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FULLERTON SCHOOL DISTRICT ***FSD FEST Showcases Student Projects***

(Fullerton, CA) – Everyone is welcome to join us on Saturday, February 1, 2020, as Fullerton School District holds its annual student conference event, FSD FEST, at California State University Fullerton to celebrate many of the exciting learning experiences that are happening in our district. This event features favorite student showcases from previous years as well as new experiences.

Returning for the second year in a row, students will present for the Passion Agents Conference where 5th and 6th grade students deliver conference-style presentations and poster session presentations on their passions that they have been researching. Along with the Passion Agents Conference, student passions will be highlighted through a special “TED-talk style” event featuring 10 pre-selected 6th grade student speakers who will give 10-minute talks on their unique passions. Also returning to FSD FEST this year is the student Film Festival, which includes categories of Public Service Announcement/Documentaries, Biography, Stop Motion/Animation, Live Action Comedy or Drama, and Instructional Film. Another returning favorite is the annual eSports competition, which features Mario Kart for grades 4-6, and Rocket League for grades 7-8. Innovation Experience will feature interactive display booths from each FSD school site, showcasing unique innovations or instructional offerings that each school is highlighting.

Brand new to FSD FEST this year are League of Literacy and Civic Endeavors. League of Literacy is a reading competition for 3rd and 4th grade students, which will feature individual and team experiences. Civic Endeavors is a 7th grade community service showcase, where students “pitch” their best ideas and business plans to help make positive change in their communities.

FSD FEST begins with a kickoff ceremony at 9 a.m. in the Portola Pavilion, and the morning activities continue until noon and showcase League of Literacy, Innovation Experience, Passion Agents Conference, eSports Tournament, and Center for Civic Endeavors. The afternoon session, which features the Film Festival and Spotlight Speakers, will run from 3 to 4:30 p.m.

The Fullerton School District is located in northern Orange County, California and serves just under 13,000 students in grades TK – 8th. The Fullerton School District includes 20 schools, 15 elementary schools, two K-8th grade schools, and three middle schools. The mission of the Fullerton School District is to work collaboratively with the community to provide an innovative, high-quality educational program

for all students in a safe learning environment. The District motto, “*Great Schools - Successful Kids*” exemplifies the belief that all students will achieve academic excellence, acquire interpersonal skills, and develop technological expertise to contribute as productive citizens in a democratic society. For more information, call 714/447-7400 or visit www.fullertonsd.org.

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