# Pleasanton Unified School District Fairlands Elementary School

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# 2009-10 School Accountability Report Card

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# Principal's Message

Fairlands Elementary School's staff is committed to implementing an intensive, balanced, standards-based curriculum to ensure each child's success. This annual report card to the community will share valuable information about our instructional programs, academic achievements, school facilities, safety, highly qualified staff, textbooks, and finances compared to other schools and districts in the state. A special emphasis is placed on providing an instructional program designed to boost student confidence and increase subject matter proficiency. Staff and parents work together to create a learning environment that has high expectations, promotes students' academic and social development, teaches responsibility and pride, and models learning as a lifelong adventure. We are excited about our school and its program and welcome all to support our efforts.

Above and Beyond...

The Sky's the Limit at Fairlands Elementary School!

# Mission Statement

Fairlands School is a community of students, parents, and staff dedicated to the development of every individual's desire to learn and achieve. Collectively, we provide a safe, supportive environment that fosters curiosity, inquiry and a life-long passion for learning.

We believe collaboration and continuous dialogue promotes high achievement and academic success for all.

We believe each child has a unique pathway to learning. We facilitate their individual progress toward reaching their full potential.

We believe open communication between staff, students and parents fosters connections critical to the success of all students.

We believe modeling, teaching, and applying the six character traits develop well-rounded, contributing citizens for the future.

We believe a positive school culture and climate embraces humor and the joy of learning.

We believe our diverse community enriches the tapestry of our school culture.

# School Profile

Fairlands Elementary School is located in the northeastern region of Pleasanton and serves students in grades kindergarten through five following a traditional calendar. At the beginning of the 2009-10 school year, 749 students were enrolled, including 8% in special education, 6% qualifying for English Language Learner support, and 6% qualifying for free or reduced price lunch. Fairlands Elementary School achieved a 2010 Academic Performance Index (API) score of 944 and met all 2010 Adequate Yearly Progress criteria.

Student Enrollment by Ethnicity / Grade Level 2009-10						
Ethnic Group	%	Grade Level	#			
African-Amer.	1.87 %	Kindergarten	125			
Amer. Indian or Alaskan Native	0.27 %	Grade 1	125			
Asian	43.52 %	Grade 2	124			
Filipino	3.34 %	Grade 3	144			
Hisp. or Latino	6.68 %	Grade 4	121			
Pacific Islander	0.27 %	Grade 5	110			
Caucasian	39.79 %					
Multi-Racial	2.27 %					
		Total Enrollment	749			

## Student Achievement

#### Standardized State Assessments

The Standardized Testing and Reporting (STAR) Program consists of several key components, including the California Standards Tests (CSTs); the California Modified Assessment (CMA), and the California Alternate Performance Assessment (CAPA). The CSTs show how well students are doing in relation to the state content standards. The CSTs include English-language arts (ELA) and mathematics in grades two through eleven; science in grades five, eight, and nine through eleven; and history-social science in grades eight, ten, and eleven.

Student scores are reported as performance levels. Detailed information regarding the STAR program results for each grade and performance level, including percent of students not tested, can be found on CDE's Standardized Testing and Reporting Results website at http://star.cde.ca.gov. Program information regarding the STAR program can be found in the Explaining 2008 STAR Program Summary Results to the Public guide at www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/sr/documents/starpkt5intrpts.pdf.

STAR Results - All Students Percentage of Students Scoring at Proficient & Advanced Levels									
	Fairlands Elementary School			entary District			California		
	07-08	08-09	09-10	07-08	08-09	09-10	07-08	08-09	09-10
Language									
Arts	84	88	83	80	81	83	46	50	52
Math	89	91	90	69	71	72	43	46	48
Science	91	91	92	82	83	87	46	50	54
Social Science	0	0	0	74	77	78	36	41	44

STAR Results - Ethnic Subgroups Percentage of Students Scoring at Proficient & Advanced Levels								
			Fairla	ınds Elen	nentary S	chool		
	African- Amer.	Amer. Indian or Alaskan Native	Asian	Cauca- sian	Filipino	Hisp. or Latino	Multi- Racial	Pacific Islander
Language Arts	*	*	94	82	*	46	*	*
Math	*	*	98	89	*	56	*	*
Science	*	*	97	98	*	85	*	*
Social Science								

