

MARCO FORSTER

AVID

2009-2011



Marco Forster Middle School

AVID

Class of 2009-2011



Sabrina Aguirre
Alejandro Aranda
Alondra Arcos
Anayeli Basave
Vanesa Bautista
Casey Calderon
Rodrigo Cervantes
Jassmin Del Rio
Chelsea Delgado
Pablo Donnells
Gabrielle Gonzalez
Julio Granados

German Guzman
Alondra Hernandez
Lidia Lopez
Enrique Loya
Marissa Madariaga
Yazmin Madrigal
Edith Mejia
David Morales
Cinthia Muñiz
Diana Ortega
Jonathan Ortiz
Miriam Osorio

Ana Peña
Yadira Ponce
Yaradset Rojas
Yulet Ruiz
Adilene Sanchez
Cinthia Sandoval
Adriana Santana
Bethzaida Serrano
Grace Soto
Emily Suarez
Veronica Velazquez
Debbie Zamarripa







AVID Camp August 2009



Smart, nice, and one of a kind, Jassmin Del Rio has had many achievements throughout her life. She was born on July 31, 1997, and ever since that day her hero has been her mom who has always been on her side and supporting her in every achievement. Her favorite things to do are listening to music, playing Ultimate with Diana, Cinthia, and Edith, and hanging out with friends. Jassmin's dream is to go to USC and study medicine. To achieve that, she has done many things to get her on the right path. Some things she has done are that she is in AVID, Breakthrough, has kept a high GPA, and has fulfilled all of her responsibilities.

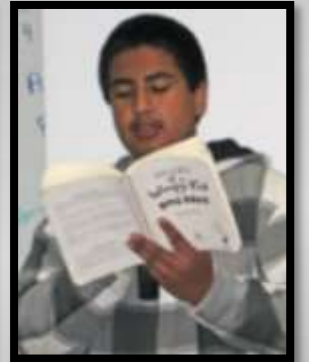


You may know her as a quiet and shy girl. Cinthia Sandoval is a fourteen year old girl, who was born on January 10, 1997. She is going to be the second person in her family to graduate. In her free time, she likes to go online, hang out with her friends, and watch movies. The things she hates the most are reading, sushi, horrible friends, and presenting in front of others. Cinthia is a trust-worthy friend who has great plans for the future. She plans to attend UCI or UCLA and become a vet. Her dream is to open up her own animal clinic. However, she also plans on leaving California and going to either North Carolina, or Miami, Florida. Since this is Cinthia's first year in AVID, her favorite memory so far is going to Knott's Berry Farm, but she liked all field trips. Cinthia is a kind girl that will be missed.

David Morales is a 15 year old, who was born in Mission Viejo Hospital on March 28, 1996. He has one brother named Alexis who is 14. He absolutely loves to play soccer, and currently plays for a club by the name of South County Premier. When he grows up, he would like to become a professional soccer player or a business man. If he pursues his dream, he would like to play for the amazing team Real Madrid. David's favorite player is Cristiano Ronaldo. He would like to attend UCLA. David wants a pit bull, and he would like to name it Beefy. His dream house is to have a tower with a soccer field on top of it and an In-N-Out beside it. David's fears are spiders and rollercoasters. David's favorite band is Boys Like Girls. His favorite song would be "Best I Ever Had" by Drake. His favorite movie is *Goal 2*. David is a friend to everyone, he's caring and shows everyone unconditional love.



P.S. Good Job on getting the No Speed Limit Shirt!





Hollywood
January 23, 2010



La Brea Tar Pits
January 23, 2010



Saddleback College
February 23, 2010





When we went to Knott's, me and my friend Addy decided to get on Ghost Rider. I warned Addy that it was going to be really scary and that she could hug me, and I would comfort her if she was scared. Well as soon as the ride started, I started screaming and getting frustrated, and Addy ended up being the one who was hugging me and comforting me.

By Yary

Aahaha! So I think it happened on a Tuesday or Thursday. We had tutorial, and I was with Yary and Addy. We were at Addy's desk, and we were talking and doing our work, when I think Mr. Gerow called clean up time, and me and Yary were on our knees. As I was getting up, Addy's leg was like out on the other desk. Well I was still talking to them when I stood up and was walking with my head tilted backwards and didn't see Addy's leg. I tripped on it and like literally flew in the air. I just remember it going in slow motion, and when I hit the floor, Addy and Yary fell to floor laughing. Gladly, I think no one saw, but we were just cracking up on the floor. It was pretty funny and embarrassing at the same time.

By Veronica

Last year, Mr. Grassman told us about and made these things called Balonios. At first, everybody was wondering "What is that?" And then Mr. Grassman said, "It's Oreos and Baloney put together." Then Suzie said "That sounds really gross!" After she said that, most of us got them. Most of us, even Suzie, said that it was really good. If you haven't tried it; what are you waiting for? It's really good.

By Marissa MacLariaga

I remember this year at Yosemite. Edith and I really wanted to see a bear, and we were upset because we hadn't seen one yet. Then one night before we went to brush our teeth, we left the lock on top of the bear locker, and we didn't close it right. So when Gabby opened the door of the cabin, she saw a big fur ball. We didn't believe her though so I looked through the screen of the door. I saw it too, and Gabby started freaking out. We were going to give her her inhaler, but it was in the locker with the bear. Edith tried to calm her down, and we both started calling people to help us because we freaked out. Then finally a ranger came, but by the time he arrived, the bear was gone. It's an experience we'll never forget.

By Lidia

Yazmin Madrigal came into this beautiful, but corrupt, world on December 31st, 1996. She was born in Laguna Hills Hospital. She is a nice, caring person, who likes to laugh. She enjoys playing soccer and singing as well, but not in front of other people. She likes Chinese and Mexican food, but absolutely hates to eat liver. She likes to listen to Eminem and Mack Magic. Her friends are Debbie, Ana, and Vanesa. She enjoys meeting new people. Her favorite animal is a horse, and her favorite color is blue. If she could travel to any place in the world, it would be New York. She wants to become a children's dentist, and attend UCLA or SDSU. When she gets bored, she goes on the computer or listens to music. Yazmin has three sisters by the names of Brenda, Nelly, and Erendida. They are all older than her, so Yazmin is the baby in the family. Her mommy's name is Ana, and her daddy's name is Juan. She will be attending Dana Hills High School. Yazmin likes hanging out at the beach, mall, and at the park. This is her first year in AVID, and she said that it has helped her out a lot. She loves it! Even though, she doesn't really talk much in class, she is a smart girl, who enjoys getting an education. During the AVID fieldtrips, she is fun to be with and always enjoys a good laugh with the other people around her. Yazmin is a calm girl, who has good grades, and has had them throughout these few years at MFMS. She enjoyed the trip to Knott's Berry Farm because she was with her friends, and had an amazing time there. She hopes to be successful in life, and not have to worry financially, so she is going to study hard, pay close attention, and do good in everything she attempts or tries to do.



