Letter From Our Principal

Dear Parents and Students,

Our first month of the 20-21 school year was indeed revolutionary one. The first month was filled with many challenges, growing pains and successes. Our teachers spent a great deal of time developing the skills to work with our new learning management system, Canvas, and setting up virtual classrooms in Teams and Zoom. Many have added new terms to our vocabulary and a clear understanding of synchronous (face to face) teaching and asynchronous (recorded) teaching.

Be sure and take advantage of "Office Hours" each and every day to connect with teachers for extra help. Also check grades in Aeries regularly. Our six week grading period ends on September 18th. We are continuing to support our school community by being available twice a week for textbook and device needs. Currently more than 25% of our students have checked out devices.

We are taking on the challenge of trying to keep our students connected through creative distance measures. This last month we held a virtual talent show with twelve talented students performing from home. We have worked to develop a strong social media presence to meet our students where they are. Our ASB is sending acknowledgement for all of our students with birthdays. They are working to begin our random acts of kindness to students at home. Our theater program is working to present virtual plays. September 14th we will have a virtual Back to School Night. Our video production class is posting the Nighthawk news.

I am grateful to have the opportunity to work with a community that is partnering to provide the best educational experiences for our students. We are looking forward to a great year at MVHS!

Doing it the R.I.T.E. Way (Respect, Integrity, Teamwork, & Excellence),
Dr. Mark Pettengill, Principal
Murrieta Valley High School

Instagram: https://www.instagram.com/officialmvhs/
Facebook Page: https://www.facebook.com/officialmvhs/

Twitter: https://twitter.com/officialmvhs
TikTok: @officialmvhs

Virtual Back to School Night

SPECIAL OLYMPICS · PLAY UNIFIED

Murrieta Valley Nighthawks

N.E.S.T.

Special Olympics
Southern California

Special Olympics
Southern California

MURRIETA VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

IS A NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED UNIFIED CHAMPION SCHOOL

Counseling News

Chat with a CSUSB Counselor for students, September 1st, 4pm

CSUSB Zoom

To make an appointment with your counselor, please click here

ACT/SAT Testing Dates

ACT:

Saturday, September 12
Sunday, September 13
Saturday, September 19

Please click for more info or to register: ACT

SAT:

Saturday, September 26
Saturday, October 3
Saturday, November 7

Please click for more info or to register: College Board

News

Still need a textbook or a device?
Our library will be open on
Mondays and Thursdays ONLY
from 7:30am – 2:30pm.

MSJC Annex students need to look for
communications about picking up their
textbooks from the Library.

What If My Student Needs a Device?

If your student is in need of a device (laptop),
please come to the Library Mondays or Thursday
and bring your signed agreement:

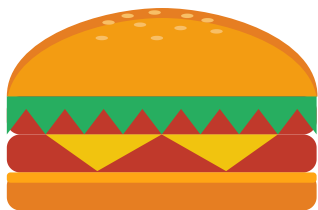Agreement (English).
Agreement (Spanish)

Where can I go for updated information about the coronavirus?

The newest information can be found
on the MVUSD website directly:

MVUSD District Website

Where can I go for information about school lunches?

For all information regarding nutrition services in the upcoming school year, please go to the District Nutrition page at:

https://murrietaschoolnutrition.com/

Remember:
students who qualify for free/reduced lunches may also qualify for fee waivers on SAT/ACT or admissions to many colleges. Please go to the website or ask your counselor if you need a form.

Where can I go for ALL of the information about distance learning, school updates, etc?

The most up to date information from Murrieta Valley here:

MVHS Nighthawk Website

For tech help, please email
MVUSDinfo@mvusd.org

How Do I Get Help With:

Class change/schedule, college/career info, forms,
need to talk to someone?
Counseling

Student email or Aeries account help?
Email Mrs. Gaines

Information about student health, medications, immunizations, etc?
Health Office

Information about clubs or activities?
ASB

Purchases, late fees/fines, webstore, password reset?
Bookkeeping

Sports, camps, practices, athletic clearances?
Athletics

Contacting my student's teacher?
Teachers Directory

Dr. P's Trivia

1. 1. WHAT WAS THE FIRST FEATURE-LENGTH ANIMATED FILM EVER RELEASED??

