



Media Advisory

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Lynwood High School Students Stage Mock Presidential Election

More than 1,000 students will vote on California Propositions, Candidates

WHAT: Lynwood High School will stage a mock election in which students will vote on all California ballot items – from president to statewide propositions – during a massive, all-day exercise.

Votes from the more than 1,000 students who take part will be tallied and added to ballots submitted across the state as part of the California Mock Student Election program run by Secretary of State Alex Padilla.

WHEN: Tuesday, Oct. 11
8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

WHERE: Lynwood High School gymnasium
4050 Imperial Highway
Lynwood

ABOUT: The event is organized by the Lynwood High School Social Studies Department and led by AP Government teacher and Department Chairperson Claudia Alfaro economics teacher Lorraine Abbass and Honors Government teacher Sheila Ingram. Some 270 students from their classes will host the program, staffing tables in shifts to provide answers to questions about ballot measures and representing candidates and their staff. Some 900 students in other classes will tour the tables, also in shifts, ending the exercise by casting ballots.

The exercise follows a similar mock election held in March to mimic the presidential primary.

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