

# **LCFF Budget Overview for Parents**

Local Educational Agency (LEA) Name: Aromas-San Juan Unified School District

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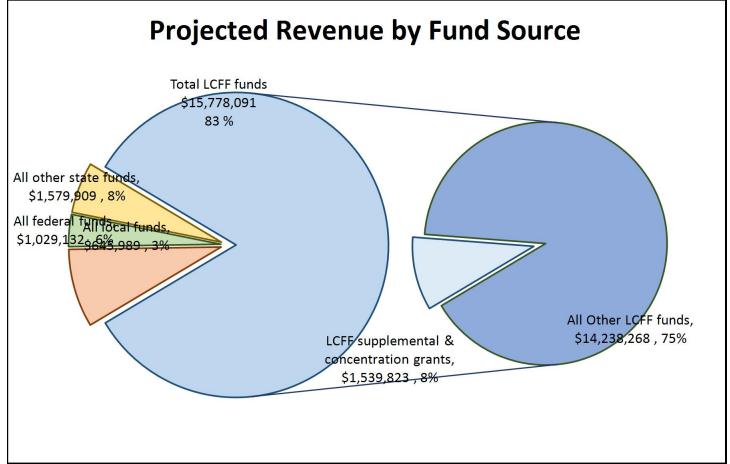
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School districts receive funding from different sources: state funds under the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF), other state funds, local funds, and federal funds. LCFF funds include a base level of funding for all LEAs and extra funding - called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

**Budget Overview for the 2024-25 School Year** 

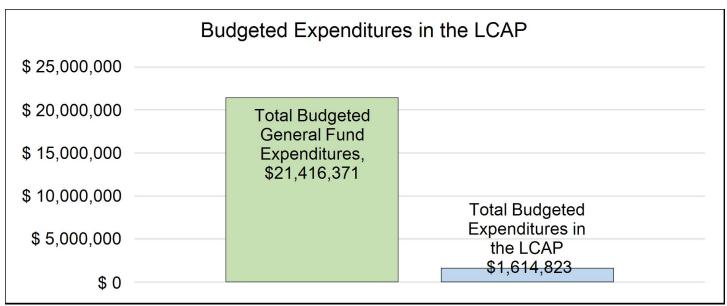


This chart shows the total general purpose revenue Aromas-San Juan Unified School District expects to receive in the coming year from all sources.

The text description for the above chart is as follows: The total revenue projected for Aromas-San Juan Unified School District is \$19,033,121, of which \$15,778,091 is Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF), \$1,579,909 is other state funds, \$645,989 is local funds, and \$1,029,132 is federal funds. Of the \$15,778,091 in LCFF Funds, \$1,539,823 is generated based on the enrollment of high needs students (foster youth, English learner, and low-income students).

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



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

The text description of the above chart is as follows: Aromas-San Juan Unified School District plans to spend \$21,416,371 for the 2024-25 school year. Of that amount, \$1,614,823 is tied to actions/services in the LCAP and \$19,801,548 is not included in the LCAP. The budgeted expenditures that are not included in the LCAP will be used for the following:

ASJUSD budgets the Supplemental and Concentration grant funding in the LCAP. While the district, as a Basic Aid district, does not receive these specific grant funds, we include those funds as contributing expenditures in the LCAP to maintain transparency and alignment with district goals. Some categorical funds require separate plans, which we align with the LCAP where possible to ensure cohesive planning and resource allocation. However, certain funds have specific allowable uses that may not align with the targeted initiatives outlined in the LCAP, ensuring that all funds are used appropriately and according to their designated purposes. Additionally, throughout the year, new initiatives or one-time opportunities may arise that were not anticipated during the LCAP development. These are addressed as they come up to respond to emerging needs and opportunities. Moreover, expenditures related to bond support or board elections, such as PR firms for bond measures, are specific activities that fall outside the scope of the LCAP and are budgeted separately. The LCAP expenditures include \$75,000 from Local funds to support Goal 2, Action 1 for socioemotional learning supports.

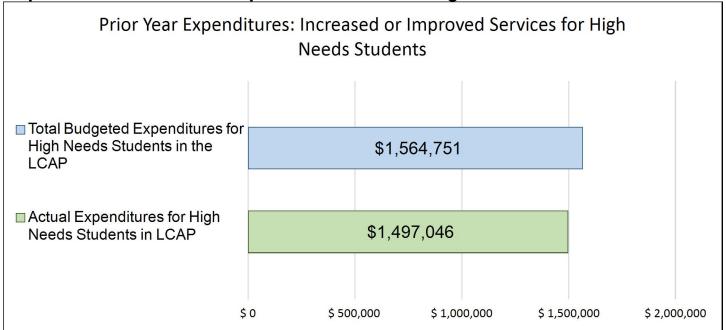
### Increased or Improved Services for High Needs Students in the LCAP for the 2024-25 School Year

In 2024-25, Aromas-San Juan Unified School District is projecting it will receive \$1,539,823 based on the enrollment of foster youth, English learner, and low-income students. Aromas-San Juan Unified School District must describe how it intends to increase or improve services for high needs students in the LCAP.

Aromas-San Juan Unified School District plans to spend \$1,539,823 towards meeting this requirement, as described in the LCAP.

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



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

The text description of the above chart is as follows: In 2023-24, Aromas-San Juan Unified School District's LCAP budgeted \$1,564,751 for planned actions to increase or improve services for high needs students. Aromas-San Juan Unified School District actually spent \$1,497,046 for actions to increase or improve services for high needs students in 2023-24.

The difference between the budgeted and actual expenditures of \$67,705 had the following impact on Aromas-San Juan Unified School District's ability to increase or improve services for high needs students:

The updated Supplemental and Concentration grant funding as of Second Interim budget for 23-24 projects that the revenue target is \$1,497,046 and not what was projected at budget adoption in June of 2023.



# 2023–24 Local Control and Accountability Plan Annual Update

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

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## **Goals and Actions**

### Goal

Goal #	Description
1	Provide students with high quality educational instruction, supportive learning environments and curriculum utilizing up-to-date technology and methods to promote the full potential of each student.  Priority 1 - Basic Services; Priority 2 - Implementation of State Standards; Priority 7 - Course Access

# Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
1. Properly Credentialed Teachers	2020-2021 100% of teachers met California credentialing requirements.	2021-2022 98.3% of teachers met California credentialing requirements	2022-2023 96.2% of teachers met California credentialing requirements	2023-2024 96.2% of teachers met California credentialing requirements	100% of teachers will meet California credentialing requirements
2. 1-1 technology to students	2020-21 100% of students had Chromebooks	2021-2022 100% of students had Chromebooks	2022-2023 100% of students had Chromebooks	2023-2024 100% of students have access to Chromebooks	100% of students will have a Chromebooks
3. Continue with college campus tours	2019-2020 school year number of higher educational institutions visited.	2021-2022 had two college campus tours, which is less than prior to COVID.	2022-2023 had four college campus tours.	2023-2024 had ten college campus tours.	Meet or exceed the number of options annually
4. Standards-aligned Instructional Materials for every student	2020-2021 100% of students had standards aligned instructional materials	2021-2022 100% of students had standards aligned instructional materials.	2022-2023 100% of students had standards aligned instructional materials.	100% of students have access to standards aligned instructional materials.	100% of students have standards aligned instructional materials
5. Survey students interested in accessing online electives through	2021-2022 Baseline to be established	2021-2022 1% (4) of high school students are enrolled in Edgenuity electives.	2022-2023 0.3%% (1) of high school students are enrolled in Edgenuity electives.	2023-2024 7% (18) of high school students are enrolled in Edgenuity electives.	A 10% annual increase in the number of students accessing career

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Edgenuity as an exploration of career options.					classes through Edgenuity.
6. Implementation of State Standards measured by walkthrough observations	2020-2021 80% implementation of Academic content standards	2021-2022 80% implementation of Academic content standards	2022-2023 80% implementation of Academic content standards.	2023-2024 87% implementation of Academic content standards.	100% implementation of Academic Content Standards
7. Broad Course of Study as measured by the master schedule and course catalog in Edgenuity	2020-2021 75% of students had access to a broad course of study	2022-2022 75% of students had access to a broad course of study	2022-2023 75% of students have access to a broad course of study.	2023-2024 100% of students have access to a Broad Course of Study	100% of students have access to a broad course of study

# Goal Analysis

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

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

#### Goal One Successes:

Action 1.1 has been fully implemented, and every teacher has an up-to-date workstation, including a smartboard, laptop, and document camera. Additionally, all students have one-to-one Chromebooks and online educational programs are utilized for intervention and enrichment.

Action 1.2 has been fully implemented, and ten field trips were provided to students, an overall increase of 80% from the previous year when only two college tours were provided. The onsite Cal-SOAP counselor assisted students with college applications, FAFSA completion, and obtaining scholarships and financial aid.

Action 1.4 has been fully implemented, and all school sites in the district are maintaining low-class sizes.

### Goal One Challenges:

Action 1.3 Partially Implemented: The district contracted with the San Benito Arts Council to provide visual arts in K-2 classrooms, a successful initiative. High school students are offered a full course in visual arts, a significant achievement. However, regular arts education was not fully implemented in grades 3-8, a challenge we are actively addressing and need your continued support. One CTE concentrator course was developed and offered in the Building and Construction Trades Industry Sector, a promising development that we aim to build upon.

Action 1.5 was partially implemented. After-school small group interventions were provided at Aromas School. During the school day, intervention was offered at San Juan for primary-grade students, and teachers at the high school provided academic support during lunch and by appointment. However, not all targeted groups received interventions.

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.

Expenditures equal to the budgeted amounts for the following actions:

Action 1.5 Provide Interventions for All Targeted Groups PK-12 Budgeted \$85,000 Estimated Actuals-\$85,000.

Expenditures more than the budgeted amounts for the following actions:

Action 1.1 Provide Highly Effective Technology to Students Budgeted-\$50,000 Estimated Actuals-\$58,138. Additional Chromebooks were needed to provide one-to-one technology.

Action 1.2 Provide Exposure and Access to Higher Education Budgeted-\$15,600 Estimated Actuals-\$16,089. We expanded services with Cal-SOAP to offer more support to students completing college applications.

Action 1.3 Encourage Fine Arts and Career Exploration Budgeted-\$38,000 Estimated Actuals-\$38,763. We expanded the scope of work with the Arts Council to offer lessons through the month of May.

Action 1.4 Maintain Low Class Size Budgeted-\$587,161 Estimated Actuals-\$623,038. The increase was due to salary raises.

Expenditures less than budgeted amounts for the following actions:

None

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

Action 1.1 was effective in achieving its intended result, as evidenced by the metric that 100% of students have access to Chromebooks. Allocating funds for technology ensured that all students could engage in digital learning, particularly important during and after the pandemic. This investment directly supports the students' learning environment, aligning with the goal of providing updated and accessible technology.

Action 1.2 showed effectiveness. The metric indicating that there were ten college campus tours in 2023-2024 demonstrates that the LEA provided tangible exposure to higher education environments. While this action facilitated access and awareness of higher education opportunities, We are analyzing data from the National Clearinghouse to better understand enrollment, progress, and persistence in postsecondary education.

Action 1.3 was effective. The allocation has likely enriched the students' educational experience by ensuring access to a broad course of study, as indicated by the metric of the master schedule and completed Online Edgenuity courses.

Action 1.4 was effective in maintaining a supportive learning environment. Smaller class sizes, compared to our contracted limits, often correlate with more personalized instruction and better student outcomes. Our educational partners have indicated that this is a signature practice for our district, setting us apart, and they would like it to be maintained at all school sites.

Action 1.5 was effective as measured by an increase in local data, including the iReady assessment, to track progress.

The actions within the three-year LCAP cycle show varying degrees of effectiveness in meeting the set goals. Actions like providing up-to-date technology and maintaining low-class sizes have shown clear success in achieving their intended outcomes. Other actions, such as providing interventions for target groups, require more detailed analysis and possibly further refinement to achieve desired results. The approach of linking actions with specific metrics provides valuable insights and promotes transparency, helping to ensure that strategies are appropriately targeted and adjusted as needed.

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

As part of the ongoing analysis and review of the Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP), several changes have been made to enhance the alignment of metrics to actions and improve the overall effectiveness of our strategies. The key changes are as follows:

Consolidation of Goals: We have reduced the number of goals from four to three. This restructuring aims to create a clearer and more direct correlation between our actions and their corresponding metrics, thus facilitating a more effective analysis of our progress and outcomes.

#### Continued Actions with Modifications

Action 1.1: This action has been identified as effective over the past three years. Given its success, we will allocate increased resources to further bolster its impact. This might include additional funding, staffing, or support resources to expand the reach and effectiveness of the initiatives under this action.

Action 1.2: This action will now be realigned to support Goal 3. A significant modification includes increasing the number of college trips for middle school students. This adjustment is intended to enhance early exposure to higher education opportunities, thereby fostering a college-going culture and better preparing students for post-secondary success.

Action 1.3: This action remains a focal point. However, we recognize the need for more specific data on student participation in arts and career exploration programs and their subsequent impacts on career readiness. Collecting and analyzing this data will provide a more robust assessment of the long-term effectiveness of this action and help us fine-tune our approach.

Actions 1.4 and 1.5: These actions will be moved to support Goal 3. For Action 1.5, we will establish specific performance improvements and collect detailed participation data. This data will be instrumental in measuring the effectiveness of our initiatives and making informed adjustments as needed.

By making these changes, we aim to create a more coherent and impactful strategy that will better serve our students and meet our educational goals. These modifications are expected to result in more targeted and effective interventions, ultimately leading to improved student outcomes and overall school performance.

