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Dear Education Partner,

Thank you for your continued support of the Long Beach Unified School District (LBUSD). Our community has been an amazing partner as we work towards actualizing the LBUSD Vision 2035. Annually, this time of year, LBUSD engages in planning for the Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP). The LCAP is a plan that includes goals, measures, and programs and services intended for the benefit of students, schools and the district. This plan also shares the budgeted amount for each projected program and service using the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF).

Before finalizing this plan, LBUSD would like to invite you to help us understand the wants and needs of students from the community's perspective. Your input will assist us in writing the plan. To do so, we plan to provide your organization with monthly updates on our progress and opportunities to engage in conversations about the LCAP. These updates will provide links to relevant resources as well.

One of the first opportunities for engagement is through the ThoughtExchange platform, which is open through March:

<https://my.thoughtexchange.com/scroll/199272511/welcome>



We are asking participants to take a few minutes to provide feedback in two key areas:

1. **Prioritization:** We seek input on the importance of current programs listed.
2. **Idea Exchange:** Contribute any ideas that we may need in order to create an effective LCAP for students. You can also review and comment on ideas shared by others.

Although this is the first opportunity for feedback, it will not be the last. We would greatly appreciate your assistance in encouraging your agency members to participate in the ThoughtExchange.

For more information, please visit the LCAP webpage at www.lbschools.net/LCAP, where you'll find many useful items.



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