



Lopez High School

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Principal's Message

Lopez High School (LHS) is the only Continuation High School in Lucia Mar Unified School District and provides an alternative learning environment for students who may struggle in a larger or comprehensive high school setting or are at risk of not graduating for various circumstances affecting students' success. This might show up in a student's need for an alternative learning environment, need for smaller class sizes, or demonstration of other patterns that slow down or negatively affect their school career such as credit deficiency or attendance issues. LHS continues to maintain a record of positive educational achievement and provides an educational setting in which students can demonstrate success. It is also an excellent setting for the student in need of a smaller, more individualized school program. Lopez staff continues to evaluate its own site for areas of improvement. In recognition of an outstanding program, LHS received a six-year accreditation from the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) with the highest award possible. The WASC accreditation offers a certification to show the public that our school is a trustworthy institution of learning and validates the integrity of our programs and transcripts. Lopez High School also has the distinguished recognition as Model Continuation High School from 2018-2021. Both honors required a site visit and review by chairpersons for those recognition agencies; and Lopez was once again highly rated. We are very proud of these accomplishments continue to demonstrate to our district and community that we are doing an excellent job providing a quality education for our students. Lopez staff is committed to the success of our students and work closely together as a team to provide rigorous educational experiences, counseling, and educational support.

The LHS schedule, credits, and graduation requirements reflect post-high school, 21st Century Skills, and career education. The career component is a graduation requirement, and a review of that project (known as CAPSTONE) finds that the students leaving Lopez are well prepared for post-secondary education, have qualifying job readiness skills, and a valid understanding of life after high school. LHS strives to improve our program each year by working to improve the educational experience and success rate of all of our students. In planning improvement areas for our school, LHS uses the WASC Self Reflection Action Plan, Model School application process, SPSA and site stakeholder teams, District and Board goals, and various student assessment data as guidelines for improvement areas.

Demographic information also shapes our decision making. The student population of any alternative high school tends to fluctuate. Approximately 225 students attend LHS in any given year, however the number of students served at any one given time is usually around 135 and the percentage of students who are low-income is always around 70+%. We use this information when planning and discussing with staff, parents, students, the school board and community collaborators, how to best meet the needs of our student population. We have adopted a School-Wide plan approach to the expenditure of federal and state dollars. This means that our whole school is considered Title I and all students benefit from anything that we do with our dollars. This plan represents a comprehensive reform strategy designed to improve the entire school and provide a unified approach to improving student achievement. In that way we believe we will better address the needs of every student here at LHS.

Lopez High School continues to implement Common Core Standards, as well as 21st Century Learning Skills. The school uses CAPSTONE to make sure that our students experience and practice the skills required in the 21st Century such as effective communication, complex thinking, self-directed learning, and collaboration. Core curriculum delivery models provide individualized instruction with frequent one-on-one and small-group student and teacher interaction to meet the needs of each student. Our class size average is 15:1. LHS students attend on a voluntary enrollment basis, and Lopez is open to any student in Lucia Mar Unified School District who is 16 years of age or older, or turning 16 within the quarter they apply. Our current demographic composition is 34% White, 62% Hispanic, and 2% American Indian, and 2% Multi-Ethnic. Instruction at LHS takes place during four traditional nine week quarters over the course of a school year. Students attend a core 3.75 hour session in the morning (8:00 to 11:45 AM) and are able to attend a PM intervention and/or elective session (12:15 - 2:45 PM) if needed. Another alternative offered is Lopez Independent Study. Students must be approved through an Alternative Education Panel and be on track to graduate, be able to work independently, have a positive school relationship, and show reason for needing an ISP placement.

All students attending Lopez High School must complete the district approved graduation requirements. Total number of credits needed to graduate from Lopez meets the same requirements as our partner comprehensive schools, however with a 25 credit decrease in electives. In lieu of those elective requirements, LHS students complete their CAPSTONE project, and some students do so through the Cuesta College Dual Enrollment Capstone Course. It is the goal of LHS to provide the support students need in order to experience success and meet those requirements. The school makes every effort to ensure that the curriculum is accessible to all students. Through our categorical funding, we have added support programs and staff to address the needs of students who are struggling academically or personally. For students who are struggling with language arts and mathematics, we have focus classes in reading, writing and mathematics with curriculum supporting remediation of basic skills. Small group tutoring is also available for students who need assistance in reaching grade level outcomes. English Language Learning support is specifically targeted to our identified students in all classes and staff have received training on strategies to support EL students to be successful in school.