STAR Results - Other Subgroups Percentage of Students Scoring at Proficient & Advanced Levels								
	PUSD			Fairlands	Elementa	ry Scho	ol	
	All	All	Male	Female			Students with Dis- abilities	Migrant Educ.
Lang. Arts	83		83	86	51	*	*	
Math	72		90	90	87	*	*	
Science	87		92	91	*	*	*	
Social Science	78							

#### **Physical Fitness**

The physical fitness test measures each student's ability to complete fitness tasks in six major areas. Students who either meet or exceed the standards in all six fitness areas are considered to be in the "healthy fitness zone." The chart disclosed in this document reports only the percentage in each category, not a cumulative total of the results for categories 4 of 6 and 5 of 6. The 2009-10 physical fitness test result data was not available at the time of production of this report..

Physical Fitness Test Percentage of Students Meeting California Fitness Standards 2009-10						
	Number of Standards Met:					
Grade Tested	Four of Six	Five of Six	Six of Six			
Fifth						
Seventh						
Ninth						

#### Academic Performance Index

California uses the results of STAR testing to calculate the Academic Performance Index (API) which is used to measure school performance, set academic growth targets, and monitor progress over time. The API is a numeric index between 200-1000 that measures student performance in grades two through eleven. An API score of 800 is the state's designated performance target for all schools. Test results are weighted and a formula is applied to determine API.

Growth Targets: For schools with an API under 800, the state requires a gain of 5% of the difference between the school's actual API and 800. Growth Targets apply not only schoolwide, but to each numerically significant subgroup as well. Schools/subgroups that have achieved an API of 800 or above must maintain their scores.

Statewide Rank: All schools in California are categorized according to type (elementary, middle, high) and are placed on a scale of 1 to 10, with 10 being the highest.

Similar Schools Rank: School performance is also compared to other similar schools in the state, based on demographic characteristics, and ranked 1 to 10 within a grouping of 100 schools.

Academic Performance Index (API) Three Year Rank Comparison					
2007 2008 2009					
Statewide Rank	10	10	10		
Similar Schools Rank	5	9	7		

Results generated from 2007, 2008, and 2009 Base API Reports

Academic Performance Index (API) Three Year Performance Comparison					
	Increase/Decrease in API Score				
Results	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10		
Schoolwide - All Students	17	16	-3		
Ethnic Subgroups					
African-Amer.	*	*	*		
Amer. Indian or Alaskan Native	*	*	*		
Asian	23	12	1		
Filipino	*	*	*		
Hisp. or Latino	*	*	*		
Multi-Racial	N/A	N/A	*		
Pacific Islander	*	*	*		
Caucasian	13	8	4		
Other Subgroups					
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*		
Economically Disadvantaged	*	*	*		
English Learners	*	*	17		

Results generated from 2008, 2009, and 2010 Growth API Reports

Academic Performance Index (API) Growth by Student Group					
		2010 Growth API			
Group	School	District	State		
African-Amer.		806	685		
Amer. Indian or Alaskan Native			728		
Asian	988	964	889		
Filipino		907	851		
Hisp. or Latino		792	715		
Pacific Islander			754		
Caucasian	934	900	838		
Multi-Racial			807		
Economically Disadvantaged		749	610		
English Learners	950	832	691		
Students with Disabilities		732	580		
All Students	944		767		

## **Adequate Yearly Progress**

The Federal No Child Left Behind Act (NCLB) requires that all students perform at or above the proficient level on the state's standards-based assessment by the year 2014. Meeting Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) milestones helps determine whether students are reaching proficiency level targets set by NCLB. AYP requires annual evaluation and reporting of the academic progress of all students and defined student subgroups.

For the 2009-10 AYP cycle, elementary and middle schools must achieve a 56.8% or higher proficiency rate in all subgroup populations for English/Language Arts and 58% or higher proficiency rate in math on the California Standards Test (CST). Additional criteria contributing to whether or not a school demonstrates AYP include achieving a 95% or above participation rate on the CST and obtaining an API growth score of 680 or increasing the API growth by 1 point.

More information on AYP can be found on the California Department of Education's (CDE) website www.cde.ca.gov/nclb/and the U.S. Department of Education's website www.ed.gov/nclb/accountability/.

# Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) Results Reported by Indicator & Compared to District Performance 2009-10

Did the school and district meet or exceed 2010 AYP performance criteria in each of the areas listed below?

