

PONY EXPRESS

Character Leadership Attitude Scholarship Service

Principal Mrs. Celeste Scallion



MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Bronco Families,

What an amazing week this has been at Vista Murrieta High School!

Thank you to all of our families and students who joined us for Back to School Night this past Monday. It was such a joy to see our campus filled with energy, enthusiasm, and connection. Your support and engagement in your student's educational journey mean the world to us, and please know that we are here for you and your students every step of the way.

A friendly reminder: the progress report window will close next Friday. Six-week progress reports will be uploaded to the Aeries Parent Portal during the week of September 21st, and as always, we will send a notification once they are available.

This week also gave us a very special opportunity to come together as a community during our 9/11 Remembrance and Constitution Day Ceremony. I extend my deepest gratitude to our Air Force Junior ROTC cadets and to our guest speakers for leading us in such a meaningful program. Their words and presence reminded us to stay focused on what unifies and strengthens us as a Bronco family.

Looking ahead, Homecoming is quickly approaching! Pre-sale tickets will close next Wednesday at 4:00 p.m., and all guest passes must be submitted by the same deadline. Please plan ahead—no late passes will be accepted. We look forward to celebrating this special tradition together.

Tonight, the excitement continues as our Vista Murrieta Broncos host Bishop Amat at the VMHS Stadium. Gates open at 6:00 p.m., and tickets are available on [GoFan](#). We encourage everyone to purchase early and arrive at least 45 minutes before kickoff to secure seats. Our Friday night games often sell out, and we want every Bronco family to be part of the spirit and pride that fill the stadium.

Finally, what a proud moment for Vista Murrieta this morning as KTLA highlighted our campus in three live segments! From our school spirit to our outstanding programs, and most importantly, our incredible students, KTLA gave us a chance to showcase and amplify the very best of Bronco Nation.

Thank you, as always, for your continued partnership and for helping our students rise to the readiness to level up and display their Bronco pride. Together, we create a community where every student can think, learn, achieve, and care with CLASS.

Wishing you a safe and wonderful weekend. Go Broncos!

Warm regards,

Mrs. Scallion

Mrs. Celeste Scallion
Principal
Vista Murrieta High School

BNN Announcements: [Sept 8](#) | [Sept 9](#) | [Sept 11](#) | [Sept 12](#)

America's Most
SPIRITED HIGH SCHOOL



Assistant Principals

Brianna Burow Rosa Velardez
Lloyd Dunn Tammy Waddleton
Carl Galloway

Assistant Principal Athletics

David Smola

Activities Director

Shannon Kush

Useful Links:

[VMHS Website](#)



REMINDERS

A/B CALENDAR

A/B Schedule for September 15 - 19

15	16	17	18	19
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September 17 - Late Start
 September 18 - Office Hours
 September 19 - Rally

ATTENDANCE POLICY

Please remember, the Attendance Window closes at 3pm and students cannot be called out of class to leave after this time.



STUDENT HANDBOOK 

HOCO SPIRIT WEEK

Monday 
Music Monday

Tuesday 
Toes Out Tuesday

Wednesday **ANY DECADE**
Way Back Wednesday

Thursday 
Lei'd Back Thursday

Friday 
Bikers vs Surfers

VMHS ADMIN TEAM

VISTA MURRIETA HIGH SCHOOL

Administration

2025-26



Mr. Dunn
Assistant Principal
Student Support
9th Grade



Mrs. Burow
Assistant Principal
East Hall
12th Grade



Mr. Galloway
Assistant Principal
West Hall
10th Grade



Mrs. Velardez
Assistant Principal
West Hall
Special Education



Mrs. Scallion
Principal



Mrs. Waddleton
Assistant Principal
East Hall
11th Grade



Mr. Smola
Assistant Principal
Athletics Office

UPCOMING EVENTS

Surf Into HOCO

DEADLINE COMING SOON

A TEEN BEACH MOVIE HOMECOMING 2025

presented by VMHS!

SEPTEMBER 20TH
7-11 PM

RIDES, GAMES, FOOD,
MUSIC, AND MORE

WEEK OF 8/25/25:
/ ASB: \$35, W/ OUT ASB: \$40

BEGINNING 9/2/25:
W/ ASB: \$40, W/ OUT ASB: \$45

GUEST PASSES: \$45
PAPERWORK DUE: 9/17/25 4PM

AT DOOR PRICE
VMHS STUDENTS ONLY: \$50

ALL ATTENDEES MUST TURN IN A COMPLETED WAIVER TO THE TRADING POST BY 4 PM ON SEPTEMBER 17 TO ATTEND.

