

Palermo Union Community Day (K-7)

California Department of Education School Accountability Report Card Reported Using Data from the 2013-14 School Year

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Every school in California is required by state law to publish a School Accountability Report Card (SARC), by February 1 of each year. 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/>.
- View this SARC online at the school and/or LEA Web sites.
- 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 and community members should contact the school principal or the district office.

Kathleen Andoe, Principal

Principal, Palermo Union Community Day (K-7)

About Our School

The Palermo Community Day School staff believe that we can achieve our fundamental purpose of high levels of learning for all students if we work together towards this common goal. This involves parents, teachers, paraprofessionals, and students collectively. It is our desire to cultivate a culture of collaboration through the development of high performing teams. We are committed to maintaining a safe environment where all students can learn and grow to their fullest potential.

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About This School

Contact Information - Most Recent Year

School		District	
School Name	Palermo Union Community Day (K-7)	District Name	Palermo Union Elementary
Street	7350 Bulldog Way	Phone Number	(530) 533-4842
City, State, Zip	Palermo, Ca, 95968	Web Site	www.palermoschools.org
Phone Number	530-533-4708	Superintendent First Name	Bryan
Principal	Kathleen Andoe, Principal	Superintendent Last Name	Caples
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County-District-School (CDS) Code	04615236115034		

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School Description and Mission Statement (Most Recent Year)

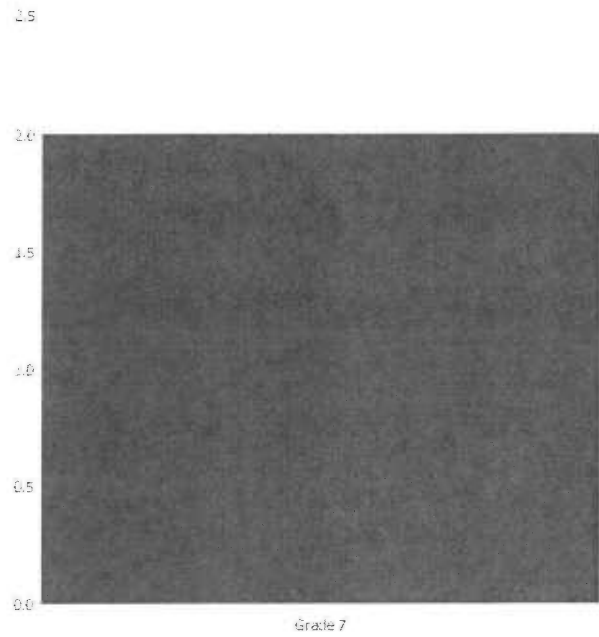
The Palermo Union School District is comprised of six schools: Helen Wilcox (K-3), Honcut (K-2), Golden Hills (4-5), Palermo (6-8), and two Community Day schools; K-7 and 5-8. The district encompasses a 75 square mile area located in Butte County in the northern Sacramento Valley. Each student has an Individualized Rehabilitation Plan with a required weekly counseling and community service component. Typically students are enrolled for one or two trimesters and are able to apply for re-admittance back into the traditional school setting. Palermo has an ongoing Memorandum of Understanding with Oroville City Elementary School District (OCESD) and Thermalito Union School District (TUSD) for the placement of up to 12 "at risk" students in Community Day K-7 or 5-8.

Mission Statement: The Palermo Community Day School: K-7 is designed to meet the needs of students who are exhibiting behavioral, academic, and/or attendance problems. The intent of the program is to help students develop problem-solving skills and more effective coping strategies that will result in a greater chance of success when they return to the regular school setting. CDS staff maintain high expectations across the academic, social, and emotional domains, and will remain committed to developing increased resiliency within students.

