

Memorandum of Understanding

Between

Mammoth-San Manuel Unified School District #8

And

Mammoth Elementary STEM School - Parent Teacher Organization

This Memorandum of Understanding (the Memorandum) is made on this _____, by and between the Mammoth – San Manuel Unified School District #8 hereinafter referred to as MSMUSD and the Mammoth Elementary STEM School -Parent Teacher Organization hereinafter referred to as MSTEM-PTO. This is for the purpose of working closely together in furthering the overlapping aims and objectives relating to the both the mission of the MSMUSD:

To provide comprehensive, success-oriented learning activities for young people in our schools designed to develop a student's potential in the areas of academic ability and vocational awareness, cultural appreciation, physical well-being, social development, and community contribution.

AND;

The purpose of the MSTEM-PTO:

The purpose of the MSTEM-PTO shall be to enhance and support the educational experience at Mammoth Elementary STEM School to develop a closer connection between school and home by encouraging parent involvement, and to improve the educational environment at Mammoth Elementary STEM School through volunteer and financial support.

WHEREAS, the MSTEM-PTO and the MSMUSD are interested in working closely together in furthering the educational experience for students attending the Mammoth Elementary STEM School;

WHEREAS, the Mammoth Elementary STEM School would benefit from outside support for its programs to assist in fundraising, parent volunteerism, extracurricular activities of the school, and school safety;

WHEREAS, there is great benefit to parent involvement in student education;

WHEREAS, encouraging a working relationship among parents, school, and community will only enhance the future possibilities for students attending the Mammoth Elementary STEM School through heightened communication, financial support, parent involvement, and program development;

Other Mutually Agreed Upon Items

It is mutually agreed upon that both parties will strive to create a positive partnership, determined to find solutions to problems and overcome obstacles in furthering education at the Mammoth Elementary STEM School.

Memorandum of Understanding Term

This Memorandum of Understanding is effective _____ through _____ i.e., the 2013-2014 and 2014-2015 school years. The MSMUSD and the MSTEM-PTO will review the MOU annually and revise as necessary in order to comply with the policies and mandates of the District and the purpose of the PTO.

This MOU may be terminated by either party with sixty (60) day notice.

Mr. Mark Phelps, President
Governing Board
San Manuel-Mammoth USD #8

Mr. John Ryan, Superintendent
San Manuel-Mammoth USD #8

Mrs. Stefanie Smallhouse, President
Mammoth Elementary STEM School –
Parent Teacher Organization

Date