

Honcut

California Department of Education School Accountability Report Card Reported Using Data from the 2015-16 School Year

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 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 <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/>.
- For more information about the LCFF or LCAP, see the CDE LCFF Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/fq/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](#) 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.



Heather Scott, Principal

Principal, Honcut

About Our School

Honcut Elementary School is one of five schools that make up the Palermo Union School District. The district is comprised of Helen M. Wilcox Elementary (K-3), Honcut Elementary (K-3), Golden Hills Elementary (4-5), Palermo Middle School (6-8) and Community Day school (K-8). The district is located in Butte County, in the northern part of California's Sacramento Valley.

Located 22 miles south of Oroville, Honcut is a necessary small school. The enrollment is approximately 15 students (K-3). Honcut Elementary is a Title 1 school-wide program. We have a full day kindergarten program. We also have the following programs: Indian Education, and English Learner.

The staff at Honcut consists of experienced and dedicated professionals. Each member is committed to Palermo's goal of getting every child at or above grade level in reading, writing and math. As you view our 2015-16 School Accountability Report Card (SARC), please keep in mind that it takes all of us: parents, teachers, students and our community to ensure that each child progresses to reach these goals.

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About This School

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School Description and Mission Statement (School Year 2016-17)

The Palermo Union School District is located approximately six miles south of Oroville, the county seat of Butte County. The District consists of six schools: Golden Hills Elementary (4-5), Helen Wilcox Elementary (K-3), Honcut Elementary (K-2), Palermo (6-8), and Palermo Community Day School (K-8). The total district enrollment is approximately 1,321 students. Honcut School, home of the Hornets, is a necessary small school located 22 miles south of Oroville. Enrollment is approximately 15 students.

The District operates a state pre-school on the Palermo School and Helen Wilcox campuses. These two programs and Head Start in Oroville are feeder programs to Honcut School. District schools have an auxiliary support system that includes a music teacher, a school psychologist, a school nurse, and a bilingual aide. Honcut has a multi-funded Title I and EIA instructional aide for additional support. Most special education student's needs are met at the Honcut site. However, students may be transferred to Helen Wilcox School for a more comprehensive program if needed. Honcut is unique in its size and location. The school has been instrumental in implementing the Response to Intervention (RTI) Model as well as focus groups, front-loading, after school tutoring, and the new Common Core State Standard.

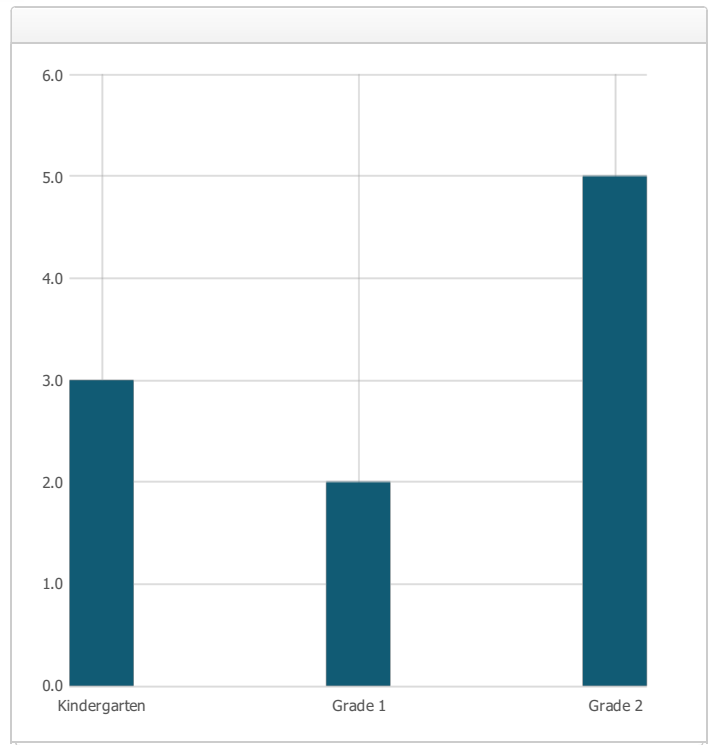
School Goals: All students will reach high standards, attaining at least proficiency or better in reading and mathematics by 2016-2017. Progress Indicators: CASSPP, and AYP are monitored annually. Local assessments, both formative and summative, are monitored weekly, each trimester, and at the end of the school year.

