

## **GATE DAC Report from January 7, 2022**

**Next GATE DAC Mtg** – The next GATE DAC general meeting will be held Friday, February 4, 2022, via Zoom. Please let me know if you have any public comments or questions that you would like raised during the meeting by February 2<sup>nd</sup> via email at tammitaggart1616@gmail.com

**ESSER III (Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief) Update** – Kenneth Loo, Assistant Superintendent, Instructional Services, gave a presentation on the ESSER III. He provided a review of the ESSER III requirements and how these funds were generally allocated. Of the 12,323,124 ESSER III funds available to CVUSD, there is a specific allocation of approximately \$1.4 million to school site funds through each site's SPSA (School Plan for Student Achievement). Each site's SSC (School Site Council) will be discussing how these funds will be used based on its SPSA.

**CSF** – The Conejo Schools Foundation received grants and gifts totaling over \$107, 000 to be used to support students in the areas of:

- Mental health services including Wellness Centers and BreakThrough
- Family education including Parents Making a Difference and BreakThrough
- Supports for low-income students
- School site specific support

Cash4Conejo Classrooms is accepting applications for the next round of grants, and the deadline to apply is February 14, 2022. It is a very teacher-friendly process, so please encourage your teachers to apply. To apply, click [HERE](#).

**T.O. Library** – Join us for a friendly virtual **Young Writer's Club** where you can talk about what you want to write with others via Zoom. Make friends and be inspired!

Middle School Writers: Sunday, January 16 from 2pm – 2:50pm. [Registration required.](#)

High School Writers: Sunday, January 23 from 2pm-2:50pm. [Registration required.](#)

**GATE Testing** – Make-up testing and follow-up testing continues for 4<sup>th</sup> graders and 2020-2021 referrals. Notifications will be sent out later in January via US mail. School site staff will be notified of student qualification at the same time as families.

**Math Pathways** – At the next GATE-DAC meeting, Brian Mercer will be presenting on Math Pathways. Click [HERE](#) to see the Math Pathways.