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# MLK August Parent Newsletter



<u>Versión en español</u>

# Tuesday, July 30, 2024

## Link to 2024 Welcome Letter

# Volunteers Needed for Orientation (August 5 and August 7)

- Parents representing 309 MLK students have completed the Annual Update. We appreciate you for taking care of this now. As of today, July 30, there are 682 students enrolled at MLK. Thus, 373 sets of parents must complete the Annual Update this week or at Orientation next week.
- If you know how to complete the 24-25 Student Information Update online, we welcome your support as a volunteer at Orientation. Please help us show parents how to complete the Annual Update on their phones or on a school provided laptop during one of the time slots scheduled for Orientation.

8th Grade Orientation	7th Grade Orientation
Monday, August 5	Wednesday, August 7
Session 1: 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (A-L)	Session 1: 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (A-L)
Session 2: 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (M-Z)	Session 2: 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (M-Z)

• If you are willing and able to volunteer, please email me at <u>dd521@husd.k12.ca.us</u>.

## Parent/Student Handbook and Free and Reduced Lunch Form

- When you log into the <u>Parent Portal</u> to complete the Annual Update, please remember to go to "Documents" on the portal menu to review the Parent/Student Handbook and sign the form indicating that you have reviewed it.
- Also, under the "Documents" tab, please remember to apply for free/reduced lunch. You must do this eventhough all students regardless of family income receive free lunch. Depending upon the percentage of families that fill out and "qualify," our school receives additional funding that supports our students. For every 300 students who qualify, HUSD receives an additional \$1,000,000.

## **Backpack Giveaway**

- Parent University is excited to announce the **3rd Annual Backpack Giveaway** event taking place on **Saturday, August 10, 2024,** from **9:00 AM to 1:30 PM**.
- There will be a fun zone with activities for children, music, haircuts, food, a car show, resource fair, and so much more!
- Students must be enrolled in the Hayward Unified School District and must be present to receive a backpack. The backpacks and haircuts are available on a first come, first served basis.
- For more information, please visit <u>https://www.husd.us/parentsstudents/parent-university</u>.
- Here is an English/Spanish combo flyer.