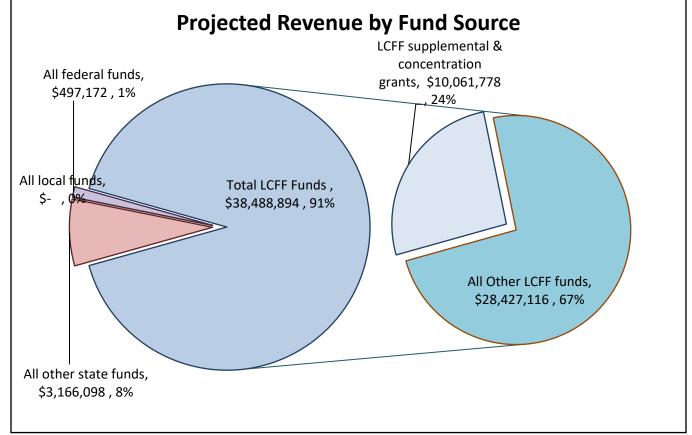


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School districts receive funding from different sources: state funds under the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF), other state funds, local funds, and federal funds. LCFF funds include a base level of funding for all LEAs and extra funding - called "supplemental and concentration" grants - to LEAs based on the enrollment of high needs students (foster youth, English learners, and low-income students).

Budget Overview for the 2024-25 School Year

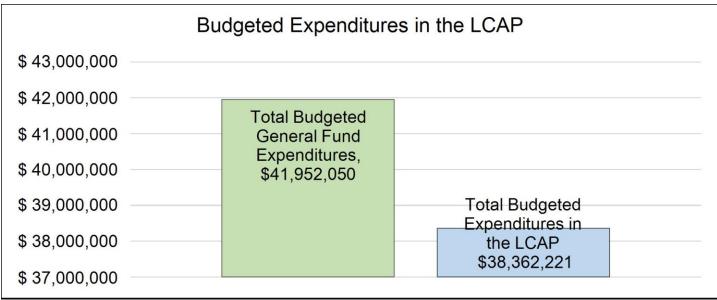


This chart shows the total general purpose revenue Vista Real Charter High School expects to receive in the coming year from all sources.

The text description for the above chart is as follows: The total revenue projected for Vista Real Charter High School is \$42,152,164, of which \$38,488,894.00 is Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF), \$3,166,098.00 is other state funds, \$0.00 is local funds, and \$497,172.00 is federal funds. Of the \$38,488,894.00 in LCFF Funds, \$10,061,778.00 is generated based on the enrollment of high needs students (foster youth, English learner, and low-income students).

LCFF Budget Overview for Parents

The LCFF gives school districts more flexibility in deciding how to use state funds. In exchange, school districts must work with parents, educators, students, and the community to develop a Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) that shows how they will use these funds to serve students.



This chart provides a quick summary of how much Vista Real Charter High School plans to spend for 2024-25. It shows how much of the total is tied to planned actions and services in the LCAP.

The text description of the above chart is as follows: Vista Real Charter High School plans to spend \$41,952,050.00 for the 2024-25 school year. Of that amount, \$38,362,221.00 is tied to actions/services in the LCAP and \$3,589,829 is not included in the LCAP. The budgeted expenditures that are not included in the LCAP will be used for the following:

Our independent study program implements a personalized learning experience for all students, including English learners, LTELs, low-income, foster youth, and special education students that is carefully designed to address their unique academic and social-emotional needs. To serve our At-Promise and highly mobile population, expenditures are budgeted for, but not limited to, teacher and staff salaries and benefits, student interventions, curriculum development, professional development, materials, hardware, and software. Not included in the LCAP are the following:

- Audit fees
- Legal expenses
- Association fees
- Special Education expenditures
- Mandated Block expenditures
- Ancillary Grants
- A-G Completion Improvement Grant Program expenditures
- Educator Effectiveness Grant expenditures
- Arts, Music, & Instructional Material Block Grant
- Learning Recovery Emergency Block Grant
- Expanded Learning Opportunities Grant Federal expenditure
- California Community Schools Partnership Program

Increased or Improved Services for High Needs Students in the LCAP for the 2024-25 School Year

In 2024-25, Vista Real Charter High School is projecting it will receive \$10,061,778.00 based on the enrollment of foster youth, English learner, and low-income students. Vista Real Charter High School must describe how it intends to increase or improve services for high needs students in the LCAP. Vista Real Charter High School plans to spend \$10,061,778.00 towards meeting this requirement, as described in the LCAP.

The Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP) directs the Supplemental and Concentration funding into goals and actions designed to help high-needs students with social-emotional support, academic interventions, counseling, and student engagement activities. Students have access to a robust tutoring program that supports their learning. Targeted academic interventions help close skill and knowledge gaps ensuring that students become competent graduates. A brief description of the LCAP is that our first goal is a focus goal and the first action is directed at helping our English learners and LTELs. Our second goal is a broad goal supporting student interest in a career or a higher education. The third goal is a maintenance of progress goal that meets the mission of our school program, which is to retain students and help them graduate. The last LCAP goal is aimed at improving our educational partner engagement, especially for our English learners, low-income and foster youth:

Goal #1: Increase Academic Progress

- •Action 1: English language learners and LTELs support staff, interventions, and materials.
- •Action 2: All academic interventions and program materials.
- •Action 3: Tutoring and support for students.
- •Action 4: Counseling students toward graduation and materials
- •Action 5: Student activities that increase learning efforts.
- •Action 7: Professional Development for English learners.

Goal #2: Students Will Gain Skills for College and Career Readiness

Action 1: Career and college-readiness for English learners, LTELs, low-income, and foster youth students.
Action 2: Professional development addressing English learners, LTELs, low-income, and foster youth students.

- •Action 3: Technology for upgrading student programs.
- •Action 4: Support for Standards-based Curriculum and Instruction

Goal #3: Increase Student Retention

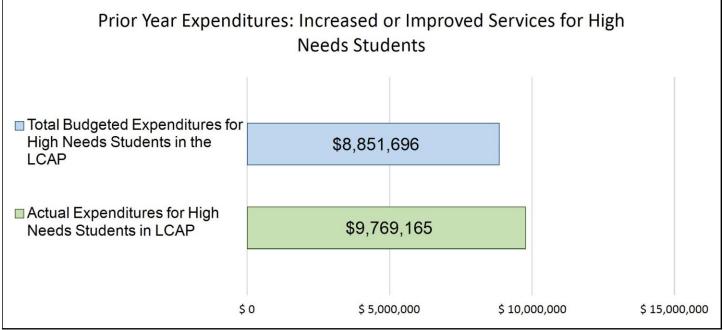
- •Action 1: Student Retention Support personnel and incentive programs.
- •Action 2: Social-emotional, trauma support services and materials.
- •Action 3: Transportation for English learners, LTELs, ow income, and foster youth students.
- •Action 4: Access to nutrition for English learners, low-income, and foster youth students.

Goal #4: Increase Educational Partner Engagement

- •Action 1: Community/Parent Liaison and meaningful school activities.
- •Action 2: Translation services and contracted services for outreach.
- •Action 3: Educational partner events, personnel, and materials for engagement.

LCFF Budget Overview for Parents

Update on Increased or Improved Services for High Needs Students in 2023-24



This chart compares what Vista Real Charter High School budgeted last year in the LCAP for actions and services that contribute to increasing or improving services for high needs students with what Vista Real Charter High School estimates it has spent on actions and services that contribute to increasing or improving services for high needs students in the current year.

The text description of the above chart is as follows: In 2023-24, Vista Real Charter High School's LCAP budgeted \$8,851,696.00 for planned actions to increase or improve services for high needs students. Vista Real Charter High School actually spent \$9,769,165.00 for actions to increase or improve services for high needs students in 2023-24.



2023–24 Local Control and Accountability Plan Annual Update

The instructions for completing the 2023–24 Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) Annual Update follow the template.

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Vista Real Charter High School	Corrine Manley Area Superintendent	cmanley@vrchs.org (805) 486-5449

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description
1	Increase Academic Progress:
	This is a focus goal for increasing academic progress for all students, especially our English language learners, low- income, and foster youth, who struggled during the previous year. In the next three years, we will have mitigated the negative impact learning loss had on our students, and we will see improvement in our NWEA, EL reclassification, credit completion and graduation rates.

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
Teachers are highly qualified– Priority 1	100%	92% Qualified with Full Credential Data Year: 2021-22 Data Source: Internal HR Tracking	98% Qualified with Full Credential Data Year: 2022-23 Data Source: Internal HR Tracking	98% Qualified with Full Credential *Only previous school year data available Data Year: 2022-23 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal HR Tracking	100% Fully Credentialed Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Internal HR Tracking
Teachers are appropriately assigned – Priority 1	100%	100% Appropriately Assigned Data Year: 2020-21 Data Source: CalSAAS	96% Appropriately Assigned Data Year: 2021-22 Data Source: Internal HR or CalSAAS when available	100% Appropriately assigned *Only previous school year data available Data Year: 2022-23 Data Source: CalSAAS	100% Teachers are Appropriately Assigned Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: CalSAAS

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
Reading – Lexile Growth – local	1135 Lexile	All: 1046 EL: 830 FY: 1006 LI: 1013 SWD: 871 Data Year: 2021-2022 Data Source: NWEA reports on PowerBI	All: 988 EL: 764 FY: 892 LI: 965 SWD: 819 Data Year: 2022-23 Data Source: NWEA reports on PowerBI	All: 995.27 EL: 798.63 FY: 862.61 LI: 973.75 SWD: 868.38 Data Year: 2023-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: NWEA reports on PowerBI	All: 1056 EL: 840 FY: 1016 LI: 1023 SWD: 881 Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: NWEA reports on PowerBI
Mathematics RIT now Quantile Growth - local	779 Quantile	All: 820 EL: 647 FY: 715 LI: 775 SWD: 597 Data Year: 2021-2022 Data Source: NWEA reports on PowerBI	All: 750 EL: 523 FY: 616 LI: 733 SWD: 565 Data Year: 2022-23 Data Source: NWEA reports on PowerBI	All: 783.83 EL:602.11 FY: 688.75 LI: 765.17 SWD:630.73 Data Year: 2023-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: NWEA reports on PowerBI	All: 830 EL: 657 FY: 725 LI: 785 SWD: 607 Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: NWEA reports on PowerBI
Average Credit Completion – local	1.82	All: 2.04 EL: 1.91 FY: 1.57 LI: 1.99 SWD: 2.18 Data Year: 2021-22 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI	All: 2.01 EL: 1.91 FY: 2.32 LI: 1.93 SWD: 2.13 Data Year: 2022-23 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI	All: 2.09 EL: 1.86 FY: 1.74 LI: 2.04 SWD: 2.12 Data Year: 2023-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal Data+Design	All: 4.0 EL: 4.0 FY: 4.0 LI: 4.0 SWD: 4.0 Data Year: 2023-24 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI
English Learner Reclassify - Priority 4	6%	7.0%	7.0%	12%	8.6% State Average

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
		Data Year: 2021-22 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal Calculation	Data Year: 2022-23 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal Calculation	Data Year: 2023-24 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal Calculation	Data Year: 2023-24 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal Calculation
EL Annual Progress on ELPAC – Priority 4	Postponed	ELPAC scores show the percentage of students who performed at: Level 1: 8% Level 2: 38% Level 3: 38.67% Level 4: 15.33% Data Year: 2021 Data Source: ELPAC, CA Dashboard	ELPAC scores show 44.2% made progress. Data Year: 2022 Data Source: ELPAC, CA Dashboard	49.8% ELPI Green Data Year: 2023 Data Source: ELPAC, CA Dashboard	Moderate Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: CA Dashboard
DASS 1 Year Graduation Cohort Rate - Priority 5	2019 - 62.6%	All: 67.6% EL: 69.2% FY: ** LI: 67.8% SWD: 60% Homeless: 58.3% AA: ** AS:** H/L: 65.0% WH: 73.9% Data Year: 2021 Data Source: CA Dashboard – DASS Graduation Rate	All: 90.6% EL: 90.5% FY: ** LI: 88.7% SWD: 87.5% Homeless: 79.9% AA: ** AS:** H/L: 90.8% WH: 88.2% Data Year: 2022 Data Source: CA Dashboard – DASS Graduation Rate	All: 75.9% EL: 70.6% FY: ** LI: 76.3% SWD: 82.4% Homeless: ** AA: ** AS: ** H/L: 78% WH: 70.7% Data Year: 2023 Data Source: CA Dashboard – DASS Graduation Rate	All: 75% EL: 75% FY: 70% LI: 75% SWD: 70% Homeless: 65% AA: 70% AS: 70% H/L: 75% WH: 80% Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: CA Dashboard – DASS Graduation Rate

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
		**Data suppressed due to small student count	**Data suppressed due to small student count	**Data suppressed due to small count	

Goal Analysis

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.

A description of any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions.

Our school used the following rating scale to determine its progress in implementing the actions to achieve the articulated goal. Ratings were based on an analysis of both input from educational partners and metrics.

Rating Scale (lowest to highest): 1 – Exploration and Research Phase; 2 – Beginning Development; 3 – Initial Implementation; 4 – Full Implementation; 5 – Full Implementation and Sustainability.

The actions outlined in Goal One supported the progress in meeting the following goal: Increase academic progress.

Action 1.1: English learners support staff, interventions, and materials.

Implementation Status: 4 - Full Implementation

Our paraprofessionals have worked with English learners one-on-one and supported them with SIOP strategies. We successfully enrolled and supported students in English language support programs such as Rosetta Stone and ThinkCerca. There was no substantive difference in the planned action compared to the actual implementation.

Actions 1.2: All academic interventions and program materials.

Implementation Status: 4 - Full Implementation

We provided academic support and program materials to help students make progress towards graduation. Utilizing programs such as IXL and ELLevation, we addressed students' individual areas of need to help bring them to grade level. There was no substantive difference in the planned action compared to the actual implementation.

Action 1.3: Tutoring and Supports for students.

Implementation Status: 5 - Full Implementation and Sustainability

Tutors and paraprofessionals supported student learning, daily. With the implementation of our CSI plan, the number of students working with a tutor increased by 169%. All actions were implemented as planned.

Action 1.4: Counseling students towards graduation and materials. Implementation Status: 4 - Full Implementation and Sustainability Our counselors work collaboratively with teachers and staff to provide comprehensive support for our students. They focus on social emotional well-being and post-secondary planning including FAFSA and college & career planning. Actions to counsel students towards graduation were implemented as planned.

Action 1.5: Student activities that increase learning efforts.

Implementation Status: 5 - Full Implementation and Sustainability

We firmly believe that student activities promote engagement and learning. Students participated in Pathways trips, Grad Night, a school dance, local field trips and on-site activities. There was no substantive difference in the planned action compared to the actual implementation.

Action 1.6: Teachers and staff are qualified and appropriately assigned.

Implementation Status: 5 - Full Implementation and Sustainability

We aim to hire fully credentialed teachers for each subject matter and monitor their assignments to be sure that there are no misassignments each year. There was no substantive difference in the planned action compared to the actual implementation.

Action 1.7: Title 1 - Intervention programs and personnel to support students.

Implementation Status: 5 - Full Implementation and Sustainability

Our Title 1 Schoolwide Program currently serves students with identified gaps in English language Arts. Title 1 staff support learners in Literacy programs by using an English intensive curriculum that focuses on reading, writing, and speaking skills. Actions were implemented as planned and students were supported through our literacy Program.

Action 1.8: Professional development for English learners.

Implementation Status: 4 - Full Implementation

Staff participated in workshops such as the Multilingualism Leadership Seminar and conferences including the PLC at Work Institute that increased their capacity to support student learning. Actions were implemented as planned.

Overall Successes: Our school was able to provide a rigorous academic program with strong built in supports for intervention. Education staff received targeted training in Professional Learning Communities and SIOP to ensure programs, practices, and services support success for all students. We leaned on academic interventions and materials such as Illuminate Education, a mobile science lab, and ELLevation strategies to provide students with many supports to increase academic performance.

Overall Challenges: Our school was challenged by learning loss following the pandemic. CAASPP scores remained low for this LCAP, but we were able to introduce new platforms such as IXL to provide more interventions to meet the students' needs. Our team of dedicated teachers, tutors, and paraprofessionals were able to begin tackling the challenges of learning loss.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

There were no material differences in the Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services; because actual expenditures were approximately the same as budgeted expenditures and principally directed towards our English language learners, low-income and foster youth students. We were able to meet our budgeted expenditures as shown in the 2023-2024 Contributing Actions Annual Update table for estimated actual expenditures. This is true for the LCFF funds. The Title 1 funds, which were used to support actions in Action 1.7 for interventions, were also fully expended.

An explanation of how effective or ineffective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal during the three-year LCAP cycle.

Our school used the following rating scale to determine the effectiveness of the actions to achieve the articulated goal. Ratings were based on an analysis of both inputs from educational partners and metrics. Rating Scale (lowest to highest): 1 – Not Effective; 2 – Somewhat Effective; 3 –Effective.

The actions outlined in Goal One helped make progress towards the LEA's goal: To support the progress in meeting the goal to improve student academic achievement.

Action 1.1: English learners support staff, interventions, and materials.

Effectiveness of Action: 3 - Effective

Metrics: English learner Progress Indicator and Reclassification Rate

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our ELPI status was green with 5.6% growth. Our EL reclassification rate increased to 12% and is above the state average. We believe that there is a correlation between quality professionals interacting with students and their success. With an English language specialist at the head of our department, we were able to better organize teacher support, professional developments, and monitoring of state and internal assessments. Additionally, EL paraprofessionals support student learning in both SGI and one-on-on settings. This has improved English learners' progress. A staff member noted that "students are benefiting from small group instruction-i.e. intensive writing classes." Because of the feedback from teachers as well as parents and students, we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

Action 1.2: All academic interventions and program materials.

Effectiveness of Action: 2 - Somewhat Effective

Metric: NWEA MAP

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our NWEA scores generally hovered at the level of our baseline data. We believe that this is largely due to learning loss caused by the pandemic and the subsequent shift in education, as a whole. Our NWEA Reading scores for all of the student groups declined slightly from year 1 to year 2, but most groups showed a small rebound from year 2 to year 3. Most notably, EL students showed a +34 point improvement and students with disabilities showed a +49 point improvement in year 3. In NWEA Math, we again see a loss from year 1 to year 2, but all student groups showed improvement from year 2 to year 3. The EL student group showed an outstanding improvement of +79 points. Our foster youth group also made gains with a +72 point increase. The low-income student group showed a +32 point increase while students with disabilities increased +65 points over year 2. This data, along with feedback

from our educational partners leads us to continuing this action in the new three-year cycle to continue to combat learning loss. There will be some changes to implementation, as noted in prompt 4.

Action 1.3: Tutoring and supports for students.

Effectiveness of Action: 3 - Effective

Metric: Credit Completion Rate

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our credit completion shows an increase year over year. A baseline of 1.82 grew to 2.09 by the end of year 3. While we are still a distance from our desired outcome of 4.0, we are proud that our students have made improvements despite learning loss due to the pandemic. As we move into the new three-year cycle, our focus will be on our EL and FY student groups, who showed a slight decline from year 2 to year 3. Because of the feedback from teachers, we will continue this action into the new LCAP.

Action 1.4: Counseling students towards graduation and materials.

Effectiveness of Action: 3 - Effective

Metric: DASS 1-Year Graduation Rate

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our one-year graduation rate shows that students are graduating at increased rates each year. Our DASS Graduation rate was 75.9%, and we increased by +13.3 points from our baseline. It is important to note in year 2, the 90.6% graduation rate was such a significant increase over year 1, partly due to Assembly Bill 104, in response to the pandemic. Overall, most student groups show an improvement from year 1 to year 3. Most significantly, our Hispanic, low-income, and students with disabilities groups were above the All-student group. The LI, SWD, and H/L student groups also showed notable improvement from year 1 to year 3. Because of the feedback from teachers, we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

Action 1.5: Student activities that increase learning efforts.

Effectiveness of Action: 3 - Effective

Metric: Credit Completion Rate

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our credit completion shows an increase year over year. A baseline of 1.82 grew to 2.09 by the end of year 3. We are confident that student activities greatly contribute to learning efforts. Activities make students feel connected to staff and school culture. This has a positive impact on students' well-being, confidence, and motivation to improve academically. Most student activities have a minimum academic requirement to participate. Because of this, the reward aspect from the activity fuels the student's sense of accomplishment and motivates them to perform better academically. Student activities have been a popular component of our school and positive feedback from students and families drives us to continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

Action 1.6: Teachers and staff are qualified and appropriately assigned.

Effectiveness of Action: 3 - Effective

Metric: Highly Qualified with Full Teaching Credential

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our teachers are highly qualified and appropriately assigned at a rate over 90% each year. We make every effort to hire fully credentialed teachers, but do also recognize the importance of individual growth. When a support staff member takes the initiative to pursue a teaching credential, we highly value this endeavor and occasionally hire them during the

intern phase of their education. They already know our program inside and out, but most importantly, they already know our students. They understand the students' unique learning needs and are already equipped to support them from all angles. Because of the feedback from teachers and staff we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

Action 1.7: Title 1 - Intervention programs and personnel to support students.

Effectiveness of Action: 3 - Effective

Metric: NWEA

Analysis Statement: Title 1 funds have been principally directed towards our Literacy Program. NWEA Reading scores for all of the student groups declined slightly from year 1 to year 2 due to the learning loss, but most groups showed a small rebound from year 2 to year 3. Most notably, EL students showed a +34 point improvement and students with disabilities showed a +49 point improvement in year 3. Other metrics such as ELPI and EL Reclassification show a clearer picture of the literacy landscape. We improved our EL Annual Progress by 5.6% and our Dashboard Indicator is green. EL students are reclassifying at greater rates than ever, with a jump of 5% from year 2 to year 3. This is well above the state average. This data, along with feedback from our educational partners leads us to continuing this action in the new three-year cycle.

Action 1.8: Professional development for English learners.

Effectiveness of Action: 3 - Effective

Metric: English learner Progress Indicator

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our ELPI increased 5.6% and is green on the CA School Dashboard. Our English learners are showing improvement on the ELPAC and reclassifying at greater rates than prior years. With professional developments such as PLC, we have increased the capacity of teachers to support English learners. This is strong data in favor of the actions we've taken with our Title 1 Literacy Program. Because of the feedback from teachers and the improvement in metrics, we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

Action 1.2: All academic interventions and program materials. This action did not have the full intended outcome based on the associated metrics as described in prompt 3. Due to educational partner feedback from our PAC and ELAC and student feedback, we will continue to offer the action. Based on a collaborative evaluation and professional needs assessment of the current action, we identified that the reason for the ineffectiveness of this action was due to a lack of high-quality support in the classroom. Through the Differentiated Assistance process, we will build the capacity of teachers to incorporate SIOP strategies into one-on-one and small group instruction. We will adjust the design of the action to ensure that English learners, foster youth, and students with disabilities experience increased success in the upcoming three-year LCAP cycle. Additionally, we will include a metric to more accurately represent a growth model. This allows us to focus on individual student growth, rather than benchmarks that are inequitable for student groups.

The following actions did have the intended outcome based on the associated metrics as described in prompt 3. Due to educational partner feedback from our PAC/ELAC, staff and student feedback, we will continue to offer the actions. Based on a collaborative evaluation of the current actions, we believe these actions were effective:

Action 1.1: English learners support staff, interventions, and materials.

Action 1.3: Tutoring and supports for students.

Action 1.4: Counseling students towards graduation and materials.

Action 1.5: Student activities that increase learning efforts.

Action 1.6: Teachers and staff are qualified and appropriately assigned.

Action 1.7: Title 1 - Intervention programs and personnel to support students.

Action 1.8: Professional development for English learners.

A report of the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for last year's actions may be found in the Annual Update Table. A report of the Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services for last year's actions may be found in the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table.

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description
2	Students Will Gain Skills for College and Career-Readiness:
	This is a broad goal for helping students gain skills for college and career-readiness for all students, including low-income, English learners, and foster youth students.

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
State Standards– aligned materials –	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Priority 1		Data Year: 2021-22 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2021	Data Year: 2022-23 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2022	Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2023	Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2024
Implement state academic standards and EL access – Priority 2	3.72 out of 5.0	4.04 out of 5.0 Data Year: 2021-22 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2021	3.84 out of 5.0 Data Year: 2022-23 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2022	4.18 out of 5.0 Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2023	Full Implementation & Sustainability Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2024
Statewide Assessments: * English Language	Statewide Assessments:	Statewide Assessments:	Statewide Assessments:	Statewide Assessments:	Statewide Assessments:
Arts – Priority 4 * Mathematics – Priority 4 * Science – Priority 4	English Language Arts - Baseline is 2021 CAASPP percentage meeting/exceeding	English Language Arts All: 42% EL: 12%	English Language Arts All: 35% EL: 0%	English Language Arts All: 30% EL: 0%	English Language Arts All: 50% EL: 15%
		FY: 0%	FY: **	FY: **	FY: 5%

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Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
	shown in Year 1	LI: 41%	LI: 31%	LI: 27%	LI: 50%
	Outcome	SWD: 9%	SWD: 13%	SWD: 14%	SWD: 10%
		Homeless: 33%	Homeless: 29%	Homeless: 25%	Homeless: 40%
	Mathematics -	AA: 0%	AA: **	AA: **	AA: 5%
	Baseline is 2021	AS: 0%	AS: **	AS: 67%	AS: 5%
	CAASPP percentage	H/L: 39%	H/L: 31%	H/L: 27%	H/L: 45%
	meeting/exceeding	WH: 51%	WH: 46%	WH: 45%	WH: 65%
	shown in Year 1				
	Outcome			Mathematics	Mathematics
		Mathematics	Mathematics	All: 4%	All: 10%
	Science - Baseline is	All: 9%	All: 7%	EL: 0%	EL: 5%
	2021 CAASPP	EL: 0%	EL: 0%	FY: **	FY: 5%
	percentage	FY: 0%	FY: **	LI: 3%	LI: 10%
	meeting/exceeding	LI: 8%	LI: 6%	SWD: 2%	SWD: 10%
	shown in Year 1	SWD: 7%	SWD: 0%	Homeless: 13%	Homeless: 5%
	Outcome	Homeless: 0%	Homeless: 0%	AA: **	AA: 5%
		AA: 0%	AA: **	AS: **	AS: 5%
		AS: 0%	AS: **	H/L: 3%	H/L: 10%
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				Science	Science
		Science	Science	All: 11%	All: 10%
		All: 9%	All: 17%	EL: **	EL: 2%
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		H/L: 6% WH: 17%	H/L: 17% WH: 17%	WH: 23%	WH: 20%
				Data Year: 2023	Data Year: 2024
		Data Year: 2021	Data Year: 2022	Data Source: SARC and PowerBI	Data Source: SARC and PowerBI
				CAASPP Results	CAASPP Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
		Data Source: SARC and PowerBI CAASPP Results	Data Source: SARC and PowerBI CAASPP Results ** notes that not enough in the student group for a calculation.		
Participants in career- ready courses – Priority 8 local metric	327	Pro-skills – 527 CTE - 24 Data Year: 2021-22 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI	Pro-skills – 384 CTE - 24 Data Year: 2022-23 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI	CTE – 134 Pro Skills – 246 Data Year: 2023-24 LP 1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI	Pro-skills – 400 CTE - 40 Increase student in career-ready courses each year. Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Internal PowerBI
Percentage of CTE course and pathway completers – Priority 4	72% – CTE course completion rate & 0.07% - CTE pathway completer rate	 53% CTE course completion rate Data Year: 2021-22 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI 1.6% CTE pathway completer rate Data Year: 2020-21 Data Source:Internal PowerBI, CDE DataQuest 	 30% CTE course completion rate Data Year: 2022-23 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI 1.2% CTE pathway completer rate Data Year: 2021-22 Data Source:Internal PowerBI, CDE DataQuest 	 35% CTE course completion rate Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Internal PowerBI 2.5% CTE pathway completer rate Data Year: 2022-23 Data Source: CDE DataQuest 	 65% CTE course completion rate Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Internal PowerBI 5% CTE pathway completer rate Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: CDE DataQuest

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
Access to broad range of courses – Priority 7	100%	100% Data Year: 2021-22 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2021	100% Data Year: 2022-23 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2022	100% Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2023	100% Access to broad range of courses – All students have access to courses Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2024
Seniors complete A-G courses and CTE pathway completers with A-G – Priority 4	0% N/A - Seniors with CTE pathway and A-G completed	0.4% Seniors completing A-G courses 0.0% Seniors completing CTE and A-G Data Year: 2020-21 Data Source: CDE DataQuest	 1.2% Seniors completing A-G courses 0.0% Seniors completing CTE and A-G Data Year: 2021-22 Data Source: CDE DataQuest 	0.4% Seniors completing A-G courses 0.0% Seniors completing CTE and A-G Data Year: 2022-2023 Data Source: CDE DataQuest	2% A-G course completion 1% A-G + CTE completion Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: CDE DataQuest
CA Dashboard English Language Arts and Mathematics Status	Suspended	Suspended	ELA - low status Math - very low Status Data Year: 2021-22 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2022	ELA - Declined 11.5 Pts. Red Math - Declined 13.4 Pts. Red Data Year: 2022-23 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2023	ELA status will improve by 1 level. Math status will improve by 1 level. Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2024

Goal Analysis

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year. A description of any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions.

