



SISKIYOU COUNTY
OFFICE OF EDUCATION

LCFF Budget Overview for Parents

Local Educational Agency (LEA) Name: Siskiyou County Office of Education

CDS Code: 47-10470-0000000

School Year: 2022-23

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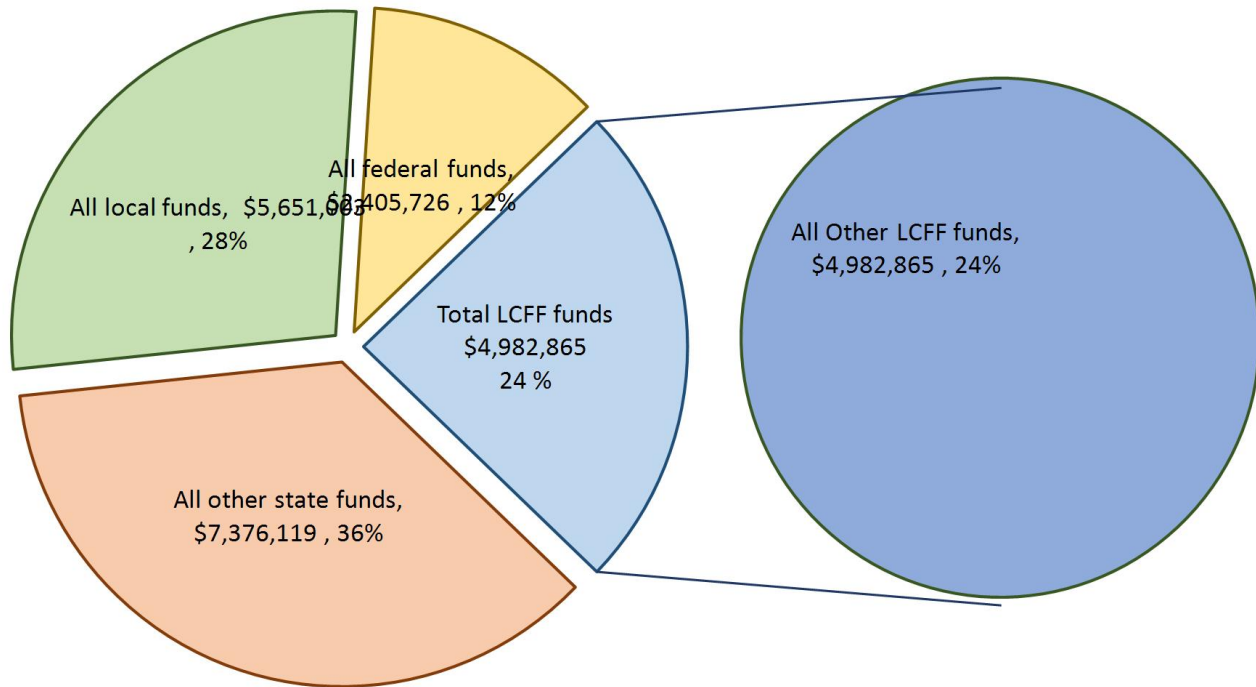
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School districts receive funding from different sources: state funds under the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF), other state funds, local funds, and federal funds. LCFF funds include a base level of funding for all LEAs and extra funding - called "supplemental and concentration" grants - to LEAs based on the enrollment of high needs students (foster youth, English learners, and low-income students).

Budget Overview for the 2022-23 School Year

Projected Revenue by Fund Source

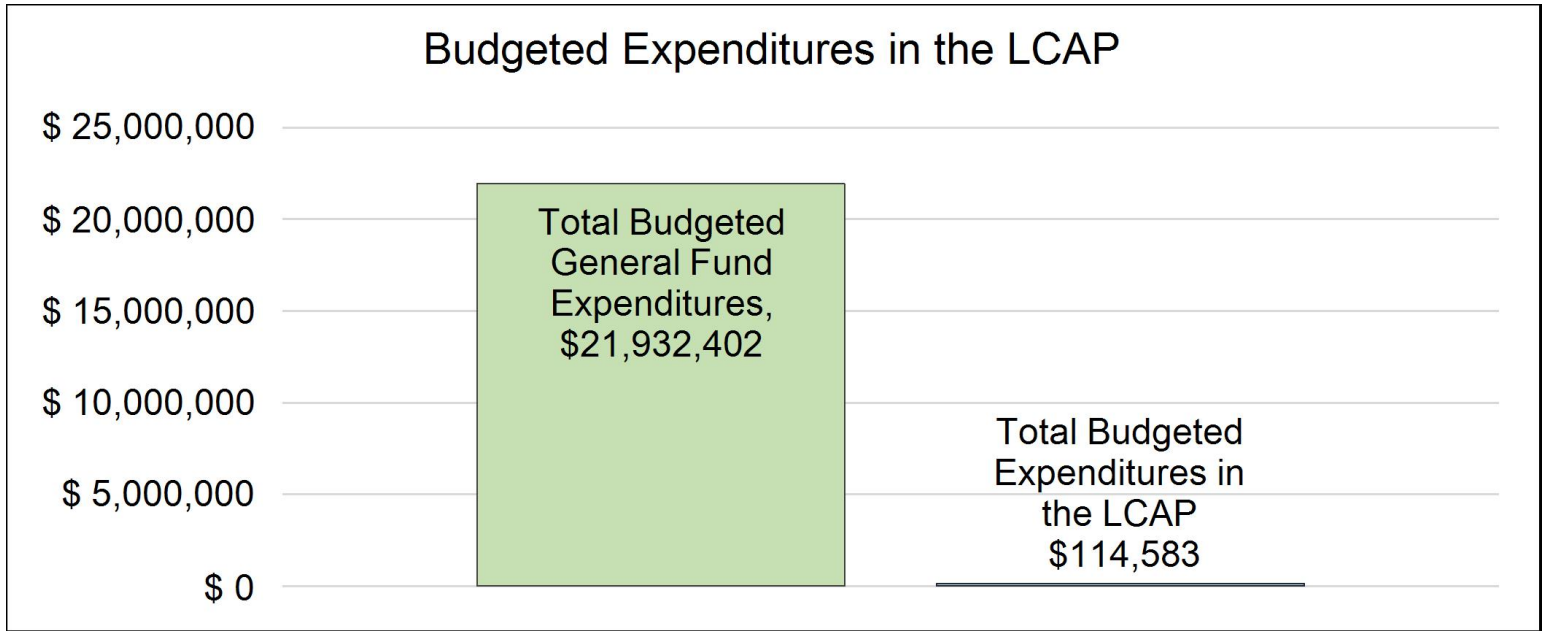


This chart shows the total general purpose revenue Siskiyou County Office of Education expects to receive in the coming year from all sources.

The text description for the above chart is as follows: The total revenue projected for Siskiyou County Office of Education is \$20,415,713, of which \$4,982,865 is Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF), \$7,376,119 is other state funds, \$5,651,003 is local funds, and \$2,405,726 is federal funds. Of the \$4,982,865 in LCFF Funds, \$0 is generated based on the enrollment of high needs students (foster youth, English learner, and low-income students).

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The LCFF gives school districts more flexibility in deciding how to use state funds. In exchange, school districts must work with parents, educators, students, and the community to develop a Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) that shows how they will use these funds to serve students.



This chart provides a quick summary of how much Siskiyou County Office of Education plans to spend for 2022-23. It shows how much of the total is tied to planned actions and services in the LCAP.

The text description of the above chart is as follows: Siskiyou County Office of Education plans to spend \$21,932,402 for the 2022-23 school year. Of that amount, \$114,583 is tied to actions/services in the LCAP and \$21,817,819 is not included in the LCAP. The budgeted expenditures that are not included in the LCAP will be used for the following:

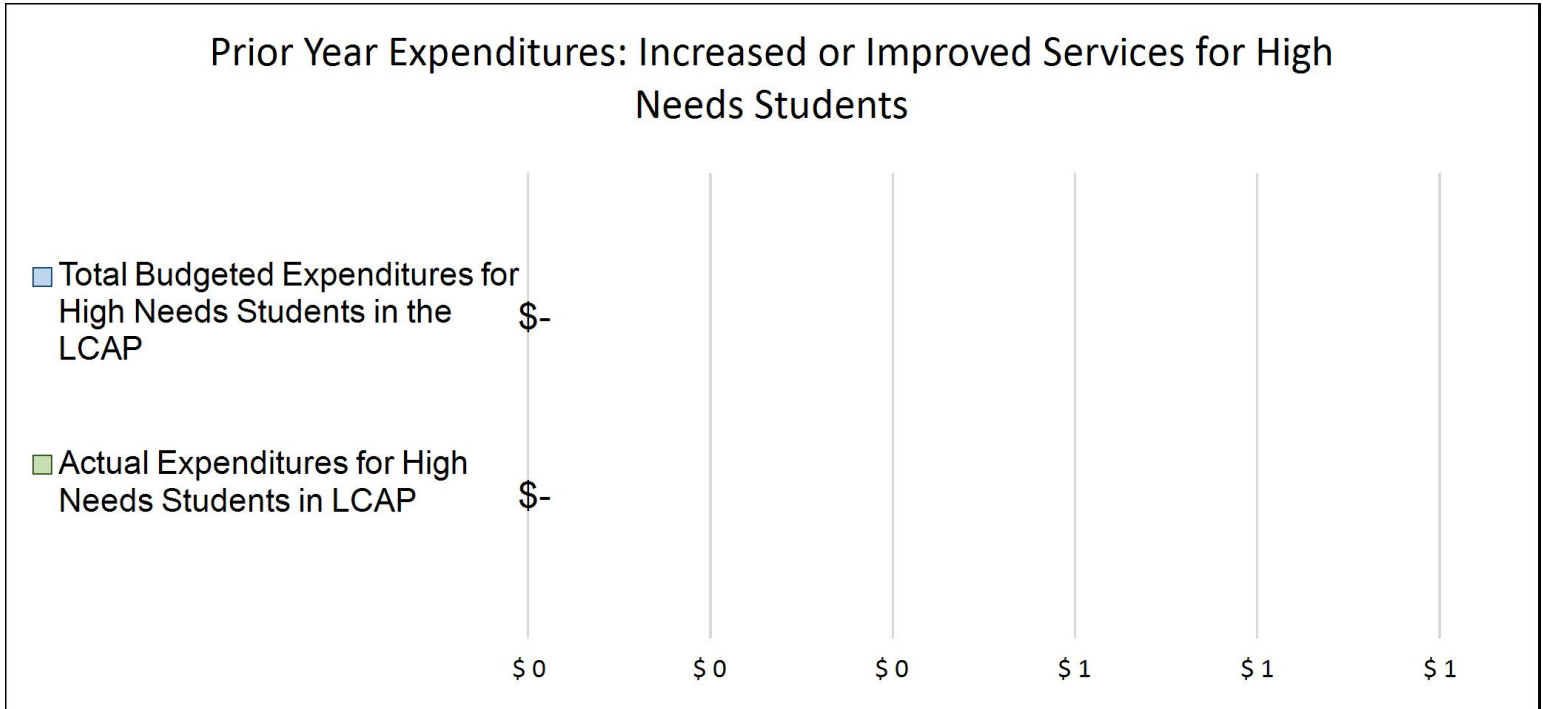
General fund expenditures not included in the LCAP are used for general operating expenses such as salaries and benefits, utilities, transportation, maintaining facilities, and supplies and providing programs to support districts in the county.

Increased or Improved Services for High Needs Students in the LCAP for the 2022-23 School Year

In 2022-23, Siskiyou County Office of Education is projecting it will receive \$0 based on the enrollment of foster youth, English learner, and low-income students. Siskiyou County Office of Education must describe how it intends to increase or improve services for high needs students in the LCAP. Siskiyou County Office of Education plans to spend \$0 towards meeting this requirement, as described in the LCAP.

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Update on Increased or Improved Services for High Needs Students in 2021-22



This chart compares what Siskiyou County Office of Education budgeted last year in the LCAP for actions and services that contribute to increasing or improving services for high needs students with what Siskiyou County Office of Education estimates it has spent on actions and services that contribute to increasing or improving services for high needs students in the current year.

The text description of the above chart is as follows: In 2021-22, Siskiyou County Office of Education's LCAP budgeted \$0 for planned actions to increase or improve services for high needs students. Siskiyou County Office of Education actually spent \$0 for actions to increase or improve services for high needs students in 2021-22.



