

Malibu Elementary School

2024-2025 School Accountability Report Card

(Published During the 2025-2026 School Year)



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 <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/>
- For more information about the LCFF or the 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



DataQuest is an online data tool located on the CDE DataQuest web page at <https://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) <https://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.

Admission Requirements for the University of California (UC)

Admission requirements for the UC follow guidelines set forth in the Master Plan, which requires that the top one-eighth of the state's high school graduates, as well as those transfer students who have successfully completed specified college course work, be eligible for admission to the UC. These requirements are designed to ensure that all eligible students are adequately prepared for University-level work. For general admissions requirements, please visit the UC Admissions Information website at <https://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/>.

Admission Requirements for the California State University (CSU)

Eligibility for admission to the CSU is determined by three factors: (1) Specific high school courses, (2) Grades in specified courses and test scores, and (3) Graduation from high school. Some campuses have higher standards for particular majors or students who live outside the local campus area. Because of the number of students who apply, a few campuses have higher standards (supplementary admission criteria) for all applicants. Most CSU campuses have local admission guarantee policies for students who graduate or transfer from high schools and colleges that are historically served by a CSU campus in that region. For admission, application, and fee information, see the CSU website at <https://www2.calstate.edu/>.

2025-26 School Contact Information

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2025-26 District Contact Information

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2025-26 School Description and Mission Statement

District Vision

As a community of learners, the Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District works together in a nurturing environment to help students be visionary, versatile thinkers; resourceful, life-long learners; effective, multilingual communicators and global citizens. We are a rich, culturally diverse community that values the contributions of all its members and strives to promote social justice. We exist to assist all students in their pursuit of academic achievement, strength of character, and personal growth, and to support them in their exploration of the intellectual, artistic, technological, physical and social expression.

Malibu Elementary Vision

2025-26 School Description and Mission Statement

Our school inspires a community of life-long learners to be global citizens and environmental stewards in an inclusive, rigorous, and innovative educational setting.

Malibu Elementary School is a TK-5 school that is part of the Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District and founded in July of 2019, by merging former Juan Cabrillo Elementary and Point Dume Marine Science School. We have brought the best traditions and practices of both schools together, including programs that build a sense of belonging, programs to help students become more analytical, and thematic instruction with an emphasis on Marine Science. When an MES student graduates, they are life-long stewards of the ocean.

Our campus offers something for every student: an expansive play yard, an immaculate Marine Science Lab, a welcoming and inspiring school Library, an on-campus Boys and Girls Club, and so much more. While our program has a focus on Marine Science and our students take many field trips to the beach for tide pooling, we also offer music, performing arts, and art.

Every Friday during our Morning Assembly is our “Caught Demonstrating Character” tradition, where students are acknowledged and appreciated in front of the entire school for helpful and kind actions. MES students are seen as kind and capable learners who make a positive impact in society. Each child is valued, challenged, and prepared for success, in our safe, welcoming, and inclusive community.

Our low student-teacher ratio, with teachers that have taught at our school for decades, allows us to engage every child more effectively, truly connect with them, and understand their specific needs. Additionally, we are dedicated to the philosophy that families play an integral role in a child's achievement. Parents and other family members are encouraged to volunteer in the classroom, on campus, or at one of the many activities organized by our PTA.

About this School

2024-25 Student Enrollment by Grade Level

Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	62
Grade 1	28
Grade 2	40
Grade 3	33
Grade 4	35
Grade 5	44
Total Enrollment	242

2024-25 Student Enrollment by Student Group

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Female	45.9
Male	54.1
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.4
Asian	1.2
Black or African American	2.5
Filipino	1.7
Hispanic or Latino	13.6
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.4
Two or More Races	4.1
White	76
English Learners	6.6
Homeless	0.8
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	19.4
Students with Disabilities	12.4

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.

2021-22 Teacher Preparation and Placement

Authorization/Assignment	School Number	School Percent	District Number	District Percent	State Number	State Percent
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)	10	83.33	413.9	85.71	234405.2	84
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0	0	1.6	0.34	4853	1.74
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (“ineffective” under ESSA)	1	8.33	16.1	3.35	12001.5	4.3
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (“out-of-field” under ESSA)	0	0	13.9	2.89	11953.1	4.28
Unknown/Incomplete/NA	1	8.33	37.1	7.7	15831.9	5.67
Total Teaching Positions	12	100	482.9	100	279044.8	100

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 based on setting, subject, and grade level. An authorization is defined as the services that an educator is authorized to provide to students.

