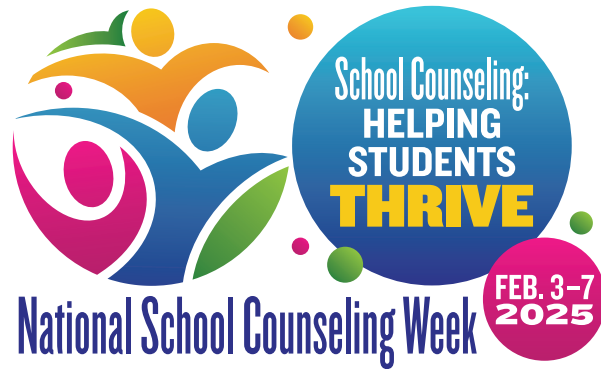




Board of Education of the Irvine Unified School District  
**PROCLAMATION**



**WHEREAS**, the Irvine Unified School District is a PK-12 school district located in the City of Irvine, County of Orange, with a total enrollment of nearly 38,000 students; and

**WHEREAS**, public schools have a positive impact every day on the lives of numerous students; dedicated school district employees, such as school counselors, work countless hours to provide for the needs of learners of all ages and backgrounds; and

**WHEREAS**, school counselors are employed in public and private schools to help students reach their full potential; and

**WHEREAS**, school counselors are actively committed to helping students explore their abilities, strengths, interests, and talents as these traits relate to career awareness and development; and

**WHEREAS**, school counselors help families focus on ways to further the academic, career and social/emotional development of their children; and

**WHEREAS**, school counselors work with teachers and other educators to help students explore their potential and set realistic goals for themselves; and

**WHEREAS**, school counselors seek to identify and utilize community resources that can enhance and complement comprehensive school counseling programs and help students become productive members of society; and

**WHEREAS**, comprehensive developmental school counseling programs are considered an integral part of the educational process that enables all students to achieve success in school.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED**, that the Irvine Unified School District, through its Board of Education, hereby expresses a sincere appreciation to school counselors for their support of Irvine Unified School District students; and

**IN WITNESS THEREOF**, February 3-7, 2025, is hereby proclaimed, as National School Counseling Week.

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