

Northern United - Siskiyou Charter School
2021 School Accountability Report Card



General Information about the School Accountability Report Card (SARC)

SARC Overview



By February 1 of each year, every school in California is required by state law to publish a School Accountability Report Card (SARC). The SARC contains information about the condition and performance of each California public school. Under the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) all local educational agencies (LEAs) are required to prepare a Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP), which describes how they intend to meet annual school-specific goals for all pupils, with specific activities to address state and local priorities. Additionally, data reported in an LCAP is to be consistent with data reported in the SARC.

For more information about SARC requirements and access to prior year reports, see the California Department of Education (CDE) SARC web page at www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/

For more information about the LCFF or the LCAP, see the CDE LCFF web page at www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/lc/

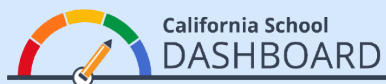
For additional information about the school, parents/guardians and community members should contact the school principal or the district office.

DataQuest



DataQuest is an online data tool located on the CDE DataQuest web page at dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/ that contains additional information about this school and comparisons of the school to the district and the county. Specifically, DataQuest is a dynamic system that provides reports for accountability (e.g., test data, enrollment, high school graduates, dropouts, course enrollments, staffing, and data regarding English learners).

California School Dashboard



The California School Dashboard (Dashboard) www.caschooldashboard.org/ reflects California's new accountability and continuous improvement system and provides information about how LEAs and schools are meeting the needs of California's diverse student population. The Dashboard contains reports that display the performance of LEAs, schools, and student groups on a set of state and local measures to assist in identifying strengths, challenges, and areas in need of improvement.

Internet Access

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

2021-22 School Contact Information

School Name	Northern United - Siskiyou Charter School
Street	423 S. Broadway
City, State, Zip	Yreka
Phone Number	(530) 842-4509
Principal	Shari Lovett
Email Address	slovett@nuarters.org
School Website	www.nuarters.org
County-District-School (CDS) Code	47-10470-000000

2021-22 District Contact Information

District Name	Northern United - Siskiyou Charter School
Phone Number	(707)445-2660 x110
Superintendent	Shari Lovett
Email Address	slovett@nuarters.org
District Website Address	www.nuarters.org

2021-22 School Overview

Northern United – Siskiyou Charter School students shall be educated through personalized learning programs. Within that context, students may participate in cooperative classes, learning centers, supplemental learning projects, distance learning via current technology and community-based education. Parents who enroll their children in the Charter School are co-facilitators of their child’s education. The parents can become the primary facilitators in their children’s learning program if they choose. The Charter School shall work with its students and parent facilitators by providing them with educational resources, an assigned independent study teacher, and access to a team of educational staff. All teachers shall hold a Commission on Teacher Credentialing Certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which a teacher in other public schools would be required to hold, and shall be selected by the Charter School Administration and approved by the Board of Directors. Parents/guardians and their children may collaborate with their teachers to determine their educational goals and objectives, create their individualized curriculum, and determine their individual methods of teaching and learning. The program parents select determine the degree to which the teacher is involved. This involvement may vary from an advisory and assessment capacity to one of complete administration of the student learning process. Professional learning and parent education shall be available and encouraged.

The Core Beliefs

1. Students come first.
2. Each student has the right to a personalized education.
3. A continuous cycle of improvement is essential for the success of our students.
4. The success of each student is the shared responsibility of all stakeholders.

The Vision

Northern United – Siskiyou Charter School, a school wherein every student is future-ready:

- Ready for personal success.
- Ready for college.
- Ready for the global workplace.

The Mission

Northern United – Siskiyou Charter School, in partnership with parents and community, will engage all students in a comprehensive education, preparing them to be confident, competent and proactive citizens in a diverse society.

Strategic Goals of the Mission:

Goal 1

Northern United – Siskiyou Charter School will design dynamic learning experiences to ensure that all students are future-ready learners.

Goal 2

Northern United – Siskiyou Charter School will recruit, develop, retain and recognize an exceptional, highly motivated staff to optimize student engagement, and learning.

Goal 3

Northern United – Siskiyou Charter School will communicate in a timely, open manner and engage parents and community members in positive partnership opportunities in our schools.

Goal 4

Northern United – Siskiyou Charter School will provide resources and support systems that enhance a positive learning

2021-22 School Overview

environment and foster student and community pride.

