Fontana Unified School District Locust Elementary 2021-2022 School Accountability Report Card

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SARC INFORMATION

Every school in California is required by state law to publish a School Accountability Report Card (SARC), by February 1st of each year. 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 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 a LCAP is to be consistent with data reported in the SARC.

- For more information about SARC requirements, see the California Department of Education (CDE) SARC webpage at http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/.
- For more information about the LCFF or LCAP, see the CDE LCFF Webpage at http://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/lc/.
- For additional information about the school, parents and community members should contact the school principal or the district office.

DATAQUEST

DataQuest is an online data tool located on the CDE DataQuest Web page at http://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest that contains additional information about this school and comparisons of the school to the district, the county, and the state. 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) reflects California's new accountability and continuous improvement system and provides information about how districts and schools are meeting the needs of California's diverse student population. The Dashboard contains reports that display the performance of districts, schools, and student groups on a set of state and local measures to assist in identifying strengths, challenges, and areas in need of improvement. The Dashboard can be accessed at https://www.caschooldashboard.org.







DISTRICT STATEMENTS DISTRICT MISSION

"Every Student Successful. Engaging Schools. Empowered Communities."

DISTRICT VISION

Fontana Unified is a community united to ensure that every student is prepared for success in college, career, and life.

CORE VALUES

- Teamwork and Respect
- Excellence and Achievement
- Responsibility and Accountability
- Equity and Opportunity
- Dedication and Commitment

CORNERSTONES OF SUCCESS

- Every Student Successful: Schools demonstrate a relentless focus on preparing students for success in college, career and life.
- Engaging Schools: Schools have the high-quality resources, leaders and teachers to provide the comprehensive learning environment required for a world-class education.
- Empowered Communities: Schools cultivate healthy environments and meaningful partnerships with families and communities to support student achievement in and out of school.

DISTRICT GOALS

- Increase proficiency and strategic thinking
- Promote multilingualism and multiculturalism
- Increase graduation and college and career readiness
- Cultivate effective teachers and leaders
- Engage students and decrease dropout rates
- Strengthen family and community engagement
- Promote healthy environments

SCHOOL STATEMENTS

Principal's Message:

Hello and Welcome to the LOCUST Lions' Den!

At Locust, we are committed to excellence via a high-quality academic program and a commitment to ensuring that every child can and will learn. The School Accountability Report Card provides important information for our school community about Locust Elementary School's instructional programs, academic achievement, and resources. Our teachers, office staff, support staff, and even our custodians are 100% committed to ensuring that your child has a wonderful and memorable experience here at Locust! We are dedicated to providing a safe learning environment where students thrive both academically and socially. Our goal is that every student receives the positive support he/she needs to experience academic success and meet his/her highest potential!

Our staff believes that with a strong and positive relationship between the home and the school, we can support each child in his or her learning. We believe that the support of parents and community partnerships are essential to student success. We have many opportunities for parents and families to become involved at Locust Elementary School. We invite you to participate in the educational experiences of your child. We hold regular School Site Council and English Learner Advisory Council Meetings. We provide a time for parents to come and ask questions, share ideas and discuss concerns during our Coffee with the Principal Meetings. We know that parenting children isn't always easy, so we also offer many parent workshops to help parents understand how they can support their children's academic success. There are numerous opportunities for parents and families to engage with our PTA to volunteer and support our school. Additionally, families are invited to attend our Back-to-School Night, Parent-Teacher Conferences and Open House. It is your support that enables us to help your child grow academically and socially.

Locust Elementary is focused on improving academic achievement in reading, writing and math and implementing a school-wide Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (PBIS) Program. Through collaboration with our teachers and families, we will provide targeted support and interventions to fill in the gaps for our students. The entire staff of Locust Elementary appreciates your support and commitment to the education of our children.

GO LIONS!

SCHOOL PROFILE

Locust Elementary School runs on a traditional school calendar. The school is proud of its experienced group of teaching professionals dedicated to improving school programs to meet the individual needs of its students. Parents are a welcome resource and collaborate effectively in supporting school staff, instruction, and programs.

ENROLLMENT BY STUDENT GROUP

The charts display student enrollment broken down by student group.

