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Press Release

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Rosemead School District Test Scores Reveal Progress, Opportunities for Growth

Rosemead, California: The California Department of Education (CDE) released assessment results today, with overall results showing that the Rosemead School District (RSD) continues to outperform the county, state, and many school districts in both ELA and Mathematics. RSD is committed to the highest levels of student achievement and closing learning gaps, while at the same time recognizing that there is a need to improve interventions and supports for some student groups.

In English Language Arts, RSD saw 59.23% of its students meet or exceed standards compared to 50.50% countywide and 48.82% across the State. English Language Arts scores generally remained generally steady in 2025 from the previous year, but the district's fifth, sixth, and eighth-grade students tested last year all showed overall growth.

In Mathematics, RSD has continued to make consistent and meaningful progress in Mathematics across all grade levels, due to the ongoing collaboration and professional development on the math practices and framework. RSD students who met or exceeded standards in mathematics were 54.16% compared to 39.25% countywide and 37.30% across the state, demonstrating about a five-point improvement since 2022.

Similarly, RSD outperformed the county and state on the California Science Test (CAST), with 43.3% of all students tested meeting or exceeding standards. Comparatively, 32.66% of students taking the CAST across California met or exceeded standards, and 32.10% of students performed similarly in LA County.

RSD remains committed to supporting every learner. Specifically, socio-economically disadvantaged (SED) students continue to demonstrate strong progress. In English language arts, 53.9% of SED students met or exceeded standards. In Mathematics and Science, SED students outperformed the district's overall rate of improvement. In Mathematics, 48.28% met or exceeded standards—an 8-point increase since 2022. In science, 40.76% met or exceeded standards, reflecting a 5-point gain since 2022.

The academic success of our Hispanic student group remains a key focus area for the district as we work to close achievement gaps and ensure equitable outcomes for all students. In Mathematics, Hispanic students demonstrated notable progress, achieving an eight-point gain since 2022 and outpacing the district's overall growth. In science, Hispanic students also showed steady improvement with a six-point increase over the past two years.

Students with disabilities also continue to be an important area of focus for the district as we work to provide targeted support and equitable access to rigorous instruction. In English language arts, 11.11% of students with disabilities met or exceeded standards. In mathematics, 15.97% met or exceeded standards, and in science, 13.64% achieved proficiency. These test results are a call to action, driving the next steps we must take to improve academic outcomes for all students.

"The Board of Trustees is incredibly proud of the continued academic growth across our schools," said Board President Mrs. Diane Benitez. "These results are a testament to the hard work of our educators and the perseverance of our students. As a Board, we are steadfast in our commitment to equity and excellence—ensuring that all Rosemead students, regardless of background, have the opportunity to thrive and achieve at the highest levels."

"As we celebrate these encouraging results and the steady progress made across all subjects, it is clear that Rosemead School District's dedication to academic excellence is yielding meaningful outcomes," said Superintendent of Schools Dr. Philip D'Agostino. "We know our work is far from done. Now is the time for all of us - educators, families, and community - to build on our success - strengthening instructional practices, deepening targeted interventions, and expanding supports so that every child in Rosemead achieves at the highest level."

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ABOUT ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE OF STUDENTS IN ROSEMEAD:

For more detailed information on the academic performance of students in the Rosemead School District, please visit https://caaspp-elpac.ets.org.

ABOUT THE ROSEMEAD SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Rosemead School District (RSD) serves students who reside in Rosemead, as well as portions of El Monte, San Gabriel, and Temple City. RSD serves 2,431 students in four PK-6 elementary schools (Encinita, Mildred B. Janson, Savannah, and Emma W. Shuey Elementary Schools) and one 7-8 middle school (Muscatel Middle School). We are proud partners with the City of Rosemead and deeply value our responsibility to serve our community and its children.

For more information about the Rosemead School District, please visit www.rosemead.k12.ca.us. For more information about school educational programs, please contact the Educational Services Department at (626) 312-2900, extension 213.

To learn more about the Mandarin Dual Language Immersion (DLI) program at Encinita Elementary School, visit https://www.rosemead.k12.ca.us/domain/321. We encourage everyone to follow the Rosemead School District through the free Rosemead Mobile App and download it today (for instructions, visit https://www.rosemead.k12.ca.us). Stay informed about the great things happening at the Rosemead School District via Twitter @CommunicateRSD.

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