Cienega Union Elemetary School District

Transportation Services Plan
2024-2028

Per Education Code (EC) Section 39800.1, as a condition of receiving apportionments for Transportation Services (under EC Section 41850.1), a local educational agency shall develop a plan describing the transportation services. The plan shall be presented and adopted by the governing board of the local educational agency on or before APRIL 1, 2026 in an open meeting with the opportunity for in-person and remote public comment. The plan may provide for the local educational agency to partner with a municipally owned transit system to provide service pursuant to this section to middle school and high school pupils. Nothing in a local educational agency's plan shall preclude a local educational agency from providing no-cost transit passes to pupils.

1. Enter description of your district's plan of the transportation services it will offer to pupils, and how it will prioritize transportation services for pupils in transitional kindergarten, kindergarten, and any of grades 1 to 6, inclusive, and pupils who are low income.

Cienega Elementary School is a rural TK-8th grade school that is located 12 miles south of Hollister. This school employees two credentialed teachers, as well as two aides. Cienega has opted to not assist in the transportation of children within the district. Students who need to be transported out of the district for Special education needs in different school districts (i.e. Hollister School distict) will enter into an agreement with said district for the transportation of said children.

2. Enter description of your district's transportation services that would be accessible to pupils with disabilities, and homeless children and youth.

Special consideration is given to pupils with disabilities and homeless children and youth. When these students enroll at Cienega, thePrincipal will meet with the family to determine if additional support is needed.

3. Enter description of how unduplicated pupils would be able to access available home-to-school transportation at no cost to the pupils.

Cienega School does not offer home-to-school transportation to children within the district. The school help coordinate communication between families to assist in an effort to coordinate rides.

4. Your plan must be developed in consultation with classified staff, teachers, school administrators, regional local transit authorities, local air pollution control districts and air quality management districts, parents, pupils, and other stakeholders. Enter description of your plan consultation with those parties.

This plan was developed in coordination with the San Benito County Office of Education and taking input from our Board of Directors. The needs of our students and past precedures were taken into consideration when developing this plan.

2025-26 Home-to-School (HTS) Transportation Reimbursement Calculation

A. Total 2024-25 Transportation Expenses (Function 3600)	$	-
B. Less Capital Outlay (Object 6xxx, Function 3600)	$	-
C. Less Nonagency Expenditures (Goal 7110, 7150, Function 3600)	$	-
D. Estimated 60% Reimbursement	$	-
E. Less 2024-25 Transportation Add-on from LCFF (if >0, the Transportation Allowance shall be zero):	$	-
Total Transportation Allowance (Object 8590, Resource 0000)	**$**	**-**

2025-26 Projected Expenditures and Other Financing Uses

2000-2999: Classified Salaries	$	-
3000-3999: Employee Benefits	$	-
4000-4999: Books and Supplies	$	-
5000-5999: Services and Other Operating Expenditures	$	-
6000-6999: Capital Outlay	$	-
7000-7999: Other Outgo	$	-
Total Estimated Expenditures	**$**	**-**

LEA Board Approval Date (must be on or before April 1, 2026): 03/10/2026

Resources:

California Education Code (EC) Section 39800.1:

https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/codes_displaySection.xhtml?sectionNum=39800.1.&lawCode=EDC

California Education Code (EC) Section 41850.1:

https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/codes_displaySection.xhtml?sectionNum=41850.1.&lawCode=EDC

Home-to-School Transportation Reimbursement FAQs:

https://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/tn/tr/#TransportationServicePlan