

# **CELEBRATIONS**

## **ACHIEVEMENT, COMMITMENT, EXCELLENCE**

Hacienda La Puente Unified School District

Board of Education Meeting

November 18, 2021



# CONDITIONS OF LEARNING

---





# Forbes

America's Best Employers for Veterans 2021



## Jacklyn Kozich

Jacklyn Kozich

Operations Specialist, Second Class Petty Officer (OS2)/ 5 years

US NAVY

May 2006-May 2010 (Active) May 2010- May 2021 (Active Reserve)

"HLPUSD has a great community and generally work under some of the same slogans as the US NAVY: Honor, Courage, and Commitment. It's been a great place to work, as they have great school teams to work with! HLPUSD is a place I call home. Thank you guys for everything!"

## John Pi

John Pi

CNA Instructor since August 2021

US ARMY

"I selected HLPUE because the school is Veteran friendly for Veterans transitioning out of the military, returning to school or continuing their education either as a student or as an employee."

## Master Sergeant Souza

Master Sergeant Souza

[Retired] U.S. Army 1985 – 2005

JROTC INSTRUCTOR HLPUSD 2018 – Present

"To me, our District strives in helping all students grow academically through Community, Rigor, Relevance and Accountability."

## Debbi Brizendine

Records Technician/ District office Student and family services  
Coast Guard

Years of service 09/21/1980 - 09/22/1984

## Francisco Caro

Educational Specialist - Grandview Academy - 5 years  
USMC

Years of service 1994 – 1998

## Diori R Jones

Teacher for 19 years  
CA Army National Guard  
Years of service 1989-1995

## Wesley Perez

Teacher/ La Puente High School  
Us army  
8 years of service 2001-2009

## Master Sergeant Roland Souza

Senior Army JROTC Instructor / La Puente High School - 4 Years  
U.S. Army  
20 Years, 3 Months, 15 Days - 16 July 1985 - 1 November 2005



# ***Congratulations***

## **Rotary Club of Industry Hills**

### **2021 Teacher Mini-Grant Winners**



- |                        |                            |
|------------------------|----------------------------|
| ▶ Helen Lee            | Bixby Elementary           |
| ▶ Shirley Chou         | Nelson Elementary          |
| ▶ Dina De La O-Johnson | Sparks Elementary          |
| ▶ Elizabeth Girvan     | Sparks Elementary          |
| ▶ Heather Murphy       | Lassalette School          |
| ▶ Jane Soo Hoo         | Los Molinos Elementary     |
| ▶ Sumin Ha             | Newton Middle School       |
| ▶ Terri Serey          | Orange Grove Middle        |
| ▶ Rachelle Schoonover  | Sierra Vista Middle School |
| ▶ Eduardo Rivera       | Puente Hills High School   |
| ▶ Josipa Casey         | Wilson High School         |
| ▶ Meghann Kraft        | Workman High School        |
| ▶ Timothy McElearney   | Workman High School        |
| ▶ Keihla Frear         | Valley Alternative HS      |

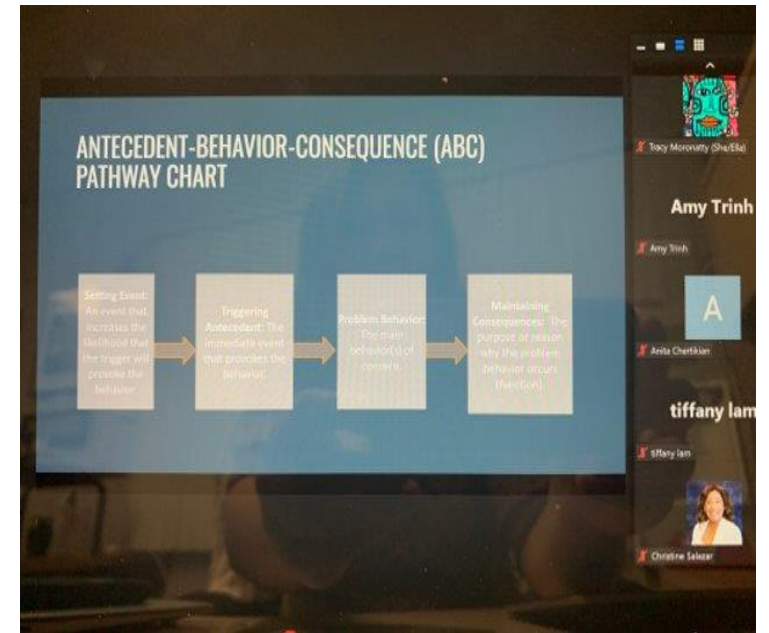




Next  
CAC is  
Jan 18th

11AM &  
5PM

A screenshot of a Zoom meeting grid. The grid shows 16 participants in a 4x4 layout. The participants are: Tracy Jones, Maria Luna, Christina Cordero, Alan Morton, Monica Romero, Mandarin Interpreter, Tammy Jurado, Christine Salazar, Norma A Gonzalez, Maria D. Luna, Jennifer Martinez, Melissa Esteyn, karina, Luana Acuña, Sandra Lopez, Laura, Tracy Miranda, Amy Trinh, tiffany lam, and Anita Chertikian. The bottom of the screen shows the Zoom interface with icons for Mute, Stop Video, Participants (20), Chat, Share Screen, Record, Interpretation, and Reactions.



