



# At Its CORE



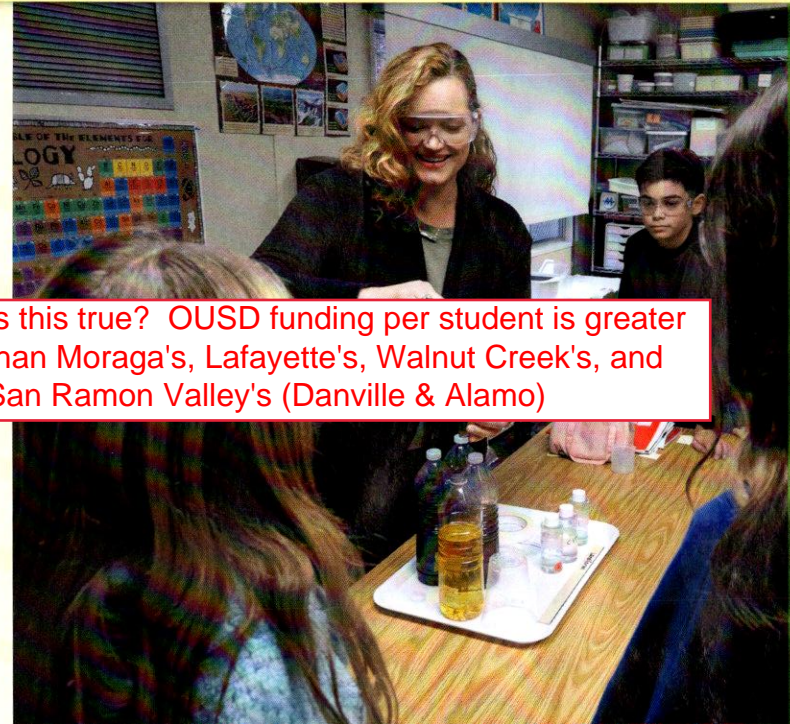
# Great Teachers are the **CORE** of a Quality Education



Orinda's outstanding local elementary schools and intermediate school are the core of our great community. Having an excellent teacher in the classroom is the most important element of providing a quality education.

Thanks to dedicated teachers and strong academic programs, Orinda schools are some of the best in the State. However, out of over 1,000 school districts in California, Orinda Union School District consistently ranks in the bottom ten in per student funding. As a result, Orinda schools increasingly lose qualified and experienced teachers to San Ramon and other school districts that offer more competitive compensation.

Is this true? OUSD funding per student is greater than Moraga's, Lafayette's, Walnut Creek's, and San Ramon Valley's (Danville & Alamo)



## Quality Teachers and **CORE** Academics

Measure Z provides critical local funding to attract and retain highly qualified teachers in Orinda classrooms to support core academic programs in science, technology, engineering, reading, writing, arts and music.



## Student Success Is at the **CORE** of Measure Z

- Attract and retain qualified and experienced teachers
- Support quality academic programs in science, technology, engineering, reading, writing, arts and music
- Keep class sizes small



