



## Summer Learning Initiative 2018 Report, May 2018

### Participants in SLI

- MVPD
- YMCA
- LASD
- MVLA
- MVWSD
- Challenge Team
- City of Mountain View

### Review of current 2018 programs by school district/agency:

#### YMCA/LASD at Santa Rita

- June 11-August 3 – 8 weeks. 7:30 am – 6:00 pm. Rising 1<sup>st</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders. Breakfast, lunch and afternoon snack. The Y is running programs at Covington school which accommodates another 300 kids.
- 125 LASD students (financial and academic need) with 250 additional YMCA students. The additional students come from PA, LA, MV.
- With the help of five LASD Teachers, 125 students are pulled each day for literacy intervention using Leveled Literacy Intervention. This is the same literacy program LASD uses during the school year.
- Students get their peer group experience plus the intervention they need.
- YMCA uses federal funding to feed the kids.
- The Y will know within 3-4 weeks if they have additional funding for programs this summer. By the time that the districts end their 4-week programs early July, the Y will be able to determine if they have open spots available for the remainder of the summer. The Y offers financial aid to make the programs very low cost, but not free.

#### MVPD - Dreams and Futures

- July 2-27: First 2 weeks are for rising 6<sup>th</sup>/7<sup>th</sup> students. Last 2 weeks are for 4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> graders
- 9:00am-3:00 pm. MVWSD provides transportation. Crittenden to Castro to MVHS. Afternoon is reverse.
- Four PD Officers run the program and act as counselors to the students. They use high school volunteers from MVHS, LAHS, St. Francis.
- Still in the planning phase, finalizing field trips, referrals are in and selection process complete
- For 4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> grader program: While 80 students were given enrollment forms, they expect to end up with at least 50 students.
- For the 6<sup>th</sup>/7<sup>th</sup> Middle school program, they gave out 65 enrollment forms.
- It is always a challenge to get the completed enrollment forms and students confirmed for the programs.

## **MVLA**

- June 6<sup>th</sup> - July 3rd at MVHS – four weeks
- MVLA no longer offers the 6 week Catalyst programs. Six-weeks was too long/intense for most students.
- 3 sections Elevate Math (two for rising 9<sup>th</sup>, one for rising 10<sup>th</sup>), 2 of Catalyst Math, ELD, Introduction to high school (6-8 students)
- Catalyst is designed for the AVID like students. Elevate is targeted toward students who have some math challenges.
- Next summer there will be a similar program in English.
- 400 students, who received a D or F in a class, are registered for credit recovery summer school. There were 500 students last year. We wondered why there is a drop in the number of students. Are students getting fewer D's and F's?
- What do high school kids do after summer school which ends July 3rd? Many use the remaining summer to travel to foreign country, hold down jobs. A few may take one of the online classes that are offered through adult ed.

## **MVWSD**

- June 11-July 6<sup>th</sup>: 19 days 8am-noon. Students are offered lunch.
- Summer school based on life science. Offered to rising 1-6<sup>th</sup> students.
- Focus for classes: Literacy and language through science.
- Target: Low performing language learners.
- 500 kids registered already and a wait list. These numbers don't include Olimpico Learning, for Castro and Theuerkauf which is another 200. They are partnering with living classrooms as well.
- Below proficient middle school students are invited to Elevate and MAP math classes  
Three MAP classes are for incoming 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> students  
Two Elevate math classes are for incoming 8<sup>th</sup> grade students
- Valdes Math Institute is offered to struggling math students.
- The program "ALL" is for 35 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> grade ELL students – for long term English learners
- Peninsula Bridge attracts high achieving students. MVWSD does not know how many students would attend this summer.
- The View – 35 youth going there after summer school
- MVWSD is planning three evening events for families.
  - Family Science Fair – Dr. Seuss theme with 10 stations
  - Library – literacy at home: Ebooks and Learning A-Z
  - Science Fair – solving a problem.
- Use of InPlay program (see overview of InPlay below)

## **MV Parks and Rec/Library**

- Information not included in this report, see MV websites.

## **Plans for review of this summer's programs, begin planning for 2019:**

Meet in August (date TBD) to discuss what was learned from the Summer 2018 programs, and to start planning for Summer 2019. Would like input from 2018 parents as to the type of programs, times, locations etc. that they would like offered.

Ideas/Questions from roundtable discussion to consider for 2019:

- Consider offering summer school later in the summer rather than at the end of the school year. In that way summer school helps students prepare for the new school year.
- Consider submitting a grant to the LACF for funding for scholarship slots in summer camps.
- CSMA – learn more about their highly subsidized slots in summer. Are they at school sites or at the CSMA site?
- Learn more about the Sacramento Unified School District policy of pre-enrolling struggling students into summer school. Parents have to complete “opt-out” forms if they do not want their student in the summer program.

***Introduction to InPlay.*** *InPlay is an online platform for promoting local afterschool and summer programs for kids. MVWSD launched [their version](#) of the InPlay platform last week. See [article](#). The site currently includes 88 providers in and around Mtn.View. Parents can use filters to find the type of program for their student; the site directs them to the program's website for more information and registration, fee handling. Providers listing their programs include the YMCA-SV lists their programs, MV Parks and Rec, Library. Site shows programs held after school, fall, spring. 0-18 yrs. The site can match low-income students with scholarships without financial aid and proof of income. Anyone can browse. MVWSD's School linked services and facilitators are excited to help parents find programs for students.*