Mission: Honcut School is dedicated to preparing our students for the 21st century by providing each student with a quality education. We are committed to personalizing each student's program and instruction, regardless of complexity, to the best of their ability. Every opportunity is provided for each student to achieve his/her education. The process by which an individual develops mentally, physically, socially, culturally, and emotionally in his/her environment is a definition of education practiced by the staff.

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Student Enrollment by Grade Level (School Year 2015-16)

Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	3
Grade 1	2
Grade 2	5
Total Enrollment	10



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Student Enrollment by Student Group (School Year 2015-16)

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	0.0 %
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0 %
Asian	0.0 %
Filipino	0.0 %
Hispanic or Latino	40.0 %
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0 %
White	50.0 %
Two or More Races	10.0 %
Other	0.0 %
Student Group (Other)	Percent of Total Enrollment
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	100.0 %
English Learners	30.0 %
Students with Disabilities	10.0 %
Foster Youth	0.0 %

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A. Conditions of Learning

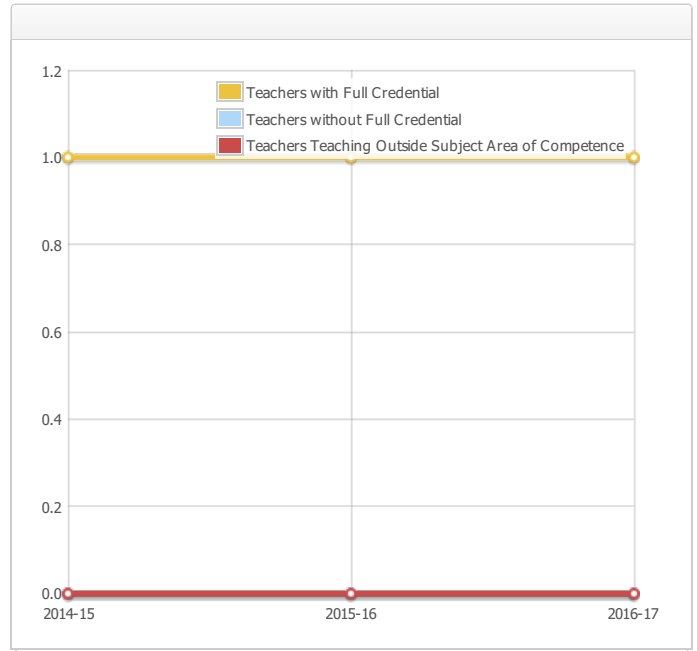
State Priority: Basic

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

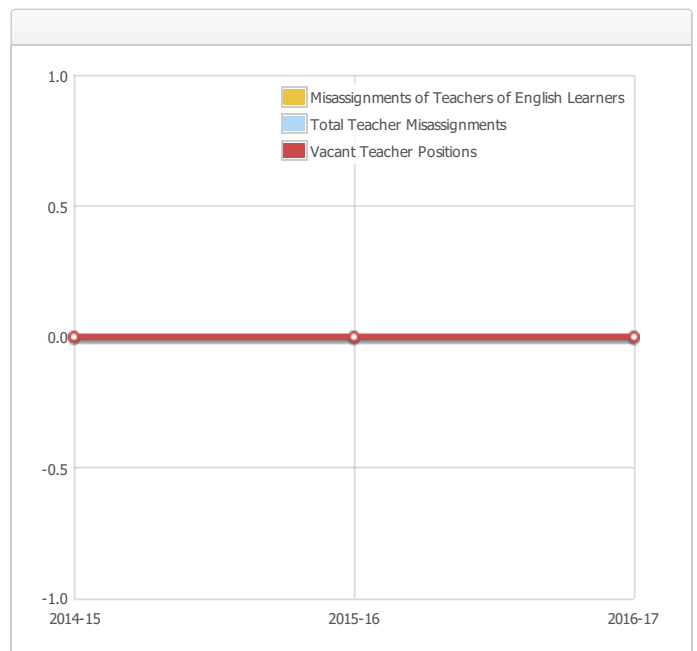
Teachers	School			District
	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2016-17
With Full Credential	1	1	1	70
Without Full Credential	0	0	0	0
Teachers Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence (with full credential)	0	0	0	0



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Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions

Indicator	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
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.

