

## **Valle Vista Elementary School**

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# 2019-20 School Accountability Report Card Published During the 2020-21 School Year

## Mt. Pleasant Elementary School District

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## **School Description**

Valle Vista Elementary, a school situated at the base of the eastern foothills of San Jose, offers an exciting and relevant Common Core-based curriculum in a culturally diverse learning environment.

Valle Vista serves kindergarten through fifth grade General Education students, as well as kindergarten through fifth grade Special Education students. Our dedicated staff includes one principal, one secretary, 13 general education teachers, 3 special education teachers, and one resource teacher. In addition, the district provides a part-time psychologist, health clerk, speech therapist, adaptive PE teacher, and family case manager, and a library technician. We also have a half-time counselor provided by Diva Diversity. The support staff includes our noon duties, food services workers, two custodians, and 9 instructional assistants. The paraprofessionals are assigned as follows: 5 Special Day Class aides and 1 Resource aide.

Our Mission: We are committed to developing lifelong learners who strive to reach their personal best in a diverse and changing world.

Due to the COVID19 Pandemic, we have been in a Distance Learning model:

On July 17, 2020, Governor Newsom announced that all districts in counties that were on the watch list needed to start the school year with distance learning. This guidance detailed the conditions under which schools will be allowed to reopen, the requirements they will have to follow when bringing students back, and the conditions under which a school or district may have to return to a full distance model after reopening.

While current health conditions do not permit delivery of in-person instruction, the district is continuing to plan blended learning models so it will be prepared to bring students back once it is safe to do so. MPESD will continue to align decision-making to public health experts at the state and county level and orders and guidance provided by Governor Newsom.

During distance learning, students will participate via Google Meet and our learning platform is Canvas. Teachers track students' attendance and engagement online using his or her PowerSchool account. All students were provided a device. Additionally, students were provided with a hot spot as needed.

The COVID-19 pandemic has had significant impacts on the Mount Pleasant Staff, parents, students, and community. The unexpected closure of schools in March 2020 has impacted the physical, emotional, social, and educational needs of our students and caused high levels of stress and trauma to them and their families. Accordingly, we have worked to provide as much supports to set up our students for success. We have provided the following resources to our students and families: free, weekly meals, MPAS After School Tutorials, On-site Small Cohorts, R.O.C.K. n' Learn Program, San Jose Learns, Cisco/Erase the Gap (K-5 Grades), Bringing Everyone's Strength Together (6-8 Grades), Counseling, and Alum Rock Counseling Parent Courses.

Curriculum and Instruction: Our qualified and dedicated teachers inspire students through focused instruction based on the district adopted curriculum and the Common Core State Standards. We implement the Eureka Math Common Core Curriculum at all grade levels. This math program challenges students to creatively approach each problem using critical thinking and problem-solving strategies. Our upper grades also teach with the Common Core-based Expeditionary Learning. Expeditionary Learning provides students access to rich literature and novels that are analyzed and critiqued in ways that make meaningful connections to students' life experiences and interests. Report Cards and Progress Reports are provided to parents three times a year. Standardized test results are provided to parents in the summer with a follow-up interpretation of results at the fall parent conference. Student assessment data is gathered every year using standardized test results and interim assessments.

Over the past three years, Valle Vista has explored and refined the idea of adopting an art integration theme. This investigative process was facilitated by the Art Integration Committee which consists of representatives from administration, staff, students, and the Santa Clara County Office of Education VAPA Coordinator. As we enter our fourth year, we strive to implement our integration of the arts to cultivate meaningful connections with the curriculum through artistic expression. One way that we support the arts is through our Project Based Learning Units (PBL's). Teachers strive to guide students in the implementation of PBL's that challenge our scholars to address real-world problems with meaningful and imaginative solutions. Through project-based learning, students tackle a challenging academic curriculum in ways that are engaging, meaningful, and adaptable to a variety of learning styles. Our goal is to facilitate students in developing skills in collaboration, cooperation, critical thinking, and creativity.

