

Making Waves Academy

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	Making Waves Academy
Street	4123 Lakeside Drive
City, State, Zip	Richmond, CA 94806-1942
Phone Number	510.262.1511
Principal	Alton B. Nelson Jr., CEO
Email Address	mwainfo@mwacademy.org
Website	http://www.makingwavesacademy.org/
County-District-School (CDS) Code	07100740114470

District Contact Information (School Year 2020-2021)

Entity	Contact Information
District Name	Making Waves Academy
Phone Number	925.942.3343
Superintendent	Lynn Mackey
Email Address	lmackey@cccocoe.k12.ca.us
Website	www.cocoschools.org

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

Making Waves Academy (MWA) is a public charter school authorized by the Contra Costa County Office of Education (CCCOE) and is listed as the “District Contact”. MWA serves 5th-12th grades. MWA is located in Richmond, CA, an area served by the West Contra Costa County Unified School District (WCCUSD). Therefore, WCCUSD data is used throughout the report in charts that compare MWA to the “District” and the State. MWA opened in the fall of 2007 and graduated its first class of 12th graders in the spring of 2015.

With roots firmly planted in the Richmond community since the inception of the Making Waves Education Program (MWEP) in 1989, MWA fulfills the promise of public schools with a rigorous, college-preparatory curriculum, psychological services, social-emotional development, academic support, and transportation. The vision is grounded in our five Core Values: Community, Resilience, Respect, Responsibility, and Scholarship. The mission is: "MWA is committed to rigorously and holistically preparing students to gain acceptance to and graduate from college to ultimately become valuable contributors to the workforce and their communities.

Richmond is a diverse community with a population consisting of 22% African American, 40% Hispanic or Latino, 17% White (Not of Hispanic or Latino Descent), 15% Asian, .3% Native American, .5% Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander, 6% other. The demographics of MWA are comparable to West Contra Costa Unified School District (WCCUSD). At MWA, 8% of the population is African American and 86% are Hispanic or Latino, 77% of students qualify for free and reduced lunch. English Language Learners make up 24% of the school’s population.

MWA recognizes that schools with higher proportions of students from economically distressed communities require additional resources to compensate for the challenges they face. MWA invests in our students by providing resources to support students' social-emotional well-being and academic development. To support the structure of our core day and enrichment programs, the typical school day is from 8:05am – 3:00 pm. Extended day programming exist in the middle school supported by an ASES grant. Most academic intervention occurs during a Differentiated Tier Instruction period embedded within the academic school day. The master schedule accommodates student participation in interscholastic athletics, clubs, field lessons, and academic support, as well as teacher planning and collaboration time.

At MWA, instructional activities are aligned to California Common Core Standards. The MWA curriculum includes language arts, math, science, history/social science, health and wellness, second languages, music, fine and performing arts and social emotional education. MWA Upper School courses in grades nine through twelve follow the California State A-G requirements, which emphasize college-readiness. The upper school also offers Advanced Placement (AP) courses in math, history, and science. For four out of the last five years MWA has been recognized by Innovate Public Schools as one of the top performing high schools in the Bay Area in the subjects of English and Math.

MWA's aim is to prepare 100% of our students to be college-ready while also honoring and supporting our students' pursue their hopes and dreams by gaining admission to a variety of post-secondary education options. Historically, about 95% of our students go on to college – with about 70% or more gaining admission to colleges and universities and another 25% or so attending community college.

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

Grade Level	Number of Students
Grade 5	166
Grade 6	167
Grade 7	170
Grade 8	112
Grade 9	112
Grade 10	101
Grade 11	106
Grade 12	87
Total Enrollment	1,021

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

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	7.9
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.3
Asian	2.4
Filipino	0.1
Hispanic or Latino	86.2
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.1
White	0.8
Two or More Races	2.2
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	82.8
English Learners	24.1
Students with Disabilities	5.9
Foster Youth	0.3
Homeless	1.3

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	35	36	44	0
Without Full Credential	18	16	14	0
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence (with full credential)	0	1	1	0

Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions

Indicator	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21
Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners	10	8	8
Total Teacher Misassignments*	10	8	8
Vacant Teacher Positions	3	1	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 2018

