

Major Elements of 2020-21 Budget for Schools

- No COLA for LCFF or categorical programs, but no major programmatic reductions.
- Up to \$11.1 billion in K-12 payment deferrals. Total deferrals would be reduced if the state receives additional federal funding.
- Total of \$5.3 billion (\$4.8 billion in federal funding and \$540 million Proposition 98 General Fund) for learning loss mitigation funding.
- \$545 million increase in special education funding to increase SELPA base rates to no less than \$625 per student and \$100 million to increase funding for students with low-incidence disabilities.
- State will use 2019-20 ADA for purpose of calculating 2020-21 funding. LEAs can meet instructional minute
 and day requirements through distance learning if they comply with certain requirements.
- Prohibition of layoffs for teachers and classified employees that work in nutrition, transportation, or custodial services.
- In lieu of an LCAP, LEAs must adopt Learning Continuity and Attendance Plans by September 30, 2020. The Superintendent of Public Instruction is to develop a template for these plans by August 1, 2020.