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Student Enrollment by Grade Level (School Year 2013-14)

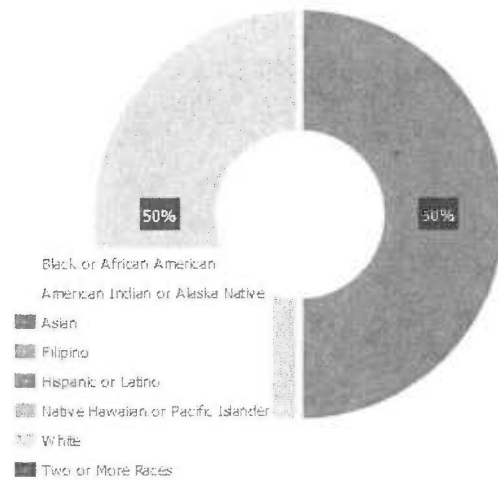
Grade Level	Number of Students
Grade 7	2
Total Enrollment	2



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Student Enrollment by Student Group (School Year 2013-14)

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	50.0
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0
White	50.0
Two or More Races	0.0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	100.0
English Learners	0.0
Students with Disabilities	50.0



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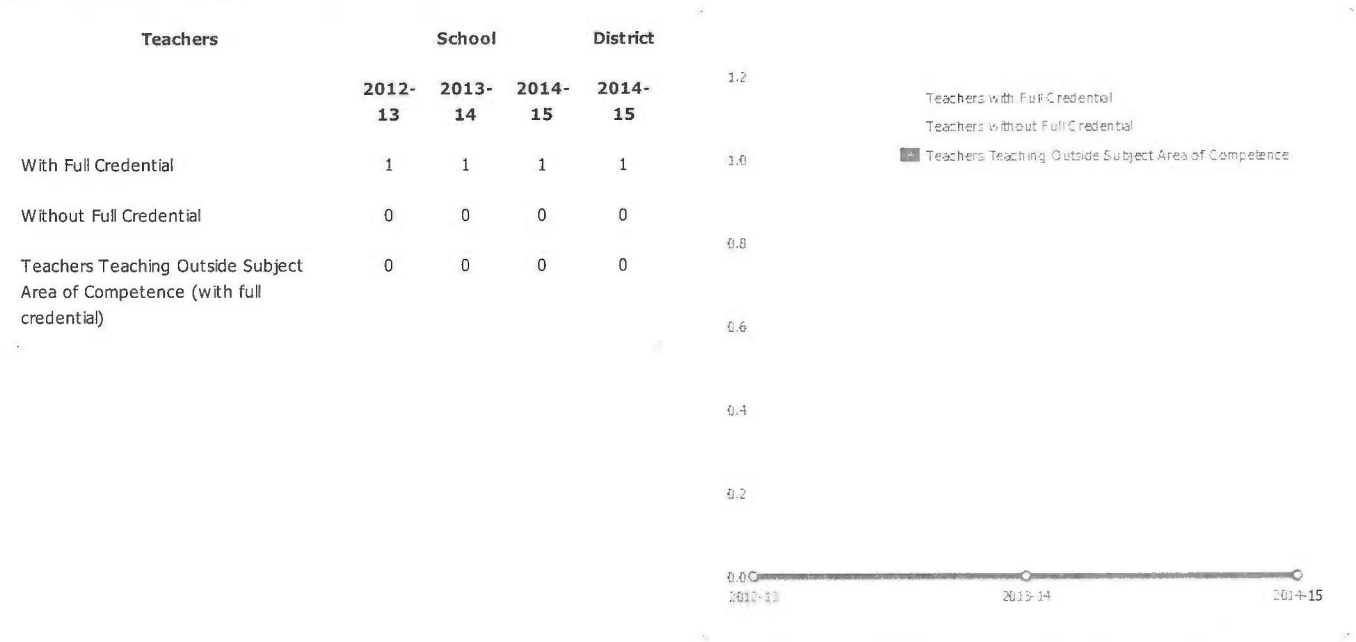
A. Conditions of Learning

State Priority: Basic

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the Basic State Priority (Priority 1):