Born December 20, 1996, Cinthia Muniz is now 14. She likes to listen to music, party, hangout with friends, as well as talk a lot, and dance. The quote that inspires her is one by Gandhi "Be the change you wish to see in the world." Cinthia has been in AVID for two years. Cinthia said her best memory was, "when I went to USC, there was a fountain that squirted water up and we were getting wet and my friend pushed me and I almost fell in the fountain." Cinthia is undecided on what high school she is going to, but for college she wants to go to UC Santa Barbara. Before her professional career as a doctor and or a photographer, Cinthia wants to work at Taco Bell with Jassmin. A trip she wants to take is to Spain with Alondra A. in high school. Her mom, dad, two brothers, and one sister is Cinthia's family. She likes to go to Chuck E. Cheese. Cinthia is a scandalous person; she likes to smile and laugh a lot. Some of Cinthia's favorites are: colors blue and purple, teacher Mrs.Boyle, AVID trip Knott's and USC. She looks up to Penner's son, Matthew. If she could get any pet, she would get a pet tiger. Cinthia's best friends are Jassmin, Diana O., Edith, Alondra A., and Lidia.



FOREST LANES FEBRUARY 19, 2010



THE NUMBER ONE PEOPLE TO MAKE YOU SMILE

1. EVERYONE

BY ADRIANA

TOP PEOPLE THAT CAN MAKE YOU LAUGH

1. ALEX
2. DEBBIE & JASSMIN
3. JULIO
4. ALONDRA H.
5. RODRIGO

BY DEBBIE

Best of the Best!

- Best Hair: Susie R.
Best Dressed: Veronica V.
Best Eyes: Alondra H.
Best Smile: Jassmin D.
Most Active: A ddy S.
Best Personality: Diana O.
Class Clown: Alex A.
Best Attitude: Debbie Z.
Most Thoughtful: German G.
Best Note taker: Adriana S.
Biggest Flirt: Betsy S.
Loudest: Julio G.
Quietest: Jonathan O.
Most Likely To Succeed: Lidia L.
Most Contagious Laugh: Vanessa B.
Most Gullible: Y ary R.
Tallest: Rodrigo C.
Shortest: Anayeli B.
Best Writing: Cinithia M.

By Veronica and Friends

AVID Sayings

- "Welcome to another week of Happy AVID!" -Mr. Gerow
"I guess..." -Julio
"AAAddddrrrrrrmaannnaaa!!!!" -Casey
"Wow..." -David
"My name is Alondra." -Alondra Arcos
" " -Jonathan
"My little brother is evil." -Adriana
"Hahahahahahahaha!" -Chelsea
"Carl's Jr.!" -Enrique
"No, I'm not done with ALEKS...I just need one more percent." -Emily
"Imma kick your butt." -Ms. Penner
"Scandalous!" -Diana, Edith, Cinthia Muniz
"KFC and Kool-Aid!" -Rodrigo
"I love you!" -Emily
"I'm not Alondra. I'm a stranger what are you talking about?" -Alondra Arcos
"My brain hurts." -Lidia
"Tell me what you want what you really, really want...." -Diana and Grace
"Really?" -Everyone
"I like your ear." -Ms. Penner and Cinthia Muniz
"What me? Text during class?" -Ms. Penner
"Oh my gosh! That's my favorite book." -Ms. Delcamp
"Quick! Hide Mr. Gerow's Sparkling Water bottle!" -Chelsea, Alondra Arcos, Cinthia

By Cinthia Muniz



Miriam Osorio, also known as “Smiley,” is fourteen years old. She was born in Oaxaca, Mexico on June 25, 1996. Her best friend, Anayeli, described her as “Athletic, funny, smart, funny, outgoing, and she never gives up.” Even though Miriam may be shy at first once you get to know her, she can be the sunshine of your day. Her best AVID memory was all those times she spent laughing with Anayeli on the bus. In her free time, she likes to go to church, read or stay home with her family, and cook with her dad. Her favorite book is the series of Percy Jackson “Greek Mythology” and her favorite food is tacos dorados. Her other favorites are the color blue and playing soccer. Next year she will be going to Dana Hills High School, and after that, she plans on going to the University of San Diego. She plans on becoming an astronomer since she likes the constellations and just stars overall. When asked what she loves, Miriam says, “I love life,” and you can tell.



Julio Cesar Granados is cool and fun to hangout with. He likes playing basketball and riding his scooter. He is going to attend Capo Valley High School or, if accepted, he will go to JSerra Catholic High school. Julio likes the L.A. Dodgers, Boston Celtics, Barcelona, and the Dallas Cowboys. Julio is thirteen years old and his favorite colors are blue and green. Julio wants to be an NBA player or a manager for the Boston Celtics when retired. Julio’s best AVID memory was when he went to Yosemite.

Susie, Yulet Ruiz, is the girl with the red hair and a feather in her head. She was born on November, 29 1997. If you do the math, she is now 13 years old turning 14 in November. This girl is very special and smart, even though sometimes she doesn’t know what’s going on. She sadly fell in love when she saw the movie with Justin Bieber, “Wow that’s such an ugly kid”--words of wisdom from other girls and boys who don’t like Justin Bieber. (Just kidding) Well for Susie, she loves him a lot. Another thing about her is that she loves eating at In-N-Out. She likes the color neon pink, and her favorite shape is a triangle. Her best friends are Yary and Addy. She likes to hang with friends, play soccer, and go to the mall, hang at the Irvine Spectrum, and movies. Tiene un hermano, una madre, un padre, y dos perros. When you look at this girl you might think she’s lazy, but this girl right here ran a *marathon*. When she grows up she wants to be a house wife when she has kids. She also wants to go bungee jumping and travel to Europe. This chick is one awesome, fun, and sometimes inappropriate, girl to hang with. I love you Susie.



**SWALLOW'S DAY PARADE
MARCH 20, 2010**





Yosemite April 2010



I remember the time when we went to the Santa Monica Pier and we went on the dragon about ten times. We got really sick after the tenth time. We went on the roller coaster thinking that it went really fast but it turned out it went about ten mph. We got pizza from Pizza Hut and then we went home. I will always remember that AVID field trip.

