

Plainview-Old Bethpage CSD 2026-2027 Proposed Budget

Workshop #3 Art

Board of Education Meeting
March 9, 2026



Points of Pride

- **Sustained Comprehensive K–12 Art Programming**

- We offer **all areas of visual art at all grade levels**, ensuring consistent access to high-quality arts education across Plainview-Old Bethpage school district. *The Art department supports creative development from foundational skills through advanced, specialized coursework.*

- **Student Engagement, Achievement & Visibility**

- We provide opportunities for students to showcase work through **school, district, community, and state level exhibitions**. *The Art department demonstrates high levels of student engagement and craftsmanship across all buildings*

- **Investment in Industry-Standard Supplies, Tools & Equipment**

- We have maintained and enhanced **professional-grade equipment, materials, and digital tools for students**. *These supplies ensure that students work with resources that reflect current industry and postsecondary expectations.*

- **Career Pathway Readiness & Art Enrichment**

- We have strengthened sequential coursework to support **portfolio development, creative problem-solving, and technical proficiency**. *The Art department prides itself in providing students with authentic experiences aligned to cultural art programs and guest artist visits.*



Department Goals

- **Deepen K–12 Vertical Alignment**

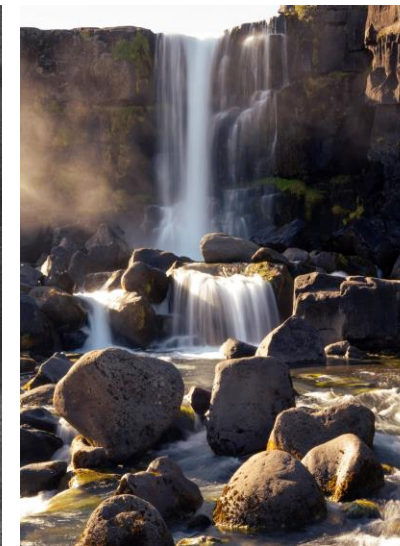
- Continue refining curriculum, materials, and expectations, to ensure a cohesive, sequential K-12 learning experience.

- **Evolve Industry-Standard Learning Environments**

- Maintain and update professional grade tools, materials, and technologies to reflect current and evolving industry practices.

- **Increase Student Visibility & Authentic Art Experiences**

- Expand opportunities for students to be a part of exhibitions, showcases, and community partnerships, to present and reflect on their work.



Planned Initiatives for 2026-2027

- **Continue to Improve Student Art Presentation Opportunities**
 - *Additional hallway display cases at POB JFKHS*
 - *New portable artwork display panels (K-12)*
- **Improvements to Student Art Workspaces, Supplies & Equipment**
 - *New student workstation at POBMS*
 - *New pottery wheels at JFKHS to support our 3D program*
- **Participation in Student Exhibitions & Local/State Contests**
 - *ASA / NYSATA events and NYS Legislative Exhibition*



Budget Drivers

Budget Code	Description	2025-2026 Budget	2026-2027 Proposed Budget	Dollar Difference	% Difference
A-2110-250-00-47-00	DW Art Equipment	\$15,000	\$20,000	\$5,000	33.33%
A-2110-416-00-47-00	DW Art Contractual	\$5,000	\$3,000	(\$2,000)	(40.00%)
A-2110-590-00-47-00	DW Art Equip < \$2.5k	\$14,000	\$11,000	(\$3,000)	(21.43%)



Historical Perspective

2025-2026 Actual Budget	2026-2027 Proposed Budget	Budget-to-Budget \$ Difference	Budget-to-Budget % Difference
\$94,000	\$94,000	\$0	0.00%



Questions & Discussion

Your Vote Matters!



Tuesday, May 19, 2026

- 6:00am-9:00pm
- Jamaica Avenue School
- Mattlin Middle School-
Administration Offices

2026-2027 Budget Website