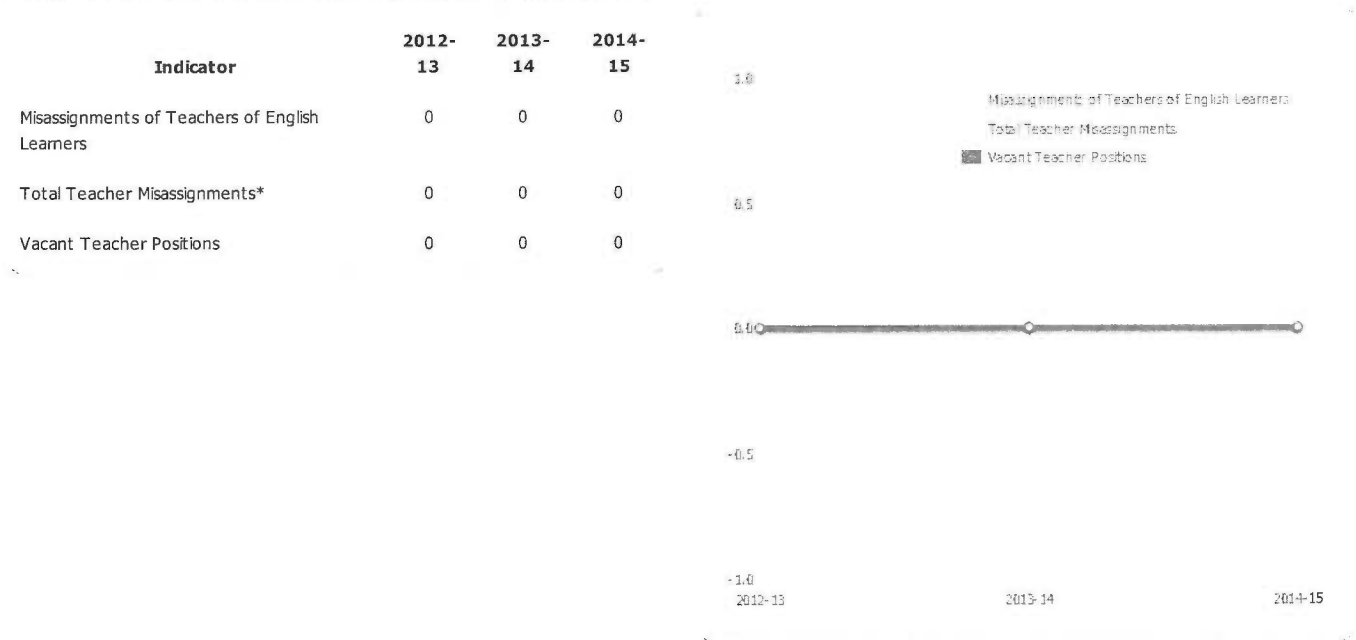
- Degree to which teachers are appropriately assigned and fully credentialed in the subject area and for the pupils they are teaching;
- Pupils have access to standards-aligned instructional materials; and
- School facilities are maintained in good repair.

Teacher Credentials



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Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions



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.

Core Academic Classes Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers (School Year 2013-14)

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
All Schools in District	100	0
High-Poverty Schools in District	100	0
Low-Poverty Schools in District	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 - Most Recent Year

Year and month in which data were collected: August 2013

Subject	Textbooks and Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	Due to the suspension of the state curriculum adoption cycle and the inavailability of state approved Common Core aligned English Language Arts curriculum, we continue to utilize our previously adopted materials (Timeless Voices, Timeless Themes; Prentice Hall 2002).	No	0.0
Mathematics	Due to the suspension of the state curriculum adoption cycle, we continue to utilize our previosly adopted materials (California Mathematics; Holt 2008). Our math department is currently reviewing state approved, Coomon Core aligned curriculum for adoption.	Yes	0.0
Science	Due to the suspension of the state curriculm adoption cycle, we continue to utilize our previosly adopted materials (Focus on Earth, Life and Physical Science; CPO 2006).	Yes	0.0
History-Social Science	Due to the suspension of the state curriculm adoption cycle, we continue to utilize our previosly adopted materials (History Alive; TCI 2005).	Yes	0.0
Foreign Language			0.0
Health			0.0
Visual and Performing Arts			0.0
Science Laboratory Equipment (grades 9-12)			0.0

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B. Pupil Outcomes

State Priority: Pupil Achievement

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the Pupil Achievement State Priority (Priority 4):

- Statewide assessments (i.e., California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress and its successor the Standardized Testing and Reporting Program);
- The Academic Performance Index; and
- The percentage of pupils 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.

