

John Muir Charter Schools

2021-2022 School Accountability Report Card (Published During the 2022-2023 School Year)



General Information about the School Accountability Report Card (SARC)

SARC Overview



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 web page 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.

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 may 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.

2022-23 School Contact Information

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Phone Number	530.272.4008
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School Website	http://www.johnmuircs.com/
County-District-School (CDS) Code	29102982930147

2022-23 District Contact Information

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2022-23 School Overview

John Muir Charter Schools (JMCS) is a WASC accredited high school that specializes in serving the educational needs of young men and women, most between the ages of 16 and 25, who are seeking to improve their lives by earning a high school diploma while participating in vocational training opportunities. JMCS partners with state, local and federal programs such as the CA Conservation Corps, Local Conservation Corps, YouthBuild and Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act programs which provide part-time and full-time vocational training for students. JMCS is the educational provider for these programs and commits to serving all students in need of a high school diploma who enroll in these programs. JMCS teachers work closely with partner agency staff to seamlessly integrate the work, life skills, community service and academic experiences of students. We are a committed and passionate team of educators dedicated to serving some of the most high-need students in the state and ensuring they graduate with the ability to attain lifelong, sustainable employment and become active and productive citizens in their communities. 100% of JMCS students are former high school dropouts; our students have attended an average of two schools before JMCS.

Students enroll with JMCS because they are ready to change their lives and prepare themselves for a more successful future. 95.7% of our students are either low-income, homeless or foster youth or some combination of the three. They arrive with challenges and barriers, such as housing instability, mental health challenges, addiction, lack of transportation, lack of childcare and basic academic skill deficiencies. Through the Community Schools model JMCS strives to remove barriers to program participation as well as increase program access for our target youth. We work diligently to support each student's individual needs by addressing academic, vocational and social-emotional development through a personalized approach. In addition to offering tailored and engaging standards-based academic instruction towards a high school diploma, JMCS also provides classes in life skills, job readiness, career and college pathways, parenting, suicide prevention, anger management and more. In collaboration with our partners, JMCS sites offer multiple wrap-around services for students, such as special education support, case management, mental health services, WIC, EBT, and other services related to basic needs. Community Schools Coordinators work to identify and engage with local service providers in order to meet students' direct and acute needs.

The mission of John Muir Charter School is to meet the unique educational, social, and emotional needs of our diverse student population in safe and nurturing environments that foster personal, professional, and academic growth. The vision of John Muir Charter School is for students to gain the skills to achieve lifelong, sustainable employment and become proactive members of their communities through collaboration with our partner agencies and relevant, rigorous instruction toward a high school diploma, and college and career readiness.

About this School

2021-22 Student Enrollment by Grade Level

Grade Level	Number of Students
Grade 10	166
Grade 11	159
Grade 12	139
Total Enrollment	464

2021-22 Student Enrollment by Student Group

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Female	31.7
Male	68.3
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.4
Asian	1.5
Black or African American	10.1
Filipino	0.4
Hispanic or Latino	70.3
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.2
Two or More Races	6.3
White	10.6
English Learners	16.2
Foster Youth	2.2
Homeless	8.6
Migrant	0.0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	95.7
Students with Disabilities	9.9

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

2020-21 Teacher Preparation and Placement

Authorization/Assignment	School Number	School Percent	District Number	District Percent	State Number	State Percent
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)	18.50	56.15	103.20	60.34	228366.10	83.12
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0.90	2.99	1.90	1.16	4205.90	1.53
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (“ineffective” under ESSA)	1.00	3.02	11.40	6.67	11216.70	4.08
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (“out-of-field” under ESSA)	12.50	37.80	48.70	28.47	12115.80	4.41
Unknown	0.00	0.00	5.70	3.34	18854.30	6.86
Total Teaching Positions	33.00	100.00	171.10	100.00	274759.10	100.00

Note: The data in this table is based on Full Time Equivalent (FTE) status. 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. Additionally, an assignment is defined as a position that an educator is assigned based on setting, subject, and grade level. An authorization is defined as the services that an educator is authorized to provide to students.