By Enrique

When Emily, Casey and I went on the scrambler some guy asked Casey to go on with his daughter and she said yes. Once we were on the ride, the dad was going "RAWR" whenever we came close to him. After a while we started going "RAWR" back. Then we all started laughing.

By Adriana and Emily

When Adriana, Casey, Jassmin, Diana, Edith, Lidia, Eunice, and I were at Knott's this year, we went in line for the Boomerang and an anonymous 7th grade AVID member/creeper stalker was staring at guys that were in front of us. She was about to take a picture of the guys but they left, then once we got off of the ride, we saw them once more at Big Foot Rapids. Then the creper stalker kept talking about how cute they were.

By Emily, Adriana and Casey

It was a field trip to Cal State Fullerton. I was excited until the last hour. I went to Mr. Gerow and got a student interview sheet. I was walking around to find a person to interview with Grace and Cinithia. We found an Asian lady reading a book and I told Grace to come with me to interview her. So we went and we interviewed her. Just as we were going to leave she asked us "Do you girls have a second?" Grace said yes and we sat back down then she said, "Do you want to really know God?" Grace again said yes. She made us lock our hands together and pray with her. It was like an hour later and I was already really bored and wanted to leave when I saw Mrs. Penner. I tried to communicate to her to help us get out of there, she didn't see me so I told Cinithia to tell Grace to tell the lady that we had to go, but Grace just kept praying. The lady was handing us books and kept talking, she asked us if we had cell phones and I said no but Cinithia was the one that said she did. Cinithia gave her her cell phone number and we finally left just as the AVID people were getting on the bus. Later on, Cinithia got a text message from the lady but she didn't reply. I was angry that I wasted all my free time praying with a crazy lady that I didn't even know. We were on our way to Marco Forster when I was telling everybody about our religious encounter.

By Yadira Ponce





Sabrina Aguirre is 14 years old and was born on June 2, 1997 in San Diego. She is a great friend and a fun person to be with. She will be attending Dana Hills High School next year. Her dream college is USC or UCLA. Her favorite sports are basketball and soccer. Her favorite athletes are Kobe Bryant and Cristiano Ronaldo. Her favorite colors are blue, purple, and green. *A Walk to Remember* is her favorite movie. Her favorite artist is Eminem, and her favorite type of music is some rock, rap and hip-hop. Her favorite type of shoes are Vans and Nikes. The craziest thing that Sabrina would do would be to go sky diving. Her favorite sports teams are Real Madrid and the Lakers. Her dream place to visit would be Spain. Her favorite place to eat is In-N-Out. When she grows up she wants to be an obstetrician. She is surely going to have a great future ahead of her.



Debbie Zamarippa was born on November 25, 1997. She is an energetic, hyper, and always happy young girl. She loves to help her friends out and apparently always gets the hiccups. She likes to play soccer, eat, and loves shopping with her friends. She's always smiling, likes to joke around, and also making people laugh, and is the best at cheering anyone up no matter what they are going through. She is an awesome friend and gets along with everyone. Her best memory in AVID is when she went to Knott's with David, Julio, German, Jonathan, and Javier (the only 7th grader). She remembers going on Big Foot Rapids, the Log Ride, and Revolution, but out of all these, her favorite was the Log Ride. Debbie is someone who can really represent AVID and is someday going to make a difference in this world.

Anayeli Basave is thirteen years old. She was born on September 27, 1997. She has been in AVID for one year. Her hobbies are going to amusement parks and listening to music. Her dream college is the University of San Diego. When Anayeli grows up, she wants to become an actress. She is going to attend Dana Hills High School. Her best friend is Miriam Osorio because she has been there every day for her. Anayeli's best AVID memory is when she went to Knott's because she was hanging out with her friends.







BOOMERS!

June 18, 2010





Alondra Jazmin Arcos was brought into this world on March 2, 1997 in Mission Viejo Hospital. She has one older brother and three younger sisters. She is fourteen years old. She enjoys hanging out with her two best friends Lidia and Cinthia. She absolutely loves playing soccer, and she's really competitive in that game; she also likes to play volleyball and to draw. She is a little shorty--so small and adorable. Her favorite field trip was USD. Two of her favorite foods are tamales and enchiladas. Her favorite colors are purple and turquoise. When she's older she wants to attend UC Berkley or Notre Dame. When she grows up, she wants to travel the world except she doesn't want to visit Japan. She will go to Spain in high school. She is sarcastic, likes to wear boots and big bows. Her brother and she are gamers! She writes in colorful pens a lot. She is an amazing student who is in ASB, AVID, and is a Roadrunner Ambassador. This girl has been a joy to have in AVID she always makes me laugh and always is happy no matter what. I had so much fun in Yosemite with her. I love her and never want to lose her. I know she will do great in high school and I hope she never forgets me!



Adriana Santana was born on September 8, 1996 in Jalisco, Mexico. She loves to hang out with her friends, draw and also, she likes to be loud and crazy. She has still not decided what she wants to be when she grows up, but she definitely knows that she wants to go to college. She would like to go to UC Santa Barbara (the party school) and also UC Berkeley. Her favorite color is orange, and her favorite movie is *Titanic*. Adriana lives with her mom and her two brothers. Her older brother is Edgar, and her younger brother is Ivan, and she has a dog named Cookie. One of her best memories is when she went to Boomers. Her favorite song is "Don't Stop Believing," by Journey. Her favorite subject in school is science, and she loves to listen to music. One of her favorite animals is the monkey. Adriana's favorite food is Chinese food. She is one of the nicest people I have ever met because she always has a smile on her face and when your feeling sad or something is wrong she always tries to cheer you up, and also she considers everybody as a best friend.



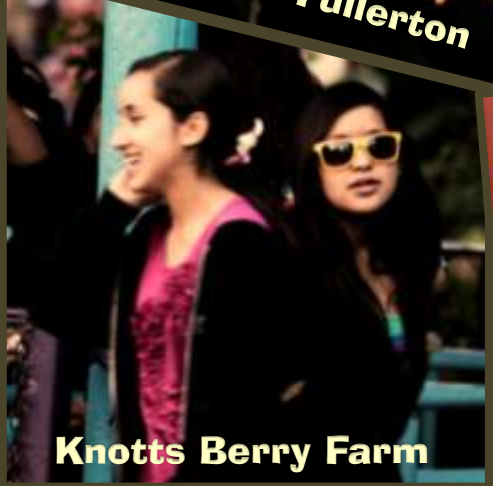
Miriam's 1st Trip to In-N-Out



Carl's Jr.



