# Monarch Learning Center School Accountability Report Card Reported Using Data from the 2018-19 School Year

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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.

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- For more information about the LCFF or LCAP, see the CDE LCFF web page 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.

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#### **About This School**

School Contact Information (School Year 2019-20)

Entity	Contact Information
School Name	Monarch Learning Center
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City, State, Zip	Redding, CA 96001
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Principal	Ethan Cohen
Email Address	ecohen@monarchkids.com
Website	www.monarchkids.com
County-District-School (CDS) Code	45 70110 6117931

Entity	Contact Information
District Name	Monarch Learning Center Charter School
Phone Number	(530) 247-7307
Superintendent	Ethan Cohen
Email Address	ecohen@monarchkids.com
Website	www.monarchkids.com

#### School Description and Mission Statement (School Year 2019-20)

Monarch Learning center is a small public charter school, located in Redding Ca. Our mission is to "cultivate an active family community where parents and staff together provide "more" individual, real, personal, and conceptual learning for each student. Through exploration, direct experience and discovery each student can take ownership of his or her learning. The student at Monarch is a self-directed learner who is able to demonstrate, articulate, and evaluate what he or she learns. Monarch Education is developmentally appropriate, centered on language, mathematical, and science literacy, and is achieved through the three principles of respect understanding, and excellence".

Currently, we have 5 classrooms, with students from TK to 8th grade. Monarch has just under 100 students this year. We pride ourselves on knowing each and every student and their parents by name. This makes school a much more personal endeavor. Having fewer students also gives us the ability to customize education for students who need something a little different. We have created an environment where all students feel welcome and are free from worrying about safety. In the past year, we have concentrated on improving technology. We have enough Chromebooks for each student. We have invested in the Acellus Program, which will teach students coding along with having at least 300 other lessons in ELA Math, Science, History,y, and many more subjects. These lessons can be used as a stand-alone in order for students to work at their current ability level, or as a classroom to enrich direct instruction. Monarch students go on at least one field trip per month, field trips concentrate on the arts, sciences, or local history and community.

#### Student Enrollment by Grade Level (School Year 2018-19)

Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	12
Grade 1	10
Grade 2	6
Grade 3	9
Grade 4	9
Grade 5	7
Grade 6	11
Grade 7	6
Grade 8	5
Total Enrollment	75

#### Student Enrollment by Group (School Year 2018-19)

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	2.7
American Indian or Alaska Native	4
Hispanic or Latino	12
White	74.7
Two or More Races	6.7
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	61.3
Students with Disabilities	5.3
Foster Youth	1.3
Homeless	5.3

### 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**

Teachers	School 2017-18	School 2018-19	School 2019-20	District 2019-20
With Full Credential	2	3	5	5
Without Full Credential	1	1	0	0
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence (with full credential)	0	0	0	0

#### **Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions**

Indicator	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20		
Misassignments of 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 2019-20)

Year and month in which data were collected: 10/2018

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	Mcgraw/Hill Wonders- 2017	Yes	0
Mathematics	Everyday Math McGraw/Hill	Yes	0
Science	McGraw/Hill Inspire and various online supports	Yes	0
History-Social Science	Varies online supports and Exploring social Studies teacher created materials	No	0
Foreign Language	ACellus on line curriculum	Yes	0

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

After a snowstorm in February of 2019 we had a tree service come in and remove all dead and fallen trees. In March of 2019 Monarch had a busted water main that caused a floor in three of our rooms. One entire classroom and our office area and our multi-purpose room were completely remodeled.

Monarch is kept clean and all safety requirements are met.

#### 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 overall rating

Year and month of the most recent FIT report: 10/2018

System Inspected	Rating	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	

System Inspected	Rating	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
<b>Structural:</b> Structural Damage, Roofs	Good	
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	Good	
Overall Rating	Exemplary	

#### **B. Pupil Outcomes**

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

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, 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 2017-18	School 2018-19	District 2017-18	District 2018-19	State 2017-18	State 2018-19
English Language Arts/Literacy (grades 3-8 and 11)	27	19	46	44	50	50
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	18	18	39	38	38	39

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 ELA by Student Group

**Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven (School Year 2018-19)** 

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	59	57	96.61	3.39	19.30
Male	37	36	97.30	2.70	13.89
Female	22	21	95.45	4.55	28.57
Black or African American					

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
American Indian or Alaska Native					
Filipino					
Hispanic or Latino					
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander					
White	42	40	95.24	4.76	20.00
Two or More Races					
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	34	34	100.00	0.00	23.53
English Learners					
Students with Disabilities					
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services					
Foster Youth					
Homeless					

Note: ELA 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.

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 number of students tested includes all students who participated in the test whether they received a score or not; however, the number of students tested is not the number that was used to calculate the achievement level percentages. The achievement level percentages are calculated using only students who received scores.