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Core Academic Classes Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers (School Year 2015-16)

Location of Classes	Percent of Classes In Core Academic Subjects Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers	Percent of Classes In Core Academic Subjects Not Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers
This School	100.0%	0.0%
All Schools in District	100.0%	0.0%
High-Poverty Schools in District	100.0%	0.0%
Low-Poverty Schools in District	0.0%	0.0%

Note: High-poverty schools are defined as those schools with student eligibility of approximately 40 percent or more in the free and reduced price meals program. Low-poverty schools are those with student eligibility of approximately 39 percent or less in the free and reduced price meals program.

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Quality, Currency, Availability of Textbooks and Instructional Materials (School Year 2016-17)

Year and month in which data were collected: December 2016

Subject	Textbooks and Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	National Geographic: Reach For Reading, 2016	Yes	0.0 %
Mathematics	McGraw Hill: My MATH	Yes	0.0 %
Science	MacMillan: McGraw Hill: California Science	Yes	0.0 %
History-Social Science	Houghton Mifflin: History Social-Studies	Yes	0.0 %
Foreign Language			0.0 %
Health			0.0 %
Visual and Performing Arts			0.0 %
Science Lab Eqpmt (Grades 9-12)	N/A	N/A	0.0 %

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

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School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

School Facilities: Condition of school facilities meets Education Code Sections: 17014 Necessary repairs, renewals and replacements; enforcement; plan preparation certification; 17032.5 Portable classrooms; leases, conditions; 17010.75(a) Maintenance of facilities; and 17089(b) Lease of portable classrooms; amount; maintenance; repairs; costs.

Teaching and learning space: Honcut has one classroom with a small computer station for student use and the food services distribution facility. Another room houses Butte County Office of Education (BCOE) library depository for student and staff use and serves as a teacher workroom. A third building houses the BCOE after school program. All buildings are portables and between ten to twelve years old. Student and staff restrooms are adequately maintained, clean and in working order. Honcut playground is adequate in size with sandy and grassy areas. Large oaks provide ample shade. Play structures are safe and adequately maintained.

Maintenance and repair: District maintenance staff ensure that any necessary repairs are completed in a timely manner. A work order process is used to provide efficient service and ensure that emergency repairs are given the highest priority. Emergency facilities needs specified in Education Code Section 17592.72(c) (1).

Cleaning process: The district governing board has adopted cleaning and safety standards for all schools in the district. A summary of these standards is available at the school office or the district office. The Maintenance & Operations Supervisor works with custodial staff to develop cleaning schedules to ensure a clean and safe school. A Safety & Cleaning checklist is used during school breaks (summer, Christmas, Easter).

Deferred maintenance: The district participates in the State School Deferred Maintenance Program, which provides state matching funds on a dollar-for-dollar basis to assist school districts with expenditures for major repair or replacement of existing school building component.

Facility Inspection Tool: August, 2016

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School Facility Good Repair Status

Year and month of the most recent FIT report: September 2016

System Inspected	Rating	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	Good	
Interior: Interior Surfaces	Poor	Carpet worn or damage- necessary repair.
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	Fair	Necessary skirting repair and structural sliding repair.
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/Doors/Gates/Fences	Poor	Blactop needs to be sealed and repair of fence.

Overall Facility Rate

Year and month of the most recent FIT report: September 2016

Overall Rating	Fair
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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. The CAAs have replaced the California Alternate Performance Assessment [CAPA] for ELA and mathematics, which were eliminated in 2015. Only eligible students may participate in the administration of the CAAs. CAA items are aligned with alternate achievement standards, which are linked with the Common Core State Standards [CCSS] for students with 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 English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA) and Mathematics for All Students

Subject	Percent of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standards					
	School		District		State	
	2014-15	2015-16	2014-15	2015-16	2014-15	2015-16
English Language Arts / Literacy (grades 3-8 and 11)	--	--	32.0%	31.0%	44.0%	48.0%
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	--	--	19.0%	21.0%	33.0%	37.0%

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.

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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

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 schoolsite

Opportunities for Parental Involvement (School Year 2016-17)

Honcut School benefits from an active Parent Teacher Group (PTG) shared with Helen Wilcox School. The PTG works with the community on various fundraisers, organizes the spring carnival and potluck, and runs the Accelerated Reader Store. Parents are encouraged to serve on the School Site Council, (SSC). Parents and guardians can support their child’s learning environment by: monitoring school attendance and homework completion, participating in extracurricular activities, volunteering at school, attending SSC meetings, and/or planning and participating in activities at home that are supportive of classroom activities.