California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress/ Standardized Testing and Reporting Results for All Students in Science – Three-Year Comparison

Subject	Percent of Students Scoring at Proficient or Advanced (meeting or exceeding the state standards)								
	School			District			State		
	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14
Science (grades 5, 8, and 10)				52	53	55	60	59	60

Note: Science assessments include California Standards Tests (CSTs), California Modified Assessment (CMA), and California Alternate Performance Assessment (CAPA).

Note: Scores are not shown 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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California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress Results by Student Group in Science (School Year 2013-14)

Group	Percent of Students Scoring at Proficient or Advanced
All Students in the LEA	55
All Students at the School	
Male	
Female	
Black or African American	
American Indian or Alaska Native	
Asian	
Filipino	
Hispanic or Latino	
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	
White	
Two or More Races	
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	
English Learners	
Students with Disabilities	
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	

Note: Science assessments include CSTs, CMA, and CAPA in grades 5, 8, and 10.

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Standardized Testing and Reporting Results for All Students - Three-Year Comparison

Percent of Students Scoring at Proficient or Advanced (meeting or exceeding the state standards)

Subject	School			District			State		
	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13
English-Language Arts	N/A	N/A	N/A	43%	50%	44%	54%	56%	55%
Mathematics	N/A	N/A	N/A	49%	55%	54%	49%	50%	50%
History-Social Science	N/A	N/A	N/A	43%	28%	44%	48%	49%	49%

Note: STAR Program was last administered in 2012–13. 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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Academic Performance Index Ranks – Three-Year Comparison

API Rank	2011	2012	2013
Statewide			
Similar Schools			

Note: For 2014 and subsequent years, the statewide and similar schools ranks will no longer be produced.

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Academic Performance Index Growth by Student Group – Three-Year Comparison

Group	Actual API Change 2011	Actual API Change 2012	Actual API Change 2013
All Students at the School			
Black or African American			
American Indian or Alaska Native			
Asian			
Filipino			
Hispanic or Latino			
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander			
White			
Two or More Races			
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged			
English Learners			
Students with Disabilities			

Note: "N/D" means that no data were available to the CDE or LEA to report. "B" means the school did not have a valid API Base and there is no Growth or target information. "C" means the school had significant demographic changes and there is no Growth or target information.

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Career Technical Education Participation (School Year 2013-14)

Measure

CTE Program Participation

Percent of pupils completing a CTE program and earning a high school diploma	0.0
Percent of CTE courses sequenced or articulated between the school and institutions of postsecondary education	0.0

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Courses for University of California and/or California State University Admission

UC/CSU Course Measure	Percent
2013-14 Students Enrolled in Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	0.0
2012-13 Graduates Who Completed All Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	

State Priority: Other Pupil Outcomes

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the Other Pupil Outcomes State Priority (Priority 8):

- Pupil outcomes in the subject areas of English, mathematics, and physical education.

