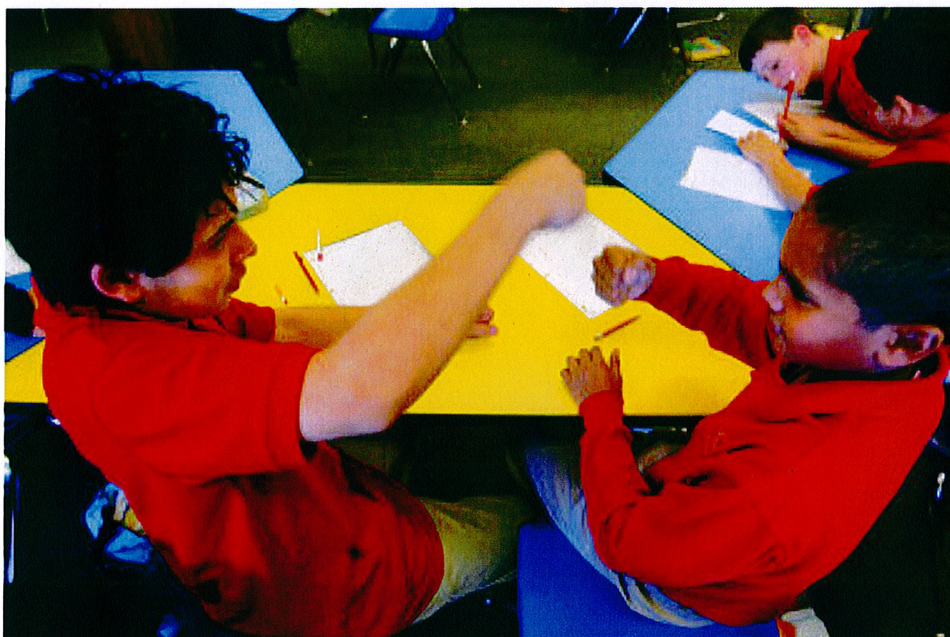


Celebrating Uniqueness

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Jake Zinno, 12, of Pawtucket, left, and Julio Arturo Barroso, 11, of Central Falls, congratulate each other after completing a Spanish assignment together at Community Preparatory School in Providence. The private school, established in 1983, takes students who apply from throughout Rhode Island. Ninety percent of the students receive scholarships. Dan Corley, head of school, says, "Diversity is one of the keys to our uniqueness. Community Prep fosters an environment that embraces each member of our extended family as a unique individual. We support each other in all we do."