Colusa Alternative High School
2022-2023 School Accountability Report Card
(Published During the 2023-2024 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/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).
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.

2023-24 School Contact Information

School Name	Colusa Alternative High School
Street	901 Colus Avenue
City, State, Zip	Colusa, CA 95932
Phone Number	530-458-2156
Principal	David Johnstone
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School Website	https://colusaalternativehigh.colusa.k12.ca.us/
County-District-School (CDS) Code	06-61598-0630012

2023-24 District Contact Information

District Name	Colusa Unified School District
Phone Number	530-458-7791
Superintendent	Rebecca Changus
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District Website	https://www.colusa.k12.ca.us

2023-24 School Description and Mission Statement

Colusa Alternative High School (CAHS) is a Colusa Unified School District school of choice. CAHS primarily serves students ranging from 15-18 years old. At the time of enrollment, most students transfer due to credit or course deficiency. CAHS instructors utilize a variety of instructional strategies for delivering a core curriculum. Students are held accountable for meeting standards and consistent expectations academically, vocationally and socially throughout the program. They are encouraged to pursue areas of interest, develop their talents, and acquire employment skills. Students may either work toward a diploma through CAHS or transfer to the comprehensive high school at semester if they have sufficient credits, fulfilled the required research project, and have taken or made up courses required for graduation. Many students find great success in the alternative approach, so they opt to stay and graduate from our alternative program. A dedicated and caring staff is committed to fulfilling the school's mission: Colusa Alternative High School will provide an environment that enables all learners to reach their individual potentials, including the literacy, knowledge, and skills necessary to compete in a global economy, and to exercise the rights and responsibilities of citizenship and restorative approaches to a complex world..

About this School

2022-23 Student Enrollment by Grade Level

Grade Level	Number of Students
Grade 11	9
Grade 12	15
Total Enrollment	24

2022-23 Student Enrollment by Student Group

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Female	50%
Male	50%
Hispanic or Latino	83.3%
White	16.7%
English Learners	37.5%
Homeless	16.7%
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	83.3%
Students with Disabilities	29.2%

A. Conditions of Learning

State Priority: Basic

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Basic (Priority 1):

- Degree to which teachers are appropriately assigned and fully credentialed in the subject area and for the pupils they are teaching;
- Pupils have access to standards-aligned instructional materials; and
- School facilities are maintained in good repair

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)	0.10	19.28	60.00	83.35	228366.10	83.12
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0.00	0.00	1.60	2.30	4205.90	1.53
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments ("ineffective" under ESSA)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	11216.70	4.08
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field ("out-of-field" under ESSA)	0.60	79.52	4.70	6.62	12115.80	4.41
Unknown	0.00	0.00	5.50	7.70	18854.30	6.86
Total Teaching Positions	0.80	100.00	72.00	100.00	274759.10	100.00

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)	0.20	37.74	62.20	86.12	234405.20	84.00
Intern Credential Holders Properly Assigned	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.38	4853.00	1.74
Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments ("ineffective" under ESSA)	0.00	0.00	0.30	0.46	12001.50	4.30
Credentialed Teachers Assigned Out-of-Field ("out-of-field" under ESSA)	0.10	30.19	2.80	3.97	11953.10	4.28
Unknown	0.10	30.19	5.80	8.05	15831.90	5.67
Total Teaching Positions	0.50	100.00	72.30	100.00	279044.80	100.00

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)

Authorization/Assignment	2020-21	2021-22
Permits and Waivers	0.00	0.00
Misassignments	0.00	0.00
Vacant Positions	0.00	0.00
Total Teachers Without Credentials and Misassignments	0.00	0.00

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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	0.00	0.00
Local Assignment Options	0.60	0.10
Total Out-of-Field Teachers	0.60	0.10

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Class Assignments

Indicator	2020-21	2021-22
Misassignments for English Learners (a percentage of all the classes with English learners taught by teachers that are misassigned)	0	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

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

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

All curriculum materials utilized by students and staff are similar to those used at the comprehensive high school, Colusa High School.