About this School

2020-21 Student Enrollment by Grade Level

Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	15
Grade 1	11
Grade 2	5
Grade 3	13
Grade 4	10
Grade 5	9
Grade 6	13
Grade 7	9
Grade 8	10
Grade 9	10
Grade 10	15
Grade 11	16
Grade 12	28
Total Enrollment	164

2020-21 Student Enrollment by Student Group

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Female	47.6
Male	52.4
American Indian or Alaska Native	4.3
Asian	1.2
Black or African American	0.6
Hispanic or Latino	19.5
Two or More Races	14.6
White	59.8
Foster Youth	0.6
Homeless	7.9
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	80.5
Students with Disabilities	8.5

A. Conditions of Learning

State Priority: Basic

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Basic (Priority 1):

- Degree to which teachers are appropriately assigned and fully credentialed in the subject area and for the pupils they are teaching;
- Pupils have access to standards-aligned instructional materials; and
- School facilities are maintained in good repair

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

2020-21 Teacher Preparation and Placement

Authorization/Assignment	School Number	School Percent	District Number	District Percent	State Number	State Percent
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)	5.8	49.4	27.3	45.3	228366.1	83.1
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4205.9	1.5
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (“ineffective” under ESSA)	0.0	0.0	1.9	3.2	11216.7	4.1
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (“out-of-field” under ESSA)	5.9	50.2	25.5	42.4	12115.8	4.4
Unknown	0.0	0.4	5.4	9.0	18854.3	6.9
Total Teaching Positions	11.8	100.0	60.3	100.0	274759.1	100.0

Note: The data in this table is based on Full Time Equivalent (FTE) status. One FTE equals one staff member working full time; one FTE could also represent two staff members who each work 50 percent of full time. Additionally, an assignment is defined as a position that an educator is assigned to based on setting, subject, and grade level. An authorization is defined as the services that an educator is authorized to provide to students.

2020-21 Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (considered “ineffective” under ESSA)

Authorization/Assignment	2020-21
Permits and Waivers	0.0
Misassignments	0.0
Vacant Positions	0.0
Total Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments	0.0

2020-21 Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (considered “out-of-field” under ESSA)

Indicator	2020-21
Credentialed Teachers Authorized on a Permit or Waiver	0.0
Local Assignment Options	5.9
Total Out-of-Field Teachers	5.9

2020-21 Class Assignments

Indicator	2020-21
Misassignments for English Learners (a percentage of all the classes with English learners taught by teachers that are misassigned)	0.0
No credential, permit or authorization to teach (a percentage of all the classes taught by teachers with no record of an authorization to teach)	0.0

2021-22 Quality, Currency, Availability of Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials

Year and month in which the data were collected		September 2020	
Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption ?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	Reach for Reading National Geographic Cenage Learning 2017; Apex Learning; Fountas & Pinnell Classroom Heinemann 2020	Yes	0
Mathematics	enVision Math Pearson 2012; My Math McGraw Hill 2011; Carnegie Learning 2014; Apex Learning	Yes	0
Science	California Inspire Science McGraw-Hill 2017; Apex Learning; California Elevate Science Pearson 2017; Miller Levine Prentice Hall 2014; Foss Delta Science 2018	Yes	0
History-Social Science	Social Studies Alive! California Series Teachers' Curriculum Institute 2018; Our World Nat Geo Cengage 2018; Impact McGraw Hill 2019; Nat Geo Cengage 2013; Apex Learning	Yes	0
Foreign Language	Apex Learning; Learning American Sign Language	Yes	0
Health	Glencoe; Apex Learning	Yes	0
Visual and Performing Arts	Apex Learning; Glencoe	Yes	0
Science Laboratory Equipment (grades 9-12)			

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

Northern United – Siskiyou Charter School is a nonclassroom based charter school and does not own any facilities. However, several facilities are leased throughout Siskiyou County in order to best meet the needs of our students. Currently, Northern United – Siskiyou Charter School leases facilities in Yreka and Mount Shasta. FIT data was collected at each of these facilities and the safety, cleanliness and adequacy of each facility was determined to be good. There are no planned facility improvements and there is no needed maintenance to ensure good repair.