Supplement to the Annual Update to the 2021–22 Local Control and Accountability Plan

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California’s 2021–22 Budget Act, the federal American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, and other state and federal relief acts have provided local educational agencies (LEAs) with a significant increase in funding to support students, teachers, staff, and their communities in recovering from the COVID-19 pandemic and to address the impacts of distance learning on students. The following is a one-time mid-year report to the local governing board or body and educational partners related to engagement on, and implementation of, these Acts.

A description of how and when the LEA engaged, or plans to engage, its educational partners on the use of funds provided through the Budget Act of 2021 that were not included in the 2020–21 Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP).

Monthly meetings were held with the Community Advisory Committee which includes parents, teachers, special education administrators, and community members. We also received input from our LCAP Committee. We met with bargaining units that included certificated and classified staff members and received input from them on the plan. The SELPA also collaborated with the State and Federal Program Director to analyze the data. Stakeholder feedback, along with student achievement data, progress on IEP goals, chronic absenteeism, and student engagement, were used to determine student needs. Based on this data, we determined the needs of our program were to provide inclusion strategies, professional development, and increase the use of technology to increase student engagement. There were no resource inequities identified during plan development.

A description of how the LEA used, or plans to use, the additional concentration grant add-on funding it received to increase the number of staff who provide direct services to students on school campuses with an enrollment of students who are low-income, English learners, and/or foster youth that is greater than 55 percent.

Not applicable.

The LEA did not receive any concentration grant or concentration grant add-on funds.

A description of how and when the LEA engaged its educational partners on the use of one-time federal funds received that are intended to support recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic and the impacts of distance learning on pupils.

Quarterly meetings were held with the Community Advisory Committee which includes parents, teachers, special education administrators, and community members. We also received input from our Leadership Committee. A survey was sent out to both parents and students in order to receive feedback about our program. We met with bargaining units that included certificated and classified staff members and received input from them on the use of funds. The SELPA also collaborated with the State and Federal Program Director to analyze the data.

A description of how the LEA is implementing the federal American Rescue Plan Act and federal Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief expenditure plan, and the successes and challenges experienced during implementation.

We continue to follow our plan based on CDC and Public Health and update when needed. One of our biggest successes has been the hiring of an Inclusion Specialist that our students have greatly benefited from in providing more support for recovering of learning loss. We have also been able to update technology that has helped greatly in times when distance learning is needed. Another success has been in the sanitizing of our classrooms. We have been able to keep our students learning in-person to the greatest extent possible. We have had some challenges in providing student transportation due to staff quarantine, hiring of new staff, etc. Administration has had to provide this which has taken away from their normal duties. Another challenge has been finding qualified personnel to hire. One example is the difficulty of finding a behaviorist, behavior aides, and substitutes. One of our biggest challenges is the amount of time staff are out due to quarantine issues.

A description of how the LEA is using its fiscal resources received for the 2021–22 school year in a manner that is consistent with the applicable plans and is aligned with the LEA’s 2021–22 LCAP and Annual Update.

Siskiyou County Office of Education is using its fiscal resources received for the 2021-2022 school year by reviewing community input, Educator Effectiveness Plan, Learning Continuity Plan, and aligning funds to continue to support ongoing priorities outlined in each and in alignment with LCAP goals.

LCAP Goal #1: Increase student attendance and reduce chronic absenteeism by making the classroom more interactive with the use of technology.

LCAP Goal #2: Students will be provided appropriately credentialed teachers and classroom instruction/instructional materials aligned to the state standards, to facilitate increased student achievement in facilities that are maintained in good repair.

LCAP Goal #3: Increase student and family engagement by providing a positive and nurturing classroom environment that meets the unique needs of all students, including students with exceptional needs.

LCAP Goal #4: Maintain Siskiyou County Expelled Youth Plan to coordinate the instruction of expelled pupils in Siskiyou County.

LCAP Goal #5: SCOE will coordinate services for all foster youth residing in Siskiyou County in accordance with Ed. Code and ESSA and review the plan annually for changes to improve academic outcomes for Foster Youth.

Instructions for the Supplement to the Annual Update for the 2021–22 Local Control and Accountability Plan Year

For additional questions or technical assistance related to the completion of the Supplement to the Annual Update to the 2021–22 Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP), please contact the local county office of education (COE), or the California Department of Education’s (CDE’s) Local Agency Systems Support Office, by phone at 916-319-0809 or by email at lcff@cde.ca.gov.

Introduction

California’s 2021–22 Budget Act, the federal American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, and other state and federal relief acts have provided local educational agencies (LEAs) with a significant increase in funding to support students, teachers, staff, and their communities in recovering from the COVID-19 pandemic and to address the impacts of distance learning on students. Section 124(e) of Assembly Bill 130 requires LEAs to present an update on the Annual Update to the 2021–22 LCAP and Budget Overview for Parents on or before February 28, 2022, at a regularly scheduled meeting of the governing board or body of the LEA. At this meeting, the LEA must include all of the following:

- The Supplement to the Annual Update for the 2021–22 LCAP (2021–22 Supplement);
- All available mid-year outcome data related to metrics identified in the 2021–22 LCAP; and
- Mid-year expenditure and implementation data on all actions identified in the 2021–22 LCAP.

When reporting available mid-year outcome, expenditure, and implementation data, LEAs have flexibility to provide this information as best suits the local context, provided that it is succinct and contains a level of detail that is meaningful and accessible for the LEA’s educational partners.

The 2021–22 Supplement is considered part of the 2022–23 LCAP for the purposes of adoption, review, and approval, and must be included with the LCAP as follows:

- The 2022–23 Budget Overview for Parents
- The 2021–22 Supplement
- The 2022–23 LCAP
- The Action Tables for the 2022–23 LCAP
- The Instructions for the LCAP Template

As such, the 2021–22 Supplement will be submitted for review and approval as part of the LEA’s 2022–23 LCAP.

Instructions

Respond to the following prompts, as required. In responding to these prompts, LEAs must, to the greatest extent practicable, provide succinct responses that contain a level of detail that will be meaningful and accessible for the LEA’s educational partners and the broader public and must, to the greatest extent practicable, use language that is understandable and accessible to parents.

In responding to these prompts, the LEA has flexibility to reference information provided in other planning documents. An LEA that chooses to reference information provided in other planning documents must identify the plan(s) being referenced, where the plan(s) are located (such as a link to a web page), and where in the plan the information being referenced may be found.

Prompt 1: *“A description of how and when the LEA engaged, or plans to engage, its educational partners on the use of funds provided through the Budget Act of 2021 that were not included in the 2020–21 Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP).”*

In general, LEAs have flexibility in deciding what funds are included in the LCAP and to what extent those funds are included. If the LEA received funding through the Budget Act of 2021 that it would have typically included within its LCAP, identify the funds provided in the Budget Act of 2021 that were not included in the LCAP and provide a description of how the LEA has engaged its educational partners on the use of funds. If an LEA included the applicable funds in its adopted 2021–22 LCAP, provide this explanation.

Prompt 2: *“A description of how LEA used, or plans to use, the concentration grant add-on funding it received to increase the number of staff who provide direct services to students on school campuses with an enrollment of students who are low-income, English learners, and/or foster youth that is greater than 55 percent.”*

If LEA does not receive a concentration grant or the concentration grant add-on, provide this explanation.

Describe how the LEA is using, or plans to use, the concentration grant add-on funds received consistent with California *Education Code* Section 42238.02, as amended, to increase the number of certificated staff, classified staff, or both, including custodial staff, who provide direct services to students on school campuses with greater than 55 percent unduplicated pupil enrollment, as compared to schools with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is equal to or less than 55 percent.

In the event that the additional concentration grant add-on is not sufficient to increase the number of staff providing direct services to students at a school with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent, describe how the LEA is using the funds to retain staff providing direct services to students at a school with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent.

Prompt 3: *“A description of how and when the LEA engaged its educational partners on the use of one-time federal funds received that are intended to support recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic and the impacts of distance learning on pupils.”*

If the LEA did not receive one-time federal funding to support recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic and the impacts of distance learning on students, provide this explanation.

Describe how and when the LEA engaged its educational partners on the use of one-time federal funds it received that are intended to support recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic and the impacts of distance learning on students. See the COVID-19 Relief Funding Summary Sheet web page (<https://www.cde.ca.gov/fq/cr/relieffunds.asp>) for a listing of COVID-19 relief funding and the Federal Stimulus Funding web page (<https://www.cde.ca.gov/fq/cr/>) for additional information on these funds. The LEA is not required to describe engagement that has taken place related to state funds.

Prompt 4: *“A description of how the LEA is implementing the federal American Rescue Plan Act and federal Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief expenditure plan, and the successes and challenges experienced during implementation.”*

If an LEA does not receive ESSER III funding, provide this explanation.

Describe the LEA’s implementation of its efforts to maintain the health and safety of students, educators, and other staff and ensure the continuity of services, as required by the federal American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, and its implementation of the federal Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) expenditure plan to date, including successes and challenges.

Prompt 5: *“A description of how the LEA is using its fiscal resources received for the 2021–22 school year in a manner that is consistent with the applicable plans and is aligned with the LEA’s 2021–22 LCAP and Annual Update.”*

Summarize how the LEA is using its fiscal resources received for the 2021–22 school year to implement the requirements of applicable plans in a manner that is aligned with the LEA’s 2021–22 LCAP. For purposes of responding to this prompt, “applicable plans” include the Safe Return to In-Person Instruction and Continuity of Services Plan and the ESSER III Expenditure Plan.

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Local Control Accountability Plan

The instructions for completing the Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) follow the template.

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Plan Summary [2022-23]

General Information

A description of the LEA, its schools, and its students in grades transitional kindergarten–12, as applicable to the LEA.

Siskiyou County is located in the far northern part of the state, and is one of the largest counties in California with one of the smallest populations. The county is described as frontier with less than 11 persons per square mile and has no census defined place within the area with a population exceeding 50,000. The county’s 25 school districts and 2 charter schools are small and serve approximately 6,000 students. The schools serve local Native American students as well as a limited number of English Learners. The counties largest student group is Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED). The county has over six thousand square miles, so many districts are remotely located in very small communities with limited resources.

The Siskiyou County Office of Education (SCOE), established in 1857, is governed by an elected County Superintendent of Schools and a seven member Board of Education. SCOE employs approximately 170 employees.

The Office of Education has three divisions: Administration/Business Services, Educational Services, and Special Schools and Services.

The primary functions of the Siskiyou County Office of Education include:

- * Assisting schools in improving services to students
- * Support and supervise districts in complying with state law and ensuring ongoing fiscal stability
- * Provide centralized services to districts in areas such as budget management, data processing, curriculum and instruction, media and technology resources, legal services, and professional learning

* Educate specific groups of students not served by districts

The Siskiyou County Office of Education operates the Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA) and serves moderate to severe special education students across the county.

Reflections: Successes

A description of successes and/or progress based on a review of the California School Dashboard (Dashboard) and local data.

There are no Dashboard performance level indicators for this year, as the Dashboard requires 2 years of data to generate a color. In 2020-21 50% of our special education students achieved Level 2 (foundational understanding) or 3 (understanding) on the Alternate Assessment for Math. Although our chronic absenteeism rate is high, it has remained steady and did not increase even during COVID.

Reflections: Identified Need

A description of any areas that need significant improvement based on a review of Dashboard and local data, including any areas of low performance and significant performance gaps among student groups on Dashboard indicators, and any steps taken to address those areas.

An area of need would be to decrease our chronic absenteeism rate, as it is consistently around 50%. While we did have 67% of our special education students achieve Level 2 on the Alternate Assessment for ELA, we had no students achieve Level 3.

LCAP Highlights

A brief overview of the LCAP, including any key features that should be emphasized.

A few highlights for our special education program include the following.

- Purchase new curriculum
- Using the Data Specialist to monitor attendance and Chronic Absenteeism.
- Enhanced communication with parents regarding the importance of attending school.
- Technology investments to ensure student access to the teacher and curriculum
- Employing a part-time science specialist to facilitate science lab activities and outdoor field experiences for students
- Continue a behavior management team to conduct CPI training for staff and employing a behaviorist to support students as part of the team

Comprehensive Support and Improvement

An LEA with a school or schools eligible for comprehensive support and improvement must respond to the following prompts.

Schools Identified

A list of the schools in the LEA that are eligible for comprehensive support and improvement.

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Support for Identified Schools

A description of how the LEA has or will support its eligible schools in developing comprehensive support and improvement plans.