Cal State Fullerton



Knotts Berry Farm



Sunmaid Raisin Factory
Fresno, CA



University of San Diego



Swallows Day Parade



Santa Monica Pier



Swallows Day Parade



Huntington Library



Swallows Day Parade



*University of San Diego
September 23, 2010*



On August 13, 1997, a beautiful baby girl was born at Mission Viejo Hospital. Her name is Yaradset Rojas, but is most known as Yary. Yary is 13 years old and is an amazing girl to hang out with. She likes to play soccer, listen to music, sing, and most of all she likes to hang out with her friends. Her best friends are Addy, Susie and Betsy. Her favorite AVID field trip was Knott's Berry Farm, and her favorite ride there is Ghost Rider. Yary's favorite song is "Beautiful" by Eminem. The college she wishes to attend is San Diego State University. When she grows up she wants to be an obstetrician. Her favorite colors are purple and green. Yary loves to talk, and she says anything she thinks needs to be said. You can always see her talking to her best friends.



Born on March 5th 1997 in Mission Viejo hospital a short, loud, outgoing, beautiful, smart and Cristiano Ronaldo lover named Betsy Serrano was born. She enjoys playing soccer, kicking back with her friends, Facebooking it, doing raps, listening to music and drawing. (She is an amazing drawer, by the way.) She has been in AVID for two years, and this made her decide what she wants to do in the future. She wants to become pediatrician and a specialist in the cardiovascular system. In the two years she's been in AVID, her favorite memory was when we went to USD because she said that she made her little group there and they are considered her family now. Her other favorite AVID memory was when we went to Knott's Berry Farm last year. Something unique about this girl is that even though she might have family problems at home, she always keeps her head held high, never backs down and shoots for the sky. Betsy Serrano is an outgoing, non-shy, short, athletic, smart and beautiful girl. I love her and will miss her next year.

Lidia Lopez is a 13-year old who was born on October 8th, 1997 in Mission Viejo Hospital. She is very intelligent, very pretty, awesome to be around, and has the best attitude about herself and her friends. She likes to be with her friends and her family. Her best AVID memory is going to University of San Diego because she was hanging around with her friends and messing around. Lidia is attending St. Margret's High School next year. Her future college or university is undecided. She wants to be a doctor but doesn't know what kind. Lidia is going to have a successful life and a spectacular future!



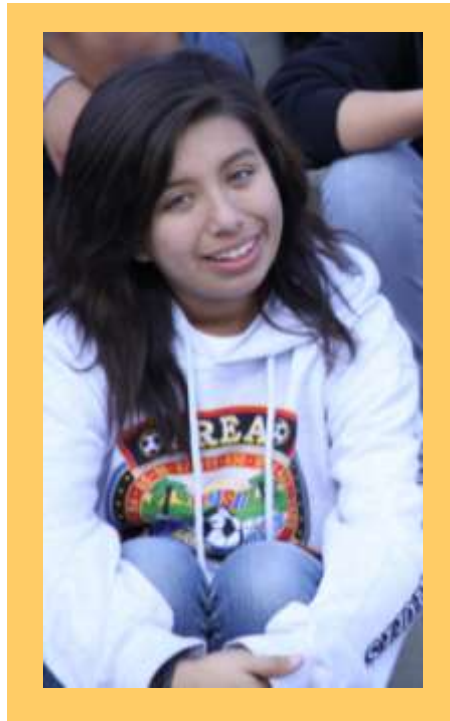
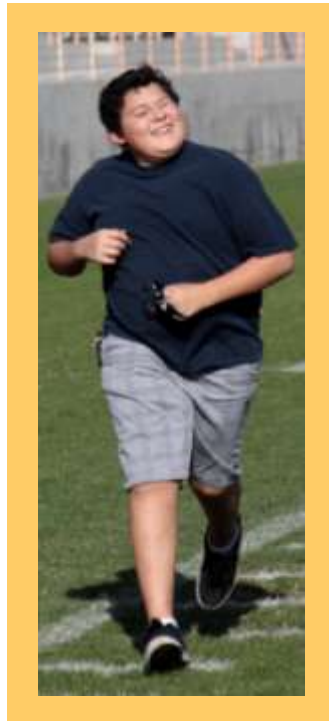
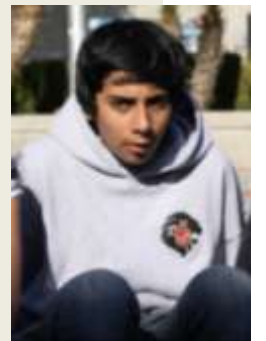


KNOTT'S BERRY FARM



November 12, 2010





December 9, 2010

Cal State Fullerton



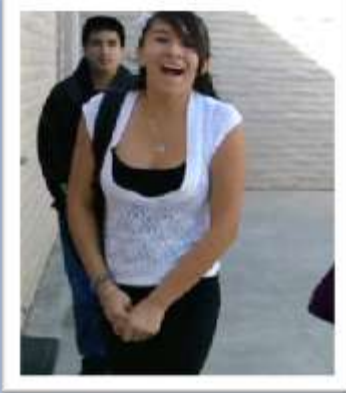


Rodrigo Cervantes has a great sense of humor. He was born on December 14, 1996. He likes playing Black Ops and listening to music. He is a great friend and very outgoing because he likes to go the movies with his friends and cousins. His favorite food is KFC and lots more. He would like to go to San Juan Hills and his future university is UCLA. He doesn't know what he wants to be when he grows up. His best AVID memory was going to Santa Monica Pier and riding the dragon swing with his best friends. Every time you are sad and you need a laugh, you better go with Rodrigo, and he will make you smile.

Jonathan Ortiz is thirteen years old. He was born on March 31, 1997 in Mission Viejo. He has been in AVID for two years. His dream college is USC. He is still deciding what he wants to be when he grows up. He is going Capo Valley High School. His favorite drink is root beer. He loves going to Sizzler. Jonathan is a quiet boy but is very smart. Jonathan Ortiz is really cool especially on roller coasters. He is not scared of any roller coaster and shows no emotion. He face is as normal as a rock. He isn't just a roller coaster man, he is a football man too. He goes for the Denver Broncos. Jonathan Ortiz wants to live in Miami, Florida when he grows up.



