LCFF Budget Overview for Parents

Local Educational Agency (LEA) Name: Santa Clara Elementary School District

CDS Code: 56-72579-6055537

School Year: 2024-25

LEA contact information:
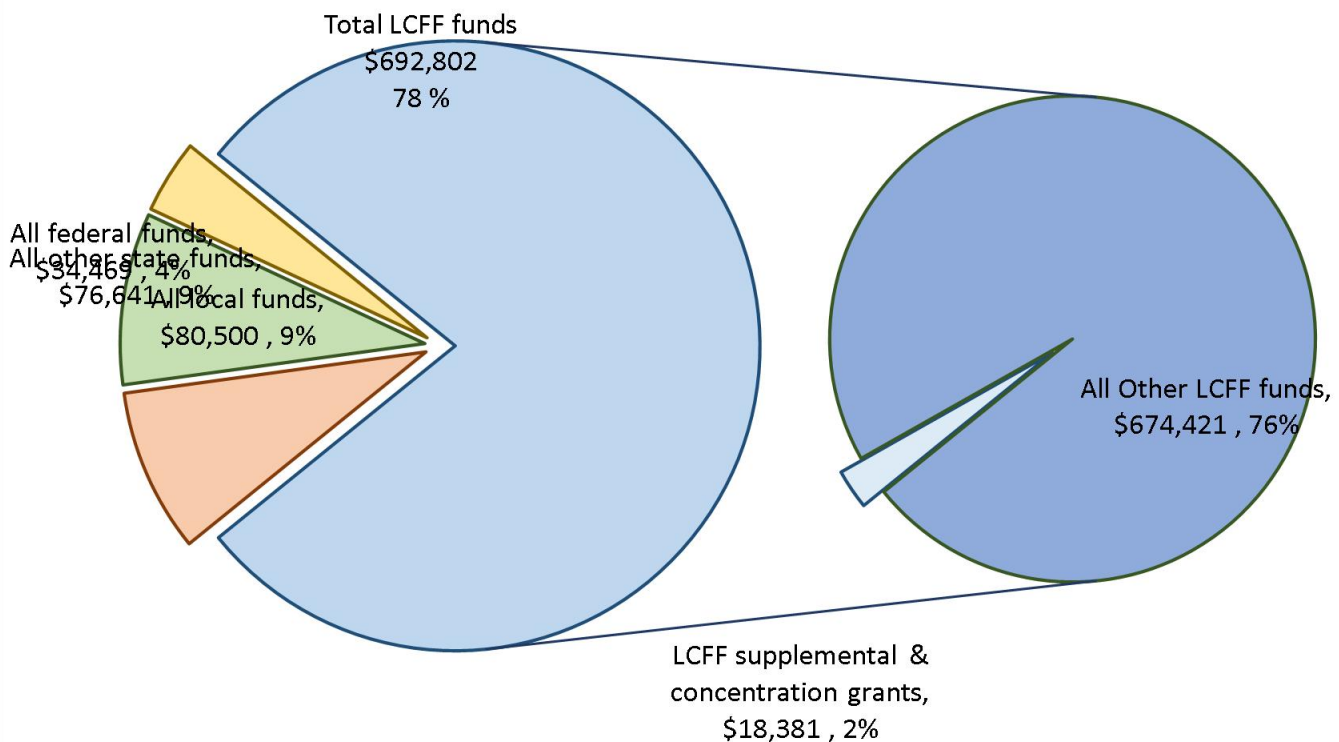
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School districts receive funding from different sources: state funds under the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF), other state funds, local funds, and federal funds. LCFF funds include a base level of funding for all LEAs and extra funding - called "supplemental and concentration" grants - to LEAs based on the enrollment of high needs students (foster youth, English learners, and low-income students).

Budget Overview for the 2024-25 School Year

Projected Revenue by Fund Source

Total LCFF funds $692,802 78 %

All federal funds, $34,469 , 4%

All other state funds, $76,641 , 9%

All local funds, $80,500 , 9%

All Other LCFF funds, $674,421 , 76%

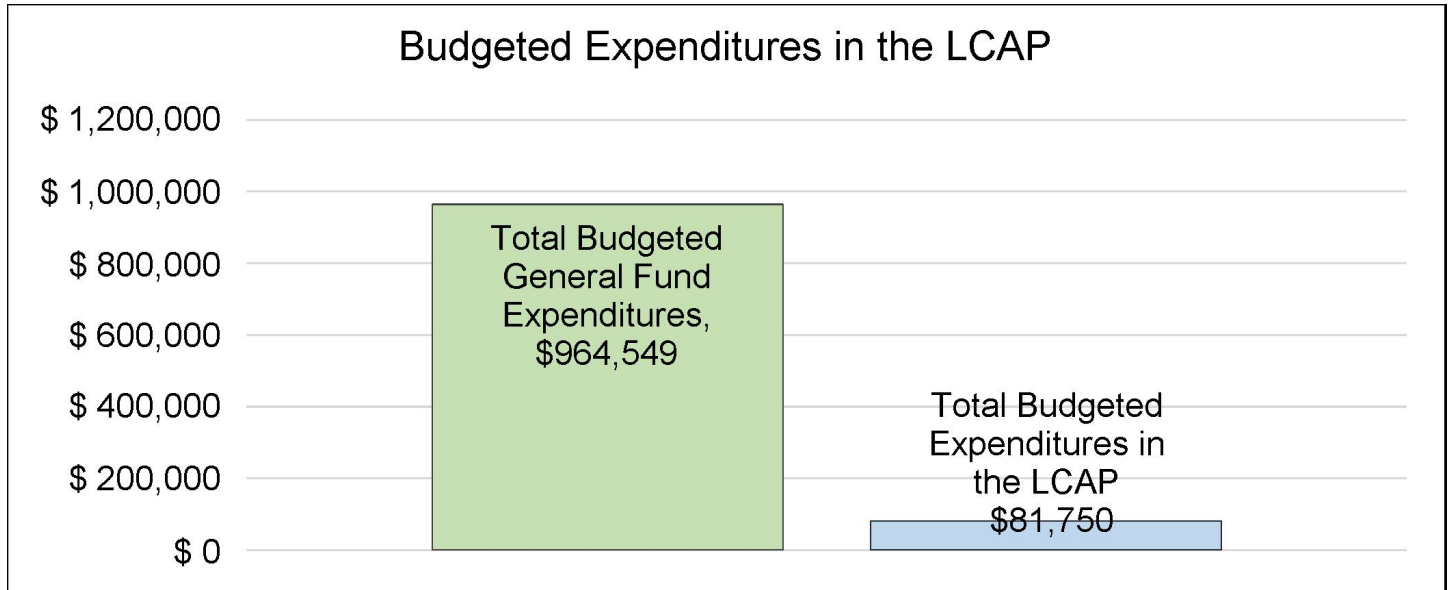LCFF supplemental & concentration grants, $18,381 , 2%

This chart shows the total general purpose revenue Santa Clara Elementary School District expects to receive in the coming year from all sources.

The text description for the above chart is as follows: The total revenue projected for Santa Clara Elementary School District is $884,412, of which $692,802 is Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF), $76,641 is other state funds, $80,500 is local funds, and $34,469 is federal funds. Of the $692,802 in LCFF Funds, $18,381 is generated based on the enrollment of high needs students (foster youth, English learner, and low-income students).

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The LCFF gives school districts more flexibility in deciding how to use state funds. In exchange, school districts must work with parents, educators, students, and the community to develop a Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) that shows how they will use these funds to serve students.

Budgeted Expenditures in the LCAP

$ 1,200,000	
$ 1,000,000	
$ 800,000	Total Budgeted General Fund Expenditures, $964,549
$ 600,000	
$ 400,000	Total Budgeted Expenditures in the LCAP $81,750
$ 200,000	
$ 0	

This chart provides a quick summary of how much Santa Clara Elementary School District plans to spend for 2024-25. It shows how much of the total is tied to planned actions and services in the LCAP.

The text description of the above chart is as follows: Santa Clara Elementary School District plans to spend $964,549 for the 2024-25 school year. Of that amount, $81,750 is tied to actions/services in the LCAP and $882,799 is not included in the LCAP. The budgeted expenditures that are not included in the LCAP will be used for the following:
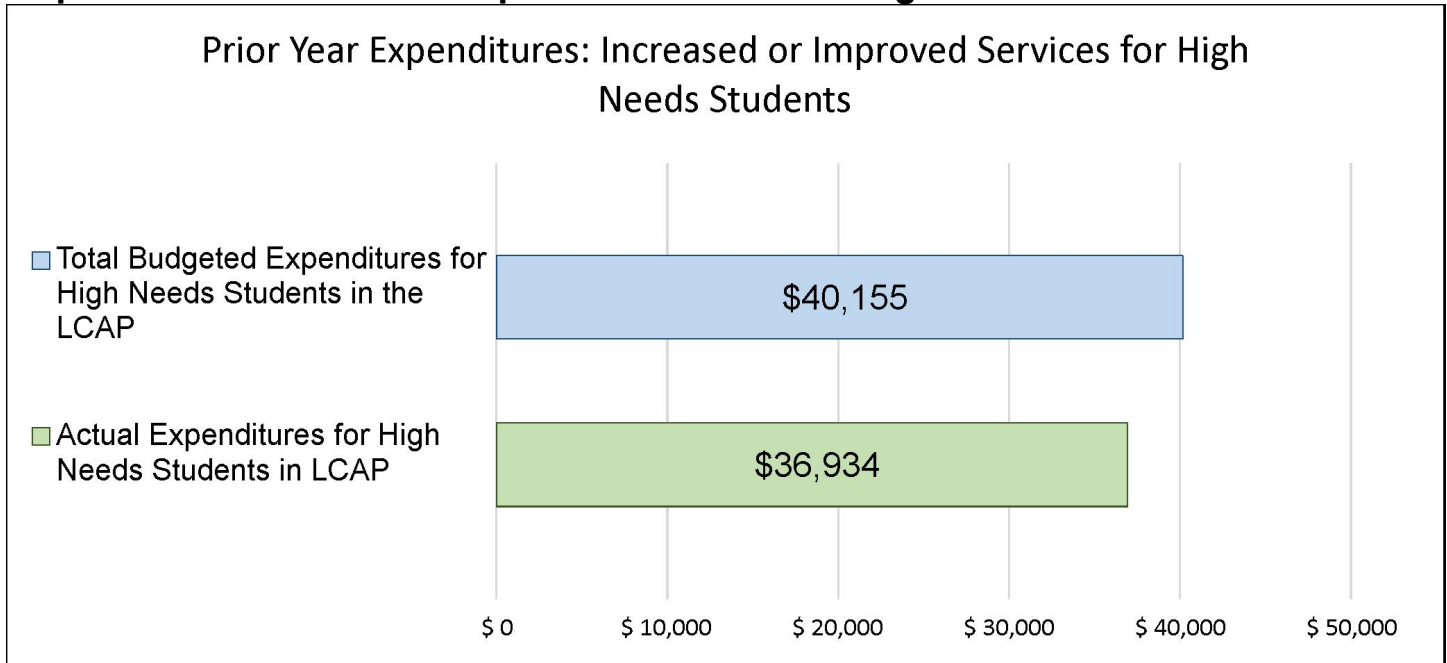
The LCAP does not include expenditures for administrative and support staff salaries, maintenance and operations, special education, or most classroom teachers.

Increased or Improved Services for High Needs Students in the LCAP for the 2024-25 School Year

In 2024-25, Santa Clara Elementary School District is projecting it will receive $18,381 based on the enrollment of foster youth, English learner, and low-income students. Santa Clara Elementary School District must describe how it intends to increase or improve services for high needs students in the LCAP. Santa Clara Elementary School District plans to spend $38,648 towards meeting this requirement, as described in the LCAP.

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Update on Increased or Improved Services for High Needs Students in 2023-24

Prior Year Expenditures: Increased or Improved Services for High Needs Students

☐ Total Budgeted Expenditures for High Needs Students in the LCAP	$40,155
☐ Actual Expenditures for High Needs Students in LCAP	$36,934

$ 0 $ 10,000 $ 20,000 $ 30,000 $ 40,000 $ 50,000

This chart compares what Santa Clara Elementary School District budgeted last year in the LCAP for actions and services that contribute to increasing or improving services for high needs students with what Santa Clara Elementary School District estimates it has spent on actions and services that contribute to increasing or improving services for high needs students in the current year.

The text description of the above chart is as follows: In 2023-24, Santa Clara Elementary School District's LCAP budgeted $40,155 for planned actions to increase or improve services for high needs students. Santa Clara Elementary School District actually spent $36,934 for actions to increase or improve services for high needs students in 2023-24.

The difference between the budgeted and actual expenditures of $-3,221 had the following impact on Santa Clara Elementary School District's ability to increase or improve services for high needs students:

While Santa Clara did not use supplementary funds to provide specific services, they utilized other federal and state funds to support high need students.

2023–24 Local Control and Accountability Plan Annual Update

The instructions for completing the 2023–24 Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) Annual Update follow the template.

Local Educational Agency (LEA) Name	Contact Name and Title	Email and Phone
Santa Clara Elementary School District	Kari Skidmore Superintendent	kskidmore@santaclaraesd.org 805-525-4573

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description
1	Goal 1 is a broad goal. The objective is to increase student achievement while preparing students for college and career. Based upon local data and California School Dashboard, Santa Clara continues to exceed County and State metrics. We will continue our efforts to increase and improve services to maintain student achievement that exceeds State and County levels for all students, including students with disabilities, English language learners, foster youth, and low socio-economic status. Through analysis of the data, including, CAASPP scores, performance of local assessments, ELPAC results, EL reclassification rates, and the annual CA Dashboard Local Indicator, self-reflection tool, we will measure our progress in meeting this goal. (State Priorities: 1, 2, 4, 7, 8)

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
CAASPP ELA CA Dashboard	2020-21 CAASPP ELA results TBD 74% Standards Met or Exceeded * baseline data updated with 20-21 data	2021-22: 73% Met or Exceeded Source: CAASPP - ELA	2022-23: 56% Met or Exceeded Source: CAASPP - ELA	CAASPP testing in English Language Arts/Literacy will take place in May 2024. Student performance on the assessment will be re-evaluated subsequently.	CAASPP ELA, 80% Met or Exceeded * Desired Outcome data updated as per updated baseline
CAASPP Math CA Dashboard	2020-21 CAASPP 55% Met or Exceeded Standards Met or Exceeded * baseline data updated with 20-21 data	2021-22: 70% Met or Exceeded Source: CAASPP - Math	2022-23: 50% Met or Exceeded Source: CAASPP - Math	CAASPP testing in Mathematics will take place in May 2024. Student performance on the assessment will be re-evaluated subsequently.	CAASPP Math, 75% Met or Exceeded * Desired Outcome data updated as per updated baseline

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
Local Indicator Reflection: Teachers Fully Credentialed and appropriately assigned CA Dashboard	2020-21 Standard "Met" on the CA Dashboard based on the Local Indicator Reflection 100% * baseline data update w/ reporting year	2021-22 Standard "Met" on the CA Dashboard based on the Local Indicator Reflection 100%	2022-23 Standard "Met" on the CA Dashboard based on the Local Indicator Reflection 100%	This goal has been met, all teachers are fully credentialed.	Standard "Met" on the CA Dashboard based on the Local Indicator Reflection Maintain
Local Indicator Reflection: Standards Aligned Instructional Materials for Every Student CA Dashboard	2020-21 Standard "Met" on the CA Dashboard based on the Local Indicator Reflection Standards aligned * baseline data update w/ reporting year	2021-22 Standard "Met" on the CA Dashboard based on the Local Indicator Reflection Standards aligned	2022-23 Standard "Met" on the CA Dashboard based on the Local Indicator Reflection Standards aligned	This goal has been met, all students have access to standards aligned instructional materials.	Standard "Met" on the CA Dashboard based on the Local Indicator Reflection Maintain
Reclassification Rates CA Dashboard	District had 0 English Learners 2020-21. * baseline data update w/ reporting year	District had 0 English Learners 2021-22	District had 1 English Learner 2022-23	Reclassification of English Learners will take place in spring of 2024 after the results of ELPAC assessment are received. Reclassification will be re-evaluated subsequently.	Increase RFEP based on EL enrollment each year
ELPAC Assessment CA Dashboard	District had 0 English Learners 2020-21. * baseline data update w/ reporting year	District had 0 English Learners 2021-22	District had 1 English Learner 2022-23	ELPAC summative will take place in spring 2024. Student performance on the assessment will be re-	Increase Level 3, decrease level 1 & 2, move EL students to Level 4 based on enrollment each year

