

Meadow Green Elementary

2021 School Accountability Report Card



General Information about the School Accountability Report Card (SARC)

SARC Overview



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

For more information about SARC requirements and access to prior year reports, see the California Department of Education (CDE) SARC web page at www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/

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

DataQuest



DataQuest is an online data tool located on the CDE DataQuest web page at 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).

California School Dashboard



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

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.

2021-22 School Contact Information

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2021-22 District Contact Information

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Member	William A. Hinz
Member	Anthony Zegara

2021-22 District Administration

Assistant Superintendent of Educational Services	Dr. Sheri McDonald
Assistant Superintendent of Administrative Services	Andrea Reynolds
Assistant Superintendent of Facilities and Operations	David Bennett
Director of Educational Services	Rhonda Overby
Director of Technology	Alan Mao
Director of Special Education	Kaleo Igarta
Director of Fiscal Services	Chelle Price

2021-22 School Overview

School Description:

Our goal in 2021/22 will be to continue the tradition of academic excellence at Meadow Green. Our students continue to rank among the highest performing elementary schools not only in the Whittier / La Habra area, but across the state of California on yearly California Smarter Balanced summative assessments in both English Language Arts and Math. Strong results on these rigorous assessments indicate that Meadow Green produces students who are college and career ready! In addition to a robust TK-6 general education program, we are also the proud home of Lowell Joint's preschool special education program, which provides early intervention for students 3-5 years of age who are eligible based on special needs assessments.

Citizenship, character education, and safety are also of the utmost importance at Meadow Green. We will also continue to develop students who exhibit traditional qualities and values, such as leadership, respect, responsibility, honesty, and integrity through our monthly character education themes and powerful PBIS program. Our staff at Meadow Green will teach, set, model, and reinforce expectations for our students. Students will receive positive recognition through monthly character assemblies and our PBIS systems. In conjunction with these powerful systems, Meadow Green staff utilize responsive classroom systems, social emotional learning, restorative practices, and affective statements to support a positive climate. Our student leaders support our students and campus climate through the research-based Orange County Department of Education Peer Assistance Leader (PAL) leadership development program.

Meadow Green students will continue to learn and master skills in technology that will prepare them for 21st century college and careers. Throughout the year students will utilize technology such as, 1:1 Chromebooks in grades TK-6, iPads in our special education preschool program, and a Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math (STEAM) Lab for hands-on learning. Several classroom also utilize Interactive ViewSonic boards to add interactive elements to daily lessons. Using technology regularly allows Meadow Green students to develop 21st century skills in the 4 Cs (communication, collaboration, creativity, and critical thinking). Students in all grades utilize computers and technology daily to prepare them for advanced classes at Rancho Starbuck and at the high school level. Students also receive weekly instruction in music thanks to the generous support of the Lowell Joint Education Foundation. Instruction in Art is also provided throughout the year.

Meadow Green Mission Statement:

The mission of Meadow Green Elementary School is to encourage students and staff to seek excellence in academic achievement and personal conduct. We are committed to fostering student self-direction, self-motivation, self-discipline, and the ability to recognize the importance of learning. We believe that a close partnership between home, school, and community is essential to our students' success in becoming productive citizens and life-long learners.

At Meadow Green Elementary School, we believe:

- that all students can learn, deserve access to a rich instructional program, and should have an equal opportunity to learn in a safe and nurturing environment.
- in teaching good citizenship skills and developing in students an appreciation of country.
- that all students are valuable and gain ability, self-esteem, and pride through their diligence, achievements and accomplishments.
- that the choices made today shape the world tomorrow.
- that kindness makes our school a better place.
- that hard work helps us reach our potential.

About this School

2020-21 Student Enrollment by Grade Level

Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	74
Grade 1	70
Grade 2	60
Grade 3	60
Grade 4	76
Grade 5	90
Grade 6	76
Total Enrollment	506

2020-21 Student Enrollment by Student Group

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Asian	6.5
Black or African American	1.8
Filipino	2
Hispanic or Latino	72.3
Two or More Races	2.2
White	15.2
English Learners	4.9
Foster Youth	0.4
Homeless	3
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	45.5
Students with Disabilities	7.7

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

Note: For more information refer to the Updated Teacher Equity Definitions web page at <https://www.cde.ca.gov/pd/ee/teacherequitydefinitions.asp>

2019-20 Teacher Preparation and Placement

Authorization/Assignment	2019-20
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)	
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (“ineffective” under ESSA)	
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (“out-of-field” under ESSA)	
Unknown	
Total Teaching Positions	

Note: The data in this table is based on Full Time Equivalent (FTE) status. One FTE equals one staff member working full time; one FTE could also represent two staff members who each work 50 percent of full time. Additionally, an assignment is defined as a position that an educator is assigned to based on setting, subject, and grade level. An authorization is defined as the services that an educator is authorized to provide to students.