PARKING

Students, if you are parking on campus, **a parking permit is required** to avoid getting a ticket.

SENIOR PARKING PAINTING

Saturday, September 27

8am - 2 pm

- 5' x 5' square only
- Outdoor paint only
- No spray paint
- Do not paint curbs
- Bring your own roller and trays
- Clean up your area

PTSA REFLECTIONS CONTEST

I Belong!

Explore the arts and express yourself!



Scan here to submit your Art!



Scan here for rules and entry requirements!

GOT CREATIVITY?

Show it off in the PTSA Reflections Contest! Theme: "I Belong!"

For details email: ReflectionsVMHS@yahoo.com

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES IS NOVEMBER 14

COUNSELING

COUNSELORS

VISTA MURRIETA HIGH SCHOOL

Counseling Team



Ms. Valenzuela
AVID & A
East Hall



Mrs. Padilla
EL & B - Cal
East Hall



Mr. Tyler
Cam - Ger
West Hall



Mrs. Osorio
Gi - Lew
West Hall



Mrs. Candaale
NCAA & Li - Or
West Hall



Mrs. Ponce
Os - Se
East Hall

2025-26



Ms. Hill
Sh - Z
East Hall



Mrs. Burow
Assistant Principal
East Hall



Mr. Bennett
School Psychologist
Grades 10 - 11 / W115



Mrs. Mendoza-Blied
School Psychologist
Grades 9 & 12 / W115



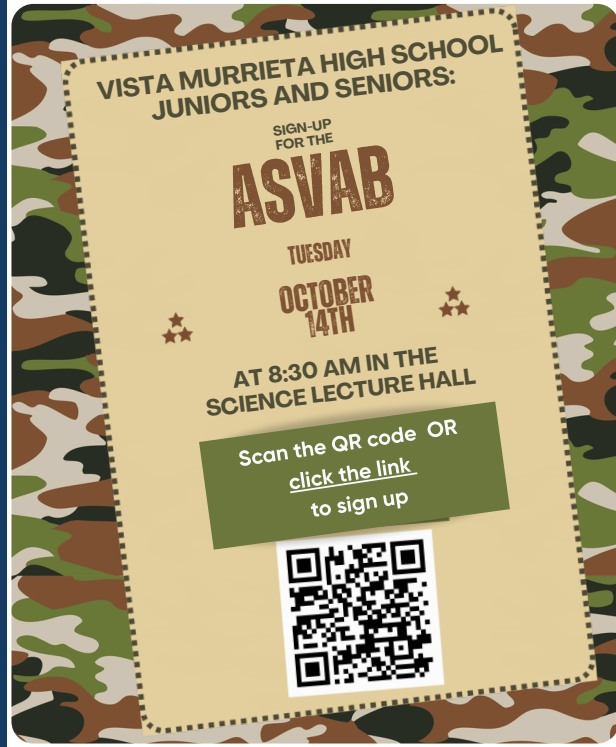
Ms. Cortez
School Social Worker
W112

COUNSELOR REVIEW

Sept 16 - 19: Freshmen

This is an opportunity to meet your counselor and review graduation requirements, college requirements, and pertinent school information.

ASVAB



VISTA MURRIETA HIGH SCHOOL
JUNIORS AND SENIORS:
SIGN-UP FOR THE
ASVAB
TUESDAY
OCTOBER 14TH
AT 8:30 AM IN THE
SCIENCE LECTURE HALL
Scan the QR code OR
click the link
to sign up

COLLEGE VISITS




**FALL
2025
COLLEGE
VISITS**



Are you ready to advance in your academic career?
Use the link below to sign up to meet with a college representative.

[CLICK HERE TO SIGN UP](#) 

SCAN QR CODE TO SIGN-UP



 9/12	 9/16
 9/15	 9/17

MILITARY CHILD OF THE YEAR

Honoring military children, nominations are now open for Operation Homefront's Military Child of the Year® Awards!



TAKE THE PSAT/NMSQT

VMHS SOPHOMORES AND JUNIORS,
PSAT/NMSQT REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

[PSAT/NMSQT EXAM REGISTRATION](#)
Space is limited! 

PSAT helps students determine what they need to work on most, so that you're ready for college when you graduate from high school. The PSAT tests the same skills and knowledge as the SAT. It also identifies AP courses that you have a good chance of passing with a 3 or higher on an AP exam.

COLLEGE FAIR

LINFIELD COLLEGE FAIR

SEPTEMBER 22 | 3-4:30PM
Free and open to the public!
REGISTER TODAY!



Linfield Christian School (Gym)
31950 Pauba Road | Temecula, CA

For more information: linfield.com/college-fair