**Hacienda La Puente USD  
SELPA Community Advisory  
Committee (CAC)**

**Special Education  
Department Presents  
Positive Behavior Supports  
In the Home and at School**

The banner features the Hacienda La Puente USD logo on the left and decorative autumn leaves on the bottom corners.



# Technology PD on Inclusion & Accessibility



INCLUSION AND ACCESSIBILITY  
HLPUSD TECH TOSAS

Inclusion is a mindset. It is a way of thinking. It is not a program that we run or a classroom in our school or a favor we do for someone. Inclusion is who we are. It is who we must strive to be.

Lisa Friedman: Removing the Stumbling Block.

"I can't wait to try these tools with my kids! Now everyone can have a voice."  
-Teacher Attendee

## Learned About:

- Present Live
- Captions/Subtitles
- Integration with Canvas
- Pear Deck
- Immersive Reader
- Accessibility Checker
- Media Recorder
- FlipGrid
- Adobe Spark
- Canvas Studio
- Microsoft Translate
- Presenter Coach
- Reading Progress
- Microsoft Reflect



Inspiring a New Purpose and  
Future for Deep Learning

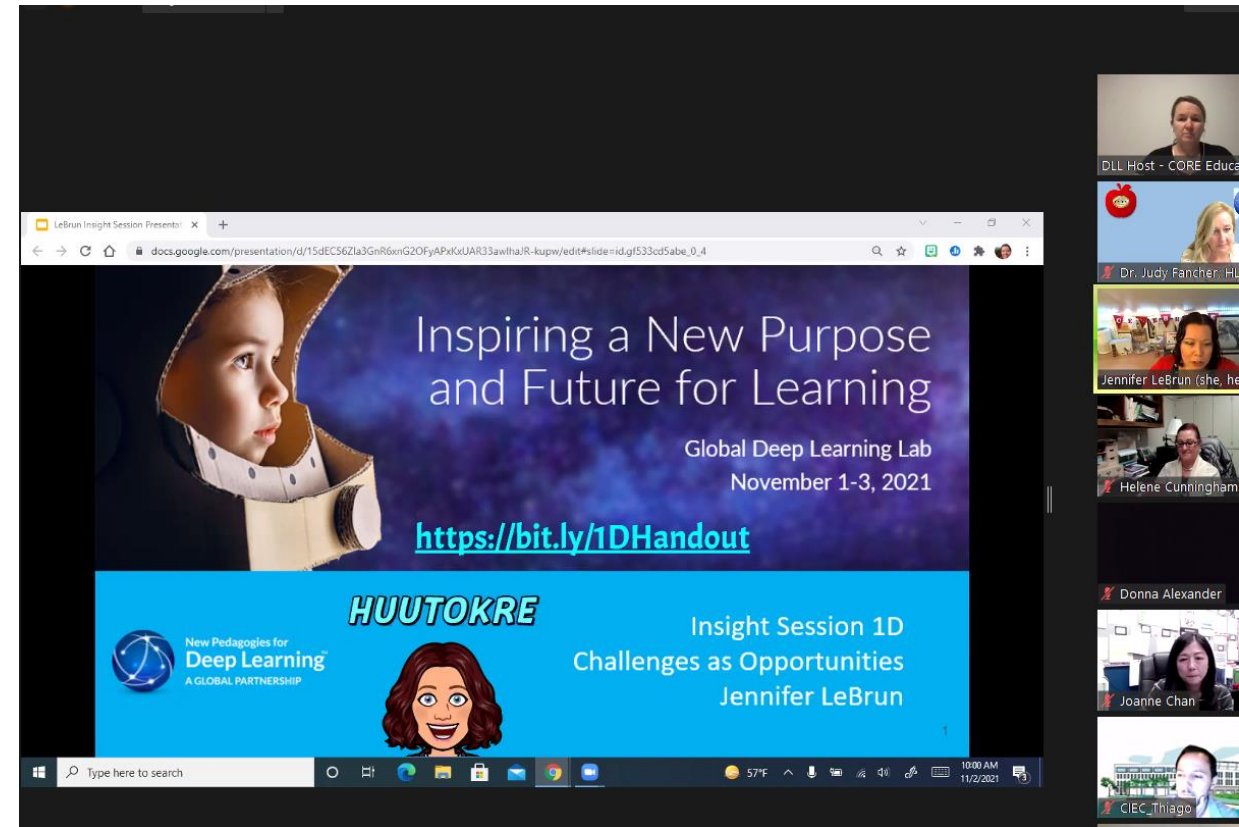
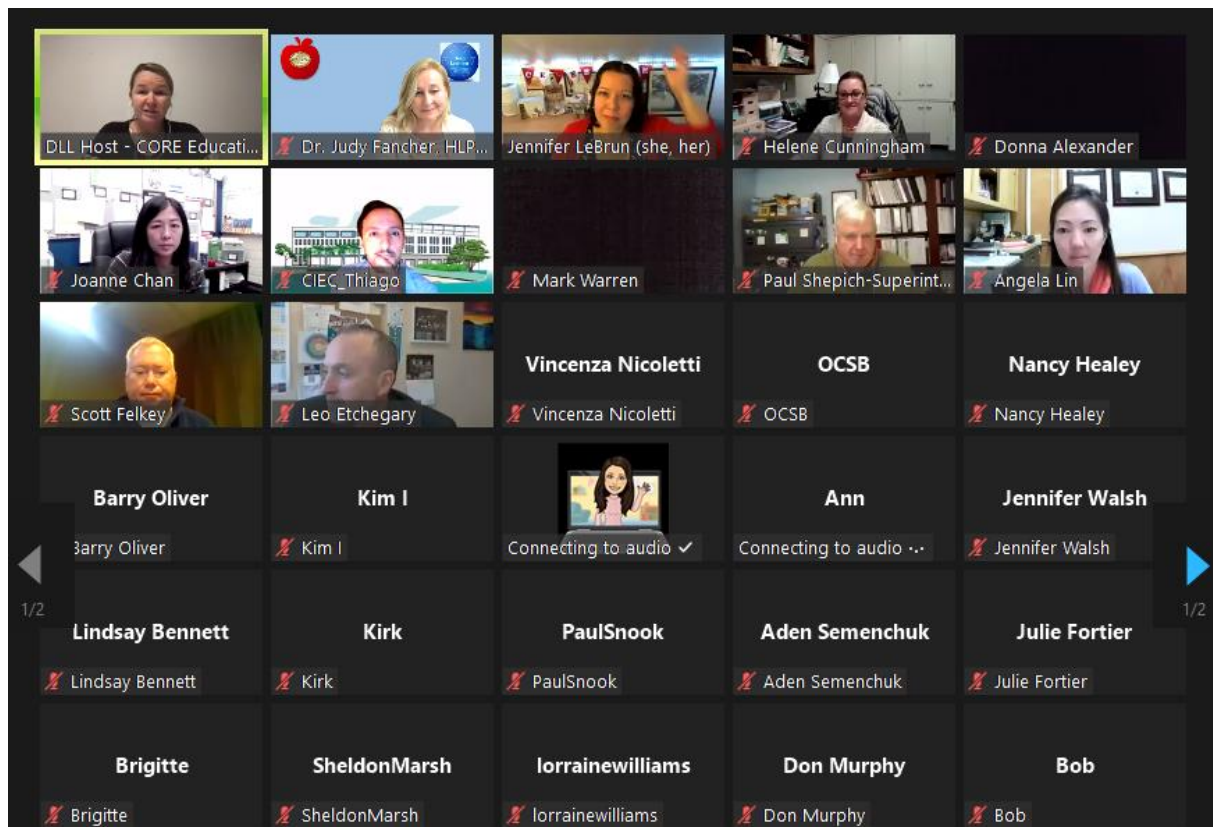
**GLOBAL DEEP LEARNING LAB – NOVEMBER 1-3, 2021**

