

William & Marian Ghidotti Early College High School

2024-2025 School Accountability Report Card

(Published During the 2025-2026 School Year)



General Information about the School Accountability Report Card (SARC)

SARC Overview



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

- For more information about SARC requirements and access to prior year reports, see the California Department of Education (CDE) SARC web page at <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/>
- For more information about the LCFF or the LCAP, see the CDE LCFF web page at <https://www.cde.ca.gov/fq/aa/lc/>
- For additional information about the school, parents/guardians and community members should contact the school principal or the district office.

DataQuest



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

California School Dashboard



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

Internet Access

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

2025-26 School Contact Information

School Name	William & Marian Ghidotti Early College High School
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Grade Span	9-12
County-District-School (CDS) Code	29-66357-0112367

2025-26 District Contact Information

District Name	Nevada Joint Union High School District
Phone Number	(530) 273-3351
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2025-26 School Description and Mission Statement

SCHOOL DESCRIPTION: Located on the Grass Valley Campus of Sierra Community College, Ghidotti is a rural, public early college high school within the Nevada Joint Union High School District. Opened in 2006, and initially supported by a start-up grant from the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, Ghidotti is one of 41 early college high school programs in California. We serve students in grades nine through twelve who have the opportunity to earn both a high school and college degree upon graduation. In the past seven years, over 90 percent of our students have continued with their college studies at Sierra or have matriculated to four-year colleges and universities. By bridging the divide between high school and college, Ghidotti helps students overcome barriers to attending a four-year university.

The mission of Ghidotti Early College High School (GECHS) is to provide a supportive, rigorous learning community through an individualized academic program that makes higher education more accessible to a diverse population that is reflective of the region's demographics. Our program serves historically disadvantaged students, low-income students, first-generation college students, English language learners, and other high school students for whom a smooth transition into post-secondary education can be challenging.

About this School

2024-25 Student Enrollment by Grade Level

Grade Level	Number of Students
Grade 9	48
Grade 10	34
Grade 11	37
Grade 12	36
Total Enrollment	155

2024-25 Student Enrollment by Student Group

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Female	42.6
Male	55.5
Non-Binary	1.9
Asian	3.2
Black or African American	0.6
Filipino	0.6
Hispanic or Latino	12.9
Two or More Races	7.1
White	75.5
English Learners	0.6
Homeless	0.6
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	21.3
Students with Disabilities	0.6

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.

2021-22 Teacher Preparation and Placement

Authorization/Assignment	School Number	School Percent	District Number	District Percent	State Number	State Percent
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)	5.6	94.33	115.4	78.26	234405.2	84
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0	0	1.9	1.3	4853	1.74
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments ("ineffective" under ESSA)	0	0	5.3	3.65	12001.5	4.3
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field ("out-of-field" under ESSA)	0	0	14.7	9.98	11953.1	4.28
Unknown/Incomplete/NA	0.3	5.5	10	6.8	15831.9	5.67
Total Teaching Positions	6	100	147.5	100	279044.8	100

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

2022-23 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	100	116	82.31	231142.4	83.24
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0	0	0.7	0.53	5566.4	2
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments ("ineffective" under ESSA)	0	0	6.9	4.9	14938.3	5.38
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field ("out-of-field" under ESSA)	0	0	13	9.24	11746.9	4.23
Unknown/Incomplete/NA	0	0	4.2	3.01	14303.8	5.15
Total Teaching Positions	5.8	100	141	100	277698	100

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

2023-24 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	97.17	123.3	83.88	230039.4	100
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0	0	3.9	2.68	6213.8	2.23
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (“ineffective” under ESSA)	0	0	2.4	1.66	16855	6.04
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field (“out-of-field” under ESSA)	0.1	2.66	12.8	8.71	12112.8	4.34
Unknown/Incomplete/NA	0	0	4.5	3.06	13705.8	4.91
Total Teaching Positions	6	100	147.1	100	278927.1	100

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

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

Authorization/Assignment	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Permits and Waivers	0.00	0	0
Misassignments	0.00	0	0
Vacant Positions	0.00	0	0
Total Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments	0.00	0	0

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

Indicator	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Credentialed Teachers Authorized on a Permit or Waiver	0.00	0	0
Local Assignment Options	0.00	0	0.1
Total Out-of-Field Teachers	0.00	0	0.1

Class Assignments

Indicator	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Misassignments for English Learners (a percentage of all the classes with English learners taught by teachers that are misassigned)	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	0

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

2025-26 Quality, Currency, Availability of Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials

Ghidotti is committed to creating a student-centered, California Standards-aligned curriculum that prepares our students for college and career. We want our students to be engaged and self-motivated learners who persevere through challenges. We want them to read a broad range of complex, high-quality texts; to demonstrate mastery of content knowledge; to value evidence and use it to construct viable arguments; to use appropriate technology or other tools strategically and capably; and to understand diverse perspectives and cultures.

