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***Mountain View-Los Altos
High School Foundation Receives \$100,000 Google Grant***

The Mountain View-Los Altos (MVLA) High School Foundation received a \$100,000 grant from Google to support programs in the Mountain View - Los Altos High School District.

These funds will go towards the purchase of new laptops for the 2020-21 school year. The Foundation has supported the district in providing laptops to all students who need one since 2014 when the district began its Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) program. In addition to providing funding for laptops, the Foundation works with the district to ensure students have access to the internet.

“We have a strong partnership with Google and are appreciative of this generous grant which allows us to continue our commitment to provide a device to any student who wants one,” said Margaret Gong, Co-Executive Director of the MVLA Foundation. “Our investment in laptops has never been more important than today when 100% of our students are working remotely and need not only a computer but also an internet connection to complete their schoolwork. Families are already in a stressful situation due to the COVID-19 crisis, so we are thankful that they do not have the additional worry about how their students will be able to access their schoolwork.”

“We are grateful for the generosity of Google and their support of our learning community,” said Superintendent Dr. Nellie Meyer. “This grant will allow us to support students with distance learning and give them the tools necessary for success.”

These funds are a part of Google’s \$1 million commitment to local organizations in light of the cancellation of its annual developer’s conference, Google I/O.

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