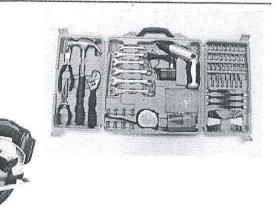
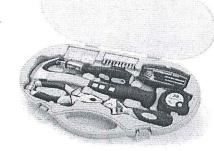
## Finance Mechanisms & Tools

- General Obligation Bonds (GO Bonds)
  - □ Education Code (Maturities to 25 yrs)
  - □ Government Code (Maturities to 40 yrs)
- Funding the GAP
  - ☐ Bond Anticipation Notes (BANs)
  - Tender Option Lease Revenue Bonds / Certificates of Participation (COPs)
  - Capital Appreciation Bonds (CABs) & Convertible CABs (CCABs)
- Other: Parcel Tax, Redevelopment, RMID's, CFD's and SFID's Not Facilities Related, but...
- Tax and Revenue Anticipation Notes (TRANs)
  - Short term operation and capital expenditures
  - □ Greater needs with 2011-12 budget issues (cross years)







## **General Obligation Bonds**

## Assessed Valuation Growth Assumptions Are Critical

- □ Voter approved authorization ≠ proceeds available today
- Higher growth assumptions would allow earlier issuance
- Lower growth assumptions delay issuance
- Reality check is critical while keeping in mind tax rate promised
- Many school districts faced with tough tax rate challenges in current environment



## **Bond Anticipation Notes (BANs)**

- Access short-term market now for facility proceeds
  - Typically lower shorter-term interest rates
  - Depends on future ability to issue G.O. Bonds
- Variable Rate Lease Revenue Bonds / COPs
- AB 1368 extended BANs amortization from one to five years;
  Additional legislation may extend BAN amortization up to ten years
- New 2011 Rating Criteria make this instrument tougher to issue
  - □ A.V. growth assumptions for repayment must be conservative