2. WHAT IS THE SUM OF THE ANGLES OF A TRIANGLE?

3. HOW MANY US PRESIDENTS HAVE BEEN ELECTED TO TWO TERMS?

4. WHAT IS THE OLDEST ACTIVE BALLPARK IN MLB?

5. HOW MANY PEOPLE MAKE UP THE U.S. ELECTORAL COLLEGE

?6. IN WHAT MONTH IS EARTH CLOSEST TO THE SUN?

7. WHAT IS THE ONLY EDIBLE FOOD THAT NEVER EXPIRES?

8. WHAT COMPANY DID THE FOUNDERS OF YOUTUBE WORK FOR BEFORE STARTING YOUTUBE?

9. WHAT DAY OF THE YEAR IS CONSIDERED NATIONAL PI DAY?

10. HOW MANY REGULAR SEASON GAMES ARE PLAYED IN THE NFL?

FOR THE ANSWERS, PLEASE GO TO: DR. P'S SEPTEMBER TRIVIA ANSWERS

☐ Helpful Checklist for Tech Issues

Office 365
- ☐ Check that you can get into **Office 365** with your 9 digit student ID email first – nothing else will work unless you can do this step. Go to the MVHS website and select Office 365.
- ☐ If you are a **returning student** (or from Thompson/Shivela), it's the same user name and password from last year. If you are a **brand new student** to the District, use the password provided or Mvusdmmdd! (mm = your birth month and dd = your birthdate. Don't forget the !)
- ☐ If you cannot get into Office 365, please contact kgaines@murrieta.k12.ca.us for a password reset.
- ☐ If you are a new student trying on a borrowed Chromebook from school for the very first time, STOP. You must complete this step first on a different device – phone, another computer, iPad, Mac, etc

Canvas
- ☐ **Log into your Office 365 first.**
- ☐ Once you are logged into Office 365, click on the link for Canvas.
- ☐ Do NOT try to create a Canvas account or log in using another email address. It will not work.
- ☐ Courses are listed to the left – click on the Course you are looking for. If you are missing a course, please wait 24 hours if you have had a schedule change – if not, contact your counselor.
- ☐ If you need to connect with your teacher, use the Inbox, also listed on the left.
- ☐ Pair code instructions (for parents to link with their students) are available on our website.

Aeries
- ☐ **If you are a brand new student, you must set up your Aeries account.** (See Instructions on the back)
- ☐ If you already have an Aeries account use the **Forgot Password** feature and follow the prompts.
- ☐ Email code is NOT the same as verification code. Email code will come up automatically when you click on the email from Aeries.
- ☐ If you need a verification code, please contact (A-K) Mrs. Velasquez, (L-Z) Mrs. Young or Mrs. Gaines.

Zoom/Teams
- ☐ Find your links to Zoom/Teams on the individual teacher Canvas pages.
- ☐ If you cannot access Zoom/Teams, please contact your teacher directly via email/Inbox to let them know. Each teacher sets up their own Zoom/Teams meetings, so we cannot help you access those.

Borrowed Devices/Chromebooks
- ☐ If you have borrowed a device from MVHS, the very first time you use it, you MUST be on District wifi. It will not work without following this step.
- ☐ Please come to the campus parking lot any time, and connect via the wifi.
- ☐ If you are asked for a password, user name is mvusd, password is mvusdmvusd.

If you need further help, please contact kgaines@murrieta.k12.ca.us or mvusdinfo@mvusd.org

Zoom Resources (Authentification)

Zoom
☐

Q: How do I properly log-on to Zoom?

A: Logging on to Zoom for the first time

Q: How do I enter my virtual classroom links in Zoom with my student login?

A: Logging on to class links Zoom on a laptop/desktop

Q: How do I logon to Zoom on an iPad?

