

School Accountability Report Card

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McKinley Elementary

The School Accountability Report Card (SARC), which is required by law to be published annually, contains information about the condition and performance of each California public school. More information about SARC requirements is available on the SARC Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/>. For additional information about the school, parents and community members should contact the school principal or the district office.

I. Data and Access

DataQuest

DataQuest is an online data tool located at <http://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/> that contains additional information about this school and comparisons of the school to the district, the county, and the state. Specifically, DataQuest is a dynamic system that provides reports for accountability (e.g. Academic Performance Index [API], Adequate Yearly Progress [AYP], test data, enrollment, graduates, dropouts, course enrollments, staffing, and data regarding English learners).

Internet Access

Internet access is available at public libraries and other locations that are publicly accessible (e.g., the California State Library). Access to the Internet at libraries and public locations is generally provided on a first-come, first-served basis. Other use restrictions include the hours of operation, the length of time that a workstation may be used (depending on availability), the types of software programs available on a workstation, and the ability to print documents.

II. About This School

Contact Information (School Year 2011-12)

This section provides the school's contact information.

School		District	
School Name	McKinley Elementary	District Name	Santa Monica-Malibu Unified
Street	2401 Santa Monica Blvd.	Phone Number	310 450-8338
City, State, Zip	Santa Monica, CA 90404-2044	Web Site	www.smmusd.org
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School Description and Mission Statement (School Year 2010-11)

This section provides information about the school, its programs and its goals.

District Vision:

As a community of learners, the Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District works together in a nurturing environment to help students be visionary, versatile thinkers; resourceful, life-long learners; effective, multilingual communicators and global citizens. We are a richly varied community that values the contributions of all its members. We exist to prepare all students in their pursuit of academic achievement and personal health and to support and encourage them in their development of intellectual, artistic, technological, physical and social expression.

About McKinley:

We are McKinley's P.R.I.D.E. (Peaceful, Respectful, Intelligent, Diverse, and Enthusiastic). At McKinley School, staff, parents and community members work together to create a Peaceful and Respectful learning environment. We believe that ALL students are intelligent and are capable of high levels of achievement. We celebrate and value our diversity. We promote an enthusiasm towards learning so that ALL students are successful throughout their years at McKinley School and beyond.

McKinley Elementary is a beautiful, mission style public school in Santa Monica serving approximately 450 students in K-5th grade. With its small classes, outstanding educators, our Fine Arts programs, lush gardens and large play areas, McKinley is one of SMMUSD's best-kept secrets.

Our Child Development Program includes four preschool classes, with approximately 80 students. Our current class size is 25 students in K-3rd grade and up to 27 students in 4th & 5th grade. In addition to our regular program, there are specialized support services through Special Education to serve identified students. The curriculum is differentiated to meet the needs of all students. For example, students identified as Gifted and Talented Education (GATE) and students learning English as a Second Language are served within the regular classes with additional support.

All students receive instruction in visual arts through the P.S. Arts program. General music is provided to students in grades K-3 with students in 4th and 5th grade also receiving instrumental music instruction. In addition to our teaching staff, our staff includes a reading teacher, instructional assistants in K-2 classrooms, part-time nurse, school psychologist, speech pathologist, and two physical activities specialists; classified staff includes office staff, custodial and cafeteria workers. We provide child-care before and after school in partnership with the City of Santa Monica as well as after school enrichment classes and sports.

Opportunities for Parental Involvement (School Year 2010-11)

This section provides information about opportunities for parents to become involved with school activities.

Contact Person Name: Lily Marquez

Contact Person Phone Number: lmarquez@smmusd.org

Parent involvement is always encouraged and positively impacts the success of our school. There are numerous volunteer as well as committee opportunities. These include our Parent Teacher Association (PTA), English Language Advisory Committee (ELAC), African American Support Group (AASG), and our School Site Governance Council. Our Community Liaison provides access and information to our parents enabling them to become partners in their children's education. Coffee with the Principal offers parents opportunities to share thoughts and ideas, and to learn more about McKinley. Our extensive parent email list allows for regular communication in addition to paper, web site and telephone communications.

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Student Enrollment by Grade Level (School Year 2010-11)

This table displays the number of students enrolled in each grade level at the school.