Quarterly meetings are held with the Community Advisory Committee which includes parents, teachers, special education administrators, and community members. We also received input from our LCAP Committee. We met with bargaining units that included certificated and classified staff members and received input from them on the plan. The SELPA also collaborated with the State and Federal Program Director to analyze the data. Stakeholder feedback, along with student achievement data, progress on IEP goals, chronic absenteeism, and student engagement, were used to determine student needs. Based on this data, we determined the needs of our program were to provide inclusion strategies, professional development, and increase the use of technology to increase student engagement. There were no resource inequities identified during plan development.

Monitoring and Evaluating Effectiveness

A description of how the LEA will monitor and evaluate the plan to support student and school improvement.

Student achievement data, progress on IEP goals, chronic absenteeism rate, perceptual survey data, and CA Dashboard information will be collected and analyzed. This information will be shared with all stakeholders, including parents, staff, and community members, in an ongoing process to monitor and evaluate the implementation and effectiveness of the plan. The State and Federal Program Director will be available to support and offer guidance in these areas and to help build stakeholder capacity for continuous improvement.

Engaging Educational Partners

A summary of the process used to engage educational partners and how this engagement was considered before finalizing the LCAP.

Special Education:

Quarterly meetings were held with the Community Advisory Committee which includes parents, teachers, special education administrators, and community members. We also received input from our Leadership Committee on a quarterly basis. A survey was sent out to both parents and students in May in order to receive feedback about our program. We met with bargaining units that included certificated and classified staff members and received input from them on the plan. The SELPA also collaborated with the State and Federal Program Director monthly from January through May to analyze the data and draft the plan. The SELPA does not employ principals, but the Program Managers serve that role, and were consulted during monthly meetings.

Foster Youth:

The Siskiyou County FYSCP meets with stakeholders with our Executive Advisory Council (EAC) the program goals are reviewed and stakeholders provide input to the current plans. Youth input is collected at the EAC meetings and surveys with the youth are completed annually in September, March, and June to see if the program is meeting youth needs, surveys are sent out to LEA staff, caregivers and in September, March, and June to see if the program is meeting the needs of our youth, LEA staff, and caregivers. Attendance, report cards, and surveys to teachers about students' academic concerns, celebrations as social-emotional states are collected. Our program is in the third year of the AmeriCorps Foster Youth Mentor Program, which has increased youth engagement.

Expelled Youth:

The prior three-year Expelled Youth Plan was reviewed and distributed to all Siskiyou County administrators. Input on the new plan was received from numerous administrators confirming their support of the plan, editing their community day school status, and making minor updates to the plan. The plan was discussed at county-wide administrator meetings in February and March. Administrators are taking the plan to their school boards for approval.

A summary of the feedback provided by specific educational partners.

Special Education:

Stakeholder feedback along with student achievement data, progress on IEP goals, chronic absenteeism, and student engagement were used to determine student needs. Based on this data, we determined the needs of our program were to provide inclusion strategies, professional development, and increase the use of technology to increase student engagement. There were no resource inequities identified during plan development. The following are the themes brought up by various groups:

- *Inclusion specialist - teachers, administration, staff, district personnel
- *Professional development - staff and parents
- *Technology - teachers, parents, administration, district personnel

Foster Youth:

LEA's, Child Welfare, and Juvenile Probation value the data collected for court reports and communication support between schools, caregivers, child welfare, and juvenile probation staff. Youth and Caregivers feel that the AmeriCorps member has increased youth engagement. Academic case management is essential to improving the academic outcomes for our foster youth by supporting caregivers, youth, and LEA staff.

Expelled Youth:

Our county administrators provided specific feedback to the Expelled Youth Plan. This feedback ranged from minor editing to updating which community day schools are currently operating in the county.

A description of the aspects of the LCAP that were influenced by specific input from educational partners.

Special Education:

Aspects of the LCAP that were influenced by specific stakeholder input includes updating technology, utilizing a data specialist, curriculum adoption, and PD's.

Foster Youth:

Siskiyou FYSCP will provide educational case management support to LEA's, youth, and caregivers with a 70% case manager. Transitional Age Youth will be supported by the AmeriCorps Member.

Expelled Youth:

The Expelled Youth Plan was influenced and updated by the feedback from administrators but substantive changes were not made.

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description
1	Increase student attendance and reduce chronic absenteeism by making the classroom more interactive with the use of technology.

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

This goal was developed to focus on attendance and chronic absenteeism based on data from the 2019 Dashboard and current attendance and chronic absenteeism rates. By closely monitoring chronic absenteeism and attendance, we will be able to intervene more quickly, communicate with parents, and provide supports. By providing updated technology, it is anticipated that students will be more engaged and attend school more regularly.

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
Chronic Absenteeism	20-21 Chronic Absenteeism 42%	21-22 Chronic Absenteeism = 83.15%			25%
Attendance Rates	20-21 Attendance Rate 84%	21-22 Attendance Rate = 73%			95% or higher

Actions

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
1.1	Attendance Monitoring System	Develop and implement a tiered system for monitoring attendance that includes parent contact and nudge letters. Continue to use Alma student information system. (Resource 6500)	\$1,101.00	No
1.2	Data Specialist	Data Specialist will review attendance data and meet periodically with staff and program manager. 50% of Data Specialist salary & benefits. (Resource 6500)	\$53,930.00	No

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
1.3	Attendance Communication	Have Teacher/Bus Driver make connection with families when student is absent. No Additional Cost	\$0.00	No
1.4	Update Technology	Update technology applications for student engagement. May also include purchases of additional devices, software, apps, etc. (Resource 3182 - CSI)	\$10,000.00	No

Goal Analysis [2021-22]

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.

A description of any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions.

There were no substantive differences in the planned actions and actual implementation. Our new attendance system has been very effective in helping us to track student behaviors and attendance. The attendance communication piece has been a challenge and we plan to implement the nudge letters and look to providing more clerical staff to monitor the attendance.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

There were no materials differences between the budgeted and estimated actual expenditures.

An explanation of how effective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal.

Our actions are effective in making progress toward our goal as the new attendance monitoring system is more accurate than in the past. Although our attendance appears to have dropped this year, this is partially due to the fact that students were able to join by Zoom last year and this year is completely seat based.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

There were not changes made to the planned goal, metrics, or desired outcomes. The only changes made to actions were to decrease the amount of action 1.1, as the start up cost is no longer needed, and the amount for action 1.4 was increased to purchase more devices as well as renew license fees for apps.

A report of the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for last year's actions may be found in the Annual Update Table. A report of the Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services for last year's actions may be found in the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table.

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description
2	Students will be provided appropriately credentialed teachers and classroom instruction/instructional materials aligned to the state standards, to facilitate increased student achievement, in facilities that are maintained in good repair.

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

This goal has been developed to ensure the district maintains progress on the metrics associated with state priorities 1, 2 & 4, which address basic services, implementation of state standards, and pupil achievement. By providing updated curriculum and professional development, it is anticipated that teachers will be more equipped to meet the needs of the students. The actions in this goal also provide for more individualized support for our students, helping to more fully engage them.

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
Quarterly Williams Reports	20-21 - 100% of students have access to instructional materials aligned with the state standards	21-22 - 100% of students have access to instructional materials aligned with the state standards			100% of students will have access to instructional materials aligned with the state standards
Priority 2 Self-assessment Tool	20-21 - Local Indicator met - all sections showing initial implementation or higher except for NGSS	21-22 - Local Indicator met - all sections showing initial implementation or higher except for NGSS			Local Indicator will be met - with all sections scoring initial implementation or higher
Teacher credential list	20-21 - 73% of teachers are fully credentialed and appropriately assigned	21-22 73% of teachers are fully credentialed and appropriately assigned			100% of teachers will be fully credentialed and appropriately assigned

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
Sign-in Sheets or registrations for Professional Learning	20-21 - 100% of teachers are trained and versed in the state standards and instructional shifts for all content areas.	21-22 - 100% of teachers are trained and versed in the state standards and instructional shifts for all content areas.			100% of teachers will be trained and versed in the state standards and instructional shifts for all content areas.
Teacher Observation Tool	20-21 - Teachers are observed and formally evaluated once every other year. (Teachers are also observed and provided feedback informally throughout each year.)	21-22 - Teachers are observed and formally evaluated once every other year. (Teachers are also observed and provided feedback informally throughout each year.)			Teachers will be observed and formally evaluated once every other year. (Teachers will also be observed and provided feedback informally throughout each year.)
Facilities Inspection Tool (FIT) scores	20-21 - All facilities are in good repair	21-22 - All facilities are in good repair			All facilities will be maintained in Good or Excellent repair according to the Facilities Inspection Tool
CAASPP / CAA scores	18-19 - 96% of students will participate in the CAASPP and CAA Assessments	21-22 - 95% of students participated in the CAASPP and CAA Assessments			100% of students will participate in the CAASPP and CAA Assessments.
ELPAC	20-21 - There are currently zero English Learners enrolled.	21-22 - There are currently zero English Learners enrolled.			N/A
Graduation Rate / Cert. of Completion	20-21 - 87.50% of eligible students have	21-22 = 95% of eligible students have			100% of eligible students will obtain

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
	obtained either their diploma or certificate of completion.	obtained either their diploma or certificate of completion.			either their diploma or certificate of completion.
Middle School Dropout Rate	20-21 - 0%	21-22 = 0%			0%
High School Dropout Rate	20-21 - 4%	21-22 = 0%			0%

Actions

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
2.1	Curriculum Purchase (Annual)	Unique \$6,000, Learning A-Z \$250, IXL \$748, Inclusion TLC \$120 (Resource 1100) Read Naturally \$1200 (Resource 6500) Edgenuity \$8,000 (Resource 3182)	\$16,318.00	No
2.2	Professional Development	CPI Training - Title II Funds	\$2,544.00	No
2.3	Paraprofessionals	Continue to use Title I funds (Resource 3010) to provide supplemental aide time K. Evans, \$3680	\$3,680.00	No
2.5	Implement data program - student records/monitoring progress	Continue to request school records in a timely manner and evaluate student transcripts to determine individual learning plans, monitor student achievement, and track student progress. Utilize the SANDI Determination Assessment to help monitor students' progress.	\$0.00	No

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing

Goal Analysis [2021-22]

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.

A description of any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions.

There were no substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation. There have been no particular challenges with these actions. The programs provided have been very effective in monitoring credit recovery for our emotionally disturbed students, and we now have a variety of curriculum from which teachers can choose to meet the needs of individual students. The CPI training has helped staff learn deescalation skills which has resulted in a decrease in negative student behaviors.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

There were no materials differences between the budgeted and estimated actual expenditures.

An explanation of how effective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal.

The actions and services were effective in providing all students with a fully credentialed teacher, sufficient instructional materials and a safe learning environment which resulted in increased percentage of our moderate to severe students obtaining either a diploma or a certificate of completion.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

No changes were made to the goal, metrics, or desired outcomes. The amounts for actions have been updated to reflect payroll changes.

A report of the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for last year's actions may be found in the Annual Update Table. A report of the Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services for last year's actions may be found in the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table.

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description
3	Increase student and family engagement by providing a positive and nurturing classroom environment that meets the unique needs of all students, including students with exceptional needs.

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

This goal has been developed to ensure the district maintains progress on the metrics associated with state priorities 3, 5, 6, 7 & 8, which address parent involvement, pupil engagement, school climate, course access, and other outcomes. The metrics and actions for this goal will help provide parent training, communication, and enriching activities for students to increase both student and family engagement.

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
CAC membership	20-21 - 10% of parents participate in CAC meetings to provide input for decision making for the school and programs.	21-22 - 20% of parents participate in CAC meetings to provide input for decision making for the school and programs.			50% of parents will participate in CAC meetings to provide input for decision making for the school and programs.
Parent & Student Surveys	20-21 - 92.5% of parents and students reported positively on the sense of safety and school connectedness.	21-22 - 90% of parents and 95% of students reported positively on the sense of safety and school connectedness.			100% of parent and students will report positively on their sense of safety and school connectedness.
Graduation Rate (Cert. of Completion)	19-20 - 87.50% of eligible students have obtained either their	21-22 = 95% of eligible students have obtained either their			100% of eligible students will obtain either their diploma or

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
	diploma or certificate of completion.	diploma or certificate of completion.			certificate of completion.
Suspension Rate	20-21 - 0% Suspension Rate	21-22 Suspension Rate = 0%			Suspension Rate will be maintained at 0%.
Expulsion Rate	20-21 - 0% Expulsion Rate	21-22 Expulsion Rate = 0%			Expulsion Rate will be maintained at 0%.
Course Access	20-21 - 100% students will be enrolled in programs and services developed and provided to students with exceptional needs.	21-22 100% students will be enrolled in programs and services developed and provided to students with exceptional needs.			100% of students will be enrolled in programs and services developed and provided to students with exceptional needs.
Priority 3 Self-reflection Tool	20-21 - Standard Met	21-22 = Standard Met			Dashboard will show Standard Met
Other Outcomes - SANDI Assessment Results	New Program- No Baseline	Not yet available			50% of students will make progress on individual IEP goals.