Year and month in which the data were collected	September 2023

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy

Reading/Language Arts	Literature & Composition (Honors). Beford St. Martin's 2011 Handbook of Critical Approaches to Literature. Oxford University Press 1999 Various Novels My Perspectives: English Language Arts. Savvas Learning Company 2017 (Digital) Supplemental: Gale Databases. Cengage Learning 2019 Language of Literature 9. McDougall Littell 2000 Language of Literature 10. McDougall Littell 2000 ELD 9-12 Champion of IDEAS, Ballard & Tighe 2023	Yes	0%
Mathematics	Integrated Math I, Holt McDougall, 2016 Integrated Math II, Holt McDougall, 2016 Integrated Math III, Holt McDougal, 2016 Pre-calculus, Cengage, 2022 Calculus, Cengage, 2022 Personal Finance: Foundations in Personal Finance, The Lampo Group, 2014	Yes	0%
Science	Biology: California The Living Earth. Pearson 2020 Biology Concepts & Connections. Pearson 2018 Environmental Science. Pearson 2011 Active Chemistry. It's About Time 2015 Modern Chemistry (Ag Chem). Holt McDougall 2015 Physics. Holt McDougall 2012 Sustaining the Earth. Brooks/Cole 2007 Introduction to Anatomy & Physiology. Goodheart Wilcox 2014 Earth Comm. Activate Learning 2018 Supplemental: Gale Databases. Cengage Learning 2019 Climate Change. National Geographic 2014 Green. National Geographicn2014 Water: Challenges & Policy. National Geographic 2014 Science Laboratory Equipment (Gr. 9-12). Essential laboratory equipment is provided through site and categorical funding.	Yes	0%
History-Social Science	History Alive! World History. Teacher's Curriculum Institute 2020 History Alive! Pursuing American Ideals. Teacher's Curriculum Institute 2013 Give me Liberty!, W.W.Norton 2020 American Government. Bedford, Freeman & Worth 2019 Econ Alive!: The Power to Choose. Teacher's Curriculum Institute 2015 Government Alive: Power.Politics and You. Teacher's Curriculum Institute 2020 (Digital) Supplemental: Gale Databases. Cengage Learning 2019 Foundational Documents and Court Cases Reader. Bedford, Freeman & Worth 2019	Yes	0%
Foreign Language	Spanish:	Yes	0%

	Realidades I, Savas, 2018 Realidades II, Savas, 2018 Temas, Savas 2018 Realidades, Savas, 2018		
Health	HealthSmart HealthSmart.ETR.org 2020 Supplemental: Discovery Education website CPR Training manual Various pamphlets Reality Works (Babies) Gale Databases. Cengage Learning 2019	Yes	0%
Visual and Performing Arts	Theatre Art in Action. Glencoe 2005	Yes	N/A
Science Laboratory Equipment (grades 9-12)	N/A	N/A	0%

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

The CAHS facilities include three classrooms on the high school site. The facilities are in good repair; the custodial and teaching staff keep the facilities clean, orderly, and inviting so that students feel very much at home. In addition to taking their classes at the CAHS site, students are able to get breakfast or order lunches free of charge. We are also waiting passionately for our new building which will be our new facility with a classroom and restroom attached.

Year and month of the most recent FIT report	July 2023

System Inspected	Rate Good	Rate Fair	Rate Poor	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	X			Area is safe, clean, and ready for school.
Interior: Interior Surfaces	X			Area is safe, clean, and ready for school.
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/Vermin Infestation	X			Area is safe, clean, and ready for school.
Electrical	X			Area is safe, clean, and ready for school.
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	X			500 restrooms are showing their age and needing remodeled. Sinks in the restrooms need updated. Area is safe, clean, and ready for school.
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	X			Area is safe, clean, and ready for school.
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs		X		The area is safe, clean, and ready for school.
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	X			Student parking lot is in need of repair (resurfacing). Area is safe, clean, and ready for school.

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.

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)	--	11	39	38	47	46
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	--	0	26	28	33	34

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	14	9	64.29	35.71	--
Female	--	--	--	--	--
Male	--	--	--	--	--
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	0	0	0	0	0
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	--	--	--	--	--
English Learners	--	--	--	--	--
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0
Homeless	--	--	--	--	--
Military	--	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	12	7	58.33	41.67	--
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
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.

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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	14	9	64.29	35.71	--
Female	--	--	--	--	--
Male	--	--	--	--	--
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	0	0	0	0	0
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	--	--	--	--	--
English Learners	--	--	--	--	--
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0
Homeless	--	--	--	--	--
Military	--	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	12	7	58.33	41.67	--
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
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 2021-22	School 2022-23	District 2021-22	District 2022-23	State 2021-22	State 2022-23
Science (grades 5, 8 and high school)	--	--	18.36	14.87	29.47	30.29

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	17	7	41.18	58.82	--
Female	--	--	--	--	--
Male	--	--	--	--	--
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	0	0	0	0	0
Black or African American	0	0	0	0	0
Filipino	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic or Latino	12	6	50.00	50.00	--
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	--	--	--	--	--
White	--	--	--	--	--
English Learners	--	--	--	--	--
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0	0
Homeless	--	--	--	--	--
Military	--	--	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	15	7	46.67	53.33	--
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	--	--	--	--	--

2022-23 Career Technical Education Programs

The Colusa Alternative High School does not offer any approved CTE courses, at this time. Students do have increased exposure to work experience offerings while attending CAHS, and many students utilize work experience.

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	0
2021-22 Graduates Who Completed All Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	0

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

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

Parents have the opportunity to meet with the school counselor every two weeks to get updates on their student's academic progress. There are transitional meetings as well as pre-CAHS meetings that occur that parents can attend as well. Parents are normally a part of FAFSA nights and can volunteer at graduation and be senior project judges. Parents are invited to our Back to School Night, Technology Training, and Winterfest events held every year. Our counselor, Jessie Proctor, meets with students every two weeks and proactively schedules parent meetings to best support our students regarding their individualized education plans and goals. Claudia Solis is our bilingual liaison, and she also provides a great deal of support. Those interested in getting involved should contact staff or faculty members, Administrative Assistant Lorie Meyers, or Principal David Johnstone at (530)458-2156.