Enrollment by Student Group					
2021-22	Percentage				
Female	45.7				
Male	54.3				
Non-Binary					
American Indian or Alaska Native					
Asian	1.7				
Black or African American	3.4				
Filipino	1.1				
Hispanic or Latino	87.5				
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.6				
White	5.1				
Two or More Races	0.6				
EL Students	24.1				
Foster Youth	2				
Homeless	2.3				
Military					
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	81.3				
Migrant Education					
Students with Disabilities	12.2				

ENROLLMENT BY GRADE

The charts display student enrollment broken down by grade.

Enrollment by Grade Level					
2021-22	Count				
К	56				
1st	48				
2nd	42				
3rd	52				
4th	44				
5th	51				
6th	59				
Total	352				

CONDITIONS OF LEARNING

- The SARC provides the following information relevant to the Basic State Priority (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 ASSIGNMENT

The tables below display information regarding teacher preparation and placement, teachers without credentials and misassignments (considered "ineffective" under ESSA), credentialed teachers who are assigned out-of-field (considered "out-of-field" under ESSA); and class assignments. The data is collected and provided through an exchange with the Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC) and its California State Assignment Accountability System (CalSAAS). More information about the definitions used to determine the displayed data is available on the CDE's Updated Teacher Definitions web page at https://www.cde.ca.gov/pd/ee/teacherequitydefinitions.asp.

Teacher Preparation and Placement								
2020-21		School Percent	District Number	District Percent	State Number	State Percent		
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)	18.20	84.67	1,251.40	72.77	228,366.10	83.12		
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0.00	0.00	3.80	0.22	4,205.90	1.53		
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments ("ineffective" under ESSA)	0.00	0.00	37.50	2.19	11,216.70	4.08		
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field ("out-of-field" under ESSA)	0.00	0.00	19.70	1.15	12,115.80	4.41		
Unknown	3.20	15.28	407.00	23.67	18,854.30	6.86		
Total Teaching Positions	21.50	100.00	1,719.70	100.00	274,759.10	100.00		

Teacher Preparation and Placement								
2021-22	School Number	School Percent	District Number	District Percent	State Number	State Percent		
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)	16.30	85.57	1,590.00	90.86	234,405.20	84.00		
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0.00	0.00	10.60	0.61	4,853.00	1.74		
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments ("ineffective" under ESSA)	0.00	0.00	29.50	1.69	12,001.50	4.30		
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field ("out-of-field" under ESSA)	0.00	0.00	31.90	1.82	11,953.10	4.28		
Unknown	2.70	14.43	87.80	5.02	15,831.90	5.67		
Total Teaching Positions	19.00	100.00	1,749.90	100.00	279,044.80	100.00		

Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments					
	2020-21	2021-22			
Permits and Waivers	0.00	0.00			
Misassignments	0.00	0.00			
Vacant Positions	0.00	0.00			
Total Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments	0.00	0.00			

Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field				
	2020-21	2021-22		
Credentialed Teachers Authorized on a Permit or Waiver	0.00	0.00		
Local Assignment Options	0.00	0.00		
Total Out-of-Field Teachers	0.00	0.00		

Class Assignments		
	2020-21	2021-22
Misassignments for English Learners (a percentage of all the classes with English learners taught by teachers that are misassigned)	0.00	0.00
No credential, permit or authorization to teach (a percentage of all the classes taught by teachers with no record of an authorization to teach)	0.00	0.00

FACILITY INSPECTION RESULTS

The chart displays the results of the most recent facilities inspection at the school. While reviewing this report, please note that even minor discrepancies are reported in the inspection process.

2022-23 School Facility Inspection Summary				
Date of Last Inspection:	03/24/2022			
Data Collected:	March 2022			
Overall Summary of School Facility Conditions:	Good			