Another service available is our Resource Specialist who provides support for students with Individual Education Plans (IEP's). Counseling services are considered critical because a high percentage of the students at Lopez are struggling with issues outside of school. Our full-time school counselor provides intensive personal, career, and academic counseling to students on a daily basis. We also have two additional counselors in place to help meet the emotional needs of our students. LHS employs additional counseling specialists, who works with students individually or in small groups throughout the week. Lopez High School also has the "Hands On Parenting Education" (HOPE) program on campus, which supports pregnant and parenting teens to remain in school and graduate through individualized instruction and parent education classes. The Community Actions Partners (CAP - formally EOC) provides childcare services and training. These services are provided for any district student, but the childcare, child development courses and case management team are housed on the LHS campus, where the majority of the district-wide pregnant and parenting teens attend classes.

It is truly a privilege to be part of this incredible team of professionals, teachers, and support staff. We have a strong offering of the core academic classes, as well as additional classes such as Link Crew, Digital Art, online Edgenuity courses, and collaborative classes with Hancock and Cuesta which help increase students' ownership of their own success. This staff continues to implement creative ideas and programs to benefit the Lopez High School student body. We work at making a difference in our students, but couldn't do it without the support of the parents and the community. We invite you to be involved in your student's education. We extend an open invitation to you to join us in a partnership for the benefit of our students who deserve the best we have to offer them. Visit, become a part of school site council or parent groups, attend the Parent Cafe's and Semester Awards Nights, schedule conferences, chaperone field trips, and make appointments with teachers, the counselor, or the principal. We want you to be and feel a part of the excellence of this high school.

Mission and Vision Statements:

Mission: Lopez High School will provide the opportunity for all students to become productive, successful members of society by challenging each to excel in academics, explore personal and career interests, and develop to his or her potential.

Vision: Lopez High School will continue to be creative and innovative as we strive to meet the educational needs of our alternative population. Our vision's focus lies within these 4 goals:

1. Increase Attendance Schoolwide
2. Increase Credit Completion & Learning
3. Increase the Graduation Rate
4. Expand Career and Workplace Readiness Opportunities and Skills

Our core belief is that all students can learn with appropriate instruction and intervention.

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
Grade 10	1
Grade 11	29
Grade 12	75
Total Enrollment	105

2018-19 Student Enrollment by Group

Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	1
Asian	1
Hispanic or Latino	57.1
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	1.9
White	38.1
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	82.9
English Learners	12.4
Students with Disabilities	21.9
Foster Youth	3.8
Homeless	27.6

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 Lopez High School	17-18	18-19	19-20
With Full Credential	11	13	13
Without Full Credential	0	0	0
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	0	0	0

Teacher Credentials for Lucia Mar Unified School District	17-18	18-19	19-20
With Full Credential	♦	♦	533
Without Full Credential	♦	♦	25
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	♦	♦	0

Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions at Lopez High 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)

Lucia Mar Unified School District held a public hearing Sept. 18, 2018, and determined each school within the District has sufficient and good-quality textbooks, instructional materials, or science lab equipment pursuant to the settlement of Williams v. the State of California. All students, including English Learners, are given their own individual Standard aligned textbooks or instructional materials, or both, in core subjects for use in the classroom and to take home. All textbooks and instructional materials used within the District are aligned with the California State Content Standards and Frameworks and have been approved by the Board of Education. Lucia Mar Unified School District follows the State's seven-year adoption cycle. Auxiliary materials, such as math manipulatives, trade books, and science kits, are also purchased to support the textbook adoption.

Textbooks and Instructional Materials

Year and month in which data were collected: 2018-2019

Core Curriculum Area	Textbooks and Instructional Materials/Year of Adoption
Reading/Language Arts	<p>McGraw-Hill - Reading Wonders (Grades K-6) Adopted in 2014</p> <p>Houghton Mifflin Harcourt - California Collections (Grades 7-12) Adopted in 2016</p> <p>BFW - Advanced Language and Composition (Grades PreAP 9-10) Adopted in 2016</p> <p>BFW - Advanced Literature and Composition (Grade 11) Adopted in 2014</p> <p>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0%</p>