Students take high school level English during their freshman and sophomore years. The English Department's goal is to align all curricula to the State Standards. For example, English teachers have redesigned their lessons to include more close reading of nonfiction texts, including the adoption of two nonfiction books, *The Blind Side* and *Seabiscuit*, shorter nonfiction texts that complement the literature curriculum, and pivotal U.S. documents of historical and literary significance like Lincoln's "Gettysburg Address" and King's "Letter from Birmingham Jail." The majority of writing assignments are informational and argumentative essays that require students to analyze their reading as well as research-related topics.

Students take biology as freshmen and chemistry as juniors. Our science department designs lessons that emphasize collaboration and critical thinking through hands-on learning experiences. Lessons include a variety of resources such as current scientific journal articles, scientific notebooks, science-related media, and lab experiments. Students actively work together to apply learned concepts, analyze and use data to support scientific outcomes, effectively problem-solve, and relate their findings to real-world experiences. Students complete close reading assignments in which they summarize the scientific arguments presented in the text, support these summaries with textual evidence, and demonstrate knowledge of domain-specific vocabulary.

All students take world history as sophomores, US history as juniors, and a majority take their required government/economics class through the high school as seniors. The history teacher uses a cross-curricular approach that engages students and helps them develop a wide range of skills. Students convey a deep understanding of texts by connecting them to current events and their own college and career goals. They collaborate to understand primary and secondary sources, inferring the outcome, testing hypotheses, and driving their own research from the evidence provided.

We offer Integrated Math 1, Integrated Math 2 and Integrated Math 3 through the high school. Courses are taught with texts from CPM (College Preparatory Mathematics), which is based on the California Standards.

Ghidotti curriculum is challenging --crafted to help our students be prepared to succeed in their college classes. Support for struggling students is available—the college tutoring center, small group tutoring and support (learning lab) provided by a school teacher on special assignments, one-on-one tutoring sessions between teacher and student, and a seminar class taught by a highly qualified math teacher.

In addition to high school textbooks, the school provides students with materials required by their college professors.

Year and month in which the data were collected

November 2025

Subject	List of Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials / Indicate if from Most Recent Adoption / Year of Adoption	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	Holt Literature (9, 10, 11); see above narrative for other texts.	0.0
Mathematics	CPM Integrated 1; CPM Integrated 2; CPM Integrated 3.	0.0
Science	Biology: CA Living Earth (Savvas - Miller and Levine) 2020; Introductory Chemistry: A Foundation (9th Edition) 2019	0.0
History-Social Science	"IMPACT: California, Grade 10, Student Edition, World History, Culture, & Geography, The Modern World" 2019 "IMPACT: California, Grade 11, Student Edition, United States History & Geography, Continuity and Change" 2019 "IMPACT: California, Grade 12, Student Edition, Principles of American Democracy" 2019 "Human Geography For The Ap Course, Hildebrant" 2021	0.0
Foreign Language	Determined by the college professor	0.0
Health	Determined by the college professor	0.0
Visual and Performing Arts	Determined by the college professor	0.0
Science Laboratory Equipment (grades 9-12)	Provided by Sierra College	0.0

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

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

Ghidotti Early College High School is located on the Sierra Community College Nevada County Campus campus.

Sierra College facilities are well-maintained. Inspections are conducted regularly. Potential safety issues are addressed in a timely manner. Sierra College supplies a FIT equivalent report that is available for review at the NJUHSD Office.

Year and month of the most recent FIT report

12/23

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			

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

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).

College and Career Ready

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

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.

To protect student privacy, double dashes (--) are used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

ELA and mathematics test results include the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments 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 CAA divided by the total number of students who participated in both assessments.

Subject	School 2023-24	School 2024-25	District 2023-24	District 2024-25	State 2023-24	State 2024-25
English Language Arts/Literacy (grades 3-8 and 11)	100	100	61	62	47	48
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	82	89	30	33	35	37

2024-25 CAASPP Test Results in ELA by Student Group

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

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

To protect student privacy, double dashes (--) are used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

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.

