

Macy Elementary School

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School Description

MISSION STATEMENT

Macy Elementary's mission is to prepare all students to be career and college ready with 21st Century educational experiences, while encouraging all students to be safe and respectful future leaders in a global and competitive economy.

SCHOOL DESCRIPTION

Macy is a recipient of the 2016 California Gold Ribbon School Award and the 2010 California Distinguished School Award. Macy also consistently wins Gold and Silver recognition in the Science Olympiad. Our campus is located in the city of La Habra, at the base of La Habra Heights, one mile north of Beach Blvd. Macy is one of five elementary schools in the Lowell Joint School District with an average enrollment of 525 students. Macy operates 20 self-contained classrooms spanning Transitional Kindergarten (TK) through Sixth Grade. TK and Kindergarten classes are all day.

Macy has a resource center and two district special day classes. Macy's English Learner (EL) population is considered small. All teachers at Macy are certificated to meet the needs for developing English proficiency in students.

Macy is proud to offer a district-created, award-winning, Character Education Program which includes both home and school components addressing monthly themes. Teachers also implement lessons found in the District Patriotic Guide; where social responsibility and good citizenship are emphasized daily and foster a strong appreciation of America's great heritage.

This knowledgeable and energetic staff excels in all professional requirements. The teachers work with a collaborative spirit; sharing ideas and strategies with enthusiasm. Teachers meet weekly so the core curriculum remains consistent between classes. The staff provides optimum learning environments that are nurturing, well organized, stimulating, and exciting.

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	75
Grade 1	54
Grade 2	72
Grade 3	80
Grade 4	78
Grade 5	78
Grade 6	82
Total Enrollment	519

2018-19 Student Enrollment by Group

Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	1.2
Asian	4.2
Filipino	0.8
Hispanic or Latino	58.2
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.4
White	32.8
Two or More Races	1.7
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	28.5
English Learners	3.7
Students with Disabilities	13.1
Foster Youth	0.6
Homeless	3.7

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

Teacher Credentials for Macy Elementary	17-18	18-19	19-20
With Full Credential	20	20	20
Without Full Credential	0	0	0
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	0	0	0

Teacher Credentials for Lowell Joint School	17-18	18-19	19-20
With Full Credential	◆	◆	131.6
Without Full Credential	◆	◆	5
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	◆	◆	0

Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions at Macy 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)

All adopted core curriculum is reported in the table below.

Some of the most widely utilized and successful supplemental programs/curriculum used at Macy include: Mountain Math, Daily Oral Math, speed math folders, Mountain Language, Daily Oral Language, Step-Up-to-Writing, and the web-based programs of ST Mind Math and LEXIA.

The District is currently undergoing the processes for a 2017 English/Language Arts (ELA) adoption.

Textbooks and Instructional Materials

Year and month in which data were collected: December 2019

Core Curriculum Area	Textbooks and Instructional Materials/Year of Adoption
Reading/Language Arts	2016-17 Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, Journeys K-5; Big Day TK 2016-17 McGraw-Hill, Study Sync 6-8 The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0
Mathematics	2014-15 Houghton Mifflin K-5 Go Math! 2014-15 Houghton Mifflin Big Ideas 6-8 The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0
Science	2008-09 Macmillan/McGraw-Hill K-3 2008-09 Pearson Scott Forsman 4-6 2008-09 Pearson Prentice Hall 7-8 The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 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 The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0
Foreign Language	1999-00 ¡En español! 7-8 The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0
Health	2008-09 Princeton Health Press - LifeSkills 3-8 2007-08 Human Kinetics- Fitness For Life 2016 Rights, Respect, Responsibility 7-8 The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 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 The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0
Science Laboratory Equipment	Grades 9-12 only

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

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements (Most Recent Year)

Macy School Facility Profile

Built in 1957, Macy Elementary School has five main wings of classrooms first through sixth grade, which also includes the library, two computer labs, the Assistance Room, and three special education rooms. The Macy Kindergartens are connected to the main office building and the teachers' lounge but are designed to have their own privacy and Kindergarten play area. Five separate bungalows make-up the remainder of the classrooms that are not attached to the main wings. A permanent, three-room bungalow houses the school psychologist, the speech and language therapist, and the Macy Conference Room. Macy has a full-functioning kitchen with an attached multi-purpose room that converts into a meeting hall or cafeteria with minimal effort. The district also operates a fee-based, before and after school, daycare program called OPTIONS, which is located in front of the campus, on our southeast corner.

