

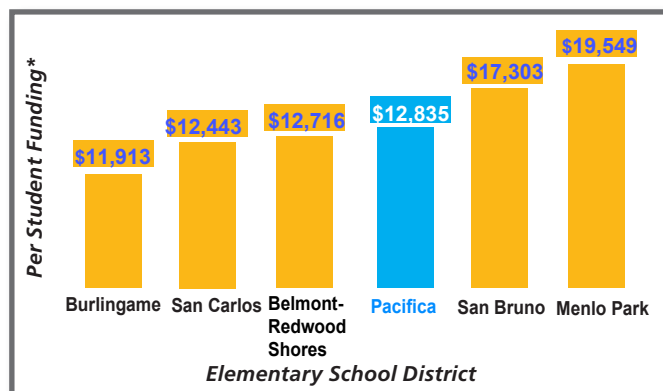


Pacifica School District

Protecting Quality Education

We have excellent schools in Pacifica thanks to strong academic programs and dedicated local teachers that prepare our students to be successful in high school, college and the 21st-century world. Though our students continue to excel, the fact remains that our schools are among the lowest funded in San Mateo County.

For the past seven years, our community has supported high quality education in our elementary and middle schools with locally controlled funding that cannot be taken away by the state. Unless renewed by local voters, this critical source of funding is set to expire soon.



*2024-25 Fiscal Year

Local Funding Would Support Academics and Retain Teachers

The Pacifica School District Board of Education is considering renewing its existing \$118 parcel tax, without increase, during the November 2026 election.

Without this continued source of local funding, the District would have to cut critical educational programs.

Local Education Funding for Our Schools Will:

- Enhance core academic programs like math, science, history, reading and writing
- Support outstanding art, music and electives critical to a well-rounded education
- Attract and retain qualified teachers
- Maintain classroom computer and technology instruction
- Strengthen school library programs
- Maintain programs to support struggling students



The Measure Would Not Increase the Current Tax Rate

- All funds would benefit local schools; nothing could be taken by the state
- No money would be used for administrators' salaries
- An independent Citizens' Oversight Committee ensures funds are spent as promised
- Senior citizen homeowners would continue to be eligible for an exemption
- The measure would expire in 10 years and could not be renewed without voter approval

We Want to Hear From You

As we continue to explore various funding options for our schools, we want to hear from you. For more information about this critical source of funding, please contact Superintendent Dr. Carisa Bowman at (650) 738-6625.