2019-20 Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (considered “ineffective” under ESSA)

Authorization/Assignment	2019-20
Permits and Waivers	
Misassignments	
Vacant Positions	
Total Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments	

2019-20 Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (considered “out-of-field” under ESSA)

Indicator	2019-20
Credentialed Teachers Authorized on a Permit or Waiver	
Local Assignment Options	
Total Out-of-Field Teachers	

2019-20 Class Assignments

Indicator	2019-20
Misassignments for English Learners (a percentage of all the classes with English learners taught by teachers that are misassigned)	
No credential, permit or authorization to teach (a percentage of all the classes taught by teachers with no record of an authorization to teach)	

2021-22 Quality, Currency, Availability of Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials

Core textbook adoptions are listed below. In ELA and Math the core program adoptions are all within the past 6 years and are aligned to California Common Core State Standards. After an extensive pilot in 2018/19, LJSD adopted Studies Weekly (K-5) and Discovery (grade 6) and are implementing that program starting in 2019/20. A Science pilot will take place as materials are developed that are fully aligned with the NGSS standards. All adopted and piloted programs are approved by the California Department of Education. The year that programs were adopted are listed below. All materials and textbooks are from the most recent adoption of that subject. All students have their own assigned textbooks and instructional materials. Please see below for supplemental programs that are utilized to support achievement in ELA and Math.

For all curricular areas, Thinking Maps (TK-6), iReady (K-6), and Moby Max (K-6) are used to support instruction. For Reading/Language Arts, the following are supplemental to the core materials: Accelerated Reader (TK-2), Lexia Core 5 (K-2), Scholastic News (TK-6), Reading Plus (3-6), Write From the Beginning (TK-6), Flocabulary (TK-6), (7) iReady (K-6). Additional supports for Mathematics include the MIND Institute's ST Math (K-6) and iReady (K-6).

Year and month in which the data were collected

December 2021

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption ?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	2016-17 Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, Journeys K-5; Big Day TK 2016-17 McGraw-Hill, Study Sync 6-8	Yes	0
Mathematics	2014-15 Houghton Mifflin K-5, Go Math! 2014-15 Houghton Mifflin, Big Ideas 6-8	Yes	0
Science	2008-09 Macmillan/McGraw-Hill K-3 2008-09 Pearson Scott Forsman 4-6 2008-09 Pearson Prentice Hall 7-8 2020-21 Studies Weekly Science - Supplemental for online learning	Yes	0
History-Social Science	2019-20 Studies Weekly K-5 2019-20 Discovery Education, Gr. 6: Ancient World History, Gr. 7: Modern History, Gr. 8: World History	Yes	0
Foreign Language	1999-00 ¡En Español! 7-8	Yes	0
Health	2008-09 Princeton Health Press- LifeSkills 3-8 2007-08 Human Kinetics- Fitness For Life	Yes	0
Visual and Performing Arts	Theatre- scripts, costumes, props Instrumental Music- band, string, and percussion instruments, musical scores Choral Music- musical scores Visual Arts- various art materials covering a variety of media, art history prints	Yes	0
Science Laboratory Equipment (grades 9-12)	Grades 9-12 only		

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

Meadow Green school was built in 1962. There are 28 classrooms on campus. Safe and clean schools are fundamental necessities of a successful academic environment. Our Maintenance Department is proud to impart solutions and services integral to providing a safe environment conducive to learning. Safety inspections are held annually to ensure the maintenance of an optimal learning environment.

