



San Ysidro

School District **EST - 1887**

QUALITY EDUCATION AND OPPORTUNITY FOR ALL STUDENTS TO SUCCEED

District Highlights

Superintendent - **Gina A. Potter, Ed.D.**

Weeks of January 25, 2019

CODE TO THE FUTURE - Sunset Elementary (Francisco Mata)

It is projected that by the year 2020 there will be a shortfall of 1 million qualified applicants for computer science jobs in the U.S. Most schools do not teach computer science. Sunset is taking a proactive approach by teaching it's students skills that will prepare them for these future careers. Each grade, from K-6, is learning some level of coding or computer skill. To teach coding, Sunset uses "Scratch", which was developed by MIT. In many colleges Scratch is used as a basic learning tool in the Computer Science field. At Sunset, students begin learning Scratch in Kindergarten. As students advance through each grade level a new, advanced skill, involving Scratch, is added to the teaching curriculum.



Board Distinguished Champion Awards - Jan. 24th Board Meeting (Francisco Mata)

Sunset Students Latin Formation Dancers



Reclassified English Proficient Students



School Site Council Presidents: Sunset, SYMS, OVH, Smythe, VDM



San Ysidro Women's Club



San Ysidro Chamber Education Committee



NEW LCAP & DISTRICT BUDGET ADVISORY COMMITTEE (Marilyn Adrianzen & Manuela Colom)

SYSD will host its first annual LCAP-DBAC Committee (Local Control Accountability Plan-District Budget Advisory Committee). The membership recruitment has begun and the first meeting originally scheduled for Fri, Jan 25th is being rescheduled due to calendaring conflicts.

INDEPENDENT CITIZENS' OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE DEVELOPMENT TIMELINE (Marilyn Adrianzen)

January 2019	Bond Oversight Committee application process begins. Evaluate, review and rank all applications
March 2019	Results of the ranking process will be presented to the Superintendent and recommendation to the Board
April Board Meeting	Appointment of B.O.C. members Once approved by the board, training and orientation may begin
May 2019	First B.O.C. meeting

MEDIA UPDATE (Francisco Mata)

Below is a list of recent news article/s:

- Why We Need to Fear Deadly Fentanyl in San Diego
 - <https://timesofsandiego.com/opinion/2019/01/24/why-we-need-to-fear-deadly-fentanyl-in-san-diego/>

Below is a chart of all school visits from August 2018 through April 2019:

Superintendent School Visits			
School Name	Visit Date	Visit Time	Notes
La Mirada School	1) August 21, 2018 2) October 16, 2018 3) December 4, 2018 4) February 13, 2019 (SPED) 5) February 19, 2019	8:45-10:30 a.m. 8:30-11:00 a.m. 8:45-10:30 a.m. 8:45-11:00 a.m. 8:45-11:00 a.m.	Learning Walk scheduled for 3/21/19
Ocean View Hills School	1) August 22, 2018 2) November 6, 2018 3) February 5, 2019 4) April 17, 2019	8:45-10:30 a.m. 8:45-10:30 a.m. 8:45-11:00 a.m. 8:45-11:00 a.m.	
Smythe School	1) August 22, 2018 2) September 4, 2018 3) October 31, 2018 (Halloween Parade) 4) January 29, 2019 5) April 23, 2019	8:45-10:30 a.m. 8:45-10:30 a.m. 8:30-9:00 a.m. 8:45-11:00 a.m. 8:45-11:00 a.m.	
Sunset School	1) October 17, 2018 2) October 31, 2018 (Halloween Visit) 3) December 19, 2018 4) March 6, 2019	8:45-10:30 a.m. 10:00-10:30 a.m. 8:45-10:30 a.m. 8:45-11:00 a.m.	
San Ysidro Middle School	1) October 9, 2018 2) December 18, 2018 (Learning Walk) 3) January 30, 2019 4) February 13, 2019 (SPED)	8:45-10:30 a.m. 8:45-10:30 a.m. 8:45-11:00 a.m. 8:45-11:00 a.m.	
Vista Del Mar Middle School	1) October 23, 2018 2) November 27, 2018 3) February 6, 2019	8:45-10:30 a.m. 8:45-10:30 a.m. 8:45-11:00 a.m.	Learning Walk scheduled for 4/11/19
Willow School	1) September 4, 2018 2) September 19, 2018 3) October 24, 2018 (Coffee with the Principal) 4) December 11, 2018 5) February 20, 2019	8:45-10:30 a.m. 9:30-11:00 a.m. 8:30-9:30 a.m. 8:45-10:30 a.m. 8:45-11:00 a.m.	