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
				evaluated subsequently.	
Local Indicator Reflection: Implementation of all CA state standards, including how ELs will access the CCSS and ELD standards CA Dashboard	2020-21 Standard "Met" on the CA Dashboard based on the Local Indicator Reflection Implementation of standards district wide 100% (EL access to CCSS and ELD standards) * baseline data update w/ reporting year	2021-22 Standard "Met" on the CA Dashboard based on the Local Indicator Reflection Implementation of standards district wide 100% (EL access to CCSS and ELD standards - SCESD did not have EL students)	2022-23 Standard "Met" on the CA Dashboard based on the Local Indicator Reflection Implementation of standards district wide 100% (EL access to CCSS and ELD standards - SCESD did not have EL students)	This goal has been met, the district has implemented all CA state standards, including how ELs will access the CCSS and ELD standards.	Standard "Met" on the CA Dashboard based on the Local Indicator Reflection Implementation of standards district wide 100% Maintain
All high school indicators do not apply to the K-6 (AP, UC-AG, CTE Pathways, EAP, high school dropout, graduation)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Attendance Rates Local Data/SIS	2020-2021 local data ADA, 96%	2021-22 93% Source: QSIS (local data)	2022-23 94% Source: QSIS (local data)	Attendance Rate 96% Source:QSIS (local data)	Maintain ADA of 96%
CAASSP, Science-CAST CA Dashboard	2020-21: Not applicable - due to student confidentiality related to fewer than 10 students testing	2021-22: Not applicable - due to student confidentiality related to fewer than 10 students testing	2022-23: Not applicable - due to student confidentiality related to fewer than 10 students testing	CAASPP testing in Science will take place in May 2024 for grade 5. Student performance on the	CAASPP Science, pending enrollment and number of students testing SCESD will report %

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
	Source: CAASPP - CAST * baseline language updated	Source: CAASPP - CAST	Source: CAASPP - CAST	assessment will be re-evaluated subsequently.	increase in the desired outcome.
Broad Course of study (New Metric) State Priority (Course Access)	2020-21 100% students enrolled in self-contained classrooms offering core content areas: English, Math, Science, Social Science, Physical Education, and Fine Arts.	2021-22 100% students enrolled in self-contained classrooms offering core content areas: English, Math, Science, Social Science, Physical Education, and Fine Arts.	2022-23 100% students enrolled in self-contained classrooms offering core content areas: English, Math, Science, Social Science, Physical Education, and Fine Arts.	According to Q SIS master schedule data, 100% students enrolled in self-contained classrooms offering core content areas: English, Math, Science, Social Science, Physical Education, and Fine Arts.	Maintain 100% students enrolled in self-contained classrooms offering core content areas: English, Math, Science, Social Science, Physical Education, and Fine Arts.
RtI (Response to Intervention) - New Metric Local Data	2020-21 Intervention Tutoring Grades 1-5, Of the total number of students scoring below proficiency, there was 100% participation.	2021-22 Intervention Tutoring Grades 1-5, Of the total number of students scoring below proficiency, there was 100% participation.	2022-23 Intervention Tutoring Grades 1-5, Of the total number of students scoring below proficiency, there was 100% participation.	This goal has been met, Grades 1-5 of the total number of students scoring below proficiency, there was 100% participation.	Of the total number of students scoring below proficiency, Maintain 100% participation.

Goal Analysis

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.
A description of any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions.

The following describes any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions in the areas of:

Goal 1: Increase academic achievement for all students so they are career/college-ready upon graduation (broad goal). For Goal 1 the following actions were successful:

Action 1.1: Common Core aligned materials were provided to all identified students.
Action 1.2: Common Core aligned supplementary materials to support instruction including Renaissance Learning Program and Scholastic Weekly Readers to assist all identified students were provided.
Action 1.3: Professional Development in the areas of common core, technology, best instructional practices, ELD and NGSS were provided.
Action 1.4: Provided additional intervention and acceleration to all identified students.

Successes experienced with the implementation process:
Notable success was experienced in Actions 1.3 and 1.4. All teachers and instructional aides attended professional development in reading intervention, Sonday Program. This program was utilized both in the classroom setting and in small groups for identified students.

Challenges experienced with the implementation process:
Some challenges were experienced in implementing Action 1.4. Limited classroom space and staff continues to be a challenge when offering intervention to small groups of identified students. Schedules and staffing were moved around to allow time for intervention programs.

All Actions 1.1-1.4 for Goal 1 were implemented in the 2023-24 school year.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

There was not a significant material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures:

Action 1.1: The budgeted Expenditure amount was $3,500, and the estimated Actual Expenditure was $2,824.
Action 1.2: The budgeted Expenditure amount was $2,700, and the estimated Actual Expenditure was $2,555.
Action 1.3: The budgeted Expenditure amount was $635, and the estimated Actual Expenditure was $1,436.

Action 1.4: The budgeted Expenditure amount was $60,727, and the estimated Actual Expenditure was $53,724.

An explanation of how effective or ineffective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal during the three-year LCAP cycle.

The following explains how effective or ineffective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal in the areas of:

The following Action(s) were effective in making progress toward the goal, and the degree to which the result was effective was measured by the associated metric(s) as shown below:
Action 1.4 Response to Intervention (RTI) Local Data 100% participation

Although the CAASPP scores decreased in 2022-23, the actions aligned to achieving this goal were effective in the area of 100% student engagement and participation. High student engagement resulted in showing a significant increase in our local common assessment reports. We are confident that student academic performance will increase in the following CAASPP reporting year in 2023-24.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the new 2024-25 through 2026-2027, three-year cycle, that resulted from reflections on prior practice are the following:

Goal Description and Explanation:
Based on Educational Partner input, data, and needs assessment the Goal Description will be modified.

Metrics:
The metric measuring Attendance Rates will be moved to Goal 2 as it aligns more effectively with student engagement.
The metric Broad Course of Study will be removed from the metric table. Instead, an explanation of how Santa Clara ESD is achieving all students accessing a Broad Course of Study will be provided within the reflection of annual performance prompt and show within the actions tables aligned to Priority 7A-students accessing a Broad Course of Study.

A report of the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for last year's actions may be found in the Annual Update Table. A report of the Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services for last year's actions may be found in the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table.

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description
2	Goal 2 is a Broad Goal that's focused on Increasing student engagement by providing enrichment opportunities that support the academic curriculum. SCESD has developed the Broad Goal to address areas of need of increasing actions and services for our small school district, so students have enrichment and support to promote life, college, and career. SCESD will align actions/services and add expanded learning opportunities to support the implementation of state standards with curriculum and services that increase student engagement and promote a positive school climate. Increased or improved services will be principally directed for unduplicated pupils (FY, LI, EL) and support for students with disabilities and unique pupil needs.(State Priorities: 5, 6)

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
Attendance rates Local Data/SIS	2020-2021 local data 96%	2021-22 93% Source: QSIS	2022-23 94% Source: QSIS	2023-24 96% Source: QSIS	Attendance Rates: Maintain 96%
Suspension/Expulsion rates CA Dashboard	2020-21 Suspension/Expulsion Rate 0% Local Data *Baseline updated with the reporting year.	2021-22 Suspension/Expulsion Rate 0% Source: QSIS	2022-23 Suspension/Expulsion Rate 0% Source: QSIS	2023-24 Suspension/Expulsion Rate 0% Source: QSIS	Suspension/Expulsion /rates: Maintain 0% - Blue Status on CA School Dashboard
Student Survey	2020-21 No established Baseline *Baseline language updated	2021-22 (baseline) 97% Source: Student Survey	2022-23(baseline) 97% Source: Student Survey	The Student Survey will take place in spring of 2024. Results will be re-evaluated subsequently.	Increased positive survey to 100%

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
Chronic Absenteeism

CA Dashboard | 2020-21
0% Chronically Absent

*Baseline updated with the reporting year. | 2021-22
12%

Source: QSIS | 2022-23
0%

Source: QSIS | 2023-24
0%

Source: QSIS | Chronically Absenteeism: Maintain 0% |
| School Facilities

CA Dashboard | 2020-21
School Facilities in "Good Repair" per CDE's Facility Inspection Tool (FIT)

Per FIT, facilities are in "Good Repair" | 2021-22
Standard Met on CA School Dashboard Facility Inspection Tool (FIT)
"Good Repair" | 2022-23
Standard Met on CA School Dashboard Facility Inspection Tool (FIT)
"Good Repair" | 2023-24
Standard Met on CA School Dashboard Facility Inspection Tool (FIT)
"Good Repair" | Standard Met on CA School Dashboard Facility Inspection tool (FIT)
"Good Repair"

Maintain |
| State Priority: Pupil Engagement -Middle School Dropout Rate, does not apply | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |

Goal Analysis

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.

A description of any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions.

The following describes any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions in the areas of:

Goal 2: Increase student engagement by providing enrichment opportunities that support the academic curriculum (broad goal). For Goal 2 the following actions were successful:

Action 2.1: All students were involved in community service projects to engage and encourage positive school climate.
Action 2.2: All students were involved in school field trips and assemblies based on Science and Social Science Standards to support and enhance the curriculum.
Action 2.3: A Foster Youth Liaison was created to ensure immediate enrollment and smooth transition to school.
Action 2.4: The Ventura County Arts Council was contracted with to provide art residencies to support fine arts enrichment in the curriculum.
Action 2.5 The Ventura County Office of Education SELPA was contracted with for SESS to provide classroom lessons and social-emotional counseling services as needed.

Successes experienced with the implementation process:
Notable success was experienced in Actions 2.1, 2.2, 2.4, and 2.5. All students were involved in two community service projects to engage students and to encourage a positive school climate. In addition, sixth grade students took on leadership roles with the projects. All students were involved in 4 school filed trips and 5 schoolwide assemblies to support and enhance the curriculum. The Ventura County Arts Council was contracted with to provide 3 artist residencies, enriching the curriculum in the area of dramatic arts. The Ventura County Office of Education SELPA was contracted with, providing a Social Emotional Support Specialist for classroom lessons in Social Emotional Learning, including positive character traits and individual social-emotional counseling.

Challenges experienced with the implementation process:
Some challenges were experienced in implementing Actions 2.4 and 2.5. Limited classroom space continues to be a challenge when offering dramatic arts enrichment and individual and small group counseling services. Schedules and staffing were moved around to allow time for counseling services and enrichment programs.

All Actions 2.1-2.5 for Goal 2 were implemented in the 2023-24 school year.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

There was not a significant material difference between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures:

Action 2.1: The budgeted Expenditure amount was $300, and the estimated Actual Expenditure was $0.
Action 2.2: The budgeted Expenditure amount was $4,500, and the estimated Actual Expenditure was $4,500.
Action 2.3: The budgeted Expenditure amount was $0, and the estimated Actual Expenditure was $0.
Action 2.4: The budgeted Expenditure amount was $2,800 and the estimated Actual Expenditure was $0.
Action 2.5: The budgeted Expenditure amount was $0, and the estimated Actual Expenditure was $8,334.

An explanation of how effective or ineffective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal during the three-year LCAP cycle.

The following explains how effective or ineffective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal in the areas of:

The following Action(s) were effective in making progress toward the goal, and the degree to which the result was effective was measured by the associated metric(s) as shown below:
Actions 2.1, 2.2, 2.4, and 2.5: Metrics: Maintained 96% Attendance Rates, 0% Suspension/Expulsion Rates, 0% Chronic Absenteeism Rate, and Facility Inspection Tool (FIT) "Good Repair".

There were no actions that were not effective.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the new 2024-25 through 2026-2027, three-year cycle, that resulted from reflections on prior practice are the following:

Goal Description and Explanation:
Based on Educational Partner input, data, and needs assessment the Goal Description will be modified. In the 2024-25 LCAP Goal 2, Priority 1 will be added.

A report of the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for last year's actions may be found in the Annual Update Table. A report of the Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services for last year's actions may be found in the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table.

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description
3	Goal 3 is a Maintenance Goal, including actions that may be ongoing without significant changes. Santa Clara will track progress on the objective of this goal, maintaining and strengthening family engagement and participation promoting a positive, school climate. (State Priorities: 3)

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
Parent Participation in School Events CA Dashboard	Baseline for 2021-2022 No Baseline Established. *Baseline language updated	2021-22 98% of Parents Participated in School Events Source: Sign In Sheets	2022-23 96% of Parents Participated in School Events Source: Sign In Sheets	School Events take place in the fall of 2023 and the spring of 2024. Results will be re-evaluated subsequently.	Maintain 98% Parent Participation in School Events *Desired outcome language updated.
Parent Survey CA Dashboard	2020-21 No Baseline Established. *Baseline language updated	2021-22 (baseline) 81% Parents Returned Survey Source: Parent Survey	2022-23 80% Parents Returned Survey Source: Parent Survey	The Parent Survey will take place in spring of 2024. Results will be re-evaluated subsequently.	Increase parent returned survey results to 85% *Desired outcome language updated.

Goal Analysis

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.
A description of any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions.

The following describes any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions in the areas of:

Goal 3: Maintain and strengthen family engagement and participation promoting a positive, school climate. (maintenance goal). For Goal 3 the following action was successful:

Action 3.1: Family events scheduled to build school community and a positive school climate.

Successes experienced with the implementation process:
Notable success was experienced in Action 3.1. The school events were planned with educational partner input and effectively communicated to parents through email, Class Dojo, and parent advisory group meetings.

Challenges experienced with the implementation process:
Some challenges were experienced in implementing Action3.1. Santa Clara is a small school with a small number of families and staff. It is sometimes difficult filling volunteer positions necessary to plan, coordinate, and implement family events.

Action 3.1 for Goal 3 was implemented in the 2023-24 school year.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

There was not a significant material difference between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures:

Action 3.1: The budgeted Expenditure amount was $0, and the estimated Actual Expenditure was $0.

An explanation of how effective or ineffective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal during the three-year LCAP cycle.

The following explains how effective or ineffective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal in the areas of:

The following Action(s) were effective in making progress toward the goal, and the degree to which the result was effective was measured by the associated metric(s) as shown below:
Action 3.1: Metrics: Maintained 96% Parent Participation Rate, 80% Parent Survey Return Rate

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the new 2024-25 through 2026-2027, three-year cycle, that resulted from reflections on prior practice are the following:

Goal Description and Explanation:
Based on Educational Partner input, data, and needs assessment the Goal Description will be modified. There will be an addition of Priorities 5 and 6 to be addressed in the 2024-25 LCAP Goal 3.

A report of the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for last year's actions may be found in the Annual Update Table. A report of the Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services for last year's actions may be found in the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table.

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description
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Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24

Goal Analysis

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.
A description of any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

An explanation of how effective or ineffective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal during the three-year LCAP cycle.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

A report of the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for last year's actions may be found in the Annual Update Table. A report of the Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services for last year's actions may be found in the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table.

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description
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Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24

Goal Analysis

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.
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Instructions

For additional questions or technical assistance related to the completion of the Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) template, please contact the local county office of education (COE), or the California Department of Education's (CDE's) Local Agency Systems Support Office, by phone at 916-319-0809 or by email at lcff@cde.ca.gov.

Complete the prompts as instructed for each goal included in the 2023–24 LCAP. Duplicate the tables as needed. The 2023–24 LCAP Annual Update must be included with the 2024–25 LCAP.