A: How to logon to Zoom on an iPad

Q: How do I logon to Zoom on a Chromebook?

A: How to logon to Zoom on a Chromebook

Q: Another user is logged onto my device in Zoom. How do I log them out so that I can log in?

A1: Logging a user out of Zoom on a browser

A2: Logging a user out of Zoom in the Zoom client

If you need further help, please contact mvusdinfo@mvusd.org

NEW Student Account Instructions

Office 365 Account *(do this step first – the other steps will not work until you complete this step):*
- Go to Office 365, log-in
- User name is your 9 digit student ID number
- Default password is Mvusdmmdd! (new students ONLY - returning students, use your regular password)
(mm is your birth month, dd is your birthdate. If your birthday is March 4th, your password would be Mvusd0304! Be sure the M is capitalized and you include the !)
- Once you have logged in, go to Outlook. This is your email account. Your email address is 9 digit student ID@mvusd.org

Canvas
- The link for Canvas is on the front page of our website
- Log in using your Office 365 account first, then click on Canvas
- Once you have logged in, your classes should be listed on the left under Courses.
- If you have had a schedule change, please allow 24 hours for your new classes to appear.

Aeries
- https://aeriesnet.murrieta.k12.ca.us/parent/LoginParent.aspx?page=Default.aspx
- Select Create New Account, select Student (not Parent)
- Follow the prompts. You can only use your 9 digit student ID email account – it will not work with Gmail, Yahoo, Hotmail, etc.
- Check your email account for an email from Aeries – click on that email to confirm your email address, it will take you back into Aeries.
- Finish following the prompts. At the end, it will ask you for your primary contact number, which is the number that you chose when setting up your Aeries account, and a verification code. Please contact Mrs. Velasquez (A-K), Mrs. Young (L-Z) or Mrs. Gaines for your verification code.

CONTACT US:

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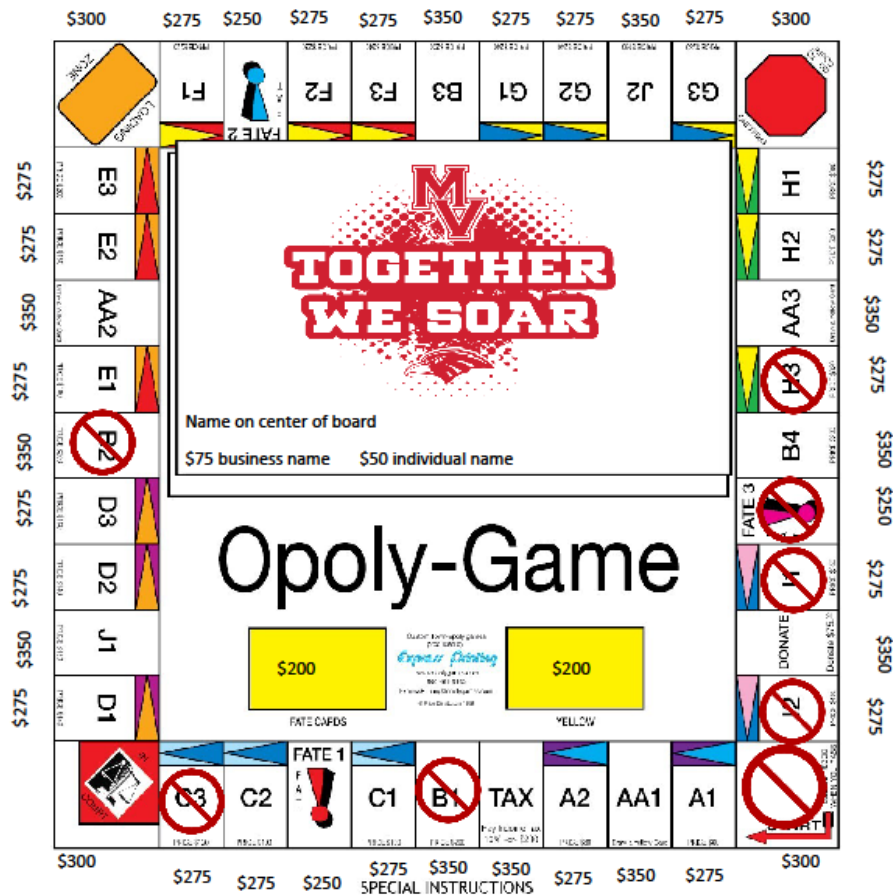**CRIS GORRIA** (HEALTH TECH)