Grade Level	Number of Students	Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	63	Grade 8	
Grade 1	74	Ungraded Elementary	
Grade 2	81	Grade 9	
Grade 3	68	Grade 10	
Grade 4	79	Grade 11	
Grade 5	74	Grade 12	
Grade 6		Ungraded Secondary	
Grade 7		Total Enrollment	439

Student Enrollment by Group (School Year 2010-11)

This table displays the percent of students enrolled at the school who are identified as being in a particular group.

Group	Percent of Total Enrollment	Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
African American	10.90%	Two or More Races	8.40%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.00%	White (not Hispanic)	31.20%
Asian	10.90%	Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	44.90%
Filipino	0.90%	English Learners	30.30%
Hispanic or Latino	37.40%	Students with Disabilities	10.90%
Pacific Islander	0.00%		

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Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Elementary)

This table displays by grade level the average class size and the number of classrooms that fall into each size category (a range of total students per classroom).

Grade Level	2008-09				2009-10				2010-11			
	Avg. Class Size	Number of Classrooms			Avg. Class Size	Number of Classrooms			Avg. Class Size	Number of Classrooms		
		1-20	21-32	33+		1-20	21-32	33+		1-20	21-32	33+
Kindergarten	20.0	3	0	0	--	--	--	--	20.7	3	0	0
1	20.0	2	0	0	--	--	--	--	19.0	2	2	0
2	20.0	3	0	0	--	--	--	--	26.7	0	3	0
3	20.0	3	0	0	--	--	--	--	22.0	2	1	0
4	28.0	0	2	0	--	--	--	--	26.0	0	3	0
5	27.0	0	2	0	--	--	--	--	24.3	0	3	0
6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
k-3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
3-4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
4-8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Other	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

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III. School Climate

School Safety Plan (School Year 2010-11)

This section provides information about the school's comprehensive safety plan.

Annual staff review of the school safety plan was conducted in September 2010. As indicated in the plan, McKinley staff and students regularly participate in fire, earthquake and other safety related drills. School grounds are open at 7:00 am for morning childcare, and close at 6:00 pm when childcare ends their program. Breakfast is served at 7:45am in the cafeteria with supervision. The playground opens for all students at 8:10 am. Playground supervision is available before school beginning at 8:10 am, after school for students enrolled in childcare or after school programs, at recess and for the lunch periods. To insure a safe learning environment, only one gate is open after the start of classes. The perimeter gates are locked during the regular school day with one rear gate and the main gate to the office area being the only gates open at the end of the school day. All visitors on campus must sign in at the main office and receive a Visitors Badge, which must be worn while they are on campus. McKinley provides a variety of before and after-school programs for our parents and their students. The Santa Monica-Malibu School district in a joint venture with the City of Santa Monica provides childcare for our students. Lower Crest Program (Grades K-3) is operated and funded by SMMUSD. Upper CREST Program (Grades 4 & 5) and Homework Club is operated and funded by the City of Santa Monica. Both programs provide for before and after school programs, homework assistance, playground access, arts enrichment programs, activities, and presenters. McKinley also provides in school and/or after school academic intervention programs for students needing assistance with reading, language arts, and mathematics.

Suspensions and Expulsions

This table displays the rate of suspensions and expulsions (the total number of incidents divided by the total enrollment) at the school and district levels for the most recent three-year period.

Rate	School			District		
	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Suspensions	1.42	0.23	0.46	4.45	4.05	4.39
Expulsions	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.07	0.03	0.03

Date School Safety Plan last reviewed: 9/7/2011

IV. School Facilities

School Facility Conditions

This section provides information about the condition of the school's grounds, buildings, and restrooms, and a description of any planned or recently completed facility improvements.

McKinley Elementary School has dedicated classroom space used for teaching and learning. Our playground areas are ample, with a separate playground for our youngest students. The beautiful outside garden area is regularly used for small group activities, special projects and events. The auditorium was recently remodeled with a new curtain for the stage, paint and blinds. Our school office was recently renovated as a result of the District Measure BB Safety and Security Project Team. To celebrate the 100th anniversary, murals were added around the school to reflect our McKinley P.R.I.D.E. Our school cafeteria and the entire exterior of the school were also recently painted. A new electronic marquee was installed near the school entrance and provides instant updates to families. McKinley Elementary School has a full time day custodian and a full time night custodian. Both custodians have ample time to clean and maintain the school as needed; cleaning schedules are periodically reviewed to assure cleanliness. We occasionally receive additional assistance to deep clean areas during holidays. We also receive the service of two gardeners one day per week (Thursday), lawns are mowed and edged, plants are pruned, trimmed, and maintained as needed. This facility is well maintained and in well functioning condition.

