



SEARCH TIMELINE

Laguna Beach Unified School District Superintendent Search

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DECEMBER 2024/ FEBRUARY 2025 Preliminary Phase	December 19	District receives proposals
	February 12	Proposal Presentations / Board Selects Firm
MARCH 2025 Community Engagement	March 6 (Special Mtg)	Initial Meeting with the Board; Board determines characteristics, skills & qualities desired in new superintendent; publicly announces timeline and procedures (Open and Closed Session; approx 3 hrs total)
	March 12-21	Online survey dates
	Week of March 10 and March 19 & 20	Consultants confer with staff and community designated by the Board to receive input
MARCH/APRIL 2025 Advertisement and Recruitment	March	Consultants identify potential candidates; Development and posting of recruitment materials and Position Description
	March 17 & 24	Advertising and active recruitment; Ad appears in EdCal, (Two consecutive publications)
	April 4, 5:00 PM	Deadline for applications
APRIL/MAY 2025 Interviews and Selection	Early to Mid April	Consultants complete comprehensive reference and background checks on applicants
	April 24 3:00 pm (Special Mtg)	Board confers with consultants, reviews all applications and selects candidates to be interviewed (Closed Session; approx 3 hours)
	May 10, 2025 (Special Mtg)	Board interviews candidates; selects finalist(s) (Closed Session; all-day meeting)
MAY/JUNE 2025 Contract Approval	TBD	Board completes the validation process of the leading candidate and makes final determination
	June 9 Regular Scheduled	Board approves superintendent contract at a regularly scheduled board meeting
JULY 2025 Start Date	July 1, 2025 (as mutually agreed)	New superintendent begins