

Alta Elementary School

2021 School Accountability Report Card



General Information about the School Accountability Report Card (SARC)

SARC Overview



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 and access to prior year reports, see the California Department of Education (CDE) SARC web page at www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/

For more information about the LCFF or the LCAP, see the CDE LCFF web page at 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



DataQuest is an online data tool located on the CDE DataQuest web page at dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/ that contains additional information about this school and comparisons of the school to the district and the county. Specifically, DataQuest is a dynamic system that provides reports for accountability (e.g., test data, enrollment, high school graduates, dropouts, course enrollments, staffing, and data regarding English learners).

California School Dashboard



The California School Dashboard (Dashboard) www.caschooldashboard.org/ reflects California's new accountability and continuous improvement system and provides information about how LEAs and schools are meeting the needs of California's diverse student population. The Dashboard contains reports that display the performance of LEAs, schools, and student groups on a set of state and local measures to assist in identifying strengths, challenges, and areas in need of improvement.

Internet Access

Internet access is available at public libraries and other locations that are publicly accessible (e.g., the California State Library). Access to the Internet at libraries and public locations is generally provided on a first-come, first-served basis. Other use restrictions may include the hours of operation, the length of time that a workstation may be used (depending on availability), the types of software programs available on a workstation, and the ability to print documents.

2021-22 School Contact Information

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2021-22 District Contact Information

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2021-22 School Overview

School Description

Alta Elementary School opened in 1955 at its current site and is situated midway between Reedley and Orange Cove. The school serves approximately 349 students in grades K-5 during the 2021-22 school year and includes a staff of 19 teachers. Alta Elementary School teachers and staff are dedicated to ensuring the academic success of every student and providing a safe and productive learning experience. In the fall of 2020, Alta Elementary School Launched a Spanish Dual Immersion program in kindergarten and added first grade Dual Immersion in 2021.

School Mission Statement

Alta Elementary School is dedicated to enhancing the education of its students by helping them to become purposeful, productive, and confident citizens. The goal of every staff member is to help students to reach their full potential. The program at Alta Elementary encourages children to advance beyond grade level expectations. Every resource available is used to help students advance to their highest academic standards. Alta Elementary School is committed to working with students, parents, and community to make the children's learning experiences positive ones that encourage social development and academic growth.

About this School

2020-21 Student Enrollment by Grade Level

Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	75
Grade 1	53
Grade 2	53
Grade 3	52
Grade 4	58
Grade 5	61
Total Enrollment	352

2020-21 Student Enrollment by Student Group

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Asian	0.6
Hispanic or Latino	92.3
Two or More Races	1.7
White	5.4
English Learners	48.9
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	91.2
Students with Disabilities	5.7

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

Note: For more information refer to the Updated Teacher Equity Definitions web page at <https://www.cde.ca.gov/pd/ee/teacherequitydefinitions.asp>

2019-20 Teacher Preparation and Placement

Authorization/Assignment	2019-20
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)	
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (“ineffective” under ESSA)	
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (“out-of-field” under ESSA)	
Unknown	
Total Teaching Positions	

Note: The data in this table is based on Full Time Equivalent (FTE) status. One FTE equals one staff member working full time; one FTE could also represent two staff members who each work 50 percent of full time. Additionally, an assignment is defined as a position that an educator is assigned to based on setting, subject, and grade level. An authorization is defined as the services that an educator is authorized to provide to students.

2019-20 Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (considered “ineffective” under ESSA)

Authorization/Assignment	2019-20
Permits and Waivers	
Misassignments	
Vacant Positions	
Total Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments	

2019-20 Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (considered “out-of-field” under ESSA)

Indicator	2019-20
Credentialed Teachers Authorized on a Permit or Waiver	
Local Assignment Options	
Total Out-of-Field Teachers	

2019-20 Class Assignments

Indicator	2019-20
Misassignments for English Learners (a percentage of all the classes with English learners taught by teachers that are misassigned)	
No credential, permit or authorization to teach (a percentage of all the classes taught by teachers with no record of an authorization to teach)	

2021-22 Quality, Currency, Availability of Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials

A district textbook adoption committee is established for the process of textbook adoption. Each school site or grade level is represented on each textbook adoption committee. At Alta Elementary School, there are sufficient textbooks and instructional materials for each of the core content areas. Each pupil, including English Learners, have access to district adopted texts, workbooks, or other supplemental instructional materials to use in class and to take home.

