

## **SARC Information**

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 <a href="https://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/">https://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/</a>.
- For more information about the LCFF or the LCAP, see the CDE LCFF web page at <a href="https://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/lc/">https://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/lc/</a>.
- For additional information about the school, parents/ guardians and community members should contact the school principal or the district office.

#### **DataQuest**

DataQuest is an online data tool located on the CDE DataQuest web page at <u>https://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/</u> 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.

#### **Internet Access**

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#### School Mission Statement School Year 2023-2024

The mission of Vista Real Charter High School is to provide a student-centered, high-quality secondary education for all learners through a safe, supportive, trauma-informed community where students are encouraged to self-advocate, take control of their education, and explore new opportunities and skills in the pursuit of becoming contributing members of society.

In order to carry out this mission, Vista Real strives to equip students in this community with the educational skills necessary in the 21st century - the ability to read, write, speak, and calculate with clarity and precision and the ability to participate intelligently and responsibly in a global society. The school offers alternative educational avenues through which students can acquire the knowledge necessary to make a difference in their lives. A combination of site-based learning, independent study, and distance learning allow for flexibility and personalization of each student's educational experience.

The school provides a diverse, student-centered environment in which all learners are held to high academic and behavioral standards. Students work in collaborative relationships with a comprehensive team of educators, counselors, and support staff who work with them on a one-on-one basis to personalize their learning. Vista Real seeks to develop students who are competent, self-motivated, life-long learners. In order to accomplish this, the school emphasizes increased parental involvement, trauma informed care, attention to different learning styles, student-driven participation in the learning process, technology access, and choices in curriculum pathways.

Vista Real places a strong emphasis on parental involvement in the learning process. Parents/Guardians are viewed as an essential link in improving education; therefore, parents/ guardians are encouraged to participate through frequent communication with teachers, participation in school related functions, and attendance in school sponsored parent development workshops. By providing an avenue for meaningful parental involvement, Vista Real strives to bridge the gap between school and home. It is the hope of Vista Real that students will have a team of supporters both in and outside of school so that they witness first-hand their parents and teachers working together to make a difference in their education and their future.

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#### School Description and Profile School Year 2023-2024

Vista Real is a WASC accredited, public charter school that offers a personalized educational program for high school students/families who prefer an Independent Study model to meet their academic needs. Typical students are those who want an alternative to the local, public school systems and seek a program that allows them the flexibility to learn at their own pace. Most students come to Vista Real because they were unsuccessful in the traditional high school setting or they need a more personalized approach to education. Other students need the flexibility of an independent study model to meet family obligations such as work or caring for a child or they seek freedom from the social demands of a traditional high school. Regardless of the reason, the school offers a uniquely structured academic program, rigorously guided by the California Subject Area Content Standards that provides a challenging, yet highly individualized educational experience for students.

## **School Enrollment**

TABLE 4: STUDENT ENROLLMENT BY GRADE LEVELSCHOOL YEAR 2022-2023				
Grade Level	Number of Students			
Grade 9	467			
Grade 10	390			
Grade 11	354			
Grade 12	100			
Total Enrollment	1311			

#### TABLE 5: STUDENT ENROLLMENT BY STUDENT GROUP SCHOOL YEAR 2022-2023

Student Group	Percentage
Female	54%
Male	46%
Non-Binary	1%
American Indian or Alaska	0%
Asian	0%
Black or African American	1%
Filipino	0%
Hispanic or Latino	80%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0%
Two or More Races	2%
White	14%
English Learner	17%
Foster Youth	2%
Homeless	6%
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	82%
Students Receiving Migrant Ed	1%
Students with Disabilities	21%

## **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 Assignment**

The school recruits and employs qualified credentialed teachers who meet all credential requirements in accordance with State of California guidelines. This chart displays information about teacher credentials at the school.

Note: As an independent charter school, the school's program, resources, and administration are run independently from the sponsoring district, so there is no district data to report for comparison in this section.

TABLE 6: TEACHER PREPARATION AND PLACEMENT SCHOOL YEAR 2020-2021						
Authorization/Assignment	School Number School Percent		State Number	State Percent		
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)	81	94%	228,324	83.1%		
Intern Credentialed Holders Properly Assigned	1	1%	4,121	1.5%		
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments ("ineffective" under ESSA)	0	0%	11,265	4.1%		
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field ("out-of-field" under ESSA)	66	81%	12,089	4.4%		
Unknown	0	0%	2,747	1.0%		
Total Teaching Positions	86	100%	274,759	100%		

Note: The data in this table is based on Full Time Equivalent (FTE) status. One FTE equals one staff member working full time; one FTE could also represent two staff members who each work 50 percent of full time. Additionally, an assignment is defined as a position that an educator is assigned based on setting, subject, and grade level. An authorization is defined as the services that an educator is authorized to provide to students.

