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# Anza Back to School Presentation

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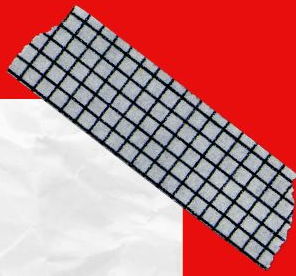
# Introductions



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# Anza Office Staff



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Librarian  
&  
Tech  
Support





## Anza Learning Center

- Our staff supports the growth and development of students with unique needs in Grades TK-5
- We work together to provide a fun and enriched learning environment in which students learn academics and social emotional skills in creative ways
- We create individualized learning plans so that through accommodations/modifications all students at Anza can access curriculum and meet with success



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## Meet Our SPED Service Providers

Mrs. Rush is the school psychologist for preschool and the district's behavior analyst (BCBA). She provides support to both students and staff at Anza.



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Ms. Stephanie Kinsella  
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Ms. Kinsella has been a speech Pathologist in Wiseburn since 2003 and has watched our Anza community grow in so many amazing ways. She is passionate about improving children's communication skills and giving every child a voice.

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- Mrs. Lonergan is our ELD (English Language Development) teacher.
- She meets with her students daily to provide English language development support.
- In addition, teachers provide integrated ELD opportunities in the general classroom setting.

## ELD (English Language Development)





- ❖ School Psychologists are members of our school's team that support students' ability to learn and teachers' ability to teach.
- ❖ They apply expertise in mental health, learning, and behavior, to help children and youth succeed academically, socially, behaviorally, and emotionally.
- ❖ School psychologists partner with families, teachers, school administrators, and other professionals to create safe, healthy, and supportive learning environments that strengthen connections between home, school, and the community.



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# School Psychologists





## Music for TK-5

- Music will begin the week of September 14th
- It will be live instruction via Zoom – the schedule will be posted on Schools PLP
- Make sure you have room to move!
- If you miss your assigned time, you are more than welcome to join another session of the same grade level



Mrs. Aiko Anglim  
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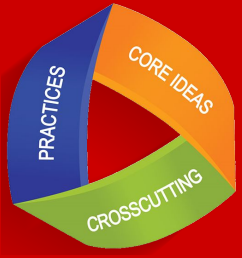
## Fitness Time with Coach Shakstad!



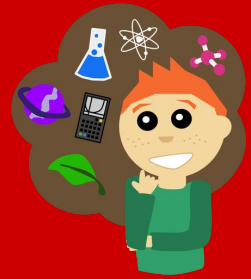
- Every week your student will have a “Fitness Time!” workout via SchoolsPLP as a recorded video.
- TK–2 students will have 1 “Fitness Time” per week. Each workout is 15–25 minutes in length.
- The purpose of “Fitness Time” is to provide a fun and engaging fitness lesson, tailored for students and families at home. No equipment is needed other than a small area to perform exercise movements.
- We encourage the entire family to complete “Fitness Time” workouts together each week!







# Science with Mrs. Michael!



Every week (generally on Mondays), your student will get a “Science with Mrs. Michael” lesson via SchoolsPLP as a Google Slides presentation. This is a lesson and activity that can be completed independently, but could also be done as a family.

- Every lesson is NGSS (Next Generation Science Standards)—aligned, and will be about 30–45 minutes in length
- No special supplies needed (other than paper, pencil, scissors, tape, etc), but many lessons will have “extensions” at the end if your student wants to explore deeper on the concept
- 4th and 5th grade will have assessments throughout the year, while TK–3 will have a “work habit” grade





Counselor I

Jennifer Kuchler,  
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Megan Venegas,  
Anza



Troi Boucher,  
Cabrillo, 138th St.

# Meet the WUSD CARE Team

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**Whole class instruction, small group instruction, and independent practice every day!**

## TK-5 Distance Learning Schedule

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:30 -9:00	Live Instruction with whole group	Live Instruction with whole group	Live Instruction with whole group	Live Instruction with whole group	Live Instruction with whole group
9:00-9:15	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
9:15 -12:15	During this time students will participate in both live online instruction and assigned independent practice.  Focus: Mathematics & English Language Arts	During this time students will participate in both live online instruction and assigned independent practice.  Focus: Mathematics & English Language Arts	During this time students will participate in both live online instruction and assigned independent practice.  Focus: Mathematics & English Language Arts	During this time students will participate in both live online instruction and assigned independent practice.  Focus: Mathematics & English Language Arts	During this time students will participate in both live online instruction and assigned independent practice.  Focus: Mathematics & English Language Arts
12:15-1:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
1:00-3:00	Independent Work Student Support Time	Independent Work Student Support Time	Independent Work Student Support Time	Independent Work Student Support Time	Independent Work Student Support Time



- Be present for daily live Zooms
- Complete daily independent work
- Try to reach out to the teacher if you miss
- No eagle is left behind!



# Attendance





## Food Distribution

- ❖ The Food Service Department welcomes parents/guardians of children (18 years of age and under) to come to our “Grab and Go” meal service and pick-up one free lunch.
- ❖ Meals will be available for pick-up at Dana Middle School, Monday through Friday from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm.
- ❖ These meals will be prepared daily to all students at no charge.
- ❖ Menus will be updated monthly on the Food Service website. As a friendly reminder, we ask that you please wear a face mask when visiting the “Grab and Go” location.