Core Curriculum Area	Textbooks and Instructional Materials/Year of Adoption
Mathematics	<p>Pearson - Investigations (Grades K-5) Adopted in 2017</p> <p>Houghton Mifflin Harcourt - Big Ideas Math (Grades 6-11) Adopted in 2014/15</p> <p>Cengage - Precalculus with Limits (Grades 11-12) Adopted in 2019</p> <p>McGraw Hill - Core Plus Integrated Math (Grades 9-11) Adopted in 2015</p> <p>Wiley - Calculus Early Transcendentals Part AB (Grades AP 11-12) Adopted in 2014</p> <p>Pearson Prentice Hall - Calculus Graphical, Numerical, Algebraic Part CD (Grades AP 11-12) Adopted in 2008</p> <p>BFW - The Practice of Statistics (Grades AP 11-12) Adopted in 2016</p> <p>BFW - Statistical Reasoning in Sports (Grades 11-12) Adopted in 2016</p> <p>Cengage - Understanding Basic Statistics (Grades 11-12) Adopted in 2013</p> <p>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes</p> <p>Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0%</p>

Core Curriculum Area	Textbooks and Instructional Materials/Year of Adoption
Science	Macmillan/McGraw-Hill - California Science (Grades K-6) Adopted in 2008
	Holt - California Life Science (Grade 7) Adopted in 2007
	Holt/Houghton Mifflin Harcourt - California Physical Science (Grade 8) Adopted in 2007
	Glencoe - Life Science (Grade 9) Adopted in 2004
	Prentice Hall - Earth Science (Grade 9) Adopted in 2008
	Prentice Hall - Biology (Grade 9) Adopted in 2001
	Holt - Chemistry (Grade 10) Adopted in 2004
	Prentice Hall - Conceptual Physics (Grades 10-11) Adopted in 2002
	Houghton Mifflin - AP Chemistry (Grades 11-12) Adopted in 2002
	Pearson - AP Environmental Science (Grades 11-12) Adopted in 2008
	John Wiley & Sons - AP Physics (Grades 10-12) Adopted in 2006
	Pearson - AP Physics (Grades 10-12) Adopted in 2005
	Pearson - AP Biology (Grades 11-12) Adopted in 2011
	<p data-bbox="446 1270 1068 1297">The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes</p> <p data-bbox="446 1304 1068 1331">Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0%</p>

Core Curriculum Area	Textbooks and Instructional Materials/Year of Adoption
History-Social Science	<p>Harcourt - Reflections (Grades K-6) Adopted in 2007</p> <p>TCI - Ha! Medieval World & Beyond (Grade 7) Adopted in 2018</p> <p>TCI - Ha! US Through Industrialism (Grade 8) Adopted in 2018</p> <p>Pearson - World History (Grade 10) Adopted in 2018</p> <p>McGraw-Hill - Traditions and Encounters (Grades AP 10-11) Adopted in 2018</p> <p>Norton - AP US History "Give Me Liberty" (Grade AP 11) Adopted in 2018</p> <p>Cengage - Western Civilization AP Ed (Grade AP 11) Adopted in 2018</p> <p>Pearson - US History (Grade 11) Adopted in 2018</p> <p>Bedford, Freeman & Worth (BFW) - American Government: Stories of a Nation: For the AP (Grade AP 12) Adopted in 2019</p> <p>Pearson - Practical Research Planning and Designing (Grade AP 12) Adopted in 2014</p> <p>Pearson - Economics (Grade 12) Adopted in 2018</p> <p>TCi - Econ Alive! The Power to Choose (Grade 12) Adopted in 2010</p> <p>Pearson - American Government (Grade 12) Adopted in 2018</p> <p>Pearson - The Cultural Landscape-Intro to Human Geography (Grades 10-12) Adopted in 2018</p> <p>Worth Publishers - Psychology in Modules (Grades AP 11-12) Adopted in 2004</p> <p>Pearson-Prentice Hall - Psychology Main Ed. (Grades 9-12) Adopted in 2018</p> <p>HMH - Sociology (Grades 9-12) Adopted in 2018</p> <p>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0%</p>
Foreign Language	<p>HMH - Avancemos (Grades 7-12) Adopted in 2017</p> <p>HMH - Bien Dit (Grades 7-12) Adopted in 2017</p> <p>Dawn Sign Press - Signing Naturally (Grades 9-12) Adopted 2008</p> <p>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0%</p>

Core Curriculum Area	Textbooks and Instructional Materials/Year of Adoption
Health	Holt - Teen Health (Grade 7-8) Adopted in 2017 Pearson - Health (Grades 9-12) Adopted in 2017 The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0%

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

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements (Most Recent Year)

Lopez High School provides a safe, clean environment for learning. Built in 1997, Lopez High School is situated on five acres. The school buildings span 20,417 square feet, consisting of facilities for physical education, science, art, computers, and staff work. The facility strongly supports teaching and learning through its ample classroom and recreation space. The campus entrance was re-designed for site safety, and changes completed in Summer of 2017.

