

Elite Academic Academy- Mountain Empire

2021 School Accountability Report Card

General Information about the School Accountability Report Card (SARC)

SARC Overview



By February 1 of each year, every school in California is required by state law to publish a School Accountability Report Card (SARC). The SARC contains information about the condition and performance of each California public school. Under the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) all local educational agencies (LEAs) are required to prepare a Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP), which describes how they intend to meet annual school-specific goals for all pupils, with specific activities to address state and local priorities. Additionally, data reported in an LCAP is to be consistent with data reported in the SARC.

For more information about SARC requirements and access to prior year reports, see the California Department of Education (CDE) SARC web page at www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/

For more information about the LCFF or the LCAP, see the CDE LCFF web page at www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/lc/

For additional information about the school, parents/guardians and community members should contact the school principal or the district office.

DataQuest



DataQuest is an online data tool located on the CDE DataQuest web page at dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/ that contains additional information about this school and comparisons of the school to the district and the county. Specifically, DataQuest is a dynamic system that provides reports for accountability (e.g., test data, enrollment, high school graduates, dropouts, course enrollments, staffing, and data regarding English learners).

California School Dashboard



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

Internet Access

Internet access is available at public libraries and other locations that are publicly accessible (e.g., the California State Library). Access to the Internet at libraries and public locations is generally provided on a first-come, first-served basis. Other use restrictions may include the hours of operation, the length of time that a workstation may be used (depending on availability), the types of software programs available on a workstation, and the ability to print documents.

2021-22 School Contact Information

School Name	Elite Academic Academy- Mountain Empire
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County-District-School (CDS) Code	37682130136978

2021-22 District Contact Information

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2021-22 School Overview

Mission

Elite Academic Academy is committed to pursuing and maintaining educational excellence and unparalleled flexibility to achieve academic distinction in an independent study platform.

Vision

Elite Academic Academy harnesses the power of flexible learning environments to provide a superior education for our students. Working with all stakeholders, we create an individualized learning environment designed to enable each student to gain the skills necessary to achieve their long-term educational, professional, and personal goals and dreams.

About this School

2020-21 Student Enrollment by Grade Level

Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	56
Grade 1	49
Grade 2	44
Grade 3	41
Grade 4	51
Grade 5	48
Grade 6	39
Grade 7	41
Grade 8	104
Grade 9	33
Grade 10	29
Grade 11	43
Grade 12	36
Total Enrollment	614

2020-21 Student Enrollment by Student Group

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Female	50.5
Male	49.5
American Indian or Alaska Native	1.3
Asian	2.8
Black or African American	5.5
Filipino	0.8
Hispanic or Latino	30.9
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.3
Two or More Races	9.8
White	47.1
English Learners	2.9
Foster Youth	0.2
Homeless	0.2
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	39.3
Students with Disabilities	8.6

A. Conditions of Learning

State Priority: Basic

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

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

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

2020-21 Teacher Preparation and Placement

Authorization/Assignment	School Number	School Percent	District Number	District Percent	State Number	State Percent
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)	18.4	46.1	131.9	60.5	228366.1	83.1
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.3	4205.9	1.5
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (“ineffective” under ESSA)	0.2	0.7	11.5	5.3	11216.7	4.1
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (“out-of-field” under ESSA)	21.0	52.5	54.1	24.8	12115.8	4.4
Unknown	0.3	0.8	19.8	9.1	18854.3	6.9
Total Teaching Positions	40.1	100.0	218.2	100.0	274759.1	100.0

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

2020-21 Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (considered “ineffective” under ESSA)

Authorization/Assignment	2020-21
Permits and Waivers	0.0
Misassignments	0.2
Vacant Positions	0.0
Total Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments	0.2

2020-21 Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (considered “out-of-field” under ESSA)

Indicator	2020-21
Credentialed Teachers Authorized on a Permit or Waiver	0.0
Local Assignment Options	21.0
Total Out-of-Field Teachers	21.0

2020-21 Class Assignments

Indicator	2020-21
Misassignments for English Learners (a percentage of all the classes with English learners taught by teachers that are misassigned)	13.1
No credential, permit or authorization to teach (a percentage of all the classes taught by teachers with no record of an authorization to teach)	0.0