TABLE 7: TEACHER PREPARATION AND PLACEMENT SCHOOL YEAR 2021–2022							
Authorization/Assignment	School Number	School Percent	State Number	State Percent			
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)	80	95%	N/A	N/A			
Intern Credentialed Holders Properly Assigned	4	5%	N/A	N/A			
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments ("ineffective" under ESSA)	0	1%	N/A	N/A			
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field ("out-of-field" under ESSA)	67	84%	N/A	N/A			
Unknown	0	0%	N/A	N/A			
Total Teaching Positions	84	100%	N/A	N/A			

Note: The data in this table is based on FTE status. One FTE equals one staff member working full time; one FTE could also represent two staff members who each work 50 percent of full time. Additionally, an assignment is defined as a position that an educator is assigned based on setting, subject, and grade level. An authorization is defined as the services that an educator is authorized to provide to students.



#### **Teacher Misassignments & Vacancies**

Misassignments refers to the number of positions filled by teachers who lack legal authorization to teach that grade level, subject area, student group, etc. Teacher vacancies reflect the number of positions to which a single designated certificated employee has not been assigned at the beginning of the year for an entire semester or year.

TABLE 8: TEACHERS WITHOUT CREDENTIALS AND MISASSIGNMENTS (CONSIDERED "INEFFECTIVE" UNDER ESSA)						
Authorizations/Assignments2020-2021 Number2021-2022 Number						
Permits and Waivers	4	0				
Misassignments	2	3				
Vacant Positions	0	0				
Total Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments	6	1				

#### TABLE 9: CREDENTIALED TEACHERS ASSIGNED OUT-OF-FIELD (CONSIDERED "OUT-OF-FIELD" UNDER ESSA)

Indicator	2020-2021 Number	2021-2022 Number
Credentialed Teachers Authorized on a Permit or Waiver	0	0
Local Assignment Options	1216	1427
Total Out-of-Field Teachers	66	67

#### **TABLE 10: CLASS ASSIGNMENTS**

Indicator	2020-2021 Percent	2021-2022 Percent
Misassignments for English Learners (a percentage of all the classes with English learners taught by teachers that are misassigned)	100%	0%
No credential, permit or authorization to teach (a percent-age of all the classes taught by teachers with no record of an authorization to teach)	0%	1%

Note: For more information refer to the Updated Teacher Equity Definitions web page at <u>https://www.cde.ca.gov/pd/ee/</u> teacherequitydefinitions.asp.

## Textbooks & Instructional Materials School Year 2022-2023

The school determined that each student has sufficient and good quality textbooks, instructional materials, or science lab equipment pursuant to the settlement of Williams vs. the State of California.

All students, including English Learners, are given their own individual standards-aligned textbooks or instructional materials, or both, in core subjects, health, foreign languages, and visual and performing arts for use in the classroom and to take home.

The table displays information collected in November 2023 about the quality, currency, and availability of the standardsaligned textbooks and other instructional materials used at the school.

# TABLE 11: QUALITY, CURRENCY, AVAILABILITY OF TEXTBOOK AND OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS SCHOOL YEAR 2023-2024 / YEAR AND MONTH IN WHICH THE DATA WERE COLLECTED: NOVEMBER 2023

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/ year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percentage Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	9th - 12th – English/Language Arts - Houghton Mifflin/Harcourt	2021	0.00%
Mathematics	9th – Algebra 1 – Houghton Mifflin/Harcourt	2020	0.00%
	10th – Geometry - Houghton Mifflin/Harcourt	2020	
	11th – Algebra II - Houghton Mifflin/Harcourt	2020	
Science	9th – 10th – Earth Science - Houghton Mifflin/ Harcourt	2018	0.00%
	9th – 10th – Physics - Houghton Mifflin/ Harcourt	2020	
	10th – Biology - Houghton Mifflin/Harcourt	2018	
	11th – Chemistry - Houghton Mifflin/Harcourt	2020	
History-Social Science	10th – World History – Houghton Mifflin	2018	0.00%
	11th – American History – Houghton Mifflin	2018	
	12th - Economics - McGraw-Hill	2018	
	12th – Civics – McGraw-Hill	2018	
Foreign Language	9th - 12th Rosetta Stone – World Languages 9th – 12th Edmentum – World Languages 9th – 12th APEX – World Language 9th – 12th Foreign Language – Glencoe	2020 2012 2012 2005	0.00%
Health	N/A	N/A	0.00%
Visual and Performing Arts N/A		N/A	0.00%
Science Laboratory Equipment (grades 9-12)	N/A	N/A	0.00%

