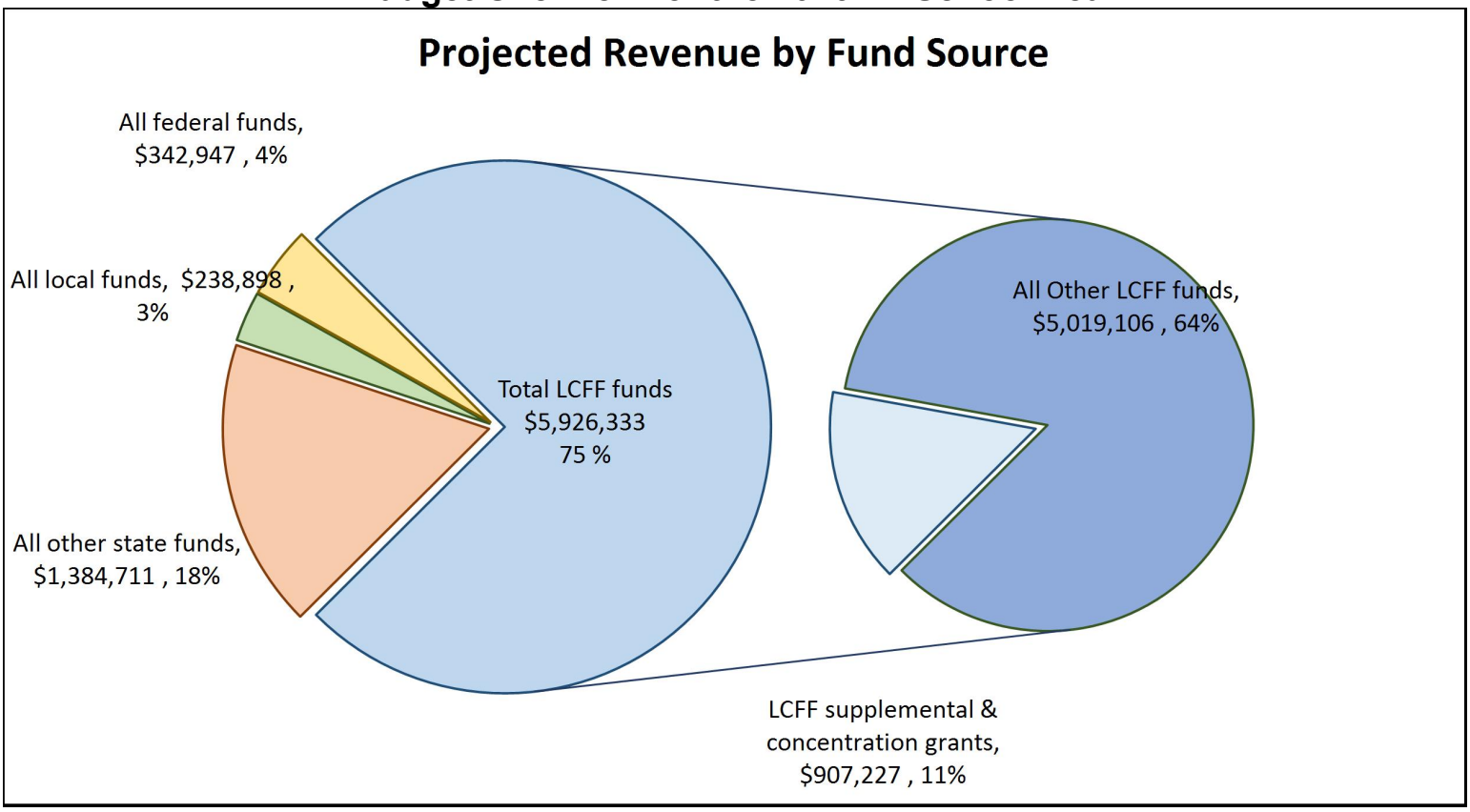
# LCFF Budget Overview for Parents

Local Educational Agency (LEA) Name: Tree of Life International Charter School
CDS Code: 45699140135624
School Year: 2026-27
LEA contact information:
Deborah Wallace
Principal
dwallace@treeoflife.school
530-378-7040

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 2026-27 School Year

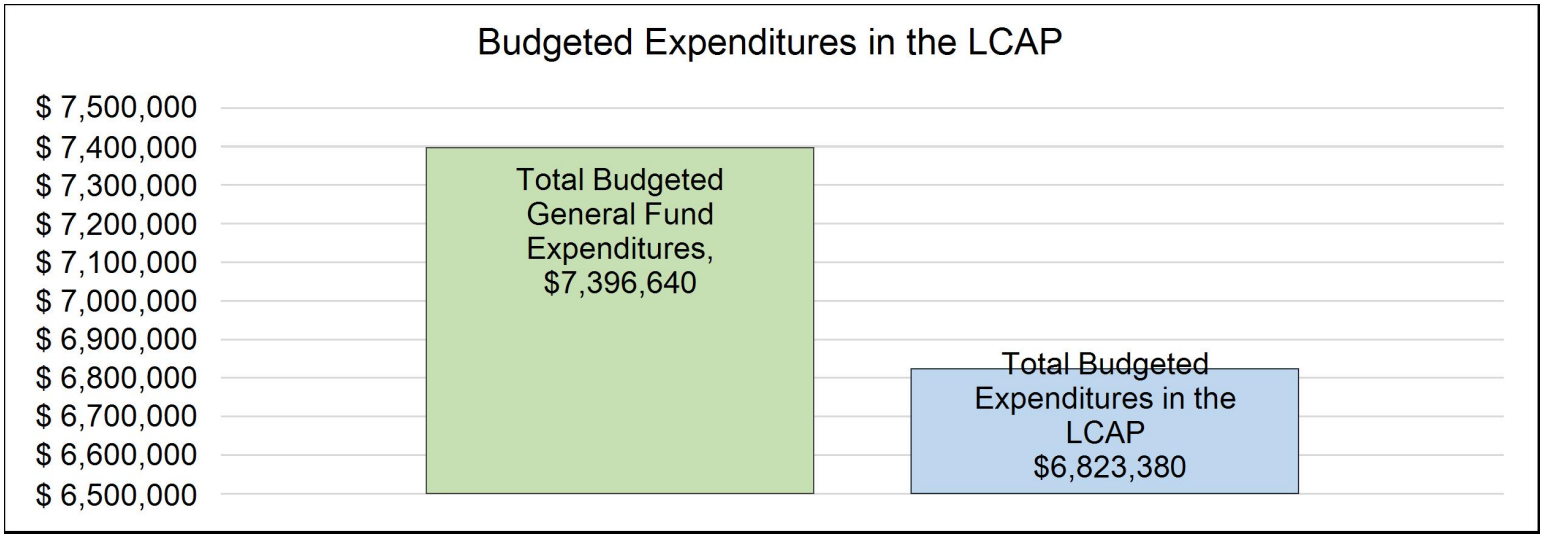



This chart shows the total general purpose revenue Tree of Life International Charter School expects to receive in the coming year from all sources.

The text description for the above chart is as follows: The total revenue projected for Tree of Life International Charter School is $7,892,889, of which $5,926,333 is Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF), $1,384,711 is other state funds, $2,38,898 is local funds, and $342,947 is federal funds. Of the $5,926,333 in LCFF Funds, $907,227 is generated based on the enrollment of high needs students (Foster Youth, English learner, and low-income students).