2021-22 Quality, Currency, Availability of Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials

Elite Academic Academy uses a variety of state approved Common Core Aligned Curriculum in all core academic subject areas. We do not adopt one/two curriculum options, as many traditional schools do, but work to know our students and match a state approved curriculum to them. This allows for students to find the best curriculum for their specific needs. Teachers have curriculum guides, training manuals and there are a variety of choices for our families. Credentialed experts also create proprietary courses for our students to ensure relevancy in today's world. Please see our chartering petition and website for a list of the curriculum. Please note that as the state approved additional textbooks and instructional materials, this list grows. We are a WASC Accredited and NCAA school of choice. Our curriculum choices ensure rigor and ample opportunity for all students who want to pursue a four year degree and a college athletic scholarship. We also offer many CTE Pathways and ensure that our students who are interested in college/career have curriculum that allows for career advancement.

Year and month in which the data were collected

January 2021

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption ?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	Elite Academic Academy uses a variety of state approved Common Core Aligned Curriculum for ELA. We do not adopt one/two curriculum options, as many traditional schools do, but work to know our students and match a state approved curriculum to them. This allows for students and families to find the best curriculum for their specific needs. Teachers have curriculum guides and training manuals to support the curriculum. Credentialed experts also create proprietary courses for our students to ensure relevancy in today's world. Please see our chartering petition and website for a list of the curriculum. Please note that as the state approves additional textbooks and instructional materials, this list grows.	Yes	0
Mathematics	Elite Academic Academy uses a variety of state approved Common Core Aligned Curriculum for Mathematics. We do not adopt one/two curriculum options, as many traditional schools do, but work to know our students and match a state	Yes	0

	approved curriculum to them. This allows for students and families to find the best curriculum for their specific needs. Teachers have curriculum guides and training manuals to support the curriculum. Credentialed experts also create proprietary courses for our students to ensure relevancy in today's world. Please see our chartering petition and website for a list of the curriculum. Please note that as the state approves additional textbooks and instructional materials, this list grows.		
Science	Elite Academic Academy uses a variety of state approved Common Core Aligned Curriculum Science. We do not adopt one/two curriculum options, as many traditional schools do, but work to know our students and match a state approved curriculum to them. This allows for students and families to find the best curriculum for their specific needs. Teachers have curriculum guides and training manuals to support the curriculum. Credentialed experts also create proprietary courses for our students to ensure relevancy in today's world. Please see our chartering petition and website for a list of the curriculum. Please note that as the state approves additional textbooks and instructional materials, this list grows.	Yes	0
History-Social Science	Elite Academic Academy uses a variety of state approved Common Core Aligned Curriculum for History and Social Science. We do not adopt one/two curriculum options, as many traditional schools do, but work to know our students and match a state approved curriculum to them. This allows for students and families to find the best curriculum for their specific needs. Teachers have curriculum guides and training manuals to support the curriculum. Credentialed experts also create proprietary courses for our students to ensure relevancy in today's world. Please see our chartering petition and website for a list of the curriculum. Please note that as the state approves additional textbooks and instructional materials, this list grows.	Yes	0
Foreign Language	Elite Academic Academy uses a variety of state approved Common Core Aligned Curriculum for Foreign Languages. We do not adopt one/two curriculum options, as many traditional schools do, but work to know our students and match a state approved curriculum to them. This allows for students and families to find the best curriculum for their specific needs. Teachers have curriculum guides and training manuals to support the curriculum. Credentialed experts also create proprietary courses for our students to ensure relevancy in today's world. Please see our chartering petition and website for a list of the curriculum. Please note that as the state approves additional textbooks and instructional materials, this list grows.	Yes	0
Health	Elite Academic Academy uses a variety of state approved Common Core Aligned Curriculum for Health. We do not adopt one/two curriculum options, as many traditional schools do, but work to know our students and match a state approved curriculum to them. This allows for students and families to find the best curriculum for their specific needs. Teachers have curriculum guides and training manuals to support the curriculum. Credentialed experts also create proprietary courses for our students to ensure relevancy in today's world. Please see our chartering petition and website for a list of the curriculum. Please note that as the state approves additional textbooks and instructional materials, this list grows.	Yes	0