Year and month of the most recent FIT report October 2021

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

Overall Facility Rate

Exemplary	Good	Fair	Poor
	X		

B. Pupil Outcomes

State Priority: Pupil Achievement

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

Statewide Assessments

(i.e., California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress [CAASPP] System includes the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments for students in the general education population and the California Alternate Assessments [CAAs] for English language arts/literacy [ELA] and mathematics given in grades three through eight and grade eleven. Only eligible students may participate in the administration of the CAAs. CAAs items are aligned with alternate achievement standards, which are linked with the Common Core State Standards [CCSS] for students with the most significant cognitive disabilities).

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

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

SARC Reporting in the 2020-2021 School Year Only

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

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

Options

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

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

The percentage of students who have successfully completed courses that satisfy the requirements for entrance to the University of California and the California State University, or career technical education sequences or programs of study.

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard on CAASPP

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

The 2019-2020 data cells with N/A values indicate that the 2019-2020 data are not available due to the COVID-19 pandemic and resulting summative test suspension. The Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the assessment, accountability, and reporting requirements for the 2019-2020 school year.

The 2020-2021 data cells have N/A values because these data are not comparable to other year data due to the COVID-19 pandemic during the 2020-2021 school year. Where the CAASPP assessments in ELA and/or mathematics is not the most viable option, the LEAs were allowed to administer local assessments. Therefore, the 2020-2021 data between school years for the school, district, state are not an accurate comparison. As such, it is inappropriate to compare results of the 2020-2021 school year to other school years.

Subject	School 2019-20	School 2020-21	District 2019-20	District 2020-21	State 2019-20	State 2020-21
English Language Arts/Literacy (grades 3-8 and 11)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

2020-21 CAASPP Test Results in ELA by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in ELA by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment. The CDE will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment. In cases where the school administered a local assessment instead of CAASPP, the CDE will populate this table with "NT" values, meaning this school did not test students using the CAASPP. See the local assessment(s) table for more information.

CAASPP Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	76	55	72.37	27.63	36.36
Female	31	22	70.97	29.03	36.36
Male	45	33	73.33	26.67	36.36
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--	--
Asian	0	0	0	0	0
Black or African American	0	0	0	0	0
Filipino	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic or Latino	17	15	88.24	11.76	33.33
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--	--
White	47	34	72.34	27.66	38.24
English Learners	0	0	0	0	0
Foster Youth	--	--	--	--	--
Homeless	12	8	66.67	33.33	--
Military	0	0	0	0	0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	59	40	67.8	32.2	27.5
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	--	--	--	--	--

2020-21 CAASPP Test Results in Math by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in Math by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven taking and completing a state-administered assessment. The CDE will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment. In cases where the school administered a local assessment instead of CAASPP, the CDE will populate this table with "NT" values, meaning this school did not test students using the CAASPP. See the local assessment(s) table for more information.

CAASPP Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	76	52	68.42	31.58	19.23
Female	31	21	67.74	32.26	9.52
Male	45	31	68.89	31.11	25.81
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--	--
Asian	0	0	0	0	0
Black or African American	0	0	0	0	0
Filipino	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic or Latino	17	14	82.35	17.65	7.14
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--	--
White	47	31	65.96	34.04	22.58
English Learners	0	0	0	0	0
Foster Youth	--	--	--	--	--
Homeless	12	8	66.67	33.33	--
Military	0	0	0	0	0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	59	40	67.80	32.20	15.00
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	--	--	--	--	--

2020-21 Local Assessment Test Results in ELA by Student Group

This table displays Local Assessment test results in ELA by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven. LEAs/schools will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered a local assessment. In cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment, LEAs/schools will populate this table with "N/A" values in all cells, meaning this table is Not Applicable for this school.

N/A Student Groups	N/A Total Enrollment	N/A Number Tested	N/A Percent Tested	N/A Percent Not Tested	N/A Percent At or Above Grade Level
All Students	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Black or African American	N/A	v	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Foster Youth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Homeless	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Military	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

*At or above the grade-level standard in the context of the local assessment administered.

2020-21 Local Assessment Test Results in Math by Student Group

This table displays Local Assessment test results in Math by student group for students grades three through eight and grade eleven. LEAs/schools will populate this table for schools in cases where the school administered a local assessment. In cases where the school administered the CAASPP assessment, LEAs/schools will populate this table with "N/A" values in all cells, meaning this table is Not Applicable for this school.

