Summit Public School: Denali School Accountability Report Card Reported Using Data from the 2018-19 School Year

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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 https://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/.
- For more information about the LCFF or LCAP, see the CDE LCFF web page at https://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/lc/.
- For additional information about the school, parents/guardians and community members should contact the school principal or the district office.

DataQuest

DataQuest is an online data tool located on the CDE DataQuest web page at 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).

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About This School

School Contact Information (School Year 2019-20)

Entity	Contact Information
School Name	Summit Public School: Denali
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City, State, Zip	Sunnyvale, CA 94089
Phone Number	669-721-2646
Principal	Kevin Bock
Email Address	kbock@summitps.org
Website	denali.summitps.org
County-District-School (CDS) Code	43104390128090

Entity	Contact Information
District Name	Summit Public School: Denali
Phone Number	(408) 453-6500
Superintendent	Mary Ann Dewan
Email Address	MaryAnn_Dewan@sccoe.org
Website	http://www.sccoe.org

School Description and Mission Statement (School Year 2019-20)

Summit Public School: Denali is a public charter school authorized by the Santa Clara County Office of Education. Denali welcomed its first class of 6th graders in August of 2013, and will continue to add one grade level per year until fully grown to grades 6 - 12.

Denali is part of the network of high performing Summit Public Schools.

OUR MISSION

Since our founding, we have remained steadfast in our mission - to prepare a diverse student population for success in a four-year college or university, and to be thoughtful, contributing members of society.

We believe deeply that every student is capable of college and career readiness and should have access to high-performing public schools to prepare them for success in college, career and life.

While some students will select career paths or community colleges, the preparation for attending a four-year college will help them avoid the academic and skill deficit that results from placement in a non-college prep, high school diploma program.

These children are our future and it is our responsibility, as the public education system to prepare them to be active, productive citizens.

THE SUMMIT EXPERIENCE

We ensure that every minute of every day is a high quality learning experience for our students.

We focus on developing our students' in the Four Elements of College and Career Readiness, as well as the core characteristics of respect, responsibility, courage, compassion, integrity and curiosity. Our program consists of the following elements:

Project Time: Our students are innovators, creators and problem-solvers. They develop these invaluable skills by participating in rich and collaborative deeper learning projects and experiences facilitated by our outstanding teachers.

Mentor Time: Our students have mentors who individually support them through their goals. Students lead weekly 1:1 meetings with their mentor, where they review their Personalized Learning Plan, track their progress and reflect on their learning. Mentors also serve as college counselors, coaches and family liaisons, ensuring their mentees are excelling inside and outside of the classroom every day

Personalized Learning Time: Summit students learn their academic content at their own pace, and in the style they learn best. They learn through a combination of playlists, peer-to-peer coaching and 1:1 tutoring from their teachers. Each week, our students set goals, make a plan, learn, show what they know and reflect.

Summit Reads: Arguably the most important skill needed for college and career success, our students participate in dedicated time each day to improve and strengthen their reading. Together with their larger Summit community, they develop literacy skills, models perseverance and develops a life-long love of reading.

Summit Solves: Like reading, students at all performance levels benefit from consistent math practice. Summit Solves is a dedicated time of each day where students practice math using online tools, teacher tutoring, and peer tutoring.

Community Time: Our students meet together each week in their mentor groups to engage in discussions about issues that are important to them. These dialogues underpin the Summit community's core characteristics of respect, responsibility, courage, compassion, curiosity and integrity, while exploring topics such as vulnerability, motivation, and self-advocacy.

Student Enrollment by Grade Level (School Year 2018-19)

Grade Level	Number of Students
Grade 6	84
Grade 7	99
Grade 8	119
Grade 9	94
Grade 10	82
Grade 11	97
Total Enrollment	575

Student Enrollment by Group (School Year 2018-19)

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	0.9
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.5
Asian	17.4
Filipino	4.2
Hispanic or Latino	30.3
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.5
White	33.6
Two or More Races	10.3
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	22.6
English Learners	8.7
Students with Disabilities	13.2
Homeless	

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

Teachers	School 2017-18	School 2018-19	School 2019-20	District 2019-20
With Full Credential	20	28	27	
Without Full Credential	6	11	7	
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence (with full credential)	0	0	0	

Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions

Indicator	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners	0	3	5
Total Teacher Misassignments*	6	3	5
Vacant Teacher Positions	0	1	2

Note: "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 2019-20)

Year and month in which data were collected: September 2019

"Summit's core instructional materials come from the Summit Learning Platform, which includes curriculum that is updated annually with minor improvements throughout the year. The curriculum is aligned to state standards and based on the latest learning science research."