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

# **Goals and Actions**

### Goal

Goal #	Description
2	Cultivate a dynamic educational environment that supports student achievement by engaging in culturally responsive staff collaboration for the success of all students. Prepare all students, particularly low income, English Learner, and foster youth students for success in career and college upon graduation.  Priority 4 - Pupil Achievement; Priority 8 - Other Pupil Outcomes

# Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
1.California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) ELA	2018-2019 ELA 39% standard met or exceeded	2020-2021 ELA 37.84% standard met or exceeded	2021-2022 ELA 40.94% standard met or exceeded	2022-2023 ELA 41.37% standard met or exceeded	ELA % Standard Met or Exceeded 80% by 2023-2024
2.California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) Math	2018-2019 Math 30% standard met or exceeded	2020-2021 Math 19.45% standard met or exceeded	2021-2022 Math 21.42% standard met or exceeded	2022-2023 Math 21.76% standard met or exceeded	Math % Standard Met or Exceeded 80% by 2023-2024
3.California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) CAST	2018-2019 Science (CAST) 23% standard met or exceeded	2020-2021 19.81% standard met or exceeded	2021-2022 Science 27.52% standard met or exceeded	2022-2023 Science 30.18% standard met or exceeded	Science % Standard Met or Exceeded 80% by 2023-2024
4.California Assessment of Student Performance	2018-2019 no report for Alternative Assessment standard met or exceeded	2020-2021 No students took the Alternative Assessment	2021-2022 No students took the Alternative Assessment. A	2022-2023 In order to protect student privacy, data is suppressed because	50% will Meet or Exceed standard

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
and Progress (CAASPP)			baseline will be established for 2022-2023.	fewer than 11 students tested.	
5. A-G Completion	72% in 2019-20 completed A-G requirements	2020-2021 35% completed A-G requirements	2021-2022 34% completed A-G requirements	2022-2023 36% completed A-G requirements	100% of students will complete A-G requirements
6. CTE Course Pathway Completion • Modified: CTE Course Pathway Development	0% of students completing a CTE Pathway - currently CTE Course Pathways are not offered or available	2020-2021 No CTE Pathways were developed this year as we focused on return to school issues.	2021-2022 No CTE Pathways were developed. Exploration into 2 Course Pathways (concentrator- completer)	2023-2024 Two CTE pathways were developed and approved by the board, with 9% (22) students enrolled in the concentrator course.	Develop a CTE Pathway
7. English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (ELPAC)	2018-2019 52.1% of English Learners moved up one level on the Summative ELPAC	2020-2021 No data reported on the dashboard	2021-2022 42.1% of English Learners moved up one level on the Summative ELPAC	2022-2023 27.9% of English Learners moved up one level on the Summative ELPAC	70% of English Learners will move up one level on the ELPAC overall
8. English Learner Reclassification	2018-2019 0% reclassification rate	2020-2021 0.3% reclassification rate	2021-2022 5.22% reclassification rate	2022-2023 5.12% reclassification rate	20% Redesignation rate or meet/exceed state rate (whichever is higher)
9. AP Exam passage rate	2018-2019 scored a "3" or higher on the AP Exams	2020-2021 No data reported	2021-2022 87%% of students taking AP exams scored a "3" or higher	2022-2023 57.7% of students taking AP exams scored a "3" or higher	65% will score a "3" or higher on the AP Exams
10. Pupils prepared for College by the EAP	2018-2019 70% of student scored a "3" or higher in both ELA	2020-2021 32% of students scored a "3" or higher on ELA and	2021-2022 23.2% of students scored a "3" or higher on ELA and	2022-2023 31.6% of students scored a "3" or higher on ELA and	80% of students will score a "3" or higher in both ELA and Math

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
	and Math in 11th grade on the CAASPP	Math in 11th grade on the CAASPP	Math in 11th grade on the CAASPP	Math in 11th grade on the CAASPP	in 11th grade on the CAASPP
11. Other Pupil Outcomes	2021-22 Edgenuity new program set to zero in this year for students accessing and passing electives offered through Edgenuity and offered by the LEA	2021-22 32.5% of students accessing courses thru Edgenuity passed their courses	2022-2023 100% of students accessing courses thru Edgenuity passed their courses	2023-2024 89% of students accessing courses thru Edgenuity passed their courses	50% of students to have access and passed electives offered by LEA through Edgenuity
12. Local Assessment	2021-2022 Baseline will be established for this metric.	Math - 56% of 1st-8th grade students increased their score Reading - 59% of 1st- 8th grade students increased their score	iReady will be implemented at all sites in 2023-2024. New baseline to be established.	2023-2024 78% of all students increased their reading and math performance.	80% of all students will increase their reading and math performance

# Goal Analysis

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

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

### Goal Two Successes:

Action 2.1: The induction program was fully implemented, and all teachers requiring it were provided with the New Teacher Project Program. Hiring incentives were also offered to new staff.

Action 2.1: This action was fully implemented, with teachers participating in Individual Professional Development (IPD) opportunities as outlined in the contract.

Action 2.3: Three full professional development days were provided to all staff, fully implementing this action.

Goal Two Challenges:

Action 2.4: San Juan School fully implemented the Dual Immersion Program. However, staffing with BCLAD-certified teachers remains a challenge.

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.

Expenditures equal to the budgeted amounts for the following actions:

None

Expenditures more than the budgeted amounts for the following actions:

Action 2.2 Provide Relevant Professional Development Opportunities Budgeted-\$9,000 Estimated Actuals-\$10,726. The teacher team attended the CATE conference, so more resources were needed to pay for the conference.

Action 2.3 Provide Extra Days within the School Year for Staff Development Budgeted \$88,849 Estimated Actuals -\$94,278. The increase was due to salary raises.

Action 2.4 Provide Bilingual Education Opportunities Budgeted \$230,761 Estimated Actuals \$244,861. The increase was due to salary raises. Expenditures less than the budgeted amounts for the following actions:

Action 2.1 Attract and Retain Highly Qualified Staff Budgeted-\$42,880 Estimated Actuals-\$42,378. There were not as many teachers hired with advanced degrees.

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

Action 2.1 has been effective, as demonstrated by a reduction in vacancy rates and an increase in the number of fully staffed positions. We have also successfully hired more credentialed teachers.

Action 2.2 has been effective. ELD has been embedded in staff professional development. Students progressed on the ELPAC during the 2021-22 and 2022-23 school years, with increased reclassification rates. However, some students still require additional support, which is why we didn't see continued progress in the third year.

Action 2.3: The additional staff development days have been effective, as indicated by the significant increase in local assessment scores for Math and Reading, showing that the professional development days are positively impacting student performance. However, CAASPP results for college preparedness remain low, indicating a need for more focused efforts in preparing students for higher education standards.

Action 2.4: The provision of bilingual education opportunities, particularly the Dual Immersion program at San Juan School, has been effective. However, finding qualified teachers for the program has been challenging.

The actions taken by ASJUSD show effectiveness. Actions focused on professional development and attracting qualified staff have shown positive impacts on specific academic metrics, especially in ELA and Science, and local assessments. However, there is a need for more targeted efforts in Math performance and EL reclassification rates.

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

ASJUSD has decided to restructure its goals from four to three to better align metrics with actions and improve the effectiveness of its initiatives. This restructuring is based on analyzing data provided in the Dashboard and other local data sources. All four actions from the original goals will continue but with modifications to enhance their effectiveness.

Action 2.1: The previous alignment needed to effectively integrate new teacher induction and hiring strategies with the overarching goals related to improving teaching quality and student outcomes. By moving Action 2.1 to Goal 1, ASJUSD aims to create a more cohesive strategy for teacher induction and retention, directly tying it to student performance and teacher effectiveness. This alignment is expected to streamline efforts and resources, leading to better support for new teachers and increased retention rates.

Actions 2.2 and 2.3 will be moved to Goal 1 to enhance the emphasis on continuous professional development that is in line with instructional goals. This change is anticipated to lead to more coherent professional growth opportunities, improved instructional practices, and ultimately, better student outcomes.

Action 2.4: By enhancing the focus on multilingualism and biliteracy, the LEA aims to better support language learners and recognize their achievements. This will involve more targeted instructional strategies and resources to promote bilingual education, potentially leading to higher rates of biliteracy among students and better preparation for a globalized world.

The modifications to the actions and their reallocation to new goals are designed to address the identified inefficiencies and create a more integrated and effective approach to achieving the District's objectives. By aligning the metrics and actions more closely with the desired outcomes, ASJUSD anticipates improved teacher support, enhanced professional development, and greater student success in multilingualism and overall academic performance.

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## **Goals and Actions**

### Goal

Goal #	Description
3	Ensure safe, fair, and respectful environments that meet the social-emotional, intellectual, cultural, linguistic, and physical needs of students and staff.  State Priority 5 - Pupil Engagement, Priority 6 - School Climate

# Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
1. High School Dropout Rates	0% HS dropout rate during 2020-2021	2021-22 7.9% HS dropout rate	2022-2023 2.3% HS dropout rate	2023-2024 0.4%% HS dropout rate	Maintain 0% dropout rate for High School
2. Middle School Dropout Rates	0% MS dropout rate during 2020-2021	2021-22 0% MS dropout rate	2022-2023 0% MS dropout rate	2023-2024 0% MS dropout rate	Maintain 0% dropout rate for Middle School
3. Attendance Rates as measured by Aeries SIS	In 2020-2021 the attendance rate was 95%	2021-22 Attendance rate was 89.33%	2022-2023 Attendance rate was 91%	2023-2024 Attendance rate was 93.66%	ASJUSD will have meet or exceed a average 97% positive attendance rate by 2023-24.
4. Chronic Absenteeism rates as measured by SIS	In 2019-2020 4% of students were chronically absent	In 2021-22 30% of students were chronically absent	2022-2023 Chronic absenteeism rate was 27%	2023-2024 Chronic absenteeism rate was 18%	Reduce the chronically absent rate by 1% from 2021-2024.
5.Suspension Rate as measured by SIS	0% of students suspended during the 2020-2021 school year	2% of students suspended during the 2021-2022 school year	2022-2023 3.7% Suspension rate	2023-2024 6% Suspension rate	Reduce the suspension rate of all students by .5% from 2021-2024

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
6. Expulsion Rates as measured by SIS	0% of students expelled during the 2020-2021 school year	0% of students were expelled during the 2021-22 school year	2022-2023 Expulsion rate 0.001%	2023-2024 0% Expusion rate	Maintain 0% of students expelled
7. California Healthy Kids Survey to measure connectedness to school and feeling safe at school	0%, baseline to be established during the 21-22 school year. Although the California	Healthy Kids Survey was not conducted during 2021-22.	2022-2023 7th grade: 92%response rate, 49% school connectedness; 49% school safety 9th grade: 94% response rate, 54% school connectedness;60% school safety 11th grade 87% response rate, 35% school connectedness; 60% school safety	2023-2024 Kelvin CalHOPE Survey Grades 4-8: 86% response rate, 77% favorable response to school connectedness and safety Grades 9-12 81% response rate, 65% favorable response to school connectedness and safety	70% of 7th, 9th, and 11th grade students, that take the California Healthy Kids' Survey (CHKS), will self- report a high degree of connectedness to school by 2023-2024.
8.Graduation Rates	90% graduation rate for the 2020-2021 school year	92% graduation rate for the 2021-22 school year.	2022-2023 87% graduation rate	2022-2023 87% graduation rate	95% graduation rate by 2023-2024
9. School Facilities in "Good Repair"	2020-2021 all schools were in "Good Repair"	2021-22 schools were all "Good Repair"	2022-2023 schools were all "Good Repair"	2023-2024 schools were all in "Good Repair"	Maintain 100% of all school in "Good Repair"

# Goal Analysis

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

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#### Goal Three Successes:

Action 3.2 and 3.3: These actions have been fully implemented through a contract with Harmony at Home. This organization provides Social-Emotional Learning (SEL) programs across all schools and individual and small-group counseling for identified students.

The SEL programs are now active in every school, contributing to improved student well-being and emotional health. Individual and small group counseling sessions successfully address the specific needs of identified students, providing targeted support and intervention. These actions have significantly enhanced the overall mental health and emotional support infrastructure within the district, leading to noticeable improvements in student engagement and emotional resilience.

Action 3.4 and 3.5: Both actions have been fully implemented. A complete bus route schedule has been established, and all open positions have been successfully staffed. The establishment of a full bus route schedule has improved student attendance and punctuality, ensuring reliable transportation for all students. Filling all open positions has enhanced the operational efficiency and reliability of the transportation services, supporting students' daily commute and overall school experience. These actions have addressed critical logistical needs, ensuring that transportation is not a barrier to student attendance and participation in school activities.

#### Goal Three Challenges:

Action 3.1: This action has been partially implemented. A high school counselor has been hired and is currently supporting students and staff at Anzar High School. However, the planned additional 0.6 Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) counselor for the K-8 sites has yet to be provided. The lack of additional counseling support at the K-8 level means that younger students have different access to counseling services than their high school counterparts. This disparity can affect the early identification and support of emotional and social issues among younger students. To mitigate this challenge, existing staff and resources have been redistributed where possible to provide some level of support to K-8 students. However, these measures are not a complete substitute for the planned additional counselor.

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.

Expenditures equal to the budgeted amounts for the following actions:

Action 3.2 Provide Social-Emotional Learning Program at All Levels Budgeted \$17,350

Action 3.3 Contract for Individual and Small Group Counseling Budgeted \$15,600

Expenditures more than the budgeted amounts for the following actions:

Action 3.1 Hire Counseling Staff Budgeted \$160,296 Estimated Actuals \$169,565. The increase was due to salary raises.

Expenditures less than budgeted amounts for the following actions:

Action 3.4 Provide Safe Routes to Schools Budgeted \$311,834 Estimated Actuals \$182,523. The decrease occurred because the original budget was mistakenly allocated to Action 3.5. The budgeted amounts should have been reversed between Actions 3.4 and 3.5. The estimated actual amount in Action 3.4 for transporting our unduplicated students is correct.

Action 3.5 Provide Safe Routes to School Budgeted \$167,522 Estimated Actual \$0. The action for transporting unduplicated students is captured in Action 3.4. The budgeted amounts should have been reversed between Actions 3.4 and 3.5.

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

Action 3.1 has been effective in reducing the high school dropout rate from 7.9% in Year 1 to 2.3% in Year 2, due to the hiring of a high school counselor at Anzar High School. The additional 0.6 FTE counselor for the K-8 sites was covered by contracted staffing.

Action 3.2: The contract with Harmony at Home to provide SEL programs at all schools has been effective, with initial improvements in school connectedness and student well-being, as shown by the California Healthy Kids Survey (CHKS). As indicated by favorable responses in the Kelvin CalHOPE Survey, further implementation is expected to enhance these outcomes.

Action 3.3 was effective, with Harmony at Home fully implementing individual and small group counseling. These services have positively impacted students' emotional well-being, reducing dropout rates and improving school connectedness and safety.

