



Saugus Union School District: Measure EE News

Measure EE: Benefiting the Community

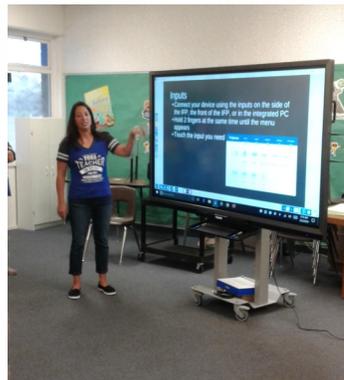


On November 4, 2014, the voters of the Saugus Union School District authorized Measure EE under the Proposition 39 statutes. Measure EE authorized the issuance of \$148 million in General Obligation Bonds, to be used to improve District schools by upgrading technology for 21st Century classrooms, improving school safety and security, repairing/replacing deteriorated roofs, lighting and electrical systems where needed.

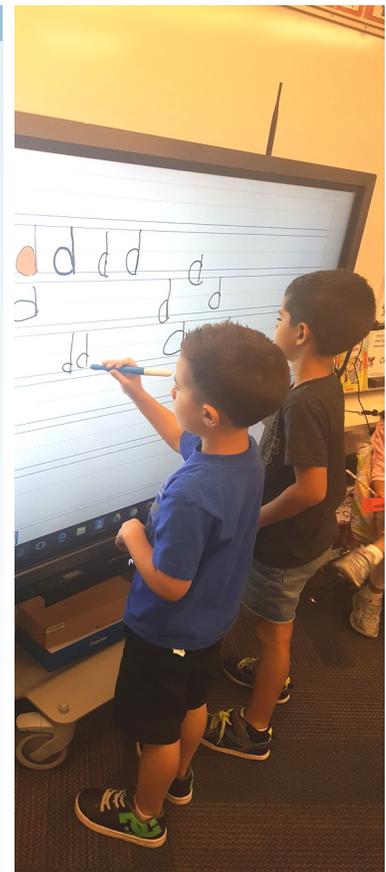
This newsletter is designed for you—our community of parents, guardians and neighbors—to keep you updated on all of the projects that have been completed, are in process or are in planning for the 2016/2017 academic year.

In September, SUSD began its District-wide introduction of Interactive Flat Panels to all classrooms on all campuses. These amazing new pieces of technology expand a teachers ability to engage students using a combination of video/audio immersion, interactive software and upfront inclusion that involves the entire class in the lesson.

As our project list is updated, we will look forward to updating our community and sharing all of the improvements, campus by campus.



New Interactive Flat Panels



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Single Point of Entry for Santa Clarita Elementary (L) and Highlands Elementary (R)

Saugus Union School District

The Saugus Union School District is located in Santa Clarita Valley in Northern Los Angeles County. Currently, we have nearly 10,000 students attending fifteen schools. Each school site offers unique programs and opportunities for every child to achieve academic and personal success. We offer preschool programs on all campuses and have more than 500 preschoolers enrolled.

We proudly acknowledge that all 15 of our schools have received state/national recognition. Fourteen schools were awarded California Gold Ribbons in 2016. Additionally, 14 schools have been recognized as California Distinguished Schools, many of them more than once. Three schools have been recognized as California Title I Achieving Schools and five schools have been recognized as National Blue Ribbon Schools.

Saugus Union School District has an active parent participation at all sites with School Site Councils and Parent Teacher Organizations supporting community and educational needs at each school. Representatives of these organizations join together to form the Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) to meet and share information under the leadership of the District Superintendent.



Completed Project: Highlands Site Grading & Drainage



Completed Project: HVAC Upgrades

Measure EE: Completed Projects

To date, funding from Measure EE has been used to complete the following projects:

- ◇ Completion of the Long Range Comprehensive Master Plan (see it at <http://www.saugusd.org/documents/Business%20Services/Facilities/FMP/Final%20Master%20Plan%20EE.pdf>).
- ◇ HVAC, Roof and Fire Alarm System Upgrade/Repair—Charles Helmers Elementary School
- ◇ Technology Switch Replacement & Connectivity Infrastructure Upgrade—Districtwide
- ◇ New Phone/Communication System—Districtwide
- ◇ New Flooring in Upper/Lower Pods—Charles Helmers Elementary School
- ◇ New Flooring in Building A—Bridgeport Elementary School
- ◇ HVAC EMS Upgrade—Bridgeport Elementary School
- ◇ Site Grading & Drainage—Highlands Elementary School
- ◇ HVAC Zone Upgrade (2nd Floor) - District Office

Measure EE: Projects Underway/In Planning

- ◇ Focused Master Plan being developed for each individual school
- ◇ State Funding Eligibility for New Construction & Modernization
- ◇ Security System Upgrade - Exterior Door Locks—Districtwide
- ◇ Interactive Flat Panels in Every Classroom—Districtwide
- ◇ Site Fencing—Mountainview and Rio Vista Elementary Schools
- ◇ Parking Lot Control Gates—Foster and Plum Canyon Elementary Schools
- ◇ Reconfigure Front of School for Single Point of Entry—Santa Clarita, Highlands and Tesoro del Valle Elementary Schools
- ◇ Lobby Remodel for Single Point of Entry—Foster, North Park and Bridgeport Elementary Schools



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