Lopez Continuation High School is a closed campus. Many people visit the campus to volunteer in the classroom and participate in school events. Parents and visitors are welcomed and required to check-in at the school office upon arrival and obtain a visitor’s badge; visitors are required to return to the school office upon departure. During lunch, breaks, and before and after school, adults supervise students and school grounds, such as the center and back yard area, to ensure a safe and orderly environment.

Safety concerns are the No. 1 priority of maintenance and operations. District maintenance supervisors are proactive and conduct inspections at school sites on a continual basis. Repairs necessary to keep the school in good repair and working order are completed in a timely manner. A work-order process is used to ensure efficient service and that emergency repairs are given the highest priority. A recent inspection by the fire department noted that Lopez High School has no violations or fix-it issues.

A team of custodians ensures classrooms, campus grounds, and restrooms are kept clean and safe. A scheduled maintenance program is administered by Lucia Mar Unified School District to ensure that all classrooms and facilities are well maintained and provide a suitable learning environment. A summary of these standards is available at the school office or at the District office.

School Facility Good Repair Status (Most Recent Year)
Year and month in which data were collected: 10/9/2019

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	Room 105: 13.) Stained ceiling tile
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	Good	
Overall Rating	Exemplary	

B. Pupil Outcomes

State Priority: Pupil Achievement

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

- **Statewide assessments** (i.e., California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress [CAASPP] System, which includes the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments for students in the general education population and the California Alternate Assessments [CAAs] for English language arts/literacy [ELA] and mathematics given in grades three through eight and grade eleven. Only eligible students may participate in the administration of the CAAs. CAAs items are aligned with alternate achievement standards, which are linked with the Common Core State Standards [CCSS] for students with the most significant cognitive disabilities); and
- The percentage of students who have successfully completed courses that satisfy the requirements for entrance to the University of California and the California State University, or career technical education sequences or programs of study

CAASPP Test Results in ELA and Mathematics for All Students

Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard

Subject	School 17-18	School 18-19	District 17-18	District 18-19	State 17-18	State 18-19
ELA	16	18	54	56	50	50
Math	1	0	39	42	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.

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	60	51	85.00	17.65
Male	36	32	88.89	9.38
Female	24	19	79.17	31.58
Hispanic or Latino	32	28	87.50	7.14
White	24	19	79.17	26.32
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	47	39	82.98	12.82
English Learners	11	9	81.82	0.00
Students with Disabilities	--	--	--	--
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	--	--	--	--
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.

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
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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.

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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	54	45	83.33	0.00
Male	31	27	87.10	0.00
Female	23	18	78.26	0.00
Hispanic or Latino	30	26	86.67	0.00
White	20	15	75.00	0.00
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	43	35	81.40	0.00
English Learners	--	--	--	--
Students with Disabilities	--	--	--	--
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	--	--	--	--
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.

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.

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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)

Lopez continues to look for ways to include parents in the Lopez community. Each year, more parents are becoming involved with our new Parent Cafe, Awards Nights, School Site Council, and other special events. Lopez hosts a pre-Back-to School Night where we invite families out before the start of the new year for dinner, to welcome new students, go over school guidelines and expectations, invite families to access HomeLink, take a school tour, and just socialize and get to know our community. The Lopez Awards Nights recognize students for the positive impact they have in their classes, for improvement in areas of their focus, and for their contributions to the school community. LHS also hosts a Senior Scholarship night with our community partners and families. We have upgraded and are active on Facebook and Instagram. Our website is updated daily, so parents can check out the website for important information on a regular basis. Community members, parents and stakeholders participate in CAPSTONE presentation days where they can witness the results of the hard work of our students. Parents are also invited to a welcome orientation once their student is accepted to the Lopez community.