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	Summit uses a variety of online curricular resources in all subjects. Summit has a 1:1 technology ratio. Students in our school use Chromebooks to access curriculum. Some of the major online curricular resources supporting our academic program are listed below: The Summit Learning Platform - http://info.summitlearning.org/ Reading Plus - www.readingplus.com News ELA - differentiated articles based on lexile level - www.newsela.com	Yes	0.0

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
	No Red Ink - Grammar and process writing support - www.noredink.com		
	PBS.org - www.pbs.org/teachers/classroom/9-12/		
	BrainPop - www.brainpop.com		
	SAS Curriculum PathwaysOnline		
	Purdue OWL Writing Exercises Online - grammar/conventions resources		
	Poetry Foundation - Poetry terms and poems		
	Grammar Girl Online - grammar/convention resources - grammar.quickanddirtytips.com		
	CNN/CBS Story Archive - Reading comprehension - literacynet.org/cnnsf/archives.html		
	Poetry Out Loud - Poetry terms and poems		
	My English Teacher Grammar - www .myenglishteacher.net		
	Open Yale Courses - College lecture on poetic meter - oyc.yale.edu/english/engl-310/lecture-3		
	EReadingWorksheets General ELA - www.ereadingworksheets.com		
	Time4WritingGrammar - www .time4writing.com		
	Research - www.libraryspot.com		
	Literary Glossary Literary Terms - www.shmoop.com/literature-glossary/		
	Writing Commons - Rhetoric - writingcommons.org		
	Montgomery KYSchool District - Literary Terms -		
	www.montgomery.kyschools.us/userfiles/15 01/Classes/686/sound%20devices%20found		

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
	ation%20lesson.pdf English Club Grammar Terms -		
	www.englishclub.com/grammar/terms.htm		
	Super Teacher Tools General ELA - www .superteachertools.com		
	Wise Geek Literary T erms - www .wisegeek.com/what-is-consonance.htm		
	Bright Hub Education Literary Terms - www .brighthubeducation.com		
	Shakespeare Glossary Literary Glossary - www .shakespeareswords.com		
	No Fear Shakespeare Shakespeare - www .nfs.sparknotes.com		
	Teacher Google site Literary Terms - sites.google.com/site/examplesinpoetry/rhyt hm-poetry-examples-definition		
	Chomp Chomp Grammar - www .chompchomp.com		
	Folger Shakespeare Library Shakespeare/Drama - www .folger.edu/Content/Teach-and- Learn/Teaching-Resources/		
	Guide to Grammar & Writing - grammar.ccc.commnet.edu/grammar/		
	Jeopardy Labs - jeopardylabs.com		
	American Literature Books and Short Stories - www .americanliterature.com		
	UPenn Writing Center - PoetryPoetry resources (audio, text, etc) -		
	www.writing.upenn.edu/~afilreis/88/home.h tml Vocabulary - vocab lists, puzzles, some quizzes - myvocabulary.com		
Mathematics	Summit uses a variety of online curricular resources in all subjects.	Yes	0.0

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
	Summit has a 1:1 technology ratio. Students in our school use Chromebooks to access curriculum. Some of the major online curricular resources supporting our academic program are listed below:		
	The Summit Learning Platform - http://info.summitlearning.org/		
	Khan Academy math videos and exercises - www.khanacademy.org		
	Virtual Nerd - www.virtualnerd.com		
	HippoCampus - www.hippocampus.org/HippoCampus/		
	Brightstorm Big Textbook Bank - www.brightstorm.com/textbook/		
	Dan Meyer Three Act Tasks		
	Kuta Software customizeable worksheets - www.kutasoftware.com		
	www.screencast.com/users/Ms.Roshan www.stupidcalculations.com Rossman/Chance Applets - www.rossmanchance.com/applets/		
	PBS.org - Online videos and curricular resources - www.pbs.org/teachers/classroom/9-12/		
	Manga High math games - www.mangahigh.com		
	WTAMU Math Lab website tutorials - www.wtamu.edu/academic/anns/mps/math/mathlab/		
	CK-12 online textbook(s) - www.ck12.org/teacher/		
	NrichBank's Secondary Curriculum - nrich.maths.org/8517		
	NrichBank's Post-16 Curriculum - nrich.maths.org/9088		

