

Pacific Grove Middle 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	Pacific Grove Middle School
Street	835 Forest Avenue
City, State, Zip	Pacific Grove, CA 93950
Phone Number	831.646.6568
Principal	Sean Roach
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County-District-School (CDS) Code	27-66134-6058754

District Contact Information (School Year 2020-2021)

Entity	Contact Information
District Name	Pacific Grove Unified School District
Phone Number	831.646.6520
Superintendent	Ralph Porras
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School Description and Mission Statement (School Year 2020-2021)

The mission of Pacific Grove Middle School is to provide a high quality educational experience that teaches our students the skills, abilities, and mindset they will need to transition to high school with self-esteem, a capacity for critical thinking, a sense of responsibility, global awareness, and respect for self and others. Our staff is committed to setting and achieving high standards of academics and behavior while recognizing and responding to the individual talents and learning styles of our students.

Pacific Grove Middle School (PGMS) is the lone middle school in the Pacific Grove Unified School District (PGUSD). PGUSD consists of two elementary schools (K-5), one middle school (6-8), and one high school (9-12), as well as one community high school. It also has an adult school which oversees adult education as well as preschool education in a variety of settings. The district enjoys deep community support and involvement. Due to high property values, the district receives property revenue in excess of its state "revenue limit", which is based on an Average Daily Attendance (ADA) formula. Several bond measures have been passed which have provided additional funding for building improvements. Measure D, was passed in 2006, providing the district \$45 million for facility improvements. In 2015 the voters of Pacific Grove passed the Measure A Tech Bond in support of improving technology in schools. Measure A provides PGUSD \$600,000 annually for innovative educational technologies for use in classrooms K-12 as well as our adult programs.

As a philosophy, PGMS seeks to instill a sense of service to each student with the purpose of helping them improve their minds, health and character. PGMS is dedicated to delivering messages and activities surrounding our Character Strong program, where each Monday, during our newly developed Advisory period, students participate in lessons surrounding building high character and kindness to others. The middle school wants to help students prepare for success in all areas of their high school education. A rigorous academic program is combined with a wide array of extracurricular activities and student support services. The school's Parent Teacher Student Association (PTSA), School Site Council and staff have developed a strong, supportive partnership through which volunteer time and allocated funds are expended to improve the total school program. In addition, each program is reviewed for its level of rigor and effectiveness to ensure we are meeting the needs of every student.

The middle school years present students with profound physical, social and psychological changes. It is the bridge from childhood to early adulthood. PGMS takes pride in the achievements of its students along this journey as reflected by above average tests scores, an atmosphere of kindness and mutual respect among students and staff, regular community services participation, and a commitment to the visual and performing arts. Through these achievements, and others, PGMS graduates have begun the process of building their own bridges toward a successful future.

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

Grade Level	Number of Students
Grade 6	131
Grade 7	180
Grade 8	140
Total Enrollment	451

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

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	2.7
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.7
Asian	8.4
Filipino	2.7
Hispanic or Latino	19.5
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	1.1
White	61
Two or More Races	1.1
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	21.1
English Learners	3.3
Students with Disabilities	12.9
Foster Youth	0.2
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	26	27	32	141
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	
Total Teacher Misassignments*	0	0	
Vacant Teacher Positions	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: 1/2018

All curriculum for academic areas is standards-aligned and reflect that of recent adoptions. Each student has access to a home set of books as well as a set that remains at school.

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	Study Sync (16-17)	Yes	0
Mathematics	Big Ideas Math (16-17)	Yes	0
Science	Holt, Rinehart & Winston (07/08)	Yes	0
History-Social Science	TCI History (17/18)	Yes	0

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

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

In the 2009-2010 school year, the Measure D construction bond funds continued to improve our school. The dirt track was paved and drainage was installed, which in turn has improved the condition of the grass playing field. Also, several projects were begun at end of the school year and over the summer. These projects included, remodeled/updated science rooms, remodeled/updated home economics room, remodeled/updated kitchen facilities, construction of an outdoor eating facility/amphitheater, improvements in the PE locker room areas, and improved PE storage. The school grounds are maintained on weekly basis. We have a grounds worker assigned to our school, and he does an excellent job maintaining the safety and appearance of our landscaping. Our three-person site maintenance staff (on day, two night custodians), maintain the neatness of our facility. They also address routine maintenance issues as they arise. Although our building is old, it is in fine condition.

In 2010-11 the science rooms modernization project, the kitchen, the outdoor eating area, and home economics kitchen renovations were completed. In addition, four modular classrooms and an 18-space parking lot were constructed on middle school property. Also, new window coverings were installed in each of the classrooms. All doors at PGMS have been fitted with Lock Blocks as a quick lock system for safety purposes. A new gate and fence has been installed on Sinex avenue, guiding visitors to enter the building through the main entrance and funneling them to the office. We anticipate the purchase and installation of a new audio-visual system for the Performing Arts Center which will be a huge upgrade for character assemblies and musical performances.