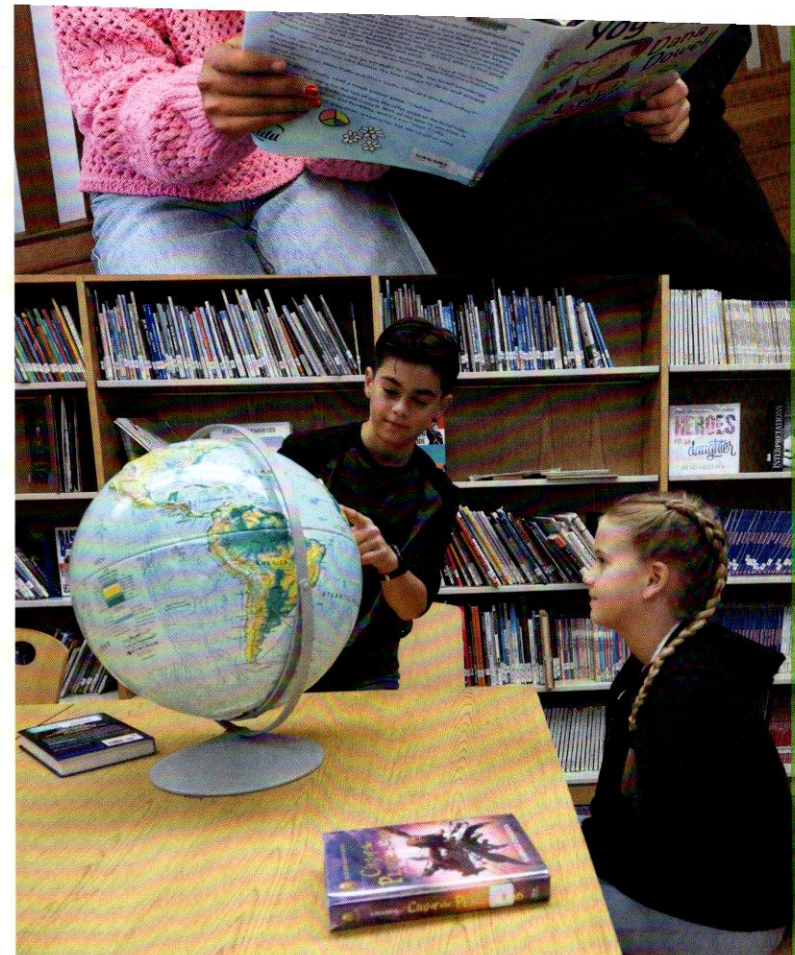
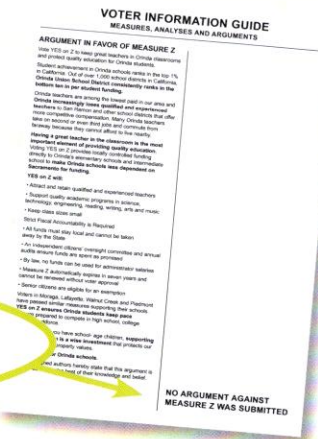


## Fiscal Accountability Is at the CORE of Measure Z

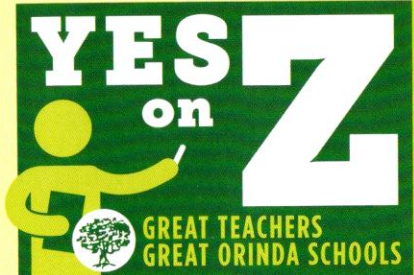
- All funds must stay local and cannot be taken away by the State
- An independent citizens' oversight committee and annual audits ensure funds are spent as promised
- By law, no funds can be used for administrator salaries
- Measure Z automatically expires in seven years and cannot be renewed without voter approval
- Senior citizens are eligible for an exemption

There are usually two sides to every argument, but check your ballot book... **There is no argument against Measure Z.**

**NO ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE Z WAS SUBMITTED**



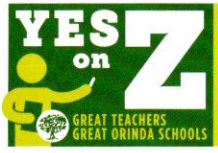
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**BY MARCH 7,**  
**Yes on Z: For Great Teachers**  
**and Great Orinda Schools**

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No numbers. No link to where numbers can be found. Not even the cost per parcel or total funds raised



Orinda Community for Excellent Schools,  
Yes on Z  
P.O. Box 330  
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About 300 individuals' names. Only 12 made a donation to support the tax.



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# Join Us in Supporting Orinda Teachers and Students!



## Organizations

Orinda Educators' Association  
Orinda Network for Education (ONE)  
Del Rey Parents' Club  
Glorietta Parents' Club  
Miramonte Parents' Club  
Orinda Intermediate School Parents' Club  
Sleepy Hollow Parents' Club  
Wagner Ranch Parents' Club  
AUHSD Governing Board  
Lamorinda Democratic Club  
Christina Linezo Real Estate

## Elected Officials

Steve Glazer, State Senator  
Rebecca Bauer-Kahan, State Assemblymember  
Don Perata, Fmr. State Senate President Pro Tem  
Candace Andersen, CoCo County Supervisor  
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Amy Worth, Fmr. Mayor  
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Moraga-Orinda Fire District Director  
Alex Evans, Fmr.  
Moraga-Orinda Fire District Chair

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