

Measure X General Obligation Bond

The Simi Valley Unified School District has placed a ballot on the November 2016 ballot for a General Obligation Bond. The majority of schools in Simi Valley were built in the 1960's and are now 40 to 60 years old. While the District has maintained and upgraded its schools through the years, there is still a need to repair and modernize older buildings and classrooms to prepare students for college success and ensure they can compete for 21st century jobs.
Below are three key areas of focus that are driving Simi Valley Unified School District's facilities planning into the future. These are the key needs our District has identified that will be addressed by the measure's funds:

REPAIR AND UPGRADE AGING FACILITIES

- ✓ Repair leaky roofs, deteriorating plumbing, electrical and sewer systems.
- ✓ Replace outdated heating, ventilation and air conditioning systems with energy efficient systems that save on energy costs.
- ✓ Make health and safety repairs and improve accessibility for students with disabilities.
- ✓ Replace outdated temporary portable classrooms with modern classrooms that support today's instructional technology and meet challenging academic standards.
- ✓ Upgrade older school buildings to address educational, extracurricular and athletic program needs.

MODERNIZE CLASSROOMS TO 21st CENTURY LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS

- ✓ Modernize outdated classrooms and science labs to ensure students have the skills they need to succeed in a competitive world.
- ✓ Improve student access to technology to support a high quality education.
- ✓ Make energy efficient upgrades to lighting and windows.
- ✓ Modernize high school multipurpose rooms to support athletics and performing arts programs.

IMPROVE SCHOOL SAFETY AND ACCESSIBILITY

- ✓ Upgrade security systems and fire alarms.
- ✓ Improve student safety at drop-off and pick-up areas.
- ✓ Define clear and safe student entry points onto campus.

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