

Grand View Elementary

California Department of Education School Accountability Report Card Reported Using Data from the 2013-14 School Year

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Every school in California is required by state law to publish a School Accountability Report Card (SARC), by February 1 of each year. 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 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, see the California Department of Education (CDE) SARC Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/>.
- View this SARC online at the school and/or LEA Web sites.
- For more information about the LCFF or LCAP, see the CDE LCFF Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/fq/aa/lc/>.
- For additional information about the school, parents and community members should contact the school principal or the district office.



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About Our School

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About This School

Contact Information - Most Recent Year

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School Description and Mission Statement (Most Recent Year)

The mission of the Manhattan Beach Unified School District and Grand View Elementary is to prepare all of our students to meet the challenges of a rapidly changing, highly complex, technology-rich, global society. We will continually strive for excellence in all aspects of the educational process. We will teach our students to understand and appreciate human and cultural diversity. We will harness the resources of the entire community, including students, parents, teachers, staff, administrators, college and business leaders, and others. We will empower students to be lifelong learners, to demonstrate high achievement, and to develop the skills and characteristics needed to enjoy happy and successful lives.

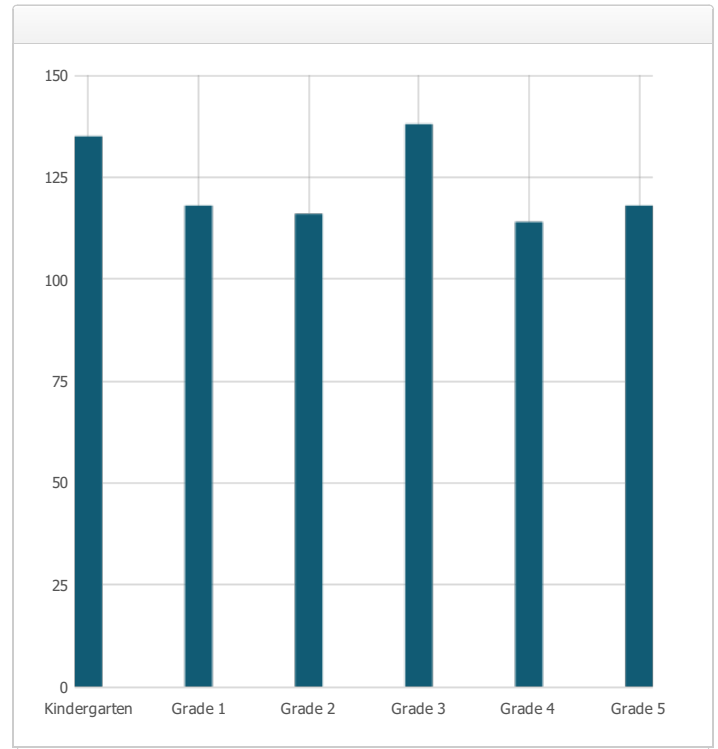
Grand View Elementary School, serving students in Transitional Kindergarten through fifth grade, provides a balanced educational program that meets the academic, social, and emotional needs of all students. We strive to create a stimulating, innovative, and supportive environment for learning. We are currently using IPADS in all of our 3rd, 4th and 5th grade classrooms. Grand View maintains a commitment to the integration of the California State Common Core Standards while challenging all students to achieve their personal best. We continue to implement GATOR time where each teacher provides differentiated instruction during the language arts period of the day.

Grand View Elementary School has earned national recognition as one of the first-ever U.S. Department of Education Green Ribbon Schools. We received this honor in 2012 due to our innovative efforts to reduce our school's environmental impact, improve student health and provide effective environmental education. We recognize that incorporating environmental education into core subjects provides students with a meaningful context for adopting and maintaining a healthy lifestyle. Grand View "Gators" are committed to protecting our environment and making a difference on our planet. We also received the title of California Distinguished School in 2010 and 2014. Grand View Elementary School has earned a national reputation for excellence and innovation by providing an exemplary education that continually strives to meet the academic, social and emotional needs of all students.