# Global Deep Learning Lab

---

November 2 & 3, 2021

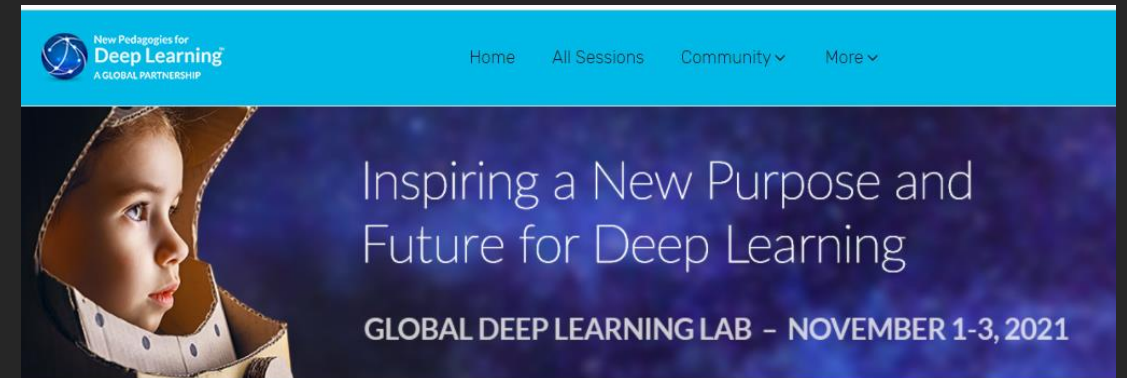
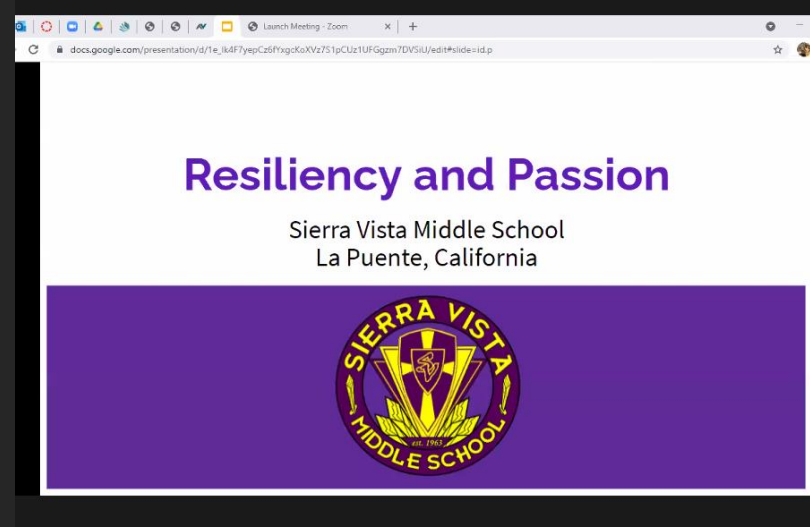
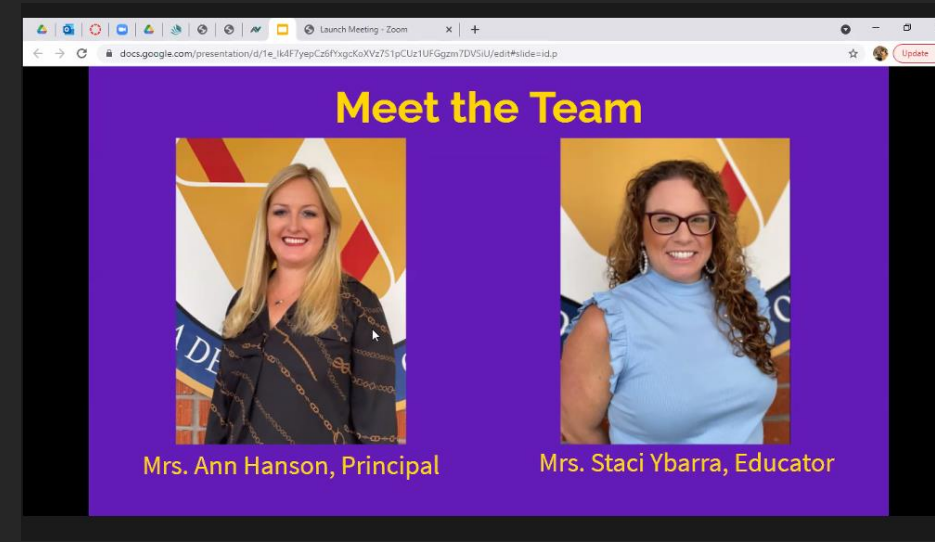




