



# San Ysidro

## School District

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QUALITY EDUCATION AND OPPORTUNITY FOR ALL STUDENTS TO SUCCEED

### District Highlights

Superintendent - Gina A. Potter, Ed.D.

Week of August 23, 2019

**SOUTH COUNTY COLLABORATIVE SCHOOL BOARDS MEETING: THURS, AUGUST 29 @ 6PM - Rancho de la Nacion School (1830 E. Division Street, National City, CA 91950)**

National School District has coordinated a South County Collaborative School Boards Meeting with all south county school districts on Thursday, August 29th beginning at 6pm.

**REGULAR BOARD MEETING: THURS, SEPTEMBER 12 @ 5PM - San Ysidro Middle School**

On Thursday, September 12th beginning at 5 p.m. there will be a regular Board Meeting.

**WORKFORCE SUMMIT: "TEAMING TODAY TO IMPACT TOMORROW"**

On Friday, August 23, 2019, the first-ever local industry and education summit, "Teaming Today to Impact Tomorrow, was held at Southwestern College (SWC) inside Mayan Hall. This summit was scheduled to help bridge the gap between industry leaders, educators and students. It was a pleasure to meet SWC President, Dr. Kindred Murillo, and her Board Members. SYSD will continue to grow and nurture its meaningful and impactful partnership with Southwestern College.

Here is a link of the KUSI news coverage of the event.

- Southwestern College and Economic Development Council to host workforce summit
  - <https://www.kusi.com/southwestern-college-and-economic-development-council-to-host-workforce-summit/>

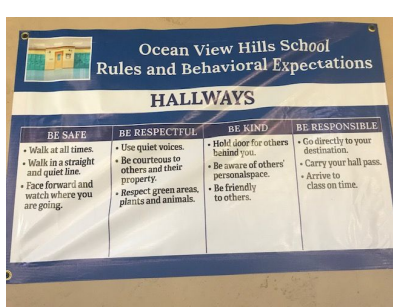
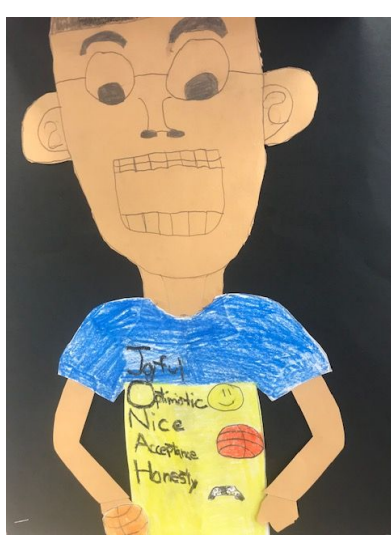
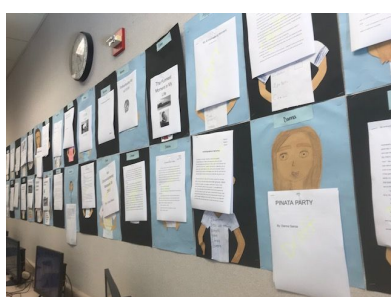


## **OCEAN VIEW HILLS & OCEAN VIEW HILLS PRESCHOOL BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT**

On Wednesday, August 21, 2019, Ocean View Hills School and Preschool welcomed parents for Back to School Night! Parents had an opportunity to be welcomed by their principal, meet teachers, visit classrooms and ask questions about the upcoming year. A special thanks to Board President Irene Lopez and Board Member Rudy Lopez for attending.











Jonah Daen

Embarassing Moment

My most embarrassing moment of my life

It all started in the YMCA. I had to go to the YMCA because of my basketball game. My game was in the morning so I was tired still. I hope today was gonna be a good day I said to myself. I ate breakfast and went into the car. My mom drove me to the YMCA and saw the team I was going to go against. I felt nervous when I went inside the court went into the YMCA and saw my coach and teammates. My coach said "Hello Jonah, we are practicing now." We warmed up by shooting and running. The other team was warming up too. The game was about to start. I wasn't in the game yet. I watched how my team played. We were winning by a lot of points. I was about to be in the game soon.

When I went in the game I felt nervous and happy at the same time. I felt excited to play because my whole family is watching me right now. I scored a point and my family yelled. I only had 4 points but that doesn't matter to me because I was having so much fun. The first quarter was done and I ran to the bench and and drank water.

"Jonah cut!" my teammate said I grabbed the ball and shot it. I made it. The score was 10 to 16 we were leading.

"Timeout!" my coach said.

