

Dear Neighbor,

As we begin the 2025–26 school year, I'm honored to continue serving as your superintendent here in Bonita Unified School District. We are committed to providing our local students a safe, challenging, and comprehensive learning environment through exceptional academic programs led by dedicated educators. When students leave our halls, they are equipped with the skills needed to succeed in college and future careers.

Our Bonita Unified Neighborhood Schools

At Bonita Unified School District, we take pride in our neighborhood schools, and it shows. While all our schools are well maintained, they range from 35 to 88 years old, and many of them now need updates to keep up with today's changing education and safety standards.

Several of our schools have outdated science labs that were built for a different era of education, and students must learn on equipment that is now over 20 years old. Upgraded vocational education classrooms would allow our students to stay competitive with surrounding districts and have the opportunity to explore pathways to careers in health care, public safety, culinary arts, and digital media.

The State Does Not Fund Facility Improvements

The State does not provide adequate funding for facilities, meaning local schools cannot maintain quality educational programs without a local funding source. Securing local funding would help Bonita Unified School District address identified needed improvements and ensure that our students have the tools for success.

Thank you for your continued partnership in keeping our local schools among the best in the State.

Sincerely,








Matt Wien
Superintendent,
Bonita Unified
School District



Measures C and AB

Nearly 20 years ago, our community invested in Bonita Unified School District schools and passed two local school improvement bonds, overseen by a Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee. These locally controlled funds have allowed the District to complete necessary facility projects, including:

-  Technology upgrades in classrooms
-  Security upgrades, including new gates
-  Renovations at every school, including new carpet, paint, cafeteria flooring, and furniture
-  Data line installation underground at elementary schools
-  New lunch shelters and outdoor cafes



Facilities Master Plan

Bonita Unified School District completed a comprehensive facilities master planning process, which identified needed repairs and updates for District schools. While a lot of progress has been made, facility needs exceed the funding that the 2004 and 2008 bond measures provided.



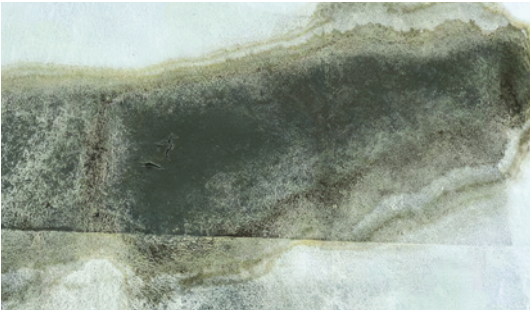
There are still over \$200 million worth of identified urgent repairs and updates needed across all school sites in the District.






To learn more about our Facilities Master Plan, visit
do.bonita.k12.ca.us/District/Business-Services/Facilities-Master-Plan.

Updating Our School Buildings

While no decision has been made, the Bonita Unified School District Board of Education is exploring all potential revenue options, including a local school improvement bond, to fix and improve school facilities to ensure that we can continue to provide a safe, modern learning environment for our students.

Dedicated funding would allow our District to provide safe, updated classrooms, labs, and facilities for all students. Our District has very few options when it comes to funding the critical repairs and updates that our schools need.



HVAC Systems  Systems are over 30 years old districtwide	Plumbing Systems  Original systems are 50–80 years old
Fire Alarm Systems  Upgrades are needed at most school sites	Security Cameras  Only 15% of schools are equipped
Portable Classrooms  Districtwide, 33% of all school classrooms are portables , with many over 50 years old	

Flooding classroom and leaky ceiling at Bonita Unified School District schools



WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Planning for the future of our local schools is a community-wide endeavor. Please share your thoughts or questions with the District by scanning the QR code.

