

**Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District
Board of Education Meeting
AGENDA**

February 22, 2005

The Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District Board of Education will hold a **workshop** at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, February 22, 2005 in the Board Room of the District Offices, 1651 16th Street, Santa Monica, CA.

I CALL TO ORDER

A. Roll Call

Emily Bloomfield - President
Julia Brownley - Vice-President
Oscar de la Torre
Jose Escarcé
Maria Leon-Vazquez
Shane McCloud
Kathy Wisnicki

B. Pledge of Allegiance

II Middle School Math - Workshop

Student achievement in mathematics at the middle school level sets the stage for numerous course and college options for students in the next few years. Each middle school is committed to supporting all students to reach state expectations for knowledge and performance in middle school math, including algebra and for some students geometry. John Adams Middle School, Lincoln Middle School, and Malibu High School administrators and staff will discuss their mathematics program options, strengths and challenges, and plans under consideration for the coming year. Dialogue with board members around these issues will help define issues and refine strategies for ensuring success for all students.

Part I: School Dialogue

7 - 8 p.m. (10 min per school with 10 min. per school discussion, Q & A)

- Adams, Lincoln, Malibu
- Courses offered currently
- Pathway Criteria
- What is Working Well/What is Not Working Well
- Evidence - Observations, discussions with colleagues, performance data
- Issues Remaining:
 - Course offerings for 05-06
 - Fine tuning over a 3-5 year period
 - Needs
 - Next steps

If you will require accommodation to participate in the Board meeting, please notify the Superintendent's Office at least one day prior to the meeting.

Part II: District Dialogue
8-8:30 p.m. (10 min. for district with 20 min. for discussion, Q & A)

- Strengths and Challenges
- 3-5 year plan
- Measures of Success
- Professional Development Needs

III PUBLIC COMMENTS

Public Comments is the time when members of the audience may address the Board of Education on items not scheduled on the meeting's agenda. All speakers are limited to three (3) minutes. When there is a large number of speakers, the Board may reduce the allotted time to two(2) minutes per speaker. The Brown Act (Government Code) states that Board members may not engage in discussion of issues raised during "VIII, Public Comments" except to ask clarifying questions, make a brief announcement, make a brief report on his or her own activities, or to refer the matter to staff. This Public Comment section is limited to 20 minutes.

XX ADJOURNMENT

This meeting will adjourn to a regular meeting scheduled to be held on Thursday, March 3, 2005, at 7 p.m. in the Board Room of the District Offices, 1651 16th Street, Santa Monica, CA.