Visual and Performing Arts	Elite Academic Academy uses a variety of state approved Common Core Aligned Curriculum for Visual Performing Arts. We do not adopt one/two curriculum options, as many traditional schools do, but work to know our students and match a state approved curriculum to them. This allows for students and families to find the best curriculum for their specific needs. Teachers have curriculum guides and training manuals to support the curriculum. Credentialed experts also create proprietary courses for our students to ensure relevancy in today's world. Please see our chartering petition and website for a list of the curriculum. Please note that as the state approves additional textbooks and instructional materials, this list grows.	Yes	0
Science Laboratory Equipment (grades 9-12)	Elite Academic Academy uses a variety of state approved Common Core Aligned Curriculum. We do not adopt one/two curriculum options, as many traditional schools do, but work to know our students and match a state approved curriculum to them. This allows for students and families to find the best curriculum for their specific needs. Teachers have curriculum guides and training manuals to support the curriculum. Credentialed experts also create proprietary courses for our students to ensure relevancy in today's world. Please see our chartering petition and website for a list of the curriculum. Please note that as the state approves additional textbooks and instructional materials, this list grows.	Yes	0

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

Elite Academic Academy is a non-classroom based charter school. It does not currently have any resource centers. We meet with you families and students in mutually agreed upon public locations. We do have a central administrative office located in Temecula. It is very rare that we hold a parent meeting in this facility. It is meant for the operation and administrative purposed to ensure proper secure storage of business and student files.

Year and month of the most recent FIT report

1/2021

System Inspected	Rate Good	Rate Fair	Rate Poor	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	X			
Interior: Interior Surfaces	X			
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/Vermin Infestation	X			
Electrical	X			
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	X			
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	X			
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	X			
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	X			

Overall Facility Rate

Exemplary	Good	Fair	Poor
X	X		

B. Pupil Outcomes

State Priority: Pupil Achievement

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

Statewide Assessments

(i.e., California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress [CAASPP] System includes the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments for students in the general education population and the California Alternate Assessments [CAAs] for English language arts/literacy [ELA] and mathematics given in grades three through eight and grade eleven. Only eligible students may participate in the administration of the CAAs. CAAs items are aligned with alternate achievement standards, which are linked with the Common Core State Standards [CCSS] for students with the most significant cognitive disabilities).

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

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

SARC Reporting in the 2020-2021 School Year Only

Where the most viable option, LEAs were required to administer the statewide summative assessment in ELA and mathematics. Where a statewide summative assessment was not the most viable option for the LEA (or for one or more grade-level[s] within the LEA) due to the pandemic, LEAs were allowed to report results from a different assessment that met the criteria established by the State Board of Education (SBE) on March 16, 2021. The assessments were required to be:

- Aligned with CA CCSS for ELA and mathematics;
- Available to students in grades 3 through 8, and grade 11; and
- Uniformly administered across a grade, grade span, school, or district to all eligible students.

Options

Note that the CAAs could only be administered in-person following health and safety requirements. If it was not viable for the LEA to administer the CAAs in person with health and safety guidelines in place, the LEA was directed to not administer the tests. There were no other assessment options available for the CAAs. Schools administered the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments for ELA and mathematics, other assessments that meet the SBE criteria, or a combination of both, and they could only choose one of the following:

- Smarter Balanced ELA and mathematics summative assessments;
- Other assessments meeting the SBE criteria; or
- Combination of Smarter Balanced ELA and mathematics summative assessments and other assessments.

The percentage of students who have successfully completed courses that satisfy the requirements for entrance to the University of California and the California State University, or career technical education sequences or programs of study.

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard on CAASPP

This table displays CAASPP test results in ELA and mathematics for all students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment.

The 2019-2020 data cells with N/A values indicate that the 2019-2020 data are not available due to the COVID-19 pandemic and resulting summative test suspension. The Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the assessment, accountability, and reporting requirements for the 2019-2020 school year.