2022-23 Teacher Preparation and Placement

Authorization/Assignment	School Number	School Percent	District Number	District Percent	State Number	State Percent
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)	9.4	82.1	408.2	85.38	231142.4	83.24
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0	0	1.6	0.34	5566.4	2
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (“ineffective” under ESSA)	1	9.17	20.5	4.3	14938.3	5.38
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (“out-of-field” under ESSA)	0	0	9.1	1.9	11746.9	4.23
Unknown/Incomplete/NA	1	8.73	38.6	8.08	14303.8	5.15
Total Teaching Positions	11.4	100	478.1	100	277698	100

Note: The data in this table is based on 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 based on setting, subject, and grade level. An authorization is defined as the services that an educator is authorized to provide to students.

2023-24 Teacher Preparation and Placement

Authorization/Assignment	School Number	School Percent	District Number	District Percent	State Number	State Percent
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)	8	88.89	380.8	84.12	230039.4	100
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0	0	1.9	0.43	6213.8	2.23
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (“ineffective” under ESSA)	1	11.11	23.8	5.26	16855	6.04
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (“out-of-field” under ESSA)	0	0	10.7	2.38	12112.8	4.34
Unknown/Incomplete/NA	0	0	35.3	7.8	13705.8	4.91
Total Teaching Positions	9	100	452.7	100	278927.1	100

Note: The data in this table is based on 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 based on setting, subject, and grade level. An authorization is defined as the services that an educator is authorized to provide to students.

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

Authorization/Assignment	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Permits and Waivers	0.00	0	0
Misassignments	1.00	1	1
Vacant Positions	0.00	0	0
Total Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments	1.00	1	1

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

Indicator	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Credentialed Teachers Authorized on a Permit or Waiver	0.00	0	0
Local Assignment Options	0.00	0	0
Total Out-of-Field Teachers	0.00	0	0

Class Assignments

Indicator	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Misassignments for English Learners (a percentage of all the classes with English learners taught by teachers that are misassigned)	11.1	20	12.5
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	0	0

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

2025-26 Quality, Currency, Availability of Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials

All students at Malibu Elementary have access to state-approved and district-adopted textbooks and instructional materials in all core academic areas. The district follows the state guidelines and cycles for textbook adoptions. All students, including English learners, have their own copy of textbooks, except in the case where “Big Books” are used for the entire classroom at the early primary level. Textbooks and instructional materials are recommended for school board approval through a comprehensive process by a districtwide committee of teachers and administrators. Members of the public are invited to review recommended materials and make comments prior to board approval. This section provides information about the quality, currency, and availability of the standards-aligned textbooks and other instructional materials used at the school, and information about the school’s use of any supplemental curriculum or nonadopted textbooks or instructional materials.

Year and month in which the data were collected

December 2025

Subject	List of Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials / Indicate if from Most Recent Adoption / Year of Adoption	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	Benchmark Advance Reading, adopted 6/2017	0
Mathematics	My Math, McGraw Hill, 2013, adopted 3/5/2015	0
Science	Amplify Science California, Amplify 2018, Adopted 3/17/2022	0
History-Social Science	California History-Social Science myWorld Interactive, Savvas Learning Company 2019, Adopted 6/2/2022	0

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

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

Malibu Elementary is an exceptionally clean and attractive campus in excellent condition, overall, with beautifully decorated and well-maintained classrooms. The school opened in September 2020. The campus features impressive, professionally created murals, depicting the local Marine environment. We are located on more than 10 acres of land, with a large, grassy playground for grades 1-5 and a separate playground for the kindergarten children. Classrooms at Malibu are clean, comfortable, and are maintained on a daily basis by two full-time custodians on morning and afternoon shift and one part-time evening custodian. There is ample classroom space for students. In addition, our campus has state-of-the-art SMART Board technology, teacher laptop and document projectors in every classroom.

