

#### **PARTNERSHIP OVERVIEW**

Rotation Two: February 27, 2023 - May 25, 2023

Girls Inc. of Orange County (GIOC) would like to thank Santa Ana Unified School District (SAUSD) for putting an emphasis on students' mental health and calling on GIOC to assist in this effort. Through SAUSD and GIOC's partnership, we are **strengthening students' ability to manage mental health, build students' academic and personal confidence, and equip them with the skills for successful futures**. The following report showcases the impact that has been made through the second rotation of the 2022-23 ELOP.



## 12 schools

received GIOC's SEL programming this rotation

- Adams
- Carver
- Esqueda
- Greenville
- Lincoln
- Mendez

- Monte Vista
- Santiago
- Taft
- Thorpe
- Villa
- Washington

#### **GIOC Social Emotional Learning (SEL) & SAUSD**

During the second rotation of the 2022-23 school year, Girls Inc. of Orange County provided three curricula to SAUSD students:



Sheroes (3rd-5th) and Lil' Sheroes (K-2nd) was offered to ten SAUSD schools. Participants explore the qualities that make up strong leaders, practice using social media for good, and learn how to be safe online.

### influenceHER 📮

InfluenceHER was offered to 6th-8th graders at Mendez and Villa.
Participants developed an understanding of their emotions and boosted their analytical skills, all through the lens of social justice and advocacy.



282

SAUSD students received GIOC SEL programming in the third rotation



#### SAUSD + GIOC

#### PROGRAM IMPACT

Girls Inc. of Orange County's "girls only" supportive and inclusive environment amplifies the impact of our programs. Girls are encouraged to speak up, ask questions, take risks without fear of failure, be open about how they are feeling, and ask for help when they need it. They also develop meaningful relationships with their peers, staff educators, and caring volunteers and mentors.



of SAUSD GIOC participants reported believing they can make a positive difference in their community as a result of Girls Inc. programming



of SAUSD GIOC participants reported caring more about doing well in school as a result of Girls Inc. programming 96%

of SAUSD Sheroes participants increased ability to practice & use life skills including collaborative learning, planning, and problem solving.

91%

of SAUSD Lil' Sheroes participants increased awareness & interest in STEM-focused careers and non-traditional career options for women.

86%

of SAUSD InfluenceHER participants knew how to establish boundaries that protect themselves online.

86%

of SAUSD Sheroes participants knew how to establish SMART goals.

With a heavy emphasis on evaluation at both the national and local level, Girls Inc. of Orange County believes in implementing thorough evaluation for all of our programs. In addition to the curriculum created by Girls Inc. of Orange County educators, these programs were measured with a pre and post evaluation survey.



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My favorite thing about Girls Inc. is becoming a better person.

- Jazlyn, SAUSD Sheroes participant

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# THANK YOU

Leaning on GIOC's expertise, SAUSD is addressing the problems Santa Ana girls are currently facing. Together, we are ensuring the girls of Santa Ana know they are strong, smart, and bold.