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	Expository Reading & Writing Course (CSU Expository Reading) Springboard Levels 1-6 (College Board) 5th Reading Wonders (Houghton Mifflin) 2017		0.0
Mathematics	Calculus – 4th Edition (Pearson) 2014 Springboard (College Board) Statistics AP (Cengage) 2017 Math Expressions (McGraw Hill) 2017		0.0
Science	Biology (Glencoe Science-(McGraw Hill) 2012 Glencoe Physical Science-(McGraw Hill) Meyers AP Psychology (MacMillan Learning) 2016 CA Science (Pearson) CA Focus on Earth Science (Pearson) CA Life Science (Pearson) CA Physical Science (Pearson) Glencoe Earth Science (McGraw Hill) 2017 DHO Health Science (NGL / Cengage) 2017 Body Structure Functions (NGL / Cengage) 2017 Medical Terminology for Health-(Cengage)		0.0
History-Social Science	US Government and Politics (College Board) 2015 The Lanahan Readings in the American Polity: Ann G. Serow, Everett 2016 Econ Alive! (TCI) 2015 Government Alive! Power, Politics and You (TCI) 2015 The American Democracy 2015 CA The Americans 2013 CA Modern World History (Houghton Mifflin Hardcourt) 2011 Kaplan AP History 2015 Social Studies Alive! (TCI) History Alive! The Ancient World (TCI) History Alive! The Medieval World (TCI) History Alive! US Through Industrial		0.0
Foreign Language	Triangulo aprobado-(Wayside Publishing)		0.0
Health	Life Time Health Study – Classroom Set Life Skills Health – Classroom Set 2011		0.0

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

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

Making Waves Academy recently constructed three state-of-the-art school buildings and opened them in the 2018-2019 school year. Three additional buildings were updated and remodeled and a 4th state-of-the-art building was constructed and opened in the in the Fall of 2020. Presently we have over 1000 students.

Making Waves Academy's ground, buildings and restrooms are all in excellent condition. The school participates in regular inspection and maintenance of the facility. Due to school closures due to the COVID-19 pandemic the facilities have not been in regular use but the facilities team has been working on general maintenance and improvements in order for the facilities to be in excellent conditions once in person instruction resumes.

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: 5/6/2019

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)	50.16	N/A	35.16	N/A	51.10	N/A
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	25.86	N/A	23.94	N/A	39.73	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)	22	N/A	27	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.

CAASPP Test Results in Science 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.

Career Technical Education Programs (School Year 2019-2020)

All students at Making Waves Academy may participate in our Career Technical Education (CTE) pathway in Health Science and Medical Technology, which, pursuant to Education Code Section 51226, is comprised of career-themed courses that are aligned to the model curriculum standards for the State of California and satisfy high school graduation requirements and admissions requirements for University of California and California State University. All courses within the pathway are offered onsite and are sequenced as follows: Introduction to Health Science (introductory course), Medical Terminology (concentrator course), Anatomy and Physiology (concentrator course), and Advanced Patient Care (capstone course).

During the 2019-20 school year, Making Waves Academy entered a partnership with the West County Health Pathways Partnership (WCHPP), comprised of regional and local educational institutions, community-based organizations, and employers to expand equitable access to CTE. Goals of this collaborative include engaging new employers in CTE, evaluating and disseminating information on the current landscape of programs for high school students, and providing work-based learning experiences both during the summer and throughout the school year. Additionally, a Civil Rights Review of the CTE program at Making Waves Academy was completed by Contra Costa County Office of Education with no material findings.

In collaboration with the Director of College and Career Counseling, the Career Services Coordinator ensures the delivery of a robust CTE program that is responsive to community needs and is aligned to the ten eligibility requirements of the Career Technical Education Incentive Grant (CTEIG): (1) quality curriculum and instruction; (2) career exploration; (3) student support; (4) system alignment; (5) industry partnerships; (6) after school and extended day opportunities; (7) regional and local labor market demands; (8) industry certification or employment; (9) skilled faculty; (10) data and evaluation. Peter Le, Career Services Coordinator serves as the primary representative for CTE at Making Waves Academy.

In accordance with our institutional goals, CTE at Making Waves Academy remains committed to developing and offering career pathways that are aligned with academic courses, support academic achievement, and address the needs of all learners, including those unique to defined special populations of students.

Our Career Technical Education (CTE) program is compliant with our school nondiscrimination policy.

MWA does not discriminate against any student or employee on the basis of actual or perceived disability, gender, gender identity, gender expression, nationality, race or ethnicity, citizenship, immigration status, religion, religious affiliation, sexual orientation, or any other characteristic that is contained in the definition of hate crimes in the California Penal Code.

MWA adheres to all provisions of federal law related to students with disabilities, including, but not limited to, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (“ADA”), and the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 (“IDEIA”).

