

Ortega 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	Ortega Elementary School
Street	1283 Terra Nova Blvd.
City, State, Zip	Pacifica CA 94044
Phone Number	(650) 738-6670
Principal	Patrick Jackson
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Website	http://pacificasd.org/OES/
County-District-School (CDS) Code	41689320105874

District Contact Information (School Year 2020-2021)

Entity	Contact Information
District Name	Pacifica School District
Phone Number	(650) 738-6600
Superintendent	Heather Olsen
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School Description and Mission Statement (School Year 2020-2021)

Ortega Elementary School's mission is to support staff and families in providing a safe and nurturing environment where every student can be successful academically, socially, and emotionally, according to his or her potential. We accomplish this through the combined efforts of Ortega Elementary's principal, teachers, and families. We believe each student can achieve the standards we set given adequate support. Our goal is to teach children to become independent learners with high self-esteem and the confidence to succeed. We use a balanced literacy approach incorporating Reader's and Writer's Workshop for reading and writing, and a hands-on approach for math through Bridges Mathematics. Our PTO provides extra support for electives including science labs and instruction, computer lab, art, library and PE.

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

Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	97
Grade 1	76
Grade 2	77
Grade 3	82
Grade 4	89
Grade 5	61
Total Enrollment	482

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

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	0.2
Asian	3.7
Filipino	1.9
Hispanic or Latino	23.7
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.2
White	51.7
Two or More Races	18.7
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	12.2
English Learners	5.4
Students with Disabilities	11.8
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	21	20	20	131.46
Without Full Credential	0	0	0	2
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: December 2020

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	Teachers College Reading and Writing Project (K-8)/2012	Yes	0
Mathematics	Bridges in Mathematics (K-8)(2nd Edition)/2016	Yes	0
Science	Foss California Edition (K-5)/2007	Yes	0
History-Social Science	Houghton-Mifflin, Social Studies (K-3)/2005 McGraw Hill, Adventures in Time & Place (4-5)/2002	Yes	0
Health	Puberty Talk, gr. 5/2016 (Health Connected) The Puberty Workshop (5)/2013	Yes	0

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

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

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: 12/17/2020

System Inspected	Rating	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	Good	
Interior: Interior Surfaces	Good	Portables: P39, P-40, E-1, E-2, E-3, E-4 need new roofs, P-39 interior south wall covering peeling away from structure, E-4 entrance floor soft and sub floor rotted.
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/ Vermin Infestation	Good	
Electrical: Electrical	Good	
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	Good	Fields: Portable restroom near south baseball field is at the end of its life and should be replaced or removed.

System Inspected	Rating	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	Good	
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	Fair	Fields: Portable restroom near south baseball field is at the end of its life and should be replaced or removed. Lobby: Lobby hallway Portables: P39, P-40, E-1, E-2, E-3, E-4 need new roofs, P-39 interior south wall covering peeling away from structure, E-4 entrance floor soft and sub floor rotted.
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	Good	
Overall Rating	Good	

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)	66	N/A	60	N/A	50	N/A
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	67	N/A	57	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
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

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
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)	42	N/A	42	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)

In the 2019-2020 school year, an Ortega team consisting of administrators, teachers, staff and parents with guidance from an family engagement consultant, designed, developed, implement and evaluated family engagement practices that lead to increased academic outcomes. The team aligned family engagement practices with the School Plan for Student Achievement (SPSA) and LCAP goals and priorities. The team participated in a Family Engagement Celebration in June 2020 to celebrate these family engagement efforts and to identify additional actions to continue to achieve the school's family engagement goals. In the 2020-2021 school year, Ortega parents along with parents from throughout the district participated in regularly scheduled meetings (Parent Advisory and Return to School Task Force) geared to providing input in the development of the redesign of the Distance Learning Program and the Continuum Learning Program (Distance, Hybrid, Full Return) plans.

The Ortega School PTO is an exceptional organization that enriches our school community and strengthens our curriculum through fundraising and volunteering. During both in-person and distance learning, the PTO supports or provides funds for assemblies, spirit days, student performances, art, PE, and our science labs. Many other parents also volunteer on our School Site Council, Garden, District Councils, PTO (and during in-person instruction: Library, Art and Science). Parents are active participants at fundraising and community events. Our contact person is our PTO president, Maria Jackson, who can be reached through her email at msmedina10@gmail.com.

