

RESOLUTION NO. 10/23-24

IN SUPPORT OF INCLUSIVE SCHOOLS WEEK, JANUARY 22-26, 2024

WHEREAS, San Ramon Valley Unified School District strives to create schools that are equitable for all students and meet the diverse needs that exist in our community; and

WHEREAS, students with disabilities are general education students first, who may require additional support and services in order to access their education; and

WHEREAS, all students with disabilities have the right to participate with same-aged peers to the maximum extent they are able in all school programs, including co-curricular and extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, educating our students with disabilities from toddlerhood through adulthood (completion of a course of study) requires commitment to meaningful collaboration with families and community members; and

WHEREAS, the education of students with disabilities includes specially designed instruction and services to learn the necessary skills to be successful in their postsecondary lives; and

WHEREAS, inclusive practices are not a separate component of education, but rather reflect the core ideal that all students with disabilities feel safe, connected, and engaged with their school community; and

WHEREAS, the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) requires students with disabilities shall be served in the Least Restrictive Environment (LRE) which means participation in general education to the maximum benefit of the student in light of their unique needs; and

WHEREAS, San Ramon Valley Unified School District believes the diversity of our community makes everyone better. We celebrate differences and the ways in which students with disabilities add to the fabric of our school communities and participate in all areas of public life.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the San Ramon Valley Unified School District holds high expectations for growth and development for all students with disabilities and honors the requirement that students with disabilities participate in all aspects of school life.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that with these inclusive education practices in mind, San Ramon Valley Unified School District celebrates all students with disabilities and strives to model respect, empathy, and high expectations for every student with disabilities and will celebrate Inclusive Schools Week on January 22-26, 2024.

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PASSED AND ADOPTED by the following called vote this 15th day of August 2023.

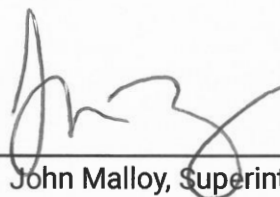
BUDGET IMPLICATION: None

AYES: Hurd, Bratt, Clark, Ordway, vanZee

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAINED: None



Dr. John Malloy, Superintendent and Secretary to
the Governing Board of San Ramon Valley Unified
School District