



Sheridan Elementary School

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2018-19 School Accountability Report Card Published During the 2019-20 School Year



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School Description

Sheridan Elementary School opened in 1966 and is located in Orange Cove. The school served 484 students in grades TK-5th during the 2019-2020 school year. Sheridan Elementary School teachers and staff are dedicated to ensuring the academic success of every student and providing a safe and productive learning experience.

School Mission Statement

Our mission, in partnership with the family and community, is to provide a safe learning environment in which students achieve to their fullest potential, develop positive self-concepts, and become lifelong learners and responsible citizens.

We are committed to ensuring that our students become:

Maturing scholars who demonstrate the ability to read, write, compute and problem solve at high standards and are able to apply their knowledge to real-world situations. Admirable role models who are responsible and respectful at home and school, and make a positive contribution to their community.

Self-directed individuals who have confidence in themselves, and their abilities, value life-long learning and possess high aspirations for their future.

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

2018-19 Student Enrollment by Grade Level

Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	128
Grade 1	81
Grade 2	66
Grade 3	76
Grade 4	88
Grade 5	63
Total Enrollment	502

2018-19 Student Enrollment by Group

Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.2
Hispanic or Latino	99.2
White	0.6
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	95
English Learners	46.8
Students with Disabilities	5
Homeless	0.2

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 Sheridan Elementary	17-18	18-19	19-20
With Full Credential	20	20	19
Without Full Credential	1	2	3
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	0	0	0

Teacher Credentials for Kings Canyon Joint	17-18	18-19	19-20
With Full Credential	♦	♦	412
Without Full Credential	♦	♦	45
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	♦	♦	0

Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions at Sheridan Elementary School

Indicator	17-18	18-19	19-20
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)

Each pupil, including English learners, has a standards-aligned textbook or instructional materials, or both, to use in class and to take home that have been State board adopted, and locally board approved.

Textbooks and Instructional Materials

Year and month in which data were collected: August 2019

Core Curriculum Area	Textbooks and Instructional Materials/Year of Adoption
Reading/Language Arts	Grades TK -5: Engage New York (June 2014) The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0%
Mathematics	Grades TK -5: Engage New York (June 2014) The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0%
Science	MacMillan/McGraw-Hill: California Science, 2007 edition The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0%
History-Social Science	Scott Foresman, It's Revolutionary, 2005 edition 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)

The district takes great efforts to ensure that all schools are clean, safe, and functional. To assist in this effort, the district uses a facility survey instrument developed by the State of California Office of Public School Construction. The results of this survey are available at the KCUSD Business Office. Below is more specific information on the condition of the school and the efforts made to ensure that students are provided with a clean, safe, and functional learning environment. Additional information about the condition of the school's facilities may be obtained by speaking with the school principal.

Sheridan Elementary School has 24 classrooms, a multipurpose room, a library and an administration building. The main campus was built in 1952. Additional classrooms were constructed in 1966, additional relocatable classrooms were constructed in 1999, and a library was constructed in 2002. In 2018, a shade structure was installed and improvements made to playground equipment.

District maintenance staff ensures that the repairs necessary to keep the school in good repair and working order are completed in a timely manner. A work order process is used to ensure efficient service and that emergency repairs are given the highest priority.

The Director of Maintenance, Custodial Supervisor, and the site principals work cooperatively with the custodial staff to develop cleaning schedules to ensure a clean and safe school. Sheridan Elementary School employs 3 custodians to ensure that the campus is safe, clean, and sanitary. The district participates in the State School Deferred Maintenance Program, which provides state matching funds on a dollar for dollar basis. This assists school districts with expenditures for major repair or replacement of existing school building components. Typically, this includes roofing, plumbing, heating, air conditioning, electrical systems, interior or exterior painting, and floor systems.