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	0.9	0.2	1.5	1.4	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	TBD	TBD	TBD
Expulsions	TBD	TBD	TBD

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)

We monitor the school building and grounds to ensure student safety. Currently all students and adults must check in at the front doors and call the main office upon arrival. During in-person instruction, adults supervise the play yard and driveways before school, after school, and during recesses. When students are learning in-person, the district conducts an extensive annual earthquake drill to practice our school safety plan and we practice regular, monthly drills around the "Big 5" Safety Protocol. We continue to teach and model character development, based on our P.A.W.S. principles. Students are trained to use conflict resolution strategies, supported by the Soul Shoppe program. All classrooms are equipped with backpacks that include first aid and other emergency supplies. The School Safety Plan will be reviewed, updated, and discussed with the school faculty in 2020/2021.

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	24		4		21	1	4	2	36			2
1	24		3		24		3		24		3	
2	24		4		24		3		24	3		
3	24		3		24		4		24		3	
4	30		2		29		2		48		1	1
5	31		3		25	1		2	29		2	
Other**	8	2							16	2	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)	
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	
Psychologist	0.4
Social Worker	
Nurse	
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	0.6
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	
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	\$5,799	\$878	\$4,921	\$62,639
District	N/A	N/A	\$7,219	\$69,032
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A	-37.9	-9.7
State	N/A	N/A	\$7,750	\$80,565
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	-44.7	-25.0

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

Types of Services Funded (Fiscal Year 2019-2020)

Centrally provided curriculum specialist and teacher leads in Humanities, Math, Science and Access/Equity/Innovation provide support to school staff with tools, data analysis skills, proven strategies and practices that produce positive outcomes for students.

Site specific services funded include:

- Science Labs (PTO Funded/Site Funds)
- Art (PTO funded)
- Imagine Learning - Reading Intervention (Site Funds)
- Yard Supervisors (Site Funds)
- Reading Leveled Literacy Specialist (Site Funds)

Teacher and Administrative Salaries (Fiscal Year 2018-2019)

Category	District Amount	State Average For Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$42,977	\$50,574
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$66,272	\$76,649
Highest Teacher Salary	\$87,906	\$98,993
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	\$135,232	\$125,150
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	\$134,496	\$129,394
Average Principal Salary (High)		\$122,053
Superintendent Salary	\$202,000	\$193,925
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	31.0	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	3	3	4

Pacifica School District has three district wide Professional Development Days. These 3 days have focuses aligned to District wide initiatives which are based on student achievement and school climate data. In 2018-2019, the first district wide PD day focused on school safety. The second day focused on the foundations to implementation of English Language Development. The third day was a menu of options with a focus on STEAM and History Social Science. In 2019-2020, the first day was focused on The BIG 5 and a School Site Safety Procedures and Plan. The second and third day were Site based with focus on school and district wide initiatives of Family Engagement, Cycle of Inquiry/Improvement Science, DataZone, Restorative Practices, Readers/Writers Workshop and 6-8 Science Adoption. Pacific School District also provides our new teachers and staff each year with Curricular based Professional development including Readers/Writers Workshop, TCRWP ELD, Bridges Mathematics, CPM Math and Fountas and Pinnell Assessment. In 2020-2021, the first two district wide professional development days focused on preparing for starting off the school year in full distance learning. Staff participated in accelerated learning training and the promotion of Social and Emotional development as we started the year from a distance. The third day's focus was on the San Mateo County Pandemic Recovery Framework, development of a report card standards and social emotional wellness specifically self care and trauma using the Community Resiliency Model. The fourth professional development day included training on Health and Safety and on the social emotional learning curriculum Caring School Communities.

We dismiss students at 1:35 p.m. every Wednesday to allow time for teachers to collaborate, both within and across grade levels. Teachers are able to meet in grade-level groups to review student work, plan instruction, and review teaching strategies. In addition, we provide staff with district-wide staff development days, with topics and professional learning opportunities that are specific to our site goals. Our district's Strategic Plan guides professional development in Literacy and Math to better prepare teachers to meet the academic needs of all students. District Coaches and Site Leads have supported and collaborated in English, Math, and Science curriculum and instruction with new teachers and veterans who seek the newest, most effective teaching strategies in 2018-2019 and 2019-2020. Substitute days are provided for staff as needed to facilitate their participation in professional development. Our staff also received professional development for implementation of the Soul Shoppe SEL program during years 2018-2019 and 2019-2020 and for implementation of the Imagine Math intervention program in 2019/2020.