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Subj: Let's Talk! Update

Statistics from July 1, 2016 – March 31, 2017

	March 2017	Jul 1, 2016 – Mar 31, 2017
Dialogues received	149	846
Closed dialogues	140	632
Average feedback score	7.4	7.5
Average first reply time (goal within 2	58.0 hours	31.8 hours
days)		
Days to Close (average time to resolve	47% closed within 2 days	63% closed within 2 days
the person's concerns, reply and close)		

Top Topics in March 2017:

Topic (# of Dialogues)	Action Taken
Budget – Proposed Elementary	Elementary World Languages are being reinstated into the
Language Cut (17)	budget.
Class Size (16)	Comments noted and being incorporated into planning for 2017-2018
Bias Incidents (15)	Individual and broader communications, 1 town hall held, 2 nd town hall scheduled, updating curriculum and code of conduct
SchoolMessenger Issues (13)	Follow up on individual concerns
Facilities (8)	Follow up on specific facilities issues
Budget (7)	Questions answered, comments noted
Community Events (6)	Information shared
Town Hall (6)	Individual responses to some, others incorporated into planning for May 3 Town Hall
Safety (5)	Resolved on case-by-case basis
School-specific issues (4)	Resolved on case-by-case basis
Questions about individual student/family issues (19)	Each issue responded to with personal attention.

NOTE: We were not able to respond to all dialogues within the goal of 2 days in March, due to the large volume of dialogues, a heavy volume of email and phone inquiries about several hot topics, and some technical difficulties. We are back on track for April.



