Figarden School

This elementary school in the northwest part of the district was started as a Fresno County school district in 1924 to serve the children of people who then resided in the subdivided fig orchards of the area. In fact, at one time a small commercial shipping community sprung up on the Santa Fe railroad and was given that name.

The district was voted into the Fresno Unified School District in 1964 and turned over its staff, site, building and equipment to the district. It is first listed in the Fresno Unified School District directory in the school year 1963-64. At that time the school was at the corner of Bullard and Brawley Avenues.

The school is located at 6235 North Brawley Avenue and serves children from K - 6.