# LCFF Budget Overview for Parents

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.




This chart provides a quick summary of how much Tree of Life International Charter School plans to spend for 2026-27. 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: Tree of Life International Charter School plans to spend $7,396,640 for the 2026-27 school year. Of that amount, $6,823,380 is tied to actions/services in the LCAP and $573,260 is not included in the LCAP. The budgeted expenditures that are not included in the LCAP will be used for the following:

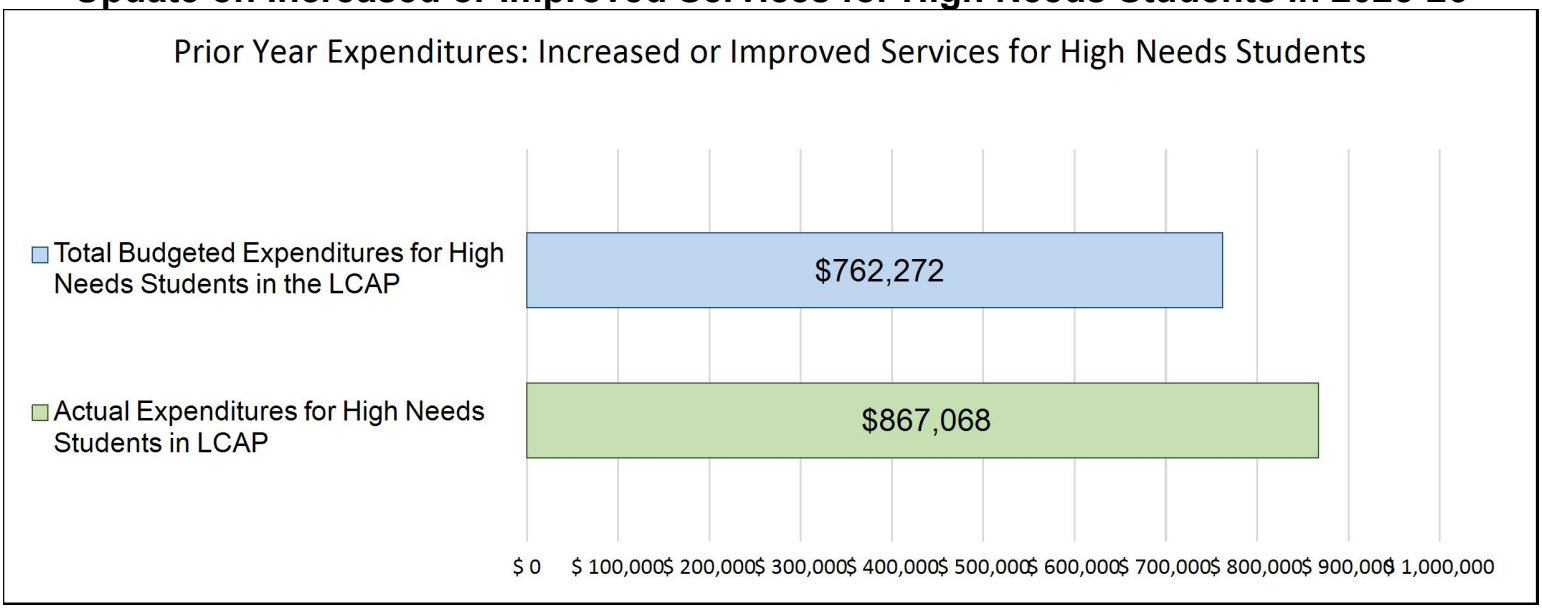
The majorty of the expenses are for non-instructional support staff, routine utltiites and other regular expenses.

## Increased or Improved Services for High Needs Students in the LCAP for the 2026-27 School Year

In 2026-27, Tree of Life International Charter School is projecting it will receive $907,227 based on the enrollment of Foster Youth, English learner, and low-income students. Tree of Life International Charter School must describe how it intends to increase or improve services for high needs students in the LCAP.  Tree of Life International Charter School plans to spend $908,018 towards meeting this requirement, as described in the LCAP.

# LCFF Budget Overview for Parents

## Update on Increased or Improved Services for High Needs Students in 2025-26




This chart compares what Tree of Life International Charter School budgeted last year in the LCAP for actions and services that contribute to increasing or improving services for high needs students with what Tree of Life International Charter School 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 2025-26, Tree of Life International Charter School's LCAP budgeted $762,272 for planned actions to increase or improve services for high needs students. Tree of Life International Charter School actually spent $867,068 for actions to increase or improve services for high needs students in 2025-26.

# 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 |
|---|---|---|
| Tree of Life International Charter School | Deborah Wallace<br>Principal | dwallace@treeoflife.school<br>530-378-7040 |

# Plan Summary [2026-27]

## General Information

A description of the LEA, its schools, and its students in grades transitional kindergarten–12, as applicable to the LEA. LEAs may also provide information about their strategic plan, vision, etc.

The Tree of Life International Charter School (TLC) is a TK-8th grade 90/10 Spanish/English Dual Language Immersion (DLI) Charter School that partners with parents to nurture the Heart, Mind, and Spirit of the child as they explore the world and discover their gifts. TLC recognizes the power of Life-giving words to bring hope, establish a positive identity, and equip students to set and achieve goals of excellence for themselves. Students have the opportunity to acquire a 2nd and 3rd language, and explore global cultures through a model DLI, and an extensive World Music, performing arts and STEAM programs. Students participate in a hands-on, Inquiry-Based Learning design which incorporates all subject matter through integrated units of study. Instruction is frequently taken out of the classroom, into the natural environment to allow for scientific exploration, observation and experimentation. TLC employs a “Curriculum of Compassion” engaging students in a variety of service learning opportunities, allowing them to understand and help solve real-life problems and experience the satisfaction and joy of knowing they can be World Changers.

In 2025-26, Tree of Life provided after-school High Dosage Academic Tutoring taught by credentialed teachers for students who were not yet achieving grade level standards, and provided a high quality after school program with academic support for all those who need after school care until 5:30pm daily. This program is free for low income families, and offered at a very low cost for those who aren't income eligible and includes a snack and the supper program. Transportation is provided by school bus to all those who need it at various stops in Anderson and Redding. All students who choose to participate receive free lunch and breakfast daily.

In addition, TLC received a grant for approximately $8M for new construction and for rehabilitation of current facilities from the Office of Public School Construction. Our new Middle School wing was completed in October of 2024 with 8 new classroom and new student

restrooms, upgraded infrastructure and new sports fields. During the 2025-26 school year, 4 existing modular classrooms were upgraded with all new interiors, HVAC and equipment for a Makerspace/Art Room, a Media Lab, a Band/Dance room and a World Music classroom.

Other notable and new implementations at TLC supporting student emotional health and well being and maintaining a positive, college and career focused school climate include adding 3 CTE certified teachers to our staff in Agriculture, Construction Trades and Arts and Entertainment, an AVID (Advancement via Individual Determination) elementary schoolwide program, PBIS (Positive Behavior Intervention Support) and Hope Rising Middle School SEL curriculum implementation.

# Reflections: Annual Performance

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

Academic: Our 2025 ELA CAASPP scores demonstrated that all students performed as well as the state average at 48% proficient or advanced, while 63% of our Redesignated Fluent English Proficient students scored proficient or advaced, exceeding the State average of 59% in ELA.