AYP Indicator	FES	PUSD
Overall Results	Yes	No
Parti	icipation Rate	
Language Arts	Yes	Yes
Math	Yes	Yes
Perc	ent Proficient	
Language Arts	Yes	Yes
Math	Yes	No
API Score	Yes	Yes
Graduation Rate	N/A	Yes

Reported data based upon performance of all subgroups for each of the areas listed

## No Child Left Behind (NCLB)

The No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Act is part of the Federal Title I funding program designed to support additional staffing and programs to meet the needs of low-income, low achieving students, and other designated students with special needs. Schools may apply, based upon their student demographics, for one of two types of Title I funding: Title I Schoolwide or Title I Targeted Assistance. Title I Schoolwide schools use federal funds for schoolwide improvement of student achievement. Title I Targeted Assistance schools use federal funds to help those students who meet specific program criteria. In 2009-10, Fairlands Elementary School did not participate in the Title I program and is therefore not required to comply with program mandates.

Any school receiving Title I funds is required to comply with respective program testing and reporting activities, achieve specific levels of student proficiency, and monitor school progress towards meeting established goals. California Adequate Yearly Progress calculations determine whether a Title I school has met performance goals. Schools not meeting specific AYP criteria enter Program Improvement, a monitoring system and curriculum enhancement program designed to help schools to increase student proficiency levels. More information about Title I and Program Improvement can be located on the CDE's website www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/ti/.

Title I Program Improvement (PI) Status					
	FES	PUSD			
PI Status	Not in PI	Not in PI			
Implementation Year	N/A	N/A			
Year in PI	N/A	N/A			
No. of Schools Currently in PI		N/A			
% of Schools Currently Identified for PI		N/A			

## Parent Involvement

Parents are encouraged to get involved in their child's learning environment either by volunteering in the classroom, participating in a decision-making group, or simply attending school events.

Parents stay informed on upcoming events and school activities through flyers, the school marquee, the school website, Constant Contact electronic notification, teacher websites, eConnection, and email bulletins. Contact the school office at (925) 426-4210 for more information on how to become involved in your child's learning environment.

#### **Opportunities to Volunteer**

Chaperone
Classroom Helper
Fundraising Activities
Tutoring
Special Events

#### **Committees**

English Learner Advisory Council
Parent Teacher Association
School Site Council
Safety Committee
Go Green (Environmental Awareness Committee)

#### **School Activities**

Back to School Night Fall Festival Open House Family Reading Night PTA's Reflection Program Art Night Holiday Breakfast Talent Show Kindergarten Play Date Science Fair Read Across America Math Olympiad **Destination Imagination** Peak Program Go Green Energy Awareness Program Ice Cream Social Principal's Coffee Family Fun Night Multi-Cultural Night Run for Reading

# School Facilities & Maintenance

The district takes great efforts to ensure that all schools are clean, safe, and functional through proper facilities maintenance and campus supervision. Fairlands Elementary School's original facilities were built in 1973. Ongoing maintenance and campus improvements ensure facilities remain up to date and provide adequate space for students and staff. District maintenance and site custodial staff ensure that the repairs necessary to keep the school in good condition are completed in a timely manner. A work order process is used by school and district staff to communicate non-routine maintenance requests.

Every morning before school begins, the custodian inspects the facilities for safety hazards or other conditions that need attention prior to students and staff entering school grounds. One day custodian and one evening custodian are assigned to Fairlands Elementary School. The day custodian is responsible for:

- Classroom cleaning
- Cafeteria setup/cleanup
- Groundskeeping
- Office area cleaning
- Restroom cleaning
- Event setup/cleanup

Restrooms are checked throughout the day for cleanliness and subsequently cleaned as needed. The evening custodian is responsible for:

- Classroom cleaning
- Office area cleaning
- Restroom cleaning
- Event setup/cleanup

The principal communicates with custodial staff daily concerning maintenance and school safety issues.