Year and month of the most recent FIT report

11/24/2021

System Inspected	Rate Good	Rate Fair	Rate Poor	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	X			20: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project/Pooling water outside classroom
Interior: Interior Surfaces	X			
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/Vermin Infestation	X			
Electrical	X			
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	X			
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	X			
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs			X	10: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project 11: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project 12: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project 13: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project 14: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project 15: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project 16: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project 17: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project 18: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project 19: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project 20: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project/Pooling water outside classroom 21: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project 4: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project 5: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project 6: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project

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			<p>7: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project</p> <p>8: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project</p> <p>Administration: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project</p> <p>K1: Roof Leak - To be addressed during upcoming Measure LL re-roofing project</p>
<p>External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences</p>	X		

Overall Facility Rate

Exemplary	Good	Fair	Poor
	X		

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 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).

The CAASPP System encompasses the following assessments and student participation requirements:

1. **Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments and CAAs for ELA** in grades three through eight and grade eleven.
2. **Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments and CAAs for mathematics** in grades three through eight and grade eleven.
3. **California Science Test (CAST) and CAAs for Science** in grades five, eight, and once in high school (i.e., grade ten, eleven, or twelve).

SARC Reporting in the 2020-2021 School Year Only

Where the most viable option, LEAs were required to administer the statewide summative assessment in ELA and mathematics. Where a statewide summative assessment was not the most viable option for the LEA (or for one or more grade-level[s] within the LEA) due to the pandemic, LEAs were allowed to report results from a different assessment that met the criteria established by the State Board of Education (SBE) on March 16, 2021. The assessments were required to be:

- Aligned with CA CCSS for ELA and mathematics;
- Available to students in grades 3 through 8, and grade 11; and
- Uniformly administered across a grade, grade span, school, or district to all eligible students.

Options

Note that the CAAs could only be administered in-person following health and safety requirements. If it was not viable for the LEA to administer the CAAs in person with health and safety guidelines in place, the LEA was directed to not administer the tests. There were no other assessment options available for the CAAs. Schools administered the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments for ELA and mathematics, other assessments that meet the SBE criteria, or a combination of both, and they could only choose one of the following:

- Smarter Balanced ELA and mathematics summative assessments;
- Other assessments meeting the SBE criteria; or
- Combination of Smarter Balanced ELA and mathematics summative assessments and other assessments.

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.

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard on CAASPP

This table displays CAASPP test results in ELA and mathematics for all students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment.

The 2019-2020 data cells with N/A values indicate that the 2019-2020 data are not available due to the COVID-19 pandemic and resulting summative test suspension. The Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the assessment, accountability, and reporting requirements for the 2019-2020 school year.

The 2020-2021 data cells have N/A values because these data are not comparable to other year data due to the COVID-19 pandemic during the 2020-2021 school year. Where the CAASPP assessments in ELA and/or mathematics is not the most viable option, the LEAs were allowed to administer local assessments. Therefore, the 2020-2021 data between school years for the school, district, state are not an accurate comparison. As such, it is inappropriate to compare results of the 2020-2021 school year to other school years.

Subject	School 2019-20	School 2020-21	District 2019-20	District 2020-21	State 2019-20	State 2020-21
English Language Arts/Literacy (grades 3-8 and 11)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

2020-21 CAASPP Test Results in ELA by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in ELA by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment. The CDE will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment. In cases where the school administered a local assessment instead of CAASPP, the CDE will populate this table with “NT” values, meaning this school did not test students using the CAASPP. See the local assessment(s) table for more information.

CAASPP Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	302	298	98.68	1.32	58.39
Female	142	138	97.18	2.82	61.59
Male	160	160	100	0	55.63
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--	--
Asian	18	18	100	0	83.33
Black or African American	--	--	--	--	--
Filipino	--	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	222	218	98.2	1.8	56.42
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--	--
White	43	43	100	0	53.49
English Learners	11	11	100	0	36.36
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0
Homeless	22	22	100	0	18.18
Military	16	15	93.75	6.25	46.67
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	135	133	98.52	1.48	42.86
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	26	26	100	0	30.77

2020-21 CAASPP Test Results in Math by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in Math by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment. The CDE will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment. In cases where the school administered a local assessment instead of CAASPP, the CDE will populate this table with "NT" values, meaning this school did not test students using the CAASPP. See the local assessment(s) table for more information.