## CAASPP Test Results in Mathematics by Student Group Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven (School Year 2018-19)

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	60	57	95.00	5.00	17.54
Male	38	36	94.74	5.26	13.89
Female	22	21	95.45	4.55	23.81
Black or African American					
American Indian or Alaska Native					
Filipino					
Hispanic or Latino					
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander					
White	43	40	93.02	6.98	15.00
Two or More Races					

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	34	34	100.00	0.00	23.53
English Learners					
Students with Disabilities					
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services					
Foster Youth					
Homeless					

Note: 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.

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

#### Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard

Subject	School	School	District	District	State	State
	2017-18	2018-19	2017-18	2018-19	2017-18	2018-19
Science (grades 5, 8 and high school)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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

Note: This is a placeholder for the California Science Test (CAST) which was administered operationally during the 2018-19 school year. However, these data are not available for inclusion in the 2018-19 SARC posting due February 1, 2020. These data will be included in the 2019-20 SARC posting due February 1, 2021.

#### **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.

#### California Physical Fitness Test Results (School Year 2018-19)

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Grade <i>Level</i>	Percentage of Students Meeting Four of Six Fitness Standards	Percentage of Students Meeting Five of Six Fitness Standards	Percentage of Students Meeting Six of Six Fitness Standards
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Note: Percentages are not calculated and double dashes (--) appear in the table 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.

#### 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 2019-20)**

Parent involvement begins when students are enrolled. Monarch parents sign a contract promising to volunteer at least 20 hours per year. This can be done by supplying classroom supplies, field trips, helping in classrooms, and volunteering to help with recess and lunch break. teachers are in constant communication with parents using Class Dojo, flyers phone call, and an all call phone and text system. Parents are constantly encouraged to participate in their child's education.

#### **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.

#### **Suspensions and Expulsions**

Rate	School 2016-17	School 2017-18	School 2018-19	District <b>2016-17</b>	District 2017-18	District 2018-19	State 2016-17	State 2017-18	State 2018-19
Suspensions	8.3	0.0	0.0	7.4	7.1	4.4	3.6	3.5	3.5
Expulsions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1

#### School Safety Plan (School Year 2019-20)

Monarch Learning Center Safety Plan: Since we are a very small school our safety plan is not complicated. We have a fire drill monthly, and earthquake, and lock down drills quarterly.

In case of an emergency where we actually leave campus, we have emergency notebooks; it is the responsibility of our receptionist to grab these notebooks so we can call all parents. We also maintain a one-call texting system to get ahold of all parents. We have made arrangements with the church next door to give us a place to wait for emergency rides.

#### **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.

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

Grade Level	Average	# of	# of	Average	2017-18 # of Classes* Size 1-20	# of	# of	Average		# of	# of
K	11	1		16	1			22		1	
3	15	1						15	1		
4				24		1					
5								16	1		
6	16	1									
Other**											

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

#### Ratio of Academic Counselors to Pupils (School Year 2018-19)

Title	Ratio
Academic Counselors*	.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 2018-19)**

Title	Number of FTE* Assigned to School
Counselor (Academic, Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	
Psychologist	
Social Worker	
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	

<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.

#### Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries (Fiscal Year 2017-18)

Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Restricted)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Unrestricted)	Average Teacher Salary
School Site				
District	N/A	N/A		48,000
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A		
State	N/A	N/A	9,417	80,000

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

Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Restricted)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Unrestricted)	Average Teacher Salary
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A		

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

The California Department of Education issued guidance to LEAs on August 1, 2018, regarding how to calculate school-level per-pupil expenditures that will be reported on 2018-19 report cards.

#### Types of Services Funded (Fiscal Year 2018-19)

Here at Monarch Learning Center, we have several special programs that we bring in for our special education students. We have Occupational Therapy, Speech Theapy, and a group that comes in and works with special students on social skills, and appropriate school behavior. We have a full time special education aide and will be adding another person to that program after the first of the year. All students can benefit from tutoring and homework club if needed. We also have many outside people who come in and run electives to give students more opportunities.

#### **Teacher and Administrative Salaries (Fiscal Year 2017-18)**

Category	District Amount	State Average For Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$47,296	\$49,378
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$67,630	\$77,190
Highest Teacher Salary	\$86,901	\$96,607
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	\$111,643	\$122,074
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	\$110,203	\$126,560
Average Principal Salary (High)	\$0	\$126,920
Superintendent Salary	\$145,000	\$189,346
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	31%	36%
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	5%	6%

For detailed information on salaries, see the CDE Certificated Salaries & Benefits web page at https://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/.

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

Measure	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement			

Professional Development 2016-17: I did not work at Monarch Charter School during these school years. It is my understanding that there was not much professional development completed during this time.

Professional Development 2017-2018: During the school years we concentrated on academic professional growth. Teachers went to Science, math, and English conferences. I as principal also attended many conferences of the ins and outs of running a charter school.

Professional Development 2018-2019- Teachers are concentrating on creating lessons that fit into our curriculum. We have one teacher completing BTSA. We have two teachers attending GLEAMS, which is a teaching program exploring access to the curriculum for disabled students. We are also exploring students with Trauma-based disabilities.

2019-2020- We added the Acellus Program to our school. Thes program gives teachers new ways to present materials. We have had training on how to work with this program. We have also brought people in to train teachers on how to deal with behaviors and trauma-based learning.