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- Lunch program at Courthouse
- Partnership of judges and bar and nonprofit associations
- Judicial officers and lawyers have lunch with students
- Presentations by judges and lawyers regarding legal system and judiciary
- LASC and WLALA received State Bar grant to fund lunches

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The Power Lunch Program is a collaboration of the Los Angeles Superior Court and Women Lawyers Association of Los Angeles to provide education and mentorship for high school students. Approximately 75 students attend each lunch, with students from various schools coming to courthouses throughout Los Angeles County for lunch with justice system professionals including judges, lawyers and members of law enforcement. At the lunches, the students hear presentations about the Constitution and the legal system. Following the presentations, the students break into smaller groups for personal interactions with the participating judges and lawyers. The Power Lunch concludes with an interactive game of "Judicial Jeopardy."

LASC and WLALA

Program Development: Prepares agenda, format, and materials for presentations. The court will also determine the number and schedule of Power Lunch programs throughout the year.

Program Administration: Secures courthouse venues for Power Lunch (All venue logistics will be the responsibility of the court.) Recruit schools/students as recipients of lunch. Recruit adult volunteers (judges, attorneys & law students) for participation. Supply lunch for participants and transportation for recipient schools/students.

Program Analysis and Evaluation: Analyzes the effectiveness of Power Lunch and determines methods for future improvement.

Accountability: Each organization ensures that the other partner agencies follow through on their commitments. Responsible for sustaining, expanding, or contracting program as determined through analysis and evaluation.