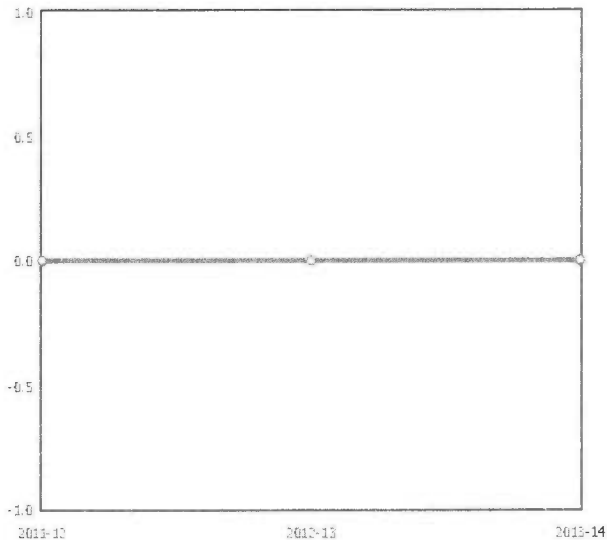
California High School Exit Examination Results for All Grade Ten Students – Three-Year Comparison (if applicable)

Percent of Students Scoring at Proficient or Advanced

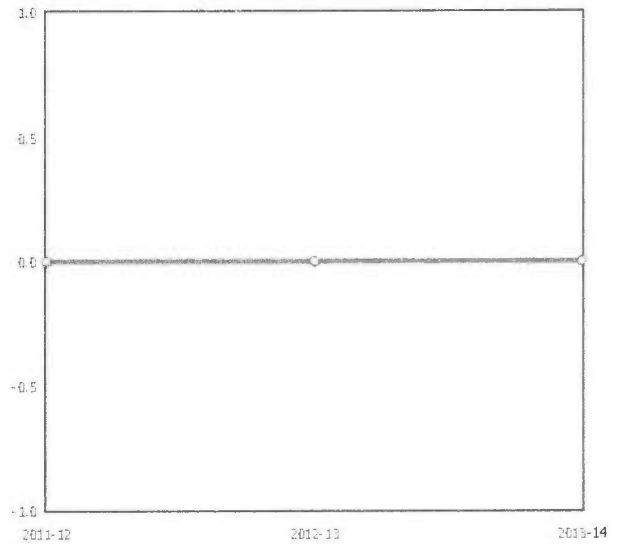
Subject	School			District			State		
	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14
English-Language Arts	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	56%	57%	56%
Mathematics	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	58%	60%	62%

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.

English-Language Arts Percent of Students Scoring at Proficient or Advanced



Mathematics Percent of Students Scoring at Proficient or Advanced



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California High School Exit Examination Grade Ten Results by Student Group (School Year 2013-14) (if applicable)

Group	English-Language Arts			Mathematics		
	Percent Not Proficient	Percent Proficient	Percent Advanced	Percent Not Proficient	Percent Proficient	Percent Advanced
All Students in the LEA	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
All Students at the School	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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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California Physical Fitness Test Results (School Year 2013-14)

Grade level	Percent of Students Meeting Fitness Standards		
	Four of Six Standards	Five of Six Standards	Six of Six Standards
5	N/A	N/A	N/A

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C. Engagement

State Priority: Parental Involvement

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the Parental Involvement State Priority (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 - Most Recent Year

Parents and guardians are given the opportunity to work in a mutually supportive and respectful partnership with the school to help their child succeed. Parents are welcome to volunteer in the classroom and for fundraising and community events. Parents and guardians may support their child's learning environment by monitoring school attendance and homework completion.

State Priority: Pupil Engagement

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

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

State Priority: School Climate

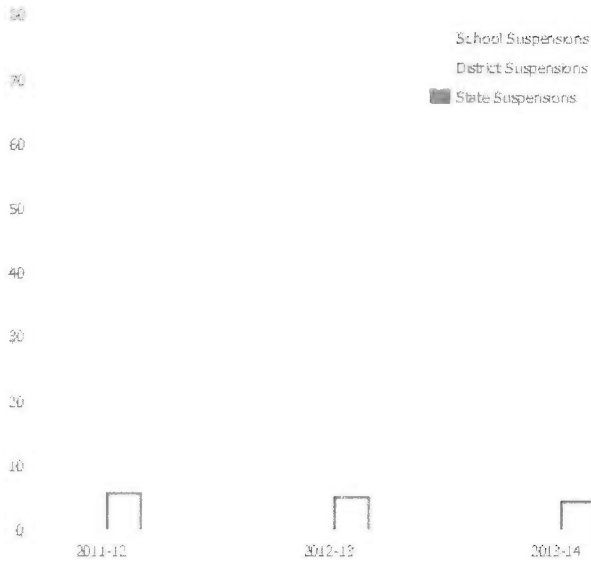
The SARC provides the following information relevant to the School Climate State Priority (Priority 6):

- Pupil suspension rates;
- Pupil expulsion rates; and
- Other local measures on the sense of safety.

