Cupertino Union William Faria Elementary 2023-2024 School Accountability Report Card

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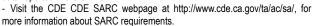
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SARC INFORMATION

Every school in California is required by state law to publish a School Accountability Report Card (SARC), by February 1st of each year. 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 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 a LCAP is to be consistent with data reported in the SARC.



Visit the CDE LCFF Webpage at http://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/lc/, for more information about the LCFF or LCAP.

- For additional information about the school, parents 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 http://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest that contains additional information about this school and comparisons of the school to the district, the county, and the state. 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) reflects California's new accountability and continuous improvement system and provides information about how districts and schools are meeting the needs of California's diverse student population. The Dashboard contains reports that display the performance of districts, schools, and student groups on a set of state and local measures to assist in identifying strengths, challenges, and areas in need of improvement. The Dashboard can be accessed at https://www.caschooldashboard.org.









DISTRICT STATEMENTS MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of the Cupertino Union School District is to provide a child-centered environment that cultivates character, fosters academic excellence, and embraces diversity. District families, communities, and staff join as partners to develop creative, exemplary learners with the skills and enthusiasm to contribute to a constantly changing global society.

DISTRICT PRIORITIES

- Priority 1: Future-Ready Learning: Support each child in developing the skills and characteristics of our CUSD Portrait of a Learner (POL) including academic content skills and our seven (7) competencies:

- *Critical Thinker
- *Effective Communicator
- *Global Contributor
- *Inclusive Collaborator
- *Inspired Creator
- *Resilient Learner
- *Wellness

- Priority 2: Community-Wide Engagement: Actively engage educational partners (students, staff, parents and community members) and build strong relationship to support the implementation of the CUSD Strategic Plan, including the Portrait of a Learner.

- Priority 3: Fiscal Responsibility: Effectively and efficiently utilize District resources, operations, and processes to maximize each student's learning.

- Priority 4: Sense of Belonging: Create a sense of belonging in the workplace so that every employee feels valued, validated and supported to actively engage in their work, fully contribute, and confidently practice well-being activities that promote connectedness and work-life harmony.

OUR FOCUS

- We will prepare students for future success in high school, college, career, and in life in this rapidly changing world
- We will provide personalized and challenging learning experiences, designed to help each child stretch towards their "just right" next learning step
- We will develop the whole child social, emotional, intellectual, mental and physical well-being
- We will support student success and family engagement by building partnerships with parents and community organizations

OUR COMMITMENT AND PROMISE

- Provide Meaningful, Creative, and Innovative Curriculum and Instruction that supports student engagement and deepen student learning experiences

- Design Dynamic Learning Environments to meet the needs of all students while challenging each to develop existing skills, interests and understandings, as well as building new ones

- Attract, retain and support high quality staff who are seen as leaders and learners empowered to inspire our students
- Engage Family and Community as partners to actively support and improve the academic achievement, social and behavioral development, and health of our students
- Ensure District Communication systems are in place in order to connect our schools to our families and community, celebrate the successes of our students, staff and alumni while attracting and welcoming new families to the District
- Develop and maintain a District culture and infrastructure that ensures fiscal responsibility and places highest value on student learning
- Students will be provided and engage in learning experiences that are relevant and rigorous, personalized, and focused on the development of the whole child

OUR BELIEFS

- All children will progress, learn and thrive when provided engaging learning experiences and environments
- One size does not fit all students learn at different paces and in different ways
- Academics are a portion of what matters to a child's success in school and in life
- When families, communities and schools work together, students are more successful and the entire community benefits

SCHOOL PROFILE

The Cupertino Union School District is the largest elementary school district in northern California. The District is serves approximately 13,500 students in 17 elementary schools, one K-8 school, and five middle schools throughout the city of Cupertino and parts of the cities of Sunnyvale, San Jose, Saratoga, Los Altos, and Santa Clara.

SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Faria A+ School is to provide a traditional, structured, teacher directed, back to basics environment for student learning. The academic program strongly emphasizes the development of critical thinking and deep conceptual understandings of the basic core academic subjects of reading, language arts and mathematics, including social studies and science. This program also emphasizes the development of social skills and character traits to enable children to be successful, responsible citizens in school and in the community.

ENROLLMENT BY GRADE

The charts display student enrollment broken down by grade.

Enrollment by Grade Level							
2023-24	Count						
К	96						
1st	96						
2nd	94						
3rd	92						
4th	115						
5th	111						
Total	604						

ENROLLMENT BY STUDENT GROUP

The charts display student enrollment broken down by student group.

Enrollment by Student	t Group
2023-24	Percentage
Female	47.00
Male	53.00
Non-Binary	
American Indian or Alaska Native	1.30
Asian	90.40
Black or African American	0.50
Filipino	0.20
Hispanic or Latino	0.30
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	
White	1.70
Two or More Races	1.00
EL Students	10.90
Foster Youth	2.80
Homeless	
Military	
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	12.70
Migrant Education	
Students with Disabilities	

CONDITIONS OF LEARNING

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the Basic State Priority (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 ASSIGNMENT

The tables below display information regarding teacher preparation and placement, teachers without credentials and misassignments (considered "ineffective" under ESSA), credentialed teachers who are assigned out-of-field (considered "out-of-field" under ESSA); and class assignments. The data is collected and provided through an exchange with the Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC) and its California State Assignment Accountability System (CalSAAS). More information about the definitions used to determine the displayed data is available on the CDE's Updated Teacher Definitions web page at https://www.cde.ca.gov/pd/ee/teacherequitydefinitions.asp.

Teacher Preparation and Placement											
2020-21	School Number	School Percent	District Number	District Percent	State Number	State Percent					
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)	27.50	100.00	642.70	93.60	228,366.10	83.12					
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0.00	0.00	3.40	0.50	4,205.90	1.53					
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments ("ineffective" under ESSA)	0.00	0.00	2.40	0.35	11,216.70	4.08					
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field ("out-of-field" under ESSA)	0.00	0.00	11.10	1.62	12,115.80	4.41					
Unknown	0.00	0.00	26.90	3.92	18,854.30	6.86					
Total Teaching Positions	27.50	100.00	686.70	100.00	274,759.10	100.00					

Teacher Preparation and Placement										
2021-22	School Number	School Percent	District Number	District Percent	State Number	State Percent				
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)	26.40	100.00	619.30	93.89	234,405.20	84.00				
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0.00	0.00	3.40	0.53	4,853.00	1.74				
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments ("ineffective" under ESSA)	0.00	0.00	4.00	0.61	12,001.50	4.30				
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field ("out-of-field" under ESSA)	0.00	0.00	7.80	1.18	11,953.10	4.28				
Unknown	0.00	0.00	24.90	3.79	15,831.90	5.67				
Total Teaching Positions	26.40	100.00	659.60	100.00	279,044.80	100.00				

Teacher Preparation and Placement										
2022-23	School Number	School Percent	District Number	District Percent	State Number	State Percent				
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)	24.20	96.04	564.00	94.27	231,142.40	100.00				
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0.00	0.00	2.00	0.33	5,566.40	2.00				
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments ("ineffective" under ESSA)	1.00	3.96	6.80	1.14	14,938.30	5.38				
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field ("out-of-field" under ESSA)	0.00	0.00	6.60	1.11	11,746.90	4.23				
Unknown	0.00	0.00	18.70	3.14	14,303.80	5.15				
Total Teaching Positions	25.20	100.00	598.30	100.00	277,698.00	100.00				

Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments								
2020-21 2021-22 2022-23								
Permits and Waivers	0.00	0.00	1.00					
Misassignments	0.00	0.00	0.00					
Vacant Positions	0.00	0.00	0.00					
Total Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments	0.00	0.00	0.00					

Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field									
2020-21 2021-22 2022-23									
Credentialed Teachers Authorized on a Permit or Waiver	0.00	0.00	0.00						
Local Assignment Options	0.00	0.00	0.00						
Total Out-of-Field Teachers	0.00	0.00	0.00						

Class Assignments							
2020-21 2021-22 2022-23							
Misassignments for English Learners (a percentage of all the classes with English learners taught by teachers that are misassigned)	0.00	0.00	0.00				
No credential, permit or authorization to teach (a percentage of all the classes taught by teachers with no record of an authorization to teach)	0.00	0.00	0.00				

INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

Cupertino Union School held a Public Hearing on September 26, 2024, and determined that each school within the District has sufficient and good quality textbooks, instructional materials, or science lab equipment pursuant to the settlement of Williams vs. the State of California. All students, including English learners, are given their own individual standards-aligned textbooks or instructional materials, or both, in core subjects for use in the classroom and to take home. Textbooks and supplementary materials are adopted according to a cycle developed by the State Department of Education, making the textbooks used in the school the most current available. Materials approved for use by the State are reviewed by teachers and a recommendation is made to the School Board by a selection committee composed of teachers and administrators. All recommended materials are available for parent examination at the district office prior to adoption.

TEXTBOOKS

The table displays information about the quality, currency, and availability of the standards-aligned textbooks and other instructional materials used at the school.

	2024-25 Instructional Materials								
Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials / Year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent of Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy						
English / Language Arts	Grades: K-5th / Course: English/Language Arts / Publisher: Houghton Mifflin/ Adoption: 2003 Grades: K-5th / Course: English/Language Arts / Publisher: Heinemann/ Adoption: 2014	Yes Yes	0 0						
Mathematics	Grades: K-5th / Course: Mathematics / Publisher: Houghton Mifflin Harcourt/ Adoption: 2015	Yes	0						
History / Social Science	Grades: K-5th / Course: History/Social Science / Publisher: Pearson Scott Foresman/ Adoption: 2007		0						
Science	Science Grades: K-5th / Course: Science / Publisher: Accelerate Learning / Adoption: 2020 Grades: K-5th / Course: Science / Publisher: Pearson / Adoption: 2020 Grades: 3rd-5th / Course: Science / Publisher: Accelerate Learning / Adoption: 2024		0 0 0						
Foreign Language	N/A	N/A	N/A						
Visual / Performing Arts	N/A	N/A	N/A						
Health Education	Grades: 5th / Course: Health / Publisher: Positive Prevention Plus / Adoption: 2019	Yes	0						

SCHOOL FACILITIES

Faria A+ School offers a safe and secure campus where students, staff, and visitors are free from physical and psychological harm. The school provides up-to-date facilities and adequate space for students and staff. Faria A+ is comprised of 24 classrooms, an intervention room and a Guided Learning Center which includes a library, art/science lab, and computer lab. The school also enjoys a spacious playground with two play structures - Falconcrest and Falconet, as well as grassy fields for running, sports, and games, and a separate play area for kindergarten students with a play structure.

The following facility improvements have been completed in the last five years:

- The classrooms were improved with new carpet, paint, and casework.

- The exterior of the classrooms was recast in a level configuration to support all students.
- The library, and all rooms in the Guided Learning Center were refurbished with new carpet and paint.
- The administration office was remodeled to provide more customer service-oriented space.
- A new shade structure and other improvements were made to the kindergarten play area.
- A fence was added to the front of the school to improve safety.
- Short-throw projectors were added to all classrooms
- IT infrastructure was improved

Campus Supervision & Safety

The Cupertino Union School District, all schools, and staff are dedicated to ensuring the safety of all students when attending school. Before school, during recess and lunch, students are monitored by school staff. When students are dismissed for the day, teachers and other school staff monitor the student pickup areas. During school hours, all visitors must sign in at the front office, show photo identification, and wear identification badges while on campus. Cleaning Process