MWA is committed to providing a work and educational atmosphere that is free of unlawful harassment under Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 (sex); Titles IV, VI, and VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (race, color, or national origin); The Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967; The Age Discrimination Act of 1975; the IDEIA; and Section 504 and Title II of the ADA (mental or physical disability). MWA also prohibits sexual harassment, including cyber sexual bullying, and harassment based upon pregnancy, childbirth or related medical conditions, race or ethnicity, religion, religious affiliation, creed, color, immigration status, gender, gender identity, gender expression, national origin or ancestry, physical or mental disability, medical condition, marital status, age, sexual orientation, or any other basis protected by federal, state, local law, ordinance or regulation. MWA does not condone or tolerate harassment of any type, including discrimination, intimidation, or bullying, including cyber sexual bullying, by any employee, independent contractor or other person with which MWA does business, or any other individual, student, or volunteer. This applies to all employees, students, or volunteers and relationships, regardless of position or gender. MWA will promptly and thoroughly investigate any complaint of harassment and take appropriate corrective action, if warranted. The lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission or participation in MWA's programs or activities. MWA prohibits retaliation against anyone who files a complaint or who participates in a complaint investigation.

Any student who believes they have been subject to misconduct prohibited by this Policy or has witnessed such prohibited misconduct is encouraged to immediately report any act of such misconduct to the Coordinator: Dean of Students, 4123 Lakeside Drive Richmond, CA 94806 Ph. (510) 262-1511. Complaints regarding such misconduct may also be made to the U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights.

Career Technical Education (CTE) Participation (School Year 2019-2020)

Measure	CTE Program Participation
Number of Pupils Participating in CTE	127
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

*MWA's first class of CTE completers will graduate in June 2021

Courses for University of California (UC) and/or California State University (CSU) Admission

UC/CSU Course Measure	Percent
2019-20 Pupils Enrolled in Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	100
2018-19 Graduates Who Completed All Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	100

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)

Making Waves Academy (MWA) actively works to involve parents in their children's education in meaningful ways. Parents serve as elected members of our MWA Board, School Site Council and English Learner Advisory Committee. These governance groups meet monthly and information regarding the dates, times and locations can be found at the front office of both the Middle School and Upper School or by calling (510) 262-1511 or visiting our website at makingwavesacademy.org.

Making Waves Academy regularly performs outreach to families to keep them informed of their students' academic progress, opportunities for involvement, and upcoming events via written and electronic communication, parent meetings, and automated telephone messages. Parents are invited to attend monthly Saturday meetings throughout the school year during which families discuss and learn about educational opportunities, curriculum, student performance and building a healthy and safe school culture & climate. In addition, Making Waves Academy offers parents opportunities to volunteer their time or donate items to contribute to our community and school events. Donations of any kind can be facilitated by contacting the front office at (510) 262-1511.

Opportunities for parents to be involved include: Participating on the School Site Council, participating on the English Language Advisory Committee, serving on the MWA School Board, supporting with the WASC process, attending Parent Meetings, being elected to serve as a Parent/Guardian Representative for a grade level, chaperoning study trips, serving as a Parent Council Member, managing or supporting classroom events, grade-level events or school-wide events. Annual events which parents support are as follows: Lunar New Year celebration, Dia de Los Muertos celebration, 8th grade graduation, My Very Own Library initiative, National History Day and Science Fairs, Saturday Parent Meetings, English Learner reclassification ceremony graduation, Black/African American Student Achievement Initiative, managing or supporting grade-level or classroom fundraisers, helping to prepare family mailings, organizing special events (e.g. a carnival or talent show), assisting with school-sponsored charitable projects (e.g. the annual food bank & toy drives), providing traffic control for parent meetings and other events, participating in parent feedback surveys, referring families to the lottery process, participating in Back to School Day orientation events by providing parents and families with an overview of school courses and supplemental program curricula), and participating in student led parent-teacher conferences. .

Parents are also employed at the school in a variety of support positions such as our Food Services Coordinator, Office Administrator, and Site Supervisor. MWA also provides a Parent Engagement Center as a central location for parents to receive information regarding social services, on-campus volunteer opportunities and community involvement. The Director of School Culture and Family Engagement serves as the parent liaison and can be reached at rcrews@mwacademy.org or by contacting the front office at (510) 262-1511 ext. 3031.

State Priority: Pupil Engagement

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

- High school dropout rates; and
- High school graduation rates.

