



BUCKEYE UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Parents:

As Superintendent of the Buckeye Union School District, I would like to welcome you. I am sure you are excited to begin your educational experience with us, just as I am pleased to have you as a new member of the Buckeye family. It is the mission of the Buckeye Union School District to provide the highest quality educational program for all students so that they fulfill their innate potential, become lifelong learners, and contribute to society as responsible citizens.

The Buckeye Union School District is renowned for the quality of its schools, which have been recognized with numerous State and National awards. We offer a comprehensive educational experience that includes technology rich, standards based educational opportunities provided by a highly qualified and dedicated team of teachers and support staff. Additionally, we receive significant support from our generous parents and community.

Our programs are enhanced by a K-8th grade articulated science program, elementary physical education specialists, staffed libraries, elementary and middle school band, school counselors, 1-to-1 computer device access, instructional coaches, and well designed interventions. Many extra-curricular activities exist including elementary and middle school sports as well as STEM clubs and school garden programs.

As a new parent to our school area, it is important for you to understand that each school's enrollment is changing due to increasing and shifting enrollment patterns within our attendance areas. Consequently, it is extremely difficult to guarantee that your child will be housed in a particular school during the coming school years. I want to assure you that we will make every effort to keep your child in your neighborhood school. It may be necessary, however, for us to transport some children to other schools within the district in order to comply with state laws and district policies on class size.

Also, due to fluctuations in enrollment there may be overcrowding in some of our classrooms. If this occurs, there is a possibility that your child may be reassigned to a new class during the school year. If your child is affected, you will be notified prior to the move, and the reasons will be explained to you at that time.

If you have any questions regarding these issues, please contact your school site principal.

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Silva Valley School
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Blue Oak School
(530)676-0164 • (916)933-5149

Wm. Brooks School
(916)933-6618 • (530)677-2875

Oak Meadow School
(530)672-3890 • (916)939-9640

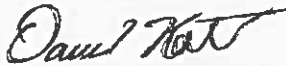
Comrade Springs Middle School
(916)933-9746 • (530)677-9818

Rolling Hills Middle School
(530)677-1658 • (916)933-0584

Valley View Charter Montessori
(530)676-2490 • (916)933-9290

Once again, welcome to the Buckeye Union School District. We look forward to working with you and your children.

Sincerely,



David Roth, Ph.D.
Superintendent

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2019/2020 Enrollment

Buckeye Union School District announces that beginning February 4, 2019, Kindergarten and Transitional Kindergarten registration for the 2019/2020 school year will be accepted at all of its elementary schools [Buckeye in Shingle Springs (530-677-2277), Blue Oak in Cameron Park (530-676-0164), Valley View Charter Montessori in El Dorado Hills (916-939-9640), William Brooks in El Dorado Hills (916-933-6618), Silva Valley in El Dorado Hills (916-933-3767) and Oak Meadow in El Dorado Hills (916-933-9746)]. School websites can be accessed at buckeyeusd.org.

Registration forms will be available in school offices beginning January 30, 2019 for the registration period beginning on February 4, 2019. Registrations will be taken at school sites based upon designated boundaries. If you are uncertain as to your school of attendance, please visit the district website to input your address and access this information. Go to www.buckeyeusd.org →Parent Resources→Boundaries to use this tool.

A child who resides in Buckeye Union School District and will be five years of age on or before September 1, 2019, may register for Kindergarten. Children who will turn five years old between September 2, 2019 and December 2, 2019, are eligible for and may register for Transitional Kindergarten.

Your child's birth certificate, up-to-date immunization record and proof of residence will be required when you register your child. Proof of residency requires that a parent/guardian provide two pieces of documentation. The specific information about these documents is available on the district website at www.buckeyeusd.org by clicking on "For Parents" and then "Enrollment." [**Proof of residency is *not* required for picking up a registration packet for enrollment in Valley View Charter Montessori School, but *is required* for registration if the student is registering under one of the following enrollment preferences: (1) a student who resides within the Valley View school boundaries; or (2) a student who resides within the attendance boundaries of the District.]

It is important to understand that if your child's registration packet is not complete and all documents required to be submitted have not been submitted to school officials, your child will not be enrolled at the time of submission of the enrollment packet, but rather will be placed on a wait list pending completion of the required enrollment information. School staff will contact you if your enrollment packet is deemed to be incomplete and request the information needed in order to enroll your child upon its submission. If you need any further information regarding registration, please visit or call the school.

All new enrollees for all other grade levels are invited to register on February 5, 2019, according to the boundaries assigned to each site.

Interdistrict Transfers: Any child attending Buckeye Union School District on a current Interdistrict Transfer, and/or siblings thereof, must renew/submit the application or employment verification by February 28, 2019. New Interdistrict Transfer requests will not be reviewed until May 13, 2019.

Intradistrict Transfers: Intradistrict Transfer forms will be accepted between January 1, 2019 and February 28, 2019, for consideration for the 2019-20 school year. Remember, if your student is already attending a school on an Intradistrict Transfer, a move from the student's assigned school to another school within our district, and they wish to remain at that school, they do not need to renew their intradistrict agreement, and we will assume he/she will be returning to the same school for the 2019-2020 school year. Intradistrict forms will be available on the Buckeye Union School District website January 1, 2019. The web address is www.buckeyeusd.org (click on "Parent Resources" and then "District/School Transfers").