Our school used the following rating scale to determine its progress in implementing the actions to achieve the articulated goal. Ratings were based on an analysis of both input from educational partners and metrics.

Rating Scale (lowest to highest): 1 – Exploration and Research Phase; 2 – Beginning Development; 3 – Initial Implementation; 4 – Full Implementation; 5 – Full Implementation and Sustainability.

The actions outlined in Goal Two supported the progress in meeting the following goal: Students Will Gain Skills for College and Career-Readiness.

Action 2.1: Career and college-readiness for English learners, low-income, and foster youth students.

Implementation Status: 4 - Full Implementation

Through dual enrollment with local community colleges and CTE programs with Ventura County's Career Education Center, we have given students a broad range of college and career options. With the implementation of Edynamics as an additional avenue, students can choose from a wide range of pathways. There was no substantive difference in the planned action compared to the actual implementation.

Action 2.2: Professional development addressing English learners, low-income, and foster youth students.

Implementation Status: 5 - Full Implementation and Sustainability

Trainings, conferences, workshops, and Professional Learning Communities have helped build the capacity of teachers and staff to support our students. We engaged in ongoing professional development with a focus on the learning needs of EL, LI, and FY student groups. There was no substantive difference in the planned action compared to the actual implementation.

Action 2.3: Technology access and support.

Implementation Status: 5- Full Implementation and Sustainability

Students have a 1 -1 ratio of technology and use a variety of computerized resources to supplement their learning. There was no substantive difference in the planned action compared to the actual implementation.

Action 2.4: Support for standards-based curriculum and instruction

Implementation Status: 5- Full Implementation and Sustainability

Standards-aligned curriculum are continually updated and improved and coaching to support implementation is available in all subject areas. All actions were implemented as planned with no substantive differences.

Action 2.5: Educational materials for an effective program.

Implementation Status: 5- Full Implementation and Sustainability

All students have access to textbooks and curriculum both at home and at the school sites. Additionally, supplemental learning materials are replenished and updated regularly to meet students' needs. There was no substantive difference in the planned action compared to the actual implementation.

Action 2.6: Safe and secure facilities

Implementation Status: 5- Full Implementation and Sustainability

Our facilities are safe, clean, and modern learning environments that welcome all students, families, and community partners. Sites are annually monitored using the Facility Inspection Tool to maintain operating standards. There was no substantive difference in the planned action compared to the actual implementation.

Overall Successes: Our school was able to successfully implement our college and career readiness actions. Students have access to up-todate technology and resources as well as supplemental materials to aid them in their learning. We have dual enrollment partnerships with all local community colleges and have expanded this to other colleges, such as West Hills College, that offer online courses. Students also have access to a new platform called Edynamics where they can explore career fields including cosmetology, game design, culinary arts, and entrepreneurship. The addition of E-Sports also broadens our college and career opportunities. We hope for this option to grow in the coming years.

Overall Challenges: Our school was not able to fill the College and Career Coordinator position after year 2 and this impacted our Dual Enrollment and CTE programs. Despite this, our existing counseling staff and teachers were able to still support students in college and career related experiences and students still had access to a robust program.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

There were no material differences in the Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services, because actual expenditures were approximately the same as budgeted expenditures and principally directed towards our English language learners, low-income and foster youth students. We were able to meet our budgeted expenditures as shown in the 2023-2024 Contributing Actions Annual Update table for estimated actual expenditures. This is true for the LCFF funds. The Title 1 funds, which were used to support actions in Action 1.7 for interventions, were also fully expended.

An explanation of how effective or ineffective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal during the three-year LCAP cycle.

Our school used the following rating scale to determine the effectiveness of the actions to achieve the articulated goal. Ratings were based on an analysis of both inputs from educational partners and metrics. Rating Scale (lowest to highest): 1 – Not Effective; 2 – Somewhat Effective; 3 –Effective.

The actions outlined in Goal Two supported the progress in meeting the following goal: Students Will Gain Skills for College and Career-Readiness.

Action 2.1: Career and college-readiness for English learners, low-income, and foster youth students.

Effectiveness of Action: 3 - Effective

Metrics: Work Readiness and CTE courses, CTE and A-G.

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our data show that there are 110 more students in year 3 than in year 1 who have actively participated in a CTE course. We increased our CTE Pathway completer rate from 1.65% in year 1 to 2.5% in year 3. Given that the majority of our population is focused on credit recovery, it is great to see that many are completing CTE credits that are beyond the minimum requirements. Because of the feedback from teachers, we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

Action 2.2: Professional development addressing English learners, low-income and foster youth students.

Effectiveness of Action: 2 - Somewhat Effective

Metrics: CAASPP for English language Arts and Math.

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our CAASPP scores show how large the gaps in learning are for the students who enroll with us. Students who enroll at Vista Real are typically heavily deficient in credits and hence, have large academic gaps. The professional developments that we engage in help us identify and navigate those gaps to better engage students in learning. Because of the feedback from teachers, we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle with some changes to the design (see prompt 4).

Action 2.3: Technology access and support.

Effectiveness of Action: 3- Effective

Metric: 100% of students offered Chromebook and hotspot upon enrollment.

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, all of our students receive hot spots and computers so that they can complete coursework. Additionally, we have a wide variety of software and resources including Kami, IXL, and Illuminate so that students have the most up to date technology and are learning on modern platforms. Because of the positive feedback from educational partners, we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

Action 2.4: Support for standards-based curriculum and instruction.

Effectiveness of Action: 3- Effective

Metric: CDE Standards Implementation Rubric.

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our high-quality, standards-aligned curriculum continues to be effective. Our curriculum and PLC teams regularly review and update educational materials. They collaborate to make sure examples are relevant and the language is accessible to students. Coaching for all subjects is available through our Regional Instructional Specialists with guidance from our Curriculum and Instruction Coordinator. Because of the feedback from teachers, we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

Action 2.5: Educational materials for an effective program.

Effectiveness of Action: 3- Effective

Metric: Regional Monitoring by Instructional Specialists

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, all of our sites have adequate materials that are constantly being monitored by Regional Instructional Specialists. We continue to use state adopted textbooks, we have curriculum teams to monitor and update learning materials, and we supplement students' needs with basic classroom supplies, manipulatives, lab materials, and supplemental learning resources. Because of the feedback from teachers and staff, we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

Action 2.6: Safe and secure facilities. Effectiveness of Action: 3- Effective Metric: Facilities Inspection Tool (FIT) Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our Facility Inspection Tool showed that all of the areas earned an exemplary rating. Our learning centers are clean, safe, and modern. Design, layout, and furniture are conducive to learning and all sites are in easy to access locations. Because of the positive feedback from educational partners, we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

Action 2.2: Professional development addressing English learners, low-income and foster youth students. This action did not have the full intended outcome based on the associated metrics as described in prompt 3. Due to educational partner feedback from our PAC and ELAC and student feedback, we will continue to offer the action. Based on a collaborative evaluation and professional needs assessment of the current action, we identified that the reason for the ineffectiveness of this action was due to a lack of knowledge about how to incorporate professional learning into everyday practice. With support from Regional Instructional Specialists and Curriculum Coordinators, we will provide coaching and monitoring of the implementation of evidence-based teaching strategies. We will adjust the design of the action to ensure that English learners, foster youth, and students with disabilities experience increased success in the upcoming three-year LCAP cycle.

The following actions did have the intended outcome based on the associated metrics as described in prompt 3. Due to educational partner feedback from our PAC/ELAC, staff and student feedback, we will continue to offer theses actions. Based on a collaborative evaluation of the current actions, we believe these actions were effective:

Action 2.1: Career and college-readiness for English learners, low-income, and foster youth students.

Action 2.3: Technology access and support.

Action 2.4: Support for standards-based curriculum and instruction.

Action 2.5: Educational materials for an effective program.

Action 2.6: Safe and secure facilities.

A report of the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for last year's actions may be found in the Annual Update Table. A report of the Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services for last year's actions may be found in the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table. Table.

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description
3	Increase Student Retention:
	This is a maintenance goal for student retention. It is designed to continue the success we have had with addressing student disengagement from their schooling and supporting their decision to either rematriculate or graduate through our program. We have safe and welcoming facilities, with a positive school climate, which effectively encourages students to remain engaged in their schooling experience.

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
Success Rate – local metric (graduation, retention, rematriculate)	90.1%	All: 89.81% Data Year: 21-22 LP1- 7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI	All: 93.71% Data Year: 22-23 LP1- 7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI	All: 94.91% Data Year: 2023-24 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBl	80% or higher Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Internal PowerBI
School Facilities rating – Priority 1	Good Condition	All facilities Met Exemplary Condition Data Year: 21-22 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2021	All facilities Met Exemplary Condition Data Year: 22-23 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2022	Exemplary Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2023	Exemplary Condition Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2024
Retention rate – local metric	86.4%	All: 80% Data Year: 21-22 LP1- 7	All: 89% Data Year: 22-23 LP1- 7	All: 89.34% Data Year: 2023-24 LP1-7	80% or higher Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Internal PowerBI

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
		Data Source: Internal PowerBl	Data Source: Internal PowerBl	Data Source: Internal PowerBI	
Attendance rate – Priority 5	66.83%	All: 78.66% Data Year: 21-22 LP1- 7 Data Source: Internal SIS	All: 79.48% Data Year: 22-23 LP1- 7 Data Source: Internal SIS	All: 84% Data Year: 2023-24 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal SIS	85% or higher Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Internal SIS
Non-completer rate(dropout) – local metric	8.7%	All: 8.6% Data Year: 21-22 LP1- 7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI	All: 6.29% Data Year: 22-23 LP1- 7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI	All: 5.97% Data Year: 2023-24 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI	10% or lower non- completer rate (dropout) Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Internal PowerBI
Suspension rate – Priority 6	0%	All: 0% Data Year: 21-22 LP1- 7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI and Dashboard 2021	All: 0.05% Data Year: 22-23 LP1- 7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI and Dashboard 2022	All: 0% Data Year: 2023-24 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI and Dashboard 2023	0% - Low rate Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2024
Expulsion rate – Priority 6	0%	All: 0% Data Year: 21-22 LP1- 7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI and Dashboard 2021	All: 0% Data Year: 22-23 LP1- 7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI and Dashboard 2022	All: 0% Data Year: 2023-24 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI and Dashboard 2023	0% - Low rate Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Dashboard Fall 2024

Goal Analysis

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.

A description of any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions.

Our school used the following rating scale to determine its progress in implementing the actions to achieve the articulated goal. Ratings were based on an analysis of both input from educational partners and metrics.

Rating Scale (lowest to highest): 1 – Exploration and Research Phase; 2 – Beginning Development; 3 – Initial Implementation; 4 – Full Implementation; 5 – Full Implementation and Sustainability.

The actions outlined in Goal Three supported the progress in meeting the following goal: Increase Student Retention.

Action 3.1: Student retention

Implementation Status: 5- Full Implementation and Sustainability

We maintain a high success rate as well as a high retention rate. Our Student Retention Specialists continue their outreach to keep students engaged in school and monitor their academic progress. There was no substantive difference in the planned action compared to the actual implementation.

Action 3.2: Social and emotional supports

Implementation Status: 5- Full Implementation and Sustainability

Many of our students carry heavy social-emotional trauma. This is most true with our English learners, foster youth, and low-income students. We continue to support their learning with counseling and community resources, social workers, and trauma-informed practices. There were no substantive differences in the planned action compared to the actual implementation.

Action 3.3: Access to transportation

Implementation Status: 5- Full Implementation and Sustainability

We continue to support our students by providing transportation so that students can regularly attend school and school related events. Public transportation for students is free in our county, but some students, primarily foster youth, require additional means of transportation. In these cases, HopSkipDrive is used so that they can attend school. There was no substantive difference in the planned action compared to the actual implementation.

Action 3.4: Access to nutrition

Implementation Status: 4- Full Implementation

We provide students with snacks and fresh food, daily. We offer items such as fruit and vegetable pouches, granola bars, fruit and trail mix. Fresh items include hamburgers, quesadillas, sandwiches and wraps. We are partnering with a new vendor and will establish a contract for the next year. There was no substantive difference in the planned action compared to the actual implementation.

Action 3.5: Title 1 – Helping homeless Implementation Status: 5- Full Implementation and Sustainability Using Title 1 reservations for direct and indirect services for homeless youth, we provided students with hygiene items, warm clothing for winter, and supplies for school. The action was implemented as planned with no substantive differences.

Overall Successes: Our school was able to successfully reduce our non-completer rate from a baseline of 8.7% to 5.97% in year 3 and increase our success rate from 89.81% in year 1 to 94.91% in year 3. This is a result of the student retention support staff and counseling staff continuously working to address barriers to learning. In the past 3 years, there has been an increased need for social-emotional support. There were big changes in our program, and in education as a whole, and we were able to successfully support students and keep them engaged by recognizing and mitigating their needs outside of school.

Overall Challenges: Our school periodically faced challenges with food vendors throughout the last 3 years. We contract with vendors to have fresh, nutritious food available, daily, for students. During the period of remote learning as directed by state and county guidance, food vendors were halted. Then, with a slow return to on-site learning, our food needs were low, at first. We discontinued fresh food delivery and supplemented it with snacks and non-perishable items for students. Then, with inflationary periods following the pandemic, finding the right vendor, at a manageable cost, has been a challenge. We continue to offer fresh and non-perishable foods for students and are now in the early stages of establishing a new contract with a vendor.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

There were no material differences in the Planned Percentages of Improved Services; and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services; because actual expenditures were approximately the same as budgeted expenditures and principally directed towards our English language learners, low-income and foster youth students. We were able to meet our budgeted expenditures as shown in the 2023-2024 Contributing Actions Annual Update table for estimated actual expenditures. This is true for the LCFF funds. The Title 1 funds, which were used to support actions in Action 3.5 for homeless students, were also fully expended.

An explanation of how effective or ineffective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal during the three-year LCAP cycle.

Our school used the following rating scale to determine the effectiveness of the actions to achieve the articulated goal. Ratings were based on an analysis of both inputs from educational partners and metrics. Rating Scale (lowest to highest): 1 – Not Effective; 2 – Somewhat Effective; 3 –Effective.

The actions outlined in Goal Three helped make progress towards the LEA's goal: Increase Student Retention.

Action 3.1: Student retention Effectiveness of Action: 3- Effective Metric: Retention Rate Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our retention rate data show an increase year over year. It is important to note that year 1 saw a decline from baseline by approximately 6%, but this was primarily due to county and state requirements for remote learning. There was growth each year to a final retention rate of 89.34%, almost 10% above our desired outcome. School retention staff work closely with teachers and counselors to keep students engaged in their education. Because of the positive impact and feedback from parents and students, this action will be continued into the next three-year cycle.

Action 3.2: Social and emotional supports

Effectiveness of Action: 3- Effective

Metric: Success Rate

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our success rate shows that our efforts to support students' social emotional wellbeing have been effective. Our success rate remained high for all three years of this LCAP cycle, save for a nominal decline from baseline in year 1. Years 2 and 3 have success rates well above our baseline with 93.71% and 94.91%, respectively. Addressing social-emotional needs and intertwining this into their learning supports students' overall growth and allows them to be engaged academically. Because of the feedback from educational partners, we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

Action 3.3: Access to transportation

Effectiveness of Action: 3 - Effective

Metric: Attendance Rate

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our attendance rate shows an increase year over year. With a baseline of 66.83%, our attendance rate grew to 84% by the end of year 3. Our efforts to support students' transportation needs helps them be engaged in school. We provide buses to and from school events and field trips, we utilize local transportation options such as city bus lines, and we support foster and homeless youth with transportation to and from school through HopSkipDrive. Because of the positive feedback from parents and students, as well as school staff, we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

Action 3.4: Access to nutrition

Effectiveness of Action: 3 - Effective

Metric: Non-completer Rate

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, we've successfully maintained a non-completer rate well below our desired outcome and have even reduced it each year. Our non-completer rate for year 3 was 5.97%, which is 2.73% below our baseline data. This data, along with a growing attendance rate and success rate, shows us that students are remaining engaged in their education and we are tackling learning loss and academic disengagement. Providing nutrition to students is key in maintaining this engagement. Many students in our community have food insecurity and seek resources from the school. We support students' well being by offering healthy food and snacks to students, daily. A teacher noted that "the nutrition options available on campus have increased the ability of some students to stay for extended periods of time and successfully complete work." Because of the positive feedback from educational partners, we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

Action 3.5: Title 1 – Helping homeless Effectiveness of Action: 3 - Effective Metric: Percentage of Homeless Served Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, all of our homeless students were provided services this year. Using our Title 1 reservations, we provided homeless students with hygiene items, warm clothing for winter, and supplies for school. Students also benefited from services provided by our comprehensive counseling and social work team. Because of the feedback from teachers, we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

The following actions did have the intended outcome based on the associated metrics as described in prompt 3. Due to educational partner feedback from our PAC/ELAC, staff and student feedback, we will continue to offer these actions. Based on a collaborative evaluation of the current actions, we believe these actions were effective:

Action 3.1: Student retention Action 3.2: Social and emotional supports Action 3.3: Access to transportation Action 3.4: Access to nutrition Action 3.5: Title 1 – Helping homeless

A report of the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for last year's actions may be found in the Annual Update Table. A report of the Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services for last year's actions may be found in the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table. Table.

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description
4	Increase Educational Partner Engagement:
	This is a maintenance goal for increasing educational partner engagement. We believe in the power of parent/guardian participation in impacting their student's academic progress. We believe parents/guardians can be invited and encouraged to participate in meaningful ways to promote positive school outcomes.

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
Parent conferences, events, celebrations – local metric	1900	1812 participants Data Year: 2021-22 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal Monitoring	1400 participants Data Year: 2022-23 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal Monitoring	2099 participants Data Year: 2023-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal Monitoring	Participants of Parent conferences, events, celebrations are at or above enrollment each year Data Year: 2023-24 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal Monitoring
Parent Advisory/ ELAC – participation all year - local metric	69	133 participants Data Year: 2021-22 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal Monitoring	124 participants Data Year: 2022-23 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal Monitoring	291 participants to date Data Year: 2023-24 LP1-7 Data Source: Internal Monitoring	150 participants Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Internal Monitoring

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
Efforts to seek parent input – school survey - Priority 3	82% Feel It's Easy to Contact Teacher	87% Feel Encouraged to Participate	83% Feel Encouraged to Participate	81% Feel Encouraged to Participate	90% Feel Encouraged to Participate
		Data Year: 2021-22 LP1-7 Data Source: School Survey	Data Year: 2022-23 LP1-7 Data Source: School Survey	Data Year: 2023-24 LP1-7 Data Source: School Survey	Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: School Survey
Students feel safe – Priority 6	96% Feel Safe	100% Feel Safe	100% Feel Safe	100% Feel Safe	90% Feel safe
		Data Year: 2021-22 LP1-7 Data Source: School Survey	Data Year: 2022-23 LP1-7 Data Source: School Survey	Data Year: 2023-24 LP1-7 Data Source: School Surve	Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: School Survey
Students feel connected – Priority 6	53% Feel Connected	99% Feel Connected	98% Feel Connected	97% Feel Connected	90% Feel connected
		Data Year: 2021-22 LP1-7 Data Source: School Survey	Data Year: 2022-23 LP1-7 Data Source: School Survey	Data Year: 2023-24 LP1-7 Data Source: School Survey	Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: School Survey
Teachers feel safe– Priority 6	44% Concerned	100% Feel Safe	99% Feel Safe	99% Feel Safe	90% Feel safe
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Teachers feel connected– Priority 6	86% Have Teammate	100% Feel Connected	100% Feel Connected	99% Feel Connected	90% Feel connected
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Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24

Goal Analysis

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year. A description of any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions.

Our school used the following rating scale to determine its progress in implementing the actions to achieve the articulated goal. Ratings were based on an analysis of both input from educational partners and metrics.

Rating Scale (lowest to highest): 1 – Exploration and Research Phase; 2 – Beginning Development; 3 – Initial Implementation; 4 – Full Implementation; 5 – Full Implementation and Sustainability.

The actions outlined in Goal Four supported the progress in meeting the following goal: Increase Educational Partner Engagement.

Action 4.1: Community/Parent Liaison and meaningful school activities

Implementation Status: 5 - Full Implementation and Sustainability

Our Community Liaison successfully engaged with the surrounding community and brought local partners into our school. We held open houses at each of our sites where community partners were tabled and shared resources with our students and families. We participated in community events such street fairs, festivals, and parades where we shared information about our program and the wrap-around services we offer. We held quarterly parent meetings including PAC/ELAC and had workshops and activities that engaged parents and students. There is no substantive difference in the planned action compared to the actual implementation.

Action 4.2: Translation and outreach services

Implementation Status: 4 - Full Implementation

All documents that are sent home are translated into the student's primary language in order to make school information accessible to families. This increases the sense of connectedness to the school. The Community Liaison and other school staff utilize translation and outreach services to increase communication with our English learners, foster youth, and low-income families. There is no substantive difference in the planned action compared to the actual implementation.

Action 4.3: Educational partner engagement

Implementation Status: 4 - Full Implementation

Our Community Liaison is the primary connection between local resources and our student community. Through our Community Liaison, we coordinate with local organizations to participate in school events in order to bring their resources to our students and families. This creates a strong partnership that supports student learning at school, in the home, and in the community. There was no substantive difference in the planned action compared to the actual implementation.

Action 4.4: Title 1 – Parent engagement

Implementation Status: 4 - Full Implementation

Parents and families engaged with school staff at the Title 1 Annual Meeting. This event was held in-person, on-site for participants to learn more about Title 1 funding and how it is used to support our literacy program. Parents and families were able to ask questions and provide feedback on ways to improve our program. There was no substantive difference in the planned action compared to the actual implementation.

Overall Successes: Our school was able to successfully engage educational partners and gather stronger feedback for our LCAP, CSI plan, and Title 1. We received informative and actionable feedback from educational partners through surveys, parent/teacher conferences, and various school events including PAC/ELAC. Participation in the annual survey increased this year, and our community involvement and partnerships were maintained.

Overall Challenges: While attendance at PAC/ELAC and other school events is growing, it has been difficult to find educational partners who are committed to being long term participants in our PAC and ELAC. This is where the most authentic feedback is gathered and because attendance is transitory, parents often do not actively participate and share input without first being asked. We want to build the capacity of our parents to be more active school partners.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

There were no material differences in the Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services; because actual expenditures were approximately the same as budgeted expenditures and principally directed towards our English language learners, low-income and foster youth students. We were able to meet our budgeted expenditures as shown in the 2023-2024 Contributing Actions Annual Update table for estimated actual expenditures. This is true for the LCFF funds. The Title 1 funds, which were used to support actions in Action 4 for Parent Engagement, were also fully expended.

An explanation of how effective or ineffective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal during the three-year LCAP cycle.

Our school used the following rating scale to determine the effectiveness of the actions to achieve the articulated goal. Ratings were based on an analysis of both inputs from educational partners and metrics. Rating Scale (lowest to highest): 1 – Not Effective; 2 – Somewhat Effective; 3 –Effective.

The actions outlined in Goal Four helped make progress towards the LEA's goal: Increase Educational Partner Engagement.

Action 4.1: Community/Parent Liaison and meaningful school activities Effectiveness of Action: 3 - Effective

Metric: Participation Counts

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our participation count data show that we are engaging educational partners well beyond our desired outcomes. We had a baseline parent participation count of 1900 and ended year 3 with 2099 participants. Attendance at our PAC and ELAC also exceeded our baseline and desired outcomes. We more than quadrupled attendance from baseline to year 3, with 291 educational partners in attendance. This is a result of our Community Liaison's outreach efforts. Because of the feedback from parents and students, we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

Action 4.2: Translation and outreach services

Effectiveness of Action: 3 - Effective

Metric: PAC/ELAC Participation

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our PAC/ELAC participation is at its highest level since baseline. Educational partners are attending and participating in conversations around programmatic issues. Important information shared at PAC and ELAC events are live translated for all participants. Documents that are sent home are also translated to the student's home language. This has increased engagement with parents. Because of the positive feedback from teachers, we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

Action 4.3: Educational partner engagement

Effectiveness of Action: 3 - Effective

Metric: School Survey Data

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our school survey data show that 81% of parents feel encouraged to participate. Of the students surveyed, 100% report feeling safe at school and 97% report feeling connected. Staff also report feeling safe and connected at school with responses in both of these areas at 99%. This tells us that we have a strong school culture. Survey participation and event participation was high and coupled with the positive results from the school survey, we can conclude that educational partner engagement is strong. Because of positive feedback from educational partners, we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

Action 4.4: Title 1 – Parent engagement

Effectiveness of Action: 3 - Effective

Metric: Title 1 Meeting Participation

Analysis Statement: As noted in the metric section above, our Title 1 Meeting participation shows that our efforts to engage parents has been effective. Parents attended the Title 1 Annual Meeting and learned more about how we are using the funds to support our literacy program. The Title 1 reservation for Parent Engagement was used for outreach and translation services and because of these efforts, attendance at the Title 1 meeting was high. Because of the feedback from teachers, we will continue this action into the new three-year cycle.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

The following actions did have the intended outcome based on the associated metrics as described in prompt 3. Due to educational partner feedback from our PAC/ELAC, staff and student feedback, we will continue to offer the actions. Based on a collaborative evaluation of the current action, we believe these actions were effective:

Action 4.1: Community/Parent Liaison and meaningful school activities Action 4.2: Translation and outreach services Action 4.3: Educational partner engagement Action 4.4: Title 1 – Parent engagement

A report of the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for last year's actions may be found in the Annual Update Table. A report of the Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services for last year's actions may be found in the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table. Table.

Instructions

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Complete the prompts as instructed for each goal included in the 2023–24 LCAP. Duplicate the tables as needed. The 2023–24 LCAP Annual Update must be included with the 2024–25 LCAP.

Goals and Actions

Goal(s)

Description:

Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023-24 LCAP.