Our students get to experience technology through our mobile labs, which consist of either Chromebooks and iPads. Several teachers on staff are part of the Santa Clara County Office of Education Digital Storytelling Cohort, where they learn to instruct our students in creative projects through digital media. We are also the first school in Santa Clara County to ever be awarded the prestigious Walt Disney Family Museum Partnership. This partnership provides instruction from industry professionals in animation. During scheduled after-school sessions, students can participate in our robotics program and coding cadre. They are learning basic physics, mechanics, programming, and engineering. Our fifth graders are offered the opportunity to participate each year in Science Camp, a hands-on outdoor education program.

Response to Intervention: We identify students at risk through our RTI process and hold Student Success Team (SST) meetings with their parents, classroom teacher, family case manager, psychologist, and principal. We work to analyze each student's individual needs with input from all stakeholders and then create a plan to help the student succeed. Our protocol is to set a follow-up meeting to determine the outcome of our plan and strategize the next steps. We also provide after-school Math Intervention for third-grade students through Elevate Math and Bay Area Tutors through our after school program.

After School Program: We have the Mount Pleasant After School (MPAS) program that serves over 100 students from dismissal to 6 p.m. in grades kindergarten to fifth grade. This program provides a homework club, physical activities, arts, and enrichment programs. The students have the opportunity to perform in music and drama presentations, compete in athletics with other schools, and participate in other extra-curricular classes such as robotics.

School Behavior Support: We are proud of our school and our commitment to quality education. We have high expectations and believe that all children can learn. Through the PBIS/BEST Framework, we offer students behavior support that is positive, research-based, and restorative in practice. It is founded in the 3B's: Be Responsible, Be Respect and Be Safe. We celebrate student achievement and progress. We have our Valle Vista Monthly Awards to acknowledge excellence and growth. Also, we have monthly BEST Incentives, where all students participate in a variety of fun and exciting activities. We have a part-time counselor and a part-time family case manager to support our students and families. The school also provides a complete physical education program. Through attendance incentives, both classroom and school-wide, we strive to promote positive student attendance. We focus on making our school a positive learning environment to set the foundation for student achievement.

We are committed to developing lifelong learners who strive to reach their personal best in a diverse and changing world.

#### **About the SARC**

By February 1 of each year, every school in California is required by state law to publish a School Accountability Report Card (SARC). The SARC contains information about the condition and performance of each California public school. Under the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) all local educational agencies (LEAs) are required to prepare a Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP), which describes how they intend to meet annual school-specific goals for all pupils, with specific activities to address state and local priorities. Additionally, data reported in an LCAP is to be consistent with data reported in the SARC.

- For more information about SARC requirements and access to prior year reports, see the California Department of Education (CDE) SARC web page at <a href="https://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/">https://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/</a>.
- For more information about the LCFF or the LCAP, see the CDE LCFF webpage at <a href="https://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/lc/">https://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/lc/</a>.
- For additional information about the school, parents/guardians and community members should contact the school principal or the district office.

#### 2019-20 Student Enrollment by Grade Level

Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	38
Grade 1	52
Grade 2	52
Grade 3	48
Grade 4	58
Grade 5	62
Total Enrollment	310

## 2019-20 Student Enrollment by Group

Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	2.9
American Indian or Alaska Native	1
Asian	33.9
Filipino	0.6
Hispanic or Latino	50.6
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	1.6
White	3.2
Two or More Races	3.5
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	61.3
English Learners	40
Students with Disabilities	16.1
Foster Youth	0.3

## A. Conditions of Learning

## **State Priority: Basic**

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Basic (Priority 1):

- Degree to which teachers are appropriately assigned and fully credentialed in the subject area and for the pupils they are teaching:
- Pupils have access to standards-aligned instructional materials;
   and
- School facilities are maintained in good repair

Teacher Credentials for Valle Vista Elementary	18-19	19-20	20-21
With Full Credential	16	17	16
Without Full Credential	3	0	0
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	0	0	0

Teacher Credentials for Mt. Pleasant	18-19	19-20	20-21
With Full Credential	*	+	97
Without Full Credential	+	+	6
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	+	+	0

## Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions at Valle Vista Elementary School

Indicator	18-19	19-20	20-21
Teachers of English Learners	0	0	0
Total Teacher Misassignments*	0	0	0
Vacant Teacher Positions	0	0	0

Note: "Misassignments" refers to the number of positions filled by teachers who lack legal authorization to teach that grade level, subject area, student group, etc. \*Total Teacher Misassignments includes the number of Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners.