Campus Description	
Year Built	1973
Acreage	7.82
Square Footage	55,773
	Quantity
Permanent Classrooms	29
Portable Classrooms	2
Restrooms (sets)	4
Computer Lab(s)	1
Science Lab(s)	1
Staff Lounge(s)	1
Staff Work Room(s)	1
Library	1
Cafeteria/Multipurpose Room	1

#### **Deferred Maintenance**

Fairlands Elementary School participates in the State School Deferred Maintenance Program, which provides dollar-for-dollar matching funds to assist school districts with major repairs or replacement of existing school building components. Deferred maintenance projects generally include roofing, plumbing, heating, air conditioning, electrical systems, interior/exterior painting, and floor systems. During the 2009-10 school year, Fairlands Elementary School did not qualify to receive deferred maintenance funds for campus repairs and/or improvements.

#### Facilities Inspection

The district's maintenance department inspects Fairlands Elementary School on an annual basis in accordance with Education Code §17592.72(c)(1). Fairlands Elementary School uses a school site inspection survey to identify unsafe or hazardous conditions and facility improvement needs. The most recent school inspection took place on Wednesday, November 03, 2010. No emergency repairs were needed and no unsafe conditions were found. During fiscal year 2009-10, all restrooms were fully functional and available for student use.

School Facility	Good Repair S	Status	
Most Recent Inspection: W	ednesday, No	vember 03, 20°	10
Item Inspected		Repair Status	
	Good	Fair	Poor
1. Gas Leaks	~		
2. Mechanical Systems	~		
<ol><li>Windows/ Doors/ Gates (Interior and Exterior)</li></ol>	~		
Interior Surfaces (Walls, Floors, & Ceilings)	~		
<ol><li>Hazardous Materials (Interior &amp; Exterior)</li></ol>	~		
Structural Damage	~		
7. Fire Safety	~		
8. Electrical (Interior & Exterior)	~		
9. Pest/ Vermin Infestation	~		
Drinking Fountains (Interior & Exterior)	~		
11. Restroom	~		
12. Sewer	~		
13. Playgrounds/ School Grounds	~		
14. Roofs	~		
15. Overall Cleanliness	~		

Overall S	Summary of School	Facilitiy Good Repair	Status
Exemplary	Good	Fair	Poor
~			

Rating Description

Exemplary: The school meets most or all standards of good repair. Deficiencies noted, if any, are not significant and/or impact a very small area of the school.

#### Campus Supervision

School administration and teaching staff place a high priority on providing adequate adult supervision on campus before, during, and after school. As students arrive on campus each morning, the teachers and the administrator are strategically assigned to designated entrance areas and the playground. During recess, the administrator and teachers supervise playground activity. The administrator and lunch supervisors monitor lunch time activity in the cafeteria and on the playground. At the end of the day when students are dismissed, the administrator and teachers monitor student behavior to ensure a safe and orderly departure.

Fairlands Elementary School is a closed campus. During school hours, all visitors must sign in at the school's office and wear identification badges while on school grounds.

#### School Site Safety Plan

The Comprehensive School Site Safety Plan was developed for Fairlands Elementary School in collaboration with local agencies and the district office to fulfill Senate Bill 187 requirements. Components of this plan include child abuse reporting procedures, teacher notification of dangerous pupil procedures, disaster response procedures, procedures for safe arrival and departure from school, sexual harassment policy, and dress code policy. The school's most recent school safety plan will be reviewed, updated, and discussed with school staff in October 2010.

# Classroom Environment

#### Discipline & Climate for Learning

Fairlands Elementary School's discipline practices and behavior management strategies comply with approved board policies and are designed to create effective learning environments and minimize classroom disruptions. Progressive discipline and proactive measures are employed in the classroom for those students experiencing difficulty following school rules and demonstrating positive behavior. Disciplinary intervention is managed by school administrators in a fair, firm, and consistent manner based upon the nature of each situation.

Suspensions & Expulsions				
	FES			
	07-08	08-09	09-10	
Suspensions (#)	21	14	10	
Suspensions (%)	3.05 %	1.94 %	1.34 %	
Expulsions (#)	0	1	0	
Expulsions (%)	0.00 %	0.14 %	0.00 %	
	E	PUSD Elementary School	ls	
Suspensions (#)	104	92	86	
Suspensions (%)	1.70 %	1.49 %	1.39 %	
Expulsions (#)	2	4	0	
Expulsions (%)	0.03 %	0.06 %	0.00 %	

This table illustrates the total cases (not number of days) of suspensions and expulsions, and includes students with multiple instances of suspension. For example, a student suspended in one month for 2 days and then suspended a month later for three days is counted as two cases of suspension.

