



Notice to Voters

Information About Measure A for Berryessa Union School District on the November 2, 2021 Ballot



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Since 2008, Berryessa Union School District (BUSD) elementary and middle schools have relied on locally controlled parcel tax funding to help maintain quality education for local students, challenging them to excel academically and preparing them for high school and 21st-century careers.

This funding is soon set to expire, which could result in teacher layoffs and the elimination of some academic programs.

Renewing Local Funding for Berryessa Schools

To protect the quality of education and instruction in local schools, the BUSD Board of Trustees unanimously voted to place Measure A on the November 2, 2021 ballot. <u>Measure A would not increase taxes</u>, but simply renew the existing parcel tax at \$79 per parcel, per year, for eight years in order to:



Maintain core academic programs



Provide learning technology



Attract and retain quality teachers



Keep school libraries open



Retain school counselors and library/media technicians



- All funds are locally controlled and cannot be taken by the State
- No funds can be used for administrator salaries or pensions
- ✔ Independent citizens' oversight and audits are required
- Senior citizen homeowners are eligible for an exemption

Key Election Dates and Voting Information

Election Date: November 2, 2021

Look for Your Vote-by-Mail Ballot: Week of October 4, 2021

Last Day to Register to Vote in This Election: October 19, 2021

Find Your Nearest Ballot Drop-Box or Vote Center: eservices.sccgov.org/rov

For more information about voting in this election, visit sccvote.org.

www.tinyurl.com/BUSDMeasureA (408) 923-1800

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SAMPLE BALLOT

BERRYESSA UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT Quality Education Measure A

"To renew, without increasing taxes, expiring local elementary and middle school funding that cannot be taken by the State; maintain core academic programs in science, technology, math, reading and writing; attract and retain quality teachers; provide learning technology; keep school libraries open; shall the Berryessa Union School District measure be adopted renewing its existing \$79 annual parcel tax, providing \$1,800,000 annually for 8 years, with citizen oversight, senior exemptions, no funds for administrator salaries, all funds staying local?"