"Guys we are leading we just need to play defense." I said as my family cheered me on.

"Guys we need to make layups!" the coach said.

My whole team said "1,2,3 Win!"

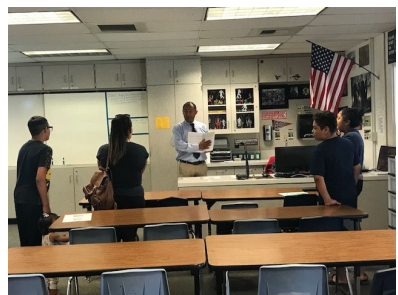
My teammate passed the ball to me. When I got the ball I was kind of shoving. I shot it and made it. My coach said "Good job Jonah!"

"Your out Jonah!" a teammate said. I sat down and watched my team play. The scoreboard was 15 to 20. we were winning.

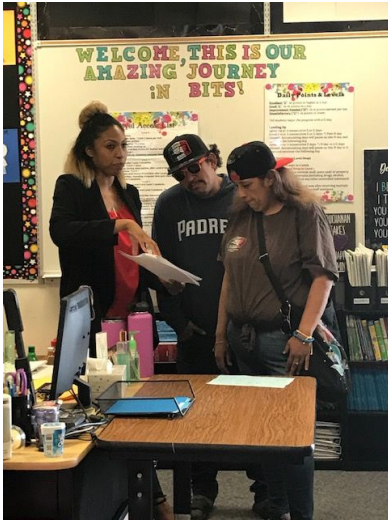


## SAN YSIDRO MIDDLE BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT

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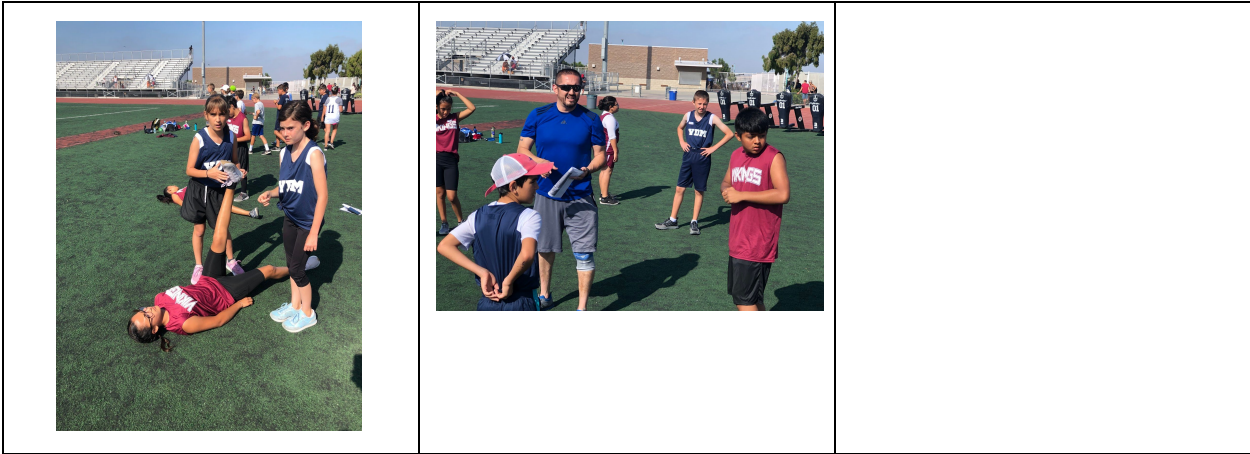




**SAN YSIDRO MIDDLE AND VISTA DEL MAR MIDDLE SPORTS EVENT AT OLYMPIAN HIGH SCHOOL ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 27, 2019**

Our Middle School Athletics League has kicked off its Fall season sports. San Ysidro Middle School and Vista Del Mar are both showing their school pride by enrolling teams to represent their schools in; football, baseball, softball and cross-country. In this picture you will observe our cross country showing their school pride and community pride. There is no doubt they are #SYSDUnited.





**BOARD PRESIDENT IRENE LOPEZ SPEAKS AT THE FELIX Y. MANALO FOUNDATION EVENT**

On Wednesday, August 21 the Felix Y. Manalo Foundation along with the Iglesia ni Cristo, (Church of Christ), held an event at Montgomery-Waller Community Park. Aid to Humanity honored and recognized 5 local community organizations and schools with a \$5,000 donation. Among the recipients were San Ysidro Middle School, Willow Elementary and Hearts and Hands. SYSD Board President, Irene Lopez, was one of the keynote speakers. The event attracted over 500 members of the community. The world wide Iglesia ni Cristo was founded by Felix Manalo in the Philippines and counts hundreds of thousands congregation members around the world including the South Bay.





