

## Pickle ES

Proposed Changes	What does this mean for my school?	What does this mean for my child next year?	What is my new feeder pattern?	Accountability Requirements
<ul> <li>School Type Shift</li> <li>Programming Change</li> </ul>	Pickle ES will no longer have a boundary and will merge with students from Ridgetop ES as a school-wide Spanish dual-language program. While Pickle ES neighborhood students will be reassigned to Hart ES, they are encouraged to continue at Pickle ES if enrolled in dual-language.  Dual language students from Pickle ES and Ridgetop ES will be prioritized next year; other students can apply to participate in the program.  See North Elementary School Updates for more information.	If you are enrolled in the dual-language program at Pickle ES, we encourage you to stay and join the school-wide dual language program. You can also choose to attend Hart ES.  If you live in Pickle ES's current boundary and are not in dual-language, you can sign up for the program if you are in 1st grade or below, or go to Hart ES. Additional case by case exceptions may also be made for dual-language enrollment.  If you are a transfer student and are not in dual-language, you can return to your zoned school or apply to transfer to another campus.	See page for your new zoned school.  We will prioritize the continuation of dual language programming for students participating in schoolwide dual language at a nearby middle school and high school.	Brings Turnaround Plan - School Improvement Strategies to Hart, Hart also requires Turnaround Plan - School Improvement Strategies

Starting in **Spring 2026**, we will work closely with families and staff to merge school communities thoughtfully. The new, combined campuses should **reflect the best of each and honor what matters most** to students, families, and staff. This means keeping important programs, clubs, and traditions that people care about. We want to keep what makes each school special and build a new school community that shows the strengths of both.

<u>See our Transition Plans section for more information.</u>

If your school is **not closing** and **your current program is staying the same**, your child can continue attending the school through the **final grade level it offers**.

Any student can apply to transfer to another campus. <u>See our proposed Transfer Policy changes</u>

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