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Name: Palmdale Aerospace Academy

CDS Code: 1964857-0125377

Allocation Year: 2023-24

1. Narrative description of the Prop 28 arts education programs(s) funded.

The Palmdale Aerospace Academy Elementary School's Prop 28 Arts Education

Program is an inspiring initiative that fosters creativity, cultural awareness, and self-

expression. This program ensures that every student has regular, quality access to the

arts, enriching our curriculum with a blend of visual arts, music, singing, and dance.

Students will participate in age-appropriate projects that build foundational skills and

cultivate a love for the arts. Throughout the year, students share their work with the

community through art showcases and school performances that celebrate their

creativity and growth.

TPAA's middle school Prop 28 plan is an enriching initiative aimed at expanding and

enhancing students' access to arts education, bringing creativity, cultural literacy, and

artistic expression to every student. The program spans visual arts, music, and theater,

offering each student a well-rounded experience across multiple disciplines.

Presentations on Visual and Performing Arts for 2025-26 to help students explore visual

storytelling, with seasonal showcases where students present their art.

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Music: Students explore music appreciation giving them opportunities to explore music history, composition, and musical genres to connect with the power of rhythm, melody, and harmony.

Theater Arts: Theater classes give students the chance to learn performance skills, character development, and stage production.

TPAA's high school Prop 28 plan brings vibrant opportunities to explore and develop students' creative talents. This program, dedicated to expanding arts access, is committed to offering comprehensive and diverse arts classes to all students.

Digital Arts: Digital art and game design introduces students to the process of conceptualizing, designing, and creating playable interactive digital experiences.

Students will learn foundational art skills in illustration and graphic design in order to create characters and environments that communicate an effective visual narrative.

Art History: Students will learn artworks chronologically, beginning with Paleolithic painting/sculpture and ending with Post-Modernist contemporary artists.

2-D Art and Design: This year, we will be preparing for beginning a new AP 2D (Digital Art) course. We'll be piloting curriculum, reviewing instructional material, and finalizing any training needed. AP 2D is a college-level course focused on developing skills and creating a portfolio of two-dimensional art and design work. It emphasizes inquiry-based artistic practice, technical skill, and conceptual depth. Students develop a body of work demonstrating their ability to investigate ideas, use various materials and processes,

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and communicate effectively through 2D art forms. Students will create unique works of

art and develop an inquiry that guides art making through practice, experimentation, and

revision of materials, processes, and ideas while demonstrating 2-D art and design

skills through graphic design, sequential art, photography, collage, printmaking,

illustration, industrial design, animation, game design, painting, fibers, and others. The

course is expected to launch in the 2026-2027 school year.

2. Number of full-time equivalent teachers (certificated). 0

3. Number of full-time equivalent personnel (classified). 0

4. Number of full-time equivalent teaching aides. 0

5. Number of students served. 2,313

6. Number of school sites providing arts education. 3

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