

Recap of meetings this year

Sept. 2008	Conversation with Chuck Morris, Deputy Superintendent
Oct. 2008	Panel with School Improvement Officers
Nov. 2008	High School Options Forum
Jan. 2009	Conversation with Board Member Katherine Nakamura Presentation by UCSD Extension's Morgan Appel –Brain Compatible Learning
Feb. 2009	Presentation by UCSD Extension's Morgan Appel – Meeting the Soc/Emo Needs of the Gifted
Mar. 2009	Conversation with Board Members John Evans and Richard Barrera Presentation by Pat Peterson – Gifted Coordinator San Diego County Dept. of Ed. – Differentiated Instruction
Apr. 2009	Conversation with Board Member Shelia Jackson Presentation by UCSD Extension's Morgan Appel – Parent Support Strategies
May 2009	Conversation with Chuck Morris, Deputy Superintendent

This page relates to your experience with GATE DAC. The section on your child's experience is attached. Please take more sheets if you have more than 2 children.

How long have you been involved in DAC?

This Year Only	2	3	4+
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Will you serve as a GATE DAC Rep next year? _____

How satisfied were you with the DAC program this year?

Not Satisfied = 1	2	3	4	Very Satisfied = 5
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Why?

The Most Helpful part of DAC this year was:

Please rank your interest in the following meeting possibilities – 1=very interested, 5=not interested:

District Curriculum Leaders	1	2	3	4	5
District Administrative Leaders	1	2	3	4	5
Topics in GATE Education	1	2	3	4	5
Social and Emotional Needs of the Gifted	1	2	3	4	5
Examples of Successful Programs	1	2	3	4	5
Student Panel	1	2	3	4	5
Legislative Updates					

“How to” Sessions

How to run a meeting at your school site	1	2	3	4	5
How to have a guest speaker	1	2	3	4	5
Networking within your High School Cluster	1	2	3	4	5

GATE DAC Parent Survey

May, 2009

How to be an advocate for Gifted Education	1	2	3	4	5
How have a High School Cluster-wide meeting	1	2	3	4	5

Topic Suggestions for next year:

What Suggestions do you have for improving the DAC meetings next year?

How many GATE Parent Meetings did you have at your school site this year?

1	2	3	4+
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Despite limited resources, how can the DAC help you at your site?

Number of children _____. Number of children in SDUSD schools _____.

If you wish to become more involved in DAC leadership, please include your name

here: _____ Email / phone: _____

Thank you for your thoughts!

In this section please record your responses for each child individually (circle).

This allows parents who have children in multiple grade levels (ex: elementary and middle school) to comment on each setting.

THANK YOU for completing the survey.

CHILD 1:

Grade level:

Not in school	K-2	3-4	5-6	7-8	9-10	11-12	College or technical	Working adult
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Program:

Cluster	Seminar	Special Ed	General	Other: _____
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Model:

Model A	Model B	Model C	Unknown
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Please circle your agreement/disagreement level in relation to the statements below:

	Strongly Disagree				Strongly Agree	
My child is exposed to a challenging curriculum	1	2	3	4	5	
I feel the teacher(s) understands my child's needs and provides the right amount of rigor to meet my child's needs.	1	2	3	4	5	
My child is bored much of the time in class	1	2	3	4	5	
My child is making "one year's worth of progress" this year.	1	2	3	4	5	
I feel the administrator is supportive of the GATE program at my school	1	2	3	4	5	
I feel the administrator is supportive of my child's GATE teacher .	1	2	3	4	5	
I am confident the GATE funds are spent on GATE students at my school	1	2	3	4	5	
Adequate communication exists between GATE parents and the school.	1	2	3	4	5	
The GATE team leader and administrator have collaborated with parents to hold a GATE site meeting this year. (0 = no meeting)	0	1	2	3	4	5

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CHILD 2:

Grade level:

Not in school	K-2	3-4	5-6	7-8	9-10	11-12	College or technical	Working adult
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