Piute Mountain Elementary School/Caliente Union School District

2022-2023 School Accountability Report Card (Published During the 2023-2024 School Year)

General Information about the School Accountability Report Card (SARC)



2023-24 School Contact Information

School Name	Piute Mountain Elementary School/Caliente Union School District
Street	12400 Caliente Creek Rd.
City, State, Zip	Caliente, CA 93518
Phone Number	661-867-2301
Principal	Dr. Robin Shive
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School Website	calienteschooldistrict.org
County-District-School (CDS) Code	15 63388 6104772

2023-24 District Contact Information						
District Name	Caliente Union Elementary School District					
Phone Number	661-867-2301					
Superintendent	Dr. Robn Shive					
Email Address	rshive@calienteschooldistrict.org					
District Website calienteschooldistrict.org						

2023-24 School Description and Mission Statement

Piute Mountain Elementary is the only open school in the Caliente Union Elementary School District. The school supports cultural awareness on a daily basis through its diverse literature selections and daily Flag Pole Assemblies. Students are instructed with the current California Standard. They are taught by cross-grade and cross-classrooms to better meet needs. Paraprofessionals help teachers reduce the ratio of instructor – to - student to 1:10 in reading, math and writing. During 2020/21, 53 K-8th grade students were enrolled at the school, with classes arranged on a modified year-round calendar.

Students are encouraged to participate in the school's additional academic and extracurricular activities, which are an integral part of the educational program. These school-wide and classroom incentives promote positive attitudes, encourage achievement, and aid in the prevention of behavioral problems. Extracurricular activities, clubs, and programs include: Red Ribbon Week, Club Live, Tobacco Use Prevention Education/ TUPE, Community Service, and Kern County Library "Book Mobile". The district belongs to a Small Schools Co-op consisting of five other small schools. The school's interscholastic athletic programs promote individual and team-oriented achievement and self-esteem through school-sponsored teams that compete with the other schools in the small schools Co-op. Athletic programs include: outdoor recreation (a field day of several different skills' tests), volleyball, soccer, basketball, softball, track events, and swimming. Each year there is also an academic contest called "Whiz Kids" for the small schools Co-op. Kindergarten through 4th grade students participate yearly in an Oral Language Event. Piute Mountain School recognizes and celebrates the achievements and successes of students and staff on a regular basis. Students are recognized for their achievements during awards assemblies and by their classroom teacher. This is what a typical school year would look like but due to the COVID19 pandemic all extracurricular activities are on hold.

About this School

2022-23 Student Enrollment by Grade Level

Grade Level

Number of Students

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2022-23 Student Enrollment by S	Student Group
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Student Group

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

2020-21 Teacher Preparation and Placement

Authorization/Assignment	School Number	School Percent	District Number	District Percent	State Number	State Percent
Fully (Preliminary or Clear) Credentialed for Subject and Student Placement (properly assigned)						
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned						
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments ("ineffective" under ESSA)						
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of- Field ("out-of-field" under ESSA)						
Unknown						
Total Teaching Positions						

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.

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)							
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned							
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments ("ineffective" under ESSA)							
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of- Field ("out-of-field" under ESSA)							
Unknown							
Total Teaching Positions							

The CDE published the first year of available teacher data for the 2020-21 SARC in June 2022, and the CDE published the second year of data for the 2021-22 SARC in June 2023. The EC Section 33126(b)(5) requires the most recent three years of teacher data to be requested in the SARC, as data is available. The teacher data for the 2022-23 SARC will not be available prior to February 1, 2024, and therefore is not included in the template.

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.

Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments (considered "ineffective" under ESSA)

2020-21	2021-22
	2020-21

The teacher data for the 2022-23 SARC will not be available prior to February 1, 2024, and therefore is not included in the template.