2021-22 Teacher Preparation and Placement

Authorization/Assignment	School Number	School Percent	District Number	District Percent	State Number	State Percent
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)	20.30	59.70	113.40	61.34	234405.20	84.00
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4853.00	1.74
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (“ineffective” under ESSA)	0.00	0.00	13.00	7.08	12001.50	4.30
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (“out-of-field” under ESSA)	10.10	29.69	51.80	28.03	11953.10	4.28
Unknown	3.60	10.58	6.50	3.54	15831.90	5.67
Total Teaching Positions	34.10	100.00	184.90	100.00	279044.80	100.00

Note: The data in this table is based on Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) status. 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. Additionally, an assignment is defined as a position that an educator is assigned based on setting, subject, and grade level. An authorization is defined as the services that an educator is authorized to provide to students.

Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (considered “ineffective” under ESSA)

Authorization/Assignment	2020-21	2021-22
Permits and Waivers	1.00	0.00
Misassignments	0.00	0.00
Vacant Positions	0.00	0.00
Total Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments	1.00	0.00

Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (considered “out-of-field” under ESSA)

Indicator	2020-21	2021-22
Credentialed Teachers Authorized on a Permit or Waiver	0.50	0.00
Local Assignment Options	12.00	10.00
Total Out-of-Field Teachers	12.50	10.10

2021-22 Class Assignments

Indicator	2020-21	2021-22
Misassignments for English Learners (a percentage of all the classes with English learners taught by teachers that are misassigned)	0.00	0.00
No credential, permit or authorization to teach (a percentage of all the classes taught by teachers with no record of an authorization to teach)	5.30	6.10

Note: For more information refer to the Updated Teacher Equity Definitions web page at <https://www.cde.ca.gov/pd/ee/teacherequitydefinitions.asp>.

2022-23 Quality, Currency, Availability of Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials

In 2022, John Muir Charter Schools continued full use of Odysseyware and Edgenuity; online curriculum platforms aligned with state standards and updated annually. Some sites continue to use the AGS textbook series for some core subject areas, which was last adopted in 2005 as this curriculum remains accessible to our student population. In 2019-2020 we adopted a variety of supplemental instructional materials in English, math, science, and history-social science that teachers and students have available to them, and in the 2020-21 school year these materials were fully implemented across the state. Our classrooms have sufficient instructional materials for all students. The CA State Board of Education does not officially adopt textbooks or instructional materials for Grades 9-12; however, our textbook adoptions are in line with CA content standards, CCSS, and recommended SBE guidelines.

Year and month in which the data were collected

January 2023

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption ?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
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Reading/Language Arts	Reading with Relevance/2017	Yes	0
	Scholastic ID/2017		
	Rosetta Stone/2020		
	New Readers Press/2017		
	Odysseyware/2022		
Mathematics	AGS Basic Math/2005	Yes	0
	AGS Pre-Algebra/2005		
	AGS Algebra/2005		
	AGS Geometry/2005		
	JUMP Math/2017		
	Citizen Math/2022		
	Odysseyware/2022		
Science	AGS Earth Science/2005	Yes	0
	AGS Physical Science/2005		
	AGS Biology/2005		
	EEl (Education and the Environment Initiative)/2017		
	HASPI Human Biology/2017		
	SEI: Strategic Energy Innovations - Energy Education/2017		
	Odysseyware/2022		
History-Social Science	AGS US History/2005	Yes	0
	AGS World History/2005		
	AGS US Government/2005		
	AGS Economics/2005		
	The DBQ Project/2017		
	Odysseyware/2020		
Foreign Language	Rosetta Stone/2020	Yes	0
	Odysseyware/2022		
Health	AGS Life Skills/Health/2005	Yes	0
	Odysseyware/2022		

Visual and Performing Arts	N/A	No	N/A
Science Laboratory Equipment (grades 9-12)	HASPI Human Biology/2017	Yes	0

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

John Muir Charter Schools sites are clean, safe and provide a welcome educational environment. In the 2020-21 school year all JMCS facilities are leased. Inspection and maintenance is conducted by the property managers at the various locations.

Year and month of the most recent FIT report

N/A

System Inspected	Rate Good	Rate Fair	Rate Poor	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	X			
Interior: Interior Surfaces	X			
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/Vermin Infestation	X			
Electrical	X			
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	X			
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	X			
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	X			
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	X			

Overall Facility Rate

Exemplary	Good	Fair	Poor
	X		

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 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).