# Workman High School NPDL Jennifer LeBrun, Teacher Insight Session



# Sierra Vista Middle School, NPD, Insight Session





- Savannah
- Emily
- The only middle school students on the panel
- Newton Middle School Students
- Student Panel for Global Deep Learning Lab
- New Pedagogies for Deep Learning
- November 2 & 3, 2021

## Distinction Pathways 2021 Teacher Recipient



Jennifer Le Brun

Hacienda La Puente  
Unified School District



# Distinction Pathways





*ELEMENTARY COHORT 2*  
*CODING & ROBOTICS*

**UC DAVIS**  
C-STEM Center





Jeffrey Hesson



Teresa Magallon-Cerde



Wendy Wilson, 7th grade teacher



Joseph



Anne Holland



Melissa Blum



Samantha Higgins



David Trevino



Jignee Chan



Gabriel Ward



Melissa Blum



*MIDDLE SCHOOL  
COHORT 1  
CODING & ROBOTICS*






**November 4-6, 2021**  
*I'll see you at*  
**CMC South**  
**Palm Springs, CA**



# I'm presenting




Teaching to the Test - Can't Do All



**California Mathematics Council**

Room	Time	Topic
332 Hilton	Saturday 8:30 - 10:00 Oasis 2	Teaching to Test - Can't Do All that Bad Can It?
32 Hilton	Saturday 10:30 - 12:00 Oasis 2	Equitable Practices Leading to Effective Problem Solvers





# Food Services

Nov 18 – Turkey Spice Cookie

Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Program

FRESH FRUIT & VEGETABLE PROGRAM				
NOVEMBER 2021				
M	T	W	T	F
1	2 Dragon Fruit	3 Baby Heirloom Tomatoes	4 Green Grapes	5
8	9 Baby Rainbow Carrot	10 Kiwi	11 <b>HAPPY VETERANS DAY</b>	12 Persimmon
15	16 Blackberries	17 Asparagus	18 Crimson Gold Apple	19
22	23	24	25	26
<i>Thanksgiving!</i>				
29	30 Green Beans	1 Cranberries	2 Red Grapes	



## December PIZZA!

High Schools Mon-Fri

Dec 3 Wilson Quad Schools

Dec 10 Workman Quad Schools

Dec 17 ALL TK-8!