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

## School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements School Year 2023-2024

Vista Real Charter High School currently operates six resource centers in Ventura County. The original center is located in Oxnard and there are five satellite centers in Camarillo, Santa Paula, Simi Valley, Port Hueneme, and Ventura. All facilities are in safe and functioning condition. All sites meet city and state codes. Vista Real has recently updated the interior design and furniture of all sites to better meet students' learning needs. This includes expanding small group instruction spaces and introducing modular furniture to enhance learning experiences.

The chart below displays the results of the most recent facilities inspection at the school. Facilities information was collected in October 2023.

TABLE 13: SCHOOL FACILITY GOOD REPAIR STATUS   DATE OF LAST INSPECTION: OCTOBER 2023         OVERALL SUMMARY OF SCHOOL FACILITY CONDITIONS: EXEMPLARY DATA COLLECTED: OCTOBER 2023					
System Inspected	Rate Good	Rate Fair	Rate Poor	Deficiency & Remedial Actions Taken or Planned	
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	Х				
Interior: Interior Surfaces	Х				
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/ Vermin Infestation	Х				
Electrical: Electrical	Х				
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/Fountains	X				
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	Х				
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	X				
External: Playground/ School Grounds, Windows/Doors/ Gates/Fences	Х				



# **Overall Facility Rate • Year and month of the most recent inspection: October 2023**

	TABLE 14: OVERALL RATING							
Exemplary Good Fair Poor Deficiency & Remedial Actions Taken or Plann								
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## **Overall Summary of School Facility Conditions:** 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 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)

The CAASPP System encompasses the following assessments and student participation requirements:

- 1. Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments and CAAs for ELA in grades three through eight and grade eleven.
- 2. Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments and CAAs for Mathematics in grades three through eight and grade eleven.
- 3. **California Science Test (CAST) and CAAs for Science** in grades five, eight, and once in high school (i.e., grade ten, eleven, or twelve).

• **College and Career Ready:** 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.

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#### TABLE 15: CAASPP TEST RESULTS IN ELA AND MATHEMATICS FOR ALL STUDENTS GRADES THREE THROUGH EIGHT AND GRADE ELEVEN TAKING AND COMPLETING A STATE-ADMINISTERED ASSESSMENT

#### PERCENT OF STUDENTS MEETING OR EXCEEDING THE STATE STANDARD

Subject	School 2021- 2022	School 2022- 2023	State 2021- 2022	State 2022- 2023			
English Language Arts/Literacy (Grades 3-8 and 11)	34.80%	29.71%	47.06%	46.66%			
Mathematics (Grades 3-8 and 11)	6.82%	3.99%	33.38%	34.62%			

Note: To protect student privacy, an asterisk (\*) is used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

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.



# TABLE 16: CAASPP TEST RESULTS IN ELA BY STUDENT GROUP FOR STUDENTS TAKING AND COMPLETING A STATE-ADMINISTERED ASSESSMENT

#### GRADES THREE THROUGH EIGHT AND GRADE ELEVEN SCHOOL YEAR 2022-2023

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	309	276	89%	11%	30%
Female	180	162	90%	10%	30%
Male	127	112	88%	12%	29%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	100%	0%	0%
Asian	*	*	100%	0%	67%
Black or African American	*	*	100%	0%	0%
Filipino	*	*	100%	0%	0%
Hispanic or Latino	238	209	88%	12%	27%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	*	*	0%	100%	0%
Two or More Races	17	17	100%	0%	35%
White	42	38	90%	10%	45%
English Learners	23	19	83%	17%	0%
Foster Youth	*	*	67%	33%	0%
Homeless	20	16	80%	20%	25%
Military	*	*	100%	0%	100%
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	240	210	88%	13%	27%
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	*	*	100%	0%	0%
Students with Disabilities	48	43	90%	10%	14%

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.

