

**Superintendent's**

**Report**

**May 18, 2020**

## Since the last Board Meeting...

- LAHS PTSA Meeting, 5/12
- MVLA Foundation Meeting, 5/13
- Phase 3 Planning and Task Force Meetings
- Elected officials/Superintendents' Calls

# Thank You Classified MVLA Staff!



## Reopening: Phase 3

- Task Force created to formulate Reopening Plan
- Will have content area subgroups who will problem-solve and advise the Task Force
- Areas represented will include:
  - Student Support
  - Teacher Support
  - Counseling/SEL Support
  - Technology/Facility Needs

# Graduation planning is under way...

- Meeting with student leadership
- Adhering to County guidelines
- Meeting weekly with County Office of Education
- Physical event: TBD
- Virtual event: Video for end of year



# Wellness Opportunities

## **MVLA Students!**

If you would like to receive more information about how to access therapeutic services outside of school, please schedule an appointment by completing the referral form:

- Telehealth Referral
- Servicios de Telesalud
- 24-hour response to all email communication
- 48-hour turnaround time for the scheduling of each appointment (not including weekends and school holidays).
- If you are in crisis or if you have a mental health emergency, please call 911 immediately instead of filling out the form and waiting for a response.
- Pilot for “ImSparked”

# MVHS Principal Selection

- Applications are in the screening process
- Will be soliciting input from stakeholders
- Interviews to be conducted in May
- Panels will have representatives
- Gathering feedback virtually

4 p.m. – Thursday, May 21

# Webinar Series #1: The Road to College Admissions: How to Plan Ahead

Registration link at <https://www.mvla.net>

## Mountain View Los Altos Union High School District WEBINAR PANEL DISCUSSION: The Road to College Admissions: How to Plan Ahead

Thursday, May 21, 2020, 4 – 5:30 p.m.

**REGISTER NOW!**

Please join us for a live, online discussion with a panel of college admissions officers and our high school college counselors. This webinar will help families separate college admissions fact from fiction. We'll discuss grades, test scores, activities, and everything else colleges evaluate. We will also talk about how COVID-19 is impacting the process. Attendees will get straight answers about what college admissions staff really look for, and how they ultimately decide who'll be accepted. We'll also have some reassuring advice for families – kids don't have to be artistic multilingual rocket scientists to get into college today!

*Facilitated and moderated by Dr. Nellie Meyer, Superintendent, MVLA*

#### Panelists:

- Ashley Brookshire, Regional Director of Admissions, Georgia Institute of Technology
- Cecilia Del Toro, Admissions Counselor/Recruiter, San Jose State University
- Melanie David, Assistant Director, Undergraduate Admissions, University of California, Davis
- Maria Rodriguez, Senior Assistant Director, Office of Admission, University of Southern California
- Sulgi Lim, Director of Admissions, Williams College
- Julian Tamayo, Senior Assistant Director of Undergraduate Admissions, Yale University
- Angela Price, College Counselor, Los Altos High School
- Leslie Felipe, College Counselor, Mountain View High School

#### Topics will include:

- Current academic landscape (SAT/ACT test cancellations, school closures, virtual learning, Credit/No Credit grades)
- How might all of this reshape the fall in terms of students' timelines?
- What will holistic review look like this fall?
- What are colleges really looking for in an applicant?
- Should you consider Early Action/Early Decision, and what is the difference?
- What do parents need to know about financial aid & scholarships?
- What are some tips for writing the college essay?
- How, when, and where should you start the college search?
- Without being able to visit school campuses right now, what resources are there for students to use?
- What are some of the common mistakes students make in the application process?
- What should your plan be the summer and fall of senior year?

Do you have a question that's not covered here? Send it by May 20 to [communications@mvla.net](mailto:communications@mvla.net) and we'll make sure to address it!



Can't make it live? Please still [register!](#) We will send you a link to the recorded webinar to watch afterwards!

