

Sylvan Middle 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.

2025-26 School Contact Information

School Name	Sylvan Middle School
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City, State, Zip	Citrus Heights CA, 95610
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School Website	https://www.sanjuan.edu/sylvan
Grade Span	
County-District-School (CDS) Code	34-67447-6034946

2025-26 District Contact Information

District Name	San Juan Unified School District
Phone Number	(916) 971-7700
Superintendent	Melissa Bassanelli
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District Website	www.sanjuan.edu

2025-26 School Description and Mission Statement

Principal's Message:

At Sylvan, we are deeply committed to creating a dynamic, challenging experience for our students. Our goal is to provide students with the skills necessary to be successful in an ever-changing environment. Our students will be able to speak, write, and think critically. These skills will prepare them for both college and future careers.

Mission Statement:

The mission of Sylvan Middle School is consistent with that of the San Juan Unified School District. As a creative & innovative community, Sylvan Middle School's mission is to inspire & prepare each student to be an independent critical thinker and responsible citizen by providing challenging academic instruction & integrating twenty-first century skills within a collaborative, supportive, and nurturing environment.

School Profile:

Sylvan Middle School is one of eight middle schools in the San Juan Unified School District. We have approximately 650 students attending Sylvan Middle School. Of these, 17% are English Language Learners, with Spanish as a primary language, and roughly 70% are socioeconomically disadvantaged.

Our school is located in the city of Citrus Heights, which became an independent city in 1997. With around 89,000 residents in Citrus Heights, Sylvan Middle School remains an integral part of the community. Our core belief that "All Students Will Learn" is supported through our continued efforts to provide the most effective instruction. We accomplish this by building positive relationships with students, and our school-wide efforts to develop the necessary skills for students to be successful. Sylvan is a STEAM school with an emphasis on Project-Based Learning and real world applications. We have a 1:1 Chromebook ratio so all students have access to technology and a state-of-the-art STEAM lab and ART room. Our campus was rebuilt in 2016 and features an incredible science building, library, and updated classrooms.

Sylvan Middle School is a comprehensive middle school and offers programs to meet the academic, social, and psychological needs of all of our students. A short list of those programs include:

- Honors courses

2025-26 School Description and Mission Statement

- AVID
- * AVID Emerge
- * . Math Block
 - Academic intervention during the school day
 - Bridges after-school program
 - Student government
 - Band
- * Advanced Band
 - Piano
 - Choir
 - Industrial arts
 - Media
 - Art
- * Advanced Art
- * Student interest after school clubs
- * . After school sports (Cross country, track, wrestling, volleyball, basketball)

About this School

2024-25 Student Enrollment by Grade Level

Grade Level	Number of Students
Grade 6	187
Grade 7	208
Grade 8	209
Total Enrollment	604

2024-25 Student Enrollment by Student Group

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Female	47.5
Male	52.5
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.5
Asian	5.3
Black or African American	4.8
Filipino	0.7
Hispanic or Latino	36.1
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.3
Two or More Races	6.6
White	45.7
English Learners	18.7
Foster Youth	0.3
Homeless	6.6
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	65.4
Students with Disabilities	17.2

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)	20.4	68.23	1946.1	78.12	234405.2	84
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	1.8	6.02	21.6	0.87	4853	1.74
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (“ineffective” under ESSA)	1.5	5.02	80.7	3.24	12001.5	4.3
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (“out-of-field” under ESSA)	0	0	243.5	9.78	11953.1	4.28
Unknown/Incomplete/NA	6.2	20.74	199.1	8	15831.9	5.67
Total Teaching Positions	29.9	100	2491.1	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)	22.8	75.02	1925.6	80.09	231142.4	83.24
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0.6	2.17	23.5	0.98	5566.4	2
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (“ineffective” under ESSA)	3.3	10.96	84.5	3.52	14938.3	5.38
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (“out-of-field” under ESSA)	0	0	253.4	10.54	11746.9	4.23
Unknown/Incomplete/NA	3.5	11.81	117	4.87	14303.8	5.15
Total Teaching Positions	30.3	100	2404.2	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)	21	73.41	1867.3	76.49	230039.4	100
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0	0	36	1.48	6213.8	2.23
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (“ineffective” under ESSA)	2.7	9.41	94.3	3.86	16855	6.04
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (“out-of-field” under ESSA)	0	0	276.2	11.32	12112.8	4.34
Unknown/Incomplete/NA	4.9	17.18	167.1	6.85	13705.8	4.91
Total Teaching Positions	28.6	100	2441.1	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	1	0
Misassignments	1.50	2.3	2.7
Vacant Positions	0.00	0	0
Total Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments	1.50	3.3	2.7

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)	6.1	5	9.2
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	4.6	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