The Principal works daily with the custodial staff to ensure that the cleaning of the school is maintained to provide for a clean and safe school. In the evenings and during the day, custodians ensure classrooms, restrooms, and campus grounds are kept clean and safe. A scheduled maintenance program is administered by the Cupertino Union School District to ensure that all classrooms and facilities are maintained to a degree of adequacy. Maintenance and Repair

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

FACILITY INSPECTION RESULTS

The chart displays the results of the most recent facilities inspection at the school. While reviewing this report, please note that even minor discrepancies are reported in the inspection process.

2024-25 School Facility Inspection Summary						
Date of Last Inspection:	10/26/2024					
Data Collected:	October 2024					
Overall Summary of School Facility Conditions:	FAIR					

	School Facility Inspection Results						
Category	Rating	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned					
SYSTEMS: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	GOOD						
INTERIOR: Interior Surfaces	FAIR	6, GLC: 4. CARPET IS TORN. RESOURCE: 4. CEILING TILE HAS A WATER STAIN. 27: 4. CEILING TILE IS TORN. 7, 11, 15, GLC, HEALTH ROOM, MDF/IDF: 4. CEILING TILES HAVE WATER STAINS. WORKROOM: 4. FLOOR TILE IS BROKEN. 17: 4. HOLES IN LINOLEUM FLOORING. 16: 4. LINOLEUM FLOORING IS LIFTING (TAPED).					
CLEANLINESS: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/ Vermin Infestation	GOOD	BOYS RESTROOM, GIRLS RESTROOM: 5. FECES LEFT IN TOILET. 21: 5. PAPER CUTTER IS UNABLE TO BE SECURED. 25, 29, STORAGE: 5. UNSECURED ITEMS ARE STORED TOO HIGH. GIRLS RESTROOM: 5. URINE LEFT IN TOILETS. 24: 6. POSSIBLE TERMITE DAMAGE TO FACIA.					
ELECTRICAL: Electrical	GOOD	10: 7. CORD IS CREATING A TRIP HAZARD. 15: 7. EXTENSION CORD AND SURGE PROTECTORS ARE DAISY CHAINED. ELECTRICAL CONDUIT IS LOOSE FROM CEILING. 12: 7. OUTLET COVER IS LOOSE (TAPED). 28: 7. PHONE JACK/ETHERNET COVER IS MISSING. 14: 7. SURGE PROTECTORS ARE DAISY CHAINED. ELECTRICAL ROOM, ELECTRICAL ROOM: 7. USED FOR STORAGE BLOCKING ACCESS TO ELECTRICAL PANEL.					
RESTROOMS/FOUNTAINS: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	POOR	UNISEX RESTROOM, GIRLS R					
SAFETY: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	FAIR	29: 10. EVACUATION MAP IS NOT POSTED. RESOURCE: 10. NO ROOM ID. 9: 10. TEACHER HAS PLACED CONSTRUCTION PAPER INSIDE OF LIGHT DIFFUSER. A: 10. WHEELCHAIR RAMP IS USED FOR STORAGE. 4, 7, 8, 10, 18, 28: 11. IMPROPERLY STORED CLEANING SUPPLIES. 18, CONFERENCE ROOM 3: 11. PAINT IS PEELING ON DOOR. 7, 14: 11. PAINT IS PEELING ON EAVES. 26: 11. PAINT IS PEELING ON EXTERIOR WALL AND FACIA. 8, 9, 12, 13: 11. PAINT IS PEELING ON EXTERIOR WALL.					
STRUCTURAL: Structural Damage, Roofs	GOOD	6: 12. CRACK IN EAVES. 1, 9, 15, CUSTODIAN CLOSET: 12. CRACKS IN EXTERIOR WALL.					
EXTERNAL: Playground/ School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/ Gates/ Fences	GOOD	29: 14. MULTIPLE EXTERIOR BACKPACK HOOKS ARE BROKEN. GLC: 14. RUST STREAKS/STAINS ON EXTERIOR WALL. 16: 14. TRIP HAZARD AT ASPHALT/CEMENT SEAM. BOYS RESTROOM, GIRLS RESTROOM, RESTROOM: 15. DOOR CLOSER COVER IS MISSING. 21: 15. DOOR DOES NOT SHUT PROPERLY. PLAY FIELDS: 15. FENCING TOP BEAM IS MISSING AT GATE NEAR PLAYFIELD BACKSTOP. 4, 6, 9, 12, 24: 15. WINDOW SCREEN IS MISSING.					