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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

# TABLE 17: CAASPP TEST RESULTS IN MATHEMATICS BY STUDENT GROUP FOR STUDENTS TAKING AND COMPLETING A STATE-ADMINISTERED ASSESSMENT

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	310	276	89%	11%	4%
Female	180	160	89%	11%	1%
Male	128	114	89%	11%	7%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	100%	0%	0%
Asian	*	*	100%	0%	0%
Black or African American	*	*	100%	0%	0%
Filipino	*	*	100%	0%	0%
Hispanic or Latino	239	209	87%	13%	3%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	*	*	0%	100%	0%
Two or More Races	17	17	100%	0%	6%
White	42	38	90%	10%	8%
English Learners	23	20	87%	13%	0%
Foster Youth	*	*	67%	33%	0%
Homeless	20	16	80%	20%	13%
Military	*	*	100%	0%	0%
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	241	210	87%	13%	3%
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	*	*	100%	0%	0%
Students with Disabilities	48	42	88%	13%	2%

#### GRADES THREE THROUGH EIGHT AND GRADE ELEVEN SCHOOL YEAR 2022-2023

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

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TABLE 18: 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 2021-2022	School 2022-2023	State 2021-2022	State 2022-2023
Science (grades 5, 8 and high school)	16.67%	11.11%	29.45%	30.18%

Note: Science test results include the CAST 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 CAST plus the total number of students who met the standard (i.e., achieved Level 3-Alternate) on the CAAs divided by the total number of students who participated in both assessments.

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TABLE 19: CAASPP TEST RESULTS IN SCIENCE BY STUDENT GROUP GRADES FIVE, EIGHT, AND HIGH SCHOOL / SCHOOL YEAR 2022-2023							
Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded		
All Students	70	63	90%	10%	11%		
Female	41	37	90%	10%	5%		
Male	28	25	89%	11%	20%		
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	0%	100%	0%		
Asian	*	*	0%	100%	0%		
Black or African American	*	*	100%	0%	0%		
Filipino	*	*	100%	0%	0%		
Hispanic or Latino	51	46	90%	10%	7%		
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	*	*	0%	100%	0%		
Two or More Races	*	*	100%	0%	50%		
White	15	13	87%	13%	23%		
English Learners	*	*	100%	0%	0%		
Foster Youth	*	*	0%	100%	0%		
Homeless	*	*	100%	0%	0%		
Military	*	*	0%	100%	0%		
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	55	50	91%	9%	6%		
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	*	*	0%	100%	0%		
Students with Disabilities	*	*	100%	0%	0%		

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## Career Technical Education (CTE) Programs School Year 2022-2023

Vista Real recognizes the need to integrate core academic knowledge with technical skills in order to be successful in today's modern workforce and continues to develop its Career Technical Education (CTE) program. The school is committed to bringing students greater opportunities in developing these skills through continued efforts to expand relationships with local businesses, trade schools, and community colleges. Partnerships with local business, such as the Marriott Hotel partnership, provide real-world job seeking experience, while CTE courses such as Integrated Health and Patient Care help students explore different career pathways. The school is currently in the early stages of implementing a new platform called Edymanics where students can take various career courses that can lead to certification. Additionally, Vista Real has have specific curriculum centered around development of career skills such as Intro to Computers & Info Tech and Professional skills.

Vista Real also partners with the Ventura County Office of Education and the Ventura County Community College District to give students access to a variety of career education programs such as medical field training, automotive repair, manufacturing, welding, and more.

This table displays information about participation in the school's Career Technical Education (CTE) programs.

TABLE 21: CAREER TECHNICAL EDUCATION (CTE) PARTICIPATION SCHOOL YEAR 2022-2023					
Measure	CTE Program Participation				
Number of Pupils Participating in CTE	90				
Percent of Pupils that Complete a CTE Program and Earn a High School Diploma	0%				
Percent of CTE Courses that are Sequenced or Articulated Between the School and Institutions of Postsecondary Education	0%				

## **UC/CSU Course Completion**

Students are encouraged to take University of California/ California State University (UC/CSU) preparatory courses if they plan to attend a four-year university. All students must pass each course with a grade of 'C' or better.

#### TABLE 22: COURSE ENROLLMENT/COMPLETION OF UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA (UC) AND/OR CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY (CSU) ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

UC/CSU Course Measure	Percent
2022-2023 Pupils Enrolled in Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	77%
2021-2022 Graduates Who Completed All Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	1.2%

## **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

#### **Physical Fitness**

In the spring of each year, all California schools are required by the state to administer a physical fitness test to students in the fifth, seventh, and ninth grades. The physical fitness test is a standardized evaluation that measures each student's ability to perform fitness tasks in five major areas. Students who meet or exceed the standards in all six fitness areas are considered physically fit or in the "Healthy Fitness Zone" (HFZ).

