



Murrieta Canyon Academy

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School Description

Murrieta Canyon Academy is an alternative education school serving approximately 300 students in grades K through 12. The school offers a K-12 independent study program with a tiered attendance program that offers flexibility to students at the elementary, middle and high school level. There is also a daily program for 9th through 12th grade students who need remediation and a smaller classroom environment. Co-enrollment opportunities are also available to students at the district's comprehensive school sites. The academically challenging program is delivered in an environment that is small, personal, creative, and caring for students seeking a flexible, learner-centered, competency driven education within a standards-based program.

Students have the opportunity to co-enroll in rigorous classes including Advanced Placement, Dual Enrollment, International Baccalaureate and Career Training Education (CTE) classes. Students can also participate in the performing arts programs and competitive athletics at the comprehensive high schools. With on-line courses, students with varying levels of readiness are able to work at their own pace.

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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 and access to prior year reports, 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 the LCAP, see the CDE LCFF webpage 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.

2019-20 Student Enrollment by Grade Level

Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	1
Grade 4	1
Grade 5	1
Grade 6	3
Grade 7	2
Grade 8	5
Grade 9	17
Grade 10	20
Grade 11	71
Grade 12	113
Total Enrollment	234

2019-20 Student Enrollment by Group

Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	5.1
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.9
Asian	1.7
Filipino	1.7
Hispanic or Latino	34.6
White	47
Two or More Races	8.1
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	44.4
English Learners	3.4
Students with Disabilities	15.8
Foster Youth	1.7
Homeless	3.4

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 Murrieta Canyon	18-19	19-20	20-21
With Full Credential	10	17	17
Without Full Credential	0	0	0
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	7	0	0

Teacher Credentials for Murrieta Valley	18-19	19-20	20-21
With Full Credential	♦	♦	977
Without Full Credential	♦	♦	16
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	♦	♦	0

Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions at Murrieta Canyon Academy

Indicator	18-19	19-20	20-21
Teachers of English Learners	0	0	0
Total Teacher Misassignments*	7	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 2020-21)

All textbooks used in MVUSD are aligned with the State of California's standards and curriculum frameworks, they are field tested with students, and reviewed by administrators, teachers and parents before being adopted by the Board of Education.