Measuring and Reporting Results

• Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

Metric:

• Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

Baseline:

• Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

Year 1 Outcome:

• Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

Year 2 Outcome:

• Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

Year 3 Outcome:

• When completing the 2023–24 LCAP Annual Update, enter the most recent data available. Indicate the school year to which the data applies.

Desired Outcome for 2023–24:

• Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

Timeline for completing the "Measuring and Reporting Results" part of the Goal.

					Desired Outcome
Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	for Year 3
					(2023–24)
Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.	Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.	Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.	Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.	Enter information in this box when completing the 2023–24 LCAP Annual Update.	Copy and paste verbatim from the 2023–24 LCAP.

Goal Analysis

Using actual annual measurable outcome data, including data from the Dashboard, analyze whether the planned actions were effective in achieving the goal. Respond to the prompts as instructed.

A description of any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions.

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• Describe the overall implementation of the actions to achieve the articulated goal. Include a discussion of relevant challenges and successes experienced with the implementation process. This must include any instance where the LEA did not implement a planned action or implemented a planned action in a manner that differs substantively from how it was described in the adopted LCAP.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

• Explain material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and between the Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services, as applicable. Minor variances in expenditures or percentages do not need to be addressed, and a dollar-for-dollar accounting is not required.

An explanation of how effective or ineffective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal during the three-year LCAP cycle.

- Describe the effectiveness or ineffectiveness of the specific actions in making progress toward the goal during the three-year LCAP cycle. "Effectiveness" means the degree to which the actions were successful in producing the desired result and "ineffectiveness" means that the actions did not produce any significant or desired result.
 - o In some cases, not all actions in a goal will be intended to improve performance on all of the metrics associated with the goal.
 - When responding to this prompt, LEAs may assess the effectiveness of a single action or group of actions within the goal in the context of performance on a single metric or group of specific metrics within the goal that are applicable to the action(s). Grouping actions with metrics will allow for more robust analysis of whether the strategy the LEA is using to impact a specified set of metrics is working and increase transparency for educational partners. LEAs are encouraged to use such an approach when goals include multiple actions and metrics that are not closely associated.
 - Beginning with the development of the 2024–25 LCAP, the LEA must change actions that have not proven effective over a three-year period.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

- Describe any changes made to this goal, expected outcomes, metrics, or actions to achieve this goal as a result of this analysis and analysis of the data provided in the Dashboard or other local data, as applicable.
 - As noted above, beginning with the development of the 2024–25 LCAP, the LEA must change actions that have not proven effective over a three-year period. For actions that have been identified as ineffective, the LEA must identify the ineffective action and must include a description of the following:
 - The reasons for the ineffectiveness, and
 - How changes to the action will result in a new or strengthened approach.

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Local Control and Accountability Plan

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Plan Summary [2024-25]

General Information

A description of the LEA, its schools, and its students in grades transitional kindergarten-12, as applicable to the LEA.

Vista Real is a Dashboard Alternative School Status (DASS) program that offers a personalized education for high school students/families who prefer an Independent Study approach to learning. We have 6 locations throughout Ventura County in order to maximize student access. We are a year-round charter school offering both credit recovery and accelerated learning pathways for our 1311 students. The current enrollment includes 17% English learners, 82% socioeconomically disadvantaged, 2% foster youth, and 21% students with disabilities.

We serve a diverse community of students who enroll at Vista Real seeking an alternative to the traditional school systems. Many students require a more flexible educational program so that they can better balance their responsibilities outside of school. We're seeing an increase in students who need to work more, in order to help their families make ends meet. We're seeing an increase in students who grow tired of the social demands of traditional school settings. We're seeing an increase in students who are disengaged academically, because of the lack of direct, one-on-one support.

Vista Real offers a combination of site-based learning, independent study, and distance learning to allow for flexibility and personalization of each student's educational experience. This, maximize their potential to succeed, while also allowing them time to manage other demands in their lives. We offer a uniquely structured academic program, rigorously guided by the California Subject Area Content Standards that provides a challenging, yet highly individualized, educational program for students.

Modern and diverse, student-centered campuses offer an environment in which all students are held to high academic and behavioral standards. We seek 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. Students collaborate with a comprehensive team of educators, counselors, and support staff to individualize the learning process. This one-on-one, personalized attention allows each student to thrive in their own way and at their own pace.

The 2023-24 School Year was the third year that Vista Real accepted Title 1 funds to support our schoolwide program. The use of the Title 1 funds are described in this LCAP, in order to meet the School Plan for Student Achievement (SPSA) requirements. The Title 1 funds may be used to supplement the strategic plan directed at helping our at-risk students meet state standards and graduate. We are using the LCAP to fulfill the planning requirements for Comprehensive Support and Improvement (CSI) and Differentiated Assistance (DA). The LEA did not receive Equity Multiplier Funding.

Reflections: Annual Performance

A reflection on annual performance based on a review of the California School Dashboard (Dashboard) and local data.

Reflections: Successes

We analyzed our school data from the CA Dashboard, DataQuest, our SARC, and our LCAP Annual Data Report, which aligns with the 8 state priorities. Although the school is identified for Comprehensive Support and Improvement (CSI) due to the federal graduation rate, and for Differentiated Assistance for Dashboard student groups in the red, there were significant successes as shared in the key metrics below.

Attendance

Our attendance rate is high at 84.0%, which is a +17.17 percentage point increase from our baseline. We believe that the re-engagement strategies that we implemented to help students and families during the crisis, also contributed to increasing the student's average attendance rate. Our teachers and retention support staff worked to address the serious concerns we had for students dropping out. Building relationships and staying connected to students has kept the non-completer rate at 5.97%, which is an improvement of +2.73 points from the baseline. This means we improved on keeping students enrolled in school and attending regularly.

Success Rate

Another important measure for us is our success rate. This is the percentage of students who graduate, are retained with us, or have returned to their local school district. Our success rate this year is 94.91% and is up +4.81 percentage points from the baseline. We are +1.91 points above our desired outcome of 80%. Our success rate has been high over the last three years and shows that our mission of meeting students' academic and social-emotional needs continues to be effective.

Retention Rate

One critical focus of our program is to improve the performance of our disengaged students and address social-emotional concerns such as trauma. We identify, early on, which students are not completing their schoolwork and then assign them tutors as an additional layer of support in their learning. On average, our retention rate, which includes students who remain with us or who rematriculate to their local district, was 89.34% which is +2.94 percentage points from our baseline. We are above our expected outcome. This is due to the collaborative teamwork between our teachers, tutors, and counselors.

Graduation Rate

Our Dashboard Alternative School Status one-year graduation rate was calculated at 75.9%. This is an increase of +13.3 percentage points from our baseline. Low-income, Hispanics, and students with disabilities were above the All student group. The White student group graduated just below the All student group. This shows that our mission of meeting students' academic and social-emotional needs was effective.

Credit Completion

Our credit completion rate is a very important local metric that helps to monitor progress towards graduation. Credit completion has increased over the last two years. With additional supports in place, such as tutoring, our students were able to earn on average +15% more credits as compared to our baseline for our All student group. Our students with disabilities earned a higher credit completion rate than the All group. English language learners, low-income and foster youth student groups were just below the All group. We plan to increase our success with our students by increasing such support as tutoring, especially for all seniors.

English Learner Progress

The CA Dashboard ELPI is green and shows 49.8% making progress towards English proficiency. This is a +5.6% increase from the previous year. This is also higher than the EPLI state average of 48.7%. Our English Learner Reclassification Rate also increased from a baseline of 6.0% to 12.0% this year. This is was above the CA Average.

Suspension Rate

Suspension rate was rated blue, which is "Very Low" on the CA Dashboard. It was 0%, which is the same as the previous year. Homeless and White students were in the green. The Hispanic and socioeconomically disadvantaged students also had 0% suspensions. There were no expulsions.

School Survey Results

Our school survey data shows that 97% of our students felt connected this year. This is an increase of +44 points from our baseline and +7 points over our expected outcome. This is an important metric for us, and we expect it to be higher each year. Face-to-face interaction with a caring adult will help students feel connected. Additionally, 100% of the students surveyed said that they feel safe at school. It is very important to us to ensure that we are doing everything possible to provide students with time and attention to support their well-being. Teachers also reported that 99% are feeling safe and 99% feel connected to the school. We have high expectations for school safety and connection, and we intend to continue to improve our school connectedness.

Parents are encouraged to participate in their student's education as well as school activities, events, and celebrations. This year we had more than twice as many parents participate in our PAC and ELAC meetings than in out baseline data.

Standards were met for the following state indicators:

- * Parent Engagement,
- * Local Climate Survey,
- * Access to a Broad Course of Study,
- * Basic Teacher and Instructional Materials, and

* Implementation of Academic Standards.

How will we maintain our success?

We plan to maintain and build on our success by implementing our LCAP actions to fidelity, carefully monitoring our progress, and by discussing our results within our Professional Learning Community. We will continue to grow in our capacity as we engage in a process of continual improvement based on the Plan-Do-Study-Act model. Data discussions with teachers and administration will be grounded in learning community protocols aimed at improving performance on student outcomes.

The goals and actions articulated in our LCAP support our personalize learning model and adequate funding is provided to ensure that effective strategic supports such as tutors, student retention services, and trauma-informed trained teachers continue. We monitor the progress of our students through multiple measures around engagement and academic performance. LCAP data and other local data are discussed quarterly and shared with our educational partners, including the school board.

Due to the nature of our credit recovery, independent study, and Dashboard Alternative School Status program, certain data points are not included in the LCAP. Students do not take Advance Placement, or pass EAP in any amount greater than 11, and the CDE prohibits any potentially identifying student data. The federal calculation for the 4-5 year cohort graduation rate and the chronic absenteeism rate are also not a match for our program, because the calculations are for district seat-based programs and not short-term independent study programs that have students with high mobility. We utilize alternative metrics such as the one-year DASS graduation rate and local attendance rates to monitor and report our students' progress towards graduation. Furthermore, our dropout rate is calculated as our non-completer rate, which tracks any student who does not report to us that they have continued with another program to complete their education.

Reflections: Identified Need

This year our school is participating in Differentiated Assistance, and we are working with county experts on performing a robust needs assessment for student groups in the red on the CA Dashboard. We also used additional state and local metrics to identify student groups' performance gaps and resource inequities. We used student outcomes data from the latest CA Dashboard, DataQuest, CALPADS reports, and local LCAP data tracking. The data shows that multiple areas must be addressed as goals and actions in the LCAP. Our internal data collection and reporting system uses metrics that are aligned with state indicators and local performance indicators. We regularly monitor and evaluate our identified outcomes, so that we can make program adjustments in areas that require improvement. As a professional network, we used a fishbone protocol for our needs assessment around our low graduation results and academic scores. This revealed that multiple causes contributing to the graduation rate need to be managed. These include credit completion, attendance, student motivation, parent engagement, and tutoring.

Last year, our school was identified for Comprehensive Support and Improvement (CSI), as the result of a low federal 4-5 year cohort graduation rate. Each year, we engage in a cycle of improvement and examine school data to determine if we will need to readdress actions in the areas of graduation, credit completion, EL reclassification, and academic indicators by increasing tutoring support for students who are in line to graduate.

State performance indicators from the California School Dashboard show the following indicators were very low:

5-Year Cohort Graduation Rate

The federal 4-5 year cohort graduation rate was very low and qualified us for CSI. The 5-year graduation rate was 18.5% in 2023 and declined 10.8% from the previous year. This is far below the 68% federal threshold. The student group data used in our analysis is from the CA Dashboard. The lowest performing student groups in the red were Hispanic, White, socioeconomically disadvantaged, English learners, homeless, and students with disabilities groups. They were below the All group. No other student groups earned a performance color. We recognize the inequities between the highest student group and the other student groups and our plan to address the gap in graduation scores is outlined in our CSI plan and in the LCAP.

CA Dashboard English Language Arts

Our Academic Indicator for English Language Arts for the All student group performed at 55.1 points below standard and received a red status. This was a 11.5-point decline from the previous year. The Hispanic, socioeconomically disadvantaged, and students with disabilities groups were below standard and earned a red status. The White student group was yellow. All other student groups did not have enough students for a status to be calculated.

CAASPP English Language Arts

The CAASPP scores also showed that 30% of our 11th graders were meeting or exceeding standards. This was a 5-point decrease from the previous year. Most of our students come to us heavily deficient in credits and skills and they score at the 7th grade level in reading. The student groups who were well below the All group were English learners at 0%, students with disabilities at 14%, and Hispanic students at 27%. Homeless and low-income students were also below at 25% and 27%, respectively. This is because we serve students who are traditionally 3-4 grade levels behind in their schooling.

CA Dashboard Mathematics

The Academic Indicator for Mathematics for the All student group has a red status and was far below standard. We declined 13.4 points and did not grow compared to the previous year. Our Hispanic, socioeconomically disadvantaged, and students with disabilities groups were also far below standard and earned a red status. In the orange was our White student group. All other groups did not have enough students for a calculation to be made.

CAASPP Mathematics

Our 11th graders scored 4% meeting standards on the CAASPP for Mathematics. This is a 3 percentage point decrease from last year, and it's always an important area for improvement, because of the nature of the students we serve. Our Hispanic and low-income students scored at 3%. The students with disabilities group scored at 2% and English learners scored at 0%. This is because students who enroll with us are typically 3-4 grade levels behind in their schooling.

School Survey Results

On the school survey, 81% of parents said that they feel encouraged to participate this year, which is a -1 point decrease from our baseline. We are below our expected outcome of 90%. We value parent input and participation, so we are concerned about these results. However, our parent participation in school activities and ELAC has grown significantly compared to the baseline data.

Reflections: Technical Assistance

As applicable, a summary of the work underway as part of technical assistance.

As part of receiving technical assistance, our school has begun working with Kern County Superintendent of Schools. We have met with them 3 times and our DA team continues to get support from them each month. Our collaborative DA team analyzed the CA Dashboard Academic Performance Indicator results and identified the student groups in the red were our English learners, Hispanic, homeless, socioeconomically disadvantaged, students with disabilities, and our white students. Our White student group was orange math. We have done a needs assessment to identify root causes and worked with the county on possible actions that could improve our student outcomes. We have decided to build our capacity to better implement SIOP strategies in one-on-one and small group instruction. We expect this adjustment to have a positive impact on our student groups' performance on the Dashboard.

Comprehensive Support and Improvement

An LEA with a school or schools eligible for comprehensive support and improvement must respond to the following prompts.

Schools Identified

A list of the schools in the LEA that are eligible for comprehensive support and improvement.

Vista Real Charter High School is a single-school Local Education Agency.

Support for Identified Schools

A description of how the LEA has or will support its eligible schools in developing comprehensive support and improvement plans.

We are a single-school LEA with Dashboard Alternative School Status. This is a summary of how we supported ourselves in the development of the Comprehensive Support and Improvement plan. With guidance and training from the CDE, the county, and our local professional network, we did the following:

* We assigned our State and Federal Programs Coordinator to provide leadership for the school in conducting a needs assessment. This was done by analyzing the 5-year cohort graduation data to identity gaps and inequities between the highest student group and the other groups. The results are described in the Identified Needs section in the LCAP Plan Summary. Our framework was Carnegie's Improvement Science and our model is the Plan-Do-Study-Act process for continual improvement.

* The type of data collected for the needs assessment was CA Dashboard data in math, ELA, and graduation results, attendance data, tutoring participation data, and credit completion data.

* The data informed the CSI plan by guiding the root cause analysis towards intensive tutoring, as a viable research-based strategy that would increase student math skills, credit completion and therefore graduation rates. The data revealed that students who participated in tutoring had 50% more credits completed than those who did not. As a result, Goal 1 Action 3 in the LCAP provides for intensive tutoring.

* Educational partners were engaged in the process though meetings held by leadership where data was shared. Leadership also elicited

consultation from the ELAC, the PAC, staff and student groups. Our discussions centered on equity for all students with regards to learning expectations, obstacles to achieving their potential, and access to quality materials and instructional support such as tutoring. Additionally, as a professional network of DASS independent study schools, we reviewed graduation data using the fishbone protocol. This helped to reveal root causes. A deeper dive was done through the fishbone protocol with our admin team around credit completion rates and the potential resource inequities questions helped frame our analysis. We then engaged our educational partners, PAC/ELAC parents, students, teachers, classified staff, and administration in the analysis of the data. This led to their support for Goal 1 Action 3, which is assigning intensive tutoring for students as the means to improve the graduation rate.

Evidence-Based Intervention – Intensive Tutoring

The State and Federal Programs Coordinator supported the school by leading the principal's team through the needs assessment, identifying evidence-based strategies. They then led the staff through the selection of evidence-based strategies at their staff meeting.

The process for matching the selected intervention with the identified need was a collaborative endeavor through our professional network. We met regularly to study the data. From our needs assessment, we saw that those who attended tutoring earned 50% more credits, and we came to believe that tutoring could potentially close credit completion gaps. We then investigated other best practices for improving graduation.

With guidance from CDE and county offices, we searched out solutions to improving our graduation rate and we were guided to the following evidence-based research. In determining the selection of strategies to improve graduation, we considered and identified the following evidence-based research interventions from these sources:

• Evidence Based Resources Keeping Students on Track to Graduation (2012) – Center for Equity and Excellence in Education (LACOE Resource).

• Department of Education: Using Evidence to Strengthen Education Investments (2016).

• What Works Clearinghouse - The Institute of Science Education, Preventing Dropout in Secondary Schools, Educator's Practice Guide, (2017): <u>https://ies.ed.gov/ncee/wwc/docs/practiceguide/wwc_dropout_092617.pdf</u>

• Addressing unfinished learning with targeted help and high dosage tutoring: Thomas Fordham Institute 2021. Found at https://fordhaminstitute.org/national/commentary/addressing-unfinished- learning-targeted-help-and-high-dosage-tutoring.

• High Quality Tutoring: An Evidence-Based Strategy to Tackle Learning Loss: Pamela Fong, REL West 2021. Found at <u>https://ies.ed.gov/ncee/edlabs/regions/west/Blogs/Details/34.</u>

• The impressive effects of tutoring on preK–12 learning: A systematic review and meta-analysis of the experimental evidence, Andre Joshua Nickow, Philip Oreopoulos, and Vincent Quan, Annenberg Institute at Brown University 2020.

 Not Too Late: Improving Academic Outcomes for Disadvantaged Youth: Philip Cook, Kenneth Dodge, George Farkas, Roland Fryer, Johnathan Guryan, Jens Ludwig, Susan Mayer, Harold Pollack, and Laurence Steinberg; Institute for Policy Research, 2015. Found at 2024-25 Local Control and Accountability Plan for Vista Real Charter High School
Page 7 of 104 https://scholar.harvard.edu/sites/scholar.harvard.edu/files/fryer/files/not too late. improving academic outcomes for disadvantaged youth _2015.pdfin.

This research on math tutoring, used a randomized controlled trial, with 2,718 males in the ninth and tenth grades, from the south and west sides of Chicago. They were 90% on free and reduced lunch programs and 95% were either African American or Hispanic. They demonstrated an increase in math scores by 0.19 to 0.31 standard deviations, as well as increases in math grades by 0.50 standard deviations. The positive impact of tutoring is also supported from the meta-analysis of the studies listed above, with one study in particular stating that there was an effect for this practice above a 0.33 standard deviation (Nickow, Oreopoulos, Quan, 2020).

The rationale for selecting the intervention is based on three main components. First of all, our students are very low in math skills, which inhibits their capacity to earn credits towards graduation. Second, education research points to intensive tutoring as a viable means to increase math performance, which in turn will increase credit completion. Third, increasing students' capacity to earn credits through intensive tutoring will yield higher graduation rates.

Therefore, our professional network team and our educational partners selected the following research-based strategies to implement:

- * We will provide one-on-one intensive tutoring.
- * We will provide positive social incentives for good attendance.
- * We will track specific data for our seniors through site teams of teachers, counselors, and student retention support staff.
- * We will continue to seek educational partner involvement and input.

We will address the low performance in the areas of graduation, ELA and mathematics by assigning intensive tutoring to students who demonstrate low scores as determined by their NWEA diagnostic results. These low scores reveal that there are inequities that must be resolved through the implementation of our plan.

Resource Inequities Analysis

The State and Federal Programs Coordinator provided guidance to the school through a resource inequities analysis. This showed that more funds should by added to LCAP Action 1 Goal 3, because the following groups had significant gaps between the highest student group's graduation rate and other student group rates. Specifically, every student group was below the Two or More Races student group in their 4-5 year cohort graduation rate. There was a significant difference of about 15 percentage points for our English learner students when compared to the All student group. Additionally, our socioeconomically disadvantaged and Hispanic student groups had a gap of about 20 points from the highest student group. This data shows that there are inequities in performance. Our LCAP, with its CSI plan, is designed to address them in a comprehensive manner with research-based strategies such as intensive tutoring.

We are a charter school and a single school LEA. This year, our State and Federal Programs Coordinator provided support by working with school leadership to conduct a resource inequities analysis. The team agreed to increase funding for LCAP Goal 1, Action 3. The guiding framework was from The Alliance for Resources Equity at www.educationresourceequity.org. We also used the Dimensions of Resource Equity – School-level Diagnostic Questions, to determine key resource levers than create equitable learning experiences for all students.

Additionally, the inequities rubric, provided by the Los Angeles County Office of Education was used to help identify if there were any barriers to the following:

- Access to Highly Qualified Teachers
- Access to Counselors
- Access to Student Retention Services
- Access to Tutors
- Access to Interventions both social-emotional and academic
- Access to Incentives for attendance, graduation, and retention
- Access to Support for high needs English Learners, foster youth, special education, homeless
- Access to Technology and instructional materials

The resource inequities are being addressed by increasing the funding in LCAP Goal 1 Action 3 for intensive tutoring. This goal provides funding for the tutoring support that will be provided to students as the action is implemented at the school site. Students are identified for tutoring based on NWEA diagnostic results, teacher referral and self-referral. Tutors connect with students daily and provide academic support in math and other subjects to help students learn and earn credits towards graduation.

All students receive a personalized learning program that is unique to each student and is specifically designed to create an optimal path toward graduation. The independent study model assigns a supervising teacher to each student, who develops a close relationship with the student, supports the student from enrollment to graduation, and brings in resources and support staff as needed.

Furthermore, the framework for guiding our process was based on Improvement Science in Education from the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching (2015). The Plan, Do, Study, Act (PDSA) model, when done frequently and in collaboration with a network, will help our school improve its outcomes on multiple metrics. Through our professional network, we used a fishbone protocol to determine root causes behind the conditions and drivers that lead to the outcome of the graduation metric. This helped us to define the problem we would like to address. Our discussion focused on what changes we wanted to introduce and why. We plan to collect and share data regularly around credit completion, attendance, and senior graduation progress to help answer the question: "How will we know which change is an actual improvement?"

The Six Principles of Improvement from the Carnegie Foundation helped provide a foundation for our analysis:

1) Make the work problem specific and user-centered: What specifically is the problem we are trying to solve?

- 2) Variation in performance is the core problem to address: What works, for whom and under what set of conditions?
- 3) See the system that produces the current outcomes: What are the drivers that yield change?
- 4) We cannot improve at scale what we cannot measure: What are the key outcomes that track progress?

5) Anchor practice improvement in disciplined inquiry: How will we engage in rapid cycles of Plan, Do, Study, Act (PDSA)? "How will we know which change is an actual improvement?"

6) Accelerate improvements through networked communities: How can we accomplish more together?

These guiding principles will be utilized in our professional network throughout the year as we meet to discuss progress and next steps.

Monitoring and Evaluating Effectiveness

A description of how the LEA will monitor and evaluate the plan to support student and school improvement.

The State and Federal Programs Coordinator will support the school team and work with them in monitoring and evaluating the effectiveness of their improvement plan throughout the school year.

The process, including metrics, used for monitoring the implementation of the CSI plan is that the State and Federal Programs Coordinator will collaborate with the school team to collect tutoring participation and share with teachers and school leadership.

The process, including metrics, used for evaluating the implementation of the CSI plan is to pull tutoring participation counts every learning period and determine if there is an increase in those who have received tutoring. The target is to increase tutoring participation by 50%, by the end of the 7th learning period.

The process, including metrics, used for monitoring the effectiveness of the interventions to improve student outcomes is to pull and analyze credit completion for all students who participated in tutoring. This will be done every learning period.

The process, including metrics, used for evaluating the effectiveness of the interventions to improve student outcomes is to analyze the credit completion data to determine if it's increased. The target for the credit completion rate is 4.0. Additionally, we expect that the graduation rate will increase by at least 1% each year.

Additionally, we will collaborate with our professional learning community network and implement the Plan, Do, Study, Act (PDSA) model as our process for continuous improvement. Through a collaborative team of school educators, we will use school data, such as tutoring participation, credit completion rates, attendance, and graduation rates to inform our inquiry and help focus on results. By monitoring our evidence-based interventions, we can see how seniors and others are utilizing the one-on-one tutoring and social incentives for good attendance. We will also continue to monitor our key metrics, such as credit completion rates and NWEA results, to identify the needs of struggling students who could benefit from additional one-on-one tutoring.

Again, the measure of success for the plan will be based on key indicators such as credit completion, attendance, tutoring contacts, the DASS one-year graduation rate and the federal 4-5 year graduation rate. Since each student is assigned one-on-one time with an individual teacher, all students who are identified in the system as 12th graders are monitored closely by their teacher for progress towards graduation. In addition, counselors monitor all seniors for credits earned. We plan to monitor students early and often so that we can be proactive in responding to student academic needs. We can build the capacity of our teachers and tutors so that they are able to do this. We also plan to do the following: provide support staff to work with students falling behind on a regular basis to address their specific needs; ensure that students in need participate in tutoring with a tutor they can connect to regularly; and promote participation in small group instruction when possible.

To help ensure that we have the whole school community mobilized to support our Comprehensive Support and Improvement plan, we will report results back to teachers, students, parents and the school board. We will share our progress on our CSI plan at least twice a year. We can build the capacity of our Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) and English Learner Advisory Committee (ELAC) by sharing progress with them at their meetings and eliciting their feedback as part of our PDSA model. Our school board learns about student progress towards graduation on a regular basis, but with the CSI plan in place, we will ask for their feedback and input as part of our process. We have regular data reports that we can share out with student and parent groups throughout the year, and we will continue to collaborate and celebrate as students make progress towards graduation.

Engaging Educational Partners

A summary of the process used to engage educational partners in the development of the LCAP.

School districts and county offices of education must, at a minimum, consult with teachers, principals, administrators, other school personnel, local bargaining units, parents, and students in the development of the LCAP.

Charter schools must, at a minimum, consult with teachers, principals, administrators, other school personnel, parents, and students in the development of the LCAP.

An LEA receiving Equity Multiplier funds must also consult with educational partners at schools generating Equity Multiplier funds in the development of the LCAP, specifically, in the development of the required focus goal for each applicable school.