NATALIE RIDDLE (SITE SECRETARY)
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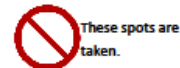**VERONICA RUIZ** (AP SECRETARY)
KELLIE GAINES (AP SECRETARY/GUIDANCE)

*Go to our website
for more info*

TOGETHER WE SOAR

Name on center of board

$75 business name $50 individual name

Opoly-Game

$200 FATE CARDS

$200 YELLOW

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

For more information,

Contact Cindy Muzic

Activities Secretary, MVHS

951-696-1408, ext 5275

cmuzic@murrieta.k12.ca.us

Murrieta Valley Nighthawks

If you would like to be on money, it is $150.00 each denomination.

These spots are taken.

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TOWNOPOLY BOARD GAME- Murrieta Townopoly is a customized game board wit...

MURRIETA VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

Give for People like Angel

COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE

Best Buy - Murrieta
Wednesday, September 2, 2020
8:00 am to 6:00 pm

Parking Lot
25080 Madison Ave.,
Murrieta 92562

Make an appointment today!
sandiegobloodbank.org/donate
(619)400-8251

Appointment & Photo ID required.
Arrive hydrated.

Barons Market
Thursday, September 10, 2020
8:00 am to 6:00 pm

Parking Lot
32310 Clinton Keith Road,
Wildomar 92595

Make an appointment today!
sandiegobloodbank.org/donate
(619)400-8251

Appointment & Photo ID required.
Arrive hydrated.

If you are a donor from Murrieta Valley High School, please give your group code (MURH) at check in so your school gets credit.

San Diego Blood Bank

The Advanced Placement Readiness (APR) program provides supplemental instructional support to current and potential AP students in the following courses:

- AP Biology
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Chemistry
- AP Computer Science Principles
- AP English Language
- AP English Literature
- AP Human Geography
- AP Physics
- AP Statistics
- AP US History
- AP World History

The APR program also provides high level professional development for current and potential teachers of AP courses in STEM and Humanities areas. AP teachers involved in APR will participate in course-specific professional learning that includes observing and interaction with master teachers and engaging in professional networking that promotes best practices and rigorous AP instruction.

WHERE
UC Riverside Campus
900 University Avenue
Riverside, CA 92521

WHEN
September 7, 2019
October 5, 2019
October 26, 2019
November 16, 2019
December 14, 2019
January 25, 2020
February 22, 2020
March 7, 2020

TIME
9:00 am-2:00 pm

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Virtual
TRANSFER CSUSB

Saturday, October 24, 2020
12:00 pm – 3:30 pm

California State University, San Bernardino, is excited to invite you to participate in our virtual Transfer CSUSB event! This program is an exclusive program for Community College students and their families. During this event, you will learn about admission requirements, academic programs, financial aid, student life, educational support programs, virtually tour our beautiful campus, and more!

Learn More Here:
bit.ly/TransferCSUSB2020

CSUSB
WE DEFINE THE *Future*

Virtual
NEXT GENERATION CONFERENCE

Friday, November 13, 2020
8:00 am – 12:00 pm

California State University, San Bernardino, would like to invite you to our virtual Next Generation Conference! During this event, students will have an opportunity to explore the phenomenal resources that are not only essential in the success of their journey, but will enhance the experience of all African American students at CSUSB. We are here to show students how they can overcome any barriers placed in front of them and persevere.

Learn More Here:
bit.ly/CSUSBNextGen2020

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