



# ORCUTT Union School District

*Where a Dedicated Staff Means Kids Come First*

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Hello Orcutt Union School District Community,

Welcome to the 2023-24 school year. My name is Dr. Holly Edds and I feel so fortunate to serve as the Superintendent of this incredible school district.

Welcome to a new school year, as I have visited campuses over the past week I love hearing the laughter and seeing students engaged in learning all the way from our Transitional Kindergartens to our high school seniors.

Just to share a little about myself, I am beginning my twenty ninth year in education, my twentieth year in this district, and my third as superintendent.

I have also served as a site principal and assistant superintendent here in this district. Prior to coming to Orcutt, I also worked in the King City Union School District, Paso Robles Public Schools, and San Miguel Joint Union School Districts as a teacher and administrator.

My husband and I are the parents of two children, both of whom went through Orcutt Schools and one of whom is still a student here in the district.

The reason I chose this district is because of the incredible staff we have and the amazing community in which we live. Orcutt has provided so much to our family and it truly is a special place.

Our dedicated staff here in OUSD strives to support every one of our students and our families and truly is a district where every decision we make is what is best for our students.

The Orcutt community is strong, we have become even stronger over the past few years and I am proud of all we have accomplished together.

I appreciate the leadership our Board of Trustees continues to provide and their continued vision for the future of our district. Our amazing team of teachers, staff, and administrators continue to make decisions and take action that puts our students first - they are the reason we are here and we take their continued success to heart.

If you haven't already done so, I would encourage you to download the Parent Square app so you can get updates on what is happening in our district, and your student's school and classroom. This platform is the primary means of communication for news from our schools and district. You can select how and when you'd like to receive information and can also communicate with school staff through the app.

If you're on Social Media, we also post information on our Facebook and Instagram pages and of course we have a district website where you can find additional information about our programs.

We are excited to begin a brand new school year and look forward to working with you as our educational partners.

Thank you again for your continued support and thank you for making our community such a fantastic place to work and live! Welcome to the 2023-24 school year - we are so glad you are a part of our OUSD family.

Sincerely,

*Holly Edds*

Dr. Holly Edds,  
Superintendent