TLC's math scores made a huge leap from 34% to 46% proficient and advanced, and far exceeded the state averages for Low Income at 37% compared to the state average of 26%, and did equally well for Hispanic students with 38% proficient or advanced compared to the state average of 25% for Hispanic students.  White student also maintained a huge growth in math scores to 65% proficient or advanced, well above the state average for White students of 50% proficient.

Chronic Absenteeism: Student attendance has increased steadily each year since the pandemic and last year saw chronic absenteeism decrease from 12% to 9% overall.

# Reflections: Technical Assistance

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

Tree of Life does not qualified for Technical Assistance, however we have participated in grants offered by SCOE. In 2024-25, five teachers and one instructional coach from Tree of Life participated in the Math, Science, and Computer Science (MSCS) grant through SCOE, engaging in personalized change projects driven by the PDSA (Plan-Do-Study-Act) cycle of continuous improvement. This year, 2025-26, we had all certificated teachers but one participate in the North State ELC instructional leadership teams coaching through Chico state.

# 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.

na

## *Support for Identified Schools*

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

na

## *Monitoring and Evaluating Effectiveness*

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

na

# 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 |
| --- | --- |
| Teachers: | We received feedback through staff surveys, School Site Council, Vision Team and brainstorm sessions. We reviewed local and state data throughout the year, and reviewed past actions and goals to refine the plan based on the 8 state priorities.<br><br>Annual presentation of the CA School Dashboard results and the CAASPP results was made to TLC and Cascade Boards. A Data Dive full day session was held at the beginning of the 2024-25 school year during the pre-service days for teachers to deeply analyze the CAASPP data and notice increases and decreases across the grades and goals were set based on this data.<br><br>A weekly staff meeting with all teachers is held to identify and refine areas of need to support students both academically and behaviorally and keep the overall school systems running efficiently and effectively.<br><br>All teachers served on an ELC (Educational leadership team) with their grade level band and met week to work on a problem of practice. In addition, all certificated participate on an AVID Domain team to provide oversight in the areas of systems, leadership, curriculum and culture.<br><br>Feedback is solicited regularly to make continuous improvements in our plan. The draft LCAP was presented in April and teachers gave |

| Educational Partner(s) | Process for Engagement |
| --- | --- |
| | input on all goals and actions defined. Revisions were made and a summary of any feedback from other educational partners. |
| Administrators/Leadership Team: | Administrators and Leadership Team (Vision Team) met weekly throughout the year to discuss all 8 state priorities and the actions/strategies in the LCAP. School leaders reviewed the stated goals and analyzed progress data regularly.<br><br>The Vision Team met regularly to determine specific actions for increasing student achievement that are included in the LCAP. This included: reviewing local and state data to determine the effectiveness of programs offered, discuss and envision new programs needed, designing summer and intercession ELOP programs, discussing staff needs and openings, policies, procedures, staff concerns, student SST interventions and IEPs to identify areas of challenge, root causes, and specific needs. |
| Other school Personnel: | All school instructional support staff meet monthly to review student academic and behavior data, review school climate and PBIS goals and actions, review playground and classroom rules and procedures for student safety, discuss challenges and brainstorm ideas to improve student health and well being. All school staff including instructional assistants meet annually during the preservice days, and during non-student conference days in November and March to review student data, identify student needs for intervention, review intervention strategies, materials and assessments, and develop an action plan for the next 12 weeks of instruction. Staff provides regular input on success of programs and offers ideas on how to make improvements. |
| Parents: | Every Friday morning there is a parent meeting on campus that provides multiple opportunities for parent involvement and communication with school administration and teachers. One Friday the Amigos parent club meets to plan "Funraising" and "Fundraising" activities that support both the academic and social-emotional goals of the school, award and celebrate student success, and provide opportunity for community building and increase parental involvement. |

| Educational Partner(s) | Process for Engagement |
| --- | --- |
| | One Friday morning is Coffee with the Principal where parents come to be informed about upcoming events, hear updates on or new or ongoing activities, ask questions and give ideas on how to improve the school.<br>One Friday morning is our District English Learner Advisory Council meeting which includes all parents of English learners to discuss student success, plan activities, discuss needs of the community, provide ideas on how to foster more parental involvement of parents of English learners and increase success for EL students.<br>One Friday morning is Dads with Donuts--where dads meet to discuss ideas on how to support the school with various handyman and building projects and programs.<br>Data is gathered from the annual School Climate Survey provided for parents in both English and Spanish annually. |
| Students: | Students discuss school programs and concerns and provide feedback during their weekly Restorative Circle time in each classroom. Students choose activities to participate in, choose school service teams to help with, and choose an 8th grade career internship to participate in for 5 weeks. Students share their feedback from the internship in a final project.<br>Data is gathered annually from grades 4th-8th via a school climate survey for students. |
| Governing Board/Public: | The Governing Board reviewed data from surveys, local and state data, feedback from educational partners, and the draft LCAP. and reviewed past actions and goals to refine the plan based on the 8 state priorities.<br><br>Year-round: Monthly presentation to the Board on LCAP actions/services that have been implemented for the past month and will be implemented in the coming months.<br><br>Annual presentation of the CA School Dashboard results and the CAASPP results.<br><br>Annual presentation to the Governing Board at the regular meeting on Dashboard Local Indicators and survey results. |

| Educational Partner(s) | Process for Engagement |
| --- | --- |
| | Sending periodic surveys and questionnaires has been a simple yet effective way to gather input and feedback from our community, staff and students. The surveys have focused on everything from curriculum, extra-curricular activities to staff and/or administrative decisions. Surveys on professional development effectiveness have also been administered.<br><br>Acknowledged and celebrated the successes and achievement of students, teachers, and the community throughout the year. Recognizing these accomplishments has reinforced the idea that community members, staff and students are essential partners in the educational process.<br><br>Annual presentation to the Governing Board, at a regularly scheduled meeting, and to the classified/certificated staff on the LCAP development process. A public hearing was held in June 2025 to review the plan, the local indicator report and the Budget Overview for Parents. The Governing Board approved the final plan in June 2025. |

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

Each action on the LCAP came as a direct result of one of these data review sessions with the various stakeholders, or from a feedback/information/planning session as outlined above. With the regular discussions taking place in so many different venues, priorities can rise up quickly and collective ideas merge into specific goals as we look to the proper metric to show and analyze growth in each area. For instance, in 2023, our data review showed that while our ELA scores maintained and even grew a bit for most grade levels and subgroups, our math scores took a dramatic dip. Therefore school leadership began looking for ways to increase the focus on math which included adopting a new elementary and Middle School Math curriculum, engaging in a variety of Professional Development in Math with the Coaching grant for Building Thinking Classrooms in Mathematics and the SCOE grant was offered in year 2 to all certificated teachers to strengthen math instruction. We pointed our resources towards math improvement and focused our high dosage tutoring support primarily on Math, wrote and received a grant for coding and VEX robotics which has increased the motivation and student logic and practical math experience for the competitive team which includes special ed and English learner students. We also changed the schedule of our CAASPP testing to allow more time for math instruction before testing.

As a result of these changes, test scores in 2024 did show a slight increase in math for our at-risk subgroups, while maintaining the same % proficient and advanced for all students. Our efforts continued in 2025-26 to provide increased support for math instruction in all grades, high dosage tutoring, and focus on fluency through the Principal's math challenge and the results were astounding--an increase of an unprecedented 13% proficient and advanced to 46%.

