

BOARD NOTES

Board of Education Regular Meeting – Thurs., October 20, 2022

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Upcoming board meetings in November 2022:

- Thurs., November 3, 2022, 5:30 p.m. (regular session at the DO and via Zoom)
- Thurs., November 17, 2022, 5:30 p.m. (regular meeting at the DO and via Zoom)

The board discussed the following:

- Early Learning staff presented its biannual report with information on enrollment for preschool and school-age programs; curriculum, instruction, and assessment; family engagement; health services; mental health services; learning differences support; and funding.
- The update on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) was postponed to the next board meeting.
- The Santa Monica Education Foundation presented its quarterly report to the board, including fundraising data and next steps through January 2023.
- Following a presentation and proposal from staff, the board directed staff to reallocate the remaining 20% of the Measure ES-2: Phase 1 Technology Budget to better meet the educational priorities and student/staff technology needs.

Special Note:

- The board commended the Career Technical Education team for their recent collaboration with AviNation, where students in the aerospace in engineering pathway at Samohi had the change to learn about aviation career opportunities.

Upcoming board items (schedule subject to change):

- Bike It! Walk It! Golden Sneaker Award – *commendations/recognitions on 11/3/22 or 11/17/22*
- Resolution: National American Indian & Alaska Native Heritage Month – *action on 11/3/22*
- Resolution: Nat'l Inclusive Schools Week (first week of December) – *action on 11/17/22*