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Ceremony to mark completion of Bond playground projects

EL PASO, TEXAS — The El Paso Independent School District will mark the completion of the first playground upgrades from the voter-approved Bond 2016 with a ribbon-cutting ceremony at Clendenin Elementary School.

The ceremony is scheduled for 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 8, in the playground area of Clendenin Elementary, 2701 Harrison Ave.

This is the first of 21 new playgrounds that are funded by the \$6 Million set aside for playground improvements from the \$668 Million bond voters approved last fall. The bond will modernize learning facilities throughout EPISD.

Superintendent Juan Cabrera will speak about the modernization plan of EPISD campuses and the need to provide state-of-the-art facilities in order to achieve academic success. Trustees, principals and contractors will be on hand to speak about the impact of the bond and the importance playgrounds have in schools.

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