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Planned Improvements (School Year 2011-2012)

The construction contract for McKinley Front Entry and Main Office Reconfiguration project was awarded to Fast Track Construction in June 2011. Construction included reconfiguration of the school's main entrance, main office and front entry restroom. The modernization enables staff to improve supervision at the main entry, and make it easier to welcome guests at the main office. Outdoor improvements consisted of a new welcoming and inviting courtyard filled with planters and built-in bench seating at the front entry. The restrooms were also reconfigured to allow student use from the interior courtyard. The staff moved into the renovated space for the 2011-2012 school year. The district continues to keep its Deferred Maintenance fund open, however flexibility provided by the State has allowed us to use balances in this fund to relieve the General Fund, due to shortages in State funding. This flexibility was used during the 2010-11 fiscal year and is expected to be used in 2011-12. The district did not transfer any of the fund balance back to the General Fund, but has not made new contributions in the past two years. The balances in the Deferred Maintenance fund are still being used on approved maintenance projects. The district is carefully deciding which projects to move forward, as we do not expect to contribute additional funds from the district or receive new state Deferred Maintenance any time soon.

School Facility Good Repair Status (School Year 2011-12)

This table displays the results of the most recently completed school site inspection to determine the school facility's good repair status.

Item Inspected	Repair Status			Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
	Good	Fair	Poor	
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	X			
Interior: Interior Surfaces			X	Flooring, paint, general repair: Work orders submitted, revise deferred maintenance plan for flooring issues (11-27-11)
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/Vermin		X		Proper storage method: Staff training on proper storage (on-going)
Electrical: Electrical	X			
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks	X			
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	X			
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	X			
External: Playground/School Grounds	X			

Overall Summary of School Facility Good Repair Status (School Year 2011-12)

This table displays the overall summary of the results of the most recently completed school site inspection.

Item Inspected	Facility Condition			
	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor
Overall Summary		X		

Date of inspection: 9/10/2011

Completion date of inspection form: 9/10/2011

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V. Teachers

Teacher Credentials

This table displays the number of teachers assigned to the school with a full credential, without a full credential, and those teaching outside of their subject area of competence. Detailed information about teacher qualifications can be found on the DataQuest Web page at <http://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/>.

Teachers	School			District
	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2010-11
With Full Credential	25	24	25	520
Without Full Credential	0	0	0	7
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	0	0	0	n/a

Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions

This table displays the number of teacher misassignments (teachers assigned without proper legal authorization) and the number of vacant teacher positions (not filled by a single designated teacher assigned to teach the entire course at the beginning of the school year or semester). Note: Total Teacher Misassignments includes the number of Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners.

Indicator	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners	0	0	0
Vacant Teacher Positions	0	0	0
Total Teacher Misassignments	0	0	0

Core Academic Classes Taught by No Child Left Behind Compliant Teachers (School Year 2010-11)

This table displays the percent of classes in core academic subjects taught by No Child Left Behind (NCLB) compliant and non-NCLB compliant teachers in the school, in all schools in the district, in high-poverty schools in the district, and in low-poverty schools in the district. High poverty schools are defined as those schools with student participation of approximately 75 percent or more in the free and reduced price meals program. Low poverty schools are those with student participation of approximately 25 percent or less in the free and reduced price meals program. More information on teacher qualifications required under NCLB can be found on the CDE Improving Teacher and Principal Quality Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/nclb/sr/tq/>.

Location of Classes	Percent of Classes In Core Academic Subjects	
	Taught by NCLB Compliant Teachers	Taught by Non-NCLB Compliant Teachers
This School	100.00%	0.00%
All Schools in District	100.00%	0.00%
High-Poverty Schools in District	100.00%	0.00%
Low-Poverty Schools in District	100.00%	0.00%

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VI. Support Staff

Academic Counselors and Other Support Staff (School Year 2010-11)

This table displays, in units of full-time equivalents (FTE), the number of academic counselors and other support staff who are assigned to the school and the average number of students per academic counselor. One FTE equals one staff member working full time; one FTE could also represent two staff members who each work 50 percent of full time.