Chronic Absenteeism: Through the feedback we determined that we needed a stronger focus on attendance and having all students here every day. We now have the ability to make daily automated absence calls, and a staff leadership team has taken on the responsibility of increased positive messaging for attendance.

# Goals and Actions

## Goal

| Goal # | Description | Type of Goal |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | All students, regardless of race, ethnicity, diversability, economic status or home language will make growth toward fluency and proficiency in both English and Spanish Language Arts and Math; will participate in a school climate that values respect and honors one another; and will engage in a robust college and career exploration continuum that expands from Tk-8th grade. | Broad Goal |

State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Priority 1: Basic (Conditions of Learning)
Priority 2: State Standards (Conditions of Learning)
Priority 3: Parental Involvement (Engagement)
Priority 4: Pupil Achievement (Pupil Outcomes)
Priority 5: Pupil Engagement (Engagement)
Priority 6: School Climate (Engagement)
Priority 7: Course Access (Conditions of Learning)
Priority 8: Other Pupil Outcomes (Pupil Outcomes)

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

TLC is founded on a number of core values including maintaining a Culture of Honor and Respect that encompasses the belief that all students are loved and valued. Conflicts are resolved through restorative practices while keeping an uncompromising commitment to connection. All students are encouraged and supported through specific actions and metrics to set high goals for themselves, develop action plans and put the steps in place to achieve their goals. In keeping with our core value of Growth Mindset, we believe all students will grow academically in all areas when the following factors are in place: excellent instruction from highly qualified teachers; individualized and differentiated intervention support at their instructional level; goal setting, monitoring and celebration of goals met; strong, ongoing parent and family communication, and college and career engagement activities including career exploration, student career internships, Middle school college visits, Middle school access to CTE courses taught on campus with fully equipped classroom facilities, supplies and materials in established CTE pathways, annual schoolwide College Week and Career Fair.

## Measuring and Reporting Results

| Metric # | Metric | Baseline | Year 1 Outcome | Year 2 Outcome | Target for Year 3 Outcome | Current Difference from Baseline |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1.1 | English Learner Proficiency Indicator | 2022-23 ELPI 42.9% making progress | 2023-24 ELPI 38% of EL students | 2024-25 CAASPP Eng Learner | At least 55% of EL students make | 4% increase from 43% to 47% |

| Metric # | Metric | Baseline | Year 1 Outcome | Year 2 Outcome | Target for Year 3 Outcome | Current Difference from Baseline |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Decreased 34.2 points from 77.1% in 2021-22. | making at least one year progress. Decreased 4.7% from 2022-23. | Proficiency increased by 8.7% to 47% making at least one year progress. Green indicator. | growth each year toward proficiency as indicated by the ELPI | making one year progress |
| 1.2 | CAASPP MATH | 2022-2023<br>34% students met or exceeded standard for math<br>The CA School Dashboard:<br>Orange progress indicator 32.4 points below<br>standard<br>Declined 29.2 Points | 2023-24<br>Maintained 34% all students met or exceeded standard for math<br>The CA School Dashboard:<br>Orange progress indicator 33.7 points below standard<br>Declined 1.3 Points | 2024-25<br>Increased by 12% from 34 to 46% proficient or advanced.<br>Increased 15.3 points to a Green Dashboard Indicator | 50% students met or exceeded standard for math<br>The CA School Dashboard:<br>Blue progress indicator | 12% increase form 34% to 46% proficient or advanced in math. increased 14 points from 32.4 points below standard to 18 points below standard. Moved from an orange to a green indicator. |
| 1.3 | CAST Science | 2022-2023<br>37.84% students met or exceeded standard for science | 2023-24<br>27% of grade 5 students met or exceeded standard for Science<br>The CA School Dashboard 11.1 points below standard.<br>increased 3 pts | 2024-25<br>Huge increase in Science score from 27 to 41% proficient or Advanced.<br>Increase of 5.1 points with English speakers making the highest growth, even though all Science in 6th-8th is taught in Spanish. First Blue Indicator | 50% of students met or exceeded standard for science | 3% growth from 38% to 41% proficient or advanced in CAST Science. Blue dashboard indicator. |
| 1.4 | CAASPP ELA | 2022-2023<br>47.13% students met or exceeded standard for | 44% met or exceeded standard | 2024-25<br>Increase in ELA score from 44 to | 65% students met or exceeded standard for | 2% increase from baseline to 49% proficient or |

| Metric # | Metric | Baseline | Year 1 Outcome | Year 2 Outcome | Target for Year 3 Outcome | Current Difference from Baseline |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | English language arts<br>The CA School Dashboard:<br>Yellow progress indicator<br>4.3 points below standard<br>Maintained 2.3 Points | for English language arts | nearly 49% proficient or Advanced. Increase of 8.2 points. Yellow Indicator | English language arts<br>The CA School Dashboard:<br>Blue progress indicator | advanced in ELA with a yellow indicator. |
| 1.5 | EL Redesignation Rate | 2022-23 Redesignation Rate 11% (8/73) | 2023-24 Redesignation Rate 9.0% (7/82) | 2024-25 Redesignation Rate increased to 12% (10/85) 4 EL 8th graders were redesignated before graduating to HS. | | Redesignation rate increased from 11-12% with 10 EL students redesignated in 2024-25. |
| 1.6 | Directed Reading Assessment in Spanish (DRA) | 2022-23 Spanish Reading DRA 79-80% Grades 1st-8th | 2023-24 Spanish DRA Reading-- Students scored from 70% at 1st grade to 87% in 3rd grade | 2024-25 Spanish DRA --% of students at or above grade level at end of year:<br>K- 36%<br>1st - 66%<br>2nd - 59%<br>3rd - 72% | 80% of students meet of exceed grade level reading and comprehension on Spanish DRA grades 1st-8 | DRA decreased from 80% to 72% proficient |
| 1.7 | Core Spanish Phonics Assessment | 2022-23<br>Prof in Core: 90%+ in grades K-3 | 2023-24<br>90% Prof in grades K-3 in Spanish Core (phonics and decoding) | Spanish Core End of year - Students make steady progress toward Spanish reading proficiency from K-2nd. % Proficient at end of year:<br>K - 38%<br>1st - 64%<br>2nd - 81% | 95% of student will score proficient on Spanish Core by Grade 3 | maintained 90% of students proficient on the Core Spanish reading assessment. |

| Metric # | Metric | Baseline | Year 1 Outcome | Year 2 Outcome | Target for Year 3 Outcome | Current Difference from Baseline |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1.8 | Chronic Absenteeism Rate | 2022-2023<br>The CA School Dashboard:<br>Orange performance indicator<br>12.4% for 2022-2023 with a decline of 14.2% | 2023-24<br>12% chronic absenteeism rate<br>Declined 0.4% | 2024-25<br>Declined 2.4% to 9.6% chronically absent. Green Performance indicator | Chronic Absenteeism Rate will return to pre-pandemic rate of 5%. | Declined 2.4% to 9.6% chronically absent. Green Performance indicator |

# Goal Analysis [2025-26]

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.

All planned actions that were described here took place to support Goal #1: Academic Achievement, School Climate and Career Exploration. Grants were received to provide support for Career Exploration.

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 were no significant material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures. In addition, there were no material differences in the planned % of improved services and estimated actual % of improved services.