San Juan Unified held a public hearing on September 23, 2025 and determined that each school within the district had 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 California Department of Education, making the textbooks used in the school the most current available. Materials approved for use by the State are reviewed by all 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. The table displays information collected in September 2025 about the quality, currency, and availability of the standards-aligned textbooks and other instructional materials used at the school. If you would like more information on the textbooks and instructional materials please visit our website: <https://www.sanjuan.edu/academics/curriculum>. In July 2009, EC Section 60200.7. The State Board of Education has adopted frameworks for ELA/ELD, Math, Science and Social Sciences, and has identified an approved list of instructional materials available for adoption. For more information regarding San Juan's textbook adoption schedule, please visit our website: <https://www.sanjuan.edu/academics/curriculum>.

Year and month in which the data were collected

September, 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	2017: Amplify ELA/ELD, California edition, Grades 6-8 (digital) 2017: Amplify ELA, Grades 6-8 Anthology 2017: Amplify ELA, Grades 6-8 Solo Workbook	0.0
Mathematics	2015 Houghton Mifflin Mathematics - Go Math	0.0
Science	2019: Amplify Education-Amplify Science-Grade 6-Earth Science-All Investigation Notebooks 2019: Amplify Education-Amplify Science-Grade 7-Life Science-All Investigation Notebooks 2019: Amplify Education-Amplify Science-Grade 8-Physical Science-All Investigation Notebooks	0.0
History-Social Science	2019: McGraw-Hill - Impact California Social Studies-World History and Geography-Ancient Civilizations 2019: McGraw-Hill - Impact California Social Studies-World History and Geography-Medieval and Early Modern Times 2019: McGraw-Hill - Impact California Social Studies-United States History and Geography-Growth and Conflict	0.0

Foreign Language	No World Language Classes	
Health	N/A	
Visual and Performing Arts	2023: The Art of Education (digital), Grades 6-8	0.0%

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

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

General

The Board of Education and the Superintendent's policy is to ensure that all students are provided with a safe and well-maintained learning environment. The board approved resolutions in 1998 and 2002 to adequately fund maintenance activities and preserve the repairs and improvements funded by two facility bond measures. District maintenance staff ensure repairs necessary to keep the school in good repair and working order are completed in a timely manner. A computer automated work order process is used to ensure efficient service and that emergency repairs and health and safety repairs are given the highest priority. The Board of Education has adopted cleaning standards and custodial staffing requirements for all schools in the district. This school meets the Board's standards for custodial staffing and cleanliness. The school's custodians are trained in the proper use of cleaning chemicals and Integrated Pest Management techniques. They are managed day to day by the principal with assistance from the district's maintenance department. The district participates in the State School Deferred Maintenance Program, with funding allocated 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. Annually the district budgets \$2 million dollars for deferred maintenance activities. This school contains 29 classrooms, and 11 other student or administrative spaces.

Age of School Buildings

88 years--Built in 1938 but with modernizations and additions completed in subsequent years.

Maintenance and Repair

LEA 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 services and that emergency repairs are given the highest priority. Emergency work orders are addressed in the first 24 hours. Routine work orders are addressed within 30 days.

Cleaning Process and Schedule

The LEA governing board has adopted cleaning standards for all schools in the LEA. Each site has a day and evening custodial crew. Each crew member has a run sheet with assigned responsibilities. A copy of these run sheets is available at the school office or can be obtained from Maintenance and Operations Custodial Services. Custodial Area Supervisors oversee the cleaning of all district sites to ensure cleaning standards are met daily providing a clean and safe site.

Deferred Maintenance Budget

The LEA participates in the State School Deferred LEA maintenance Program, which provides state matching funds on a dollar-for-dollar basis to assist LEAs 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. For the 2023-24 school year, the LEA has budgeted 2 million for the deferred maintenance program. This represents 3% of the LEA's general fund budget.

Deferred Maintenance Projects (if applicable)

N/A

Modernization Projects (if applicable)

N/A

New School Construction Projects (if applicable)

N/A

Year and month of the most recent FIT report	08/19/2025
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System Inspected	Rate	Rate	Rate	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
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School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

	Good	Fair	Poor	
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)	26	26	40	41	47	48
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	11	11	29	29	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

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	595	559	93.95	6.05	25.58
Female	288	271	94.10	5.90	29.89
Male	307	288	93.81	6.19	21.53
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--	--
Asian	32	30	93.75	6.25	20.00
Black or African American	33	33	100.00	0.00	12.12
Filipino	--	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	217	205	94.47	5.53	22.93
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--	--
Two or More Races	38	35	92.11	7.89	34.29
White	266	248	93.23	6.77	27.82
English Learners	108	91	84.26	15.74	3.30
Foster Youth	--	--	--	--	--
Homeless	43	38	88.37	11.63	15.79
Military	0	0	0	0	0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	407	379	93.12	6.88	20.84
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	101	91	90.10	9.90	4.40