## Subway Sandwiches

High Schools Tue-Fri

Dec 3 Workman Quad Schools

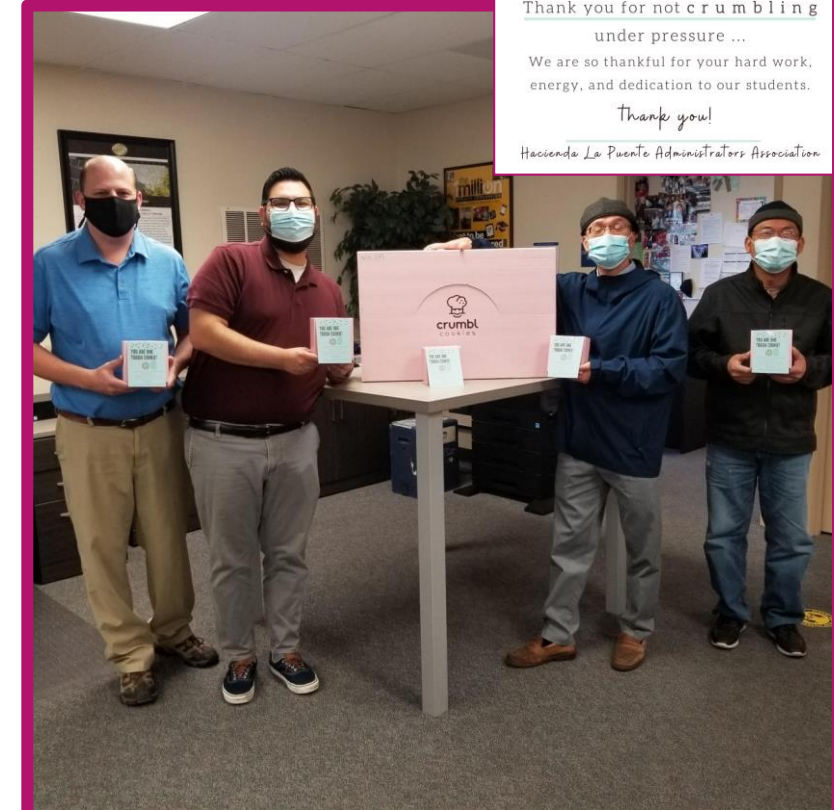
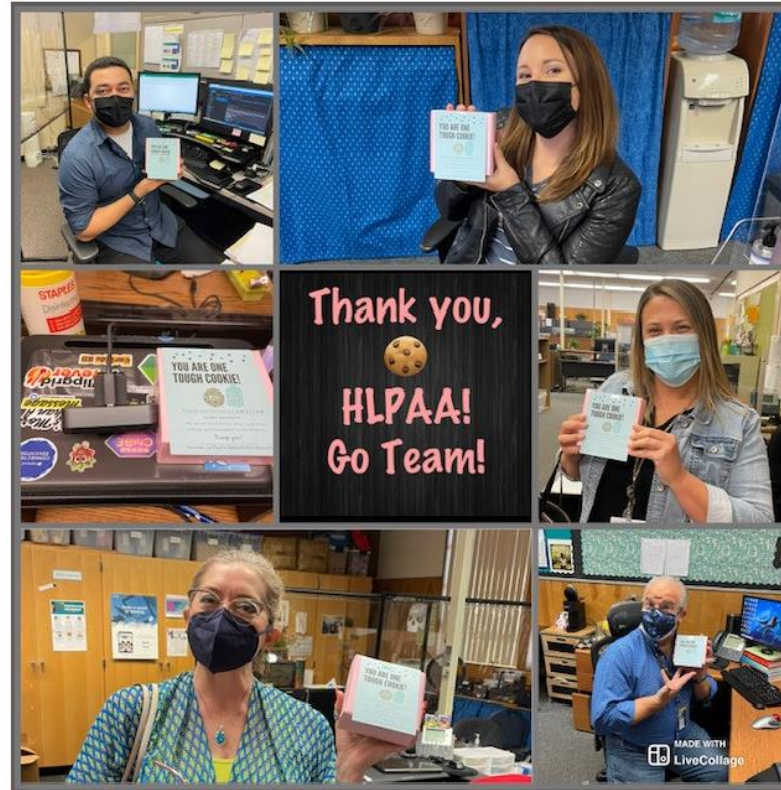
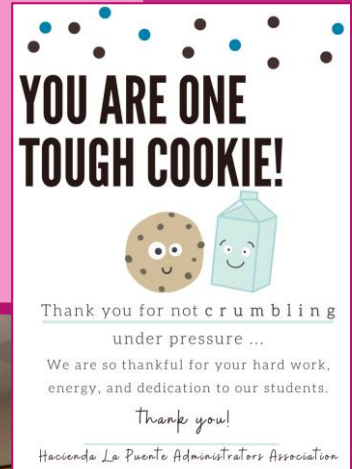
Dec 10 La Puente Quad Schools





The Hacienda La Puente Administrator's Association (HLPAA)  
Shows Their Gratitude For HLPUSD ...

## *District Support Staff* With Crumbl Cookies!



**The Hacienda La Puente Administrators Association (HLPAA) sent a special gift to our District Teacher's on Special Assignment (TOSA's), Police & Safety Team, and Network Communications Systems (NCS) team to show their appreciation. HLPAA cannot wait to show appreciation for more support staff soon!**



# STUDENT OUTCOMES

---





# QUESTBRIDGE FINALISTS

## POSSE FINALISTS



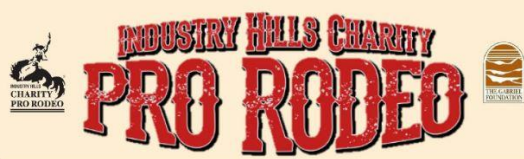
Jovana Montoya



Esmeralda Morales



Isabelle Robles, Paola Salazar,  
and Connie Martinez



## POSTER ART CONTEST

Dominic S. – 1<sup>st</sup> Place



Jianna C. – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place



Sebastian C. – 1<sup>st</sup> Place



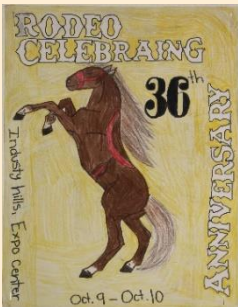
Jolissa J. – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place



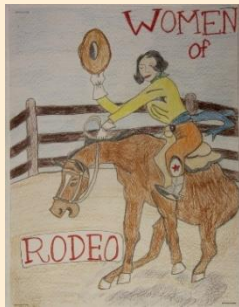
Madelynn C. – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place