Goals and Actions

Goal(s)

Description:

Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

Measuring and Reporting Results

- Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

Metric:

- Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

Baseline:

- Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

Year 1 Outcome:

- Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

Year 2 Outcome:

- Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

Year 3 Outcome:

- When completing the 2023–24 LCAP Annual Update, enter the most recent data available. Indicate the school year to which the data applies.

Desired Outcome for 2023–24:

- Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

Timeline for completing the "**Measuring and Reporting Results**" part of the Goal.

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for Year 3 (2023–24)
Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.	Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.	Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.	Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.	Enter information in this box when completing the 2023–24 LCAP Annual Update.	Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

Goal Analysis

Using actual annual measurable outcome data, including data from the Dashboard, analyze whether the planned actions were effective in achieving the goal. Respond to the prompts as instructed.

A description of any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions.

- Describe the overall implementation of the actions to achieve the articulated goal. Include a discussion of relevant challenges and successes experienced with the implementation process. This must include any instance where the LEA did not implement a planned action or implemented a planned action in a manner that differs substantively from how it was described in the adopted LCAP.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

- Explain material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and between the Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services, as applicable. Minor variances in expenditures or percentages do not need to be addressed, and a dollar-for-dollar accounting is not required.

An explanation of how effective or ineffective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal during the three-year LCAP cycle.

- Describe the effectiveness or ineffectiveness of the specific actions in making progress toward the goal during the three-year LCAP cycle. "Effectiveness" means the degree to which the actions were successful in producing the desired result and "ineffectiveness" means that the actions did not produce any significant or desired result.
  - In some cases, not all actions in a goal will be intended to improve performance on all of the metrics associated with the goal.
  - When responding to this prompt, LEAs may assess the effectiveness of a single action or group of actions within the goal in the context of performance on a single metric or group of specific metrics within the goal that are applicable to the action(s). Grouping actions with metrics will allow for more robust analysis of whether the strategy the LEA is using to impact a specified set of metrics is working and increase transparency for educational partners. LEAs are encouraged to use such an approach when goals include multiple actions and metrics that are not closely associated.
  - Beginning with the development of the 2024–25 LCAP, the LEA must change actions that have not proven effective over a three-year period.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

- Describe any changes made to this goal, expected outcomes, metrics, or actions to achieve this goal as a result of this analysis and analysis of the data provided in the Dashboard or other local data, as applicable.
  - As noted above, beginning with the development of the 2024–25 LCAP, the LEA must change actions that have not proven effective over a three-year period. For actions that have been identified as ineffective, the LEA must identify the ineffective action and must include a description of the following:
    - The reasons for the ineffectiveness, and
    - How changes to the action will result in a new or strengthened approach.

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Local Control and Accountability Plan

The instructions for completing the Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) follow the template.

Local Educational Agency (LEA) Name	Contact Name and Title	Email and Phone
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Plan Summary [2024-25]

General Information

A description of the LEA, its schools, and its students in grades transitional kindergarten–12, as applicable to the LEA.

The Santa Clara Elementary School District is a single school district located in Ventura County midway between the cities of Fillmore and Santa Paula. Affectionately known as the "Little Red Schoolhouse," Santa Clara is both a historic landmark and a place for up-to-date education. We are a K-6 district established in 1896, serving the families of rural Santa Paula for over 125 years.

School staff is dedicated to providing the kindergarten through sixth grade students a safe, respectful, and accepting atmosphere where every student can learn. Students participate in a rigorous academic program, learn to think critically and to solve problems, and to practice positive character traits, while preparing to be successful citizens of the 21st Century. Our small staff, families, and students maintain a commitment to a high-quality education for all learners.

Santa Clara is a District of Choice with an enrollment of under 60 students. Student demographics for the 2023 school year were 61% Hispanic, 32% White, 7% two or more races. Our English Learner population is less than 2%, Special Education represent less than 2%, low socioeconomic represent 11%, and foster care/homeless make up 0% of our district population. Students are grouped in multi-grade classrooms, with 8-9 students per grade level. Teachers are flexible with the groupings, and students move as needed for acceleration or remediation. Santa Clara employs one teacher/principal/superintendent, two full-time teachers, and part-time classified staff including, two instructional aides, a school secretary, a music teacher, an art teacher, a resource teacher, and a custodian. The District contracts with Ventura County SELPA and Ventura County Office of Education for speech and language services, a psychologist, and a social emotional support specialist.

Reflections: Annual Performance

A reflection on annual performance based on a review of the California School Dashboard (Dashboard) and local data.

In 2023-24 Santa Clara Elementary School District reviewed the following data and information in preparation of the 24-25 LCAP.

The 2023 CA Dashboard demonstrated blue (0%) chronic absenteeism. This was a 14.3% decline in chronic absenteeism from 2022 CA Dashboard. The District showed blue (0%) suspension rate for all student groups. The performance level for all students in English Language Arts was green, with students scoring 16.6 points above standard. The performance level in math was yellow for all student groups, with students scoring 0.6 below standard. The local indicators showed that the District had a standard met rating for all areas, including; basics: teachers, instructional materials, facilities, implementation of academic standards, parent and family engagement, local climate survey and the access to a broad course of study.

The district had 0 identified areas that need additional support with none scoring in the lowest performance level (red) on the 2023 CA School Dashboard.

The Santa Clara Elementary School District administered an annual survey to all parents/guardians online. The response from families who participated in the survey showed an overall satisfaction with the school. The results show that the majority of parents feel that the school excels in all academic areas. There were also high ratings for staff, student engagement and activities, parent participation, including the PTO and SSC, and the school climate and safety. This data supports the district's low suspension rate and high academic achievement in ELA and math. The actions and services included in the LCAP directly correlate with the reported results. The support given to students by the Instructional Aides and Intervention Tutor, the purchase of common core aligned textbooks and supplementary materials, engaging students with field trips and activities and engaging and involving parents have led to high academic achievement and high marks on the overall satisfaction of the school. The District plans to continue services in the future due to the overall success in meeting these goals.

Addressing State Priority 7A-Access to a Broad Course of Study:
In alignment with LCFF Priority 7A, our school strives to provide all students, including unduplicated pupils and individuals with exceptional needs, access to and enrollment in a broad course of study. Our comprehensive curriculum encompasses core academic subjects including English Language Arts, Mathematics, Science, and History-Social Science, as well as a diverse range of additional subjects such as visual and performing arts, physical education, world languages, and career technical education pathways.

Throughout the academic year, we continually evaluate and adapt our course offerings to ensure they meet the evolving needs and interests of our student population. Our dedicated faculty and staff collaborate to develop inclusive, engaging, standards-aligned lessons that promote critical thinking, creativity, and real-world applications. We also provide targeted support and interventions for students who may require additional assistance to access the full curriculum.

Moving forward, we remain committed to maintaining and expanding our broad course of study, regularly reviewing student data and educational partner feedback to identify areas for improvement and innovation. By providing a well-rounded education that challenges and supports all learners, we aim to ensure that every student has the opportunity to reach their full potential.

Reflections: Technical Assistance

As applicable, a summary of the work underway as part of technical assistance.

N/A

Comprehensive Support and Improvement

An LEA with a school or schools eligible for comprehensive support and improvement must respond to the following prompts.

Schools Identified

A list of the schools in the LEA that are eligible for comprehensive support and improvement.

N/A

Support for Identified Schools

A description of how the LEA has or will support its eligible schools in developing comprehensive support and improvement plans.

N/A

Monitoring and Evaluating Effectiveness

A description of how the LEA will monitor and evaluate the plan to support student and school improvement.

N/A

Engaging Educational Partners

A summary of the process used to engage educational partners in the development of the LCAP.

School districts and county offices of education must, at a minimum, consult with teachers, principals, administrators, other school personnel, local bargaining units, parents, and students in the development of the LCAP.

Charter schools must, at a minimum, consult with teachers, principals, administrators, other school personnel, parents, and students in the development of the LCAP.

An LEA receiving Equity Multiplier funds must also consult with educational partners at schools generating Equity Multiplier funds in the development of the LCAP, specifically, in the development of the required focus goal for each applicable school.

Educational Partner(s)	Process for Engagement
Santa Clara Elementary Community at Large	Monthly School Board Meetings were held at the schoolhouse with meeting dates and agendas posted on the school website www.santaclaraesd.org. The LCAP public hearing was held on 6/12/2024. There were no public comments or questions. The LCAP board adoption was held on 6/18/2024.
Administrator, Teachers, and Staff	2023-24 Staff Meetings were held weekly to gather input and address needs. The Administrator and the Teachers sit on the School Site Council and attend monthly PTO meetings in which feedback was given and goals and actions were reviewed.
Parents	The Santa Clara School Site Council met bi-monthly and opportunities to provide input and feedback for the upcoming LCAP were given. The Santa Clara PTO met monthly and opportunities to provide input and feedback for the upcoming LCAP were given. Parents were given the CHKS for Parents to complete.
Students	Students in grades 3rd-6th were given CHKS. The 6th Grade Council met bi-weekly to share ideas and give input to district goals.
SELPA Consultation	Santa Clara, along with the other local, small superintendents, consulted with SELPA Executive Director on 3-19-24, to assist in supporting the needs of our students with special needs.
Local Bargaining Units of the LEA	N/A-Due to the small size of Santa Clara ESD certificated and classified staff are exempt from having a Bargaining Unit.

The 2024-25 LCAP was influenced by feedback provided by SC educational partners. Based on the analysis and reflection of student outcomes from the 2022-23 LCAP, our educational partner groups committed to continuing to address the three core goals. Goals 1 and 2 are broad goals centered around student outcomes and engagement. Goal 3 is a maintenance goal focused on family engagement. Parents, students, and staff gave positive feedback about the increases in student technology proficiencies due to the 1:1 chromebooks and access to digital curriculum.   Teachers and staff continue to provide a rigorous academic program, while preparing all students to be successful citizens of the 21st Century. Actions included are embedded with supports ensuring success for all student groups. Expanded learning opportunities will be offered to all students support the implementation of state standards with curriculum and services that increase the engagement of students and families and continue to promote a positive school climate. Our goal includes staff to provide social-emotional support services and professional development in the area of intervention and acceleration to further increase student engagment.

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description	Type of Goal
1	Enhance academic achievement and college/career readiness for all students through rigorous instruction and targeted support.	Broad Goal

State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Priority 1: Basic (Conditions of Learning)
Priority 2: State Standards (Conditions of Learning)
Priority 4: Pupil Achievement (Pupil Outcomes)
Priority 7: Course Access (Conditions of Learning)
Priority 8: Other Pupil Outcomes (Pupil Outcomes)

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

State Priority 4, Pupil Achievement, and State Priority 8, Other Pupil Outcomes, address analysis and an alignment with both state-required assessments and SCESD local assessments. This analysis of the data connects with our high expectations and efforts to prepare our students for life, college, and/or career. The data shows where we can principally direct LCFF supplemental actions and services to support identified needs and strengths of our unduplicated EL, LI, FY student group, along with services for our students with disabilities and any other group with unique needs. The most recent CA Dashboard was released in 2023 and indicated in the overall performance in the ELA on the CA Dashboard with ELA (green status) 16.6 points above standard and math (yellow status) 0.6 points below standard. The performance status can change dramatically with a slight increase or decrease due to the small enrollment of our small district. The 2023 Dashboard achievement for ELA and Math exceeded the state average on the CA Dashboard. To ensure basic conditions for learning are addressed State Priority 1, fully credentialed and appropriately assigned teachers, access to standards-aligned instructional materials for every student, and State Priority 2, full implementation of the CA state standards including ELD/language acquisition standards, to ensure student readiness for a rigorous and aligned curriculum. State Priority 7, Course Access, ensures students have access and are enrolled in a broad course of study (Social Science, Science, Health, PE).

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
1.1	CAASPP ELA	Source: 2023 CA Dashboard			Source: 2026 CA Dashboard	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
		Students meeting grade-level standards on the English Language Arts assessment based on distance from standard (DFS) District All : +16.6			Students meeting grade-level standards on the English Language Arts assessment based on distance from standard (DFS) District: All: +31.6	
1.2	CAASPP Math	Source: 2023 CA Dashboard Students meeting grade-level standards on the Mathematics assessment based on distance from standard (DFS) District All : -0.6			Source: 2026 CA Dashboard Students meeting grade-level standards on the Mathematics assessment based on distance from standard (DFS) District: All: +15.6	
1.3	Local Indicator Reflection: Teachers Fully Credentialed and appropriately assigned	Source: 2023 CA Dashboard Local Indicators Report Clear Teaching Credential (% of Teaching Full-time Equivalent): 100%			Source: 2026 Fall CA Dashboard Local Indicators Report Clear Teaching Credential (% of Teaching Full-time Equivalent): 100%	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
		Comparison to Statewide Average: Above			Comparison to Statewide Average: Above	
1.4	Local Indicator Reflection: Standards Aligned Instructional Materials for Every Student	Source: 2023 CA Dashboard Local Indicators Percent of students WITHOUT access to their own copies of standards-aligned instructional materials for use at school and at home: 0%			Source: 2026, CA Dashboard Local Indicators Percent of students WITHOUT access to their own copies of standards-aligned instructional materials for use at school and at home: 0%	
1.5	Reclassification Rates	Source: 2024 Local Reclassification Data Less than 11 students - data not displayed for privacy			Source: 2027 Local Reclassification Data 100% of English Learners making progress toward Reclassification	
1.6	ELPAC Assessment	Source: 2023 CA Dashboard Less than 11 students - data not displayed for privacy			Source: 2026 CA Dashboard 100% of English Learners making progress toward English Proficiency	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
1.7	Implementation of the academic content and performance standards adopted by the State Board (State Priority 2A & 2B) Rating Scale (lowest to highest): 1 - Exploration and Research Phase 2 - Beginning Development 3 - Initial Implementation 4 - Full Implementation 5 - Full Implementation and Sustainability	Source 2023, CA Dashboard Local Indicators Standards & Rating ELA-CCSS: 5 ELD (Aligned to ELA): 5 Mathematics-CCSS: 5 Next Generation Science Standards: 5 History-Social Science: 5 Career Technical Education: 0 Health Education Content Standards: NA Physical Education Model Content Standards: NA Visual and Performing Arts: NA World Language: NA Professional Development, Instructional Materials, Policy & Program Support: Majority of areas in 5, with English Language Development (Aligned to English Language Arts Standards) in 4 Engagement of School Leadership:			Source: 2026, CA Dashboard Local Indicators Standards & Rating ELA-CCSS: 5 ELD (Aligned to ELA): 5 Mathematics-CCSS: 5 Next Generation Science Standards: 5 History-Social Science: 5 Career Technical Education: N/A Health Education Content Standards:N/A Physical Education Model Content Standards: 5 Visual and Performing Arts: 5 World Language: N/A Professional Development, Instructional Materials, Policy & Program Support: Majority of areas in 5	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
		Identifying professional learning needs of teachers/staff as a whole: 4 Identifying professional learning needs of individual teachers: 4 Providing support for teachers on standards not yet mastered: 4			Engagement of School Leadership: Identifying professional learning needs of teachers/staff as a whole: 5 Identifying professional learning needs of individual teachers: 5 Providing support for teachers on standards not yet mastered: 5	
1.8	CAASSP, Science-CAST	Source: 2023 CAST Results from CERS Not applicable - due to student confidentiality related to fewer than 10 students testing			Source: 2026 CAST Results from CERS Pending enrollment and number of students testing SCESD will report % increase in the desired outcome.	
1.9	RtI (Response to Intervention)	Source: 2023 Local Data			Source: 2026 Local Data	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
		Of the total number of students scoring below proficiency, there was 100% participation.			Of the total number of students scoring below proficiency, Maintain 100% participation.	
1.10	Least Restrictive Environment (LRE) Indicator 5A – General Education Participation Priority 7C The percentage of students with IEPs served inside the regular class 80% or more of the school day	Source: 2023 Fall CALPADS Report 16.13 ALL: 100%			Source: 2026 Fall CALPADS Report 16.13 ALL: 100%	
1.11	These priorities are specifically designed for middle- and high-school districts and do not apply to elementary K-6 school districts. A-G requirements completion (Priority 4B) Career technical education sequences completion (Priority 4C) A-G and CTE course requirements completion (Priority 4D)	N/A			N/A	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
	AP exam with score of 3 or higher (Priority 4G) Participation and demonstration of college preparedness (e.g, EAP) (Priority 4H) Middle school dropout rates (Priority 5C) High school dropout rates (Priority 5D) High school graduation rates (Priority 5E)					

Goal Analysis [2023-24]

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.

