

# Matthew Taylor

## Sunnyside Unified School District No. 12



I'm Matthew Taylor, and I'm the youngest of the four candidates running for a seat on the Sunnyside Unified School District Governing Board. I'm asking for your vote this November because as a proud product of our Sunnyside schools, I will be an active voice for every single member of our community.

As a former foster care kid, I'm running so that I may work alongside my colleagues to provide our district's 200+ foster care students with the best support system possible. I want

to develop a strong plan that prepares these students for both academic and personal success. At 20 years old, I'm running because I truly understand the quality of education that our students are receiving TODAY, not decades ago. I'm running because I want our young folks to finally have a seat at the table. I'm running so that we can restore the confidence of our community in our Sunnyside schools. This is a community that I have been a part of for many years, working tirelessly to make it a better place by empowering our students to become our safer, stronger, and brighter tomorrow. Our Sunnyside schools taught me perseverance, and after persevering and overcoming my own obstacles, I see it as my duty to serve on our Sunnyside School Board to represent the unrepresented. It's our time to fix the unfixed, it's our time to speak the unspoken, and it's our time to shine a brighter light on Sunnyside! For more information about myself or our campaign, please visit: [www.matthewforsunnyside.com](http://www.matthewforsunnyside.com)

This election goes far beyond voting for me or any single candidate. I cannot stress how critical it is that our community gets out to vote, regardless of political views or political party. There's simply too much at stake...



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