



Lighthouse 9-12: Material Revision for Admission of Unsheltered Students Public Hearing: February 9, 2022

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85% of our students are from East Oakland.

65% live within 2 miles of our schools.



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Our student demographics have shifted during the pandemic, and LCPS serves a diverse and deserving community reflective of District 7 needs.



#### Lighthouse is K-12 College Prep in East Oakland.



Half of this year's graduating class will graduate with college credit.

- K-12, EL Education model
- Focus on Dual Credit enrollment for high school students through partnership with local community colleges
- Strong Workforce Grant recipient -\$750K for 3 years
- Track record of 85%+ students graduating A-G eligible
- 75% first in their family to graduate from college
- 5% of LCPS staff are alumni (12 staff members, 7 in core teaching roles)

## Thank you for last year's material revisions to prioritize enrolling unsheltered students.

We are our honoring our commitment to serve unsheltered students at Lighthouse K-8 and at Lodestar.

- Percent of California students who are unsheltered: 4.5% (SY18-19)
- Percent of LCPS students who are unsheltered: 3.4% (SY21-22)

This number is rising thanks to our recruitment work and this preference.



# We want to prioritize unsheltered students for open seats at Lighthouse 9-12.

- We are seeking a material revision to our enrollment priorities to recruit and accept an unsheltered students.
- This is aligned to material revisions that have already been approved by this Board for Lighthouse K-8 and Lodestar in last year (Dec. 2020).
- The changes sought are a revision and a reordering of our priorities.



## What's changing?

- Addition of Priority 4, for unsheltered students (meeting the McKinney Vento definition); aligned to other LCPS Charters.
- 2. Reduction in percentage for Priority 3 from 3.0% to 2.5%
- 3. Removal of priority for siblings of graduates.
- Re-wording of Priorities 2, 5, and 6 to match language of other LCPS Charters.

Priority Number	Proposed Revision
1	A graduate of Lighthouse's K-8 school.
2	A sibling to a current student in either the K–8 Lighthouse Community Charter School and/or the 9– 12 Lighthouse Community Charter High School: to keep families together.
3	Children of Lighthouse staff and LCPS board members (not to exceed 2.5% of the total enrollment): to honor those committed to public education
4	Students who are homeless/unsheltered during the time of enrollment or who become unsheltered while on the waiting list.
5	Students living in the 94621 or 94603 zip code.
6	Other prospective students residing within OUSD boundaries: as required by Education Code Section 47605(d)(2)(B) and to serve as a public school option for students and families of Oakland.
7	All other applicants.