

### ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE, INNOVATIVE PROGRAMS and a Positive, Responsive learning environment.

Welcome to Crocker, where our comprehensive academic and social-emotional learning curriculum educates the whole child. We are one of the Bay Area's most highly-rated middle schools—right in the heart of Hillsborough. At a glance:



Students



Student-Teacher Ratio



National Blue Ribbon Schools Winner



California Distinguished School

Academic rigor, arts, service learning and collaboration converge to grow independent thinking, empathetic contributors to the community and society.

CROCKER VIKINGS ARE:

INNOVATORS LEADERS MAKERS COLLABORATORS WHO ARE:

SPIRITED SELF-DIRECTED IMAGINATIVE CONNECTED

MATH: Common Core 6th, 7th and 8th -or- Accelerated Math (CC6/7/8 in 6th-7th) with Algebra 1 in 8th

LANGUAGE: 3 years Spanish or Mandarin

MUSIC: Symphonic Band, Concert Band, Wind Ensemble, Choir

ELECTIVES: HTV Multi-Media, Crocker Radio, Robotics, Art, Ceramics, Leadership, Culinary Arts, Maker Space, Creative Writing, Athletic Development, Yearbook...and more

3 YEARS: ENGLISH MATH SOCIAL STUDIES WORLD LANGUAGE SCIENCE ELECTIVES P.E.

## AN EXCEPTIONAL STAFF IN AN EXCEPTIONAL DISTRICT.

Our talented, dedicated faculty is very collaborative and works to foster a strong student-teacher-school connectedness. Crocker has six highly qualified National Board Certified educators on staff.

Our district is one of the top-performing K-8 districts in the state, where students consistently exceed standards in all state measurements. As importantly, they exhibit the skills, knowledge and character traits detailed in our district's **Essential Outcomes**. We owe this to:

#### HIGHLY-QUALIFIED STAFF COMMITTED FAMILIES COMMUNITY MEMBERS

DISTRICT LEADERSHIP SCHOOL BOARD VISION SUPPORTIVE SCHOOL FOUNDATION

We prepare our students to see themselves as part of an interconnected and interdependent world, invested in making a positive impact on their family, community and beyond.

Our curriculum emphasizes student wellness, digital citizenship, decision making, leadership and motivation for lifelong learning. Every aspect of our program is designed to build a close, caring community with each child and adult respected and recognized. School spirit and Viking pride are predominant. ACADEMIC SUPPORT PROGRAMS SPECIAL EDUCATION SELF-DIRECTED FLEX PERIODS FULL-TIME COUNSELOR WEB: WHERE EVERYONE BELONGS STUDENT GOVERNMENT STUDENT-GENERATED CLUBS

Our confidence-building environment prepares our students well to advance to excellent public and private high schools.





**One of the Bay Area's most highly-rated middle schools is in your home community.** We're the only 4x National Blue Ribbon Schools winner West of the Mississippi. Come meet us and see why.

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### CROCKER VIKINGS WORK TOWARD THESE Hillsborough City School District Essential Outcomes

# With the support of the whole school community, students will work towards becoming...

<ul> <li>People of good character who are</li> <li>ethical, trustworthy, responsible, fair, and respectful</li> <li>empathetic, caring, kind, and positively intentioned</li> <li>invested in making a positive impact on their family, community, and world</li> <li>self-reliant, self-directed, and demonstrate positive self-advocacy</li> <li>Effective communicators who</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Innovators and problem solvers who are</li> <li>critical, innovative, and creative contributors</li> <li>collaborative, constructive, and dependable group members and leaders</li> <li>flexible, adaptable, and reflective</li> <li>risk takers who understand that failure is temporary</li> <li>resilient, perseverant, and show grit</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>listen to and think deeply about multiple perspectives</li> <li>are clear, persuasive, and can articulate complex ideas</li> <li>utilize a variety of communication modes, including writing</li> <li>speak with confidence</li> <li>ask questions to enhance their understanding</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>embrace other cultures, communities, and people of all abilities</li> <li>have an understanding of other languages, religions, cultures, and lifestyles</li> <li>see themselves as part of an interconnected, interdependent world</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Lifelong learners who</li> <li>pursue and contribute to their passions</li> <li>have strong content knowledge that is broad, deep, and continues to grow</li> <li>demonstrate initiative, are organized, and plan ahead</li> <li>have follow-through, show diligence, and maintain focus</li> <li>are curious and pursue learning for its own sake</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Effective users of information, media, and technology who</li> <li>can access, analyze, and synthesize information</li> <li>distinguish between reliable and unreliable information</li> <li>can use technology to research, create, communicate, and express ideas</li> <li>demonstrate positive and appropriate digital citizenship</li> </ul>