Title	Number of FTE Assigned to School	Average Number of Students per Academic Counselor
Academic Counselor	0.00	--
Counselor (Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	0.00	--
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	0.00	--
Library Media Services Staff (paraprofessional)	1.00	--
Psychologist	0.60	--
Social Worker	0.00	--
Nurse	0.60	--
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	1.00	--
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	1.00	--
Other	1.00	--

VII. Curriculum and Instructional Materials

Quality, Currency, and Availability of Textbooks and Instructional Materials (School Year 2011-12)

Textbook Information

This section provides information about the quality, currency, and availability of the standards-aligned textbooks and other instructional materials used at the school, and information about the school's use of any supplemental curriculum or non-adopted textbooks or instructional materials.

All students at McKinley have access to state-approved and district adopted textbooks and instructional materials in all core academic areas. The district follows the state guidelines and cycles for textbook adoptions with new science materials purchased and implemented in the 2007-08 school year and new math texts in 2008-09. With the textbook adoption process frozen, due to budget constraints at the state level, the district is currently in the process of refreshing the English Language Arts curriculum, using the existing texts. All students, including English Learners, have their own copy of textbooks, except in the case where "Big Books" are used for the entire classroom at the early primary level. Textbooks and instructional materials are recommended for Board approval through a comprehensive process by a district-wide committee of teachers and administrators. Members of the public are invited to review recommended materials and make comments prior to Board approval.

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This section provides information if any insufficiency exists, and the reason that each pupil does not have sufficient textbooks or instructional materials.

McKinley had no textbook insufficiency for the 2011-12 school year.

Textbook Availability

Textbooks and instructional materials used in the district in the core subject areas of English-Language Arts, Mathematics, Science, and History-Social Science

Subject Area	Textbook Title and/or Publisher	Year of Adoption
English-Language Arts	Houghton Mifflin Reading	2003
History-Social Science	California Reflections/Harcourt	2006
Mathematics	enVision Math/Scott Foresman	2008
Science	Harcourt Science	2007

Percent of Pupils Who Lack Their Own Assigned Textbooks and Instructional Materials

This table displays information about the percent of pupils who lack their own assigned textbooks and instructional materials

Core Curriculum Area	Percent of Pupils Who Lack Their Own Assigned Textbooks and Instructional Materials
Reading/Language	--
Mathematics	--
Science	--
History-Social Science	--
Foreign Language	--
Health	--
Visual & Performing Arts	--
Science Laboratory Equipment (grades 9-12)	--

Textbook Information Collection Date: 10/20/2011

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VIII. School Finances

Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries (Fiscal Year 2009-10)

This table displays a comparison of the school's per pupil expenditures from unrestricted (basic) sources with other schools in the district and throughout the state, and a comparison of the average teacher salary at the school site with average teacher salaries at the district and state levels. Detailed information regarding school expenditures can be found at the Current Expense of Education Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/ec/> and teacher salaries can be found on the Certificated Salaries and Benefits Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/>.

Subject Area	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Supplemental)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Basic)	Average Teacher Salary
School	\$5,944.00	\$697.00	\$5,248.00	\$72,421.00
District	--	--	\$6,352.00	\$68,595.00
Percent Difference - School and District	--	--	-21.04 %	5.28 %
State	--	--	\$5,455.00	\$67,667.00
Percent Difference - School and State	--	--	-3.94 %	6.56 %

Types of Services Funded (Fiscal Year 2010-11)

This section provides information about the programs and supplemental services that are available at the school and funded through either categorical or other sources.

Services provided through Title I include additional reading support delivered by a reading teacher and instructional assistants, supplemental instructional materials, professional development costs for staff and parent support from our community liaison. School Improvement and Equity Funds provide support for students and families by funding Family Forums, after-school support for students, Student Council coordination, reading program and health office staffing. We are also utilizing our Equity Fund to enhance our technology across grade levels.

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Teacher and Administrative Salaries (Fiscal Year 2009-10)

This table displays district salaries for teachers, principals, and superintendents, and compares these figures to the state averages for districts of the same type and size. The table also displays teacher and administrative salaries as a percent of a district's budget, and compares these figures to the state averages for districts of the same type and size. Detailed information regarding salaries may be found on the Certificated Salaries and Benefits Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/>.

