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# Early Ed Outdoor Classrooms: Program Update

Greening Schools & Climate Resilience  
Committee Meeting  
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# EEC Outdoor Classrooms



64 Board-Approved projects ~ \$251.2 million providing dynamic outdoor spaces with learning stations including music & movement, building, gardening, art & more.

- 33 completed
- 13 in construction
- 17 in pre-construction

Campus upgrades are included in many outdoor classroom projects to provide new HVAC, roofing, playground matting, fire alarm & ADA accessibility upgrades.



# CAL FIRE Grant Funding

Six (6) Board-Approved EEC outdoor classroom projects received grant funding from the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE) Green Schoolyards Program:

- 75<sup>th</sup> Street EEC
- El Sereno EEC
- Hawaiian EEC
- Holmes EEC
- San Fernando EEC
- Vine Street EEC

CAL FIRE funding covered approximately 16% of project costs



# 75<sup>TH</sup> Street EEC: Outdoor Classroom

243 W 75th Street, Los Angeles, CA 90003



**Project Status: 98% Construction Complete**

**Construction Start:** Q1 2025 **Completion:** Q2 2026

**Project Scope:** Outdoor classroom with at least 10 learning stations covering ~12,700 sq. ft. to provide wide-ranging mix of educational activities including art, music, building, wheel toys, climbing/balancing, gardening and more.

**Budget:** \$5.1 million



# El Sereno EEC: Outdoor Classroom

3802 Pueblo Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90032



**Project Status: 100% Construction Complete**

**Construction Start:** Q1 2025 **Completion:** Q1 2026

**Project Scope:** Outdoor classroom with at least 10 learning stations covering ~16,290 sq. ft. to provide wide-ranging mix of educational activities including art, music, building, wheel toys, climbing/balancing, gardening and more.

**Budget:** \$6.6 million



# Hawaiian EEC: Outdoor Classroom

501 Hawaiian Avenue, Wilmington, CA 90744



**Project Status: 98% Construction Complete**

**Construction Start:** Q4 2024 **Completion:** Q2 2026

**Project Scope:** Outdoor classroom with at least 10 learning stations covering ~15,691 sq. ft. to provide wide-ranging mix of educational activities including art, music, building, wheel toys, climbing/balancing, gardening and more.

**Budget:** \$6 million



# Holmes EEC: Outdoor Classroom

31812 E 52nd Street, Los Angeles, CA 90058

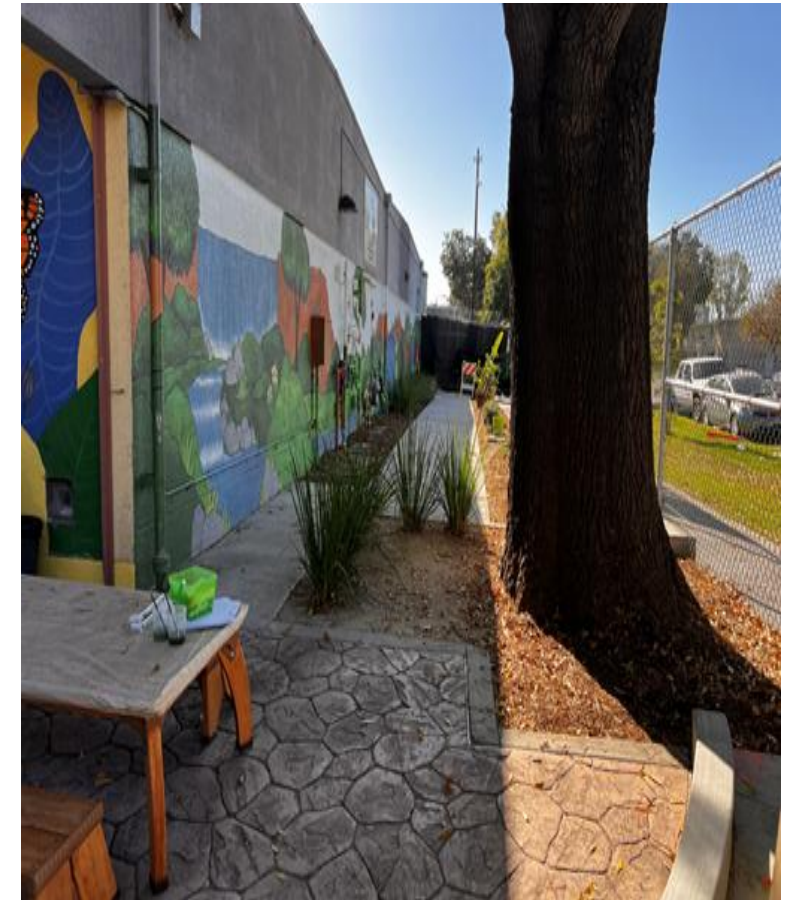


**Project Status: 94% Construction Complete**

**Construction Start:** Q1 2025 **Completion:** Q3 2026

**Project Scope:** Outdoor classroom with at least 10 learning stations covering ~7,700 sq. ft. to provide wide-ranging mix of educational activities including art, music, building, wheel toys, climbing/balancing, gardening and more.

**Budget:** \$3.9 million



# San Fernando EEC: Outdoor Classroom

51204 Woodworth Street, San Fernando, CA 91340



**Project Status: 94% Construction Complete**

**Construction Start:** Q2 2025 **Completion:** Q3 2026

**Project Scope:** Outdoor classroom with at least 10 learning stations covering ~6,300 sq. ft. to provide wide-ranging mix of educational activities including art, music, building, wheel toys, climbing/balancing, gardening and more.

**Budget:** \$6.5 million



# Vine EEC: Outdoor Classroom

36312 Eleanor Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90038



**Project Status: 85% Construction Complete**

**Construction Start:** Q1 2025 **Completion:** Q3 2026

**Project Scope:** Outdoor classroom with at least 10 learning stations covering ~ 22,000 sq. ft. to provide wide-ranging mix of educational activities including art, music, building, wheel toys, climbing/balancing, gardening and more.

**Budget:** \$8.8 million





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# Questions