Clean Bathrooms Initiative

- **Open Bathrooms**: Site plans have been developed for each secondary school and specify where student bathrooms are located and when they will be open each day, adequate to serve student needs.

- **Clean Bathrooms**: The District has a schedule for cleaning and servicing bathroom facilities at each school.
  - **Before students arrive at school each day**, overnight crews clean and stock each bathroom with paper and soap supplies.
  - **At a minimum of twice during each day**, custodial staff spot-clean, dispose of trash and restock soap and paper supplies.
  - Service logs are maintained at each school site.
  - All school bathrooms are “deep cleaned” three times per year.

- **Bathroom Monitoring**:
  - Nearly 300 School Facilities Attendants and Building and Grounds Workers have been hired this calendar year and assigned to middle & high school to:
    - spot-clean, dispose of trash and restock soap & paper supplies throughout the day.
    - monitor restroom cleanliness and conditions throughout the day.
  - School plant managers:
    - randomly monitor restrooms daily.
    - do a daily inventory of any fixtures needing repair.
    - place “trouble calls” to report needed repairs.
  - Local District personnel inspect bathrooms at a minimum of 33 schools per week.
  - Central District: all district employees have been urged, whenever they visit schools, to inspect a restroom and report needed repairs to the principal.

- **Repairing School Bathrooms**:
  - Inventories have been made of all 7,129 restrooms to determine needed repairs.
  - New repair schedules with specific response times to “trouble” calls:
    - For example, repair inoperative urinals and broken stall doors within 48 hours.
  - Installation has been completed of more than 550 missing stall doors which were identified in January 2003.
  - $10 million is being spent this year to:
    - renovate 1,000 restrooms.
    - repaint 2,000 restrooms.
    - convert another 100 student restrooms to “Smart” restrooms.

**LAUSD Clean Restroom Hotline**

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➢ Student Involvement
  o Students are more involved in supporting the clean bathrooms program
  o Schools involve all students, including student leadership, in preventing vandalism and keeping restroom areas clean
  o Schools encourage student “pride of ownership” to help keep restrooms clean

➢ Parent Involvement
  o Schools are in the process of involving parents in setting behavior standards to maintain clean, functioning restrooms on campus
  o Every school principal has been asked to identify five parent volunteers to assist in inspecting restrooms and notifying school principals and local district superintendents of corrective actions needed