Parents who wish to volunteer or participate in Lopez High School's committees and school activities may contact Jennifer Bowen at: jennifer.bowen@lmusd.org or (805) 474-3750.

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

The Comprehensive Safe School Plan was developed by the District to comply with Senate Bill 187 (SB 187) of 1997. The Plan provides students and staff a means of ensuring a safe and orderly learning environment. Each school includes the following requirements of SB 187 within their Safe School Plans: current status of school crime; child abuse reporting procedures; disaster procedures, both routine and emergency; policies related to suspension and expulsion; notification to teachers; sexual harassment policy; provision of a schoolwide dress code; safe ingress and egress of pupils, parents, and school employees; safe and orderly school environment; and school rules and procedures.

The school evaluates the plan annually and updates it as needed. Safety procedures, including elements of the Safe School Plan, are reviewed with school and District staff in the fall, at the start of each school year. The Injury, Illness & Prevention Plan was last updated and reviewed with school staff in October 2017.

Suspensions and Expulsions for the School	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Suspensions Rate	5.9	10.1	6.6
Expulsions Rate	0.0	1.1	1.1

Suspensions and Expulsions for the District	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Suspensions Rate	3.2	2.6	3.7
Expulsions Rate	0.2	0.2	0.3

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*	105.0

* 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.

Student Support Services Staff (School Year 2018-19)

Title	Number of Full-Time Equivalent (FTE)
Counselor (Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	1.0
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	
Psychologist	.2
Social Worker	
Nurse	.2
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	
Other	

* 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 (Secondary)

Subject	2016-17 Average Class Size	2016-17 # of Classes* Size 1-22	2016-17 # of Classes* Size 23-32	2016-17 # of Classes* Size 33+	2017-18 Average Class Size	2017-18 # of Classes* Size 1-22	2017-18 # of Classes* Size 23-32	2017-18 # of Classes* Size 33+	2018-19 Average Class Size	2018-19 # of Classes* Size 1-22	2018-19 # of Classes* Size 23-32	2018-19 # of Classes* Size 33+
English	7	21			8	17			8	14		
Mathematics	8	7			8	9			8	9		
Science	5	9			10	5			8	7		
Social Science	6	16			8	17			7	17		

* 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.

Professional Development provided for Teachers

Measure	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	38 hrs	38 hrs	34 hrs

Lucia Mar invests time and resources to ongoing, district-wide staff development in key initiative areas aligned to district goals to increase student achievement and support school improvement. Each school year our professional development focused on California Common Core State Standards, 21st Century Skills, English Learners, and best practices in using technology for instruction/ assessment.

Professional development opportunities are provided in a variety of ways — one district-wide staff development day, weekly early out Fridays, staff meetings, release time, Saturday trainings, and summer institutes. Over the last three years, teachers have received at least 24 days of professional development in each school.

In the 14-15 school year LMUSD created a research driven professional development model. Many school sites have a Late Start Monday, an Instructional Leadership Team comprised of teachers and administrators, and Teacher Support TOSAs. At LHS we utilize an early out Friday because of transportation and attendance issues for LSM's. The combination of the regular PD resulted in high quality professional development.

FY 2017-18 Teacher and Administrative Salaries

Category	District Amount	State Average for Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$47,266	\$51,374
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$67,698	\$80,151
Highest Teacher Salary	\$91,798	\$100,143
Average Principal Salary (ES)	\$114,740	\$126,896
Average Principal Salary (MS)	\$114,838	\$133,668
Average Principal Salary (HS)	\$128,579	\$143,746
Superintendent Salary	\$209,725	\$245,810

Percent of District Budget	District Amount	State Average for Districts In Same Category
Teacher Salaries	37%	35%
Administrative Salaries	6%	5%

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

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

Level	Total	Restricted	Unrestricted	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	8849.90	553.15	8296.75	67694.17
District	N/A	N/A	100	\$68,618.00
State	N/A	N/A	\$7,506.64	\$82,031.00

Percent Differences	Unrestricted	Average Teacher Salary
School Site/District	195.2	1.3
School Site/ State	-37.7	-16.2

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

The California Department of Education issued guidance to LEAs on August 1, 2018, regarding how to calculate school-level per-pupil expenditures that will be reported on 2018-19 report cards.