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
	Purple Math online textbook - www.purplemath.com		
	Regents Prep test prep / online textbook - regentsprep.org		
	Math Is Fun online textbook w/ practice problems - www.mathisfun.com		
	National Library of Virtual Manipulatives - nlvm.usu.edu/en/nav/vlibrary.html		
	Illustrative Mathematics Bank of good problems - www.illustrativemathematics.org		
	illustrations that tutorguy Videos - www.thattutorguy.com/free-sample-videos/		
	Mathematics Vision Project - www.mathematicsvisionproject.org		
	Gooru - www.gooru.org		
	Math Goodies - www.mathgoodies.com/standards/alignmen ts/grade7.html		
	Quantitative Methods in Social Sciences websites - ccnmtl.columbia.edu/projects/qmss/home.h tml		
	Steve Mays videos - www.youtube.com/user/maysterchief?featu re=watch		
	Hadoman Pursues EdD/videos - education- portal.com/academy/subject/mathematics.h tml		
	IXL - www.ixl.com		
	Interactive Mathematics textbook and practice problems - www.intmath.com		
	Kendall Hunt High School Mathematics Resources curriculum materials (worksheets, lesson plans, etc.)		

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
	Illuminations NCTM Interactives, Lessons, and Weblinks - illuminations.nctm.org		
	The Radix Endeavor Games created by MIT - www.radixendeavor.org		
	Ten Marks Math Problems, Videos, and assessments - www.tenmarks.com		
	Kendall Hunt HS Math Resources - math.kendallhunt.com/x19356.html		
	Learn zillion short lessons - learnzillion.com		
	Wolfram Problem Generator - www.wolframalpha.com/problem-generator/		
	Mathalicious Lessons aligned with Common Core - www.mathalicious.com/lessons/		
	Balanced Assessment Tasks - balancedassessment.concord.org		
	Mathematics Assessment Project - map.mathshell.org/materials/index.php		
	PhET Interactive Simulations - phet.colorado.edu		
	Wolfram Educational Portal - education.wolfram.com		
Science	Summit uses a variety of online curricular resources in all subjects.	Yes	0.0
	Summit has a 1:1 technology ratio. Students in our school use Chromebooks to access curriculum. Some of the major online curricular resources supporting our academic program are listed below:		
	The Summit Learning Platform - http://info.summitlearning.org/ Practical Work for Learning (Nuffield Foundation) Ben Canning (teacher connected with SPS) Neo K12		
	Crash Course		

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
	Bozeman Science Brain Genie Brightstorm CK12 Ted-Ed ChemThinkLearn Genetics DNA from the Beginning AAAS Education Portal: Science Science Case Studies Database DNA learning center HHMI - Biointeractive MESA Understanding Evolution Gooru Pearson (Biology) The Radix Endeavor PhET		
History-Social Science	Summit uses a variety of online curricular resources in all subjects. Summit has a 1:1 technology ratio. Students in our school use Chromebooks to access curriculum. Some of the major online curricular resources supporting our academic program are listed below: The Summit Learning Platform - http://www.summitlearning.org/ Facing History Units and Resource Bank Stanford History Education Group Assessments and Resources PBS.org Crash Course by John Greene - YouTube Eyewitness to History - http://www.eyewitnesstohistory.com Gooru Big History Smart History Scholastic	Yes	0.0
Visual and Performing Arts	Summit has an Expeditions program where all students will fulfill their Visual Performing Arts requirements.	Yes	0.0

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
	These courses have all of the necessary equipment and materials necessary for students to be successful.		

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements (Most Recent Year)

"Summit Public School Denali is located at 539 E Weddell Drive in Sunnyvale in a newly renovated, privately leased building. As a newly renovated building Denali is in compliance with all fire, safety, and seismic codes (including fire sprinklers). The building is a single-story, open-concept floor plan, with a variety of student and faculty work spaces and offices. Additionally, there are two portable classrooms adjacent to the main building. These are also fully compliant with all safety codes. In 2018, a second campus site was added, at 195 Leota, also in Sunnyvale. This site is equipped for 300 students and was designed to be equal in amenities to the Weddell location.

The school is equipped with a robust wireless Internet network that supports all students and staff in a 1:1 laptop environment. Both buildings are equipped with a burglar alarm system.

The facilities are open, bright, and colorful, making for an innovative-feeling learning environment. Summit Denali contracts directly for custodial services and the facilities are cleaned on a daily basis.

The High School Campus at Leota is for 400 students and is located in a former Catholic elementary school site run by the Diocese of San Jose. We will be vacating that space to a permanent high school location at 824 San Aleso in Sunnyvale. The new site will be ready for occupancy in the 2020-21 academic year and is a fully renovated building providing a similar feel to the Middle School at Weddell."