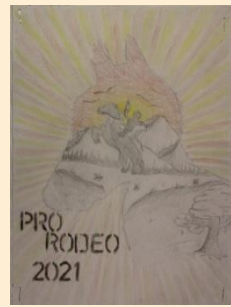
Isabella G. – 1<sup>st</sup> Place



Lucy S. – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place



Rachel C. – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place



Klarsiza Z. – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place



Brian C. – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place



**CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF OUR WINNERS!!**

**October 9-10, 2021**

### Most Original Category

- 1<sup>st</sup> (\$250 Gift Card) – Dominic S., Fairgrove Academy (Class awarded \$1,000)  
 3<sup>rd</sup> (\$50 Gift Card) – Jianna C., Los Altos Elementary

### Most Artistic Category

- 1<sup>st</sup> (\$250 Gift Card) – Sebastian C., Los Altos Elementary (Class awarded \$1,000)  
 2<sup>nd</sup> (\$100 Gift Card) – Jolissa J., Nelson Elementary  
 3<sup>rd</sup> (\$50 Gift Card) – Madelynn C., Kwis Elementary

### Most Historic Category

- 1<sup>st</sup> (\$250 Gift Card) – Isabella G., Wing Lane Elementary (Class awarded \$1,000)  
 2<sup>nd</sup> (\$100 Gift Card) – Lucy S., Workman Elementary  
 3<sup>rd</sup> (\$50 Gift Card) – Rachel C., Grazide Elementary

### Special Needs Students

- 2<sup>nd</sup> (\$100 Gift Card) – Klarisza Z., Cedarlane Academy  
 3<sup>rd</sup> (\$50 Gift Card) – Brian C., Cedarlane Academy





## Hispanic Heritage Month



# From... Nelson Elementary's Dia de los Muertos Walking Assembly To... City Council's Choice Award



## How it started...

TOSA Lisa Ruiz facilitates an in class DDLM art lesson for 5th graders.



6th grade student leaders Ellanie and Jayden share their ofrenda making experience with Executive Assistant to the Superintendent Nancy Ruiz.



Mrs. Grantham, Mrs. Oyakawa and Ms. Chou proudly set up the DDLM display for the community.

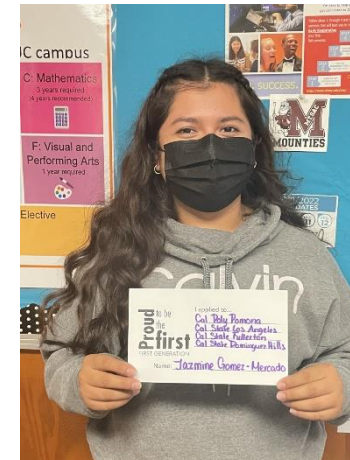
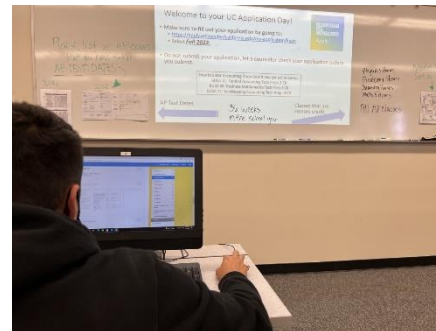
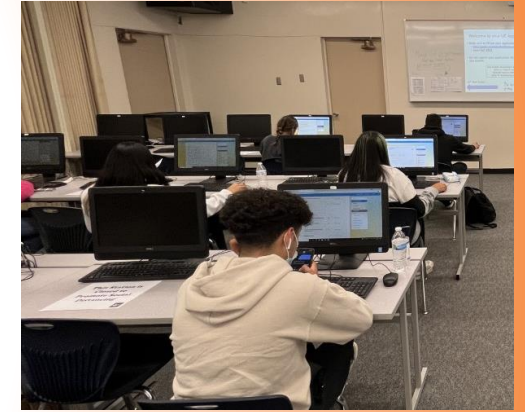
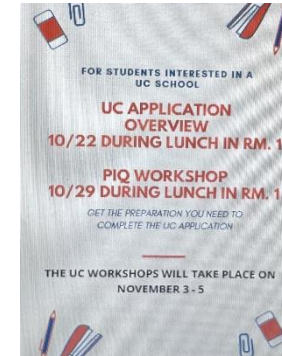
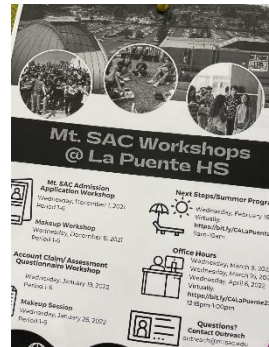
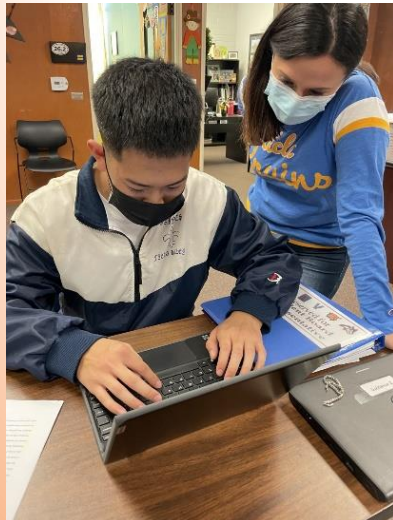
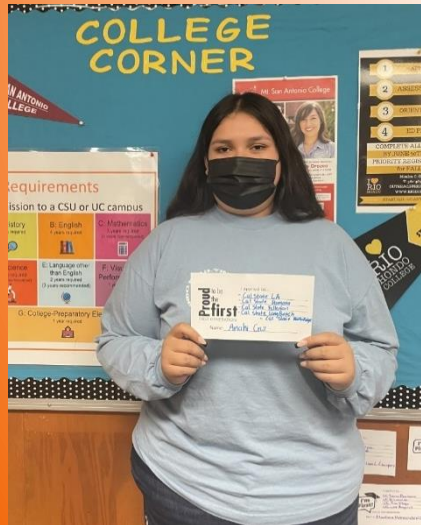
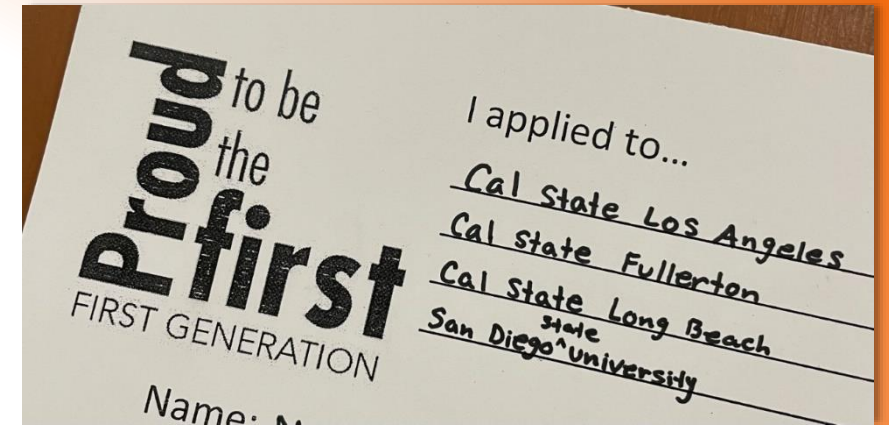