The CAASPP System encompasses the following assessments and student participation requirements:

1. **Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments and CAAs for ELA** in grades three through eight and grade eleven.
2. **Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments and CAAs for mathematics** in grades three through eight and grade eleven.
3. **California Science Test (CAST) and CAAs for Science** in grades five, eight, and once in high school (i.e., grade ten, eleven, or twelve).
4. **College and Career Ready**
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.

SARC Reporting in the 2020-2021 School Year Only

Where the most viable option, LEAs were required to administer the statewide summative assessment in ELA and mathematics. Where a statewide summative assessment was not the most viable option for the LEA (or for one or more grade-level[s] within the LEA) due to the pandemic, LEAs were allowed to report results from a different assessment that met the criteria established by the State Board of Education (SBE) on March 16, 2021. The assessments were required to be:

- Aligned with CA CCSS for ELA and mathematics;
- Available to students in grades 3 through 8, and grade 11; and
- Uniformly administered across a grade, grade span, school, or district to all eligible students.

Options

Note that the CAAs could only be administered in-person following health and safety requirements. If it was not viable for the LEA to administer the CAAs in person with health and safety guidelines in place, the LEA was directed to not administer the tests. There were no other assessment options available for the CAAs. Schools administered the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments for ELA and mathematics, other assessments that meet the SBE criteria, or a combination of both, and they could only choose one of the following:

- Smarter Balanced ELA and mathematics summative assessments;
- Other assessments meeting the SBE criteria; or
- Combination of Smarter Balanced ELA and mathematics summative assessments and other assessments.

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.

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard on CAASPP

This table displays CAASPP test results in ELA and mathematics for all students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment.

The 2020-21 data cells have N/A values because these data are not comparable to other year data due to the COVID-19 pandemic during the 2020-21 school year. Where the CAASPP assessments in ELA and/or mathematics is not the most viable option, the LEAs were allowed to administer local assessments. Therefore, the 2020-21 data between school years for the school, district, state are not an accurate comparison. As such, it is inappropriate to compare results of the 2020-21 school year to other school years.

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.

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.

Subject	School 2020-21	School 2021-22	District 2020-21	District 2021-22	State 2020-21	State 2021-22
English Language Arts/Literacy (grades 3-8 and 11)	N/A	14	N/A	51	N/A	47
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	N/A	1	N/A	36	N/A	33

2021-22 CAASPP Test Results in ELA by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in ELA by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment.

ELA 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.

Double dashes (--) appear in the table when the number of students is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

The number of students tested includes all students who participated in the test whether they received a score or not; however, the number of students tested is not the number that was used to calculate the achievement level percentages. The achievement level percentages are calculated using only students who received scores.

CAASPP Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	182	72	39.56	60.44	14.08
Female	50	19	38.00	62.00	15.79
Male	132	53	40.15	59.85	13.46
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--	--
Asian	--	--	--	--	--
Black or African American	15	3	20.00	80.00	--
Filipino	--	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	141	62	43.97	56.03	13.11
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--	--
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--	--
White	13	4	30.77	69.23	--
English Learners	31	13	41.94	58.06	0.00
Foster Youth	--	--	--	--	--
Homeless	--	--	--	--	--
Military	--	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	146	61	41.78	58.22	13.33
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00
Students with Disabilities	13	5	38.46	61.54	--

2021-22 CAASPP Test Results in Math by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in Math by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment.

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.

Double dashes (--) appear in the table when the number of students is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

The number of students tested includes all students who participated in the test whether they received a score or not; however, the number of students tested is not the number that was used to calculate the achievement level percentages. The achievement level percentages are calculated using only students who received scores.

CAASPP Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	184	71	38.59	61.41	1.41
Female	51	17	33.33	66.67	0.00
Male	133	54	40.60	59.40	1.85
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--	--
Asian	--	--	--	--	--
Black or African American	15	3	20.00	80.00	--
Filipino	--	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	143	61	42.66	57.34	1.64
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--	--
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--	--
White	13	4	30.77	69.23	--
English Learners	31	13	41.94	58.06	0.00
Foster Youth	--	--	--	--	--
Homeless	--	--	--	--	--
Military	--	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	147	62	42.18	57.82	1.61
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00
Students with Disabilities	14	5	35.71	64.29	--

CAASPP Test Results in Science for All Students

This table displays the percentage of all students grades five, eight, and High School meeting or exceeding the State Standard.