Action 3.4 was effective and fully implemented, focusing on transportation services for low-income, homeless, foster youth, and students with special needs. Improvements in attendance rates, from 89.33% in Year 1 to 91% in Year 2, demonstrate a positive impact.

Action 3.5 was effective and fully implemented, focusing on general student transportation. Improvements in attendance rates indicate a positive impact, contributing to desired attendance levels and reducing chronic absenteeism rates.

The combination of Actions 3.1 and 3.3 has significantly reduced high school dropout rates from 7.9% in Year 1 to 2.3% in Year 2. Actions 3.2 and 3.3 likely support the maintenance of a 0% dropout rate in middle schools. Actions 3.4 and 3.5 have contributed to improving attendance rates, though still need to reach the desired 97%.

The SEL and counseling programs (Actions 3.2 and 3.3) may have had an indirect impact on suspension rates, although an increase was observed, suggesting the need for further interventions. The consistent 0% expulsion rate indicates that existing actions are effective in maintaining this metric. implementation of SEL programs (Action 3.2) has led to mixed results in connectedness and safety perceptions, as seen in the CHKS and Kelvin CalHOPE Survey data.

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

ASJUSD has decided to restructure its goals from four to three to better align metrics with actions and improve the effectiveness of its initiatives. This restructuring is based on analyzing data provided in the Dashboard and other local data sources. All five actions from the original goals will continue but with modifications to enhance their effectiveness.

Actions 3.1, 3.2, and 3.3 will remain in Goal 3. Refinement in the implementation strategies to enhance their impact on student performance and well-being. Improved outcomes in student engagement and academic performance are anticipated.

Actions 3.4 and 3.5 will be combined and moved to Goal 2, which provides safe routes to school for the unduplicated student population. Combining these actions under a single goal focuses resources and efforts on a critical area affecting student safety and accessibility. By restructuring the goals and modifying actions based on detailed analysis from the Dashboard and local data, ASJUSD aims to enhance the overall effectiveness of its initiatives, leading to better educational outcomes for its students.

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

## **Goals and Actions**

### Goal

Goal #	Description
	Fully engage students, staff, parents, and community educational partners in support of short- and long-term educational outcomes/goals and community partnerships.  Priority 3 - Parent Involvement, Priority 5 - Pupil Engagement

# Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
Parent participation in decision making	Participation in parent teacher conferences New metric - no baseline data available 0%	2021-22 Fall Parent Participation: San Juan School - 85% Aromas School - 85%	2022-2023 Fall Parent Participation: San Juan School - 85% Aromas School - 85%	2023-2024 Parent Participation: San Juan School - 85% Aromas School - 85%	90% participation in parent teacher conferences each year
2. Parental Input in programs for Unduplicated Pupils	Participation in Parent University New metric - no baseline data available 0%	2021-22 we did not conduct Parent Universities due to the restrictions of COVID.	2022-2023 0% Parent Universities	2022-2023 0% Parent Universities	10% increase in parent participation in Parent University
3. Administer thought exchanges to students and parents (i.e., Parent Square, Thought Exchange or Peachjar)	New metric - no baseline data available 0%	2021-22 95% of all parents received the 12 district messages sent throughout the year.	2022-2023 Parent Square communication was 99.1%	2023-2024 Parent Square communication was 99%	99% parent squared communication rate

# Goal Analysis

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

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

#### Goal Four Successes:

Action 4.1: Successfully implemented, reaching 99% of our families through effective communication strategies and various platforms, ensuring comprehensive engagement with district activities.

Action 4.3:Fully implemented with translated documents and stipends for site-level staff, promoting inclusivity and engagement for non-English-speaking families.

### Goal Four Challenges:

Action 4.2: Partially implemented; workshops for parents were conducted, but "parent universities" were not provided. This gap in the planned support system highlights the need for further improvement in future efforts.

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.

Expenditures equal to the budgeted amounts for the following actions:

None

Expenditures more than the budgeted amounts for the following actions:

Action 4.1 Purchase Web Services and Software to Strengthen Home-to-School Communication Budgeted \$12,370 Estimated Actuals \$14,125. The software ended up being more expensive than we had originally budgeted for.

Expenditures less than budgeted amounts for the following actions:

Action 4.2 Provide for Parent Education Opportunities Budgeted \$18,000 Estimated Actual \$0. We conducted several workshops for parents, all of which were free of charge. Cal-SOAP, Community Solutions, and Harmony at Home did not ask for payment for the parent sessions. Action 4.3 Provide for Translation Services Budgeted \$5,000 Estimated Actuals \$2,534. We utilized our own staff for translation and did not have to hire an outside contractor for most parent meetings.

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

To analyze the effectiveness of the actions in the Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) cycle for ASJUSD, we need to examine the specific actions taken and their outcomes relative to the desired metrics. Here's a breakdown of the analysis based on the provided metrics and outcomes:

Action 4.1 was effective, achieving a consistent 85% participation rate in parent-teacher conferences over the past three years.

Action 4.2: The goal was effective, with parent workshops on topics of interest conducted. However, increased district marketing and advertisement are needed to boost participation..

Action 4.3: The actions to use Parent Square for district communication have been highly effective. The percentage of parents receiving communications increased from 95% in Year 1 to over 99% in Years 2 and 3, meeting and slightly exceeding the target. This indicates that the actions have been highly effective in achieving the desired communication outcomes.

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

Based on the analysis of the data provided in the Dashboard and other local data sources, the ASJUSD has restructured its goals from four to three. This restructuring aims to better align metrics with actions and enhance the effectiveness of its initiatives. Despite the reduction in the number of goals, all three actions from the original goals will continue with modifications to improve their effectiveness. Here are the changes made: All three actions will move to Goal 2.

Action 4.1:This action will remain in place with enhanced supports to ensure that parents can access the Parent Portal in Aeries. This includes providing technical assistance and resources to increase parent engagement and usage of the portal. Action 4.2: This action will shift its focus to a series of workshops and English classes, responding to feedback from educational partners. These workshops and classes are designed to meet the needs expressed by the community, fostering greater involvement and support for students' educational experiences. Action 4.3: This action will be modified to include contracted professional translation services. This change aims to address language barriers and ensure that all communications are accessible to non-English-speaking families, enhancing overall engagement and inclusivity.

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.

### Instructions

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

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

### **Goals and Actions**

### Goal(s)

### **Description:**

Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

### **Measuring and Reporting Results**

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

#### Metric:

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

#### Baseline:

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

#### Year 1 Outcome:

Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

#### Year 2 Outcome:

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

#### Year 3 Outcome:

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

### Desired Outcome for 2023-24:

Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

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

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

### **Goal Analysis**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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# **Local Control and Accountability Plan**

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

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

## **General Information**

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

Mission: In partnership with our families and culturally rich community, Aromas-San Juan Unified School District (ASJUSD) empowers students to be self-directed learners, effective communicators, and global critical thinkers. We achieve academic success through real-world problem-solving, learning to learn, and habits of mind.

Vision: Commitment to equity and excellence.

The Aromas-San Juan Unified School District (ASJUSD) is situated in a rural agricultural area encompassing approximately 100 square miles across western San Benito County, northern Monterey County, and eastern Santa Cruz County. The District encompasses the city of San Juan Bautista in San Benito County, the unincorporated community of Aromas in Monterey County, and additional unincorporated areas within these three counties. The majority of the District's land lies in San Benito County. Geographically, the District is located 38 miles south of San Jose and 15 miles north of Salinas, with U.S. Highway 101 serving as a major thoroughfare.

Formed on July 1, 1991, from the former San Juan Union School District and Pajaro Valley Unified School District, ASJUSD serves a diverse student population. Students in grades K-8 attend San Juan School and Aromas School, while high school students (grades 9-12) attend Anzar High School. Additionally, Mi Escuelita Preschool caters to three and four-year-old students at both K-8 schools.

The academic performance data from the California School Dashboard highlights critical areas of need within the District. In English Language Arts (ELA), students are performing 25.6 points below the standard, while in mathematics, the performance gap is more significant

at 72.8 points below the standard. Additionally, the progress of English Learners has declined, with only 40% making adequate progress. College and career readiness indicators are also low, indicating a need for enhanced support in these areas. Furthermore, chronic absenteeism stands out as a significant challenge that needs urgent attention and requires strategic measures to improve student attendance and engagement.

In accordance with state requirements, ASJUSD's Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP) outlines strategies to support student learning, aligned with California's eight priorities, which fall into the categories of conditions for learning, pupil outcomes, and engagement. The District's goals within the LCAP are designed to promote the state's educational priorities and the aspirations of our educational partners. The plan includes measurable outcomes and supportive actions and services, focusing on student achievement, college and career readiness, adherence to state standards, and support for at-risk students.

As a "community-funded" District, ASJUSD relies primarily on local property taxes rather than state aid funds. The Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) is used to determine the funding entitlement for all school districts in California, though ASJUSD receives only a minimal portion of state aid to ensure state categorical funding. Despite this, the District actively gathers input from educational partners to create a plan that addresses the State's eight priorities.

The District's demographic data reflects the following percentages in the unduplicated count:

• English Learners: 33.3%

Low Income: 54.8%Foster Youth: 0.3%Homeless: 8.3%

• Unduplicated Count: 52.3%

ASJUSD maintains a positive financial condition, meeting all statutory reserve requirements. Despite a decline in enrollment since 2009-10, with current enrollment at 993 students, the District continues to receive robust support from dedicated teachers, classified and management employees, parent volunteers and leaders, and a variety of local foundations and organizations. This collaborative support network is instrumental in driving the success of our students.

ASJUSD is dedicated to providing quality instruction across all classrooms, ensuring that all students develop the skills necessary for college and career readiness to meet the challenges and opportunities of our evolving world. With the passage of Measure M Bond, the District is committed to maintaining safe and up-to-date learning environments. ASJUSD's focus on serving every child is reinforced through strong community partnerships, addressing students' academic, social-emotional, behavioral, and safety needs.

This Plan Summary provides a meaningful context for the LCAP, linking the District's mission, vision, community context, student needs, and performance to the strategies and goals outlined in the subsequent sections of the LCAP.

### **Reflections: Annual Performance**

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

ASJUSD has undertaken a comprehensive review of its performance based on the 2023 Dashboard and local data. This reflection highlights both our successes and challenges, focusing on how we are addressing the identified needs of student groups and schools within the LCAP framework. We have seen notable successes this year, beginning with our effective induction program, enabling four teachers to successfully clear their credentials. Our investment in technology has paid off, with a one-to-one ratio of Chromebooks for students, updated teacher workstations, and the implementation of effective online educational programs, all enhancing the learning environment. Local assessments have shown significant improvement, with 78% of students in grades TK-10 increasing their reading and math performance. Additionally, chronic absenteeism has declined from 27% to 19% this school year, reflecting the success of our attendance initiatives.

In terms of college readiness, we have increased the number of college campus tours for high school students and seen more students successfully completing online courses for credit recovery. We have also developed two Career and Technical Education (CTE) pathways and expanded our Dual Enrollment programs at Anzar High School in partnership with Gavilan College and Hartnell College. Our counseling and support services have been strengthened with the addition of a high school counselor, a partnership with Cal-SOAP for additional counseling services, and data sharing with the California College Guidance Initiative. Moreover, we offer nine AP courses at the high school, with over 90% of students taking AP exams scoring 3 or higher. We are pleased to report that over 61% of high school students have met or exceeded standards in ELA, and there has been an increased percentage of standards met on the California Science Test, along with a decreasing dropout rate.

However, we also face several challenges. Despite an increase in A-G completion, only 36% of students are completing these requirements. Additionally, only 40% of English learners are making progress, and the reclassification rate is staying the same. Parent engagement and participation remain areas needing improvement. Our data analysis reveals that at the district level, English learners show the red/lowest performance in ELA, ELPI, and chronic absenteeism; Hispanic students in chronic absenteeism; and students with disabilities (SWD) in ELA, Math, and chronic absenteeism. At the school level, Aromas has the red/lowest performance in chronic absenteeism for all students, and San Juan shows the red/ lowest performance in suspension for all students.

Looking at specific student groups within schools, at Aromas, Hispanic, SWD, EL, and socioeconomically disadvantaged (SED) students have the red/lowest performance in chronic absenteeism, and SWD also show the red/lowest performance in Math. At San Juan, Hispanic, Two or More Races, SED, and SWD have the red/lowest performance in suspension, SWD in Math and ELA, and ELS in ELA and ELPI.

To address these identified needs, we are implementing several strategies. These include adopting school improvement processes that utilize improvement science tools and processes, fostering a data-rich culture, and employing the Cycle of Inquiry using data and Plan-Do-Study-Act (PDSA) cycles. We are also strengthening Professional Learning Communities (PLCs) at school sites to support collaborative professional development. Our partnership with TCOE provides Differentiated Assistance tailored to specific needs and our collaboration with California Educational Partners for the PreK-Grade 3 coherence collaborative aims to enhance early education in mathematics. Additionally, we are conducting empathy interviews with families identified in multiple support categories to better understand and address their needs. Lastly, we are intensifying efforts to improve attendance through targeted strategies and interventions. This reflection underscores our commitment to leveraging data for continuous improvement and addressing the diverse needs of our student groups to foster academic success and well-being.

### **Reflections: Technical Assistance**

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

LEAs are annually identified for eligibility for technical assistance consistent with EC secretions 47607.3, 52071, 52071.5, 52072, or 52072.5. The most common form of this technical assistance is frequently referred to as Differentiated Assistance.

California's Differentiated Assistance (DA) program is an initiative aimed at supporting schools and districts in improving student achievement and overall performance. In essence, California's DA program recognizes the diverse needs of schools and districts across the state and aims to provide tailored support to facilitate continuous improvement and ensure that all students have the opportunity to succeed.

The Aromas-San Juan Unified School District qualifies for DA due to its identification of student performance concerns within specific student groups, including SWDs and ELs, in priority areas of academic achievement and engagement. Initial efforts commenced in the fall with collaborative meetings facilitated by the San Benito County Office of Education (SBCOE), subsequently transitioning to a provider partnership arrangement involving the Tulare County of Education (TCOE), San Benito High School District (SBHSD), and Hollister School District (HESD). Our ongoing collaboration with our providers involves guiding documentation of activities, offering thought partnership, providing facilitation support, overseeing improvement approaches, and assisting with LCAP support to align DA requirements with our plan. The SBCOE provides oversight of the process.