School Facility Inspection Results					
Category	Rating	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned			
SYSTEMS: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	Good				
INTERIOR: Interior Surfaces	Good	P- 33: 4. CEILING TILE IS LOOSE. MPR: 4. FLOOR TILES ARE CRACKED WITH HOLES AT ENTRY/ TRIP HAZARD. RM 29: 4. WATER STAIN CEILING TILES. ADMIN BLDG: 4. WATER STAIN CEILING TILES AT ENTRY.			
CLEANLINESS: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/ Vermin Infestation	Good				
ELECTRICAL: Electrical	Good				
RESTROOMS/FOUNTAINS: Restrooms, Sinks/Fountains	Good				
SAFETY: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	Good	P RM 17, RM 12, RM K1, RM K2: 11. PAINT CHIPPING ON PERGOLA IN PATIO AREA. P RM 15: 11. PAINT CHIPPING ON PERGOLAS IN PICNIC AREA. RM 3: 11. PAINT IS CHIPPING ON PERGOLA. GIRLS RR: 11. PAINT IS CHIPPING ON SIDING.			
STRUCTURAL: Structural Damage, Roofs	Good	P RM 17: 12. BEAM IS BROKEN AT PERGOLA. RM 26/ LIBRARY: 12. DRY ROT ON EAST SIDING. *P-30, BOYS RR, GIRLS RR, MPR, P RM 19, P RM 25, RM 10, RM 5: 12. DRY ROT ON SIDING. RM 11/ PRESCHOOL: 12. DRY ROT ON SIDING/ DRY ROT ON DOOR FRAME. GIRLS RR: 12. DRY ROT ON SKIRTING. P RM 20, RM 9: 12. DRY ROT ON TRIM. P RM 14: 12. DRY ROT ON WEST SIDING. RM 27: 12. DRY ROT ON WEST SKIRTING.			
EXTERNAL: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	Good	RM 28: 15. FENCE IS TORN BETWEEN ROOMS.			

SCHOOL FACILITIES

Age and Condition of Facilities

Locust Elementary School provides a caring, clean, safe, and functional environment for learning through proper facilities maintenance and campus supervision. Locust is an all portable school. Built in 1987, the school sits on 10 acres and includes a library, one computer labs, 30 classrooms, a staff lunch room, and a cafeteria/multipurpose room. In July, 2013, our dedicated PTA and school community joined together to raise \$30,000 to install a new playground structure.

Campus Supervision

As students arrive on campus each morning, teachers supervise the bus area and an aide supervises the crosswalk area. The principal is stationed at the front of the school to greet and supervise arriving students. Teachers supervise playground activities. We have 5 school site aides that share the supervision of students on the playground and in the cafeteria during recesses and lunches. When students are dismissed for the day, teachers escort students to the front of the school. The principal and assigned teachers are stationed at crosswalk, student pickup, and bus areas to ensure students depart in a safe and orderly manner. Locust Elementary School is a closed campus. During school hours, all visitors must sign in at the school's office and wear identification badges while on school grounds.

Campus Maintenance

School custodial staff and the district's maintenance department work together to ensure playgrounds, classrooms, and campus grounds are well-maintained and kept safe and functioning for students, staff, and visitors. The Fontana Unified School District publishes a comprehensive custodial manual which outlines cleaning standards and prioritization guidelines. Each custodial staff member receives job training and is provided a copy of the district's cleaning manual which defines individual responsibilities regarding maintenance procedures, daily responsibilities, performance expectations, and safety measures.

One full-time day custodian and one full-time evening custodian are assigned to Locust Elementary School and are responsible for keeping classrooms and facilities clean, safe, and in good repair and working order. Each morning before students arrive on campus, the day custodian inspects facilities for graffiti, safety hazards or other conditions

that need attention prior to students and staff entering school grounds. Restrooms are checked after every recess and cleaned as needed. The principal, custodians, and school office staff communicate daily with hand-held radios regarding campus maintenance and safety issues. Daily housekeeping and cleaning takes place in the evening. When students and staff are on intersession or school break, custodial teams focus on deep cleaning of carpets, floors, windows, restrooms, and other major components of the campus.

An electronic work order process is in place for non-routine school repairs and maintenance projects. School staff submit work orders to the school secretary who forwards all work orders to the district's maintenance department who identifies the scope of the project and then assigns the project to either district maintenance technicians/specialists or site custodians. Each site custodian is capable of handling general repairs; projects requiring specialists or third party contractors are completed by the district's maintenance department. Emergency repairs are typically resolved immediately by either school custodians or district maintenance specialists.

Improvements to Facilities

The following facility improvements are being made districtwide where necessary: wi-Fi infrastructure upgrade and technology upgrades, sidewalk replacement (on-site tripping hazards), portable ramp replacement, portable HVAC units for portable classrooms of various sites, re-sealing of gym floor, solar installation projects, PA system upgrades, paint exterior of entire school, paint interior of entire school, replace/repair swamp coolers, replace intermittent failing HVAC units, replacement of portable siding and paint, replace ramps, general installation of TVs in classrooms.