Textbooks and Instructional Materials

Year and month in which data were collected: September 2020

Core Curriculum Area	Textbooks and Instructional Materials/Year of Adoption
<p>Reading/Language Arts</p>	<p>Odysseyware (Online) since 2016: Middle School Language I (6th grade) Middle School Language II (7th grade) Middle School Language III (8th grade)</p> <p>APEX Learning Comprehensive Courses (Online) since 2012: English 9 (Common Core) English 10 (Common Core) English 11 (Common Core) English 12 (Common Core) Creative Writing</p> <p>myPerspectives Grade 9 (Pearson) Adopted 2020 myPerspectives Grade 10 (Pearson) Adopted 2020 myPerspectives Grade 11 (Pearson) Adopted 2020 The Bedford Reader (Bedford/St. Martins) Adopted 2005 CSU Expository Reading and Writing Grade 12 (CSU) Adopted 2012 Bedford Handbook (Bedford/ St. Martin's) Adopted 2016 Outliers Adopted 2016 READ 180 Universal Stage C (Houghton Mifflin) Adopted 2018 English 3D Course C (Houghton Mifflin) Adopted 2019</p> <p>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0</p>
<p>Mathematics</p>	<p>Odysseyware (Online) since 2016: Middle School Grade 6 Math Middle School Grade 7 Math Pre-Algebra Geometry</p> <p>APEX Learning Comprehensive Courses (Online) since 2012: Algebra I (Common Core) Geometry (Common Core) Algebra II (Common Core) Mathematics I (Common Core) Mathematics II (Common Core) Mathematics III (Common Core) Pre-calculus</p> <p>enVision Integrated Mathematics I (Pearson) Adopted 2019 enVision Integrated Mathematics II (Pearson) Adopted 2019 enVision Integrated Mathematics III (Pearson) Adopted 2019 Pre-calculus (Houghton Mifflin) Adopted 2011 Financial Algebra (Cengage) Adopted 2015 Beginning Algebra with Applications (Houghton Mifflin) Adopted 2010 Intermediate Algebra (Pearson) Adopted 2016 Mathematical Reasoning with Connections (CSU) Adopted 2018</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
Science	<p>Odysseyware (Online) since 2016: Middle School Comprehensive Science I Middle School Comprehensive Science II Middle School Comprehensive Science III</p> <p>APEX Learning Comprehensive Courses (Online) since 2012: Earth Science Biology Chemistry Psychology</p> <p>Earth Science {Ca} (Pearson) Adopted 2005 Life Science (Glencoe) Adopted 2008 Life on an Ocean Planet (Current) Adopted 2008 Living in the Environment (Thompson) Adopted 2008 Environmental Science</p> <p>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0</p>
History-Social Science	<p>FLVS Global (Online) since 2013: Middle School Social Studies (Civics) Middle School Social Studies (World History) Middle School Social Studies (U.S. History)</p> <p>APEX Learning Comprehensive Courses (Online) since 2012: World History U.S. History U.S. Government and Politics</p> <p>Modern World History: Patterns of Interaction {Ca} (McDougal Littell) Adopted 2006 America’s Journey: Continuity and Change in the 20th Century {Ca} (Prentice Hall) Adopted 2006 Magruder’s American Government {Ca} (Prentice Hall) Adopted 2006 Economics: Principles in Action {Ca} (Prentice Hall) Adopted 2006</p> <p>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0</p>
Foreign Language	<p>APEX Learning Comprehensive Courses (Online) since 2012: En Espanol 1 (McDougal Littell) Adopted 2000 En Espanol 2 (McDougal Littell) Adopted 2000 En Espanol 3 (McDougal Littell) Adopted 2000</p> <p>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0</p>
Health	<p>APEX Learning Comprehensive Courses (Online) since 2012: Skills for Health Physical Education</p> <p>Odysseyware (Online) since 2016: Middle School PE 6/7 Middle School PE 7/8</p> <p>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0</p>
Visual and Performing Arts	<p>APEX Learning Comprehensive Courses (Online) since 2012: Art Appreciation</p> <p>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0</p>

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

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements (Most Recent Year)

Murrieta Canyon Academy originally opened in 1997 as Creekside High School and the school name was changed in July, 2016. The campus has 14 classrooms, a computer lab, a food lounge, basketball courts, a library, administrative offices, and a staff lounge. There is ample space on campus for the number of students enrolled in the program.

The district provides upkeep, maintenance, and cleaning of district schools. Schools and rest rooms are cleaned daily, and the principal works with the custodial staff to ensure a clean and safe school. District maintenance staff maintains landscaping on a regular weekly schedule. Corrective and preventative maintenance is scheduled on a routine basis to keep the school in good repair and in working order. Work order requests assigned through a computerized work order system ensure that emergency repairs are given the highest priority.

School Facility Good Repair Status (Most Recent Year)

Using the **most recently collected** FIT data (or equivalent), provide the following:

- Determination of repair status for systems listed
- Description of any needed maintenance to ensure good repair
- The year and month in which the data were collected
- The rate for each system inspected
- The overall rating

Year and month in which data were collected: July 16, 2020

System Inspected	Repair Status	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	Good	No apparent problems.
Interior: Interior Surfaces	Good	No apparent problems.
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/ Vermin Infestation	Good	No apparent problems.
Electrical: Electrical	Good	No apparent problems.
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	Good	No apparent problems.
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	Good	No apparent problems.
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	Good	Minor repairs completed through work order system
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	Good	Minor repairs completed under work order system
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 18-19	School 19-20	District 18-19	District 19-20	State 18-19	State 19-20
ELA	45	N/A	64	N/A	50	N/A
Math	14	N/A	52	N/A	39	N/A

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

Note: The 2019-2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the requirement for statewide testing for the 2019-2020 school year.