Actions related to Differentiated Assistance are Goal 1, Action 3, Goal 1, Action 4, Goal 2, Action 1, and Goal 3, Action 4.

# **Comprehensive Support and Improvement**

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

### Schools Identified

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

N/A

### Support for Identified Schools

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

N/A

# Monitoring and Evaluating Effectiveness

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

N/A

# **Engaging Educational Partners**

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

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

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

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

Educational Partner(s)	Process for Engagement
School Site Councils	The LCAP engagement process involved holding meetings at each school site to review goals, actions, metrics, and local and dashboard data, while also collecting input through discussions and questionnaires. Parents of students with disabilities are represented on the School Site Council (SSC).  Anzar: April 26, 2024  Aromas: April 25, 2024  San Juan: May 9, 2024
ELAC/DELAC Parents and Students	The LCAP engagement process involved holding meetings at each school site and district level to review goals, actions, metrics, and local and dashboard data, while collecting input through discussions, questionnaires, and poster sessions.  Anzar: April 23, 2024  Aromas: April 11, 2024  San Juan: March 27, 2024  ASJUSD: May 7, 2024
Administrators	The LCAP engagement process included analyzing local and dashboard data, reviewing current goals, actions, and metrics, and drafting new goals and actions for the upcoming LCAP. Retreat: October 3, 2023 Adminstrative Team Meeting (ATM)/Principal Team Meetings (PTM): September 19, 2023; April 30, 2024; May 21, 2024

Educational Partner(s)	Process for Engagement
ASJUSD Staff, ASJUSD Familes and Community Partners	The LCAP engagement process involved conducting multiple activities to review goals, actions, and data while collecting input through discussions, presentations, and note-taking documents. Town Hall Meetings: February 6, 2024; April 9, 2024 Dinner for Eight: March 14, 21, 25, and 26, 2024 Coffee Hours with the Superintendent and each school's Principal: Anzar: October 4, 2023; December 6, 2023, April 1, 2024 Aromas: Sept 12, 2023; Octo 10, 2023, Dec 12, 2023; Jan 9, 2024; Feb 13, 2024; Mar 12, 2024; Apr 9, 2024; May 14, 2024 San Juan: Sept 1, 2023; Oct 6, 2023; Dec 1, 2023; Feb 2, 2024; Mar 1, 2024; May 3, 2024
Students	The LCAP engagement process included meetings with students, including those with disabilities (SWD) and English Learners (ELs), to discuss updates in instruction and curriculum, new textbooks, additional AP courses, academic tutoring, advisories, counseling, electives, class materials, Spanish support, technology improvements, and facilities upgrades. Additionally, a student survey was conducted.  SuperStat (Superintendent/Student Advisory Team) Meetings were held on December 12, 2023; December 13, 2023; February 1, 2024; April 18, 2024; and May 23, 2024.
Classifed and Certificated Staff	The LCAP engagement process involved distributing electronic surveys to review goals, actions, metrics, and local and dashboard data, while also collecting input through discussions.  Staff meetings: Anzar-April 11, 2024; Aromas-April 11, 2024; San Juan-April 18, 2024  Local Bargaining Units: April 1, 2024; May 27, 2024
Teachers, Administrators, Counselors, Special Education Staff, DA Lead Partners	The LCAP engagement process involved conducting various activities to review goals, actions, and data while collecting input through discussions, presentations, and note-taking documents using improvement science tools.  Differentiated Assistance Meetings: October 17, 2023; March 5, 2024; April 23, 2024; May 7, 2024

Educational Partner(s)	Process for Engagement
SELPA	The LCAP engagement process involved the SELPA director and district directors meeting regularly to discuss goals, actions, and metrics.  Compliance Collaboratives: Oct 5, 2023; Dec 7, 2023; Mar 7, 2024; Apr 18, 2024  SELPA LCAP Consultation May 23, 2024
Governing Board	The LCAP engagement process included updates on current goals, actions, metrics, new goals, and the rationale for changes made based on educational partner feedback.  Board Meetings: January 10, 2024; February 14, 2024, May 15, 2024

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

The structured engagement process, which includes meetings at each school site and at the district, fosters meaningful involvement of educational partners. This engagement is critical for the development and refinement of the LCAP, ensuring that it addresses the needs of all student groups and supports continuous improvement and accountability.

Ideas from Educational Partners' input were compiled and influenced various aspects of this year's LCAP development. Educational Partners provided the following input and feedback for the 2024-2025 LCAP:

#### Feedback to continue services:

- · Academic counseling at the high school
- Use of Aeries for parent communication
- Provide technology to students and staff
- Induction program for qualified staff
- Professional development
- · Provide transportation and safe routes to school

#### Feedback to add services:

- · Visual and Performing Arts (VAPA) across all grades
- Sports for grades K-5
- · Supports for English learner newcomer students
- Math and reading Intervention during the school day
- Circle of Friends for Students with Disabilities (SWD)
- Eliminate barriers to afterschool programs for SWD
- Provide physical education teacher to promote student health and wellness at K-8 sites

- Incorporate new metrics to measure the effectiveness of intervention programs and set specific target outcomes for special education students and English learners for reading and math.
- Enhance communication and outreach to families and community-based organizations.
- 1. Parents, teachers, and bargaining unit members recommended continuing to provide small class sizes and striving to eliminate grade combination classes (Action 3.3).
- 2. Teachers requested meaningful professional development aligning to new program materials, technology, and ELD (Action 1.3).
- 3. Staff and parents supported increased communications through Parent Square (Action 2.4).
- 3. Parents and staff recommended providing intensive, targeted support and interventions during the school day (Action 3.4).
- 4. All educational partners recommended increasing the number of counselors in the district. (Actions 2.1 and 3.1)
- 6. Teachers and administrators supported the reestablishment of PLCs district-wide (Action 3.4)
- 6. All educational partner groups recommended integrating Social and Emotional Learning (SEL) with academics, discipline, and support (Action 2.1)
- 7. Students and parents advocated for greater elective access (Action 3.2).
- 8. ELAC/DELAC parents and students advocated for translation services and multilingual educational opportunities (Actions 2.3 and 2.6)

All educational partners agreed the district should strive for an equitable approach to education, that values creating physical learning spaces that are safe, supportive, inclusive, and accommodating to students' needs, with classroom spaces designed to provide choice and diversity.

## **Goals and Actions**

### Goal

Goal #	Description	Type of Goal
1	Provide high-quality teaching and learning for every students.	Broad Goal

### State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Priority 1: Basic (Conditions of Learning)

Priority 2: State Standards (Conditions of Learning)

Priority 7: Course Access (Conditions of Learning)

#### An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

The District is committed to providing high-quality teaching and learning for every student. This goal has been prioritized based on Dashboard data and other locally collected data, highlighting areas needing improvement and enhancement. Dashboard data indicated disparities in student achievement and engagement. Local assessments identified the need for improved instructional quality and access to up-to-date technology. Feedback from parents, teachers, and students emphasized the importance of high-quality teaching, modern learning environments, and equitable access to educational resources. The District aims to ensure transparency by clearly communicating the rationale behind prioritizing high-quality teaching and learning, fostering stakeholder understanding and support.

- Providing 1:1 devices and research-based online educational programs to engage and enhance students' learning experiences.
- Facilitating college campus tours, CTE pathways, and onsite dual enrollment classes to broaden student's educational horizons.
- Hiring a visual and performing arts teacher on special assignment (VAPA-TOSA) to support arts integration at all K-8 school sites.
- Offering relevant professional development for all staff to ensure effective implementation of high-quality teaching practices.

By implementing these actions and measuring their effectiveness with specific metrics, the District aims to achieve its goal of providing high-quality teaching and learning for every student.

## **Measuring and Reporting Results**

N	/letric#	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
		Teachers (Data Sources: School Accountability	2023-2024 96.2% of teachers are appropriately assigned and credentialed.			2026-2027 100% of teachers are appropriately	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
	California Commission on Teacher Credentialing)				assigned and credentialed.	
1.2	Technology (Data Source: Google Admin Console)	2023-2024 100% of students have Chromebooks.			2026-2027 100% of students have Chromebooks.	
1.3	Professional Development (Data Source: Electronic Sign In)	2023-2024 100% of staff have participated in professional development			2026-2027 100% of staff have participated in professional development.	
1.4	Sufficiency of Instructional Materials (Data Source: Instructional Materials Sufficiency Report)	2023-2024 100% of students have access to standards aligned instructional materials			2026-2027 100% of students have access to standards aligned instructional materials	
1.5	School Facilities in Good Repair (Data Source: Facilities Inspection Tool)	2023-2024 100% of schools in good repair			2026-2027 100% of schools in good repair	
1.6	Broad Course of Study Access (Data Source: School Site Master Schedule)	2023-2024 100% of students have access to a Broad Course of Study			2026-2027 100% of students have access to a Broad Course of Study	
1.7	Implementation of State Standards (Data Source: Instructional Materials Sufficiency Report)	2023-2024 87% implementation of state standards			2026-2027 100% implementation of state standards	
1.8	Online Educational Programs (Data Sources: Program Usage Reports and Student/Teacher Survey)	2023-2024 Baseline will be established in 2024- 2025 to monitor the impact of online educational programs			2026-2027 95% usage across the LEA 90% increase in student performance	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
					90% favorable student/teacher feedback	
1.9	Percentage of students with disabilities that are in general education more than 80% of the time (Data Source: SIRAS Systems Statistical Report)	2023-2024 75%			2026-2027 85%	

## Goal Analysis [2023-24]

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

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

Not Applicable.

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

Not Applicable.

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

Not Applicable.

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

Not Applicable.

## **Actions**

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
1.1	Provide Highly Effective Technology	To ensure the highest quality educational experience, the Local Education Agency (LEA) will commit to providing and maintaining the most up-to-date technology infrastructure. This action will include the procurement and regular upgrading of student devices, ensuring that each student has access to reliable and current technology. Additionally, the LEA will provide state-of-the-art teacher workstations to facilitate efficient instructional delivery and administrative tasks.  Furthermore, the LEA will integrate research-based online educational programs into the curriculum, such as Lexia English, Renaissance Star Assessments, and ST Math. These programs will be carefully selected based on their proven effectiveness in enhancing student learning outcomes for English learners, long-term English learners, low-income students, foster youth, and students with disabilities. Implementing these online tools will support diverse learning styles and provide additional resources for personalized instruction.  Regular professional development sessions will be conducted to train teachers on the effective use of new technologies and online educational programs. This will ensure that both students and teachers can maximize the benefits of the technological tools provided. Continuous evaluation and feedback mechanisms will be established to monitor the impact of these technologies on teaching and learning, allowing for timely adjustments and improvements.  By maintaining effective technology, the LEA aims to create a dynamic and engaging learning environment that prepares students for future academic and career success.	\$100,000.00	Yes
1.2	Attract and Retain Highly Qualified Staff	We will implement a comprehensive hiring incentives and induction program to attract and retain highly qualified teachers for English learners (ELs), long-term English learners, low-income students, and students with disabilities.  This action includes the following key components:  • Signing Bonuses	\$71,597.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		<ul> <li>Salary Enhancements</li> <li>Induction Program</li> <li>Mentorship</li> <li>Professional Development</li> <li>By implementing these hiring incentives and a comprehensive contracted induction program, we aim to create a supportive and attractive environment for highly qualified teachers, ultimately enhancing the educational outcomes for ELs, LTELs, low-income students, and students with disabilities.</li> </ul>		
1.3	Professional Development	To enhance the instructional quality and support for English Learners (ELs), low-income, and foster youth students, our Local Educational Agency (LEA) will provide various professional development opportunities. This action plan focuses on equipping educators with the skills and knowledge necessary to effectively teach and support these student populations.  Key components of this professional development initiative include:  • Professional Development for English Learners and English Language Development (ELD), including ELD Strategies Workshops with the ELD Standards Training.  • Professional Development for Low-Income and Foster Youth Students, including Trauma-Informed Practices and Social-Emotional Learning (SEL)  • Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID) Training, including AVID Strategies and AVID Elective  • Professional Learning Communities (PLCs), including PLC Implementation and Data-Driven Instruction.  • Instructional Technology, including EdTech Tools and Digital Literacy  • Professional development for newly adopted program materials and supplemental resources.  • Professional development for Students with Disabilities, including understanding IEPs and 504 Plans, strategies for collaborating with special education teachers, aides, and therapists, behavior	\$31,420.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		management and positive behavior support, math and ELA content, and inclusion strategies.  Individualized Professional Development, including Personalized PD Plans and Coaching and Mentoring  Math Training with P3CC and California Educational Partners, including P3CC specialized math training that focuses on early math concepts and effective teaching strategies, and Math Workshops  By implementing this comprehensive professional development plan, our LEA aims to empower educators with the knowledge and skills necessary to provide high-quality, equitable education for English Learners, students with disabilities, low-income students, and foster youth. This initiative will foster an inclusive and supportive learning environment, ultimately improving academic outcomes and closing achievement gaps for these student populations.		
1.4	All Staff Professional Development Days	To enhance the skills and effectiveness of our educators in serving English learners, low-income students, foster youth, and other unduplicated student groups, our LEA will implement extra staff development days. ASJUSD will provide three extra staff development days within the school year. These days will focus on broad professional development needs, ensuring all staff have the opportunity to engage in meaningful training and collaboration.	\$113,006.00	Yes

## **Goals and Actions**

## Goal

Goal #	Description	Type of Goal
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	educational outcomes.	

#### State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Priority 3: Parental Involvement (Engagement)

Priority 5: Pupil Engagement (Engagement)

Priority 6: School Climate (Engagement)

#### An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

The District has developed the goal of fully engaging students, staff, parents, and the community to support short—and long-term educational outcomes based on Dashboard data and locally collected data. This goal has been prioritized to address key areas identified through comprehensive consultation with educational partners. Dashboard data revealed the need for improved student engagement and parental involvement. Local surveys and feedback highlighted gaps in communication and community engagement. Extensive consultations with students, staff, parents, and community partners emphasized the importance of enhanced two-way communication and active participation in the educational process. The District is committed to transparency, ensuring that the rationale for this goal is clearly communicated to all stakeholders, promoting understanding and support.

