



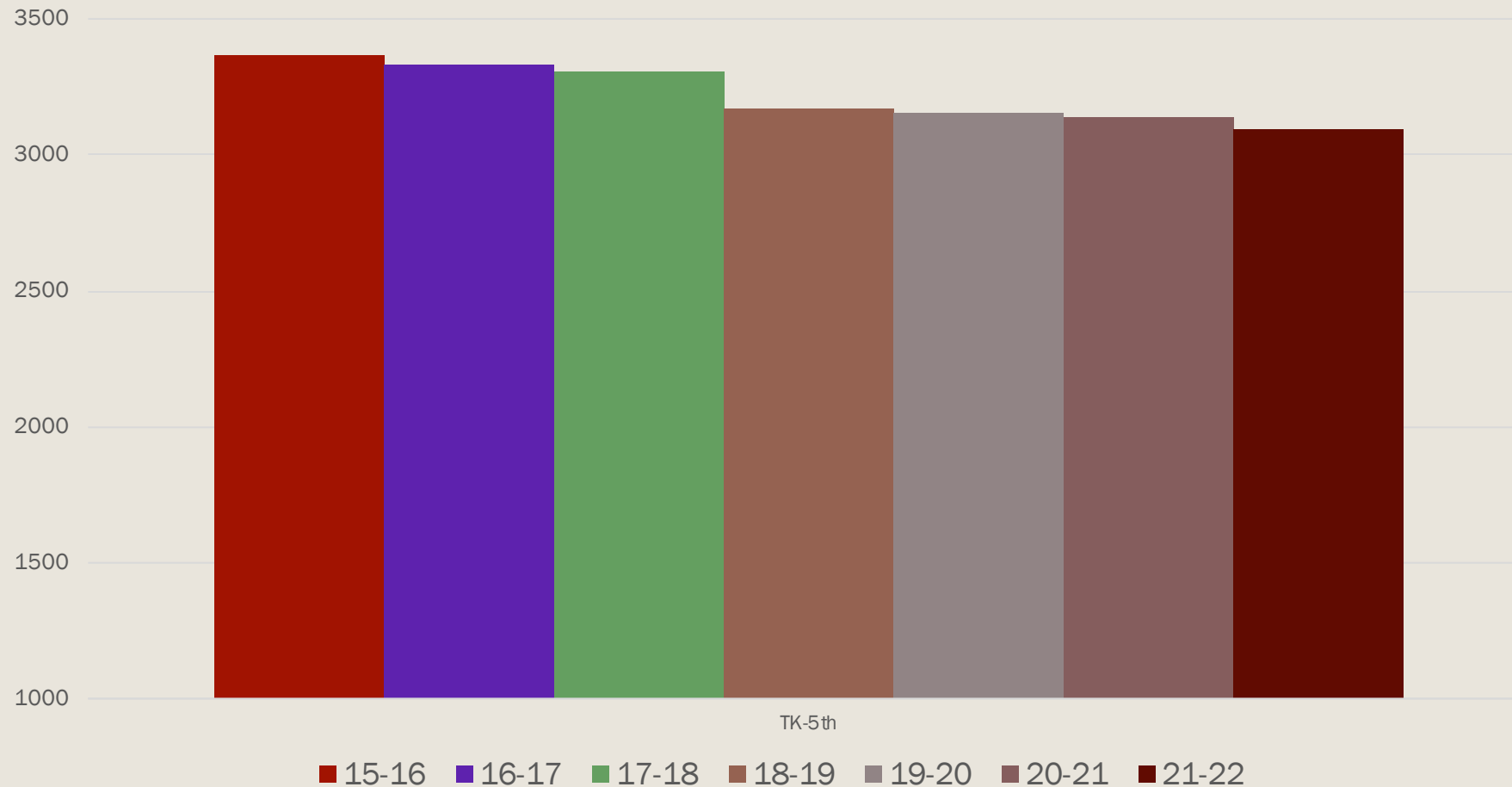
UPDATE ON ENROLLMENT & SHORT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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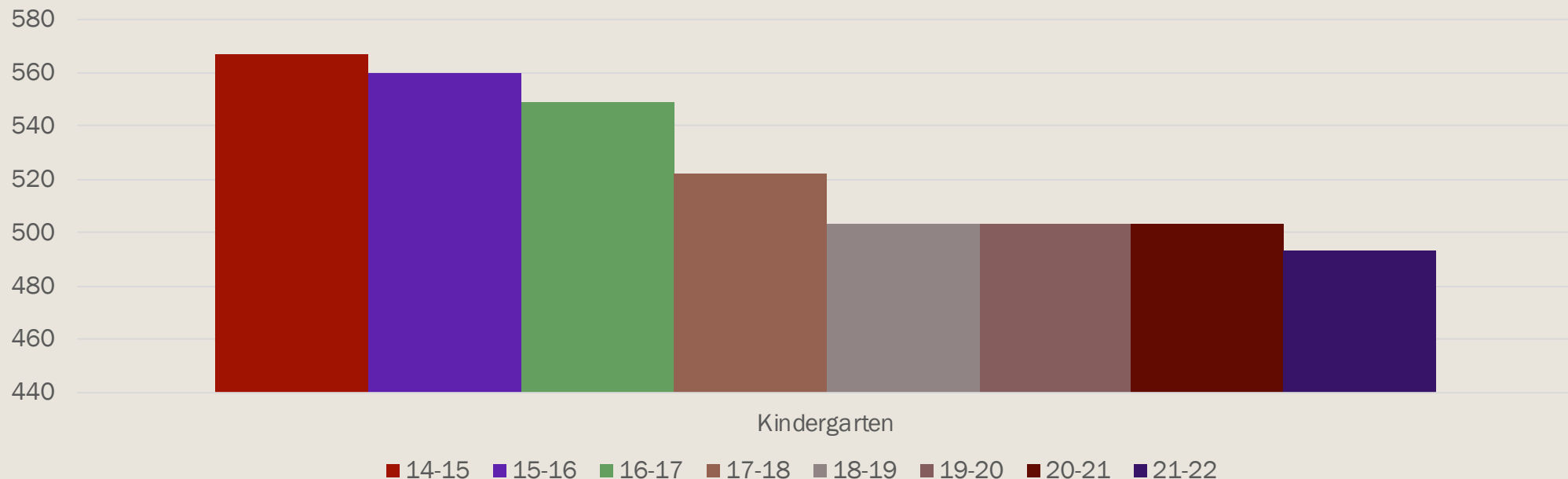