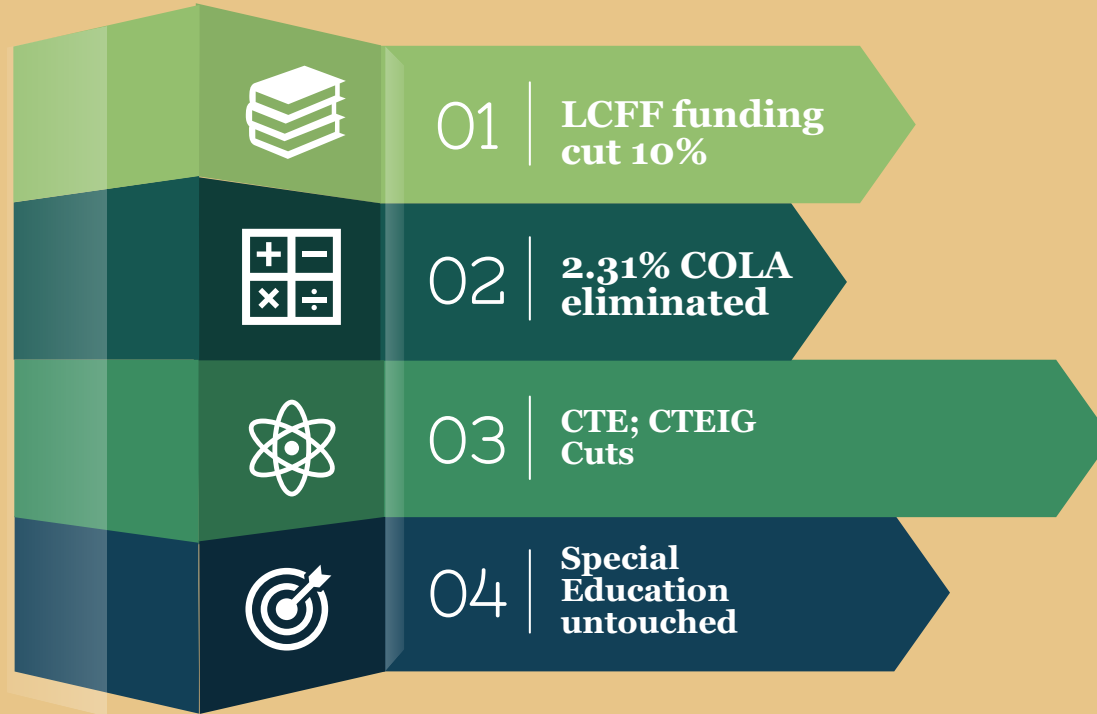


# Kamran Zia

Mountain View High School student leads a fundraiser to “Engage with the Elderly” aiming to bring comfort and fun into the lives of nursing home residents.



# Governor's Budget May Revise



01 | LCFF funding cut 10%



02 | 2.31% COLA eliminated



03 | CTE; CTEIG Cuts



04 | Special Education untouched

# *Chapel of Love* – MVHS Choir Sophomore Quintet



<https://youtu.be/5dZtyrL34WY>

# Summer Distance Learning Program

Hey MVLA!  
Summer Distance Learning is Here!

**MVLA**  
HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT



**TWO SESSIONS**

**Session I: 6/11/20 – 6/24/20**

**Session II: 6/25/20 – 7/9/20**

## ENGLISH

Survey Comp Lit  
(9<sup>th</sup> Grade)

English Lit/  
Composition  
(10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade)

Intensive Literacy  
Workshop for English  
Language Learners

## MATH

Algebra I

Geometry

Algebra II

## SOC/SCI

U.S. History

U.S. History SDAIE

World Studies

## SPECIAL ED

Special Day Class (SDC)  
Program

Post-Senior Program

All curriculum and  
classwork will be  
determined for each  
student based on their  
Individualized Education  
Plan (IEP)

**REGISTRATION IS STILL OPEN!**

Learn more and enroll online at  
[mvla.net/Summer-School-2020](https://mvla.net/Summer-School-2020)

## HEALTH

Offered to incoming 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders through MVLA Adult Education over three sessions!  
This is a separate enrollment through Adult Education. Learn more at:

<https://as.mvla.net/Programs/High-School-Diploma/HSD-Online-Summer-School/index.html>

Questions? Email us at [summer@mvla.net](mailto:summer@mvla.net)

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**WITH OUR GREATEST APPRECIATION!**

MVLA Family,

*Our staff are special people! You are the shining stars of our industry and make a difference in students' lives. As we celebrate Staff Appreciation Week we want you to know: we appreciate you...we celebrate you...we honor you today and every day - now more than ever. **THANK YOU!***



# Thank You!