Note: Percentages are not calculated when the number of students tested is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

Note: ELA and mathematics test results include the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment and the CAA. The "Percent Met or Exceeded" is calculated by taking the total number of students who met or exceeded the standard on the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment plus the total number of students who met the standard (i.e., achieved Level 3-Alternate) on the CAAs divided by the total number of students who participated in both assessments.

CAASPP Test Results in Science for All Students

Grades Five, Eight, and High School

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard

Subject	School 18-19	School 19-20	District 18-19	District 19-20	State 18-19	State 19-20
Science	10	N/A	39	N/A	30	N/A

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

Note: The 2019-2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the requirement for statewide testing for the 2019-2020 school year.

Note: The new California Science Test (CAST) was first administered operationally in the 2018-2019 school year.

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 areas of physical education.

2019-20 Percent of Students Meeting Fitness Standards

Grade Level	4 of 6	5 of 6	6 of 6
5	N/A	N/A	N/A
7	N/A	N/A	N/A
9	N/A	N/A	N/A

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

Note: The 2019-2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-56-20 was issued which waived the requirement to administer the physical fitness performance test for the 2019-2020 school year.

CAASPP Test Results in Science by Student Group
Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven (School Year 2019-2020)

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	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
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	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
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	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
Foster Youth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Homeless	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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

Note: The 2019-2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the requirement for statewide testing for the 2019-2020 school year.

CAASPP Test Results in ELA by Student Group
Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven (School Year 2019-2020)

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	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
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	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
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	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
Foster Youth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Homeless	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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

Note: The 2019-2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the requirement for statewide testing for the 2019-2020 school year.

CAASPP Test Results in Mathematics by Student Group
Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven (School Year 2019-2020)

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	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
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	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
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	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
Foster Youth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Homeless	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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

Note: The 2019-2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the requirement for statewide testing for the 2019-2020 school year.

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 2020-21)

Parent involvement is encouraged through the School Site Council and participation in the WASC accreditation process. Teachers reach out to parents on a regular basis via phone, e-mail, or in person. Murrieta Canyon Academy is a smaller academic community, parents have access to teachers, counselor and administrator on a regular basis to discuss their child's academic progress, health concerns, post-high school plans and any other concerns or issues.

MVUSD continues to be deliberate in its efforts to engage parents of diverse backgrounds and to obtain feedback regarding each student's academic journey, emotional supports and engagement within their school site. MVUSD parents are invaluable partners and each parent group is comprised of dedicated parents who are steadfast in promoting strategic efforts to support student learning and college/career readiness. Group opportunities for parents are; Action Team Partnership (ATP), African American Parent Advisory Council (AAPAC), Latino Parent Advisory Council (LPAC), District English Learner Advisory Council (DELAC) and Special Education Parent Advisory Council (SEPAC). Additionally, our school sites offer a variety student and parent groups including: School Site Council (SSC), English Learner Advisory Council (ELAC), principal/student advisory groups, PTA/PTSA/PTO and staff leadership teams.

As a result of our parent advisory councils' feedback, MVUSD offered a district-wide event to promote assistance with mathematics, English, technology programs and social emotional supports. In addition, school sites engage parents through a variety of programs and events including: School Site Councils, and parent nights.

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 (School Year 2020-2021)

School safety is a high priority at Murrieta Canyon Academy. Administrators, teachers, and aides monitor the campus, supervise the students, and ensure a safe learning environment. School resource officers are available to respond to the school if assistance is needed. MCA is a closed campus that is fully fenced. Visitors and volunteers must report to the office for permission to be on campus. We utilize the Raptor Visitor Management System to monitor parent volunteers on campus to ensure all volunteers are screened against California's Megan's Law database as well as all 50 states' sex offender databases. Video surveillance cameras across our campus are a deterrent to trespassers, vandalism and other illegal activities. They also help administrators with discipline issues and help with the investigation of any crimes that occur on campus during the school day or after school hours, making our school safer and more secure.