Additionally, the following facility improvements are planned specifically for our school: upgrade fire alarm system site-wide, install shade structure for State Pre-School playground.

Facility Inspection Results

Ongoing maintenance by site custodians and district trade specialists ensures facilities remain up-to-date and provide adequate space for students and staff. The district's maintenance department inspects facilities and operating systems at each school at least twice a year. A formal inspection report is prepared annually in accordance with Education Code §17592.72(c)(1). Fontana Unified School District uses the Facilities Inspection Tool developed by the California Office of Public School Construction to assess current conditions of the campus and identify facilities improvement needs.

INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

Sufficiency of Instructional Materials

Fontana Únified School District held a public hearing on September 21, 2022, and determined that each school within the district had sufficient and good quality textbooks, instructional materials, foreign language materials, visual and performing arts materials, and/or science lab equipment pursuant to the settlement of Williams vs. the State of California. All students, including English learners, are given their own individual standards-aligned textbooks or instructional materials, or both, in core subjects, Foreign Languages, Health, and Visual and Performing Arts, for use in the classroom and to take home.

Adoption of Instructional Materials

Textbooks and supplementary materials are adopted according to a cycle developed by the California Department of Education, making the textbooks used in the school the most current available. Materials approved for use by the state are reviewed by all teachers and a recommendation is made to the School Board by a selection committee composed of teachers and administrators. All recommended materials are available for parent examination at the district office prior to adoption.

TEXTBOOKS
The table displays information about the quality, currency, and availability of the standards-aligned textbooks and other instructional materials used at the school.

	2022-23 Instructional Materials					
Subject	ct Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials / Year of Adoption		Percent of Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy			
English / Language	Grades: K-5th / Course: English Language Arts/English Language Development / Publisher: McGraw-Hill / Series: Reading Wonders / Adoption: 2016 Grade: 6th / Course: English Language Arts/English Language Development /	Yes (State)	0			
Arts	Publisher: McGraw-Hill / Series: StudySync / Adoption: 2016	Yes (State)	0			
	Grades: K-5th / Course: Mathematics / Publisher: McGraw-Hill / Series: My Math / Adoption: 2015	Yes (State)	0			
Mathematics	Grades: K-5th / Course: Mathematics / Publisher: McGraw-Hill / Series: Mis Matematicas / Adoption: 2015	Yes (State)	0			
	Grade: 6th / Course: Mathematics / Publisher: Big Ideas Learning / Series: Big Ideas Math / Adoption: 2014	Yes (State)	0			
History /	Grades: K-3rd / Course: History/Social Science / Publisher: Houghton Mifflin / Series: California Social Studies / Adoption: 2006	Yes (State)	0			
Social Science	Grades: 4th-5th / Course: History/Social Science / Publisher: Teacher's Curriculum Institute / Series: Social Studies Alive! / Adoption: 2020	Yes (State)	0			
Science	Grade: 6th / Course: History/Social Science / Publisher: Teacher's Curriculum Institute / Series: History Alive: The Ancient World / Adoption: 2019	Yes (State)	0			
Science	Grades: K-5th / Course: Science / Publisher: Imagine Learning / Series: Twig Science / Adoption: 2022	Yes (State)	0			
Science	Grade: 6th / Course: Science / Publisher: Amplify / Series: Amplify Science / Adoption: 2022	Yes (State)	0			
Foreign Language	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Visual / Performing Arts	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Health Education	N/A	N/A	N/A			

PUPIL ACHIEVEMENT AND OUTCOMES

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

- Statewide assessments (i.e., California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress [CAASPP] System 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).

CALIFORNIA ASSESSMENT OF STUDENT PERFORMANCE AND PROGRESS

The California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) is a collection of tests used statewide to provide teachers, students and parents with information about how students are doing in school. The assessment system utilizes computer-adaptive tests and performance tasks that allow students to show what they know and are able to do. Summative assessment results include student scores, achievement levels, and descriptors that describe performance. Information regarding the CAASPP test results of mathematics for each grade and achievement standards can be found on the CDE CAASPP-ELPAC Results website at https://www.caaspp-elpac.cde.ca.gov/caaspp/. The CAASPP System consists of the following assessments:

- Smarter Balanced English language arts/literacy (ELA) and mathematics
- California Alternate Assessments for ELA, mathematics, and science
- California Science Test (CAST)
- California Spanish Assessment (CSA)
- Smarter Balanced Interim Assessments

Note: Double dashes (--) appear in the table when the number of students 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: The value "N/T" indicates that students were not tested, and therefore no scores are available at this time.