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

There is a direct correlation to the effectiveness of the DLI program when reviewing the Spanish reading scores of students in all grades K-8 on the DRA and Spanish Core Metrics. The students are making good progress annually on Math and ELA on the CAASPP, however student data fluctuates as new students, and EL newcomer students, join the school each year at tested grade levels. The focus on Math in the past 3 years is evidenced by the math proficiency % continuing to increase for the at-risk subgroups in spite of all the fluctuation in enrollment.
The % of Chronic Absenteeism continues to decrease with the implementation of the measures described, and is decreasing annually since the pandemic.

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.

We continued to support High Dosage Tutoring as a powerful intervention for our at-risk and low achieving students with a particular focus on Math and English Language Development. The scores show the effectiveness of this intervention when data is disaggregated to show those students who received HDT throughout the year.

**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.**

# Actions

| Action # | Title | Description | Total Funds | Contributing |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **1.1** | EL students to receive daily designated and integrated ELD instruction in all classes with qualified teachers;<br>5th-8th Grade Techno English for newcomer and Long Term EL students;<br>All teachers trained in Project GLAD (Guided Lang Acquisition Design) | Increase % of students who are making progress on English Language proficiency---<br>1) All students have daily integrated ELD instruction during their ELA portion of the day taught by a credentialed CLAD or BCLAD teacher<br>2) 5th-8th grade EL students have daily Techno English ELD class for 45 minutes of designated ELD<br>3) All 4th-8th grade newcomer students receive an additional 30 minutes 3 times a week with a credentialed EL specialist using the Imagine Learning English, iready, and teacher made GLAD curriculum; and an additional 30 minutes 4 times a week on the Imagine Learning English Language and Literacy software that is tailored to the student's level and provides specific instruction in English reading, literacy and vocabulary development. | $250,747.00 | Yes |
| **1.2** | Bilingual Instructional Assistants | Specially trained Bilingual Instructional Assistants are assigned to every classroom to support EL,  Low Income, and Spanish learner students to achieve high academic standards and reduce student to adult ratio during instructional time. All daily classroom schedules include a universal access time where students are provided differentiated instruction and targeted intervention based on assessment data. | $313,291.00 | Yes |
| **1.3** | Certificated teachers provide Dual Immersion instrution | All certificated staff provide daily dual immersion instruction (following the 90/10 model) incorporating standards based, research based strategies and actions to promote proficiency in two languages for all students.  In 2025-26 we began a "Teacher in Residency" program to build a qualified bilingual teacher workforce. | $1,614,270.00 | No |
| **1.4** | Professional Development | Professional Development takes place during annual preservice days and early release Weds and attendance and trainings and conferences | $87,078.00 | No |

| Action # | Title | Description | Total Funds | Contributing |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | throughout the school year. The main focus for PD is closely aligned to our main goals of increased student achievement in ELA, Math, Science and growth toward proficiency in English for EL students, as well as positive school climate and Social-Emotional Learning.<br>These include: AVID, Project GLAD, ELD, Dual Immersion Education, Curriculum trainings, VEX Robotics, Drone Science and Restorative Practices and PBIS training (Includes Heartsmart, Hope Rising, HEART and others)<br>A bilingual instructional coach supports all teachers with classroom management, research based instructional strategies, assessment, testing coordinator, analyzing data and setting SMART goals with teachers for student growth.<br>24 certificated teachers will attend the AVID summer institute in San Diego during the preservice days Aug 3-5, 2026. | | |
| **1.5** | Standards Based Curriculum, Materials and Technology | All students have access to standards based curriculum and assessment materials in both Spanish and English. School library and classroom libraries provide robust selection of bilingual books for student use in class and at home. All students are provided one to one devices and classrooms equipped with appropriate state of the art technology for in person and distance learning.<br>Assessment and Learning Programs include Renaissance Learning, Accelerated Reader, STAR Assessment portfolio<br>iReady (English, Math, Spanish)<br>Imagine Learning Español<br>English Language and Literacy<br>Stem Scopes Math and Science in Middle School<br>Mystery Science in K-3<br>TWIG Science 4th-5th<br>Moby Max<br>Skill Struck<br>Vex Robotics and Drone Science | $41,784.00 | No |
| **1.6** | Safe and Appropriate Facilities | Facilities are maintained and improved annually to meet the needs of all students in a variety of learning environments, both indoor and outdoor. Multiple playgrounds and sports fields in place to allow for extended day | $2,823,500.00 | No |

| Action # | Title | Description | Total Funds | Contributing |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | recreation and competitive sports. In 23-24 3 refurbished modular classrooms were added for 4th grades and Special Ed Resource Center. In 2024-25 a 4th classroom was added for PE, as well as 2 CTE classrooms added to the La Hacienda property next door for Career Exploration and Garden and Agriculture.<br>A matching grant was received for new construction of Middle school wing and new bathroom (opened in Oct. 2024), and rehabilitation of current wing Rms 15-18 for STEM, Makerspace, Art, Robotics, Music, Dance, Band and Strings and remodel student restrooms is taking place during the 2025-26 school year. Sports fields and playgrounds were moved and redone in 2024-25. New fire pump system is being installed and new parking will be installed and drop-off/pick-up areas will be improved in 2026-27. | | |
| **1.7** | Transportation | Access to transportation is provided free of charge to English Learners and low income students in order to increase daily attendance for at risk students.<br>In 2023-24 A grant for two new Lion Electric buses and their chargers was received and put into service.<br>For 2026-27, we plan to lease an additional diesel bus in order to expand our after school routes to include a late route home for students who participate in the ELOP after school programs and to increase our ability to offer long distance field trips. | $89,974.00 | Yes |
| **1.8** | Extended Day, Extended Year Programs, ELOP | A Before and After School Program will be held daily from 2:30-5:30pm. Students receive homework and academic support and high dosage tutoring, electives such as Art, Garage Band, Woodshop, and Garden and animal care, and competitive sports. Free for low income students.<br>A Summer program available free for all students. Additional 10 days per year offered during intercession (ie. Thanksgiving, Winter, Spring breaks) which includes academic support, fine arts, sports and PE, science and world languages. Up to 20 additional days per year offered during a robust summer program. In 2026-27 we will be hiring a .50FTE ELOP Coordinator to over and plan for these enrichment programs for extended day and extended year. | $958,248.00 | Yes |

| Action # | Title | Description | Total Funds | Contributing |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **1.9** | Additional Personnel to support student Social, Emotional and Physical Health and decrease chronic absenteeism | Bilingual Health Clerk and Bilingual Attendance Clerk provide additional support for health and well-being of low income, foster youth and English Learners and ongoing parent communication and support. A bilingual resource aide and bilingual intervention specialist help staff the Resource center to provide more support to qualified students, as well as increase intervention support to those on an SST who are working on specific academic or behavior goals. Additional Principal support will also increase parent to school rlationaships | $107,071.00 | Yes |
| **1.10** | Broad Course of Study | Daily Specials for grades TK-4th include such offerings as: Art, World Music, Dance, Technology, Nutrition, PE, Shop, and Fitness.<br>Elective Classes in 5th-8th grade include such offerings as: Band, Strings, Graphic Design, MS Choir, French, ASL, Dance, Film, Drama, Techno English, Wood shop, STEAM and Farm to Fork. | | No |
| **1.11** | School Counselor, Strengthen Schoolwide Tier 1 Interventions | The school counselor will oversee the schoolwide Tier 1 PBIS model and lead the team which consists of Athletic Director, playground supervisors, upper and lower grade teachers and admin. The PBIS team will establish playground, hallway, cafeteria and classroom norms and provide ongoing training for support staff in student supervision. PBIS team will meet monthly to review and analyze behavior data and student referrals to determine schoolwide interventions, identify and solve problems and set goals.<br>For 2026-27, School counselor is moving from part time to full time. | $111,807.00 | Yes |
| **1.12** | Increase Parent Engagement and Participation | A part-time Volunteer Coordinator helps increase parent engagement by recruiting and scheduling parent and community volunteers to support teachers and students with classroom, library, garden and playground support. Coordinator provides support and school connection with Amigos Parent Club, DELAC committee, and other engagement groups such as Dads and Donuts to encourage involvement and recruit more volunteers for special activities for Fun-raising and Fund-raising activities. | $23,002.00 | No |