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

Indicator	School 2016-17	School 2017-18	School 2018-19	District 2016-17	District 2017-18	District 2018-19	State 2016-17	State 2017-18	State 2018-19
Dropout Rate	0	5.6	1.3	6	9.9	9.6	9.1	9.6	9
Graduation Rate	94.7	94.4	98.7	82.5	81.5	85.1	82.7	83	84.5

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	6.6	6.0	5.8	5.6	3.5	3.5
Expulsions	0.0	0.0	0.0	.71	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	11.4		
Expulsions	0.2		

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 Making Waves Academy School Emergency Response Plan (updated January 2020) meets the requirements of the State of California and the County of Contra Costa. This plan identifies MWA responsibilities associated with natural disaster, human caused emergencies, and technological incidents. It includes:

Campus:

- Visitors sign in at the office and wear a visitor identification badge while on campus
- Students are supervised before school, during recesses, and lunch breaks

Classroom:

- Evacuation routes are posted in all classrooms
- Each classroom has a first aid kit
- Each classroom and office has an emergency information folder which includes emergency guides and protocols

Staff:

- The Academy has 5 (five) full time campus supervision positions
- All staff receive first aid and CPR certification every two years

Additionally:

- Fire drills are held monthly
- Student emergency information cards are completed annually
- We have basic emergency response supplies

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+
5	20	8	25		28		30		27	1	38	
6	25	5	24		27	1	40		27	1	38	

*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.

Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Secondary)

Subject	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+
English Language Arts	22	12	18		24	10	18		29	5	23	4
Mathematics	21	17	17		25	12	16	1	26	17	12	4
Science	24	6	14		21	8	5		26	4	21	
Social Science	24	6	15		25	5	18		26	5	21	

*Number of classes indicates how many classrooms 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.

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

Title	Ratio
Academic Counselors*	1:1021

*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

Title	Number of FTE* Assigned to School
Social Worker	2

*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	\$24,639	\$4,396	\$20,243	\$62,605
District	N/A	N/A		
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A		
State	N/A	N/A	\$7,750	
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	89.3	

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

Types of Services Funded (Fiscal Year 2019-2020)

1. Federal Title I Basic Grant
2. Federal Title II Training
3. Federal Title III English Language Learners
4. Federal Title IV - Student Support And Academic Enrichment Every Student Succeeds Act
5. National School Lunch Program (NSLP) (Federal & State)
6. After School Education and safety (ASES) Program Grant
7. Prop 30 - Education Protection Account Entitlement
8. SB740 - School Facility Lease Reimbursement
9. State Lottery
10. Special Education (Federal & State)

Teacher and Administrative Salaries (Fiscal Year 2018-2019)

Category	District Amount	State Average For Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$45,000	
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$58,242	
Highest Teacher Salary	\$96,305	
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	N/A	
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	\$145,753	
Average Principal Salary (High)	\$145,529	
Superintendent Salary	\$250,000	
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	15%	
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	17%	

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	17	17	12

The Professional Development Program at Making Waves Academy has been developed to target key areas for staff learning in a comprehensive and differentiated way. Both Upper School and Middle School's Professional Development pedagogy for faculty centers on the "4Rs": Relationships, Relevance, Rigor and Results. This year, the Upper School has specifically focused on the implementation of project-based learning and classroom technology within the "4Rs" while the Middle School is focusing on three areas: 1. dynamic, data driven instruction, 2. cultivating 21st century teachers and scholars and 3. implementing restorative practices.

Professional Development and opportunities for faculty to collaborate and share their practice in content and grade level teams, as well as in Professional Learning Communities (PLCs), occurs regularly throughout the school year, during professional development time, common planning time, and after school. The selection of topics and their frequency is determined, in part, through an analysis of student achievement data, observational data, and staff survey results. Professional Development takes place formally in a two hour window each Friday afternoon throughout the school year and for the two weeks before school starts each summer. Additionally, there are three all-day professional development sessions scheduled to align with the beginning of each new quarter. Teachers receive individualized support from their content and grade level leads, Academic Intervention Services Coordinators, as well as from the division director, who observes formally and informally across the year and provides written and verbal feedback with each observation.

Making Waves Academy also provides comprehensive professional development for our mid-level leaders. Examples include Content Leads, Grade Level Leads, Lead Teachers, and Coordinators. They receive ongoing professional development through regularly scheduled Professional Learning Communities (PLCs) meetings. This group also receives ongoing support and training in the areas of social-emotional learning and cultural competency.

Additionally, both faculty and staff are encouraged to attend off-site Professional Development opportunities in the forms of conferences, seminars and external school site visits. Our goal for faculty and staff is to attend at least one off-site Professional Development opportunity each year.