

Oakland Unified School District (Planning)
Fostering Diverse Schools

The primary objective of the Oakland Schools Diversification Project is to develop a comprehensive plan for increasing socioeconomic diversity in our schools. To achieve that goal, activities during the two-year grant period will support five key objectives:

- Engage Community;
- Complete Socioeconomic Segregation Report;
- Complete Oakland Schools Diversification Plan;
- Analyze Enrollment Data and Improve Collection Practices; and
- Develop and Test New Marketing Strategies.

This project will serve all the students (34,071 in 2022-23) in our high-need LEA. We will focus on improving outcomes for students from low-income families, particularly those now attending socioeconomically isolated schools in the Oakland “flats,” where poverty is concentrated. The comprehensive plan will serve all enrolled students every year going forward by creating socioeconomically diverse learning environments.