



Monte Vista School District's

# On-Line Academy

*A Tradition of Excellence in a Nontraditional Setting*

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OLA Students & Parents,

On behalf of the staff of the Monte Vista On-Line Academy, thank you all for being enrolled with the oldest and most experienced multi-district online school in the state. As a staff we are honored to educationally serve such hard-working students and families.

Enclosed in this mailing, for everyone, will be this cover letter, a form summarizing state testing information, a document allowing for opting out of state testing, and your fall semester report card. For a few students awards are included, and for a few students academic probation letters are included.

As the state slowly increases its scrutiny of online programs (similar to increased scrutiny of all public schools), OLA continues to be a leader among multi-district online choices, especially regarding its small scale, personalized tone, and instructional effectiveness. Thank you for helping OLA lead the way!

Speaking of leading the way, OLA capped its enrollment at 130 this year, and currently between attrition of students to other schools and predicted academic probation attrition, OLA expects to have approximately 30 seats open for next year (mostly these openings are at the secondary level and fourth grade). At the writing of this letter, OLA has nearly twice that number of applicants for our end of March lottery! I share this to reinforce that relative to other online schools, our total number of students is low, our turnover is low, and we're a highly desired multi-district online program.

I am proud of everyone-- students, families, staff for your striving for student success! Here's to continuing the OLA inertia that began back in 1997!

If you have any questions about your report card grades, please contact the teacher of the class in which you have a question about the grade. If more help is necessary, please contact your online advisor. If you have a long-term planning and/or class scheduling question, please contact counselor Dave.

Here's to an outstanding spring semester!

Mr. Wright

*Inspiring the pursuit of excellence, one student at a time.*