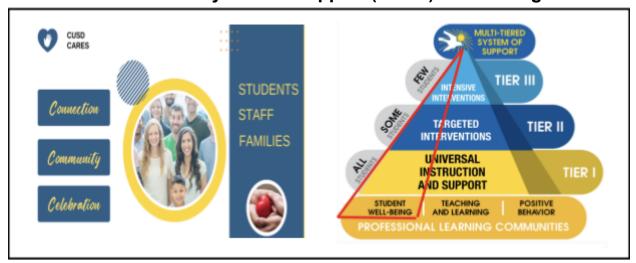
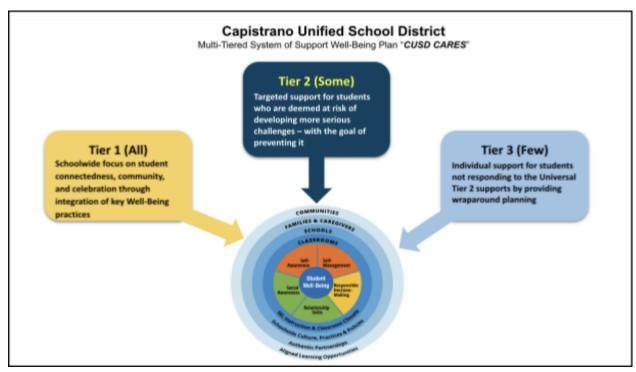
## CUSD CARES (Aliso Viejo MS)

### Multi-tiered System of Support (MTSS): Well-Being



#### **Purpose**



<u>Tier 1 - Universal (All Students)</u>: <u>Schoolwide focus on student connectedness, community, and celebration through integration of key "Well-Being" practices:</u>

- Weekly "Well-being Check-In"
- Middle school intramural sports and activities during school day
- Staff training (WPC and Orange County Department of Education)
- "You Belong Here" attendance campaign
- Increased opportunities for middle students to take CCA courses that align with their interests
- Five Star system for encouraging student participation in activities
- Counselor support through Second Step and Cultural Proficiency Lessons
- Positive Behavior Support Tier 1 Strategies and Interventions

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- Aliso Viejo MS examples: (LINK to District Sample Form)
  - o Principal greets students and parents at the front of the school
  - Assistant Principal greets students at the bike rack at the beginning of school
  - No Place for Hate (Pledge and three activities)
  - o Positive phone calls home

# <u>Tier 2 - Targeted (Some Students)</u>: <u>Targeted support for students who are at risk of developing</u> <u>more significant challenges</u>

- Wellness Rooms
- Staff Mentor (HUG)
- Targeted group counseling (Counselors & Intervention Specialists)
- Referral to counselor
- Restorative Practices
- Wellness and Prevention Center counseling at specific school sites
- Positive Behavior Support Tier 2 strategies and interventions
- Aliso Viejo MS examples:
  - Daily check-ins with mentor (HUG)
  - o Group discussions (Counselor)
  - Student-Family-Site collaboration

# <u>Tier 3 - Intensive</u>: Individual and intentional support for students not responding to the <u>Tier 2</u> supports by providing comprehensive planning and services

- Individual 1:1 Counseling
- District Support Team (counselors, psychologists, High School Family Lead Administrators, and District Staff)
- County and outside mental health referral (with parent consent)
- Partnership with family, health provider, and school site team
- Aliso Viejo MS examples:
  - Frequent, calendared Individual meetings with mentor, counselor, or administrator
  - Home visits
  - o Individual discussions (Counselor)
  - Student-Family-Site-District collaboration