



## Why are charter schools so popular?

**FACT:** In a 2008 survey of charter schools, 59% of charter schools reported that they had a waiting list, averaging 198 students. Some charter schools provide a curriculum that specializes in a certain field—e.g., arts and mathematics. Join us for at a **FREE** dynamic panel discussion and find out why charter schools are so popular.

**When:** Tuesday, January 18, 2010

**Charter School Panelists:** **Summit Public School: Rainer, Summit Public School: Tahoma, Escuela Popular, and KIPP Heartwood Academy**

**Time:** 5:30pm-7pm

**Where:** Berryessa Public Library Community Room  
3355 Noble Avenue, San Jose, CA 95132

**This FREE event is sponsored by [mypyc!](#),** City of San Jose Councilmember Kansan Chu, Neighborhoods for Public Education-npe54, and the Berryessa Branch-San Jose Public Library.

**Everyone is welcome, no pre-registration required, and seating is limited.**