## Quality, Currency, Availability of Textbooks and Instructional Materials (School Year 2020-21)

The district adopted instructional materials aligned to the CA content standards. The district used a committee to pilot and adopt the most recent adoptions in English Language Arts in grades TK-5th grade and Mathematics in TK-5th grade. The district is also in the process of reviewing the Science curriculum align to the Next Generation Science Standards; the goal is to identify a curriculum for TK-5 this school year and implement it in the 2020-21 school year. Although the HSS curriculum is from our most recent adoption, the district will review instructional materials for a possible pilot in 2020-21.

At the beginning of the 2020-21 school year, the district had the annual Williams audit from the Santa Clara County Office of Education, there were no findings, and to date, there have been no reported insufficiencies. There are sufficient textbooks and instructional materials for all students.

#### **Textbooks and Instructional Materials**

Year and month in which data were collected: January 2021

Core Curriculum Area	Textbooks and Instructional Ma	aterials/Year of Adoption		
Reading/Language Arts	EL Education for grades 3-5th, adopted 2017 Benchmark Advanced for K-2, adopted Spring 2019			
	The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption:	Yes		
	Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook:	0		
Mathematics	Eureka Great Minds for K-5, adopted 2016			
	The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption:	Yes		
	Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook:	0		
Science	Mystery Science- Digital Student License, adopted 2020			
	The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption:	Yes		
	Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook:	0		
History-Social Science	American Legacy - California: Digital Student License, Studies Weekly, adopted 2020			
	The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption:	Yes		
	Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook:	0		

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

#### School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements (Most Recent Year)

Valle Vista is an open learning space school. Each pod is divided into five classroom spaces. In addition, there is a preschool pod and a separate set of special day classrooms in four portable building units, each with two classrooms. The open learning space configuration provides a wonderful opportunity for differentiation of student learning and for teacher teaming and collaboration. Each pod has access to mobile computer carts with Chromebooks or Apple iPads. The school is wired with wifi access points to allow for internet access. The central heating and cooling systems maintain a comfortable environment. The campus grounds are expansive and have five separate play areas. Four cameras were installed in the school building (office, library, cafeteria, and A pod hall to monitor the lab) to increase safety. Fencing, interior railing, and interior and exterior lighting contribute to our safe environment. The students, staff, and parents are dedicated to maintaining a clean, safe, attractive, and efficient learning environment. New playground structures were added in July 2011. With the passing of Measure L, it's projected for Valle Vista to have repaving and striping of the front parking lot, repairing the roof, and new hardware throughout the school for all the doors. The interior of the school was renovated during the summer of 2014. In 2017, new outdoor lighting was installed. The inside lighting and flooring in the cafeteria were replaced in the summer of 2018. Student restrooms were renovated in the summer of 2020.

## School Facility Good Repair Status (Most Recent Year)

Using the **most recently collected** FIT data (or equivalent), provide the following:

- Determination of repair status for systems listed
- Description of any needed maintenance to ensure good repair
- The year and month in which the data were collected
- The rate for each system inspected
- The overall rating

## Year and month in which data were collected: 2020 November

System Inspected	Repair Status	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	Good	
Interior: Interior Surfaces	Good	
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/ Vermin Infestation	Good	
Electrical: Electrical	Good	
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	Good	
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	Good	
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	Good	
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	Good	
Overall Rating	Good	

## **B. Pupil Outcomes**

#### **State Priority: Pupil Achievement**

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Pupil Achievement (Priority 4):

- Performance and Progress [CAASPP] System, which includes the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments for students in the general education population and the California Alternate Assessments [CAAS] for English language arts/literacy [ELA] and mathematics given in grades three through eight and grade eleven. Only eligible students may participate in the administration of the CAAs. CAAs items are aligned with alternate achievement standards, which are linked with the Common Core State Standards [CCSS] for students with the most significant cognitive disabilities); and
- The percentage of students who have successfully completed courses that satisfy the requirements for entrance to the University of California and the California State University, or career technical education sequences or programs of study.