It was January 17, 1997 when a baby girl, who is now a teenager that is fourteen, named Diana Ortega was born. She lives with her mom, dad, one brother, and one sister. She is smart, quiet, friendly, and the nicest person you will ever meet. In her free time she plays Ultimate Frisbee, and she also loves to hang out with her best friends Jassmin, Cinthia, and Edith. She only has two favorite colors, and they are green and pink. Diana's favorite food is Chinese or Mexican. Her best memory in AVID was when she went to Santa Monica pier and her and her friends were singing for a long time. Her favorite quote is "Smile even if it's a sad smile because sadder than a sad smile is the saddest." In the future Diana wants to go to San Diego State University and study forensics. She really doesn't know how many kids she wants.






February 21, 2011

Huntington Library



PACIFIC PARK
SANTA MONICA PIER
FEBRUARY 21, 2011





It was our most memorable moment when we went to Knott's Berry Farm. It was Vanesa Bautista, Yazmin Madrigal, Marissa Madariaga, and Ana Peña. While in line to get on the swings, Vanesa noticed that two guys were staring at us, but mostly her. We noticed that one of them was cute, but when he smiled it killed it...he had buck teeth! They passed us in the ride, but we were still able to get on and there were seats right in front of them, and we decided to sit in front of them. After we met on the Dragon Boat and when we were in line we also noticed that they were in the front of us. Mr. Gerow ruined the moment and was videotaping us (hahaha, JK). Lastly, it was almost time for us to leave and we went on the Jaguar ride and Vanesa and Ana went to look for them and see if they were going to stalk us again, but we actually bumped into them and we both decided to run away. We all yelled "OMG, No! Not again!" And we went back to tell Yazmin and Marissa. But we all decided to go back outside and see if we find them. Lastly, we went running to Mr. Gerow because we were late.

By Yazmin, Vanesa, and Ana

My favorite AVID memory was when we went to the Santa Monica pier. Jonathan, Rodrigo, Grace, Enrique, and I were riding on the Ferris wheel. Once we were on the top, Enrique freaked out. We asked him to calm down. He said that he was really scared. We then asked him why he was scared of a Ferris wheel and not a roller coaster. He said, "It's because we are really high up."

By Alex

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During eighth grade AVID I had many awesome memories. The best one would have to be at Cal State Fullerton. We were doing student interviews. I had finished doing mine, so I met up with Cinthia. Right then Yadira came up to us all freaked out telling us to help her find a person to do her interview to, so we decided to help her. We went around looking for someone, a lot of them said no. Finally we found someone she could interview. We decided to stay with her. Yadira finished doing the interview; we said thank you and started standing up when the college student stopped us and asked if we had more time because she wanted to talk to us. We thought she wanted to talk to us more about college, so we said OK. She started taking out little booklets and taking about God. Then she told us to hold hands and close our eyes, everyone around us started staring at us like if we were freaks. Yadira started kicking us, signaling us to go, but I didn't want to be rude, so I didn't say anything. After an hour she finally ended, she began calling us sisters, and she told Cinthia, because she was the oldest, to take care of Yadira and me. She hugged us and gave us booklets about God to read every night. Thank goodness Mrs. Penner came to get us, because if she didn't, she would have started a new lesson about us being sisters. We also didn't have time to do the scavenger hunt. I will never forget this day in AVID.

By Cinthia Muniz



**Yosemite National Park
April 4-7, 2011**







Grace Soto is a 13 year old girl who is talented and artistic. She likes to play guitar, draw, and hang out with friends. Her best subject is English because it is an easy A. She was born on September 27, 1997 in Mission Viejo Hospital. Her favorite colors are green, blue, and pink. Her favorite ice cream flavor is cookies 'n' cream. She wants to be a pediatrician or a marine biologist when she grows up. She admires Jassmin Del Rio because of her success in school. The college she wants to go to is UCI. Her best AVID memory is going to Knott's Berry Farm because it was her first time going on a big roller coaster, and she didn't want to get off after she rode it. She wouldn't have gone on that ride if it wasn't for Alex and Enrique.



Enrique Loya is a 13 year old boy; he was born on November 18, 1997. He likes to play baseball and watch TV. He is a smart and annoying person, but fun to be around. Enrique's favorite color is lime green. He has been in AVID for one year. The high school he is attending is St Margaret's. His college is undecided, and he wants to be a surgeon. He has one brother and parents. His favorite baseball team is the Anaheim Angels. He is inquisitive; he notices things that most people don't. Enrique's favorite animal is a baby squirrel. Enrique is fun and is the person to go to if you need answers. He is a nice person, quiet, funny and the sweetest guy.

It's her 2nd year here at AVID, and she is an outstanding student; Ana Karen Pena is amazing. This girl is a good friend who is an example of what it takes to be in AVID. Ana enjoys playing soccer, partying, kicking back with friends, swimming, playing volleyball, and having fun. Her favorite AVID memory is when she went to Knott's Berry Farm with all her friends. It was a blast because she had a lot of fun! Some words to describe Ana are outgoing, hyper, funny, caring, and just a straight out amazing, awesome, cool friend. One good quality of Ana is that she always keeps her head up high even if people try to bring her down. And she always has a smile on her face, even if she's sad. Ana never gives up and always proves to everyone who underestimates her, that she is way better than them and can achieve anything in life. She is a great person, and believes in herself. Ana is sure going to achieve her goals in life and will never give up.







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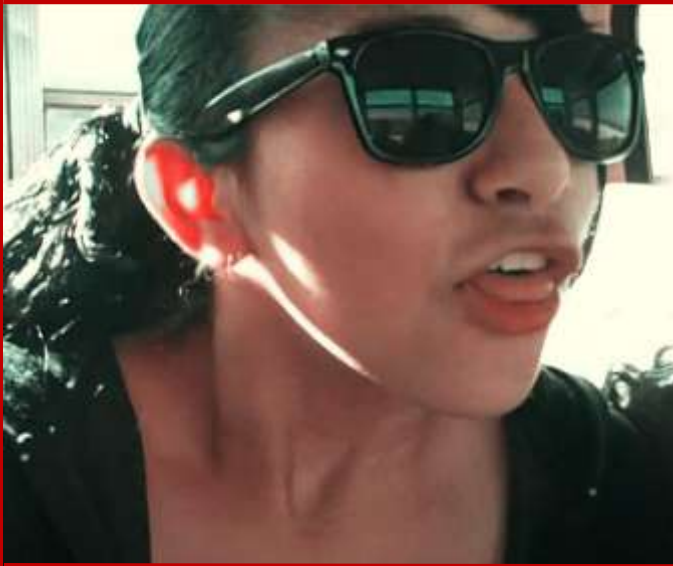


Casey Calderon's birthday is October 17, and she is 13 years old. She has been in AVID for two years, and her best AVID memory is at Boomers with Debbie and Marissa. After school, Casey likes to hang out with her friends. Her favorite subject in school is science, and her favorite color is purple. Casey's favorite sport is volleyball, and her favorite type of food is Chinese. After high school, she wants to go to San Diego State or USC.