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Student Enrollment by Grade Level (School Year 2013-14)

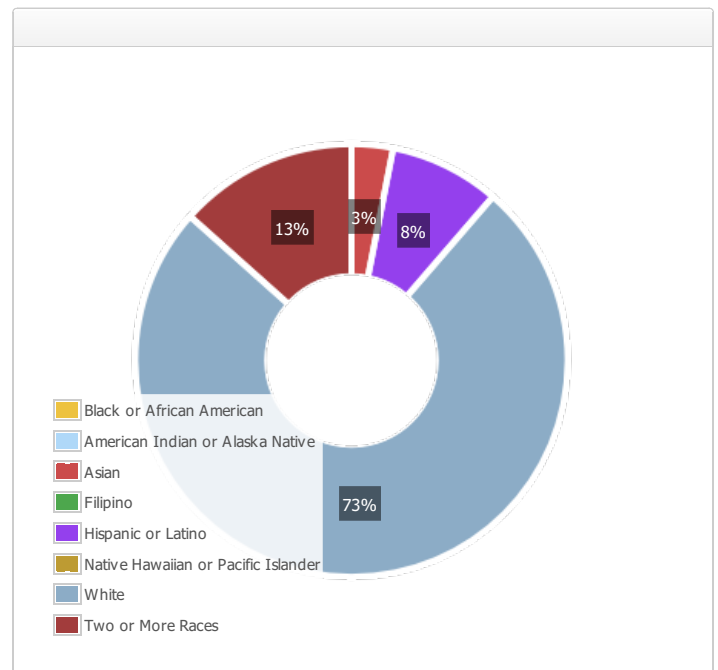
Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	135
Grade 1	118
Grade 2	116
Grade 3	138
Grade 4	114
Grade 5	118
Total Enrollment	739



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Student Enrollment by Student Group (School Year 2013-14)

Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	0.5
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.1
Asian	3.0
Filipino	0.4
Hispanic or Latino	8.5
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0
White	73.6
Two or More Races	13.4
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	1.1
English Learners	0.7
Students with Disabilities	4.2



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A. Conditions of Learning

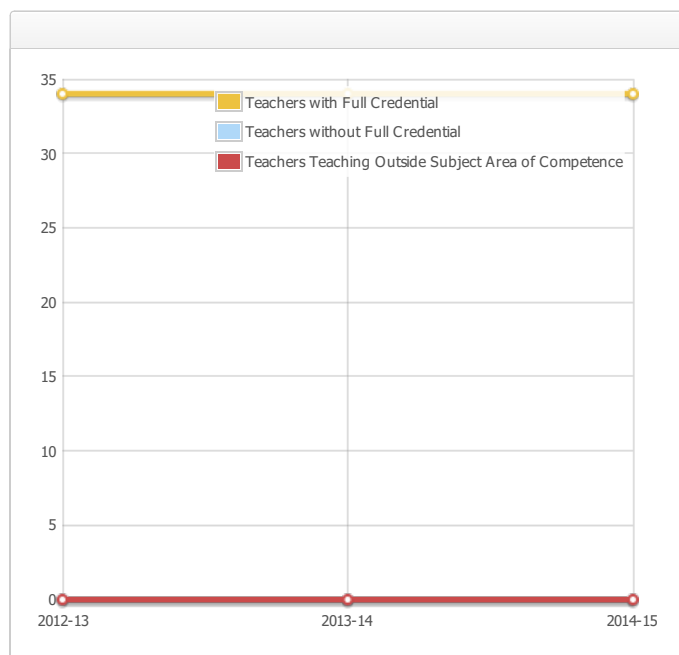
State Priority: Basic

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the Basic State Priority (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