CAASPP Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	302	297	98.34	1.66	40.40
Female	142	137	96.48	3.52	33.58
Male	160	160	100.00	0.00	46.25
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--	--
Asian	18	18	100.00	0.00	72.22
Black or African American	--	--	--	--	--
Filipino	--	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	222	217	97.75	2.25	36.87
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--	--
White	43	43	100.00	0.00	32.56
English Learners	11	11	100.00	0.00	18.18
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0
Homeless	22	22	100.00	0.00	9.09
Military	16	15	93.75	6.25	40.00
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	135	132	97.78	2.22	25.00
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	26	26	100.00	0.00	19.23

2020-21 Local Assessment Test Results in ELA by Student Group

This table displays Local Assessment test results in ELA by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven. LEAs/schools will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered a local assessment. In cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment, LEAs/schools will populate this table with "N/A" values in all cells, meaning this table is Not Applicable for this school.

N/A Student Groups	N/A Total Enrollment	N/A Number Tested	N/A Percent Tested	N/A Percent Not Tested	N/A Percent At or Above Grade Level
All Students	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Female	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Male	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
American Indian or Alaska Native	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Asian	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

Black or African American	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Filipino	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Hispanic or Latino	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Two or More Races	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
White	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
English Learners	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Foster Youth	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Homeless	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Military	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Students with Disabilities	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

*At or above the grade-level standard in the context of the local assessment administered.

2020-21 Local Assessment Test Results in Math by Student Group

This table displays Local Assessment test results in Math by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven. LEAs/schools will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered a local assessment. In cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment, LEAs/schools will populate this table with "N/A" values in all cells, meaning this table is Not Applicable for this school.

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

*At or above the grade-level standard in the context of the local assessment administered.

CAASPP Test Results in Science for All Students

This table displays the percentage of all students grades five, eight, and High School meeting or exceeding the State Standard.

The 2019-2020 data cells with N/A values indicate that the 2019-2020 data are not available due to the COVID-19 pandemic and resulting summative testing suspension. The Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the assessment, accountability, and reporting requirements for the 2019-2020 school year.

For any 2020-2021 data cells with N/T values indicate that this school did not test students using the CAASPP Science.

Subject	School 2019-20	School 2020-21	District 2019-20	District 2020-21	State 2019-20	State 2020-21
Science (grades 5, 8 and high school)	N/A	34.83	N/A	30.10	N/A	28.72

2020-21 CAASPP Test Results in Science by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in Science by student group for students grades five, eight, and High School. For any data cells with N/T values indicate that this school did not test students using the CAASPP Science.

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	91	89	97.80	2.20	34.83
Female	39	37	94.87		
Male	52	52	100.00		
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--	--
Asian	--	--	--	--	--
Black or African American	--	--	--	--	--
Filipino	--	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	70	68	97.14	2.86	32.35
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	0	0	0	0	0
White	11	11	100.00	0.00	36.36
English Learners	--	--	--	--	--
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0
Homeless	--	--	--	--	--
Military	--	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	46	45	97.83	2.17	22.22
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	--	--	--	--	--

B. Pupil Outcomes

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.

2020-21 California Physical Fitness Test Results

Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the Physical Fitness Test was suspended during the 2020-2021 school year and therefore no data are reported and each cell in this table is populated with "N/A."

Grade Level	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
Grade 5	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grade 7	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grade 9	N/A	N/A	N/A

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 regarding the school district and at each school site.

2021-22 Opportunities for Parental Involvement

Meadow Green Elementary School parents are involved on many different levels. They are partners with the school as they work to get their children to school on time each day and as they assist in the completion of homework in a timely manner. Parents are encouraged to sign a learning compact at the beginning of the school year that outlines the responsibilities of teachers, students, and parents in the support of the educational program of our school. Parents are also active participants in raising funds that provide for school field trips and assemblies.

In addition, Parent Teacher Association (PTA) funds support the school-wide PRIDE Program that enhances student's Personal Responsibility In Daily Effort. All parents are invited to join the PTA. Parents also serve on the School Site Council, which is the primary site-based decision making body on campus. This council consists of school staff, teachers, and parents and makes decisions on major budget expenditures of Title I and School Improvement Programs and includes an English Language Advisory Committee (ELAC) parent who serves on the School Site Council (SSC). Potential parent members for the SSC are nominated by and voted in by their peers. Flyers for this process are sent home to all parents. SSC member parents play an active role in advising the school about priorities and concerns. Meadow Green also offers reading and literacy parent education support in the evenings to support parent engagement and education of students. Based on recommendations from LACDPH, meetings are being held virtually with information on meetings emailed out and posted on the MG website calendar.