Educational Partner(s)	Process for Engagement
PAC/Parent Advisory Committee	 9/20/2023- Shared the following data: LCAP Goal 1.7 Title 1- NWEA growth of students in literacy program LCAP Goal 1.3 - Credit completion rate & expectations LCAP Goal 1.5 - Shared student activities and field trips LCAP Goal 2.1 - CTE and dual enrollment opportunities 12/13/2023 - Shared the following data: LCAP Goal 1.7 Title 1 Program Evaluation LCAP Goal 2.1 - CTE updates & survey- educational partners expressed the greatest interest in Entrepreneurship, Cosmetology, Game Design, and Culinary Arts. LCAP Goal 1.4 - Graduation information 2/28/2024 - Discussed LCAP Goal 1.2 - Discussed changes for Differentiated Assistance, shared CA School Dashboard data and discussed performance of student groups 5/8/2024 - Shared that a draft of the LCAP is posted online for review LCAP Goal 4 - Shared Annual Survey results connected them to goal 4 metrics All LCAP Goals - Reviewed all the goals and shared progress on the associated metrics.
ELAC/ English Learner Advisory Committee	9/6/2023 – Shared LCAP infographic

Educational Partner(s)	Process for Engagement
	 LCAP Goal 1.7 Title 1 - Shared funding allocation and use LCAP Goal 1.2 – Shared NWEA growth data related to academic interventions Shared Parent & Family Engagement Policy, the School-Parent Compact, and the Parent's Right to Know letter.
	 11/29/2023 – Title 1 Program Evaluation- LCAP Goal 1.2, 1.7 - Shared growth in 3 academic areas LCAP Goal 1.1, 1.8 – Shared growth in ELPI and EL reclassification
	 2/15/2024 – LCAP 1.2 – Discussed Differentiated Assistance, shared CA School Dashboard data and discussed performance of student groups, ELPI green
	 5/1/2024 – LCAP Goal 4 – Shared Annual School Survey results and metrics connected to goal 4 Reviewed 4 LCAP goals and annual progress. LCAP Goal 1.7, 3.5, and 4.4 - Explained that Title 1 funds are written into the LCAP under goal 1.7 for Intervention Programs & personnel, 3.5 for Helping Homeless, and 4.4 for Parent Engagement
Teachers and Staff	11/25/23 - 3/1/24 - LCAP Annual Survey available to staff
	1/2/24 - Discussed school updates with teachers on NWEA, credit completion, and PDs, as part of LCAP Goals 1.1, 1.2, & 2.2.
	2/14/24 - Needs Assessment team reviewed data and identified gap for LCAP 1.1 & 1.2. We decided to build time into our Summer PD week for teachers to practice new strategies as part of LCAP Goal 2.2
	3/15/24 - Shared LCAP progress with all staff including NWEA, credit completion for LCAP Goals 1.1 & 1.2. Discussed social emotional support for LCAP Goal 3.2.

Educational Partner(s)	Process for Engagement
	3/18/24 - Shared CA Dashboard results and Differentiated Assistance process with the regional team for LCAP Goal 1.2 3/11/24 - 4/25/24 - Engagement Survey available to staff
Administrators	8/24/23 - Discussed budget for LCAP Goals & Actions and what items/services align with principals and regional team. Shared LCAP Goal 1.7 Title 1 funding allocation and discussed uses for salaries, services for homeless youth, and parent engagement
	11/16/23 - Regional Team discussed PLC Restructure, supporting students aging out, HiSet testing, Annual Survey from November through February, shared LCAP infographic and Title 1 one pager, discussed mid-year LCAP progress on metrics
	2/8/24 - Reviewed SARC report. Discussed new ADA requirements, Student nutrition options, Differentiated Assistance and new LCAP requirements and Needs Assessment process with principals and site administrators
	5/2/24 - Regional team reviewed progress on LCAP metrics for LPs 1- 7, discussed desired outcomes for next LCAP cycle and planned budget for goals and actions. Planned school calendar for next year
Students	10/3/23 -10/6/23 and 5/28/24 - 5/30/24- Progress Conferences to discuss NWEA, credit completion, and academic interventions as part of the LCAP
	816/23 - Discussed gradation info and supports for seniors and shared connections to LCAP 1.4
	11/15/23 - Open House event shared community resources and connected to LCAP Goal 4
	11/25/23 - 3/1/24 - LCAP Annual Student Survey available

Educational Partner(s)	Process for Engagement
	3/26/24 - Resume workshops and sharing college and making connections to LCAP 2.1
SELPA/Special Education Local Plan Area	 Our SELPA Compliance Officer vetted our LCAP this year and stated that no changes were required. The El Dorado Charter SELPA participates and provides guidance in the CDE's Special Education Monitoring Processes. The El Dorado Charter SELPA provides program and technical support by the Program Specialist and/or other SELPA team members. Dropout (and Graduation), Post-secondary outcomes data for special education students are reviewed in a collaborative process with the El Dorado Charter SELPA. Guidance for developing and monitoring transition plans for students with disabilities is regularly offered and available from the El Dorado Charter SELPA. Classified and Certificated Staff training related to special education students is provided by the El Dorado Charter SELPA as needed and requested. The El Dorado Charter SELPA requests the participation of parents of students with disabilities in the SELPA Community Advisory Committee (CAC). The SELPA Program Specialists were provided a copy of the LCAP for consultation on the alignment of LCAP activities with the annual assurances support plan.
School Board	11/29/23 - Shared Title 1 Program Evaluation

Educational Partner(s)	Process for Engagement
	2/2824 - Shared Mid-Year LCAP report and progress on metrics including attendance, credit completion, and grad rate, and CA Dashboard levels
	4/10/24 - Discussed LCAP Goals & Metrics and results from the Annual School Survey

A description of how the adopted LCAP was influenced by the feedback provided by educational partners.

The 2024-2025 LCAP was developed through an interactive educational partner process. The goals, actions, and focus of the LCFF funds were developed through a process that included community and educational partner consultation to best meet the needs of our students as identified through the required metrics, local indicators, and educational partner feedback. Updates and additions to the 2024-2025 LCAP have been influenced by the process described above. The following is educational partner feedback that influenced the development of the LCAP.

Parents Feedback:

- Goal 1.2: At our quarter 3 ELAC meeting parents were concerned with academic indicators on our CA School Dashboard and wanted to see changes to our academic interventions. Based on their feedback, we will continue goal 1.2 for all academic interventions with more focused support to implement SIOP strategies.
- Goal 1.4: Feedback from parents regarding counseling support led us to increase the budget for LCAP Goal 1, Action 4 for Counseling students towards graduation and materials. A parent of a special education student said, "at the previous school [student] was struggling with some peers which was really affecting his social/emotional health and he stopped doing things he enjoys such as skating. Since enrolling at Vista Real though, he's still working to get more credits done weekly/monthly, he feels positive and supported at school and has improved greatly socially/emotionally."
- Goals 1.7, 3.5, and 4.4: At the Quarter 3 ELAC meeting, parents strongly supported the Title 1 implementation because of the growth that EL students experienced in their ELPI and Reclassification rate.

Student Feedback:

Goal 1.3: Through our CSI plan, we have greatly increased tutoring participation. Positive feedback from students and teachers
leads us to continue dedicating LCAP funds to goal 1.3. A 9th grade EL student shared that "[she's] so grateful for the extra tutoring
support because before[she] didn't have enough help and was only turning in a credit a month and was falling so far behind. But
now [she's] turning in a credit every week."

Administration Feedback:

- Goal 2.2: Feedback from administrators helped us streamline our professional development choices. An administrator stated, "Professional Development topics are relevant but often difficult to incorporate into existing workflows." We reduced the budget for Professional Development in Goal 2.2, so that we can better focus on how practices learned through PDs can be implemented inhouse. Adjustments to this action include building time for Fall and Spring PD weeks for teachers to practice new strategies. With support and coaching from our Regional Instructional Specialists and our Curriculum Coordinator, we'll shift the learning from outside sources to a more focused, in-house application.
- Goal 1.8: Based on feedback from our English Language Development team, our Principals, and our Area Superintendent, we will
 continue to offer Professional Developments specifically aimed at our English Language Learners. We expect that participation in
 conferences such as CABE will increase in the coming years.

Teachers Feedback:

- Goal 1.2: Feedback from teachers regarding academic performance and interventions support LCAP Goal 1, Action 2. A teacher shared that "Students are benefiting from small group instruction and intensive writing classes [because] their reading skills are too low for some of them to do independent work."
- Goal 3.4: Feedback from teachers regarding nutrition led us to increase our budget for nutrition services in LCAP Goal 3, Action 4. On the Engagement and Input survey, a teacher said "The nutrition options available on campus have increased the ability of some students to stay for extended periods of time and successfully complete work."
- Goal 3.3: Teachers support the transportation goal because they have noted that students have difficulty getting to school. With increased options, they have noted positive trends in attendance.

School Board Feedback:

Goals 1.1: Board members were impressed by the progress demonstrated by our students in the Literacy program. Students
demonstrated growth in 3 areas. Participation in the program increased, average Lexile scores on NWEA reading increased, and
the number of students who completed at least a semester of intervention increased. Based on feedback from school board
members regarding Title 1 Program Evaluation from our November meeting, we will continue to dedicate LCAP funds to
interventions for English Learners.

Public Feedback: There were no members of the public who offered public comment or submitted a written comment on the LCAP draft.

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description	Type of Goal
1	Increase Academic Progress:	Focus Goal
	This is a focus goal for increasing academic progress for all students, especially our English language learners, low-income, and foster youth, who struggled during the previous year. In the next three years, we will have mitigated the negative impact learning loss had on our students, and we will see improvement in our NWEA, EL reclassification, credit completion and graduation rates.	

State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Priority 1: Basic (Conditions of Learning) Priority 4: Pupil Achievement (Pupil Outcomes) Priority 5: Pupil Engagement (Engagement)

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

As a result of our CSI status and our analysis on key state and local data, we determined the need for a focus goal on academic performance for all our English language learners, low-income, and foster youth students. This new goal specifically addresses low key metrics such as, credit completion, and graduation for our student groups. We looked at our student group data, which reveal performance gaps between the "All" Student Group, and the English language learners, low-income, and foster youth students. Our students also take the NWEA MAP assessment, and we measure academic growth from year to year in this way. This year, performance gaps among student groups were also revealed, using that assessment. We understand the gaps that need to be closed for our students, and this focus goal was carefully designed to support their academic needs with targeted interventions and tutoring.

We sought the consultation of our educational partners, and involved them in the LCAP process, which we believe promotes positive engagement, buy-in and trust. We know that additional tutoring, interventions, and counseling support will help address learning loss over the next few years.

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
1.1	Teachers are highly qualified– Priority 1	98%			100%	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
		Data Year: 23-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal HR Tracking			Data Year: 26-27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal HR Tracking	
1.2	Teachers are appropriately assigned – Priority 1	100% Data Year: 23-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal HR Tracking			100% Data Year: 26-27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal HR Tracking	
1.3	Reading – Lexile Growth – local	All: 995.27 EL: 798.63 FY: 862.61 LI: 973.75 SWD: 868.38 296 students grew from fall to spring testing. Data Year: 23-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI			All: 1056 EL: 847 FY: 915 LI: 1033 SWD: 921 LTEL: 847 2% growth each year. Increase the number of students showing growth from fall to spring. Data Year: 26-27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI	
1.4	Mathematics -Quantile Growth - local NWEA	All: 783.83 EL:602.11 FY: 688.75 LI: 765.17			All: 831 EL: 639 FY: 731 LI: 812	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
		SWD:630.73 286 students grew from fall to spring testing. Data Year: 23-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI			SWD: 669 LTEL: 639 2% growth each year. Increase the number of students showing growth from fall to spring. Data Year: 26-27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI	
1.5	Average Credit Completion – local	All: 2.09 EL: 1.86 FY: 1.74 LI: 2.04 SWD: 2.12 Data Year: 23-24 LPs 1-7			All: 4.0 EL: 4.0 FY: 4.0 LI: 4.0 SWD: 4.0 LTEL: 4.0 Data Year: 26-27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal Data+Design	
1.6	English Learner Reclassify - Priority 4	12% Data Year: 23-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal			8.6% CA Average EL Reclassification rate at or above state average each year Data Year: 26-27 LPs 1-7	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
					Data Source: CA Average	
1.7	EL Annual Progress on ELPI -Priority #4	49.8% ELPI Green Data Year: 2023 Data Source: CA Dashboard			Moderate Growth EL Annual Progress on ELPAC increases each year Data Year: 2026 Data Source: CA Dashboard	
1.8	DASS 1 Year Graduation Cohort Rate - Priority 5	All: 75.9% EL: 70.6% FY: ** LI: 76.3% SWD: 82.4% Homeless: ** AA: ** AA: ** AS: ** H/L: 78% WH: 70.7% Data Year: 2023 Data Source: CA Dashboard – DASS Graduation Rate **Data suppressed due to small count			All: 75% EL: 75% FY: 75% LI: 75% SWD: 75% Homeless: 75% AA: 75% AS: 75% H/L: 75% WH: 75% Data Year: 2026 Data Source: CA Dashboard DASS Grad Rate or Internal Calculation	

Goal Analysis [2023-24]

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.

A description of overall implementation, including any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions, and any relevant challenges and successes experienced with implementation.

Not Applicable.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

Not Applicable.

A description of the effectiveness or ineffectiveness of the specific actions to date in making progress toward the goal.

Not Applicable.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, target outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

Not Applicable.

Actions

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
1.1	Long-term English learners (LTEL) and English learners support staff, interventions, and materials	 Our ELD program follows the CA EL Roadmap for effective practices, and we provide additional support for ELs struggling with academic proficiency. We will do the following: Increase opportunities for language acquisition through text-rich cooperative learning and oral communication. EL Small Group Instruction (SGI). Paraprofessionals in ELD SGI classes. English learner tutors. Individualized English language Development Plan (IELDP). Access to other effective intervention programs such as System 44. 	\$1,072,132.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		and general programmatic/instructional needs for the English learner student population. Our English learner students show the most opportunity for continued academic improvement based on the most current state and local ELA and Math data as reflected in the metric tables. Based on a local needs assessment we have found that our English learner students need additional support and scaffolds to be successful. We will address this need by providing an EL Paraprofessional or other trained bilingual support personnel. This includes, but is not limited to EL tutors, ELD leads, support staff, ELD Small Group Instruction, and supplementary materials for the ELD program as needed. Students will receive individualized support based on their specific English proficiency level. We use an Individualized English language Development Plan (IELDP) in collaboration with students and families. Implementing our Designated and Integrated English Language development (ELD) is an integral part of our comprehensive program. We aim for every English learner to meet the linguistic and academic goals identified by their level of proficiency. ELs participate in Newcomer programs, Structured English Immersion or English language Mainstream, based on both academic progress and their capacity to successfully advance in their language acquisition. Support staff will provide specific language instruction through vocabulary and language development to support literacy skills and language acquisition. We anticipate the student performance on CAASPP Math and ELA, as well as on the English learner annual growth assessment will grow. This action is designed to meet the greatest needs of English learner students. Using real time tracking, student language proficiency and academic progress will be monitored and we expect that their ELPAC scores, as well as the reclassification rate, to increase as a result of the personalized academic support they will receive from qualified personnel.		
1.2	All academic interventions and program materials	Academic interventions will be provided for our English learners, LTELs, low-income and foster youth students struggling with academic proficiency which will help them improve their skills. This action will address the following reds on the CA Dashboard API: Math: All students, Hispanic, low-income	\$1,095,388.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		 Eligibility for Differentiated Assistance: Hispanic: Math, (Priority 4) LI: Math, (Priority 4) SWD: Math, (Priority 4) SWD: Math, (Priority 4) Student groups related to eligibility for Differentiated Assistance have average initial NWEA MAP scores at the following grade level. Math: LI: 731.73 = 3rd grade level To meet these needs, the LEA will provide the following: Small Group Instruction. Ready 180, literacy interventions Math 180 and support. Paraprofessional push-in and targeted tutoring Professional Learning Communities around this action to monitor effectiveness. Access to other effective intervention programs. As demonstrated in the Identified Needs and Metrics section, State and local assessments in ELA and Math indicate that some of our lowest performing students are the English learners, low-income and foster youth student groups when compared to the All student group. To address this gap, academic interventions will be provided for our English learners, low- income and foster youth students struggling with academic proficiency, which will help them improve their skills. Targeted instruction in small group settings or other effective intervention programs, such as Read 180 and Math 180, will accelerate their academic abilities. Students who participate in academic interventions will improve their learning gaps, as shown in their NWEA scores. We expect that these actions will be effective at increasing students' mathematics and reading assessments. However, because we expect that all students showing low proficiency will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis. We expect our NWEA scores to increase each year. 		

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
1.3	Tutoring and supports for students	 Tutors will be provided for our English learners, LTEL, low-income, and foster youth students who need additional support in completing their coursework and earning credits toward graduation. This action supports our Comprehensive Support and Improvement plan. We will do the following: Tutors are available for additional support both in-person and virtually. Intensive tutoring for credit completion Improve tutor-student relationship to increase participation. Access to SGI and paraprofessional support To address our CSI status and improve our graduation rate, we will increase our tutoring support. This action is expected to reduce resource inequities among our lowest groups' graduation rates and credit completion rates. Some of our lowest credit completion rates and graduation rates are among the unduplicated student groups, as demonstrated in the Identified Needs and Metrics section. To address the achievement gaps, tutors will provide support for our English learners, low-income and foster youth students who are credit deficient. This will help them complete their assignments and increase the rate at which they finish their courses. Local tutors and virtual tutors are actively engaged in reaching out to our English learners, low-income and foster youth students. Tutors deliver a critical level of support that we have seen be successful in helping address academic gaps effectively and improve student progress towards graduation. We expect that these actions will increase graduation rates for our English learners, low-income and foster youth students progress. However, because we expect that all students showing credit deficiency will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis. We expect our credit completion rate to increase each year. 	\$1,614,614.00	Yes
1.4	Counseling students towards graduation and materials	Counselors will be principally directed to promote high expectations and provide guidance toward graduation. Counselors will connect frequently with high-needs students, to help meet social-emotional needs. Additionally, we will do the following:	\$711,345.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		 Review academic plans for core courses. Ensure tutoring, academic interventions and progress monitoring are taking place. Provide additional training on the Multi-Tiered, Multi-Domain Systems of Support (MTMDSS). MTMDSS provides tiered levels of school counseling instruction and data-driven intervention services that help address the needs of students in the areas of academic, college/career, and social/emotional development. Counselors help address obstacles to graduation. Additional counselors reduce the counselor-to-student ratio and allow for equity and improved access to resources. Some of our lowest graduation rates are among the English learners, low -income and foster youth student groups when compared to the All student group. This is demonstrated in the Identified Needs and Metrics sections. To address these gaps, counselors will provide additional support to English learners, low-income and provide support and guidance towards graduation. Counselors will connect with students and effectively monitor and guide students to achieve their graduation goals. We expect to continue providing counselors, who help address obstacles to graduation that English learners, low-income and foster youth students have; however, because we expect that all students could benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis. This action has been effective for many students in helping them successfully graduate and will increase graduation rates for our student groups each year.		
1.5	Student activities that increase learning efforts	Students participate in a comprehensive incentive and recognition system that helps support their scholastic efforts. Students are recognized for their efforts in a variety of ways that are meaningful to them. We will also do the following:	\$175,000.00	Yes
		 Improve the coordination of integrated services, targeted academic interventions like tutoring and literacy interventions. Improve social connection and community building 		

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		 The school will acknowledge student achievement and celebrate student successes to gain buy-in. The school will also boost student morale by increasing student-led events and activities creating a positive learning environment. Group activities that celebrate progress Enrichment experiences and field trips. The English learners, low-income and foster youth students are often underperforming in their capacity for credit completion. The expected average is 4.0. To address this need, students participate in a comprehensive incentive and recognition system that helps support their scholastic efforts. Students are recognized for their efforts in a variety of ways that are meaningful to them. This includes but is not limited celebrations, field trips and enrichment experiences. We have witnessed how these actions can inspire students to continue to be productive and strive to accelerate their learning. We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on work completion rates. Furthermore, because we expect that all students could benefit from this action, it is provided on a schoolwide basis. We anticipate and increase up to 4 credits per learning		
1.6	Teachers and staff are qualified and appropriately assigned	All students will have access to teachers who are fully credentialed and appropriately assigned to teach in their subject area of competence. Any teacher misassignments will be monitored and rectified, so that students are served according to the legal requirements.	\$12,836,979.00	No
1.7	Title 1 - Intervention programs and personnel to support students	Our students who struggle with academic performance need additional intervention programs and support personnel to effectively address their learning gaps. Federal funding is directed towards hiring literacy teachers, who will implement research-based educational strategies. We expect students will improve their performance on academic metrics.	\$282,843.00	No
1.8	Professional development to	Our ELD program follows the CA English learner Roadmap for effective practices, and we provide professional development for staff to help serve	\$2,000.00	Yes

Action # Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
support English learners and LTELs	 English learners and LTELs with their language acquisition. We will do the following: ELD Specialist and Lead Literacy Teacher will provide coaching directed at increasing student language acquisition. Professional Learning Communities, workshops and conferences for staff. Professional development for implementing the EL Tool Kit. Professional development for effective EL strategies, such as SIOP. Paraprofessionals in ELD SGI classes trained. EL tutors trained. Training in Individualized English Language Development Plan (IELDP), as necessary. Our English language learners' reclassification rate is above the state average. To continue this, we will need additional support from faculty and support staff who employ effective strategies that will help improve students' ELPAC scores. To address this need, students will be served by trained EL Paraprofessionals or other trained bilingual support personnel. This includes, but is not limited to, EL tutors, ELD leads, support staff, ELD Small Group Instruction, and supplementary materials for the ELD program as needed. Trainings could include, but are not limited to, developing an EL Tool Kit, implementing effective EL strategies using SIOP (Sheltered Instruction Observational Protocol), and scaffolding strategies such as modeling, building schema, contextualization, and others. Additionally, workshops, conferences and Professional Learning Communities provide information that will build the capacity of faculty and staff to increase student performance. We expect that our English learners' ELPAC scores, as well as the reclassification rate, will increase as a result of the personalized academic support and attention they will receive from qualified personnel.		

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description	Type of Goal
2	Students Will Gain Skills for College and Career-Readiness:	Broad Goal
	This is a broad goal for helping students gain skills for college and career-readiness for all students, including low-income, English learners, and foster youth students.	

State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Priority 1: Basic (Conditions of Learning)
Priority 2: State Standards (Conditions of Learning)
Priority 4: Pupil Achievement (Pupil Outcomes)
Priority 7: Course Access (Conditions of Learning)
Priority 8: Other Pupil Outcomes (Pupil Outcomes)

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

This goal was developed with the special needs and interests of our unique student population. Most of our students choose our independent study program to change their story and increase their viability after graduation. We support their interests in pursuing a career through our CTE coursework and partnerships. Everyone receives state standards aligned curriculum and we encourage students who are college bound to meet the A-G requirements. Year after year, we expect these metrics to show improvement for all of our student groups.

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
2.1	State Standards–aligned materials – Priority 1	100% Data Year: 2023 Data Source: CA Dashboar			100% Data Year: 2026 Data Source: CA Dashboard	
2.2	Implement state academic standards and EL access – Priority 2	4.18 out of 5.0 Data Year: 2023			5.0 – Full Implementation & Sustainability	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
		Data Source: CA Dashboard			Data Year: 2026 Data Source: CA Dashboard	
2.3	Statewide Assessments: * English Language Arts – Priority 4 * Mathematics – Priority 4 * Science – Priority 4	Statewide Assessments: English Language Arts All: 30% EL: 0% FY: ** LI: 27% SWD: 14% Homeless: 25% AA: ** AS: 67% H/L: 27% WH: 45% Mathematics All: 4% EL: 0% FY: ** LI: 3% SWD: 2% Homeless: 13% AA: ** AS: ** H/L: 3% WH: 8% Science All: 11% EL: **			Statewide Assessments: English Language Arts All: 50% EL: 50% FY: 50% LI: 50% SWD: 50% Homeless: 50% AA: 50% AS: 50% H/L: 50% WH: 50% Mathematics All: 10% EL: 10% FY: 10% LI: 10% SWD: 10% Homeless: 10% AA: 10% AA: 10% AA: 10% SCience All: 10% EL: 10% FY: 10%	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
		SWD: ** Homeless: ** AA: ** AS: ** H/L: 7% WH: 23% Data Year: 2023 Data Source: SARC and PowerBI CAASPP Results			LI: 10% SWD: 10% Homeless: 10% AA: 10% AS: 10% H/L: 10% WH: 10% Data Year: 2026 Data Source: SARC and PowerBI CAASPP Results	
2.4	Participants in career- ready courses – Priority 8 local metric	CTE – 134 Pro Skills – 246 Data Year: 2023-24 LPs1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI			CTE: 200 Pro-Skills: 300 Increase students in career-ready courses each year Data Year: 2026- 27 LPs1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI	
2.5	Percentage of CTE course and pathway completers – Priority 4	 35% CTE course completion rate Data Year: 2023-24 Data Source: Internal PowerBI 2.5% CTE pathway completer rate Data Year: 2022-23 			65% CTE Course Completion rate Data Year: 2026- 27 Data Source: Internal PowerBI 5% CTE Pathway Completer rate	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
		Data Source: CDE DataQuest			Data Year: 2026- 27 Data Source: CDE DataQuest	
2.6	Access to broad range of courses – Priority 7	100% Data Year: 2023 Data Source: CA Dashboard			100% Data Year: 2026 Data Source: CA Dashboard	
2.7	Seniors complete A-G courses and CTE pathway completers with A-G – Priority 4	0.4% Seniors completing A-G courses 0.0% Seniors completing CTE and A- G Data Year: 2022-2023 Data Source: CDE DataQuest			2% A-G course completion rate 1% A-G + CTE Completion Data Year: 2026- 27 Data Source: CDE DataQuest	
2.8	CA Dashboard English Language Arts and Mathematics Status	ELA - Declined 11.5 Pts. Red Math - Declined 13.4 Pts. Red Data Year: 2023 Data Source: CA Dashboard			Orange or above Orange or above Data Year: 2026 Data Source: CA Dashboard	

Goal Analysis [2023-24]

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.

A description of overall implementation, including any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions, and any relevant challenges and successes experienced with implementation.

Not Applicable.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

Not Applicable.

A description of the effectiveness or ineffectiveness of the specific actions to date in making progress toward the goal.

Not Applicable.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, target outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

Not Applicable.