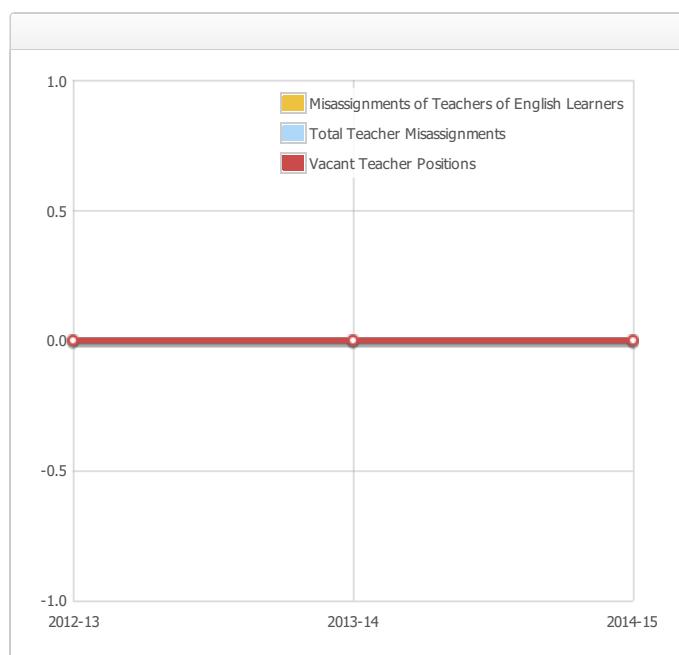
Teachers	School		District	
	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2014-15
With Full Credential	34	34	34	309
Without Full Credential	0	0	0	0
Teachers Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence (with full credential)	0	0	0	4



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Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions

Indicator	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15
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.

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Core Academic Classes Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers (School Year 2013-14)

Location of Classes	Percent of Classes In Core Academic Subjects Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers	Percent of Classes In Core Academic Subjects Not Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers
This School	100	0
All Schools in District	97	3
High-Poverty Schools in District	0	0
Low-Poverty Schools in District	97	3

Note: High-poverty schools are defined as those schools with student eligibility of approximately 40 percent or more in the free and reduced price meals program. Low-poverty schools are those with student eligibility of approximately 39 percent or less in the free and reduced price meals program.

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Quality, Currency, Availability of Textbooks and Instructional Materials - Most Recent Year

Year and month in which data were collected: December 2014

Subject	Textbooks and Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	Click here to view the Curriculum and Instructional Materials chart.	Yes	0.0
Mathematics	Click here to view the Curriculum and Instructional Materials chart.	Yes	0.0
Science	Click here to view the Curriculum and Instructional Materials chart.	Yes	0.0
History-Social Science	Click here to view the Curriculum and Instructional Materials chart.	Yes	0.0
Foreign Language	Click here to view the Curriculum and Instructional Materials chart.	Yes	0.0
Health	Click here to view the Curriculum and Instructional Materials chart.	Yes	0.0
Visual and Performing Arts	Click here to view the Curriculum and Instructional Materials chart.	Yes	0.0
Science Laboratory Equipment (grades 9-12)	Click here to view the Curriculum and Instructional Materials chart.	Yes	0.0

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School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements - Most Recent Year

It is critical that school facilities ensure basic safety and security for all students and staff and provide the foundation and structure necessary to maximize student learning. The Manhattan Beach community recognizes the positive correlation between excellent school facilities and student learning. Bond measures A, M, and BB were passed in 1995, 2000, and 2008, respectively. The first two measures supported the building of a new middle school and modernization of several school sites. Measure BB will provide new, state-of-the-art science and academic classrooms at Mira Costa High School and fund new career technical education and arts facilities. In addition, upgrades will occur in the areas of plumbing, restrooms, overall campus safety, energy efficiency, and student support services. The District's Maintenance and Operations staff makes every effort to maintain safe, clean, and attractive facilities that support the teaching and learning process. None of the emergency facilities needs specified in Education Code §17592.72(c)(1) exists at any of the school sites in the District.