School Facility Good Repair Status (Most Recent Year)

Year and month in which data were collected: 12/2019

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	

System Inspected	Repair Status	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	Good	Hand dryers not working in boys and girls restrooms.
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	Good	
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	Fair	Roof leak.
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	Good	Broken irrigation line.
Overall Rating	Good	Hand dryers not working. Maintenance to order parts and repair. Roof leak in one classroom. Maintenance to survey roof to locate and repair roof. Broken irrigation line. Ground to follow up with repairs.

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 17-18	School 18-19	District 17-18	District 18-19	State 17-18	State 18-19
ELA	49	54	49	52	50	50
Math	38	44	36	40	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 Science for All Students

Grades Five, Eight, and Ten

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard

Subject	School 17-18	School 18-19	District 17-18	District 18-19	State 17-18	State 18-19
Science	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 area of physical education

2018-19 Percent of Students Meeting Fitness Standards

Grade Level	4 of 6	5 of 6	6 of 6
5	12.5	29.7	28.1

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.

School Year 2018-19 CAASPP Assessment Results - English Language Arts (ELA)
Disaggregated by Student Groups, Grades Three through Eight and Eleven

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	229	227	99.13	54.19
Male	121	120	99.17	51.67
Female	108	107	99.07	57.01
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	228	226	99.12	53.98
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	220	218	99.09	54.13
English Learners	172	170	98.84	52.94
Students with Disabilities	17	17	100.00	11.76
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	--	--	--	--

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.

School Year 2018-19 CAASPP Assessment Results - Mathematics
Disaggregated by Student Groups, Grades Three through Eight and Eleven

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	228	227	99.56	44.49
Male	120	120	100.00	47.50
Female	108	107	99.07	41.12
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	227	226	99.56	44.25
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	219	218	99.54	44.95
English Learners	171	170	99.42	45.29
Students with Disabilities	17	17	100.00	5.88
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	--	--	--	--

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.

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.

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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 2019-20)

Parent involvement and communication are essential to student success. Sheridan Elementary School strives to involve parents by exchanging information that helps parents understand and support school programs and by providing opportunities for parent participation in school activities. There are numerous and varied opportunities for parent involvement. Parents attend school functions and parent visitation days, participate in parent-teacher conferences, volunteer in classrooms, assist as coaches, chaperone field trips, invited to read with their child in the classroom for 30 minutes once per trimester, attend a G.A.T.E. exposition, and serve as room parents.

Parents may also serve on advisory committees and leadership teams, including the Parent Teacher Club (P.T.C.); the School Site Council (SSC); English Learner Advisory Committee (ELAC), which meets a minimum of 5 times a school year. Home and school communication are enhanced through newsletters, parent-teacher conferences; held in the Fall, the student/parent handbook, the school website, student report cards and other regular communication activities including a phone messaging system.

Parents who would like more information on how to become involved may contact Principal Linda Klein at (559) 305-7260.

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

The safety of students and staff is a primary concern of Sheridan Elementary School. All students have an emergency card on file that contains such information as emergency phone contacts, medical allergies, and other information that would be vital in an unexpected situation. Before, during, and after school, the campus is monitored by campus supervisor(s) and assigned staff. All visitors must sign in at the office.

The comprehensive school safety plan is designed to assist in preparing for emergencies, managing emergency response efforts, and maintaining a safe school environment. The plan requires identification of security needs, development of prevention and intervention techniques, evaluation of physical facilities, and communication with staff and students. Components of the plan include child abuse reporting procedures, procedures for teacher notification of dangerous pupils, disaster response procedures, procedures for safe ingress and egress from school, sexual harassment policies, and suspension and expulsion policies. The safety plan is reviewed annually, updated as needed, and fully compliant with federal and state regulations. The plan was last reviewed/updated in August 2019 and discussed with the staff in August 2019. An updated copy is available to the public at the school office.

The school disaster preparedness plan includes steps for ensuring the safety of students and staff during a disaster. Emergency preparedness drills are conducted regularly and the school staff is appropriately trained.

