# Don Pedro Elementary 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.

- 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 <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	Don Pedro Elementary
Street	2300 Don Pedro Rd.
City, State, Zip	Ceres, CA 95307-0307
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Website	dp.ceres.k12.ca.us
County-District-School (CDS) Code	50-71043-6052443

Entity	Contact Information
District Name	Ceres Unified School District
Phone Number	209.556.1500
Superintendent	Scott Siegel, Ed.D.
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Website	www.ceres.k12.ca.us

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

The annual School Accountability Report Card provides us with the opportunity to share information about Don Pedro Elementary School in Ceres, Ca.

Don Pedro Elementary is one of fourteen elementary schools in the Ceres Unified School District located in Stanislaus County, one of the largest agricultural areas in the world; approximately 90 minutes from San Francisco. Don Pedro Elementary is a TK, K-6 school operating a Title I School-wide Program on a modified traditional calendar. The school's population totaling approximately 550 students is assigned to 13 primary classrooms, 8 intermediate classrooms. Class size reduction has been implemented in all K-3 classrooms with a maximum of 24 students per class. In addition to its TK-6th gr classrooms, state preschool and a regional specialized class for 4-5-6 grade students operate on site. Ninety-three percent of the student population is eligible to receive free and reduced price meals. Don Pedro Elementary has a diverse student enrollment with fifty-two percent of the student population identified as English Learners, the majority of those having Spanish as a primary language. English Learners at the school have been assigned to appropriate programs with qualified staff providing instructional services. The school facility includes a library and learning center. The site has wifi Internet access and every student has a technology device. Each individual classroom has technological equipment to assist with instructional delivery. These items include: student chromebooks, class projector, document camera, and tablet. Students are provided additional support through on-site extended day activities addressing academics, enrichment, and recreation.

#### **Don Pedro Elementary School**

mission--All Together: Working, Learning and Growing

vision--All students learn at higher levels through a collaborative and responsive culture that promotes continuous improvement and student success.

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

Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	93
Grade 1	61
Grade 2	70
Grade 3	64
Grade 4	86
Grade 5	86
Grade 6	83
Total Enrollment	543

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

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	1.7
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.2
Asian	2
Filipino	0.4
Hispanic or Latino	86.4
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.7
White	8.7
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	94.5
English Learners	58.9
Students with Disabilities	8.7
Foster Youth	1.8
Homeless	1.1

# 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 2018-19	School 2019-20	District 2019-20
With Full Credential	21	23	23	612
Without Full Credential	1	2	1	35
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence (with full credential)	0	0	0	34

# **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: 2019/10

The school district held a public hearing on September 12, 2019, and determined that each school within the district had sufficient and good quality textbooks, instructional materials, 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 for use in the classroom and to take home.

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.

The table displays information collected in August, 2019 about the quality, currency, and availability of the standardsaligned textbooks and other instructional materials used at the school.

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	Grades K-6 Benchmark Advance (2017)	Yes	0%
Mathematics	Grades K-5 Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Go Math (2015), Holt McDougal Go Math (Grade 6) (2015)	Yes	0%
Science	Grades K-6 Accelerate Learning STEMScopes California (2019)	Yes	0%
History-Social Science	California Studies Weekly (2017)2018	Yes	0%
Science Laboratory Equipment (grades 9-12)	Yes		

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

Don Pedro School is an clean facility with landscaping and security fence surrounded the perimeter. The school is maintained based on a regular landscaping schedule and repairs are completed through a work order process to ensure the regular upkeep and maintenance of the facilities.

### 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: 10/17/2019

System Inspected	Rating	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Systems: Gas Leaks,	Good	
Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer		

System Inspected	Rating	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Interior: Interior Surfaces	Good	
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/ Vermin Infestation	Good	
Electrical: Electrical	Good	
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	Good	Classroom 1: The water fountain is loose. Classroom 28: The water fountain is loose. Classroom 29: The water fountain has low water pressure.
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	Good	SSS Office: There is soap from home on the sink.
Structural: 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)	26	21	42	38	50	50
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	23	16	25	25	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	327	320	97.86	2.14	20.63
Male	170	165	97.06	2.94	15.76
Female	157	155	98.73	1.27	25.81
Black or African American					
American Indian or Alaska Native					
Asian					
Filipino					
Hispanic or Latino	278	273	98.20	1.80	19.78
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander					
White	32	30	93.75	6.25	26.67

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
Two or More Races					
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	315	308	97.78	2.22	19.81
English Learners	226	223	98.67	1.33	19.28
Students with Disabilities	48	44	91.67	8.33	6.82
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	21	21	100.00	0.00	28.57
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	327	320	97.86	2.14	15.63
Male	170	165	97.06	2.94	15.15
Female	157	155	98.73	1.27	16.13
Black or African American					
American Indian or Alaska Native					
Asian					
Filipino					
Hispanic or Latino	278	273	98.20	1.80	16.48
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander					
White	32	30	93.75	6.25	10.00
Two or More Races					
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	315	308	97.78	2.22	14.94
English Learners	225	222	98.67	1.33	16.22
Students with Disabilities	48	44	91.67	8.33	9.09
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	21	21	100.00	0.00	28.57

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
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)