A description of overall implementation, including any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions, and any relevant challenges and successes experienced with implementation.

Not Applicable.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

Not Applicable.

A description of the effectiveness or ineffectiveness of the specific actions to date in making progress toward the goal.

Not Applicable.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, target outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

Not Applicable.

Actions

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
1.1	Curriculum Materials	Common Core Aligned NGSS Textbooks and Activity Kits for all grade levels. Course access Priorities 7A, 7B, and 7C	$4,000.00	No
1.2	Supplementary Materials	Purchase common core aligned supplementary materials to support common core instruction to include Renaissance Learning Program and Scholastic Weekly Readers to assist English Learners, Foster Youth, and Low Income Students. Course access Priorities 7A, 7B, and 7C	$2,700.00	Yes
1.3	Professional Development	Continue to provide professional development in the areas of common core, technology, best instructional practices, ELD and NGSS. Course access Priorities 7A, 7B, and 7C	$8,520.00	No
1.4	Instructional Aides/Intervention Tutor	Provide additional intervention, acceleration to students in the following subgroups: Low Income, English Learner/Redesignated Fluent English Learner, Foster Youth. Course access Priorities 7A, 7B, and 7C	$56,444.00	Yes

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description	Type of Goal
2	Enhance student engagement by providing diverse, curriculum-aligned enrichment opportunities to increase participation rates and improve academic performance in related subject areas.	Broad Goal

State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Priority 1: Basic (Conditions of Learning)
Priority 5: Pupil Engagement (Engagement)
Priority 6: School Climate (Engagement)
Priority 8: Other Pupil Outcomes (Pupil Outcomes)

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

Goal 2 was developed based on the annual update overall analysis, a review of the most recent CA Dashboard, the Local Indicator Self-Reflection, local assessments, and surveys/feedback from school educational partners. There is a need to enhance engagement and climate as students exhibit long lasting effects in their social emotional well-being after the pandemic. Expanded learning opportunities are built into the goal to enhance areas of success and addressing areas of need. Engagement is a core focus with State Priority 5, Pupil Engagement, and State Priority 6, School Climate, closely aligned with metrics to measure the effectiveness of the goal/actions. Along with the Engagement core, this goal also builds on providing extra supports towards the priorities aligned with Pupil Outcomes (4,8). Increased or improved services will be principally directed for unduplicated pupil groups (FY, EL, LI) and also targeted to support students who have an IEP and those with unique pupil needs. This goal supports continued high attendance rates and decreased chronic absenteeism rates.

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
2.1	Attendance Rate	Source: 2024 QSIS 96% Attendance Rate			Source: 2027 QSIS 96% Attendance Rate	
2.2	Suspension/Expulsion	Source: 2023 CA Dashboard			Source: 2026 CA Dashboard	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
		All: 0% Suspension/Expulsion Rate			All: 0% Suspension/Expulsion Rate	
2.3	California Healthy Kids Survey (CHKS) - Student Survey Percentage of students responding "Yes, most of the time or all of the time" (State Priority 1, 5, 6, 8)	Source: 2023-24 CHKS West Ed Report School Safety All Students: 73% School Connectedness All Students: 76% Academic Motivation All Students: 80% Anti Bullying Climate All Students: 73% Caring Adults in School All Students: 73% Students Reporting Overall Wellness All Students: 82%			Source: 2026-2027 CHKS West Ed Report School Safety All Students: 80% School Connectedness All Students: 80% Academic Motivation All Students: 85% Anti Bullying Climate All Students: 80% Caring Adults in School All Students: 80% Students Reporting Overall Wellness All Students: 85%	
2.4	Chronic Absenteeism	Source: 2023 CA Dashboard All: 0% Chronic Absenteeism Rate			Source: 2026 CA Dashboard All: 0% Chronic Absenteeism Rate	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
2.5	Facilities Inspection Tool Instances where facilities do not meet the "Good Repair" standard (State Priority 1C - Basic Services)	Source: 2023 CA Dashboard Local Indicators Deficiencies and Extreme Deficiencies: 0			Source: 2026, CA Dashboard Local Indicators Deficiencies and Extreme Deficiencies: 0	

Goal Analysis [2023-24]

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.

A description of overall implementation, including any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions, and any relevant challenges and successes experienced with implementation.

Not Applicable.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

Not Applicable.

A description of the effectiveness or ineffectiveness of the specific actions to date in making progress toward the goal.

Not Applicable.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, target outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

Not Applicable.

Actions

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
2.1	Community Service Projects	Involve Students in community service projects to engage and encourage positive school climate (LEA Wide, EL, Foster Youth, Low Income, and SWD).	$300.00	Yes
2.2	Field Trips/Assemblies	Involve students in school field trips and assemblies based on Science and Social Science Standards to support and enhance the curriculum (LEA Wide, EL, Foster Youth, Low Income, and SWD).	$5,235.00	Yes
2.3	Foster Youth Liaison	Create a liaison for Foster Youth to ensure immediate enrollment and smooth transition to school.	$0.00	No
2.4	Artist in the Classroom	Contract with Ventura County Arts Council to provide art residencies to support fine arts enrichment in the curriculum (LEA Wide, EL, Foster Youth, Low Income, and SWD).	$500.00	Yes
2.5	Social Emotional Support Specialist	Contract with Ventura County Office of Education SELPA for SESS to provide classroom lessons and social-emotional counseling services as needed.	$4,051.00	No

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description	Type of Goal
3	Maintain and enhance family engagement to foster a positive school climate, aiming to increase participation in school activities and decision-making processes while sustaining current levels of involvement.	Broad Goal

State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Priority 3: Parental Involvement (Engagement)

Priority 5: Pupil Engagement (Engagement)

Priority 6: School Climate (Engagement)

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

Based on the analysis of the annual update and educational partner engagement, SCESD provides a family atmosphere for all students, encouraging and welcoming parent/family participation in school sponsored events and activities. Per educational partner engagement, the Engagement (State Priority 3) became an area to maintain. Areas of growth will be to create more family events creating a positive school climate (State Priority 6). These efforts will build on the broad and focus goals on increasing a life, college, and career campus where students and families are engaged and safe (State Priority 5).

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
3.1	Parent Participation in School Events	Source: 2024 Local Data Sign-In Sheets 80% Parents Participated in School Events			2027 Local Data Sign-In Sheets 90% Parents Participated in School Events	
3.2	California Healthy Kids Survey (CHKS) - Parent Survey	Source: 2023-24 CHKS West Ed Report			Source: 2026-27 CHKS West Ed Report	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
	Percentage of parents responding "Yes, agree and strongly agree"	Promotion of Parental Involvement All Parents: 100% School Supports for Students All Parents: 94% A Fairness, Rule Clarity, and Respect for Diversity All Parents: 88% Substance Use, School Disorder, and Bullying are not a problem All Parents: 100% Facilities: Clean and Well-Maintained All Parents: 100%			Promotion of Parental Involvement All Parents:100% School Supports for Students All Parents: 100% A Fairness, Rule Clarity, and Respect for Diversity All Parents: 100% Substance Use, School Disorder, and Bullying are not a problem All Parents: 100% Facilities: Clean and Well-Maintained All Parents: 100%	

Goal Analysis [2023-24]
An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.
A description of overall implementation, including any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions, and any relevant challenges and successes experienced with implementation.

Not Applicable.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

Not Applicable.

A description of the effectiveness or ineffectiveness of the specific actions to date in making progress toward the goal.

Not Applicable.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, target outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

Not Applicable.

Actions

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
3.1	Family Events	Family events scheduled to build school community and a positive school climate.	$0.00	No

Increased or Improved Services for Foster Youth, English Learners, and Low-Income Students [2024-25]

Total Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants	Projected Additional 15 percent LCFF Concentration Grant
$18,381	$0

Required Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the LCAP Year

Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year	LCFF Carryover — Percentage	LCFF Carryover — Dollar	Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year
2.725%	0.000%	$0.00	2.725%

The Budgeted Expenditures for Actions identified as Contributing may be found in the Contributing Actions Table.

Required Descriptions

LEA-wide and Schoolwide Actions
For each action being provided to an entire LEA or school, provide an explanation of (1) the unique identified need(s) of the unduplicated student group(s) for whom the action is principally directed, (2) how the action is designed to address the identified need(s) and why it is being provided on an LEA or schoolwide basis, and (3) the metric(s) used to measure the effectiveness of the action in improving outcomes for the unduplicated student group(s).

Goal and Action #	Identified Need(s)	How the Action(s) Address Need(s) and Why it is Provided on an LEA-wide or Schoolwide Basis	Metric(s) to Monitor Effectiveness
1.2	**Action:** Supplementary Materials **Need:** All students including LI, FY, EL subgroups All students, particularly our unduplicated pupils (low-income, foster youth, and English learners), require access to high-quality supplementary materials to enhance their learning experience and close achievement	Supplementary materials will be provided to all students to enhance the curriculum and to provide intervention and acceleration as needed. These additional resources will include technology supports which will allow for differentiated instruction. This action will specifically target unduplicated student groups in increasing academic achievement. The supplementary materials that support personalized learning address the needs by:	Metric 1.1 CAASPP ELA and Metric 1.2 CAASPP Math will measure the effectiveness of this action.

Goal and Action #	Identified Need(s)	How the Action(s) Address Need(s) and Why it is Provided on an LEA-wide or Schoolwide Basis	Metric(s) to Monitor Effectiveness
	gaps. Data from state assessments and local measures indicate that these student groups often lag behind their peers in academic performance. Supplementary materials tailored to their specific needs can provide additional support, reinforce core concepts, and offer extended learning and practice opportunities. These resources are especially crucial for differentiated instruction, allowing teachers to address diverse learning styles and needs across the entire student population. The needs identified are the following: 1. Students have diverse learning needs. 2. Students falling behind need timely interventions. 3. English Learners require language support. 4. Foster youth and low-income students need a more inclusive and supportive learning environment. **Scope:** LEA-wide	1. Differentiating instruction to meet diverse learning needs. 2. Providing timely interventions for students falling behind. 3. Offering language support for English learners. 4. Creating a more inclusive and supportive learning environment for foster youth and low-income students.	
1.4	**Action:** Instructional Aides/Intervention Tutor **Need:** All students including LI, FY, EL subgroups All students, with a particular focus on our unduplicated pupils (low-income, foster youth, and English learners), require additional academic support to achieve grade-level	Instructional aides will provide additional classroom support for small group and one on one instruction. This support will target unduplicated student groups in increasing academic achievement. The Instructional Aides/Intervention Tutor approaches that support personalized learning address the needs by:	Metric 1.1 CAASPP ELA , Metric 1.2 CAASPP Math, and Metric 1.9 RTI will measure the effectiveness of this action.

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	proficiency and close persistent achievement gaps. Analysis of state assessment data and local benchmarks indicates that these student groups often struggle to meet academic standards, especially in core subjects. Instructional aides and intervention tutors can provide targeted, small-group, and one-on-one assistance to address specific learning challenges, reinforce classroom instruction, and offer extended learning opportunities. The needs identified are the following: 1. Struggling students need additional support. 2. Students falling behind need timely targeted interventions. 3. English Learners require language support. 4. Foster youth and low-income students need a more inclusive and supportive learning environment. **Scope:** LEA-wide	1. Providing one-on-one support to struggling students. 2. Offering targeted interventions based on individual student data. 3. Reinforcing classroom instruction through small group activities for English Learners. 4. Adapting learning materials to meet diverse student needs.	
2.1	**Action:** Community Service Projects **Need:** All students including LI, FY, EL subgroups All students, particularly our unduplicated pupils (low-income, foster youth, and English learners), require opportunities to develop a sense of community engagement, social responsibility, and real-world skills beyond the traditional classroom setting. Student surveys	Community Service Projects will help students feel connected to school and engaged, creating a positive school climate. Community service projects address this need by: 1. Enhancing student engagement and motivation is especially crucial for at-risk students who may feel disconnected from traditional schooling. Providing authentic contexts for English learners to practice language skills in real-world situations 2. Offering leadership and teamwork opportunities that build self-esteem and social skills is	Metric 2.1 Attendance Rate and Metric 2.3 Student Survey will measure the effectiveness of this action.

Goal and Action #	Identified Need(s)	How the Action(s) Address Need(s) and Why it is Provided on an LEA-wide or Schoolwide Basis	Metric(s) to Monitor Effectiveness
	and educational partners' feedback indicate a need for more experiential learning opportunities that connect academic content to practical applications. The identified needs are: 1. Students falling behind academically may feel disconnected from traditional schooling. 2. English learners need to practice language skills in real-world situations. 3. Foster youth and low-income students have limited access to experiences outside of school. 4. Students from disadvantaged backgrounds lack a sense of belonging within the broader community. **Scope:** LEA-wide	particularly beneficial for foster youth and low-income students with limited access to such experiences outside of school. 3. Developing civic responsibility and a sense of belonging within the broader community can be particularly impactful for students from disadvantaged backgrounds.	
2.2	**Action:** Field Trips/Assemblies **Need:** All students including LI, FY, EL subgroups All students, with particular emphasis on our unduplicated pupils (low-income, foster youth, and English learners), require exposure to diverse learning experiences that extend beyond the traditional classroom setting. Student engagement data and feedback from educational partners indicate a need for more immersive, real-world learning opportunities.	Providing all students with field trips and assemblies to enrich the educational program will help students feel connected to school and engaged, creating a positive school climate. Field trips and assemblies address this need by: 1. Providing experiential learning that connects academic concepts to real-world applications, which is especially beneficial for English learners and students from low-income backgrounds who may have limited exposure to such experiences outside of school 2. Enhancing cultural awareness and broadening perspectives, particularly important for foster youth and students from diverse backgrounds	Metric 2.1 Attendance Rate, Metric 2.3 Student Survey, and Metric 3.2 Parent Survey will measure the effectiveness of this action.

Goal and Action #	Identified Need(s)	How the Action(s) Address Need(s) and Why it is Provided on an LEA-wide or Schoolwide Basis	Metric(s) to Monitor Effectiveness
	Identified Needs: 1. Real-world application of academic concepts 2. Cultural awareness and broadened perspectives 3. Increased student engagement and motivation 4. Social-emotional development and peer interaction 5. Exposure to career paths and higher education opportunities **Scope:** LEA-wide	3. Increasing student engagement and motivation across all subject areas, which can lead to improved academic performance 4. Offering opportunities for social-emotional development and peer interaction in new environments, crucial for building confidence and social skills 5. Exposing students to potential career paths and higher education opportunities, which is particularly valuable for unduplicated pupils who may have limited access to such information	
2.4	**Action:** Artist in the Classroom **Need:** All students including LI, FY, EL subgroups All students, particularly our unduplicated pupils (low-income, foster youth, and English learners), require access to comprehensive arts education to support their overall academic and personal development. Identified Needs: 1. Creative expression and critical thinking development 2. Alternative learning and communication modes 3. Increased student engagement and motivation 4. Social-emotional skill development	The Artist in the Classroom Program will involve students in the visual and performing arts to further enhance the educational program. Providing all students with an art and music program will create a robust learning environment where students feel connected to school and engaged, creating a positive school climate. Artist in the Classroom address this need by: 1. Enhancing creative expression and critical thinking skills 2. Providing alternative modes of learning and communication, especially beneficial fro English learners. 3. Boosting engagement and motivation across all subject areas. 4. Developing social-emotional skills through collaborative art projects. 5. Exposing students to diverse cultural perspectives and potential career paths in the arts.	Metric 2.1 Attendance Rate and Metric 2.3 Student Survey will measure the effectiveness of this action.

