



Fast Facts

The mission of the Norwalk-La Mirada Unified School District, in collaboration with parents and community, shall develop in all students the knowledge, understanding, skills, and attitudes to empower them to become life-long learners and productive citizens in an ever-changing world. This will be accomplished in a climate that promotes high expectations, strives to meet individual needs and values diversity.

Our Budget

Operating Budget (2009-2010).....	\$193.3 Million
Per –pupil expenditure	\$9,290
Beginning teacher salary	\$70,026

Our Schools

Total number of schools.....	28
Elementary schools	17
Middle schools	6
High schools.....	3
Continuation High School.....	1
Adult School (2 Sites).....	2

Graduates

Total number of 2009 graduates	1366
Percentage of Seniors with SAT Score of Greater than 1500	
NLMUSD (District-wide)	30.45%
Los Angeles County (County-wide)	40.56%
California (State-wide).....	48.67%

Our Employees

NLMUSD is one of the largest employers in the cities of Norwalk and La Mirada.

Total number of employees.....	3,971
Total full-time teachers	994
Total student support staff.....	316
Total administrative/office staff.....	919
K=12 Highly Qualified Teachers with	
Five Years of Teaching	92%
Total teachers with advanced degrees.....	454
National Board-certified teachers	2
Average teacher experience	11 years

Our Students

Total number of students enrolled (excludes Pre-K)	21,097
Ramona HeadStart State Preschool.....	760
First 5 Preschool Program/LAUP Preschool Prgm.....	241
In Classroom (145)	
Home Based Program (96)	
Kindergarten-Grade 5.....	9,207
Grades 6-8	5,005
Grades 9-12	6,874
Adult School.....	10,274

Student Ethnic Distribution

American Indian/multiracial	131
Asian.....	1,466
African-American.....	674
Hispanic	15,965
Pacific Islander.....	159
White	2,486

Diversity

Native languages spoken by students in NLMUSD	43
Countries represented in NLMUSD.....	52
Students learning English as a Second Language.....	4,870

Child Nutrition

Percentage of 2009/2010 students who qualify for	
Free or Reduced Lunch	58%

Meal Cost

Breakfast (all grade levels).....	\$1.25
Pre-School and Elementary School Lunch	\$1.75
Middle and High School.....	\$2.25
Adult (Special Education Only)	\$2.25

Transportation

Total number of buses	69
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