Suspensions and Expulsions for the School	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Suspensions Rate	0.0	0.0	0.2
Expulsions Rate	0.0	0.0	0.0

Suspensions and Expulsions for the District	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Suspensions Rate	5.7	5.4	3.1
Expulsions Rate	0.1	0.0	0.0

Suspensions and Expulsions for the State	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Suspensions Rate	3.6	3.5	3.5
Expulsions Rate	0.1	0.1	0.1

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 Academic Counselors to Pupils (School Year 2018-19)

Title	Ratio
Academic Counselor*	.0

* 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 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	
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	2.0
Other	

* 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	2016-17 Average Class Size	2016-17 # of Classes* Size 1-20	2016-17 # of Classes* Size 21-32	2016-17 # of Classes* Size 33+	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+
K	23	1	3		25		4		22	1	5	
1	23		4		22		3		20	4		
2	28		3		22		4		22		3	
3	26		3		26		3		25		3	
4	32		3		26		3		29		3	
5	30		3		31		3		32		2	
Other**												

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

** "Other" category is for multi-grade level classes.

Professional Development provided for Teachers

Measure	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	42	42	42

Professional development at Sheridan Elementary School is designed to meet the individual needs of teachers as well as broader school concerns derived from our assessment data. Professional development may take the form of training, coaching, peer observation, or constructive self-reflection and are consistent with our school vision and goals. Principal, teachers, instructional aides, and other support personnel may take part in these activities. For the 2017-2018, 2018-2019 and 2019-2020 school years, Sheridan Elementary School emphasized collaborative team building, assessment and data collection, and effective teaching strategies in its professional development program, with emphasis on instructing English Language Learners. Staff, grade level, and vertical team meetings also provide regular opportunities for professional collaboration, as do district data analysis and interpretation committee meetings. Teachers may also attend conferences and workshops. Our teachers have received training in preparation for the implementation of Common Core State Standards (CCSS). In the last 3 years, the district has provided nine days of professional development. Some professional development days have been focused on how to teach writing. Also, early release days provide time for quality professional development specific to effective teaching of the state standards.

FY 2017-18 Teacher and Administrative Salaries

Category	District Amount	State Average for Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$46,146	\$49,084
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$67,239	\$76,091
Highest Teacher Salary	\$98,167	\$95,728
Average Principal Salary (ES)	\$119,221	\$118,990
Average Principal Salary (MS)	\$126,064	\$125,674
Average Principal Salary (HS)	\$129,143	\$137,589
Superintendent Salary	\$205,073	\$230,096

Percent of District Budget	District Amount	State Average for Districts In Same Category
Teacher Salaries	28%	35%
Administrative Salaries	6%	6%

* For detailed information on salaries, see the CDE Certificated Salaries & Benefits webpage at www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/.

FY 2017-18 Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries

Level	Total	Restricted	Unrestricted	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$ 7,110.02	\$ 1,147.98	\$ 5,962.04	\$ 76,381.53
District	N/A	N/A	\$ 7,579.82	\$72,534.00
State	N/A	N/A	\$7,506.64	\$78,059.00

Percent Differences	Unrestricted	Average Teacher Salary
School Site/District	-28.9	-200.0
School Site/ State	-200.0	-200.0

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

State Lottery and Title I Part A; Funds -Help to fund Save The Children; Migrant Education services; and Special Education services.

CA (CSR) Class Size Reduction is provided in grades T-Kindergarten-3rd grade.

After School Education (ASES) Afterschool support is provided to students daily from 3:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

DataQuest

DataQuest is an online data tool located on the CDE DataQuest web page at <https://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/> 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).

Internet Access

Internet access is available at public libraries and other locations that are publicly accessible (e.g., the California State Library). Access to the Internet at libraries and public locations is generally provided on a first-come, first-served basis. Other use restrictions may include the hours of operation, the length of time that a workstation may be used (depending on availability), the types of software programs available on a workstation, and the ability to print documents.