

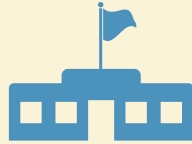
LOS ALAMITOS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

LOS ALAMITOS UNIFIED PROVIDES STUDENTS WITH AN EXCELLENT EDUCATION



10,000

Students



9

Schools



3

Distinct
Communities



65

Years of
Student Success

We are proud of our
award winning schools*



*Schools and years of awards listed at www.LosAl.org

ASSESSING DISTRICT NEEDS TO MAINTAIN EXCELLENCE

Despite the successes of our students, our school facilities, including our 50-year-old high school, need updates to meet 21st-century educational standards.

Our local schools need:



Facilities and technology for science, technology, engineering and math education so students are ready for college and good paying jobs



Upgrades to classrooms to support student achievement in core academic subjects, music, the arts and athletics



Modernized classrooms at our 50-year-old high school, including repairs to deteriorating roofs and outdated plumbing, sewer and electrical systems



Improved student safety and campus security systems at all schools

OUR COMMUNITY IS KNOWN FOR STUDENT SUCCESS

Over 90% of graduates enroll in post-secondary education

Los Alamitos ranked as one of 10 neighborhoods with the "Best Education Bang for Your Buck in the United States" (*Wall Street Journal*)



Our elementary schools consistently rank in the top 5% in the County in academic achievement

Over 100 National Merit Scholars and 180 Division I Scholar Athletes in the last five years



Six-time National Champion Show Choir, back-to-back National Champion Song Team and award-winning music, theater, dance and arts programs in our elementary, middle and high schools

CONTACT US!

For more information, please visit our dedicated webpage at www.LosAl.org/ShapeTheFuture.



Los Alamitos Unified School District Shaping Our Students' Futures

Strong Schools, Strong Community

All of our schools have been honored as California Distinguished Schools and Gold Ribbon Schools, and our elementary schools consistently rank in the top 5% in the County in academic achievement. Over 90% of our graduates enroll in post-secondary education.

94% of families tell us they moved to our area to take advantage of the excellent education that Los Al provides. In fact, Los Alamitos is ranked as one of 10 neighborhoods with the “Best Education Bang for Your Buck in the United States” by *The Wall Street Journal*. The strength of our schools is reflected in the strength of our community, improving local quality of life and helping protect property values.



Assessing District Needs to Maintain Excellence

Despite the successes of our students, our school facilities, including our 50-year-old high school, need updates to meet 21st-century educational standards in a safe, modern learning environment. That’s why our district has undertaken a Facilities Master Planning process to identify and prioritize our most urgent needs.

Our local schools need:



Facilities and technology to support modern, high-quality instruction in science, technology, engineering, arts and math so students are ready for college and good paying jobs



Modernized classrooms and school facilities at our 50-year-old high school, including repairs to deteriorating roofs and outdated plumbing, sewer and electrical systems



Upgrades to classrooms and facilities that support student achievement in core academic subjects, music, the arts and athletics



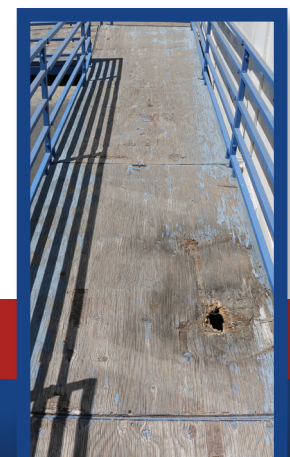
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A History of Fiscal Accountability

In order to help fund these needs, the District is considering all options, including a local bond measure. Keeping with Los Al’s legacy of fiscal stewardship and sound financial management, funding from a bond measure would be subject to strict fiscal accountability, including:

- All money raised by a potential measure would stay local to support Los Al students; nothing could be taken by the State or federal government
- Independent citizen oversight and annual audits would be required
- The measure would require a detailed project list — based on the findings of the Facilities Master Plan and community input — outlining how the money would be spent

Los Al educational facilities need to be modernized to meet 21st-century standards.



We Want to Know What You Think

We welcome your comments and questions as we work to ensure our students have the resources they need to succeed. For more information or to provide input, please visit www.LosAl.org/ShapeTheFuture.