**Board President Irene Lopez speaking at the event:**  
[https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B4\\_Wiy0SKQVcZ01BeU1jNm9XcGhsRzhyOTBpdnNobmInRnNZ/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B4_Wiy0SKQVcZ01BeU1jNm9XcGhsRzhyOTBpdnNobmInRnNZ/view?usp=sharing)



## ¡Clases de Inglés GRATIS!/FREE English Classes!

The 2019 fall semester free English classes begin next week at Parent Centers at the District Office, Willow and Smythe CDC. This will be the 3rd year we have partnered with Southwestern College to provide our parents and community with these free classes. We expect about 70 to 100 parents to take advantage of the classes.

# LEARN ENGLISH

**FREE 8-week course!**

*English as a Second Language (ESL) Classes for Parents*  
**BEGINNING AUGUST 26!**

San Ysidro School District, in partnership with Southwestern College's ESL Department, offers **FREE ESL I, ESL II, & ESL III English Classes.**

**ESL I classes (begins August 26) will be offered at:**  
 Willow Elementary School, 226 Willow Road, San Ysidro  
 Monday & Wednesday from 10:00 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.

**Smythe Child Development Center, 1880 Smythe Ave. San Ysidro**  
 Monday & Wednesday from 9:00 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.

**ESL II classes (begins August 27) will be offered at:**  
 District Parent Community Center, 4350 Otay Mesa Road, San Ysidro  
 Tuesday & Thursday from 10:00 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.

**ESL III classes (begins August 27) will be offered at:**  
 San Ysidro Middle School, Room 502, 4345 Otay Mesa Road, San Ysidro  
 Tuesday & Thursday from 10:00 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.

**SPACE IS LIMITED. ENROLL TODAY!**  
 To enroll or for more information, contact Francisco Mata at (619) 428-4476 Ext. 3033.

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# APRENDA INGLÉS

**GRATIS Curso de 8 semanas**

*Clases de inglés como segundo idioma (ESL) para padres*  
**¡COMIENZAN EL 26 DE AGOSTO!**

El Distrito Escolar de San Ysidro junto con el Departamento de ESL de Southwestern College ofrece:

**Clases de inglés ESL I, ESL II y ESL III GRATIS**

**Clases de ESL I (comienzan el 26 de agosto) se ofrecerán en:**  
 Willow Elementary School, 226 Willow Road, San Ysidro  
 Lunes y miércoles de 10:00 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.

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**Clases de ESL II (comienzan el 27 de agosto) se ofrecerán en:**  
 Distrito, Centro Comunitario de Padres, 4350 Otay Mesa Road, San Ysidro  
 Martes y Jueves de 10:00 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.

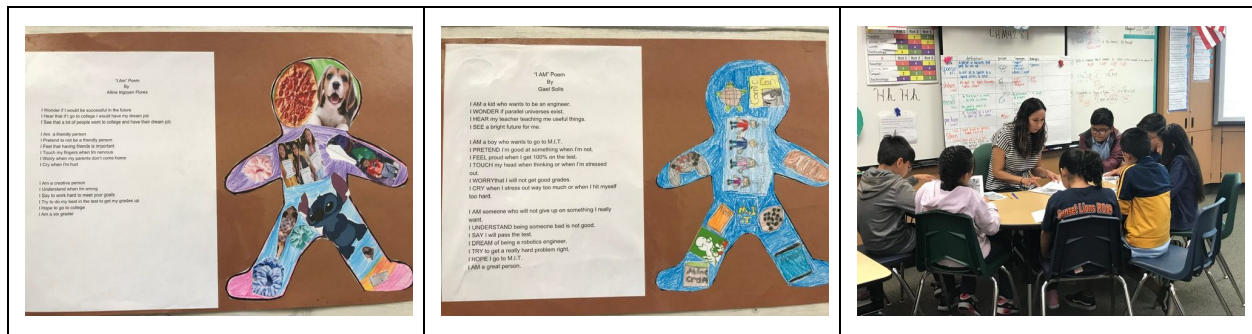
**Clases de ESL III (comienzan el 27 de agosto) se ofrecerán en:**  
 San Ysidro Middle School, Salon 502, 4345 Otay Mesa Road, San Ysidro  
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**¡EL CUPO ES LIMITADO! ¡INSCRIBASE HOY!**  
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## LEARNING WALK AT SUNSET (Cynthia Monreal Gonzalez, Director of Educational Services)