| Action # | Title | Description | Total Funds | Contributing |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **1.13** | All students TK-8 will participate in College Week and Career Fair Activities, 8th grade internships and college visits | TK-8 students participate in College Week and Career Fair annually. Students in Grades 6-8 will participate in additional college and career unit of student during their AVID time to identify careers they are interested in exploring and the college requirements and preferred colleges for each career path of study. Eighth grade students participate in a 4-week career internships shadowing and learning from a mentor about a career of their choice. All 8th graders will have visited a minimum of 4 colleges before graduation. | $10,278.00 | No |
| **1.14** | Increase % of students Grades 6th-8th who participate in CTE classes during in school and after school program | The Hacienda property next door increases appropriate space to build CTE Classrooms and to provide CTE exploration classes for Middle School students.<br>A matching funds CTEIG Grant was received to begin offering CTE elective classes in the areas of Woodworking and Construction Trades; Agriculture and Animal Science and Arts and Entertainment.<br>Certificated CTE teachers were hired to teach future CTE pathways classes in Career Exploration, Agriculture and Animal Health Science, Performing Arts and Entertainment and others. For 2026-27 there is the addition of one CTE certified teacher in the area of Arts,Media and Entertainment: Drama<br>And we plan to hire additional part time instructional assistants to support the program. | $276,698.28 | No |
| **1.15** | 5th Grade Science Camp | All 5th Grade students participate annually in a one-week Science Camp for standards based instruction in environmental science and team building collaboration. | $36,617.00 | No |
| **1.16** | Math and ELA Coaching and Intervention | Additional support for Math and ELA intervention provided by highly qualified instructors. In 2026-27 we are adding two instructional specialists to provide additional daily support for  EL and low income and foster youth, who are not yet meeting grade level proficiencies in ELA and Math. | $115,678.00 | Yes |

# Increased or Improved Services for Foster Youth, English Learners, and Low-Income Students [2026-27]

| Total Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants | Projected Additional 15 percent LCFF Concentration Grant |
|---|---|
| $$907,227 | $66,142 |

**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 |
|---|---|---|---|
| 19.780% | 0.000% | $0.00 | 19.780% |

**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:**<br>Bilingual Instructional Assistants<br><br>**Need:**<br>TLC has the highest % of English learners of any school in Shasta County, and they are primarily low income. Students need additional support to achieve grade level standards. | This allows us to increase the ratio of adults to students in every classroom and to provide daily interventions for all at-risk students. | CAASPP, DRA, Spanish Core, ELPAC, Redesignation Rate |

| 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 |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **Scope:**<br>LEA-wide | | |
| **1.7** | **Action:**<br>Transportation<br><br>**Need:**<br>Parents don't drive, location of school does not allow for walking or biking<br><br>**Scope:**<br>LEA-wide | Low Income students have priority for transportation and others can use as space is available | Student Attendance |
| **1.8** | **Action:**<br>Extended Day, Extended Year Programs, ELOP<br><br>**Need:**<br>Low income and EL students need additional tutoring and support during the after school and summer programs to meet academic goals. These programs provide a Broad Course of Study allowing students to participate in activities above and beyond the instructional day.<br><br>**Scope:**<br>LEA-wide | Daily after school program is provided free to all qualified students and offered for a small fee for all others. We are hiring an ELOP Coordinator for 2026-27 to ensure that all students have access to quality programs and that all required reporting is completed in a timely manner. | CAASPP, ELPAC, Enrollment in After school, intercession and summer programs |
| **1.9** | **Action:**<br>Additional Personnel to support student Social, Emotional and Physical Health and decrease chronic absenteeism<br><br>**Need:** | The bilingual support personnel are available to serve all students and families as needs arise but their regular assignments are designated to supporting the needs of unduplicated students. | decrease in chronic absenteeism, increase in CAASPP ELA and Math scores |

| 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 |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Unduplicated pupils need additional support from bilingual personnel for attendance calls, support for health and wellness, home visits, referrals for medical or mental health, parent engagement and support. Additional support is needed for academic interventions for low income, EL and Foster Youth to close academic gaps and increase % of proficiency on the CAASPP for ELA and Math.<br><br>**Scope:**<br>LEA-wide | | |
| **1.11** | **Action:**<br>School Counselor, Strengthen Schoolwide Tier 1 Interventions<br><br>**Need:**<br>Low income and newcomer/English learners need additional social/emotional support, crisis intervention, social skills instruction and daily checks in to support student success.<br><br>**Scope:**<br>LEA-wide | Tier 1 interventions through the PBIS team provide schoolwide supports to create a healthy school culture and minimize the need for interventions. This allows more time for the counselor to work with those who are the most at-risk. | Reduce chronic Absenteeism and office referrals |
| **1.16** | **Action:**<br>Math and ELA Coaching and Intervention<br><br>**Need:**<br>Students who are not yet redesignated as RFEP or those who are newcomers need additional small group and one-on-one support to meet grade level standards in ELA and | This allows us to increase the ratio of adults to students in every classroom and to provide daily targeted interventions for all at-risk students including EL, newcomer, low income and foster youth. | CAASPP ELA and Math, iReady growth in ELA and Math, Calif Dashboard ELPI |

| 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 |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Math. We have EL students in every classroom so support is provided schoolwide.<br><br>**Scope:**<br>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 |
|---|---|---|---|
| **1.1** | **Action:**<br>EL students to receive daily designated and integrated ELD instruction in all classes with qualified teachers;<br>5th-8th Grade Techno English for newcomer and Long Term EL students;<br>All teachers trained in Project GLAD (Guided Lang Acquisition Design)<br><br>**Need:**<br>To increase the % of EL students making annual growth toward proficiency in English. The % of EL students continues to grow annually. We now have a required DELAC due to the high number of EL students.<br><br>**Scope:**<br>Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s) | Students receive daily ELD instruction at their level through daily integrated (GLAD) ELD and designated ELD (Techno English);<br>ELA reading, listening, speaking and writing progress assessments inform instruction;<br>Trained EL teachers and paraprofessionals provide daily intervention for EL students;<br>English Learning and Literacy and Iready provided daily for newcomer students in grades 4-8. | ELPI--English Learner Proficiency Indicator<br>Reclassification data,<br>CAASPP |

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.

The methodology used to determine the contribution of the action towards the proportional % was to look at our % of EL students needing additional support and services, and to ensure that at least the % of budget goes to provide for those student needs. Current % in 2025-26 is approx 24% EL students.

