



Recognition of National Hispanic Heritage Month

Board Meeting

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- 2022 theme for National Hispanic Heritage Month “Unidos: Inclusivity for a Stronger Nation,” encourages us to ensure that all voices are represented and welcomed to help build a stronger community and stronger nation.
- SCUSD serves more than 17,000 Hispanic students or about 41 percent of the student population.
- 7,283 Spanish speaking Emergent Bilingual students attend SCUSD schools.
- 198 students have received the Spanish Language Seal of Biliteracy through the Multilingual Literacy Department in SCUSD in the 2021-22 school year.