N/A Student Groups	N/A Total Enrollment	N/A Number Tested	N/A Percent Tested	N/A Percent Not Tested	N/A Percent At or Above Grade Level
All Students	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Foster Youth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Homeless	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Military	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
-----------------------------------	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

*At or above the grade-level standard in the context of the local assessment administered.

CAASPP Test Results in Science for All Students

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

The 2019-2020 data cells with N/A values indicate that the 2019-2020 data are not available due to the COVID-19 pandemic and resulting summative testing suspension. The Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the assessment, accountability, and reporting requirements for the 2019-2020 school year.

For any 2020-2021 data cells with N/T values indicate that this school did not test students using the CAASPP Science.

Subject	School 2019-20	School 2020-21	District 2019-20	District 2020-21	State 2019-20	State 2020-21
Science (grades 5, 8 and high school)	N/A	NT	N/A	--	N/A	28.72

2020-21 CAASPP Test Results in Science by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in Science by student group for students grades five, eight, and High School. For any data cells with N/T values indicate that this school did not test students using the CAASPP Science.

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	31	NT	NT	NT	NT
Female	13	NT	NT	NT	NT
Male	18	NT	NT	NT	NT
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	NT	NT	NT	NT
Asian	0	0	0	0	0
Black or African American	0	0	0	0	0
Filipino	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic or Latino	--	NT	NT	NT	NT
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	--	NT	NT	NT	NT
White	20	NT	NT	NT	NT
English Learners	0	0	0	0	0
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0
Homeless	--	NT	NT	NT	NT
Military	0	0	0	0	0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	23	NT	NT	NT	NT
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	--	NT	NT	NT	NT

2020-21 Career Technical Education Programs

Northern United - Siskiyou Charter School is a personalized learning school. This means that students are encouraged to enroll in courses and experience opportunities that are specifically relevant to them. Our students have the ability to enroll in a variety of courses from our extensive course list. We offer a variety of career technical courses, including Work Experience, 3D Game Design, Animation, Coding, Culinary Arts, Fashion and Interior Design, Forestry and Natural Resources, Intro to Business and Marketing, Intro to Manufacturing, Child Development, Home Economics, Intro to Military Careers, Nutritional and Wellness and Computer Applications. Get Focused, Stay Focused is a course offered to all high school students. This course is designed to provide every student with the necessary information and experiences to develop college and career readiness skills as well as facilitate the development of an online 10-year Career and Education Plan. In addition, a Agriculture Education CTE pathway is offered to our students.

2020-21 Career Technical Education (CTE) Participation

Measure	CTE Program Participation
Number of Pupils Participating in CTE	9
Percent of Pupils that Complete a CTE Program and Earn a High School Diploma	
Percent of CTE Courses that are Sequenced or Articulated Between the School and Institutions of Postsecondary Education	

Course Enrollment/Completion

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

UC/CSU Course Measure	Percent
2020-2021 Pupils Enrolled in Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	100
2019-2020 Graduates Who Completed All Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	0

B. Pupil Outcomes

State Priority: Other Pupil Outcomes

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Other Pupil Outcomes (Priority 8): Pupil outcomes in the subject area of physical education.

2020-21 California Physical Fitness Test Results

Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the Physical Fitness Test was suspended during the 2020-2021 school year and therefore no data are reported and each cell in this table is populated with "N/A."

Grade Level	Percentage of Students Meeting Four of Six Fitness Standards	Percentage of Students Meeting Five of Six Fitness Standards	Percentage of Students Meeting Six of Six Fitness Standards
Grade 5	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grade 7	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grade 9	N/A	N/A	N/A

C. Engagement

State Priority: Parental Involvement

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Parental Involvement (Priority 3): Efforts the school district makes to seek parent input in making decisions regarding the school district and at each school site.

2021-22 Opportunities for Parental Involvement

Parent involvement in the governance of the school is made available through participation in the Board and the School Site Council. The Board currently has a parent member, and we will always seek to have parent representation on the Board. Board minutes and sign in sheets confirm parent participation. In addition to the Board, our School Site Council has parent members who contribute to our school governance.

Parent engagement groups are another way in which parents stay involved in NU-SCS. These groups are designed so that parents can meet regularly and share resources and ideas for working with their children at home. A NU-SCS staff member is present at these meetings to gather suggestions and feedback, as well as provide guidance about best practices for instructing students. With the implementation of these support groups, authentic, two-way communication occurs regularly between parents and teachers concerning the academic success of students at NU-SCS. Sign in sheets allow NU-SCS to account for parental involvement.