PUPIL ACHIEVEMENT AND OUTCOMES

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).

CALIFORNIA ASSESSMENT OF STUDENT PERFORMANCE AND PROGRESS

The California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) is a collection of tests used statewide to provide teachers, students and parents with information about how students are doing in school. The assessment system utilizes computer-adaptive tests and performance tasks that allow students to show what they know and are able to do. Summative assessment results include student scores, achievement levels, and descriptors that describe performance. Information regarding the CAASPP test results of mathematics for each grade and achievement standards can be found on the CDE CAASPP-ELPAC Results website at https://www.caaspp-elpac.cde.ca.gov/caaspp/. The CAASPP System consists of the following assessments:

- Smarter Balanced English language arts/literacy (ELA) and mathematics

- California Alternate Assessments for ELA, mathematics, and science
- California Science Test (CAST)
- California Spanish Assessment (CSA)
- Smarter Balanced Interim 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 value "N/T" indicates that students were not tested, and therefore no scores are available at this time.

ASSESSMENT RESULTS

The table displays the percent of students who met or exceeded state standards in English Language Arts/Literacy (grades 3-8 and 11), Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11), and Science (Grades 5, 8, and high school).

Assessment Results by Subject									
		School		District			State		
	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
English Language Arts/Literacy (Grades 3-8 and 11)	95	97	94	84	83	83	47	46	47
Mathematics (Grades 3-8 and 11)	98	97	98	84	84	84	33	34	35
Science (Grades 5, 8, and 10)	90	95	95	77	76	77	29	30	31

Assessment Results by Student Group - English Language Arts								
2023-24	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	% Met or Exceeded Standard			
All Students	343	340	99.13	0.87	93.53			
Male	179	177	98.88	1.12	92.66			
Female	164	163	99.39	0.61	94.48			
Non-Binary								
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Asian	311	308	99.04	0.96	93.18			
Black or African American								
Filipino	0	0	0	0	0			
Hispanic or Latino								
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0			
White								
Two or More Races	18	18	100.00	0.00	100.00			
EL Students	21	21	100.00	0.00	66.67			
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0			
Homeless	0	0	0	0	0			
Military	0	0	0	0	0			
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	48	47	97.92	2.08	87.23			
Migrant Education	0	0	0	0	0			
Students with Disabilities	11	11	100.00	0.00	63.64			

Assessment Results by Student Group - Mathematics								
2023-24	Total Enrollment Number Tested Percent Tested		Percent Not Tested	% Met or Exceeded Standard				
All Students	343	340	99.13	0.87	97.65			
Male	179	177	98.88	1.12	97.18			
Female	164	163	99.39	0.61	98.16			
Non-Binary								
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Asian	311	308	99.04	0.96	97.40			
Black or African American	0	0	0	0	0			
Filipino	0	0	0	0	0			
Hispanic or Latino								
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0			
White								
Two or More Races	18	18	100.00	0.00	100.00			
EL Students	21	21	100.00	0.00	85.71			
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0			
Homeless	0	0	0	0	0			
Military	0	0	0	0	0			
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	48	47	97.92	2.08	97.87			
Migrant Education	0	0	0	0	0			
Students with Disabilities	11	11	100.00	0.00	72.73			