#### TABLE 23: CALIFORNIA PHYSICAL FITNESS TEST 2022-2023 PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS PARTICIPATING IN EACH OF THE FITNESS COMPONENTS

Grade	Component1: Aerobic Capacity	Component 2: Abdominal Strength and Endurance	Component 3: Truck Extensor and Strength and Flexibility	Upper Body	Component 5: Flexibility	
9	85.50%	85.70%	85.80%	85.50%	86.00%	

Note: The administration of the PFT during 2021–22 and 2022–23 school years, only participation results are required for these five fitness areas.

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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 regarding the school district and at each school site

#### **Opportunities for Parental Involvement School Year 2023-2024**

Vista Real encourages regular parental involvement throughout the school year. There are have several opportunities for formal participation including Parent Information Nights, Parent Advisory Committee and English Learner Advisory Committee. These Committees are held quarterly each school year and are avenues for families to provide input/feedback in planning, developing, implementing, and evaluating the school program. Parent educational partners are encouraged to participate in the development of the Local Control and Accountability Plan, the WASC accreditation report, and grant plans such as Title 1, Part A. They are asked to provide input on the progress of these plans throughout the year. In addition to this, parents also attend informational workshops on issues of concern, such as vaping, teen drinking, and cyber safety. Vista Real also highly encourages parent/family attendance at the school's annual Open Houses, senior nights, and awards nights as well as other informal and formal meetings throughout the school year.

Notices for all meetings are sent to parents/families in advance via email, phone calls, ParentSquare, and social media. For PAC and ELAC meetings, notices are posted to the school website and at each site location, 72 hours in advance. These meetings are open to all educational partners from the community. Parent Conferences and Open House events are also held during the school year to facilitate communication between parents, teachers, students, and community partners. In addition to these formal events, parent educational partners are encouraged to call and meet with their child's teacher as needed to support academic progress. Beyond this, educational partners may contact the local school office at any time or reach out to their school site administrator directly.

## **State Priority: Pupil Engagement**

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

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

## **Dropout & Graduation Rates**

Many students who enroll at Vista Real have been disengaged from their education for extended periods of time. To better serve these students, the school begins interventions from the point of enrollment. Courses for new students are carefully selected to create a personalized learning plan to meet their goals. Among these courses are Digital Skills, Skills4Life, Essay Composition and Financial Literacy. These foundational courses establish the skills necessary to be successful in their core courses. For students enrolling who are 19 years of age or older, they are assigned an Assets course that they must complete, one-on-one, with a teacher. This supports the student in transitioning into Vista Real's unique program.

Additionally, students are supported in determining their college and career interests by teachers and counselors who help them map out a pathway to reach those goals. Teachers then build upon this throughout the year to support academic planning as well as college and career readiness.

Students also participate in academic assessments, such as NWEA, after enrollment. The assessments help teachers



understand the strengths and areas of growth that the student may possess, allowing staff to remediate and ensure that students are not enrolling in courses beyond their current academic abilities. Additionally, the availability of unlimited, free tutoring also serves as an intervention for students when they struggle academically.

Together, all early interventions are intended to promote attendance and reduce the likelihood of student dropouts. However, despite multi-tiered efforts to engage students, these interventions are not always met with student success and can ultimately affect Vista Real's Graduation Rate. When faculty and staff see a decline in a particular student's attendance, more specific and targeted interventions take place in progressive steps:

- A missed day of school results in a "Prevention Call" home from the teacher.
- A pattern of missed school days results in a Prevention Meeting with the teacher and the Student Retention Specialist to reengage students early on.
- A continued pattern of missed school days after a teacher conference results in an Attendance Intervention Meeting (A.I.M). In this meeting the parent or adult student meets

with the Student Retention Specialist to discuss the legal requirements of school attendance for minors and problems adults may face as high school dropouts. If the student/parent cannot be reached, a home visit will be conducted.

• A continued pattern of missed school days after an A.I.M. intervention is escalated to a Student Retention Meeting (S.R.M) intervention. Student Retention Meetings include the School Counselor, Supervising Teacher, School Administrator, and the Student Retention Support Specialist. When the student and parent meet with the S.R.M. team, serious conversations take place about the appropriateness of independent study for the student, school options, and the serious long-term consequences of dropping out of school.

