



LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

*Mountain View Elementary School*  
*A California Distinguished and Title I Academic Achievement Award School*

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Dear Mountain View Elementary Families,

We hope you and your family are enjoying a wonderful and relaxing summer! I would like to welcome you to the 2019-2020 school year at Mountain View Elementary School! I am confident that your son or daughter will have a fabulous and rewarding educational experience at our school. We have extraordinary teachers, who are highly committed to the health, safety, and academic progress of all our students. As we start our new school year, the staff enthusiastically looks forward to another exciting year! If we all work together, we can accomplish great things!

**New Student Orientation (Grades TK/K - 5)**

This year we will have scheduled three Orientation meetings. Please select the one that best suits your schedule. They are *Thursday, August 15 at 5:00 p.m., Friday, August 16 at 9:00 a.m. OR Monday, August 19 at 8:30 a.m.* The orientation will include an overview of school procedures, general announcements, a presentation on school program options and a presentation from our PTA.

**TK/K First Day Procedures**

*Our first day of school is Tuesday, August 20, 2019 and classes begin promptly at 8:10 a.m. Please bring your Transitional Kindergarten/Kindergarten student to the school auditorium at 8:10 a.m.* Teachers will be introduced and have an opportunity to welcome families. They will then have their respective classes line up and take the students to the classroom. We are a closed campus, but on the **first day only** you will be allowed to walk your child to the classroom. ***\*\*In addition, we ask parents and guardians of TK and Kindergarten students to please send your children to school (starting on the first day) with a lunch and an afternoon snack.***

**Grades 1-5 First Day Procedures**

*Our first day of school is Tuesday, August 20 and classes begin promptly at 8:10 a.m.* Please make sure your child is here early as our first warning bell rings at 8:00 a.m. We are a closed campus, but on the **first day only** you will be allowed to walk your child to the classroom.

**Important School Information**

This year our school hours have **changed**, please make note. School begins at 8:10 a.m. On Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays school ends at 2:35 p.m. ***Our Banked-Time Tuesdays will begin on August 20, 2019, and will continue every Tuesday until the last Tuesday of the school year on June 9, 2020.*** Dismissal time on Banked-Tuesdays is **1:35 p.m.** in order for our teachers to engage in Professional Development.

Parents and Families, for the 2019-2020 school year, we will continue with our Uniform Policy that was ratified by our school community. We **strongly encourage** the use of uniforms at Mountain View Elementary, although the policy is voluntary. If you elect to have your child opt out for the 2019-2020 school year, please fill-out the Opt-Out Uniform Policy form available in the Main Office. We will be utilizing **Modella Uniforms** located at 3902 Foothill Blvd., La Crescenta, CA 91214. Their telephone number is 818-249-2989. The company states that uniforms are available now and are the only vendor with our school logo embroidered. The store also has dressing rooms available to try on uniforms for the correct size. In addition, please remember our school colors for uniforms are listed below. ***\*\*Please keep these colors in mind if you choose to go with other vendors.***  
*Thank you!!*

- Polo Shirts/Blouses: Hunter Green or White
- Uniform Pants/Skirts/Skorts/Jumpers/Shorts: Khaki or Dark Navy Blue

Once again, WELCOME to the 2019-2020 school year at Mountain View Elementary School! Please feel free to give the office a call if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Sosie Kralian, Principal