

***Vision: To achieve educational excellence by preparing students, parents, staff, and community members for the future.***

***District Mission: To inspire the pursuit of excellence, one student at a time.***

## **Gifted & Talented Parent Advisory Meeting**

**Monte Vista School District** and our SLV BOCES defines gifted students as persons between the ages of five and twenty-one whose abilities, talents, and potential for accomplishment are so outstanding that they require special provisions to meet their educational needs. Outstanding talents are present in students from all cultural groups, across all economic strata, and in diverse areas of human endeavor. Children under five who qualify may also be served. Gifted students are capable of high performance, exceptional production, or exceptional learning behavior by virtue of any or a combination of these areas: general intellectual ability, specific academic aptitude, creative, productive thinking, leadership abilities, visual arts, performing arts, musical or psychomotor abilities.

**Date: Th 12/03/2020 Virtual Meeting**

**GTED Coord.: Cheryl Franklin-Rohr SLVBOCES, Robin Shirley-Granville MS, Kana Condon HS, Julia Lumsargis Marsh/BME, OLAD (Tracy Simon absent)**

**Facilitator: Julia Lumsargis MVSD Coordinator**

**Parent/student: Gina/Christian 8, Charlotte/Janiyah 8, John/John Jake 12, Chantelle/Emilio 13, Angelina/ Shaylee 3rd gr, Amy/ Memphis sophomore, Amanda/Mathieu 5th, Amber/Katie 15, Sarah and Erin/Isaac 8, Hella/Liam 3rd, Veronica/Caris 5th**

**Common norms established:** starting and ending on time, positive tone at meetings, stay on topic, stay engaged and make sure electronic devices don't interfere with discussions, equal contributions, listen respectfully, consider others' perspectives, expected level of professionalism and confidentiality, rule of three

**Reminder to parents:** GT Advisory meetings are held for the purpose of discussing GT programming & budget. Any personal concerns should be brought to the attention of classroom teachers, GT building staff & administration if needed.

**Building GT Staff: PLEASE LET US KNOW HOW WE CAN HELP!**



5:15-5:30	Julia \$13,500 per year + \$3000 one time rollover (COVID related)	If any money unspent by 4th quarter-Coords. decide how to spend. <b>PLEASE give your Coord input!</b>	subs -\$3000 testing and scoring -\$6,000 -\$1,500 per Bldg -\$500-miscellan.
15 min 5:30-5:45	Resources-(COVID) Cheryl	Let Coords. Know what resources you need & we will be happy to support you.	1) slvboces.org 2) Dep:Gifted 3) Explore Learning at Home tab & Parent tab first
15 min 5:45-6:00	Q & A Coords.		4 parents stayed and individual questions were answered.

## Announcements:

- 1) Next Meeting: April 1st, 2021 from 6-7
- 2) National GT Conference-Denver, Colorado/November 2021 (family day is on Sat.)
- 3) **\*\*\*Please contact your building coordinator for concerns, suggestions and ideas (we hope to have a survey ready for next meeting).**
- 4) Stay safe & healthy this holiday season!

### GTs

- 1) **GOOD THINGS!!!**
- 2) **Growing Trends**
- 3) **Glad Tidings**
- 4) **Grand Tendencies**
- 5) **Great Tidbits**
- 6) **Grandiose Topics**
- 7) **Gracious Transformations**
- 8) **Glamorous Triumphs**
- 9) **Grateful Traditions**
- 10) **Gifted & Talented**

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From the **GTED** Coordinators