#### Class Size

The Class Size Distribution table in this report illustrates the distribution of class sizes by grade level, the average class size, and the number of classes that contain 1-20 students, 21-32 students, and 33 or more students. Calculations exclude classrooms of 50 or more students.

Class Size Distribution Self-Contained Classes				
	2007-08			
	Avg. Class Number of Classrooms			ooms
Grade	Size	1-20	21-32	33+
К	19.7	6		
1	20.0	7		
2	20.0	5		
3	20.0	6		
4	33.0			3
5	33.0			3
Combo 4-8	33.0			1
		200	8-09	
	Avg. Class	Numl	per of Classr	ooms
Grade	Size	1-20	21-32	33+
K	19.0	6		
1	20.0	6		
2	20.0	7		
3	20.0	7		
4	31.0		3	
5	33.0			3
Combo 4-8	33.0			1

Combo classes are any combination of the grades shown. 2009-10 data not available at the time of production of this report

# Curriculum & Instruction

#### Staff Development

All training and curriculum development activities at Fairlands Elementary School revolve around the California State Content Standards and Frameworks. During the 2009-10 school year, Fairlands Elementary School held three staff development days devoted to:

- Energy to Teach
- Interventions and Differentiation
- Professional Learning Communities
- Identifying Areas of Challenge (Data Analysis)
- Math Adoption Training
- Connect with Kids and Families

Decisions concerning selection of staff development activities are performed by all staff using tools such as teacher input, district benchmark results, and data analysis to determine the areas in which additional teacher training may enhance classroom instruction and increase student achievement levels. Fairlands Elementary School supports ongoing professional growth throughout the year on minimum days. Teachers met in both grade level and department level teams to conduct data analysis to identify areas of need. Teaching staff are provided the opportunity to participate in district-sponsored staff development workshops or training session as 1) a supplement to site-based staff development, 2) for reinforcement of or follow-up on previous training, or 3) follow-up training for newly implemented programs/curricula. During the 2009-10 school year, Fairlands Elementary School's teachers attended the following events hosted by the Pleasanton Unified School District:

- Technology
- Strategies and Resources for Arts Integration
- Collaborative Curriculum Design
- Serving Students with ASD in the Schools
- Assessment of Language and Communication in Culturally and Linguistically Diverse (CLD) Populations

Fairlands Elementary School offers support to new and veteran teachers through peer coaching and mentoring. Instructional aides are provided targeted training focused on teaching strategies and curriculum content. Substitute teachers are invited to participate in designated staff development activities. All staff are encouraged to attend professional workshops and conferences. Classified support staff receive job-related training from department supervisors and district representatives.

Staff Development Days Three-Year Trend		
2007-08	2008-09	2009-10
3	3	3

#### **Instructional Materials**

All textbooks used in the core curriculum at Fairlands Elementary School are aligned to the California Content Standards and Frameworks. Instructional materials are selected from the state's most recent list of standards-based materials and adopted by the State Board of Education. The district follows the State Board of Education's six-year adoption cycle for core content materials (English/language arts, math, science, and social science).

On Tuesday, September 14, 2010, the Pleasanton Unified School District's Board of Trustees held a public hearing to certify the extent to which textbooks and instructional materials have been provided to students. The Board of Trustees adopted Resolution 20010-2011.02 which certifies as required by Education Code §60119 (1) that textbooks and instructional materials were provided to all students, including English learners, in the district to the extent that each pupil has a textbook or instructional materials, or both, to use in class and to take home, and (2) sufficient textbooks and instructional materials were provided to each student, including English learners, that are aligned to the academic content standards and consistent with the cycles and content of the curriculum frameworks in math, science, history-social science, and English/language arts.

In addition to core subject areas, districts are required to disclose in their SARCs the sufficiency of instructional materials used for their visual/performing arts curricula. During the 2010-11 school year, Pleasanton Unified School District provided each student, including English learners, enrolled in a visual/performing arts class with a textbook or instructional materials to use in class and to take home. These materials complied with the state's content standards and curriculum frameworks.

	Textbooks		
Adoption Year	Publisher & Series	Pupils Lacking Textbooks	
History-Social	Science		
2006	Pearson Scott Foresman, Scott Foresman History-Social Science for California	0 %	
Language Arts			
2003	Houghton Mifflin, California Reading	0 %	
Math			
2009	enVision, California Mathematics	0 %	
Science			
2007	Macmillan/McGraw-Hill, Macmillan/McGraw-Hill California Science	0 %	

The textbooks and instructional materials used by the school are the most recently SBE adopted instructional materials.