Note: The California Department of Education DataQuest system reports four-year cohort graduation and dropout numbers. The one-year graduation rate is reported through the California School Dashboard and internal student information systems data was used in the chart below, because it was the most recently available source. The school is a Dashboard Alternative School Status (DASS), because the student population served is typically behind in credits. The tables display the most current data available. N/A is displayed when the school is new, or there is no data available to report, because the state did not report their data when this report was published.

Note: The California Department of Education DataQuest system reports the Four-Year Adjusted Cohort Rate (ACGR) for all regular high schools. However, the ACGR is not a match for our school, because we are an approved Dashboard Alternative School Status (DASS). We serve a student population who are typically behind in credits, and not likely to graduate on time in a regular school setting. As a DASS school, we report the one-year graduation rate, which is calculated internally or from the California School Dashboard. The tables display the most current data available. N/A means that data was not available at the time of publication. Note: To protect student privacy, an asterisk (\*) is used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

TABLE 25: DROPOUT RATE AND GRADUATION RATE							
Indicator	School Cohort 2020-2021	School Cohort 2021-2022	School Cohort 2022-2023	State Cohort 2020-2021	State Cohort 2021-2022	State Cohort 2022-2023	
One-Year Cohort Drop Rate	10.5%	11.0%	9.4%	N/A	N/A	N/A	
One-Year Cohort Grad Rate	67.6%	91.0%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Four-Year Cohort Drop Rate	21.6%	27.0%	22.7%	9.4%	7.8%	8.2%	
Four-Year Cohort Grad Rate	12.2%	16.2%	10.8%	83.6%	87.0%	86.2%	

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TABLE 26a: GRADUATION RATE BY STUDENT GROUP, ONE-YEAR DASS COHORT RATE SCHOOL YEAR 2022-2023							
Student Group	Number of Students in Cohort	Number of Cohort Graduates	Cohort Graduation Rate				
All Students	224	170	76%				
Female	125	91	73%				
Male	98	79	81%				
Non-Binary	*	*	*				
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	50%				
Asian	*	*	100%				
Black or African American	*	*	*				
Filipino	*	*	100%				
Hispanic or Latino	169	130	77%				
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	*	*	*				
Two or More Races	*	*	67%				
White	39	29	74%				
English Learners	18	14	78%				
Foster Youth	*	*	100%				
Homeless	*	*	100%				
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	135	110	81%				
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	*	*	*				
Students with Disabilities	35	29	83%				

The one-year graduation rate reflects the CDE rate for DASS schools, and the data above is from PowerBI.

Note: To protect student privacy, an asterisk (\*) is used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.



#### TABLE 26b: GRADUATION RATE BY STUDENT GROUP, FOUR-YEAR COHORT RATE SCHOOL YEAR 2022-2023

Student Group	Number of Students in Cohort	Number of Cohort Graduates	Cohort Graduation Rate	
All Students	409	44	10.8%	
Female	212	25	11.8%	
Male	195	19	9.7%	
Non-Binary	*	*	*	
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	
Asian	*	*	*	
Black or African American	*	*	*	
Filipino	*	*	*	
Hispanic or Latino	328	36	11.0%	
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	
Two or More Races	*	*	*	
White	56	*	12.5%	
English Learners	87	*	9.2%	
Foster Youth	16	*	12.5%	
Homeless	75	*	9.3%	
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	367	35	9.5%	
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	*	*	*	
Students with Disabilities	95	*	6.3%	

For information on the Four-Year Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate (ACGR), visit the CDE Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate web page at https://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/ad/acgrinfo.asp.

Note: To protect student privacy, an asterisk (\*) is used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

#### **Chronic Absenteeism**

The current Chronic Absentee rate is not calculated in a manner for non-classroom based DASS programs to reflect the nature of the students served. According to the CDE, students are determined to be chronically absent if they were eligible to be considered chronically absent at the selected level during the academic year and they were absent for 10% or more of the days they were expected to attend. Vista Real Charter follows all of the required CA State School Dashboard requirements.