Year and month in which the data were collected

August 2021

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption ?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	Grades TK-5 : Engage NY (June 2014)	Yes	0%
Mathematics	Grades TK-5 : Engage NY (June 2014)	Yes	0%
Science	Grades K-5 Amplify Science, 2020	Yes	0%
History-Social Science	Scott Foresman, It's Revolutionary, 2005 edition	Yes	0%
Foreign Language	NA		NA
Health	NA		NA
Visual and Performing Arts	N/A		NA
Science Laboratory Equipment (grades 9-12)	N/A		NA

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

The district takes great effort to ensure that all schools are clean, safe, and functional. To assist in this effort, the district uses a facility survey instrument developed by the State of California Office of Public School Construction. The results of this survey are available at the KCUSD Business Office.

Below is more specific information on the condition of the school and the efforts made to ensure that students are provided with a clean, safe, and functional learning environment. Additional information about the condition of the school's facilities may be obtained by speaking with the school principal.

Alta Elementary School has 19 classrooms, a multipurpose room, a library and an administration building. The main campus was built in 1955. Additional relocatable classrooms were constructed in 1990, 2001, and 2002. In 2019-2020, gravel was added to the existing parking area.

District maintenance staff ensures that the repairs necessary to keep the school in good repair and working order are completed in a timely manner. A work order process is used to ensure efficient service and ensures that emergency repairs are given the highest priority.

The Director of Maintenance, Custodial Supervisor, and the site principal work cooperatively with the custodial staff to develop cleaning schedules to ensure a clean and safe school.

The district participates in the State School Deferred Maintenance Program, which provides state matching funds on a dollar for dollar basis to assist school districts with expenditures for major repair or replacement of existing school building components. Typically, this includes roofing, plumbing, heating, air conditioning, electrical systems, interior or exterior painting, and floor systems.

Year and month of the most recent FIT report

9/2021

System Inspected	Rate Good	Rate Fair	Rate Poor	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	X			
Interior: Interior Surfaces	X			
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/Vermin Infestation	X			
Electrical	X			Light fixture on kitchen roof top not working. Electrician to repair.
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	X			
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	X			Bathroom doors are too heavy for students to open, maintenance is proposing to replace door closures.
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	X			
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	X			Broken sprinklers, grounds to replace. Branch from playground tree fell, grounds removed.

Overall Facility Rate

Exemplary	Good	Fair	Poor
	X		

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 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).

The CAASPP System encompasses the following assessments and student participation requirements:

1. **Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments and CAAs for ELA** in grades three through eight and grade eleven.
2. **Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments and CAAs for mathematics** in grades three through eight and grade eleven.
3. **California Science Test (CAST) and CAAs for Science** in grades five, eight, and once in high school (i.e., grade ten, eleven, or twelve).

SARC Reporting in the 2020-2021 School Year Only

Where the most viable option, LEAs were required to administer the statewide summative assessment in ELA and mathematics. Where a statewide summative assessment was not the most viable option for the LEA (or for one or more grade-level[s] within the LEA) due to the pandemic, LEAs were allowed to report results from a different assessment that met the criteria established by the State Board of Education (SBE) on March 16, 2021. The assessments were required to be:

- Aligned with CA CCSS for ELA and mathematics;
- Available to students in grades 3 through 8, and grade 11; and
- Uniformly administered across a grade, grade span, school, or district to all eligible students.

