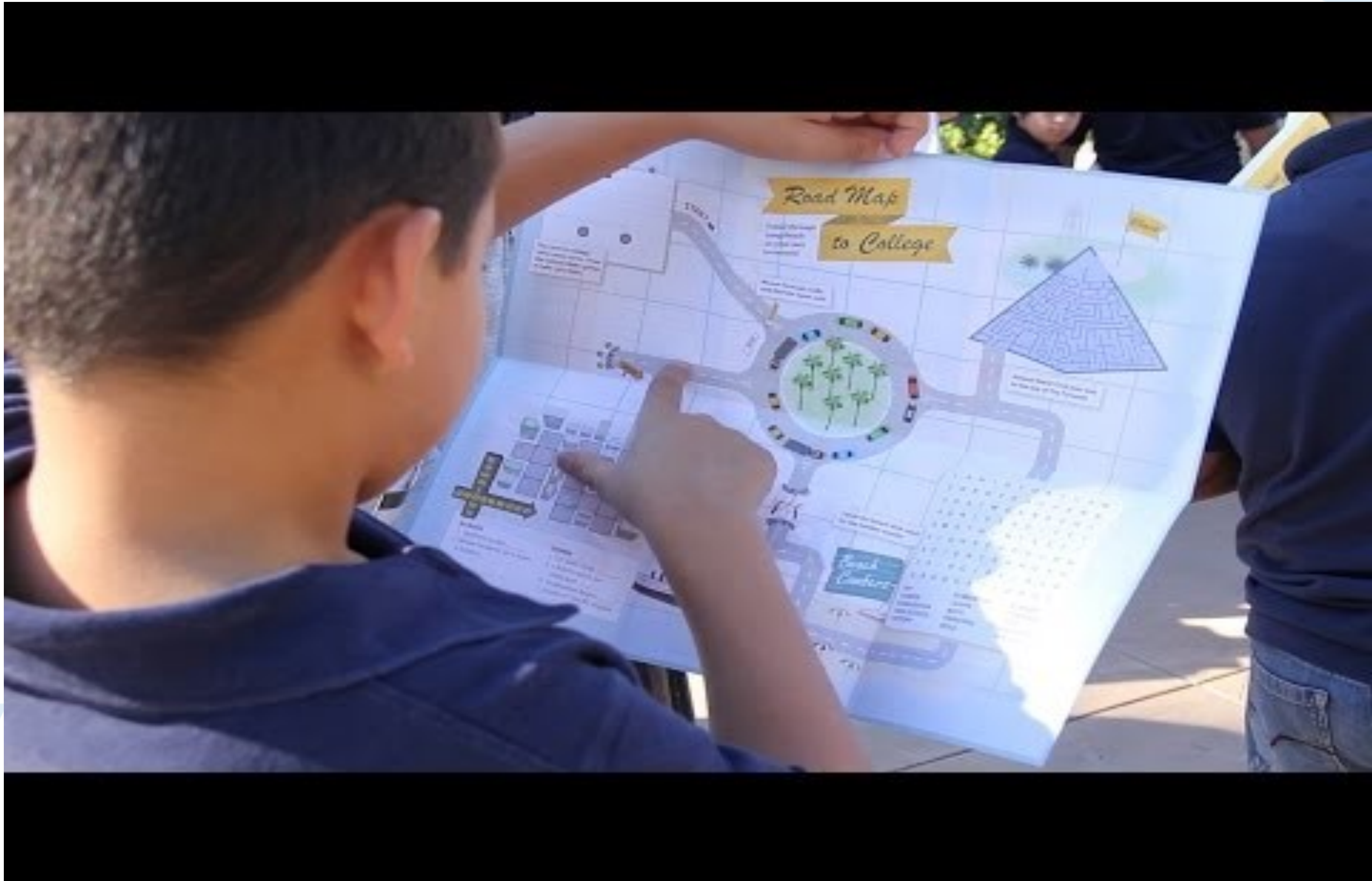


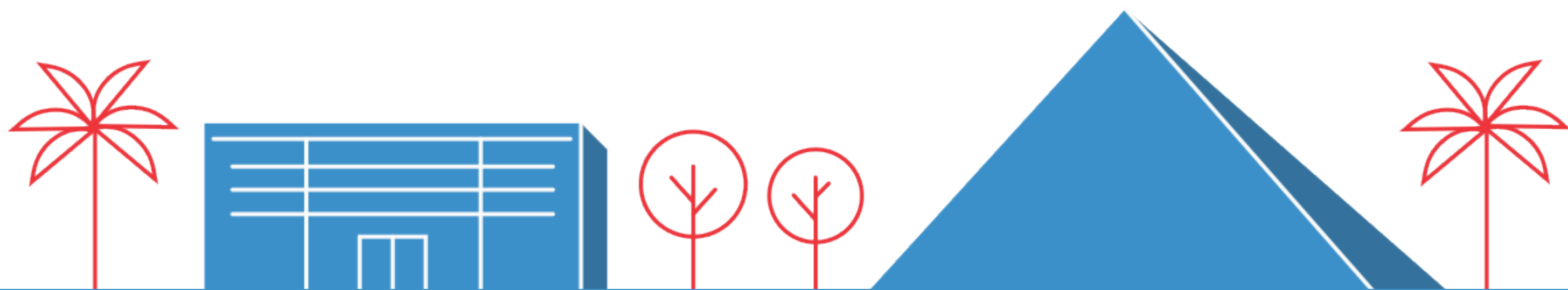


