



Middle Grades Education Leaders Council Orientation #1

September 16, 2025

Region 7 Council Report

Rep/Council Secretary: Matthew Hutsell

Council Orientation

- **Members from every region in attendance shared networking/orientation slides**
- **ACSA mission statement and general organization structure were shared with members**
- **New Council Executive (Bill Sanderson) and ACSA Support Staff (Chelsea Greiwe) were introduced**
- **MGEL mission statement was shared**
 - **To be the official voice for middle grades administrators in the State of California, to carry out the mission of ACSA and to provide strong leadership within ACSA to:**
 - **Develop and support California's equity-minded middle grades educational leaders;**
 - **Ensure each middle grades student has the essential skills and knowledge needed to excel; and Champion middle grades public education**
- **Council member roles and responsibilities were shared**
- **Future meeting dates were shared with MGEL members**
- **MGEL President Chrissy Moore (LAUSD) will be moving into a new role. As a result, a new MGEL President will need to be elected to complete her term**
- **Council Secretary Matt Hutsell was nominated to fill the vacancy**