Actions

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
2.1	Career and college- readiness for English learners, low-income, and foster youth students	 To address the need to increase college and career readiness for our unduplicated students, we will do the following: Ensure comprehensive review of course placement. Counselors support career and college-ready efforts CTE programs and pathways encouraged. WIOA job training and placement. College and Career days, as well as field trips. Some of our lowest career and college-readiness rates are among the English learners, low-income and foster youth student groups who are all below the state average of 16.3% for graduates completing a CTE pathway. They were also below the state average of 43.8% completing A-G courses. Our English learners, low-income and foster youth students, need to be prepared to pursue a career or attend college. To address this	\$501,076.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		need, our students engage in career exploration and Professional Skills, and have the opportunity to take college dual enrollment courses and career education courses at the county Career Education Center. We take into consideration local employment opportunities and student interests to help guide students into coursework that is valuable. Support personnel, staff, partnerships, and materials are essential to tailor and implement the curriculum for students. We have witnessed our students be successful in these programs. However, because we expect that all students showing low proficiency will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis. We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on our college and career readiness rates for our students and we expect to increase A-G and CTE each year.		
2.2	Professional development addressing English learners, low-income, and foster youth students	 Staff participate in professional learning throughout the year that targets our unduplicated student groups. We will do the following: Increase professional learning opportunities and collaboration. Regional trainings, workshops/seminars. Report on training outcomes. Best practices shared in PLC. Outside conferences that have an impact on At-promise youth. As demonstrated in the Identified Needs and Metrics sections, CAASPP results in the ELA, math and science assessments, and CA Dashboard results show that many of our lowest performing students are the English learners, low-income and foster youth student groups when compared to the All student group. To address this issue, professional development for our teachers and staff will be essential in progressing our English learners, low-income and foster youth students. Trainings, conferences, workshops, and Professional Learning Communities provide information to address our English learner students' academic and social-emotional needs. We have seen a positive impact on our At-Promise students with additional staff training, such as trauma informed practices. We anticipate that with the increase in professional collaboration and learning, that state assessment results for our English learners, low-income and foster youth and learning, that state assessment results for our English learners, low-income and foster youth and learning, that state assessment results for our English learners, low-income and foster youth will also increase. However, because we expect that all students showing low 	\$60,000.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		proficiency will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis. We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on students with CAASPP scores and the CA Dashboard status will improve by 1 level.		
2.3	Technology access & support	 All English learners, LTELs, low-income, and foster youth students will have access to effective technology platforms and support programs. This is an ongoing effort to help them access curriculum and instructional support. We will do the following: Upon enrollment, provide every student with a computer. Provide every student with a hotspot. Provide students and teachers with tech support to ensure access to curriculum and instruction. All English learners, low-income and foster youth students will have 100% access to the curriculum and instructional supports. We know this involves access to effective technology platforms and support programs. This is an ongoing effort in helping them to access their curriculum and instructional supports. We have seen success with teachers and staff continually supporting students' access to technology, and we will continue to provide training and materials to close any gaps. However, because we expect that all students will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis. We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on our students, by sustaining 100% access to their educational program. 	\$231,341.00	Yes
2.4	Support for standards-based curriculum and instruction	 All English learners, LTELs, low-income, and foster youth students will have access to high-quality standards-aligned curriculum and instruction that is continually improving. We will do the following: Participate in local curriculum review. Engage in dialogue in collaborative groups. Provide input on aligning standards to instructional practices. Analyze data results to develop and improve practices and processes. 	\$3,014,848.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		All English learners, low-income, and foster youth students will have access to high-quality, standards-aligned curriculum and instruction that is continually improving. The implementation score for our standards- based curriculum is 4.18, based on the CDE Standards Implementation Rubric. To address this, regional and site personnel will continue to collaborate and develop a high quality, customized curriculum, and provide coaching to support implementation for the unique needs of our student groups. However, because we expect that all students will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis. We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on our educational program resulting in a score of 5.0 on the CDE rubric.		
2.5	Educational materials for an effective program	All students will have access to all materials to participate fully in enrolled courses. An effective education program relies on quality materials for all subject areas. We continue to purchase state adopted texts and update supplemental materials regularly, so that they meet our students' academic needs.	\$12,201,692.00	No
2.6	Safe and secure facilities	We provide learning facilities for our students that are safe and secure. We monitor our sites each year, using the Facility Inspection Tool (FIT).	\$2,977,929.00	No

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description	Type of Goal
3	Increase Student Retention:	Maintenance of Progress Goal
	This is a maintenance goal for student retention. It is designed to continue the success we have had with addressing student disengagement from their schooling and supporting their decision to either rematriculate or graduate through our program. We have safe and welcoming facilities, with a positive school climate, which effectively encourages students to remain engaged in their schooling experience.	

State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Priority 1: Basic (Conditions of Learning)

Priority 5: Pupil Engagement (Engagement)

Priority 6: School Climate (Engagement)

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

We measure our core program through the high rate of retention, graduation and students who rematriculate back to their school of residence. Our mission is to successfully help students make the turn away from dropping out of school. We have teachers and staff who are specially trained in trauma-informed practices and they know how to effectively address student retention. In consultation with students, families, and staff, we will continue to provide a collaborative educational environment for the success of our students.

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
3.1	Success Rate – local metric (graduation, retention, rematriculate)	94.91% Data Year: 2023-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI			Success Rate – maintain 80% or higher Data Year: 2026- 27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
3.2	School Facilities rating – Priority 1	Exemplary Data Year: 2023 Data Source: CA Dashboard			Facilities in Exemplary Condition Data Year: 2026 Data Source: CA Dashboard	
3.3	Retention rate – local metric	89.34% Data Year: 2023-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBl			Retention Rate – 80% or higher Data Year: 2026- 27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI	
3.4	Attendance rate – Priority 5	84% Data Year: 2023-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal SIS			Attendance Rate – 85% or higher Data Year: 2026- 27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal SIS	
3.5	Non-completer rate(dropout) – local metric	5.97% Data Year: 2023-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBl			10% or lower non- completer rate dropout Data Year: 2026- 27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI	
3.6	Suspension rate – Priority 6	0%			0% - low rate	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
		Data Year: 2023-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI or CA Dashboard 2023			Data Year: 2026- 27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI or CA Dashboard 2026	
3.7	Expulsion rate – Priority 6	0% Data Year: 2023-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI or CA Dashboard 2023			0% - low rate Data Year: 2026- 27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal PowerBI or CA Dashboard 2026	

Goal Analysis [2023-24]

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.

A description of overall implementation, including any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions, and any relevant challenges and successes experienced with implementation.

Not Applicable.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

Not Applicable.

A description of the effectiveness or ineffectiveness of the specific actions to date in making progress toward the goal.

Not Applicable.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, target outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

Not Applicable.

Actions

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
3.1	Student retention	 All English learners, LTELs, low-income, and foster youth students will be supported with actions and services to improve their retention. We will do the following: Our student retention support personnel will engage in active outreach. Student retention support personnel will be trained. Provide additional services that support retention. We serve English learners, low-income and foster youth with high mobility, who are typically behind in credits and have been out of school for a semester or more. We have seen success in the Retention Rate. Ensuring that our English learners, low-income and foster youth students are attending and remaining in school is critical to meeting their needs. To address this, we have trained personnel who provide outreach and monitoring of students so that their attendance is regular. We also have comprehensive incentive programs. We will continue these practices, for our English learners, low-income and foster youth, because our data shows that we have been successful. However, because we expect that all students will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis. We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on the Retention Rate of our students, and that we will stay above 80% each year. 	\$313,246.00	Yes
3.2	Social and emotional supports	 All English learners, LTELs, low-income, and foster youth students will be supported with actions and services to improve the Success Rate. We will do the following: Our SEL programs are offered, as necessary. Additional counseling, support personnel, and professional development. Providing additional services that support student success such as yoga and SEL courses. Our English learners, low-income and foster youth student population were negatively impacted during the pandemic. Many sustained social and 	\$919,911.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		emotional trauma, which impacted our Success Rate, which measures graduation, retention and rematriculation. We know that the success of our program is connected to student social-emotional health. To address this issue, trauma-informed practices have helped address many of the social-emotional needs of our English learners, low-income and foster youth students. We provide students with social-emotional programming as well as open access to counselors and social workers. We will continue to provide and improve on these actions and services, because we have witnessed success in our English learners, low-income and foster youth students when their social-emotional needs are carefully considered. However, because we expect that all students will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis. We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on the Success Rate of our program, and that we will stay above 80% each year.		
3.3	Access to transportation	 All English learners, LTELs, low-income, and foster youth students will be supported with transportation services to improve their attendance. We will do the following: Provide metro or bus passes to facilitate their access to public transportation. Provide additional transportation services that support attendance in other areas. Our English learners, low-income and foster youth students are frequently without access to transportation to school or other related programs. It is critical that they have good attendance in order to learn. To address this issue, we provide a variety of transportation options from bus passes, vans, and Hop Skip Drive. We will continue to provide this additional service for students, because we have seen it improve their access to school and programs. These actions will have a positive impact on the attendance rates of our English learners, low-income and foster youth students. However, because we expect that all students will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis. We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on the Average Attendance Rate and that we will stay above 85% each year. 	\$18,000.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
3.4	Access to nutrition	 All English learners, LTELs, low-income, and foster youth students will be supported with actions and services to improve their completer rate. We will do the following: Ensure that students have access to food on site. Provide additional services that support nutrition. Food scarcity for our highly mobile English learners, low-income, and foster youth students is a serious concern. We think this will help mitigate the drop-out rate, which is the Non-completer Rate for our independent study program. To address this, we will ensure that students have access to quality nutrition at school. Students cannot learn well when they are hungry, so we will continue to provide food services and/or other means for them to receive sustenance. These actions will decrease non-completer rates for our English learners, low-income and foster youth student population. However, because we expect that all students will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis. We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on the average Non-completer Rate, which will stay below 10% each year. 	\$120,000.00	Yes
3.5	Title 1 – Helping homeless	Our homeless students need additional support with basic necessities such as hygiene items, transportation and food, as well as social-emotional needs like feeling a part of the school community.	\$500.00	No

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description	Type of Goal
4	Increase Educational Partner Engagement: This is a maintenance goal for increasing educational partner engagement. We believe in the power of parent/guardian participation in impacting their student's academic progress. We believe parents/guardians can be invited and encouraged to participate in meaningful ways to promote positive school outcomes.	Maintenance of Progress Goal

State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Priority 3: Parental Involvement (Engagement)

Priority 6: School Climate (Engagement)

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

Involving parents/guardians in their student's orientation, awards ceremonies, school activities, surveys and parent advisory meetings, has a positive impact on the student's school experience. With consultation of our educational partners, we made this goal a maintenance of progress goal.

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
4.1	Parent conferences, events, celebrations – local metric	Participation Count = 2099 Enrollment Count = 1327 (CBEDS Enrollment #) Data Year: 2023-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal Monitoring			Parent conferences, events, celebrations are above enrollment each year Data Year: 2026- 27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal Monitoring	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
4.2	Parent Advisory/ ELAC – participation all year - local metric	291 Data Year: 2023-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal Monitoring			150+ Participants for PAC/ELAC Data Year: 2026- 27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: Internal Monitoring	
4.3	Parents Feel Encouraged to Participate – Priority 3	81% Feel Encouraged to Participate Data Year: 2023-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: School Survey			Parents Feel Encouraged to Participate – 90% or higher Data Year: 2026- 27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: School Survey	
4.4	Students Feel Safe – Priority 6	100% Feel Safe Data Year: 2023-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: School Survey			Students Feel Safe- 90% or higher Data Year: 2026- 27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: School Survey	
4.5	Students Feel Connected – Priority 6	97% Feel Connected Data Year: 2023-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: School Survey			Students Feel Connected - 90% or higher Data Year: 2026- 27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: School Survey	

Metric #	Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
4.6	Teachers Feel Safe– Priority 6	99% Feel Safe Data Year: 2023-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: School Survey			Teachers Feel Safe- over 90% or higher Data Year: 2026- 27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: School Survey	
4.7	Teachers Feel Connected– Priority 6	99% Feel Connected Data Year: 2023-24 LPs 1-7 Data Source: School Survey			Teachers Feel Connected - over 90% or higher Data Year: 2026- 27 LPs 1-7 Data Source: School Survey	

Goal Analysis [2023-24]

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.

A description of overall implementation, including any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions, and any relevant challenges and successes experienced with implementation.

Not Applicable.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

Not Applicable.

A description of the effectiveness or ineffectiveness of the specific actions to date in making progress toward the goal.

Not Applicable.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, target outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

Not Applicable.

Actions

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
4.1	Community/Parent Liaison and meaningful school activities	 All parents of English learners, LTELs, low-income, and foster youth students will have access to meaningful parent activities and events at school. We will do the following: Staff a Community Liaison who does outreach. Provide meaningful parent activities. Promote events and activities for parents to participate in at school. The parents of English learners, low-income and foster youth students are some of our most underrepresented educational partners. Parent and educational partner engagement is an essential component to effective schooling for our English learners, low-income and foster youth students. We know that parents, guardians, and their families sometimes have a difficult time engaging in meaningful school activities. We will continue to provide a Community and/or Parent Liaison who does outreach and promotes the school as a welcoming place for everyone. We will continue to provide this action, because we know that parent engagement is important and helpful in promoting the value of education in the family. We expect that these actions will increase involvement of the parents of English learners, low-income and foster youth. However, because we expect that all students showing credit deficiency will benefit, this action is provide on an LEA-wide basis. We expect our participation counts to be above school enrollment each year. 	\$192,877.00	Yes
4.2	Translation and outreach services	 All English learners, LTELs, low-income and foster youth students, and parents will be supported with actions and services to improve their translation needs. We will do the following: Our translation services are capable of translating for multiple languages in writing. Oral translation services are also provided at school events. 	\$10,000.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		• Provide additional translation and outreach services as necessary. Many parents/guardians of our English learners and low-income students speak a language other than English. Our English learners, low-income and foster youth students require effective communication and outreach about the educational programs and opportunities at the site. Effective communication improves a sense of connection. Translating communication into the students' and parents' primary language is critical for two-way communication efforts. We will continue to support this access to school programming and events through translating services. We expect that these actions will sustain the student's sense of connection for our English learners, low-income and foster youth student groups. However, because we expect that all students showing credit deficiency will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis. We expect our students to report that over 90% feel connected to school each year.		
4.3	Educational partner engagement	 Educational partner engagement is essential to a positive school experience and outcomes, especially for our English learners, LTELs, low-income, and foster youth. We will do the following: Provide meaningful educational partner engagement activities. Provide two-way communication opportunities. Provide additional services that support virtual communication and materials as necessary. Our English learners, low-income and foster youth students and their families are sometimes underrepresented at school activities. Sustaining educational partner engagement requires expenses for such things as communication, outreach, materials, activities and transportation. We will continue this action, because we have witnessed the positive impact on schools when barriers to access are removed for our English learners, low-income and foster youth students. However, because we expect that all students showing credit deficiency will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis. We expect that our parents will report that over 90% feel encouraged to participate each year, based on the school survey. 	\$10,000.00	Yes

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
4.4	Title 1 – Parent engagement	Federal funds are directed at meaningful and engaging parent events, such as the Annual Title 1 Meeting. These events have expenditures to support the activities, such as transportation, food, and other meeting materials.	\$500.00	No

Increased or Improved Services for Foster Youth, English Learners, and Low-Income Students [2024-25]

Total Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants	Projected Additional 15 percent LCFF Concentration Grant
\$10,061,778.00	\$1,223,787.00

Required Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the LCAP Year

Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year		LCFF Carryover — Dollar	Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year
35.395%	0.000%	\$0.00	35.395%

The Budgeted Expenditures for Actions identified as Contributing may be found in the Contributing Actions Table.

Required Descriptions

LEA-wide and Schoolwide Actions

For each action being provided to an entire LEA or school, provide an explanation of (1) the unique identified need(s) of the unduplicated student group(s) for whom the action is principally directed, (2) how the action is designed to address the identified need(s) and why it is being provided on an LEA or schoolwide basis, and (3) the metric(s) used to measure the effectiveness of the action in improving outcomes for the unduplicated student group(s).

Goal and Action #	Identified Need(s)	How the Action(s) Address Need(s) and Why it is Provided on an LEA-wide or Schoolwide Basis	Metric(s) to Monitor Effectiveness
1.2	Action: All academic interventions and program materials Need: Students who come to us are typically 3-5 grade levels or more behind in their academics. Based on their NWEA scores we provide a personalized learning environment and targeted interventions to meet their academic gaps. As shown in the metrics	Through a series of coaching events with Kern County Superintendent of Schools, we will modify this action by building the capacity of our teachers to implement SIOP strategies to improve students' reading comprehension. The implementation will be supported by Regional Instructional Specialists, the Curriculum Coordinator, and the ELD specialists. Also, with an additional layer of support through General Education teachers partnering with Literacy teachers and Ed. Specialists, we will ensure that the implementation	We will closely monitor progress on our Math and Reading interventions programs. The following metrics are applicable: (NWEA ELA All students, low-income, Hispanic, students with disabilities)

Goal and Action #	Identified Need(s)	How the Action(s) Address Need(s) and Why it is Provided on an LEA-wide or Schoolwide Basis	Metric(s) to Monitor Effectiveness
	 section above, our socioeconomically disadvantaged students are far below grade level. Additionally, to address the requirements for Differentiated Assistance, we examined the needs of our student groups in the red on the CA Dashboard, which were our All-student group, Hispanic, students with disabilities, and socioeconomically disadvantaged students in ELA. Our Hispanic, socioeconomically disadvantaged students with disabilities were red in mathematics. We found that our student groups who were in the red for ELA and Math, were also in the low-income student group. (Metrics are reported in Goal #2). Teacher and parent feedback indicated that they support the importance of the intervention programs to increase students' English and math skills. Scope: Schoolwide 	reaches our highest needs student groups. Student interventions include Math 180, Read 180, Literacy and other coursework help to improve ELA and math skills. Upon enrollment, students take NWEA MAP to assess their learning gaps and are placed according to their needs. This action is ongoing throughout the school year. We expect that these actions will be effective at increasing students' mathematics and reading assessments. However, because we expect that all students with low proficiency will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis.	(NWEA Math All students, low-income, Hispanic, students with disabilities) CA Dashboard Academic Indicator results for ELA and Math We will also consider input from the parents of participating students to enhance the quality of the programs provided.
1.3	Action: Tutoring and supports for students Need: To address the requirements for Comprehensive Support and Improvement (CSI), we examined the needs of our student groups in the red on the CA Dashboard for	As a priority aligned to our Comprehensive Support and Improvement goal, we will focus on increasing access to tutoring aimed at supporting our English learners, low-income, and foster youth students in addition to our identified subgroups on the CA Dashboard indicators. Additionally, continued professional development for tutors and paraprofessionals, and tutor and paraprofessional	We will closely monitor progress on our credit completion rates for all of our student groups, especially for the following student groups in the red: All-student group, English learners, homeless,

Goal and Action #	Identified Need(s)	How the Action(s) Address Need(s) and Why it is Provided on an LEA-wide or Schoolwide Basis	Metric(s) to Monitor Effectiveness
	their Graduation Rate. These were our All- student group, English learners, homeless, students with disabilities, White, and Hispanic students. We noticed that these students were also in the socioeconomically disadvantaged group, which was in the red.	push-in support in SGI classes will ensure students have quality instructional support in their program. We are implementing intensive tutoring with increased participation and access to virtual and in-person tutors. A high-quality tutor and student relationship will help increase participation.	students with disabilities, White, Hispanic students, and socioeconomically disadvantaged student groups. We expect them to increase each year.
	Additionally, students who enroll with us are typically about 30 or more credits behind in school. Teachers, students, and parents provided feedback indicating that they support the high- value tutors bring to the program. Scope: Schoolwide	Tutoring on an ongoing basis will help them complete their assignments and increase the rate at which they finish their courses. Tutors support these students both virtually and in-person and are available during school hours and on Saturdays. They scaffold skills that need to be reinforced through additional practice. Tutors deliver a critical level of support that we have seen to be successful in helping address academic gaps effectively and improve student progress toward credit recovery and graduation. This action is ongoing throughout the school year. We expect that these actions will be effective at increasing students' credit completion rate which leads to improved graduation rates. However, because we expect that all students with low proficiency will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis.	We will also consider input from the parents of participating students to enhance the quality of the program provided.
1.4	Action: Counseling students towards graduation and materials Need: Historically, some of our lowest graduation rates are among the English learners, LTEL, low-income, and foster youth student groups,	To address obstacles to graduation, we will provide additional training and support to identify students' socio-emotional needs, incorporate counseling services to support students' well- being, and create a positive learning environment. Counselors will be principally directed to promote high expectations and provide guidance toward	We will closely monitor progress on our DASS graduation rates for all of our student groups, especially English learners, LTEL, low- income, foster youth, and students with disabilities.

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	 who are also students with disabilities, when compared to the All-student group who are at 75.9% for the DASS graduation rate. We examined the needs of our students who are behind in their coursework and credits. They are behind for a variety of reasons and many obstacles need to be addressed before they graduate successfully. Teachers, students, and parents provided feedback indicating that they support the high-value counselors bring to their students. Scope: Schoolwide 	 graduation. Counselors will promote a positive working relationship and will connect frequently with high-needs students, to help meet social-emotional needs. They will use programs like the Science of Hope, which promotes intrinsic motivation and guides students to achieve their graduation goals. Counselors are a critical factor in helping students graduate. Counselors will provide additional counseling and social-emotional support for English learners, LTEL, low-income and foster youth students, and students with disabilities. Counseling occurs weekly for our high-needs students. There are also multiple ways for counselors to connect with students such as one-on-one, group meetings, and home visits. Counselors are continually in contact with teachers and parents to help monitor the progress of students. We expect to continue providing counselors, who help address obstacles to graduation that students with disabilities who are also English learners, low-income, and/or foster youth students have; however, because we expect that all students could benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis. 	We expect them to increase each year. We will also consider input from the parents of participating students to enhance the quality of the program provided.
1.5	Action: Student activities that increase learning efforts Need:	To address this need, we will improve the coordination of integrated services, targeted academic interventions like tutoring and literacy intervention, and increase opportunities for social connection and community building. Additionally,	We will closely monitor progress on our credit completion rates for all of our student groups, especially English

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	As demonstrated in the Identified Needs and Metrics sections, English learners, low- income, and foster youth students are often underperforming in credit completion. The expected average is 4.0 for all students. They often exhibit low motivation to complete their assignments. Students, teachers, and parents provided feedback indicating that they support the value of meaningful student activities and incentives. Scope: Schoolwide	the school will acknowledge student achievement and celebrate student successes to gain buy-in. The school will also boost student morale by increasing student-led events and activities, creating a positive learning environment. Students are recognized for their efforts in a variety of ways that are meaningful to them. This includes but, is not limited to, celebrations, field trips and enrichment experiences. Throughout the school year and on an ongoing basis, our students participate in a comprehensive incentive and recognition system, that helps support their scholastic efforts. We have witnessed how these actions can inspire students to continue to be productive and strive to accelerate their learning. We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on credit completion rates. Furthermore, because we expect that all students could benefit from this action, it is provided on a schoolwide basis.	learners, LTEL, low- income, foster youth, and students with disabilities. We anticipate from these actions and support services to see an increase up to 4 credits per learning period. We will also consider input from students and parents to enhance the quality of the program provided.
2.1	Action: Career and college-readiness for English learners, low-income, and foster youth students Need: Some of our lowest career and college- readiness rates are among the English learners, low-income, and foster youth student groups who are all below the state average of 18.7% for graduates completing a CTE	To address this need, we will adjust the design of the action to ensure a comprehensive review of course placement, promotion, and support of A-G completion. We will also ensure that course articulation for a full CTE pathway is implemented, and we will expand workforce readiness and dual enrollment offerings. Additionally, our counselors will work closely with teachers to ensure all students complete college and/or career coursework. Counselors connect	We will closely monitor progress on our CTE completion rates and our A-G completion rates for all of our student groups, especially English learners, LTEL, low- income, foster youth, and students with disabilities.

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	pathway. They were also below the state average of 44.5% completing A-G courses and below 11.1% in the A-G + CTE pathway completion rate. Our English learners, low- income and foster youth students need to be prepared to pursue a career or attend a college. Students, teachers, and parents provided feedback indicating that they support efforts to increase college and career-readiness. Scope: Schoolwide	 students with WIOA to receive job training and placement. Additionally, field trips will be planned for career exploration. When our students enroll, they soon start to engage in career inventory, exploration, and Professional Skills, to align their interests into either CTE or other secondary education. We take into consideration local employment opportunities and student interests to help guide students into valuable coursework. Support personnel, staff, partnerships, and materials are essential to tailor and implement the curriculum for students. We have witnessed our students be successful in these programs. We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on our college and career readiness rates for our English learners, LTEL, low-income, foster youth, and students with disabilities. Furthermore, because we expect that all students could benefit from this action, it is provided on a schoolwide basis. 	We will also consider input from the parents, students, and teachers.
2.2	Action: Professional development addressing English learners, low-income, and foster youth students Need: As demonstrated in the Identified Needs and Metrics sections, CAASPP results on the ELA, math, and science assessments show that many of our lowest performing students are English learners, low-income, and foster youth	To address this need, we will adjust the design of the action to ensure that there are dedicated professional learning opportunities and collaboration specifically towards Mathematics and support for English learners. A deliberate approach using the PLC model and data-driven decision-making to incorporate research-based instructional strategies for scaffolding learning and assignment of interventions will promote academic progress.	We will closely monitor progress on CAASPP results, especially for English learners, LTEL, low- income, foster youth, and students with disabilities. We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on students' CAASPP scores.

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	student groups when compared to the All- student group. Teachers and parents provided feedback indicating that they support the value of professional development to increase effectiveness.	Throughout the school year, our teachers regularly participate in trainings, conferences, workshops, and professional learning communities to support capacity building in addressing our students' academic and social-emotional needs. We will train on our EL Tool Kit which includes effect strategies such as SDAIE. With additional staff training, such as trauma-informed practices, we have seen a positive impact on our At-Promise students.	We will also consider input from the parents, students, and teachers.
	Schoolwide	We anticipate that the increase in professional collaboration and learning will increase our state assessment results for our English learners, LTEL, low-income, foster youth, and students with disabilities. However, because we expect that all students showing low proficiency will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis.	
2.3	Action: Technology access & support Need: All English learners, LTEL, low-income, and foster youth students will have 100% access to the curriculum and instructional support. We know that access to effective technology platforms and support programs is critical to student access to curriculum and instruction. Teachers and parents provided feedback indicating that they support the value of	We have seen success with teachers and staff continually supporting students' access to technology, and we will continue to provide training and materials to close any gaps. Computers and hot spots are provided for every incoming student. This action starts at student orientation and is ongoing throughout the school year. We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on our students. There is an ongoing effort to ensure that our	We will monitor and sustain 100% of our students' access to technology for their educational program. We will also consider input from the parents, students and teachers.
	technology access.	English learners, LTEL, low-income, and foster youth students have access to technology. However, because we expect that all students will	

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	Scope: Schoolwide	benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis.	
2.4	Action: Support for standards-based curriculum and instruction Need: All English learners, LTEL, low-income, and foster youth students will have access to high- quality, standards-aligned curriculum and instruction that is continually improving. The implementation score for our standards-based curriculum is 4.18, based on the CDE Standards Implementation Rubric. Teachers and parents provided feedback indicating that they support the value of implementing a standards-based curriculum. Scope: Schoolwide	To address this need, our staff will continue to participate in local curriculum review, engage in dialogue, and provide input on aligning standards to instructional practices. Professional development will guide the implementation of a standards-based curriculum. Support will be provided by curriculum specialists in analyzing data results and improving the process to monitor the effectiveness of our curriculum and instructional practices. Teams will adopt an online learning platform to personalize student learning in Mathematics & ELA. Throughout the school year, staff will continue to collaborate and develop a high-quality, customized curriculum, and provide coaching to support implementation for the unique needs of our student groups. We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on our educational program resulting in a higher score each year. An improved program supports our English learners, LTEL, low-income, foster youth, and students with disabilities. Furthermore, because we expect that all students could benefit from this action, it is provided on a schoolwide basis.	We will closely monitor progress on our implementation of standards-based curriculum score from the CDE Standards Implementation Rubric. We expect improvement on the implementation score each year. We will also consider input from the parents, students, and teachers.
3.1	Action: Student retention	Ensuring that our English learners, low-income and foster youth students are attending and	We expect that these actions will have a positive

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	 Need: We serve English learners, LTELs, low-income and foster youth, with high mobility, who are typically behind in credits and have been out of school for a semester or more. We have seen success in the Retention Rate for our student population, which is currently at 89.34%. Teachers and parents provided feedback indicating that they support the value of student retention. Scope: Schoolwide 	remaining in school is critical to meeting their needs. To address this, we have trained personnel who provide outreach and monitoring of students so that their attendance is regular. We also have comprehensive incentive programs. We will continue these practices for our English learners, low-income and foster youth. These actions occur throughout the school year. We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on our educational program resulting in a higher score each year. An improved program supports our English learners, LTEL, low-income, foster youth, and students with disabilities. Furthermore, because we expect that all students could benefit from this action, it is provided on a schoolwide basis.	 impact on the Retention Rate of our program and that we will stay above 80% each year for all of our English learners, LTELs, low-income, and foster youths. We will also consider input from the parents, students, and teachers.
3.2	Action: Social and emotional supports Need: We serve English learners, LTELs, low- income, and foster youth students, many of whom have sustained social and emotional trauma. How we address this impacts our Success Rate, which measures graduation, retention and rematriculation. The Success Rate is currently 94.91%. Teachers and parents provided feedback indicating that they support the value of social and emotional supports.	We know that the success of our program is connected to student social-emotional health. To address this issue, we have trauma-informed practices that have helped address many of the social-emotional needs of our English learners, LTELs, low-income, and foster youth students. Programs such as SEL, counseling, support personnel, social workers, professional development, and special programs such as yoga, have a positive impact on our students. This action is provided on an ongoing basis, throughout the school year. Staff and teachers are all diligent in watching for signs of trauma and are quick to provide support.	We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on the Success Rate of our program and that we will stay above 80% each year for all of our English learners, LTELs, low-income, and foster youths. We will also consider input from the parents, students, and teachers.