The 2020-2021 data cells have N/A values because these data are not comparable to other year data due to the COVID-19 pandemic during the 2020-2021 school year. Where the CAASPP assessments in ELA and/or mathematics is not the most viable option, the LEAs were allowed to administer local assessments. Therefore, the 2020-2021 data between school years for the school, district, state are not an accurate comparison. As such, it is inappropriate to compare results of the 2020-2021 school year to other school years.

Subject	School 2019-20	School 2020-21	District 2019-20	District 2020-21	State 2019-20	State 2020-21
English Language Arts/Literacy (grades 3-8 and 11)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

2020-21 CAASPP Test Results in ELA by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in ELA by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment. The CDE will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment. In cases where the school administered a local assessment instead of CAASPP, the CDE will populate this table with "NT" values, meaning this school did not test students using the CAASPP. See the local assessment(s) table for more information.

CAASPP Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	352	315	89.49	10.51	67.94
Female	178	156	87.64	12.36	73.08
Male	174	159	91.38	8.62	62.89
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--	--
Asian	11	10	90.91	9.09	--
Black or African American	25	23	92	8	47.83
Filipino	--	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	119	111	93.28	6.72	55.86
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--	--
Two or More Races	35	33	94.29	5.71	75.76
White	153	131	85.62	14.38	79.39
English Learners	12	9	75	25	--
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0
Homeless	0	0	0	0	0
Military	0	0	0	0	0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	127	110	86.61	13.39	51.82
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	36	26	72.22	27.78	30.77

2020-21 CAASPP Test Results in Math by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in Math by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment. The CDE will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment. In cases where the school administered a local assessment instead of CAASPP, the CDE will populate this table with “NT” values, meaning this school did not test students using the CAASPP. See the local assessment(s) table for more information.

CAASPP Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	352	315	89.49	10.51	46.98
Female	178	156	87.64	12.36	47.44
Male	174	159	91.38	8.62	46.54
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--	--
Asian	11	10	90.91	9.09	--
Black or African American	25	23	92.00	8.00	21.74
Filipino	--	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	119	111	93.28	6.72	30.63
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--	--
Two or More Races	35	33	94.29	5.71	54.55
White	153	131	85.62	14.38	60.31
English Learners	12	9	75.00	25.00	--
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0
Homeless	0	0	0	0	0
Military	0	0	0	0	0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	127	110	86.61	13.39	28.18
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	36	26	72.22	27.78	19.23

2020-21 Local Assessment Test Results in ELA by Student Group

This table displays Local Assessment test results in ELA by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven. LEAs/schools will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered a local assessment. In cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment, LEAs/schools will populate this table with “N/A” values in all cells, meaning this table is Not Applicable for this school.

*At or above the grade-level standard in the context of the local assessment administered.

2020-21 Local Assessment Test Results in Math by Student Group

This table displays Local Assessment test results in Math by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven. LEAs/schools will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered a local assessment. In cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment, LEAs/schools will populate this table with “N/A” values in all cells, meaning this table is Not Applicable for this school.

*At or above the grade-level standard in the context of the local assessment administered.

CAASPP Test Results in Science for All Students

This table displays the percentage of all students grades five, eight, and High School meeting or exceeding the State Standard.

The 2019-2020 data cells with N/A values indicate that the 2019-2020 data are not available due to the COVID-19 pandemic and resulting summative testing suspension. The Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the assessment, accountability, and reporting requirements for the 2019-2020 school year.

For any 2020-2021 data cells with N/T values indicate that this school did not test students using the CAASPP Science.

Subject	School 2019-20	School 2020-21	District 2019-20	District 2020-21	State 2019-20	State 2020-21
Science (grades 5, 8 and high school)	N/A	35.80	N/A	14.43	N/A	28.72

2020-21 CAASPP Test Results in Science by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in Science by student group for students grades five, eight, and High School. For any data cells with N/T values indicate that this school did not test students using the CAASPP Science.