State Priority: Pupil Engagement

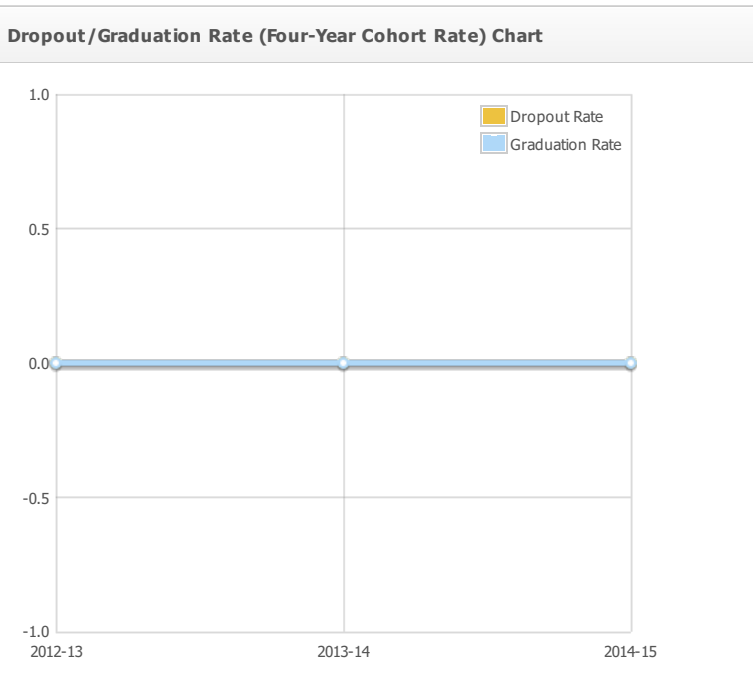
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The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Pupil Engagement (Priority 5):

- High school dropout rates; and
- High school graduation rates

Dropout Rate and Graduation Rate (Four-Year Cohort Rate)

Indicator	School			District			State		
	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15
Dropout Rate	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	11.4%	11.5%	10.7%
Graduation Rate	0.00	0.00	0.00						



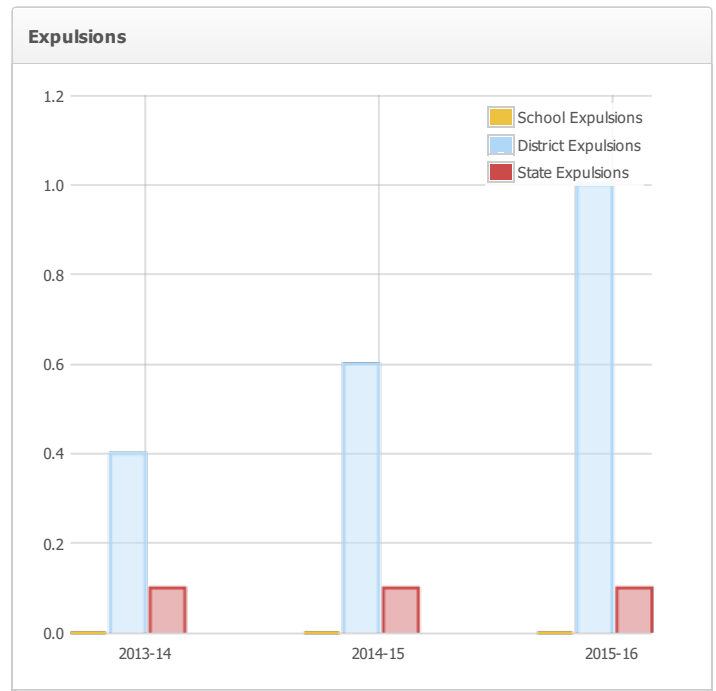
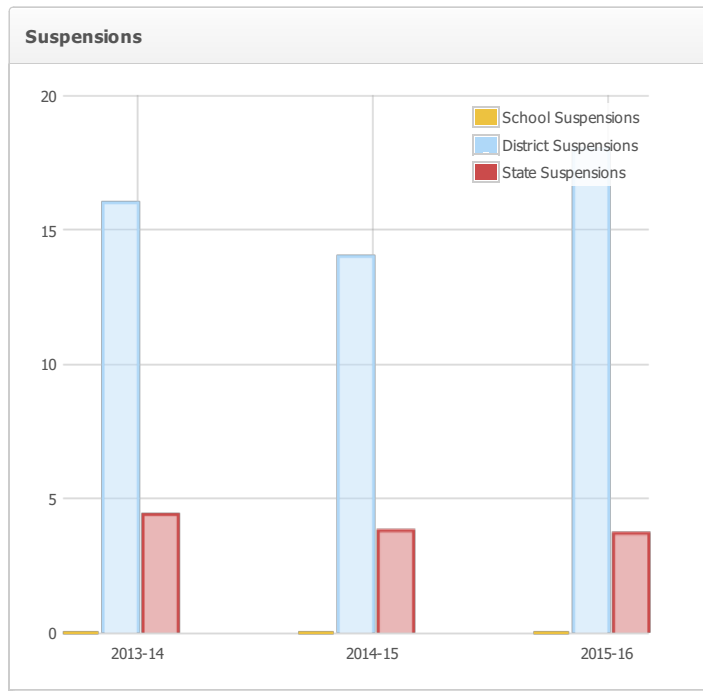
State Priority: School Climate