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	595	567	95.29	4.71	10.62
Female	288	273	94.79	5.21	9.23
Male	307	294	95.77	4.23	11.90
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--	--
Asian	32	32	100.00	0.00	6.25
Black or African American	33	32	96.97	3.03	3.13
Filipino	--	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	217	204	94.01	5.99	6.40
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--	--
Two or More Races	38	36	94.74	5.26	11.43
White	266	256	96.24	3.76	14.45
English Learners	108	104	96.30	3.70	1.92
Foster Youth	--	--	--	--	--
Homeless	43	40	93.02	6.98	7.50
Military	0	0	0	0	0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	407	384	94.35	5.65	7.59
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	101	93	92.08	7.92	2.17

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)	18.78	15.1	29.38	28.9	30.73	32.33

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	200	193	96.50	3.50	15.10
Female	89	86	96.63	3.37	9.30
Male	111	107	96.40	3.60	19.81
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	--	--	--	--	--
Black or African American	--	--	--	--	--
Filipino	--	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	81	76	93.83	6.17	14.67
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	12	12	100.00	0.00	8.33
White	84	82	97.62	2.38	18.29
English Learners	30	27	90.00	10.00	3.70
Foster Youth	--	--	--	--	--
Homeless	15	14	93.33	6.67	14.29
Military	0	0	0	0	0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	143	137	95.80	4.20	13.24
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	27	26	96.30	3.70	4.00

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 7	95.1%	92.6%	97.1%	92.6%	91.7%

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.

2025-26 Opportunities for Parental Involvement

Sylvan Middle School is committed to providing educational programs that meet the academic, social, and emotional needs of students. We believe that a strong school-community partnership is essential to meet that goal. Parents or community members who wish to participate in school committees, school activities, or become a volunteer may contact the principal Nicole Latimer at 916-971-7873, by email at nicole.latimer@sanjuan.edu, or by visiting the school office at 7085 Auburn Blvd. Citrus Heights, CA. We also have numerous opportunities for parents to volunteer on field trips, at extracurricular events such as dances and skate nights, STEAM Nights, and during after-school clubs.

Parent Involvement

- Site Council (SSC) is a decision-making body composed of parents, teachers, and students. This group is responsible for determining how we make the best use of our resources to continuously improve student learning.
- Staff and parents are encouraged to be involved in school/team projects, school demonstration programs, curriculum sharing, and fine arts activities.
- ELAC (English Learner Advisory Committee) gives parents of English learners a voice and insight into their child's education.
- Parent University (1 per quarter) provides parents and caregivers the opportunity to come to school and learn about skills and topics connecting to academic, social, and emotional supports for students.
- Bridges After-School Program - This is a free after-school program that provides students with the opportunity to be assisted with homework and provides a safe environment for students after school.

2024-25 Chronic Absenteeism by Student Group

Student Group	Cumulative Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Eligible Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Count	Chronic Absenteeism Rate
All Students	662	646	229	35.4
Female	320	311	115	37.0
Male	342	335	114	34.0
Non-Binary	--	--	--	--
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--
Asian	33	33	4	12.1
Black or African American	38	35	19	54.3
Filipino	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	232	229	87	38.0
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--
Two or More Races	45	42	14	33.3
White	304	297	103	34.7
English Learners	131	128	38	29.7
Foster Youth	--	--	--	--
Homeless	50	49	30	61.2
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	470	458	182	39.7
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	--	--	--	--
Students with Disabilities	118	116	57	49.1

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
16.13	15.75	8.76	4.53	4.89	3.8	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
0.7	0.27	0.15	0.06	0.05	0.02	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	8.76	0.15
Female	7.50	0.00
Male	9.94	0.29
Non-Binary	0.00	0.00
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.00	0.00
Asian	6.06	0.00
Black or African American	5.26	0.00
Filipino	0.00	0.00
Hispanic or Latino	9.91	0.00
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.00	0.00
Two or More Races	17.78	0.00
White	7.57	0.33
English Learners	6.11	0.00
Foster Youth	0.00	0.00
Homeless	14.00	0.00
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	9.57	0.00
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0.00	0.00
Students with Disabilities	14.41	0.00

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2025-26 School Safety Plan

School Safety Plan

San Juan Unified School District emphasizes school safety and understands its importance in helping to achieve the academic success of its students. In accordance with the California Education Code, each school site must complete and maintain a Comprehensive School Safety Plan, to be reviewed and updated annually. The plan includes a review of safety data for the campus, safety policies, critical incident response & management information as well as emergency procedure information including those pertaining to incidents involving fire, earthquakes, intruders and other dangers. The review and update of the plan is a collaborative process involving representatives from site administration, instructional staff, custodial & classified staff, safety personnel and parent representative who together comprise a site safety team. Finalized plans are posted to site webpages for public access and presented to staff during training and development days no later than March 1 of each year. A copy of the plan is available for review in each school site office.

