



## *Oro Grande School District*

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Heather Griggs, Ed.D.  
Superintendent

Dear Oro Grande School District Families,

On behalf of the Oro Grande School District, we will be utilizing a service animal as part of our efforts to promote social-emotional health and wellness on our campuses. Sir Oliver Knight, a Bernese Mountain dog, may be present at your student's school site or in their classroom during various times of the school year. He may also be around the offices and common areas as appropriate.

Under state and federal laws, certain individuals have the right to be accompanied by a service animal on public school campuses. However, Oro Grande School District understands that students with allergies, asthma, or other health-related conditions may be affected by the presence of a service animal at school.

If your student has any known allergies, asthma, or other health-related conditions that you believe may be impacted by the presence of a service animal, please contact JoAnn Baeten, Director of Student Assistance, Welfare & Attendance, at 760-243-5884 ext. 460. We will then work with you to address these issues. If we do not hear from you, we will assume that your student does not have any known conditions that might be affected by the presence of a service animal and will not make any alternative arrangements to accommodate your student.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Ms. Baeten.

Sincerely,  
The Oro Grande School District

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