



Los Angeles Unified School District  
Discipline Foundation Policy



## School-Wide Positive Behavior Support (SWPBS)

### P.A.T.H.S.

Proactive Actions to Help Schools

## PRESENTATION SPEAKING NOTES

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Information to review prior to showing the DVD

- The LAUSD Discipline Foundation Policy: School-Wide Positive Behavior Support was developed through a collaborative effort among all stakeholders.
- This policy is rooted in evidence based practice and years of research in violence prevention. It identifies a three tiered approach, with a strong universal foundation and a system of increased supports at the selected and targeted levels.
- The LAUSD Discipline Foundation Policy: School-Wide Positive Behavior Support was approved by the Board of Education on March 27, 2007.
- The DVD is a representation of how some LAUSD schools are implementing the 8 major components of SWPBS: Administrative Leadership and Support, Team-based Implementation, Behavioral Expectations Defined, Behavioral Expectations Taught, Acknowledge and Reinforce Appropriate Behavior, Monitor and Correct Behavioral Errors, Data-based Decision Making, Family and Community Collaboration.

\* In preparation for viewing, you may want to have your participants review the first page of the Discipline Foundation Policy (Bulletin 3638.0). If you make this choice, have the participants identify which concepts, outlined on the first page, are a match to their beliefs about behavior and discipline.

Following the viewing of the DVD, consider discussing:

- These were some examples of what School-Wide Positive Behavior Support looks like in LA.
- EVERYONE has a role in implementation.
- Lines of Inquiry
  - What general things did you see/hear in the DVD that is a match to your school?
  - What do the 8 major components look like at different levels?
  - Within your role, how has this DVD expanded your thinking regarding the implementation of the policy?
  - In addition to the DVD, your school has a Resource Manual. Your school team was required to use the Team Implementation Checklist in the manual or the fillable form on the website to identify current practices and develop an action plan for next steps. What are your school's next steps?