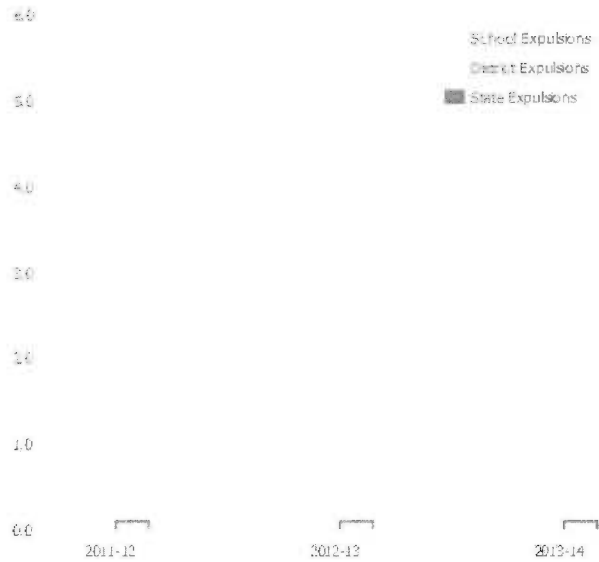
Suspensions and Expulsions

Rate	School			District			State		
	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14
Suspensions	78.30	55.60	55.60	14.70	9.80	9.70	5.70	5.10	4.40
Expulsions	0.00	5.60	0.00	0.60	0.60	0.45	0.10	0.10	0.10

Suspensions



Expulsions



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School Safety Plan - Most Recent Year

In compliance with state regulations, 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 Emergency Conditions portion of the plan 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 (ie: 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.

Adequate Yearly Progress Overall and by Criteria (School Year 2013-14)

AYP Criteria	School	District
Made AYP Overall	N/A	N/A
Met Participation Rate - English-Language Arts	N/A	N/A
Met Participation Rate - Mathematics	N/A	N/A
Met Percent Proficient - English-Language Arts	N/A	N/A
Met Percent Proficient - Mathematics	N/A	N/A
Met Graduation Rate	N/A	N/A

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Federal Intervention Program (School Year 2014-15)

Indicator	School	District
Program Improvement Status		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	75.0%

Note: Cells with NA values do not require data.

* DW (determination waiver) indicates that the PI status of the school was carried over from the prior year in accordance with the flexibility granted through the federal waiver process.

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Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Elementary)

Grade Level	2011-12			2012-13			2013-14					
	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												
1												
2												
3				1.0		1						
4												
5				1.0		1		2.0		1		
6				2.0		1						
Other												

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

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Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Secondary)

Subject	2011-12			2012-13			2013-14					
	Average Class Size	Number of Classes *			Average Class Size	Number of Classes *			Average Class Size	Number of Classes *		
		1-22	23-32	33+		1-22	23-32	33+		1-22	23-32	33+
English								2.0		1		
Mathematics								2.0		1		
Science								2.0		1		
Social Science								2.0		1		

* Number of classes indicates how many classrooms fall into each size category (a range of total students per classroom). At the secondary school level, this information is reported by subject area rather than grade level.

