

**Redlands USD**  
**Argument in Favor of Measure D**

**For the health and safety of our kids, vote YES on D!**

Our students deserve to learn in classrooms that are healthy and safe, but over 80% of local schools are more than 60-years-old and in urgent need of basic health and safety repairs.

YES on D CREATES SAFER SCHOOLS BY:

- ✓ Removing asbestos, mold and lead
- ✓ Fixing leaky roofs
- ✓ Repairing deteriorating sewer, gas and electrical systems
- ✓ Repairing plumbing and bathrooms
- ✓ **Protecting students from the impact of extreme heat**

We know how hot it gets here. Our older schools have ancient wiring that cause more frequent power outages that not only disrupt learning, it puts our children's health at serious risk.

YES on D will create safer schools by updating wiring, better windows, efficient air conditioning and shade structures to keep our kids safe in all types of weather.

Measure D includes strong fiscal accountability provisions:

Measure D creates an Independent Citizens Oversight Committee to monitor how funds are spent  
Measure D requires annual audits  
Measure D requires public disclosure of all spending

**By law, all Measure D funds must be used ONLY for Redlands USD schools and cannot be taken by the State.**

In these challenging times, it's critical that our local schools prepare students to compete in the twenty-first century economy.

YES on D also improves vocational and career education programs by upgrading classrooms and equipment to introduce students to skilled trade careers and provide quality job training opportunities that allow students who choose not to go to college to acquire hands-on world skills and compete for good-paying jobs when they graduate.

Join Redlands Unified parents from Redlands, Highland, Loma Linda, Mentone and San Bernardino along with teachers, firefighters, nurses and community leaders in voting YES on D.

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ballot measure \_\_\_\_\_ at the November 5, 2024, General Election election for the Measure Letter Title of Election

San Bernardino County to be held on November 5, 2024 hereby state that this Jurisdiction Date of Election

argument is true and correct to the best of his/her/their knowledge and belief. his/her/their

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