School Facility Good Repair Status (Most Recent Year)

Using the most recently collected FIT data (or equivalent), provide the following:

- Determination of repair status for systems listed
- Description of any needed maintenance to ensure good repair
- The year and month in which the data were collected
- The overall rating

Year and month of the most recent FIT report: December 2018

System Inspected	Rating	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	Good	
Interior: Interior Surfaces	Good	
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/ Vermin Infestation	Good	
Electrical: Electrical	Good	
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	Good	
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	Good	

System Inspected	Rating	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	Good	
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	Good	
Overall Rating	Good	

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. 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); 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.

CAASPP Test Results in ELA and Mathematics for All Students Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard

Subject	School 2017-18	School 2018-19	District 2017-18	District 2018-19	State 2017-18	State 2018-19
English Language Arts/Literacy (grades 3-8 and 11)	73	80	53	55	50	50
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	68	68	52	53	38	39

Note: 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.

Note: 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.

CAASPP Test Results in ELA by Student Group

Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven (School Year 2018-19)

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	388	376	96.91	3.09	79.79
Male	231	221	95.67	4.33	75.57
Female	157	155	98.73	1.27	85.81
Black or African American					

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
American Indian or Alaska Native					
Asian	66	66	100.00	0.00	92.42
Filipino	12	12	100.00	0.00	100.00
Hispanic or Latino	122	117	95.90	4.10	58.97
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander					
White	124	118	95.16	4.84	88.14
Two or More Races	44	44	100.00	0.00	88.64
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	97	97	100.00	0.00	53.61
English Learners	60	59	98.33	1.67	47.46
Students with Disabilities	67	60	89.55	10.45	50.00
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services					
Foster Youth					
Homeless					

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.

CAASPP Test Results in Mathematics by Student Group Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven (School Year 2018-19)

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	388	377	97.16	2.84	68.17
Male	231	222	96.10	3.90	68.02
Female	157	155	98.73	1.27	68.39
Black or African American					
American Indian or Alaska Native					
Asian	66	66	100.00	0.00	87.88
Filipino	12	12	100.00	0.00	91.67
Hispanic or Latino	122	115	94.26	5.74	37.39
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander					

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
White	124	121	97.58	2.42	80.17
Two or More Races	44	44	100.00	0.00	79.55
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	97	96	98.97	1.03	39.58
English Learners	60	59	98.33	1.67	40.68
Students with Disabilities	67	62	92.54	7.46	35.48
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services					
Foster Youth					
Homeless					

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.

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.

CAASPP Test Results in Science for All Students Grades Five, Eight, and Ten

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard

Subject	School	School	District	District	State	State
	2017-18	2018-19	2017-18	2018-19	2017-18	2018-19
Science (grades 5, 8 and high school)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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

Note: This is a placeholder for the California Science Test (CAST) which was administered operationally during the 2018-19 school year. However, these data are not available for inclusion in the 2018-19 SARC posting due February 1, 2020. These data will be included in the 2019-20 SARC posting due February 1, 2021.

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 areas of physical education.

California Physical Fitness Test Results (School Year 2018-19)

Grade <i>Level</i>	Percentage of Students Meeting Four of Six Fitness Standards	Percentage of Students Meeting Five of Six Fitness Standards	Percentage of Students Meeting Six of Six Fitness Standards					
7	19.2	29.3	25.3					
9	28.6	31.2						

Note: 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.

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 school site.

Opportunities for Parental Involvement (School Year 2019-20)

Summit Denali recognizes that students learn best when parents are involved in their learning and their learning community. Almost all current research indicates that parental involvement is among the most important ingredients to student success. Accordingly, Summit Denali actively reaches out to parent to encourage them to be involved in the school in many ways. The mission of the Denali Parent Organization is to be a inclusive, effective, and self-sustaining team that supports the mission of the school. The Denali Parent Organization is set up around a team structure, with a core team of volunteers coordinating the work. The parent organization is responsible for coordinating volunteer event and activities. Some examples of volunteer opportunities include:

- driving, chaperoning, or helping to plan the school community day
- helping to serve lunch and supervise during recess and lunch
- doing data entry, mailings, translation, and other community outreach
- assisting with open houses and other recruiting events
- assisting with school clubs and sports

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

Rate	School 2016-17	School 2017-18	School 2018-19	District 2016-17	District 2017-18	District 2018-19	State 2016-17	State 2017-18	State 2018-19
Suspensions	3.4	4.3	1.8	3.1	2.9	2.3	3.6	3.5	3.5
Expulsions	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1

School Safety Plan (School Year 2019-20)

It is the policy of Summit Public Schools to strive for the highest safety standards and to provide a safe workplace for all employees and a safe school for all students.

