

**MOUNTAIN VIEW WHISMAN SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 01-032422**

**2022-23 Arts ARE Education**

**WHEREAS** all students have the right to an arts education that includes dance, media arts, music, theatre, and visual arts taught by certified arts educators, in partnership with community providers; and

**WHEREAS** arts education has the power to change students' lives, and

**WHEREAS** arts education is a key to re-igniting students' learning in a post-COVID-19 world; and

**WHEREAS** arts education helps nurture healthy, inclusive communities where all points of view are respected; and

**WHEREAS** arts education experiences help students understand their own cultural roots and appreciate others' cultural roots and traditions; and

**WHEREAS** arts education supports the social and emotional well-being of students and fosters a more positive, safer school environment; and

**WHEREAS** arts education is part of the well-rounded education for every student as outlined in the Every Student Succeeds Act and in state law.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Mountain View Whisman School District pledges to maintain and grow our arts education programs in the 2022-23 school year and beyond.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of Education of the Mountain View Whisman School District on March 24, 2022, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAINED:

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Clerk of the Board of Trustees  
Mountain View Whisman School District  
Santa Clara County, California