ASSESSMENT RESULTS

The table displays the percent of students who met or exceeded state standards in English Language Arts/Literacy (grades 3-8 and 11), Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11), and Science (Grades 5, 8, and high school).

Assessment Results by Subject						
	School	District	State			
	2021-22	2021-22	2021-22			
English Language Arts/Literacy (Grades 3-8 and 11)	29	34	47			
Mathematics (Grades 3-8 and 11)	10	18	33			
Science (Grades 5, 8, and 10)	16	16	29			

Assessment Results by Student Group - English Language Arts							
2021-22	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	% Met or Exceeded Standard		
All Students	201	196	97.51	2.49	28.57		
Male	102	98	96.08	3.92	29.59		
Female	99	98	98.99	1.01	27.55		
Non-Binary							
American Indian or Alaska Native							
Asian							
Black or African American							
Filipino							
Hispanic or Latino	176	173	98.30	1.70	27.75		
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00		
White							
Two or More Races							
EL Students	51	47	92.16	7.84	17.02		
Foster Youth							
Homeless							
Military							
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	161	158	98.14	1.86	27.85		
Migrant Education	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00		
Students with Disabilities	14	14	100.00	0.00	7.14		

Assessment Results by Student Group - Mathematics								
2021-22	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	% Met or Exceeded Standard			
All Students	201	201	100.00	0.00	10.45			
Male	102	102	100.00	0.00	8.82			
Female	99	99	100.00	0.00	12.12			
Non-Binary								
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Asian								
Black or African American								
Filipino								
Hispanic or Latino	176	176	100.00	0.00	8.52			
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00			
White								
Two or More Races								
EL Students	51	51	100.00	0.00	9.80			
Foster Youth								
Homeless								
Military								
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	161	161	100.00	0.00	8.07			
Migrant Education	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00			
Students with Disabilities	14	14	100.00	0.00	0.00			

	Assessment Results by Student Group - Science								
2021-22	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	% Met or Exceeded Standard				
All Students	50	50	100.00	0.00	16.00				
Male	35	35	100.00	0.00	20.00				
Female	15	15	100.00	0.00	6.67				
Non-Binary									
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00				
Asian	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00				
Black or African American		-							
Filipino	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00				
Hispanic or Latino	48	48	100.00	0.00	16.67				
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00				
White	-	1							
Two or More Races	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00				
EL Students	13	13	100.00	0.00	0.00				
Foster Youth	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00				
Homeless									
Military	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00				
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	47	47	100.00	0.00	17.02				
Migrant Education	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00				
Students with Disabilities		-							

PHYSICAL FITNESS ASSESSMENT

In the spring of each year, all California schools are required by the state to administer a physical fitness test to students in the fifth, seventh, and ninth grades. The physical fitness test is a standardized evaluation that measures each student's ability to perform fitness tasks in five major areas. The five major areas are Aerobic Capacity, Abdominal Strength and Endurance, Extensor and Strength and Flexibility, Upper Body Strength and Endurance, and Flexibility.

The table displays the percentage of students participating in each of the five fitness evaluations by grade. Detailed information regarding this test may be found at the CDE

website at http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/pf/.

2021-22 Physical Fitness Test Participation						
Grade	Component 1: Aerobic Capacity	Component 2: Abdominal Strength and Endurance	Component 3: Trunk Extensor and Strength and Flexibility	Component 4: Upper Body Strength and Endurance	Component 5: Flexibility	
5th	98	98	98	98	98	

PUPIL ENGAGEMENT

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the Pupil Engagement State Priority (Priority 5):

- High school dropout and graduation ratesChronic absenteeism rates

CHRONIC ABSENTEEISM

Attendance is critical to academic achievement. Regular daily attendance is a priority and is expected for students. A student who is absent on 10 percent or more of the school days in the school year is considered to be a "chronic absentee". Chronic absenteeism negatively impacts student learning and achievement and is closely monitored by school staff and the district. Rates of chronic absenteeism for the school are displayed below.