The district has a strictly enforced anti-discrimination policy that prohibits harassment of students or staff based on race, gender, disability, religion, or sexual orientation.

To prepare for emergencies, evacuation drills are conducted regularly throughout the school year, and our school actively participates in the statewide Great Shakeout. In addition, our school has an Emergency and Disaster Preparedness Plan that aligns with the federal NIMS emergency system. The plan specifies procedures for dealing with fire, flood, earthquakes, lock downs, hazardous materials, disaster recovery organization, and student accountability following a disaster. In the event of an emergency or urgent situation, our school uses a computerized calling system through Aeries Communication, to immediately notify all families of an emergency via email, phone call, text and app alerts.

Suspensions and Expulsions

(data collected between July through June, each full school year respectively)

Rate	School 2017-18	School 2018-19	District 2017-18	District 2018-19	State 2017-18	State 2018-19
Suspensions	5.0	8.0	1.7	1.5	3.5	3.5
Expulsions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1

Suspensions and Expulsions for School Year 2019-2020 Only

(data collected between July through February, partial school year due to the COVID-19 pandemic)

Rate	School 2019-20	District 2019-20	State 2019-20
Suspensions	2.26	1.27	2.5
Expulsions	0.45	.02	0.1

Note: The 2019-2020 suspensions and expulsions rate data are not comparable to prior year data because the 2019-2020 school year is a partial school year due to the COVID-19 crisis. As such, it would be inappropriate to make any comparisons in rates of suspensions and expulsions in the 2019-2020 school year compared to prior years.

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 Pupils to Academic Counselor (School Year 2019-2020)

Title	Ratio
Academic Counselor*	117

*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 2019-2020)

Title	Number of Full-Time Equivalent (FTE)
Counselor (Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	2
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	
Psychologist	
Social Worker	
Nurse	
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	
Other	1.3

*One Full Time Equivalent (FTE) equals one staff member working full time; one FTE could also represent two staff members who each work 50 percent of full time.

Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Elementary)

Grade Level	2017-18	2017-18	2017-18	2017-18	2018-19	2018-19	2018-19	2018-19	2019-20	2019-20	2019-20	2019-20
	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+
K									1	1		
4									1	1		
5									1	2		
6									1	6		
Other**												

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

** "Other" category is for multi-grade level classes.

Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Secondary)

Subject	2017-18	2017-18	2017-18	2017-18	2018-19	2018-19	2018-19	2018-19	2019-20	2019-20	2019-20	2019-20
	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+
English	4	65	1		4	74	2	1	6	46		
Mathematics	4	42	1		6	39	2		7	30	1	
Science	4	44	1		5	41	2		4	40	1	
Social Science	5	61	1		6	53	2	2	6	39	2	

*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 (Most Recent Three Years)

Measure	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	3	3	5

During the 2019-2020 school year, Murrieta Valley USD continued to provide professional development to support teachers and staff in delivering high quality learning for our students. During the spring closure for schools, district employees were offered a week-long professional development series focused on virtual learning skills and resources. All trainings centered around engagement strategies and 21st Century digital skills necessary to instruct students virtually. In addition, ongoing asynchronous and weekly live trainings were offered throughout the year to all staff.

As MVUSD prepared to strengthen teachers' online instructional pedagogy for the 2020-21 school year, teachers and administrators were provided access to the Leading-Edge Certification program, which is a 30-hour online course in robust virtual learning skills and strategies. During the summer, MVUSD provided opportunities for teachers to prepare for the upcoming school year focused on providing quality virtual instruction and mitigating learning loss for students in a virtual environment. Additionally, the student calendar was adjusted to move two professional development days to the beginning of the school year for intensive training on the implementation of our new learning management system (Canvas). All teachers take part in monthly virtual staff meetings that are used for training, community building, and communication.

