

Wheatland Elementary School

School Accountability Report Card

Reported Using Data from the 2019-2020 School Year

Published During 2020-2021

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

- For more information about SARC requirements and access to prior year reports, see the California Department of Education (CDE) SARC web page at <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/>.
- For more information about the LCFF or the LCAP, see the CDE LCFF webpage at <https://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/lc/>.
- For additional information about the school, parents/guardians and community members should contact the school principal or the district office.

DataQuest

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

California School Dashboard

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

About This School

School Contact Information (School Year 2020-2021)

Entity	Contact Information
School Name	Wheatland Elementary School
Street	111 Hooper Street
City, State, Zip	Wheatland, CA 95692-0818
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Principal	Peter Towne
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Website	http://wes.wheatlandsd.com/
County-District-School (CDS) Code	58-72751-6056840

District Contact Information (School Year 2020-2021)

Entity	Contact Information
District Name	Wheatland School District
Phone Number	(530) 633-3130
Superintendent	Craig Guensler
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Website	www.wheatland.k12.ca.us

School Description and Mission Statement (School Year 2020-2021)

Wheatland Elementary School's Vision and Mission Statements Our goal is to inspire learning and foster success for all students, in a caring school community with involved staff, committed to a goal of excellence in teaching. In collaboration with parents and the educational community, we strive to meet each student's needs - academic, social, emotional and physical. We recognize, respect, and develop each student's unique potential. Our curriculum and instructions are aligned with National, State and District Standards and we measure our achievement through standardized assessments. We provide a flexible learning environment that prepares our students for the challenges of a changing world.

The 2020-2021 school year will open with the same challenges that faced us in the spring of last school year. With COVID 19 we switched from in-person learning to distant learning with all academic instruction moving to zoom meetings and remote learning. In an effort to reopen this year prepared, we pushed back our start date and added a week of professional development for teachers. We will remain in this mode until the state government and local health officials clear us to return to in class learning.

One of our school's assets is our student motivation and rewards program called Renaissance. We recognize our students for their efforts as well as their achievement by giving rewards at break, at lunch, and at our trimester Renaissance Rallies. Another wonderful component of our school is the Family Resource Center (FRC), which provides assistance and resources for families. The FRC is also a haven at lunch time, break, and after school for students. The FRC facilitates case management for students, including connecting families to county resources and acting as a liaison between parents and school. The FRC monitors grades, behavior, and attendance for at-risk students. They also provide supervision of recreational activities and translation services in Spanish and Hmong.

The atmosphere on the Wheatland Elementary campus is calm, positive and nurturing. We invite parents and community volunteers to join us in the education of our students. It is our goal to partner with families to create the best educational environment possible for our students. Our wonderful students, families, and dedicated teaching team and support staff make our school a fabulous place to work and learn.

Student Enrollment by Grade Level (School Year 2019-2020)

Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	102
Grade 1	66
Grade 2	73
Grade 3	81
Total Enrollment	322

Student Enrollment by Student Group (School Year 2019-2020)

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.3
Asian	2.5
Filipino	0.3
Hispanic or Latino	28
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	1.2
White	55.9
Two or More Races	11.8
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	58.7
English Learners	9.6
Students with Disabilities	9.9
Foster Youth	0.3
Homeless	5

A. Conditions of Learning

State Priority: Basic

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

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

Teacher Credentials

Teachers	School 2018-19	School 2019-20	School 2020-21	District 2020-21
With Full Credential	16	18	15	65
Without Full Credential	0	0	0	0
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence (with full credential)	0	0	0	0

Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions

Indicator	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21
Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners	0	0	0
Total Teacher Misassignments*	0	0	0
Vacant Teacher Positions	0	0	0

Note: "Misassignments" refers to the number of positions filled by teachers who lack legal authorization to teach that grade level, subject area, student group, etc.

*Total Teacher Misassignments includes the number of Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners.