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			District			State		
	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16
Suspensions	0.0	0.0	0.0	16.0	14.0	18.0	4.4	3.8	3.7
Expulsions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.6	1.0	0.1	0.1	0.1



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School Safety Plan (School Year 2016-17)

In compliance with Ed Code 35329.6, the District Comprehensive Safety Plan/Emergency Management Plan is reviewed, updated, and approved by the Governing Board annually by March 1. Each school maintains a copy of the Safety Plan on site and a copy of the site's Emergency Conditions in each classroom. Key elements of the Safety Plan include: a plan of action for maintaining a safe and orderly environment conducive to learning at the school (i.e.: assessment of school safety, identification of strategies and programs that will maintain school safety and campus security) and emergency management procedures consistent with the Standardized Emergency Management System (SEMS) and the National Incident Management System (NIMS) developed by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security. Key elements of the site Emergency Conditions include: a plan of action for a coordinated school wide response to emergencies (i.e. intruder on campus, fire, emergency lockdown, evacuation, etc). Safety drills are held on a regular basis. Fire drills are held monthly. Earthquake/disaster and intruder drills are held twice a year. Visitors to the campus are required to sign in at the school office and wear a visitor's pass at all times.

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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.

Federal Intervention Program (School Year 2016-17)

Indicator	School	District
Program Improvement Status	Not in PI	In PI
First Year of Program Improvement		2008-2009
Year in Program Improvement		Year 3
Number of Schools Currently in Program Improvement	N/A	3
Percent of Schools Currently in Program Improvement	N/A	60.0%

Note: Cells with NA values do not require data.

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Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Elementary)

Grade Level	2013-14			2014-15			2015-16					
	Average Class Size	Number of Classes *			Average Class Size	Number of Classes *			Average Class Size	Number of Classes *		
		1-20	21-32	33+		1-20	21-32	33+		1-20	21-32	33+
K	13.0	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0				
1	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0				
2	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0				
3	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0				
4	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0				
5	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0				
6	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0				
Other	0.0	0	0	0	11.0	1	0	0	10.0	1		

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

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Academic Counselors and Other Support Staff (School Year 2015-16)

Title	Number of FTE* Assigned to School	Average Number of Students per Academic Counselor
Academic Counselor		
Counselor (Social/Behavioral or Career Development)		N/A
Library Media Teacher (librarian)		N/A
Library Media Services Staff (paraprofessional)		N/A
Psychologist		N/A
Social Worker		N/A
Nurse		N/A
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	0.1	N/A
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)		N/A
Other		N/A

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*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.

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Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries (Fiscal Year 2014-15)

Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Supplemental/Restricted)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Basic/Unrestricted)	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$14513.0	\$2636.0	\$11876.0	\$76622.0
District	N/A	N/A	\$7049.0	\$66279.0
Percent Difference – School Site and District	N/A	N/A	168.5%	115.6%
State	N/A	N/A	\$5677.0	\$71610.0
Percent Difference – School Site and State	N/A	N/A	209.2%	103.4%

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Types of Services Funded (Fiscal Year 2015-16)

Honcut Elementary School provides standards-based, high quality instruction to all students in all subject areas. Achievement data and student progress is regularly monitored in order to insure that students are assigned to appropriate classes and intervention services. Students that are not meeting grade level standards also receive instructional support from our educational specialists.

Title I funding supports improvement of the teaching and learning of children who are at risk of not meeting academic standards and reside in areas with high concentration of children from low-income families. It also provides additional academic support from instructional aides who work in the classroom under the guidance of a credentialed teacher.

Title VII funding is used to provide Indian Education students with additional academic support from an instructional aide who provides in-class assistance.

