

Lake Forest Elementary School

School Accountability Report Card

Reported Using Data from the 2018-19 School Year

Published During 2019-20

By February 1 of each year, every school in California is required by state law to publish a School Accountability Report Card (SARC). The SARC contains information about the condition and performance of each California public school. Under the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) all local educational agencies (LEAs) are required to prepare a Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP), which describes how they intend to meet annual school-specific goals for all pupils, with specific activities to address state and local priorities. Additionally, data reported in an LCAP is to be consistent with data reported in the SARC.

- For more information about SARC requirements, see the California Department of Education (CDE) SARC web page at <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/>.
- For more information about the LCFF or LCAP, see the CDE LCFF web page at <https://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/lc/>.
- For additional information about the school, parents/guardians and community members should contact the school principal or the district office.

DataQuest

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About This School

School Contact Information (School Year 2019-20)

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School Description and Mission Statement (School Year 2019-20)

Lake Forest Elementary School, with the strong support and involvement of our parents and community, is committed to providing all students with the skills they need to become successful learners. Our staff is dedicated to providing a standards-based program, which emphasizes achievement, both academic and social, at the highest levels of excellence to meet the unique needs of our students. At Lake Forest, we as a staff and community truly believe that our "future is limitless" as we nurture and challenge our students to fulfill their potential now and in the coming years.

We will provide our students with a broad range of educational experiences and skills needed to become adaptable, flexible thinkers, who are proud of themselves and their accomplishments, who take responsibility for their actions, and who are ready to contribute to our school and community. By offering multiple opportunities in several curricular areas, students are exposed to many exciting experiences that can inspire them to look beyond the basic materials and discover their personal strengths.

Lake Forest Elementary was founded in 1990 as a starter school with six classrooms and 130 students. The campus overlooks views of the surrounding hills and attractive neighborhoods, which have grown with the enrollment of the school over the past two decades. At one point in the late 90's our enrollment grew to 35 classes and nearly 840 students. In 2003-2004, Lake Forest Elementary School changed to a traditional calendar after being on a multi-track year round calendar for nine years. Currently, Lake Forest Elementary is a Transitional K-5 school serving approximately 447 students with 20 classrooms with a Learning Center to support students with Special Education needs run by a resource teacher. The district located two SDC classrooms on the Lake Forest campus in 2019.

Student successes at Lake Forest have resulted in state and national recognition. In 2012, our school's Academic Performance Index (API) score was 937. This achievement was the highest score in Rescue Union School District history, ranked in the top 10 for all elementary schools in the Sacramento region and was the highest recorded in El Dorado Hills. In 2004 and 2014, our school was chosen for the California Distinguished School Award as one of the top achieving elementary schools in the state. This trend continued in 2013 and 2014, with academic scores consistently ranking among the highest achieving schools in El Dorado County. Initial scores from the SBAC testing from the spring of 2015 indicated continued success. The overall percentage of students scoring at grade level standard or higher was 73% in ELA and 69% in math. Both of these percentages were among the highest in the region found in elementary schools. Our results from SBAC testing conducted in the spring of 2016 showed continued success and improvement. Lake Forest students achieved an 83% ELA met or exceeded score and a 74% in math. Both scores were among the very highest in the region. In May 2018, ELA and Math SBAC scores were 69% and 64% respectively, but overall Lake Forest remained in the high achieving schools in the region. In 2019, Lake Forest students continued to achieve at a high level on SBAC assessments. Overall, children in grades 3-5 scored proficient at a rate of 77% in ELA (an improvement of 7%) and 69% in math (growth of 5% over 2018).

Lake Forest Elementary School prides itself on its positive school climate and its commitment to ensuring success for all students. All teachers are credentialed and have high expectations for every student. The curriculum is challenging and encompasses varied teaching and learning approaches. Our staff collaborates regularly to discuss student success, planning, intervention strategies for struggling learners and to improve overall practice.