## CAASPP Test Results in ELA and Mathematics for All Students Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard

Subject	School 18-19	School 19-20	District 18-19	District 19-20	State 18-19	State 19-20
ELA	29	N/A	38	N/A	50	N/A
Math	28	N/A	26	N/A	39	N/A

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

Note: The 2019-2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the requirement for statewide testing for the 2019-2020 school year.

Note: Percentages are not calculated when the number of students tested is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

Note: ELA and mathematics test results include the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment and the CAA. The "Percent Met or Exceeded" is calculated by taking the total number of students who met or exceeded the standard on the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment plus the total number of students who met the standard (i.e., achieved Level 3-Alternate) on the CAAs divided by the total number of students who participated in both assessments.

## CAASPP Test Results in Science for All Students Grades Five, Eight, and High School

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard

Subject	School	School	District	District	State	State
	18-19	19-20	18-19	19-20	18-19	19-20
Science	10	N/A	18	N/A	30	N/A

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

Note: The 2019-2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the requirement for statewide testing for the 2019-2020 school year.

Note: The new California Science Test (CAST) was first administered operationally in the 2018-2019 school year.

#### **State Priority: Other Pupil Outcomes**

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Other Pupil Outcomes (Priority 8):

• Pupil outcomes in the subject areas of physical education.

#### 2019-20 Percent of Students Meeting Fitness Standards

Grade Level	4 of 6	5 of 6	6 of 6
5	N/A	N/A	N/A
7	N/A	N/A	N/A
9	N/A	N/A	N/A

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

Note: The 2019–2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-56-20 was issued which waived the requirement to administer the physical fitness performance test for the 2019–2020 school year.

## **CAASPP Test Results in Science by Student Group**

Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven (School Year 2019-2020)

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Foster Youth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Homeless	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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## **CAASPP Test Results in ELA by Student Group**

Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven (School Year 2019-2020)

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Foster Youth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Homeless	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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## **CAASPP Test Results in Mathematics by Student Group**

Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven (School Year 2019-2020)

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Foster Youth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Homeless	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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## C. Engagement

## **State Priority: Parental Involvement**

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Parental Involvement (Priority 3):

· Efforts the school district makes to seek parent input in making decisions for the school district and each school site

## Opportunities for Parental Involvement (School Year 2020-21)

Contact Person: Monica Perez (PTA President) and Oyncha Threadgill (SSC Chairperson)

Contact Phone No. 408.238.3525

Due to COVID-19, all of our in-person activities are on hold. All of our parent meetings are virtual.

Valle Vista appreciates the work of our parent volunteers. Programs or organized activities are available for parental involvement. A multitude of opportunities are available for community and parental involvement at Valle Vista:

Supporting Reading: Being an excellent reader is the gateway to a successful future. Each classroom teacher kindergarten and first grade, send home daily reading material at each student's reading level for practice at home. Students read the books to their parents and the parents initial that their child has read to them. Primary grades often take part in this reading at home program, where parents sign that their children have read the required number of minutes for their grade level at home nightly. At school, the teacher, parent, or community volunteer listens to students to reread their books again. It is noted whether the child read the book fluently or had difficulty with that level of a book. In grades second through fifth, students may take home library books and exchange them upon completion. Students work through levels of books with the goal of reading books fluently at or above their grade-level standard. Valle Vista encourages building reading comprehension through daily reading at home.

Working with Students: In addition to listening to students read, parents work with students on projects, help students during grade level and site-wide special events, and prepare materials to support classroom learning.