Goal and Action #	Identified Need(s)	How the Action(s) Address Need(s) and Why it is Provided on an LEA-wide or Schoolwide Basis	Metric(s) to Monitor Effectiveness
	5. Exposure to diverse cultures and art-related careers **Scope:** LEA-wide		

Limited Actions

For each action being solely provided to one or more unduplicated student group(s), provide an explanation of (1) the unique identified need(s) of the unduplicated student group(s) being served, (2) how the action is designed to address the identified need(s), and (3) how the effectiveness of the action in improving outcomes for the unduplicated student group(s) will be measured.

Goal and Action #	Identified Need(s)	How the Action(s) are Designed to Address Need(s)	Metric(s) to Monitor Effectiveness

For any limited action contributing to meeting the increased or improved services requirement that is associated with a Planned Percentage of Improved Services in the Contributing Summary Table rather than an expenditure of LCFF funds, describe the methodology that was used to determine the contribution of the action towards the proportional percentage, as applicable.

N/A

Additional Concentration Grant Funding

A description of the plan for how the additional concentration grant add-on funding identified above will be used to increase the number of staff providing direct services to students at schools that have a high concentration (above 55 percent) of foster youth, English learners, and low-income students, as applicable.

N/A

Staff-to-student ratios by type of school and concentration of unduplicated students	Schools with a student concentration of 55 percent or less	Schools with a student concentration of greater than 55 percent
Staff-to-student ratio of classified staff providing direct services to students	2:56	N/A
Staff-to-student ratio of certificated staff providing direct services to students	3:56	N/A

2024-25 Total Expenditures Table

LCAP Year	1. Projected LCFF Base Grant (Input Dollar Amount)	2. Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants (Input Dollar Amount)	3. Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year (2 divided by 1)	LCFF Carryover — Percentage (Input Percentage from Prior Year)	Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year (3 + Carryover %)
Totals	674421	18,381	2.725%	0.000%	2.725%

Totals	LCFF Funds	Other State Funds	Local Funds	Federal Funds	Total Funds	Total Personnel	Total Non-personnel
Totals	$38,648.00	$15,592.00	$0.00	$27,510.00	$81,750.00	$58,158.00	$23,592.00

Goal #	Action #	Action Title	Student Group(s)	Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?	Scope	Unduplicated Student Group(s)	Location	Time Span	Total Personnel	Total Non-personnel	LCFF Funds	Other State Funds	Local Funds	Federal Funds	Total Funds	Planned Percentage of Improved Services
1	1.1	Curriculum Materials	All	No			All Schools	2023-24	$0.00	$4,000.00	$0.00	$4,000.00	$0.00	$0.00	$4,000.00	
1	1.2	Supplementary Materials	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools		$0.00	$2,700.00	$2,700.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$2,700.00	
1	1.3	Professional Development	All	No			All Schools		$979.00	$7,541.00	$0.00	$7,541.00	$0.00	$979.00	$8,520.00	
1	1.4	Instructional Aides/Intervention Tutor	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools		$56,444.00	$0.00	$29,913.00	$0.00	$0.00	$26,531.00	$56,444.00	
2	2.1	Community Service Projects	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools		$0.00	$300.00	$300.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$300.00	
2	2.2	Field Trips/Assemblies	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools		$735.00	$4,500.00	$5,235.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$5,235.00	
2	2.3	Foster Youth Liaison	All	No			All Schools		$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	
2	2.4	Artist in the Classroom	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools		$0.00	$500.00	$500.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$500.00	
2	2.5	Social Emotional Support Specialist	All	No			All Schools		$0.00	$4,051.00		$4,051.00			$4,051.00	
3	3.1	Family Events	All	No			All Schools		$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	

2024-25 Contributing Actions Table

1. Projected LCFF Base Grant	2. Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants	3. Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year (2 divided by 1)	LCFF Carryover — Percentage (Percentage from Prior Year)	Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year (3 + Carryover %)	4. Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (LCFF Funds)	5. Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (%)	Planned Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year (4 divided by 1, plus 5)	Totals by Type	Total LCFF Funds
674421	18,381	2.725%	0.000%	2.725%	$38,648.00	0.000%	5.731 %	**Total:**	$38,648.00
								LEA-wide Total:	$38,648.00
								Limited Total:	$0.00
								Schoolwide Total:	$0.00

Goal	Action #	Action Title	Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?	Scope	Unduplicated Student Group(s)	Location	Planned Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds)	Planned Percentage of Improved Services (%)
1	1.2	Supplementary Materials	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	$2,700.00	
1	1.4	Instructional Aides/Intervention Tutor	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	$29,913.00	
2	2.1	Community Service Projects	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	$300.00	
2	2.2	Field Trips/Assemblies	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	$5,235.00	
2	2.4	Artist in the Classroom	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	$500.00	

2023-24 Annual Update Table

Totals	Last Year's Total Planned Expenditures (Total Funds)	Total Estimated Expenditures (Total Funds)
Totals	$77,160.00	$92,924.00

Last Year's Goal #	Last Year's Action #	Prior Action/Service Title	Contributed to Increased or Improved Services?	Last Year's Planned Expenditures (Total Funds)	Estimated Actual Expenditures (Input Total Funds)
1	1.1	Curriculum Materials	No	$3,500	$10,400
1	1.2	Supplementary Materials	Yes	$2,700.00	$2,419
1	1.3	Professional Development	No	$1,101	$1,747
1	1.4	Instructional Aides/Intervention Tutor	Yes	$58,157	$67,200
2	2.1	Community Service Projects	Yes	$300.00	$0
2	2.2	Field Trips/Assemblies	Yes	$4,500.00	$5,989
2	2.3	Foster Youth Liaison	No	$0.00	$0
2	2.4	Artist in the Classroom	Yes	$3,100.00	$0
2	2.5	Social Emotional Support Specialist	No	$3,802	$5,169
3	3.1	Family Events	No	$0.00	$0

2023-24 Contributing Actions Annual Update Table

6. Estimated LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants (Input Dollar Amount)	4. Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (LCFF Funds)	7. Total Estimated Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds)	Difference Between Planned and Estimated Expenditures for Contributing Actions (Subtract 7 from 4)	5. Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (%)	8. Total Estimated Percentage of Improved Services (%)	Difference Between Planned and Estimated Percentage of Improved Services (Subtract 5 from 8)
$16,036	$40,155.00	$36,934.00	$3,221.00	0.000%	0.000%	0.000%

Last Year's Goal #	Last Year's Action #	Prior Action/Service Title	Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?	Last Year's Planned Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds)	Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (Input LCFF Funds)	Planned Percentage of Improved Services	Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (Input Percentage)
1	1.2	Supplementary Materials	Yes	$2,700.00	$2,419		
1	1.4	Instructional Aides/Intervention Tutor	Yes	$29,555.00	$29,526		
2	2.1	Community Service Projects	Yes	$300.00	$0		
2	2.2	Field Trips/Assemblies	Yes	$4,500.00	$4,989		
2	2.4	Artist in the Classroom	Yes	$3,100.00	$0		

2023-24 LCFF Carryover Table

9. Estimated Actual LCFF Base Grant (Input Dollar Amount)	6. Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants	LCFF Carryover — Percentage (Percentage from Prior Year)	10. Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Current School Year (6 divided by 9 + Carryover %)	7. Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds)	8. Total Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (%)	11. Estimated Actual Percentage of Increased or Improved Services (7 divided by 9, plus 8)	12. LCFF Carryover — Dollar Amount (Subtract 11 from 10 and multiply by 9)	13. LCFF Carryover — Percentage (12 divided by 9)
664562	$16,036	0	2.413%	$36,934.00	0.000%	5.558%	$0.00	0.000%

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For additional questions or technical assistance related to the completion of the Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) template, please contact the local county office of education (COE), or the California Department of Education's (CDE's) Local Agency Systems Support Office, by phone at 916-319-0809 or by email at LCFF@cde.ca.gov.

Introduction and Instructions

The Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) requires local educational agencies (LEAs) to engage their local educational partners in an annual planning process to evaluate their progress within eight state priority areas encompassing all statutory metrics (COEs have 10 state priorities). LEAs document the results of this planning process in the LCAP using the template adopted by the State Board of Education.

The LCAP development process serves three distinct, but related functions:

- **Comprehensive Strategic Planning:** The process of developing and annually updating the LCAP supports comprehensive strategic planning, particularly to address and reduce disparities in opportunities and outcomes between student groups indicated by the California School Dashboard (California *Education Code* [*EC*] Section 52064[e][1]). Strategic planning that is comprehensive connects budgetary decisions to teaching and learning performance data. LEAs should continually evaluate the hard choices they make about the use of limited resources to meet student and community needs to ensure opportunities and outcomes are improved for all students.

- **Meaningful Engagement of Educational Partners:** The LCAP development process should result in an LCAP that reflects decisions made through meaningful engagement (*EC* Section 52064[e][1]). Local educational partners possess valuable perspectives and insights about an LEA's programs and services. Effective strategic planning will incorporate these perspectives and insights in order to identify potential goals and actions to be included in the LCAP.

- **Accountability and Compliance:** The LCAP serves an important accountability function because the nature of some LCAP template sections require LEAs to show that they have complied with various requirements specified in the LCFF statutes and regulations, most notably:

  - Demonstrating that LEAs are increasing or improving services for foster youth, English learners, including long-term English learners, and low-income students in proportion to the amount of additional funding those students generate under LCFF (*EC* Section 52064[b][4-6]).

  - Establishing goals, supported by actions and related expenditures, that address the statutory priority areas and statutory metrics (*EC* sections 52064[b][1] and [2]).

    - **NOTE:** As specified in *EC* Section 62064(b)(1), the LCAP must provide a description of the annual goals, for all pupils and each subgroup of pupils identified pursuant to *EC* Section 52052, to be achieved for each of the state priorities. Beginning in 2023–24, *EC*

Section 52052 identifies long-term English learners as a separate and distinct pupil subgroup with a numerical significance at 15 students.

    o   Annually reviewing and updating the LCAP to reflect progress toward the goals (*EC* Section 52064[b][7]).

    o   Ensuring that all increases attributable to supplemental and concentration grant calculations, including concentration grant add-on funding and/or LCFF carryover, are reflected in the LCAP (*EC* sections 52064[b][6], [8], and [11]).

The LCAP template, like each LEA's final adopted LCAP, is a document, not a process. LEAs must use the template to memorialize the outcome of their LCAP development process, which must: (a) reflect comprehensive strategic planning, particularly to address and reduce disparities in opportunities and outcomes between student groups indicated by the California School Dashboard (Dashboard), (b) through meaningful engagement with educational partners that (c) meets legal requirements, as reflected in the final adopted LCAP. The sections included within the LCAP template do not and cannot reflect the full development process, just as the LCAP template itself is not intended as a tool for engaging educational partners.

If a county superintendent of schools has jurisdiction over a single school district, the county board of education and the governing board of the school district may adopt and file for review and approval a single LCAP consistent with the requirements in *EC* sections 52060, 52062, 52066, 52068, and 52070. The LCAP must clearly articulate to which entity's budget (school district or county superintendent of schools) all budgeted and actual expenditures are aligned.

The revised LCAP template for the 2024–25, 2025–26, and 2026–27 school years reflects statutory changes made through Senate Bill 114 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review), Chapter 48, Statutes of 2023.

At its most basic, the adopted LCAP should attempt to distill not just what the LEA is doing for students in transitional kindergarten through grade twelve (TK–12), but also allow educational partners to understand why, and whether those strategies are leading to improved opportunities and outcomes for students. LEAs are strongly encouraged to use language and a level of detail in their adopted LCAPs intended to be meaningful and accessible for the LEA's diverse educational partners and the broader public.

In developing and finalizing the LCAP for adoption, LEAs are encouraged to keep the following overarching frame at the forefront of the strategic planning and educational partner engagement functions:

    Given present performance across the state priorities and on indicators in the Dashboard, how is the LEA using its budgetary resources to respond to TK–12 student and community needs, and address any performance gaps, including by meeting its obligation to increase or improve services for foster youth, English learners, and low-income students?

LEAs are encouraged to focus on a set of metrics and actions which, based on research, experience, and input gathered from educational partners, the LEA believes will have the biggest impact on behalf of its TK–12 students.

These instructions address the requirements for each section of the LCAP, but may include information about effective practices when developing the LCAP and completing the LCAP document. Additionally, the beginning of each template section includes information emphasizing the purpose that section serves.

Plan Summary

Purpose

A well-developed Plan Summary section provides a meaningful context for the LCAP. This section provides information about an LEA's community as well as relevant information about student needs and performance. In order to present a meaningful context for the rest of the LCAP, the content of this section should be clearly and meaningfully related to the content included throughout each subsequent section of the LCAP.

Requirements and Instructions

General Information

A description of the LEA, its schools, and its students in grades transitional kindergarten–12, as applicable to the LEA.

Briefly describe the LEA, its schools, and its students in grades TK–12, as applicable to the LEA.

- For example, information about an LEA in terms of geography, enrollment, employment, the number and size of specific schools, recent community challenges, and other such information the LEA may wish to include can enable a reader to more fully understand the LEA's LCAP.

- As part of this response, identify all schools within the LEA receiving Equity Multiplier funding.

Reflections: Annual Performance

A reflection on annual performance based on a review of the California School Dashboard (Dashboard) and local data.

Reflect on the LEA's annual performance on the Dashboard and local data. This may include both successes and challenges identified by the LEA during the development process.

LEAs are encouraged to highlight how they are addressing the identified needs of student groups, and/or schools within the LCAP as part of this response.

As part of this response, the LEA must identify the following, which will remain unchanged during the three-year LCAP cycle:

- Any school within the LEA that received the lowest performance level on one or more state indicators on the 2023 Dashboard;

- Any student group within the LEA that received the lowest performance level on one or more state indicators on the 2023 Dashboard; and/or

- Any student group within a school within the LEA that received the lowest performance level on one or more state indicators on the 2023 Dashboard.

Reflections: Technical Assistance

As applicable, a summary of the work underway as part of technical assistance.

Annually identify the reason(s) the LEA is eligible for or has requested technical assistance consistent with *EC* sections 47607.3, 52071, 52071.5, 52072, or 52072.5, and provide a summary of the work underway as part of receiving technical assistance. The most common form of this technical assistance is frequently referred to as Differentiated Assistance, however this also includes LEAs that have requested technical assistance from their COE.

- If the LEA is not eligible for or receiving technical assistance, the LEA may respond to this prompt as "Not Applicable."

Comprehensive Support and Improvement
An LEA with a school or schools identified for comprehensive support and improvement (CSI) under the Every Student Succeeds Act must respond to the following prompts:

Schools Identified

A list of the schools in the LEA that are eligible for comprehensive support and improvement.

- Identify the schools within the LEA that have been identified for CSI.

Support for Identified Schools

A description of how the LEA has or will support its eligible schools in developing comprehensive support and improvement plans.

- Describe how the LEA has or will support the identified schools in developing CSI plans that included a school-level needs assessment, evidence-based interventions, and the identification of any resource inequities to be addressed through the implementation of the CSI plan.

Monitoring and Evaluating Effectiveness

A description of how the LEA will monitor and evaluate the plan to support student and school improvement.

- Describe how the LEA will monitor and evaluate the implementation and effectiveness of the CSI plan to support student and school improvement.

Engaging Educational Partners

Purpose

Significant and purposeful engagement of parents, students, educators, and other educational partners, including those representing the student groups identified by LCFF, is critical to the development of the LCAP and the budget process. Consistent with statute, such engagement should support comprehensive strategic planning, particularly to address and reduce disparities in opportunities and outcomes between student groups indicated by the Dashboard, accountability, and improvement across the state priorities and locally identified priorities (*EC* Section 52064[e][1]). Engagement of educational partners is an ongoing, annual process.