Options

Note that the CAAs could only be administered in-person following health and safety requirements. If it was not viable for the LEA to administer the CAAs in person with health and safety guidelines in place, the LEA was directed to not administer the tests. There were no other assessment options available for the CAAs. Schools administered the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments for ELA and mathematics, other assessments that meet the SBE criteria, or a combination of both, and they could only choose one of the following:

- Smarter Balanced ELA and mathematics summative assessments;
- Other assessments meeting the SBE criteria; or
- Combination of Smarter Balanced ELA and mathematics summative assessments and other assessments.

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.

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard on CAASPP

This table displays CAASPP test results in ELA and mathematics for all students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment.

The 2019-2020 data cells with N/A values indicate that the 2019-2020 data are not available due to the COVID-19 pandemic and resulting summative test suspension. The Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the assessment, accountability, and reporting requirements for the 2019-2020 school year.

The 2020-2021 data cells have N/A values because these data are not comparable to other year data due to the COVID-19 pandemic during the 2020-2021 school year. Where the CAASPP assessments in ELA and/or mathematics is not the most viable option, the LEAs were allowed to administer local assessments. Therefore, the 2020-2021 data between school years for the school, district, state are not an accurate comparison. As such, it is inappropriate to compare results of the 2020-2021 school year to other school years.

Subject	School 2019-20	School 2020-21	District 2019-20	District 2020-21	State 2019-20	State 2020-21
English Language Arts/Literacy (grades 3-8 and 11)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

2020-21 CAASPP Test Results in ELA by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in ELA by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment. The CDE will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment. In cases where the school administered a local assessment instead of CAASPP, the CDE will populate this table with "NT" values, meaning this school did not test students using the CAASPP. See the local assessment(s) table for more information.

CAASPP Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	171	168	98.25	1.75	24.4
Female	94	93	98.94	1.06	26.88
Male	77	75	97.4	2.6	21.33
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	--	--	--	--	--
Black or African American	0	0	0	0	0
Filipino	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic or Latino	159	156	98.11	1.89	23.08
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--	--
White	--	--	--	--	--
English Learners	69	67	97.1	2.9	11.94
Foster Youth	--	--	--	--	--
Homeless	--	--	--	--	--
Military	0	0	0	0	0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	160	157	98.13	1.87	22.29
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	18	18	100	0	16.67
Students with Disabilities	--	--	--	--	--

2020-21 CAASPP Test Results in Math by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in Math by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment. The CDE will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment. In cases where the school administered a local assessment instead of CAASPP, the CDE will populate this table with "NT" values, meaning this school did not test students using the CAASPP. See the local assessment(s) table for more information.

CAASPP Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	171	168	98.25	1.75	22.02
Female	94	93	98.94	1.06	20.43
Male	77	75	97.40	2.60	24.00
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	--	--	--	--	--
Black or African American	0	0	0	0	0
Filipino	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic or Latino	159	156	98.11	1.89	21.15
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--	--
White	--	--	--	--	--
English Learners	69	67	97.10	2.90	4.48
Foster Youth	--	--	--	--	--
Homeless	--	--	--	--	--
Military	0	0	0	0	0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	160	157	98.13	1.87	20.38
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	18	18	100.00	0.00	11.11
Students with Disabilities	--	--	--	--	--

2020-21 Local Assessment Test Results in ELA by Student Group

This table displays Local Assessment test results in ELA by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven. LEAs/schools will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered a local assessment. In cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment, LEAs/schools will populate this table with "N/A" values in all cells, meaning this table is Not Applicable for this school.

N/A Student Groups	N/A Total Enrollment	N/A Number Tested	N/A Percent Tested	N/A Percent Not Tested	N/A Percent At or Above Grade Level
All Students	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Foster Youth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Homeless	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Military	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

*At or above the grade-level standard in the context of the local assessment administered.

2020-21 Local Assessment Test Results in Math by Student Group

This table displays Local Assessment test results in Math by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven. LEAs/schools will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered a local assessment. In cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment, LEAs/schools will populate this table with "N/A" values in all cells, meaning this table is Not Applicable for this school.