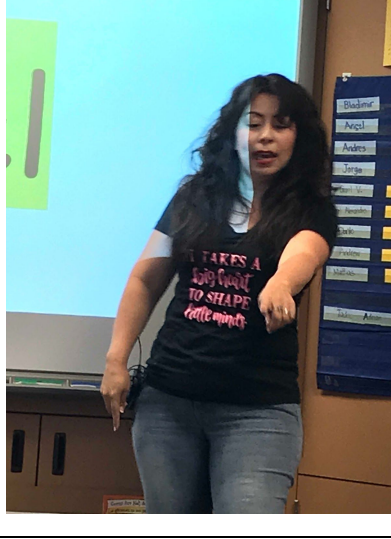
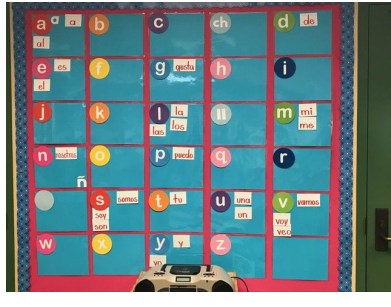
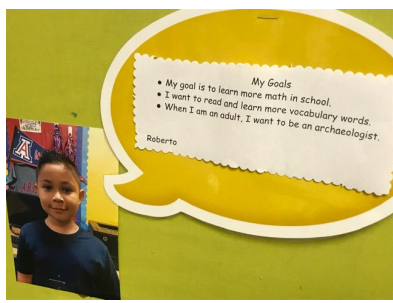
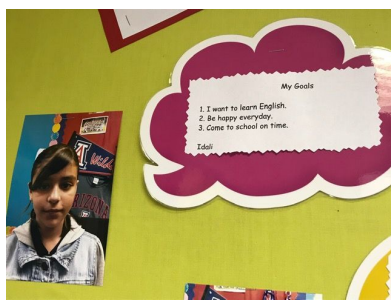
This week Dr. Potter, Superintendent, Omar Calleros, Coordinator of Full Service Community Schools & After School Programs, Manuela Colom, Executive Director of Curriculum, Instruction & Innovation, Oscar Madera, Director of Special Education, Francisco Mata, Coordinator of Public Relations & Community Services, Veronica Medina, Student & Family Services Manager, Cynthia González, Director of Educational Services, all school site principals, and our district resource teachers attended the Learning Walk at Sunset Elementary School. The walk is structured into 3 groups, which allowed for our team to visit all classrooms at Sunset. The focus of the learning walk was observing the instructional strategies that drive academic rigor and language acquisition for all students.





Effectiveness Indicators for Instruction

Classroom Management	Student Behavior	Assessment
1. Checks are arranged to facilitate student discussion	1. The academic language is conversational/discussive with peers	1. Sets clear learning objectives & lessons
2. Academic vocabulary is displayed on charts, posters, etc.	2. Knows/recognizes in content	2. Models engagement with text & tasks
3. Expectations and norms are posted & displayed	3. Uses structures to support meaningful student engagement in content	3. Prompts, facilitates, & collaborates with text & tasks
4. Language frames are accessible to students	4. Discourse are meaningful, students make meaning of content	4. Establishes & reinforces structures and routines
5. Students reflect on how thinking evolved based on discussion & evidence	5. Students actively engage in understanding and cite evidence	5. Provides specific, timely, & meaningful feedback around content
6. Checks are arranged to facilitate student discussion	6. Checks are arranged to facilitate student discussion	6. Checks are arranged to facilitate student discussion
7. Turnover includes appropriate tasks meaningful & relevant	7. Turnover includes appropriate tasks meaningful & relevant	7. Turnover includes appropriate tasks meaningful & relevant



#### Unit 1 ELA Standards

**RL.4.1** Refer to details and examples in a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from the text.

**RL.4.2** Determine a theme of a story, drama, or poem from details in the text; summarize the text.

**RL.4.4** Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including those that allude to significant characters found in mythology (e.g., Hercules).

**RL.4.5** Explain major differences between poems, drama, and prose, and refer to the structural elements of poems (e.g., verse, rhythm, meter) and drama (e.g., casts of characters, settings, descriptions, dialogue, stage directions) when writing or speaking about a text.