- Improve two-way communication and community engagement with educational and community partners, ensuring that all communications are translated to include all families.
- Conduct parent workshops to engage parents in their child's academic and career aspirations, fostering better student support.
- Provide opportunities for career and college access, preparing students for future success.
- Enhance multilingual programs to support diverse linguistic backgrounds within the community.
- Ensure safe routes to school, promoting a secure and supportive learning environment.

By implementing these actions and measuring their effectiveness with specific metrics, the District aims to achieve its goal of fully engaging students and parents, leading to improved educational outcomes.

## **Measuring and Reporting Results**

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
2.1	Family Engagement (Data Sources: Sign In Sheets, Agendas, and Minutes)	2023-2024 85% participation at parent conferences  New baseline data will be established in 2024-2025 Participation in SSC Participation in ELAC/DELAC Compliance at ELAC/DELAC and SSC soliciting parent input			2026-2027 100% participation at parent conferences 100% compliance at ELAC/DELAC and SSC soliciting parent input	
2.2	School Attendance Rate (Data Source: Aeries)	2023-2024 Overall: 93.3% SWD: 91.5% EL: 92.9% Low Income: 92.8% Foster: N/A Homeless: 93.4%			2026-2027 98% Attendance Rate	
2.3	Chronic Absenteeism Rate (Data Sources: Aeries and DataQuest)	2023-2024 Overall: 19.5% SWD: 25.4% EL: 23.3% Low Income: 25.8% Foster: N/A Hispanic: Homeless 16.1%			2026-2027 4% Chronic Absenteeism	
2.4	Middle School Dropout Rate (Data Source: Aeries)	2023-2024 0% MS dropout rate			2026-2027 0% MS Dropout Rate	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
2.5	High School Dropout Rate (Data Source: Aeries)	2023-2024 0.4% (1) HS dropout rate			2026-2027 0% HS Dropout Rate	
2.6	Pupil Suspension Rate (Data Source: Aeries)	2023-2024 6% Suspension rate			2026-2027 0% Suspension Rate	
2.7	Pupil Expulsion Rate (Data Source: Aeries)	2023-2024 0% Explusion rate			2026-2027 0% Explusion Rate	
2.8	Student, Parent and Teacher Surveys (Data Sources: Kelvin and California Healthy Kids Survey)	2023-2024 Kelvin CalHOPE Student Survey Grades 4-8 86% Response rate 77% Feel connected at school 79% Feel school is a safe place Grades 9-12 81% Response rate 65% Feel connected at school and safety 72% Feel school is a safe place New baseline data will be established for surveys and the use of the CHKS in 2024-2025			2026-2027 Kelvin CalHOPE/CHKS Survey Grades 4-8 95% Response rate 80% Feel connected at school 90% Feel school is a safe place Grades 9-12 95% Response rate 80% Feel connected at school and safety 95 % Feel school is a safe place	
2.9	Graduation Rate (CA School Dashboard)	2022-2023 72.7%			2025-2026 90%	

## Goal Analysis [2023-24]

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Not Applicable.

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

Not Applicable.

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

Not Applicable.

#### **Actions**

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
2.1	Social Emotional Learning	<ul> <li>To support the social and emotional development of our students, the District will implement a comprehensive Social Emotional Learning (SEL) curriculum and class presentations. This initiative aims to foster a positive school climate, improve student well-being, and enhance students' ability to manage emotions, build healthy relationships, and make responsible decisions.</li> <li>Establish a contract with an organization specializing in social-emotional learning and mental health support.</li> <li>Develop and integrate a SEL curriculum tailored to the needs of students across all grade levels. The curriculum will include modules on self-awareness, self-management, social awareness, relationship skills, and responsible decision-making.</li> <li>Conduct class presentations led by trained educators. These presentations will be interactive, age-appropriate, and designed to</li> </ul>	\$75,000.00	No

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		<ul> <li>engage students in meaningful discussions and activities related to SEL.</li> <li>To address the mental health and emotional well-being of our students, the District will provide individual and small-group counseling services. This action aims to offer personalized support to students experiencing social, emotional, or behavioral challenges, ensuring they have the resources to succeed academically and personally.</li> <li>Offer one-on-one counseling sessions for students identified as needing additional support. These sessions will be conducted by licensed counselors and will focus on addressing specific emotional or behavioral issues.</li> <li>Provide small group counseling sessions to address common issues faced by students, such as anxiety, peer relationships, and coping skills. Groups will be formed based on age and specific needs to ensure relevant and effective support.</li> <li>Implement a referral system in collaboration with teachers, parents, and school staff to identify students who would benefit from counseling services. Ensure a streamlined process for referring students to counselors.</li> <li>Engage parents and teachers in the counseling process through regular communication and updates. Provide resources and strategies for supporting students outside of counseling sessions.</li> <li>Establish metrics to evaluate the effectiveness of the counseling services. Collect data on student progress, engagement in sessions, and overall emotional well-being to assess the impact and make necessary adjustments.</li> <li>By implementing this action, the District aims to provide students with essential behavioral and mental health support, ensuring they have the necessary resources and assistance to thrive in their educational environment. Additionally, this action will help address the suspension rate at San Juan School, particularly for Hispanic, TOM, SED, and SWD students.</li> </ul>		

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
2.2	Transportation	To ensure equitable access to education and consistent attendance, the District will provide dedicated transportation services for low-income students, homeless students, foster youth, English learners and students with special needs. This action aims to remove transportation barriers that may prevent these students from regularly attending school and participating in educational activities.  • Maintain regular communication with parents and guardians to coordinate transportation schedules and address any concerns or changes in transportation needs.  • Monitor the attendance of students receiving transportation services to evaluate the effectiveness of the program. Track improvements in attendance and punctuality as indicators of success.  • Collect feedback from students, parents, and school staff to continually improve the transportation services. Address any issues promptly to ensure the program meets the needs of all students.  Through the implementation of this action, providing fuel, repairs, and services the District aims to ensure that every student, regardless of economic status or special needs, have access to consistent and reliable transportation. This support is intended to promote regular attendance and participation in school activities, addressing chronic absenteeism among district-level student groups in the red/lowest performance category, particularly at Aromas School, including Hispanic, SWD, EL, and SED students.	\$140,909.00	Yes
2.3	Multilingual Education	To promote multilingual education and support students in achieving bilingual proficiency, the District will provide additional supports for programs such as Spanish classes afterschool, pathways to the Seal of Biliteracy, recruitment and retention of bilingual educators, and support for obtaining the BCLAD credential. This action aims to remove barriers to participation in multilingual education programs and ensure students and	\$27,665.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		<ul> <li>educators have the resources needed for success.</li> <li>Provide dedicated transportation for students enrolled in afterschool Spanish classes to ensure safe and consistent attendance. This includes coordination with transportation providers to offer timely pick-up and drop-off services.</li> <li>Develop and implement a comprehensive pathway for students to achieve the Seal of Biliteracy, including curriculum alignment, assessment preparation, and recognition of multilingual achievements.</li> <li>Offer Spanish language classes afterschool to enhance language proficiency and support students in their journey towards bilingualism. Ensure qualified instructors and engaging materials are available for effective learning.</li> <li>Actively recruit bilingual educators and provide incentives for retention. This includes offering hiring incentives, professional development opportunities, and a supportive work environment.</li> <li>Provide financial assistance, study resources, and mentorship for educators pursuing the Bilingual Cross-Cultural Language and Academic Development (BCLAD) credential. This support aims to increase the number of certified bilingual teachers in the District.</li> <li>By implementing these actions, through primarily contracted services, the District aims to foster a supportive environment for multilingual education, ensuring students have the opportunities and resources to develop bilingual proficiency and achieve academic success.</li> </ul>		
2.4	Communication	To enhance parent outreach and communication, the District will continue to implement software designed to keep families informed about school events, activities, and issues specific to their students. This action aims to foster stronger home-school connections, increase parent engagement, and ensure timely and effective communication between the school and families.	\$15,492.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		<ul> <li>Provide training for school staff on how to effectively use the software to communicate with families. Offer workshops and resources for parents to help them navigate and utilize the platform.</li> <li>Use the software to send regular updates and notifications about school events, activities, and important issues. Ensure that communications are timely, relevant, and personalized to the needs of each family.</li> <li>Facilitate two-way communication between families and school staff through the software. Allow parents to ask questions, provide feedback, and engage in meaningful dialogues with teachers and administrators.</li> <li>Monitor the usage and effectiveness of the communication software. Collect feedback from parents and school staff to make continuous improvements and ensure the software meets the needs of the school community.</li> <li>By implementing this action, the District aims to create a robust communication system that keeps families informed and engaged, ultimately supporting student success and fostering a collaborative school community.</li> </ul>		
2.5	Parent Education	To empower parents with the knowledge and skills needed to support their children's education, the District will provide a variety of parent education programs, workshops, and resources. This action aims to enhance parents' ability to engage in their children's learning, foster positive home environments, and build strong partnerships between families and schools.  • Develop a comprehensive parent education program that addresses diverse topics such as academic support, social-emotional development, effective parenting strategies, and navigating the school system.  • Schedule regular workshops and events throughout the school year. These sessions will be designed to accommodate parents' varying schedules, including evening and weekend options.	\$5,533.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		<ul> <li>Provide necessary materials and supplies for each workshop, including handouts, instructional guides, and interactive tools. Ensure that resources are available in multiple languages to support all families.</li> <li>Invite expert speakers and facilitators to lead workshops. These professionals will provide valuable insights, and practical advice, and engage parents in meaningful discussions.</li> <li>Ensure that all parent education programs are accessible to the entire school community. This includes offering workshops in multiple languages and providing childcare services during events.</li> <li>Actively promote parent education opportunities through various communication channels such as newsletters, social media, and the school website. Engage parents in the planning process to identify topics of interest and areas of need.</li> <li>Collect feedback from parents after each workshop to assess the effectiveness of the programs and identify areas for improvement. Use this data to refine and enhance future offerings.</li> <li>By implementing this action, the District aims to provide valuable educational opportunities for parents, fostering a collaborative and supportive community that promotes the well-being and academic achievement of every student and in particular our unduplicated students.</li> </ul>		
2.6	Translation Services	To ensure effective communication and inclusivity for all families, the District will provide professional translation services for both oral and written communications and contract with a community liaison. This action aims to bridge language barriers, facilitate better engagement with non-English speaking families, and ensure all members of the school community have equal access to important information and resources.  • Contract with professional translation services to translate all written communications, including newsletters, reports, school announcements, and instructional materials. Ensure accuracy and cultural relevance in translations.	\$19,919.00	Yes

Action # Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
	<ul> <li>Provide oral translation services for parent-teacher conferences, school meetings, workshops, and other events. Ensure that translators are available for both planned events and on an asneeded basis.</li> <li>Provide training for school staff on how to effectively use translation services and work with the community liaison. Emphasize the importance of cultural sensitivity and inclusive communication practices.</li> <li>Establish and maintain multilingual communication channels, such as phone lines, email addresses, and social media platforms, to ensure families can easily access information and support in their preferred language.</li> <li>Regularly monitor the effectiveness of translation services and the community liaison's efforts. Collect feedback from families and staff to identify areas for improvement and ensure that communication needs are being met.</li> <li>By implementing this action, the District aims to ensure that all families, regardless of their primary language, have equal opportunities to participate in their children's education and engage with the school community.</li> </ul>		

## **Goals and Actions**

## Goal

Goal #	Description	Type of Goal
3	Prepare every student to be college, career, and world-ready upon graduation.	Broad Goal

#### State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Priority 4: Pupil Achievement (Pupil Outcomes)

Priority 8: Other Pupil Outcomes (Pupil Outcomes)

#### An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

The District has developed the goal of preparing every student to be college, career, and world-ready upon graduation based on both Dashboard data and locally collected data. This goal has been prioritized to address the identified areas of need and enhance student readiness for post-secondary success. Dashboard data indicated that the District is performing low on the College and Career Indicator (CCI). Local assessments and feedback highlighted the need for improved college readiness and career preparation programs. The goal was identified through extensive consultation with educational partners, including teachers, parents, students, and community members. These discussions emphasized the importance of preparing students for future success and highlighted specific areas for improvement. The District is committed to transparency and aims to ensure that all stakeholders understand the rationale behind prioritizing this goal. The focus on college, career, and world readiness aligns with the community's expectations and aspirations for student success.

#### ASJUSD plans to:

- increase the number of college tours and expand participation to include middle school students. Early exposure to college environments aims to inspire and motivate students to pursue higher education.
- maintain lower class sizes and provide targeted interventions to support students who are at risk of falling behind. This includes additional support in key academic areas and personalized learning plans.
- maintain and enhance high school counseling services to guide students through their academic and career planning. Our counselor will play a crucial role in helping students navigate their options and prepare for post-secondary education.
- implement continuous improvement strategies using improvement science tools to monitor and evaluate the effectiveness of interventions. This approach ensures that the District can adapt and refine strategies to meet students' evolving needs.

By focusing on these actions and utilizing specific metrics to monitor progress, the District aims to ensure that every student is well-prepared for college, career, and the global challenges they will face upon graduation.

## **Measuring and Reporting Results**

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
3.1	Statewide Standardized Assessments (Data Sources: Testing Operations Management System, Data Quest and CA School Dashboard)				2026-2027 California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) standard met or exceeded ELA: 80% Math: 70% Science: 75%	
3.2	A-G Completion Rate (Data Source: Aeries)	2022-2023 36% completed A-G requirements			2026-2027 80% completed A-G requirements	
3.3	Career Technical Education (CTE) (Data Source: Aeries)	2023-2024 0% completed a CTE pathway			2026-2027 50% completed a CTE pathway	
3.4	A-G and CTE (Data Source: Aeries)	2023-2024 0% completed both A-G and CTE			2026-2027 50% completed both A- G and CTE	
3.5	Advanced Placement (AP) (Data Sources : College Board and Aeries)	2022-2023 92.3% of students taking AP exams scored a "3" or higher			2025-2026 100% of students taking AP exams scored a "3" or higher	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
3.6	Early Assessment Program (EAP) Conditionally College Ready (Data Source: CAASPP Percent Meets/Exceeds in ELA and Math)	2022-2023 31.6% of students were prepared for college according to the EAP			2026-2027 70% of students were prepared for college according to the EAP	
3.7	Reclassification Rate (Data Sources Ellevation and DataQuest)	2022-2023 5.1% reclassification rate for ELs  A baseline will be established for LTELs in 2024-2025			2026-2027 EL:30% reclassification rate LTEL:100% reclassification rate	
3.8	English Learner Progress Indicator (ELPI) (Data Source: CA School Dashboard)	2022-2023 40.5% made progress or maintained a "4" on the ELPAC  A baseline will be established for LTELs in 2024-2025			2026-2027 EL ELPI: 75% LTEL ELPI: 100%	
3.9	Local Assessments (Data Source: iReady)	2023-2024 78% increased reading and math performance on the iReady diagnostic.  A baseline will be established for students on track to meet/exceed standards on the SBAC in 2024-2025			2026-2027 95% increased reading and math performance 70% on track to meet/exceed standards on the SBAC	

## Goal Analysis [2023-24]

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

Not Applicable.