Quality, Currency, Availability of Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials (School Year 2020-2021)

Year and month in which data were collected: September, 2020

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	McGraw Hill/2017	Yes	0%
Mathematics	McGraw-Hill/2015	Yes	0%
Science	Houghton-Mifflin/2004	No	0%
History-Social Science	Pearson Scott Foresman/2006	No	0%

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

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

The campus was originally opened in 1963. It is a beautiful, tree-lined campus. The campus has a wide-open feel and is equipped with appropriate lighting and security cameras in strategic areas to promote safety. Wheatland Elementary has site established cleaning standards with two full-time custodians and one half-time custodian. The campus is always well maintained and classrooms and bathrooms are cleaned daily. The Principal and Lead Custodian do routine walks of the campus to identify items that need to be repaired, replace or improved. An ongoing document is kept to monitor projects and ensure completion. Minor repairs to door stops, and door lockdown latches are necessary due to usual wear and tear. We have continued on our school improvement plan of replacing four rooms' carpets each year. There is adequate room for all students in classrooms, on the playground, and in the eating areas. We have a fully functioning kitchen and multipurpose room with plenty of tables and room to sit. Our multi-purpose room is used for school sports programs, community sports programs and for community events. There is room behind our campus for future expansion of our school or for sports fields and other extracurricular activities.

The 2020-2021 school safety plan as well as all reopening plans will reflect an emphasis on cleaning and sanitizing as we combat the spread of Covid 19. Specific details to address these practices will be reviewed at Site Council meetings and shared at each staff meeting.

School Facility Good Repair Status

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

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

Year and month of the most recent FIT report: 8/18/2020

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

B. Pupil Outcomes

State Priority: Pupil Achievement

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

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

CAASPP Test Results in ELA and Mathematics for All Students

Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard

Subject	School 2018-19	School 2019-20	District 2018-19	District 2019-20	State 2018-19	State 2019-20
English Language Arts/Literacy (grades 3-8 and 11)	54	N/A	51	N/A	50	N/A
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	43	N/A	40	N/A	39	N/A

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

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

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

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

CAASPP Test Results in ELA by Student Group

Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven (School Year 2019-2020)

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Foster Youth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Homeless	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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

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

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

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Foster Youth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Homeless	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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

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

**CAASPP Test Results in Science for All Students
Grades Five, Eight, and High School
Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard**

Subject	School 2018-19	School 2019-20	District 2018-19	District 2019-20	State 2018-19	State 2019-20
Science (grades 5, 8 and high school)		N/A		N/A		N/A

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

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

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

State Priority: Other Pupil Outcomes

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Other Pupil Outcomes (Priority 8):

- Pupil outcomes in the subject areas of physical education.

California Physical Fitness Test Results (School Year 2019-2020)

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
5	N/A	N/A	N/A
7	N/A	N/A	N/A
9	N/A	N/A	N/A

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

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

C. Engagement

State Priority: Parental Involvement

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Parental Involvement (Priority 3):

- Efforts the school district makes to seek parent input in making decisions for the school district and each school site

Opportunities for Parental Involvement (School Year 2020-2021)

All opportunities for parent involvement in 2020-2021 will be virtual until we are cleared to return students and families to campus. Our school’s annual site plan and school site budget approvals are made by our School Site Council. The School Site Council is comprised of parent members, certificated staff, classified staff, and site administration. We have a District English Language Advisory Committee to help students and their families who are learning English feel welcome at our school. At Back-to-School Night parents can sign up to volunteer in their areas of interest at our school. Teachers compile the lists of parents who are interested in volunteering in their classroom or for particular events. Parents have the opportunity to volunteer in classrooms, the school office, and our library. Classroom and campus volunteers are always needed. We recognize volunteers at trimester rallies for their service and donations. All parent volunteers are required to be cleared through fingerprinting and a comprehensive background check prior to volunteering. To find out how you can volunteer at our school, please contact our school at 530-633-3140.

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

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

Rate	School 2017-18	School 2018-19	District 2017-18	District 2018-19	State 2017-18	State 2018-19
Suspensions	2.1	2.1	3.3	2.9	3.5	3.5
Expulsions	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1

Suspensions and Expulsions for School Year 2019-2020 Only

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

Rate	School 2019-20	District 2019-20	State 2019-20
Suspensions	1		
Expulsions	0		

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

School Safety Plan (School Year 2020-2021)

The 2020-2021 School Safety Plan has been rewritten to take in to consideration a myriad of policies, practices and procedures reflecting a pivot toward addressing the COVID 19 virus outbreak. Further details can be found in our district and our school plans.