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	Scope: Schoolwide	We will continue to provide and improve on these actions and services because we have witnessed success in our English learners, low-income and foster youth students when their social-emotional needs are carefully considered. However, because we expect that all students will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis.	
3.3	Action: Access to transportation Need: We serve English learners, LTELs, low- income, and foster youth students who are frequently without access to transportation to school or other related programs. It is critical that they have good attendance in order to learn. The Average Attendance Rate is currently 84.0%. Teachers and parents provided feedback indicating that they support the value of having reliable transportation. Scope: Schoolwide	To address this issue, we provide a variety of transportation options from metro passes, bus services, and ride-shares. We will continue to provide this additional service for students because we have seen it improve their access to school and programs. These actions are provided throughout the school year and teachers make sure students have access to transportation. We know that staff and students working together daily, will have a positive impact on the attendance rates of our English learners, LTELs, low-income, and foster youth students. English learners, LTEL, low-income, foster youth, and students with disabilities are served by this action. Furthermore, because we expect that all students could benefit from this action, it is provided on a schoolwide basis.	We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on the Average Attendance Rate, and we will stay above 85% each year for all of our English learners, LTELs, low- income, and foster youths. We will also consider input from the parents, students, and teachers.
3.4	Action: Access to nutrition Need:	To address this, we will ensure that students have access to quality nutrition at the school or even delivered, if necessary. Students cannot learn well when they are hungry, so we will continue to	We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on the average Non-completer Rate,

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	Food scarcity for our highly mobile English learners, LTELs, low-income, and foster youth students is a serious concern. We intend to provide nutrition for all students. We think this will help mitigate the drop-out rate, which is the Non-completer rate for our independent study program. The Non-completer Rate is currently 5.97%. Teachers and parents provided feedback indicating that they support the value having access	 provide food services and/or other means for them to receive sustenance. Throughout the school day, teachers and staff are diligent about the nutritional needs of students. They are quick to provide food, daily. Students also ask for food as needed. These actions will decrease non-completer rates for our English learners, LTEL, low-income, and foster youth student population. However, because we expect that all students will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis. 	which will stay below 10% for all of our students. We will also consider input from the parents, students, and teachers.
4.1	Action: Community/Parent Liaison and meaningful school activities Need: Feedback from teachers, SRS, administrators, and counselors, state that the parents of English learners, LTELs, low-income and foster youth students are less involved in their student's educational activities. According to our educational partners, parents are an essential component to effective schooling and the overall academic success of these students. As shown in the metrics section above, we expect the participation counts to be above enrollment.	To ensure our continued success, we hope to see an increase in parent participation. We will continue to provide a Community Liaison who does outreach and promotes the school as a welcoming place for EL, FY, and LI students through organizing on-site activities and events. We believe that increasing parent/family engagement, as well as creating and cultivating connections in the community, will have a positive impact on students. This action is on an ongoing basis, throughout the school year. The support of the Community Liaison is designed to meet the needs associated with increasing parent involvement of English learners, low- income and foster youth. However, because we	We will closely monitor progress on our parent participation count so that they are above the enrollment amount. We will also consider input from the parents, students, and teachers.

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	Teachers and parents provided feedback indicating that they support the value of implementing parent engagement activities.	expect that all students will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis.	
	Schoolwide		
4.2	Action: Translation and outreach services Need: According to our educational partners, parent and student connectedness is an essential component to effective schooling and the overall academic success of the identified students. We currently have 291 participants in our PAC/ELAC meetings this year. Teachers and parents provided feedback indicating that they support the value of outreach services.	Eliminating language barriers for families of our English learners is necessary to ensure that students and families are aware of school events and activities. We will continue to increase awareness of the school events and activities through translating materials and/or outreach services. The Community Liaison, in coordination with our staff, will utilize these services to increase communication with our EL, FY, and LI parents using written, verbal, and virtual communications. This action is provided throughout the school year based on identified needs. Translation services are available quickly for written materials and oral services as necessary.	We expect that these actions will have a positive impact on participation in ELAC and PAC meetings. This is good for all of our English learners, LTELs, low-income and foster youth. We will also consider input from the parents, students, and teachers.
	Scope: Schoolwide	This action is designed to meet the needs of increased communication and parent involvement of English learners, low-income and foster youth. However, because we expect that all students will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis.	
4.3	Action: Educational partner engagement	According to our educational partners, parent involvement is essential to effective schooling and	We expect that these actions will have a positive

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	Need: Feedback from teachers, administrators, and counselors, state that the parents of English learners, LTELs, low-income, and foster youth students are less involved in their student's educational activities. Results from our school survey show that our parents report that 81% feel encouraged to participate. Parents and teachers provided feedback indicating that they support the value of educational partner engagement. Schoolwide	the overall academic success of our students. Sustaining educational partner engagement requires expenses for such things as communications, outreach, materials, activities, and transportation. We believe in the importance of parents feeling encouraged to participate. We expect that the Community Liaison, in coordination with our staff, will utilize these resources to increase positive two-way communication with our EL, FY, and LI parents using written, verbal, and virtual communications. This action is done on an on- going-basis throughout the school year. We will continue this action, because we have witnessed the positive impact on schools when barriers to access are removed for our English learners, LTELs, low-income, and foster youth students. However, because we expect that all students will benefit, this action is provided on an LEA-wide basis.	impact on the school survey results. We expect parents will report that over 90% feel encouraged to participate each year, based on the school survey.We will also consider input from the parents, students, and teachers.

Limited Actions

For each action being solely provided to one or more unduplicated student group(s), provide an explanation of (1) the unique identified need(s) of the unduplicated student group(s) being served, (2) how the action is designed to address the identified need(s), and (3) how the effectiveness of the action in improving outcomes for the unduplicated student group(s) will be measured.

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1.1	Action:	To address this, we will improve our support for our EL and LTEL students by embedding	We will closely monitor progress on this action

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Action #		Need(s)	Effectiveness
	Long-term English learners (LTEL) and English learners support staff, interventions, and materials Need: According to the CA Dashboard, our English learner student group was in the green on the English learners Performance Indicator (ELPI). We also examined our reclassification rate trend and did a needs assessment on our LTELs. Teacher and parent feedback indicated that they support the importance of the EL program and support increasing students' skills. Scope: Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)	opportunities for structured oral language development, such as public speaking or presentations, providing opportunities for cooperative learning through SGI, and we will provide text-rich environments where students can make language connections between English and their native tongue. We will increase and target tutoring, and additional EL paraprofessional support in SGI classes to ensure that English learners have quality instructional support in their program. Additionally, with System 44, we will address the identified needs of our EL students and target their learning gaps. We will address this need by providing an EL Paraprofessional or other trained bilingual support personnel. This includes, but is not limited to EL tutors, ELD Leads, support staff, ELD Small Group Instruction, and supplementary materials for the ELD program as needed. Students will receive individualized support based on their specific English proficiency level. English language development (ELD) is an integral part of our comprehensive program. We aim for every English learner to meet the linguistic and academic goals identified by their proficiency level. ELs participate in Newcomer programs, Structured English lmmersion, or English Language Mainstream, based on both academic progress and their capacity to successfully advance their language acquisition. Support staff will provide specific language instruction through vocabulary and language development to support literacy skills and language acquisition. This will be done throughout the school year.	which is designed to meet the greatest needs of English learners. Using integrated and designated unit tests on appropriate ELD & ELA standards, and using real-time tracking, student language proficiency, and academic progress will be monitored and we expect their ELPI results, as well as the reclassification rate, to increase as a result. We will also consider input from the parents of participating students to enhance the quality of the program provided.

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		We expect that these actions, which are designed to address our EL and LTEL students' needs, will be effective at increasing our students' performance on the ELPAC and improving their reclassification rate. This action is provided on a limited basis.	
1.8	Action: Professional development to support English learners and LTELs Need: According to the CA Dashboard, our English learner student group was in the green on the English Learners Performance Indicator (ELPI). We also examined our reclassification rate trend and did a needs assessment on our LTELs. Parent and teacher feedback indicated that they support the importance of professional development to support English learners and LTELs. Scope: Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)	To address the need to further support our LTELs, our ELD Specialist along with our Lead Literacy Teacher will build the capacity of teachers through monthly coaching. The coaching will focus on assessing existing language skills, improving academic literacy across all subject areas, and providing challenging lessons that utilize evidence- based learning strategies such as annotations, mentor/model texts, and shared reading. Our ELD Specialist will monitor the progress of our LTELs in their coursework as well as their performance on the annual ELPAC. Paraprofessionals will work with faculty to plan academic intervention concentrated on effective and equitable instructional strategies for EL and LTEL students, including providing one-on-one and push-in support during SGI classes Additionally, we will provide professional development opportunities for teachers to enhance their skills in addressing diverse learning needs. This may involve workshops, seminars, or collaborative learning communities focused on effective instructional practices. Our English learners will be served by trained EL Paraprofessionals or other trained bilingual support personnel. This includes but is not limited to EL tutors, ELD Leads, support staff, ELD Small	We will monitor progress on this action as it's designed to meet the greatest needs of English learners. Using real-time tracking, student language proficiency and academic progress will be monitored and we expect that the CA Dashboard ELPI, as well as the reclassification rate, toincrease. We will also consider input from the parents of participating students to enhance the quality of the program provided.

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		 Group Instruction, and supplementary materials for the ELD program as needed. Trainings could include, but are not limited to, developing an EL Tool Kit, implementing effective EL strategies using SIOP (Sheltered Instruction Observational Protocol), and scaffolding strategies such as modeling, building schema, and contextualization. Additionally, workshops, conferences and Professional Learning Communities provide information that will build the capacity of faculty and staff to increase student performance. Professional development happens throughout the year on various topics. There is follow-up with staff who are trained using the PLC model. There are opportunities for staff to collaborate with each other and share best practices. We expect that our English learners, including long-term English learners' (LTEL), ELPAC scores, ELPI, as well as the reclassification rate, will increase as a result of the personalized academic support and attention they will receive from qualified personnel. This action is provided on a limited basis. 	

For any limited action contributing to meeting the increased or improved services requirement that is associated with a Planned Percentage of Improved Services in the Contributing Summary Table rather than an expenditure of LCFF funds, describe the methodology that was used to determine the contribution of the action towards the proportional percentage, as applicable.

Not Applicable.

Additional Concentration Grant Funding

A description of the plan for how the additional concentration grant add-on funding identified above will be used to increase the number of staff providing direct services to students at schools that have a high concentration (above 55 percent) of foster youth, English learners, and low-income students, as applicable.

We are a single school LEA and an independent study DASS charter school, with over 55% unduplicated students. Our students are served by additional personnel specifically trained to address their specific social-emotional and academic needs. The funds were used to increase or retain critical personnel, who are essential to implementing each goal.

Listed below are the goals and actions where there are additional personnel who provided direct services to unduplicated students:

Goal 1 Action 2: All academic interventions and program materials – have intervention teachers for math, ELA, and reading. Goal 1 Action 3: Tutoring and support for students – have many tutors proficient in multiple subject areas. Goal 3 Action 2: Social-emotional, trauma support services and materials.

We are single school LEA and do not have comparison schools.

Staff-to-student ratios by type of school and concentration of unduplicated students	Schools with a student concentration of 55 percent or less	Schools with a student concentration of greater than 55 percent
Staff-to-student ratio of classified staff providing direct services to students		A response to this prompt is not applicable, because we are a single-school LEA independent DASS school, focused on credit recovery.
Staff-to-student ratio of certificated staff providing direct services to students	A response to this prompt is not applicable, because we are a single-school LEA independent DASS school, focused on credit recovery.	A response to this prompt is not applicable, because we are a single-school LEA independent DASS school, focused on credit recovery.

2024-25 Total Expenditures Table

	LCAP Year	(Input Dollar /	Amount)	Suppler Concent (Input D	ected LCFF nental and/or tration Grants ollar Amount)	to Ir Serv	ojected Percen ncrease or Impr ices for the Cor School Year (2 divided by 1)	ove ning (LCFF Carry Percent Input Percent Prior Ye	age age from ar)	Total Percenta Increase or Im Services for the School Ye (3 + Carryove	pprove Coming ear er %)				
	Totals	\$28,427,11	6.00	10,0	61,778.00		35.395%		0.000%	6	35.395%					
	Totals	LCFF Fu		Othe	er State Funds		Local Funds	5	Federal F		Total Fund		Total Personnel	Total Non-p		
	Totals	\$38,078,37	8.00						\$283,843	3.00	\$38,362,221	1.00	\$22,265,450.00	\$16,096,	771.00	
Goal #	Action #	Action Title	Student	Group(s)	Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?	Scope	Unduplicated Student Group(s)	Locatio	n Time Span	Total Personnel	Total Non- personnel	LCFF Funds	Other State Funds	Local Funds	Federal Funds	Total Funds
1	1.1	Long-term English learners (LTEL) and English learners support staff, interventions, and materials	English	Learners		Limite d to Undupli cated Student Group(s)	English Learners	All Schools	July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$1,067,132 .00	\$5,000.00	\$1,072,132.00				\$1,072,132.00
1	1.2	All academic interventions and program materials	English Foster Low	Learners Youth Income	Yes	Scho olwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$1,045,388 .00	\$50,000.00	\$1,095,388.00				\$1,095,388.00
1	1.3	Tutoring and supports for students	English Foster Low	Learners Youth Income	Yes	Scho olwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$1,614,614 .00	\$0.00	\$1,614,614.00				\$1,614,614.00
1	1.4	Counseling students towards graduation and materials	English Foster Low	Learners Youth Income	Yes	Scho olwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$681,345.0 0	\$30,000.00	\$711,345.00				\$711,345.00
1	1.5	Student activities that increase learning efforts	English Foster Low	Learners Youth Income	Yes	Scho olwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	July 1, 2024 - June 20, 2025	\$0.00	\$175,000.00	\$175,000.00				\$175,000.00
1	1.6	Teachers and staff are qualified and appropriately assigned	All		No				July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$12,836,97 9.00	\$0.00	\$12,836,979.0)			\$12,836,979.00
1	1.7	Title 1 - Intervention programs and personnel to support students	All		No				July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$282,843.0 0	\$0.00				\$282,843.00	\$282,843.00
1	1.8	Professional development to support English learners and LTELs	English	Learners	Yes	Limite d to Undupli cated	English Learners	All Schools	July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$0.00	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00				\$2,000.00

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Goal #	Action #	Action Title	Student (Group(s)	Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?	Scope	Unduplicated Student Group(s)	Location	Time Span	Total Personnel	Total Non- personnel	LCFF Funds	Other State Funds	Local Funds	Federal Funds	Total Funds
						Student Group(s)										
2		Career and college- readiness for English learners, low-income, and foster youth students	English Foster Low	Learners Youth Income	Yes	Scho olwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$486,076.0 0	\$15,000.00	\$501,076.00				\$501,076.00
2	2.2	Professional development addressing English learners, low- income, and foster youth students	English Foster Low	Learners Youth Income	Yes	Scho olwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$0.00	\$60,000.00	\$60,000.00				\$60,000.00
2	2.3	Technology access & support	English Foster Low	Learners Youth Income	Yes	Scho olwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$60,191.00	\$171,150.00	\$231,341.00				\$231,341.00
2	2.4	Support for standards- based curriculum and instruction	English Foster Low	Learners Youth Income	Yes	Scho olwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$2,899,848 .00	\$115,000.00	\$3,014,848.00				\$3,014,848.00
2	2.5	Educational materials for an effective program	All		No				July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$0.00	\$12,201,692.00	\$12,201,692.00				\$12,201,692.00
2	2.6	Safe and secure facilities	All		No				July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$0.00	\$2,977,929.00	\$2,977,929.00				\$2,977,929.00
3	3.1	Student retention	English Foster Low	Learners Youth Income	Yes	Scho olwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$298,246.0 0	\$15,000.00	\$313,246.00				\$313,246.00
3	3.2	Social and emotional supports	English Foster Low	Learners Youth Income	Yes	Scho olwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$899,911.0 0	\$20,000.00	\$919,911.00				\$919,911.00
3	3.3	Access to transportation	English Foster Low	Learners Youth Income	Yes	Scho olwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$0.00	\$18,000.00	\$18,000.00				\$18,000.00
3	3.4	Access to nutrition	English Foster Low	Learners Youth Income	Yes	Scho olwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$0.00	\$120,000.00	\$120,000.00				\$120,000.00
3	3.5	Title 1 – Helping homeless	All		No				July 1, 2024 -	\$0.00	\$500.00				\$500.00	\$500.00

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Goal #	Action #	Action Title	Student G	roup(s)	Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?	Scope	Unduplicated Student Group(s)	Location	Time Span	Total Personnel	Total Non- personnel	LCFF Funds	Other State Funds	Local Funds	Federal Funds	Total Funds
									June 30, 2025							
4	4.1	Community/Parent Liaison and meaningful school activities	English Foster Low	Learners Youth Income		Scho olwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$92,877.00	\$100,000.00	\$192,877.00				\$192,877.00
4	4.2	Translation and outreach services	English Foster Low	Learners Youth Income	Yes	Scho olwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$0.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00				\$10,000.00
4	4.3	Educational partner engagement	English Foster Low	Learners Youth Income		Scho olwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$0.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00				\$10,000.00
4	4.4	Title 1 – Parent engagement	All		No				July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025	\$0.00	\$500.00				\$500.00	\$500.00

2024-25 Contributing Actions Table

1. Projected LCFF Base Grant		LCFF Percentage Supplemental Increase o and/or Improve Concentration Services fo Grants the Coming School Yea		Services for the Coming School Year (2 divided by		4. Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (LCFF Funds)	5. Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (%)		Planned Percentage Increase Improve Services f the Comin School Ye (4 divided 1, plus 5	e to or for ng ear by	Total LCFF Funds
\$28,42	27,116.0 0	10,061,778.00	35.395%	0.000%	35.395%	\$10,061,778.0 0	0.000%		35.395 %	⁶ Total:	\$10,061,778.00
										LEA-wide Total: Limited Total Schoolwide Total:	. , ,
Goal	Action #	Action # Action Title		Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?	Scope	Unduplicated Student Group(s)		Location Co		Planned Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds)	Planned Percentage of Improved Services (%)
1	1.1	Long-term English learners (LTEL) and English learners support staff, interventions, and materials		Yes	Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s	English Le	arners A	All Sch	ools	\$1,072,132.00	0.00%
1	1.2			Yes	Schoolwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income		1		\$1,095,388.00	0.00%
1	1.3	Tutoring and supports for students		Yes	Schoolwide	English Le Foster You Low Incom	th		\$1,614,614.00	0.00%	
1	1.4	Counseling students towards graduation and materials		Yes	Schoolwide	English Le Foster You Low Incom	uth	ners All Schools \$		\$711,345.00	0.00%
1	1.5			Yes	Schoolwide	English Le Foster You Low Incom	uth	All Scho	ools	\$175,000.00	0.00%

Goal	Action #	Action Title	Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?	Scope	Unduplicated Student Group(s)	Location	Planned Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds)	Planned Percentage of Improved Services (%)
1	1.8	Professional development to support English learners and LTELs	Yes	Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)	English Learners	All Schools	\$2,000.00	0.00%
2	2.1	Career and college- readiness for English learners, low-income, and foster youth students	Yes	Schoolwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$501,076.00	0.00%
2	2.2	Professional development addressing English learners, low-income, and foster youth students	Yes	Schoolwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$60,000.00	0.00%
2	2.3	Technology access & support	Yes	Schoolwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$231,341.00	0.00%
2	2.4	Support for standards- based curriculum and instruction	Yes	Schoolwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$3,014,848.00	0.00%
3	3.1	Student retention	Yes	Schoolwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$313,246.00	0.00%
3	3.2	Social and emotional supports	Yes	Schoolwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$919,911.00	0.00%
3	3.3	Access to transportation	Yes	Schoolwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$18,000.00	0.00%
3	3.4	Access to nutrition	Yes	Schoolwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$120,000.00	0.00%
4	4.1	Community/Parent Liaison and meaningful school activities	Yes	Schoolwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$192,877.00	0.00%
4	4.2	Translation and outreach services	Yes	Schoolwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$10,000.00	0.00%
4	4.3	Educational partner engagement	Yes	Schoolwide	English Learners Foster Youth Low Income	All Schools	\$10,000.00	0.00%

2023-24 Annual Update Table

Totals	Last Year's Total Planned Expenditures (Total Funds)	Total Estimated Expenditures (Total Funds)
Totals	\$35,809,565.00	\$34,732,773.00

Last Year's Goal #	Last Year's Action #	Prior Action/Service Title	Contributed to Increased or Improved Services?	Last Year's Planned Expenditures (Total Funds)	Estimated Actual Expenditures (Input Total Funds)
1	1.1	English Learners support staff, interventions, and materials	Yes	\$353,278.00	\$397,591.00
1	1.2	All academic interventions and program materials	Yes	\$1,172,483.00	\$1,216,002.00
1	1.3	Tutoring and supports for students	Yes	\$1,562,997.00	\$1,707,333.00
1	1.4	Counseling students towards graduation and materials	Yes	\$728,138.00	\$801,119.00
1	1.5	Student activities that increase learning efforts	Yes	\$150,000.00	\$166,877.00
1	1.6	Teachers and staff are qualified and appropriately assigned	No	\$12,775,432.00	\$12,517,591.00
1	1.7	Title 1 - Intervention programs and personnel to support students	No	\$301,304.00	\$274,411.00
1	1.8	Professional Development for English Learners	Yes	\$2,000.00	\$3,246.00
2	2.1	Career and college-readiness for English Learners, low income, and foster youth students	Yes	\$473,279.00	\$487,261.00
2	2.2	Professional development addressing English Learners, low income, and foster youth students	Yes	\$92,000.00	\$94,483.00

Last Year's Goal #	Last Year's Action #	Prior Action/Service Title	Contributed to Increased or Improved Services?	Last Year's Planned Expenditures (Total Funds)	Estimated Actual Expenditures (Input Total Funds)	
2	2.3 Technology Access & Support		Yes	\$200,000.00	\$221,209.00	
2	2 2.4 Support for Standards-base Curriculum and Instruction		Yes	\$2,625,017.00	\$2,992,881.00	
2	2.5	Educational materials for an effective program	No	\$11,195,183.00	\$9,209,611.00	
2	2.6	Safe and secure facilities	No	\$2,684,950.00	\$2,960,830.00	
3	3.1	Student Retention	Yes	\$181,475.00	\$274,614.00	
3	3.2	Social and Emotional Supports	Yes	\$1,036,029.00	\$1,095,016.00	
3	3.3	Access to Transportation	Yes	\$15,000.00	\$15,504.00	
3	3.4	Access to Nutrition	Yes	\$50,000.00	\$52,698.00	
3	3.5	Title 1 – Helping Homeless	No	\$500.00	\$645.00	
4	4.1	Community/Parent Liaison and Meaningful School Activities	Yes	\$190,000.00	\$222,475.00	
4	4.2	Translation and Outreach Services	Yes	\$10,000.00	\$10,478.00	
4	4.3	Educational Partner Engagement	Yes	\$10,000.00	\$10,378.00	
4	4.4	Title 1 – Parent Engagement	No	\$500.00	\$520.00	

2023-24 Contributing Actions Annual Update Table

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\$9,639,027.00 \$8,851,696.00		\$9,769,1	65.00	(\$917,469.	00)	0.000%		0.000%	0.000%	/ 0		
Last Year's Goal #	Last Year's Action #	Prior Action/Ser	vice Title	Incr	ibuting to eased or ed Services?	Expe Co	Year's Planned enditures for ontributing tions (LCFF Funds)	Exp C	imated Actual penditures for Contributing Actions ut LCFF Funds)	Planned Perce of Improve Services	ed	Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (Input Percentage)
1	1.1	English Learners support staff, interventions, and materials			Yes	\$3	353,278.00	9	\$397,591.00	0.00%		
1	1.2	All academic interventions and program materials			Yes	\$1,172,483.00		\$	\$1,216,002.00 0.00%			
1	1.3	Tutoring and supports for students			Yes	\$1,	,562,997.00	\$	1,707,333.00	0.00%		
1	1.4	Counseling students towards graduation and materials			Yes	\$7	728,138.00	9	\$801,119.00	0.00%		
1	1.5	Student activities that increase learning efforts			Yes	\$1	150,000.00	4	\$166,877.00	0.00%		
1	1.8	Professional Development for English Learners			Yes	9	\$2,000.00		\$3,246.00	0.00%		
2	2.1	Career and college- for English Learners income, and foster students	s, low		Yes	\$2	473,279.00	Ş	\$487,261.00	0.00%		
2	2.2	Professional develo addressing English low income, and fos students	Learners,		Yes	\$	92,000.00		\$94,483.00	0.00%		
2	2.3	Technology Access	& Support		Yes	\$2	200,000.00	ę	\$221,209.00	0.00%		
2	2.4	Support for Standar Curriculum and Inst			Yes	\$2,	,625,017.00	\$2	2,992,881.00	0.00%		
3	3.1	Student Retention			Yes	\$1	181,475.00	\$	\$274,614.00	0.00%		

Last Year's Goal #	Last Year's Action #	Prior Action/Service Title	Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?	Last Year's Planned Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds)	Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (Input LCFF Funds)	Planned Percentage of Improved Services	Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (Input Percentage)
3	3.2	Social and Emotional Supports	Yes	\$1,036,029.00	\$1,095,016.00	0.00%	
3	3.3	Access to Transportation	Yes	\$15,000.00	\$15,504.00	0.00%	
3	3.4	Access to Nutrition	Yes	\$50,000.00	\$52,698.00	0.00%	
4	4.1	Community/Parent Liaison and Meaningful School Activities	Yes	\$190,000.00	\$222,475.00	0.00%	
4	4.2	Translation and Outreach Services	Yes	\$10,000.00	\$10,478.00	0.00%	
4	4.3	Educational Partner Engagement	Yes	\$10,000.00	\$10,378.00	0.00%	

2023-24 LCFF Carryover Table

9. Estimated Actual LCFF Base Grant (Input Dollar Amount)	6. Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants	LCFF Carryover — Percentage (Percentage from Prior Year)	Services for the	for Contributing Actions	8. Total Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (%)	11. Estimated Actual Percentage of Increased or Improved Services (7 divided by 9, plus 8)	12. LCFF Carryover — Dollar Amount (Subtract 11 from 10 and multiply by 9)	13. LCFF Carryover — Percentage (12 divided by 9)
\$28,693,558.00	\$9,639,027.00	0.000%	33.593%	\$9,769,165.00	0.000%	34.047%	\$0.00	0.000%

Local Control and Accountability Plan Instructions

Plan Summary

Engaging Educational Partners

Goals and Actions

Increased or Improved Services for Foster Youth, English Learners, and Low-Income Students

For additional questions or technical assistance related to the completion of the Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) template, please contact the local county office of education (COE), or the California Department of Education's (CDE's) Local Agency Systems Support Office, by phone at 916-319-0809 or by email at <u>LCFF@cde.ca.gov</u>.