D.E.A.R. Nights: Kindergarten through fifth grades also attend on a Drop Everything and Read (DEAR) night. Parents, through PTA, provide theme decorations and refreshments for the event.

Movie Nights: Movie Nights are held three times per year on campus to bring the community together.

Parent Academic Fair: Valle Vista's parents are encouraged to join in this district community event. Parents are able to choose a workshop that focuses on student achievement.

School Site Council: Parents, staff, and community are members of the School Site Council, who make budget decisions and assist in the composition of the School Plan for Student Achievement. All parents and community members are welcome to the meetings.

Family Case Manager: Provides support to students and their families by providing access to community resources and programs that address issues related to medical care, mental health, individual or family counseling, truancy, housing, and other issues.

#### State Priority: School Climate

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: School Climate (Priority 6):

- Pupil suspension rates;
- Pupil expulsion rates; and
- Other local measures on the sense of safety.

#### School Safety Plan (School Year 2020-2021)

Valle Vista provides a safe and engaging learning environment. The district has a comprehensive Safe School Plan, adopted by the School Board, which contains goals for school safety and school climate. There are standardized emergency procedures that all staff are to follow in the event of an emergency. Emergency drills are held to ensure students know and can use safety procedures in case of a fire or earthquake. Lockdown drills, where students practice what to do in case of an intruder on campus, are held to practice safety protocols. The staff goes through drills to practice and evaluate performance. In addition, the district installed a 180-degree camera for safety. Fencing and gates limit the access of vehicles to the back areas of the school. Three cameras were installed in the front office, cafeteria, and library for added security. The facility is surveyed daily for any safety concerns including graffiti. Issues are promptly resolved. All visitors are required to enter the building through the front door, sign in and wear a visitor's pass. No one can pick up a child unless their name is on the emergency card and the person shows a picture ID.

Valle Vista implements Positive Behavior Intervention Support (PBIS), the BEST Protocols (3B's), and Social and Emotional Learning (SEL). Monthly awards assemblies highlight and honor students who demonstrate the 3 B's: Be Safe, Be Respectful, and Be Responsible. Our team of an administrator, along with select classroom teachers and classified staff, are on our BEST Committee and attend meetings to plan for our school. The BEST team also meets at the district level, to collaborate with other schools.

Our staff has worked together to define school-wide expectations- be respectful, be responsible, and be safe. Together we have agreed upon common language to use and have directly taught our students what these expectations are and what they look like for all areas of the school. As a site, we hold BEST Incentives, where students can participate in a variety of activities designed to encourage appropriate behavior. Our district continues to receive ongoing training in the Best Behavior Program, as well as SEL, to support a positive behavior program that provides intervention techniques based on research. We seek to observe where incidents and implement strategies to appropriately address them. We also have Student Success Team meetings with the administrator, parent, and classroom teacher to plan and initiate individual student supports. We have an after-school program to provide additional supervision and support for our students. The Mt. Pleasant After-school Program (MPAS) enrolls approximately 105 students. This program provides a homework center, intervention, enrichment activities, art and music, as well as, sports programs.

Comprehensive Safe School Plan was last reviewed with the committee on 01/26/2021.

## **Suspensions and Expulsions**

(data collected between July through June, each full school year respectively)

Rate	School 2017-18	School 2018-19	District 2017-18	District 2018-19	State 2017-18	State 2018-19
Suspensions	2.6	2.2	3.3	4.7	3.5	3.5
Expulsions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1

## Suspensions and Expulsions for School Year 2019-2020 Only

(data collected between July through February, partial school year due to the COVID-19 pandemic)

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Rate	School 2019-20	<b>District</b> 2019-20	State 2019-20			
Suspensions	1.3	5.0	2.5			
Expulsions	0.0	0.0	0.1			

Note: The 2019-2020 suspensions and expulsions rate data are not comparable to prior year data because the 2019-2020 school year is a partial school year due to the COVID-19 crisis. As such, it would be inappropriate to make any comparisons in rates of suspensions and expulsions in the 2019-2020 school year compared to prior years.

