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**Dear Rancho Vista Families,**

Black History month is coming to a close. The DEI team at Rancho Vista encourages everyone to take a step beyond ally and behave as Co-Conspirators\_(those who are actively fighting against the system of white supremacy and in particular the benefits they receive from it) for the Black Lives Matter movement. (Resources for Co-Conspirators [here](#))

[Most Searched People](#) is an energizing compilation of black genius and talent across discipline. We hope you enjoy watching this with your children. All of our children benefit when they see themselves and friends represented across disciplines.

It's important that we build bridges between parents, students and faculty, so that we can grow as a community. Dr. Kuykendall shared Dr. Bettina Love's Ted Talk with the Rancho Vista faculty. In 2016 Dr. Love was named the Nasir Jones Hiphop Fellow at Harvard University for her work in Hip Hop education. [Here](#) is the Ted Talk by Dr. Bettina Love on the Hip hop, Grit, and Academic Success. We hope you feel inspired by Dr. Love's words and music.

The essential question that we might frequently ask ourselves and our children, "How do we make this world a better place?"

With Joy,  
The Rancho Vista DEI Committee

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