

West Contra Costa Unified School District Fact Sheet: School closure information | November 13, 2008

The district's enrollment has been dropping since 2002-03:

2002-03: 34,940 2003-04: 33,645 2004-05: 32,717 2005-06: 32,184 2006-07: 31,539 2007-08: 30,830

5-year enrollment decrease: 4,110 students or 11.76%

Closing schools is one part of a balanced approach to address the district's structural deficit. This will include sale of properties, containing benefit costs, and reducing services.

The district's approved budget commits the di