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Academic Counselors and Other Support Staff (School Year 2013-14)

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

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

* 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 2012-13)

Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Supplemental/Restricted)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Basic/Unrestricted)	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$10,507	\$5,253	\$5,253	\$66,959
District	N/A	N/A	\$5,752	\$62,284
Percent Difference – School Site and District	N/A	N/A	91.33%	107.50%
State	N/A	N/A	\$4,690	\$67,289
Percent Difference – School Site and State	N/A	N/A	112.01%	99.50%

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

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Types of Services Funded (Fiscal Year 2013-14)

Palermo Community Day School provides standards based, high quality instruction to all students in all subject areas. In addition, we also provide additional academic support and supplemental services through the use of intervention classes within the school. Achievement data and student progress is regularly monitored in order to insure that student are assigned to appropriate classes and intervention services.

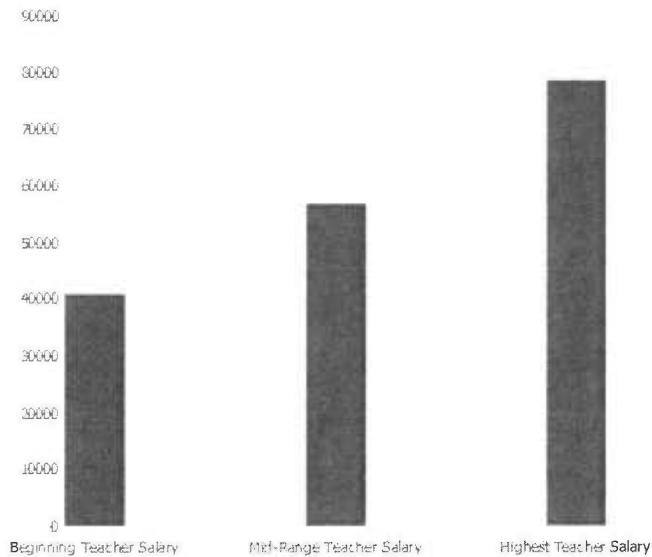
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Teacher and Administrative Salaries (Fiscal Year 2012-13)

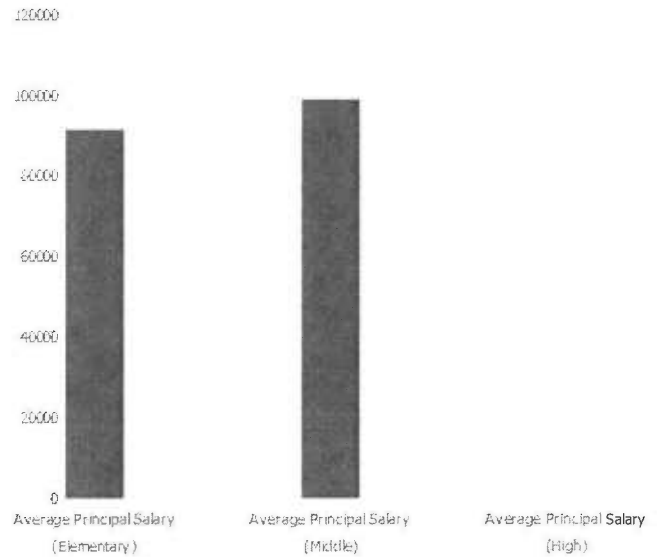
Category	District Amount	State Average For Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$40,866	\$41,535
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$56,794	\$64,101
Highest Teacher Salary	\$78,473	\$82,044
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	\$91,457	\$104,336
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	\$98,881	\$107,911
Average Principal Salary (High)	\$00	\$102,488
Superintendent Salary	\$125,000	\$155,309
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	41.0%	41.0%
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	5.0%	6.0%

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

Teacher Salary Chart



Principal Salary Chart



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Professional Development – Most Recent Three Years

The district schedules staff development on non-student days and/or non-contract days, or during after school hours. Staff development is delivered through after school workshops, conference attendance, individual mentoring, and PLC. Area of focus for staff development is selected based on need, as shown in 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) strategies and techniques, and professional collaborative teams. District and site sessions, as well as follow-up classroom observations and feedback have been provided on the following topics: Student Engagement, Checking for Understanding-TAPPLE, Corrective Feedback, and Delivering Information.

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