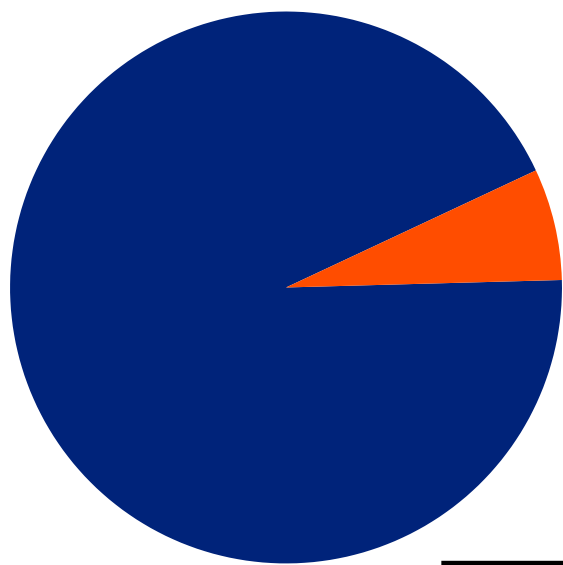


Student Equity Needs Index (SENI)

The Student Equity Needs Index (SENI) was implemented to create a more inclusive and holistic understanding of our students' needs, and to empower schools with additional funds to address those needs at the local level.

Total 2024-2025 LAUSD Budget



SENI is a weighted formula that allocates **3.8%** of the District's total 2024-25 Budget (approximately \$700 million) directly to schools.

Each school receives a SENI score based on a set of academic and community indicators, which determines the amount of funds they receive.

Academic Indicators



- Incoming 6th/9th Grade Math State Test
- Incoming 6th/9th Grade ELA State Test
- 1st Grade Primary Literacy Test
- A-G Completion Rate (High School Only)

School Climate Indicators



- Chronic Absenteeism
- Suspension Rates
- iStar Reports

School Demographics

- Percent Foster Youth
- Percent Homeless Youth
- Percent English Learners
- Percent Standard English learners
- Percent Low-Income Students with Disabilities
- Percent of Unduplicated Students

Community Indicators

- Asthma Severity Rate in School Neighborhood
- Non-Fatal Gunshot Injuries in School Neighborhood
- COVID Death Rate



School Targeted Student Plans (TSP)

Schools receiving funds through the SENI allocation must articulate in their TSP Plans how they will use these funds to increase or improve services and programs to close equity gaps for the LCFF target student groups: English Learners, Low-Income, and/or in Foster Care. This is in alignment with the District's LCAP.

SENI funds to schools are integrated into the LCAP under Goals 1-3

Visit the [website](#) to learn more about SENI and our schools' TSP Plans.