Grand View staff and parents are surveyed and encouraged to report maintenance needs to site administration. Staff, parents, students, and community supporters join together for Pride Days at Grand View to beautify the campus by cleaning, weeding, and planting flowers. Safety and grounds supervision is provided during the school day. The Grand View PTA coordinates an after-school learning program for students four afternoons per week.

Working with the city parking commission, our traffic conditions have greatly improved. We continue to work with the city and our neighbors to ensure safety for our students. We were approved for an additional crossing guard due to our safety committee's diligence.

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School Facility Good Repair Status - Most Recent Year

System Inspected	Rating	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	Good	Data collected: 12/16/14
Interior: Interior Surfaces	Good	Data collected: 12/16/14
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/Vermin Infestation	Good	Data collected: 12/16/14
Electrical: Electrical	Fair	Data collected: 12/16/14 Replacing main electrical panel on 12/29/14.
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/Fountains	Good	Data collected: 12/16/14
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	Good	Data collected: 12/16/14
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	Fair	Data collected: 12/16/14 Repairing roof of Room 2 in January 2015.
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/Doors/Gates/Fences	Good	Data collected: 12/16/14

Overall Facility Rate - Most Recent Year

Overall Rating	Good
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B. Pupil Outcomes

State Priority: Pupil Achievement

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the Pupil Achievement State Priority (Priority 4):

- Statewide assessments (i.e., California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress and its successor the Standardized Testing and Reporting Program);
- The Academic Performance Index; and
- The percentage of pupils 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.

California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress/ Standardized Testing and Reporting Results for All Students in Science – Three-Year Comparison

Subject	Percent of Students Scoring at Proficient or Advanced (meeting or exceeding the state standards)								
	School			District			State		
	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14
Science (grades 5, 8, and 10)	94	94	97	91	91	92	60	59	60

Note: Science assessments include California Standards Tests (CSTs), California Modified Assessment (CMA), and California Alternate Performance Assessment (CAPA).

Note: Scores are not shown 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.

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California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress Results by Student Group in Science (School Year 2013-14)

Group	Percent of Students Scoring at Proficient or Advanced
All Students in the LEA	92
All Students at the School	97
Male	97
Female	98
Black or African American	
American Indian or Alaska Native	
Asian	
Filipino	
Hispanic or Latino	
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	
White	99
Two or More Races	100
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	
English Learners	
Students with Disabilities	
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	

Note: Science assessments include CSTs, CMA, and CAPA in grades 5, 8, and 10.

Note: Scores are not shown 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.

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Standardized Testing and Reporting Results for All Students - Three-Year Comparison

Subject	Percent of Students Scoring at Proficient or Advanced (meeting or exceeding the state standards)								
	School			District			State		
	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13
English-Language Arts	90%	93%	92%	88%	90%	89%	54%	56%	55%
Mathematics	91%	94%	95%	81%	82%	80%	49%	50%	50%
History-Social Science	N/A	N/A	N/A	84%	84%	83%	48%	49%	49%

Note: STAR Program was last administered in 2012–13. 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.

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Academic Performance Index Ranks – Three-Year Comparison

API Rank	2011	2012	2013
Statewide	10	10	10
Similar Schools	8	10	9

Note: For 2014 and subsequent years, the statewide and similar schools ranks will no longer be produced.

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Academic Performance Index Growth by Student Group – Three-Year Comparison

Group	Actual API Change 2011	Actual API Change 2012	Actual API Change 2013
All Students at the School	2	13	-3
Black or African American			
American Indian or Alaska Native			
Asian			
Filipino			
Hispanic or Latino			
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander			
White	0	12	1
Two or More Races			
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged			
English Learners			
Students with Disabilities			

Note: "N/D" means that no data were available to the CDE or LEA to report. "B" means the school did not have a valid API Base and there is no Growth or target information. "C" means the school had significant demographic changes and there is no Growth or target information.

