









LONGFELLOW ELEMENTARY (K-6)

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Year Built: 1902 Site Acreage: 6.20 Grade Levels: K-6

Enrollment: 587
Permanent Capacity: 825

Classrooms:

Permanent: 36 Portables: 0

Assessment Summary:

A key feature of this school is its historical architectural heritage stemming from having been designed by the Pasadena architectural firm of Green and Green. Longfellow Elementary is a school which is in relatively good physical shape. It has a community-shared baseball field which premises, including the field, bleachers and concession stand, are maintained by the East Altadena Little League organization.

However, regardless of its overall condition, Longfellow has immediate maintenance issues which will need to be addressed as part of a deferred maintenance and future modernization program. Its Cafeteria, Kitchen and Auditorium require the upgrade of its electrical, lighting, and technological system as well as new interior finishes. Other concerns include the replacement of drinking fountains; separation of the domestic, fire and irrigation water meters as a resource conservation measure; and the provision of additional shade structures where needed.

On-site observations and interviews with district M & O department heads identified the need to modernize the school's Children's Center and equip it with shade structures and a new paved playground.

Secondary priorities include the expansion of the parking lot and the creation of an internal drop-off/ pick-up zone; provision of noise mitigation measures for the corridors; upgrading of the wood-structured pergola; replacement of rusted perimeter fencing; and sundry electrical and mechanical maintenance upgrades throughout.