

Metro Region

JUVENILE COURT AND COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

Metro Region Community Schools, operated by the San Diego County Office of Education (SDCOE), provide educational opportunities for students who have been referred by social services, probation, or one of the 42 school districts in San Diego County.

Each campus is tailored to meet the diverse needs of each student population, united by a common mission to remove barriers and provide students with a high-quality education, academic and wellness supports, and access to community resources.

Several teaching and learning models are available ranging from traditional community school classes, interdisciplinary project-based learning, multiple independent-study models, and hybrid options.

Metro Region offers five programs, including Bayside Independent Study, Career Technical Education Center (CTEC) Independent Study, Lindsay Community School (for pregnant and parenting teens), SOUL Community School, and SOUL Independent Study. All community and courts schools are accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges.

Benefits of Attending a Community School

- Small class sizes
- Dedicated school counselor, social worker, and family liaison
- Services for students with 504s and IEPs
- Social and emotional learning lessons and activities
- Free breakfast and lunch daily for students
- Support services (housing, food, clothing, medical/dental screenings)
- High school diploma and HiSET exam
- Pronto Cards

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Academics

- Offer a-g courses
- Reading Intervention or ELD courses as needed
- Opportunities to take college courses and earn credit while enrolled

College and Career Readiness

- Résumé workshops
- Interview preparation
- Personal documentation retrieval
- Driver's education
- Certifications: CPR, Food Handlers
- Career Technical Education: Graphic design, marketing and sales, child development, hospitality, and digital communications

Mental Health Supports

- Social and emotional learning
- Therapeutic supports

Community Services and Partnerships

- Catalyst for Change
- Children of the Rainbow
- David's Harp
- MAST Counseling
- La Maestra
- Movement Tutors
- Outside the Lens
- Positive Movement Foundation
- San Ysidro Health Center
- Street of Dreams
- Wellness Together