Actions

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
3.1	Maintain the County Supplemental Science Program	Supplemental Science Program (Jason and Christian) in the classrooms, utilizing CSI funds (Resource 3182)	\$6,000.00	No
3.2	Provide Parent Trainings at CAC Meetings	Provide Parent Trainings at CAC Meetings that will include areas such as: How Students Qualify for Special Education, Behavior Strategies for student with special needs, Mental Health and the Special Education Population, How to help special education students at home, etc.	\$0.00	No

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
3.3	Token Economy	Provide a Token Economy System to promote Academic and Student Engagement Support - Classroom Supplies - Lottery Funds (Resource 1100)	\$600.00	No
3.4	Outdoor Education - Kidder Creek	Continue Kidder Creek Outdoor Program utilizing CSI funds (Resource 3182)	\$10,410.00	No

Goal Analysis [2021-22]

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.

A description of any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions.

There were no substantive differences between planned actions and actual implementation. Successes include the science program and Kidder Creek. These programs have helped build confidence in our moderate to severe students, as well as provided them with hands-on science experiences.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

There were no material differences between budgeted and estimated actual expenditures.

An explanation of how effective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal.

Our actions have been effective in making progress toward our goals as evidenced by our continued 0% expulsion and suspension rates, as well as the results from our surveys, which show a high percentage of students and parents feeling a sense of safety and school connectedness, and our increase in the percentage of students receiving a diploma or certificate of completion.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

There were no changes made to the planned goal, metrics, or desired outcomes. The only changes in actions were made to increase the amount of funding for programs for the upcoming year.

A report of the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for last year's actions may be found in the Annual Update Table. A report of the Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services for last year's actions may be found in the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table.

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description
4	Maintain Siskiyou County Expelled Youth Plan to coordinate the instruction of expelled pupils in Siskiyou County.

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

This goal was developed to meet the COE requirement for State Priority 9 - Expelled Youth.

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
Siskiyou County Expelled Youth Plan (current 3 year plan)	Siskiyou County Expelled Youth Plan (2021-2024) was revised and approved in June 2021 and posted to the Siskiyou County Office of Education website at www.siskiyoucoe.net	Maintained current Siskiyou County Expelled Youth Plan			Maintain current Siskiyou County Expelled Youth Plan

Actions

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
4.1	Siskiyou County Expelled Youth Plan	Review and update the Siskiyou County Expelled Youth Plan by consulting with administrators within the county. Upload the plan to CDE and post on the Siskiyou County Office of Education website.	\$0.00	No

Goal Analysis [2021-22]

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.

A description of any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions.

There were no substantive differences.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

There were no material differences.

An explanation of how effective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal.

The County Office of Education has maintained the Expelled Youth Plan.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

There were no changes made.

A report of the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for last year's actions may be found in the Annual Update Table. A report of the Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services for last year's actions may be found in the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table.

Goals and Actions

Goal

Goal #	Description
5	SCOE will coordinate services for all foster youth residing in Siskiyou County in accordance with Ed. Code and ESSA and review the plan annually for changes to improve academic outcomes for Foster Youth.

An explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal.

Siskiyou County Office of Education maintains coordinated services for Foster Youth in the county to meet the requirements of Ed Code, ESSA, and the Foster Youth Services Grant. Analysis of state and local data show a need for decreasing chronic absenteeism, maintaining communication with districts, and coordinating with other agencies to support students. The metrics and actions included in this goal will sustain our progress through close monitoring of student achievement, attendance and chronic absenteeism, along with providing foster youth with academic and social-emotional supports necessary.

Measuring and Reporting Results

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
Smarter Balanced Test Scores ELA	2018-2019 Combined Standard of FY Met 22.5%	2020-2021 Combined Standard of FY Met 20%.			28%: Up 2% each year
Smarter Balanced Test Scores Mathematics	2018-2019 Combined Standard of FY Met or 12.5%	2020-2021 Combined Standard of FY Met 8%.			18.5%: Up 2% each year
Suspension Rates	2019-20 Unduplicated County of FY Suspended 10%	2020-2021 Unduplicated County of FY Suspended 6.3%			7% : Drop 1% each year
Expulsion Rates	2020-21 Expulsion Rates .9%	2020-2021 Expulsion Rate 1.6%			Remain below 1% each year
Foster Youth in Juvenile System	2020-21 4.6 %	2020-2021 4.6%			3.6 %

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for 2023–24
Chronic Absenteeism Rates	2020-21 FY Chronic Absenteeism Rate 21.6%	2020-2021 FY Chronic Absenteeism Rate 41.3%.			28%: Drop 2% each year
Attendance Rates	2019-20 FY Attendance 90.4 %	2020-2021 FY Attendance 89.97%.			93%: Up 1% each year
High School Graduation Rates	2019-2020 FY Graduation Rate 87%	2020-2021 FY Graduation Rate 71%.			90%: UP 1% each year
High School Drop Out Rates	2019-2020 FY Dropout Rate 12%	2020-2021 FY Dropout Rate 29%.			10%: Drop 2% each year
Successful Transitions to Post secondary	2019-2020 FY High School Completers Enrolled in College 62.3%	2020-2021 FY High School Completers Enrolled in College 20%.			65%: Up 1% each year
Completion of FAFSA/Dream Act	2020-2021 FY Completed FAFSA/ Dream Act 100%	2020-2021 FY Completed FAFSA/ Dream Act 100%			Maintain 100% Completion Rate

Actions

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
5.1	Foster Youth Coordinator	<p>Monitor local policy/procedures and data infrastructure necessary to support and monitor educational success, including efficient transfer of health and education records and the health and education passport.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Work with CDE, districts and county child welfare and probation agencies to obtain, share and analyze data to accurately identify foster youth and track progress on all required metrics. 2. Maintain and monitor MOUs with probation, HHSA and district agencies to increase graduation rates and reduce school transfer rates. 	\$1,500.00	No

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
		<p>3. Ensure districts are informed of who their foster youth are and all pertinent information weekly utilizing Foster Focus Data Management System. (\$1,500 annually)</p> <p>(Program Coordinator, Program Assistant, and Foster Focus all paid with Foster Youth Grant)</p>		
5.2	Communication with districts	<p>Ensure foster youth liaisons (Ed Code 48853.5) and district level oversight staff have adequate time, knowledge, and resources to meet the needs of foster youth.</p> <p>1. Train and support district liaisons and district level oversight staff to ensure district and school site staff are informed about and implement all laws and district policies affecting foster youth.</p> <p>2. Monitor services provided to foster youth at the district level to ensure:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * All foster youth have access to necessary education and school counseling services * To reduce school transfers and ensure foster youth are transported to their school of origin when in their best interest, including funding or otherwise facilitating transportation * Ensure priority access for foster youth to receive district level tutoring and other academic and social/emotional supports, after-school and summer enrichment programs, and extracurricular activities <p>(FY Coordinator included in Action 1, Case Manager salary and benefits, FY Program Assistant salary and benefits paid through FY Grant)</p>	\$0.00	No

Action #	Title	Description	Total Funds	Contributing
5.3	Coordinated Services	<p>Districts will have a coordinated delivery of educational and social emotional intervention services through collaboration with Siskiyou County Health and Human Services Children's Division, Probation, Foster Youth Services Coordinating Program and Educational Rights Holder. Meetings are held in response to students in crisis and having significant needs.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Schedule trainings with district office staff and instructional staff to support the needs of foster youth. 2. Attend foster youth IEPs and SST meetings to review academic and behavioral successes and challenges 3. Invite District Liaisons to Critical Family Team Meetings (CFT) 4. Refer qualifying students to Independent Living Programs 5. Attend Regional Program Resource Committee meetings to support special education placements <p>(all services included in Actions 1 & 2)</p>	\$0.00	No
5.4	Student Supports	<p>Ensure students have social-emotional, academic, and transition support.</p> <p>(Case manager cost included in Action 2, AmeriCorps worker contract paid through FY Grant)</p>	\$8,500.00	No

Goal Analysis [2021-22]

An analysis of how this goal was carried out in the previous year.

A description of any substantive differences in planned actions and actual implementation of these actions.

There were no substantive differences between planned and actual implementation of actions.

An explanation of material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and/or Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services.

There were no material differences.

An explanation of how effective the specific actions were in making progress toward the goal.

These specific actions were effective in making progress towards the goal through increased communication, early academic interventions, accuracy in data information and one to one training for LEAs.

A description of any changes made to the planned goal, metrics, desired outcomes, or actions for the coming year that resulted from reflections on prior practice.

There were no changes made to planned goal, metrics, outcomes, or actions.

A report of the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for last year's actions may be found in the Annual Update Table. A report of the Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services for last year's actions may be found in the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table.

Increased or Improved Services for Foster Youth, English Learners, and Low-Income Students [2022-23]

Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants	Projected Additional LCFF Concentration Grant (15 percent)
0	0

Required Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the LCAP Year

Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year	LCFF Carryover — Percentage	LCFF Carryover — Dollar	Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year
0.00%	0.00%	\$0.00	0.00%

The Budgeted Expenditures for Actions identified as Contributing may be found in the Contributing Actions Table.

Required Descriptions

For each action being provided to an entire school, or across the entire school district or county office of education (COE), an explanation of (1) how the needs of foster youth, English learners, and low-income students were considered first, and (2) how these actions are effective in meeting the goals for these students.

A description of how services for foster youth, English learners, and low-income students are being increased or improved by the percentage required.

The Siskiyou County Office of Education does not receive Supplemental & Concentration Grant funds, as all of our students are counted in their district of residence.

A description of the plan for how the additional concentration grant add-on funding identified above will be used to increase the number of staff providing direct services to students at schools that have a high concentration (above 55 percent) of foster youth, English learners, and low-income students, as applicable.

Not applicable

Staff-to-student ratios by type of school and concentration of unduplicated students	Schools with a student concentration of 55 percent or less	Schools with a student concentration of greater than 55 percent
Staff-to-student ratio of classified staff providing direct services to students	N/A	N/A
Staff-to-student ratio of certificated staff providing direct services to students	N/A	N/A

2022-23 Total Expenditures Table

Totals	LCFF Funds	Other State Funds	Local Funds	Federal Funds	Total Funds	Total Personnel	Total Non-personnel
Totals	\$0.00	\$83,949.00		\$30,634.00	\$114,583.00	\$57,610.00	\$56,973.00

Goal	Action #	Action Title	Student Group(s)	LCFF Funds	Other State Funds	Local Funds	Federal Funds	Total Funds
1	1.1	Attendance Monitoring System	All		\$1,101.00			\$1,101.00
1	1.2	Data Specialist	All		\$53,930.00			\$53,930.00
1	1.3	Attendance Communication	All					\$0.00
1	1.4	Update Technology	All		\$10,000.00			\$10,000.00
2	2.1	Curriculum Purchase (Annual)	All		\$8,318.00		\$8,000.00	\$16,318.00
2	2.2	Professional Development	All				\$2,544.00	\$2,544.00
2	2.3	Paraprofessionals	All				\$3,680.00	\$3,680.00
2	2.5	Implement data program - student records/monitoring progress	All					\$0.00
3	3.1	Maintain the County Supplemental Science Program	All				\$6,000.00	\$6,000.00
3	3.2	Provide Parent Trainings at CAC Meetings	All Students with Disabilities					\$0.00
3	3.3	Token Economy	All		\$600.00			\$600.00
3	3.4	Outdoor Education - Kidder Creek	All				\$10,410.00	\$10,410.00
4	4.1	Siskiyou County Expelled Youth Plan	All					\$0.00
5	5.1	Foster Youth Coordinator	Foster Youth		\$1,500.00			\$1,500.00

Goal	Action #	Action Title	Student Group(s)	LCFF Funds	Other State Funds	Local Funds	Federal Funds	Total Funds
5	5.2	Communication with districts	Foster Youth					\$0.00
5	5.3	Coordinated Services	Foster Youth					\$0.00
5	5.4	Student Supports	Foster Youth		\$8,500.00			\$8,500.00

2022-23 Contributing Actions Table

1. Projected LCFF Base Grant	2. Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants	3. Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year (2 divided by 1)	LCFF Carryover — Percentage (Percentage from Prior Year)	Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year (3 + Carryover %)	4. Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (LCFF Funds)	5. Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (%)	Planned Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year (4 divided by 1, plus 5)	Totals by Type	Total LCFF Funds
4,982,865	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	\$0.00	0.00%		Total:	\$0.00
								LEA-wide Total:	\$0.00
								Limited Total:	\$0.00
								Schoolwide Total:	\$0.00

Goal	Action #	Action Title	Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?	Scope	Unduplicated Student Group(s)	Location	Planned Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds)	Planned Percentage of Improved Services (%)
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This table is automatically generated and calculated from the Goals section of the 2022 LCAP.

