



Together We Can, Together We Will, Build a Brighter Future

September 8, 2022

Dear Hollister High School parents, staff and community:

The District is sending you this reminder that community input is crucial as we receive and respond to questions from parents, teachers, local leaders, and community members about the need for a second high school, particularly since Hollister High School is now the fourth largest high school in Northern California and continues to grow. The school has capacity for approximately 3,437 students, but for the 2022-2023 school year, enrollment is projected to exceed 3,500 students

As the San Benito High School District works to serve current residents and a growing student population, we are forming a Facilities Needs Committee to provide input on the location, educational programs, facilities, and access for the new high school. The Committee will be composed of educators, parents, students, as well as community and business leaders.

We appreciate those who have already responded to express interest in being part of the process. If you'd like to be considered, please contact Carol Heiderich, Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent, at her email address, cheiderich@sbhsd.k12.ca.us, no later than Friday, Sept. 23.

As our community and campus continue to grow, we look forward to keeping you informed about and involved in the process of planning the next steps to accommodate our students' needs. I will share additional FAQ's as the process moves forward, but in the meantime, please reach out to Mrs. Heiderich if you are interested in being part of our Facility Needs Committee. And please remember, every day is a great day to be a Baler!

Sincerely,

San Benito High School District Superintendent Dr. Shawn Tennenbaum