Emily Suarez is a 13 year old girl; she was born September 24, 1997. Emily is a nice, loud, crazy, and funny person. She has been in AVID for two years. At home, she has loving parents and two brothers; Eddy and Anthony. In her free time, she likes to hang out with her buddies: Casey, Jassmin, and Adriana, German and many more. One of Emily's favorite colors is purple. Food that Emily likes to eat includes Chinese. Her favorite AVID memory is when she went to Boomers last year because she got lost and it was very fun. In the future, she will attend San Juan Hills High School. After attending college, she wants to be a successful lawyer.



Alondra Hernandez is a young girl with much aptitude and a great outlook on life. This amazing girl was brought into this world on March 22, 1997 in San Clemente. She enjoys soccer and running, and her favorite soccer teams are Chivas, Mexico, and Manchester United. Green and blue are both colors she considers her favorites. She wishes to attend USC when she gets older and in the future, Alondra wants to become a veterinarian and live in Santa Barbara or Irvine. Her favorite subject is math, and her least favorite subjects are science and social studies. She doesn't have a favorite food, but she does have a favorite animal, and it is a panda! This wonderful girl has wonderful role models that are her twin cousins, Ramon and Lalo. If Alondra had a million dollars, she would give one third to her parents, one third to charities and organizations to help the world, and one third to animal shelters. Overall, Alondra, who is kind, funny, and a good friend, has a bright future ahead of her and a good life filled with happiness.







German Guzman is a fourteen year old boy and was born on February 9, 1997. He likes to play soccer, and he likes to hang out with his friends in his free time. One of German's best AVID memories was when he went to Knott's Berry Farm and got on Ghost Rider because he had a lot of fun, and it was very exiting. Another AVID memory was when he went on Rip Tide because it was super fast and fun for him. In the future, he would like to go to college at USC, and his dream career is to become a mechanical engineer. I think German will be very successful in life because of the hard work he does here in AVID.

Chelsea Delgado is 13 years old. She was born in Mission Viejo September 25, 1997. She loves to party, play soccer, runs, and spend time with her friends. She is an animal lover; her favorite animals are horses, dogs, cats, and monkeys. She has two younger siblings (Jason and Jossue), two dogs (Ginger and Fluffy) and her mommy and daddy (Rina and Jose). Chelsea loves science; she's terrible at math, and her favorite artist is Eminem. Her favorite song is "Not Afraid." Her favorite movie starring Eminem is *8 Mile*. Chelsea is a big fan of reading Harry Potter books; her favorite color is purple. She loves to laugh, loves to listen to music 24/7. Her favorite fast food is Panda Express, and she loves enchiladas. Her favorite memory is going to Knott's. When she grows up, she wants to be a doctor and go to Harvard Medical School. "After I finish school I want to become a astronaut and go up into space!" is what Chelsea said.



Alejandro Aranda is very funny, and it is cool to be friends with him. Alex likes playing baseball and Mariachi. Alex is going to Capistrano Valley High School. Alex is thirteen years old. Alex's favorite colors are blue and red. Alex's favorite team is the San Diego Padres, LA Dodgers, Angles and San Francisco Giants. He wants to go to CSUF. Alex likes playing the guitar and singing. When Alex grows up, he wants to be an MLB player, a cartoonist, or a mariachi player. As you can see, Alex is very fun to talk with and is a good friend.





Who is Marissa Madariaga? She's a great friend, that's who she is. She's a sweet, bright, and intelligent girl. She's beautiful inside and out. She was born on January 30th, 1997. She always has a smile on her face, and loves being with her friends. Whenever you're sad, she's always there to make you feel better, and she gives great advice. She likes to play tennis and eat strawberries. She loves to cook with her mom, plus she gets more food than everybody else when she helps out. She loves to listen to music, especially metal and rock. Marissa's best AVID memory was going to Knott's Berry Farm. She hung out with Ana, Yazmin, Miriam, Anayeli, Vanesa, and Sabrina. They all had a blast! The best ride they went on was Silver Bullet. Well, that's Marissa, and if you haven't met her, you better because you're missing out on a *great* friend.

Gabrielle Gonzalez is a smart, kind, and fun 13 year old. She was born on August 7, 1997 in a Laguna Beach hospital. She likes to be called Gabby for short. Gabby likes to play soccer, hang out with friends, and go to the beach. Her favorite color is purple. She has a mom and a dad. Her favorite food is Chow Mein. Her favorite subject is science, and her favorite teacher is Mrs. Herring. Her best AVID memory was going to Knott's Berry Farm and getting on Supreme Scream. Gabby is going to San Juan Hills High School. When she grows up, Gabby hopes to attend UC Irvine, and she hopes to be a pediatrician. She also hopes to live in Spain.



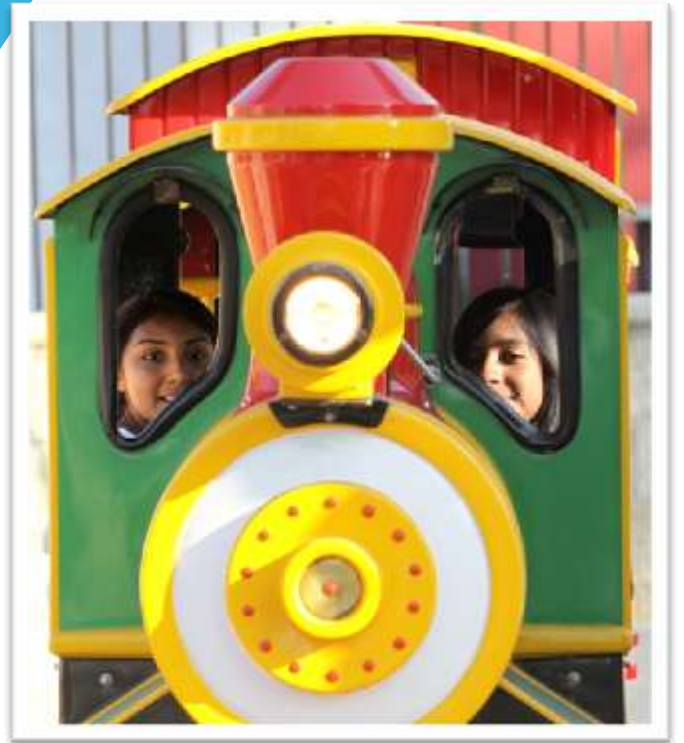
Veronica Velazquez was born on December 21st 1996. She is an outgoing girl who likes to hang out with her friends, party, listen to music, shop with her friends, and have fun. She is an athlete girl who likes to play soccer and basketball. Her favorite team in basketball is the Lakers. One of her unique characteristics is that she has Bieber fever. She also likes Selena Gomez. Her characteristics can be described as short, funny, loud, and she has faith in herself. Her favorite color is blue navy, and having long hair is a must for her. Tuna is her favorite food. She is the youngest in her family, but she is the funniest. The most important memory of Veronica in AVID is going to Knott's Berry Farm. Veronica is an intelligent girl that cares about her friends and she is outgoing.