2021-22 Annual Update Table

Totals	Last Year's Total Planned Expenditures (Total Funds)	Total Estimated Expenditures (Total Funds)
Totals	\$148,221.75	\$171,861.00

Last Year's Goal #	Last Year's Action #	Prior Action/Service Title	Contributed to Increased or Improved Services?	Last Year's Planned Expenditures (Total Funds)	Estimated Actual Expenditures (Input Total Funds)
1	1.1	Attendance Monitoring System	No	\$3,304.00	\$1,128
1	1.2	Data Specialist	No	\$37,218.50	\$49,534
1	1.3	Attendance Communication	No	\$0.00	\$0
1	1.4	Update Technology	No	\$3,000.00	\$11,120
2	2.1	Curriculum Purchase (Annual)	No	\$16,179.00	\$15,525
2	2.2	Professional Development	No	\$2,544.00	\$940
2	2.3	Paraprofessionals	No	\$60,786.25	\$68,575
2	2.5	Implement data program - student records/monitoring progress	No	\$0.00	\$0
3	3.1	Maintain the County Supplemental Science Program	No	\$5,400.00	\$5,680
3	3.2	Provide Parent Trainings at CAC Meetings	No	\$0.00	\$0

Last Year's Goal #	Last Year's Action #	Prior Action/Service Title	Contributed to Increased or Improved Services?	Last Year's Planned Expenditures (Total Funds)	Estimated Actual Expenditures (Input Total Funds)
3	3.3	Token Economy	No	\$600.00	\$0
3	3.4	Outdoor Education - Kidder Creek	No	\$9,690.00	\$10,159
4	4.1	Siskiyou County Expelled Youth Plan	No	\$0.00	\$0
5	5.1	Foster Youth Coordinator	No	\$1,500.00	\$1,500
5	5.2	Communication with districts	No	\$0.00	\$0
5	5.3	Coordinated Services	No	\$0.00	\$0
5	5.4	Student Supports	No	\$8,000.00	\$7,700

2021-22 Contributing Actions Annual Update Table

6. Estimated LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants (Input Dollar Amount)	4. Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (LCFF Funds)	7. Total Estimated Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds)	Difference Between Planned and Estimated Expenditures for Contributing Actions (Subtract 7 from 4)	5. Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (%)	8. Total Estimated Percentage of Improved Services (%)	Difference Between Planned and Estimated Percentage of Improved Services (Subtract 5 from 8)
\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

Last Year's Goal #	Last Year's Action #	Prior Action/Service Title	Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?	Last Year's Planned Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds)	Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (Input LCFF Funds)	Planned Percentage of Improved Services	Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (Input Percentage)
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This table was automatically populated from the 2021 LCAP. Existing content should not be changed, but additional actions/funding can be added.

2021-22 LCFF Carryover Table

9. Estimated Actual LCFF Base Grant (Input Dollar Amount)	6. Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants	LCFF Carryover — Percentage (Percentage from Prior Year)	10. Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Current School Year (6 divided by 9 + Carryover %)	7. Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds)	8. Total Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (%)	11. Estimated Actual Percentage of Increased or Improved Services (7 divided by 9, plus 8)	12. LCFF Carryover — Dollar Amount (Subtract 11 from 10 and multiply by 9)	13. LCFF Carryover — Percentage (12 divided by 9)
\$5,411,654	\$0	0	0.00%	\$0.00	0.00%	0.00%	\$0.00	0.00%

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For additional questions or technical assistance related to the completion of the Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) template, please contact the local county office of education (COE), or the California Department of Education's (CDE's) Local Agency Systems Support Office, by phone at 916-319-0809 or by email at lcff@cde.ca.gov.

Introduction and Instructions

The Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) requires local educational agencies (LEAs) to engage their local educational partners in an annual planning process to evaluate their progress within eight state priority areas encompassing all statutory metrics (COEs have 10 state priorities). LEAs document the results of this planning process in the LCAP using the template adopted by the State Board of Education.

The LCAP development process serves three distinct, but related functions:

- **Comprehensive Strategic Planning:** The process of developing and annually updating the LCAP supports comprehensive strategic planning (California *Education Code* [EC] Section 52064[e][1]). Strategic planning that is comprehensive connects budgetary decisions to teaching and learning performance data. LEAs should continually evaluate the hard choices they make about the use of limited resources to meet student and community needs to ensure opportunities and outcomes are improved for all students.
- **Meaningful Engagement of Educational Partners:** The LCAP development process should result in an LCAP that reflects decisions made through meaningful engagement (EC Section 52064[e][1]). Local educational partners possess valuable perspectives and insights about an LEA's programs and services. Effective strategic planning will incorporate these perspectives and insights in order to identify potential goals and actions to be included in the LCAP.
- **Accountability and Compliance:** The LCAP serves an important accountability function because aspects of the LCAP template require LEAs to show that they have complied with various requirements specified in the LCFF statutes and regulations, most notably:
 - Demonstrating that LEAs are increasing or improving services for foster youth, English learners, and low-income students in proportion to the amount of additional funding those students generate under LCFF (EC Section 52064[b][4-6]).
 - Establishing goals, supported by actions and related expenditures, that address the statutory priority areas and statutory metrics (EC sections 52064[b][1] and [2]).
 - Annually reviewing and updating the LCAP to reflect progress toward the goals (EC Section 52064[b][7]).

The LCAP template, like each LEA’s final adopted LCAP, is a document, not a process. LEAs must use the template to memorialize the outcome of their LCAP development process, which should: (a) reflect comprehensive strategic planning (b) through meaningful engagement with educational partners that (c) meets legal requirements, as reflected in the final adopted LCAP. The sections included within the LCAP template do not and cannot reflect the full development process, just as the LCAP template itself is not intended as a tool for engaging educational partners.

If a county superintendent of schools has jurisdiction over a single school district, the county board of education and the governing board of the school district may adopt and file for review and approval a single LCAP consistent with the requirements in *EC* sections 52060, 52062, 52066, 52068, and 52070. The LCAP must clearly articulate to which entity’s budget (school district or county superintendent of schools) all budgeted and actual expenditures are aligned.

The revised LCAP template for the 2021–22, 2022–23, and 2023–24 school years reflects statutory changes made through Assembly Bill 1840 (Committee on Budget), Chapter 243, Statutes of 2018. These statutory changes enhance transparency regarding expenditures on actions included in the LCAP, including actions that contribute to meeting the requirement to increase or improve services for foster youth, English learners, and low-income students, and to streamline the information presented within the LCAP to make adopted LCAPs more accessible for educational partners and the public.

At its most basic, the adopted LCAP should attempt to distill not just what the LEA is doing for students in transitional kindergarten through grade twelve (TK–12), but also allow educational partners to understand why, and whether those strategies are leading to improved opportunities and outcomes for students. LEAs are strongly encouraged to use language and a level of detail in their adopted LCAPs intended to be meaningful and accessible for the LEA’s diverse educational partners and the broader public.

In developing and finalizing the LCAP for adoption, LEAs are encouraged to keep the following overarching frame at the forefront of the strategic planning and educational partner engagement functions:

Given present performance across the state priorities and on indicators in the California School Dashboard (Dashboard), how is the LEA using its budgetary resources to respond to TK–12 student and community needs, and address any performance gaps, including by meeting its obligation to increase or improve services for foster youth, English learners, and low-income students?

LEAs are encouraged to focus on a set of metrics and actions that the LEA believes, based on input gathered from educational partners, research, and experience, will have the biggest impact on behalf of its TK–12 students.

These instructions address the requirements for each section of the LCAP, but may include information about effective practices when developing the LCAP and completing the LCAP itself. Additionally, information is included at the beginning of each section emphasizing the purpose that each section serves.

Plan Summary

Purpose

A well-developed Plan Summary section provides a meaningful context for the LCAP. This section provides information about an LEA's community as well as relevant information about student needs and performance. In order to provide a meaningful context for the rest of the LCAP, the content of this section should be clearly and meaningfully related to the content included in the subsequent sections of the LCAP.

Requirements and Instructions

General Information – Briefly describe the LEA, its schools, and its students in grades TK–12, as applicable to the LEA. For example, information about an LEA in terms of geography, enrollment, or employment, the number and size of specific schools, recent community challenges, and other such information as an LEA wishes to include can enable a reader to more fully understand an LEA's LCAP.

Reflections: Successes – Based on a review of performance on the state indicators and local performance indicators included in the Dashboard, progress toward LCAP goals, local self-assessment tools, input from educational partners, and any other information, what progress is the LEA most proud of and how does the LEA plan to maintain or build upon that success? This may include identifying specific examples of how past increases or improvements in services for foster youth, English learners, and low-income students have led to improved performance for these students.

Reflections: Identified Need – Referring to the Dashboard, identify: (a) any state indicator for which overall performance was in the “Red” or “Orange” performance category or any local indicator where the LEA received a “Not Met” or “Not Met for Two or More Years” rating AND (b) any state indicator for which performance for any student group was two or more performance levels below the “all student” performance. What steps is the LEA planning to take to address these areas of low performance and performance gaps? An LEA that is required to include a goal to address one or more consistently low-performing student groups or low-performing schools must identify that it is required to include this goal and must also identify the applicable student group(s) and/or school(s). Other needs may be identified using locally collected data including data collected to inform the self-reflection tools and reporting local indicators on the Dashboard.

LCAP Highlights – Identify and briefly summarize the key features of this year's LCAP.

Comprehensive Support and Improvement – An LEA with a school or schools identified for comprehensive support and improvement (CSI) under the Every Student Succeeds Act must respond to the following prompts:

- **Schools Identified:** Identify the schools within the LEA that have been identified for CSI.
- **Support for Identified Schools:** Describe how the LEA has or will support the identified schools in developing CSI plans that included a school-level needs assessment, evidence-based interventions, and the identification of any resource inequities to be addressed through the implementation of the CSI plan.
- **Monitoring and Evaluating Effectiveness:** Describe how the LEA will monitor and evaluate the implementation and effectiveness of the CSI plan to support student and school improvement.

Engaging Educational Partners

Purpose

Significant and purposeful engagement of parents, students, educators, and other educational partners, including those representing the student groups identified by LCFF, is critical to the development of the LCAP and the budget process. Consistent with statute, such engagement should support comprehensive strategic planning, accountability, and improvement across the state priorities and locally identified priorities (*EC Section 52064[e][1]*). Engagement of educational partners is an ongoing, annual process.

This section is designed to reflect how the engagement of educational partners influenced the decisions reflected in the adopted LCAP. The goal is to allow educational partners that participated in the LCAP development process and the broader public understand how the LEA engaged educational partners and the impact of that engagement. LEAs are encouraged to keep this goal in the forefront when completing this section.

Statute and regulations specify the educational partners that school districts and COEs must consult when developing the LCAP: teachers, principals, administrators, other school personnel, local bargaining units of the LEA, parents, and students. Before adopting the LCAP, school districts and COEs must share it with the Parent Advisory Committee and, if applicable, to its English Learner Parent Advisory Committee. The superintendent is required by statute to respond in writing to the comments received from these committees. School districts and COEs must also consult with the special education local plan area administrator(s) when developing the LCAP.

Statute requires charter schools to consult with teachers, principals, administrators, other school personnel, parents, and students in developing the LCAP. The LCAP should also be shared with, and LEAs should request input from, schoolsite-level advisory groups, as applicable (e.g., schoolsite councils, English Learner Advisory Councils, student advisory groups, etc.), to facilitate alignment between schoolsite and district-level goals and actions.

Information and resources that support effective engagement, define student consultation, and provide the requirements for advisory group composition, can be found under Resources on the following web page of the CDE's website: <https://www.cde.ca.gov/re/lc/>.