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	214	176	82.24	17.76	35.80
Female	92	74	80.43	19.57	37.84
Male	122	102	83.61	16.39	34.31
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--	--
Asian	--	--	--	--	--
Black or African American	20	18	90.00	10.00	16.67
Filipino	--	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	87	72	82.76	17.24	26.39
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--	--
Two or More Races	19	17	89.47	10.53	52.94
White	77	60	77.92	22.08	45.00
English Learners	--	--	--	--	--
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0
Homeless	0	0	0	0	0
Military	0	0	0	0	0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	89	75	84.27	15.73	28.00
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	18	10	55.56	44.44	--

2020-21 Career Technical Education Programs

Career Technical Education (CTE) is an academic program that prepares students for postsecondary education for College and Career. CTE provides students with a unique opportunity to integrate core academic courses with technical skills and occupational knowledge and opportunities. Elite Academic provides students with various pathways to choose from in order to prepare students for their post-secondary career/education within the field of their choice. Students from Elite Academic CTE programs will be prepared to lead with 21st-century skills and industry certifications/skills.

CTE Pathways 9-12th

Arts, Media and Entertainment Pathway (VAPA Academy)
 Marketing, Sales and Service Pathway (Marketing Academy)
 Hospitality, Tourism & Recreation Pathway (Adventure Academy)
 Public Service Pathway (Public Service Academy)
 Fashion Design Pathway
 Interior Design Pathway

CTE Staff

Ashlea Kirkland, CTE Director
 Thomas Olson, CTE Credentialed Teacher
 Nolan Smith, CTE Credentialed Teacher

2020-21 Career Technical Education (CTE) Participation

Measure	CTE Program Participation
Number of Pupils Participating in CTE	58
Percent of Pupils that Complete a CTE Program and Earn a High School Diploma	0
Percent of CTE Courses that are Sequenced or Articulated Between the School and Institutions of Postsecondary Education	100

Course Enrollment/Completion

This table displays the course enrollment/completion of University of California (UC) and/or California State University (CSU) admission requirements.

UC/CSU Course Measure	Percent
2020-2021 Pupils Enrolled in Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	88.65
2019-2020 Graduates Who Completed All Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	0

B. Pupil Outcomes

State Priority: Other Pupil Outcomes

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Other Pupil Outcomes (Priority 8): Pupil outcomes in the subject area of physical education.

2020-21 California Physical Fitness Test Results

Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the Physical Fitness Test was suspended during the 2020-2021 school year and therefore no data are reported and each cell in this table is populated with "N/A."

Grade Level	Percentage of Students Meeting Four of Six Fitness Standards	Percentage of Students Meeting Five of Six Fitness Standards	Percentage of Students Meeting Six of Six Fitness Standards
Grade 5	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grade 7	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grade 9	N/A	N/A	N/A

C. Engagement

State Priority: Parental Involvement

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Parental Involvement (Priority 3): Efforts the school district makes to seek parent input in making decisions regarding the school district and at each school site.

2021-22 Opportunities for Parental Involvement

Elite Academic Academy educates and involves parents and community members to understand the school's purpose by:

- *Maintaining a robust website that has a parent resource section including access to student/parent handbook
- *Inviting parents/students to virtual webinars, such as orientation, informational meetings, seminars, mental health, college and career readiness, and so much more!
- *Hosting an annual Parent Advisory Committee Meetings to develop the LCAP and prepare for Assessment
- *Providing parents with report cards and access to our Student information Parent Portal
- *Distributing annual Survey(s) to get input and ensure we are meeting the needs of our stakeholders
- *Conducting individual meetings with School Counselor and student/parent and SST team, as necessary
- *Providing the Parent Square Communication App where parents get e-mails and direct access to their teacher at any time.
- *Sending monthly newsletters to families from Counseling, Technology, VAPA, Athletics, Homeschool, Virtual, and Flex programs with contact information for parents to connect and get support from each department
- *Hosting regularly scheduled Board Meetings open to the public

C. Engagement

State Priority: Pupil Engagement

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

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

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

Indicator	School 2018-19	School 2019-20	School 2020-21	District 2018-19	District 2019-20	District 2020-21	State 2018-19	State 2019-20	State 2020-21
Dropout Rate	--	17.6	22.7	21.3	16.5	17.0	9.0	8.9	9.4
Graduation Rate	--	76.5	68.2	67.0	68.0	73.5	84.5	84.2	83.6

2020-21 Graduation Rate by Student Group (Four-Year Cohort Rate)

This table displays the 2020-21 graduation rate by student group. For information on the Four-Year Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate (ACGR), visit the CDE Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate web page at www.cde.ca.gov/ds/ad/acgrinfo.asp.