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State Priority: Other Pupil Outcomes

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the Other Pupil Outcomes State Priority (Priority 8):

- Pupil outcomes in the subject areas of English, mathematics, and physical education.

California Physical Fitness Test Results (School Year 2013-14)

Grade level	Percent of Students Meeting Fitness Standards		
	Four of Six Standards	Five of Six Standards	Six of Six Standards
5	13.6%	39.8%	44.1%

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.

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C. Engagement

State Priority: Parental Involvement

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the Parental Involvement State Priority (Priority 3):

- Efforts the school district makes to seek parent input in making decisions for the school district and each schoolsite.

Opportunities for Parental Involvement - Most Recent Year

Contacts (2014-2015):

Principal, Rhonda Steinberg - rsteinberg@mbusd.org
 PTA President – Rachel Disser 310-567-8984
 Parent Volunteers – Melissa Hokomb 310-503-2468
 Grand View's PTA website: <http://www.gvpta.com/>

Parents are encouraged to participate in their child's educational program at school. Grand View has approximately 500 volunteers who average over 4,000 hours per month of service. The PTA is involved in fundraising, parent education, and major school/community events. PTA yearly activities include the Grand View Spring Fair, Family Nights, Grand View 5K Gator Run, Book and Author Fairs, Scrip Program, Pancake Breakfast, Science Fair, Young-At-Art docent program, PTA-sponsored after-school program, and classroom/library/science lab volunteer support. The PTA has supported instructional materials for program enrichment, technology, field trips, cultural arts assemblies, artist-in-residence programs, guest authors, playground and audiovisual equipment, teacher education programs, the Children's Organic Garden, and facilities upgrades, including the Performing Arts Center.

State Priority: Pupil Engagement

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

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

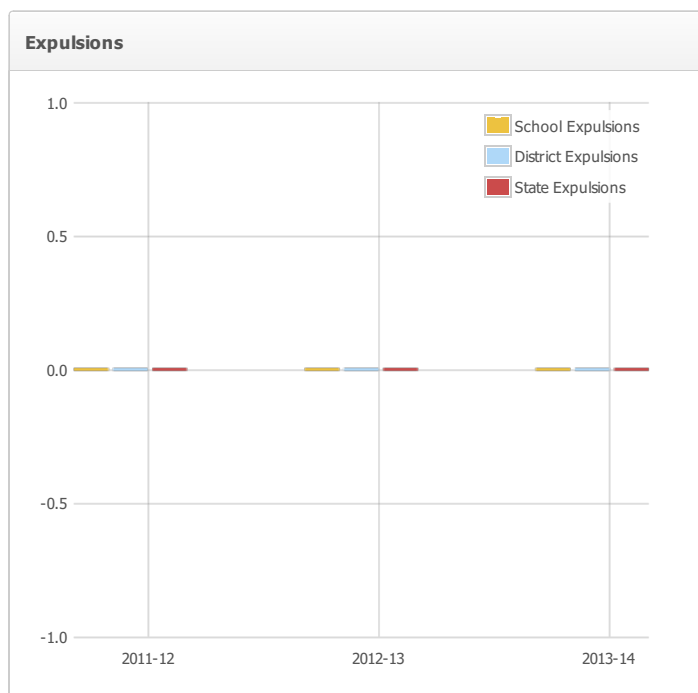
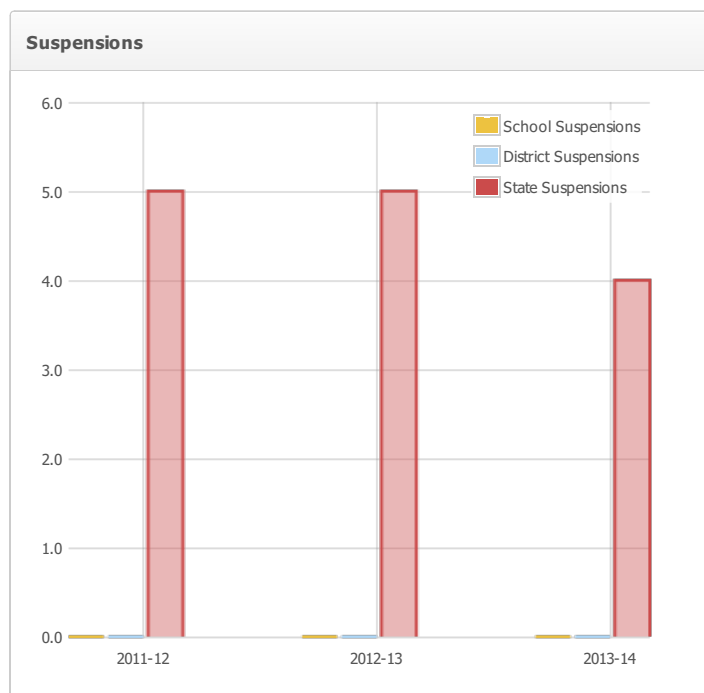
State Priority: School Climate