Currently, Lake Forest teachers and support staff are working together to address students' social and emotional needs through reviews of on-going research, and collaborative discussions to better identify students who need sensitive interventions to encourage academic success and to better develop an encouraging, caring atmosphere in the classroom for the benefit of all students. A school counselor works directly with staff and families to create groups and administer age-appropriate lessons. In addition to services provided by our counselor, we also support Social and Emotion Learning through our I SWIM program, which promotes positive traits and offers opportunities for students to participate in school and community service.

Rescue Union School District strictly adheres to the state curricular frameworks and content standards. California Standards are taught in math and language arts in all grades. The core curriculum is enhanced through special learning activities such as our Science Prep Class, an hour and a half weekly program dedicated solely to Science instruction for 4th and 5th grade students; outdoor education; life lab garden science; drama, art and health, dramatic and musical productions by guest artists and student performers; and participation in events such as Nature Bowl, Festival of Oral Interpretation, and Spelling Bees. Field trips include Coloma, Sutter's Fort, Apple Hill, Discovery Museum, Sacramento Zoo, Challenger Space Camp, The Roseville Maidu Center, and various theater productions. Additionally, learning opportunities are brought to the campus through the support of the fundraising efforts of our Parent Teacher Council. Activities include beginning dance, classroom music instruction, visual and performing arts assemblies, living history presentations such as Pioneer Day and America Days, guest speakers in areas of health and fitness, visiting authors, and other curriculum-based presentations within the classroom setting.

A high value is placed on the family, and parental involvement is welcomed and encouraged. Many parents volunteer in classrooms on a regular basis and others support the school in a variety of ways. The Lake Forest School Site Council (SSC) and Parent Teacher Council (PTC) are two organizations that encourage family input and involvement. The SSC is comprised of school staff and parents who work to develop a School Plan for Student Achievement to enhance the educational program. The PTC organizes parent and community volunteers, plans family-oriented socials, and facilitates school fundraisers to support and enhance the instructional programs. The Lake Forest PTC has been instrumental in purchasing new technology, learning programs, supporting the arts, and providing intervention for struggling students.

The curriculum focus is based on California Standards. Standards are taught at every grade level, and ongoing staff development in Language Arts, Writing, etc. supports dynamic, data-driven classroom instruction. Current district adopted curriculum includes Benchmark Advance for Language Arts instruction, Houghton Mifflin GoMath program, and Step up to Writing. Rescue Union School District is currently piloting two new Social Studies series, and a new curriculum that is aligned to state standards will be adopted in 2019-2020 school year.

Next Generation Science Standards are taught using Stem Scopes and Mystery Science. All instruction is aligned to current standards, and more district adopted programs will be added in 2020. Students participate in science-related field trips and various outreach programs through the American River Conservancy, The Sacramento Zoo, the Discovery Museum, and other sources.

All students, from second to fifth grade have one-to-one access to Chromebooks in their classrooms. Kindergarten and first-grade students use Ipads in small groups when needed. Additionally, a fully equipped technology lab with thirty computer stations is available to all students. Chromebook use is integrated into Math, Reading, Writing, Social Studies, and Science lessons on a daily basis and students also receive instruction at every grade level to meet CA state technology standards.

The School Plan for Student Achievement will continue to support and enhance student achievement as directed by the Rescue Union School District Local Control and Accountability Plan. Lake Forest Elementary School is a great place for students to learn, and our goal is to become even better. Welcome!

Student Enrollment by Grade Level (School Year 2018-19)

Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	80
Grade 1	56
Grade 2	71
Grade 3	67
Grade 4	69
Grade 5	66
Total Enrollment	409

Student Enrollment by Group (School Year 2018-19)

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	0.2
Asian	3.7
Filipino	0.5
Hispanic or Latino	15.4
White	73.6
Two or More Races	6.6
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	8.6
English Learners	2.9
Students with Disabilities	10
Homeless	

A. Conditions of Learning

State Priority: Basic

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Basic (Priority 1):

- Degree to which teachers are appropriately assigned and fully credentialed in the subject area and for the pupils they are teaching;
- Pupils have access to standards-aligned instructional materials; and
- School facilities are maintained in good repair

Teacher Credentials

Teachers	School 2017-18	School 2018-19	School 2019-20	District 2019-20
With Full Credential	22	19	23	176
Without Full Credential	0	0	0	0
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence (with full credential)	0	0	0	0

Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions

Indicator	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners	0	0	0
Total Teacher Misassignments*	0	0	0
Vacant Teacher Positions	0	0	0

Note: "Misassignments" refers to the number of positions filled by teachers who lack legal authorization to teach that grade level, subject area, student group, etc.
 *Total Teacher Misassignments includes the number of Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners.