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 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
Dropout Rate	4.8	7.4	13.3	1.6	4.2	4.5	9.4	7.8	8.2
Graduation Rate	95.2	92.6	73.3	95.9	87.5	91.8	83.6	87	86.2

2022-23 Graduation Rate by Student Group (Four-Year Cohort Rate)

This table displays the 2022-23 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	15	11	73.3
Female	--	--	--
Male	--	--	--
Non-Binary			
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0.00
Asian	0	0	0.00
Black or African American	0	0	0.00
Filipino	0	0	0.00
Hispanic or Latino	13	10	76.9
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0.00
Two or More Races	0	0	0.00
White	--	--	--
English Learners	--	--	--
Foster Youth	--	--	--
Homeless	--	--	--
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	14	10	71.4
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	--	--	--
Students with Disabilities	--	--	--

2022-23 Chronic Absenteeism by Student Group

Student Group	Cumulative Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Eligible Enrollment	Chronic Absenteeism Count	Chronic Absenteeism Rate
All Students	40	38	35	92.1
Female	18	17	17	100.0
Male	22	21	18	85.7
Non-Binary	0	0	0	0.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0.0
Asian	0	0	0	0.0
Black or African American	0	0	0	0.0
Filipino	0	0	0	0.0
Hispanic or Latino	31	29	26	89.7
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0.0
Two or More Races	2	2	2	100.0
White	7	7	7	100.0
English Learners	14	14	11	78.6
Foster Youth	0	0	0	0.0
Homeless	5	5	5	100.0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	33	32	30	93.8
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0	0	0.0
Students with Disabilities	9	8	8	100.0

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.

Rate	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	0.00	13.64	15.00	1.25	3.04	2.94	0.20	3.17	3.60
Expulsions	0.00	0.00	5.00	0.00	0.00	0.31	0.00	0.07	0.08

2022-23 Suspensions and Expulsions by Student Group

Student Group	Suspensions Rate	Expulsions Rate
All Students	15	5
Female	0	0
Male	27.27	9.09
Non-Binary		
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0
Asian	0	0
Black or African American	0	0
Filipino	0	0
Hispanic or Latino	16.13	3.23
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0
Two or More Races	0	0
White	0	0
English Learners	14.29	0
Foster Youth	0	0
Homeless	0	0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	15.15	6.06
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	0	0
Students with Disabilities	0	0

2023-24 School Safety Plan

The Colusa Alternative High School Safety Plan is reviewed annually by administration with staff, and by staff with students and designated groups. Responses to emergency situations such as fire, earthquake, flooding, bomb threat, and intruder on campus are addressed in the plan and in drills conducted with students. Colusa Alternative High School completes additional safety drills above the minimum required by the state of California. All visitors are required to check in at the school office upon arrival and to wear visitor badges while on campus. There is zero tolerance for fighting and when fights do occur, which is rarely, police are called and the combatants are issued five days suspension. Additional cameras have also been purchased to further promote school safety, and many individuals have shared positive comments about the increased lighting at evening events.

2020-21 Secondary 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 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				
Mathematics	22	2		
Science				
Social Science				

2021-22 Secondary Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays the 2021-22 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	
Mathematics	24		1	
Science				
Social Science				

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	22	1	0	0
Mathematics	24	0	1	0
Science	0	0	0	0
Social Science	0	0	0	0

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	0

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	$5,111	--0	$5,111	$71,310
District	N/A	N/A	$10,448	$78,340
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A	-68.6	-6.6
State	N/A	N/A	$7,607	$77,993
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	-25.3	-2.3

Fiscal Year 2022-23 Types of Services Funded

ADA state funding is used to provide basic, comprehensive educational programs for students. This includes staffing, facilities and instructional materials for all instructors. Supplemental funding for school improvement activities, staff development, field trips, equipment and enrichment programs is provided through state and federal categorical funds. Increased funding to curriculum was indicated as a need in teachers' zero based budget resulting in increased funding for curriculum. CAHS has access to all CHS curriculum for consistency and alignment.

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	$54,531	$47,616
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	$73,121	$75,580
Highest Teacher Salary	$99,423	$100,485
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	$101,802	$114,067
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	$131,533	$123,622
Average Principal Salary (High)	$117,753	$125,386
Superintendent Salary	$149,000	$157,977
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	32.19%	27.82%
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	6.34%	5.78%

2022-23 Advanced Placement (AP) Courses

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

Percent of Students in AP Courses	

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

Professional Development

There were three days allocated for professional development activities, two prior to the start of school and one in the month of October. Additionally, time is reserved from 2:20 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. each Wednesday for staff collaboration and Professional Learning Communities. Every two weeks, the counselor and the administration meet with each student to monitor progress, attendance, and discipline. Each student signs a contract and each meeting sets goals and checks progress toward those set goals. Professional development is offered to teachers if requests tie to their current schedule, and a variety of funding sources are available to assist teachers in this regard. Teachers are supported by the counseling office biweekly in order to be as

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accurate as possible regarding credits and assignments necessary for each individualized learning plan. The staff also meets and communicates biweekly as a minimum goal to support our program and students.

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

Subject	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	10	10	10