Chronic Absenteeism Rate (Percentage)							
2021-22	Cumulative Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Eligible Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Count	Chronic Absenteeism Rate (Percentage)			
All Students	403	379	166	43.8			
Female	183	172	62	36			
Male	220	207	104	50.2			
Non-Binary							
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0			
Asian	8	6	1	16.7			
Black or African American	17	13	3	23.1			
Filipino	4	4	0	0			
Hispanic or Latino	349	333	154	46.2			
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	2	2	1	50			
White	19	18	6	33.3			
Two or More Races	4	3	1	33.3			
EL Students	106	100	43	43			
Foster Youth	12	8	0	0			
Homeless	10	10	5	50			
Military							
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	322	308	146	47.4			
Migrant Education	0	0	0	0			
Students with Disabilities	55	51	31	60.8			

PARENT ENGAGEMENT

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

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

PARENT INVOLVEMENT

Parents are encouraged to get involved in Locust Elementary School's learning communities. Parents may volunteer to help out in their child's classroom, read to students, and chaperone field trips. Events such as Back-to-School Night, Harvest Festival, and Movie Night provide opportunities for parents to interact with school's staff while supporting their child's academic programs. Parents are invited to attend Coffee with the Principal to share their concerns or discuss school activities. Parent education activities include Parent Workshops, School Site Council, Parent Teacher Association, and English Learners Advisory Council provide opportunities for parents to have input on curricular programs and financial planning.

The School Accountability Report card contains vital information for parents and community members to review about the progress of Locust Elementary School. The SARC will provide information about academic achievement, behavior, instructional programs and practices, attendance and various other information that is helpful to families. It is the goal of Locust Elementary staff to work collaboratively with all key stakeholders to have a quality education for all students.

School-to-home communication is provided in both English and Spanish. Our school's website is kept current with our monthly calendar and Q Communication, Blackboard Connect 5 message system forwards personalized messages from school staff to each student's home.

Go, Lions—let's roar through the next year!

SCHOOL CLIMATE

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

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

SCHOOL SAFETY

The comprehensive Safe School Plan is developed by the Safe Schools Committee on an annual basis to comply with Senate Bill 187 of 1997 and is submitted to the District for approval. The plan was last reviewed, updated, and approved in August 2022. An updated copy is available to the public at the school office. Highlights of the Safe School Plan include:

- · Safe Schools' Plan of Action
- Comprehensive disaster and crisis plan
- State and local discipline policies
- Intervention programs for at-risk students
- · Addressing student aggression
- · Visible authoritative presence on campus
- Safe transportation
- Communication strategies
- · Conflict resolution

SUSPENSIONS AND EXPULSIONS
The table displays the suspension and expulsion rates at the school, in the district, and throughout the state. Expulsions occur only when required by law or when all other alternatives are exhausted. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the 2019–2020 and 2020-2021 suspension and expulsion rate data are not comparable to prior year data. In instances where there was not in-person learning for the entire school year, it would be inappropriate to make any comparisons of the suspension and expulsion rates to school years that offered in-person learning for the entire school year.

Suspension and Expulsion Rates						
	Suspensions				Expulsions	
	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
School	1.21	0	1.24	0	0	0
District	2.01	0.06	3.27	0.03	0	0.04
State	2.45	0.2	3.17	0.05	0	0.07

Suspension & Expulsion Rates by Student Group					
2021-22	Suspensions	Expulsions			
All Students	1.24	0			
Female	0.55	0			
Male	1.82	0			
Non-Binary	0	0			
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0			
Asian	0	0			
Black or African American	5.88	0			
Filipino	0	0			
Hispanic or Latino	0.86	0			
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0			
White	5.26	0			
Two or More Races	0	0			
EL Students	0	0			
Foster Youth	0	0			
Homeless	0	0			
Military					
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	0.93	0			
Migrant Education	0	0			
Students with Disabilities	1.82	0			

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.

ADDITIONAL INTERNET AND PUBLIC LIBRARY ACCESS

For additional research materials and Internet availability, students are encouraged to visit county and city public libraries, which contain numerous computer workstations.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

All training and curriculum development activities at Fontana Unified School District revolve around the Common Core State Standards, including Next Generation Science Standards, Professional Learning Communities, 21st Century Learning and Multi-Tiered System of Supports. The schools supplement district training with site-based training focused on meeting the needs of the school, based upon student assessment results and teacher input. The district plans, implements, and evaluates professional development opportunities for administrators and teachers. Staff members are encouraged to attend district sponsored training and professional development programs. All staff completes mandatory training online through Target Solutions annually. The mandated training covers the following topics: Child Abuse, Mandated Reporter Training, School Bullying, Anti-Harassment Training, Maintaining Professional Staff/Student Boundaries, Bloodborne Pathogens Safety, and Recognizing and Preventing Youth Suicide

New and veteran teachers are offered support through Peer Assistance and Review and Induction programs. Each program pairs participating teachers with qualified mentoring teachers in order to gain skills and knowledge to be most effective in the classroom. Paraprofessionals receive specialized training to support current classroom curricula and effective instructional strategies. Classified support staff receive job-related training from department supervisors and district representatives.