Assessment Results by Student Group - Science							
2023-24	023-24 Total Enrollment Number Tested Pe		Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	% Met or Exceeded Standard		
All Students	112	111	99.11	0.89	94.59		
Male	58	58	100.00	0.00	96.55		
Female	54	53	98.15	1.85	92.45		
Non-Binary							
American Indian or Alaska Native							
Asian	102	101	99.02	0.98	94.06		
Black or African American	0	0	0	0	0		
Filipino	0	0	0	0	0		
Hispanic or Latino	0	0	0	0	0		
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0		
White							
Two or More Races							
EL Students							
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0		
Homeless	0	0	0	0	0		
Military	0	0	0	0	0		
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	19	18	94.74	5.26	83.33		
Migrant Education	0	0	0	0	0		
Students with Disabilities	0	0	0	0	0		

OTHER OUTCOMES

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

- Pupil outcomes in the subject area of physical education

PHYSICAL FITNESS ASSESSMENT

In the spring of each year, all California schools are required by the state to administer a physical fitness test to students in the fifth, seventh, and ninth grades. The physical fitness test is a standardized evaluation that measures each student's ability to perform fitness tasks in five major areas. The five major areas are Aerobic Capacity, Abdominal Strength and Endurance, Extensor and Strength and Flexibility, Upper Body Strength and Endurance, and Flexibility.

The table displays the percentage of students participating in each of the five fitness evaluations by grade. Detailed information regarding this test may be found at the CDE website at http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/pf/.

2023-24 Physical Fitness Test Participation								
Grade	Component 1: Aerobic Capacity	Component 2: Abdominal Strength and Endurance	Component 3: Trunk Extensor and Strength and Flexibility	Component 4: Upper Body Strength and Endurance	Component 5: Flexibility			
5th	100	100	100	100	100			

PUPIL ENGAGEMENT

- The SARC provides the following information relevant to the Pupil Engagement State Priority (Priority 5):
- High school dropout and graduation rates
- Chronic absenteeism rates

CHRONIC ABSENTEEISM

Attendance is critical to academic achievement. Regular daily attendance is a priority and is expected for students. A student who is absent on 10 percent or more of the school days in the school year is considered to be a "chronic absentee". Chronic absenteeism negatively impacts student learning and achievement and is closely monitored by school staff and the district. Rates of chronic absenteeism for the school are displayed below.

Chronic Absenteeism Rate (Percentage)							
2023-24	Cumulative Chronic Absenteeism Chronic Absenteeism Enrollment Eligible Enrollment Count						
All Students	669	657	30	4.6			
Female	314	306	12	3.9			
Male	355	351	18	5.1			
Non-Binary							
American Indian or Alaska Native	11						
Asian	606	596	30	5.0			
Black or African American							
Filipino							
Hispanic or Latino							
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander							
White							
Two or More Races							
EL Students	88	87	6	6.9			
Foster Youth							
Homeless							
Military							
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	83	83	5	6.0			
Migrant Education							
Students with Disabilities	22	22	0	0.0			

PARENT ENGAGEMENT

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

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

PARENT INVOLVEMENT

The Faria Enrichment Education Foundation (FEEF) is a thriving parent-teacher organization providing many activities throughout the year for parents to be involved with the school. Faria has an active School Site Council that meets monthly to discuss student achievement and other school policies. Members of our School Site Council participate in the District's parent advisory committees. Faria has a web site that contains all the events and activities. The school news is posted regularly with the community on ParentSquare, and on the school website. Parents also receive a parenting newsletter once a month with tips to support their student's school experience. For additional information about organized opportunities for parent involvement at Faria (William) Elementary, please contact the school at 408-252-0706.

SCHOOL CLIMATE

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

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

SUSPENSIONS AND EXPULSIONS

The table displays the suspension and expulsion rates at the school, in the district, and throughout the state. Expulsions occur only when required by law or when all other alternatives are exhausted.

