

Proposition 28: Arts and Music in Schools Funding Annual Report

Fiscal Year 2023-24, 2024-25

Name: Bellflower Unified

CDS Code: 1964303-0000000

Allocation Year: 2023-24, 2024-25

1. Narrative description of the Prop 28 arts education program(s) funded.
In 2024 – 25, 4697 students received additional visual and performing arts instruction. Three music teachers, one dance teacher, one art teacher, one theater teacher, and six-part time instructional assistants were hired to support programs. Additional periods of Music Tech, 2D Art, and Film were also offered at secondary this year. The numbers below represent the current full time equivalent employees as some of the employees have resigned since being hired. To supply currently running classrooms a variety of classroom supplies, art supplies, and audio visual equipment including voice amplifiers and recording system was purchased; and, in anticipation of the additional courses next year instruments (recorders, guitars, ukuleles, drums, etc.), storage, and classroom supplies were purchased. This year Secondary also re-surveyed their student population to determine interest for additional VAPA courses, included these courses on the student request form, and have included these courses in the master schedule for next year. Bellflower will be adding additional art sections including Intro to Visual Arts and Art 7/8, 1 section of Intro to Dance, and 1 section of Mariachi and Mayfair has scheduled dance classes and digital media arts sections. Dance and Art teachers are currently posted and being hired as well as instructional aides to support digital and visual arts and the Unified Arts program. A variety of equipment is also being purchased to support the additional digital media arts sections such as cameras, studio lighting, and recording equipment.
2. Number of full-time equivalent teachers (certificated). 5
3. Number of full-time equivalent personnel (classified). 1.76
4. Number of full-time equivalent teaching aides. 1.76
5. Number of students served. 4697
6. Number of school sites providing arts education. 13

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