For any 2020–21 data cells with N/T values indicate that this school did not test students using the CAASPP for Science.

Subject	School 2020-21	School 2021-22	District 2020-21	District 2021-22	State 2020-21	State 2021-22
Science (grades 5, 8 and high school)	NT	--	--	--	28.5	29.47

2021-22 CAASPP Test Results in Science by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in Science by student group for students grades five, eight, and High School. Double dashes (--) appear in the table when the number of students is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	41	7	17.07	82.93	--
Female	13	3	23.08	76.92	--
Male	28	4	14.29	85.71	--
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	0	0	0	0	0
Black or African American	--	--	--	--	--
Filipino	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic or Latino	32	7	21.88	78.12	--
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--	--
White	--	--	--	--	--
English Learners	--	--	--	--	--
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0
Homeless	0	0	0	0	0
Military	--	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	28	6	21.43	78.57	--
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	--	--	--	--	--

2021-22 Career Technical Education Programs

In 2021-22 the JMCS Career Pathways Trust Program (CPT) was administered statewide. This program includes general career and college awareness and preparation curriculum across multiple industry sectors. Additionally every JMCS site is working with a federally or state supported work training program, either with the California Conservation Corps (CCC), a certified Local Conservation Corps, YouthBuild or WIOA program to deliver to students comprehensive work readiness curriculum. The CPT delivers pathway instruction and training in four identified industry sectors. The specific pathways and accompanying training, certification and activities vary by location. For example, in some areas students are working with GRID Alternatives to design and implement solar install and sales training programs within the energy and utilities pathway. Our CCC locations provide training and work experience in the natural resources pathway. Many of the WIOA locations focus on the National Retail Federation Customer Service and Sales Certification as a nationally recognized certification in the Hospitality, Recreation and Tourism sector. The CPT has connected with the statewide America's Job Center of California network to offer "On the Job Training" (OJT) opportunities and work opportunities to our students. The CPT has connected with the statewide community college network to promote post-secondary education, Career Technical Education trade programs and offer dual enrollment programs to students who are ready for college-level curriculum. The CPT program offers multiple career tracks in Hospitality, Recreation, and Tourism; Manufacturing and Product Development; Building and Construction Trades, Agriculture and Natural Resources, and Energy, Environment, and Utilities sectors across California. While JMCS does not offer direct CTE courses, the pathway tracks are available through JMCS partnering agency activities; students come away with a variety of certifications through enrolling in and completing those activities. JMCS is in the process of developing CTE pathways and hiring appropriately credentialed staff to provide CTE pathway instruction; the school anticipates launching this option soon.

2021-22 Career Technical Education (CTE) Participation

Measure	CTE Program Participation
Number of Pupils Participating in CTE	
Percent of Pupils that Complete a CTE Program and Earn a High School Diploma	
Percent of CTE Courses that are Sequenced or Articulated Between the School and Institutions of Postsecondary Education	

Course Enrollment/Completion

This table displays the course enrollment/completion of University of California (UC) and/or California State University (CSU) admission requirements.

UC/CSU Course Measure	Percent
2021-22 Pupils Enrolled in Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	0.00
2020-21 Graduates Who Completed All Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	0.00

B. Pupil Outcomes

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 area of physical education.

2021-22 California Physical Fitness Test Results

This table displays the percentage of students participating in each of the five fitness components of the California Physical Fitness Test Results. Due to changes to the 2021-22 PFT administration, only participation results are required for these five fitness areas. Percentages are not calculated and double dashes (--) appear in the table 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.

Grade Level	Component 1: Aerobic Capacity	Component 2: Abdominal Strength and Endurance	Component 3: Trunk Extensor and Strength and Flexibility	Component 4: Upper Body Strength and Endurance	Component 5: Flexibility
Grade 5	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grade 7	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grade 9	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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 regarding the school district and at each school site.