TABLE 27: CHRONIC ABSENTEEISM BY STUDENT GROUP SCHOOL YEAR 2022-2023							
Student Group	Cumulative Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Eligible Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Count	Chronic Absenteeism Rate			
All Students	2100	1,892	1,252	66.20%			
Female	1109	995	645	64.80%			
Male	978	885	601	67.90%			
American Indian or Alaska	*	*	*	*			
Asian	*	*	*	*			
Black or African American	25	19	11	57.90%			
Filipino	*	*	*	*			
Hispanic or Latino	1696	1,537	1,040	67.70%			
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*			
Two or More Races	40	35	22	62.90%			
White	283	251	155	61.80%			
English Learner	379	358	265	74.00%			
Foster Youth	26	44	31	70.50%			
Homeless	128	112	87	77.70%			
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	1682	1,523	1,041	68.40%			
Students Receiving Migrant Ed	11	12	11	91.70%			
Students with Disabilities	430	381	245	64.30%			

Note: To protect student privacy, an asterisk (\*) is used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

#### **State Priority: School Climate**

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

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

## **Suspensions & Expulsions**

The table displays the suspension and expulsion rates at the school and throughout the state. Expulsions occur only when required by law or when all other alternatives are exhausted. Additionally, please note that the suspension and expulsion rate for the state was not available at time of publication.

#### TABLE 28: SUSPENSIONS AND EXPULSIONS

#### DATA COLLECTED BETWEEN JULY THROUGH JUNE, EACH FULL SCHOOL YEAR RESPECTIVELY

Rate	School 2020-2021	School 2021-2022	School 2022-2023	State 2020-2021	State 2021-2022	State 2022-2023
Suspensions	0.00%	0.05%	0.14%	0.2%	3.2%	N/A
Expulsions	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0%	0.1%	N/A

Note: To protect student privacy, an asterisk (\*) is used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

TABLE 29: SUSPENSIONS AND EXPULSIONS BY STUDENT GROUP SCHOOL YEAR 2022-2023			
Student Group	Suspensions Rate	Expulsions Rate	
All Students	0.14%	0%	
Female	0.10%	0%	
Male	0%	0%	
Non-Binary	0%	0%	
American Indian or Alaska	0%	0%	
Asian	0%	0%	
Black or African American	0%	0%	
Filipino	0%	0%	
Hispanic or Latino	0.10%	0%	
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0%	0%	
Two or More Races	0%	0%	
White	0.05%	0%	
English Learner	0%	0%	
Foster Youth	0%	0%	
Homeless	0.05%	0%	
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	0.14%	0%	
Students Receiving Migrant Ed	0%	0%	
Students with Disabilities	0.05%	0%	

Note: To protect student privacy, an asterisk (\*) is used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

#### School Safety School Year 2023-2024

The school Safety Plan consists of the Injury and Illness Prevention Program, Emergency Procedures, and Section 4 of the Employee handbook. Sponsoring School Districts ask for these safety programs as part of the charter's renewal process. The Safety Plans are reviewed annually and update, if necessary our School Safety Plans annually and update them, if necessary. The safety of students and staff is a primary concern for the school. Both teachers and administrators supervise the students throughout the school day to ensure a safe and positive learning environment. Both staff and student school IDs are expected to be displayed at all times, and visitors to the sites must register at the front office to receive appropriate identification badges before entering the classroom. The school safety plan was last updated and reviewed with school staff in November 2023.

## **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.

## **Class Size**

Due to the nature of independent study, class size distribution data is unavailable for this school.

## Counseling & Support Staff School Year 2022-2023

Vista Real seeks to assist students in their social, emotional, and personal development as well as academics. The school provides special attention to students who experience achievement problems, difficulty coping with personal and family problems, trouble with decision making, or handling peer pressure.

The following is a list of support staff available to students at the school.

TABLE 37: RATIO OF PUPILS TO ACADEMIC COUNSELORSCHOOL YEAR 2022-2023		
Title	Ratio	
Pupils to Academic Counselor*	1:163	

\*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.

TABLE 38: STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES STAFF SCHOOL YEAR 2022-2023		
Title	Number of FTE* Assigned to School	
Counselor (Academic, Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	8.00	
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	0.00	
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofes- sional)	0.00	
Psychologist	1.30	
Social Worker	0.00	
Nurse	0.50	
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	0.00	
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	1.00	
Other	0.00	

\*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.

## School Expenditures Fiscal Year 2021-2022

The table provides a comparison of the school's per pupil funding from unrestricted sources with other schools throughout the state. Supplemental/Restricted expenditures come from money whose use is controlled by law or donor. Money designated for specific purposes by the district or governing board is not considered restricted. Basic/Unrestricted expenditures, except for general guidelines, are not controlled by law or donor. The California Department of Education issued guidance regarding how to calculate school-level per-pupil expenditures.

For detailed information on school expenditures for all districts in California, see the CDE Current Expense of Education & Perpupil Spending Web page at <u>http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/ec/</u>.