Quality, Currency, Availability of Textbooks and Instructional Materials (School Year 2019-20)

Year and month in which data were collected:

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	Benchmark Grades K-5	Yes	0
Mathematics	K-5 Houghton Mifflin Harcourt: Go Math - 2014	Yes	0
Science	Scott Foresman Science Grades K-5	Yes	0
History-Social Science	Scott Foresman, History-Social Science for California Grade K-5	Yes	0
Health	Botvin's LifeSkills Grades 3-5	Yes	0

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements (Most Recent Year)

School buildings and grounds at Lake Forest School provide a clean, positive environment that is conducive to teaching, instruction, and learning. Staff and student restrooms are clean and well maintained. Floors, wall, roof, and plumbing are maintained on a regular schedule.

In recent years, we have made improvements to the site through the efforts of the school, district and connections to the community. We have resurfaced the blacktop on the playground and the parking lot and also repainted lines accordingly. Wood signs have been refinished and the fifth grade class and Parent Teacher Council have donated a new school sign for the west entrance with a bench for students. Landscaping improvements at various locations have also been completed in recent months by district personnel, church organizations, community outreach, PTC and Scout troops. These include repairs to our garden boxes and irrigation, bark replacements in multiple areas of the school, and long term garden plans are made possible through our Landscaping Committee (connected with PTC). Business partnerships with Mercy Folsom Hospital and Intel in addition to coordinating educational efforts with the American River Conservancy have greatly increased our success in school beautification. This coordination of resources has many in the Lake Forest excited about our future plans for improving both our scenery and our health and environment education programs. All of these projects are much appreciated and have kept Lake Forest’s learning environment beautiful.

School Facility Good Repair Status (Most Recent Year)

Using the **most recently collected** FIT data (or equivalent), provide the following:

- Determination of repair status for systems listed
- Description of any needed maintenance to ensure good repair
- The year and month in which the data were collected
- The overall rating

Year and month of the most recent FIT report: 1/9/20

System Inspected	Rating	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	Good	
Interior: Interior Surfaces	Poor	Replace old surfaces
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/ Vermin Infestation	Good	
Electrical: Electrical	Good	
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	Good	
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	Good	
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	Fair	Dry rot replaced, old portables
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	Fair	Underground leak, repair in progress
Overall Rating		

B. Pupil Outcomes

State Priority: Pupil Achievement

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Pupil Achievement (Priority 4):

- **Statewide assessments** (i.e., California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress [CAASPP] System, which includes the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments for students in the general education population and the California Alternate Assessments [CAAs] for English language arts/literacy [ELA] and mathematics given in grades three through eight and grade eleven. Only eligible students may participate in the administration of the CAAs. CAAs items are aligned with alternate achievement standards, which are linked with the Common Core State Standards [CCSS] for students with the most significant cognitive disabilities); and
- The percentage of students who have successfully completed courses that satisfy the requirements for entrance to the University of California and the California State University, or career technical education sequences or programs of study.

CAASPP Test Results in ELA and Mathematics for All Students

Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard

Subject	School 2017-18	School 2018-19	District 2017-18	District 2018-19	State 2017-18	State 2018-19
English Language Arts/Literacy (grades 3-8 and 11)	69	78	74	74	50	50
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	64	69	66	65	38	39

Note: Percentages are not calculated when the number of students tested is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

Note: ELA and mathematics test results include the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment and the CAA. The "Percent Met or Exceeded" is calculated by taking the total number of students who met or exceeded the standard on the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment plus the total number of students who met the standard (i.e., achieved Level 3-Alternate) on the CAAs divided by the total number of students who participated in both assessments.