All teachers and noon duty supervisors are scheduled so that at least two monitors are on duty during each recess. We provide before school, during school, and after school supervision. Safety drills are held once per month rotating Fire Drills, Earthquake drills, and Lockdown drills throughout the year. The Safety Committee reviews and approves our school Safety Plan each October. We distribute the plan to each teacher and it is reviewed and approved by the School Site Council. We work collaboratively with the Wheatland Fire and Police Departments to coordinate emergency plans. The school's surveillance system, perimeter fencing and the involvement of the Wheatland Police Department ensure a safe environment for all. The 2020-2021 School Safety Plan was last reviewed, updated and discussed with faculty and the School Site Council in September and is scheduled for approval by the Wheatland School District Board of Trustees in October 2020.

D. Other SARC Information

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

Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Elementary)

Grade Level	2017-18	2017-18	2017-18	2017-18	2018-19	2018-19	2018-19	2018-19	2019-20	2019-20	2019-20	2019-20
	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+
K	23	1	3		23		4	2	20		3	
1	23		3		23		3		22		3	
2	22	1	3		24		3		32	2	1	
3	23		3		22		4		20	2	2	

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

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

Ratio of Pupils to Academic Counselor (School Year 2019-2020)

Title	Ratio
Academic Counselors*	322

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

Student Support Services Staff (School Year 2019-2020)

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

*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.

Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries (Fiscal Year 2018-2019)

Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Restricted)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Unrestricted)	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$8,163.03	934.78	\$7,228.25	\$82,284.02
District	N/A	N/A	\$8,394.06	\$81,182
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A	-14.9	-1.6
State	N/A	N/A	\$7,750	\$80,565
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	-3.8	5.8

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

Types of Services Funded (Fiscal Year 2019-2020)

State and federal money is spent on core instructional materials in all areas of our curriculum; (English Language Arts, Mathematics, Social Studies/History, Science, Fine Arts including a dedicated Music Teacher, and P.E.. Additionally, supplemental instructional programs are funded such as Counseling and an afterschool intervention support program. Title 1 support funding is targeted toward identified groups of students at risk of not succeeding in school for academic or social emotional challenges. Funding provides personnel support for learning through the use of classroom assistants and paraprofessionals in transitional kindergarten, kindergarten, first grade classes, as well as in Life Skills, and the English Language Learner Program.

Each year funding is invested for progress monitoring programs such as Accelerated Reading, MobyMax and ESGI programs. Student progress is shared with students and their parents in both formal and informal methods. Progress is celebrated at the Reni Rallies.

Teacher and Administrative Salaries (Fiscal Year 2018-2019)

Category	District Amount	State Average For Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$43,988	\$50,574
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$79,710	\$76,649
Highest Teacher Salary	\$94,012	\$98,993
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	\$143,367	\$125,150
Average Principal Salary (Middle)		\$129,394
Average Principal Salary (High)		\$122,053
Superintendent Salary	\$220,560	\$193,925
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	32.0	34.0
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	7.0	6.0

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

Professional Development (Most Recent Three Years)

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

This section provides information on the annual number of school days dedicated to staff development for the most recent three-year period.

Due to COVID 19 pandemic, the Wheatland School District chose to push back the starting date of the school year and incorporate 5 full days of professional development for teachers. The content centered around the acquisition and use of technology skills to support distance learning. The material was presented by members of CUE Computer Users in Education as well as school and district staff. As we begin to craft a plan that will transition us from distance learning to in-class instruction it is probable that additional staff development will be needed either as complete days of district level training, or periodic site level training.

Wheatland Elementary School and the Wheatland School District are dedicated to the educational development of teachers and staff. Six staff development minimum days are scheduled yearly, designed to enhance the educational experience of our students. During after school workshops, staff evaluate student data to develop a continuing educational plan that meets the needs of the constantly changing student population. Teachers tackle the areas of the California Common Core State Standards, school safety, state testing demands, and the students' social emotional needs to develop a program that educates the whole student. In addition to these on campus opportunities, our staff attend best practice conferences including topics from 504 Plan and special education law, as well as county developed trainings focused on integrating the California Common Core State Standards with a variety of student learners and learning modalities. The Wheatland Elementary School team works hard to collaborate with campus staff and surrounding communities to develop an exemplary academic program.

Teachers are supported throughout the implementation process through a combination of peer led trainings and meetings, as well as administrative observations. Data is evaluated often to ensure the continued growth of our programs and provide opportunities to address student needs through our continued professional development. During the current school year, professional development has been provided during Staff Development Days for the initial implementation of a PBIS system of Positive Behavioral Intervention Systems.