ESCONDIDO CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL PROP 28 ARTS AND MUSIC IN SCHOOLS (AMS) ANNUAL REPORT

Prop 28 AMS Grant Award: \$136,552

Background: On November 8, 2022, California voters approved Proposition 28: The Arts and Music in Schools (AMS) Funding Guarantee and Accountability Act. The measure required the state to establish a new, ongoing program supporting arts instruction in schools beginning in 2023–24.

The legislation allocates 1 percent of the kindergarten through grade twelve (K–12) portion of the Proposition 98 funding guarantee provided in the prior fiscal year, excluding funding appropriated for the AMS education program. Local educational agencies (LEAs) with 500 or more students are required to ensure that at least 80 percent of AMS funds to be expended are used to employ certificated or classified employees to provide arts education program instruction. The remaining funds must be used for training, supplies and materials, and arts educational partnership programs, with no more than 1 percent of funds received to be used for an LEA's administrative expenses.

These funds were received in late February 2024, not allowing sufficient time to thoughtfully plan and execute expenditures for the 2023-2024 school year. LEAs have three years to spend each annual allocation. Escondido Charter High School plans to begin spending these funds in the 2024-2025 school year. Escondido Charter High School plans to spend 80% of these funds on certificated or classified employees and 20% of these funds on arts curriculum and supplies.

CDS Code: 3768106-3731023

Charter School Number: 109

Allocation Year: 2023-24

- 1. Narrative description of the Prop 28 arts education program(s) funded. As funds were received in February 2024, ECHS did not expend these grant funds. ECHS will spend them in the 24-25 and 25-26 school years.
- 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. 0

$\textbf{6. Number of school sites providing arts education.} \ 0$

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