New teachers are provided support and the opportunity to clear their credential through the district's Teacher Induction Program, which takes them through a rigorous and reflective learning process with the help of a mentor teacher. All teachers who are new to the district also receive three days of training to learn about key focus areas, as well as district expectations and procedures.

FY 2018-19 Teacher and Administrative Salaries

Category	District Amount	State Average for Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$47,792	\$50,029
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$79,140	\$77,680
Highest Teacher Salary	\$111,153	\$102,143
Average Principal Salary (ES)	\$129,656	\$128,526
Average Principal Salary (MS)	\$135,343	\$133,574
Average Principal Salary (HS)	\$152,791	\$147,006
Superintendent Salary	\$246,000	\$284,736

Percent of District Budget	District Amount	State Average for Districts In Same Category
Teacher Salaries	40.0	33.0
Administrative Salaries	5.0	5.0

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

Types of Services Funded

The district provides a wide array of programs to meet the needs of our diverse student body. This includes programs to identify and support students and their families through times of crisis and stress. A health technician, nurse, and psychologist are also available to meet with students and their families virtually and by appointment in-person.

The district provides a full-time counselor to our school to support social-emotional and academic success. Counselors teach guidance lessons and facilitate small groups on social skills, anger management, grief, and loss and provide support to military-connected students. They also provide individual responsive services, interventions, and referrals on an as-needed basis. During distance learning, our counselors have provided virtual "Counseling Corner", videos and office hours to assist students, families, and staff in need.

24/7 tutoring was implemented through Paper.co for all students in grades 4-12. This online 24/7 service is free to students, in lieu of in-person homework clubs, and before/after-school tutoring programs. Extended learning opportunities during the summer break continues to provide additional support for students who need assistance with basic curriculum.

State Priority: Pupil Engagement

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)

Rate for Murrieta Canyon Academy	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Dropout Rate	4.8	7.2	5.2
Graduation Rate	75.8	81.2	76.5

Rate for Murrieta Valley Unified School	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Dropout Rate	0.3	0.9	0.7
Graduation Rate	96.2	97	96.4

FY 2018-19 Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries

Level	Total	Restricted	Unrestricted	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$13,200	\$1,506	\$11,693	\$89,018
District	N/A	N/A	\$7,921	\$88,700
State	N/A	N/A	\$7,750	\$83,052

Percent Differences	Unrestricted	Average Teacher Salary
School Site/District	38.5	0.4
School Site/ State	40.6	6.9

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

Rate for California	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Dropout Rate	9.1	9.6	9
Graduation Rate	82.7	83	84.5

Career Technical Education Participation

Measure	CTE Program Participation
Number of pupils participating in CTE	28
% of pupils completing a CTE program and earning a high school diploma	
% of CTE courses sequenced or articulated between the school and institutions of postsecondary education	

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	86.86
2017-18 Graduates Who Completed All Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	15.7

2019-20 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		

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

Career Technical Education Programs

Our graduates are prepared to enter the workforce based on their completion of a rigorous curriculum of core academic subjects along with 40 hours of community service. Community service teaches students the importance of volunteer work and provides them opportunity to explore different career paths. Through the comprehensive high schools in our district, Career Training Education (CTE) offers programs to train students to enter the work force as a skilled worker. These course credits go towards graduation requirements in the appropriate subject area. The flexibility of our program allows Murrieta Canyon Academy students to easily access these CTE courses at the various times they are offered at the district comprehensive high schools.

All students are required to complete a senior culminating project during their senior year. This process starts with a career inventory in ninth grade and in tenth grade students continue their Individualized Learning Plan through one-on-one sessions with their counselor. In their junior year, each student must write a reflective essay that is scored with a common district rubric. This process culminates with the senior exit presentation. Each senior student must successfully complete the exit interview which is conducted before a select panel of staff and community members. The topic of this presentation style interview allows students to reflect on their high school experience and present their post high school plan.

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).

California School Dashboard

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