

GENERAL INFORMATION

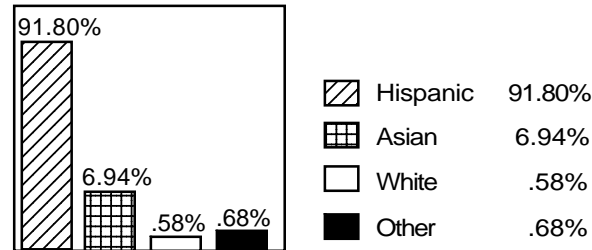
Student success is our commitment in the Mountain View School District. Every member of our team including our Board of Education, administrators, teachers, certificated, classified and confidential staff is committed to making a positive difference in the life of each student we serve. From preschool to eighth grade our number one goal continues to be for all students to achieve their highest potential through effective instructional practices that support improved academic achievement.

Mountain View is a K-8 district located in the heart of the San Gabriel Valley and each day welcomes approximately 8,600 students through the doors of its 10 elementary schools, one intermediate school, one middle school and alternative school. The District also serves the educational needs of 812 preschool students and families through the Head Start State Preschool, Children's Center and First 5 School Readiness Programs. Each of the District's 10 elementary schools has Full Day Kindergarten and all Kindergarten through third grade classrooms have reduced class size.

MVSD is committed to providing a well-balanced quality education to all students through effective instructional leadership, rigorous academic programs and extracurricular enrichment which provides challenging and fun ways to extend learning beyond the classroom. Students are consistently challenged by the highest of expectations in supportive learning environments that encourage creative and critical thinking, foster values and respond to the individual needs of each student.

MVSD is proud of our dedicated team of employees, many who are products of the District, and the contributions they make each day to the education of our students. Through teamwork our employees, parents, business and community members actively participate in the educational development of our students, providing them with a solid foundation of skills they may take forward into our ever changing world.

STUDENT ETHNIC COMPOSITION



ADOPTED BUDGETED EXPENDITURES 2009-10 - \$79,735,449

Category	Percentage
Teachers Salaries/Benefits	52.89%
Instructional Aides Salaries/Benefits	3.69%
Textbooks, Classroom Equipment & Supplies	4.34%
Special Education	8.95%
Instructional Related Services	7.78%
Student Support Services	3.42%
School Administration	4.90%
Pupil Transportation	1.62%
General Administration	4.54%
Plant Services (Maintenance & Operations)	7.77%

TOTAL NUMBER OF DISTRICT PERSONNEL

Certificated (Teaching/Support Staff)	436
Administrative/Classified Management	35
Classified/Confidential (Non-Teaching)	475
• Total Staff	946

M.V.S.D. POINTS OF PRIDE

- Honored with the Beacon of Hope Award from Renaissance Learning for reading achievement
- La Primaria School a 2008 California Distinguished School and Six-time State Title I Academic Achievement School
- MVSD students honored with awards, scholarships, medals and certificates in academic and artistic competitions sponsored by many outside agencies
- Several MVSD schools have been recognized for exemplary performance, achievement and teamwork by organizations such as the California Business for Education Excellence, UCLA School Management Program and NASA
- A Golden Bell Award winning and nationally recognized parent involvement and education program
- One of nine school districts nationwide designated as a "Lighthouse District" by Renaissance Learning for superior use of educational software
- Excellent fiscal accountability earning ten consecutive outstanding financial audits
- Excellent Children's Center/Head Start and First 5 Programs provide quality early childhood education
- 99% of teachers are Highly Qualified as defined by the No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Act
- An integrated computer learning system in all schools, including Web Hosting, providing reinforcement in reading, language arts and math
- Clean, safe and secure schools maintained at a high standard creating a sense of pride and ensuring safety for students and staff
- Reduced class size in all kindergarten through third grade classrooms
- School wide uniform policy
- Fully staffed school kitchens provide nutritious meals
- Quality after school programs including ALL STARS, International Center for Education & Sports (ICES) and THINK Together, as well as Stone Soup child care
- Effective Professional Learning Communities (PLC's) at each school
- Member of the L.A. County Arts for All Education Initiative

