

June 5, 2025

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Dear Paul Ecke Central Community,

Thank you for your continued partnership and support as we move forward with the exciting reconstruction of Paul Ecke Central (PEC). Scheduled to begin in the summer of 2026, we are enthusiastic about this project and the opportunities a brand-new campus will bring to our students, staff, and the wider community.

Superintendent

Andrée Grey, Ed.D.

As you know, PEC students and staff will be temporarily relocated during the 2026–2027 school year. We deeply appreciate the time many of you took to complete the input form and share your thoughts regarding how students and staff should be temporarily assigned to either Park Dale Lane or El Camino Creek.

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The results showed that 52% of respondents preferred the placement be determined by grade level, 40% preferred by program, and 8% by other considerations, such as proximity.

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After carefully reviewing this input and engaging in thoughtful planning, we have made the decision to move forward with grade-level assignments. This assignment also best supports our delivery models for intervention, enrichment and special education services. Additionally, it allows for the best cross grade articulation and planning between staff members. We understand that our students being temporarily relocated between two campuses will have its challenges, but we want to reassure you that we are approaching this transition with great care. Our goal is to create an experience that continues to support strong peer connections, staff collaboration, and consistency for students.

For the 2026–2027 school year:

- Kindergarten through 3rd grade students will attend El Camino Creek
- 4th through 6th grade students will attend Park Dale Lane

To support this transition, district-provided bussing will be available for all PEC students throughout the construction period. More details on that will be provided in the upcoming school year.

We know that change can bring uncertainty, and we are committed to providing clear communication and support every step of the way. Your patience and trust mean a great deal to us, and we will continue to listen and collaborate with our community as plans move forward.

As a reminder, please join us for an exciting presentation by DLR Architects to see the first initial design proposal for the Paul Ecke Central rebuild! The meeting will be held on **Tuesday, June 10 at 8:05 a.m. in the MPR at PEC**. All families and community members are welcome to attend. [Please RSVP here.](#)

Warmly,

Andrée Grey, Ed.D.
Superintendent

Wes Sechrest
PEC Principal