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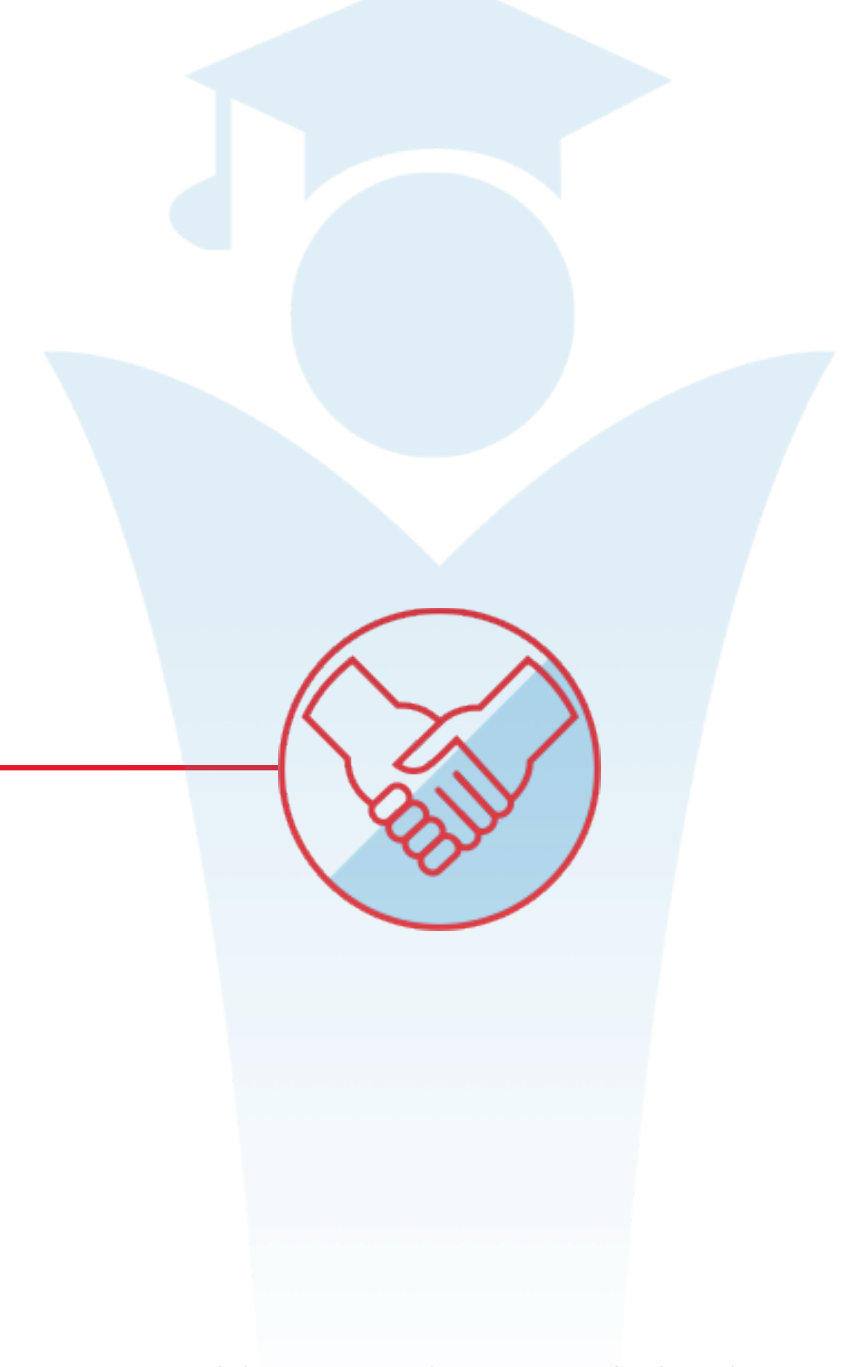