All major facility projects have been completed including, exterior and interior painting. The outside of the school was repainted in two-tone blue and ivory. Touch-up paintwork to the Macy campus is completed annually. Work orders given to the maintenance department are prioritized and handled quickly and effectively, (within a same day to month turn-around). The LJSd maintenance department takes pride in their work and it shows.

The 2016 Macy FIT (Fitness Inspection Tool) reports that the facilities are in 'Fair Repair.'

School Facility Good Repair Status (Most Recent Year) Year and month in which data were collected: December 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	
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	Good	
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	Good	
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	Good	
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	Poor	The majority of issues are connected to rusty tracks on the sliding doors, which will be addressed as part of the work under Measure LL.
Overall Rating	Good	

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	57	54	62	62	50	50
Math	42	42	53	54	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	15.8	22.4	42.1

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	317	309	97.48	54.05
Male	159	155	97.48	46.45
Female	158	154	97.47	61.69
Black or African American	--	--	--	--
Asian	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	201	194	96.52	50.00
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--
White	96	95	98.96	55.79
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	91	90	98.90	42.22
English Learners	31	30	96.77	36.67
Students with Disabilities	47	44	93.62	15.91
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.

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	317	309	97.48	42.39
Male	159	155	97.48	45.16
Female	158	154	97.47	39.61
Black or African American	--	--	--	--
Asian	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	201	194	96.52	38.14
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--
White	96	95	98.96	45.26
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	91	90	98.90	30.00
English Learners	31	30	96.77	26.67
Students with Disabilities	47	44	93.62	11.36
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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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)

Macy Elementary School values the home-school component of our campus life. At Macy, parents and extended relations of our students regularly help on campus. These volunteers allow Macy to sustain the programs and activities of our school. Families at Macy understand that it is the partnership between home and school which creates a strong and positive learning environment and when augmented by the expertise and caring of the teachers and staff at school, we are able to ensure a safe and industrious learning environment for our children.

The Parent Teacher Association (PTA) Executive Board works closely with the principal to set the goals of programming at Macy. Parents participate in numerous committees and chair positions. PTA members hold positions as active, contributing members of the Macy Elementary School Site Council. PTA Executive Board liaisons accompany the principal to district level information meetings where parent feedback is held in high regard; especially when it helps promote our programming and school activities. On any given day, a visitor to Macy will find numerous volunteers working in classrooms or on campus to help accomplish our goals for the week, the month, and the year.

Among other things, the Macy PTA runs the following events and programs during the year: Macy Trunk or Treat, Macy Reflection's Program, Macy Yearbook, Macy Family Nights (i.e. Angel Night, Duck Night, Movie Night), Macy Kindergarten Picnic, Junior Achievement, Science Olympiad, fall and spring book fairs, Valentine's/Holiday/End-of-the-Year Parties, Macy Senior Friend's Day, Honorary Service Award Ceremony, The Macy Fun Run, assemblies, and class field trips. All parents and friends of Macy are encouraged to become involved in the PTA. Further event and calendar information, including PTA membership registration, can be found at Macy.LJSD.org.

Parents are also important members of school support programs such as Noon Duty Aide supervision and the volunteers who assist in the library and the computer lab.

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

Macy School Site Council Review of Safety Plan: January 2020

Macy NIMS (National Incident Management System) Reviewed with site personnel: October 2019

At Macy we believe that all students have right to learn in a safe and secure environment. In order to ensure student safety, Macy has drafted a School Safety Plan. This safety plan includes Macy's National Incident Management System (NIMS) which provides an organized response to a variety of incidents including major incidents such as: fire; earthquake, and lockdowns. It outlines a school emergency response team and includes organizational charts with responsibilities and duty descriptions for school personnel. Our Safety Plan also includes the use of CatapultEMS. All staff at Macy have been trained on CatapultEMS to ensure a dedicated emergency communication system that is clear and connected all times with the school safety team, our teachers, the district, and law enforcement.

