



MARYLIN AVENUE STEAM ACADEMY

Full STEAM Ahead!

PRINCIPAL: JOE MEUNIER
Home of the Roadrunners

The Marylin Avenue STEAM Academy provides students the opportunity to learn and master their elementary curriculum with a special emphasis on **Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math**. Early exposure and knowledge in STEAM builds students' passion, confidence, and understanding in challenging areas of study that will lead to increased success in their future education and college and career pursuits. Students will learn the essential STEAM skills of inquiry, questioning, problem solving, creativity, and collaboration, and be able to apply them to solve real world problems. These skills prepare Marylin students to solve the challenges of tomorrow.



WHAT MAKES OUR STEAM ACADEMY UNIQUE?

- Students grades TK-5 will visit our STEAM lab each week to engage in hands-on lessons with our STEAM specialist.
- All students grades 1-5 receive two days of hands-on lab science instruction from our science specialist.
- Marylin teachers receive specialized training in Project Based Learning (PBL) from the Buck Institute of Education, the gold standard for project based learning models. Our PBL model allows students to solve real world problems and engage in hands-on learning.
- Full-time reading and math specialists provide expert instruction and support to grow proficiency in reading and math for all students grades TK-5.

MARYLIN ALSO PROVIDES:

- Universal Access Time- protected instruction time dedicated to providing additional learning support or challenge based on student need
- A Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (PBIS) approach to discipline
- Music instruction for grades 4 and 5
- Kid Connection - social-emotional support
- Student council to promote leadership
- Before and after school care

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A LVJUSD MAGNET SCHOOL



Above: Rendering of new main entry at Marylin.



SCHOOL IMPROVEMENTS TO BE COMPLETED FALL 2025

In the Fall of 2022, LVJUSD was awarded a \$10 million Federal Magnet Grant to bring a STEAM program to Marylin Avenue Elementary School. The newly re-named Marylin Avenue STEAM Academy is continuing with facility upgrades and changes that coincide with the development of the STEAM program. Construction upgrades began in the Spring of 2024 and will be completed by Fall 2025.

School site improvements include:

- Two new STEAM classrooms
- New TK classrooms
- New outdoor play space
- New drop-off and parking area
- New Library and Research Center
- Redesign of existing classrooms to STEAM classrooms

Left: Rendering of new TK/STEAM classroom building and outdoor play space at Marylin.