## How it's going...

Mrs. Diaz and Dr. Chavez graciously accept the "City Council's Choice Award" from the City of La Puente.



La Puente High School College Application Season  
 Cal State University Application Workshops  
 University of California Workshops  
 FAFSA/CADA Workshops  
 PIQ Workshops  
 Mt. SAC & Rio Hondo Workshops







# LPHS ART with Amy Min

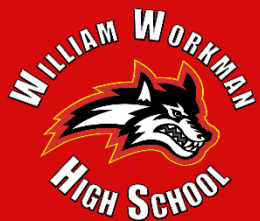
The artist who designed the new mosaic mural for Downtown La Puente gave a presentation about her research for the project and how the natural resources, Gabrielino, and Tongva people influenced the design.



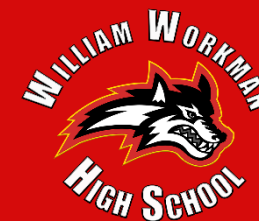
Students learned to weave baskets in the traditional style from a Tongva Gabrielino artist and a Cahuilla Apache artist; using the materials and techniques of the ancestors.







# WILLIAM WORKMAN HIGH SCHOOL



**Workman Leadership and Dance collaborated together to produce a series of contests and performances to celebrate Halloween at Workman. ASB sponsored a pumpkin carving contest, Renaissance put pumpkins with students names throughout the campus and awarded prizes to students showing their Lobo pride by dressing up, and Dance performed a number from the “Rocky Horror Picture Show.”**



# PARENT & FAMILY ENGAGEMENT

---





La Puente High School Teacher Mrs. Min hosted our inaugural Family Paint Night with our elementary feeder schools: California, Lassalette, Nelson, Sparks, and Sunset Elementary Schools.







# Shoes That Fit

Thank You



A community partnership between HLPUSD Equity & Access, the Shoes That Fit Foundation, Southern California Edison I.T. Department (sponsors) and Nelson Elementary. **283 students received brand new, name brand shoes!**





## NUTRITION AND SOCIAL EMOTIONAL WELLNESS



LACOE NUTRITION AND WELLNESS PROGRAMS

### Why is Nutrition Important?



Nutrition Session hosted on November 16, 2021!

Teen Wellness Series  
focuses on the social,  
emotional, and mental  
health of our youth.

Fall Sessions have been via  
Zoom.

We have exciting in-  
person sessions for Spring  
2022!

- 4 Family Paint Nights
- Yoga Class
- Kick Boxing Class
- Cooking Class

**TEEN  
WELLNESS  
SERIES**

Be Hopeful \* Be Courageous \* Be Happy

**REGISTER YOURSELF TODAY!**  
\* Fall Dates All via Zoom

[HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/HLPUS  
D-TEEN-WELLNESS-SERIES](https://tinyurl.com/hlpusd-teen-wellness-series)

