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Kern County Superintendent of Schools

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**John G. Mendiburu, Ed.D**

Kern County Superintendent of Schools





# CURRICULUM & INSTRUCTION

**Cole Sampson, Ed.D.**

Assistant Superintendent



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## DEPARTMENTS

### EARLY EDUCATION

Anna "Lisa" Vargas, Executive Director

### HUMANITIES & MULTILINGUAL EDUCATION

OPEN

### STEAM & EXPANDED LEARNING

Kyle Atkin, Executive Director



# LOCAL, REGIONAL & STATEWIDE SUPPORT

**Kimberly Graham**  
Assistant Superintendent



## DEPARTMENTS

### **SCHOOL DISTRICT REGIONAL SUPPORT**

Candi Huizar, Ed.D., Executive Director

### **CALIFORNIA SCHOOL LEADERSHIP ACADEMY**

### **K-16 REGIONAL COLLABORATIVE**

### **KERN EDUCATION PLEDGE**

### **VALLEY TO COAST COLLABORATIVE**

Kimberly Graham, Assistant Superintendent

### **CHARTER SCHOOL SUPPORT**

Cathie Morris, Consultant

### **COLLEGE & CAREER PROGRAMS**

Kierstin Webb, Ed.D., Executive Director

### **SOCIAL EMOTIONAL & ACADEMIC SUPPORT**

Luis Garcia, Senior Director



## STUDENT SUPPORT

**Desiree Von Flue**

Assistant Superintendent



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## DEPARTMENTS

### **ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION**

Molly Mier, Senior Director

Debra Plank, Senior Director

### **INTERNAL SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS**

Michelle Taylor-Langham, Senior Director

### **MIGRANT EDUCATION**

Evaristo Treviño, Senior Director

### **SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES / DISTRICT SUPPORT**

Justin Thompson, Senior Director

### **VALLEY OAKS CHARTER SCHOOL**

Becky Bartz, Senior Director



# OPERATIONAL SUPPORT

**Christian Shannon**

Deputy Superintendent



## DEPARTMENTS

### **FACILITIES, PROPERTY MANAGEMENT & LABOR COMPLIANCE**

Christy Scoggins, Senior Director

### **TECHNOLOGY SERVICES**

Anthony Davis, Chief Technology Officer

- Network Engineering (Ty Hansen, Program Coordinator)
- District Support (Britton Smith, Program Coordinator)
- ISP Microwave Towers (Ken Richter, Coordinator)
- Technology Services (Matthew Dawson, Program Coordinator)

### **SYSTEMS INTEGRATION**

Cameron Guinn, Ed.D., Chief Systems Officer

#### **KERN INTEGRATED DATA SYSTEM (KIDS)**

Edward Gonzalez, Ed.D., Executive Director

- Professional Learning (Jennifer Anzalone, Program Coordinator)

### **OPERATIONAL SUPPORT**

Chris Persons, Ed.D., Executive Director

#### **FOOD & NUTRITION SERVICES**

Rafael Juarez, Senior Director

#### **MAINTENANCE & OPERATIONS**

Ryan Knapp, Senior Director

- Emergency Preparedness & Utilities Conservation (Andrew Bagley, Manager)
- Maintenance (Josh Cheshier, Manager)
- Operations (Greg Henry, Manager)

#### **TRANSPORTATION SERVICES**

James McClelland, Senior Director

- Home to School, Training, Field Trips, Planning, Dispatch (Shirley Wammock, Transportation Manager)
- Vehicle Maintenance (Alan Button, Fleet Manager)



## LOCAL INITIATIVES & INNOVATION

**Russell Sentes**

Deputy Superintendent



### DEPARTMENTS

#### **CHILD & FAMILY SERVICES**

Ana Sanchez, Senior Director

- Community Connection for Child Care
- Early Childhood Council of Kern

#### **KERN COUNTY CONSORTIUM SELPA**

Lee Knotts, Executive Director

- Regional Services (Melvin Thomas, Senior Director)
- District Support Services (Wes Neal, Senior Director)

#### **KERN ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION PROGRAM (CAMP KEEP)**

- KEEP Ocean (Elizabeth Roberts, Supervisor)
- KEEP By the Sea (Ellalina Emrich Keller, Supervisor)

#### **LOCAL INITIATIVES SUPPORT**

Christine Goedhart-Humphrey, Coordinator

#### **SCHOOL-COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS**

Lourdes Bucher, Executive Director

- Community Schools (Anita Cruz, Senior Director)
- Homeless & Foster Youth Services (Curt Williams, Senior Director)

#### **SUPERINTENDENT & LEADERSHIP SUPPORT**

Mark Luque, Chief Training & Advancement Officer



## **FISCAL SUPPORT**

**Jonathan Medina**

Associate Superintendent



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## **DEPARTMENTS**

### **EXTERNAL BUSINESS SERVICES**

Maxx Garris, Chief Financial Operations Officer

- Business Administration System Support (Joe Salazar, Program Coordinator)
- District Accounting (Maxx Garris, Chief Financial Operations Officer)
- District Advisory (Maxx Garris, Chief Financial Operations Officer)
- Payroll & Retirement Auditing (Vicki Lueck, Manager)

### **INTERNAL BUSINESS SERVICES**

Maria Arias, Chief Financial Operations Officer

- Accounts Payable (Connie Vargas, District Fiscal Services Assistant)
- Accounts Receivable (Jeannette Lenko, Senior Accountant)
- Budget (Michael Gumapac, District Fiscal Analyst)
- Contracts (Michael Gumapac, District Fiscal Analyst)

### **MEDI-CAL ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIVITIES**

Jennifer Hill, Program Coordinator

### **GRANT DEVELOPMENT**

Open, Content Coordinator



# HUMAN RESOURCES & STAFF DEVELOPMENT

**Cherie Payne**

Associate Superintendent



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## DEPARTMENTS

### **CREDENTIALS**

Evelyn Feliciano, Manager

### **EDUCATOR DEVELOPMENT**

Malaika Bryant, Executive Director

### **HUMAN RESOURCES**

Matthew Gutierrez, Senior Director

### **INTERNAL PAYROLL & BENEFITS**

Open, Manager

### **INTERNAL STAFF DEVELOPMENT**

Michelle Rigby, Senior Director





## SPECIAL PROGRAMS

**Steve Sanders**  
Chief of Staff



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## DEPARTMENTS

**CALIFORNIA LIVING MUSEUM**  
Megan Maitland, Senior Director

**COMMUNICATIONS**  
Robert Meszaros, Senior Director

**KERN COUNTY NETWORK FOR CHILDREN**  
Tom Corson, Executive Director

**KERN EDUCATION TELEVISION NETWORK**  
John Lenko, Senior Director

**PRE-PRODUCTION, PRODUCTION & WEB SERVICES**  
Lydia Rowles, Program Coordinator



# OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

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County Superintendent



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## DEPARTMENTS

### COMMUNITY RELATIONS

Amanda Frank, Director

### MANAGEMENT CONSULTANTS

### SECRETARIAL & OFFICE SUPPORT

Merril Clanton, Senior Executive Assistant to the County Superintendent