Types of Services Funded

Lucia Mar offers a comprehensive range of programs and services to support student learning. A strong core curriculum is taught by highly qualified teachers. Student learning is monitored closely. Proficient and advanced students are challenged to master skills at the highest levels. Students not yet proficient are supported with additional time and instructional support. Academic support is provided during the school day and after school. Social and emotional support is provided to eliminate barriers to academic success.

Academic support services:

- Standards-based instructional materials
- New teacher support
- Staff development
- Intervention programs
- Intensive instructional services
- English language development
- Title I, Response to Intervention
- Students with disabilities
- After school programs

Social and emotional support services:

- Counseling support
- Intensive counseling services
- Mental Health early prevention
- Safe Schools
- Referrals to Community Agencies

Comprehensive academic and social support services enable Lucia Mar students to achieve at high levels in school and life.

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

Rate for Lopez High School	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Dropout Rate	21.3	19.1	4.3
Graduation Rate	60	62.9	80

Rate for Lucia Mar Unified School	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Dropout Rate	4.2	4.1	3.6
Graduation Rate	93.1	91.2	92.7

Rate for California	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Dropout Rate	9.7	9.1	9.6
Graduation Rate	83.8	82.7	83

For the formula to calculate the 2016-17 and 2017-18 adjusted cohort graduation rate, see the 2018-19 Data Element Definitions document located on the SARC web page at <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/>.

Career Technical Education Participation

Measure	CTE Program Participation
Number of pupils participating in CTE	0
% of pupils completing a CTE program and earning a high school diploma	N/A
% of CTE courses sequenced or articulated between the school and institutions of postsecondary education	44.00%

Career Technical Education Programs

The Board of Education realized that students have varying academic interests and aptitudes, and that they need to be better prepared for options other than a four-year university directly from high school, particularly in light of the rapidly changing workforce technology and employment environments in many industry sectors. Therefore, the Board of Education sought to support Programs of Study to ensure that all students graduating from the Lucia Mar Unified School District have the preparation necessary for success in any post-secondary pursuit, whether it is university studies, technical training, workforce placement, military enlistment, or service as a community volunteer.

As vocational education evolved in the 21st century, it became known as Career Technical Education (CTE). Business owners, trade union leaders and educators came together to change how occupational and technical subject matter were delivered in high school, college and technical training environments. This resulted in the need to develop robust and rigorous curriculum provided in a cyclical continuum that engages participants in the most common tasks and skills required in a broad umbrella of employment opportunities within a specific industry sector. High School Career Pathways provide the first two to three years of instruction and skill development in this scenario.

Courses for University of California (UC) and/or California State University (CSU) Admission

UC/CSU Course Measure	Percent
2018-19 Pupils Enrolled in Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	3.81
2017-18 Graduates Who Completed All Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	0

2018-19 Advanced Placement Courses

Subject	Number of AP Courses Offered*	Percent of Students In AP Courses
Computer Science		N/A
English		N/A
Fine and Performing Arts		N/A
Foreign Language		N/A
Mathematics		N/A
Science		N/A
Social Science		N/A
All courses		

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

*Where there are student course enrollments of at least one student.

Pathway programs in LMUSD are designed so that students are able to gain at least one industry certification, or equivalent skill measurement, to provide a competitive advantage in the job market. Additionally, curriculum will coincide with community college career certificate and associate degree programs in same/similar industry areas and in some cases allow students to earn college credit for their coursework while still in high school. This will shorten the time it takes students to earn post-secondary degrees/certificates and enter the skilled workforce. The California Department of Education gives guidance for the design of model CTE programs in their plan for Career Technical Education, which was adopted by the State Board of Education in 2008.

The same quality program indicators were taken into consideration during the development of career pathway programs of study for LMUSD. Specifically, the focus of pathway preparation has been on assessing current programs and facilities, establishing relationships with industry members and assembling advisory committees for new programs, reviewing and developing curriculum, reviewing instructor training needs, determining outreach/communication needs, and researching funding options for new and existing pathway programs.

The Director of CTE provides direct support to instructors, pathway programs, and site administration in the areas of curriculum, facility and equipment, postsecondary alignment, industry partnerships, and overall pathway focus. CTE teachers participate in professional development to stay up to date with changes in industry by attending workshops, conferences, and other training opportunities. Additionally, CTE instructors focus on pathway development and philosophy, which include California State CTE Frameworks and model standards, as well as funding legislation that affects the structural make up of CTE programs. This baseline of CTE supports has continued to improve annually in the support of current programs that are functioning well, retooling programs that have minor areas of weakness, building out viable pathways from programs that currently function as a single course, and establish new programs where programs do not exist but there is a regional workforce need.