N/A Student Groups	N/A Total Enrollment	N/A Number Tested	N/A Percent Tested	N/A Percent Not Tested	N/A Percent At or Above Grade Level
All Students	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Foster Youth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Homeless	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Military	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
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*At or above the grade-level standard in the context of the local assessment administered.

CAASPP Test Results in Science for All Students

This table displays the percentage of all students grades five, eight, and High School meeting or exceeding the State Standard.

The 2019-2020 data cells with N/A values indicate that the 2019-2020 data are not available due to the COVID-19 pandemic and resulting summative testing suspension. The Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the assessment, accountability, and reporting requirements for the 2019-2020 school year.

For any 2020-2021 data cells with N/T values indicate that this school did not test students using the CAASPP Science.

Subject	School 2019-20	School 2020-21	District 2019-20	District 2020-21	State 2019-20	State 2020-21
Science (grades 5, 8 and high school)	N/A	NT	N/A	NT	N/A	28.72

2020-21 CAASPP Test Results in Science by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in Science by student group for students grades five, eight, and High School. For any data cells with N/T values indicate that this school did not test students using the CAASPP Science.

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	59	NT	NT	NT	NT
Female	33	NT	NT	NT	NT
Male	26	NT	NT	NT	NT
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	--	NT	NT	NT	NT
Black or African American	0	0	0	0	0
Filipino	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic or Latino	53	NT	NT	NT	NT
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	--	NT	NT	NT	NT
White	--	NT	NT	NT	NT
English Learners	14	NT	NT	NT	NT
Foster Youth	--	NT	NT	NT	NT
Homeless	0	0	0	0	0
Military	0	0	0	0	0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	56	NT	NT	NT	NT
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	--	NT	NT	NT	NT
Students with Disabilities	--	NT	NT	NT	NT

B. Pupil Outcomes

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 area of physical education.

2020-21 California Physical Fitness Test Results

Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the Physical Fitness Test was suspended during the 2020-2021 school year and therefore no data are reported and each cell in this table is populated with "N/A."

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
Grade 5	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grade 7	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grade 9	N/A	N/A	N/A

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 regarding the school district and at each school site.

2021-22 Opportunities for Parental Involvement

Parent involvement and communication are essential to school success. Alta Elementary School continually strives to involve parents by exchanging information that helps parents understand and support school programs and by providing opportunities for parent participation in school activities.

There are numerous and varied opportunities for parent involvement. Under traditional school year conditions, the following parent involvement activities take place. Parents attend school functions and parent education nights, participate in parent-teacher conferences, volunteer in classrooms, and chaperone field trips. Parents may also serve on advisory committees and leadership teams, including Parent Teacher Club (PTC), English Learners Advisory Council (ELAC), School Site Council (SSC), District Advisory Committee (DAC), and District English Learner Advisory Committee (DELAC). Parents participate in Bridge to Technology parent workshops throughout the year to support families of English Learners with Chromebooks and internet access at home.

Home and school communication is enhanced through weekly notices, monthly newsletters, parent/teacher conferences, the student/parent handbook, the school website, student progress/report cards, phone messages, Parent Square, and other regular communication activities. Translation is regularly provided.

2020-21 Chronic Absenteeism by Student Group

Student Group	Cumulative Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Eligible Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Count	Chronic Absenteeism Rate
All Students	379	363	35	9.6
Female	201	193	16	8.3
Male	178	170	19	11.2
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0.0
Asian	2	2	0	0.0
Black or African American	0	0	0	0.0
Filipino	0	0	0	0.0
Hispanic or Latino	348	334	31	9.3
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0.0
Two or More Races	6	6	2	33.3
White	23	21	2	9.5
English Learners	200	196	21	10.7
Foster Youth	1	1	0	0.0
Homeless	1	1	1	100.0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	346	334	32	9.6
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	33	32	4	12.5
Students with Disabilities	28	27	2	7.4

