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CVUSD Schools and Programs Receive 2020 PBIS Community Cares Award

Thirty-one CVUSD schools and five community partners receive recognition for applying positive behavior interventions and support.

Chino, CA – Thirty-one Chino Valley Unified School District (CVUSD) schools and five community partners have been recognized with the Positive Behavioral Intervention & Supports (PBIS) Community Cares Award by the California PBIS Coalition for providing continued education, meals, and support to all CVUSD students during the COVID-19 pandemic. Schools recognized are: Alicia Cortez Elementary, Anna Borba Elementary Buena Vista Continuation High School, Butterfield Ranch Elementary, Cal Aero Preserve Academy, Canyon Hills Junior High, Chaparral Elementary, Chino High School, Chino Hills High School, Country Springs Elementary, Doris Dickson Elementary, Eagle Canyon Elementary, Edwin Rhodes Elementary, E.J. Marshall Elementary, Gerald F. Litel Elementary, Glenmeade Elementary, Hidden Trails Elementary, Howard Cattle Elementary, Levi H. Dickey Elementary, Liberty Elementary, Lyle S. Briggs Fundamental School, Magnolia Junior High, Newman Elementary, Oak Ridge Elementary, Ramona Junior High, Robert O. Townsend Junior High, Rolling Ridge Elementary, Ruben S. Ayala High School, Walnut Ave. Elementary, Wickman Elementary and Woodcrest Junior High. CVUSD community partners recognized are: the Chino Valley Learning Academy, Family Engagement Center, HOPE Family Resource Centers, Cortez PFA and Levi H. Dickey PTO.

PBIS is a systems-based, multi-tiered framework that aims to help improve academics, reduce problem behavior, increase attendance, reduce bullying, and improve social and emotional competency of students. Schools traditionally earn platinum, gold, silver or bronze medals based on several factors, including having formal committee meetings at the school sites to work on Positive Behavior Interventions and Support; training staff members on PBIS practices and putting those practices in action; teaching students about academic and social behaviors in the classroom; and using data gleaned from the process to improve student behavior and academic issues. Because campuses closed in early March amid the COVID-19 pandemic, customary evaluations were not possible. To honor the positive impacts schools are playing, the California PBIS Coalition revised the program to recognize all schools and partners providing services and supports during these difficult times.

Schools awarded with the PBIS Community Cares Award will be recognized at the CA PBIS Conference scheduled for September 21-23, 2020.

About Chino Valley Unified School District:

Founded in 1860, Chino Valley Unified School District serves approximately 27,000 students across 35 schools within the Chino Valley area. Home to 18 California Distinguished schools, students receive a rigorous, 21st century education in preparation for college and career. Thriving performing arts and athletic programs, nationally recognized marching bands and engaging parent-school partnerships distinguish Chino Valley Unified School District as one of the best school districts in California. For more information about Chino Valley Unified School district, please visit www.chino.k12.ca.us.

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