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Yadira Ponce is an awesome, funny 14 year old girl who was born on March 10, 1997. She loves soccer, animals and going to the mall. Her favorite colors are purple and green. She is a Chivas and Mexico fan, and is the #1 fanatic of Chicharito. Yadira loves trying to make her friends laugh and spending time with her family, although her two little sisters annoy her. Somewhere deep inside, she has a big heart. She hopes to have a successful future. She sees herself in the future being a vet, and marrying a soccer player, but first she will go to USC. Her favorite AVID memory was going to Knott's Berry Farm. Yadira will never forget the time she got on a ride with Betsy and Veronica because Veronica was scared and Betsy and Yadira were laughing at her. Although I won't be seeing her any longer, because she will be going to Dana Hills High School, I will never forget the crazy soccer chick Yadira Ponce.

Addy Sanchez is a very caring, friendly, athletic, fun, and *competitive* person. She has many accomplishments, and two of them are finishing a 26.2 mile marathon and playing soccer for United FC. Addy likes to sing, play soccer, hanging out with friends, and she loves to laugh. Her favorite color is blue. Her favorite animal is a dinosaur (rawr). Her favorite movie is *Titanic*, and her favorite song is "Never Let You Go" by Justin Bieber. Her dream is to go to UCLA or SDSU and become a professional soccer player, and on the way have a family and kids of her own. She hopes one day to live in England. She has two sisters named, Steffi, Lisette and a brother named Pablo. Her best friends are Yary Rojas, who is her wife, Susie Ruiz, and Betsy Serrano. One of her favorite AVID memories is when we all went to Knott's Berry Farm. Addy is described as pretty, kind, a good listener, and she hates scandalous people.



Over spring break, we went to Yosemite. In our cabin, Gabby, Lidia, Alondra, and Edith stayed in one cabin. On the second night, Gianni and Gabby were outside by the locker, looking through it. Gabby had asked us whether we should lock the bear locker. We said no because we were going to get our stuff so we could brush our teeth. We just told her to close it and we'll lock it later. So I guess Gianni was the one to close it, but he didn't close it right. Our bear locker contained all of our food and other scented stuff. Gabby came in and waited for us to put on our shoes. When we were finally ready, she opened the door and then quickly slammed it because she saw the bear in our bear locker. At first we thought she was playing, but then Lidia looked and said that it was true. We were all frightened, but Gabi started to freak out and started crying. We didn't know what to do so we were calling people but only Yary answered. In the end, the only things that were hurt were all of Edith's stuff. All of her things had to be thrown away because they were damaged. Even though it was a scary moment, when all of us think about it, we just laugh.


By Edith

So while on our trip to UCLA, me and my girls went to visit the ghost of Dykstra Hall. We didn't really believe that there was anything, but we were in the third floor bathrooms and all of a sudden, all the sinks turn on and the toilets flushed. We rushed out of there! Supposedly, the ghost was in the 10th floor. So we went. Some of us actually felt the change in atmosphere, especially near the window at the end of the hall. Two of us took some pictures, but didn't check them until we were on the bus back home. There were auras in the pictures, one of them next to one of our friends. We got creeped out! And in the second picture there was a figure at the other end of the hall. So if you don't believe us, check it out for yourself!

By Addy

One of my most interesting memories while being in AVID would have to be when we went to UCLA. After having lunch, Enrique, Alex, Rodrigo, Grace, and I all decided to go and see if we could find out if the Dykstra Hall in UCLA is really haunted. We only had about twenty minutes so we had to hurry up. We were kind of lost on our way up so we asked for directions. When we finally got up there, the door leading to Dykstra Hall was locked, and we could not open it because we needed a card to open the door. Luckily, a college student came at that moment and opened the door with her card and we went in right behind her. We took the elevator to the tenth floor. When we got there, there was nothing except dorm rooms, and it also smelled like weed in that floor. Then this weird guy came out of his dorm and he looked all weird like how someone would look when doing drugs, so we quickly went back to the elevator. We got out of the building, and, well, we did not find anything there. We heard some weird noises in the elevator, but that was it. In the end, we had found nothing, and we had to run back to meet up with the class because we had like about five minutes to make it back, but we made it.

By Cinthia Sandoval



On our AVID field trip to Knott's Berry Farm, Jassmin, Adriana, and I went on the swings while everyone else went on Montezuma's Revenge. We were too scared to go on the ride, so we went on the swings instead. The lines were super short, and we didn't have to wait at all. We chose our swings close to each other. The swings started to spin around and then it hit me (it wasn't a tree or something). I was going to pretend to be SuperGirl. I told them about my plan, but they only tried for a couple of seconds before getting scared. That made me feel like a super hero, even though I knew I never would be since they only exist in movies and in New York. We kept going on the ride since there was no one in line for it. I guess we might be the only people that like to pretend to be super heroes.

By Cinthia, Jassmin and Adriana



8th Grade AVID Stand-Out Student Lidia Lopez





Edith Mejia was born on June 7, 1997. She is a trustworthy and true friend. Edith likes to play sports, read, and use the computer. Her favorite color is blue, and she loves Harry Potter. Her favorite actresses are Penelope Cruz and Michelle Rodriguez. She loves to eat frozen grapes, candy, and likes Chinese food. Edith has two brothers and one sister. She also likes to listen to music and watch T.V. She loves to hang out with true friends. Her best friends are Lidia, Jassmin, Diana O., Cinthia, Adriana, Casey, and Emily S. Edith hates fake people and horrible friends. Her favorite subjects in school are Social Studies and English. She has been in AVID for two years. Her best AVID memory was at SDSU when she got lost and a guy had to show her around. Another memory was at the Santa Monica Pier with Lidia and Diana. Edith is also going to Dana Hills. After high school, she wants to go to either UC Santa Barbara, SDSU, or Cornell University. She wants to become a marine biologist and in the future, work at an aquarium or ocean institute. She will be the third person to graduate in her family. She wants to have a family of six or higher and marry a rich person. She wants to live in Miami, Florida or Chapelhill, North Carolina. She wants to have an Escalade or BMW. Her biggest dream is to leave California when she's done with school.