The campus features a library, multipurpose room, conference rooms, psychologist’s office, vocal/instrumental music rooms, art studio, Marine Science Lab with 5 aquariums and one touch tank, before- and after-school Boys & Girls Club, computer lab, Specialized Academic Instruction (SAI) and classrooms, nurse’s office, community liaison office, PTA office, teacher workroom, staff lounge, outdoor and indoor cafeteria eating areas, track and field, two playground areas, outdoor reading/gathering areas, PE office, and principal’s office. Our perimeter fencing provides security for the campus, and the outside gates are locked each

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morning following the final bell. Visitors are required to have their ID scanned at the office before entering the campus and must wear a visitor's badge or district I.D. while on campus. The staff is trained to challenge anyone not wearing a badge.

Our school improved its fencing, evening parking lot lighting, security entry system, replaced play area sand with artificial turf, added new sod to the kindergarten yard, added six new classrooms to accommodate our growing enrollment, and replaced our after-hours intrusion and fire monitoring systems. During the summer of 2020 the kindergarten and 1st-5th grade play structures were completely replaced.

Year and month of the most recent FIT report

8/1/2025

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			
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains		X		
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	X			
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	X			
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	X			

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).

College and Career Ready

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.						
To protect student privacy, double dashes (--) are used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.						
ELA and mathematics test results include the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments 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 CAA divided by the total number of students who participated in both assessments.						
Subject	School 2023-24	School 2024-25	District 2023-24	District 2024-25	State 2023-24	State 2024-25
English Language Arts/Literacy (grades 3-8 and 11)	62	67	72	72	47	48
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	61	63	59	59	35	37

2024-25 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.
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

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the total number of students who met the standard (i.e., achieved Level 3–Alternate) on the CAA divided by the total number of students who participated in both assessments.

To protect student privacy, double dashes (--) are used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

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 Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	124	116	93.55	6.45	67.24
Female	58	54	93.10	6.90	68.52
Male	66	62	93.94	6.06	66.13
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	--	--	--	--	--
Black or African American	--	--	--	--	--
Filipino	--	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	12	11	91.67	8.33	27.27
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--	--
White	101	94	93.07	6.93	73.40
English Learners	--	--	--	--	--
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0
Homeless	--	--	--	--	--
Military	0	0	0	0	0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	18	17	94.44	5.56	35.29
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	19	18	94.74	5.26	27.78

2024-25 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.

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 CAA divided by the total number of students who participated in both assessments.

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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 Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	124	116	93.55	6.45	62.93
Female	58	54	93.10	6.90	59.26
Male	66	62	93.94	6.06	66.13
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	--	--	--	--	--
Black or African American	--	--	--	--	--
Filipino	--	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	12	11	91.67	8.33	27.27
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--	--
White	101	94	93.07	6.93	65.96
English Learners	--	--	--	--	--
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0
Homeless	--	--	--	--	--
Military	0	0	0	0	0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	18	17	94.44	5.56	35.29
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	19	18	94.74	5.26	33.33

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.

Science test results include the CAST and the CAA for Science. The “Percent Met or Exceeded” is calculated by taking the total number of students who met or exceeded the standard on the CAST plus the total number of students who met the standard (i.e., achieved Level 3–Alternate) on the CAA for Science divided by the total number of students who participated in a science assessment.

To protect student privacy, double dashes (--) are used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

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.

Subject	School 2023-24	School 2024-25	District 2023-24	District 2024-25	State 2023-24	State 2024-25
Science (grades 5, 8 and high school)	37.93	58.7	57.44	54.74	30.73	32.52

2024-25 CAASPP Test Results in Science by Student Group					
To protect student privacy, double dashes (--) are used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.					
Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	49	46	93.88	6.12	58.70
Female	20	19	95.00	5.00	47.37
Male	29	27	93.10	6.90	66.67
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	--	--	--	--	--
Black or African American	--	--	--	--	--
Filipino	--	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	--	--	--	--	--
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	0	0	0	0	0
White	40	37	92.50	7.50	59.46
English Learners	0	0	0	0	0
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0
Homeless	--	--	--	--	--
Military	0	0	0	0	0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	--	--	--	--	--
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	--	--	--	--	--

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.

2024-25 California Physical Fitness Test Participation Rates					
This table displays the percentage of students participating in each of the five fitness components of the California Physical Fitness Test Results. The administration of the PFT requires only participation results for these five fitness areas. 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.					
Grade Level	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
Grade 5	100	82	97	95	100

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.

