



Los Robles Elementary School

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School Description

Principal's Message

At Los Robles, you are part of a community committed to educating every student with excellence, enthusiasm, and perseverance. We have embraced the shift to implement the New California Standards with a collaborative spirit and high expectations for all students. Stepping onto our campus, the belief that all students can learn will be evidenced in an atmosphere where students are excited about learning, and where character and positive behavior are demonstrated by all people. With the support and dedication of parents, community, and staff, combined with our commitment to studying our profession and improving instructional practices, we expect student achievement to continually rise. New technology has been added to every classroom and our students are learning the skills necessary to access and be critical consumers of the vast amount of information before them. It is our honor and privilege to discover the asset every student brings to our school and further guide these young people into happy, productive citizens who have the choice of following their interests and pursuing their goals and dreams. We welcome your involvement, suggestions, time, and support to educate all our students.

School Mission Statement

Los Robles School is dedicated to providing an academic program promoting excellence, work ethic and problem solving. Students grow in an atmosphere where they are accountable for personal and social responsibility of integrity, appropriateness, and caring for others. Through a community process of each-one teach-one, students will find and develop their individual strengths as they become active and responsible citizens of our community.

Community & School Profile

Porterville, lying along the foothills of the Sierras, is located on State Highway 65, 165 miles north of Los Angeles, and 171 miles east of the Pacific Coast. Centrally located to major markets, the city has strategic access to major transportation routes. Porterville Unified School District serves more than 13,000 students throughout the community, as well as the town of Strathmore. The district is comprised of ten elementary schools, three middle schools, four comprehensive high schools, one magnet academy, one continuation high school, and two alternative sites.

Curriculum is based on improving literacy, writing, and mathematical skills and concepts with the infusion of technology aligned with the New California Standards and district graduate outcomes. We value our diverse population of students and the needs of each. Our unique combination of special education and general education programs in concert with students from various cultures promote a climate of tolerance and acceptance among students and faculty.

During the 2015-16 school year, 525 students were enrolled at the school.

About the SARC

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, see the California Department of Education (CDE) SARC Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/>.
- For more information about the LCFF or LCAP, see the CDE LCFF Web page at <http://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.

2016-17 Student Enrollment by Grade Level	
Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	79
Grade 1	69
Grade 2	71
Grade 3	71
Grade 4	91
Grade 5	95
Grade 6	63
Total Enrollment	539

2016-17 Student Enrollment by Group	
Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	0.7
American Indian or Alaska Native	1.1
Asian	2.4
Filipino	0.9
Hispanic or Latino	85.3
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	2.8
White	6.1
Two or More Races	0.6
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	93.7
English Learners	37.5
Students with Disabilities	4.8
Foster Youth	0.2

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.

Teacher Credentials			
Los Robles Elementary School	15-16	16-17	17-18
With Full Credential	25	22	22
Without Full Credential	2	3	3
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	0	0	0
Porterville Unified School District	15-16	16-17	17-18
With Full Credential	♦	♦	585
Without Full Credential	♦	♦	59
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	♦	♦	19

Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions at this School			
Los Robles Elementary School	15-16	16-17	17-18
Teachers of English Learners	0	0	0
Total Teacher Misassignments	0	0	0
Vacant Teacher Positions	0	0	0

* "Misassignments" refers to the number of positions filled by teachers who lack legal authorization to teach that grade level, subject area, student group, etc. Total Teacher Misassignments includes the number of Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners.

Quality, Currency, Availability of Textbooks and Instructional Materials (School Year 2017-18)

Porterville Unified School District held a Public Hearing on August 24, 2017 and determined that each school has sufficient and good quality textbooks, instructional materials, or science lab equipment pursuant to the settlement of Williams vs. the State of California. All students, including English Learners, are given their own individual standards-aligned textbooks or instructional materials, or both, in core subjects for use in the classroom and to take home. The chart below displays data collected in August 2016, regarding textbooks in use during the 2017-18 school year.