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the School Climate State Priority (Priority 6):

- Pupil suspension rates;
- Pupil expulsion rates; and
- Other local measures on the sense of safety.

Suspensions and Expulsions

	School			District			State		
Rate	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14
Suspensions	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.60	0.30	5.70	5.10	4.40
Expulsions	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.10	0.10	0.10



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School Safety Plan - Most Recent Year

Date of Last Review/Update: September 2014

Date Last Discussed with Staff: October 2014

Grand View has a comprehensive plan for dealing with fire, earthquake, lockdowns, and other disasters or emergencies. Grand View has recently adopted the Incident Command System model as a way to organize staff and resources in an emergency situation. Emergency drills are practiced monthly and safety is an ongoing topic at faculty meetings. This year Grand View participated in a county disaster drill whereby emergency supplies were updated and all procedures were executed. A school messenger system is in place that can be used to contact all parents immediately during an emergency. As a result of these efforts, Grand View is well prepared for any emergency or natural disaster that might occur.

In addition, the District has a comprehensive school safety plan that includes policies and procedures dealing with the status of school crimes, the reporting of child abuse, disasters, suspensions, expulsions, sexual harassment issues, and dress codes.

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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.

Adequate Yearly Progress Overall and by Criteria (School Year 2013-14)

AYP Criteria	School	District
Made AYP Overall		No
Met Participation Rate - English-Language Arts		Yes
Met Participation Rate - Mathematics		Yes
Met Percent Proficient - English-Language Arts		No
Met Percent Proficient - Mathematics		No
Met Graduation Rate		Yes

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Federal Intervention Program (School Year 2014-15)

Indicator	School	District
Program Improvement Status		Not in PI
First Year of Program Improvement		
Year in Program Improvement *		
Number of Schools Currently in Program Improvement	N/A	1
Percent of Schools Currently in Program Improvement	N/A	14.3%

Note: Cells with NA values do not require data.

* DW (determination waiver) indicates that the PI status of the school was carried over from the prior year in accordance with the flexibility granted through the federal waiver process.

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Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Elementary)

2011-12		2012-13							2013-14			
Grade Level	Average Class Size	Number of Classes *			Average Class Size	Number of Classes *			Average Class Size	Number of Classes *		
		1-20	21-32	33+		1-20	21-32	33+		1-20	21-32	33+
K	22.0	3	2	0	21.0	3	2		23.0	1	5	
1	21.5	6	0	0	23.0		5		24.0		5	
2	22.8	1	4	0	22.0		6		23.0		5	
3	24.0	0	5	0	23.0		5		23.0		6	
4	29.8	0	5	0	30.0		4		28.0		4	
5	29.0	0	4	0	31.0		5		29.0		4	
6												
Other												

* Number of classes indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class).