Suspension and Expulsion Rates								
		Suspensions		Expulsions				
	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24		
School	0.14	0.00	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00		
District	0.50	0.56	0.73	0.01	0.01	0.00		
State	3.17	3.60	3.28	0.07	0.08	0.07		

Suspension & Expulsion Rates by Student Group						
2023-24	Suspensions	Expulsions				
All Students	0.15	0.00				
Female	0.00	0.00				
Male	0.28	0.00				
Non-Binary	0.00	0.00				
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.00	0.00				
Asian	0.17	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				
White	0.00	0.00				
Two or More Races	0.00	0.00				
EL Students	0.00	0.00				
Foster Youth	0.00	0.00				
Homeless	0.00	0.00				
Military						
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	1.20	0.00				
Migrant Education	0.00	0.00				
Students with Disabilities	0.00	0.00				

SCHOOL SAFETY

The safety of students and staff is a top priority for the Cupertino Union School District. With many parents and community members visiting the campus to volunteer and engage in school events, we maintain a secure environment by requiring all visitors to check in at the school office and obtain a visitor's badge. Upon departure, visitors must return to the office to sign out. Additionally, designated staff members supervise students and school grounds— including the cafeteria and recreation areas— during lunch, recess, and before and after school, ensuring a safe and orderly atmosphere for everyone.

The Comprehensive Safe School Plan was developed by the District to comply with Senate Bill 187 (SB 187) of 1997. The plan provides students and staff a means of ensuring a safe and orderly learning environment. Each school includes the following requirements of SB 187 within their safe school plans: current status of school crime; child abuse reporting procedures; disaster procedures, routine and emergency; policies related to suspension and expulsion; notification to teachers; sexual harassment policy; provision of a school-wide dress code; safe ingress and egress of pupils, parents, and school employees; safe and orderly school environment; and school rules and procedures. Fire drills are conducted on a monthly basis throughout the school year and intruder/lock-down drills are held annually.

The school evaluates the plan annually and updates it as needed. Plans are approved annually by March 1st. Safety procedures, including elements of the Safe School Plan, are reviewed with school and District staff in the fall, at the start of each school year. The last review was in August 2024. An updated copy of the plan is available to the public at the school office.

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.

ACADEMIC COUNSELOR TO PUPIL RATIO

The chart displays the ratio of pupils to academic counselor at the school.

2023-24 Ratio of Number of Pupils per Academic Counselor				
Academic Counselor(s)	0			

AVAILABLE COUNSELING AND SUPPORT STAFF

The chart displays the support staff available to students at the school. Note: 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.

Counseling and Support Staff				
2023-24	Full Time Equivalent			
Counselor (Academic, Social/Behavioral or Career Development)				
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)				
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)				
Psychologist	0.2			
Social Worker				
Nurse				
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	0.3			
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)				
Other				

CLASS SIZE DISTRIBUTION

The table indicates the average class size by grade level or subject area, as well as the number of classrooms that fall into each size category. *Please note that the "Other" category may display data for multi-grade level classes.

Class Size Distribution By Grade												
	Aver	age Class	Size	1-	-20 Studen	ts	21	21-32 Students		3	33+ Students	
	22	23	24	22	23	24	22	23	24	22	23	24
К	24	24	24		0		4	4	4		0	
1st	24	24	24		0		4	4	4		0	
2nd	24	24	24		0		5	4	8		0	
3rd	24	23	23		0		5	5	8		0	
4th	30	32	29		0		11	11	12	1	1	
5th	28	28	28		0		12	12	12		0	
Other		0			0			0			0	

DISTRICT REVENUE SOURCES

In addition to general state funding, the Cupertino Union School District receives state and federal funding for the following categorical funds and other support programs: FEDERAL FUNDS