**SL.4.2** Paraphrase portions of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.

**SL.4.3** Identify the reasons and evidence a speaker provides to support particular points.

#### Unit 1 Math Standards

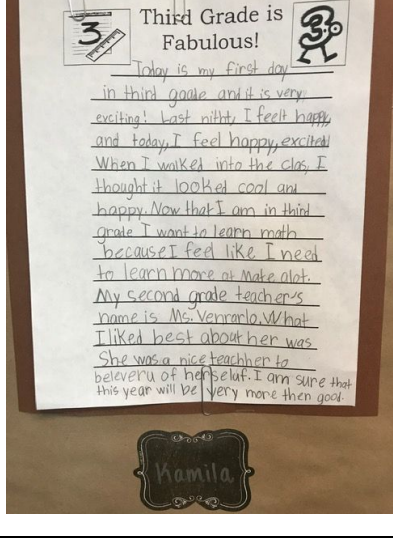
**NBT.1** Recognize concepts of place value & division

**NBT.3** Round multi-digit whole numbers to any place.

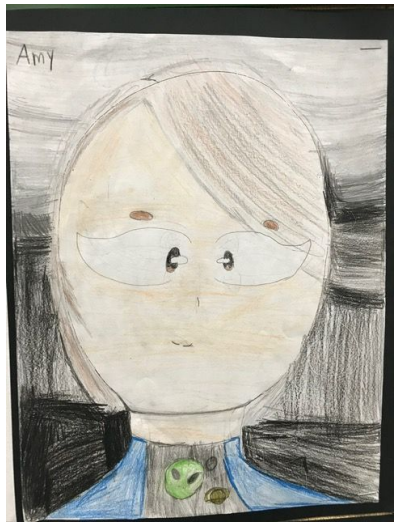
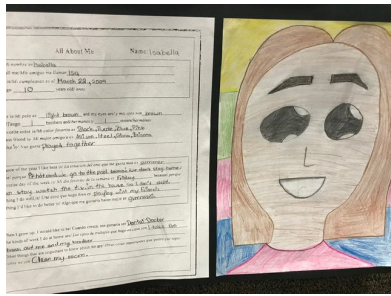
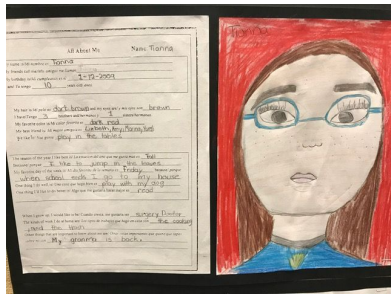
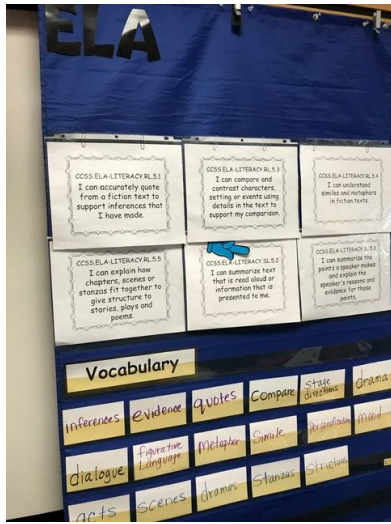
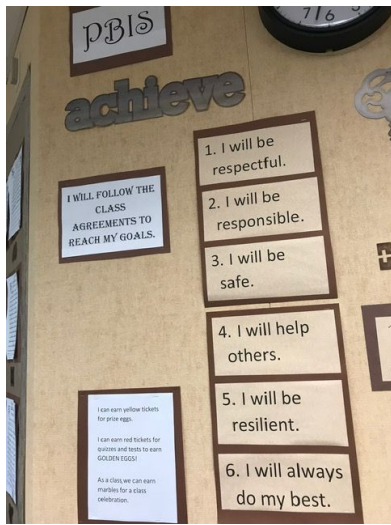
**NBT.2** Read/Write/ Compare multi-digit whole numbers (>, <, =)

**NBT.4** Fluently add/subtract multi-digit whole numbers using the standard algorithm

**OA.1** Interpret a multiplication equation as a comparison











**MEDIA UPDATE** (Francisco Mata)

Below is a list of recent news article/s:

- Channel 10 News: New Program tackles behavioral issue to reduce future crime and violence in school

- <https://www.10news.com/news/local-news/new-program-tackles-behavioral-issues-to-reduce-future-crime-and-violence-in-school>
- NBC 7: New Wildfire Guidelines Released for San Diego County Schools
  - <https://www.nbcsandiego.com/news/local/County-Releases-New-Fire-Guidelines-for-County-Schools-557900481.html>