Textbooks and Instructional Materials Year and month in which data were collected: August 2017	
Core Curriculum Area	Textbooks and Instructional Materials/Year of Adoption
Reading/Language Arts	McGraw Hill Wonder Adopted 2016 The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0.0%
Mathematics	McGraw Hill Adopted 2015 The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0.0%
Science	Glencoe Adopted 2006 Harcourt Adopted 2001 The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0.0%
History-Social Science	Houghton Mifflin Adopted 2007 The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0.0%
Foreign Language	Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0.0%
Health	Harcourt Adopted 2006 The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0.0%
Visual and Performing Arts	Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0.0%

Note: Cells with N/A values do not require data.

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements (Most Recent Year)

Los Robles School was originally constructed in 1988. The most recent renovations to the campus occurred in 2004, and included the addition of eight new classrooms. The campus is currently comprised of 31 classrooms, a library, one computer lab, one staff room, a cafeteria, three playgrounds, the main office, and a Resource Room. The chart displays the results of the most recent school facilities inspection, provided by the district in September 2013.

Cleaning Process

The school provides a safe and clean environment for students, staff, and volunteers. The district governing board has adopted cleaning standards for all schools in the district. Basic cleaning operations are performed on a daily basis throughout the school year with emphasis on classrooms and restrooms. A joint effort between students and staff helps keep the campus clean and litter-free. The principal works with the custodial staff to develop sanitation schedules that ensure a clean, safe, and functional learning environment.

Maintenance & Repair

A scheduled maintenance program is administered by the school's custodial staff on a regular basis, with heavy maintenance functions occurring during vacation periods. Additionally, a scheduled maintenance program is administered by the district to ensure that school grounds and facilities remain in excellent repair. A work order process is used when issues arise that require immediate attention. Emergency repairs are given the highest priority; repair requests are completed efficiently and in the order in which they are received. At the time of publication, 100% of the school's restrooms were in working order.

School Facility Good Repair Status (Most Recent Year)
Year and month in which data were collected: 09/30/2013

System Inspected	Repair Status			Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
	Good	Fair	Poor	
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	X			
Interior: Interior Surfaces		X		Rm 14, 16, 17, 22, 28, 31 have stained and/or missing ceiling tiles. Computer lab have broken cabinet door. Room 23 broken cabinet door, missing light cover
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/ Vermin Infestation	X			
Electrical: Electrical	X			Outlet broken, 4 lights in Room 22
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains			X	KA & KB leak in sink. Rm 1, 2, 58, 27, 28 loose faucet. Rm 3, 10 adjust drinking fountain, Cafeteria Stall Dividers boys restroom loose, Faucet to hard to close on kitchen, missing install door building D
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	X			
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	X			
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	X			
Overall Rating	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, which 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. The CAAs have replaced the California Alternate Performance Assessment [CAPA] for ELA and mathematics, which were eliminated in 2015. Only eligible students may participate in the administration of the CAAs. CAA items are aligned with alternate achievement standards, which are linked with the Common Core State Standards [CCSS] for students with significant cognitive disabilities); and
- 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

2016-17 CAASPP Results for All Students						
Subject	Percent of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standards (grades 3-8 and 11)					
	School		District		State	
	15-16	16-17	15-16	16-17	15-16	16-17
ELA	28	32	37	39	48	48
Math	25	24	21	23	36	37

* Percentages are not calculated when the number of students tested is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

2015-16 CAASPP Results by Student Group Science (grades 5, 8, and 10)				
Group	Number of Students		Percent of Students	
	Enrolled	with Valid Scores	w/ Valid Scores	Proficient or Advanced
All Students	67	65	97.0	36.9
Male	34	33	97.1	36.4
Female	33	32	97.0	37.5
Hispanic or Latino	57	55	96.5	32.7
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	62	60	96.8	36.7
English Learners	15	14	93.3	7.1

* Science test results include CSTs, CMA, and CAPA in grades five, eight, and ten. The "Proficient or Advanced" is calculated by taking the total number of students who scored at Proficient or Advanced on the science assessment divided by the total number of students with valid scores. Scores are not shown when the number of students tested is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

CAASPP Test Results in Science for All Students						
Subject	Percent of Students Scoring at Proficient or Advanced (meeting or exceeding the state standards)					
	School		District		State	
	14-15	15-16	14-15	15-16	14-15	15-16
Science	36	37	37	40	60	56

Note: Science test results include California Standards Tests (CSTs), California Modified Assessment (CMA), and California Alternate Performance Assessment (CAPA) in grades five, eight, and ten.

