

**PCSD ALLIANCE EAST LOS ANGELES
CHARTER MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL**

Location: Los Angeles, CA
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Agency: Pacific Charter School Development/Alliance for College-Ready
Public Schools
Construction Budget: \$12,000,000
Dates of Service: 8/2011 - 9/2013
Size of Project: 54,000 SF

Berliner and Associates is designing two new charter schools for construction on a tight, urban lot. The middle school will serve 450 students and will open in September 2012, after permitting by the County of LA. The high school, which must be approved by DSA, will serve 600 students and open in September 2013.

The face of the building will address a commercial, pedestrian-oriented street, with a residential area at the rear. The efficient design of the schools is sensitive to the scale and context of the neighborhood, and maximizes open space with a sheltering central courtyard for student gathering.