C. Engagement

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

This table displays suspensions and expulsions data collected between July through June, each full school year respectively. Data collected during the 2020-21 school year may not be comparable to earlier years of this collection due to differences in learning mode instruction in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Subject	School 2018-19	School 2020-21	District 2018-19	District 2020-21	State 2018-19	State 2020-21
Suspensions	0.72	0.00	3.08	0.53	3.47	0.20
Expulsions	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.08	0.00

This table displays suspensions and expulsions data collected between July through February, partial school year due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The 2019-2020 suspensions and expulsions rate data are not comparable to other year data because the 2019-2020 school year is a partial school year due to the COVID-19 crisis. As such, it would be inappropriate to make any comparisons in rates of suspensions and expulsions in the 2019-2020 school year compared to other school years.

Subject	School 2019-20	District 2019-20	State 2019-20
Suspensions	0.52	2.38	2.45
Expulsions	0.00	0.00	0.05

2020-21 Suspensions and Expulsions by Student Group

Student Group	Suspensions Rate	Expulsions Rate
All Students	0.00	0.00
Female	0.00	0.00
Male	0.00	0.00
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.00	0.00
Asian	0.00	0.00
Black or African American	0.00	0.00
Filipino	0.00	0.00
Hispanic or Latino	0.00	0.00
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.00	0.00
Two or More Races	0.00	0.00
White	0.00	0.00
English Learners	0.00	0.00
Foster Youth	0.00	0.00
Homeless	0.00	0.00
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	0.00	0.00
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0.00	0.00
Students with Disabilities	0.00	0.00

2021-22 School Safety Plan

Safety of students and staff is a primary concern of Alta Elementary School. Before, during, and after school, the campus is monitored by assigned staff. All visitors must sign in at the office and wear appropriate identification while on campus.

The comprehensive school safety plan is designed to assist in preparing for emergencies, managing emergency response efforts, and maintaining a safe school environment. The plan requires identification of security needs, development of prevention and intervention techniques, evaluation of physical facilities, and communication with staff and students. Components of the plan include: child abuse reporting procedures, teacher notification of potentially volatile pupils, disaster response procedures, procedures for safe entrance and evacuation from school, and policies for sexual harassment and suspension and expulsion. The safety plan is reviewed annually, updated as needed, and is fully compliant with federal and state regulations. The plan was last discussed and reviewed/updated with staff/parents on October 26, 2021. The plan was presented to current staff on December 3, 2021. An updated copy is available to the public at the school office.

The school's disaster preparedness plan includes steps for ensuring the safety of students and staff during a disaster. Emergency preparedness drills are conducted regularly and the school staff is appropriately trained.

D. Other SARC Information

Information Required in the SARC

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

2018-19 Elementary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2018-19 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled "Number of Classes" indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class). The "Other" category is for multi-grade level classes.

Grade Level	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-20 Students	Number of Classes with 21-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
K	25		3	
1	21		3	
2	22		3	
3	26		2	
4	32		2	
5	29		2	
6				

2019-20 Elementary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2019-20 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled “Number of Classes” indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class). The “Other” category is for multi-grade level classes.

Grade Level	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-20 Students	Number of Classes with 21-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
K	24	1	2	
1	25		2	
2	20	2	1	
3	26		2	
4	32		2	
5	32		2	
6				

2020-21 Elementary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2020-21 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled “Number of Classes” indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class). The “Other” category is for multi-grade level classes.

Grade Level	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-20 Students	Number of Classes with 21-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
K	25		3	
1	18	3		
2	18	3		
3	26		2	
4	29		2	
5	30		2	
6				

2020-21 Ratio of Pupils to Academic Counselor

This table displays the ratio of pupils to Academic Counselor. 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.

Title	Ratio
Pupils to Academic Counselor	

2020-21 Student Support Services Staff

This table displays the number of FTE support staff assigned to this school. 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.

