

Tom Logue

Catalina Foothills School District No. 16 (Four-Year Term)



I am Tom Logue, and I am proud to be a Governing Board candidate for Catalina Foothills School District.

When our family moved to Tucson four years ago, we prioritized the education of our children and extensively researched schools across greater Tucson. We realized there was only one district that felt right for us: Catalina Foothills School District.

In the four years since our move, every interaction we've had with CFSD—the teachers, the staff, the district, and the families—has been an affirmation that we made the right choice. Our children are thriving at CFSD, where one attends Orange Grove Middle School and the other Catalina Foothills High School.

I will be a district parent until 2031, which makes me personally vested in the long-term success of CFSD schools. I am running for school board precisely because I know what an amazing place our district is, and I want to see the district continue to deliver the excellent educational opportunities that my children have enjoyed.

I consider myself highly qualified for a Governing Board role, for several reasons:

- I served as President of the Manzanita Elementary Family Faculty Organization (FFO) from December 2022 through May of 2024. While supporting our families and the school in this position, I built collaborative relationships with parent volunteers, teachers, staff, administrators, and district personnel. After serving in this role, I now have an even greater appreciation for the complex issues and decision-making that occur at the school and district level.
- I run a small business, a role that requires leadership skills, pragmatic decision-making, and flexibility to tackle whatever challenges the day brings.
- I am a market researcher by trade, which means two things.
 - First, I listen: I listen to truly understand, and I actively seek out different points of view before I am satisfied that I understand an issue completely.
 - Second, I analyze: My job includes analyzing complex data sets to find meaning and direction, and I bring an objective data-focused mindset to decision making.

My priorities for board service include:

1. **Academic excellence:** The district currently offers a superlative academic education. I will encourage a data-driven assessment of curriculum effectiveness, to maintain the district's academic performance.
2. **Learning environment:** I believe students learn best when they feel secure and comfortable in school. I support research-backed approaches to ensuring a supportive learning environment, including Social-Emotional Learning that builds empathy and encourages critical thinking and problem-solving.

3. Efficiency: School buildings, equipment, and supplies contribute greatly to the learning experience at our schools. I will encourage the district to modernize facilities, share resources across schools, and make environmentally responsible decisions about school facilities and activities.

I am proud to be running alongside two other dedicated candidates, Jacquelyn Davoli and Eileen Jackson. We have a shared love for the district, a strong desire to serve, and a deep commitment to putting Students First. Please vote for all three of us so that we can continue the district's tradition of excellence.