



Cambrian School District

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Safety First.

Over the past five months, we have asked a lot of our Cambrian School District family, like shifting to distance learning overnight, distributing needed laptops and learning materials, keeping our facilities safe and clean, distributing over 43,771 free grab-and-go meals, constantly creating new ways to virtually teach, learn, and connect with students, and so much more.

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CAMBRIAN SCHOOL DISTRICT

A Commitment to Quality Education Since 1865

A COMMUNITY REPORT



Parents and Property Owners – PLEASE READ!



Dear Parents and Community Members:



Everyone knows that quality schools are good for kids and an important part of maintaining a strong Cambrian community. Accordingly, and especially during these challenging times, **our #1 goal at Cambrian School District (CSD) continues to be ensuring academic success for every student, whether in a classroom setting or via virtual distance learning.**

Since COVID-19 hit this past March, we have asked a lot of our CSD family, from **shifting to distance learning virtually overnight, to distributing over 43,771 free meals for families in need.** We have all had to adjust to our new reality amidst the COVID-19 crisis. Our teachers and staff have maintained their commitment to providing quality teaching and learning, even from a distance. We also know that none of this could happen without the support of our parents and our community. I want to thank you, from the bottom of my heart.

Meanwhile, I write you today with a different, growing concern: **aging school facilities.** The state of our classrooms, facilities, and technology is impacting teaching and learning. We make every effort to use resources wisely, and facilities planning continues to be a top CSD priority. However, our needs are serious and growing, and they are now threatening the local quality of education.

Because every child deserves to learn in a safe, healthy, up-to-date classroom—especially in this new COVID-19 era—we need your input. **Please, join the conversation as we continue our planning.** To share your opinions or for more information: Visit our website at: www.cambriansd.org OR contact: Carlena Grandey, Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent by phone: **(408) 377-2103 ext. 1103**, or by email: grandeyc@cambriansd.com.

Thank you again for your continued support. Please feel free to contact me if you have any additional comments or questions. Your feedback matters to us, and helps shape the future of our local public schools.

Sincerely,

Dr. Carrie Andrews

Superintendent, Cambrian School District



Our Priorities

As the local provider of Preschool – 8th grade public education, we believe all students deserve to learn in quality classrooms and school facilities. We have **two** key priorities:

- 1 To ensure academic success for every student attending one of our schools.
- 2 To make sure that our school facilities and school grounds are safe, modern, and equipped to provide the best educational environment possible.

Our Needs

- **MODERNIZE** classrooms, labs, and facilities needed to support high-quality instruction in math, science, engineering, technology, music, and visual and performing arts.
- **REPAIR** aging infrastructure by removing asbestos and lead paint, and repair deteriorating plumbing, restrooms, leaky roofs, drinking fountains, and electrical and HVAC systems.
- **UPDATE** classrooms and computer systems to keep pace with technology and create modern, multi-use classrooms to support hands-on instruction and learning-by-doing.
- **UPGRADE** computers and technology needed for students to take classes, interact with teachers, and complete assignments online if they can't be there in person.
- **IMPROVE** student safety, campus security, and access to school facilities for students with disabilities.

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