Introduction and Instructions

The Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) requires local educational agencies (LEAs) to engage their local educational partners in an annual planning process to evaluate their progress within eight state priority areas encompassing all statutory metrics (COEs have 10 state priorities). LEAs document the results of this planning process in the LCAP using the template adopted by the State Board of Education.

The LCAP development process serves three distinct, but related functions:

- Comprehensive Strategic Planning: The process of developing and annually updating the LCAP supports comprehensive strategic planning, particularly to address and reduce disparities in opportunities and outcomes between student groups indicated by the California School Dashboard (California Education Code [EC] Section 52064[e][1]). Strategic planning that is comprehensive connects budgetary decisions to teaching and learning performance data. LEAs should continually evaluate the hard choices they make about the use of limited resources to meet student and community needs to ensure opportunities and outcomes are improved for all students.
- Meaningful Engagement of Educational Partners: The LCAP development process should result in an LCAP that reflects decisions made through meaningful engagement (*EC* Section 52064[e][1]). Local educational partners possess valuable perspectives and insights about an LEA's programs and services. Effective strategic planning will incorporate these perspectives and insights in order to identify potential goals and actions to be included in the LCAP.
- Accountability and Compliance: The LCAP serves an important accountability function because the nature of some LCAP template sections
 require LEAs to show that they have complied with various requirements specified in the LCFF statutes and regulations, most notably:
 - Demonstrating that LEAs are increasing or improving services for foster youth, English learners, including long-term English learners, and low-income students in proportion to the amount of additional funding those students generate under LCFF (*EC* Section 52064[b][4-6]).
 - Establishing goals, supported by actions and related expenditures, that address the statutory priority areas and statutory metrics (*EC* sections 52064[b][1] and [2]).
 - **NOTE:** As specified in *EC* Section 62064(b)(1), the LCAP must provide a description of the annual goals, for all pupils and each subgroup of pupils identified pursuant to *EC* Section 52052, to be achieved for each of the state priorities. Beginning in 2023–24, *EC*

Section 52052 identifies long-term English learners as a separate and distinct pupil subgroup with a numerical significance at 15 students.

- Annually reviewing and updating the LCAP to reflect progress toward the goals (*EC* Section 52064[b][7]).
- Ensuring that all increases attributable to supplemental and concentration grant calculations, including concentration grant add-on funding and/or LCFF carryover, are reflected in the LCAP (*EC* sections 52064[b][6], [8], and [11]).

The LCAP template, like each LEA's final adopted LCAP, is a document, not a process. LEAs must use the template to memorialize the outcome of their LCAP development process, which must: (a) reflect comprehensive strategic planning, particularly to address and reduce disparities in opportunities and outcomes between student groups indicated by the California School Dashboard (Dashboard), (b) through meaningful engagement with educational partners that (c) meets legal requirements, as reflected in the final adopted LCAP. The sections included within the LCAP template do not and cannot reflect the full development process, just as the LCAP template itself is not intended as a tool for engaging educational partners.

If a county superintendent of schools has jurisdiction over a single school district, the county board of education and the governing board of the school district may adopt and file for review and approval a single LCAP consistent with the requirements in *EC* sections 52060, 52062, 52066, 52068, and 52070. The LCAP must clearly articulate to which entity's budget (school district or county superintendent of schools) all budgeted and actual expenditures are aligned.

The revised LCAP template for the 2024–25, 2025–26, and 2026–27 school years reflects statutory changes made through Senate Bill 114 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review), Chapter 48, Statutes of 2023.

At its most basic, the adopted LCAP should attempt to distill not just what the LEA is doing for students in transitional kindergarten through grade twelve (TK–12), but also allow educational partners to understand why, and whether those strategies are leading to improved opportunities and outcomes for students. LEAs are strongly encouraged to use language and a level of detail in their adopted LCAPs intended to be meaningful and accessible for the LEA's diverse educational partners and the broader public.

In developing and finalizing the LCAP for adoption, LEAs are encouraged to keep the following overarching frame at the forefront of the strategic planning and educational partner engagement functions:

Given present performance across the state priorities and on indicators in the Dashboard, how is the LEA using its budgetary resources to respond to TK–12 student and community needs, and address any performance gaps, including by meeting its obligation to increase or improve services for foster youth, English learners, and low-income students?

LEAs are encouraged to focus on a set of metrics and actions which, based on research, experience, and input gathered from educational partners, the LEA believes will have the biggest impact on behalf of its TK–12 students.

These instructions address the requirements for each section of the LCAP, but may include information about effective practices when developing the LCAP and completing the LCAP document. Additionally, the beginning of each template section includes information emphasizing the purpose that section serves.

Plan Summary

Purpose

A well-developed Plan Summary section provides a meaningful context for the LCAP. This section provides information about an LEA's community as well as relevant information about student needs and performance. In order to present a meaningful context for the rest of the LCAP, the content of this section should be clearly and meaningfully related to the content included throughout each subsequent section of the LCAP.

Requirements and Instructions

General Information

A description of the LEA, its schools, and its students in grades transitional kindergarten-12, as applicable to the LEA.

Briefly describe the LEA, its schools, and its students in grades TK-12, as applicable to the LEA.

- For example, information about an LEA in terms of geography, enrollment, employment, the number and size of specific schools, recent community challenges, and other such information the LEA may wish to include can enable a reader to more fully understand the LEA's LCAP.
- As part of this response, identify all schools within the LEA receiving Equity Multiplier funding.

Reflections: Annual Performance

A reflection on annual performance based on a review of the California School Dashboard (Dashboard) and local data.

Reflect on the LEA's annual performance on the Dashboard and local data. This may include both successes and challenges identified by the LEA during the development process.

LEAs are encouraged to highlight how they are addressing the identified needs of student groups, and/or schools within the LCAP as part of this response.

As part of this response, the LEA must identify the following, which will remain unchanged during the three-year LCAP cycle:

- Any school within the LEA that received the lowest performance level on one or more state indicators on the 2023 Dashboard;
- Any student group within the LEA that received the lowest performance level on one or more state indicators on the 2023 Dashboard; and/or
- Any student group within a school within the LEA that received the lowest performance level on one or more state indicators on the 2023 Dashboard.

Reflections: Technical Assistance

As applicable, a summary of the work underway as part of technical assistance.

Annually identify the reason(s) the LEA is eligible for or has requested technical assistance consistent with *EC* sections 47607.3, 52071, 52071.5, 52072, or 52072.5, and provide a summary of the work underway as part of receiving technical assistance. The most common form of this technical assistance is frequently referred to as Differentiated Assistance, however this also includes LEAs that have requested technical assistance from their COE.

• If the LEA is not eligible for or receiving technical assistance, the LEA may respond to this prompt as "Not Applicable."

Comprehensive Support and Improvement

An LEA with a school or schools identified for comprehensive support and improvement (CSI) under the Every Student Succeeds Act must respond to the following prompts:

Schools Identified

A list of the schools in the LEA that are eligible for comprehensive support and improvement.

• Identify the schools within the LEA that have been identified for CSI.

Support for Identified Schools

A description of how the LEA has or will support its eligible schools in developing comprehensive support and improvement plans.

• Describe how the LEA has or will support the identified schools in developing CSI plans that included a school-level needs assessment, evidencebased interventions, and the identification of any resource inequities to be addressed through the implementation of the CSI plan.

Monitoring and Evaluating Effectiveness

A description of how the LEA will monitor and evaluate the plan to support student and school improvement.

• Describe how the LEA will monitor and evaluate the implementation and effectiveness of the CSI plan to support student and school improvement.

Engaging Educational Partners

Purpose

Significant and purposeful engagement of parents, students, educators, and other educational partners, including those representing the student groups identified by LCFF, is critical to the development of the LCAP and the budget process. Consistent with statute, such engagement should support comprehensive strategic planning, particularly to address and reduce disparities in opportunities and outcomes between student groups indicated by the Dashboard, accountability, and improvement across the state priorities and locally identified priorities (*EC* Section 52064[e][1]). Engagement of educational partners is an ongoing, annual process.

This section is designed to reflect how the engagement of educational partners influenced the decisions reflected in the adopted LCAP. The goal is to allow educational partners that participated in the LCAP development process and the broader public to understand how the LEA engaged educational partners and the impact of that engagement. LEAs are encouraged to keep this goal in the forefront when completing this section.

Requirements

2024-25 Local Control and Accountability Plan for Vista Real Charter High School

School districts and COEs: *EC* sections <u>52060(g)</u> (California Legislative Information) and <u>52066(g)</u> (California Legislative Information) specify the educational partners that must be consulted when developing the LCAP:

- Teachers,
- Principals,
- Administrators,
- Other school personnel,
- Local bargaining units of the LEA,
- Parents, and
- Students

A school district or COE receiving Equity Multiplier funds must also consult with educational partners at schools generating Equity Multiplier funds in the development of the LCAP, specifically, in the development of the required focus goal for each applicable school.

Before adopting the LCAP, school districts and COEs must share it with the applicable committees, as identified below under Requirements and Instructions. The superintendent is required by statute to respond in writing to the comments received from these committees. School districts and COEs must also consult with the special education local plan area administrator(s) when developing the LCAP.

Charter schools: *EC* Section <u>47606.5(d)</u> (California Legislative Information) requires that the following educational partners be consulted with when developing the LCAP:

- Teachers,
- Principals,
- Administrators,
- Other school personnel,
- Parents, and
- Students

A charter school receiving Equity Multiplier funds must also consult with educational partners at the school generating Equity Multiplier funds in the development of the LCAP, specifically, in the development of the required focus goal for the school.

The LCAP should also be shared with, and LEAs should request input from, schoolsite-level advisory groups, as applicable (e.g., schoolsite councils, English Learner Advisory Councils, student advisory groups, etc.), to facilitate alignment between schoolsite and district-level goals. Information and resources that support effective engagement, define student consultation, and provide the requirements for advisory group composition, can be found under Resources on the <u>CDE's LCAP webpage</u>.

Before the governing board/body of an LEA considers the adoption of the LCAP, the LEA must meet the following legal requirements:

- For school districts, see Education Code Section 52062 (California Legislative Information);
 - **Note:** Charter schools using the LCAP as the School Plan for Student Achievement must meet the requirements of *EC* Section 52062(a).

- For COEs, see Education Code Section 52068 (California Legislative Information); and
- For charter schools, see Education Code Section 47606.5 (California Legislative Information).
- **NOTE:** As a reminder, the superintendent of a school district or COE must respond, in writing, to comments received by the applicable committees identified in the *Education Code* sections listed above. This includes the parent advisory committee and may include the English learner parent advisory committee and, as of July 1, 2024, the student advisory committee, as applicable.

Instructions

Respond to the prompts as follows:

A summary of the process used to engage educational partners in the development of the LCAP.

School districts and county offices of education must, at a minimum, consult with teachers, principals, administrators, other school personnel, local bargaining units, parents, and students in the development of the LCAP.

Charter schools must, at a minimum, consult with teachers, principals, administrators, other school personnel, parents, and students in the development of the LCAP.

An LEA receiving Equity Multiplier funds must also consult with educational partners at schools generating Equity Multiplier funds in the development of the LCAP, specifically, in the development of the required focus goal for each applicable school.

Complete the table as follows:

Educational Partners

Identify the applicable educational partner(s) or group(s) that were engaged in the development of the LCAP.

Process for Engagement

Describe the engagement process used by the LEA to involve the identified educational partner(s) in the development of the LCAP. At a minimum, the LEA must describe how it met its obligation to consult with all statutorily required educational partners, as applicable to the type of LEA.

- A sufficient response to this prompt must include general information about the timeline of the process and meetings or other engagement strategies with educational partners. A response may also include information about an LEA's philosophical approach to engaging its educational partners.
- An LEA receiving Equity Multiplier funds must also include a summary of how it consulted with educational partners at schools generating Equity Multiplier funds in the development of the LCAP, specifically, in the development of the required focus goal for each applicable school.

A description of how the adopted LCAP was influenced by the feedback provided by educational partners.

Describe any goals, metrics, actions, or budgeted expenditures in the LCAP that were influenced by or developed in response to the educational partner feedback.

- A sufficient response to this prompt will provide educational partners and the public with clear, specific information about how the engagement
 process influenced the development of the LCAP. This may include a description of how the LEA prioritized requests of educational partners within
 the context of the budgetary resources available or otherwise prioritized areas of focus within the LCAP.
- An LEA receiving Equity Multiplier funds must include a description of how the consultation with educational partners at schools generating Equity Multiplier funds influenced the development of the adopted LCAP.
- For the purposes of this prompt, this may also include, but is not necessarily limited to:
 - Inclusion of a goal or decision to pursue a Focus Goal (as described below)
 - Inclusion of metrics other than the statutorily required metrics
 - Determination of the target outcome on one or more metrics
 - Inclusion of performance by one or more student groups in the Measuring and Reporting Results subsection
 - Inclusion of action(s) or a group of actions
 - Elimination of action(s) or group of actions
 - Changes to the level of proposed expenditures for one or more actions
 - Inclusion of action(s) as contributing to increased or improved services for unduplicated students
 - Analysis of effectiveness of the specific actions to achieve the goal
 - Analysis of material differences in expenditures
 - Analysis of changes made to a goal for the ensuing LCAP year based on the annual update process
 - Analysis of challenges or successes in the implementation of actions

Goals and Actions

Purpose

Well-developed goals will clearly communicate to educational partners what the LEA plans to accomplish, what the LEA plans to do in order to accomplish the goal, and how the LEA will know when it has accomplished the goal. A goal statement, associated metrics and expected outcomes, and the actions included in the goal must be in alignment. The explanation for why the LEA included a goal is an opportunity for LEAs to clearly communicate to educational partners and the public why, among the various strengths and areas for improvement highlighted by performance data and strategies and actions that could be pursued, the LEA decided to pursue this goal, and the related metrics, expected outcomes, actions, and expenditures.

A well-developed goal can be focused on the performance relative to a metric or metrics for all students, a specific student group(s), narrowing performance gaps, or implementing programs or strategies expected to impact outcomes. LEAs should assess the performance of their student groups when developing goals and the related actions to achieve such goals.

Requirements and Instructions

LEAs should prioritize the goals, specific actions, and related expenditures included within the LCAP within one or more state priorities. LEAs must consider performance on the state and local indicators, including their locally collected and reported data for the local indicators that are included in the Dashboard, in determining whether and how to prioritize its goals within the LCAP. As previously stated, strategic planning that

is comprehensive connects budgetary decisions to teaching and learning performance data. LEAs should continually evaluate the hard choices they make about the use of limited resources to meet student and community needs to ensure opportunities and outcomes are improved for all students, and to address and reduce disparities in opportunities and outcomes between student groups indicated by the Dashboard.

In order to support prioritization of goals, the LCAP template provides LEAs with the option of developing three different kinds of goals:

- Focus Goal: A Focus Goal is relatively more concentrated in scope and may focus on a fewer number of metrics to measure improvement. A Focus Goal statement will be time bound and make clear how the goal is to be measured.
 - All Equity Multiplier goals must be developed as focus goals. For additional information, see Required Focus Goal(s) for LEAs Receiving Equity Multiplier Funding below.
- Broad Goal: A Broad Goal is relatively less concentrated in its scope and may focus on improving performance across a wide range of metrics.
- Maintenance of Progress Goal: A Maintenance of Progress Goal includes actions that may be ongoing without significant changes and allows an LEA to track performance on any metrics not addressed in the other goals of the LCAP.

Requirement to Address the LCFF State Priorities

At a minimum, the LCAP must address all LCFF priorities and associated metrics articulated in *EC* sections 52060(d) and 52066(d), as applicable to the LEA. The <u>LCFF State Priorities Summary</u> provides a summary of *EC* sections 52060(d) and 52066(d) to aid in the development of the LCAP.

Respond to the following prompts, as applicable:

Focus Goal(s)

Description

The description provided for a Focus Goal must be specific, measurable, and time bound.

- An LEA develops a Focus Goal to address areas of need that may require or benefit from a more specific and data intensive approach.
- The Focus Goal can explicitly reference the metric(s) by which achievement of the goal will be measured and the time frame according to which the LEA expects to achieve the goal.

Type of Goal

Identify the type of goal being implemented as a Focus Goal.

State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Identify each of the state priorities that this goal is intended to address.

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

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Explain why the LEA has chosen to prioritize this goal.

- An explanation must be based on Dashboard data or other locally collected data.
- LEAs must describe how the LEA identified this goal for focused attention, including relevant consultation with educational partners.
- LEAs are encouraged to promote transparency and understanding around the decision to pursue a focus goal.

Required Focus Goal(s) for LEAs Receiving Equity Multiplier Funding

Description

LEAs receiving Equity Multiplier funding must include one or more focus goals for each school generating Equity Multiplier funding. In addition to addressing the focus goal requirements described above, LEAs must adhere to the following requirements.

Focus goals for Equity Multiplier schoolsites must address the following:

(A) All student groups that have the lowest performance level on one or more state indicators on the Dashboard, and

(B) Any underlying issues in the credentialing, subject matter preparation, and retention of the school's educators, if applicable.

- Focus Goals for each and every Equity Multiplier schoolsite must identify specific metrics for each identified student group, as applicable.
- An LEA may create a single goal for multiple Equity Multiplier schoolsites if those schoolsites have the same student group(s) performing at the lowest performance level on one or more state indicators on the Dashboard or, experience similar issues in the credentialing, subject matter preparation, and retention of the school's educators.
 - When creating a single goal for multiple Equity Multiplier schoolsites, the goal must identify the student groups and the performance levels on the Dashboard that the Focus Goal is addressing; or,
 - The common issues the schoolsites are experiencing in credentialing, subject matter preparation, and retention of the school's educators, if applicable.

Type of Goal

Identify the type of goal being implemented as an Equity Multiplier Focus Goal.

State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Identify each of the state priorities that this goal is intended to address.

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

Explain why the LEA has chosen to prioritize this goal.

- An explanation must be based on Dashboard data or other locally collected data.
- LEAs must describe how the LEA identified this goal for focused attention, including relevant consultation with educational partners.
- LEAs are encouraged to promote transparency and understanding around the decision to pursue a focus goal.
- In addition to this information, the LEA must also identify:
 - The school or schools to which the goal applies

LEAs are encouraged to approach an Equity Multiplier goal from a wholistic standpoint, considering how the goal might maximize student outcomes through the use of LCFF and other funding in addition to Equity Multiplier funds.

- Equity Multiplier funds must be used to supplement, not supplant, funding provided to Equity Multiplier schoolsites for purposes of the LCFF, the Expanded Learning Opportunities Program (ELO-P), the Literacy Coaches and Reading Specialists (LCRS) Grant Program, and/or the California Community Schools Partnership Program (CCSPP).
- This means that Equity Multiplier funds must not be used to replace funding that an Equity Multiplier schoolsite would otherwise receive to
 implement LEA-wide actions identified in the LCAP or that an Equity Multiplier schoolsite would otherwise receive to implement provisions of the
 ELO-P, the LCRS, and/or the CCSPP.

Note: *EC* Section <u>42238.024(b)(1)</u> (California Legislative Information) requires that Equity Multiplier funds be used for the provision of evidencebased services and supports for students. Evidence-based services and supports are based on objective evidence that has informed the design of the service or support and/or guides the modification of those services and supports. Evidence-based supports and strategies are most commonly based on educational research and/or metrics of LEA, school, and/or student performance.

Broad Goal

Description

Describe what the LEA plans to achieve through the actions included in the goal.

- The description of a broad goal will be clearly aligned with the expected measurable outcomes included for the goal.
- The goal description organizes the actions and expected outcomes in a cohesive and consistent manner.
- A goal description is specific enough to be measurable in either quantitative or qualitative terms. A broad goal is not as specific as a focus goal. While it is specific enough to be measurable, there are many different metrics for measuring progress toward the goal.

Type of Goal

Identify the type of goal being implemented as a Broad Goal.

State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Identify each of the state priorities that this goal is intended to address.

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

Explain why the LEA developed this goal and how the actions and metrics grouped together will help achieve the goal.

Maintenance of Progress Goal Description

Describe how the LEA intends to maintain the progress made in the LCFF State Priorities not addressed by the other goals in the LCAP.

- Use this type of goal to address the state priorities and applicable metrics not addressed within the other goals in the LCAP.
- The state priorities and metrics to be addressed in this section are those for which the LEA, in consultation with educational partners, has determined to maintain actions and monitor progress while focusing implementation efforts on the actions covered by other goals in the LCAP.

Type of Goal

Identify the type of goal being implemented as a Maintenance of Progress Goal.

State Priorities addressed by this goal.

Identify each of the state priorities that this goal is intended to address.

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

Explain how the actions will sustain the progress exemplified by the related metrics.

Measuring and Reporting Results:

For each LCAP year, identify the metric(s) that the LEA will use to track progress toward the expected outcomes.

- LEAs must identify metrics for specific student groups, as appropriate, including expected outcomes that address and reduce disparities in outcomes between student groups.
- The metrics may be quantitative or qualitative; but at minimum, an LEA's LCAP must include goals that are measured using all of the applicable metrics for the related state priorities, in each LCAP year, as applicable to the type of LEA.
- To the extent a state priority does not specify one or more metrics (e.g., implementation of state academic content and performance standards), the LEA must identify a metric to use within the LCAP. For these state priorities, LEAs are encouraged to use metrics based on or reported through the relevant local indicator self-reflection tools within the Dashboard.

- Required metrics for LEA-wide actions: For each action identified as 1) contributing towards the requirement to increase or improve services for foster youth, English learners, including long-term English learners, and low-income students and 2) being provided on an LEA-wide basis, the LEA must identify one or more metrics to monitor the effectiveness of the action and its budgeted expenditures.
 - These required metrics may be identified within the action description or the first prompt in the increased or improved services section, however the description must clearly identify the metric(s) being used to monitor the effectiveness of the action and the action(s) that the metric(s) apply to.
- **Required metrics for Equity Multiplier goals**: For each Equity Multiplier goal, the LEA must identify:
 - The specific metrics for each identified student group at each specific schoolsite, as applicable, to measure the progress toward the goal, and/or
 - The specific metrics used to measure progress in meeting the goal related to credentialing, subject matter preparation, or educator retention at each specific schoolsite.

Complete the table as follows:

Metric

• Enter the metric number.

Metric

Identify the standard of measure being used to determine progress towards the goal and/or to measure the effectiveness of one or more actions
associated with the goal.

Baseline

- Enter the baseline when completing the LCAP for 2024–25.
 - Use the most recent data associated with the metric available at the time of adoption of the LCAP for the first year of the three-year plan.
 LEAs may use data as reported on the 2023 Dashboard for the baseline of a metric only if that data represents the most recent available data (e.g., high school graduation rate).
 - Using the most recent data available may involve reviewing data the LEA is preparing for submission to the California Longitudinal Pupil Achievement Data System (CALPADS) or data that the LEA has recently submitted to CALPADS.
 - Indicate the school year to which the baseline data applies.
 - The baseline data must remain unchanged throughout the three-year LCAP.
 - This requirement is not intended to prevent LEAs from revising the baseline data if it is necessary to do so. For example, if an LEA identifies that its data collection practices for a particular metric are leading to inaccurate data and revises its practice to obtain

accurate data, it would also be appropriate for the LEA to revise the baseline data to align with the more accurate data process and report its results using the accurate data.

- If an LEA chooses to revise its baseline data, then, at a minimum, it must clearly identify the change as part of its response to the description of changes prompt in the Goal Analysis for the goal. LEAs are also strongly encouraged to involve their educational partners in the decision of whether or not to revise a baseline and to communicate the proposed change to their educational partners.
- o Note for Charter Schools: Charter schools developing a one- or two-year LCAP may identify a new baseline each year, as applicable.

Year 1 Outcome

- When completing the LCAP for 2025–26, enter the most recent data available. Indicate the school year to which the data applies.
 - Note for Charter Schools: Charter schools developing a one-year LCAP may provide the Year 1 Outcome when completing the LCAP for both 2025–26 and 2026–27 or may provide the Year 1 Outcome for 2025–26 and provide the Year 2 Outcome for 2026–27.

Year 2 Outcome

- When completing the LCAP for 2026–27, enter the most recent data available. Indicate the school year to which the data applies.
 - Note for Charter Schools: Charter schools developing a one-year LCAP may identify the Year 2 Outcome as not applicable when completing the LCAP for 2026–27 or may provide the Year 2 Outcome for 2026–27.

Target for Year 3 Outcome

- When completing the first year of the LCAP, enter the target outcome for the relevant metric the LEA expects to achieve by the end of the three-year LCAP cycle.
 - Note for Charter Schools: Charter schools developing a one- or two-year LCAP may identify a Target for Year 1 or Target for Year 2, as applicable.

Current Difference from Baseline

- When completing the LCAP for 2025–26 and 2026–27, enter the current difference between the baseline and the yearly outcome, as applicable.
 - Note for Charter Schools: Charter schools developing a one- or two-year LCAP will identify the current difference between the baseline and the yearly outcome for Year 1 and/or the current difference between the baseline and the yearly outcome for Year 2, as applicable.

Timeline for school districts and COEs for completing the "Measuring and Reporting Results" part of the Goal.

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Target for Year 3 Outcome	Current Difference from Baseline
Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for 2024–25 or when adding a new metric.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for 2024–25 or when adding a new metric.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for 2025–26 . Leave blank until then.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for 2026–27 . Leave blank until then.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for 2024–25 or when adding a new metric.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for 2025–26 and 2026–27 . Leave blank until then.

Goal Analysis:

Enter the LCAP Year.

Using actual annual measurable outcome data, including data from the Dashboard, analyze whether the planned actions were effective towards achieving the goal. "Effective" means the degree to which the planned actions were successful in producing the target result. Respond to the prompts as instructed.

Note: When completing the 2024–25 LCAP, use the 2023–24 Local Control and Accountability Plan Annual Update template to complete the Goal Analysis and identify the Goal Analysis prompts in the 2024–25 LCAP as "Not Applicable."

A description of overall implementation, including any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions, and any relevant challenges and successes experienced with implementation.

- Describe the overall implementation of the actions to achieve the articulated goal, including relevant challenges and successes experienced with implementation.
 - Include a discussion of relevant challenges and successes experienced with the implementation process.
 - This discussion must include any instance where the LEA did not implement a planned action or implemented a planned action in a manner that differs substantively from how it was described in the adopted LCAP.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

• Explain material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and between the Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services, as applicable. Minor variances in expenditures or percentages do not need to be addressed, and a dollar-for-dollar accounting is not required.

A description of the effectiveness or ineffectiveness of the specific actions to date in making progress toward the goal.

- Describe the effectiveness or ineffectiveness of the specific actions to date in making progress toward the goal. "Effectiveness" means the degree to which the actions were successful in producing the target result and "ineffectiveness" means that the actions did not produce any significant or targeted result.
 - In some cases, not all actions in a goal will be intended to improve performance on all of the metrics associated with the goal.
 - When responding to this prompt, LEAs may assess the effectiveness of a single action or group of actions within the goal in the context of performance on a single metric or group of specific metrics within the goal that are applicable to the action(s). Grouping actions with metrics will allow for more robust analysis of whether the strategy the LEA is using to impact a specified set of metrics is working and increase transparency for educational partners. LEAs are encouraged to use such an approach when goals include multiple actions and metrics that are not closely associated.
 - Beginning with the development of the 2024–25 LCAP, the LEA must change actions that have not proven effective over a three-year period.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, target outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

- Describe any changes made to this goal, expected outcomes, metrics, or actions to achieve this goal as a result of this analysis and analysis of the data provided in the Dashboard or other local data, as applicable.
 - As noted above, beginning with the development of the 2024–25 LCAP, the LEA must change actions that have not proven effective over a three-year period. For actions that have been identified as ineffective, the LEA must identify the ineffective action and must include a description of the following:
 - The reasons for the ineffectiveness, and
 - How changes to the action will result in a new or strengthened approach.

