

El Monte Union High School District

Community Committed to College and Career



MEDIA ADVISORY

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El Monte Union Set to Welcome Students for Historic 2026-27 School Year

WHAT:

More than 7,000 students will kick off a historic 2026-27 school year as the El Monte Union High School District (EMUHSD) celebrates 125 years of educational excellence, alongside El Monte High School, the first high school established in the community. Campuses will come alive with freshman orientations, spirited rallies, music, and warm welcomes from teachers, administrators, Associated Student Body leaders, and Link Crew members. The first day also marks a milestone for the District, with new leadership at several schools greeting students and families for the first time.

Throughout the school year, EMUHSD will commemorate its 125-year legacy through special events and celebrations while continuing its tradition of academic excellence, championship athletics, award-winning programs, and student achievement.

WHEN:

Wednesday, Aug. 19
8 to 9:30 a.m.

WHERE:

El Monte High School
3048 Tyler Ave., El Monte

Arroyo High School
4921 Cedar Ave., El Monte

Mountain View High School
2900 Parkway Dr., El Monte

DETAILS:

School or District representatives will be available for pre-arranged, on-camera interviews during the first day of school. Please contact Maria Hernandez at maria.hernandez@vmapr.com or (909) 447-2406 to arrange interviews.

Coverage and/or inclusion of this event in your calendar of events is welcome and greatly appreciated.

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The vision of the El Monte Union High School District is to empower and motivate our students to be resilient, college and career ready, lifelong learners and contributing members of our global society.