



VAPA Foundation Announces 2019-2020 VAPA Enhancement Program Recipients
 Twenty SDUSD Teachers Receive Funding for Visual & Performing Arts

December 5, 2019//San Diego: Twenty San Diego Unified School District (SDUSD) teachers will receive awards to underwrite visual and performing arts – VAPA – related activities and purchases funded by the VAPA Foundation’s 2019-2020 VAPA Enhancement Program. The VAPA Enhancement Program or VEP, enables any San Diego Unified teacher to apply for funds to enhance the quality of and access to arts education in the classroom or school. The VAPA Foundation funds arts enhancements not covered by a school’s budget.

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| FIRST | LAST | SCHOOL | SHORT DESCRIPTION |
|--------------|-------------|--|---|
| Mike | Baum | Lincoln HS | Playwrights Project "Write On!" residency |
| Caitlin | Black | East Village HS | Outside the Lens artist residency and marine biology classes |
| Alyson | Erickson | Linda Vista ES | Malashock Dance (Math in Motion) |
| Michael | Fiedler | Serra HS | Colorguard/winterguard floor and equipment |
| Andrea | Lemaitre | San Diego School of Creative & Performing Arts | National High School Dance Festival |
| Matthew | Lyons | Oak Park ES | Digital music production lab (partnership with David's Harp Foundation) |
| Don | Masse | Zamorano ES | Laser engraver/cutter (media/sculpture curriculum) |
| Bill | McClain | Carver ES | Malashock Dance (Math in Motion) |
| Lony | Mendez | Audubon | Materials to continue media arts/video integration |
| Francesca | Miller | Hamilton ES | Ukuleles (in partnership with GITC) |
| Matthew | Mulvaney | Mira Mesa HS | CMEA State Band and Orchestra Festival |
| Shelly | Reshes | Jones ES | Malashock Dance (Math in Motion) |
| Karen | Ritchey | Ocean Beach ES | Classics4Kids: "Tubby the Tuba" with Malashock |
| Kayla | Rodgers | San Diego HS | Professional Development - Harmony University |
| Garner | Saguil | Dingeman ES | Ukuleles (in partnership with GITC) |
| Patti | Steele | Paradise Hills ES | Ukuleles - Guitars in the Classroom Residency |
| Debra | Volk | Garfield ES | SD Junior Theatre arts integration |
| Lara | Wuhrmann | Toler ES | Keyboard and materials |
| Maj | Xander | Montgomery MS | PGK Dance Residency |
| Julie | Yaeger | Standley MS | Hausmann String Quartet Residency |