## 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.

The additional concentration grant is used to add Bilingual Instructional aide support for English learners, low income and foster youth

| **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 | na | 1:18.6 |
| Staff-to-student ratio of certificated staff providing direct services to students | na | 1:22.7 |

# 2026-27 Total Planned 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 | $4,586,681 | $907,227 | 19.780% | 0.000% | 19.780% |

| Totals | LCFF Funds | Other State Funds | Local Funds | Federal Funds | Total Funds | Total Personnel | Total Non-personnel |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Totals | $3,125,380.00 | $2,350,772.28 | $1,348,367.00 | $35,524.00 | $6,860,043.28 | $3,435,948.28 | $3,424,095.00 |

| 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 | EL students to receive daily designated and integrated ELD instruction in all classes with qualified teachers;<br>5th-8th Grade Techno English for newcomer and Long Term EL students;<br>All teachers trained in Project GLAD (Guided Lang Acquisition Design) | English Learners | Yes | Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s) | English Learners | All Schools | 2024-2027 | $214,916.00 | $35,831.00 | $217,057.00 | $8,522.00 | | $25,168.00 | $250,747.00 | 19.78% |
| 1 | 1.2 | Bilingual Instructional Assistants | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | Yes | LEA-wide | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | All Schools | 2024-2027 | $296,710.00 | $16,581.00 | $296,710.00 | $8,059.00 | | $8,522.00 | $313,291.00 | 19.78% |
| 1 | 1.3 | Certificated teachers provide Dual Immersion instrution | All | No | | | All Schools | 2024-2027 | $1,614,270.00 | $0.00 | $1,614,270.00 | | | | $1,614,270.00 | 17.16% |
| 1 | 1.4 | Professional Development | All | No | | | All Schools | 2024-2027 | $0.00 | $87,078.00 | $24,078.00 | $63,000.00 | | | $87,078.00 | 17.16% |
| 1 | 1.5 | Standards Based Curriculum, Materials and Technology | All | No | | | All Schools | 2024-2027 | $0.00 | $41,784.00 | $4,200.00 | $35,750.00 | | $1,834.00 | $41,784.00 | 17.16% |
| 1 | 1.6 | Safe and Appropriate Facilities | All | No | | | All Schools | 2024-2027 | $0.00 | $2,823,500.00 | $300,000.00 | $1,261,750.00 | $1,261,750.00 | | $2,823,500.00 | 17.16% |
| 1 | 1.7 | Transportation | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | Yes | LEA-wide | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | All Schools | 2024-2027 | $47,928.00 | $42,046.00 | $89,974.00 | | | | $89,974.00 | 19.78% |
| 1 | 1.8 | Extended Day, Extended Year Programs, ELOP | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | Yes | LEA-wide | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | All Schools | 2024-2027 | $749,434.00 | $208,814.00 | | $894,248.00 | $64,000.00 | | $958,248.00 | 19.78% |
| 1 | 1.9 | Additional Personnel to support student Social, Emotional and Physical Health and decrease chronic absenteeism | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | Yes | LEA-wide | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | All Schools | 2024-2027 | $106,071.00 | $1,000.00 | $107,071.00 | | | | $107,071.00 | 19.78% |

| 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 | 1.10 | Broad Course of Study | All | No | | | All Schools | 2024-2027 | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1.11 | School Counselor, Strengthen Schoolwide Tier 1 Interventions | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | Yes | LEA-wide | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | All Schools | 2024-2027 | $111,807.00 | $0.00 | $81,528.00 | $30,279.00 | | | $111,807.00 | 19.78% |
| 1 | 1.12 | Increase Parent Engagement and Participation | All | No | | | All Schools | 2024-2027 | $23,002.00 | $0.00 | $23,002.00 | | | | $23,002.00 | 17.16% |
| 1 | 1.13 | All students TK-8 will participate in College Week and Career Fair Activities, 8th grade internships and college visits | All | No | | | All Schools | 2024-2027 | $0.00 | $10,278.00 | $6,500.00 | $3,778.00 | | | $10,278.00 | 17.16% |
| 1 | 1.14 | Increase % of students Grades 6th-8th who participate in CTE classes during in school and after school program | All | No | | | All Schools | 2024-2027 | $152,717.28 | $123,981.00 | $231,312.00 | $45,386.28 | | | $276,698.28 | 17.16% |
| 1 | 1.15 | 5th Grade Science Camp | All | No | | | All Schools | | $3,415.00 | $33,202.00 | $14,000.00 | | $22,617.00 | | $36,617.00 | 19.78% |
| 1 | 1.16 | Math and ELA Coaching and Intervention | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | Yes | LEA-wide | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | All Schools | | $115,678.00 | $0.00 | $115,678.00 | | | | $115,678.00 | |

# 2026-27 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 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| $4,586,681 | $907,227 | 19.780% | 0.000% | 19.780% | $908,018.00 | 258.580% | 278.377 % | **Total:** | $908,018.00 |
| | | | | | | | | **LEA-wide Total:** | $690,961.00 |
| | | | | | | | | **Limited Total:** | $217,057.00 |
| | | | | | | | | **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** | **1.1** | EL students to receive daily designated and integrated ELD instruction in all classes with qualified teachers;<br>5th-8th Grade Techno English for newcomer and Long Term EL students;<br>All teachers trained in Project GLAD (Guided Lang Acquisition Design) | Yes | Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s) | English Learners | All Schools | $217,057.00 | 19.78% |
| **1** | **1.2** | Bilingual Instructional Assistants | Yes | LEA-wide | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | All Schools | $296,710.00 | 19.78% |
| **1** | **1.7** | Transportation | Yes | LEA-wide | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | All Schools | $89,974.00 | 19.78% |
| **1** | **1.8** | Extended Day, Extended Year Programs, ELOP | Yes | LEA-wide | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | All Schools | | 19.78% |

| 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 | 1.9 | Additional Personnel to support student Social, Emotional and Physical Health and decrease chronic absenteeism | Yes | LEA-wide | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | All Schools | $107,071.00 | 19.78% |
| 1 | 1.11 | School Counselor, Strengthen Schoolwide Tier 1 Interventions | Yes | LEA-wide | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | All Schools | $81,528.00 | 19.78% |
| 1 | 1.15 | 5th Grade Science Camp | | | | All Schools | $14,000.00 | 19.78% |
| 1 | 1.16 | Math and ELA Coaching and Intervention | Yes | LEA-wide | English Learners<br>Foster Youth<br>Low Income | All Schools | $115,678.00 | |

# 2025-26 Annual Update Table

| Totals | Last Year's Total Planned Expenditures (Total Funds) | Total Estimated Expenditures (Total Funds) |
|---|---|---|
| **Totals** | $5,906,164.28 | $4,993,322.00 |

| 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** | EL students to receive daily designated and integrated ELD instruction in all classes with qualified teachers;<br>5th-8th Grade Techno English for newcomer and Long Term EL students;<br>All teachers trained in Project GLAD (Guided Lang Acquisition Design) | Yes | $263,221 | $297,579 |
| **1** | **1.2** | Bilingual Instructional Assistants | Yes | $344.278 | $396,935 |
| **1** | **1.3** | Certificated teachers provide Dual Immersion instrution | No | $1,361,997 | $1,435,697 |
| **1** | **1.4** | Professional Development | No | $45,015 | $38,909 |
| **1** | **1.5** | Standards Based Curriculum, Materials and Technology | No | $156,026 | $72,505 |
| **1** | **1.6** | Safe and Appropriate Facilities | No | $2,823,500 | $1,803,737 |
| **1** | **1.7** | Transportation | Yes | $62,715 | $72,505 |
| **1** | **1.8** | Extended Day, Extended Year Programs | No | $442,460 | $413,214 |
| **1** | **1.9** | Additional Personnel to support student Social, Emotional and | Yes | $86,295 | $94,988 |

| 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) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Physical Health and decrease chronic absenteeism | | | |
| **1** | **1.10** | Broad Course of Study | No | | |
| **1** | **1.11** | School Counselor, Strengthen Schoolwide Tier 1 Interventions | Yes | $98,979 | $92,594 |
| **1** | **1.12** | Increase Parent Engagement and Participation | No | $13,774 | $13,810 |
| **1** | **1.13** | All students TK-8 will participate in College Week and Career Fair Activities, 8th grade internships and college visits | No | $6,169 | $6,034 |
| **1** | **1.14** | Increase % of students Grades 6th-8th who participate in CTE classes during in school and after school program | No | $515,588 | $223,967 |
| **1** | **1.15** | 5th Grade Science Camp | No | $30,081 | $30,848 |

