

# Foothill Ranch Middle School



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## SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

The Foothill Ranch staff prides itself on providing a nurturing and safe environment where high academic achievement is the expectation. Through our Core Model, students will experience a rigorous and challenging curriculum to prepare them for success in high school, college and career. We serve approximately 650 students grades 5 through 8.

- 7th and 8th grade Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID) electives
- Art, Band, Choir, Spanish, and Student Leadership/Where Everybody Belongs (WEB) electives
- After-school tutoring
- 1.5 to 1 technology devices for students
- Comprehensive athletic program
- Advisory classes focused on character education
- After-school and lunch-time clubs
- Schoolwide incentives program
- 8th grade mentoring program for incoming 5th graders (WEB)
- Rallies/assemblies/dances/family nights

## EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION

- Common Core State Standards (CCSS)
- Professional Learning Communities (PLCs) focused on the Cycle of Continuous Improvement
- Targeted professional development
- Accelerated 7th grade Math and 8th grade high school level Integrated Math

## NOTABLE ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) Accreditation
- Largest amount of growth on the 2015/2016 Smarter Balanced Assessment Consortium (SBAC) statewide assessments in ELA and math in the district

## ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

- Before/after-school tutoring
- Educational field trips for all grade levels
- Gifted and Talented Education Program (GATE)
- The Center extended learning program (after-school program)
- Newsela.com reading comprehension program
- IXL Math program
- Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID) program
- Educational field trips including a three day 6th grade science camp



*"To Inspire Each Student to Extraordinary Achievement Every Day"*