2025-26 Opportunities for Parental Involvement

PARENT INVOLVEMENT

It is the spirit of cooperation and mutual support that makes our school exceptional. We encourage and welcome parent involvement in all aspects of school life. We pride ourselves in our ability to provide a safe and supportive learning environment for our students. Malibu Elementary parents are encouraged to participate in the PTA, Site Council, and volunteer in the classrooms and on the playground. Parents may also work in the office, art studio, marine science lab, computer lab, or help maintain our beautiful campus and library. Malibu Elementary welcomes and encourages parents at all levels. A major contributing factor to the success of our school is the active involvement of our parent community. Parents support the school with time, leadership, and fundraising. This is truly a family school where everyone is welcome.

Home-School Communication

GOAL: Maintain consistent two-way communication through the use of such tools as: Parent Square, School Website, PTA Website, weekly Principal's Newsletter, monthly PTA Newsletter, weekly teacher newsletters, email, Parent-Teacher conferences, informal meetings, report cards, and Open House.

Home-School Mutual Supporters

GOAL: Parents and Teachers will support to each other's effort to help students grow through such activities as Student Study Team meetings, Individualized Education Plans (IEP), parent-teacher conferences, student contracts, PTA, volunteerism, field trips, and fundraising.

Home-School as Teachers and Learners.

GOAL: Staff will help parents to help their students through reports, conferences, and articles in newsletters.

Home-School as Advisors, Decision Makers and Advocates

GOAL: School staff and parents will create opportunities to work together to problem solve and make decisions in the best interests of children through involvement in such committees as School Site Council and PTA. Through events and resources, parents and teachers can become mutual advocates. Examples: SSC, PTA, Student Study Team Meetings, Back-to-School Night, Middle School transition programs, and the Parent Handbook.

2024-25 Chronic Absenteeism by Student Group

Student Group	Cumulative Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Eligible Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Count	Chronic Absenteeism Rate
All Students	281	274	64	23.4
Female	127	126	25	19.8
Male	154	148	39	26.4
Non-Binary	--	--	--	--
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--
Asian	--	--	--	--
Black or African American	--	--	--	--
Filipino	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	35	33	11	33.3
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--
Two or More Races	13	12	2	16.7
White	216	213	50	23.5
English Learners	17	16	2	12.5
Foster Youth	--	--	--	--
Homeless	17	16	7	43.8
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	66	63	20	31.7
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	--	--	--	--
Students with Disabilities	44	43	14	32.6

Note: To protect student privacy, double dashes (--) are used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

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 data.

Suspensions								
School 2022-23	School 2023-24	School 2024-25	District 2022-23	District 2023-24	District 2024-25	State 2022-23	State 2023-24	State 2024-25
0.48	0.9	0	2.12	1.85	1.47	3.6	3.28	2.94

Note: To protect student privacy, double dashes (--) are used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

This table displays expulsions data.

Expulsions								
School 2022-23	School 2023-24	School 2024-25	District 2022-23	District 2023-24	District 2024-25	State 2022-23	State 2023-24	State 2024-25
0	0	0	0	0.01	0	0.08	0.07	0.06

Note: To protect student privacy, double dashes (--) are used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

2024-25 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
Non-Binary	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

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2025-26 School Safety Plan

SARC Information:

School Safety

Malibu Elementary opened in August of 2019. Our campus is fenced in and is locked during school hours. All visitors including parents must pass through our single entrance and have their ID scanned. We use Verkada screening to ensure that no offenders ever enter our campus and to document who has entered, when they entered and left, and where they went on campus. We have also replaced our intrusion monitoring system to prevent after-hours theft and vandalism. The principal and the elected School Site Council annually review and adapt the Safe School Plan template provided to us by our school district. This plan includes procedures for every conceivable crisis or disaster including earthquake, fire, bad air quality, wind storm, bomb threat, bus crash, and threat on or near campus. It also has procedures for staff on how to mobilize after a disaster or crisis to care of students and adults, and systematically reunite students with their families. (No student may be released to anyone not listed on the student's emergency card.) A public hearing of this plan is conducted annually and is forwarded to the Board of Education for further review. The plan is annually given to both the local Sheriff and City Hall for feedback. Staff training is ongoing and never-ending. Additionally our school has a Nurse and a Health assistant who monitor immunizations, communicable diseases, and help with injuries.

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.