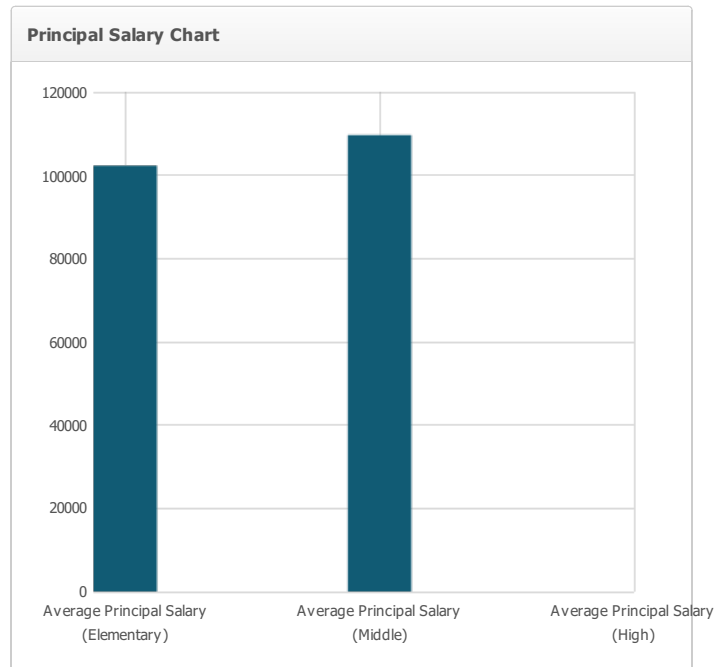
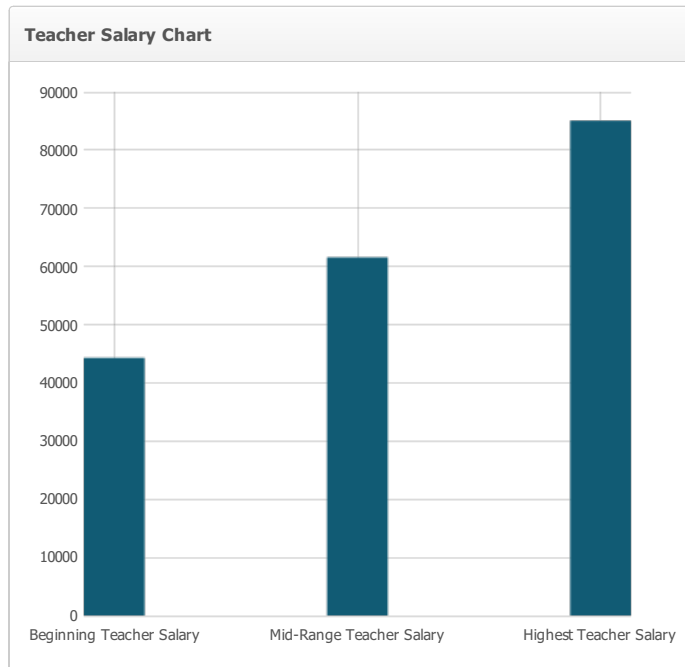
English Language Learners who have not yet reached fluency receive approximately 30 minutes of English Language instruction daily, in addition to their core Reading/ELA classes.

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Teacher and Administrative Salaries (Fiscal Year 2014-15)

Category	District Amount	State Average For Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$44,307	\$44,507
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$61,576	\$68,910
Highest Teacher Salary	\$85,080	\$88,330
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	\$102,329	\$111,481
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	\$109,650	\$115,435
Average Principal Salary (High)	\$	\$113,414
Superintendent Salary	\$125,000	\$169,821
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	39.0%	39.0%
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	7.0%	6.0%

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



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Professional Development

The district schedules staff development on non-contract days or after school hours: staff development includes afterschool workshops, conference attendance, individual mentoring, and PLC. Areas of focus for staff development is selected based on needs of district from achievement data. Teachers are supported through teacher-principal meetings and professional learning communities.

PUSD teachers engage in active staff development throughout the year by attending in-District training sessions given by staff and consultants, as well as site-based sessions presented at staff meetings, committee/grade level meetings, and during formal observation post conferences. Staff development has focused on fostering the Explicit Direct Instruction (EDI) and professional collaborative teams. District and site sessions, as well as follow-up classroom observation and feedback have been provided on the following topics: Student Engagement, Checking for Understanding-TAPPLE, Corrective Feedback, and Delivering Information.

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