# 2025-26 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) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| $797,426 | $762,272.00 | $867,068.00 | ($104,796.00) | 240.240% | 67.110% | -173.130% |

| 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 | 1.1 | EL students to receive daily designated and integrated ELD instruction in all classes with qualified teachers;<br>5th-8th Grade Techno English for newcomer and Long Term EL students;<br>All teachers trained in Project GLAD (Guided Lang Acquisition Design) | Yes | $227,402 | $252,643 | 17.16% | 11.10% |
| 1 | 1.2 | Bilingual Instructional Assistants | Yes | $301,597 | $351,999 | 17.16% | 16.71% |
| 1 | 1.7 | Transportation | Yes | $62,715 | $74,844 | 17.16% | 19.34% |
| 1 | 1.9 | Additional Personnel to support student Social, Emotional and Physical Health and decrease chronic absenteeism | Yes | $86,295 | $94,988 | 17.16% | 10.07% |
| 1 | 1.11 | School Counselor, Strengthen Schoolwide Tier 1 Interventions | Yes | $84,263 | $92,594 | 17.16% | 9.89% |

# 2025-26 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) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| $4,175,885 | $797,426 | 0 | 19.096% | $867,068.00 | 67.110% | 87.874% | $0.00 | 0.000% |

# Local Control and Accountability Plan Instructions

Plan Summary

Engaging Educational Partners

Goals and Actions

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

*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.

- Annually reviewing and updating the LCAP to reflect progress toward the goals (EC Section 52064[b][7]).
- 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 and Senate Bill 153, Chapter 38, Statues of 2024.

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. LEAs may also provide information about their strategic plan, vision, etc.

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.
- LEAs may also provide information about their strategic plan, vision, etc.
- 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.

*EC* Section 52064.4 requires that an LEA that has unexpended Learning Recovery Emergency Block Grant (LREBG) funds must include one or more actions funded with LREBG funds within the 2026-27, 2026-27 and 2027-28 LCAPs, as applicable to the LEA. To implement the requirements of *EC* Section 52064.4, all LEAs must do the following:

- For the 2025–26, 2026–27, and 2027–28 LCAP years, identify whether or not the LEA has unexpended LREBG funds for the applicable LCAP year.
    - If the LEA has unexpended LREBG funds the LEA must provide the following:
        - The goal and action number for each action that will be funded, either in whole or in part, with LREBG funds; and
        - An explanation of the rationale for selecting each action funded with LREBG funds. This explanation must include:
            - An explanation of how the action is aligned with the allowable uses of funds identified in *EC* Section 32526(c)(2); and
            - An explanation of how the action is expected to address the area(s) of need of students and schools identified in the needs assessment required by *EC* Section 32526(d).
                - For information related to the allowable uses of funds and the required needs assessment, please see the Program Information tab on the LREBG Program Information web page.
            - Actions may be grouped together for purposes of these explanations.
            - The LEA may provide these explanations as part of the action description rather than as part of the Reflections: Annual Performance.
    - If the LEA does not have unexpended LREBG funds, the LEA is not required to conduct the needs assessment required by *EC* Section 32627(d), to provide the information identified above or to include actions funded with LREBG funds within the 2026-27, 2026-27 and 2027-28 LCAPs.

**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

## *Requirements*

**School districts and COEs:** *EC* Section 52060(g) and *EC* Section 52066(g) 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) 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;
    - **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; and
- For charter schools, see *Education Code* Section 47606.5.

- **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.
    - 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,
    - 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:
    - 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) 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.

    - 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:

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

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

- **Required metrics for actions supported by LREBG funds**: To implement the requirements of *EC* Section 52064.4, LEAs with unexpended LREBG funds must include at least one metric to monitor the impact of each action funded with LREBG funds included in the goal.

    - The metrics being used to monitor the impact of each action funded with LREBG funds are not required to be new metrics; they may be metrics that are already being used to measure progress towards goals and actions included in the LCAP.

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.
    - 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).
    - 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.
    - Indicate the school year to which the baseline data applies.
    - 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.
    - 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.
    - 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.

- 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.
    - 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.
    - 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.
    - Include a discussion of relevant challenges and successes experienced with the implementation process.
    - 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.
    - 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, 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.
    - 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.
    - 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.
    - 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.
    - 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.
    - **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

### For English Learners and Long-Term English Learners

- 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:
    - Language acquisition programs, as defined in *EC* Section 306, provided to students, and
    - Professional development for teachers.
    - 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.

### For Technical Assistance

- 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.

### For Lowest Performing Dashboard Indicators

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

### For LEAs With Unexpended LREBG Funds

- To implement the requirements of *EC* Section 52064.4, LEAs with unexpended LREBG funds must include one or more actions supported with LREBG funds within the 2025–26, 2026–27, and 2027–28 LCAPs, as applicable to the LEA. Actions funded with LREBG funds must remain in the LCAP until the LEA has expended the remainder of its LREBG funds, after which time the actions may be removed from the LCAP.
    - Prior to identifying the actions included in the LCAP the LEA is required to conduct a needs assessment pursuant to *EC* Section 32526(d). For information related to the required needs assessment please see the Program Information tab on the LREBG

Program Information web page. Additional information about the needs assessment and evidence-based resources for the LREBG may be found on the California Statewide System of Support LREBG Resources web page. The required LREBG needs assessment may be part of the LEAs regular needs assessment for the LCAP if it meets the requirements of *EC* Section 32627(d).

- School districts receiving technical assistance and COEs providing technical assistance are encouraged to use the technical assistance process to support the school district in conducting the required needs assessment, the selection of actions funded by the LREBG and/or the evaluation of implementation of the actions required as part of the LCAP annual update process.
- As a reminder, LREBG funds must be used to implement one or more of the purposes articulated in *EC* Section 32526(c)(2).
- LEAs with unexpended LREBG funds must include one or more actions supported by LREBG funds within the LCAP. For each action supported by LREBG funding the action description must:
  - Identify the action as an LREBG action;
  - Include an explanation of how research supports the selected action;
  - Identify the metric(s) being used to monitor the impact of the action; and
  - Identify the amount of LREBG funds being used to support the action.

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

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

- **4. Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (LCFF Funds)**
  - 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**
  - 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)**
  - 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 (%)**
  - This amount is the total of the Planned Percentage of Improved Services column.
- **8. Total Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (%)**
  - 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)**
  - 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 %)**
  - 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)**
  - 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)**

- 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)**

  - 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).

California Department of Education
November 2024