SANTA ANA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT Santa Ana, California

SCHOOL RESTRUCTURING

The Santa Ana Unified School District supports school restructuring as a long-term strategic planning effort to improve the quality of instruction. Student achievement is enhanced through shared decision-making and the acceptance of responsibility among staff members, parents, and students, and appropriate accountability standards for student outcomes.

Changes in school organization, instructional practices, and staff roles will occur in phases and will need time to evolve. The environment must allow for flexibility and risk-taking. Evaluation is a critical component in school restructuring efforts as a means to measure the outcomes of various changes and program components.

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