As volunteers, parents regularly assist in supporting classroom teachers and the educational program by assisting in the classroom. Those wishing to volunteer in the classroom directly contact the teacher. The PTA provides a forum for parents to participate regularly in school activities and functions such as student-centered activities and fund raisers. Parents are invited to attend monthly awards assemblies that honor students for citizenship and achievement. They accompany classes on field trips and assist with special projects and presentations at school. Meadow Green holds an annual Holiday Program, Grandparent's Day, and a Volunteer Tea, all aimed at inviting and encouraging parental involvement. Both Back-to-School Night and Open House are excellent opportunities for parents to participate in school functions and become an active part in the school and their child's education. There are also family engagement opportunities during Red Ribbon Week and Read Across America Week.

2021-22 Opportunities for Parental Involvement

A number of software programs are also available online so that parents can actively encourage and engage their children in learning at home. These include the MIND Institute's ST Math, iReady, Lexia Core 5, MobyMax, and Reading Plus.

For additional information, contact the school principal at 562-902-4241.

2020-21 Chronic Absenteeism by Student Group

Student Group	Cumulative Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Eligible Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Count	Chronic Absenteeism Rate
All Students	530	523	36	6.9
Female	257	255	23	9.0
Male	273	268	13	4.9
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	1	0	0.0
Asian	37	37	0	0.0
Black or African American	10	10	0	0.0
Filipino	10	10	0	0.0
Hispanic or Latino	379	375	31	8.3
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0.0
Two or More Races	11	11	1	9.1
White	82	79	4	5.1
English Learners	27	27	2	7.4
Foster Youth	4	3	0	0.0
Homeless	15	15	3	20.0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	237	236	31	13.1
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0.0
Students with Disabilities	47	47	5	10.6

C. Engagement

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

This table displays suspensions and expulsions data collected between July through June, each full school year respectively. Data collected during the 2020-21 school year may not be comparable to earlier years of this collection due to differences in learning mode instruction in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Subject	School 2018-19	School 2020-21	District 2018-19	District 2020-21	State 2018-19	State 2020-21
Suspensions	0.72	0.00	2.53	0.18	3.47	0.20
Expulsions	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.08	0.00

This table displays suspensions and expulsions data collected between July through February, partial school year due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The 2019-2020 suspensions and expulsions rate data are not comparable to other year data because the 2019-2020 school year is a partial school year due to the COVID-19 crisis. As such, it would be inappropriate to make any comparisons in rates of suspensions and expulsions in the 2019-2020 school year compared to other school years.

Subject	School 2019-20	District 2019-20	State 2019-20
Suspensions	0.54	1.65	2.45
Expulsions	0.00	0.00	0.05

2020-21 Suspensions and Expulsions by Student Group

Student Group	Suspensions Rate	Expulsions Rate
All Students	0.00	0.00
Female	0.00	0.00
Male	0.00	0.00
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.00	0.00
Asian	0.00	0.00
Black or African American	0.00	0.00
Filipino	0.00	0.00
Hispanic or Latino	0.00	0.00
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.00	0.00
Two or More Races	0.00	0.00
White	0.00	0.00
English Learners	0.00	0.00
Foster Youth	0.00	0.00
Homeless	0.00	0.00
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	0.00	0.00
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0.00	0.00
Students with Disabilities	0.00	0.00

2021-22 School Safety Plan

Meadow Green Elementary School is committed to the safety and security of each student.

To maintain these conditions which contribute to the best possible learning environment, the School Safety Plan includes the following elements:

1. **School Crime Assessment:** Meadow Green Elementary School provides compiled school crime information each month for the California Safe School Assessment as mandated by the State of California. This information is analyzed at the school site to determine what steps may be taken to reduce incidents of crime.
2. **Child Abuse Reporting:** Teachers and other school employees are required by law to report any cases of suspected child abuse or child neglect. Reports are investigated by the Department of Social Services to determine if any follow-up on the report is necessary.
3. **Disaster Procedures and NIMS Report:** In order to ensure the safety of students and school personnel, the School Safety committee has created a comprehensive Disaster Preparedness Plan and specific emergency job duties for all staff are clearly defined in the NIMS Report. This Disaster Plan is revised and reviewed annually. Emergency fire drills are held once a month and evaluated for effectiveness. Lockdown and Earthquake drills are routinely practiced throughout the year.
4. **School Discipline:** Meadow Green Elementary School has created a school-wide discipline plan in order to communicate high standards and expectations and to hold students accountable for their behavior. The discipline plan is given to every student and reviewed in student assemblies or classroom presentations. Staff members consistently enforce the school-wide standards. Meadow Green also has a strong positive component to its discipline policy. This includes a PRIDE program of recognition for citizenship, good behavior, and responsibility. An awards program recognizes students for their positive choices. Upper grade students are invited to join the Bully Busters and their focus is to encourage and foster positive interaction between students at school. Meadow Green is in year two of developing our Positive Behavior Intervention Strategies Plan (PBIS). Tier two defines behavior expectations for all students, in all areas on campus as well as continues with our successful recognition program now in place. Tier two also details interventions and student success programs which are in place to assist a smaller population of children who need more assistance, guidance and frequent monitoring for improved behavior.
5. **Sexual Harassment Policy:** Meadow Green Elementary School strictly adheres to LJSJ policies that prohibit sexual harassment or discrimination of any kind.
6. **School-wide Dress Code:** Meadow Green Elementary School believes that a clearly defined dress code contributes to a positive school environment. The primary standards for student dress and grooming include: the student should be neat and clean at school, and the student should not wear clothing that compromises safety or modesty or that is disruptive to the educational process. Each student receives annually a written copy of the school dress code.
7. **Safe and Orderly Environment:** Meadow Green Elementary School believes a safe and orderly environment is necessary to ensure a positive learning experience for all students. Regular supervision of students is the core of creating and maintaining a safe and orderly environment. Teachers, administrators, campus supervisors and parent volunteers consistently supervise and interact with students to reinforce behavioral expectations and safety standards. Staff, students, and parents are all encouraged to support a bully-free campus. Assemblies are held focusing on appropriate behavior with others, and all staff, parents, and students are encouraged to sign a kindness pledge. PBIS - Positive Behavior Intervention Strategies is in place.

The School Safety Plan is reviewed annually with staff. It was reviewed and updated and approved by SSC on September 30, 2021, which includes representation from certificated staff, classified staff, and parents / guardians.

D. Other SARC Information

Information Required in the SARC

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

2018-19 Elementary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2018-19 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled “Number of Classes” indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class). The “Other” category is for multi-grade level classes.

Grade Level	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-20 Students	Number of Classes with 21-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
K	31		2	
1	22		3	
2	26		3	
3	26		3	
4	29		3	
5	30		3	
6	35			2

2019-20 Elementary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2019-20 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled “Number of Classes” indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class). The “Other” category is for multi-grade level classes.

Grade Level	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-20 Students	Number of Classes with 21-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
K	22	1	3	
1	23		2	
2	22		2	
3	33		2	1
4	30		3	
5	30		2	
6	31		2	
Other	29		1	

2020-21 Elementary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2020-21 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled “Number of Classes” indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class). The “Other” category is for multi-grade level classes.

Grade Level	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-20 Students	Number of Classes with 21-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
K	19	1	3	
1	23		3	
2	30		2	
3	30		2	
4	32		2	
5	34			1
6	25		3	
Other	35			1

2020-21 Ratio of Pupils to Academic Counselor

This table displays the ratio of pupils to Academic Counselor. 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.

Title	Ratio
Pupils to Academic Counselor	

2020-21 Student Support Services Staff

This table displays the number of FTE support staff assigned to this school. 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.

Title	Number of FTE Assigned to School
Counselor (Academic, Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	0
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	0
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	0
Psychologist	1.1
Social Worker	0
Nurse	0.2
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	0.5
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	0
Other	0.6

2019-20 Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries

This table displays the 2019-20 expenditures per pupil and average teach salary for this school. Cells with N/A values do not require data.

Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Restricted)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Unrestricted)	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$7,660	\$708	\$6,952	\$87,460
District	N/A	N/A	\$9,195	
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A	-27.8	1.5
State			\$8,444	
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	-10.9	8.2

2020-21 Types of Services Funded

Title I funds provide economic assistance to supplement the regular instructional program for educationally disadvantaged students. Expenditures include: Salaries and benefits for small group intervention during and outside of the school day, supplemental materials, supplemental supplies, technology, professional development/conferences, consultants, professional development for data analysis, curriculum development, and professional development, postage, non-capital equipment, and student field trips. Title I is utilized to support students in need of interventions at Meadow Green as a means to supplement and not supplant our CORE program. Meadow Green operates the Title I program as a school-wide Title I program, targeting achievement school-wide. Meadow Green transitioned from a targeted assistance to a school-wide program during the 2018/19 school year, as the number of students from socioeconomically disadvantaged backgrounds increased above 40% of the total school population.

Utilizing Title I and LCAP funds, Meadow Green provides Tier III support during and outside of the school day for students performing below grade level standards. Numerous software programs, which are utilized at school and can be accessed at home are also provided to all students.

Closing the achievement gap between high and low performing children and especially the achievement gap between minority and non-minority students, and between disadvantaged children and their more advantaged peers is a focus of Meadow Green School.

Title II funds are designated to improve teacher quality and increase the number of highly qualified teachers. The program focuses on research based strategies to prepare and train highly qualified teachers.

Title III funds are designated to ensure that students attain English proficiency and meet the same challenging academic achievement standards required of all students. Funds are used for translation, support services, instructional aides, supplemental books, and conferences.

2019-20 Teacher and Administrative Salaries

This table displays the 2019-20 Teacher and Administrative salaries. For detailed information on salaries, see the CDE Certification Salaries & Benefits web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/>.

Category	District Amount	State Average for Districts in Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary		
Mid-Range Teacher Salary		
Highest Teacher Salary		
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)		
Average Principal Salary (Middle)		
Average Principal Salary (High)		
Superintendent Salary		
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries		
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries		

Professional Development

Professional development is an on-going process throughout the year. District-wide, there are full non-student days throughout the year where teachers receive professional development in areas such as instructional technology, student engagement, data analysis, implementation of core and supplemental instructional programs. The early-release days are on Mondays and topics are developed based on teacher need. The specific focus for the full, nonstudent days of PD are as follows:

August 16, 2021- Introduction to Implementing iReady
 August 27, 2021- Implementation of new programs and preparation fir the 2021/22 school year
 November 1, 2021- Setting the Stage for Writing with Thinking Maps
 April 15 2022- Using Thinking Maps to support writing

There were several early release Mondays that are also utilized for Site Professional Learning Community (PLC) meetings. At PLC meetings, staff focus on one or more of the four essential PLC areas (What do we want students to learn? How will we know students have learned? What will we do for students who have not learned? What will we do for students that have learned?). Site PLC focus areas are aligned with site goals and programs as developed by the School Site Council based on student achievement measures and are developed by the Principal in collaboration with staff. Topics for 2021/22 include:

September 13. 2021- iReady training- How to use benchmark data
 September 27, 2021-Site PLC- Topics: Morning Meetings, Supporting Students w/ challenging behavior, and ViewSonic best practices
 October 25., 2021- Site PLC- Accessing iReady data for conferences
 Jan 10, 2022- KnowGo district Zoom
 January 24. 2022- iReady- Guiding personalized instruction
 April 4, 2022- Implementation of 2021 CAASPP assessments in ELA, Math, and Science
 May 2, 2022- End of year analysis / planning

In addition to PLC meetings, teachers also utilize early release Mondays for collaboration during instructional team planning with grade level and matriculation colleagues at both the site and district level.

Staff also receive other PD opportunities throughout the year to attend conferences and receive other trainings.

Areas include, but are not limited to data conferences with administration, STEAM conference, CUE conference, PALs, Restorative Practices, EDI, GLAD, Thinking Maps, and collaboration for data analysis and curriculum development.

Support for implementing programs and practices is on-going throughout the year. The Principal conducts classroom visits daily and provides on-going feedback and support. In addition, teachers are able to support one another through ITP time on Wednesdays. An instructional technology coach is also available to support development and implementation in that area. Finally, all grade levels receive several full days of sub release throughout the year to receive support from district Ed Services personnel.

This table displays the number of school days dedicated to staff development and continuous improvement.