This section is designed to reflect how the engagement of educational partners influenced the decisions reflected in the adopted LCAP. The goal is to allow educational partners that participated in the LCAP development process and the broader public to understand how the LEA engaged educational partners and the impact of that engagement. LEAs are encouraged to keep this goal in the forefront when completing this section.

Requirements

School districts and COEs: *EC* sections [52060(g) (California Legislative Information)](#) and [52066(g) (California Legislative Information)](#) specify the educational partners that must be consulted when developing the LCAP:

- Teachers,
- Principals,
- Administrators,
- Other school personnel,
- Local bargaining units of the LEA,
- Parents, and
- Students

A school district or COE receiving Equity Multiplier funds must also consult with educational partners at schools generating Equity Multiplier funds in the development of the LCAP, specifically, in the development of the required focus goal for each applicable school.

Before adopting the LCAP, school districts and COEs must share it with the applicable committees, as identified below under Requirements and Instructions. The superintendent is required by statute to respond in writing to the comments received from these committees. School districts and COEs must also consult with the special education local plan area administrator(s) when developing the LCAP.

Charter schools: *EC* Section [47606.5(d) (California Legislative Information)](#) requires that the following educational partners be consulted with when developing the LCAP:

- Teachers,
- Principals,
- Administrators,
- Other school personnel,
- Parents, and
- Students

A charter school receiving Equity Multiplier funds must also consult with educational partners at the school generating Equity Multiplier funds in the development of the LCAP, specifically, in the development of the required focus goal for the school.

The LCAP should also be shared with, and LEAs should request input from, schoolsite-level advisory groups, as applicable (e.g., schoolsite councils, English Learner Advisory Councils, student advisory groups, etc.), to facilitate alignment between schoolsite and district-level goals. Information and resources that support effective engagement, define student consultation, and provide the requirements for advisory group composition, can be found under Resources on the [CDE's LCAP webpage](#).

Before the governing board/body of an LEA considers the adoption of the LCAP, the LEA must meet the following legal requirements:

- For school districts, see [Education Code Section 52062 (California Legislative Information)](#);

  - **Note:** Charter schools using the LCAP as the School Plan for Student Achievement must meet the requirements of *EC* Section 52062(a).

- For COEs, see Education Code Section 52068 (California Legislative Information); and

- For charter schools, see Education Code Section 47606.5 (California Legislative Information).

- **NOTE:** As a reminder, the superintendent of a school district or COE must respond, in writing, to comments received by the applicable committees identified in the *Education Code* sections listed above. This includes the parent advisory committee and may include the English learner parent advisory committee and, as of July 1, 2024, the student advisory committee, as applicable.

Instructions

Respond to the prompts as follows:

A summary of the process used to engage educational partners in the development of the LCAP.

School districts and county offices of education must, at a minimum, consult with teachers, principals, administrators, other school personnel, local bargaining units, parents, and students in the development of the LCAP.

Charter schools must, at a minimum, consult with teachers, principals, administrators, other school personnel, parents, and students in the development of the LCAP.

An LEA receiving Equity Multiplier funds must also consult with educational partners at schools generating Equity Multiplier funds in the development of the LCAP, specifically, in the development of the required focus goal for each applicable school.

Complete the table as follows:

Educational Partners

Identify the applicable educational partner(s) or group(s) that were engaged in the development of the LCAP.

Process for Engagement

Describe the engagement process used by the LEA to involve the identified educational partner(s) in the development of the LCAP. At a minimum, the LEA must describe how it met its obligation to consult with all statutorily required educational partners, as applicable to the type of LEA.

- A sufficient response to this prompt must include general information about the timeline of the process and meetings or other engagement strategies with educational partners. A response may also include information about an LEA's philosophical approach to engaging its educational partners.

- An LEA receiving Equity Multiplier funds must also include a summary of how it consulted with educational partners at schools generating Equity Multiplier funds in the development of the LCAP, specifically, in the development of the required focus goal for each applicable school.

A description of how the adopted LCAP was influenced by the feedback provided by educational partners.

Describe any goals, metrics, actions, or budgeted expenditures in the LCAP that were influenced by or developed in response to the educational partner feedback.

- A sufficient response to this prompt will provide educational partners and the public with clear, specific information about how the engagement process influenced the development of the LCAP. This may include a description of how the LEA prioritized requests of educational partners within the context of the budgetary resources available or otherwise prioritized areas of focus within the LCAP.

- An LEA receiving Equity Multiplier funds must include a description of how the consultation with educational partners at schools generating Equity Multiplier funds influenced the development of the adopted LCAP.

- For the purposes of this prompt, this may also include, but is not necessarily limited to:

  - Inclusion of a goal or decision to pursue a Focus Goal (as described below)
  - Inclusion of metrics other than the statutorily required metrics
  - Determination of the target outcome on one or more metrics
  - Inclusion of performance by one or more student groups in the Measuring and Reporting Results subsection
  - Inclusion of action(s) or a group of actions
  - Elimination of action(s) or group of actions
  - Changes to the level of proposed expenditures for one or more actions
  - Inclusion of action(s) as contributing to increased or improved services for unduplicated students
  - Analysis of effectiveness of the specific actions to achieve the goal
  - Analysis of material differences in expenditures
  - Analysis of changes made to a goal for the ensuing LCAP year based on the annual update process
  - Analysis of challenges or successes in the implementation of actions

Goals and Actions

Purpose

Well-developed goals will clearly communicate to educational partners what the LEA plans to accomplish, what the LEA plans to do in order to accomplish the goal, and how the LEA will know when it has accomplished the goal. A goal statement, associated metrics and expected outcomes, and the actions included in the goal must be in alignment. The explanation for why the LEA included a goal is an opportunity for LEAs to clearly communicate to educational partners and the public why, among the various strengths and areas for improvement highlighted by performance data and strategies and actions that could be pursued, the LEA decided to pursue this goal, and the related metrics, expected outcomes, actions, and expenditures.

A well-developed goal can be focused on the performance relative to a metric or metrics for all students, a specific student group(s), narrowing performance gaps, or implementing programs or strategies expected to impact outcomes. LEAs should assess the performance of their student groups when developing goals and the related actions to achieve such goals.

Requirements and Instructions

LEAs should prioritize the goals, specific actions, and related expenditures included within the LCAP within one or more state priorities. LEAs must consider performance on the state and local indicators, including their locally collected and reported data for the local indicators that are included in the Dashboard, in determining whether and how to prioritize its goals within the LCAP. As previously stated, strategic planning that

is comprehensive connects budgetary decisions to teaching and learning performance data. LEAs should continually evaluate the hard choices they make about the use of limited resources to meet student and community needs to ensure opportunities and outcomes are improved for all students, and to address and reduce disparities in opportunities and outcomes between student groups indicated by the Dashboard.

In order to support prioritization of goals, the LCAP template provides LEAs with the option of developing three different kinds of goals:

- Focus Goal: A Focus Goal is relatively more concentrated in scope and may focus on a fewer number of metrics to measure improvement. A Focus Goal statement will be time bound and make clear how the goal is to be measured.

  - All Equity Multiplier goals must be developed as focus goals. For additional information, see Required Focus Goal(s) for LEAs Receiving Equity Multiplier Funding below.

- Broad Goal: A Broad Goal is relatively less concentrated in its scope and may focus on improving performance across a wide range of metrics.

- Maintenance of Progress Goal: A Maintenance of Progress Goal includes actions that may be ongoing without significant changes and allows an LEA to track performance on any metrics not addressed in the other goals of the LCAP.

Requirement to Address the LCFF State Priorities

At a minimum, the LCAP must address all LCFF priorities and associated metrics articulated in *EC* sections 52060(d) and 52066(d), as applicable to the LEA. The LCFF State Priorities Summary provides a summary of *EC* sections 52060(d) and 52066(d) to aid in the development of the LCAP.

Respond to the following prompts, as applicable:

Focus Goal(s)
Description

The description provided for a Focus Goal must be specific, measurable, and time bound.

- An LEA develops a Focus Goal to address areas of need that may require or benefit from a more specific and data intensive approach.

- The Focus Goal can explicitly reference the metric(s) by which achievement of the goal will be measured and the time frame according to which the LEA expects to achieve the goal.

Type of Goal

Identify the type of goal being implemented as a Focus Goal.

State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Identify each of the state priorities that this goal is intended to address.

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

Explain why the LEA has chosen to prioritize this goal.

- An explanation must be based on Dashboard data or other locally collected data.

- LEAs must describe how the LEA identified this goal for focused attention, including relevant consultation with educational partners.

- LEAs are encouraged to promote transparency and understanding around the decision to pursue a focus goal.

Required Focus Goal(s) for LEAs Receiving Equity Multiplier Funding
Description

LEAs receiving Equity Multiplier funding must include one or more focus goals for each school generating Equity Multiplier funding. In addition to addressing the focus goal requirements described above, LEAs must adhere to the following requirements.

Focus goals for Equity Multiplier schoolsites must address the following:

(A) All student groups that have the lowest performance level on one or more state indicators on the Dashboard, and

(B) Any underlying issues in the credentialing, subject matter preparation, and retention of the school's educators, if applicable.

- Focus Goals for each and every Equity Multiplier schoolsite must identify specific metrics for each identified student group, as applicable.

- An LEA may create a single goal for multiple Equity Multiplier schoolsites if those schoolsites have the same student group(s) performing at the lowest performance level on one or more state indicators on the Dashboard or, experience similar issues in the credentialing, subject matter preparation, and retention of the school's educators.

  o When creating a single goal for multiple Equity Multiplier schoolsites, the goal must identify the student groups and the performance levels on the Dashboard that the Focus Goal is addressing; or,

  o The common issues the schoolsites are experiencing in credentialing, subject matter preparation, and retention of the school's educators, if applicable.

Type of Goal

Identify the type of goal being implemented as an Equity Multiplier Focus Goal.

State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Identify each of the state priorities that this goal is intended to address.

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

Explain why the LEA has chosen to prioritize this goal.

- An explanation must be based on Dashboard data or other locally collected data.

- LEAs must describe how the LEA identified this goal for focused attention, including relevant consultation with educational partners.

- LEAs are encouraged to promote transparency and understanding around the decision to pursue a focus goal.

- In addition to this information, the LEA must also identify:

    o   The school or schools to which the goal applies

LEAs are encouraged to approach an Equity Multiplier goal from a wholistic standpoint, considering how the goal might maximize student outcomes through the use of LCFF and other funding in addition to Equity Multiplier funds.

- Equity Multiplier funds must be used to supplement, not supplant, funding provided to Equity Multiplier schoolsites for purposes of the LCFF, the Expanded Learning Opportunities Program (ELO-P), the Literacy Coaches and Reading Specialists (LCRS) Grant Program, and/or the California Community Schools Partnership Program (CCSPP).

- This means that Equity Multiplier funds must not be used to replace funding that an Equity Multiplier schoolsite would otherwise receive to implement LEA-wide actions identified in the LCAP or that an Equity Multiplier schoolsite would otherwise receive to implement provisions of the ELO-P, the LCRS, and/or the CCSPP.

Note: *EC* Section 42238.024(b)(1) (California Legislative Information) requires that Equity Multiplier funds be used for the provision of evidence-based services and supports for students. Evidence-based services and supports are based on objective evidence that has informed the design of the service or support and/or guides the modification of those services and supports. Evidence-based supports and strategies are most commonly based on educational research and/or metrics of LEA, school, and/or student performance.

Broad Goal
Description

Describe what the LEA plans to achieve through the actions included in the goal.

- The description of a broad goal will be clearly aligned with the expected measurable outcomes included for the goal.

- The goal description organizes the actions and expected outcomes in a cohesive and consistent manner.

- A goal description is specific enough to be measurable in either quantitative or qualitative terms. A broad goal is not as specific as a focus goal. While it is specific enough to be measurable, there are many different metrics for measuring progress toward the goal.

Type of Goal

Identify the type of goal being implemented as a Broad Goal.

State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Identify each of the state priorities that this goal is intended to address.

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

Explain why the LEA developed this goal and how the actions and metrics grouped together will help achieve the goal.

Maintenance of Progress Goal
Description

Describe how the LEA intends to maintain the progress made in the LCFF State Priorities not addressed by the other goals in the LCAP.

- Use this type of goal to address the state priorities and applicable metrics not addressed within the other goals in the LCAP.

- The state priorities and metrics to be addressed in this section are those for which the LEA, in consultation with educational partners, has determined to maintain actions and monitor progress while focusing implementation efforts on the actions covered by other goals in the LCAP.

Type of Goal

Identify the type of goal being implemented as a Maintenance of Progress Goal.

State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Identify each of the state priorities that this goal is intended to address.

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

Explain how the actions will sustain the progress exemplified by the related metrics.

Measuring and Reporting Results:
For each LCAP year, identify the metric(s) that the LEA will use to track progress toward the expected outcomes.

- LEAs must identify metrics for specific student groups, as appropriate, including expected outcomes that address and reduce disparities in outcomes between student groups.

- The metrics may be quantitative or qualitative; but at minimum, an LEA's LCAP must include goals that are measured using all of the applicable metrics for the related state priorities, in each LCAP year, as applicable to the type of LEA.

- To the extent a state priority does not specify one or more metrics (e.g., implementation of state academic content and performance standards), the LEA must identify a metric to use within the LCAP. For these state priorities, LEAs are encouraged to use metrics based on or reported through the relevant local indicator self-reflection tools within the Dashboard.

- **Required metrics for LEA-wide actions:** For each action identified as 1) contributing towards the requirement to increase or improve services for foster youth, English learners, including long-term English learners, and low-income students and 2) being provided on an LEA-wide basis, the LEA must identify one or more metrics to monitor the effectiveness of the action and its budgeted expenditures.

  o These required metrics may be identified within the action description or the first prompt in the increased or improved services section, however the description must clearly identify the metric(s) being used to monitor the effectiveness of the action and the action(s) that the metric(s) apply to.

- **Required metrics for Equity Multiplier goals**: For each Equity Multiplier goal, the LEA must identify:

  o The specific metrics for each identified student group at each specific schoolsite, as applicable, to measure the progress toward the goal, and/or

  o The specific metrics used to measure progress in meeting the goal related to credentialing, subject matter preparation, or educator retention at each specific schoolsite.

Complete the table as follows:

Metric

- Enter the metric number.

Metric

- Identify the standard of measure being used to determine progress towards the goal and/or to measure the effectiveness of one or more actions associated with the goal.

Baseline

- Enter the baseline when completing the LCAP for 2024–25.

  o Use the most recent data associated with the metric available at the time of adoption of the LCAP for the first year of the three-year plan. LEAs may use data as reported on the 2023 Dashboard for the baseline of a metric only if that data represents the most recent available data (e.g., high school graduation rate).

  o Using the most recent data available may involve reviewing data the LEA is preparing for submission to the California Longitudinal Pupil Achievement Data System (CALPADS) or data that the LEA has recently submitted to CALPADS.

  o Indicate the school year to which the baseline data applies.

  o The baseline data must remain unchanged throughout the three-year LCAP.

    ▪ This requirement is not intended to prevent LEAs from revising the baseline data if it is necessary to do so. For example, if an LEA identifies that its data collection practices for a particular metric are leading to inaccurate data and revises its practice to obtain

accurate data, it would also be appropriate for the LEA to revise the baseline data to align with the more accurate data process and report its results using the accurate data.

- If an LEA chooses to revise its baseline data, then, at a minimum, it must clearly identify the change as part of its response to the description of changes prompt in the Goal Analysis for the goal. LEAs are also strongly encouraged to involve their educational partners in the decision of whether or not to revise a baseline and to communicate the proposed change to their educational partners.

  o Note for Charter Schools: Charter schools developing a one- or two-year LCAP may identify a new baseline each year, as applicable.

