

## RESOLUTION 20/21-02

### National Bullying Prevention Month

**WHEREAS**, bullying is any severe or pervasive physical, verbal or electronic act or conduct, that has or can be reasonably predicted to have a negative effect on any individual or school site; and

**WHEREAS**, various researchers have concluded that bullying is the most common form of violence, affecting millions of American children and adolescence annually; and

**WHEREAS**, targets of bullying are more likely to acquire physical, emotional, and learning problems and students who are repeatedly bullied often fear such activities as riding the bus, going to school, and attending community activities; and

**WHEREAS**, the Conejo Valley Unified School District recognizes that all students deserve to be safe in school, online, and in the community, and that bullying is not acceptable; and

**WHEREAS**, the Conejo Valley Unified School District further commits resources to ensure the success of National Bullying Prevention Month;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Conejo Valley Unified School District, does hereby support National Bullying Prevention Month and the proclamation of October 2020 as National Bullying Prevention Month in the District, and encourages its students, parents, and staff to spread messages of kindness, acceptance, and inclusion.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Conejo Valley Unified School District supports National Bullying Prevention Month and encourages all staff and students to unite against bullying and share the message that no one deserves to be bullied.



Bill Gorback, Clerk, Board of Education



Mark W. McLaughlin, Ed.D., Superintendent and  
Secretary to the Board

September 1, 2020