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Academic Counselors and Other Support Staff (School Year 2013-14)

Title	Number of FTE* Assigned to School	Average Number of Students per Academic Counselor
Academic Counselor	0.0	0.0
Counselor (Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	0.0	N/A
Library Media Teacher (librarian)	0.0	N/A
Library Media Services Staff (paraprofessional)	1.0	N/A
Psychologist	1.0	N/A
Social Worker	0.0	N/A
Nurse	0.0	N/A
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	2.0	N/A
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	1.0	N/A
Other	0.0	N/A

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

* 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.

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Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries (Fiscal Year 2012-13)

Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Supplemental/Restricted)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Basic/Unrestricted)	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$8,059	\$2,925	\$5,134	\$69,684
District	N/A	N/A	\$3,802	\$71,555
Percent Difference – School Site and District	N/A	N/A	35.00%	-2.60%
State	N/A	N/A	\$4,690	\$67,762
Percent Difference – School Site and State	N/A	N/A	9.50%	2.80%

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

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Types of Services Funded (Fiscal Year 2013-14)

Beach Cities Health District-PE instruction, counseling, and health assistants **\$273,891.56**

Chevron Futures Institute-Grant to support STEM at MBMS. The grant will be utilized to purchase equipment including wind tunnels, gas chromatographs, earthquake boards and optical testing tables and also support curriculum provided by the Catalina Island Marine Institute. **\$70,289.36**

Economic Impact Aid (ELL)-Curriculum and instruction for students identified as second language learners **\$51,996.58**

Manhattan Beach Extra (MBX)-Non-profit organization that contributes to athletics, physical education, and certain academic enrichment programs of the Manhattan Beach Unified School District **\$258,827.43**

Manhattan Beach Education Foundation-Non-profit organization that provides approximately \$4.9 million annually to pay for a variety of critical programs that would not be possible through public funding **\$4,904,011.16**

PTA/PTSA-Support through volunteer and fundraising efforts to secure for all children the highest advantages in academic, physical, and social education **\$856,815.28**

State Lottery Revenue-A portion of state lottery revenue is distributed to school districts for the purpose of enhancing instruction for pupils. **\$978,433.73**

Title I, Part A - Accountability-Federal funds used at MCHS to target assistance for students who have been identified as failing, or most at risk of failing, the state's academic content standards **\$122,606.12**

Title II, Part A - Improving Teacher Quality-Federal program that focuses on preparing, training, and recruiting high-quality teachers and administrators **\$137,364.64**