Year 1 Outcome

- When completing the LCAP for 2025–26, enter the most recent data available. Indicate the school year to which the data applies.

  o Note for Charter Schools: Charter schools developing a one-year LCAP may provide the Year 1 Outcome when completing the LCAP for both 2025–26 and 2026–27 or may provide the Year 1 Outcome for 2025–26 and provide the Year 2 Outcome for 2026–27.

Year 2 Outcome

- When completing the LCAP for 2026–27, enter the most recent data available. Indicate the school year to which the data applies.

  o Note for Charter Schools: Charter schools developing a one-year LCAP may identify the Year 2 Outcome as not applicable when completing the LCAP for 2026–27 or may provide the Year 2 Outcome for 2026–27.

Target for Year 3 Outcome

- When completing the first year of the LCAP, enter the target outcome for the relevant metric the LEA expects to achieve by the end of the three-year LCAP cycle.

  o Note for Charter Schools: Charter schools developing a one- or two-year LCAP may identify a Target for Year 1 or Target for Year 2, as applicable.

Current Difference from Baseline

- When completing the LCAP for 2025–26 and 2026–27, enter the current difference between the baseline and the yearly outcome, as applicable.

  o Note for Charter Schools: Charter schools developing a one- or two-year LCAP will identify the current difference between the baseline and the yearly outcome for Year 1 and/or the current difference between the baseline and the yearly outcome for Year 2, as applicable.

Timeline for school districts and COEs for completing the "**Measuring and Reporting Results**" part of the Goal.

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for **2024–25** or when adding a new metric.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for **2024–25** or when adding a new metric.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for **2025–26**. Leave blank until then.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for **2026–27**. Leave blank until then.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for **2024–25** or when adding a new metric.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for **2025–26** and **2026–27**. Leave blank until then.

Goal Analysis:

Enter the LCAP Year.

Using actual annual measurable outcome data, including data from the Dashboard, analyze whether the planned actions were effective towards achieving the goal. "Effective" means the degree to which the planned actions were successful in producing the target result. Respond to the prompts as instructed.

Note: When completing the 2024–25 LCAP, use the 2023–24 Local Control and Accountability Plan Annual Update template to complete the Goal Analysis and identify the Goal Analysis prompts in the 2024–25 LCAP as "Not Applicable."

A description of overall implementation, including any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions, and any relevant challenges and successes experienced with implementation.

- Describe the overall implementation of the actions to achieve the articulated goal, including relevant challenges and successes experienced with implementation.

    o Include a discussion of relevant challenges and successes experienced with the implementation process.

    o This discussion must include any instance where the LEA did not implement a planned action or implemented a planned action in a manner that differs substantively from how it was described in the adopted LCAP.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

- Explain material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and between the Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services, as applicable. Minor variances in expenditures or percentages do not need to be addressed, and a dollar-for-dollar accounting is not required.

A description of the effectiveness or ineffectiveness of the specific actions to date in making progress toward the goal.

- Describe the effectiveness or ineffectiveness of the specific actions to date in making progress toward the goal. "Effectiveness" means the degree to which the actions were successful in producing the target result and "ineffectiveness" means that the actions did not produce any significant or targeted result.

    o In some cases, not all actions in a goal will be intended to improve performance on all of the metrics associated with the goal.

    o When responding to this prompt, LEAs may assess the effectiveness of a single action or group of actions within the goal in the context of performance on a single metric or group of specific metrics within the goal that are applicable to the action(s). Grouping actions with metrics will allow for more robust analysis of whether the strategy the LEA is using to impact a specified set of metrics is working and increase transparency for educational partners. LEAs are encouraged to use such an approach when goals include multiple actions and metrics that are not closely associated.

    o Beginning with the development of the 2024–25 LCAP, the LEA must change actions that have not proven effective over a three-year period.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, target outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

- Describe any changes made to this goal, expected outcomes, metrics, or actions to achieve this goal as a result of this analysis and analysis of the data provided in the Dashboard or other local data, as applicable.

    o As noted above, beginning with the development of the 2024–25 LCAP, the LEA must change actions that have not proven effective over a three-year period. For actions that have been identified as ineffective, the LEA must identify the ineffective action and must include a description of the following:

        ▪ The reasons for the ineffectiveness, and

        ▪ How changes to the action will result in a new or strengthened approach.

Actions:
Complete the table as follows. Add additional rows as necessary.

Action #

- Enter the action number.

Title

- Provide a short title for the action. This title will also appear in the action tables.

Description

- Provide a brief description of the action.

o   For actions that contribute to meeting the increased or improved services requirement, the LEA may include an explanation of how each action is principally directed towards and effective in meeting the LEA's goals for unduplicated students, as described in the instructions for the Increased or Improved Services for Foster Youth, English Learners, and Low-Income Students section.

o   As previously noted, for each action identified as 1) contributing towards the requirement to increase or improve services for foster youth, English learners, including long-term English learners, and low-income students and 2) being provided on an LEA-wide basis, the LEA must identify one or more metrics to monitor the effectiveness of the action and its budgeted expenditures.

o   These required metrics may be identified within the action description or the first prompt in the increased or improved services section; however, the description must clearly identify the metric(s) being used to monitor the effectiveness of the action and the action(s) that the metric(s) apply to.

Total Funds

- Enter the total amount of expenditures associated with this action. Budgeted expenditures from specific fund sources will be provided in the action tables.

Contributing

- Indicate whether the action contributes to meeting the increased or improved services requirement as described in the Increased or Improved Services section using a "Y" for Yes or an "N" for No.

    o   **Note:** for each such contributing action, the LEA will need to provide additional information in the Increased or Improved Services section to address the requirements in *California Code of Regulations*, Title 5 [5 *CCR*] Section 15496 in the Increased or Improved Services section of the LCAP.

Actions for Foster Youth: School districts, COEs, and charter schools that have a numerically significant foster youth student subgroup are encouraged to include specific actions in the LCAP designed to meet needs specific to foster youth students.

Required Actions
- LEAs with 30 or more English learners and/or 15 or more long-term English learners must include specific actions in the LCAP related to, at a minimum:

    o   Language acquisition programs, as defined in *EC* Section 306, provided to students, and

    o   Professional development for teachers.

    o   If an LEA has both 30 or more English learners and 15 or more long-term English learners, the LEA must include actions for both English learners and long-term English learners.

- LEAs eligible for technical assistance pursuant to *EC* sections 47607.3, 52071, 52071.5, 52072, or 52072.5, must include specific actions within the LCAP related to its implementation of the work underway as part of technical assistance. The most common form of this technical assistance is frequently referred to as Differentiated Assistance.

- LEAs that have Red Dashboard indicators for (1) a school within the LEA, (2) a student group within the LEA, and/or (3) a student group within any school within the LEA must include one or more specific actions within the LCAP:

  o The specific action(s) must be directed towards the identified student group(s) and/or school(s) and must address the identified state indicator(s) for which the student group or school received the lowest performance level on the 2023 Dashboard. Each student group and/or school that receives the lowest performance level on the 2023 Dashboard must be addressed by one or more actions.

  o These required actions will be effective for the three-year LCAP cycle.

Increased or Improved Services for Foster Youth, English Learners, and Low-Income Students

Purpose

A well-written Increased or Improved Services section provides educational partners with a comprehensive description, within a single dedicated section, of how an LEA plans to increase or improve services for its unduplicated students as defined in *EC* Section 42238.02 in grades TK–12 as compared to all students in grades TK–12, as applicable, and how LEA-wide or schoolwide actions identified for this purpose meet regulatory requirements. Descriptions provided should include sufficient detail yet be sufficiently succinct to promote a broader understanding of educational partners to facilitate their ability to provide input. An LEA's description in this section must align with the actions included in the Goals and Actions section as contributing.

Please Note: For the purpose of meeting the Increased or Improved Services requirement and consistent with *EC* Section 42238.02, long-term English learners are included in the English learner student group.

Statutory Requirements

An LEA is required to demonstrate in its LCAP how it is increasing or improving services for its students who are foster youth, English learners, and/or low-income, collectively referred to as unduplicated students, as compared to the services provided to all students in proportion to the increase in funding it receives based on the number and concentration of unduplicated students in the LEA (*EC* Section 42238.07[a][1], *EC* Section 52064[b][8][B]; 5 *CCR* Section 15496[a]). This proportionality percentage is also known as the "minimum proportionality percentage" or "MPP." The manner in which an LEA demonstrates it is meeting its MPP is two-fold: (1) through the expenditure of LCFF funds or through the identification of a Planned Percentage of Improved Services as documented in the Contributing Actions Table, and (2) through the explanations provided in the Increased or Improved Services for Foster Youth, English Learners, and Low-Income Students section.

To improve services means to grow services in quality and to increase services means to grow services in quantity. Services are increased or improved by those actions in the LCAP that are identified in the Goals and Actions section as contributing to the increased or improved services requirement, whether they are provided across the entire LEA (LEA-wide action), provided to an entire school (Schoolwide action), or solely provided to one or more unduplicated student group(s) (Limited action).

Therefore, for *any* action contributing to meet the increased or improved services requirement, the LEA must include an explanation of:

- How the action is increasing or improving services for the unduplicated student group(s) (Identified Needs and Action Design), and
- How the action meets the LEA's goals for its unduplicated pupils in the state and any local priority areas (Measurement of Effectiveness).

LEA-wide and Schoolwide Actions

In addition to the above required explanations, LEAs must provide a justification for why an LEA-wide or Schoolwide action is being provided to all students and how the action is intended to improve outcomes for unduplicated student group(s) as compared to all students.

- Conclusory statements that a service will help achieve an expected outcome for the goal, without an explicit connection or further explanation as to how, are not sufficient.

- Further, simply stating that an LEA has a high enrollment percentage of a specific student group or groups does not meet the increased or improved services standard because enrolling students is not the same as serving students.

For School Districts Only

Actions provided on an **LEA-wide** basis at **school districts with an unduplicated pupil percentage of less than 55 percent** must also include a description of how the actions are the most effective use of the funds to meet the district's goals for its unduplicated pupils in the state and any local priority areas. The description must provide the basis for this determination, including any alternatives considered, supporting research, experience, or educational theory.

Actions provided on a **Schoolwide** basis for **schools with less than 40 percent enrollment of unduplicated pupils** must also include a description of how these actions are the most effective use of the funds to meet the district's goals for its unduplicated pupils in the state and any local priority areas. The description must provide the basis for this determination, including any alternatives considered, supporting research, experience, or educational theory.

Requirements and Instructions

Complete the tables as follows:

Total Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants

- Specify the amount of LCFF supplemental and concentration grant funds the LEA estimates it will receive in the coming year based on the number and concentration of foster youth, English learner, and low-income students. This amount includes the Additional 15 percent LCFF Concentration Grant.

Projected Additional 15 percent LCFF Concentration Grant

- Specify the amount of additional LCFF concentration grant add-on funding, as described in *EC* Section 42238.02, that the LEA estimates it will receive in the coming year.

Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year

- Specify the estimated percentage by which services for unduplicated pupils must be increased or improved as compared to the services provided to all students in the LCAP year as calculated pursuant to 5 *CCR* Section 15496(a)(7).

LCFF Carryover — Percentage

- Specify the LCFF Carryover — Percentage identified in the LCFF Carryover Table. If a carryover percentage is not identified in the LCFF Carryover Table, specify a percentage of zero (0.00%).

LCFF Carryover — Dollar

- Specify the LCFF Carryover — Dollar amount identified in the LCFF Carryover Table. If a carryover amount is not identified in the LCFF Carryover Table, specify an amount of zero ($0).

Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year

- Add the Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year and the Proportional LCFF Required Carryover Percentage and specify the percentage. This is the LEA's percentage by which services for unduplicated pupils must be increased or improved as compared to the services provided to all students in the LCAP year, as calculated pursuant to 5 *CCR* Section 15496(a)(7).

Required Descriptions:

LEA-wide and Schoolwide Actions

For each action being provided to an entire LEA or school, provide an explanation of (1) the unique identified need(s) of the unduplicated student group(s) for whom the action is principally directed, (2) how the action is designed to address the identified need(s) and why it is being provided on an LEA or schoolwide basis, and (3) the metric(s) used to measure the effectiveness of the action in improving outcomes for the unduplicated student group(s).

If the LEA has provided this required description in the Action Descriptions, state as such within the table.

Complete the table as follows:

Identified Need(s)

Provide an explanation of the unique identified need(s) of the LEA's unduplicated student group(s) for whom the action is principally directed.

An LEA demonstrates how an action is principally directed towards an unduplicated student group(s) when the LEA explains the need(s), condition(s), or circumstance(s) of the unduplicated student group(s) identified through a needs assessment and how the action addresses them. A meaningful needs assessment includes, at a minimum, analysis of applicable student achievement data and educational partner feedback.

How the Action(s) are Designed to Address Need(s) and Why it is Provided on an LEA-wide or Schoolwide Basis

Provide an explanation of how the action as designed will address the unique identified need(s) of the LEA's unduplicated student group(s) for whom the action is principally directed and the rationale for why the action is being provided on an LEA-wide or schoolwide basis.

- As stated above, conclusory statements that a service will help achieve an expected outcome for the goal, without an explicit connection or further explanation as to how, are not sufficient.

- Further, simply stating that an LEA has a high enrollment percentage of a specific student group or groups does not meet the increased or improved services standard because enrolling students is not the same as serving students.

Metric(s) to Monitor Effectiveness

Identify the metric(s) being used to measure the progress and effectiveness of the action(s).

Note for COEs and Charter Schools: In the case of COEs and charter schools, schoolwide and LEA-wide are considered to be synonymous.

Limited Actions

For each action being solely provided to one or more unduplicated student group(s), provide an explanation of (1) the unique identified need(s) of the unduplicated student group(s) being served, (2) how the action is designed to address the identified need(s), and (3) how the effectiveness of the action in improving outcomes for the unduplicated student group(s) will be measured.

If the LEA has provided the required descriptions in the Action Descriptions, state as such.

Complete the table as follows:

Identified Need(s)

Provide an explanation of the unique need(s) of the unduplicated student group(s) being served identified through the LEA's needs assessment. A meaningful needs assessment includes, at a minimum, analysis of applicable student achievement data and educational partner feedback.

How the Action(s) are Designed to Address Need(s)

Provide an explanation of how the action is designed to address the unique identified need(s) of the unduplicated student group(s) being served.

Metric(s) to Monitor Effectiveness

Identify the metric(s) being used to measure the progress and effectiveness of the action(s).

For any limited action contributing to meeting the increased or improved services requirement that is associated with a Planned Percentage of Improved Services in the Contributing Summary Table rather than an expenditure of LCFF funds, describe the methodology that was used to determine the contribution of the action towards the proportional percentage, as applicable.

- For each action with an identified Planned Percentage of Improved Services, identify the goal and action number and describe the methodology that was used.

- When identifying a Planned Percentage of Improved Services, the LEA must describe the methodology that it used to determine the contribution of the action towards the proportional percentage. The percentage of improved services for an action corresponds to the amount of LCFF funding that the LEA estimates it would expend to implement the action if it were funded.

- For example, an LEA determines that there is a need to analyze data to ensure that instructional aides and expanded learning providers know what targeted supports to provide to students who are foster youth. The LEA could implement this action by hiring additional staff to collect and analyze data and to coordinate supports for students, which, based on the LEA's current pay scale, the LEA estimates would cost $165,000. Instead, the LEA chooses to utilize a portion of existing staff time to analyze data relating to students who are foster youth. This analysis will then be shared with site principals who will use the data to coordinate services provided by instructional assistants and expanded learning providers to target support to students. In this example, the LEA would divide the estimated cost of $165,000 by the amount of LCFF Funding identified in the Total Planned Expenditures Table and then convert the quotient to a percentage. This percentage is the Planned Percentage of Improved Services for the action.

