

Freshwater 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	Freshwater Elementary School
Street	75 Greenwood Heights Dr.
City, State, Zip	Eureka, CA 95503-9569
Phone Number	(707) 442-2969
Principal	Si Talty
Email Address	stalty@humboldt.k12.ca.us
Website	www.freshwatersd.org
County-District-School (CDS) Code	12628280000000

District Contact Information (School Year 2020-2021)

Entity	Contact Information
District Name	Freshwater Elementary School District
Phone Number	(707) 442-2969
Superintendent	Si Talty
Email Address	stalty@freshwatersd.org
Website	www.freshwatersd.org

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

Freshwater School is the elementary school in the Freshwater School District, serving students from Kindergarten to grade six. The school district has an elected board of five trustees and has been providing education to children for over 125 years. In 2019-20, out of 300 total students, the school served over 150 students from outside the District boundaries. Freshwater School has an experienced, dedicated staff of 12 classroom teachers who are supported by a full time Reading Specialist, a Resource Specialist, a Speech/Language Therapist, a Math Specialist, a Student Support Provider, two music teachers, 12 part-time aides, three full-time classified staff members, a part-time vice principal, and a superintendent/principal.

Mission Statement: The Freshwater School community provides a safe, caring, student-centered environment focused on learning for all.

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

Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	46
Grade 1	42
Grade 2	40
Grade 3	39
Grade 4	47
Grade 5	43
Grade 6	41
Total Enrollment	298

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

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
American Indian or Alaska Native	3
Asian	1.3
Hispanic or Latino	13.4
White	73.8
Two or More Races	8.4
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	42.3
English Learners	2
Students with Disabilities	7.7
Homeless	

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	17	17	17	19
Without Full Credential	0	0	0	0
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence (with full credential)	0	0	1	1

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: October 2020

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	All texts are state-aligned and good quality.	Yes	0
Mathematics	All texts are state-aligned and good quality.	Yes	0
Science	All texts are state-aligned and good quality.	Yes	0
History-Social Science	All texts are state-aligned and good quality.	Yes	0
Foreign Language	N/A	Yes	0
Health	N/A	Yes	0
Visual and Performing Arts	N/A	Yes	0

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

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

In 2000 The Freshwater School District completed the modernization of 10 classrooms, the building of a new girls' restroom, the remodeling of three other restrooms, and the retrofit of the office area. The modernization gave the school a major "facelift", adding high quality carpets, safety glass windows, new electrical systems and data ports, and inside painting to all 10 classrooms. The new student restrooms are beautifully appointed with new fixtures and tile walls and floors. The office area gives additional space for the business functions of the District. The lighting in the classrooms was retrofitted in 2009/10. The school houses all of its students as well as providing a library, computer lab, meeting room, auditorium/cafeteria, music rooms, and After School Care. The new gymnasium was completed and has been a huge asset for the entire school community.

In 2007/08 we added 196 solar panels that generate approximately 60% of the school's electricity needs. During this time we also added two relocatable classrooms, which are utilized as the library and computer lab. Most recently we repaved and restriped our parking lot to improve student safety, and have begun replacing failing water and sewer lines. In addition we have begun replacing our old fluorescent lights with energy efficient LEDs, and will soon begin work installing a new roof and 32k Solar Array to further increase the District's energy savings.

In the summer of 2017 Prop 39 allowed us to make further energy saving facility improvements. A new 39kW solar array was installed above the Kindergarten wing. Additionally, the District was able to utilize Prop 39 funds to procure a new roof above the Kindergarten wing, install new LED lights in the classrooms and remove a failing, 61-year-old water heater and replace it with a new tankless on-demand water heater in the Kitchen.

In June of 2018, The District passed Measure C, a \$2.1 million dollar General Obligation Bond to modernize and renovate our aging schools. This bond measure allowed us to improve our outdated plumbing systems, replace our roofs, and upgrade our hardscape and landscape areas in the summer of 2019.

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: 12/1/2020

System Inspected	Rating	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	Good	
Interior: Interior Surfaces	Fair	Kit., Music, Multipurpose: Cafe floor needs to be repaced. Rm 14 & 15 Mod: Modular building in last years of usable lifespan. Gutters need replacing, bathrooms need updating.
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/ Vermin Infestation	Good	
Electrical: Electrical	Good	
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	Fair	Rm 14 & 15 Mod: Modular building in last years of usable lifespan. Gutters need replacing, bathrooms need updating.
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	Good	
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	Fair	Bus Garage and Sheds: Back of Bus Barn Roof showing significant wear.
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	Good	
Overall Rating	Fair	

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)	65	N/A	66	N/A	50	N/A
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	47	N/A	50	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)	61	N/A	55	N/A	30	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)

Parent involvement makes Freshwater School one of the most outstanding schools in Humboldt County. Family members can become involved in a variety of ways, including helping in the classroom, serving on one of the four parent groups associated with the school, volunteering at special events, and gathering materials and supplies for the school. For example, families volunteer to help with the Garden of the Dolphins, art projects, field trips, electives, holiday parties, and attend Family Movie Nights, School Science Fair, and Lego & Game Nights.

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	1.6	0.6	1.4	1.1	3.5	3.5
Expulsions	0.0	0.0	0.0	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	0.3	0.3	
Expulsions	0.0	0.0	

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 School Safety Plan was last reviewed by the staff, School Site Council, and Board of Trustees in March, 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 Average Class Size	2017-18 # of Classes*			2018-19 Average Class Size			2019-20 Average Class Size			2019-20 # of Classes*		
		1-20	21-32	33+	1-20	21-32	33+	1-20	21-32	33+	1-20	21-32	33+
K	15	2	1		15	2	1	1	15		2		
1	19	2			21	1	1		22		1		
2	24		2		20	2			20			1	
3	21	1	1		24		2		19	1	1		
4	16	2	1		14	2	1		16	2	1		
5	24		2		22	1	1		22	1	1		
6	18	1	1		20	1	1		21	1	1		
Other**									21	1	1		

*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*	0

*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)	
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	.5
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	
Psychologist	
Social Worker	
Nurse	
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	.8
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	1.0
Other	

*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	\$8992.60	\$2259.18	\$6733.42	\$51726.83
District	N/A	N/A	\$6733.42	
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A		
State	N/A	N/A	\$7,750	\$71,448
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	12.60%	-5.40%

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

Types of Services Funded (Fiscal Year 2019-2020)

The school shared funding for a full time Reading Specialist, a Resource Specialist, a Speech/Language Therapist, a Math Specialist, a Student Support Provider, an instrumental music teacher, a vocal music and dance instructor, 12 classroom aides, a PE teacher, and a part-time vice principal, and a superintendent/principal. The school also used funds to improve student safety and school climate. Superintendent Salary reflects the combined position of Superintendent/Principal.

Teacher and Administrative Salaries (Fiscal Year 2018-2019)

Category	District Amount	State Average For Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$38,843.53	\$46,965
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$56,607.96	\$67,638
Highest Teacher Salary	\$71,527.91	\$88,785
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)		\$112,524
Average Principal Salary (Middle)		\$117,471
Average Principal Salary (High)		
Superintendent Salary	\$98,000	\$128,853
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	30.0	30.0
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	5.0	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	2	3	3

The district schedules three staff development days each year. In addition, all staff are encouraged to participate in ongoing Professional Development opportunities throughout the year. Teachers are also given release time for collaboration twice per month.