Student Group	Number of Students in Cohort	Number of Cohort Graduates	Cohort Graduation Rate
All Students	44	30	68.2
Female	21	13	61.9
Male	23	17	73.9
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0.00
Asian	--	--	--
Black or African American	--	--	--
Filipino	0	0	0.00
Hispanic or Latino	22	15	68.2
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0.00
Two or More Races	--	--	--
White	17	11	64.7
English Learners	--	--	--
Foster Youth	0.0	0.0	0.0
Homeless	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	25	15	60.0
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0.0	0.0	0.0
Students with Disabilities	--	--	--

2020-21 Chronic Absenteeism by Student Group

Student Group	Cumulative Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Eligible Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Count	Chronic Absenteeism Rate
All Students	566	566	27	4.77
Female	263	263	263	2.66
Male	303	303	20	6.6
American Indian or Alaska Native	7	7	2	28.57
Asian	18	18	1	5.56
Black or African American	39	39	1	2.56
Filipino	7	7	1	14.29
Hispanic or Latino	155	155	5	3.23
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	5	5	1	20
Two or More Races	52	52	3	5.77
White	275	275	13	4.73
English Learners	18	18	1	5.56
Foster Youth	1	1	0	0.0
Homeless	0	0	0	0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	195	195	12	6.15
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0.0
Students with Disabilities	39	39	3	7.69

C. Engagement

State Priority: School Climate

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

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

Suspensions and Expulsions

This table displays suspensions and expulsions data collected between July through June, each full school year respectively. Data collected during the 2020-21 school year may not be comparable to earlier years of this collection due to differences in learning mode instruction in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Subject	School 2018-19	School 2020-21	District 2018-19	District 2020-21	State 2018-19	State 2020-21
Suspensions	0.00	0.00	1.32	0.13	3.47	0.20
Expulsions	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.08	0.00

This table displays suspensions and expulsions data collected between July through February, partial school year due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The 2019-2020 suspensions and expulsions rate data are not comparable to other year data because the 2019-2020 school year is a partial school year due to the COVID-19 crisis. As such, it would be inappropriate to make any comparisons in rates of suspensions and expulsions in the 2019-2020 school year compared to other school years.

Subject	School 2019-20	District 2019-20	State 2019-20
Suspensions	0.00	0.43	2.45
Expulsions	0.00	0.00	0.05

2020-21 Suspensions and Expulsions by Student Group

Student Group	Suspensions Rate	Expulsions Rate
All Students	0.00	0.00
Female	0.00	0.00
Male	0.00	0.00
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.00	0.00
Asian	0.00	0.00
Black or African American	0.00	0.00
Filipino	0.00	0.00
Hispanic or Latino	0.00	0.00
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.00	0.00
Two or More Races	0.00	0.00
White	0.00	0.00
English Learners	0.00	0.00
Foster Youth	0.00	0.00
Homeless	0.00	0.00
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	0.00	0.00
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0.00	0.00
Students with Disabilities	0.00	0.00

2021-22 School Safety Plan

Elite Academic Academy is an independent study program where students are schooled in the home and through various contracted vendors in the community. Typically, students are in the primary care of their parent/guardian for their schooling. There are a few instances when the school sponsors events, such as field trips and state testing, when it is important to have a clear emergency preparedness plan. The school's procedures for evacuation and emergency preparedness are outlined in our comprehensive safety plan that is updated in March of each school year. The roles of the responsible parties, the training necessary to perform those responsibilities, necessary resources, and emergency response actions, if applicable, are defined for each site where school operations are conducted. Further, it is important to clearly define the responsibilities of the school and parent/guardian, as well as the school's dismissal procedures, in the event of an emergency or disaster. This plan can be found on our website for review

D. Other SARC Information

Information Required in the SARC

The information in this section is required to be in the SARC but is not included in the state priorities for LCFF.

