

NAMING OF FACILITIES

The Monterey County Board of Education (County Board) has the authority to ascribe names to Monterey County Office of Education (MCOE) property in recognition of:

1. Individuals, living or deceased who, and entities that have made outstanding contributions, including financial contributions, to the county or school community
2. Individuals, living or deceased, who have made contributions of state, national or worldwide significance.

The County Board President may form a sub-committee who will determine the composition of an advisory panel, which may include citizen representation, to review name suggestions and submit recommendations for the County Board's consideration.

Upon request, the County Board shall consider naming schools, buildings, parts of buildings, playgrounds, or the geographic area in which the school or building is located in honor of the contributions of Board members, staff members and community members.

Any name adopted for any new school shall not be so similar to the name of any existing MCOE school as to result in confusion to members of the community.

The renaming of existing schools or major facilities shall occur only under extraordinary circumstances and after thorough study.

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

<i>1042</i>	<i>County board of education: duties and responsibilities</i>
<i>35160</i>	<i>Authority of governing County Boards</i>
<i>35160.1</i>	<i>Authority of County Boards of Education or County Superintendents</i>
<i>35160.2</i>	<i>School district" defined</i>

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