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School Calendars (K-12)

The Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD) has two instructional calendars for the 2014-2015 school:

Single-Track Calendar (Traditional)

- First Semester – Aug. 12, 2014
- Admission's Day – Aug. 29, 2014
- Winter Recess – Dec. 22, 2014 - Jan. 9, 2015
- Second Semester – Jan. 12, 2015
- Spring Recess – March 30 – April 3, 2015
- Last Day of Instruction – June 4, 2015

Four-Track Calendar (Year-round) Bell HS

- First Semester starts for Track B,C,D: July 1, 2014
- First Semester starts for Track A: Aug. 14, 2014
- Winter Recess – Dec. 22, 2014 - Jan. 2, 2015
- Second Semester (Tracks B,C,D) – Jan. 5, 2015
- Second Semester (Track A) – Feb. 13, 2015
- Last Day of Instruction (Track D) – May 7, 2015
- Last Day of Instruction (Tracks A,B,C) – June 30, 2015

School Holidays

Labor Day – Sept. 1, 2014
 Veterans Day – Nov. 11, 2014
 Thanksgiving – Nov. 24 - 28, 2014
 Christmas – Dec. 25 & Dec. 31, 2014
 New Year's Day – Jan. 1, 2015
 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day – Jan. 19, 2015
 President's Day – Feb. 16, 2015
 Cesar E. Chavez Birthday (observed) – April 6, 2015
 Memorial Day – May 26, 2015

Student Enrollment

Elementary Schools (K-5)	270,913*
Middle Schools (6-8)	112,749*
Senior High Schools (9-12)	138,778*
Charter Schools (Independent)	95,207*
Special Day Programs in Special Ed. Schools**	2,893*
Special Day Programs in Regular Schools	25,423*
Continuation and Opportunity Schools	5,359*
Adult Education Schools	255,697*
Total K-12 Enrollment	651,322*
Total LAUSD Enrollment (including Adult Education)	907,019*

*Figures reflect September 2013-2014 data.

**Count does not reflect total enrollment of Special Education students, including those attending regular Pre-K to 12th-grade LAUSD schools.

Schools and Centers

Individual schools vary widely in enrollment size. Elementary schools range from less than 200 to more than 1,100 pupils. Middle schools run up to 1,800 students and high schools to more than 3,000 students. (Figures reflect September 2014-15 data.)

Primary School Centers	18
Elementary Schools	457
Middle Schools	85
Senior High Schools	103
Option Schools	55
Magnet Schools	34
Multi-level Schools	21
Special Education Schools	13
Centers for Advanced Transition Skills	1
Home/Hospital	1
Total	788
K-12 Magnet Centers (on regular campuses)	
Elementary	46
Middle	51
Senior	55
Total	152
Charter Schools	207
Other Schools and Centers	
Community Adult Schools	10
Regional Occupational Centers/Program	1
Alternative Education Work Centers	26
Early Education Centers	86
Total	123
Total	1,270

Student Characteristics

In all, 93 languages other than English are spoken in LAUSD schools. The District has 161,484 students who are learning to speak English proficiently. Their primary languages are Spanish (93.1% of English learners), Korean (1.0%), Armenian (1.1%), Tagalog, Cantonese, Arabic, Vietnamese and Russian, each accounting for less than 1% of total. (Reflects 2013-14 data.)

Latino	73.4%
African American	10.0%
White	8.8%
Asian	3.9%
Filipino	2.2%
Pacific Islander	.04%
American Indian	.04%
Two or more races, not Latino	1.0%
Total	99.74%

Note: Approximately 80% of LAUSD students qualify for free- or reduced-price meals. Figures reflect October 2013-14 data.



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School District Employees

Figures reflect July 2014 data.

	2014-15	2013-14
K-12 Teachers	25,906	26,364
Adult Teachers	799	887
Early Education Teachers	558	562
Total (1)	27,263	27,813
K-12 Administrators	2,113	2,036
Adult Ed. Administrators	49	55
Early Education Administrators	44	44
Total (2)	2,206	2,135
Other Certificated Support Personnel(3)	3,783	3,657
Regular Classified Personnel	26,311	26,534
Total Employees	59,563	60,139

Notes: (1) Includes classroom teachers and non-classroom teaching positions, such as instructional coaches.

(2) Includes school-based administrators and nonschool-based local district and central office administrators.

(3) Includes non-teaching and non-administrative certificated personnel, including nurses, counselors and school psychologists.

LAUSD Boundaries

The District covers an area, totaling 710 square miles. This includes most of the city of Los Angeles, along with all or portions of 31 cities and unincorporated areas of Los Angeles County. About 4.8 million people live within the District's boundaries.

Cities Entirely Within LAUSD

Cudahy	Maywood
Gardena	San Fernando
Huntington Park	Vernon
Lomita	West Hollywood

Cities Partially Within LAUSD

Alhambra *	Long Beach
Bell	Lynwood
Bell Gardens	Montebello
Beverly Hills	Monterey Park
Calabasas *	Rancho Palos Verde
Carson	Rolling Hills Estates
City of Commerce	Santa Clarita *
Culver City	Santa Monica
Downey	South Gate
El Segundo	South Pasadena *
Hawthorne	Torrance
Inglewood	

* Only a few parcels of land generating no enrollment are within LAUSD.

Financial Information

More than 85% of L.A. Unified's General Fund comes from the state, and is the primary operating fund for the K-12 program.

	2014-2015	2013-2014
Certificated salaries (teachers, librarians, counselors, nurses, and administrators)	\$2.64 billion	\$2.60 billion
Classified salaries (e.g., instructional aides, office employees, custodians, plumbers, bus drivers and their supervisors)	\$825 million	\$773 million
Employee benefits (retirement plans, employee health insurance and Workers' Compensation Insurance)	\$1.47 billion	\$1.43 billion
Books and Supplies (textbooks, instructional materials, general supplies and fuel)	\$802 million	\$672 million
Other operating expenses (contracts, utilities, rents and leases, travel expense and instructional consultants)	\$709 million	\$782 million
Capital Outlay (cost of facilities [land and buildings], books and media for libraries and equipment)	\$46.7 million	\$12.3 million
Other outgoing expenses (miscellaneous items)	\$130.5 million	\$196 million
Total Expenses General Fund	\$6.63 billion	\$6.47 billion

All estimates come from the Superintendent's Final Budget 2014-15. Most of the District's capital outlay were noted as bond funds, and are devoted only to school construction and modernization.

School Construction

The LAUSD is undergoing a \$19.5 billion voter-approved transformation to build new schools to reduce overcrowding and improve existing campuses throughout the District. Since the first bond was passed in 1997, the District has built **130** new K-12 schools. More than 24,000 modernization and repair projects have been completed at existing campuses. For more information, visit: www.laschools.org.

Vision

Every LAUSD student will receive an education in a safe, caring environment and every student will be college-prepared and career-ready.

Mission

LAUSD will provide high-quality instruction and a coherent and rigorous curriculum in every classroom to facilitate student learning and achievement.