

2024-2025
Proposition 28
Arts and Music in Schools Annual Report

Proposition 28:
Arts and Music in Schools Funding Guarantee and Accountability Act

California Heritage YouthBuild Academy received \$18,654 in Prop 28 funding for the 2024-25 school year.

To date, no Prop 28 expenditures have been made, as CHYBA is currently in the structure-and-planning phase of expanding arts instruction. Historically, the school has not had a full-time certificated onsite art instructor, and we are intentionally working toward that goal.

Our vision is to build a fully engaging, standards-aligned arts curriculum led by a credentialed arts teacher. This curriculum will span multiple modalities—visual arts, media/digital arts, music, theater, design, and more—so that all students can connect with the art form that speaks to them. Where appropriate, the instructor may incorporate social-emotional learning (SEL) elements into the arts experience, but arts instruction will not be limited to SEL; the focus will be on creativity, skill-building, and expression in multiple disciplines.

Once implementation begins, we will update this page with full details: how Prop 28 funds are used, what staff are supported, and how the program grows, in compliance with the Arts and Music in Schools Funding Guarantee and Accountability Act.

On November 8, 2022, California voters approved Proposition 28: The Arts and Music in Schools (AMS) Funding Guarantee and Accountability Act. The measure required the state to establish a new, ongoing program supporting arts instruction in schools beginning in 2023–24.

The legislation allocates 1 percent of the kindergarten through grade twelve (K–12) portion of the Proposition 98 funding guarantee provided in the prior fiscal year, excluding funding appropriated for the AMS education program. Local educational agencies (LEAs) with 500 or more students are required to ensure that at least 80 percent of AMS funds to be expended are used to employ certificated or classified employees to provide arts education program instruction. The remaining funds must be

used for training, supplies and materials, and arts educational partnership programs, with no more than 1 percent of funds received to be used for an LEA's administrative expenses.

California Education Code Section 8820(g) states that, as a condition of receipt of funds, a local educational agency (LEA) shall annually

- certify that all AMS funds will be used to provide arts education programs and that AMS funds expended in the prior fiscal year were, in fact, used for those purposes;
- for LEAs with an enrollment of 500 or more pupils, the certification shall also ensure that at least 80 percent of AMS funds to be expended will be used to employ certificated or classified employees to provide arts education program instruction and that the remaining funds will be used for training, supplies and materials, and arts educational partnership programs—unless a waiver has been granted (see Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) 28–29 for information on waivers);
- certify that AMS funds received will be used to supplement funding for arts education programs and that AMS funds expended in the prior fiscal year were, in fact, used to supplement arts education programs (see FAQ 22 for information on supplement verse supplant);
- certify that no more than 1 percent of AMS funds received will be used for a LEA's administrative expenses to implement this chapter and that AMS funds received in the prior fiscal year were, in fact, used within that limit (see FAQ 18 for information on administrative expenses); and
- submit an annual board- or body-approved report in a manner determined by the Superintendent, that shall be posted on the LEA and the California Department of Education's internet websites and that details the type of arts education programs funded by the program, the number of full-time equivalent teachers, classified personnel, and teaching aides, the number of pupils served, and the number of school sites providing arts education programs with those funds

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Annual Report

Fiscal Year 2025-26

Name: California Heritage Youthbuild Academy II

CDS Code: 5310538-0125633

Charter School Number: 1809

Allocation Year: 2024-25, 2023-24

1. Narrative description of the Prop 28 arts education program(s) funded. (2500 character limit).

California Heritage YouthBuild Academy (CHYBA) is currently in the planning and capacity-building phase for implementation of Proposition 28: The Arts and Music in Schools Funding Guarantee and Accountability Act. Until now, CHYBA has not had a structured onsite arts program. Students previously accessed only an online art elective, which offered limited opportunities for hands-on learning or creative collaboration. Recognizing the need for equitable access to high-quality arts education, CHYBA is intentionally developing a program that provides students with engaging, in-person arts experiences aligned with state content standards and the school's whole-student learning model. During 2024–25, the school is focusing on program design and long-term sustainability. No Proposition 28 funds have been expended while this planning work is underway. Key efforts include: Designing a comprehensive arts curriculum incorporating multiple modalities—visual arts, digital and media arts, music, theater, and design—to ensure all students can explore the art form that resonates with them. Establishing a certificated full-time onsite arts instructor position, targeted for hire in 2025–26, to lead instruction and curriculum development. Outlining ways the arts program can reinforce social-emotional learning (SEL) and wellness where appropriate, while maintaining a broad focus on creativity, technical skill, and personal expression. The goal is to launch a fully engaging, standards-aligned arts curriculum that expands creative opportunities for students and enriches CHYBA's trauma-informed, community-based educational approach. Once implementation begins, CHYBA will update its website with detailed information on Prop 28 expenditures, staffing, and program outcomes in full compliance with the Arts and Music in Schools Funding Guarantee and Accountability Act.

2. Number of full-time equivalent teachers (certificated). 0.0

3. Number of full-time equivalent personnel (classified). 0.0

4. Number of full-time equivalent teaching aides. 0.0

5. Number of students served. 0

6. Number of school sites providing arts education. 0

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