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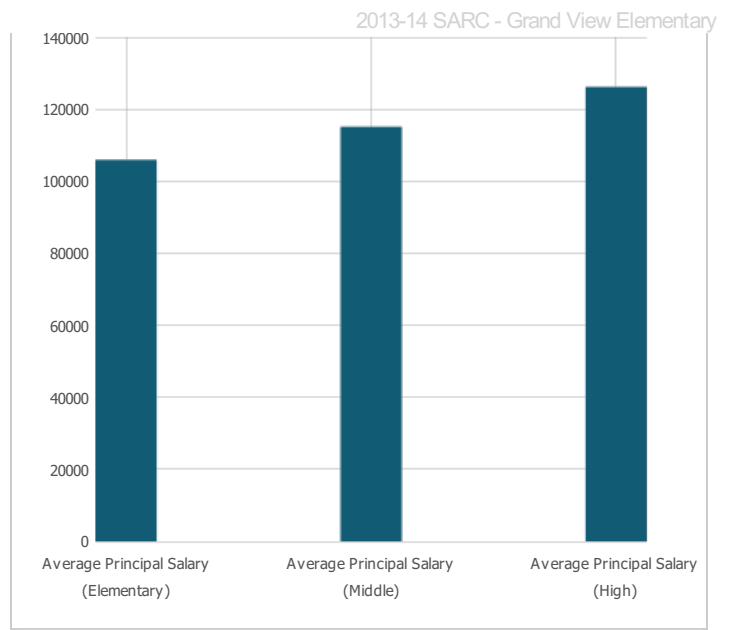
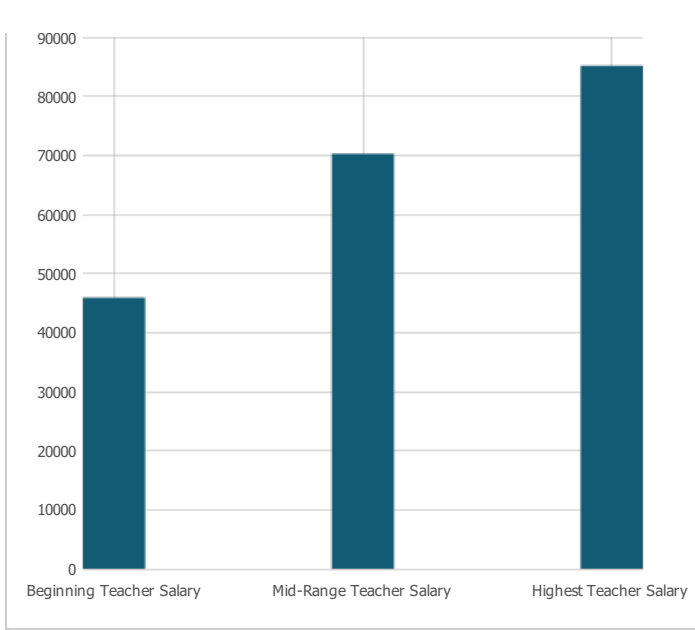
Teacher and Administrative Salaries (Fiscal Year 2012-13)

Category	District Amount	State Average For Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$45,901	\$41,243
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$70,246	\$64,893
Highest Teacher Salary	\$85,158	\$83,507
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	\$105,923	\$103,404
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	\$115,121	\$109,964
Average Principal Salary (High)	\$126,183	\$120,078
Superintendent Salary	\$207,618	\$183,557
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	39.0%	40.0%
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	4.0%	6.0%

For detailed information on salaries, see the CDE Certificated Salaries & Benefits Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/>.

Teacher Salary Chart

Principal Salary Chart



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Professional Development – Most Recent Three Years

The Manhattan Beach Unified School District recognizes the importance of offering high quality staff development opportunities for all personnel. In 2014-2015, the District will provide five contractual staff development days for all classroom teachers and the equivalent of two additional full days. Throughout the academic year, professional development activities focus on student achievement by providing staff with opportunities to learn skills and strategies that facilitate student growth in meeting the Common Core State Standards. In addition, the faculty examines performance data and identifies gaps in student learning on a regular basis. There is an emphasis on sustained, ongoing articulation among the elementary, middle, and high schools in the areas of English Language Arts and Math. Additional areas of focus for staff development have included designing and modifying curriculum, improving instructional strategies, technology integration and differentiating instruction. Through District and site funding for teacher professional growth, instructors and other staff have opportunities to attend conferences, participate in workshops, and observe other teachers. In addition, the District and individual school sites provide staff development opportunities during the day and outside of school hours.

Manhattan Beach Unified School District is a member of the South Bay Beginning Teacher Support and Assessment (BTSA) Consortium. The BTSA program provides mentoring for first and second year educators new to the teaching profession as a critical component of the teacher credentialing process. Teachers in this program attend a variety of training opportunities and are coached and supported by their mentor teacher.

Grand View's teachers have participated in a variety of professional staff development opportunities this school year. All staff attended Common Core training. Several Grand View teachers are on the district's writing committee and others are on the district math committee. Many teachers have also been trained on IXL, LEXIA and Discovery Education. Finally, approximately 80% of the staff over the last five school years have participated in the Gifted and Talented Education (GATE) certification classes earning their GATE certification.

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