

Gold Ridge Elementary School

School Accountability Report Card

Reported Using Data from the 2019-2020 School Year

Published During 2020-2021

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 webpage 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.

About This School

School Contact Information (School Year 2020-2021)

Entity	Contact Information
School Name	Gold Ridge Elementary School
Street	735 Halidon Way
City, State, Zip	Folsom, CA 95630
Phone Number	916-294-9140
Principal	David Frankel
Email Address	dfrankel@fcusd.org
Website	http://www.fcusd.org/gre
County-District-School (CDS) Code	34673306115638

District Contact Information (School Year 2020-2021)

Entity	Contact Information
District Name	Folsom Cordova Unified School District
Phone Number	916-294-9000
Superintendent	Sarah Koligian, Ed.D.
Email Address	skoligian@fcusd.org
Website	www.fcusd.org

School Description and Mission Statement (School Year 2020-2021)

School Vision and Mission:

At Gold Ridge, students receive exemplary academic instruction.

Teachers are knowledgeable and skilled at engaging and challenging students.

Students move on to the next grade level well prepared.

Teachers believe in working together to support student success. Teachers meet and work collaboratively on a regular basis. Ensuring the success of all students is a team effort.

Learning is enriched and strengthened through technology and the arts.

We are committed to the inclusion and integration of all students.

School & Community Profile:

Gold Ridge Elementary is a Pre-K – 5th grade school located in the Broadstone neighborhood of Folsom. Kemp Park and wetland marshes, ponds, and creeks are within easy walking distance of school. The campus houses 25 classrooms, a library, a Student Care Center, and both Special Education and Adult Education preschool programs. Our multipurpose building includes a stage and a serving kitchen; gym facilities are shared with the Folsom Parks and Recreation Department.

As of California Longitudinal Pupil Achievement Data System (CALPADS) 2019, our student enrollment was 606 students. We have a racially and culturally diverse student population representative of California. Our students speak approximately 30 different home languages; and language minority students represent 30 percent of our school population.

Our teachers and staff are committed to high academic expectations with individualized support to help all students master content standards. To complement our academic emphasis, we believe all students benefit from a rich variety of experiences in Music, Physical Education, Technology, and the Arts. Our teachers partner with parent volunteers and community groups to extend learning through programs such as Eagles Art (a docent led Visual Arts program), 3E Science (parent supported hands on Next Generation Science Standards (NGSS) hands on activities), PC Pals (provided by Intel Corporation volunteers), and a variety of after school clubs. Our commitment to the Visual and Performing Arts is on display at grade level music and theater performances, school clubs like Drama and Chorus, and our annual Celebration of the Arts.

Parents are engaged in a wide variety of leadership and volunteer activities that enrich and support learning. Our Parent Teacher Association (PTA) sponsors community events such as our Back to School Kick Off and Winter Wonderland, funds assemblies, and organizes enrichment activities such as Science Fair and our parent docent Science Technology Engineering and Math (STEM) program 3E Science. Approximately 300 parents sign up each year to work as Science and Art docents, volunteer in classrooms, and chaperone field trips.

The COVID 19 Pandemic closed our campus on March 13, 2020 and we do not know yet when it will be safe to reopen. During school closure, our community rallied to master online learning platforms including Schoology, SeeSaw, and Google Classroom. The school distributed 600 Chromebooks, developed weekly materials distribution schedules and structures, and began outreach to students and families struggling with Distance Learning. Although we are anxious to return to campus, we have created a virtual school that goes beyond instruction to include intervention, Student Council spirit days, enrichment activities, professional development for staff, and parent education programs.