CAASPP Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	36	36	100.00	0.00	100.00
Female	18	18	100.00	0.00	100.00
Male	17	17	100.00	0.00	100.00
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	--	--	--	--	--
Black or African American	0	0	0	0	0
Filipino	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic or Latino	--	--	--	--	--
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--	--

White	29	29	100.00	0.00	100.00
English Learners	0	0	0	0	0
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0
Homeless	0	0	0	0	0
Military	--	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	11	11	100.00	0.00	100.00
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	0	0	0	0	0

2024-25 CAASPP Test Results in Math by Student Group

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

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

To protect student privacy, double dashes (--) are used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

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.

CAASPP Student Groups	CAASPP Total Enrollment	CAASPP Number Tested	CAASPP Percent Tested	CAASPP Percent Not Tested	CAASPP Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	36	36	100.00	0.00	88.89
Female	18	18	100.00	0.00	83.33
Male	17	17	100.00	0.00	94.12
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	--	--	--	--	--
Black or African American	0	0	0	0	0
Filipino	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic or Latino	--	--	--	--	--
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--	--
White	29	29	100.00	0.00	86.21
English Learners	0	0	0	0	0
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0
Homeless	0	0	0	0	0
Military	--	--	--	--	--

Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	11	11	100.00	0.00	81.82
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	0	0	0	0	0

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.

Science test results include the CAST and the CAA for Science. The “Percent Met or Exceeded” is calculated by taking the total number of students who met or exceeded the standard on the CAST plus the total number of students who met the standard (i.e., achieved Level 3–Alternate) on the CAA for Science divided by the total number of students who participated in a science assessment.

To protect student privacy, double dashes (--) are used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

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.

Subject	School 2023-24	School 2024-25	District 2023-24	District 2024-25	State 2023-24	State 2024-25
Science (grades 5, 8 and high school)	84.51	92.75	33.33	45.81	30.73	32.33

2024-25 CAASPP Test Results in Science by Student Group

To protect student privacy, double dashes (--) are used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	71	69	97.18	2.82	92.75
Female	32	31	96.88	3.12	87.10
Male	37	37	100.00	0.00	97.30
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	--	--	--	--	--
Black or African American	--	--	--	--	--
Filipino	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic or Latino	--	--	--	--	--
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--	--
White	54	53	98.15	1.85	94.34
English Learners	0	0	0	0	0
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0
Homeless	0	0	0	0	0
Military	--	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	15	15	100.00	0.00	86.67
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	0	0	0	0	0

2024-25 Career Technical Education Programs

Ghidotti currently offers 1 Career Technical Education pathway:

Business and Finance Pathway: Business Leadership 1 Business to Leadership 2

Nevada Joint Union High School District hosts an active CTE Advisory Committee. Members and related industries they represent are as follows:

Dan Prout - Advisory Chair, All Pathways

Luke Browning - NJUHSD CTE Director, All Pathways

Suzanne Hall, NJUHSD Workability

Kathe Frazer, Hospitality

Melissa Hannebrink, Information Communication Technology

Kimberly Parker, Economic Development Office

Jeff Hansen, Building Construction Trades/Agriculture

2024-25 Career Technical Education (CTE) Participation

Measure	CTE Program Participation
Number of Pupils Participating in CTE	37
Percent of Pupils that Complete a CTE Program and Earn a High School Diploma	0
Percent of CTE Courses that are Sequenced or Articulated Between the School and Institutions of Postsecondary Education	

2024-25 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
Pupils Enrolled in Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	100
Graduates Who Completed All Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	97.22

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.

2024-25 California Physical Fitness Test Participation Rates

This table displays the percentage of students participating in each of the five fitness components of the California Physical Fitness Test Results. The administration of the PFT requires only participation results for these five fitness areas. Percentages are not calculated and double dashes (--) appear in the table when the number of students tested is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

Grade Level	Component 1: Aerobic Capacity	Component 2: Abdominal Strength and Endurance	Component 3: Trunk Extensor and Strength and Flexibility	Component 4: Upper Body Strength and Endurance	Component 5: Flexibility
Grade 9	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

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.