For information on teacher salaries for all districts in California, see the CDE Certificated Salaries & Benefits Web page at <u>http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/</u>.

To look up expenditures and salaries for a specific school district, see the Ed-Data Web site at: <u>http://www.ed-data.org</u>.

## School Site Teacher Salaries -Fiscal Year 2021-2022

The Average Teacher Salaries table illustrates the average teacher salary at the school and compares it to the average teacher salary throughout the state.

## TABLE 39: EXPENDITURES PER PUPIL AND SCHOOL SITE TEACHER SALARIES

FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022				
Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Restricted)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Unrestricted)	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	15,782.61	8,191.66	7,590.95	83,652
State	N/A	N/A	17,021	88,508.00
Percent Difference School Site and State	N/A	N/A	-7.55%	-5.64%

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

## Types of Services Funded Fiscal Year 2022-2023

All funding sources are utilized to provide the following for students:

- Special Education programs for SELPA, students with special needs
- English Language Development support for students in English Language acquisition - instructional and support methods
- Tutoring support one-on-one, walk-in, in-person, and virtual tutoring support
- General operations -services, materials, technology, salaries, benefits, and support to the general education

## School Site Teacher Salaries Fiscal Year 2021-2022

The Average Teacher Salaries table illustrates the average teacher salary at the school and compares it to the average teacher salary throughout the state.

TABLE 41: TEACHER AND ADMINISTRATIVE SALARIESFISCAL YEAR 2021-2022			
Category	LEA Amount	State Average for State In Same Category	
Beginning Teacher Salary	79,500.00	53,824.00	
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	84,800.00	84,312.00	
Highest Teacher Salary	90,100.00	104,930.00	
Average Principal Salary (High)	132,500.00	148,501.00	
Superintendent Salary	178,750.00	199,596.00	
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	27.88%	28.73%	
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	5.38%	5.39%	

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

#### Advanced Placement (AP) Classes School Year 2022-2023

# TABLE 42: ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) COURSESSCHOOL YEAR 2022-2023

Subject	Number of AP Courses Offered*
Computer Science	0
English	0
Fine and Performing Arts	0
Foreign Language	0
Mathematics	0
Science	0
Social Science	1
Total AP Courses Offered*	1
Percent of Students in AP Courses:	0.07%
(Data Pulled from CALPADS)	

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

## **Professional Development**

The school's certificated staff members and administrators participate in ongoing professional development to improve curriculum and instruction. Professional development sessions are held throughout the school year and focus on a wide variety of topics aimed at trauma-informed care, strengthening pedagogy, and content knowledge to meet the needs of the school's diverse learners. Special emphasis is placed on targeting the unique needs of its English language learners, special education students, and social-emotional learning. School staff also participate in a variety of development events for continuous improvement. These events include Professional Learning Communities (PLC), department meetings, software trainings, etc. The PLC process of continuous school improvement is characterized by utilizing data to drive instructional decision making to improve academic outcomes for students. The process is driven by teachers who are actively engaged in identifying areas where students show a need for improvement and targeting those areas through the use of evidence-based instructional strategies. Teachers and staff collaborate for up to two hours weekly to exclusively focus on this process of continuous inquiry.

In addition, school administrators participate in ongoing professional learning with a focus on effective school leadership practices and instructional leadership. The Administration Team identifies school-wide focuses for its campuses each year for professional development and, along with the Curriculum Instructional Coordinator and Regional Instructional Specialists, take the lead in organizing staff development opportunities and ongoing coaching. Professional development topics are based on the needs of the school, input from parents/families, suggestions from school staff through department meetings and/ or staff surveys, and through the collection and analysis of data highlighting school needs and/or areas of improvement.

The school also provides Induction training to preliminary credentialed staff through a partnership with the Ventura County Office of Education and the Palmdale Unified School District. Participating staff are assigned a mentor with whom they work together to complete all required Induction activities. Newly hired teachers are also partnered with existing teachers for support and participate in required on the job training for the purpose of familiarizing them with the program and the mission of the school. The school's special education teachers receive annual training on new procedures and processes, as well as effective instructional strategies for improving academic achievement. In addition to professional development opportunities offered locally, staff also have the opportunity to attend professional conferences such as the California Charter Schools Association's annual CCSA Conferences, annual A-plus+ conferences, and other conferences sponsored by educational organizations.

TABLE 43: PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT			
Measure	2021- 2022	2022- 2023	2023- 2024
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	24	25	38