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Meeting of March 29, 2017

TO: Wendy S. Tukloff, Ed.D., Superintendent
For Board of Trustees

FROM: Will Lucey, Executive Director, Educational Support Services

SUBJECT: **California School Dashboard**

Background

A Pacifica School District Board of Trustees work study was held on Wednesday, February 15, 2017 to inform the Trustees regarding changes to the LCAP, direction for PSD 2017-18 LCAP, understand current 2016-2017 budget and direction for 2017-18 proposed budget. The PowerPoint for the work study is available on the district website attached to the 2/15/17 Board Work Study. A summary of the presentation was presented at the March 8, 2017 Board Meeting.

Based on the [Local Control Funding Formula \(LCFF\)](#), which was passed in 2013, California has a new accountability system that is based on multiple measures. These measures are used to determine district and school progress toward meeting the needs of their students. The measures are based on factors that contribute to a quality education, including high school graduation rates, college/career readiness, student test scores, English learner (EL) progress, suspension rates, and parent engagement.

Performance on these multiple measures will be reported through the new **California School Dashboard** (Dashboard) which went live on March 15 to the public. The new accountability system reflects a clear expectation that all LEAs and schools can and should improve and emphasizes equity by focusing on student group performance. This new multiple measures system replaces the former Academic Performance Index (API), which was based solely on testing results, and the federal requirement to calculate Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP).

The Pacifica School District data from the new [CA Dashboard](#) and [California Model Five-by-Five Placement Reports & Data](#) will be presented. Screen shots of the PSD Dashboard are attached for reference.