LA CIMA MIDDLE SCHOOL

Inspiring and empowering students to dream, believe, and achieve.

To develop a community of learners dedicated to academic excellence, lifelong success, and service to the community

OUR MISSION

- ► Middle School Philosophy
- ► Standards Based Curriculum
- Student-led Conferencing
- ► Positive Behavior Supports
- ► Focus on Career and College Readiness
- ► Professional Learning Communities

ORGANIZATION AND PHILOSOPHY

- Students are resourceful and capable
- ▶ Teachers are facilitators of learning
- ► Learning best takes place in an atmosphere which recognizes student needs of belonging, freedom, fun, and power
- ▶ In shared-decision making
- ► Reading, writing, critical thinking, and problem-solving are fundamental tools for life-long learning
- ► In developing responsible citizens

WE BELIEVE

- ► REACH Program (Gifted and Talented Education)
- ► On site Special Education and ELD Programs
- ► AVID (Advancement Via Individual Determination)
- Advanced Language Arts Classes
- ► Inquiry-based Science Instruction
- ► High School Credit Math Classes (Algebra, Geometry, Algebra II)
- ► High School Credit Spanish Classes
- ► Intervention Classes in Reading and Math
- ► Elective Course Offerings
- After-school Program designed for academic support and enrichment

INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS

- ► Physical Education
- ► Technology
- ▶ Art
- ► Choir
- ▶ Band
- ▶ Orchestra
- ► Conversational Spanish
- ► High School Credit Spanish

- ► AVID Elective Class
- ▶ Career Exploration
- ► Sports Conditioning
- ▶ Leadership
- ► Learning Resource Center
- ▶ Math Intervention
- ► Reading Intervention

ELECTIVE COURSE OFFERINGS

- ► STEM (Science Technology Engineering Math) Club
- ▶ Student Council
- ► National Junior Honor Society

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- ► Free Daily Breakfast for Every Student
- ▶ Open House
- ► Student-led Conferences
- Quarterly Honor Roll Breakfasts
- ► Fine Arts Nights
- ► School and District Spelling Bees
- ▶ 8th Grade Career Shadowing Day
- ► AVID Ice Cream Social
- ► AVID Thanksgiving Feast
- ► AVID College Field Trips

SPECIAL EVENTS

Season I: Football, Softball, Tennis, Cross Country

Season II: Boys Basketball, Girls Soccer

Season III: Boys Soccer, Girls Basketball, Wrestling

Season IV: Boys Baseball, Girls Volleyball, Track

ATHLETIC PROGRAM

- ▶ Be Positive
- ► Be Respectful
- ▶ Be Ready to Learn
- ▶ Be Safe
- ▶ Be a Problem Solver

Practice the Cardinal Code

ENCOURAGING STUDENTS TO ACHIEVE THEIR PERSONAL BEST EACH DAY

For more information about

La Cima Middle School

or to schedule a tour, please contact the principal

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