Several CTE programs participate in Career Technical Student Organization (CTSO) activities and competitions through the Future Farmers of America (FFA), SkillsUSA, and HOSA. The Culinary Arts, Agriculture, Design, Visual, Media Arts, and Animation programs have all had regional contest student winners, who competed in the various categories at the state level. Industry recognized certifications include CPR, First Aid, Food Handlers, Serv Safe, Adobe, and CAD. Students also have the opportunity to earn college credit toward a degree within their field of study and some pathways offering multiple college courses. Additionally, students are able to build resumes and portfolios with unique projects that demonstrate their level of expertise with industry desired skills. Through continually expanding internship programs available in various pathways, students are able to gain real world experience within their field of study that often times leads to employment.

ARROYO GRANDE HIGH SCHOOL

- Ag Mechanics
- Animal Science
- Architecture & Engineering
- Automotive Technology
- Hospitality & Tourism / Culinary
- Ornamental Horticulture
- Design, Visual & Media Arts
- Sports Medicine / Patient Care
- Technical Theater
- Professional Theater
- Criminal Justice / Public Safety
- Product Innovation & Design

NIPOMO HIGH SCHOOL

- Ag Mechanics
- Animal Science
- Criminal Justice / Public Safety
- Sports Medicine / Patient Care
- Product Innovation & Design
- Ornamental Horticulture
- Agri-Science
- Design, Visual & Media Arts
- Professional Theater

CENTRAL COAST NEW TECH HIGH

- Software & Systems Development
- Design, Visual & Media Arts
- Entrepreneurship
- Engineering

Addressing the CTE needs of all students

All ninth-grade students have the opportunity to take a "Tech Seminar" class and meet with career counselors where they identify personal interests, explore career options, develop academic plans, and learn about post-secondary educational and training opportunities. Students may develop advanced skills and receive industry-standard training by participating in the various vocational/technical courses at all sites. These courses prepare students for future college coursework and entry-level job opportunities.

Evaluating CTE Programs

Each CTE Pathway maintains an active business advisory committee that evaluates the program. In addition, school and district administrators monitor the program and instructors effectiveness on an annual basis. All CTE Pathways require a two- or three-course articulated curriculum that will meet job market expectations providing students with a minimum of 300 hours of industry specific curriculum aligned to both post-secondary education options and high demand, high wage careers.

CTE Career preparation CTE courses offered at Arroyo Grande High School include:

- Ag Biology
- Animal Science
- Animal Anatomy and Physiology
- Floral Design
- Environmental Horticulture
- Advanced Floral Design
- Ag Mechanics I
- Ag Mechanics II
- Ag Mechanics III
- Intro to Architecture and Engineering
- CAD
- Architecture Design
- Automotive Tech
- Advanced Auto Tech
- Intro Culinary Arts
- Advanced Culinary Arts
- Digital Foundations
- Creative Media Arts
- Advanced Media Arts
- Intro to Medicine
- Sports Medicine
- Clinical Practicum
- Intro to Product Design
- Product Development and Marketing
- Criminology & Abnormal Psychology
- Criminal Justice
- Intro to Theater
- Professional Theater
- Advanced Professional Theater
- Technical Theater
- Advanced Technical Theater

CTE Career preparation courses offered at Nipomo High School include:

- Ag Mechanics I
- Ag Mechanics II
- Ag Mechanics III/IV
- Sustainable Ag Biology
- Environmental Horticulture
- Floral
- Animal Science
- Animal Anatomy & Physiology
- Ag & Soil Chemistry
- Adv Interdisciplinary Science for Sustainable Ag
- Intro to Public Safety
- Criminology & Abnormal Psychology
- Intro to Product Design
- Product Development and Marketing
- Intro to Medicine
- Sports Medicine
- Clinical Practicum
- Professional Theater
- Advanced Professional Theater

- Creative Media Arts
- Advanced Media Arts

CTE Career preparation courses offered at Central Coast New Tech High School include:

- Computer Science
- Program and Game Design
- Advanced Computer Science
- Digital Foundations
- Creative Media Arts
- Advanced Media Arts
- Physics Universe
- Advanced Physics & Engineering
- Entrepreneurship
- Advanced Entrepreneurship

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.