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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Gene Groppetti, Vice President, Academic Services

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**SUBJECT:** Research on Union City and ESL students for new off-campus site

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In answer to the following questions:

**1) How many of our ESL students were from Union City in Fall 2007 and Fall 2008?**

ESL students are defined as anyone taking at least one ESL course

	Fall 2007		Fall 2008		
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Castro Valley	27	5%	31	7%	
Hayward	185	37%	178	39%	
San Leandro	98	20%	89	19%	
San Lorenzo	31	6%	35	8%	
Union City	73	15%	60	13%	
Fremont	45	9%	37	8%	
Other local cities	42	8%	30	7%	
Total	501	100%	460	100%	

**2) How many ESL families live in Union City?**

Census 2000:

Number of Union City residents 5 years and over who speak English less than very well:  
15,969 individuals or 26% of the Union City population.