2025-26 Opportunities for Parental Involvement

Ghidotti engages with families and the community in many ways. To foster student academic success, all teachers use Schoology (learning management system) to provide online grades, calendars, reminders, copies of assignments, progress reports, and individual reports of student academic achievement. All students and parents meet their Freshman and Senior year with the designated college counselor and the high school counselor to create and revise 4-year plans that meet A-G

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requirements for entrance into four-year colleges. Students meet with the college counselor to update their plan during their Sophomore and Junior year, and parents are invited, but not mandated, to attend. Parents can schedule a meeting to update their plan with the school and college counselors at any time. Parents and students are invited to participate in a Ghidotti and Sierra College Freshman Orientation.

The Ghidotti Site Council, composed of students, staff, and parents, meets monthly to create a yearly Single Site Plan with school improvement goals that promote student success. Ghidotti also has an active Ghidotti Parent Association that meets monthly to plan fundraisers and support our school. They help fund our biannual college field trips, offer financial support for low socio-economic students, and other academic field trips. They also provide additional academic support as well as food and drink for the senior boards, PSAT breakfast, freshmen orientation picnic, graduation, and various student leadership-sponsored activities such as prom. Contact information for Site Council or Ghidotti PTC can be obtained by calling our school's front office (530-274-5270). We also have robust parent support for our athletic teams, where parents support the teams by being ticket takers, driving students to all away games, and organizing additional athletic events such as rewards nights. The PTC also provides five student scholarships of \$500 each.

Student study teams composed of parents, the student, and staff members are set up for any student experiencing difficulties succeeding either academically or on a social/emotional level.

Parents also participate as members of the site/district LCAP development team.

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 2022-23	School 2023-24	School 2024-25	District 2022-23	District 2023-24	District 2024-25	State 2022-23	State 2023-24	State 2024-25
Dropout Rate	0	0	2.7	8.8	9.3	7.4	8.2	8.9	8
Graduation Rate	97.2	97.3	97.3	86.8	88.8	89.6	86.2	86.4	87.5

2024-25 Graduation Rate by Student Group (Four-Year Cohort Rate)

This table displays the 2023-24 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	37	36	97.3
Female	15	15	100.0
Male	21	20	95.2
Non-Binary	--	--	--
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0.00
Asian	--	--	--
Black or African American	--	--	--
Filipino	0	0	0.00
Hispanic or Latino	--	--	--
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0.00
Two or More Races	--	--	--
White	27	26	96.3
English Learners	0.0	0.0	0.0
Foster Youth	0.0	0.0	0.0
Homeless	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	--	--	--
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0.0	0.0	0.0
Students with Disabilities	--	--	--

For information on the Four-Year Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate (ACGR), visit the CDE Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate web page at <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/ad/acgrinfo.asp>.

Note: To protect student privacy, double dashes (--) are used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

2024-25 Chronic Absenteeism by Student Group

Student Group	Cumulative Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Eligible Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Count	Chronic Absenteeism Rate
All Students	159	157	18	11.5
Female	68	67	8	11.9
Male	88	87	10	11.5
Non-Binary	--	--	--	--
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--	--	--
Asian	--	--	--	--
Black or African American	--	--	--	--
Filipino	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	20	20	3	15.0
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--
Two or More Races	11	11	1	9.1
White	121	119	14	11.8
English Learners	--	--	--	--
Foster Youth	--	--	--	--
Homeless	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	39	38	6	15.8
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	--	--	--	--
Students with Disabilities	--	--	--	--

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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 data.

Suspensions								
School 2022-23	School 2023-24	School 2024-25	District 2022-23	District 2023-24	District 2024-25	State 2022-23	State 2023-24	State 2024-25
0	0	0	6.3	6.54	5.07	3.6	3.28	2.94

Note: To protect student privacy, double dashes (--) are used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

This table displays expulsions data.

Expulsions								
School 2022-23	School 2023-24	School 2024-25	District 2022-23	District 2023-24	District 2024-25	State 2022-23	State 2023-24	State 2024-25
0	0	0	0.58	0.88	0.52	0.08	0.07	0.06

Note: To protect student privacy, double dashes (--) are used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

2024-25 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
Non-Binary	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

Note: To protect student privacy, double dashes (--) are used in the table when the cell size within a selected student population is ten or fewer.

