



HUSD Mandarin Programs Newsletter January 2023



Stonebrae Huskies Send New Year Wishes to the Public
Banners with new year wishes and traditions handmade by Stonebrae Huskies are on display at the downtown Hayward library in the children's section (together with our school brochure)! Come check out student work highlighted in this area and take advantage of the many resources here. Banners also on display in the district office. 😊

Teacher "Field Trip" to SF School

On Jan. 10th, Stonebrae teachers visited the Mandarin immersion program at Starr King Elementary School, SFUSD. We were warmly welcomed by the staff there, who generously shared strategies, resources, and experiences with us. We observed different classrooms and participated in learning activities. It was a rich and engaging learning experience for all of us. The time was well spent to make our program even stronger.



New Year Rotation Activities

Ever heard of a "mini field day"? That's what the Huskies call our New Year rotation activities! On Friday, January 20th, our Mandarin classes at Stonebrae had various activities including art, crafts, story, and games to celebrate and learn about the Lunar New Year. There are lots and lots of events going on around the Bay Area to celebrate the Year of Rabbit (or Cat, depending on calendars), including [celebrations in San Jose](#), [San Francisco](#), [Oakland](#), [Berkeley](#), and [Milpitas](#). Happy New Year! 新年快乐!

Stonebrae at Families United Conference

On Saturday January 28th, Ms. Matteis and Ms. Guo organized a booth at HUSD's first Families United Conference to showcase our Mandarin DLI program. As the only Mandarin DLI program in the district we are proud of our presence. We were able to chat with interested families and we are hoping to have a big crowd at our info session on Feb. 8th and Mar. 8th. (Click [here](#) to register)



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