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
5	15.9	18.2	12.5

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 is considered a vital component in maximizing student achievement; therefore, Don Pedro families and friends are encouraged to:

- Demonstrating a positive attitude towards education and maintaining high expectations for academic achievement and appropriate behavior.
- Monitor their child's school work and provide support by establishing a quiet study place at home and scheduling regular time to study and read together daily.
- Maintain two-way communication with the school. All staff can be readily contacted in person, via telephone, hand-delivered notes, or email. School notices are sent home as reminders within the weekly Wednesday folder, and a monthly newsletter, contains up-to-date school events calendars. In addition, the staff and families participate utilize the parent square app to send and receive postings of school events and communicate through text. In addition, Back-to-School Night, parent conferences, and Open House are important avenues for parent contact.
- Take an active role in the school by participating in our monthly parent coffee meetings, parent support groups, School Site Council, and/or English Learner Advisory Committee. Parent meetings share community resources with families on topics such as: nutritional family meals, social-emotional learning, community health resources
- Make special events at school a family affair by attending Family Nights and student performances.
- Honor student success by acknowledging recognitions at our morning assembly, DP Live!, Honor Roll breakfast celebrations and monthly "zero day" celebrations of perfect attendance and behavior.
- Serve as a classroom volunteer or chaperone on field trips. Parents are always welcome to visit even if they are unable to volunteer on a regular basis.
- Support school-wide fundraisers and community drives including the annual Jog-a-Thon, movie night and family events.
- Complete school surveys to spotlight areas of strength/weakness.

# **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	<b>District 2016-17</b>	District 2017-18	District 2018-19	State 2016-17	State <b>2017-18</b>	State 2018-19
Suspensions	6.2	9.6	5.6	10.1	7.0	6.2	3.6	3.5	3.5
Expulsions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1

# School Safety Plan (School Year 2019-20)

A comprehensive school safety plan is maintained with reviews conducted annually. The plan includes a detailed safety plans and procedures for emergencies such as fire, earthquake and situations requiring lockdowns. The plan outlines annual goals in the area of school climate and physical environment. It is reviewed annually with the assistance of the site School Site Council.

District policy is delineated regarding sexual harassment, child abuse reporting, expulsions/ suspensions, teacher notification regarding students engaged in acts described in 48900, dress code, hate crimes, and conduct code.

# **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	2016-17 Average Class Size	# of	# of	Average	# of	2017-18 # of Classes* Size 21-32	# of	Average		# of	# of
K	22	1	3	22		4		23		4	
1	23		3	20	3			20	2	1	
2	19	4		23		3		23		3	
3	19	4		24		3		21		3	
4	25		3	26		3		28		3	
5	30		3	27		3		27		3	
6	29		3	31		3		23	1	3	
Other**	11	1									

<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	2.0
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	1.0
Other	1.0

<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.

# 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	9042.44	1997.52	7044.91	80370.03

<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
District	N/A	N/A	7103.79	\$78,954.00
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A	-0.8	1.8
State	N/A	N/A	\$7,506.64	\$82,031.00
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	-6.3	-2.0

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 (Fiscal Year 2018-19)

Don Pedro received monies for Title I and LCAP entitlements. These monies were utilized to fund a portion of the salaries for a media clerk and instructional paraprofessionals.

In addition, monies provided professional learning, instructional supplies & materials, supplementary materials, and technology.

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

Category	District Amount	State Average For Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$51,742	\$51,374
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$76,883	\$80,151
Highest Teacher Salary	\$103,252	\$100,143
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	\$117,671	\$126,896
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	\$118,995	\$133,668
Average Principal Salary (High)	\$137,253	\$143,746
Superintendent Salary	\$234,274	\$245,810
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	34%	35%
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	6%	5%

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

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

Measure	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	9	10	9

Staff development is a critical component to teacher and student success, and Ceres Unified School District is dedicated to a variety of professional development opportunities for staff. Each year, three work days on the school calendar are dedicated to staff development. Staff also have professional learning opportunities covered through substitute teacher coverage as well as opportunities to attend summer learning opportunities. 240 minutes of after school time is dedicated to department and grade level meetings, for teachers to collaborate, learn strategies, and develop action plans to meet identified student needs.

Professional Development opportunities have afforded teachers the opportunity to receive additional training related to: lesson design and delivery of district instructional norms to maximize student engagement during instruction; district adopted curricular resources; professional learning community processes; unit planning, assessment literacy and student investment knowledge; response to intervention structures and procedures; and reading strategies and instruction.

District coaches have provided classroom demonstrations and workshops, as well as lesson study professional learning in support of the school's established goals. Classroom visitations have been equally valuable giving grade-level teams the time to view curricular areas of interest and debrief during a subsequent planning time. In addition, educational consultants led professional learning seminars for staff periodically throughout the school year.

The District participates in an Induction program and other county and state approved formal training programs dedicated to improving teacher quality. In addition, the district fully supports classroom teachers with a cadre of full time staff developer/coaches who can assist with the implementation of curriculum and strategies.

School sites must include a professional development plan and budget in their school site plan. Activities can include attendance at summer institutes, after school or Saturday workshops, teacher release days to attend conferences, and grade level or department release days for in depth professional development. All professional development is aligned to the district strategic plan. The goal of all professional development is to increase student achievement.