Safety drills are held on a regular basis and in compliance with the California Education Code to include fire drills, earthquake drills and intruder drills. Drills are coordinated and monitored with the assistance of the trained district safety personnel.

Safety is a shared responsibility. Each school site is supported by the district's Safe Schools Team. The Safe Schools Team is comprised of personnel specifically trained to support and promote school safety, provide advice to matters involving student welfare, assist in the coordination of drills and provide safety training to students and staff. Safe Schools Team members, known as Community Safety Specialists, work collaboratively with site administrators and safety committee members to build and strengthen a culture of safety as well as address specific incident needs. The Safe Schools Team members are further supported through developed relationships with local law enforcement offices including the Sacramento County Sheriff's Department & Citrus Heights Police Department. As needed, San Juan Unified utilizes contracts with local law enforcement for the purpose of employing uniformed law enforcement officers to further enhance school site security for special events as well as in response to critical incidents and threats.

2022-23 Secondary 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 classroom). At the secondary school level, this information is reported by subject area rather than grade level.

Subject	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-22 Students	Number of Classes with 23-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
English Language Arts	24	8	10	3
Mathematics	26	5	8	5
Science	32	0	6	8
Social Science	32	0	7	7

2023-24 Secondary 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 classroom). At the secondary school level, this information is reported by subject area rather than grade level.

Subject	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-22 Students	Number of Classes with 23-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
English Language Arts	23	7	13	
Mathematics	26	3	11	2
Science	30		11	3
Social Science	30		11	3

2024-25 Secondary 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 classroom). At the secondary school level, this information is reported by subject area rather than grade level.

Subject	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-22 Students	Number of Classes with 23-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
English Language Arts	18	17	8	2
Mathematics	22	7	12	
Science	35		1	11
Social Science	31		6	7

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	313.5

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)	2
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	
Psychologist	
Social Worker	
Nurse	
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	
Other	

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	\$15,724	\$6,357	\$9,367	\$88,798
District	N/A	N/A	\$8,625	\$90,853
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A	6.6	-0.9
State	N/A	N/A	\$11,146	\$100,333
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	-13.9	-6.4

Fiscal Year 2024-25 Types of Services Funded

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. Base/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>.

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	\$52,217	\$60,863
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$77,770	\$93,575
Highest Teacher Salary	\$111,100	\$125,548
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	\$147,623	\$157,645
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	\$156,383	\$165,341
Average Principal Salary (High)	\$176,064	\$182,580
Superintendent Salary	\$324,066	\$357,064
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	31.36%	30.36%
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	5.58%	4.88%

Professional Development

Professional development is a key part of the continuous improvement process for educators. The goal of our quality professional development is to support the learning of teachers and paraprofessionals to positively impact student achievement. Annually, teachers and site administrators participate in professional development in a variety of opportunities. Eighteen hours per year are dedicated to staff collaboration and professional learning planned by site leadership teams. The District also provides a cycle of continuous professional development for Administrators through Principal Meetings and Principal Networks.

The District provides professional development opportunities for teachers and administrators that support the implementation of grade level standards in English language arts, mathematics, science, social studies, and the ELA/ELD Framework. Specific professional development initiatives include: Culturally Responsive Practices, TK-2 Reading, and the California Mathematics Framework. District departments, Center for Teacher Support, grant-funded projects, and the San Juan Teacher's Association sponsor additional training opportunities. Professional development opportunities are voluntary for teachers and are provided throughout the year in a variety of formats: during the school day, after school, on Saturdays, and during summer and vacation breaks. Many teachers and administrators also take advantage of opportunities with Sacramento County Office of Education, California Department of Education, the college/university programs, state/national education organizations, and private educational institutes.

What grounds the professional development in the district is the District Strategic Plan and the Local Control Accountability Plan. Professional Development is further determined using one or more of the following: (a) student achievement data, (b) staff survey data, and (c) district-identified goals. Professional development addresses the grade level standards, teaching strategies, curriculum, assessment, technology, classroom management, safety, and leadership. Administrator training accompanies professional development in district focus areas, providing implementation support for teachers on site. Content-area coaches are available at some schools. Additional classroom support is provided to new and struggling teachers by consulting teachers from the Center for Teacher Support.

Paraprofessionals are encouraged to participate in professional development at the district and site level. Specifically designed training is also offered to non-instructional support staff such as clerical and custodial staff that includes both operational and instructional topics.

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

Subject	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
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Professional Development

Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	2	2	3
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