Note: Scores are not shown when the number of students tested is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

Note: The 2016-17 data are not available. The California Department of Education is developing a new science assessment based on the Next Generation Science Standards for California Public Schools (CA NGSS). The new California Science Test (CAST) was piloted in spring 2017. The CST and CMA for Science will no longer be administered.

Grade Level	2016-17 Percent of Students Meeting Fitness Standards		
	4 of 6	5 of 6	6 of 6
5	16.5	24.2	35.2

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**School Year 2016-17 CAASPP Assessment Results - English Language Arts (ELA)
Disaggregated by Student Groups, Grades Three through Eight and Eleven**

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	319	318	99.69	32.08
Male	171	170	99.42	31.18
Female	148	148	100	33.11
Black or African American	--	--	--	--
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--
Asian	--	--	--	--
Filipino	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	275	274	99.64	31.39
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--
White	16	16	100	25
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	296	295	99.66	31.19
English Learners	153	152	99.35	27.63
Students with Disabilities	20	20	100	5
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	17	17	100	29.41
Foster Youth	--	--	--	--

Note: ELA test results include the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment and the CAA. The "Percent Met or Exceeded" is calculated by taking the total number of students who met or exceeded the standard on the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment plus the total number of students who met the standard (i.e., achieved Level 3–Alternate) on the CAAs divided by the total number of students who participated in both assessments.

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

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

School Year 2016-17 CAASPP Assessment Results - Mathematics
Disaggregated by Student Groups, Grades Three through Eight and Eleven

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	319	319	100	24.14
Male	171	171	100	28.07
Female	148	148	100	19.59
Black or African American	--	--	--	--
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--
Asian	--	--	--	--
Filipino	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	275	275	100	22.91
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--
White	16	16	100	18.75
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	296	296	100	23.99
English Learners	153	153	100	22.88
Students with Disabilities	20	20	100	5
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	17	17	100	35.29
Foster Youth	--	--	--	--

Note: Mathematics test results include the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment and the CAA. The "Percent Met or Exceeded" is calculated by taking the total number of students who met or exceeded the standard on the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment plus the total number of students who met the standard (i.e., achieved Level 3--Alternate) on the CAAs divided by the total number of students who participated in both assessments.

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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 for the school district and each schoolsite.

Opportunities for Parental Involvement (School Year 2017-18)

Parent & Community Involvement

Parents and the community are very supportive of the educational programs at Los Robles School. Parents are elected to our School Site Council (SSC) and English Learner Advisory Committee (ELAC) where they participate in needs assessments and decision making to improve the education of our students. Parents play an active role in the community and at the school site by assisting with special activities, fundraising and attending parent education/information meetings. Parents are encouraged to help in the classrooms, with school activities, and field trips. Our school has a Parent Involvement Policy available upon request and School Compact which every student, teacher, and parent signs.

Contact Information

Parents who wish to participate in the school's leadership teams, school committees, school activities, or become a volunteer may contact the main office at (559) 782-7011. For the safety of our students, all volunteers are fingerprinted and cleared through the Department of Justice. Appointments are made with the school secretary. The district's website (www.portervilleschools.org) also provides a variety of helpful resources and information for parents, students, staff, and community members.

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.

School Safety Plan

The safety of students and staff is a primary concern of Los Robles Elementary School. Staff supervise students on campus before and after school, and during recesses. Supervisors wear a PUSD Safety Patrol vest for easy location of an adult by students in times of need. PUSD employees wear their district identification badge at all times for the safety of students and staff. For the safety of our students, all volunteers are fingerprinted and cleared through the Department of Justice. Appointments are made with the school secretary. All visitors must sign in at the front office and receive proper authorization to be on campus. Visitors are asked to display their pass at all times.

The School Site Safety Plan was most recently revised in fall 2013 by the Safety Committee. Key elements of the plan focus on emergency preparedness. The school is in compliance with the laws, rules, and regulations pertaining to hazardous materials and state earthquake standards. Emergency drills are held on a regular basis; fire drills and lock down drills are held once a month, earthquake drills are held twice a year.