2022-23 Opportunities for Parental Involvement

Roughly 20% of JMCS students in the 2022-23 school year are below age 18. The parents of these students have regular contact with JMCS teachers, directors and site staff. They are invited regularly to participate in school activities, meetings, and the LCAP process. For those students over age 18, JMCS considers our partnering agencies the "guardians" of students. JMCS teachers and staff meet daily with our partnering agency staff, planning and implementing the holistic academic, vocational, life skills and leadership programs JMCS provides to students.

C. Engagement

State Priority: Pupil Engagement

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

- High school dropout rates;
- High school graduation rates; and
- Chronic Absenteeism

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

Indicator	School 2019-20	School 2020-21	School 2021-22	District 2019-20	District 2020-21	District 2021-22	State 2019-20	State 2020-21	State 2021-22
Dropout Rate		47	43.8		32.8	67.1		8.9	7.8
Graduation Rate		14.8	23.9		42.7	25.5		84.2	87

2021-22 Graduation Rate by Student Group (Four-Year Cohort Rate)

This table displays the 2021-22 graduation rate by student group. For information on the Four-Year Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate (ACGR), visit the CDE Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate web page at www.cde.ca.gov/ds/ad/acgrinfo.asp.

Student Group	Number of Students in Cohort	Number of Cohort Graduates	Cohort Graduation Rate
All Students	201	48	23.9
Female	43	7	16.3
Male	158	41	25.9
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--
Asian	--	--	--
Black or African American	19	5	26.3
Filipino	0	0	0.0
Hispanic or Latino	134	31	23.1
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--
Two or More Races	--	--	--
White	35	6	17.1
English Learners	45	11	24.4
Foster Youth	12	3	25.0
Homeless	43	6	14.0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	198	48	24.2
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	--	--	--
Students with Disabilities	37	7	18.9

2021-22 Chronic Absenteeism by Student Group

Student Group	Cumulative Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Eligible Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Count	Chronic Absenteeism Rate
All Students	1113	757	407	53.8
Female	341	231	153	66.2
Male	771	526	254	48.3
American Indian or Alaska Native	9	6	5	83.3
Asian	16	11	5	45.5
Black or African American	120	74	51	68.9
Filipino	4	2	2	100.0
Hispanic or Latino	776	542	269	49.6
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	4	1	1	100.0
Two or More Races	57	39	34	87.2
White	120	79	38	48.1
English Learners	176	131	52	39.7
Foster Youth	24	18	12	66.7
Homeless	128	74	50	67.6
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	1058	729	392	53.8
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0.0
Students with Disabilities	119	93	38	40.9

C. Engagement

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

This table displays suspensions and expulsions data collected between July through February, partial school year due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The 2019-20 suspensions and expulsions rate data are not comparable to other year data because the 2019-20 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 2019-20 school year compared to other school years.

Subject	School 2019-20	District 2019-20	State 2019-20
Suspensions	0.00	0.58	2.45
Expulsions	0.00	0.00	0.05

This table displays suspensions and expulsions data collected between July through June, each full school year respectively. Data collected during the 2020-21 school year may not be comparable to earlier years of this collection due to differences in learning mode instruction in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Subject	School 2020-21	School 2021-22	District 2020-21	District 2021-22	State 2020-21	State 2021-22
Suspensions	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.81	0.20	3.17
Expulsions	0.00	0.09	0.00	0.05	0.00	0.07

2021-22 Suspensions and Expulsions by Student Group

Student Group	Suspensions Rate	Expulsions Rate
All Students	0.00	0.09
Female	0.00	0.00
Male	0.00	0.13
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.00	0.00
Asian	0.00	0.00
Black or African American	0.00	0.83
Filipino	0.00	0.00
Hispanic or Latino	0.00	0.00
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.00	0.00
Two or More Races	0.00	0.00
White	0.00	0.00
English Learners	0.00	0.00
Foster Youth	0.00	0.00
Homeless	0.00	0.78
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	0.00	0.09
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0.00	0.00
Students with Disabilities	0.00	0.00

2022-23 School Safety Plan

JMCS has an extensive, board approved safety plan developed in coordination with and approved by the Nevada County Superintendent of Schools. The safety plan is reviewed and updated annually in January, with board approval in February or March. The safety plan includes an assessment of anticipated hazards that would endanger school staff and students, along with outlining the plan for responding to these situations and the chain of command for response.

