

Santa Barbara School Districts

Board Brief

Information for the Board of Education from Superintendent J. Brian Sarvis, Ed.D.

720 Santa Barbara Street Santa Barbara, CA 93101 (805) 963-4338 www.sbsd12.org

Friday, October 16, 2009

1. Office of the Superintendent

- Translation/broadcast of board of education meetings
- Interdistrict open enrollment policy and regulation
- César Chavez Charter School Renewal

2. Educational Services

- School Demographics Fall 2009
- Elementary GATE Identification Data

3. Fiscal Services

- Implementation of Systems at Comprehensive High Schools to Ensure Proper Attendance Accounting
- County Auditor Controller Measure H and I Administrative Fees

4. Facilities and Operations

- Information on sewer line failure at McKinley Elementary School
- Information on proposed changes to AR 1330

⌘ Calendar

October

Regular Board Meeting 27

⌘ For Your Information

News Articles, Papers, Reports

While articles that are timely or of particular relevance are included in the Board Brief, recent issues of a number of education-related publications are available from the Superintendent’s Office for review (e.g., Ed Cal, Education Week, and The Fiscal Report).

School Services of California, Inc, “Rebuttal to Supplantation-You Can’t Supplant What’s Not There,” May 23, 2008

School Services of California, Inc, The Fiscal Report, “UCLA Forecasters Say Recession’s Effects Will Last Into Next Decade,” October 2, 2009.

Ed Valentine, “Viewpoint, San Luis Coastal School District: Funding Explained”

Virginia L. Alvarez, “School Funding in California and the Uniqueness and Vulnerability of Basic Aid Funding,” University of Southern California Rossier School of Education, May 2009.

U.S. Department of Education, "Evaluation of Evidence-Based Practices in Online Learning: A Meta-Analysis and Review of Online Learning Studies," www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/oeped/ppss/reports.html.