Additional Concentration Grant Funding

A description of the plan for how the additional concentration grant add-on funding identified above will be used to increase the number of staff providing direct services to students at schools that have a high concentration (above 55 percent) of foster youth, English learners, and low-income students, as applicable.

An LEA that receives the additional concentration grant add-on described in *EC* Section 42238.02 is required to demonstrate how it is using these funds to increase the number of staff who provide direct services to students at schools with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent as compared to the number of staff who provide direct services to students at schools with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is equal to or less than 55 percent. The staff who provide direct services to students must be certificated staff and/or classified staff employed by the LEA; classified staff includes custodial staff.

Provide the following descriptions, as applicable to the LEA:

- An LEA that does not receive a concentration grant or the concentration grant add-on must indicate that a response to this prompt is not applicable.

- Identify the goal and action numbers of the actions in the LCAP that the LEA is implementing to meet the requirement to increase the number of staff who provide direct services to students at schools with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent.

- An LEA that does not have comparison schools from which to describe how it is using the concentration grant add-on funds, such as a single-school LEA or an LEA that only has schools with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent, must describe how it is using the funds to increase the number of credentialed staff, classified staff, or both, including custodial staff, who provide direct services to students at selected schools and the criteria used to determine which schools require additional staffing support.

- In the event that an additional concentration grant add-on is not sufficient to increase staff providing direct services to students at a school with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent, the LEA must describe how it is using the funds to retain staff providing direct services to students at a school with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent.

Complete the table as follows:

- Provide the staff-to-student ratio of classified staff providing direct services to students with a concentration of unduplicated students that is 55 percent or less and the staff-to-student ratio of classified staff providing direct services to students at schools with a concentration of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent, as applicable to the LEA.

  o The LEA may group its schools by grade span (Elementary, Middle/Junior High, and High Schools), as applicable to the LEA.

- o The staff-to-student ratio must be based on the number of full-time equivalent (FTE) staff and the number of enrolled students as counted on the first Wednesday in October of each year.

- Provide the staff-to-student ratio of certificated staff providing direct services to students at schools with a concentration of unduplicated students that is 55 percent or less and the staff-to-student ratio of certificated staff providing direct services to students at schools with a concentration of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent, as applicable to the LEA.

  - o The LEA may group its schools by grade span (Elementary, Middle/Junior High, and High Schools), as applicable to the LEA.

  - o The staff-to-student ratio must be based on the number of FTE staff and the number of enrolled students as counted on the first Wednesday in October of each year.

Action Tables

Complete the Total Planned Expenditures Table for each action in the LCAP. The information entered into this table will automatically populate the other Action Tables. Information is only entered into the Total Planned Expenditures Table, the Annual Update Table, the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table, and the LCFF Carryover Table. The word "input" has been added to column headers to aid in identifying the column(s) where information will be entered. Information is not entered on the remaining Action tables.

The following tables are required to be included as part of the LCAP adopted by the local governing board or governing body:

- Table 1: Total Planned Expenditures Table (for the coming LCAP Year)

- Table 2: Contributing Actions Table (for the coming LCAP Year)

- Table 3: Annual Update Table (for the current LCAP Year)

- Table 4: Contributing Actions Annual Update Table (for the current LCAP Year)

- Table 5: LCFF Carryover Table (for the current LCAP Year)

Note: The coming LCAP Year is the year that is being planned for, while the current LCAP year is the current year of implementation. For example, when developing the 2024–25 LCAP, 2024–25 will be the coming LCAP Year and 2023–24 will be the current LCAP Year.

Total Planned Expenditures Table

In the Total Planned Expenditures Table, input the following information for each action in the LCAP for that applicable LCAP year:

- **LCAP Year**: Identify the applicable LCAP Year.

- **1. Projected LCFF Base Grant**: Provide the total amount estimated LCFF entitlement for the coming school year, excluding the supplemental and concentration grants and the add-ons for the Targeted Instructional Improvement Block Grant program, the former Home-to-School Transportation program, and the Small School District Transportation program, pursuant to 5 *CCR* Section 15496(a)(8).

Note that the LCFF Base Grant for purposes of the LCAP also includes the Necessary Small Schools and Economic Recovery Target allowances for school districts, and County Operations Grant for COEs.

See *EC* sections 2574 (for COEs) and 42238.02 (for school districts and charter schools), as applicable, for LCFF entitlement calculations.

- **2. Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants:** Provide the total amount of LCFF supplemental and concentration grants estimated on the basis of the number and concentration of unduplicated students for the coming school year.

- **3. Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year:** This percentage will not be entered; it is calculated based on the Projected LCFF Base Grant and the Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants, pursuant to 5 *CCR* Section 15496(a)(8). This is the percentage by which services for unduplicated pupils must be increased or improved as compared to the services provided to all students in the coming LCAP year.

- **LCFF Carryover — Percentage:** Specify the LCFF Carryover — Percentage identified in the LCFF Carryover Table from the prior LCAP year. If a carryover percentage is not identified in the LCFF Carryover Table, specify a percentage of zero (0.00%).

- **Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year:** This percentage will not be entered; it is calculated based on the Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year and the LCFF Carryover — Percentage. ***This is the percentage by which the LEA must increase or improve services for unduplicated pupils as compared to the services provided to all students in the coming LCAP year.***

- **Goal #**: Enter the LCAP Goal number for the action.

- **Action #**: Enter the action's number as indicated in the LCAP Goal.

- **Action Title**: Provide a title of the action.

- **Student Group(s)**: Indicate the student group or groups who will be the primary beneficiary of the action by entering "All," or by entering a specific student group or groups.

- **Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?:** Type "Yes" if the action **is** included as contributing to meeting the increased or improved services requirement; OR, type "No" if the action is **not** included as contributing to meeting the increased or improved services requirement.

- If "Yes" is entered into the Contributing column, then complete the following columns:

  - **Scope**: The scope of an action may be LEA-wide (i.e., districtwide, countywide, or charterwide), schoolwide, or limited. An action that is LEA-wide in scope upgrades the entire educational program of the LEA. An action that is schoolwide in scope upgrades the entire educational program of a single school. An action that is limited in its scope is an action that serves only one or more unduplicated student groups.

- o **Unduplicated Student Group(s)**: Regardless of scope, contributing actions serve one or more unduplicated student groups. Indicate one or more unduplicated student groups for whom services are being increased or improved as compared to what all students receive.

- o **Location**: Identify the location where the action will be provided. If the action is provided to all schools within the LEA, the LEA must indicate "All Schools." If the action is provided to specific schools within the LEA or specific grade spans only, the LEA must enter "Specific Schools" or "Specific Grade Spans." Identify the individual school or a subset of schools or grade spans (e.g., all high schools or grades transitional kindergarten through grade five), as appropriate.

- **Time Span**: Enter "ongoing" if the action will be implemented for an indeterminate period of time. Otherwise, indicate the span of time for which the action will be implemented. For example, an LEA might enter "1 Year," or "2 Years," or "6 Months."

- **Total Personnel**: Enter the total amount of personnel expenditures utilized to implement this action.

- **Total Non-Personnel**: This amount will be automatically calculated based on information provided in the Total Personnel column and the Total Funds column.

- **LCFF Funds**: Enter the total amount of LCFF funds utilized to implement this action, if any. LCFF funds include all funds that make up an LEA's total LCFF target (i.e., base grant, grade span adjustment, supplemental grant, concentration grant, Targeted Instructional Improvement Block Grant, and Home-To-School Transportation).

  - o **Note:** For an action to contribute towards meeting the increased or improved services requirement, it must include some measure of LCFF funding. The action may also include funding from other sources, however the extent to which an action contributes to meeting the increased or improved services requirement is based on the LCFF funding being used to implement the action.

- **Other State Funds**: Enter the total amount of Other State Funds utilized to implement this action, if any.

  - o **Note:** Equity Multiplier funds must be included in the "Other State Funds" category, not in the "LCFF Funds" category. As a reminder, Equity Multiplier funds must be used to supplement, not supplant, funding provided to Equity Multiplier schoolsites for purposes of the LCFF, the ELO-P, the LCRS, and/or the CCSPP. This means that Equity Multiplier funds must not be used to replace funding that an Equity Multiplier schoolsite would otherwise receive to implement LEA-wide actions identified in the LEA's LCAP or that an Equity Multiplier schoolsite would otherwise receive to implement provisions of the ELO-P, the LCRS, and/or the CCSPP.

- **Local Funds**: Enter the total amount of Local Funds utilized to implement this action, if any.

- **Federal Funds**: Enter the total amount of Federal Funds utilized to implement this action, if any.

- **Total Funds**: This amount is automatically calculated based on amounts entered in the previous four columns.

- **Planned Percentage of Improved Services**: For any action identified as contributing, being provided on a Limited basis to unduplicated students, and that does not have funding associated with the action, enter the planned quality improvement anticipated for the action as

a percentage rounded to the nearest hundredth (0.00%). A limited action is an action that only serves foster youth, English learners, and/or low-income students.

- o As noted in the instructions for the Increased or Improved Services section, when identifying a Planned Percentage of Improved Services, the LEA must describe the methodology that it used to determine the contribution of the action towards the proportional percentage. The percentage of improved services for an action corresponds to the amount of LCFF funding that the LEA estimates it would expend to implement the action if it were funded.

  For example, an LEA determines that there is a need to analyze data to ensure that instructional aides and expanded learning providers know what targeted supports to provide to students who are foster youth. The LEA could implement this action by hiring additional staff to collect and analyze data and to coordinate supports for students, which, based on the LEA's current pay scale, the LEA estimates would cost $165,000. Instead, the LEA chooses to utilize a portion of existing staff time to analyze data relating to students who are foster youth. This analysis will then be shared with site principals who will use the data to coordinate services provided by instructional assistants and expanded learning providers to target support to students. In this example, the LEA would divide the estimated cost of $165,000 by the amount of LCFF Funding identified in the Data Entry Table and then convert the quotient to a percentage. This percentage is the Planned Percentage of Improved Services for the action.

Contributing Actions Table

As noted above, information will not be entered in the Contributing Actions Table; however, the 'Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?' column will need to be checked to ensure that only actions with a "Yes" are displaying. If actions with a "No" are displayed or if actions that are contributing are not displaying in the column, use the drop-down menu in the column header to filter only the "Yes" responses.

Annual Update Table

In the Annual Update Table, provide the following information for each action in the LCAP for the relevant LCAP year:

- **Estimated Actual Expenditures**: Enter the total estimated actual expenditures to implement this action, if any.

Contributing Actions Annual Update Table

In the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table, check the 'Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?' column to ensure that only actions with a "Yes" are displaying. If actions with a "No" are displayed or if actions that are contributing are not displaying in the column, use the drop-down menu in the column header to filter only the "Yes" responses. Provide the following information for each contributing action in the LCAP for the relevant LCAP year:

- **6. Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants:** Provide the total amount of LCFF supplemental and concentration grants estimated based on the number and concentration of unduplicated students in the current school year.

- **Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions**: Enter the total estimated actual expenditure of LCFF funds used to implement this action, if any.

- **Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services:** For any action identified as contributing, being provided on a Limited basis only to unduplicated students, and that does not have funding associated with the action, enter the total estimated actual quality improvement anticipated for the action as a percentage rounded to the nearest hundredth (0.00%).

  - Building on the example provided above for calculating the Planned Percentage of Improved Services, the LEA in the example implements the action. As part of the annual update process, the LEA reviews implementation and student outcome data and determines that the action was implemented with fidelity and that outcomes for foster youth students improved. The LEA reviews the original estimated cost for the action and determines that had it hired additional staff to collect and analyze data and to coordinate supports for students that estimated actual cost would have been $169,500 due to a cost of living adjustment. The LEA would divide the estimated actual cost of $169,500 by the amount of LCFF Funding identified in the Data Entry Table and then convert the quotient to a percentage. This percentage is the Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services for the action.

LCFF Carryover Table

- **9. Estimated Actual LCFF Base Grant**: Provide the total amount of estimated LCFF Target Entitlement for the current school year, excluding the supplemental and concentration grants and the add-ons for the Targeted Instructional Improvement Block Grant program, the former Home-to-School Transportation program, and the Small School District Transportation program, pursuant to 5 *CCR* Section 15496(a)(8). Note that the LCFF Base Grant for purposes of the LCAP also includes the Necessary Small Schools and Economic Recovery Target allowances for school districts, and County Operations Grant for COEs. See *EC* sections 2574 (for COEs) and 42238.02 (for school districts and charter schools), as applicable, for LCFF entitlement calculations.

- **10. Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Current School Year:** This percentage will not be entered. The percentage is calculated based on the amounts of the Estimated Actual LCFF Base Grant (9) and the Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants (6), pursuant to 5 *CCR* Section 15496(a)(8), plus the LCFF Carryover – Percentage from the prior year. This is the percentage by which services for unduplicated pupils must be increased or improved as compared to the services provided to all students in the current LCAP year.

Calculations in the Action Tables

To reduce the duplication of effort of LEAs, the Action Tables include functionality such as pre-population of fields and cells based on the information provided in the Data Entry Table, the Annual Update Summary Table, and the Contributing Actions Table. For transparency, the functionality and calculations used are provided below.

Contributing Actions Table
- **4. Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (LCFF Funds)**

  - This amount is the total of the Planned Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds) column.

- **5. Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services**

  - This percentage is the total of the Planned Percentage of Improved Services column.

- **Planned Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the coming school year (4 divided by 1, plus 5)**

- o This percentage is calculated by dividing the Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (4) by the Projected LCFF Base Grant (1), converting the quotient to a percentage, and adding it to the Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (5).

Contributing Actions Annual Update Table

Pursuant to *EC* Section 42238.07(c)(2), if the Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (4) is less than the Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and Concentration Grants (6), the LEA is required to calculate the difference between the Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (5) and the Total Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (7). If the Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (4) is equal to or greater than the Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and Concentration Grants (6), the Difference Between Planned and Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services will display "Not Required."

- **6. Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and Concentration Grants**

  - o This is the total amount of LCFF supplemental and concentration grants the LEA estimates it will actually receive based on of the number and concentration of unduplicated students in the current school year.

- **4. Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (LCFF Funds)**

  - o This amount is the total of the Last Year's Planned Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds).

- **7. Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions**

  - o This amount is the total of the Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds).

- **Difference Between Planned and Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (Subtract 7 from 4)**

  - o This amount is the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (7) subtracted from the Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (4).

- **5. Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (%)**

  - o This amount is the total of the Planned Percentage of Improved Services column.

- **8. Total Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (%)**

  - o This amount is the total of the Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services column.

- **Difference Between Planned and Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (Subtract 5 from 8)**

  - o This amount is the Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (5) subtracted from the Total Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (8).

LCFF Carryover Table
- **10. Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Current School Year (6 divided by 9 plus Carryover %)**

- o This percentage is the Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants (6) divided by the Estimated Actual LCFF Base Grant (9) plus the LCFF Carryover – Percentage from the prior year.

- **11. Estimated Actual Percentage of Increased or Improved Services (7 divided by 9, plus 8)**

  - o This percentage is the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (7) divided by the LCFF Funding (9), then converting the quotient to a percentage and adding the Total Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (8).

- **12. LCFF Carryover — Dollar Amount LCFF Carryover (Subtract 11 from 10 and multiply by 9)**

  - o If the Estimated Actual Percentage of Increased or Improved Services (11) is less than the Estimated Actual Percentage to Increase or Improve Services (10), the LEA is required to carry over LCFF funds.

    The amount of LCFF funds is calculated by subtracting the Estimated Actual Percentage to Increase or Improve Services (11) from the Estimated Actual Percentage of Increased or Improved Services (10) and then multiplying by the Estimated Actual LCFF Base Grant (9). This amount is the amount of LCFF funds that is required to be carried over to the coming year.

- **13. LCFF Carryover — Percentage (12 divided by 9)**

  - o This percentage is the unmet portion of the Percentage to Increase or Improve Services that the LEA must carry over into the coming LCAP year. The percentage is calculated by dividing the LCFF Carryover (12) by the LCFF Funding (9).

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