiago Charter *Middle School*

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### More Academic Choices

On Tuesday and Thursday afternoons at 1:30 p.m. our school bell rings and the students scurry to a classroom of their choice. Their destination for this special time period provides them with either extra academic support or some engaging academic enrichment.

This special time is designed to be a built-in tutorial period. Santiago Charter Middle School is excited to have introduced this enrichment and intervention opportunity for its students. In two trimesters the program has resulted in a great improvement in student performance, more passing grades than previous years, more students engaged in extracurricular activities such as college writing and innovation opportunities/contests, and a shift to a school culture where students are taking a greater initiative in their success.

We are excited to be experiencing the endless opportunities with this program, and to be witnessing the great academic value of student choice. For more of Santiago's unique academic experiences, please follow us on Facebook @ Santiago Charter School PTSA.