## **D. Other SARC Information**

The information in this section is required to be in the SARC but is not included in the state priorities for LCFF.

Ratio of Pupils to Academic Counselor (School Year 2019-2020)

Title	Ratio
Academic Counselor*	0

<sup>\*</sup>One full time equivalent (FTE) equals one staff member working full time; one FTE could also represent two staff members who each work 50 percent of full time.

Student Support Services Staff (School Year 2019-2020)

Title	Number of Full-Time Equivalent (FTE)
Counselor (Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	
Psychologist	
Social Worker	
Nurse	
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	1
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	
Other	

<sup>\*</sup>One Full Time Equivalent (FTE) equals one staff member working full time; one FTE could also represent two staff members who each work 50 percent of full time.

#### Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Elementary)

Grade Level	2017-18 Average Class Size	2017-18 # of Classes* Size 1-20	2017-18 # of Classes* Size 21-32	2017-18 # of Classes* Size 33+	2018-19 Average Class Size	2018-19 # of Classes* Size 1-20	2018-19 # of Classes* Size 21-32	2018-19 # of Classes* Size 33+	2019-20 Average Class Size	2019-20 # of Classes* Size 1-20	2019-20 # of Classes* Size 21-32	2019-20 # of Classes* Size 33+
К	21	1	1		17	1	2		10	4		
1	19	2			24		2		13	2	2	
2	24		2		23		2		13	2	2	
3	25		3		29		2		16	1	2	
4	24	1	2		23	1	2		19	1	2	
5	28		2		23	1	2		21	1	2	·
6	13	1										
Other**	6	2			7	1						

<sup>\*</sup>Number of classes indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class).

## **Professional Development (Most Recent Three Years)**

Measure	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	3	3	3

The Mt. Pleasant School District has consistently focused its staff development efforts to address the needs of the students and teachers to increase student achievement. In the past three years, the professional development for teachers has been to support teachers with the implementation of the newly adopted English Language Arts and Mathematics curriculum. Below are examples of the professional development that the district and schools have provided in the past three years:

<sup>\*\* &</sup>quot;Other" category is for multi-grade level classes.

2018-19 to 2020-2021

- \*Teacher Induction: In partnership with Silicon Valley New Teacher Center, the district assists new teachers to clear their teaching credentials. Teachers receive staff development and mentor support from a credential teacher on special assignment to master the standards for the teaching professions and complete all induction requirements.
- \*All Grades reviewed essential components of Project-Based Learning (PBL). Teachers received guided support to work collaboratively with grade-level peers and departments to develop a PBL unit that is culturally relevant to the students/communities that we serve. The PBL incorporated the Global Citizenship standards to help students understand their role as global citizens who respect and value diversity, understanding social justice, work with others to make the world around them more equitable, and help students take responsibility for their actions.

2018-2019

July 10-11th:

Teachers met for half a day to collaborate by grade level or department at least once a month. Teachers used cycles of inquiry to monitor student progress. Teachers also developed project-based learning units.

Discover the power of Language Dives, 3rd-5th-grade teachers. Language Dives empower students to analyze, understand, and use the language of academic sentences.

August 16th:

Teachers in grades K-8 grade came together to review the new Math concept maps

August 17th:

All 3-5 grade teachers received a one-day training on how to implement the ALL Block. All Block is an essential component of the newly adopted English Language Arts curriculum. Teachers received additional support during the school year.

2019-2020

August 15 -16:

Kindergarten to Fifth-grade teachers reviewed the NGSS as grade level and identified key skills and big ideas. Teachers also identified the gaps within the currently adopted curriculum and identified supplementary material to address the NGSS for their grade level.

K-2 teachers received training on the new English Language Arts adopted curriculum

6-8 grade teachers received AVID training to implement AVID strategies across subject areas and schoolwide.

