



OUR TEAM

PAUL MEYERS

Executive Director of Administrative Services



BIOGRAPHY

"My 'Why' is the kids. In everything I do, I strive to make a meaningful difference to improve the public education system so that the students can benefit from programs that I didn't have when I was young."

Paul Meyers recently retired after serving nine years as Superintendent of the Standard School District in Bakersfield, CA. Paul has extensive experience leading small schools and has served as superintendent/principal, K-8 principal, middle school counselor, and middle school teacher. Earlier in his career, Paul served as the school counseling consultant for the California Department of Education (CDE). In addition, Paul served as the president of the California Association of School Counselors (CASC).

In 2022, Paul was Superintendent of the Year for ACSA (Association of California School Administrators) Region 11 (West Kern), was Superintendent/Principal of the Year in 2012, and Elementary Principal of the Year in 2010 in ACSA Region 1 (Humboldt/Del Norte). His schools have won several awards, including CA Distinguished School Award, CA Schools to Watch, PBIS Coalition Platinum Recognition, and two Golden Bell Awards from the CA School Board Association (CSBA).

Paul has a Liberal Arts degree from Cal Poly, Pomona, and two Master's degrees from Cal State San Bernardino—one in school counseling and one in school administration. Paul has over 39 years of experience in public education, and his areas of expertise include CA Education Code, board policy/district governance, administrative services, human resources, school funding, district policy, program development, leadership training, systems thinking, and all things school counseling related.

PROFESSIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

- Retired CA District Superintendent
- Superintendent of the Year, 2022, ACSA Region 11 (Kern)
- Superintendent/Principal of the Year, 2012, ACSA Region 1 (Humboldt/Del Norte)
- California Distinguished School Award and Golden Bell Award
- Former President of the California Association of School Counselors (CASC)
- Former School Counseling Consultant, CA Department of Education (CDE)

FUN FACTS

- I've been happily married for 32 years.
- I have four adult daughters, three with college degrees, and my youngest has one more year to go.
- I love classic muscle cars (my first car was a '68 Camaro).



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