Suspensions and Expulsions			
School	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
Suspensions Rate	1.37	1.57	2.73
Expulsions Rate	0	0	0
District	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
Suspensions Rate	5.91	5.62	5.42
Expulsions Rate	0.34	0.3	0.31
State	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
Suspensions Rate	3.79	3.65	3.65
Expulsions Rate	0.09	0.09	0.09

D. Other SARC Information

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

2017-18 Federal Intervention Program		
Indicator	School	District
Program Improvement Status	In PI	In PI
First Year of Program Improvement	2009-2010	2006-2007
Year in Program Improvement	Year 4	Year 3
Number of Schools Currently in Program Improvement	16	
Percent of Schools Currently in Program Improvement	80	

Academic Counselors and Other Support Staff at this School	
Number of Full-Time Equivalent (FTE)	
Academic Counselor	
Counselor (Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	1
Psychologist	1
Social Worker	1
Nurse	1
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	1
Resource Specialist	1
Other	
Average Number of Students per Staff Member	
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.

Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Elementary)												
Grade	Average Class Size			Number of Classrooms*								
				1-20			21-32			33+		
	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
K	22	22	24	1	1		3	3	3			
1	23	23	20			3	3	3				
2	22	22	23				4	4	3			
3	26	26	21			1	3	3	3			
4	26	26	30				2	2	3			
5	24	24	33				3	3	1			1
6	30	30	34				2	2				2
Other			10			1						

* Number of classes indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class).

Professional Development provided for Teachers

A constructive evaluation process promotes quality instruction and is a fundamental element in a sound educational program. Evaluations and formal observations are designed to encourage common goals and to comply with the state's evaluation criteria and district policies. Temporary and probationary teachers are evaluated annually and tenured teachers are evaluated every other year.

Evaluations are conducted by site administrators, who have been trained and certified for competency to perform teacher evaluations. Evaluation criteria includes the following:

- Engaging and Supporting all Students in Learning
- Understanding and Organizing Subject Matter for Student Learning
- Assessing Student Learning
- Creating and Maintaining Effective Environments for Student Learning
- Planning Instruction and Designing Learning Experiences for all Students
- Developing as a Professional Educator

Each site has an Academic Common Core Coach to work with staff and students to implement CCSS and improve our instructional practice. Los Robles has participated in Positive Behavior and Instructional Support (PBIS) as an alternative to suspensions and to create a positive and successful learning atmosphere for every student.

Teachers have received hands-on practical training through Instructional Rounds, district grade level meetings, and collaborative efforts at the school site. Administrators conduct regular walk-throughs for data collection to measure the implementation of training received and provide feedback to teachers for affirmation and support. Teachers have the opportunity to attend professional conferences and training offered by the Tulare County Office of Education for CCSS in math, science, and ELA.

For additional support in their profession, teachers may enlist the services of the district's Beginning Teacher Support and Assessment (BTSA) facilitator.

FY 2015-16 Teacher and Administrative Salaries		
Category	District Amount	State Average for Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$49,392	\$48,522
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$74,604	\$75,065
Highest Teacher Salary	\$90,811	\$94,688
Average Principal Salary (ES)	\$151,564	\$119,876
Average Principal Salary (MS)	\$153,951	\$126,749
Average Principal Salary (HS)	\$164,505	\$135,830
Superintendent Salary	\$226,527	\$232,390
Percent of District Budget		
Teacher Salaries	32%	37%
Administrative Salaries	4%	5%

* For detailed information on salaries, see the CDE Certificated Salaries & Benefits webpage at www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/.

FY 2015-16 Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries				
Level	Expenditures Per Pupil			Average Teacher Salary
	Total	Restricted	Unrestricted	
School Site	\$5,721	\$1,134	\$4,587	\$71,729
District	♦	♦	\$6,336	\$76,860
State	♦	♦	\$6,574	\$77,824
Percent Difference: School Site/District			-27.6	2.0
Percent Difference: School Site/ State			-2.2	3.4

* Cells with ♦ do not require data.

Types of Services Funded

In addition to general state funding, Porterville Unified School District received state and federal categorical funding for the following support programs:

- Title I, Basic Grant
- Title II, Teacher Quality & Technology
- Title III, Limited English Proficiency

Title VII, Indian, Native Hawaiian, and Alaska Native Education

DataQuest

DataQuest is an online data tool located on the CDE DataQuest Web page at <http://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).

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.