CAASPP Test Results in ELA by Student Group

Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven (School Year 2018-19)

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	209	205	98.09	1.91	77.56
Male	109	107	98.17	1.83	74.77
Female	100	98	98.00	2.00	80.61
Black or African American					
American Indian or Alaska Native					
Asian	--	--	--	--	--
Filipino	--	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	35	35	100.00	0.00	65.71
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander					
White	153	150	98.04	1.96	80.00

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	17	17	100.00	0.00	41.18
English Learners	--	--	--	--	--
Students with Disabilities	39	37	94.87	5.13	51.35
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services					
Foster Youth					
Homeless					

Note: ELA test results include the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment and the CAA. The "Percent Met or Exceeded" is calculated by taking the total number of students who met or exceeded the standard on the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment plus the total number of students who met the standard (i.e., achieved Level 3-Alternate) on the CAAs divided by the total number of students who participated in both assessments.

Note: Double dashes (--) appear in the table when the number of students is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

Note: The number of students tested includes all students who participated in the test whether they received a score or not; however, the number of students tested is not the number that was used to calculate the achievement level percentages. The achievement level percentages are calculated using only students who received scores.

CAASPP Test Results in Mathematics by Student Group Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven (School Year 2018-19)

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	209	206	98.56	1.44	68.93
Male	109	107	98.17	1.83	72.90
Female	100	99	99.00	1.00	64.65
Black or African American					
American Indian or Alaska Native					
Asian	--	--	--	--	--
Filipino	--	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	35	35	100.00	0.00	51.43
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander					
White	153	151	98.69	1.31	72.85
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	17	17	100.00	0.00	52.94
English Learners	--	--	--	--	--
Students with Disabilities	39	37	94.87	5.13	43.24
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services					

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
Foster Youth					
Homeless					

Note: Mathematics test results include the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment and the CAA. The “Percent Met or Exceeded” is calculated by taking the total number of students who met or exceeded the standard on the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment plus the total number of students who met the standard (i.e., achieved Level 3-Alternate) on the CAAs divided by the total number of students who participated in both assessments.

Note: Double dashes (--) appear in the table when the number of students is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

Note: The number of students tested includes all students who participated in the test whether they received a score or not; however, the number of students tested is not the number that was used to calculate the achievement level percentages. The achievement level percentages are calculated using only students who received scores.

CAASPP Test Results in Science for All Students

Grades Five, Eight, and Ten

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard

Subject	School 2017-18	School 2018-19	District 2017-18	District 2018-19	State 2017-18	State 2018-19
Science (grades 5, 8 and high school)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Note: Cells with N/A values do not require data.

Note: This is a placeholder for the California Science Test (CAST) which was administered operationally during the 2018-19 school year. However, these data are not available for inclusion in the 2018-19 SARC posting due February 1, 2020. These data will be included in the 2019-20 SARC posting due February 1, 2021.

State Priority: Other Pupil Outcomes

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Other Pupil Outcomes (Priority 8):

- Pupil outcomes in the subject areas of physical education.

California Physical Fitness Test Results (School Year 2018-19)

Grade Level	Percentage of Students Meeting Four of Six Fitness Standards	Percentage of Students Meeting Five of Six Fitness Standards	Percentage of Students Meeting Six of Six Fitness Standards
5	18.8	33.3	36.2

Note: Percentages are not calculated and double dashes (--) appear in the table when the number of students tested is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

C. Engagement

State Priority: Parental Involvement

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Parental Involvement (Priority 3):

- Efforts the school district makes to seek parent input in making decisions for the school district and each school site.

Opportunities for Parental Involvement (School Year 2019-20)

A high value is placed on families at Lake Forest School and parent involvement is strongly advocated. Many parents volunteer in classrooms on a very regular basis, and parent input is welcome and sought out in all areas. The Lake Forest School Site Council (SSC) and Parent Teacher Council (PTC) are two organizations that encourage community input and involvement. The PTC organizes parent and community volunteers, plans family oriented social functions, and organizes fundraisers. The PTC Scrip Program purchases enrichment supplies and equipment for the Technology Center as well as technology in classrooms, and funds science education materials. The SSC helps develop a School Plan for Student Achievement and works with the school staff, PTC, and community to set yearly goals and objectives in reading/language arts, math/science and health, wellness, citizenship, visual and performing arts, and fitness. Technology improvements, art docent programs and visual and performing arts activities/assemblies are offered annually to our students and supported through the fundraising efforts of the PTC and our School Plan for Student Achievement.

