

SGPWA WATER CONSERVATION & EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING

October 13th, 2026

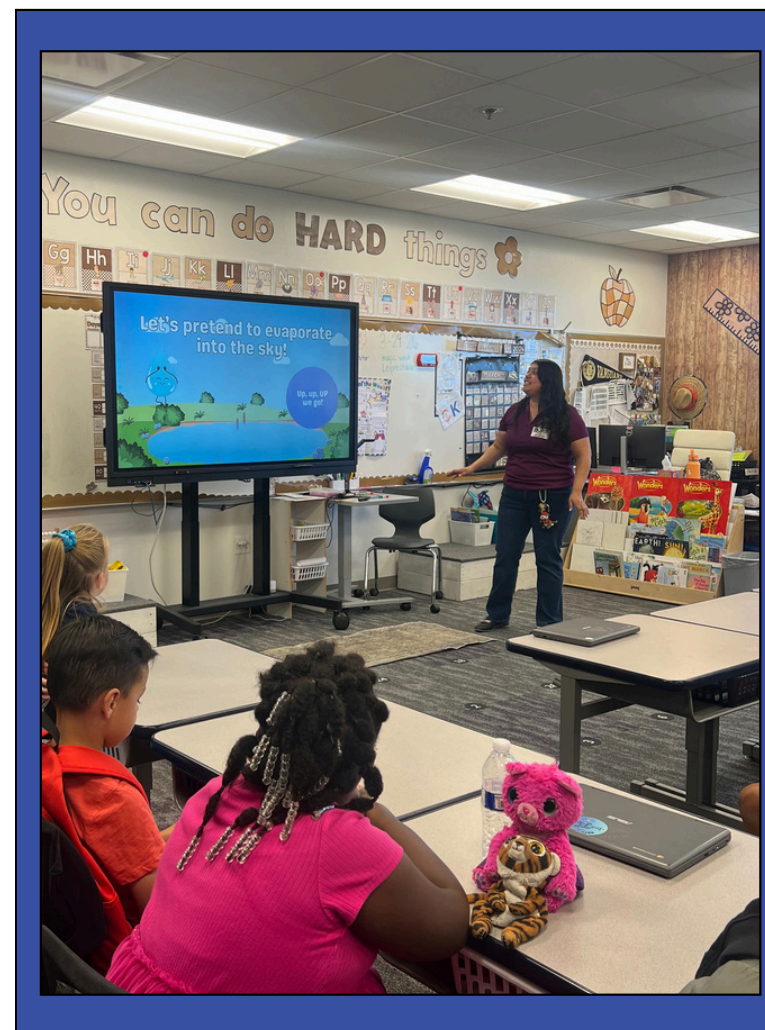


2026-27 PROJECTIONS



Classroom Presentations

80 Projected
Approx. 2,000 students reached
throughout all divisions



Community Workshops

6 Projected
Approx. 240 community
members reached



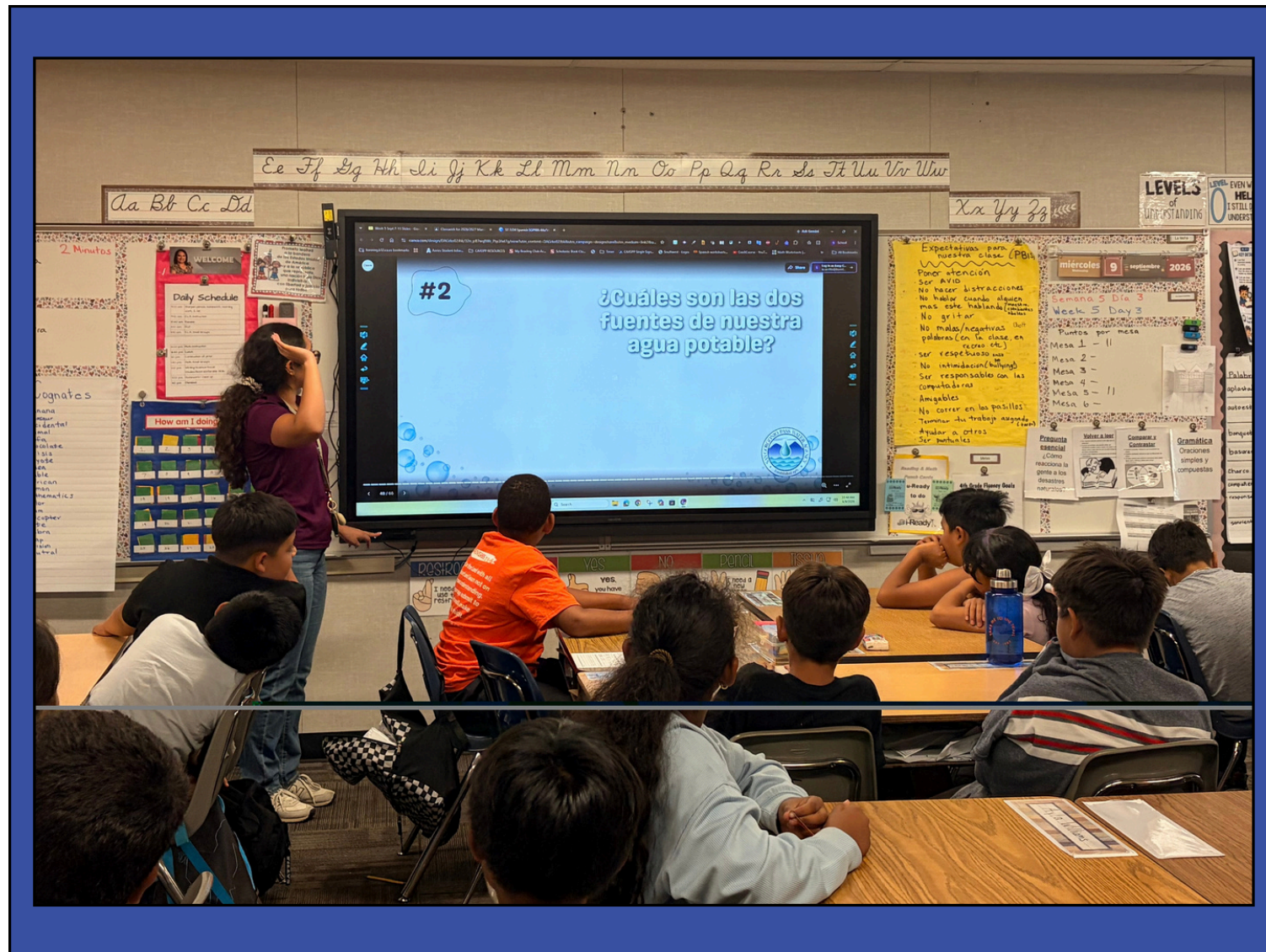
Community Events

3 Attending
Approx. 600 communitiy
members reached



EDUCATION PROGRAMS SUMMARY

School/ Organization	Number of programs	Grade	Students Impacted	Division
Central Elementary School, Banning	5	3rd & 4th	125	2
San Gorgonio Middle School, Beaumont	1	6th	15	2



Four of the six programs facilitated in September were presented in Spanish at Central Elementary School in Banning. The photo on the left shows IERCD's Conservation Educator Elisama Ortega assessing students' retention of the Spanish program.

COMMUNITY WORKSHOPS

- **Gardening with Native Plants**

- On September 10th and 19th,
- Noble Creek Community Center, Beaumont, and Malki Museum, Banning
- Presentations led by UC Master Gardener Rebecca Levers, who captivates her audience by bringing samples of native plants from her own garden.
- In combination, IERCD staff distributed over 900 flyers to advertise the workshops
- Contacted over 60 partners, businesses, HOAs via cold calls and electronic outreach

Location	Number of attendees
Noble Creek Community Center, Beaumont	41
Malki Musuem, Banning	55



EVENT REPRESENTATION



- IERCD staff represented SGPWA at the first community event of the year, the Noble Creek Regional Park's BBQ at the Pass.
- The event took place on August 21st to 22nd
- Reached 150 community members
- Great opportunity to outreach for programs and community workshops

PROJECTED WORK

School/ Organization	Number of programs	Grade	Students Impacted	Division
Summerwind Trails School, Beaumont	4	Kinder	80	5



THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

Key Staff for SGPWA Contract:

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