PROGRAMS AND EDUCATIONAL ENRICHMENT

- Full Day Kindergarten at all elementary schools
- College Bound, GEAR UP! and Partnership Scholars Programs continue to promote post secondary education
- UCLA Writers' & Mathematicians' Workshops
- Algebra Academies and District Math Field Day
- AVID (Advancement Via Individual Determination) Academy at Madrid and Kranz Schools
- Young Artists Exhibit
- District Speak Up Contest
- District Writing and Science Exhibits
- Summer Science Academy
- Camp Mt. View Outdoor Education
- District Spelling Bee
- District Chess Competition
- Students Run L.A. Marathon Program
- Top Sail Program
- Award winning marching bands
- Family Reading and Literacy Nights
- MIND (Music, Intelligence, Neural Development) Program
- After School enrichment programs and sports
- Character Counts and Peace Builders Curriculum
- Gifted And Talented Education (GATE) Program
- Academic Renaissance Program

BOARD MEETINGS

Meetings of the Board of Education are held on the first Thursday of the month, with the exception of the December and January meetings which are held the second Thursday, at 7:00 p.m., in the Large Board Room, 3320 Gilman Road. All meetings, except closed session meetings, are open to the public. The MVSD Board of Education encourages your attendance at the meetings and welcomes your input.

HOLIDAYS AND EVENTS CALENDAR 09-10

School Starts	9-1-09
Labor Day Holiday	9-7-09
Staff Development Day	9-18-09
Staff Development Day	10-30-09
End of 1st Quarter	11-6-09
Veteran's Day	11-11-09
Parent Conference Day	11-18-09
Local Holiday	11-25-09
Thanksgiving Day	11-26-09
Local Holiday	11-27-09
Winter Break	12-21 to 1-1-10
Admission's Day	12-24-09
Christmas Day Holiday	12-25-09
Local Holiday	12-31-09
New Year's Day Holiday	1-1-10
Martin Luther King Day	1-18-10
End of 2nd Quarter	1-29-10
Lincoln's Birthday	2-8-10
Washington's Birthday	2-15-10
End of 3rd Quarter	4-1-10
Local Holiday	4-2-10
Spring Break	4-5 to 4-9-10
STAR Testing	5-3 to 5-14-10
Memorial Day	5-31-10
School Ends	6-17-10

DISTRICT GOALS

- **Improved Student Academic Achievement**
- **Recruitment, Staff Development & Professional Growth**
- **A Safe, Respectful, Well-Maintained and Healthy Environment**
- **Educational Leadership Development**
- **Parent Education, Training and Involvement**
- **Fiscal Management, Accountability and Responsibility**

SCHOOLS

Baker School 12043 Exline St. 626-652-4700 Grades K-5	Monte Vista School 11111 Thienes Ave. 626-652-4650 Grades K-6
Cogswell School 11050 Fineview St. 626-652-4100 Grades K-6	Parkview School 12044 Elliott Ave. 626-652-4800 Grades K-6
Kranz Intermediate 12460 Fineview St. 626-652-4200 Grades 7-8	Payne School 2850 N. Mt. View Rd. 626-652-4900 Grades K-6
La Primaria School 4220 Gilman Rd. 626-652-4150 Grades K-3	Twin Lakes School 3900 Gilman Rd. 626-652-4400 Grades K-5
Madrid Middle School 3300 Gilman Rd. 626-652-4300 Grades 6-8	Voorhis School 3501 Durfee Ave. 626-652-4450 Grades K-5
Maxson School 12380 Felipe St. 626-652-4500 Grades K-6	Children's Ctr. 2109 Burkett St. 626-652-4250
Miramonte School 10620 Schmidt Rd. 626-652-4600 Grades K-6	Magnolia Learning Center 11919 Magnolia St. 626-652-4938

DISTRICT OFFICES

• Administrative Offices	626-652-4000
• Personnel Services	626-652-4046
• Educational Services	626-652-4963
• Business Services	626-652-4054
• Transportation	626-652-4140
• Headstart State Preschool/ Children's Center	626-652-4250

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2009-2010 At-A-Glance

*Team Mountain View
Succeeding Together*