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: December 2020

System Inspected	Rating	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	Good	
Interior: Interior Surfaces	Fair	Flooring
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	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)	82	N/A	78	N/A	50	N/A
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	63	N/A	65	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

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
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
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)	62	N/A	52	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)

Parents and community are an integral part of PGMS. This year, we have hosted multiple parent nights including Health Night, Parent Safety Night, a screening of the movie Screenagers as well as a discussion on the adolescent brain. We offered a wide array of parent training based on parent survey feedback such as PGMS Tech Night, Social Emotional Learning in Adolescents, Model United Nations Parent Night, and Josh Ochs who discussed how to monitor your students' social media account, and how to put your best self on social media.

PGMS surveyed students and their families on ways we can improve distance learning for students. We surveyed families on distance learning preferences and Hybrid learning opportunities and preferences. We had tremendous parent involvement in our stakeholder meetings. Parent Task Force Groups included:

Reopening Taskforce Sanitation Task Force Social-Emotional Task Force
Mental Health Task Force Sped/504 Task Force Blended Learning Task Force

We welcome volunteers and parents to help out in the classroom, library, small group instruction and office in a variety of ways. School-wide functions (Back-to-School Night, Open House, holiday programs, parent conferences, Butterfly Parade and Bazaar, Honors Night, District Music Festival, various drama and musical productions, and Promotion) are heavily attended. PGMS has an active PTSA and School Site Council (SSC). Parents take a strong, participatory lead in assisting administration with making sound decisions for our site and students.

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	4.0	2.9	2.7	1.8	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	0.043	0.062	
Expulsions	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)

Pacific Grove Middle School keeps a comprehensive safety plan that is reviewed each year by our site safety committee and the School Site Council. The plan was most recently reviewed in December 2019, but it has been updated with current data and is awaiting review by staff, safety committee and Site Council in January. One key element of the Site Safety Plan is the section on “The Big Five,” which is a set of comprehensive emergency response protocols that are designed specifically for schools, and are widely used in the area. All staff receive annual training on the five types of emergency response - shelter in place, evacuation, secure campus, lockdown-barricade, and drop-cover-hold on. Another key element of the Plan is our list of Crisis Team members and responsibilities, which will be critical to the success of our emergency responses if/when they are enacted. Finally, the Plan also contains our drill schedule, school rules, and an overview of Restorative Justice and Positive Behaviors Interventions and Supports (PBIS)

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	18	10	10		17	9	11	1	17	13	7	
Mathematics	21	5	12		22	6	10		18	8	10	
Science	26	1	12		27	1	11		24	3	10	
Social Science	23	5	10		24	3	11		23	2	11	

*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*	451

*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	1
Social Worker	
Nurse	
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	0.8
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	
Other	0.4

*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	\$11,751.00	\$2,543.00	\$9,208.00	\$112,444.00
District	N/A	N/A	\$11,930.00	\$101,545
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A	-25.8	10.2
State	N/A	N/A	\$7,750	\$75,706
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	17.2	39.1

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

Types of Services Funded (Fiscal Year 2019-2020)

Categorical Programs available to Pacific Grove Middle School:

Federal:

- Title II, professional development
- Title IV, drug abuse and violence prevention programs
- Special Education, ensures students with special needs are properly assessed and serviced with a program designed to meet their needs

State:

- English Language Learners – designed to develop English fluency
- Gifted and Talented Education – identifies gifted and talented students and provides for differentiated opportunities to meet that student’s needs
- Tobacco Use Prevention Education – designed to educate students regarding the negative effects of tobacco
- School Improvement Program – a program to fund programs to improve student performance

Local:

- Measure A bond fund – passed in order to improve the physical structures in PGUSD
- Measure A parcel tax – passed in order to fund specified programs throughout the district Measure D bond fund – passed in order to improve the physical structures in PGUSD

Teacher and Administrative Salaries (Fiscal Year 2018-2019)

Category	District Amount	State Average For Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$58,131	\$47,145
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$96,331	\$74,952
Highest Teacher Salary	\$123,821	\$96,092
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	\$159,099	\$116,716
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	\$159,422	\$120,813
Average Principal Salary (High)	\$177,196	\$131,905
Superintendent Salary	\$235,997	\$192,565
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	40.0	31.0
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	2	2	5

This year the district provided many extra professional development opportunities during the summertime in anticipation of distance learning

We conducted our Leadership Summer Workshop July 20-24, where we discussed distance learning needs, tech trainings, curriculum development/auditing for the distance learning environment. Leadership members and administrators presented these themes during the whole staff professional developments August 3-7. Science department reviewed adoption materials and planned on July 27th and 15 members of our staff (over 50%) participated in the University of Phoenix training on how to excel in distance learning.

We also continue our practices pre shelter in place, as each department has been designated two complete days for curriculum planning off site during the school year. PGMS has an Instructional Leadership Team (ILT) made up of teacher leaders who assist with the training necessary to maintain best practice, and maintain a school wide focus on Equity. The last several years and into the future, our ILT and school wide focus continues to work on maintaining strong Professional Learning Communities (PLCs) to better use data to intervene with struggling students and ensure access for all. In addition, PGMS staff continues to put in to practice our school wide professional study on Teacher Clarity and Student Success Criteria. In addition to improving and maintaining our PLC's, our site has dedicated multiple opportunities to the study of Equity and a continued focus on our Students of Concern (SOC). Through Data Share's and Learning Walks, our staff is committed to sharing best practice and learning from one another.