2025-26 School Safety Plan

Ghidotti Early College High School works closely with the Nevada County Office of Education and Sierra Community College to review and revise our safety plan on an annual basis. Our school site council approved our School Site Safety plan on September 30, 2025, and then sent it to the district school board for approval in February 2026. The school organizes safety training in conjunction with the Director of School Safety Nevada County Superintendent of Schools Office and Sierra College's Safety and Emergency Preparedness Coordinator for both students and staff. Ghidotti's office has a "go bag" to use in case of an emergency which includes a student locator for both high school and college courses.

2022-23 Secondary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2022-23 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	24	1	3	0
Mathematics	20	2	4	0
Science	18	3	2	0
Social Science	22	3	2	0

2023-24 Secondary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2023-24 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	21	3	1	
Mathematics	17	6		
Science	20	4		
Social Science	21	4	1	

2024-25 Secondary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2024-25 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	19	3	2	
Mathematics	18	5	1	
Science	21	2	2	
Social Science	21	4	1	

2024-25 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	154

2024-25 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. The “Other” category is for all other student support services staff positions not listed.

Title	Number of FTE Assigned to School
Counselor (Academic, Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	1
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	
Psychologist	
Social Worker	
Nurse	
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	0.1
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	
Other	

Fiscal Year 2023-24 Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries

This table displays the 2023-24 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	\$8,325.25	\$543.18	\$7,782.07	84650.41
District	N/A	N/A	\$1,022.95	\$92,124
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A	153.5	-4.3
State	N/A	N/A	\$11,146	\$100,016
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	-32.2	-10.2

Fiscal Year 2024-25 Types of Services Funded

Since its inception, Ghidotti has had a summer bridge program, funded by the Ghidotti Parent Association, for incoming students to help them transition into college classes. The purpose of Summer Bridge is to create an atmosphere where students can see themselves as college students and understand the transition to a collegiate environment and to familiarize students with the social atmosphere and expectations of college. Students tour the Sierra College campus; and meet high school staff and college faculty. New students will meet their mentors and get to know their peers.

Inside core classes, funds are used to elevate the learning experience. Phoenix classes include the Get Focused Stay Focused curriculum focused on 4-year and 10-year plan student plans along with Social Emotional Learning lessons using the BASE curriculum. The LCAP funds professional development time each summer to work on these classes.

Aside from academics, students have access to quite a few different services. We have a STARS therapist on campus one day a week to help students with mental health concerns. During the weekly flex-time schedule, students can join clubs and make connections, participate in rallies, have school assemblies, and do other school culture-building activities. Flex time is also used for our peer mentoring program, where all freshmen are paired with an upperclassman mentor. We also go on biannual college and university field trips funded by the Parent Teacher Club.

Sports have become an important part of Ghidotti. Over the last 8 years, we've built a program that includes boys' and girls' volleyball, basketball, soccer, cross country, ski and snowboard and track and field.

Fiscal Year 2023-24 Teacher and Administrative Salaries

This table displays the 2023-24 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	\$58,044	\$59,531
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$86,087	\$95,178
Highest Teacher Salary	\$111,314	\$118,880
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)		\$122,892
Average Principal Salary (Middle)		\$148,230
Average Principal Salary (High)	\$145,497	\$163,784
Superintendent Salary	\$185,775	\$227,673
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	30.31%	26.91%
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	5.34%	5.63%

2024-25 Advanced Placement (AP) Courses

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

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

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

Professional Development

Professional development has centered on the development of Ethnic Studies curriculum in conjunction with trainings in Safety, Well-being and Culture . Our staff has attended various workshops on Ethnic Studies and has began to develop the new Ethnic Studies curriculum. We are continuing the focus on the NGSS and social science standards. We're also working with our district PLC trainer to improve PLCs across sites in all disciplines. District-wide PLC days focus on creating common summative assessments and working with teachers. Additional focus has been placed on further developing CTE pathways by creating a business leadership pathway.

Professional Development

In addition to academic achievement, Ghidotti staff has taken advantage of professional learning opportunities to create a supportive school culture for both staff and students. We meet each summer to further develop and refine the curriculum for our Phoenix courses. Phoenix students develop study skills, explore career options, and research colleges. Also, our counselor/intervention specialist has attended multiple state and national conferences related to her job. The district has also provided training on standards-based grading.

The staff at Ghidotti is a team of learners as well as teachers. We embrace professional development opportunities to ensure that our students are ready to face a quickly changing world. This year teachers have initiated professional growth by becoming certified in Yoga to better support site mental health needs.

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

Subject	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	5	5	5