2018-19 Elementary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2018-19 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled "Number of Classes" indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class). The "Other" category is for multi-grade level classes.

Grade Level	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-20 Students	Number of Classes with 21-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
K	N/A			
1	N/A			
2	N/A			
3	N/A			
4	N/A			
5	N/A			
6	N/A			
Other	N/A			

2019-20 Elementary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

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1	N/A			
2	N/A			
3	N/A1			
4	N/A			
5	N/A			
6	N/A			
Other	N/A			

2020-21 Elementary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2020-21 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled “Number of Classes” indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class). The “Other” category is for multi-grade level classes.

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K	N/A			
1	N/A			
2	N/A			
3	N/A			
4	N/A			
5	N/A			
6	N/A			
Other	N/A			

2018-19 Secondary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2018-19 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled “Number of Classes” indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per classroom). At the secondary school level, this information is reported by subject area rather than grade level.

Subject	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-22 Students	Number of Classes with 23-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
English Language Arts	N/A			
Mathematics	N/A			
Science	N/A			
Social Science	2N/A			

2019-20 Secondary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

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Subject	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-22 Students	Number of Classes with 23-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
English Language Arts	N/A			
Mathematics	N/A			
Science	N/A			
Social Science	N/A			

2020-21 Secondary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

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Subject	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-22 Students	Number of Classes with 23-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
English Language Arts	N/A			
Mathematics	N/A			
Science	N/A			
Social Science	N/A			

2020-21 Ratio of Pupils to Academic Counselor

This table displays the ratio of pupils to Academic Counselor. One full time equivalent (FTE) equals one staff member working full time; one FTE could also represent two staff members who each work 50 percent of full time.

Title	Ratio
Pupils to Academic Counselor	614

2020-21 Student Support Services Staff

This table displays the number of FTE support staff assigned to this school. One full time equivalent (FTE) equals one staff member working full time; one FTE could also represent two staff members who each work 50 percent of full time.

Title	Number of FTE Assigned to School
Counselor (Academic, Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	1
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	0
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	0
Psychologist	0.5
Social Worker	0.5
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	0
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	0

2019-20 Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries

This table displays the 2019-20 expenditures per pupil and average teach salary for this school. Cells with N/A values do not require data.

Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Restricted)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Unrestricted)	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$9193	\$952	\$8241	\$70,768
District	N/A	N/A		\$61,847
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A		13.5
State			\$8,444	\$77,042
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	-2.4	-8.5

2020-21 Types of Services Funded

Elite Academic Academy-Lucerne (EAA-LU) TK-12, the premier independent study educational option, opened its doors July 1, 2018. We focus on flexible and individualized homeschool, virtual, and blended independent study academies for students who are not successful or choose not to attend traditional brick and mortar schools. EAA-LU provides high quality and rigorous state board approved standards-based curriculum options to support students in meeting the challenging state academic achievement standards. We also offer unique academies with emphasis on Athletic Training, Visual and Performing Arts (VAPA), and Career Technical Education (CTE) opportunities to ensure our students graduate ready for college, their future careers, and the 21st-century workforce.

All high school students have access to A-G approved courses through our own developed courses, as well as three online providers: Strongmind (primarily core/some elective), UC Scout (primarily core), and Edmentum (online elective classes). Credentialed teachers support the online classes through daily interactions via text, Zoom, and Canvas. Student achievement is assessed through a variety of measures such as: State standardized testing, teacher observations, teacher-created tasks, i-Ready assessments and personalized learning paths, school-created benchmark assessments, learning period meetings, weekly meetings, report cards, learning journals, portfolios, labs, quizzes, and finals. Students also have the opportunity to participate in concurrent enrollment with community colleges in the area.

Students in 6th -12th have the option of three learning academies: Virtual, Flex or Homeschool. Each learning option has highly qualified credentialed teachers who are meeting weekly with the student for 1- 4 hours to tutor and help ensure understanding. Middle school students participate in either online courses or use common core textbooks and curriculum to demonstrate learning.