MAKING THE PROMISE

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THE PROMISE GOALS

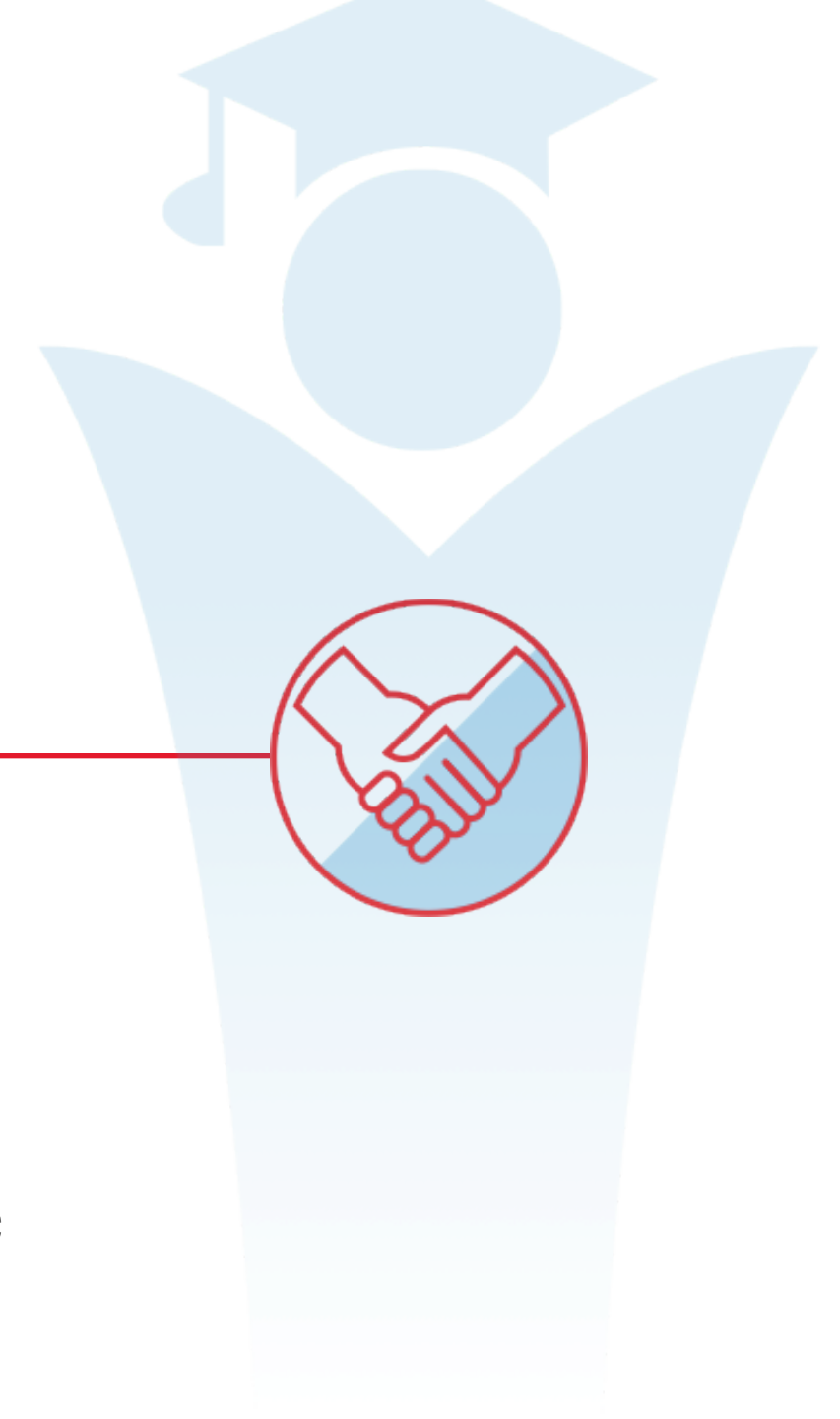


- Improve the economic and social well-being of Greater Long Beach
- Provide world-class education from preschool through college graduation
- Increase the percentage of LBUSD students prepared for and directly attending college from high school
- Increase the percentage of LBCC students earning degrees and/or certificates
- Increase the percentage of LBCC students successfully transferring to CSULB or another four-year college or university
- Increase the percentage of CSULB students graduating with a bachelor's or advanced degree within 4 years

PROGRAM ELEMENTS & SUCCESSES

- Universal access to early childhood education
 - \$8.5 million dollars invested in greater access and teacher prep
- College tours for all 4th and 5th grade LBUSD students
 - 12,000 students per year
- A pledge is signed by 8th graders and their families
 - More than 63,000 pledges signed
- Tuition-free first year at LBCC
 - More than \$1,000 in savings for students
- Faster transfer from LBCC to CSULB and guaranteed admission to CSULB
 - 16 percent increase in LBCC transfers to CSULB
- The launch of the Long Beach College Promise Campaign

PARTNERSHIPS



- Partners work seamlessly across institutions to benefit students
- CSULB, LBCC and LBUSD sustain the initiative through financial contributions
- The addition of the Office of the Mayor in 2014 as a partner expands The Promise
- Each partner is 100% committed to and fully accountable for achieving goals
- Each partner shares data on student performance
- A public engagement campaign creates new opportunities to engage healthcare, transportation and non-profit sectors



BUILDING A PROMISE