Requirements and Instructions

Below is an excerpt from the 2018–19 *Guide for Annual Audits of K–12 Local Education Agencies and State Compliance Reporting*, which is provided to highlight the legal requirements for engagement of educational partners in the LCAP development process:

Local Control and Accountability Plan:

For county offices of education and school districts only, verify the LEA:

- a) Presented the local control and accountability plan to the parent advisory committee in accordance with Education Code section 52062(a)(1) or 52068(a)(1), as appropriate.
- b) If applicable, presented the local control and accountability plan to the English learner parent advisory committee, in accordance with Education Code section 52062(a)(2) or 52068(a)(2), as appropriate.

- c) Notified members of the public of the opportunity to submit comments regarding specific actions and expenditures proposed to be included in the local control and accountability plan in accordance with Education Code section 52062(a)(3) or 52068(a)(3), as appropriate.
- d) Held at least one public hearing in accordance with Education Code section 52062(b)(1) or 52068(b)(1), as appropriate.
- e) Adopted the local control and accountability plan in a public meeting in accordance with Education Code section 52062(b)(2) or 52068(b)(2), as appropriate.

Prompt 1: “A summary of the process used to engage educational partners and how this engagement was considered before finalizing the LCAP.”

Describe the engagement process used by the LEA to involve educational partners in the development of the LCAP, including, at a minimum, describing how the LEA met its obligation to consult with all statutorily required educational partners as applicable to the type of LEA. A sufficient response to this prompt must include general information about the timeline of the process and meetings or other engagement strategies with educational partners. A response may also include information about an LEA’s philosophical approach to engaging its educational partners.

Prompt 2: “A summary of the feedback provided by specific educational partners.”

Describe and summarize the feedback provided by specific educational partners. A sufficient response to this prompt will indicate ideas, trends, or inputs that emerged from an analysis of the feedback received from educational partners.

Prompt 3: “A description of the aspects of the LCAP that were influenced by specific input from educational partners.”

A sufficient response to this prompt will provide educational partners and the public with clear, specific information about how the engagement process influenced the development of the LCAP. The response must describe aspects of the LCAP that were influenced by or developed in response to the educational partner feedback described in response to Prompt 2. This may include a description of how the LEA prioritized requests of educational partners within the context of the budgetary resources available or otherwise prioritized areas of focus within the LCAP. For the purposes of this prompt, “aspects” of an LCAP that may have been influenced by educational partner input can include, but are not necessarily limited to:

- Inclusion of a goal or decision to pursue a Focus Goal (as described below)
- Inclusion of metrics other than the statutorily required metrics
- Determination of the desired outcome on one or more metrics
- Inclusion of performance by one or more student groups in the Measuring and Reporting Results subsection
- Inclusion of action(s) or a group of actions
- Elimination of action(s) or group of actions
- Changes to the level of proposed expenditures for one or more actions

- Inclusion of action(s) as contributing to increased or improved services for unduplicated services
- Determination of effectiveness of the specific actions to achieve the goal
- Determination of material differences in expenditures
- Determination of changes made to a goal for the ensuing LCAP year based on the annual update process
- Determination of challenges or successes in the implementation of actions

Goals and Actions

Purpose

Well-developed goals will clearly communicate to educational partners what the LEA plans to accomplish, what the LEA plans to do in order to accomplish the goal, and how the LEA will know when it has accomplished the goal. A goal statement, associated metrics and expected outcomes, and the actions included in the goal should be in alignment. The explanation for why the LEA included a goal is an opportunity for LEAs to clearly communicate to educational partners and the public why, among the various strengths and areas for improvement highlighted by performance data and strategies and actions that could be pursued, the LEA decided to pursue this goal, and the related metrics, expected outcomes, actions, and expenditures.

A well-developed goal can be focused on the performance relative to a metric or metrics for all students, a specific student group(s), narrowing performance gaps, or implementing programs or strategies expected to impact outcomes. LEAs should assess the performance of their student groups when developing goals and the related actions to achieve such goals.

Requirements and Instructions

LEAs should prioritize the goals, specific actions, and related expenditures included within the LCAP within one or more state priorities. LEAs should consider performance on the state and local indicators, including their locally collected and reported data for the local indicators that are included in the Dashboard in determining whether and how to prioritize its goals within the LCAP.

In order to support prioritization of goals, the LCAP template provides LEAs with the option of developing three different kinds of goals:

- **Focus Goal:** A Focus Goal is relatively more concentrated in scope and may focus on a fewer number of metrics to measure improvement. A Focus Goal statement will be time bound and make clear how the goal is to be measured.
- **Broad Goal:** A Broad Goal is relatively less concentrated in its scope and may focus on improving performance across a wide range of metrics.
- **Maintenance of Progress Goal:** A Maintenance of Progress Goal includes actions that may be ongoing without significant changes and allows an LEA to track performance on any metrics not addressed in the other goals of the LCAP.

At a minimum, the LCAP must address all LCFF priorities and associated metrics.

Focus Goal(s)

Goal Description: The description provided for a Focus Goal must be specific, measurable, and time bound. An LEA develops a Focus Goal to address areas of need that may require or benefit from a more specific and data intensive approach. The Focus Goal can explicitly reference the metric(s) by which achievement of the goal will be measured and the time frame according to which the LEA expects to achieve the goal.

Explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal: Explain why the LEA has chosen to prioritize this goal. An explanation must be based on Dashboard data or other locally collected data. LEAs must describe how the LEA identified this goal for focused attention, including relevant consultation with educational partners. LEAs are encouraged to promote transparency and understanding around the decision to pursue a focus goal.

Broad Goal

Goal Description: Describe what the LEA plans to achieve through the actions included in the goal. The description of a broad goal will be clearly aligned with the expected measurable outcomes included for the goal. The goal description organizes the actions and expected outcomes in a cohesive and consistent manner. A goal description is specific enough to be measurable in either quantitative or qualitative terms. A broad goal is not as specific as a focus goal. While it is specific enough to be measurable, there are many different metrics for measuring progress toward the goal.

Explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal: Explain why the LEA developed this goal and how the actions and metrics grouped together will help achieve the goal.

Maintenance of Progress Goal

Goal Description: Describe how the LEA intends to maintain the progress made in the LCFF State Priorities not addressed by the other goals in the LCAP. Use this type of goal to address the state priorities and applicable metrics not addressed within the other goals in the LCAP. The state priorities and metrics to be addressed in this section are those for which the LEA, in consultation with educational partners, has determined to maintain actions and monitor progress while focusing implementation efforts on the actions covered by other goals in the LCAP.

Explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal: Explain how the actions will sustain the progress exemplified by the related metrics.

Required Goals

In general, LEAs have flexibility in determining what goals to include in the LCAP and what those goals will address; however, beginning with the development of the 2022–23 LCAP, LEAs that meet certain criteria are required to include a specific goal in their LCAP.

Consistently low-performing student group(s) criteria: An LEA is eligible for Differentiated Assistance for three or more consecutive years based on the performance of the same student group or groups in the Dashboard. A list of the LEAs required to include a goal in the LCAP based on student group performance, and the student group(s) that lead to identification, may be found on the CDE’s Local Control Funding Formula web page at <https://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/lc/>.

- **Consistently low-performing student group(s) goal requirement:** An LEA meeting the consistently low-performing student group(s) criteria must include a goal in its LCAP focused on improving the performance of the student group or groups that led to the LEA’s eligibility for Differentiated

Assistance. This goal must include metrics, outcomes, actions, and expenditures specific to addressing the needs of, and improving outcomes for, this student group or groups. An LEA required to address multiple student groups is not required to have a goal to address each student group; however, each student group must be specifically addressed in the goal. This requirement may not be met by combining this required goal with another goal.

- **Goal Description:** Describe the outcomes the LEA plans to achieve to address the needs of, and improve outcomes for, the student group or groups that led to the LEA's eligibility for Differentiated Assistance.
- **Explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal:** Explain why the LEA is required to develop this goal, including identifying the student group(s) that lead to the LEA being required to develop this goal, how the actions and associated metrics included in this goal differ from previous efforts to improve outcomes for the student group(s), and why the LEA believes the actions, metrics, and expenditures included in this goal will help achieve the outcomes identified in the goal description.

Low-performing school(s) criteria: The following criteria only applies to a school district or COE with two or more schools; it does not apply to a single-school district. A school district or COE has one or more schools that, for two consecutive years, received the two lowest performance levels on all but one of the state indicators for which the school(s) receive performance levels in the Dashboard and the performance of the "All Students" student group for the LEA is at least one performance level higher in all of those indicators. A list of the LEAs required to include a goal in the LCAP based on school performance, and the school(s) that lead to identification, may be found on the CDE's Local Control Funding Formula web page at <https://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/lc/>.

- **Low-performing school(s) goal requirement:** A school district or COE meeting the low-performing school(s) criteria must include a goal in its LCAP focusing on addressing the disparities in performance between the school(s) and the LEA as a whole. This goal must include metrics, outcomes, actions, and expenditures specific to addressing the needs of, and improving outcomes for, the students enrolled at the low-performing school or schools. An LEA required to address multiple schools is not required to have a goal to address each school; however, each school must be specifically addressed in the goal. This requirement may not be met by combining this goal with another goal.
- **Goal Description:** Describe what outcomes the LEA plans to achieve to address the disparities in performance between the students enrolled at the low-performing school(s) and the students enrolled at the LEA as a whole.
- **Explanation of why the LEA has developed this goal:** Explain why the LEA is required to develop this goal, including identifying the schools(s) that lead to the LEA being required to develop this goal; how the actions and associated metrics included in this goal differ from previous efforts to improve outcomes for the school(s); and why the LEA believes the actions, metrics, and expenditures included in this goal will help achieve the outcomes for students enrolled at the low-performing school or schools identified in the goal description.

Measuring and Reporting Results:

For each LCAP year, identify the metric(s) that the LEA will use to track progress toward the expected outcomes. LEAs are encouraged to identify metrics for specific student groups, as appropriate, including expected outcomes that would reflect narrowing of any existing performance gaps.

Include in the baseline column the most recent data associated with this metric available at the time of adoption of the LCAP for the first year of the three-year plan. LEAs may use data as reported on the 2019 Dashboard for the baseline of a metric only if that data represents the most recent available (e.g., high school graduation rate).

Using the most recent data available may involve reviewing data the LEA is preparing for submission to the California Longitudinal Pupil Achievement Data System (CALPADS) or data that the LEA has recently submitted to CALPADS. Because final 2020–21 outcomes on some metrics may not be computable at the time the 2021–24 LCAP is adopted (e.g., graduation rate, suspension rate), the most recent data available may include a point in time calculation taken each year on the same date for comparability purposes.

The baseline data shall remain unchanged throughout the three-year LCAP.

Complete the table as follows:

- **Metric:** Indicate how progress is being measured using a metric.
- **Baseline:** Enter the baseline when completing the LCAP for 2021–22. As described above, the baseline is the most recent data associated with a metric. Indicate the school year to which the data applies, consistent with the instructions above.
- **Year 1 Outcome:** When completing the LCAP for 2022–23, enter the most recent data available. Indicate the school year to which the data applies, consistent with the instructions above.
- **Year 2 Outcome:** When completing the LCAP for 2023–24, enter the most recent data available. Indicate the school year to which the data applies, consistent with the instructions above.
- **Year 3 Outcome:** When completing the LCAP for 2024–25, enter the most recent data available. Indicate the school year to which the data applies, consistent with the instructions above. The 2024–25 LCAP will be the first year in the next three-year cycle. Completing this column will be part of the Annual Update for that year.
- **Desired Outcome for 2023–24:** When completing the first year of the LCAP, enter the desired outcome for the relevant metric the LEA expects to achieve by the end of the 2023–24 LCAP year.

Timeline for completing the “**Measuring and Reporting Results**” part of the Goal.

Metric	Baseline	Year 1 Outcome	Year 2 Outcome	Year 3 Outcome	Desired Outcome for Year 3 (2023–24)
Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for 2021–22 .	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for 2021–22 .	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for 2022–23 . Leave blank until then.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for 2023–24 . Leave blank until then.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for 2024–25 . Leave blank until then.	Enter information in this box when completing the LCAP for 2021–22 or when adding a new metric.

The metrics may be quantitative or qualitative; but at minimum, an LEA’s LCAP must include goals that are measured using all of the applicable metrics for the related state priorities, in each LCAP year as applicable to the type of LEA. To the extent a state priority does not specify one or more metrics (e.g., implementation of state academic content and performance standards), the LEA must identify a metric to use within the LCAP. For these state priorities, LEAs are encouraged to use metrics based on or reported through the relevant self-reflection tool for local indicators within the Dashboard.