Three days are dedicated annually to district-wide staff development. All school sites have early student-release days on Wednesdays for PLC meetings, Staff collaboration, teacher prep time and professional development. Additional professional development opportunities take place by releasing teachers from their classroom with substitutes. To ensure this doesn't impact the instructional program, every effort is made to limit teachers being released from their classroom for professional development to no more than five - ten days per school year. Teachers and classified staff are also offered additional optional professional development opportunities outside of their work day and during winter break, summer break, and Saturdays. Additional compensation is awarded for attendance in order to encourage staff to take advantage of opportunities available during non-contracted times.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAYS OFFERED

The table displays the number of annual professional development days offered during the most recent three-year period.

Professional Development Days						
	2020-21 2021-22 2022-23					
Number of Professional Development Days	3	3	3			

ACADEMIC COUNSELOR TO PUPIL RATIO

The chart displays the ratio of pupils to academic counselor at the school.

2021-22 Academic Counselor to Pupil Academic Coun	selor(s)
Academic Counselor(s)	704

AVAILABLE COUNSELING AND SUPPORT STAFF

The chart displays the support staff available to students at the school. Note: 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.

Counseling and Support Staff					
2021-22	Full Time Equivalent				
Counselor (Academic, Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	0.5				
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)					
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)					
Psychologist	1.0				
Social Worker					
Nurse	0.3				
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist					
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	0.2				
Other	0.5				

COUNSELING AND SUPPORT SERVICES

Locust Elementary School makes every effort to meet the academic, emotional, and physical needs of all students. The school employs highly qualified personnel to provide counseling and support services.

Student Intervention Teams (SIT) address issues that affect the ability of a student to perform at his or her best in school and recommend various intervention strategies/services to meet the unique needs of referred students.

The district's Special Education Local Plan Areas (SELPA) provides a wide range of specialized instructional and support services for students with exceptional needs. The SELPA employs highly qualified professionals and special education experts to meet the unique needs of each child based upon their IEP. Locust Elementary School's special education staff collaborates with the district's SELPA to coordinate designated instruction and services (DIS), special education programs, and resource programs to ensure students receive instruction and services to support their individual learning needs.

CLASS SIZE DISTRIBUTION

The table indicates the average class size by grade level or subject area, as well as the number of classrooms that fall into each size category.

*Please note that the "Other" category may display data for multi-grade level classes.

Class Size Distribution By Grade												
	Aver	age Class	Size	1-	1-20 Students		21	21-32 Students		33+ Students		
	20	21	22	20	21	22	20	21	22	20	21	22
К	8	26	13	12	4	3		2	2		1	
1st	28	22	15		6	2	4		2		1	
2nd	24	28	13		3	4	4	2			1	
3rd	22	28	13	1	2	3	4	2	2		1	
4th	33	27	24	1	2	2	4	2	1	2	2	2
5th	34	24	24	2	4	3	4	2	2	2	2	1
6th	28	18	25	10	6	3	2	10	10	8		
Other	11	16	75	1	1	1			1	·		1

DISTRICT REVENUE SOURCES

In addition to general fund state funding, Fontana Unified School District receives state and federal categorical funding for the following special programs:

- After School Education
- Career Technical Education
- Extended Learning Opportunities
- Lottery: Instructional Materials
- Partnership Academies ProgramSpecial Education
- Supplementary Programs
- Title I, II, III, IV
- Transportation: Special Education

SCHOOL AND DISTRICT EXPENDITURES

The table provides a comparison of a school's per pupil funding from unrestricted sources with other schools in the district and throughout the state. Supplemental/Restricted expenditures come from money whose use is controlled by law or donor. Money designated for specific purposes by the district or governing board is not considered restricted. Basic/Unrestricted expenditures, except for general guidelines, are not controlled by law or donor. The California Department of Education issued guidance to the district in August 2018 regarding how to calculate school-level per-pupil expenditures.