The School Safety Plan, in addition to the NIMS, also includes an alternate location for students and staff to relocate to in the event the campus is not inhabitable. It also contains contact information of various emergency agencies such as local police and fire departments.

Suspensions and Expulsions for the School	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Suspensions Rate	1.5	0.6	1.1
Expulsions Rate	0.0	0.0	0.0

Suspensions and Expulsions for the District	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Suspensions Rate	1.8	2.5	2.5
Expulsions Rate	0.0	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.

Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Elementary)

Grade Level	2016-17	2016-17	2016-17	2016-17	2017-18	2017-18	2017-18	2017-18	2018-19	2018-19	2018-19	2018-19
	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+
K	27	1		2	24		2		30		2	
1	23		3		24		3		27		2	
2	23		3		23		3		23		3	
3	24		3		23	1	3		25		3	
4	31		2		37			2	30		2	
5	31		1	1	37			2	32		2	
6	28	1	1	2	35			2	34		1	2
Other**					10	1			11	2		

*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

The staff in Lowell Joint School District is provided with numerous professional development opportunities throughout the year. Outside of their regularly scheduled staff and grade level meetings, the district administration, (principals and superintendent), meet as needed to review, discuss, and be trained in different areas of focus that are deemed appropriate: Thinking Maps, Common Core Standards (CCS), Explicit Direct Instruction (EDI), Visible Learning (VL), K-3 Guided Language Acquisition Design (GLAD) training, Standards-Based Reporting, Illuminate, ST Math, Lexia Reading, Disaster and Safety Academy Training, differentiated instruction, assessment and testing, the Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP), Professional Learning Collaboratives (PLC), textbook adoption, and English Language Learner instruction.

The teachers meet each week in regularly scheduled Grade Level Meetings, Professional Learning Collaboratives (PLC), and staff meetings, to plan and share new ideas or target areas of focus for curriculum, instruction, and management. When new textbook adoptions are being considered for the core areas, teachers take part in the publisher in-services on the appropriate implementation of the materials. Teachers are expected to have a say in the adoption process and are included, at the onset, in all reviews of instructional materials.

Guest presenters come to the District to in-service teachers in areas that include: the California State Standards, Thinking Maps, Explicit Direct Instruction, Mind Math (Jiji), Lexia Reading, textbook alignments, differentiated instruction, classroom management, English Language Learner instruction, and special education strategies as well as Special Education Information System (SEIS) compliance. The valued resources of our own internal and professional teaching staff are further utilized when necessary. Teachers may attend trainings hosted by their 'expert peers' and colleagues in the areas of miscue analysis; reading and math strategies; California Teachers of English Learners (CTEL) Training; the Writing Process; Science Technology Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) conference, etc. Once a focus area is identified, district and site-level in-services are provided to address the needs.

The Targeted Improvement Plan also helps school teams address their most challenging curricular areas (by grade level) so that the principal, and if necessary, the district curriculum department, can write an action plan for improvement.

FY 2017-18 Teacher and Administrative Salaries

Category	District Amount	State Average for Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$44,074	\$49,378
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$85,000	\$77,190
Highest Teacher Salary	\$99,384	\$96,607
Average Principal Salary (ES)	\$110,612	\$122,074
Average Principal Salary (MS)	\$122,930	\$126,560
Average Principal Salary (HS)	\$0	\$126,920
Superintendent Salary	\$199,500	\$189,346

Percent of District Budget	District Amount	State Average for Districts In Same Category
Teacher Salaries	41%	36%
Administrative Salaries	6%	6%

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

Types of Services Funded

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.

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.

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

Level	Total	Restricted	Unrestricted	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$6,585	\$1,129	\$5,456	\$87,587
District	N/A	N/A	\$8,034	\$85,119.00
State	N/A	N/A	\$7,506.64	\$77,619.00

Percent Differences	Unrestricted	Average Teacher Salary
School Site/District	-38.2	2.9
School Site/ State	-31.6	12.1

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.