Actions: Enter the action number. Provide a short title for the action. This title will also appear in the action tables. Provide a description of the action. Enter the total amount of expenditures associated with this action. Budgeted expenditures from specific fund sources will be provided in the summary tables. Indicate whether the action contributes to meeting the increase or improved services requirement as described in the Increased or Improved Services section using a “Y” for Yes or an “N” for No. (**Note:** for each such action offered on an LEA-wide or schoolwide basis, the LEA will need to provide additional information in the Increased or Improved Summary Section to address the requirements in *California Code of Regulations*, Title 5 [5 CCR] Section 15496(b) in the Increased or Improved Services Section of the LCAP).

Actions for English Learners: School districts, COEs, and charter schools that have a numerically significant English learner student subgroup must include specific actions in the LCAP related to, at a minimum, the language acquisition programs, as defined in EC Section 306, provided to students and professional development activities specific to English learners.

Actions for Foster Youth: School districts, COEs, and charter schools that have a numerically significant Foster Youth student subgroup are encouraged to include specific actions in the LCAP designed to meet needs specific to Foster Youth students.

Goal Analysis:

Enter the LCAP Year.

Using actual annual measurable outcome data, including data from the Dashboard, analyze whether the planned actions were effective in achieving the goal. Respond to the prompts as instructed.

- Describe the overall implementation of the actions to achieve the articulated goal. Include a discussion of relevant challenges and successes experienced with the implementation process. This must include any instance where the LEA did not implement a planned action or implemented a planned action in a manner that differs substantively from how it was described in the adopted LCAP.
- Explain material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures and between the Planned Percentages of Improved Services and Estimated Actual Percentages of Improved Services, as applicable. Minor variances in expenditures or percentages do not need to be addressed, and a dollar-for-dollar accounting is not required.
- Describe the effectiveness of the specific actions to achieve the articulated goal as measured by the LEA. In some cases, not all actions in a goal will be intended to improve performance on all of the metrics associated with the goal. When responding to this prompt, LEAs may assess the effectiveness of a single action or group of actions within the goal in the context of performance on a single metric or group of specific metrics within the goal that are applicable to the action(s). Grouping actions with metrics will allow for more robust analysis of whether the strategy the LEA is using to impact a specified set of metrics is working and increase transparency for educational partners. LEAs are encouraged to use such an approach when goals include multiple actions and metrics that are not closely associated.
- Describe any changes made to this goal, expected outcomes, metrics, or actions to achieve this goal as a result of this analysis and analysis of the data provided in the Dashboard or other local data, as applicable.

Increased or Improved Services for Foster Youth, English Learners, and Low-Income Students

Purpose

A well-written Increased or Improved Services section provides educational partners with a comprehensive description, within a single dedicated section, of how an LEA plans to increase or improve services for its unduplicated students in grades TK–12 as compared to all students in grades TK–12, as applicable, and how LEA-wide or schoolwide actions identified for this purpose meet regulatory requirements. Descriptions provided should include sufficient detail yet be sufficiently succinct to promote a broader understanding of educational partners to facilitate their ability to provide input. An LEA’s description in this section must align with the actions included in the Goals and Actions section as contributing.

Requirements and Instructions

Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants: Specify the amount of LCFF supplemental and concentration grant funds the LEA estimates it will receive in the coming year based on the number and concentration of low income, foster youth, and English learner students.

Projected Additional LCFF Concentration Grant (15 percent): Specify the amount of additional LCFF concentration grant add-on funding, as described in EC Section 42238.02, that the LEA estimates it will receive in the coming year.

Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year: Specify the estimated percentage by which services for unduplicated pupils must be increased or improved as compared to the services provided to all students in the LCAP year as calculated pursuant to 5 CCR Section 15496(a)(7).

LCFF Carryover — Percentage: Specify the LCFF Carryover — Percentage identified in the LCFF Carryover Table. If a carryover percentage is not identified in the LCFF Carryover Table, specify a percentage of zero (0.00%).

LCFF Carryover — Dollar: Specify the LCFF Carryover — Dollar amount identified in the LCFF Carryover Table. If a carryover amount is not identified in the LCFF Carryover Table, specify an amount of zero (\$0).

Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year: Add the Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year and the Proportional LCFF Required Carryover Percentage and specify the percentage. This is the LEAs percentage by which services for unduplicated pupils must be increased or improved as compared to the services provided to all students in the LCAP year, as calculated pursuant to 5 CCR Section 15496(a)(7).

Required Descriptions:

For each action being provided to an entire school, or across the entire school district or COE, an explanation of (1) how the needs of foster youth, English learners, and low-income students were considered first, and (2) how these actions are effective in meeting the goals for these students.

For each action included in the Goals and Actions section as contributing to the increased or improved services requirement for unduplicated pupils and provided on an LEA-wide or schoolwide basis, the LEA must include an explanation consistent with 5 CCR Section 15496(b). For any such actions continued into the 2021–24 LCAP from the 2017–2020 LCAP, the LEA must determine whether or not the action was effective as expected, and this determination must reflect evidence of outcome data or actual implementation to date.

Principally Directed and Effective: An LEA demonstrates how an action is principally directed towards and effective in meeting the LEA’s goals for unduplicated students when the LEA explains how:

- It considers the needs, conditions, or circumstances of its unduplicated pupils;
- The action, or aspect(s) of the action (including, for example, its design, content, methods, or location), is based on these considerations; and
- The action is intended to help achieve an expected measurable outcome of the associated goal.

As such, the response provided in this section may rely on a needs assessment of unduplicated students.

Conclusory statements that a service will help achieve an expected outcome for the goal, without an explicit connection or further explanation as to how, are not sufficient. Further, simply stating that an LEA has a high enrollment percentage of a specific student group or groups does not meet the increase or improve services standard because enrolling students is not the same as serving students.

For example, if an LEA determines that low-income students have a significantly lower attendance rate than the attendance rate for all students, it might justify LEA-wide or schoolwide actions to address this area of need in the following way:

After assessing the needs, conditions, and circumstances of our low-income students, we learned that the attendance rate of our low-income students is 7 percent lower than the attendance rate for all students. (Needs, Conditions, Circumstances [Principally Directed])

In order to address this condition of our low-income students, we will develop and implement a new attendance program that is designed to address some of the major causes of absenteeism, including lack of reliable transportation and food, as well as a school climate that does not emphasize the importance of attendance. Goal N, Actions X, Y, and Z provide additional transportation and nutritional resources as well as a districtwide educational campaign on the benefits of high attendance rates. (Contributing Action[s])

These actions are being provided on an LEA-wide basis and we expect/hope that all students with less than a 100 percent attendance rate will benefit. However, because of the significantly lower attendance rate of low-income students, and because the actions meet needs most associated with the chronic stresses and experiences of a socio-economically disadvantaged status, we expect that the attendance rate for our low-income students will increase significantly more than the average attendance rate of all other students. (Measurable Outcomes [Effective In])

COEs and Charter Schools: Describe how actions included as contributing to meeting the increased or improved services requirement on an LEA-wide basis are principally directed to and effective in meeting its goals for unduplicated pupils in the state and any local priorities as described above. In the case of COEs and charter schools, schoolwide and LEA-wide are considered to be synonymous.

For School Districts Only:

Actions Provided on an LEA-Wide Basis:

Unduplicated Percentage > 55 percent: For school districts with an unduplicated pupil percentage of 55 percent or more, describe how these actions are principally directed to and effective in meeting its goals for unduplicated pupils in the state and any local priorities as described above.

Unduplicated Percentage < 55 percent: For school districts with an unduplicated pupil percentage of less than 55 percent, describe how these actions are principally directed to and effective in meeting its goals for unduplicated pupils in the state and any local priorities. Also describe how the actions **are the most effective use of the funds** to meet these goals for its unduplicated pupils. Provide the basis for this determination, including any alternatives considered, supporting research, experience, or educational theory.

Actions Provided on a Schoolwide Basis:

School Districts must identify in the description those actions being funded and provided on a schoolwide basis, and include the required description supporting the use of the funds on a schoolwide basis.

For schools with 40 percent or more enrollment of unduplicated pupils: Describe how these actions are principally directed to and effective in meeting its goals for its unduplicated pupils in the state and any local priorities.

For school districts expending funds on a schoolwide basis at a school with less than 40 percent enrollment of unduplicated pupils: Describe how these actions are principally directed to and how the actions are the most effective use of the funds to meet its goals for foster youth, English learners, and low-income students in the state and any local priorities.

A description of how services for foster youth, English learners, and low-income students are being increased or improved by the percentage required.

Consistent with the requirements of 5 CCR Section 15496, describe how services provided for unduplicated pupils are increased or improved by at least the percentage calculated as compared to the services provided for all students in the LCAP year. To improve services means to grow services in quality and to increase services means to grow services in quantity. Services are increased or improved by those actions in the LCAP that are included in the Goals and Actions section as contributing to the increased or improved services requirement, whether they are provided on an LEA-wide or schoolwide basis or provided on a limited basis to unduplicated students. A limited action is an action that only serves foster youth, English learners, and/or low-income students. This description must address how these action(s) are expected to result in the required proportional increase or improvement in services for unduplicated pupils as compared to the services the LEA provides to all students for the relevant LCAP year.

For any action contributing to meeting the increased or improved services requirement that is associated with a Planned Percentage of Improved Services in the Contributing Summary Table rather than an expenditure of LCFF funds, describe the methodology that was used to determine the contribution of the action towards the proportional percentage. See the instructions for determining the Planned Percentage of Improved Services for information on calculating the Percentage of Improved Services.

A description of the plan for how the additional concentration grant add-on funding identified above will be used to increase the number of staff providing direct services to students at schools that have a high concentration (above 55 percent) of foster youth, English learners, and low-income students, as applicable.

An LEA that receives the additional concentration grant add-on described in EC Section 42238.02 is required to demonstrate how it is using these funds to increase the number of staff who provide direct services to students at schools with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent as compared to the number of staff who provide direct services to students at schools with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is equal to or less than 55 percent. The staff who provide direct services to students must be certificated staff and/or classified staff employed by the LEA; classified staff includes custodial staff.

Provide the following descriptions, as applicable to the LEA:

An LEA that does not receive a concentration grant or the concentration grant add-on must indicate that a response to this prompt is not applicable.

Identify the goal and action numbers of the actions in the LCAP that the LEA is implementing to meet the requirement to increase the number of staff who provide direct services to students at schools with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent.

An LEA that does not have comparison schools from which to describe how it is using the concentration grant add-on funds, such as an LEA that only has schools with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent, must describe how it is using the funds to increase the number of credentialed staff, classified staff, or both, including custodial staff, who provide direct services to students at selected schools and the criteria used to determine which schools require additional staffing support.

In the event that an additional concentration grant add-on is not sufficient to increase staff providing direct services to students at a school with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent, the LEA must describe how it is using the funds to retain staff providing direct services to students at a school with an enrollment of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent.

Complete the table as follows:

- Provide the staff-to-student ratio of classified staff providing direct services to students with a concentration of unduplicated students that is 55 percent or less and the staff-to-student ratio of classified staff providing direct services to students at schools with a concentration of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent, as applicable to the LEA. The LEA may group its schools by grade span (Elementary, Middle/Junior High, and High Schools), as applicable to the LEA. The staff-to-student ratio must be based on the number of full time equivalent (FTE) staff and the number of enrolled students as counted on the first Wednesday in October of each year.
- Provide the staff-to-student ratio of certificated staff providing direct services to students at schools with a concentration of unduplicated students that is 55 percent or less and the staff-to-student ratio of certificated staff providing direct services to students at schools with a concentration of unduplicated students that is greater than 55 percent, as applicable to the LEA. The LEA may group its schools by grade span (Elementary, Middle/Junior High, and High Schools), as applicable to the LEA. The staff-to-student ratio must be based on the number of FTE staff and the number of enrolled students as counted on the first Wednesday in October of each year.

Action Tables

Complete the Data Entry Table for each action in the LCAP. The information entered into this table will automatically populate the other Action Tables. Information is only entered into the Data Entry Table, the Annual Update Table, the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table, and the LCFF Carryover Table. With the exception of the Data Entry Table, the word “input” has been added to column headers to aid in identifying the column(s) where information will be entered. Information is not entered on the remaining Action tables.

