

DECEMBER

- 12/4—8:30 Coffee with the Principal
- 12/5—3:15 Special Ed. Parent Meeting
- 12/7—Music Performance
- 12/8—Reindeer Run—Citizen's Bank Arena
- 12/11—1:55 GATE Academy
- 12/12—3:15 PTO Meeting
- 12/15—OMSD Chess Tournament
- 12/15—8:00 Saturday School
- 12/17—Spirit Dress: Ugly Holiday Sweater
- 12/18—Spirit Dress: Holiday Hat
- 12/19—Spirit Dress: Holiday Socks
- 12/19—TK and Kinder Holiday Programs
- 12/20—Spirit Dress: Pajama Day
- 12/21—No School
- 12/24—1/4—Winter Break

JANUARY

- 1/7—School Resumes
- 1/9—3:15 PTO Meeting
- 1/12—8:00 Saturday School
- 1/16—3:15 Monte Vista Spelling Bee
- 1/21—No School Martin Luther King's Day
- 1/23—3:15 School Site Council Meeting
- 1/26—8:00 Saturday School
- 1/26—OMSD Science and Engineering Symposium
- 1/29—8:30 Coffee with the Principal
- 1/30—Talent Show

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Parent Involvement at Home!

Did you know that supporting your child's education begins at home? Consider these everyday ways to talk about school, deepen their learning, and keep track of school news.

Foster a positive attitude—If you're enthusiastic about school, your child is likely to be as well. Ask them about projects they are working on or topics they are studying. Be sure to listen closely, and follow up with questions or comments. Also, you can influence their attitude to-

wards school by being positive.

Tie learning to their world— Show your child how what they learn is useful outside of school. If their studying clouds, ask them to identify types you see in the sky and try to predict whether you'll need an umbrella. Or challenge them to spot vocabulary words on window signs or package labels, and talk about how they're used in different ways.

Stay up to date—Be aware of what's happening in your

child's classroom, school, and district. Read school newsletters, check the school website, etc.. Mention upcoming activities to your child that you might attend together (Family Math Night, Book Fair, Parent Conference, etc.). Also, put important dates on your calendar. It will show you child that school is a priority.



PBIS

Positive Behavior Intervention and Support
PBIS is a new positive behavior system that we are implementing this school year with our students. Please talk to your students about our school behavior expectations.

Be SAFE
Be RESPECTFUL
Be Responsible

Monte Vista Pride Pledge

We are a **safe** and **respectful** community of life-long learners. We are **responsible** and determined to achieve academic success and make a difference in our world.

Attendance Line / 909-626-5046—Please call if your child will be absent.