



# 1/2 PENNY FOR Schools



— SCHOOL DISTRICT OF —  
PALM BEACH COUNTY  
**1/2 PENNY PLAN**

## ABOUT THE 1/2 PENNY

This November, Palm Beach County voters will have the opportunity to **invest in our children, our schools, and our future with the 1/2 penny sales tax for education.**

This dedicated funding is a continuation of an existing 1/2 penny that has ensured Palm Beach County is fostering strong schools and strong communities.

## 1/2 PENNY KEEPS OUR SCHOOLS STRONG



**ENHANCES** school security and safety



**FUNDS** capital and maintenance projects



**IMPROVES** classroom technology and equipment



**UPGRADES** the school bus fleet



**REINVESTS** in schools and facilities



**THE 1/2 PENNY** is a continuation of an existing sales tax rate for schools in Palm Beach County and **will not raise taxes**

## 1/2 PENNY KEEPS OUR COMMUNITY STRONG



Dedicated funding for specific capital-related projects for traditional public and charter public schools



Independent oversight committee of local experts and citizens ensures transparency and accountability



Invests in our kids, classroom technology, and school safety to keep our schools strong



Tourists, businesses, and residents all contribute to the plan



The 1/2 penny expires in 2035 and cannot be reissued without voter approval



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## DID YOU KNOW?

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The 1/2 penny will help the School District of Palm Beach County remain “A” rated.

### 2024 BALLOT LANGUAGE

**Palm Beach County Schools security, technology, facilities and infrastructure one-half cent sales surtax**

To support educational opportunities for students by upgrading and enhancing safety and security of schools; classroom technology and equipment, school buildings and facilities, and school buses, for Palm Beach County traditional public and charter public schools; shall the School Board levy a one-half cent sales surtax beginning January 1, 2026 and, by law, automatically ending December 31, 2035, with oversight of all funds by an independent committee of citizens and experts?

- FOR THE ONE-HALF CENT TAX
- AGAINST THE ONE-HALF CENT TAX

## STRONG SCHOOLS, STRONG COMMUNITIES

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## ELECTION DAY: NOVEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup>

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