All 6th-12th Grade Teens Welcome  
Questions? Call 626-933-5305

Hosted by *Student and Family Services*



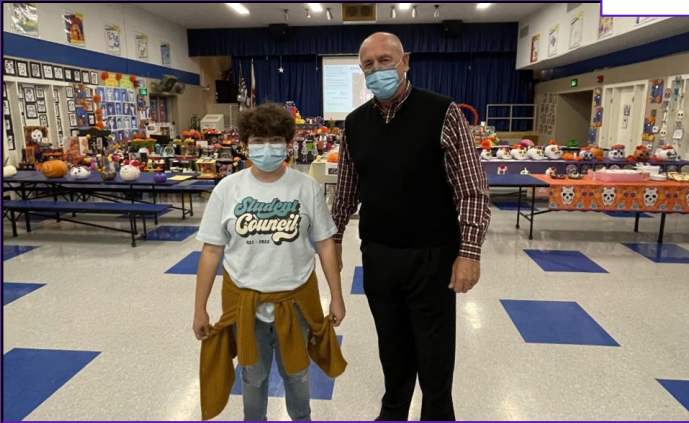


# The City of La Puente Mayor Klinakis Visits Nelson Elementary!

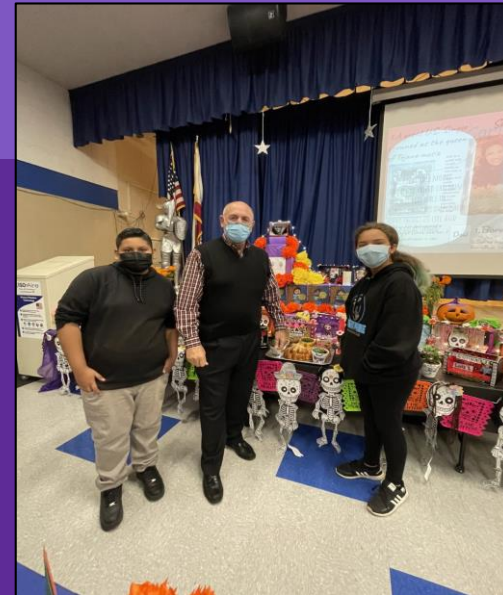
On Thursday, November 4th, Nelson received a call that the Mayor heard about Nelson's outstanding accomplishments and he wanted to see the hard work for himself. That same day he came to Nelson, toured our Dia de los Muertos walking assembly, visited with the Student Council and learned more about our amazing academic programs and outstanding staff.



The Mayor and Nelson's Student Council



The Mayor posing with Nelson's student council President (left). Mayor Klinakis took the time to shake every member of the Student Council's hand and thank them for their leadership (right).



The Mayor was given a tour of the Dia de los Muertos Walking Assembly by our 6th Grade Student Leaders. The Mayor was so impressed by the immaculate campus and thanked morning custodian Perla for her hard work!

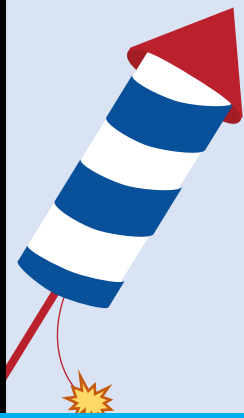






# Sierra Vista Middle School

## Sierra Vista Vikings Honoring Veterans!



**Better Together. Stronger Than Ever!**



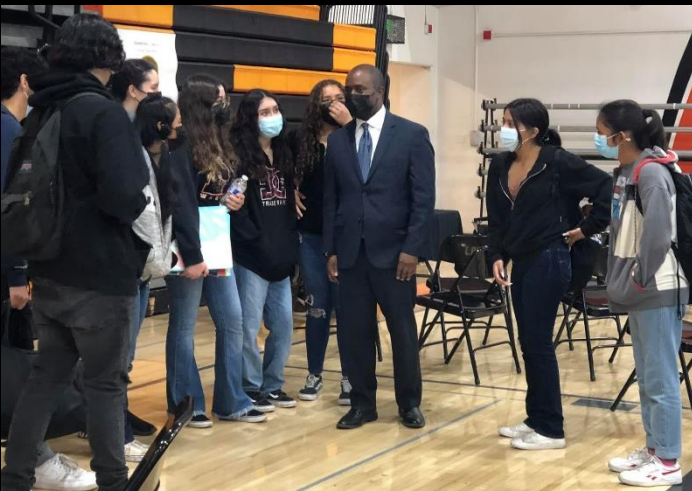
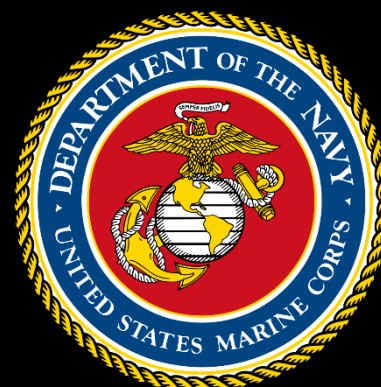


SGVTRIBUNE.COM

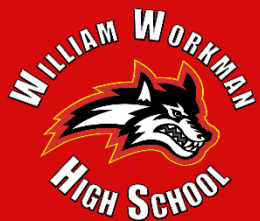
Hundreds watch rededication of 96-year-old World War I  
memorial at La Puente High



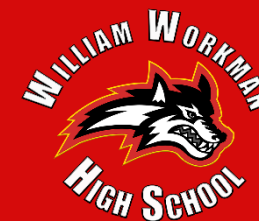








# WILLIAM WORKMAN HIGH SCHOOL



**Principal Dr. Anna Corral, Campus Security Office Amador Mesta, Chief John Babbitt, and Sheriff Deputy Hector Beltran banded together to present Workman student Julian Hamric with a new bike after his old bike was damaged beyond repair in an accident**





# THANK YOU

---

