

Superintendent's Update

Student Voice Panel

October 20, 2020



Excelling Together with Endless Pathways for Success!

Lifting Student Voices

- Student Advisory Council
- Student Voice Panels
- New @GUSDStudents Instagram
- Regular distance learning surveys
- Student engagement in district work groups
- Conversations with elected officials and district leaders



Attendance & Engagement

- New Student Wellness Services department
- Addressing student needs during the pandemic and while distance learning
- Continuously expanding CTE and elective opportunities to engage students



Culturally Relevant & Responsive Education

- Resolution: recognizing the rich culture, contributions, and value of our African American students and community members
- Implicit bias training available for administrators, teachers, staff
- Working Group to Ensure Culturally Relevant and Responsive Education



Mental Health Support

- Student Wellness Services department
- Focus on providing mental health resources and information for students
- Providing mindfulness lessons for all schools during distance learning



Addressing Vaping

- Piloting bathroom vape detectors
- Filed class action lawsuit against JUUL
- Coordinated with GPD to shut down vape shops
- Funded “Dangers of Vaping” presentations for all students in grades 5-12 (continuing virtually this year)

Los Angeles Daily News

NEWS • CRIME • PUBLIC SAFETY

Glendale smoke shop clerks arrested after investigation of minors buying tobacco and vaping products

By CITY NEWS SERVICE | news@socalnews.com | PUBLISHED: December 30, 2019 at 11:01 pm | UPDATED: December 30, 2019 at 11:49 pm

GLENDALE — An anonymous tip from a “concerned citizen” triggered an investigation resulted in the arrests of two smoke shop clerks on suspicion of selling tobacco and vape products to minors, Glendale police reported Monday.

Kylee Chaidez, 19, of Glendale, and Krikor Kozyan, 23, of Tujunga, were arrested on sus...

Los Angeles Times

Glendale Unified files lawsuit against Juul, joining L.A. Unified

Glendale Unified offers anti-vaping assemblies at all schools

Glendale Unified's lawsuit is to recover the costs of "battling the e-cigarette epidemic among...



Al Hradecky from Impact Canine Solutions talked about vaping to fifth- and sixth-graders at Balboa Elementary School in Glendale on Wednesday. (Raul Roa/Staff Photographer)

College & Career Resources

- Expanded College and Career Division
- Virtual College Fair - 534 registered participants, 98 colleges, universities, industry/career representatives
- Partnerships with local colleges/universities