By ESD District: Enrollment Historical and Projected



By Kindergarten Grade Level: Enrollment Historical and Projected

- Kindergarten School “Courtesy Registration Days” complete
- Registration ongoing at CSO
 - *479 K as of 3/11/19*
 - *505 K last year on 3/16/18*



KINDERGARTEN ENROLLMENT IMPLICATIONS

Enrollment Implications for Short School

Short Elementary School does not have an attendance area; they are the elementary school most impacted by any change in enrollment.

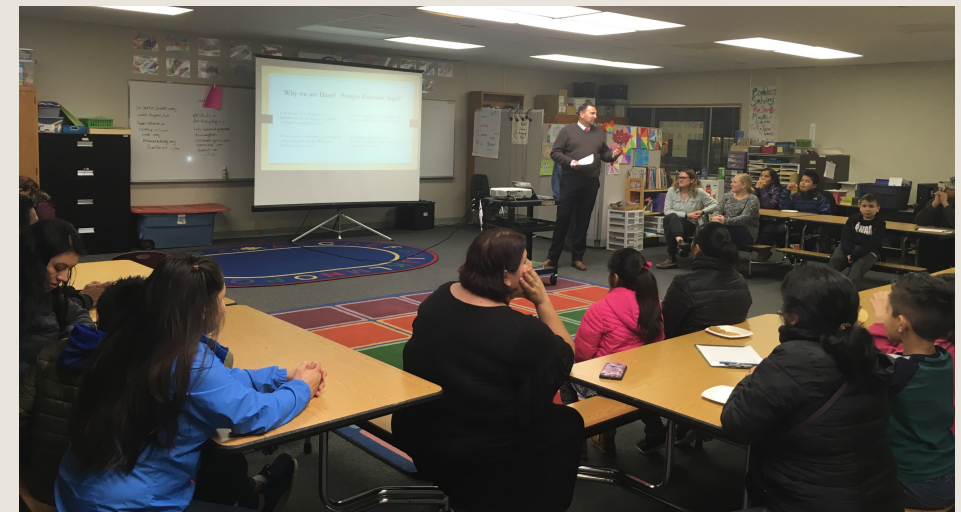
- 2018-19 Short Elementary: Grades 1-5, TK (170 students)
- Projections for 2019-20 Short Elementary: Grades 2-5, potentially TK (101 students)
- Projections for 2020-21 Short Elementary: Grades 3-5, potentially TK (46 students)

We want to be very mindful of how the size of a school can impact student learning, family engagement, the overall success of the school community and more.

Reaching Out to the Short School Community

Goal to serve the Short Elementary School community in the best way possible in the short and long-term given the enrollment information

- Many factors to consider and want to engage others
- Several meetings and community sessions with families, teachers and staff to hear their concerns, ideas and questions
- Transfer requests and placements for siblings of incoming Ks



Overview of Conversations with the Short Elementary School Community

- Two evening sessions for parents, guardians and staff
 1. *Focus on sharing enrollment updates and hearing concerns and ideas*
 2. *Focus on hearing ideas about potential options and paths forward, including:*
 - a) Short Elementary School operates for the 2019-20 school year with grades 2-5, and potentially TK
 - b) Short Elementary School merges with Laurel Dell Elementary in the near future, potentially as soon as when the new Laurel Dell facility opens (tentatively scheduled for January 2020)
 - c) Working collaboratively with the District, families can request transfers to their resident school, or school of choice, on a space-available basis
- Also conversations with teachers, classified staff and others.
- The need for ongoing engagement of all stakeholders is critical.

Short Elementary Enrollment by Attendance Area

2018-2019 SHORT SCHOOL ENROLLMENT							
Resident School	TK	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	Total
Bahia Vista	3	11	10	9	18	13	64
Coleman	1	1	1	0	5	0	8
Laurel Dell	0	0	0	1	1	2	4
Coleman/Laurel Dell	4	1	0	1	5	0	11
San Pedro	3	5	3	2	3	6	22
Sun Valley	8	4	8	8	4	12	44
Venetia Valley	1	0	1	0	1	1	4
Out of District	0	1	2	0	2	5	10
Total	20	23	25	21	39	39	167

NEXT STEPS & QUESTIONS