Title	Number of FTE Assigned to School
Counselor (Academic, Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	0
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	0
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	0
Psychologist	0
Social Worker	0
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	0
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	0

2019-20 Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries

This table displays the 2019-20 expenditures per pupil and average teach salary for this school. Cells with N/A values do not require data.

Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Restricted)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Unrestricted)	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$ 7,418.86	\$877.73	\$6,539.14	\$77,632.54
District	N/A	N/A	\$7,477.39	\$75,311
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A	-13.4	10.5
State			\$8,444	\$81,044
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	-25.4	3.2

2020-21 Types of Services Funded

State Lottery; Title I Part A; Save The Children After School Program; Migrant Education services; and Special Education services. Supplemental and Concentrated funds are utilized for additional parent involvement/engagement and education, support for Chronic Absenteeism and for PBIS.

2019-20 Teacher and Administrative Salaries

This table displays the 2019-20 Teacher and Administrative salaries. For detailed information on salaries, see the CDE Certification Salaries & Benefits web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/>.

Category	District Amount	State Average for Districts in Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$48,010	\$51,029
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$69,956	\$78,583
Highest Teacher Salary	\$102,133	\$99,506
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	\$123,232	\$124,576
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	\$132,992	\$131,395
Average Principal Salary (High)	\$147,623	\$144,697
Superintendent Salary	\$223,065	\$240,194
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	28%	34%
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	6%	6%

Professional Development

Professional development at Alta Elementary School is designed to meet the individual needs of teachers as well as broader school concerns. Professional development may take the form of trainings, conferences/workshops, coaching, peer observation, or constructive self-reflection and are consistent with our school vision and goals. Principal, teachers, instructional aides, and other support personnel may take part in these activities.

For the 2021-22 school year, Alta Elementary School continued its focus on the District's Instructional Action Plan. The school/District continued to emphasize and provide training in Thinking Maps, Literacy Centers, Number Talks, Illuminate, iReady, EdCaliber, implementing designated ELD lessons, BPST/SRI as formative assessments, Amplify Science, and Write from the Beginning and Beyond. Additionally, several teachers continued their training in Next Generation Science Standards (NGSS), as KCUSD is part of an implementation grant. Math support from the district math coach was also provided to support teachers. Dual immersion teachers received training on Benchmark Curriculum and Imagine Espanol.

Alta School utilizes an Instructional Leadership Team that consists of grade level teachers as our guiding coalition for high leverage teaching practices implementation to support students in reaching high levels of comprehension and mathematical reasoning. Our teachers are focusing on building student's vocabulary and academic discourse in both reading and math.

From 2017-2021 school years, Alta Elementary School continues to emphasize collaborative team building, assessment and data collection, emphasis on strategies to instruct English Language Learners, and high leverage teaching strategies for staff. Professional collaboration to analyze and interpret data is given to teachers weekly during early release schedules with site and district colleagues. Professional Development has been provided by the district to train teachers how to teach writing and math effectively to align with state standards. Teachers may also attend conferences and workshops and are supported with vertical team meetings to provide opportunities for collaboration. Three buy-back days per year are also given, in addition to weekly early release days, to provide time for quality professional development and professional learning communities.

This table displays the number of school days dedicated to staff development and continuous improvement.

Subject	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	42	42	42

Kings Canyon Joint Unified School District

2020-21 Local Accountability Report Card (LARC) Addendum

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2020-21 Local Accountability Report Card (LARC) Addendum Overview



On July 14, 2021, the California State Board of Education (SBE) determined that the California Department of Education (CDE) will use the SARC as the mechanism to conduct a one-time data collection of the LEA-level aggregate test results of all school's local assessments administered during the 2020–2021 school year in order to meet the federal Every Students Succeeds Act (ESSA) reporting requirement for the Local Educational Agency Accountability Report Cards (LARCs).

Each local educational agency (LEA) is responsible for preparing and posting their annual LARC in accordance with the federal ESSA. As a courtesy, the CDE prepares and posts the LARCs on behalf of all LEAs.

