**2021-2022 MESA Advisor Expectations:**  
“After School” and MESA Electives

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| **Updated Stipend Information** |
| The below information is for SUSD teachers **only**. LUSD teachers will still be paid by individual arrangements with their school sites.  For this upcoming school year, and going forward, MESA Advisors will now be paid on an hourly basis by SUSD directly. If you have a MESA elective class, you will record your hours as usual for your regular classes – i/e: do **not** record additional MESA hours for class if you are paid as exempt for regular classes.  In order to be paid, advisors will need to meet the minimum requirements below. If it is assessed that advisors have not met the requirements, we will meet to discuss such and work together to determine whether the advisor will continue with the MESA program the following year or if they need to pass the responsibility to another teacher.  Below is a guideline of the MESA hours you can record:   * After school MESA club time * Advisor meetings, PD, trainings * MESA events and MESA partnered/sponsored events * Awards banquet, other MESA celebrations * Parent events |

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| **Minimum Requirements for Advisor-led Programs** |
| * Meet at least once weekly with student group for at least 45 minutes (starting by September) * Have at least 20 enrolled students in group and at least 7-10 students per meeting * Meet deadlines   + MESA enrollment   + Event registrations * Attend at least two MESA meetings per semester (one of which must be an in-person meeting) * Attend MESA Day and have at least 5 students competing in online or in-person competitions * Fulfil one MESA programmatic responsibility (i.e. event judge, activity training etc.)   \*Enrollment numbers for new programs may be smaller. |

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| **Support Provided by Pacific MESA** |
| * Designated Pacific liaison. * Advisor training and additional advisor opportunities. * Continuing education support, scholarships, summer program and leadership opportunities for HS students. * All project materials. * Online and in-person workshops, competitions, and family activities. * Student performance incentives. * Direct student communications and reminders through Remind and Instagram. * Open curriculum and project and event materials organized via the MESA Website www.pacific-mesa.com |

# MESA Advisor Calendar 2021-2022

Key: Advisor events Online Events Student and family events

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| *July* | *August* | *September* |
|  | 12th Advisor Conference Call  16th-27th One-on-One meetings  21st Summer Scavenger Hunt | 2nd Advisor Meeting and welcome dinner  18th Expanding Your Horizons  TBD MATI training  30th Advisor Conference Call |
| *October* | *November* | *December* |
| 1st Catapult Event  20th Safe Trick or Treat  18th-22nd Online Quiz Bowl  **29th Fall Enrollment deadline**  *TBD College Night* | 4th In-Person Advisor Training  5th Pacific STEM Day (HS only)  12th Engineering Hackathon and Quiz Bowl Finals | 3rd Advisor Conference Call  8th Eighth Grade Night  17th T-Shirt designs due |
| *January* | *February* | *March* |
| 10th Advanced Advisor Training  *Engineering Workshops* | 3rd Advisor Conference Call  17th Online Escape Room | 3rd MESA Day Walk Through  4th NEDC Technical Interview and Pitch  5th Virtual MESA Day (Math Escape, Coding)  12th Pacific MESA Day  26th H2O Hackathon |
| *April* | *May* | *Summer* |
| 7th Advisor Meeting  15th Shadow Day  17th Regionals TBD | 5th Advisor Conference Call  14th Spring Challenge  19th End of the year banquet | July 15-22 -DS4 Summer Program |