

# **Chevron selects four South Bay schools for funding program**

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Four South Bay schools have been selected as recipients of a statewide funding initiative sponsored by Chevron Corp. The California Partnership will provide \$7 million to nonprofits focused on education and economic development, including Project Lead the Way, which sponsors math and science programs at middle and high schools.

Local schools to receive funding include the Hawthorne Math & Science Academy, Lawndale's Environmental Charter High School, the Lennox Academy of Math and Science and Lawndale High School. The initiative is part of Chevron's \$28 million investment in "community engagement programs."

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