

Proposition 28: Arts and Music in Schools Funding

Annual Report

Fiscal Year 2023-24

Name: Franklin-McKinley Elementary

CDS Code: 4369450-0000000

Allocation Year: 2023-24

1. Narrative description of the Prop 28 arts education program(s) funded. (2500 character limit).

The 2023-24 school year marked a significant advancement in the Franklin-McKinley School District's (FMSD) commitment to enhancing arts education through the strategic utilization of Prop 28 funds. While no additional FMSD staff were hired with these funds, substantial investments were made in instruments and resources to enrich the music programs across the district's schools. FMSD partnered with three organizations to provide quality arts instruction. First, Audacity Performing Arts Project, Inc. provided in-school arts education to participating FMSD sites: Santee, McKinley, Kennedy, Meadows, Franklin, Ramblewood, and Hellyer. Students participated in programming that included cinematic, visual, performing, and audio arts. The in-school programming lasted twenty-four weeks and each session consisted of 30 minutes of instruction by specialized teaching artists. Second, Starting Arts provided hands-on arts experience in dance, music, theater and visual arts in classes taught by skilled professional artists eager to share their expert knowledge and passion with students. Classes are standards-based and align with the Common Core Standards. Starting Arts provided in-school arts education to the following FMSD sites: Dahl, Lairon, Los Arboles, Shirakawa, Stonegate, and Windmill Springs. Third, San Jose Jazz Progressions offered music education programs that included in-school general music classes for all 1st through 3rd-grade students at Santee, Meadows, Kennedy, Stonegate, Shirakawa, and Windmill Springs (32 weeks, 30 minutes weekly), after-school instrumental music education, music technology, and music performances for enrolled 4th through 8th-grade students at Santee, Meadows, Kennedy, Stonegate, Bridges, CCA, Shirakawa, Windmill Springs, and other FMSD schools (32 weeks, 5 hours weekly), and Music Technology. In addition to the partnerships, Prop 28 funds were also allocated to the acquisition of new and updated instruments for the district's 7/8 schools. This investment has significantly expanded the music programs and provided students with access to high-quality instruments and resources. The Prop 28-funded education programs for the 2023-24 school year have had a transformative impact on the Franklin-McKinley School District. As FMSD continues to build on these successes, the district remains committed to providing high-quality arts education and nurturing the next generation of creative thinkers and performers.

2. Number of full-time equivalent teachers (certificated). 0.0

3. Number of full-time equivalent personnel (classified). 0.0

4. Number of full-time equivalent teaching aides. 0.0

5. Number of students served. 4,000

6. Number of school sites providing arts education. 16

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