



Antioch Unified School District
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Dear Parents and Neighbors,

As the principal of Turner Elementary School, I am writing to share some important information regarding our Antioch schools.

You are probably aware that many of our schools in Antioch are old. Constant use and changing education needs require significant upgrades – way beyond our school budget. Let me explain.

Turner Elementary School, built 57 years ago, is a warm and inviting campus. We take pride in our commitment to regular maintenance. In the past year, we took important steps to enhance its condition, including painting the exterior, addressing dry rot issues, and renovating a portable classroom.

However, after nearly six decades of use, more substantial work is needed. To further improve the learning environment and for comfort and energy efficiency, we need to replace the electrical, heating, and ventilation systems. Children's restrooms need renovation.

Playground structures and asphalt surfaces are also in need of renovation for safety.

When the school was built, there were no computers and technology consisted of an overhead projector. Today, technology is used in every classroom requiring comprehensive renovations to provide Turner's 427 students with the best tools for success.

As you may know, Antioch schools do not receive any funds from the state for facility improvements. This forces our school district to rely on other sources, including local public support such as bond measures.

If you have questions or want to know exactly what improvements are planned for Turner Elementary School, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,