Subject	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	14	20	14

Lowell Joint School District

2020-21 Local Accountability Report Card (LARC) Addendum

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2020-21 Local Accountability Report Card (LARC) Addendum Overview



On July 14, 2021, the California State Board of Education (SBE) determined that the California Department of Education (CDE) will use the SARC as the mechanism to conduct a one-time data collection of the LEA-level aggregate test results of all school's local assessments administered during the 2020–2021 school year in order to meet the federal Every Students Succeeds Act (ESSA) reporting requirement for the Local Educational Agency Accountability Report Cards (LARCs).

Each local educational agency (LEA) is responsible for preparing and posting their annual LARC in accordance with the federal ESSA. As a courtesy, the CDE prepares and posts the LARCs on behalf of all LEAs.

Only for the 2020–2021 school year and the 2020–2021 LARCs, LEAs are required to report their aggregate local assessments test results at the LEA-level to the CDE by populating the tables below via the SARC. These data will be used to meet the LEAs' federal requirement for their LARCs. Note that it is the responsibility of the school and LEA to ensure that all student privacy and suppression rules are in place when reporting data in Tables 3 and 4 in the Addendum, as applicable.

The tables below are not part of the SBE approved 2020–2021 SARC template but rather are the mechanism by which these required data will be collected from LEAs.

For purposes of the LARC and the following tables, an LEA is defined as a school district, a county office of education, or a direct funded charter school.

2021-22 District Contact Information

District Name	Lowell Joint School District
Phone Number	562.943.0211
Superintendent	Mr. Jim Coombs
Email Address	webadmin@ljsd.org
District Website Address	www.ljsd.org

2020-21 CAASPP Test Results in ELA by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in ELA by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment. The CDE will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment. In cases where the school administered a local assessment instead of CAASPP, the CDE will populate this table with "NT" values, meaning this school did not test students using the CAASPP. See the local assessment(s) table for more information.

CAASPP Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	2162	2082	96.30	3.70	52.02
Female	1062	1022	96.23	3.77	58.18
Male	1100	1060	96.36	3.64	46.07
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--	--
Asian	90	88	97.78	2.22	76.14
Black or African American	31	28	90.32	9.68	32.14
Filipino	29	28	96.55	3.45	71.43
Hispanic or Latino	1510	1464	96.95	3.05	48.60
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--	--
Two or More Races	68	65	95.59	4.41	65.63
White	425	400	94.12	5.88	57.79
English Learners	110	107	97.27	2.73	18.87
Foster Youth	--	--	--	--	--
Homeless	96	94	97.92	2.08	27.66
Military	138	133	96.38	3.62	46.62
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	803	772	96.14	3.86	39.87
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	268	239	89.18	10.82	12.13

2020-21 CAASPP Test Results in Math by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in Math by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment. The CDE will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment. In cases where the school administered a local assessment instead of CAASPP, the CDE will populate this table with "NT" values, meaning this school did not test students using the CAASPP. See the local assessment(s) table for more information.

CAASPP Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	2162	2079	96.16	3.84	35.08
Female	1062	1021	96.14	3.86	33.43
Male	1100	1058	96.18	3.82	36.67
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--	--
Asian	90	88	97.78	2.22	72.73
Black or African American	31	27	87.10	12.90	37.04
Filipino	29	28	96.55	3.45	50.00
Hispanic or Latino	1510	1464	96.95	3.05	30.83
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--	--
Two or More Races	68	64	94.12	5.88	43.75
White	425	399	93.88		40.10
English Learners	110	107	97.27	2.73	14.02
Foster Youth	--	--	--	--	--
Homeless	96	94	97.92	2.08	12.77
Military	138	133	96.38	3.62	33.83
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	803	771	96.01	3.99	24.55
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	268	238	88.81	11.19	9.66

2020-21 Local Assessment Test Results in ELA by Student Group

This table displays Local Assessment test results in ELA by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven. LEAs/schools will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered a local assessment. In cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment, LEAs/schools will populate this table with "N/A" values in all cells, meaning this table is Not Applicable for this school.

*At or above the grade-level standard in the context of the local assessment administered.

2020-21 Local Assessment Test Results in Math by Student Group

This table displays Local Assessment test results in Math by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven. LEAs/schools will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered a local assessment. In cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment, LEAs/schools will populate this table with "N/A" values in all cells, meaning this table is Not Applicable for this school.

*At or above the grade-level standard in the context of the local assessment administered.