

The mission of the Sonoma County Office of Education (SCOE) is to foster student success through services to students, schools, and the community.

This is a snapshot of students and schools in Sonoma County, as well as SCOE services.

leadership

County Superintendent of Schools



Steven D. Herrington, Ph.D., is the elected superintendent of schools and serves as SCOE's chief administrative officer.

County Board

Separately elected Sonoma County Board of Education members oversee county court and community schools and work with the superintendent to oversee county education initiatives.



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For a complete list of individual districts:

scoe.org/schooldirectory

For additional education-related facts:

scoe.org/edfacts

priorities

SCOE is a public education partner to the county's 40 school districts serving K-12 students. While each district is autonomous and governed by its own board of trustees, SCOE offers districts critical leadership and support in these priority areas:

- California State Standards
- College and Career Readiness
- School Success for English Learners
- Assessment and Accountability for Students and Teachers
- Financial Stability for Schools and Districts
- Activities and Events that Serve Youth and the Community



programs

SCOE provides the following:

- Classroom instruction for approximately 400 special education students, preschool through age 22
- Instructional support services for about 400 students who are deaf/hard of hearing or visually impaired
- Alternative schools for approximately 150 at-risk youth
- Instruction to about 70 students in juvenile hall and about 250 adults in county correctional facilities
- Case management for approximately 100 students who live in licensed children institutions and attend non-public schools
- Professional development classes for more than 5,000 county educators
- Processing of financial transactions for 40 districts

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Superintendent of Schools
Steven D. Herrington, Ph.D.

Deputy Superintendents
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Jennie Snyder, Ed.D.
Assistant Superintendents
Michael Juric, Ed.D.
John Laughlin

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*Data from the 2015-16 school year
unless otherwise noted
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education facts

for Sonoma County Schools

2016-17



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schools & districts

Number of school districts in Sonoma County

Elementary	31
High School	3
Unified	6
TOTAL	40

Number of public schools

Elementary schools	110
Middle/junior high schools	27
High schools	19
Alternative schools	19
Independent study schools	8
TOTAL	183

- 57 of these schools are charter schools.

Enrollment by Sonoma County District

Alexander Valley Union.....123	Old Adobe Union.....1,935
Bellevue Union.....1,910	Petaluma City Elementary.....2,452
Bennett Valley Union1,035	Petaluma Joint Union High.....5,337
Cinnabar.....270	Piner-Olivet Union.....1,415
Cloverdale Unified.....1,396	Rincon Valley Union...3,571
Cotati-Rohnert Park Unified.....6,372	Roseland.....2,805
Dunham.....194	Santa Rosa Elementary.....5,422
Forestville Union.....344	Santa Rosa High.....11,295
Fort Ross.....28	Sebastopol Union.....927
Geyserville Unified.....242	Sonoma Valley Unified.....4,610
Gravenstein Union.....730	Twin Hills Union.....1,256
Guerneville.....281	Two Rock Union.....157
Harmony Union.....702	Waugh.....908
Healdsburg Unified.....1,674	West Side Union.....179
Horicon.....47	West Sonoma County Union High.....2,015
Kashia.....14	Wilmar Union.....235
Kenwood.....141	Windsor Unified.....5,349
Liberty.....854	Wright.....1,638
Mark West Union.....1,465	
Monte Rio Union.....85	
Montgomery.....35	
Oak Grove Union.....1,068	

students

Number of K-12 public school students

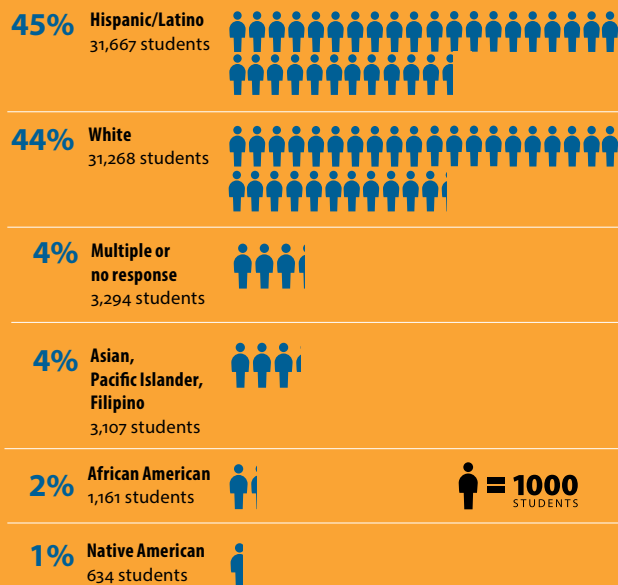


Students by group

Economically disadvantaged	31,375	44%
English learner	16,232	23%
Special education	10,316	15%
Foster Youth (2014-15)	738	1%

- During 2015-16, 11 percent (1,795) of English learners were redesignated Fluent English Proficient.

Students by race/ethnicity



academic progress

Graduate transition to higher education

CLASS OF 2016 PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS

Number of graduates 4,505

COHORT GRADUATION RATE

All students 84.4%

White students 88%

Hispanic/Latino students 81%

Graduates completing "a-g" requirements 40%

Graduates enrolled at SRJC, Fall 2016 40%

Graduates enrolled in CSU, Fall 2016 16%

Graduates enrolled in UC, Fall 2016 6%

- Cohort graduation rate is the percentage of Class of 2016 students who earned diplomas in four years.
- Students who complete the "a-g" requirements have met requirements to enter UC/CSU system.

Average SAT scores 2014-15



SBAC/CAASPP Results

The Smarter Balanced Assessments (SBAC) measure student knowledge of English language arts (ELA) and math as part of the overall California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) system.

% MET/EXCEEDED STANDARD	COUNTY	STATE
English Language Arts	49%	49%
Mathematics	36%	37%

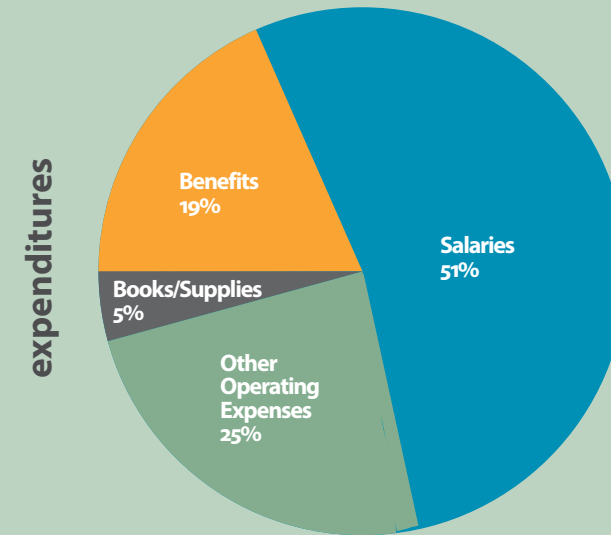


Find additional measures of school/district performance and progress at caschooldashboard.org.

awards

- 11** National Blue Ribbon Schools
- 79** California Distinguished Schools
- 6** California Gold Ribbon Schools

finance and staffing



Income for K-12 education

COUNTYWIDE GENERAL FUND INCOME BY SOURCE

State sources	\$ 394,720,584	43%
Property taxes	\$ 339,977,882	37%
Federal sources	\$ 40,507,885	5%
Other sources	\$ 135,237,215	15%
TOTAL	\$ 910,443,566	100%

Public school staffing 2015-16

Administrators	401
Teachers	3,733
Pupil services: counselors, nurses, etc.	465
Teaching assistants	967
All other staff	1,851
TOTAL	7,417