2019-20 Secondary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2019-20 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled “Number of Classes” indicates how many classes 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.

Subject	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-22 Students	Number of Classes with 23-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
English Language Arts				
Mathematics				
Science				
Social Science				

2020-21 Secondary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2020-21 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled “Number of Classes” indicates how many classes 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.

Subject	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-22 Students	Number of Classes with 23-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
English Language Arts				
Mathematics				
Science				
Social Science				

2021-22 Secondary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2021-22 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled “Number of Classes” indicates how many classes 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.

Subject	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-22 Students	Number of Classes with 23-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
English Language Arts				
Mathematics				
Science				
Social Science				

2021-22 Ratio of Pupils to Academic Counselor

This table displays the ratio of pupils to Academic Counselor. 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.

Title	Ratio
Pupils to Academic Counselor	0

2021-22 Student Support Services Staff

This table displays the number of FTE support staff assigned to this school. 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.

Title	Number of FTE Assigned to School
Counselor (Academic, Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	
Psychologist	
Social Worker	
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	
Other	1.5

2020-21 Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries

This table displays the 2020-21 expenditures per pupil and average teacher salary for this school. Cells with N/A values do not require data.

Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Restricted)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Unrestricted)	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	18,139	3,944	14,195	66,198
District	N/A	N/A	14,195	N/A
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A	0.0	0.0
State	N/A	N/A	\$6,594	
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	73.1	

2021-22 Types of Services Funded

John Muir Charter Schools' primary program focus is providing instruction toward a high school diploma. Curriculum and instruction is offered to cover all the core subject areas required to graduate along with computer skills, health and a variety of electives. Staff conduct skills assessments and transcript analysis to develop an individualized graduation plan for each student that meets their unique credit goals and skill needs in order to meet graduation requirements. Additionally, the school offers career and life skills development and access to vocational training through our partnerships. 1-on-1 tutoring is available for students requiring additional support and the school provides access to mental health services, both group and individual counseling. Through the Community Schools model JMCS has dedicated Community Resource Coordinators who work to provide students with resources provided by local organizations who can assist students with other supportive services.

2020-21 Teacher and Administrative Salaries

This table displays the 2020-21 Teacher and Administrative salaries. For detailed information on salaries, see the CDE Certification Salaries & Benefits web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/>.

Category	District Amount	State Average for Districts in Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary		
Mid-Range Teacher Salary		
Highest Teacher Salary		
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)		
Average Principal Salary (Middle)		
Average Principal Salary (High)		
Superintendent Salary		
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries		
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries		

2021-22 Advanced Placement (AP) Courses

This table displays the percent of student in AP courses at this school.

Percent of Students in AP Courses	0
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This table displays the number of AP courses offered at this school where there are student course enrollments of at least one student.

Subject	Number of AP Courses Offered
Computer Science	0
English	0
Fine and Performing Arts	0
Foreign Language	0
Mathematics	0
Science	0
Social Science	0
Total AP Courses Offered Where there are student course enrollments of at least one student.	0

Professional Development

In 2022-2023, JMCS provided five days (30 hours) of professional development to all staff through our annual in-services in October, December, March, and May. JMCS staff attend a variety of workshops coordinated by a collaboration between teachers, the Teacher Action Committee, admin staff, and Community Schools Director and Coordinators. Workshop content is determined based on our annual spring review of student achievement data from our local assessments as well as through staff input and alignment with our schoolwide goals. The JMCS professional development cycle is set in three-year blocks with coordinated training that build on each other. PD focused on social-emotional learning, elevating student voice, anti-bias education, instructional technology, and mental health and wellness. PD also included opportunities to explore new curricula and course outlines. Workshops were delivered virtually and in person in 2022-2023, and included a variety of participation and discussion strategies to ensure engagement and meaning-making opportunities for staff. Teachers and staff were supported in their implementation of PD strategies and concepts through ongoing optional PD opportunities, such as monthly conversations and reflections, as well as through director meetings and class visits.

This table displays the number of school days dedicated to staff development and continuous improvement.

Subject	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	5	5	5