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

Not Applicable.

#### **Actions**

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
3.1	Counseling	To support student academic success and future-readiness, the District will provide comprehensive academic counseling services. This action aims to guide students through their educational journey, helping them set and achieve academic goals, plan for college and careers, and address any academic challenges they may face.  • Provide individualized academic planning sessions for students. The counselor will work with students to develop personalized academic plans that align with their goals, interests, and abilities.  • Implement college and career readiness programs, including workshops, informational sessions, and resources on college applications, financial aid, and career exploration. Provide students with the tools and knowledge needed to navigate their post-secondary options.  • Identify students at risk of academic underperformance and align targeted interventions and support. This includes tutoring, study	\$198,065.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		skills workshops, and coordination with teachers to address specific academic needs.  • Engage parents in the academic counseling process by offering informational sessions and regular communication about their child's progress and academic planning. Equip parents with the resources to support their child's educational journey.  • Establish metrics to monitor the effectiveness of academic counseling services. Collect data on student progress, graduation rates, and college acceptance rates to evaluate the impact and make necessary adjustments.  By implementing comprehensive academic counseling services, the District aims to ensure that all students receive the guidance and support necessary to achieve their academic and future aspirations.		
3.2	Career and College Planning	To prepare students for future success, the District will offer comprehensive career and college planning services. This action includes organizing college field trips, facilitating work-based learning experiences, and utilizing resources and data from the California College Guidance Initiative (CCGI). The goal is to provide students with practical experiences and valuable information to make informed decisions about their educational and career paths.  • Organize regular college field trips for middle and high school students. These visits will expose students to various college environments, help them understand the requirements for admission, and inspire them to pursue higher education.  • Develop partnerships with local businesses and organizations to offer work-based learning experiences, such as internships, job shadowing, and mentorship programs. These opportunities will provide students with hands-on experience and insights into different career fields.  • Integrate career and college planning lessons into the curriculum. These lessons will cover topics such as career exploration, college application processes, financial aid, and resume writing.	\$7,746.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		<ul> <li>Ensure that these lessons are age-appropriate and aligned with students' academic levels.</li> <li>Leverage the resources and data provided by the California College Guidance Initiative (CCGI) to support students in their career and college planning. CCGI offers a comprehensive suite of tools and information to help students explore careers, prepare for college, and track their progress.</li> <li>Conduct information sessions for parents to engage them in their child's career and college planning process. Provide resources and guidance on how parents can support their child's aspirations and navigate the college application and financial aid processes.</li> <li>Establish metrics to monitor the effectiveness of career and college planning activities. Collect data on student participation in college field trips and work-based learning experiences, as well as outcomes such as college application and acceptance rates.</li> <li>By providing career and college planning services through field trips, work-based learning experiences, and CCGI resources, the District aims to equip students with the knowledge and experiences necessary to make informed decisions about their future.</li> </ul>		
3.3	Maintain Low Class Size	To enhance the quality of education and provide personalized attention to students, the District will maintain low class sizes (fewer students than the contracted number) by maintaining 5 additional full-time equivalent (FTE) teachers. This action responds to feedback from educational partners who identified small class sizes as a critical factor in improving student outcomes, particularly for Students with Disabilities (SWD), English Learners (EL), Long-Term English Learners (LTEL), and Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED) students.  • Focus on reducing class sizes in grades and subjects where it is most needed, particularly in classes with high numbers of SWD, EL, LTEL, and SED students. Aim to provide more individualized attention and support in these classes.	\$718,783.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		<ul> <li>Provide additional resources and support for teachers working with SWD, EL, LTEL, and SED students. This includes professional development on differentiated instruction, cultural competency, and inclusive teaching practices.</li> <li>Regularly monitor class sizes and assess the impact of reduced class sizes on student performance and engagement. Collect data on academic outcomes, student behavior, and teacher feedback to evaluate the effectiveness of this action.</li> <li>Maintain open communication with educational partners, including parents, teachers, and community members, about the progress and benefits of maintaining low class sizes. Share success stories and data that highlight the positive impact on student learning.</li> <li>By maintaining low class sizes through the hiring of additional FTE teachers, the District aims to create a more effective and responsive educational environment that supports the success of all students, particularly those with the greatest needs.</li> </ul>		
3.4	Data Analysis and Interventions	To better identify and support students and families in need, the District will develop a data-rich culture by leveraging Dashboard data and local assessments. This action includes closely examining low-performing student groups, implementing attendance monitoring, and utilizing cycles of inquiry and PDSA (Plan-Do-Study-Act) practices. Additionally, empathy interviews with students and families will be conducted to understand the root causes of low performance, particularly for Students with Disabilities (SWD), English Learners (EL), Long-Term English Learners (LTEL), Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED) students, and foster youth.  • Utilize Dashboard data to identify student groups that are performing in the red/low-performing categories. Focus on SWD, EL, LTEL, SED students, and foster youth to prioritize interventions.  • Implement local assessments and data collection methods to gather comprehensive information about student performance and attendance. Analyze this data regularly to identify trends and areas needing improvement.	\$89,688.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		<ul> <li>Establish a robust attendance monitoring system to track student attendance patterns. Identify students with chronic absenteeism and implement targeted interventions to improve attendance.</li> <li>Employ cycles of inquiry and PDSA practices to continuously evaluate and improve support strategies. Use data to plan interventions, implement them, study the results, and adjust strategies as needed.</li> <li>Conduct empathy interviews with students and families who fall into multiple low-performing categories. These interviews aim to uncover the root causes of academic and attendance issues, providing deeper insights into the challenges faced by these students.</li> <li>Based on data analysis and empathy interview findings, develop and implement targeted support and interventions. This may include academic tutoring, counseling services, family outreach programs, and community partnerships.</li> <li>Provide ongoing professional development for staff on data analysis, cycles of inquiry, and empathy interview techniques. Equip educators with the skills needed to effectively support atrisk students.</li> </ul>		
		<ul> <li>Expected Outcomes:</li> <li>Improved identification of students and families needing additional support.</li> <li>Enhanced understanding of the root causes of low performance through empathy interviews.</li> <li>Increased attendance rates and reduced chronic absenteeism.</li> <li>Better academic outcomes for SWD, EL, LTEL, SED students, and foster youth.</li> <li>A culture of continuous improvement and data-driven decision-making within the District.</li> <li>By fostering a data-driven culture and implementing targeted strategies and interventions, the District seeks to deliver effective and timely support to students and families to improve educational outcomes for the most vulnerable populations. This includes addressing district-wide academic performance in ELA and Math for English Learners (ELs) and Students with Disabilities (SWD), focusing on ELPI for ELs. Additionally, the District</li> </ul>		

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		will target specific student groups, such as SWD in Math at Aromas School, SWD in both ELA and Math and ELs in ELA and ELPI at San Juan School. To further enhance student success, the District is committed to improving the graduation rate for socioeconomically disadvantaged (SED) students at Anzar High School through focused support and intervention programs.		

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

Total Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants	Projected Additional 15 percent LCFF Concentration Grant
\$1,539,823	\$77,139

#### Required Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the LCAP Year

Projected Percent or Improve Service Coming School Y	es for the LCFF C	arryover — Percentage		Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year
13.236%	0.000%		\$0.00	13.236%

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
1.1	Action: Provide Highly Effective Technology  Need: Most students, particularly English Learners (ELs) (including Long-Term English Learners (LTELs)), Hispanic students, Students with Disabilities (SWD), Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED) students, Foster Youth, and those of two or More Races, need online supplemental educational programs and	Providing highly effective technology on an LEA-wide basis ensures that all unduplicated pupil (UPP) students, regardless of their school, have equitable access to online educational programs designed to deepen learning and improve outcomes. This action addresses the specific needs of UPP students by integrating research-based online programs that enhance learning for English learners, long-term English learners, lowincome students, foster youth, and students with disabilities. By implementing this action across the	Metrics [1.2] % of students with Chromebooks and [1.8] % online program usage, increased student performance, and favorable student/teacher feedback

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	Chromebooks to increase outcomes and engagement.  2023-2024 100% of students have Chromebooks. Educational Partners provided the following input and feedback for the 2024-2025 LCAP: Feedback to continue services:  • Provide technology to students and staff  Scope: LEA-wide	entire LEA, schools can effectively monitor and address challenges associated with particular student groups, ensuring a consistent and high-quality educational experience. The procurement and regular upgrading of student devices, along with state-of-the-art teacher workstations and ongoing professional development, will create a dynamic and engaging learning environment, fostering academic and career success for all students.	
1.2	Action: Attract and Retain Highly Qualified Staff  Need: All students, especially English Learners (ELs), including Long-Term English Learners (LTELs), Hispanic students, Students with Disabilities (SWD), Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED) students, Foster Youth, and students of two or more races, benefit from having a highly qualified teacher who is properly credentialed and appropriately assigned.  2023-2024 96.2% of teachers are appropriately assigned and credentialed.	Providing highly effective teachers and staff on an LEA-wide basis ensures that all unduplicated pupil (UPP) students, regardless of which school they attend, have access to highly qualified teachers, which is crucial for increasing academic outcomes. To address the specific needs of English Learners (ELs), long-term English learners, low-income students, and students with disabilities, we will implement a comprehensive hiring incentives and induction program. This program includes signing bonuses, salary enhancements, a thorough induction process, mentorship, and continuous professional development.  By implementing these hiring incentives and induction programs across the entire LEA, we	Metric [1.1] % of teachers are appropriately assigned and credentialed.
2024 25 Lazz	al Control and Accountability Plan for Aromas-San Juan Ur	create a supportive and attractive environment for highly qualified teachers. This ensures that all UPP students benefit from effective teaching	Page 36 of

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: LEA-wide	practices, which can significantly enhance their educational outcomes. This comprehensive strategy aims to retain top-tier educators, thereby fostering a consistent and high-quality educational experience for all students.	
1.3	Need: All students, especially English Learners (ELs), including Long-Term English Learners (LTELs), Hispanic students, Students with Disabilities (SWD), Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED) students, Foster Youth, and students of two or more races, benefit from having high-quality instruction from staff that has received professional development on effective teaching practices.  Educational Partner Input: Teachers requested meaningful professional development aligning to new program materials, technology, and ELD. 2023-2024 100% of staff have participated in professional development 2023-2024 87% implementation of state standards  Scope: LEA-wide	Providing highly effective professional development on an LEA-wide basis ensures that all educators, regardless of their school, have the knowledge and skills to support unduplicated pupil (UPP) students effectively. To enhance the instructional quality and support for English Learners (ELs), low-income, and foster youth students, our LEA will implement a comprehensive professional development initiative.  By implementing this comprehensive professional development plan, our LEA aims to empower educators with the necessary skills and knowledge to provide high-quality, equitable education for English Learners and low-income and foster youth students. This initiative fosters an inclusive and supportive learning environment, ultimately improving academic outcomes and closing achievement gaps for these student populations. Providing these professional development opportunities on an LEA-wide basis ensures consistent, effective teaching practices across all schools, thereby enhancing educational equity and monitoring effectiveness to address challenges associated with particular student groups.	Metrics [1.3] % of staff have participated in professional development and [1.7] % implementation of state standards.
1.4	Action: All Staff Professional Development Days	Providing professional development on an LEA-wide basis ensures that all unduplicated pupil	Metrics [1.4] % of students having access to

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	Need: All students, especially English Learners (ELs), including Long-Term English Learners (LTELs), Hispanic students, Students with Disabilities (SWD), Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED) students, Foster Youth, and students of two or more races, benefit from having high-quality instruction from all staff, including classified and certificated staff, that has received professional development on best practices.  2022-2023 40.5% made progress or maintained a "4" on the ELPAC 2022-2023 California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) standard met or exceeded. ELA: 41.4% Math: 21.8% Science: 30.2% lowest-performing student groups SWD ELA 11.1% SWD Math 4.2% EL ELA: 20.1%	(UPP) students, regardless of which school they attend, have access to a broad course of study, facilities in good repair, and sufficient instructional materials to increase outcomes and engagement. To enhance the skills and effectiveness of our educators in serving English Learners (ELs), low-income students, foster youth, and other unduplicated student groups, our LEA will implement extra staff development days. ASJUSD will provide three extra staff development days within the school year, focusing on broad professional development needs.  These development days will ensure all staff, including classified and certificated, have the opportunity to engage in meaningful training and collaboration. This initiative addresses the specific needs of UPP students by equipping educators with effective teaching strategies and fostering a supportive learning environment. By implementing this action across the entire LEA, schools can better monitor the effectiveness of the training and address any challenges associated with particular student groups. Ultimately, this comprehensive approach aims to improve educational outcomes and engagement for all UPP students, ensuring equity and quality education throughout the district.	standards aligned materials, [1.5] % facilities in good repair and [1.6] % of students have access to a broad course of study.
2.2	Action: Transportation	Providing transportation on an LEA-wide basis ensures that all unduplicated pupil (UPP) students, regardless of which school they attend, have	Metrics [2.2] attendance rate, [2.3] chronic absenteeism, [2.4 and 2.5]