School Safety plans are located in the front office of the middle school and high school campuses, and include procedures for fire drills, earthquake drills, shelter-in-place drills, chemical release incidents, and intruder incidents, including appropriate evacuation drills. The safety plan is reviewed and updated each August, and faculty receive training in August, and ongoing as needed. Drills are conducted regularly with students and faculty.

Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Secondary)

Subject	Average	# of	# of	Average	# of	# of	# of	Average	# of	# of	2018-19 # of Classes* Size 33+
English	25	2	10	26	2	12	2	24	7	16	
Mathematics	25	2	10	26	2	15		25	4	17	
Science	25	2	10	26	3	11	2	23	7	14	
Social Science	25	2	10	26	1	14	1	24	6	16	

^{*}Number of classes indicates how many classrooms 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.

Ratio of Academic Counselors to Pupils (School Year 2018-19)

Title	Ratio
Academic Counselors*	.0

^{*}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.

Student Support Services Staff (School Year 2018-19)

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	
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	

^{*}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.

Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries (Fiscal Year 2017-18)

Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Restricted)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Unrestricted)	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$10,744	\$1,599	\$9,146	\$62,271
District	N/A	N/A	\$9,146	
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A	0.0	
State	N/A	N/A	\$7,506.64	
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	19.7	

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

The California Department of Education issued guidance to LEAs on August 1, 2018, regarding how to calculate school-level per-pupil expenditures that will be reported on 2018-19 report cards.

Types of Services Funded (Fiscal Year 2018-19)

At Summit Denali, we have many different types of programs and services available at the school that support and assist students. Those are:

Office Hours - after school, there are about 6 hours per week where students can come get support from their teachers and peers outside of the regular school day. During these office hours, teachers are available to support students in their learning of content, practice on skills they haven't mastered yet, or to get work done in a quiet and safe place.

Summit Reads - during the school day, we also offer times where students can get support in their reading. There is a dedicated time every day when students are required to read, and we use data to decide what level of support students need in their reading. Students who are reading at grade level are simply required to read for that time. Students reading below grade level use a reading remediation program to support them in actually learning the skills necessary to get back to grade level. And students who are far below grade level in their reading have small, teacher-driven reading remediation to learn remedial reading skills.

Summit Solves - similarly to Summit Reads, during the school day, we offer times where students can get support in their numeracy. This is a dedicated time every day when students are required to work on math, and we use data to decide what level of support students need in their numeracy. Students who are at grade level with their numeracy are simply required to do math problems at their grade level for this time. Students who are below grade level are doing math at their math level, and students who are far below grade level have small, teacher-driven numeracy remediation to learn remedial mathematics skills.

Peer tutoring - during the day, as well as after school, we also have times where students support other students academically. The peer tutoring club is something driven by students, and is used by students to get help on content or skills for their courses.

Lexia - is a program we use to support students in their reading. It is a program designed to teach students how to improve in their reading, with exercises and tests that have proven growth in comprehension, scanning, and reading speed.

ST Math - is a program we use to support students in their math. It is a program designed to teach students how to improve in their foundational math skills, with exercises and tests that have proven growth in problem solving and computational fluency.

Mentor Check ins - every student, every week, has an extended check in with their mentor. During this check in, mentors use this as an opportunity to support students in goal-setting, making plans, advocating for them, and how to improve their learning habits. This is a structured time where mentors can get at the root causes of why students need support.

Data - we also have a dedicated time for teachers to look at achievement data and meet in teams to dissect and make plans for students who need support. Every week, there is a time for data to be looked at to help students make plans, identify students who need more targeted support, and to see which students need to be more challenged.

Professional Development (Most Recent Three Years)

Measure	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	40	40	40

Summit Denali believes that it is possible to attract and retain talented teachers by sharing a dynamic vision committed to excellence and creating a professional learning environment where staff can learn and grow along with our students. To this end, Summit Denali invested heavily in professional development for our staff. Annually, teachers engage in approximately 40 days of professional development designed and led by the staff. This PD happens during the regular school year while the students are engaged in their elective courses, during teacher release days where students are not in session but teachers come for PD or during additional prep time provided in the teacher schedule. In addition, all teachers are invited and encouraged to participate in paid summer professional development led by Summit faculty.

Teachers have time in their schedule to plan individually or to work with other team members for collaborative planning. Each week approximately 2 hours is allotted for staff meeting time; this is broken down into full faculty planning for common goals and developing solutions to school-wide concerns, and also grade level team or department team work focused on collaboration. Across the network of Summit Public Schools, faculties engage in professional development using video conferencing technology.