Only for the 2020–2021 school year and the 2020–2021 LARCs, LEAs are required to report their aggregate local assessments test results at the LEA-level to the CDE by populating the tables below via the SARC. These data will be used to meet the LEAs' federal requirement for their LARCs. Note that it is the responsibility of the school and LEA to ensure that all student privacy and suppression rules are in place when reporting data in Tables 3 and 4 in the Addendum, as applicable.

The tables below are not part of the SBE approved 2020–2021 SARC template but rather are the mechanism by which these required data will be collected from LEAs.

For purposes of the LARC and the following tables, an LEA is defined as a school district, a county office of education, or a direct funded charter school.

2021-22 District Contact Information

District Name	Kings Canyon Joint Unified School District
Phone Number	559.305.7010
Superintendent	John Campbell
Email Address	guzman-j@kcusd.com
District Website Address	https://www.kcusd.com

2020-21 CAASPP Test Results in ELA by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in ELA by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment. The CDE will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment. In cases where the school administered a local assessment instead of CAASPP, the CDE will populate this table with "NT" values, meaning this school did not test students using the CAASPP. See the local assessment(s) table for more information.

CAASPP Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	5121	4993	97.50	2.50	41.96
Female	2481	2426	97.78	2.22	47.03
Male	2640	2567	97.23	2.77	37.16
American Indian or Alaska Native	23	20	86.96	13.04	20.00
Asian	27	26	96.30	3.70	57.69
Black or African American	14	14	100.00	0.00	57.14
Filipino	15	13	86.67	13.33	69.23
Hispanic or Latino	4567	4471	97.90	2.10	40.59
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--	--
Two or More Races	60	55	91.67	8.33	45.45
White	412	391	94.90	5.10	55.75
English Learners	1328	1286	96.84	3.16	8.94
Foster Youth	39	37	94.87	5.13	29.73
Homeless	38	30	78.95	21.05	26.67
Military	--	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	4490	4390	97.77	2.23	39.27
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	254	250	98.43	1.57	31.60
Students with Disabilities	400	368	92.00	8.00	11.41

2020-21 CAASPP Test Results in Math by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in Math by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment. The CDE will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment. In cases where the school administered a local assessment instead of CAASPP, the CDE will populate this table with "NT" values, meaning this school did not test students using the CAASPP. See the local assessment(s) table for more information.

CAASPP Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	5122	5003	97.68	2.32	25.42
Female	2481	2432	98.02	1.98	25.25
Male	2641	2571	97.35	2.65	25.59
American Indian or Alaska Native	23	20	86.96	13.04	10.00
Asian	27	27	100.00	0.00	44.44
Black or African American	15	14	93.33	6.67	42.86
Filipino	15	13	86.67	13.33	38.46
Hispanic or Latino	4567	4478	98.05	1.95	23.72
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--	--
Two or More Races	60	56	93.33	6.67	35.71
White	412	392	95.15		42.09
English Learners	1328	1298	97.74	2.26	6.01
Foster Youth	39	38	97.44	2.56	18.42
Homeless	38	32	84.21	15.79	12.50
Military	--	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	4491	4399	97.95	2.05	22.64
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	254	253	99.61	0.39	15.42
Students with Disabilities	401	368	91.77	8.23	7.07

2020-21 Local Assessment Test Results in ELA by Student Group

This table displays Local Assessment test results in ELA by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven. LEAs/schools will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered a local assessment. In cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment, LEAs/schools will populate this table with "N/A" values in all cells, meaning this table is Not Applicable for this school.

*At or above the grade-level standard in the context of the local assessment administered.

2020-21 Local Assessment Test Results in Math by Student Group

This table displays Local Assessment test results in Math by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven. LEAs/schools will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered a local assessment. In cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment, LEAs/schools will populate this table with "N/A" values in all cells, meaning this table is Not Applicable for this school.

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