For detailed information on school expenditures for all districts in California, see the CDE Current Expense of Education & Per-pupil Spending Web page at http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/ec/. For information on teacher salaries for all districts in California, see the CDE Certificated Salaries & Benefits Web page at http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/. To look up expenditures and salaries for a specific school district, see the Ed-Data Web site at: http://www.ed-data.org.

2020-21 Expenditures per Pupil					
School: Total Expenditures Per Pupil	\$ 8,583				
School: From Supplemental/Restricted Sources	\$ 1,732				
School: From Basic/Unrestricted Sources	\$ 6,851				
District: From Basic/Unrestricted Sources	\$ 6,057				
Percentage of Variation between School & District	13.11 %				
State: From Basic/Unrestricted Sources	\$ 6,594				
Percentage of Variation between School & State	3.9 %				

TEACHER AND ADMINISTRATIVE SALARIES

This table displays District salaries for teachers, principals, and superintendents, and compares these figures to the State averages for districts of the same type and size. The table also displays teacher and administrative salaries as a percent of the District's budget, and compares these figures to the State averages for districts of the same type and size. Detailed information regarding salaries may be found at the CDE website.

2020-21 Average Salary Information					
	District	State			
Beginning Teachers	\$ 50,645	\$ 51,081			
Mid-Range Teachers	\$ 81,674	\$ 77,514			
Highest Teachers	\$ 109,766	\$ 105,764			
Elementary School Principals	\$ 124,573	\$ 133,421			
Middle School Principals	\$ 124,573	\$ 138,594			
High School Principals	\$ 137,291	\$ 153,392			
Superintendent	\$ 250,000	\$ 298,377			
Teacher Salaries	32 %	32 %			
Administrative Salaries	5 %	5 %			

SCHOOL SITE TEACHER SALARIES

The Average Teacher Salaries table illustrates the average teacher salary at the school and compares it to the average teacher salary at the District and throughout the State.

2020-21 Average Teacher Salary	
School	\$ 88,895
District	\$ 89,523
Percentage of Variation between School & District	-0.7 %
All Similar School Districts	\$ 85,368
Percentage of Variation between School & State	4.13 %

DISCIPLINE AND CLIMATE FOR LEARNING

Students at Locust Elementary School is in the early stages of adopting and implementing a school-wide Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (PBIS) Program. Students are guided by three behavior expectations: be respectful, be responsible and be safe. Our school community works together to ensure that students understand our behavior expectations through teaching mini lessons and participating and attending PBIS assemblies throughout the school year. School staff explain and discuss the various types of appropriate and inappropriate school behavior followed by an explanation of the consequences for making poor choices.

A progressive discipline approach is taken when students are having difficulty following school rules. Student discipline is tracked and categorized by either minor behaviors or major behaviors. Minor behaviors are handled in the classroom by the teacher and parents are notified of the consequences via a Minor Discipline Referral. Major behaviors are referred to the principal via a Office Discipline Referral and the principal communicates with the parents and staff about the consequences given. The principal applies appropriate consequences and/or interventions that may include: parent conferences, phone calls to parents, counseling, development of a behavior contracts, suspension, and in some cases expulsion. The principal takes into consideration the nature of the infraction and past behavior patterns when addressing consequences for unaccentable conduct

At the beginning of the school year, each student is provided the student handbook via the school website, which outlines district policies, school rules, and behavior expectations. Upon enrollment at Locust Elementary School, a parent signature confirms receipt and acknowledgement of the student handbook and its contents. Grade level playground assemblies and expectations assemblies are held during the first week of school to reinforce school rules.

All kindergarten through 6th grade students are provided an AVID folder (K-3rd) or AVID binder (4th-6th). All 4th-6th grade students are provided student planner which are used by students to record homework assignments. The use of the daily planner supports and two-way communications between the home and the school.

Every student has the opportunity to be recognized for outstanding academic efforts and demonstrating good citizenship. Students who are following school rules, exhibiting positive behavior, and/or demonstrating exceptional kindness may be rewarded with Lion Paw Points from any school staff member. Students collect their Lion Paw Points to purchase prizes from the Lion's Den Student Store during recess. PRIDE Rallies are held at the end of each month to recognize students demonstrating outstanding behavior, academic accomplishments and perfect attendance for the month.