#### School Leadership

School leadership is a responsibility shared among the principal, school staff, and parents. Principal Kimberley Michels is responsible for the day-to-day operations of the school and overall instructional program. Coordinating efforts with the Principal is the Leadership Team, comprised of the principal, grade level representatives, and reading specialists. The Leadership Team meets monthly throughout the year to discuss operational and curricular issues and address staff development needs.

Principal Kimberley Michels has been in the educational field for 23 years and serving Fairlands Elementary School for five years (as of 2009-10). Previous positions held in other schools include: assistant principal, vice principal, coordinator of staff development, beginning teacher support, and assessment coordinator. Principal Kimberley Michels holds a bachelor's degree in liberal arts, a master's degree in educational administration and supervision, and Clear Multiple Subject Teaching Credential and a Clear Administrative Servies Credential.

## **Professional Staff**

#### Counseling & Support Staff

Fairlands Elementary School provides professional, highly qualified staff that provide additional services and support centered on the whole student academically, physically, and mentally. The Counseling and Support Services table in this report illustrates the availability of non-instructional support staff to Fairlands Elementary School's students. Full-time equivalent (FTE) is a standard measurement used to identify an employee's regular work load on a weekly basis. For example, an FTE of 1.0 designates a full-time position and the employee is on campus and available all day every day of the week; an FTE of 0.5 indicates that the staff member is available and on campus a portion (50%) of the week.

Counselors & Support Personnel (Nonteaching Professional Staff) 2009-10		
	No. of Staff	FTE
Counselor	1	0.5
At-Risk Aide	2	1.2
Health Clerk	1	0.5
Library Clerk	1	1.0
LSH Therapist	1	1.0
Nurse	1	*
Psychologist	1	0.2
Reading Specialist	1	1.0

\* as needed FTE = Full-Time Equivalent

# **Teacher Assignment**

During the 2009-10 school year, Fairlands Elementary School had 35 teachers who met all credential requirements in accordance with state guidelines. The Federal No Child Left Behind Act requires that all teachers in core subject areas meet certain requirements in order to be considered as "NCLB Compliant." Minimum qualifications include: possession of a bachelor's degree, possession of an appropriate California teaching credential, and demonstrated competence in core academic subjects. In the table below, which identifies the number of classrooms taught by NCLB-compliant and non-compliant teachers, high poverty schools are those schools in the highest quartile for student participation defined by the free and reduced price meal program. Low poverty schools are those schools that are in the lowest quartile of program participation.

Percentage of Core Classes 2009-10				
Taught by Taught by nor NCLB-Compliant NCLB- Complia Teachers Teachers				
Fairlands Elementary School 100.0 % 0.0 %				
District Totals				
All Schools	97.8 %	2.2 %		
High-Poverty	97.8 %	2.2 %		
Low-Poverty	0.0 %	0.0 %		

Teacher (	Credentials &	& Assignment	S	
		FES		PUSD
	07-08	08-09	09-10	09-10
Total Teachers	36	33	35	690
Teachers with full credentials	36	32	35	683
Teachers without full credentials	0	1	0	7
Teachers in alternate routes to certification	0	0	0	0
Pre-Internship	0	0	0	0
Teachers with emergency permits	1	1	0	0
Teachers with waivers	0	0	0	0
Teachers teaching outside subject area	0	0	0	0
Total teacher misassignments	0	0	0	4
Teacher misassignments for English learners	0	0	0	4
Other misassignments of certificated staff	0	0	0	0
Teacher vacancies	0	0	0	1

Teacher Credentials & Assignments (cont'd)				
	FES	PUSD		
	10-11	10-11		
Total teacher misassignments	0	0		
Teacher misassignments for English learners	0	0		
Other misassignments of certificated staff	0	0		
Teacher vacancies	0	0		

Teacher Education Levels 2009-10				
FES PUSD				
Doctorate	0.0 %	0.7 %		
Master's degree plus 30 or more semester hours	2.9 %	4.0 %		
Master's degree	25.7 %	29.1 %		
Bachelor's degree plus 30 or more semester hours	68.6 %	63.1 %		
Bachelor's degree	2.9 %	3.0 %		
Less than Bachelor's degree	0.0 %	0.0 %		

# **District Expenditures**

#### Salary & Budget Comparison

State law requires comparative salary and budget information to be reported to the general public. For comparison purposes, the State Department of Education has provided average salary data from school districts having similar average daily attendance throughout the state. (Note: 2008-09 salary comparison data was the most recent data available at the time this report was published.)

