

## WHAT IS SHINE?

**KERN DANCE ALLIANCE** welcomes back **SHINE**: **MATH + DANCE = SUCCESS** to the Valley Oaks Bakersfield campus! SHINE is a ten week program that combines dance with a tailored math curriculum to create an environment for young students (6th - 8th grade) to explore math in a unique and creative way. We strive to not only improve mathematical skills, but also empower students to chase after their passions with confidence!

### WHY SHOULD YOU BECOME A SHINE MENTOR?

SHINE is a wonderful opportunity to personally make an impact on 6th-8th grade students in the Valley Oaks community. SHINE mentors are local high school students who have qualified based on their math background, tutoring experience, dance experience, positive attitude and enthusiasm. As a mentor you have the ability to improve students' skills, increase their confidence, and change their perspective on STEM fields. Don't worry if you have never danced before! Being a SHINE mentor is all about having fun and being a role model for young students. If you are looking for a meaningful extracurricular activity to add to your college applications or resume, apply to SHINE today!

#### PROGRAM DATES

January 22nd - March 26th Thursdays from 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Application Deadline: Friday, January 9

Mentor Training Date: Thursday, January 15 from 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

# LOCATION

**Valley Oaks Charter School** 

3501 Chester Ave, Bakersfield, CA 93301

To learn more or to register, visit kerndance.org/SHINE. Questions? Email us at info@kerndance.org! Follow KDA on social media: @kerndance  $\bigcirc$  f  $\times$ 

## Apply online to help someone SHINE! \*