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**O**utstanding Citizens

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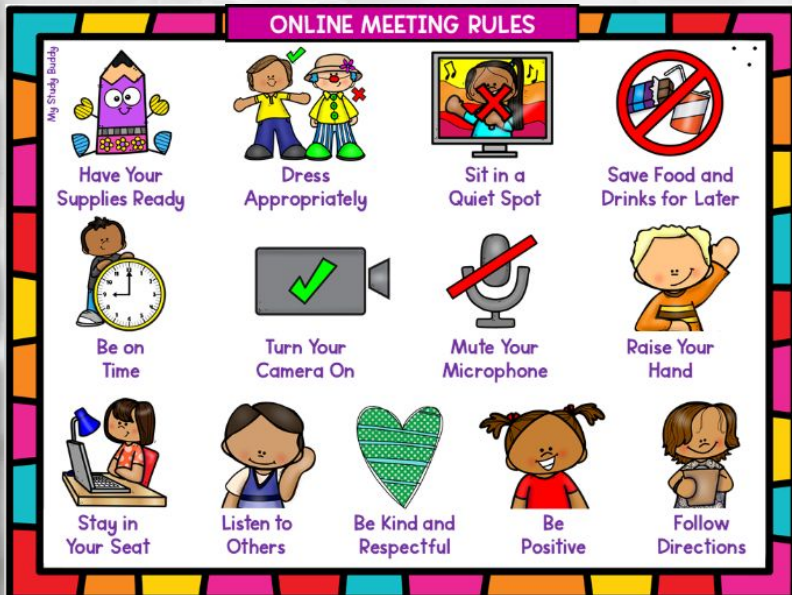


Anza  
Eagles  
SOAR!





# How to SOAR on Zoom



*Your child will achieve their best in a quiet, comfortable, dedicated space devoted to learning. Ideally, this would be a different space than where they normally play games or watch television*

**MAKE SPACE  
FOR  
LEARNING**

**CELEBRATE  
THE VICTORIES**

*New routines are not easy! Celebrate the successes that you are having.*

**Parent Tips  
for Distance  
Learning  
Success**

**SET CLEAR  
EXPECTATIONS**

**TAKE  
FREQUENT  
BREAKS**

*Make sure your children take plenty of breaks from computers in order to get away from screens.*

**CREATE A  
ROUTINE**

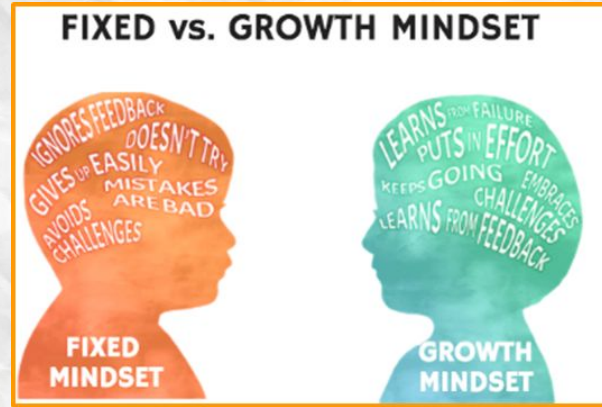
**GIVE YOUR  
CHILD CHOICES**

*After you've developed a schedule with your child's input, work in ways to give your child some confidence and control-within reason.*

*Build time into remote work day to assist with student's learning. Consider building in "office hours" into your schedule.*

*Create a daily schedule with your child's input. Post the schedule in a visible place.*

# Growth Mindset Starts at Home



1. Language is key! Praise the process.
2. Understand the power of "YET".
3. Grow your brain, it's a muscle!
4. Accept mistakes as learning opportunities.
5. Understand the role of emotions in learning.





## Family & Caregiver Support



For all children, the parent is the primary educator. In order to best serve the needs of all children during distance learning and hybrid learning scenarios, we ask for the support of parents in creating a meaningful year of learning for all students. For this reason, we ask that all parents/families adhere to the following guidelines:

- Follow the set learning schedule set by teacher/school
- Provide a quiet learning environment for all students
- Read and respond to all emails and/or outreach by school personnel
- Monitor student appropriate use of technology
- Monitor student assignments, activities
- Stay current with student outcomes on assignments and assessments

In addition, parents should remain in contact with their child's teacher to ensure continuity of learning and that their children are prepared at the end of the 2020–2021 school year for their next grade level.



# Our Membership Drive is underway!

Any amount over \$10 comes  
directly back to Anza!



JOINING PTA IS A  
WONDERFUL AND EASY WAY  
TO SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL AND  
YOUR CHILD'S EDUCATION!

**Join online @**

<https://jointotem.com/ca/hawthorne/juan-de-anza-pta>

For more information go to:

<https://anza.wiseburn.org/pta/membership>

# Other ways to support our school:

REGISTER YOUR REWARDS CARD AND A PORTION WILL COME  
RIGHT BACK TO JUAN DE ANZA ELEMENTARY!



Go to: [www.ralphs.com](http://www.ralphs.com) or [www.food4less.com](http://www.food4less.com) to register your card.



**For more information go to:**

<https://anza.wiseburn.org/pta/fundraising>

**To discover other ways to help our school.**



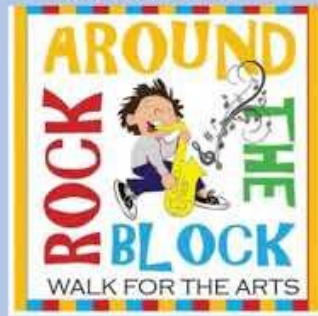
Thanksgiving 2020



Coming Soon

**SCHOOL BOARD  
CANDIDATE FORUM**

May 1, 2021



# Wiseburn Education Foundation (WEF)

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- ❖ Website: [anza.wiseburn.org](http://anza.wiseburn.org)
- ❖ PTA Facebooks: Anza PTA  
Wiseburn School District
- ❖ Instagram: @anzaeagles

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