The following tables are required to be included as part of the LCAP adopted by the local governing board or governing body:

- Table 1: Total Planned Expenditures Table (for the coming LCAP Year)

- Table 2: Contributing Actions Table (for the coming LCAP Year)
- Table 3: Annual Update Table (for the current LCAP Year)
- Table 4: Contributing Actions Annual Update Table (for the current LCAP Year)
- Table 5: LCFF Carryover Table (for the current LCAP Year)

Note: The coming LCAP Year is the year that is being planned for, while the current LCAP year is the current year of implementation. For example, when developing the 2022–23 LCAP, 2022–23 will be the coming LCAP Year and 2021–22 will be the current LCAP Year.

Data Entry Table

The Data Entry Table may be included in the LCAP as adopted by the local governing board or governing body, but is not required to be included. In the Data Entry Table, input the following information for each action in the LCAP for that applicable LCAP year:

- **LCAP Year:** Identify the applicable LCAP Year.
- **1. Projected LCFF Base Grant:** Provide the total amount of LCFF funding the LEA estimates it will receive for the coming school year, excluding the supplemental and concentration grants and the add-ons for the Targeted Instructional Improvement Grant Program and the Home to School Transportation Program, pursuant to 5 CCR Section 15496(a)(8).

See *EC* sections 2574 (for COEs) and 42238.02 (for school districts and charter schools), as applicable, for LCFF apportionment calculations.

- **2. Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants:** Provide the total amount of LCFF supplemental and concentration grants the LEA estimates it will receive on the basis of the number and concentration of unduplicated students for the coming school year.
- **3. Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year:** This percentage will not be entered; it is calculated based on the Projected LCFF Base Grant and the Projected LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants, pursuant to 5 CCR Section 15496(a)(8). This is the percentage by which services for unduplicated pupils must be increased or improved as compared to the services provided to all students in the coming LCAP year.
- **LCFF Carryover — Percentage:** Specify the LCFF Carryover — Percentage identified in the LCFF Carryover Table from the prior LCAP year. If a carryover percentage is not identified in the LCFF Carryover Table, specify a percentage of zero (0.00%).
- **Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year:** This percentage will not be entered; it is calculated based on the Projected Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Coming School Year and the LCFF Carryover —

Percentage. This is the percentage by which the LEA must increase or improve services for unduplicated pupils as compared to the services provided to all students in the coming LCAP year.

- **Goal #:** Enter the LCAP Goal number for the action.
- **Action #:** Enter the action's number as indicated in the LCAP Goal.
- **Action Title:** Provide a title of the action.
- **Student Group(s):** Indicate the student group or groups who will be the primary beneficiary of the action by entering "All," or by entering a specific student group or groups.
- **Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?:** Type "Yes" if the action **is** included as contributing to meeting the increased or improved services; OR, type "No" if the action is **not** included as contributing to meeting the increased or improved services.
- If "Yes" is entered into the Contributing column, then complete the following columns:
 - **Scope:** The scope of an action may be LEA-wide (i.e., districtwide, countywide, or charterwide), schoolwide, or limited. An action that is LEA-wide in scope upgrades the entire educational program of the LEA. An action that is schoolwide in scope upgrades the entire educational program of a single school. An action that is limited in its scope is an action that serves only one or more unduplicated student groups.
 - **Unduplicated Student Group(s):** Regardless of scope, contributing actions serve one or more unduplicated student groups. Indicate one or more unduplicated student groups for whom services are being increased or improved as compared to what all students receive.
 - **Location:** Identify the location where the action will be provided. If the action is provided to all schools within the LEA, the LEA must indicate "All Schools." If the action is provided to specific schools within the LEA or specific grade spans only, the LEA must enter "Specific Schools" or "Specific Grade Spans." Identify the individual school or a subset of schools or grade spans (e.g., all high schools or grades transitional kindergarten through grade five), as appropriate.
- **Time Span:** Enter "ongoing" if the action will be implemented for an indeterminate period of time. Otherwise, indicate the span of time for which the action will be implemented. For example, an LEA might enter "1 Year," or "2 Years," or "6 Months."
- **Total Personnel:** Enter the total amount of personnel expenditures utilized to implement this action.
- **Total Non-Personnel:** This amount will be automatically calculated based on information provided in the Total Personnel column and the Total Funds column.

- **LCFF Funds:** Enter the total amount of LCFF funds utilized to implement this action, if any. LCFF funds include all funds that make up an LEA’s total LCFF target (i.e., base grant, grade span adjustment, supplemental grant, concentration grant, Targeted Instructional Improvement Block Grant, and Home-To-School Transportation).
 - **Note:** For an action to contribute towards meeting the increased or improved services requirement it must include some measure of LCFF funding. The action may also include funding from other sources, however the extent to which an action contributes to meeting the increased or improved services requirement is based on the LCFF funding being used to implement the action.
- **Other State Funds:** Enter the total amount of Other State Funds utilized to implement this action, if any.
- **Local Funds:** Enter the total amount of Local Funds utilized to implement this action, if any.
- **Federal Funds:** Enter the total amount of Federal Funds utilized to implement this action, if any.
- **Total Funds:** This amount is automatically calculated based on amounts entered in the previous four columns.
- **Planned Percentage of Improved Services:** For any action identified as contributing, being provided on a Limited basis to unduplicated students, and that does not have funding associated with the action, enter the planned quality improvement anticipated for the action as a percentage rounded to the nearest hundredth (0.00%). A limited action is an action that only serves foster youth, English learners, and/or low-income students.
 - As noted in the instructions for the Increased or Improved Services section, when identifying a Planned Percentage of Improved Services, the LEA must describe the methodology that it used to determine the contribution of the action towards the proportional percentage. The percentage of improved services for an action corresponds to the amount of LCFF funding that the LEA estimates it would expend to implement the action if it were funded.

For example, an LEA determines that there is a need to analyze data to ensure that instructional aides and expanded learning providers know what targeted supports to provide to students who are foster youth. The LEA could implement this action by hiring additional staff to collect and analyze data and to coordinate supports for students, which the LEA estimates would cost \$165,000. Instead, the LEA chooses to utilize a portion of existing staff time to analyze data relating to students who are foster youth. This analysis will then be shared with site principals who will use the data to coordinate services provided by instructional assistants and expanded learning providers to target support to students. In this example, the LEA would divide the estimated cost of \$165,000 by the amount of LCFF Funding identified in the Data Entry Table and then convert the quotient to a percentage. This percentage is the Planned Percentage of Improved Service for the action.

Contributing Actions Table

As noted above, information will not be entered in the Contributing Actions Table; however, the ‘Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?’ column will need to be checked to ensure that only actions with a “Yes” are displaying. If actions with a “No” are displayed or if actions that are contributing are not displaying in the column, use the drop-down menu in the column header to filter only the “Yes” responses.

Annual Update Table

In the Annual Update Table, provide the following information for each action in the LCAP for the relevant LCAP year:

- **Estimated Actual Expenditures:** Enter the total estimated actual expenditures to implement this action, if any.

Contributing Actions Annual Update Table

In the Contributing Actions Annual Update Table, check the ‘Contributing to Increased or Improved Services?’ column to ensure that only actions with a “Yes” are displaying. If actions with a “No” are displayed or if actions that are contributing are not displaying in the column, use the drop-down menu in the column header to filter only the “Yes” responses. Provide the following information for each contributing action in the LCAP for the relevant LCAP year:

- **6. Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants:** Provide the total amount of LCFF supplemental and concentration grants the LEA estimates it will actually receive based on of the number and concentration of unduplicated students in the current school year.
- **Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions:** Enter the total estimated actual expenditure of LCFF funds used to implement this action, if any.
- **Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services:** For any action identified as contributing, being provided on a Limited basis only to unduplicated students, and that does not have funding associated with the action, enter the total estimated actual quality improvement anticipated for the action as a percentage rounded to the nearest hundredth (0.00%).
 - Building on the example provided above for calculating the Planned Percentage of Improved Services, the LEA in the example implements the action. As part of the annual update process, the LEA reviews implementation and student outcome data and determines that the action was implemented with fidelity and that outcomes for foster youth students improved. The LEA reviews the original estimated cost for the action and determines that had it hired additional staff to collect and analyze data and to coordinate supports for students that estimated actual cost would have been \$169,500 due to a cost of living adjustment. The LEA would divide the estimated actual cost of \$169,500 by the amount of LCFF Funding identified in the Data Entry Table and then convert the quotient to a percentage. This percentage is the Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services for the action.

LCFF Carryover Table

- **9. Estimated Actual LCFF Base Grant:** Provide the total amount of LCFF funding the LEA estimates it will receive for the current school year, excluding the supplemental and concentration grants and the add-ons for the Targeted Instructional Improvement Grant Program and the Home to School Transportation Program, pursuant to 5 CCR Section 15496(a)(8).

- **10. Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Current School Year:** This percentage will not be entered. The percentage is calculated based on the amounts of the Estimated Actual LCFF Base Grant (9) and the Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants (6), pursuant to 5 CCR Section 15496(a)(8), plus the LCFF Carryover – Percentage from the prior year. This is the percentage by which services for unduplicated pupils must be increased or improved as compared to the services provided to all students in the current LCAP year.

Calculations in the Action Tables

To reduce the duplication of effort of LEAs, the Action Tables include functionality such as pre-population of fields and cells based on the information provided in the Data Entry Table, the Annual Update Summary Table, and the Contributing Actions Table. For transparency, the functionality and calculations used are provided below.

Contributing Actions Table

- 4. Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (LCFF Funds)
 - This amount is the total of the Planned Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds) column
- 5. Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services
 - This percentage is the total of the Planned Percentage of Improved Services column
- Planned Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the coming school year (4 divided by 1, plus 5)
 - This percentage is calculated by dividing the Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (4) by the Projected LCFF Base Grant (1), converting the quotient to a percentage, and adding it to the Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (5).

Contributing Actions Annual Update Table

Pursuant to *EC* Section 42238.07(c)(2), if the Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (4) is less than the Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and Concentration Grants (6), the LEA is required to calculate the difference between the Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (5) and the Total Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (7). If the Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (4) is equal to or greater than the Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and Concentration Grants (6), the Difference Between Planned and Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services will display “Not Required.”

- 6. Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and Concentration Grants
 - This is the total amount of LCFF supplemental and concentration grants the LEA estimates it will actually receive based on of the number and concentration of unduplicated students in the current school year.
- 4. Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (LCFF Funds)
 - This amount is the total of the Last Year's Planned Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds)

- 7. Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions
 - This amount is the total of the Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (LCFF Funds)
- Difference Between Planned and Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (Subtract 7 from 4)
 - This amount is the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (7) subtracted from the Total Planned Contributing Expenditures (4)
- 5. Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (%)
 - This amount is the total of the Planned Percentage of Improved Services column
- 8. Total Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (%)
 - This amount is the total of the Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services column
- Difference Between Planned and Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (Subtract 5 from 8)
 - This amount is the Total Planned Percentage of Improved Services (5) subtracted from the Total Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (8)

LCFF Carryover Table

- 10. Total Percentage to Increase or Improve Services for the Current School Year (6 divided by 9 + Carryover %)
 - This percentage is the Estimated Actual LCFF Supplemental and/or Concentration Grants (6) divided by the Estimated Actual LCFF Base Grant (9) plus the LCFF Carryover – Percentage from the prior year.
- 11. Estimated Actual Percentage of Increased or Improved Services (7 divided by 9, plus 8)
 - This percentage is the Total Estimated Actual Expenditures for Contributing Actions (7) divided by the LCFF Funding (9), then converting the quotient to a percentage and adding the Total Estimated Actual Percentage of Improved Services (8).
- 12. LCFF Carryover — Dollar Amount LCFF Carryover (Subtract 11 from 10 and multiply by 9)
 - If the Estimated Actual Percentage of Increased or Improved Services (11) is less than the Estimated Actual Percentage to Increase or Improve Services (10), the LEA is required to carry over LCFF funds.

The amount of LCFF funds is calculated by subtracting the Estimated Actual Percentage to Increase or Improve Services (11) from the Estimated Actual Percentage of Increased or Improved Services (10) and then multiplying by the Estimated Actual LCFF Base Grant (9). This amount is the amount of LCFF funds that is required to be carried over to the coming year.

- 13. LCFF Carryover — Percentage (12 divided by 9)
 - This percentage is the unmet portion of the Percentage to Increase or Improve Services that the LEA must carry over into the coming LCAP year. The percentage is calculated by dividing the LCFF Carryover (12) by the LCFF Funding (9).

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