

On April 26, 2013, Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD) officials joined students, staff, community members, elected officials and special guests to cut the ribbon on the new Hilda L. Solis Learning Academy in East Los Angeles.

The Hilda L. Solis Learning Academy is a Public School Choice site. The Public School Choice Resolution is a program instituted by LAUSD to improve school performance and increase student achievement at underperforming schools and newly built schools. The School of Technology, Business, and Education (STBE) is designed to graduate students to be ready for the global workplace of the 21st Century by demonstrating proficiency of the core academic content. STBE also inspires students to be proactive citizens who contribute to the future educational and socio-economic growth of their community.

The new high school academy, located on the former East Los Angeles Star



Hospital site, was constructed from the core and shell of an existing building to provide 26 classrooms. The campus consists of classrooms, science labs, and administration offices. The facility also includes a library, a food service area and indoor dining room, administration offices, surface parking and a new gymnasium building with two fitness classrooms.



The new Hilda L. Solis Learning Academy is part of LAUSD's current \$19.5 billion New School Construction and Modernization Program to provide every student with the opportunity to attend a safe and healthy neighborhood school operating on a traditional, two-semester calendar.