Salary Comparison 2008-09				
	PUSD	State Average of Districts in Same Category		
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$55,646	\$41,155		
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$80,752	\$65,379		
Highest Teacher Salary	\$98,045	\$85,049		
Superintendent Salary	\$229,952	\$194,802		
Average Principal Salaries:				
Elementary School	\$126,032	\$106,453		
Percentage of General Fund Expenditures for:				
Teacher Salaries	43.2%	39.9%		
Administrative Salaries	5.2%	5.1%		

#### **Expenditures Per Student**

For the 2008-09 school year, Pleasanton Unified School District spent an average of \$8,453 of total general funds to educate each student (based on 2008-09 audited financial statements and in accordance with calculations defined in Education Code §41372). The table in this report 1) compares the school's per pupil expenditures from unrestricted (basic) and restricted (supplemental) sources with other schools in the district and throughout the state, and 2) compares the average teacher salary at the school site with average teacher salaries at the district and state levels. Detailed information regarding salaries can be found at the CDE website at www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/ec/ and www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/. (The figures shown in the table below reflect the direct cost of educational services, per ADA, excluding food services, facilities acquisition and construction, and certain other expenditures.)

In addition to general fund state funding, Pleasanton Unified School District receives state and federal categorical funding for special programs. For the 2008-09 school year, the district received categorical, special education, and support programs funds for:

- ARRA: State Fiscal Stabilization Fund
- CA High School Exit Examination
- CA School-Age Families Education Program (Cal-SAFE)
- California Instructional School Garden
- · California Peer Assistance & Review Program for Teachers(CPARP)
- Economic Impact Aid (EIA)
- English Language Acquisition Program, Teacher Training & Student Assistance
- Gifted & Talented Education (GATE)
- Instructional Materials
- K-12 Service Learning Initiative (CalServe)
- Lottery: Instructional Materials
- Professional Development Block Grant
- Pupil Retention Block Grant
- Regional Occupation Centers and Programs (ROC/P)
- School & Library Improvement Block Grant
- School Safety & Violence Prevention, Grades 8-12
- Special Education
- Supplemental School Counseling Program
- Teacher Credentialing Block Grant
- Teacher Recruitment/Incentives
- Tenth Grade Counseling
- Title I
- Title II • Title III
- Title IV
- Tobacco-Use Prevention Education
- Transportation
- Transportation: Special Education
- Vocational Programs

Expense of Education Per Pupil 2008-09					
	Dollars Spent per Student				
	State Avg., % Diff. Dist. Same % Diff. School & Size & School FES PUSD Dist. Type State				
ADA*	699	13948	N/A	N/A	N/A
Total**	\$5,754	\$5,665	101.57	N/A	N/A
Restr.†	\$145	\$244	59.43	N/A	N/A
Unrestr.††	\$5,609	\$5,421	103.46	\$5,681	98.73
Avg. Teacher Salary	\$85,964	\$81,928	104.93	\$57,352	149.89

<sup>\*</sup> Average Daily Attendance

# **SARC Data**

## **DataQuest**

DataQuest is an online data tool located at http://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/ that contains additional information about Fairlands Elementary School and comparisons of the school to the district, the county, and the state. DataQuest provides reports for school accountability, including but not limited to API, AYP, STAR results, enrollment, and staffing.

#### Public Internet Access Location

Parents may access Fairlands Elementary School's SARC and access the internet at any of the county's public libraries. The closest public library to Fairlands Elementary School is Pleasanton Public Library.

Address: 400 Old Bernal Ave., Pleasanton

Phone Number: (925) 931-3400

WebSite: http://www.ci.pleasanton.ca.us/library.html

Number of Computers Available: 24

#### Disclosure

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<sup>\*\*</sup> Total Restricted and Unrestricted \$ per student

<sup>†</sup> Restricted (Supplemental) \$ per student

<sup>††</sup> Unrestricted (Basic) \$ per student