Throughout the 2019-20 school year:

Teachers and administrators engaged in continuous cycles of inquiry with each of the school's leadership teams. Each school identified a problem of practice and implemented inquiry cycles using the Improvement Science framework to address their problem of practice. Each group received ongoing coaching support from PIVOT learning.

In partnership with the Eastside alliance, every school had a team composed of teachers and administrators; the team received professional development on teacher efficacy. The goal is to engage across grade levels in the district and the feeder High School to address low student performance in Mathematics. The work will continue next school year.

2020-2021

Teachers in grades K-8 were trained on Canvas by the Krause Center for Innovation and by our District Instructional Technology Leadership Cohort on the dates below:

August 13, 14, 25, 27 - Creating Canvas Account, Making Pages, Homepage, Assignments & Announcements

September 17, 24 - Review PDs on Making Pages, Homepage, Assignments & Announcements

October 1, 8, 15 - Modules, Quizzes, Canvas Review, & Big Blue Button

East Side Alliance Impact Middle School Meetings (6th grade - 8th grade):

September 22, October 7, December 2, February 24, March 24 & May 26

East Side Alliance Impact Meetings (TK - 8th grade):

December 8, April 12 & June 9

East Side Alliance Assessment for Learning Series (3rd grade - 8th grade):

November 10, December 15, January 26, April 14 & May 5

#### Nearpod

All certificated staff received training on Nearpod on October 29, 2020, and January 7, 2021.

#### Sports for Learning - PE & SEL

All certificated staff received training on Sports for Learning on January 14, 2021.

#### **Edcite**

Third through 8th-grade teachers received training on Edcite on November 5, 2020.

#### Language Dives

All certificated teachers received training on creating language dives by EL Curriculum Staff and District Language Dive Cohort Members on January 4, 2021.

#### Circled Up

All certificated and classified staff received training on diversity, equity, inclusion, and belonging from Circled Up on January 4, 2021.

FY 2018-19 Teacher and Administrative Salaries

Category	District Amount	State Average for Districts In Same Category	
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$58,308	\$50,574	
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$80,684	\$76,649	
Highest Teacher Salary	\$112,922	\$98,993	
Average Principal Salary (ES)	\$135,186	\$125,150	
Average Principal Salary (MS)	\$127,489	\$129,394	
Average Principal Salary (HS)		\$122,053	
Superintendent Salary	\$188,529	\$193,925	

Percent of District Budget	District Amount	State Average for Districts In Same Category
Teacher Salaries	32.0	34.0
Administrative Salaries	10.0	6.0

For detailed information on salaries, see the CDE Certificated Salaries & Benefits webpage at <a href="https://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/">www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/</a>.

## **Types of Services Funded**

\*MPAS- Mt. Pleasant After School Program

## <u>DataQuest</u>

DataQuest is an online data tool located on the CDE DataQuest web page at <a href="https://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/">https://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/</a> that contains additional information about this school and comparisons of the school to the district and the county. Specifically, DataQuest is a dynamic system that provides reports for accountability (e.g., test data, enrollment, high school graduates, dropouts, course enrollments, staffing, and data regarding English learners).

## **California School Dashboard**

The California School Dashboard (Dashboard) https://www.caschooldashboard.org/ reflects California's new accountability and continuous improvement system and provides information about how LEAs and schools are meeting the needs of California's diverse student population. The Dashboard contains reports that display the performance of LEAs, schools, and student groups on a set of state and local measures to assist in identifying strengths, challenges, and areas in need of improvement.

FY 2018-19 Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries

Level	Total	Restricted	Unrestricted	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$13,949	\$5,336	\$8,613	\$85,443
District	N/A	N/A	\$9,770	\$80,797
State	N/A	N/A	\$7,750	\$80,565

Percent Differences	Unrestricted	Average Teacher Salary
School Site/District	-12.6	5.6
School Site/ State	10.5	5.9

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

<sup>\*</sup>Bay Area Tutors

<sup>\*</sup>Silicon Valley Education Foundation-3rd grade Math Tutoring/Intervention

<sup>\*</sup>Virtual Summer School-SVEF (incoming 3rd through 8th grade)