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

Indicator	2020-21	2021-22						
Credentialed Teachers Authorized on a Permit or Waiver								
Local Assignment Options								
Total Out-of-Field Teachers								
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Indicator	2020-21	2021-22
Misassignments for English Learners (a percentage of all the classes with English learners taught by teachers that are misassigned)		
No credential, permit or authorization to teach (a percentage of all the classes taught by teachers with no record of an authorization to teach)		
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Note: For more information refer to the Updated Teacher Equity Definitions web page at <u>https://www.cde.ca.gov/pd/ee/teacherequitydefinitions.asp</u>.

2023-24 Quality, Currency, Availability of Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials

Caliente Union Elementary held a public hearing on September 15, 2020 and determined that Piute Mountain School within the district had 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. Textbooks and supplementary materials are adopted according to a cycle developed by the California Department of Education, making the textbooks used in the school the most current available. Materials approved for use by the State are reviewed by all teachers and a recommendation is made to the School Board by a selection committee composed of teachers, administrators and School Site Council. All recommended materials are available for parent examination at the district office prior to adoption. The table displays information about the quality, currency, and availability of the standards-aligned textbooks and other instructional materials used at the school.

Year and month in which the data were collected

September 2021

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption ?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	McGraw-Hill "Wonders" "studysync" Adopted in 2016	Yes	0
Mathematics	Houghton Mifflin "Go Math" Adopted in 2015	Yes	0
Science	Glencoe (MacMillan/McGraw Hill) Adopted in 2003	Yes	0
History-Social Science	Glencoe (MacMillan/McGraw Hill) Adopted in 2006	Yes	0

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

Piute Mountain Elementary School is a semi-underground school and was originally constructed in 1984. It is comprised of 6 classrooms, 1 multipurpose room, 1 cafeteria, 1 library, 1 staff lounge, 2 playgrounds. Cleaning Process: The principal works daily with the custodial staff of 1 to ensure that the cleaning of the school is maintained to provide for a clean and safe school. The district governing board has adopted cleaning standards for the one school in the district. A summary of these standards are available at the district office for review. Maintenance and Repair/ District maintenance staff ensures repairs are made in a timely manner, with highest priority given to emergency repairs. While reviewing this report, please note that even minor discrepancies are reported in the inspection process. Due to COVID19 We do deep cleaning once weekly, along with our daily cleaning.

Year and month of the most recent FIT report			09/08/2020
System Inspected	Rate Good	Rate Poor	
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	Х		4 classroom sinks slow to drain, new boiler system (just done) cafeteria needed new cooler (just done)

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School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements							
Interior: Interior Surfaces	Х						
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/Vermin Infestation	Х						
Electrical	Х						
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	Х			fountains are off , we drink bottled water Boys bathroom sink needs aerator			
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	Х						
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	Х			roof replacement on hall has been done			
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	Х			all doors have been replaced/fixed			

Overall Facility Rate							
Exemplary	Good	Fair	Poor				
	Х						

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.

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.

ELA and 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.

Subject	School 2021-22	School 2022-23	District 2021-22	District 2022-23	State 2021-22	State 2022-23
English Language Arts/Literacy (grades 3-8 and 11)						
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)						

2022-23 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 CAAs divided by the total number of students who participated in both assessments.

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.

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

2022-23 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 CAAs divided by the total number of students who participated in both assessments.

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.

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

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. 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 CAAs divided by the total number of students who participated in both assessments.

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	School	District	District	State	State
	2021-22	2022-23	2021-22	2022-23	2021-22	2022-23
Science (grades 5, 8 and high school)						

2022-23 CAASPP Test Results in Science by Student Group

This table displays CAASPP test results in Science by student group for students grades five, eight, and High School. 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.

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

2022-23 Career Technical Education Programs

n/a

2022-23 Career Technical Education (CTE) Participation						
Measure	CTE Program Participation					
Number of Pupils Participating in CTE						
Percent of Pupils that Complete a CTE Program and Earn a High School Diploma						
Percent of CTE Courses that are Sequenced or Articulated Between the School and Institutions of Postsecondary Education						

Course Enrollment/Completion

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

UC/CSU Course Measure	Percent
2022-23 Pupils Enrolled in Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	
2021-22 Graduates Who Completed All Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	

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.