Range	District	State Average For Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$43,129.00	\$41,035.00
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$64,397.00	\$65,412.00
Highest Teacher Salary	\$86,700.00	\$84,837.00
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	\$107,067.00	\$106,217.00
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	\$115,686.00	\$111,763.00
Average Principal Salary (High)	\$127,150.00	\$121,538.00
Superintendent Salary	\$213,994.00	\$197,275.00
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	40.0%	39.0%
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	6.0%	5.0%

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IX. Student Performance

Standardized Testing and Reporting Program

The Standardized Testing and Reporting (STAR) Program consists of several key components, including the California Standards Tests (CSTs); the California Modified Assessment (CMA), and the California Alternate Performance Assessment (CAPA). The CSTs show how well students are doing in relation to the state content standards. The CSTs include English-language arts (ELA) and mathematics in grades two through eleven; science in grades five, eight, and nine through eleven; and history-social science in grades eight, and ten through eleven. The CAPA includes ELA, mathematics, and science in grades two through eleven, and for science for grades five, eight, and ten. The CAPA is given to those students with significant cognitive disabilities whose disabilities prevent them from taking either the CSTs with accommodations or modifications or the CMA with accommodations. The CMA includes ELA and mathematics for grades three through eight and science in grade five and is an alternate assessment that is based on modified achievement standards. The CMA is designed to assess those students whose disabilities preclude them from achieving grade-level proficiency on an assessment of the California content standards with or without accommodations. Student scores are reported as performance levels. Detailed information regarding the STAR Program results for each grade and performance level, including the percent of students not tested, can be found on the CDE Standardized Testing and Reporting (STAR) Results Web site at <http://star.cde.ca.gov>

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

This table displays the percent of students achieving at the Proficient or Advanced level (meeting or exceeding the state standards).

Subject	School			District			State		
	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
English-Language Arts	69%	75%	75%	68%	70%	72%	50%	52%	54%
Mathematics	73%	78%	76%	56%	59%	60%	46%	48%	50%
Science	65%	69%	74%	69%	70%	74%	50%	53%	56%
History-Social Science	0%	0%	0%	57%	54%	62%	41%	44%	48%

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Standardized Testing and Reporting Results by Student Group – Most Recent Year

This table displays the percent of students, by group, achieving at the Proficient or Advanced level (meeting or exceeding the state standards) for the most recent testing period.

Group	Percentage of Students Scoring At Proficient or Advanced			
	English-Language Arts	Mathematics	Science	History-Social Science
African American	62%	62%		
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian	91%	97%		
Filipino				
Hispanic or Latino	66%	66%	71%	
Pacific Islander				
Two or More Races	86%	90%		
White (not Hispanic)	83%	81%	73%	
Male	67%	72%	80%	
Female	84%	81%	69%	
Economically Disadvantaged	64%	64%	64%	
English Learners	67%	72%	55%	
Students with Disabilities	41%	41%		
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services				

California Physical Fitness Test Results (School Year 2010-11)

The California Physical Fitness Test is administered to students in grades 5, 7, and 9 only. This table displays by grade level the percent of students meeting the healthy fitness zone on all six fitness standards for the most recent testing period. Detailed information regarding this test, and comparisons of a school's test results to the district and state levels, may be found at the Physical Fitness Testing Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/pf/>. Note: Scores are not shown when the number of students tested is 10 or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy, or to protect student privacy. In no case shall any group score be reported that would deliberately or inadvertently make public the score or performance of any individual student.

Grade Level	Percent of Students Meeting Fitness Standards		
	Four of Six Standards	Five of Six Standards	Six of Six Standards
5	17.40%	18.80%	30.40%
7			
9			

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X. Accountability

Academic Performance Index

The Academic Performance Index (API) is an annual measure of the academic performance and progress of schools in California. API scores range from 200 to 1,000, with a statewide target of 800. Detailed information about the API can be found at the API Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/ap/>.

API Ranks – Three-Year Comparison

This table displays the school's statewide and similar schools API ranks. The statewide API rank ranges from 1 to 10. A statewide rank of 1 means that the school has an API score in the lowest 10 percent of all schools in the state, while a statewide rank of 10 means that the school has an API score in the highest 10 percent of all schools in the state. The similar schools API rank reflects how a school compares to 100 statistically matched "similar schools." A similar schools rank of 1 means that the school's academic performance is comparable to the lowest performing 10 schools of the 100 similar schools, while a similar schools rank of 10 means that the school's academic performance is better than at least 90 of the 100 similar schools.

API Rank	2008	2009	2010
Statewide	8	8	9
Similar Schools	6	9	10

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

This table displays by student group the actual API changes in points added or lost for the past three years, and the most recent API score. Note: "N/A" means that the student group is not numerically significant.