Actions:

Complete the table as follows. Add additional rows as necessary.

Action

• Enter the action number.

Title

• Provide a short title for the action. This title will also appear in the action tables.

Description

Provide a brief description of the action.

- For actions that contribute to meeting the increased or improved services requirement, the LEA may include an explanation of how each action is principally directed towards and effective in meeting the LEA's goals for unduplicated students, as described in the instructions for the Increased or Improved Services for Foster Youth, English Learners, and Low-Income Students section.
- As previously noted, for each action identified as 1) contributing towards the requirement to increase or improve services for foster youth, English learners, including long-term English learners, and low-income students and 2) being provided on an LEA-wide basis, the LEA must identify one or more metrics to monitor the effectiveness of the action and its budgeted expenditures.
- These required metrics may be identified within the action description or the first prompt in the increased or improved services section; however, the description must clearly identify the metric(s) being used to monitor the effectiveness of the action and the action(s) that the metric(s) apply to.

Total Funds

 Enter the total amount of expenditures associated with this action. Budgeted expenditures from specific fund sources will be provided in the action tables.

Contributing

- Indicate whether the action contributes to meeting the increased or improved services requirement as described in the Increased or Improved Services section using a "Y" for Yes or an "N" for No.
 - Note: for each such contributing action, the LEA will need to provide additional information in the Increased or Improved Services section to address the requirements in *California Code of Regulations*, Title 5 [5 *CCR*] Section 15496 in the Increased or Improved Services section of the LCAP.

Actions for Foster Youth: School districts, COEs, and charter schools that have a numerically significant foster youth student subgroup are encouraged to include specific actions in the LCAP designed to meet needs specific to foster youth students.

Required Actions

- LEAs with 30 or more English learners and/or 15 or more long-term English learners must include specific actions in the LCAP related to, at a minimum:
 - o Language acquisition programs, as defined in EC Section 306, provided to students, and
 - Professional development for teachers.
 - If an LEA has both 30 or more English learners and 15 or more long-term English learners, the LEA must include actions for both English learners and long-term English learners.
- LEAs eligible for technical assistance pursuant to *EC* sections 47607.3, 52071, 52071.5, 52072, or 52072.5, must include specific actions within the LCAP related to its implementation of the work underway as part of technical assistance. The most common form of this technical assistance is frequently referred to as Differentiated Assistance.

- LEAs that have Red Dashboard indicators for (1) a school within the LEA, (2) a student group within the LEA, and/or (3) a student group within any school within the LEA must include one or more specific actions within the LCAP:
 - The specific action(s) must be directed towards the identified student group(s) and/or school(s) and must address the identified state indicator(s) for which the student group or school received the lowest performance level on the 2023 Dashboard. Each student group and/or school that receives the lowest performance level on the 2023 Dashboard must be addressed by one or more actions.
 - These required actions will be effective for the three-year LCAP cycle.

Increased or Improved Services for Foster Youth, English Learners, and Low-Income Students

Purpose

A well-written Increased or Improved Services section provides educational partners with a comprehensive description, within a single dedicated section, of how an LEA plans to increase or improve services for its unduplicated students as defined in *EC* Section 42238.02 in grades TK–12 as compared to all students in grades TK–12, as applicable, and how LEA-wide or schoolwide actions identified for this purpose meet regulatory requirements. Descriptions provided should include sufficient detail yet be sufficiently succinct to promote a broader understanding of educational partners to facilitate their ability to provide input. An LEA's description in this section must align with the actions included in the Goals and Actions section as contributing.

Please Note: For the purpose of meeting the Increased or Improved Services requirement and consistent with *EC* Section 42238.02, long-term English learners are included in the English learner student group.

Statutory Requirements

An LEA is required to demonstrate in its LCAP how it is increasing or improving services for its students who are foster youth, English learners, and/or low-income, collectively referred to as unduplicated students, as compared to the services provided to all students in proportion to the increase in funding it receives based on the number and concentration of unduplicated students in the LEA (*EC* Section 42238.07[a][1], *EC* Section 52064[b][8][B]; 5 *CCR* Section 15496[a]). This proportionality percentage is also known as the "minimum proportionality percentage" or "MPP." The manner in which an LEA demonstrates it is meeting its MPP is two-fold: (1) through the expenditure of LCFF funds or through the identification of a Planned Percentage of Improved Services as documented in the Contributing Actions Table, and (2) through the explanations provided in the Increased or Improved Services for Foster Youth, English Learners, and Low-Income Students section.

To improve services means to grow services in quality and to increase services means to grow services in quantity. Services are increased or improved by those actions in the LCAP that are identified in the Goals and Actions section as contributing to the increased or improved services requirement, whether they are provided across the entire LEA (LEA-wide action), provided to an entire school (Schoolwide action), or solely provided to one or more unduplicated student group(s) (Limited action).

Therefore, for *any* action contributing to meet the increased or improved services requirement, the LEA must include an explanation of:

- How the action is increasing or improving services for the unduplicated student group(s) (Identified Needs and Action Design), and
- How the action meets the LEA's goals for its unduplicated pupils in the state and any local priority areas (Measurement of Effectiveness).

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LEA-wide and Schoolwide Actions

In addition to the above required explanations, LEAs must provide a justification for why an LEA-wide or Schoolwide action is being provided to all students and how the action is intended to improve outcomes for unduplicated student group(s) as compared to all students.

- Conclusory statements that a service will help achieve an expected outcome for the goal, without an explicit connection or further explanation as to how, are not sufficient.
- Further, simply stating that an LEA has a high enrollment percentage of a specific student group or groups does not meet the increased or improved services standard because enrolling students is not the same as serving students.

For School Districts Only

Actions provided on an **LEA-wide** basis at **school districts with an unduplicated pupil percentage of less than 55 percent** must also include a description of how the actions are the most effective use of the funds to meet the district's goals for its unduplicated pupils in the state and any local priority areas. The description must provide the basis for this determination, including any alternatives considered, supporting research, experience, or educational theory.

Actions provided on a **Schoolwide** basis for **schools with less than 40 percent enrollment of unduplicated pupils** must also include a description of how these actions are the most effective use of the funds to meet the district's goals for its unduplicated pupils in the state and any local priority areas. The description must provide the basis for this determination, including any alternatives considered, supporting research, experience, or educational theory.

Requirements and Instructions

Complete the tables as follows:

Total Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants

• Specify the amount of LCFF supplemental and concentration grant funds the LEA estimates it will receive in the coming year based on the number and concentration of foster youth, English learner, and low-income students. This amount includes the Additional 15 percent LCFF Concentration Grant.

Projected Additional 15 percent LCFF Concentration Grant

Specify the amount of additional LCFF concentration grant add-on funding, as described in EC Section 42238.02, that the LEA estimates it will
receive in the coming year.

Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year

Specify the estimated percentage by which services for unduplicated pupils must be increased or improved as compared to the services provided to
all students in the LCAP year as calculated pursuant to 5 CCR Section 15496(a)(7).

LCFF Carryover — Percentage

Specify the LCFF Carryover — Percentage identified in the LCFF Carryover Table. If a carryover percentage is not identified in the LCFF Carryover Table, specify a percentage of zero (0.00%).

LCFF Carryover — Dollar

• Specify the LCFF Carryover — Dollar amount identified in the LCFF Carryover Table. If a carryover amount is not identified in the LCFF Carryover Table, specify an amount of zero (\$0).

Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year

• Add the Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year and the Proportional LCFF Required Carryover Percentage and specify the percentage. This is the LEA's percentage by which services for unduplicated pupils must be increased or improved as compared to the services provided to all students in the LCAP year, as calculated pursuant to 5 *CCR* Section 15496(a)(7).

Required Descriptions:

LEA-wide and Schoolwide Actions

For each action being provided to an entire LEA or school, provide an explanation of (1) the unique identified need(s) of the unduplicated student group(s) for whom the action is principally directed, (2) how the action is designed to address the identified need(s) and why it is being provided on an LEA or schoolwide basis, and (3) the metric(s) used to measure the effectiveness of the action in improving outcomes for the unduplicated student group(s).

If the LEA has provided this required description in the Action Descriptions, state as such within the table.

Complete the table as follows:

Identified Need(s)

Provide an explanation of the unique identified need(s) of the LEA's unduplicated student group(s) for whom the action is principally directed.

An LEA demonstrates how an action is principally directed towards an unduplicated student group(s) when the LEA explains the need(s), condition(s), or circumstance(s) of the unduplicated student group(s) identified through a needs assessment and how the action addresses them. A meaningful needs assessment includes, at a minimum, analysis of applicable student achievement data and educational partner feedback.

How the Action(s) are Designed to Address Need(s) and Why it is Provided on an LEA-wide or Schoolwide Basis

Provide an explanation of how the action as designed will address the unique identified need(s) of the LEA's unduplicated student group(s) for whom the action is principally directed and the rationale for why the action is being provided on an LEA-wide or schoolwide basis.

• As stated above, conclusory statements that a service will help achieve an expected outcome for the goal, without an explicit connection or further explanation as to how, are not sufficient.

 Further, simply stating that an LEA has a high enrollment percentage of a specific student group or groups does not meet the increased or improved services standard because enrolling students is not the same as serving students.

Metric(s) to Monitor Effectiveness

Identify the metric(s) being used to measure the progress and effectiveness of the action(s).

Note for COEs and Charter Schools: In the case of COEs and charter schools, schoolwide and LEA-wide are considered to be synonymous.

Limited Actions

For each action being solely provided to one or more unduplicated student group(s), provide an explanation of (1) the unique identified need(s) of the unduplicated student group(s) being served, (2) how the action is designed to address the identified need(s), and (3) how the effectiveness of the action in improving outcomes for the unduplicated student group(s) will be measured.

If the LEA has provided the required descriptions in the Action Descriptions, state as such.

Complete the table as follows:

Identified Need(s)

Provide an explanation of the unique need(s) of the unduplicated student group(s) being served identified through the LEA's needs assessment. A meaningful needs assessment includes, at a minimum, analysis of applicable student achievement data and educational partner feedback.

How the Action(s) are Designed to Address Need(s)

Provide an explanation of how the action is designed to address the unique identified need(s) of the unduplicated student group(s) being served.

Metric(s) to Monitor Effectiveness

Identify the metric(s) being used to measure the progress and effectiveness of the action(s).

For any limited action contributing to meeting the increased or improved services requirement that is associated with a Planned Percentage of Improved Services in the Contributing Summary Table rather than an expenditure of LCFF funds, describe the methodology that was used to determine the contribution of the action towards the proportional percentage, as applicable.

- For each action with an identified Planned Percentage of Improved Services, identify the goal and action number and describe the methodology that was used.
- When identifying a Planned Percentage of Improved Services, the LEA must describe the methodology that it used to determine the contribution of the action towards the proportional percentage. The percentage of improved services for an action corresponds to the amount of LCFF funding that the LEA estimates it would expend to implement the action if it were funded.

For example, an LEA determines that there is a need to analyze data to ensure that instructional aides and expanded learning providers know what targeted supports to provide to students who are foster youth. The LEA could implement this action by hiring additional staff to collect and analyze data and to coordinate supports for students, which, based on the LEA's current pay scale, the LEA estimates would cost \$165,000. Instead, the LEA chooses to utilize a portion of existing staff time to analyze data relating to students who are foster youth. This analysis will then be shared with site principals who will use the data to coordinate services provided by instructional assistants and expanded learning providers to target support to students. In this example, the LEA would divide the estimated cost of \$165,000 by the amount of LCFF Funding identified in the Total Planned Expenditures Table and then convert the quotient to a percentage. This percentage is the Planned Percentage of Improved Services for the action.

Additional Concentration Grant Funding

A description of the plan for how the additional concentration grant add-on funding identified above will be used to increase the number of staff providing direct services to students at schools that have a high concentration (above 55 percent) of foster youth, English learners, and low-income students, as applicable.

An LEA that receives the additional concentration grant add-on described in *EC* Section 42238.02 is required to demonstrate how it is using these funds to increase the number of staff who provide direct services to students at schools with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent as compared to the number of staff who provide direct services to students at schools with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is equal to or less than 55 percent. The staff who provide direct services to students must be certificated staff and/or classified staff employed by the LEA; classified staff includes custodial staff.

Provide the following descriptions, as applicable to the LEA:

- An LEA that does not receive a concentration grant or the concentration grant add-on must indicate that a response to this prompt is not applicable.
- Identify the goal and action numbers of the actions in the LCAP that the LEA is implementing to meet the requirement to increase the number of staff who provide direct services to students at schools with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent.
- An LEA that does not have comparison schools from which to describe how it is using the concentration grant add-on funds, such as a single-school
 LEA or an LEA that only has schools with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent, must describe how it is using the
 funds to increase the number of credentialed staff, classified staff, or both, including custodial staff, who provide direct services to students at
 selected schools and the criteria used to determine which schools require additional staffing support.
- In the event that an additional concentration grant add-on is not sufficient to increase staff providing direct services to students at a school with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent, the LEA must describe how it is using the funds to retain staff providing direct services to students at a school with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent.

Complete the table as follows:

- Provide the staff-to-student ratio of classified staff providing direct services to students with a concentration of unduplicated students that is 55 percent or less and the staff-to-student ratio of classified staff providing direct services to students at schools with a concentration of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent, as applicable to the LEA.
 - The LEA may group its schools by grade span (Elementary, Middle/Junior High, and High Schools), as applicable to the LEA.

- The staff-to-student ratio must be based on the number of full-time equivalent (FTE) staff and the number of enrolled students as counted on the first Wednesday in October of each year.
- Provide the staff-to-student ratio of certificated staff providing direct services to students at schools with a concentration of unduplicated students that
 is 55 percent or less and the staff-to-student ratio of certificated staff providing direct services to students at schools with a concentration of
 unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent, as applicable to the LEA.
 - The LEA may group its schools by grade span (Elementary, Middle/Junior High, and High Schools), as applicable to the LEA.
 - The staff-to-student ratio must be based on the number of FTE staff and the number of enrolled students as counted on the first Wednesday in October of each year.

Action Tables

Complete the Total Planned Expenditures Table for each action in the LCAP. The information entered into this table will automatically populate the other Action Tables. Information is only entered into the Total Planned Expenditures Table, the Annual Update Table, the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table, and the LCFF Carryover Table. The word "input" has been added to column headers to aid in identifying the column(s) where information will be entered. Information is not entered on the remaining Action tables.

The following tables are required to be included as part of the LCAP adopted by the local governing board or governing body:

- Table 1: Total Planned Expenditures Table (for the coming LCAP Year)
- Table 2: Contributing Actions Table (for the coming LCAP Year)
- Table 3: Annual Update Table (for the current LCAP Year)
- Table 4: Contributing Actions Annual Update Table (for the current LCAP Year)
- Table 5: LCFF Carryover Table (for the current LCAP Year)

Note: The coming LCAP Year is the year that is being planned for, while the current LCAP year is the current year of implementation. For example, when developing the 2024–25 LCAP, 2024–25 will be the coming LCAP Year and 2023–24 will be the current LCAP Year.

Total Planned Expenditures Table

In the Total Planned Expenditures Table, input the following information for each action in the LCAP for that applicable LCAP year:

- LCAP Year: Identify the applicable LCAP Year.
- 1. Projected LCFF Base Grant: Provide the total amount estimated LCFF entitlement for the coming school year, excluding the supplemental and concentration grants and the add-ons for the Targeted Instructional Improvement Block Grant program, the former Home-to-School Transportation program, and the Small School District Transportation program, pursuant to 5 CCR Section 15496(a)(8).

Note that the LCFF Base Grant for purposes of the LCAP also includes the Necessary Small Schools and Economic Recovery Target allowances for school districts, and County Operations Grant for COEs.

See *EC* sections 2574 (for COEs) and 42238.02 (for school districts and charter schools), as applicable, for LCFF entitlement calculations.

- 2. Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants: Provide the total amount of LCFF supplemental and concentration grants estimated on the basis of the number and concentration of unduplicated students for the coming school year.
- 3. Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year: This percentage will not be entered; it is calculated based on the Projected LCFF Base Grant and the Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants, pursuant to 5 CCR Section 15496(a)(8). This is the percentage by which services for unduplicated pupils must be increased or improved as compared to the services provided to all students in the coming LCAP year.
- LCFF Carryover Percentage: Specify the LCFF Carryover Percentage identified in the LCFF Carryover Table from the prior LCAP year. If a carryover percentage is not identified in the LCFF Carryover Table, specify a percentage of zero (0.00%).
- Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year: This percentage will not be entered; it is calculated based on the Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year and the LCFF Carryover Percentage. This is the percentage by which the LEA must increase or improve services for unduplicated pupils as compared to the services provided to all students in the coming LCAP year.
- **Goal #**: Enter the LCAP Goal number for the action.
- Action #: Enter the action's number as indicated in the LCAP Goal.
- Action Title: Provide a title of the action.
- Student Group(s): Indicate the student group or groups who will be the primary beneficiary of the action by entering "All," or by entering a specific student group or groups.
- Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?: Type "Yes" if the action is included as contributing to meeting the increased or improved services requirement; OR, type "No" if the action is **not** included as contributing to meeting the increased or improved services requirement.
- If "Yes" is entered into the Contributing column, then complete the following columns:
 - Scope: The scope of an action may be LEA-wide (i.e., districtwide, countywide, or charterwide), schoolwide, or limited. An action that is LEA-wide in scope upgrades the entire educational program of the LEA. An action that is schoolwide in scope upgrades the entire educational program of a single school. An action that is limited in its scope is an action that serves only one or more unduplicated student groups.

- Unduplicated Student Group(s): Regardless of scope, contributing actions serve one or more unduplicated student groups.
 Indicate one or more unduplicated student groups for whom services are being increased or improved as compared to what all students receive.
- Location: Identify the location where the action will be provided. If the action is provided to all schools within the LEA, the LEA must indicate "All Schools." If the action is provided to specific schools within the LEA or specific grade spans only, the LEA must enter "Specific Schools" or "Specific Grade Spans." Identify the individual school or a subset of schools or grade spans (e.g., all high schools or grades transitional kindergarten through grade five), as appropriate.
- **Time Span**: Enter "ongoing" if the action will be implemented for an indeterminate period of time. Otherwise, indicate the span of time for which the action will be implemented. For example, an LEA might enter "1 Year," or "2 Years," or "6 Months."
- **Total Personnel**: Enter the total amount of personnel expenditures utilized to implement this action.
- **Total Non-Personnel**: This amount will be automatically calculated based on information provided in the Total Personnel column and the Total Funds column.
- LCFF Funds: Enter the total amount of LCFF funds utilized to implement this action, if any. LCFF funds include all funds that make up an LEA's total LCFF target (i.e., base grant, grade span adjustment, supplemental grant, concentration grant, Targeted Instructional Improvement Block Grant, and Home-To-School Transportation).
 - Note: For an action to contribute towards meeting the increased or improved services requirement, it must include some measure of LCFF funding. The action may also include funding from other sources, however the extent to which an action contributes to meeting the increased or improved services requirement is based on the LCFF funding being used to implement the action.
- **Other State Funds**: Enter the total amount of Other State Funds utilized to implement this action, if any.
 - Note: Equity Multiplier funds must be included in the "Other State Funds" category, not in the "LCFF Funds" category. As a reminder, Equity Multiplier funds must be used to supplement, not supplant, funding provided to Equity Multiplier schoolsites for purposes of the LCFF, the ELO-P, the LCRS, and/or the CCSPP. This means that Equity Multiplier funds must not be used to replace funding that an Equity Multiplier schoolsite would otherwise receive to implement LEA-wide actions identified in the LEA's LCAP or that an Equity Multiplier schoolsite would otherwise receive to implement provisions of the ELO-P, the LCRS, and/or the CCSPP.
- Local Funds: Enter the total amount of Local Funds utilized to implement this action, if any.
- Federal Funds: Enter the total amount of Federal Funds utilized to implement this action, if any.
- Total Funds: This amount is automatically calculated based on amounts entered in the previous four columns.
- Planned Percentage of Improved Services: For any action identified as contributing, being provided on a Limited basis to unduplicated students, and that does not have funding associated with the action, enter the planned quality improvement anticipated for the action as 2024-25 Local Control and Accountability Plan for Vista Real Charter High School Page 100 of 104

a percentage rounded to the nearest hundredth (0.00%). A limited action is an action that only serves foster youth, English learners, and/or low-income students.

 As noted in the instructions for the Increased or Improved Services section, when identifying a Planned Percentage of Improved Services, the LEA must describe the methodology that it used to determine the contribution of the action towards the proportional percentage. The percentage of improved services for an action corresponds to the amount of LCFF funding that the LEA estimates it would expend to implement the action if it were funded.

For example, an LEA determines that there is a need to analyze data to ensure that instructional aides and expanded learning providers know what targeted supports to provide to students who are foster youth. The LEA could implement this action by hiring additional staff to collect and analyze data and to coordinate supports for students, which, based on the LEA's current pay scale, the LEA estimates would cost \$165,000. Instead, the LEA chooses to utilize a portion of existing staff time to analyze data relating to students who are foster youth. This analysis will then be shared with site principals who will use the data to coordinate services provided by instructional assistants and expanded learning providers to target support to students. In this example, the LEA would divide the estimated cost of \$165,000 by the amount of LCFF Funding identified in the Data Entry Table and then convert the quotient to a percentage. This percentage is the Planned Percentage of Improved Services for the action.

Contributing Actions Table

As noted above, information will not be entered in the Contributing Actions Table; however, the 'Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?' column will need to be checked to ensure that only actions with a "Yes" are displaying. If actions with a "No" are displayed or if actions that are contributing are not displaying in the column, use the drop-down menu in the column header to filter only the "Yes" responses.

Annual Update Table

In the Annual Update Table, provide the following information for each action in the LCAP for the relevant LCAP year:

• Estimated Actual Expenditures: Enter the total estimated actual expenditures to implement this action, if any.

Contributing Actions Annual Update Table

In the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table, check the 'Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?' column to ensure that only actions with a "Yes" are displaying. If actions with a "No" are displayed or if actions that are contributing are not displaying in the column, use the drop-down menu in the column header to filter only the "Yes" responses. Provide the following information for each contributing action in the LCAP for the relevant LCAP year:

- 6. Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants: Provide the total amount of LCFF supplemental and concentration grants estimated based on the number and concentration of unduplicated students in the current school year.
- Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions: Enter the total estimated actual expenditure of LCFF funds used to implement this action, if any.

- Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services: For any action identified as contributing, being provided on a Limited basis only to
 unduplicated students, and that does not have funding associated with the action, enter the total estimated actual quality improvement anticipated for
 the action as a percentage rounded to the nearest hundredth (0.00%).
 - Building on the example provided above for calculating the Planned Percentage of Improved Services, the LEA in the example implements the action. As part of the annual update process, the LEA reviews implementation and student outcome data and determines that the action was implemented with fidelity and that outcomes for foster youth students improved. The LEA reviews the original estimated cost for the action and determines that had it hired additional staff to collect and analyze data and to coordinate supports for students that estimated actual cost would have been \$169,500 due to a cost of living adjustment. The LEA would divide the estimated actual cost of \$169,500 by the amount of LCFF Funding identified in the Data Entry Table and then convert the quotient to a percentage. This percentage is the Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services for the action.

LCFF Carryover Table

- 9. Estimated Actual LCFF Base Grant: Provide the total amount of estimated LCFF Target Entitlement for the current school year, excluding the supplemental and concentration grants and the add-ons for the Targeted Instructional Improvement Block Grant program, the former Home-to-School Transportation program, and the Small School District Transportation program, pursuant to 5 *CCR* Section 15496(a)(8). Note that the LCFF Base Grant for purposes of the LCAP also includes the Necessary Small Schools and Economic Recovery Target allowances for school districts, and County Operations Grant for COEs. See *EC* sections 2574 (for COEs) and 42238.02 (for school districts and charter schools), as applicable, for LCFF entitlement calculations.
- 10. Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Current School Year: This percentage will not be entered. The
 percentage is calculated based on the amounts of the Estimated Actual LCFF Base Grant (9) and the Estimated Actual LCFF
 Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants (6), pursuant to 5 CCR Section 15496(a)(8), plus the LCFF Carryover Percentage from the
 prior year. This is the percentage by which services for unduplicated pupils must be increased or improved as compared to the services
 provided to all students in the current LCAP year.

Calculations in the Action Tables

To reduce the duplication of effort of LEAs, the Action Tables include functionality such as pre-population of fields and cells based on the information provided in the Data Entry Table, the Annual Update Summary Table, and the Contributing Actions Table. For transparency, the functionality and calculations used are provided below.

Contributing Actions Table

- 4. Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (LCFF Funds)
 - This amount is the total of the Planned Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds) column.
- 5. Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services
 - This percentage is the total of the Planned Percentage of Improved Services column.
- Planned Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the coming school year (4 divided by 1, plus 5)

• This percentage is calculated by dividing the Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (4) by the Projected LCFF Base Grant (1), converting the quotient to a percentage, and adding it to the Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (5).

Contributing Actions Annual Update Table

Pursuant to *EC* Section 42238.07(c)(2), if the Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (4) is less than the Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and Concentration Grants (6), the LEA is required to calculate the difference between the Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (5) and the Total Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (7). If the Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (4) is equal to or greater than the Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and Concentration Grants (6), the Difference Between Planned and Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services.

• 6. Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and Concentration Grants

- This is the total amount of LCFF supplemental and concentration grants the LEA estimates it will actually receive based on of the number and concentration of unduplicated students in the current school year.
- 4. Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (LCFF Funds)
 - This amount is the total of the Last Year's Planned Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds).

• 7. Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions

- This amount is the total of the Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds).
- Difference Between Planned and Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (Subtract 7 from 4)
 - This amount is the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (7) subtracted from the Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (4).
- 5. Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (%)
 - This amount is the total of the Planned Percentage of Improved Services column.
- 8. Total Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (%)
 - This amount is the total of the Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services column.
- Difference Between Planned and Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (Subtract 5 from 8)
 - This amount is the Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (5) subtracted from the Total Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (8).

LCFF Carryover Table

• 10. Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Current School Year (6 divided by 9 plus Carryover %)

• This percentage is the Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants (6) divided by the Estimated Actual LCFF Base Grant (9) plus the LCFF Carryover – Percentage from the prior year.

• 11. Estimated Actual Percentage of Increased or Improved Services (7 divided by 9, plus 8)

• This percentage is the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (7) divided by the LCFF Funding (9), then converting the quotient to a percentage and adding the Total Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (8).

• 12. LCFF Carryover — Dollar Amount LCFF Carryover (Subtract 11 from 10 and multiply by 9)

 If the Estimated Actual Percentage of Increased or Improved Services (11) is less than the Estimated Actual Percentage to Increase or Improve Services (10), the LEA is required to carry over LCFF funds.

The amount of LCFF funds is calculated by subtracting the Estimated Actual Percentage to Increase or Improve Services (11) from the Estimated Actual Percentage of Increased or Improved Services (10) and then multiplying by the Estimated Actual LCFF Base Grant (9). This amount is the amount of LCFF funds that is required to be carried over to the coming year.

• 13. LCFF Carryover — Percentage (12 divided by 9)

• This percentage is the unmet portion of the Percentage to Increase or Improve Services that the LEA must carry over into the coming LCAP year. The percentage is calculated by dividing the LCFF Carryover (12) by the LCFF Funding (9).

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