2022-23 California Physical Fitness Test Results

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 during 2021-22 and 2022-23 school years, only participation results are required 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 5	14.6	51.8	17.5	12	67%
Grade 7	12.75	44.5	15.1	13.7	50%
Grade 9	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

C. Engagement

State Priority: Parental Involvement

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

2023-24 Opportunities for Parental Involvement

Piute Mountain Elementary greatly benefits from its supportive parents and community members. The Piute Mountain School has an active Parent Teacher Club (PTC). The district enjoys the benefits of the Caliente Educational Foundation that sponsors two major fundraisers every year, with all proceeds going to the school. The main fundraisers are a Family Fun Day and the L4 Ranch Rodeo event. We also have committed community members that volunteer their labor regularly.

2022-23 Chronic Absenteeism by Student Group

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

C. Engagement

State Priority: School Climate

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

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

Suspensions and Expulsions

This table displays suspensions and expulsions data.									
Rato	School 2020-21	School 2021-22	School 2022-23	District 2020-21	District 2021-22	District 2022-23	State 2020-21	State 2021-22	State 2022-23
Suspensions									
Expulsions									

2022-23 Suspensions and Expulsions by Student Group

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

2023-24 School Safety Plan

Safety of students and staff is a primary concern of Piute Mountain Elementary. The school is always in compliance with all laws, rules, and regulations pertaining to hazardous materials and state earthquake standards. The 5 year School Site Safety Plan was last revised on February 12, 2019 by the School Safety Committee and will be reviewed yearly(last review January 28, 2020) and revised again in the 2023/24 school year. All revisions were communicated to both the classified and certificated staff. The school's disaster preparedness plan includes steps for ensuring student and staff safety during a disaster. Fire, Bus Evacuation and disaster drills are conducted on a regular basis throughout the school year. Lock-down drills are held as needed. Students are supervised before and after school by certificated staff and classified staff, and during lunch. There is a designated area for student drop off and pick up. Visitors must check in with the office.

D. Other SARC Information Information Required in the SARC

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

2020-21 Elementary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

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

Grade Level	Average	Number of Classes with	Number of Classes with	Number of Classes with
	Class Size	1-20 Students	21-32 Students	33+ Students

2021-22 Elementary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

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Grade Level Average	Number of Classes with	Number of Classes with	Number of Classes with
Class Size	1-20 Students	21-32 Students	33+ Students

2022-23 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	

2022-23 Student Support Services Staff

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

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

Fiscal Year 2021-22 Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries

This table displays the 2021-22 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	16,170	3,794	12,376	43,511
District	N/A	N/A	12,376	
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A	0.0	-3.0
State	N/A	N/A		
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	61.0	-52.0

Fiscal Year 2022-23 Types of Services Funded

Tutoring/Homework Club (RTI) Title I – Title II -Special Education REAP (Rural Education Achievement Program) Extended Learning Opportunity Program

Fiscal Year 2021-22 Teacher and Administrative Salaries

This table displays the 2021-22 Teacher and Administrative salaries. For detailed information on salaries, see the CDE Certification Salaries & Benefits web page at http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/.

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

Professional Development

Staff members build teaching skills and concepts by participating in many conferences and workshops throughout the year, then sharing their experiences and knowledge with district colleagues. The district dedicates three days to staff development annually and bi-monthly Professional Learning Community (PLC) meetings.Focal points for 20/21 is the canvas training to accommodate distance learning, also this year is Creative Math and KIC Math along with IAB (Smarter Balance Assessment) training. Every year all staff renews their CPI Training (Non-violent crisis intervention). 19/20 was dedicated to IAB (Smarter Balance Assessment)Training and Reading Intervention , 18/19 was High Yield Instructional Strategies, and a 2 day training in Math talks.

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

Subject		2022-23	2023-24
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	55	55	63