Child Development Center (CDC)	1) October 10, 2018 2) October 31, 2018 (Halloween Parade) 3) December 5, 2018 (Sunset & OVHS) 4) April 16, 2019 (Smythe)	8:45-10:30 a.m. 9:00-9:30 a.m. 8:45-10:30 a.m. 8:45-11:00 a.m.	
Special Education	1) February 26, 2019 (Start at La Mirada and SYMS) 2) April 24, 2019 (Start at OVHS and VDM)	8:45-11:00 a.m. 8:45-11:00 a.m.	

LOOKING AHEAD *(by Monica Yrineo & Miguel Ortega)*

Below is a chart of upcoming dates and events.

DATE	TIME	LOCATION	EVENT
Tues., Jan. 29	8:30 a.m.	La Mirada	Coffee with Principal
Tues., Jan. 29	8:30 a.m.	OVHS	Tea with Principal
Tues., Jan. 29	9:00 a.m.	SYMS	Coffee with Principal
Wed., Jan. 30	8:15 a.m.	CDC	Coffee with Director
Thurs., Jan. 31	8:30 a.m. Tk and Kinder 8:55 a.m. 1 st , 2 nd , and 3 rd 9:50 a.m. 4 th , 5 th , and 6 th	La Mirada	Awards Assembly
Thurs., Jan. 31	TBD	SYMS	Awards Assembly
Thurs., Jan. 31	12:00-2:00 p.m.	VDM	Awards Assembly
Wed., Feb. 6	8:30 a.m.	Sunset	Coffee with Principal
Tues., Feb. 5	8:30 a.m.	SYMS	Awards Assembly
Mon., Feb. 11	Approx 6:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.	Sacramento	Legislative Advocacy Trip Board Members & Superintendent
Tues., Feb. 19	9:00 a.m.	Smythe	Coffee with Principal
Sat., March 2	10:00 a.m.	Prof. Dev. Center- 680 L Street, Ste. C, Chula Vista	Joint School Boards Meeting

2019 GOVERNING BOARD MEETINGS (by Monica Yrineo & Miguel Ortega)

DATE	TIME	LOCATION	TYPE OF BOARD MEETING (Regular or Special)
Friday, Jan. 18, 2019	2:00 - 6:00 p.m.	Board Room	Special Meeting Board Workshop
Thurs., Jan. 24, 2019	3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	VDM	Special Meeting
Thurs., Jan. 24, 2019	5:00 p.m.	VDM	Regular Meeting
Thurs, Feb. 21, 2019	3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	TBD	Special Meeting
Thurs., Feb. 21, 2019	5:00 p.m.	Sunset	Regular Meeting
Thurs., Feb. 28, 2019	5:00 p.m.	Board Room	Regular Meeting
Thurs., March 14, 2019	5:00 p.m.	Smythe	Regular
Thurs., April 11, 2019	5:00 p.m.	VDM	Regular
Fri., April 26, 2019	2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Board Room	Special Meeting Board Workshop
Thurs., May 9, 2019	4:00 p.m.	LM	Special Meeting
Thurs., May 9, 2019	5:00 p.m.	LM	Regular
Thurs., June 6, 2019	5:00 p.m.	Smythe	Regular
Thurs., June 13, 2019	5:00 p.m.	Board Room	Regular
Fri., June 28, 2019	12:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.	Board Room	Special Meeting
Thurs., July 11, 2019	5:00 p.m.	Board Room	Regular
Thurs., August 8, 2019	5:00 p.m.	Board Room	Regular
Thurs., September 12, 2019	5:00 p.m.	SYMS	Regular
Thurs., October 10, 2019	5:00 p.m.	OVHS	Regular
Thurs., Nov. 14, 2019	5:00 p.m.	Willow	Regular
Thurs., Dec. 19, 2019	5:00 p.m.	SYMS	Organizational Meeting