



New School Update:

## Ellen Browning Scripps Elementary School

As part of Proposition MM, San Diego City Schools is constructing 12 new and three rebuilt schools to alleviate overcrowding in the city's most densely populated and rapidly developing areas.

Here is an update on the new E.B. Scripps Elementary School:

- **School opened:** In September 2001, E.B. Scripps Elementary opened as a temporary/modular school to ease overcrowding until the Marshall Middle School site becomes available in September 2008.
- **Principal:** Deidre Hardson
- **Location:** Scripps Ranch. The temporary E.B. Scripps Elementary is located at 10380 Spring Canyon Road. The future E.B. Scripps Elementary will be located at 11778 Cypress Canyon Road.
- **Purpose:** E.B. Scripps Elementary will ease overcrowding at Dingeman Elementary, Jerabek Elementary and Miramar Ranch Elementary.
- **New school size:** The new school, once converted, will accommodate 800 students in grades K-5 on 5.9 acres.
- **Acquisition and relocation:** Not required.
- **Name of new school:** The school is named for the well-known philanthropist who established numerous health, education and cultural institutions throughout California.

### Summary

- ❖ Proposition MM is a \$1.51 billion bond measure passed by 78 percent of San Diego voters in 1998. It funds construction of 12 new and three rebuilt schools and modernization of 161 existing schools.
- ❖ For more information about Proposition MM, including maps of the new school sites, go to [www.sandi.net/propmm](http://www.sandi.net/propmm).

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The mission of San Diego City Schools is to improve student achievement  
by supporting teaching and learning in the classroom.