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State Priority: School Climate

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: School Climate (Priority 6):

- Pupil suspension rates;
- Pupil expulsion rates; and
- Other local measures on the sense of safety.

Suspensions and Expulsions

Rate	School 2016-17	School 2017-18	School 2018-19	District 2016-17	District 2017-18	District 2018-19	State 2016-17	State 2017-18	State 2018-19
Suspensions	0.6	0.2	0.0	2.4	2.0	1.2	3.6	3.5	3.5
Expulsions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1

School Safety Plan (School Year 2019-20)

A positive school climate is the goal of each staff member at Lake Forest School. It is our belief that the best things will happen for children as we endeavor to help them make good judgments and choices. We look for the good in all children and try to help them discover their own self-worth. A positive discipline program is in place, and students are regularly recognized for their contributions to the positive school climate. The learning environment component reviews discipline procedures on an annual basis. The suspension and expulsion rates over the past five years have been very low when compared to district and state averages.

The school climate has been discussed by both staff and parents through our Safe and Civil Schools Team, which examines school issues such as safety, procedures, yard supervision and self esteem improvement methods. We will continue our “What is a Laker?” program as part of our School Safety Plan. The image of a “Lake Forest Laker” is being taught to students in order to define a behavior standard, improve school spirit, and develop positive peer pressure. In addition, the school has added social programs which support students who have playground issues, and the adults who help them on campus. Our student leadership team assists in mediating minor playground problems and modeling caring and productive attitudes. They also perform skits and lessons on character traits throughout the year and illustrate to all the Laker Way. These expectations provide a good example for all students to follow and give the Leadership team a sense of responsibility and contribution their school.

Our School Safety Plan is updated yearly and includes goals and objectives for improving the physical environment and the school climate. This includes promoting our Character Counts program, anti-bullying lessons and assemblies, encouraging student participation in community service activities, creating a safe, nurturing environment, and celebrating our increasing cultural diversity. Students contribute to the community through service learning projects, which extend classroom learning time and increase students’ personal involvement in academics and active citizenry. In addition, the school special education staff (teacher and psychologist) have conducted lessons in social development in order to increase "emotional intelligence" on the playground. In 2017, Lake Forest added a school counselor to assist at risk students in dealing with playground and other social issues. The counselor runs groups and provides classroom social lessons three days a week.

Student recognition is an important part of honoring our students. Our district-wide Character Counts program promotes positive character traits such as respect, caring, responsibility, trustworthiness, fairness, and good citizenship. Teachers emphasize each character trait on a monthly basis, discuss concepts and share lessons that explore the positive aspects that relate to student life. Lake Forest, though work with PBIS (Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports) has developed a program titled "I SWIM". This is an acronym for Inclusiveness, Safety, Work Hard, Integrity and Mindfulness, that is the foundation for all school rules and expectations. As an extension of this program, we have developed a leadership group for 4th and 5th graders named the I SWIM team, which models good behavior and participates in school and community service through many groups (Garden/Beautification, Safety, School Leadership, Library Support and Community Outreach). Academic achievement is recognized through our school Honor Roll program. Fourth and fifth grade students receive certificates of recognition for earning a grade point average of 3.5 (B+) or above. In 2017, Lake Forest added a reading incentive program through the school library. Students track their words read throughout the year and receive certificates and other recognition for their dedication to reading. In the first year of this program, three students had already surpassed 4,000,000 words read!

We have a fully equipped library, full-sized gymnasium with indoor and outdoor stages, and an office with a staff lounge and workroom. In addition, we have a learning center, reading room, a technology center, Chrome book carts in all classes 2nd-5th (i Pads in TK-1st), a meeting room, and science room. We currently have 2 custodians and district utility technicians working diligently to keep the school in excellent condition.