- Title I

- Title II Part A-Teacher Quality, Technology, & Administrator Training

- Title III LEP and Title III IMM

- Title IV

- Title V

- IDEA

STATE FUNDS

- ELOP

- Prop 28 Art & Music - CCSPP

- UPK

- UPK

- Mandate Block Grant - Mental Health

- Lottery - Proposition 20

SCHOOL AND DISTRICT EXPENDITURES

The table provides a comparison of a school's per pupil funding from unrestricted sources with other schools in the district and throughout the state. Supplemental/Restricted expenditures come from money whose use is controlled by law or donor. Money designated for specific purposes by the district or governing board is not considered restricted. Basic/Unrestricted expenditures, except for general guidelines, are not controlled by law or donor.

For detailed information on school expenditures for all districts in California, see the CDE Current Expense of Education & Per-pupil Spending Web page at http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/ec/. For information on teacher salaries for all districts in California, see the CDE Certificated Salaries & Benefits Web page at http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/. To look up expenditures and salaries for a specific school district, see the Ed-Data Web site at: http://www.ed-data.org.

2022-23 Expenditures per Pupil					
School: Total Expenditures Per Pupil	\$ 6,817.00				
School: From Supplemental/Restricted Sources	\$ 638.00				
School: From Basic/Unrestricted Sources	\$ 6,179.00				
District: From Basic/Unrestricted Sources	\$ 7,402.00				
Percentage of Variation between School & District	-16.52 %				
State: From Basic/Unrestricted Sources	\$ 10,770.62				
Percentage of Variation between School & State	-42.63 %				

TEACHER AND ADMINISTRATIVE SALARIES

This table displays District salaries for teachers, principals, and superintendents, and compares these figures to the State averages for districts of the same type and size. The table also displays teacher and administrative salaries as a percent of the District's budget, and compares these figures to the State averages for districts of the same type and size. Detailed information regarding salaries may be found at the CDE website.

2022-23 Average Salary Information						
	District	State				
Beginning Teachers	\$ 69,921.00	\$ 58,552.87				
Mid-Range Teachers	\$ 102,780.00	\$ 93,923.91				
Highest Teachers	\$ 132,588.00	\$ 119,489.34				
Elementary School Principals	\$ 179,486.00	\$ 149,898.11				
Middle School Principals	\$ 181,878.00	\$ 157,110.85				
High School Principals	\$ 0.00	\$ 151,698.00				
Superintendent	\$ 324,647.00	\$ 270,431.60				
Teacher Salaries	0.36 %	31.93 %				
Administrative Salaries	0.06 %	5.62 %				

SCHOOL SITE TEACHER SALARIES

The Average Teacher Salaries table illustrates the average teacher salary at the school and compares it to the average teacher salary at the District and throughout the State.

2022-23 Average Teacher Salary		
School	\$ 94,521.00	
District	\$ 104,643.00	
Percentage of Variation between School & District	-9.67 %	
All Similar School Districts	\$ 96,325.00	
Percentage of Variation between School & State	-1.87 %	

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAYS OFFERED

The table displays the number of annual professional development days offered during the most recent three-year period.

Professional Development Days			
	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25
Number of Professional Development Days	105	78	103

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Staff members build teaching skills by participating in conferences and workshops, as well as in-house professional development sessions. The District annually dedicates three days exclusively to the professional development of school site staff. Professional learning time also is set aside on site meeting calendars throughout the school year. The District continuously offers additional professional development opportunities to staff throughout the school year and during the summer. Recent topics for staff development include but are not limited to:

* Portrait of a Learner & Future-Ready Learning

* Collaborative planning teams to support ELA, Math and TK

* Parent Square communication tools

* PBIS, SEL and Behavior Management

* Phonics and structured literacy

* Curriculum support in English Language Development, Intervention, Science, TK Math, and World Languages

* Artificial Intelligence and innovative teaching practices

* Art for Belonging

* Math Workshop

* Special Education - Best practices and tools