2022-23 Elementary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2022-23 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	14	2	0	0
1	15	2	0	0
2	15	1	1	0
3	21	1	1	0
4	7	8	1	0
5	7	11	0	0
6	0	0	0	0
Other	5	1	0	0

2023-24 Elementary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2023-24 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	22	0	1	0
1	17	2	0	0
2	15	1	1	0
3	18	1	1	0
4	21	0	2	0
5	29	0	1	0
6	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0

2024-25 Elementary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2024-25 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		2	
1	19	2	1	
2	27	1	1	1
3	22	1	1	
4	9	9	1	
5	11	10	1	1

2024-25 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	0

2024-25 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. The “Other” category is for all other student support services staff positions not listed.

Title	Number of FTE Assigned to School
Counselor (Academic, Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	
Psychologist	0.7
Social Worker	
Nurse	
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	1
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	
Other	2.4

Fiscal Year 2023-24 Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries

This table displays the 2023-24 expenditures per pupil and average teacher 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	\$10,050	590	\$9,460	\$89,430
District	N/A	N/A	\$7,242	\$100,861
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A	26.6	-6.4
State	N/A	N/A	\$11,146	\$100,065
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	-13.0	-5.7

Fiscal Year 2024-25 Types of Services Funded

A combination of state and federal funding supports all aspects of our instructional program.

The majority of staffing and operational costs are funded through local property taxes. SMMUSD is a Basic Aid District that relies primarily on local property tax revenue.

Through the generosity of our Board of Education, Malibu Elementary has a district-funded Marine Science teacher who works with K–5 students weekly. Through PTA fundraising, MES provides a dedicated Arts teacher who instructs all students each week. Through district funding, MES offers twice-weekly instrumental music instruction in grades 3–5 (40 minutes each session). District funding also ensures our library is staffed daily by a dedicated library technician. In addition, through district and select federal funding, we provide a comprehensive special education program, including access to an occupational therapist, speech pathologist, psychologist, and teachers skilled in academic support and Life Skills instruction.

SMMUSD uses Federal Title II funds to support a Math and ELA Coordinator who partners with MES to:

Fiscal Year 2024-25 Types of Services Funded

- collaborate with teachers and administrators to strengthen student learning in math content and practices for all learners
- facilitate and review guaranteed and viable curriculum, including the use of common formative assessments to monitor student achievement
- support ongoing intervention and enrichment opportunities to address student growth and needs

Federal Title III funds are used to expand educational opportunities that increase language development and academic proficiency for our English Learners, and to enhance parent engagement opportunities.

Fiscal Year 2023-24 Teacher and Administrative Salaries

This table displays the 2023-24 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	\$58,883	\$62,145
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$87,918	\$97,088
Highest Teacher Salary	\$118,368	\$120,436
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	\$151,771	\$151,343
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	\$155,740	\$159,514
Average Principal Salary (High)	\$181,381	\$177,261
Superintendent Salary	\$275,000	\$294,805
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	28.47%	29.95%
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	5.18%	5.4%

Professional Development

All teachers and staff in SMMUSD participate in ongoing professional development through Friday afternoon “banked time,” which provides 90 minutes of meeting and professional learning each week at every site. At MES, “banked time” is scheduled on Friday afternoons. This time is carved out of the school schedule without reducing instructional minutes, as students receive additional instructional time Monday through Thursday.

Malibu Elementary School’s major professional development focus areas are determined annually through data review and reflection on the signature practices we aim to strengthen as a staff. Our School Implementation Plan goal for this year states: “MES students will acquire and accurately use a range of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at grade level.” This goal best summarizes the professional goals and action steps for the 2025–26 school year.

Major Goals

Continue to identify and refine top instructional practices through the Learning Rounds process

Schedule meeting time to read and discuss research, articles, and resources related to academic vocabulary

Schedule meeting time to review direct instruction strategies for teaching academic vocabulary

Schedule meeting time to analyze formative 2025–26 STAR Reading data

Professional Development

Schedule meeting time to review CAASPP Interim Assessment results

Schedule meeting time to strengthen PBIS implementation through the District’s Professional Development Wheel

All professional development at MES during the 2025–26 school year occurs outside of the instructional day and instructional year, with the exception of three leadership training days for our four leadership teachers and one dedicated day focused on continued learning related to our Benchmark adopted curriculum.

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

Subject	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	2	2	4