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	Most students, particularly English Learners (ELs) (including Long-Term English Learners (LTELs)), Hispanic students, Students with Disabilities (SWD), Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED) students, Foster Youth, and those of two or more races, benefit from multilingual educational opportunities to increase outcomes and engagement.  Educational Partners provided the following input and feedback for the 2024-2025 LCAP: ELAC/DELAC parents and students advocated for translation services and multilingual educational opportunities.  2023-2024 Kelvin CalHOPE Student Survey Grades 4-8 86% Response rate 77% Feel connected at school 79% Feel school is a safe place Grades 9-12 81% Response rate 65% Feel connected at school and safety 72% Feel school is a safe place	education programs. To promote multilingual education and support students in achieving bilingual proficiency, the District will implement additional supports for programs such as Spanish classes after school, pathways to the Seal of Biliteracy, recruitment and retention of bilingual educators, and support for obtaining the BCLAD credential. This action aims to remove barriers to participation in multilingual education programs and ensure students and educators have the resources needed for success.  By implementing these actions across the entire LEA, the District can foster a supportive environment for multilingual education, ensuring that all UPP students have the opportunities and resources to develop bilingual proficiency and achieve academic success. Additionally, this LEA-wide approach allows the District to monitor the effectiveness of these programs and address any challenges associated with particular student groups, thereby promoting equity and excellence in education for all students.	tracked to measure improvements in attendance and punctuality as indicators of success.
2.4	Action: Communication Need:	Providing enhanced parent outreach and communication on an LEA-wide basis ensures that all unduplicated pupil (UPP) students, regardless of which school they attend, benefit from strong home-school connections. To enhance parent	Metric [2.1] family engagement will be tracked to measure improvements in

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	All students, particularly English Learners (ELs) (including Long-Term English Learners (LTELs)), Hispanic students, Students with Disabilities (SWD), Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED) students, Foster Youth, and those of two or more races, benefit when robust communication is offered to families to increase outcomes and engagement.	outreach and communication, the District will implement software designed to keep families informed about school events, activities, and issues specific to their students. This action aims to foster stronger home-school connections, increase parent engagement, and ensure timely and effective communication between the school and families.	communication and engagement.
	Educational Partners provided the following input and feedback for the 2024-2025 LCAP: Staff and parents supported increased communications through Parent Square.  Scope: LEA-wide	By implementing this action across the entire LEA, the District aims to create a robust communication system that keeps families informed and engaged, ultimately supporting student success and fostering a collaborative school community. This LEA-wide approach allows the District to monitor the effectiveness of the communication efforts and address any challenges associated with particular student groups, thereby promoting equity and ensuring that all UPP students receive the support they need for academic success.	
2.5	Action: Parent Education  Need: Most students, particularly English Learners (ELs) (including Long-Term English Learners (LTELs)), Hispanic students, Students with Disabilities (SWD), Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED) students, Foster Youth, and those of two or more races, benefit when parent education is offered to families to increase engagement.	Providing parent education on an LEA-wide basis ensures that all unduplicated pupil (UPP) students, regardless of which school they attend, benefit from informed and engaged families. To empower parents with the knowledge and skills needed to support their children's education, the District will offer a variety of parent education programs, workshops, and resources. This action aims to enhance parents' ability to engage in their children's learning, foster positive home environments, and build strong partnerships between families and schools.	Metric [2.1] family engagement will be tracked to measure improvements in communication and engagement.
	2023-2024 85% participation at parent conferences	By implementing this action across the entire LEA, the District aims to create parent education	

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	New baseline data will be established in 2024- 2025 Participation in SSC Participation in ELAC/DELAC Compliance at ELAC/DELAC and SSC soliciting parent input	opportunities that keep families informed and engaged, ultimately supporting student success and fostering a collaborative school community. This approach allows the District to monitor the effectiveness of the programs and address any challenges associated with particular student groups, thereby promoting equity and ensuring that all UPP students receive the support they need for academic success.	
	Scope: LEA-wide		
2.6	Action: Translation Services  Need: Most students, particularly English Learners (ELs) (including Long-Term English Learners (LTELs)), Hispanic students, Students with Disabilities (SWD), Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED) students, Foster Youth, and those of two or more races, benefit from translation services to increase outcomes and engagement.	Providing translation services on an LEA-wide basis ensures that all unduplicated pupil (UPP) students, regardless of which school they attend, benefit from effective communication and inclusivity for their families. To achieve this, the District will offer professional translation services for both oral and written communications and contract with a community liaison. This action bridges language barriers, facilitates better engagement with non-English speaking families, and ensures equal access to important information and resources.	Metrics [2.1] family engagement and [2.8] school connectedness survey results will be tracked to measure improvements in attendance and punctuality as indicators of success.
	Educational Partners provided the following input and feedback for the 2024-2025 LCAP: ELAC/DELAC parents and students advocated for translation services and multilingual educational opportunities	By hiring professional translators and a community liaison fluent in the predominant languages within the District, all written communications and oral interactions will be accurately translated. Training school staff on using these services effectively and maintaining multilingual communication channels ensures families can access information in their preferred language.	
	Scope: LEA-wide  I Control and Accountability Plan for Aromas-San Juan Un	Monitoring the effectiveness of these services and gathering feedback allows the District to	Page 42 of

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		continuously improve. Implementing this action across the entire LEA aims to enhance communication, increase non-English speaking families' participation, and promote a more inclusive school community, ensuring all UPP students receive the support they need.	
3.1	Action: Counseling  Need: All students, particularly English Learners (ELs) (including Long-Term English Learners (LTELs)), Hispanic students, Students with Disabilities (SWD), Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED) students, and Foster Youth, benefit from academic counseling to increase outcomes, engagement, and their readiness for college and careers.  2022-2023 36% completed A-G requirements 2023-2024 0% completed a CTE pathway 2023-2024 0% completed both A-G and CTE 2022-2023 31.6% of students were prepared for college according to the EAP 2022-2023 72.7% Graduation Rate  Scope: Schoolwide	Providing academic counseling on an school-wide basis ensures that all unduplicated pupil (UPP) students, regardless of which classes the attend, receive the guidance and support necessary for academic success and future-readiness. To support student academic success and future-readiness, the District will provide comprehensive academic counseling services. This action aims to help students set and achieve academic goals, plan for college and careers, and address any academic challenges they may face.  By implementing comprehensive academic counseling services across the entire school, the District can monitor the effectiveness of these programs and address any challenges associated with particular student groups, ultimately ensuring all students, especially UPP students, receive the support they need to achieve their academic and future aspirations.	Metrics [3.2] A-G completion rate, [3.3] CTE pathway completion, [3.4] CTE and A-G, [3.5] AP scores, and [3.6] EAP will be tracked to measure improvements in college and career readiness as indicators of success.
3.2	Action: Career and College Planning	Providing career and college planning services on an LEA-wide basis ensures that all unduplicated pupil (UPP) students, regardless of which school	Metrics [3.2] A-G completion rate, [3.3] CTE pathway completion, [3.4]

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	Need: All students, particularly English Learners (ELs) (including Long-Term English Learners (LTELs)), Hispanic students, Students with Disabilities (SWD), Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED) students, and Foster Youth, benefit when career and college planning is offered.  2022-2023 36% completed A-G requirements 2023-2024 0% completed a CTE pathway 2023-2024 0% completed both A-G and CTE 2022-2023 31.6% of students were prepared for college according to the EAP 2022-2023 72.7% Graduation Rate  Scope: LEA-wide	they attend, receive equitable support in preparing for their futures. To prepare students for success, the District will offer comprehensive career and college planning services, including organizing college field trips, facilitating work-based learning experiences, and utilizing resources from the California College Guidance Initiative (CCGI). The goal is to provide students with practical experiences and valuable information to make informed decisions about their educational and career paths.  By implementing these actions across the entire district, the District can monitor the effectiveness of the programs and address challenges associated with particular student groups. This ensures that all UPP students benefit from consistent and high-quality career and college planning services, ultimately helping them achieve their educational and career goals.	CTE and A-G, [3.5] AP scores, and [3.6] EAP will be tracked to measure improvements in college and career readiness as indicators of success.
3.3	Action: Maintain Low Class Size  Need: All students, particularly English Learners (ELs) (including Long-Term English Learners (LTELs)), Hispanic students, Students with Disabilities (SWD), Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED) students, and Foster Youth, benefit from lower class sizes to increase outcomes.	(EL), Long-Term English Learners (LTEL), and	Metrics [3.1] California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) standard met or exceeded, [3.7] Reclassification rate, [3.8] English Learner Progress Indicator, and [3.9] local assessments will be tracked to measure improvements.
	Educational Partners provided the following input and feedback for the 2024-2025 LCAP:	Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED) students.	

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
	Parents, teachers, and bargaining unit members recommended continuing to provide small class sizes and striving to eliminate grade combination classes.  Scope: LEA-wide	Focusing on classes with high numbers of SWD, EL, LTEL, and SED students, the District aims to provide individualized support and professional development for teachers. Regular monitoring and open communication with educational partners will ensure the effectiveness of this initiative.  By implementing this action across the entire district, schools can better support UPP students and address specific challenges, leading to a more responsive and effective educational environment.	
3.4	Action: Data Analysis and Interventions  Need: All students, particularly English Learners (ELs) (including Long-Term English Learners (LTELs)), Hispanic students, Students with Disabilities (SWD), Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED) students, Foster Youth, and those of two or more races, benefit when interventions are provided to increase outcomes and engagement.  Educational Partners provided the following input and feedback for the 2024-2025 LCAP: Parents and staff recommended providing intensive, targeted support and interventions during the school day.  2022-2023 California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) standard met or exceeded.	Providing interventions on an LEA-wide basis ensures that all unduplicated pupil (UPP) students receive the support they need to succeed. To better identify and support students and families in need, the District will develop a data-rich culture by leveraging Dashboard data and local assessments. This includes examining low-performing student groups, monitoring attendance, and utilizing cycles of inquiry and PDSA (Plan-Do-Study-Act) practices. Additionally, empathy interviews with students and families will uncover root causes of low performance, particularly for Students with Disabilities (SWD), English Learners (EL), Long-Term English Learners (LTEL), Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED) students, and foster youth.  By analyzing data and implementing targeted interventions, the District aims to improve attendance rates, academic outcomes, and overall support for UPP students. This LEA-wide approach ensures that all students benefit from effective and timely interventions, leading to better	Metrics [3.1] California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) standard met or exceeded, [3.7] Reclassification rate, [3.8] English Learner Progress Indicator, and [3.9] local assessments will be tracked to measure improvements.

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	ELA: 41.4% Math: 21.8% Science: 30.2%  lowest-performing student groups SWD ELA 11.1% SWD Math 4.2% EL ELA: 20.1%  Scope: LEA-wide	educational outcomes for the most vulnerable populations.	

#### **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)	· /	Metric(s) to Monitor Effectiveness

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

# 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 District utilizes the additional funding to recruit a high school counselor (Action 3.1). Furthermore, the District organizes additional staff development days for certificated staff, which include training in Social Emotional Learning, Envision Math, and Elevate Science (Action 1.3). The staff development program is designed to address the social-emotional well-being and academic achievement of all students.

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		Anzar 1:35; Aromas 1:35; San Juan 1:21
Staff-to-student ratio of certificated staff providing direct services to students		Across all Schools1:19

# **2024-25 Total Expenditures Table**

LCAP Year	1. Projected LCFF Base Grant (Input Dollar Amount)	2. Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants (Input Dollar Amount)	3. Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year (2 divided by 1)	LCFF Carryover — Percentage (Input Percentage from Prior Year)	Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year (3 + Carryover %)
Totals	\$11,633,409	1,539,823	13.236%	0.000%	13.236%

Totals	LCFF Funds	Other State Funds	Local Funds	Federal Funds	Total Funds	Total Personnel	Total Non-personnel
Totals	\$1,539,823.00	\$0.00	\$75,000.00	\$0.00	\$1,614,823.00	\$1,113,632.00	\$501,191.00

Goal #	Action #	Action Title	Student Group(s)	Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?		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	Provide Highly Effective Technology	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	LEA- wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	Ongoing	\$0.00	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00				\$100,000 .00	
1	1.2	Attract and Retain Highly Qualified Staff	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	LEA- wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	Ongoing	\$49,465.00	\$22,132.00	\$71,597.00				\$71,597. 00	
1	1.3	Professional Development	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	LEA- wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	Ongoing	\$0.00	\$31,420.00	\$31,420.00				\$31,420. 00	
1	1.4	All Staff Professional Development Days	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	LEA- wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	Ongoing	\$113,006.0 0	\$0.00	\$113,006.00				\$113,006 .00	
2	2.1	Social Emotional Learning	All	No			All Schools	Ongoing	\$0.00	\$75,000.00			\$75,000.00		\$75,000. 00	
2	2.2	Transportation	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	LEA- wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	Ongoing	\$0.00	\$140,909.00	\$140,909.00				\$140,909 .00	
2	2.3	Multilingual Education	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	LEA- wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	Ongoing	\$0.00	\$27,665.00	\$27,665.00				\$27,665. 00	
2	2.4	Communication	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	LEA- wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	Ongoing	\$0.00	\$15,492.00	\$15,492.00				\$15,492. 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
2	2.5	Parent Education	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	Ongoing	\$0.00	\$5,533.00	\$5,533.00				\$5,533.0 0	
2	2.6	Translation Services	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	Ongoing	\$0.00	\$19,919.00	\$19,919.00				\$19,919. 00	
3	3.1	Counseling	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools Specific Schools: Anzar High School	Ongoing	\$184,786.0 0	\$13,279.00	\$198,065.00				\$198,065 .00	
3		Career and College Planning	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	Ongoing	\$0.00	\$7,746.00	\$7,746.00				\$7,746.0 0	
3	3.3	Maintain Low Class Size	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	Ongoing	\$718,783.0 0	\$0.00	\$718,783.00				\$718,783 .00	
3		Data Analysis and Interventions	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	Yes	wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	Ongoing	\$47,592.00	\$42,096.00	\$89,688.00				\$89,688. 00	

# **2024-25 Contributing Actions Table**

1. Projected LCFF Base Grant	2. Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants	3. Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year (2 divided by 1)	LCFF Carryover — Percentage (Percentage from Prior Year)	Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year (3 + Carryover %)	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
\$11,633,409	1,539,823	13.236%	0.000%	13.236%	\$1,539,823.00	0.000%	13.236 %	Total:	\$1,539,823.00
								LEA-wide	04 044 750 00

