



Agenda

1. Teach for America Presentation – Raquel Lucente (TFA)
2. Bonding Activity – Rachelle (ED)
3. One Week Update – Jenny (Programs)
4. Summary – Skip the Notes! What You Need to Know.

1. Teach for America Presentation – Raquel

- High School really makes a difference in student's lives
- Some who come from private schools
- Question: What is it that Teach for American is looking for?
 - o There are 50K applicants but only 9000 teaching positions.
 - o They work hard to ensure that they have a diverse workforce
 - o During the summer, learning in a city. In the first 2-5 days you need to know where the Oakland Techs are and the Piedmonts are.
 - o You learn about how to work with colleagues and students
 - o You teach summer school in the morning, get feedback right after, and are a student at night
- Criticism: TFA produces a White messiah complex?
 - o Answer: You're right! It is a problem if most of the teachers are white it is absolutely a white messiah complex. That's why they need more people that look like us in TFA

2. Bonding Activity - Rachelle

- Commonalities Game

3. One Week Update - Jenny

- Retention Committee has been planning One Week
- Issue: SB 185
- Theme: 15 Years of Reclaiming Diversity
- Please sign up to table on the days for the events.
- Monday –
 - o White T-Shirts so we can give facts and statistics about our communities
 - o Info Session / Teach-In will be that night led by Ish and OCD Component
- Tuesday:
 - o Open Mic Night
 - o Mural creation
- Wednesday –
 - o T-Shirt Give away and One Week Community Picture
- Thursday –
 - o Study Jam!!
- Friday-
 - o Alumni Dinner



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→ One Week is October 10-14

- Monday – White T-Shirt Giveaway w/ Facts and Stats about our Communities & Teach-In
- Tuesday – Open Mic Nigh & Mural Creation
- Wednesday – One Week T-Shirt Giveaway
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