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Dear Charity Owens:

Thank you for providing input on the 2017-18 LCAP for Mother Lode Union School District. Your input was in *italics* below:

Add varied electives at HGMS which will enhance core learning through high interest activities (i.e. Lego NXT Robotics);

Resources are included in the 2017-20 LCAP for materials and supplies for new and different student clubs (Robotics, Garden, Wellness, etc.) on page 95

Add music instruction to ICES by a qualified music teacher (i.e., chorus, recorders, exposure to various instruments);

While we are not providing certificated music instruction for all students in TK-grade 3, we are planning for VAPA for the 4th grade in 2017-18 provided by a certificated music teacher. It is yet to be determined if it will include Recorders. Please see Goal 2 Action 5 pages 92- 96.

The student surveys may need to be revised/reworded so as to ensure students fully understand the question(s) being asked.

This suggestion was not included in the 2017-10 LCAP, however, it does not mean we can't review and revise parts of the Student Survey for students grades 3 and 4. I do not believe we can revise the California Healthy Kids Survey used in grades 5-8, we can explore having teachers frontload the academic vocabulary used in the survey prior to students taking the survey.

Sincerely,

Marcy Guthrie, Ed.D.
Superintendent

The Mission of the Mother Lode Union School District is the successful education of every student.