For the safety of our students, fire, lock down, and “duck and cover” drills are conducted with students and staff, and an emergency preparedness plan is in effect. Campus supervision is provided according to policies established by the District Board of Trustees. All efforts to ensure building safety, cleanliness, and adequacy have been successful. Students in fifth grade serve as Safety Patrol Officers. They assist in keeping the campus safe before and after school.

D. Other SARC Information

The information in this section is required to be in the SARC but is not included in the state priorities for LCFF.

Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Elementary)

Grade Level	2016-17	2016-17	2016-17	2016-17	2017-18	2017-18	2017-18	2017-18	2018-19	2018-19	2018-19	2018-19
	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+
K	19	2	2		22	1	2		20	1	3	
1	28		2		27		2		28		2	
2	28		2		24		3		24		3	
3	27		3		22		3		22		3	
4	27		3		26		2		28		2	
5	27		4		29		4		27		3	
Other**												

*Number of classes indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class).

** "Other" category is for multi-grade level classes.

Ratio of Academic Counselors to Pupils (School Year 2018-19)

Title	Ratio
Academic Counselors*	681.7

*One Full Time Equivalent (FTE) equals one staff member working full time; one FTE could also represent two staff members who each work 50 percent of full time.

Student Support Services Staff (School Year 2018-19)

Title	Number of FTE* Assigned to School
Counselor (Academic, Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	.6
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	
Psychologist	.2
Social Worker	
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	

*One Full Time Equivalent (FTE) equals one staff member working full time; one FTE could also represent two staff members who each work 50 percent of full time.

Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries (Fiscal Year 2017-18)

Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Restricted)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Unrestricted)	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$9,140.00	\$1,834.00	\$7,306.00	\$73,782.00
District	N/A	N/A	\$7,332.00	\$78,162.00
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A	-0.4	-5.8

Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Restricted)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Unrestricted)	Average Teacher Salary
State	N/A	N/A	\$7,506.64	\$77,619.00
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	-2.7	-5.1

Note: Cells with N/A values do not require data.

The California Department of Education issued guidance to LEAs on August 1, 2018, regarding how to calculate school-level per-pupil expenditures that will be reported on 2018-19 report cards.

Types of Services Funded (Fiscal Year 2018-19)

All Rescue schools receive equal allocations, per student, of LCFF Base Funding. This funding helps support students by providing instructional materials, supplies and other needs. Funding for support services, such as maintenance of buildings and grounds, utilities, and student transportation, is budgeted for at the district level and provided to each school site based on the varying needs of the individual school.

In addition to the Base Funding described above, schools in the Rescue Union School District receive Supplemental funding roughly proportional to the number of unduplicated pupils (English Learners, Socioeconomically Disadvantaged, and Foster/Homeless Youth) they serve. Furthermore, school sites receive allocations from other state and federal categorical programs, including Title I and Title II. The purpose of these categorical programs range from improving the quality of the total instructional program for all students to addressing the unique needs of special groups of students.

Teacher and Administrative Salaries (Fiscal Year 2017-18)

Category	District Amount	State Average For Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$50,536	\$49,378
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$72,114	\$77,190
Highest Teacher Salary	\$94,100	\$96,607
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	\$118,074	\$122,074
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	\$120,219	\$126,560
Average Principal Salary (High)	\$0	\$126,920
Superintendent Salary	\$181,800	\$189,346
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	39%	36%
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	7%	6%

For detailed information on salaries, see the CDE Certificated Salaries & Benefits web page at <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/>.

Professional Development (Most Recent Three Years)

Measure	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement			

Fourteen Early Release Professional Development/Teacher Collaboration days are scheduled on various Mondays (typically two per month) throughout the school year. During these meetings, teachers work to analyze assessment data and target key standards. In addition, they plan, develop and improve effective instructional strategies. Staff development related to instructional practices, curriculum, technology, Common Core State Standards, and other educationally related matters are provided for all teachers.

Teachers receive professional development and will work collaboratively on a regular, ongoing basis to target key standards, analyze formative assessment data and develop effective instructional practices.

Five minimum days for parent conferences are also on the calendar in November and three days for report card preparation are scheduled at the end of each trimester.