Vanessa Leslie Bautista, a fun loud, hysterical and hyper soccer player, was born on January 26, 1997. Vanessa is not only a good soccer player, but also a singer and a dancer. She loves animals and listening to music 24/7. Her favorite songs are "Rocketeer" by the Far East Movement and "Put It Down" by 50 cent and Jeremiah. Her favorite colors are blue, black, white, and green. Vanessa has a mom (Ermelinda), a dad (Marcos), and two older brothers (Christopher and Alex). Vanessa also has a pet bunny named Fluffy. Just like her brothers, she is going to college, although she doesn't know what she wants to be yet. "I want to be a Toys R' Us kid, kid, kid hahaha just kidding!" That's what she said. She likes all kinds of food except sushi. Vanessa is half Mexican and half Salvadorian. She loves the Mexican soccer team, and her favorite players are Christiano Rolando and Chicharito. She also loves to hang out with friends. Her favorite AVID memory is when she went to Knott's Berry Farm this year. She went on most of the rides there. In all, Vanessa Bautista is a fun and loving AVID student who hopes to succeed in the future.



On the third day of Yosemite, we went hiking back to our cabin, and we passed by a river that was next to a bridge. Nobody saw the bridge but Lidia and I, so we told them that we had to get by the river to go to our cabin. Edrian and Julian crossed to get a big stick so we can use it as a bridge, and they got all wet. Then they went back, and their bridge broke, so some of the guys tried to jump the river, and Julian and Adrian got even more wet. Then Mr. Gerow asked us why don't we just use the bridge, and Edrian and Julian got so mad that they didn't want to talk to anyone, but they got over it in like five minutes.

By Julio

When we went to Knott's Berry Farm, we had a fantastic day. The rides were so amazing that they gave me goosebumps. But still it was okay, because Anayeli gave me cheers.

Ana was more scared than I was. When the night began, we went to the bus. Some kids were tired, but Anayeli and I were so excited about the trip that we saw something really funny, and we started to laugh so hard that my stomach was about to explode. But it didn't. All the girls around us were asking why we were laughing about. Well when we arrived at our destination, we started laughing again.

By Miriam and Anayeli



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8th Grade Award Winners

Orange County AVID 8th Grade Standout

Lidia Lopez

Academic Distinction (4.0 GPA)

Lidia Lopez (3 Years)
Jassmin Del Rio (2 Years)
Debbie Zamarripa (1 Year)
Enrique Loya (1 Year)

Superintendent's Honor Roll (3.83 GPA)

Adriana Santana (3 Years)
Miriam Osorio (3 Years)
Edith Mejia (3 Years)
Sabrina Aguirre (3 Years)
Jonathan Ortiz (2 Years)
German Guzman (2 Years)
Alondra Arcos (2 Years)
Emily Suarez (1 Year)
Diana Ortega (1 Year)
Cinthia Muñiz (1 Year)
David Morales (1 Year)
Casey Calderon (1 Year)
Anayeli Basave (1 Year)

President's Award (3.5 GPA)

Chelsea Delgado (3 Years)
Bethzaida Serrano (3 Years)
Yadira Ponce (3 Years)
Vanessa Bautista (2 Years)
Rodrigo Cervantes (2 Years)
Ana Peña (2 Years)
Yaradset Rojas (2 Years)
Adilene Sanchez (2 Years)

Cross-Age Tutor School Service

Jassmin Del Rio
David Morales
Yadira Ponce
Yaraset Rojas

Students Run LA (SRLA)

Yulet Ruiz
Chelsea Delgado
Edith Mejia
Yaradset Rojas
Adilene Sanchez

Elizabeth Baron-Fields

Memorial Scholarship

Lidia Lopez

MFMS History Student of the Year

Adriana Santana

MFMS AVID Students of the Year

Edith Mejia (2 Year Award)
Jonathan Ortiz (2 Year Award)
Miriam Osorio (1 Year Award)
Enrique Loya (1 Year Award)

Salute to Excellence

Miriam Osorio	Emily Suarez
Yazmin Madrigal	Enrique Loya
Alondra Arcos	Edith Mejia
Lidia Lopez	Jassmin Del Rio
Diana Ortega	Marissa Madariaga
Casey Calderon	Grace Soto
Adriana Santana	Anayeli Basave

Associated Student Body (ASB)

Lidia Lopez
Julio Granados
Alondra Arcos
Edith Mejia
Bethzaida Serrano
Debbie Zamarripa

Roadrunner Ambassador Service

Sabrina Aguirre
Alondra Arcos
Vanessa Bautista
Cinthia Muñiz
Adriana Santana
Miriam Osorio
Adilene Sanchez
Emily Suarez

Office Practice

Yulet Ruiz

Perfect Attendance

Grace Soto (3 Years)
Cinthia Muñiz (3 Years)
Sabrina Aguirre (2 Years)
Rodrigo Cervantes (2 Years)
Jassmin Del Rio (2 Years)
Edith Mejia (2 Years)
David Morales (2 Years)
Diana Ortega (2 Years)
Alejandro Aranda (1 Year)
Chelsea Delgado (1 Year)
German Guzman (1 Year)
Yulet Ruiz (1 Year)
Lidia Lopez (1 Year)
Miriam Osorio (1 Year)
Jonathan Ortiz (1 Year)
Yadira Ponce (1 Year)
Debbie Zamarripa (1 Year)

Physical Fitness Award

Adilene Sanchez

Roadrunner Pride Award

Sabrina Aguirre
Lidia Lopez
Adilene Sanchez
Debbie Zamarripa
Cinthia Muñiz
Edith Mejia
Alondra Arcos

Roadrunner Reading Buddies

Alondra Arcos
Lidia Lopez
Bethzaida Serrano
German Guzman
Emily Suarez
Adriana Santana
Cinthia Muñiz
Adilene Sanchez
Debbie Zamarripa
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