Students who are in TK-5th grade are part of Elite Academic's Homeschool or Flex Academy where Elite's highly qualified, California credentialed teacher work with their assigned students and parents/guardians to identify and implement an individualized learning plan, (ILP). At least every 20 school days, the Elite teacher, student and parent/guardian meet so that the teacher can assess student understanding of the material covered thus far, reteach concepts not yet mastered, and administer benchmark assessments and other Common Core-aligned diagnostic tests to be sure that the students are gaining a true understanding of the concepts being presented.

Elite teachers provide weekly synchronous and live lessons aligned to the Common Core and all necessary materials to support these lessons. Elite students use Common Core SBE approved curricula such as Pearson, Glencoe, Prentice Hall, Evan-Moor, Houghton Mifflin-Harcourt, and other textbooks as described in the parent curriculum list.

Students are required to complete their monthly assignments in order to stay on track and meet their individualized goals. In addition to scheduled learning period meetings, students and parents/guardians have access to their teachers during the school day via phone, email, online domains, and one-on-one appointments, as needed. Elite's teachers act as partners of the parent/guardian to ensure student achievement through a flexible, rigorous, relevant, individualized, and standards-based aligned education.

Students have access to tutors, small group instruction, and enrichment opportunities to explore their individual passions and develop a solid foundation in the areas of their academic weaknesses as well. Students may choose to attend EAA-LU sponsored field trips and group activities.

2019-20 Teacher and Administrative Salaries

This table displays the 2019-20 Teacher and Administrative salaries. For detailed information on salaries, see the CDE Certification Salaries & Benefits web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/>.

Category	District Amount	State Average for Districts in Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$63,000	\$48,119
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$64,890	\$74,665
Highest Teacher Salary	\$80,000	\$98,160
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	\$125,000	\$118,542
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	\$125,000	\$125,068
Average Principal Salary (High)	\$125,000	\$133,516
Superintendent Salary	\$198,000	\$194,199
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	22%	31%
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	8%	6%

2020-21 Advanced Placement (AP) Courses

This table displays the percent of student in AP courses at this school.

Percent of Students in AP Courses	1
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This table displays the number of AP courses offered at this school where there are student course enrollments of at least one student.

Subject	Number of AP Courses Offered
Computer Science	0
English	0
Fine and Performing Arts	4
Foreign Language	0
Mathematics	0
Science	2
Social Science	0
Total AP Courses Offered	6

Professional Development

Elite Academic Academy Professional Development is targeted and designed to improve the instruction of all learners.

The essential focus for upper lever administration (Cabinet and Directors) this year for Elite Academic Academy is student work and data. Bi-weekly Leadership meetings include professional development centered on multiple topics in support of this work: Understanding the Power of Presence; Defining High Quality Instruction; Supporting the Social Emotional Needs of Students; and Data-Informed Decision Making. This professional development takes place all year to ensure full implementation.

COVID has created diverse academic and emotional needs in students, families, and staff, as evidenced by parent workshops; student engagement levels; and local assessment data. To help staff support our families as well as themselves, we continue to partner with the YouSchool to provide a yearlong professional development series on the topic, "Guiding Students to Build Meaningful Lives." The series includes weekly videos for staff and families, as well as five professional development sessions with staff and two parent workshops.

Content Teachers continue to attend Professional Development focused on high quality curriculum and engaging delivery. The series focuses on learning objectives; the use of Universal Design for Learning principles; EdTech integration strategies; Formative and Summative assessment techniques; and student engagement. Teachers meet monthly and receive coaching support in-between meetings.

EAA also believes in building leadership at every level. At Elite we hire instructional lead teachers which are experienced teachers to serve as professional coaches focused on curriculum, teaching strategies, independent study best practices, literacy, and English Learners. Lead teachers provide individualized ongoing professional development in order to support student learning in the charter. They provide one-to-one support for newly hired or struggling teachers. These leads work directly for their unique Academy Directors as well as working with the Chief Academic Officer to provide teacher workshops and family engagement workshops.

This table displays the number of school days dedicated to staff development and continuous improvement.

Subject	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	10+	10+	10+