Group	School		District		State		School - Actual API Change		
	Number of Students	Growth API	Number of Students	Growth API	Number of Students	Growth API	08-09	09-10	10-11
All Students at the School	282	893	8,528	855	4,683,676	778	34	27	2
African American	23	864	516	731	317,856	696	--	--	--
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	--	12	831	33,774	733	--	--	--
Asian	29	985	498	929	398,869	898	--	--	--
Filipino	4	--	44	890	123,245	859	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	124	849	2,639	784	2,406,749	729	35	16	5
Pacific Islander	0	--	32	881	26,953	764	--	--	--
Two or More Races	20	960	533	885	76,766	836	N/D	--	--
White (not Hispanic)	82	916	4,246	902	1,258,831	--	25	51	-23
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	125	838	2,356	756	2,731,843	726	41	27	-9
English Learners	90	871	1,491	780	1,521,844	707	48	8	11
Students with Disabilities	26	687	911	621	521,815	595	--	--	--

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Adequate Yearly Progress

The federal NCLB Act requires that all schools and districts meet the following Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) criteria:

- Participation rate on the state's standards-based assessments in English-language arts (ELA) and mathematics
- Percent proficient on the state's standards-based assessments in ELA and mathematics
- API as an additional indicator
- Graduation rate (for secondary schools)

Detailed information about AYP, including participation rates and percent proficient results by student group, can be found at the AYP Web page <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/ay/>.

AYP Overall and by Criteria (School Year 2010-11)

This table displays an indication of whether the school and the district made AYP overall and whether the school and the district met each of the AYP criteria.

AYP Criteria	School	District
Overall	No	No
Participation Rate - English-Language Arts	Yes	Yes
Participation Rate - Mathematics	Yes	Yes
Percent Proficient - English-Language Arts	No	No
Percent Proficient - Mathematics	Yes	No
API	Yes	Yes
Graduation Rate	n/a	Yes

Federal Intervention Program (School Year 2011-12)

Schools and districts receiving federal Title I funding enter Program Improvement (PI) if they do not make AYP for two consecutive years in the same content area (English-language arts or mathematics) or on the same indicator (API or graduation rate). After entering PI, schools and districts advance to the next level of intervention with each additional year that they do not make AYP. Detailed information about PI identification can be found at the AYP Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/ay/>.

Indicator	School	District
Program Improvement Status	Not in PI	
First Year of Program Improvement		2012
Year in Program Improvement		1
Number of Schools Currently in Program Improvement		1
Percent of Schools Currently in Program Improvement		6.3%

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XI. Instructional Planning and Scheduling

Professional Development

This section provides information on how teachers and staff are trained for instructional improvement.

All teachers and staff in SMMUSD participate in ongoing professional development through banked time, a total of 90 minutes of meeting and professional development time each week at each site. Areas of district-wide focus for teacher and administrator professional development include implementation of curriculum guides and other areas that are determined by a review of summative and formative data from all school sites and the collection of input from teachers and administrators. Among the primary focus areas for professional development in SMMUSD are the following:

- *Developing Instructional Leadership Teams and Professional Learning Communities through Lesson Link, Academic Conferences and Learning Walks
- *Literacy and Mathematics – standards-based curriculum and instructional delivery
- *Using data to improve classroom instruction
- *Culturally relevant and responsive pedagogy
- *Supporting students with special needs
- *Differentiated instruction for all students, including English learners
- *Technology integration

A variety of methodologies are used to provide professional development, including coaching and mentoring. SMMUSD provides coaching through several programs such as BTSA, National Boards, literacy and ELD coaching, Instructional Leadership Teams, and such specialized programs as Cotsen Fellows and EETT Mentor/Coaches. Additionally, professional development occurs through workshop series during banked time and/or after school opportunities.

Each August, all teachers new to Santa Monica-Malibu are invited to participate in Teacher Academy, a professional development and orientation to district wide curriculum and instructional initiatives. All eligible new teachers are encouraged to participate in BTSA. Teachers interested in applying for National Board Certification may participate in the process and can elect to be supported by teachers who have already achieved National Board Certification.

During the 2010/11 school year, teachers at McKinley participated in the Academic Conference/Lesson Link Hybrid model. Grade level teams analyzed student achievement data, selected a math content standard and developed a lesson together, observed beginning the planning process, teachers analyzed the results of their students' math assessments, engaged in content based discussions and participated in staff wide professional development in math instruction.

Professional Development Days

This table displays information on the annual number of school days dedicated to staff development for the most recent three-year period.

	Instructional Days With At Least 180 Instructional Minutes		
	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Annual number of school days dedicated to staff development	3	1	1