Other methods to encourage ongoing parental involvement at NU-SCS include, but are not limited to participation in the annual satisfaction and LCAP surveys; volunteering in the classroom; tutoring; attending parent-teacher conferences; attendance at charter school board meetings; participation in the planning of, or attendance at, fundraising or academic events, or other activities. A parent handbook is distributed to parents to inform them of all aspects of having a student enrolled in a nonclassroom based independent study charter school.

C. Engagement

State Priority: Pupil Engagement

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

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

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

Indicator	School 2018-19	School 2019-20	School 2020-21	District 2018-19	District 2019-20	District 2020-21	State 2018-19	State 2019-20	State 2020-21
Dropout Rate	22.7	17.9	10.7	16.5	16.7	14.8	9.0	8.9	9.4
Graduation Rate	72.7	60.7	82.1	69.4	70.2	75.0	84.5	84.2	83.6

2020-21 Graduation Rate by Student Group (Four-Year Cohort Rate)

This table displays the 2020-21 graduation rate by student group. For information on the Four-Year Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate (ACGR), visit the CDE Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate web page at www.cde.ca.gov/ds/ad/acgrinfo.asp.

Student Group	Number of Students in Cohort	Number of Cohort Graduates	Cohort Graduation Rate
---------------	------------------------------	----------------------------	------------------------

All Students	28	23	82.1
Female	17	15	88.2
Male	11	8	72.7
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--
Asian	0	0	0.00
Black or African American	0	0	0.00
Filipino	0	0	0.00
Hispanic or Latino	--	--	--
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0.00
Two or More Races	--	--	--
White	21	18	85.7
English Learners	0.0	0.0	0.0
Foster Youth	--	--	--
Homeless	12	8	66.7
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	26	21	80.8
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0.0	0.0	0.0
Students with Disabilities	--	--	--

2020-21 Chronic Absenteeism by Student Group

Student Group	Cumulative Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Eligible Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Count	Chronic Absenteeism Rate
All Students	180	174	19	10.9
Female	86	83	8	9.6
Male	94	91	11	12.1
American Indian or Alaska Native	8	7	0	0.0
Asian	2	2	0	0.0
Black or African American	1	1	0	0.0
Filipino	0	0	0	0.0
Hispanic or Latino	36	36	4	11.1
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0.0
Two or More Races	24	23	4	17.4
White	109	105	11	10.5
English Learners	0	0	0	0.0
Foster Youth	1	1	1	100.0
Homeless	12	12	2	16.7
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	142	138	17	12.3
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0.0
Students with Disabilities	18	18	1	5.6

C. Engagement

State Priority: School Climate

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

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

Suspensions and Expulsions

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

Subject	School 2018-19	School 2020-21	District 2018-19	District 2020-21	State 2018-19	State 2020-21
Suspensions	2.27	0.00	0.45	0.11	3.47	0.20
Expulsions	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.08	0.00

This table displays suspensions and expulsions data collected between July through February, partial school year due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The 2019-2020 suspensions and expulsions rate data are not comparable to other year data because the 2019-2020 school year is a partial school year due to the COVID-19 crisis. As such, it would be inappropriate to make any comparisons in rates of suspensions and expulsions in the 2019-2020 school year compared to other school years.

Subject	School 2019-20	District 2019-20	State 2019-20
Suspensions	1.03	0.22	2.45
Expulsions	0.00	0.00	0.05

2020-21 Suspensions and Expulsions by Student Group

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

2021-22 School Safety Plan

Northern United – Siskiyou Charter School adopted its school comprehensive safety plan on February 11, 2021. It was then reviewed and discussed with faculty and students. The plan includes an assessment of school crime, child abuse reporting procedures, disaster procedures, suspension and expulsion policy, procedures to notify teacher of dangerous pupils, discrimination and harassment policy, school wide dress code policy, procedure of safe ingress and egress, policies enacted to maintain a safe and orderly environment, rules and procedures on school discipline, and hate crime reporting procedures.

D. Other SARC Information

Information Required in the SARC

The information in this section is required to be in the SARC but is not included in the state priorities for LCFF.

2018-19 Elementary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2018-19 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled “Number of Classes” indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class). The “Other” category is for multi-grade level classes.

