



Proposition 28: Arts and Music in Schools Funding Annual Report Fiscal Year 2023-24

Name: San Jose Charter Academy

CDS Code: 19-65 0946 023527

Allocation Year: 2023-24

1. Narrative description of the Prop 28 arts education program(s) funded. (2500 character limit).

SJCA maintained a robust visual arts and music program for our K-8 grade students. The visual arts program was expanded in the 23-24 SY with the additional art teacher. We integrated our summer programming with an arts-forward structure, providing students a hands-on, robust learning experience.

Additionally, we offered a variety of dance experiences for students, as well as drama workshops through vendor-provided enrichment opportunities. We knew this would help us to identify our community's response and interest in the variety of arts experiences. Students, staff and parents provided feedback at the conclusion of each session.

We are continuing to build integrated learning with our core math, literacy, science and humanities program with media arts, drama and dance.

2. Number of full-time equivalent teachers (certificated).

Before Prop 28, SJCA had 2.0 FTE Art teachers and 2.0 FTE Music teachers. One music resigned at the beginning of the school year and we promptly filled the position with a music substitute teacher, funded by Prop 28 until we could backfill the position..

In the 2023-2024 SY, SJCA hired a 1.0 FTE Art teacher, split between .5 Prop 28 and .5 ELOP for a total of 3.0 FTE Art.

The pre-Prop28 Music has been filled for the 24-25 SY and we are still in search to fulfill the 3.0 FTE in Music for 2024-2025.



3. Number of full-time equivalent personnel (classified).

Before Prop 28, we had 0 classified Visual and Performing Arts Teaching Assistant.

In the 2023-2024 SY, SJCA hired a .625 FTE VAPA Certified Instructional Assistant.

4. Number of full-time equivalent teaching aides.

As started above, in the 2023-2024 SY, SJCA hired a .625 FTE VAPA Certified Instructional Assistant, equivalent to a teaching aide.

5. Number of students served.

All 1256 students were served at SJCA in music and art.

6. Number of school sites providing arts education.

1 school

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