LEA-wide Total: \$1,341,758.00

Limited Total: \$0.00

Schoolwide Total: \$198,065.00

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	Provide Highly Effective Technology	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$100,000.00	
1	1.2	Attract and Retain Highly Qualified Staff	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$71,597.00	
1	1.3	Professional Development	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$31,420.00	
1	1.4	All Staff Professional Development Days	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$113,006.00	
2	2.2	Transportation	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$140,909.00	
2	2.3	Multilingual Education	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$27,665.00	
2	2.4	Communication	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth	All Schools	\$15,492.00	

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 (%)
					Low Income			
2	2.5	Parent Education	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$5,533.00	
2	2.6	Translation Services	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$19,919.00	
3	3.1	Counseling	Yes	Schoolwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools Specific Schools: Anzar High School	\$198,065.00	
3	3.2	Career and College Planning	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$7,746.00	
3	3.3	Maintain Low Class Size	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$718,783.00	
3	3.4	Data Analysis and Interventions	Yes	LEA-wide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$89,688.00	

# 2023-24 Annual Update Table

Totals	Last Year's Total Planned Expenditures (Total Funds)	Total Estimated Expenditures (Total Funds)
Totals	\$1,855,223.00	\$1,614,996.00

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	Provide highly effective technology to students	Yes	\$50,000.00	\$58,138.11
1	1.2	Provide exposure & access to higher education	Yes	\$15,600.00	\$16,089.33
1	1.3	Encourage fine arts and career exploration	Yes	\$38,000.00	\$38,762.56
1	1.4	Maintain low class sizes	Yes	\$587,161.00	\$623,067.60
1	1.5	Provide interventions for all target groups PK-12	No	\$85,000.00	\$85,000
2	2.1	Attract & retain highly qualified staff	Yes	\$42,880.00	\$42,377.66
2	2.2	Provide relevant professional development opportunities	Yes	\$9,000.00	\$10,725.99
2	2.3	Provide extra days within the school year for staff development	Yes	\$88,849.00	\$94,277.67
2	2.4	Provide bilingual education opportunities	Yes	\$230,761.00	\$244,860.5
3	3.1	Hire counseling staff	Yes	\$160,296.00	\$169,564.84
3	3.2	Provide social emotional learning program at all levels	No	\$17,350.00	\$17,350

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)
3	3.3	Contract for individual & small group counseling	No	\$15,600.00	\$15,600
3	3.4	Provide safe routes to school	Yes	\$311,834.00	\$182,523
3	3.5	Provide safe routes to school	No	\$167,522.00	\$0
4	4.1	Purchase web services and software to strengthen home to school communication	Yes	\$12,370.00	\$14,124.83
4	4.2	Provide for parent education opportunities	Yes	\$18,000.00	\$0
4	4.3	Provide for translation services	No	\$5,000.00	\$2,533.91

# **2023-24 Contributing Actions Annual Update Table**

6. Estimated LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants (Input Dollar Amount)	4. Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (LCFF Funds)	7. Total Estimated Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds)	Difference Between Planned and Estimated Expenditures for Contributing Actions (Subtract 7 from 4)	5. Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (%)	8. Total Estimated Percentage of Improved Services (%)	Difference Between Planned and Estimated Percentage of Improved Services (Subtract 5 from 8)
\$1,497,046.00	\$1,564,751.00	\$1,497,046.00	\$67,705.00	0.000%	0.000%	0.000%

Last Year's Goal #	Last Year's Action #	Prior Action/Service Title	Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?	Last Year's Planned Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds)	Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (Input LCFF Funds)	Planned Percentage of Improved Services	Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (Input Percentage)
1	1.1	Provide highly effective technology to students	Yes	\$50,000.00	\$58,138.11		
1	1.2	Provide exposure & access to higher education	Yes	\$15,600.00	\$16,089.33		
1	1.3	Encourage fine arts and career exploration	Yes	\$38,000.00	\$38,762.56		
1	1.4	Maintain low class sizes	Yes	\$587,161.00	\$623,067.60		
2	2.1	Attract & retain highly qualified staff	Yes	\$42,880.00	\$42,377.66		
2	2.2	Provide relevant professional development opportunities	Yes	\$9,000.00	\$10,725.99		
2	2.3	Provide extra days within the school year for staff development	Yes	\$88,849.00	\$94,277.67		
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3	3.1	Hire counseling staff	Yes	\$160,296.00	\$169,564.84		
3	3.4	Provide safe routes to school	Yes	\$311,834.00	\$182,523		
4	4.1	Purchase web services and software to strengthen home to school communication	Yes	\$12,370.00	\$14,124.83		
4	4.2	Provide for parent education opportunities	Yes	\$18,000.00	\$2,533.91		

# 2023-24 LCFF Carryover Table

9. Estimated Actual LCFF Base Grant (Input Dollar Amount)	6. Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants	LCFF Carryover — Percentage (Percentage from Prior Year)	Services for the	for Contributing Actions	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)
\$11,682,267	\$1,497,046.00	0.00%	12.815%	\$1,497,046.00	0.000%	12.815%	\$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 <a href="LCFF@cde.ca.gov">LCFF@cde.ca.gov</a>.

# **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, 52066, 52068, and 52070. The LCAP must clearly articulate to which entity's budget (school district or county superintendent of schools) all budgeted and actual expenditures are aligned.

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

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

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

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

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

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

# **Plan Summary**

# **Purpose**

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

# Requirements and Instructions

#### **General Information**

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

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

- For example, information about an LEA in terms of geography, enrollment, employment, the number and size of specific schools, recent community challenges, and other such information the LEA may wish to include can enable a reader to more fully understand the LEA's LCAP.
- As part of this response, identify all schools within the LEA receiving Equity Multiplier funding.

#### **Reflections: Annual Performance**

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

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

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

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

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

## **Reflections: Technical Assistance**

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

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

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

# **Comprehensive Support and Improvement**

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

#### Schools Identified

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

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

## Support for Identified Schools

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

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

# Monitoring and Evaluating Effectiveness

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

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

# **Engaging Educational Partners Purpose**

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

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

# Requirements

**School districts and COEs:** *EC* sections <u>52060(g)</u> (<u>California Legislative Information</u>) and <u>52066(g)</u> (<u>California Legislative Information</u>) 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 <u>47606.5(d)</u> (California Legislative Information) requires that the following educational partners be consulted with when developing the LCAP:

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

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

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

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

- For school districts, see Education Code Section 52062 (California Legislative Information);
  - o Note: Charter schools using the LCAP as the School Plan for Student Achievement must meet the requirements of EC Section 52062(a).

- For COEs, see Education Code Section 52068 (California Legislative Information); and
- For charter schools, see Education Code Section 47606.5 (California Legislative Information).
- **NOTE:** As a reminder, the superintendent of a school district or COE must respond, in writing, to comments received by the applicable committees identified in the *Education Code* sections listed above. This includes the parent advisory committee and may include the English learner parent advisory committee and, as of July 1, 2024, the student advisory committee, as applicable.

# **Instructions**

# Respond to the prompts as follows:

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

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

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

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

# Complete the table as follows:

**Educational Partners** 

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

# **Process for Engagement**

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

- A sufficient response to this prompt must include general information about the timeline of the process and meetings or other engagement strategies with educational partners. A response may also include information about an LEA's philosophical approach to engaging its educational partners.
- An LEA receiving Equity Multiplier funds must also include a summary of how it consulted with educational partners at schools generating Equity Multiplier funds in the development of the LCAP, specifically, in the development of the required focus goal for each applicable school.

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

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

- A sufficient response to this prompt will provide educational partners and the public with clear, specific information about how the engagement
  process influenced the development of the LCAP. This may include a description of how the LEA prioritized requests of educational partners within
  the context of the budgetary resources available or otherwise prioritized areas of focus within the LCAP.
- An LEA receiving Equity Multiplier funds must include a description of how the consultation with educational partners at schools generating Equity Multiplier funds influenced the development of the adopted LCAP.
- For the purposes of this prompt, this may also include, but is not necessarily limited to:
  - Inclusion of a goal or decision to pursue a Focus Goal (as described below)
  - Inclusion of metrics other than the statutorily required metrics
  - Determination of the target outcome on one or more metrics
  - Inclusion of performance by one or more student groups in the Measuring and Reporting Results subsection
  - Inclusion of action(s) or a group of actions
  - Elimination of action(s) or group of actions
  - Changes to the level of proposed expenditures for one or more actions
  - Inclusion of action(s) as contributing to increased or improved services for unduplicated students
  - Analysis of effectiveness of the specific actions to achieve the goal
  - Analysis of material differences in expenditures
  - Analysis of changes made to a goal for the ensuing LCAP year based on the annual update process
  - Analysis of challenges or successes in the implementation of actions

# Goals and Actions

# **Purpose**

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

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

# **Requirements and Instructions**

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

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

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

- Focus Goal: A Focus Goal is relatively more concentrated in scope and may focus on a fewer number of metrics to measure improvement. A Focus Goal statement will be time bound and make clear how the goal is to be measured.
  - All Equity Multiplier goals must be developed as focus goals. For additional information, see Required Focus Goal(s) for LEAs Receiving
    Equity Multiplier Funding below.
- Broad Goal: A Broad Goal is relatively less concentrated in its scope and may focus on improving performance across a wide range of metrics.
- Maintenance of Progress Goal: A Maintenance of Progress Goal includes actions that may be ongoing without significant changes and allows an LEA to track performance on any metrics not addressed in the other goals of the LCAP.

# Requirement to Address the LCFF State Priorities

At a minimum, the LCAP must address all LCFF priorities and associated metrics articulated in *EC* sections 52060(d) and 52066(d), as applicable to the LEA. The <u>LCFF State Priorities Summary</u> 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.

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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:
  - o The school or schools to which the goal applies

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

- Equity Multiplier funds must be used to supplement, not supplant, funding provided to Equity Multiplier schoolsites for purposes of the LCFF, the Expanded Learning Opportunities Program (ELO-P), the Literacy Coaches and Reading Specialists (LCRS) Grant Program, and/or the California Community Schools Partnership Program (CCSPP).
- This means that Equity Multiplier funds must not be used to replace funding that an Equity Multiplier schoolsite would otherwise receive to
  implement LEA-wide actions identified in the LCAP or that an Equity Multiplier schoolsite would otherwise receive to implement provisions of the
  ELO-P, the LCRS, and/or the CCSPP.

**Note:** *EC* Section 42238.024(b)(1) (California Legislative Information) requires that Equity Multiplier funds be used for the provision of evidence-based services and supports 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:
  - o 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.

## 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 <b>2024–25</b> or when adding a new metric.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for <b>2024–25</b> or when adding a new metric.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for <b>2025–26</b> . Leave blank until then.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for <b>2026–27</b> . Leave blank until then.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for <b>2024–25</b> or when adding a new metric.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for 2025–26 and 2026–27. Leave blank until then.

## **Goal Analysis:**

Enter the LCAP Year.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

- 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
  - o Professional development for teachers.
  - o If an LEA has both 30 or more English learners and 15 or more long-term English learners, the LEA must include actions for both English learners and long-term English learners.
- LEAs eligible for technical assistance pursuant to *EC* sections 47607.3, 52071, 52071.5, 52072, or 52072.5, must include specific actions within the LCAP related to its implementation of the work underway as part of technical assistance. The most common form of this technical assistance is frequently referred to as Differentiated Assistance.

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

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

# **Purpose**

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

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

# **Statutory Requirements**

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

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

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

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

#### **LEA-wide and Schoolwide Actions**

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

- Conclusory statements that a service will help achieve an expected outcome for the goal, without an explicit connection or further explanation as to how, are not sufficient.
- Further, simply stating that an LEA has a high enrollment percentage of a specific student group or groups does not meet the increased or improved services standard because enrolling students is not the same as serving students.

# For School Districts Only

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

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

# **Requirements and Instructions**

Complete the tables as follows:

# Total Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants

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

# Projected Additional 15 percent LCFF Concentration Grant

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

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

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

# LCFF Carryover — Percentage

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

# LCFF Carryover — Dollar

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

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

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

# **Required Descriptions:**

#### **LEA-wide and Schoolwide Actions**

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

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

Complete the table as follows:

# Identified Need(s)

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

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

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

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

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

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

# **Metric(s) to Monitor Effectiveness**

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

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

#### **Limited Actions**

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

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

Complete the table as follows:

# Identified Need(s)

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

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

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

# **Metric(s) to Monitor Effectiveness**

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

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

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

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

## **Additional Concentration Grant Funding**

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

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

Provide the following descriptions, as applicable to the LEA:

- An LEA that does not receive a concentration grant or the concentration grant add-on must indicate that a response to this prompt is not applicable.
- Identify the goal and action numbers of the actions in the LCAP that the LEA is implementing to meet the requirement to increase the number of staff who provide direct services to students at schools with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent.
- An LEA that does not have comparison schools from which to describe how it is using the concentration grant add-on funds, such as a single-school LEA or an LEA that only has schools with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent, must describe how it is using the funds to increase the number of credentialed staff, classified staff, or both, including custodial staff, who provide direct services to students at selected schools and the criteria used to determine which schools require additional staffing support.
- In the event that an additional concentration grant add-on is not sufficient to increase staff providing direct services to students at a school with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent, the LEA must describe how it is using the funds to retain staff providing direct services to students at a school with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent.

# Complete the table as follows:

- Provide the staff-to-student ratio of classified staff providing direct services to students with a concentration of unduplicated students that is 55 percent or less and the staff-to-student ratio of classified staff providing direct services to students at schools with a concentration of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent, as applicable to the LEA.
  - o The LEA may group its schools by grade span (Elementary, Middle/Junior High, and High Schools), as applicable to the LEA.

- The staff-to-student ratio must be based on the number of full-time equivalent (FTE) staff and the number of enrolled students as counted on the first Wednesday in October of each year.
- Provide the staff-to-student ratio of certificated staff providing direct services to students at schools with a concentration of unduplicated students that
  is 55 percent or less and the staff-to-student ratio of certificated staff providing direct services to students at schools with a concentration of
  unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent, as applicable to the LEA.
  - o The LEA may group its schools by grade span (Elementary, Middle/Junior High, and High Schools), as applicable to the LEA.
  - 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 2024-25 Local Control and Accountability Plan for Aromas-San Juan Unified School District

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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
  - o 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 of 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 (%)

- o 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).

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