Grade Level	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-20 Students	Number of Classes with 21-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
K				
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				

2019-20 Elementary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2019-20 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled “Number of Classes” indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class). The “Other” category is for multi-grade level classes.

Grade Level	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-20 Students	Number of Classes with 21-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
K	2	1		
1				
2	1	1		
3				
4	1	1		
5	2	2		
6				
Other	5	8		

2020-21 Elementary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2020-21 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled "Number of Classes" indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class). The "Other" category is for multi-grade level classes.

Grade Level	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-20 Students	Number of Classes with 21-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
K				
1	1	1		
2				
3	1	1		
4				
5	1	2		
6	3	2		
Other	6	12		

2018-19 Secondary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2018-19 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled "Number of Classes" indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per classroom). At the secondary school level, this information is reported by subject area rather than grade level.

Subject	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-22 Students	Number of Classes with 23-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
English Language Arts	4	21		
Mathematics	2	29		
Science	3	14		
Social Science	4	18		

2019-20 Secondary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2019-20 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled "Number of Classes" indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per classroom). At the secondary school level, this information is reported by subject area rather than grade level.

Subject	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-22 Students	Number of Classes with 23-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
English Language Arts	4	25		
Mathematics	3	23		
Science	2	17		
Social Science	4	18		

2020-21 Secondary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2020-21 average class size and class size distribution. The columns titled "Number of Classes" indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per classroom). At the secondary school level, this information is reported by subject area rather than grade level.

Subject	Average Class Size	Number of Classes with 1-22 Students	Number of Classes with 23-32 Students	Number of Classes with 33+ Students
English Language Arts	3	23		
Mathematics	3	23		
Science	3	16		
Social Science	4	19		

2020-21 Ratio of Pupils to Academic Counselor

This table displays the ratio of pupils to Academic Counselor. One full time equivalent (FTE) equals one staff member working full time; one FTE could also represent two staff members who each work 50 percent of full time.

Title	Ratio
Pupils to Academic Counselor	

2020-21 Student Support Services Staff

This table displays the number of FTE support staff assigned to this school. One full time equivalent (FTE) equals one staff member working full time; one FTE could also represent two staff members who each work 50 percent of full time.

Title	Number of FTE Assigned to School
Counselor (Academic, Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	0
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	0
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	0
Psychologist	0.1
Social Worker	0
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	0
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	0
Other	0.5

2019-20 Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries

This table displays the 2019-20 expenditures per pupil and average teacher salary for this school. Cells with N/A values do not require data.

Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Restricted)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Unrestricted)	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$14,813	\$3,936	\$10,877	\$51,000
District	N/A	N/A	\$10,877	
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A	0.0	0.0
State			\$8,444	
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	25.2	

2020-21 Types of Services Funded

Northern United - Siskiyou Charter School has a variety of programs and services available to support and assist students. For students needing academic support, we have a robust intervention program, as well as special education services. Tutors are also provided to support students academic needs. Speech therapists are utilized for those who qualify for their services. We employ a school counselor and a school psychologist for those students who need additional social/emotional support. The school counselor and counseling technician provide full college and career counseling. For high school students who wish to accelerate their learning, Northern United - Siskiyou Charter School funds college courses through dual and co-enrollment opportunities. We are also an AVID and PBIS school.

2019-20 Teacher and Administrative Salaries

This table displays the 2019-20 Teacher and Administrative salaries. For detailed information on salaries, see the CDE Certification Salaries & Benefits web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/>.

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

2020-21 Advanced Placement (AP) Courses

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

Percent of Students in AP Courses

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

Subject	Number of AP Courses Offered
Computer Science	0
English	0
Fine and Performing Arts	0
Foreign Language	0
Mathematics	0
Science	0
Social Science	0
Total AP Courses Offered	0

Professional Development

Northern United - Siskiyou Charter School requires five full days of professional development of the teaching staff. Four of these days are provided to the teachers by the school and the fifth day is self-selected. The four days provided by the school are delivered at full-day pre and inservice days. The self-selected day may occur online or in-person by attending a conference or workshop provided by an outside agency, such as our county office. The professional development focuses on instruction in core subjects, school climate and culture, school safety, teaching strategies, and best practices. These topics are based on metrics reviewed during our LCAP meetings.

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

Subject	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	5	5	5