Student Enrollment by Grade Level (School Year 2019-2020)

Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	97
Grade 1	88
Grade 2	97
Grade 3	104
Grade 4	115
Grade 5	105
Total Enrollment	606

Student Enrollment by Student Group (School Year 2019-2020)

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	1.8
Asian	28.9
Filipino	4.8
Hispanic or Latino	11.6
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.5
White	41.3
Two or More Races	11.2
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	14.4
English Learners	15.2
Students with Disabilities	9.6
Homeless	1

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 2018-19	School 2019-20	School 2020-21	District 2020-21
With Full Credential	27	28	25	1047
Without Full Credential	0	0	0	7
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence (with full credential)	0	0	0	16

Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions

Indicator	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21
Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners	0	0	0
Total Teacher Misassignments*	0	0	0
Vacant Teacher Positions	0	0	0

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 Other Instructional Materials (School Year 2020-2021)

Year and month in which data were collected: 2020 August

Folsom Cordova Unified held a Public Hearing on September 24, 2020, and determined that each school within the District has sufficient and good quality textbooks, instructional materials, or science lab equipment pursuant to the settlement of Williams vs. the State of California. All students, including English learners, are given their own individual standards-aligned textbooks or instructional materials, or both, in core subjects for use in the classroom and to take home. Textbooks and supplementary materials are adopted according to a cycle developed by the State 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 and administrators. 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.

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	Benchmark Advance, 2016	Yes	0.0%
Mathematics	Pearson - enVision, 2015	Yes	0.0%
Science	Amplify - California Science, 2019	Yes	0.0%

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
History-Social Science	Teacher Curriculum Institute (TCI), 2018	Yes	0.0%

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

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

Gold Ridge Elementary was originally constructed in 1998 and is comprised of 25 classrooms, a multipurpose room/cafeteria, a library, a staff lounge, an occupational therapy room, and two playgrounds. Recent updates include two new playgrounds and a new Student Care building.

The principal works daily with the custodial staff of three full time employees to ensure that the school is maintained in a clean and safe manner. The district governing board has adopted cleaning standards for all schools in the district. A summary of these standards is available at the district office for review.

District maintenance staff ensures that the work orders and repairs necessary to keep the school in good repair are completed in a timely manner. A work order process is used to ensure efficient service and highest priority are given to emergency repairs. While reviewing this report, please note that even minor discrepancies are reported in the inspection process. The items noted in the table have been corrected or are in the process of remediation.

Date of inspection: 09/22/2020

School Facility Good Repair Status

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 rate for each system inspected
- The overall rating

Year and month of the most recent FIT report: 2020 September

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	
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	Good	

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

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 2018-19	School 2019-20	District 2018-19	District 2019-20	State 2018-19	State 2019-20
English Language Arts/Literacy (grades 3-8 and 11)	78	N/A	63	N/A	50	N/A
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	68	N/A	52	N/A	39	N/A

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

Note: The 2019-2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the requirement for statewide testing for the 2019-2020 school year.

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 2019-2020)

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Foster Youth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Homeless	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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

Note: The 2019-2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the requirement for statewide testing for the 2019-2020 school year.

CAASPP Test Results in Mathematics by Student Group Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven (School Year 2019-2020)

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Foster Youth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Homeless	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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

Note: The 2019-2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the requirement for statewide testing for the 2019-2020 school year.

CAASPP Test Results in Science for All Students

Grades Five, Eight, and High School

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard

Subject	School 2018-19	School 2019-20	District 2018-19	District 2019-20	State 2018-19	State 2019-20
Science (grades 5, 8 and high school)	57	N/A	44	N/A	30	N/A

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

Note: The 2019-2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the requirement for statewide testing for the 2019-2020 school year.

Note: The new California Science Test (CAST) was first administered operationally in the 2018-2019 school year.

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 2019-2020)

Grade Level	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
5	N/A	N/A	N/A
7	N/A	N/A	N/A
9	N/A	N/A	N/A

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

Note: The 2019-2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-56-20 was issued which waived the requirement to administer the physical fitness performance test for the 2019-2020 school year.

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 2020-2021)

Our PTA supports parental engagement through family nights, weekend events, and parent education programs. Parents volunteer in classrooms - tutoring target students, supporting our Accelerated Reader program, presenting 3E Science and Eagles Art, and enabling classes to take educational field trips off site - enriching and extending learning in wonderful ways. Family education events range from enrichment assemblies on Science and STEM to formal training that supports parenting such as Love and Logic.

We maintain a robust website that receives tens of thousands of visits monthly that we use to communicate with and engage our community about instruction, intervention, and supplemental learning opportunities.

Parents serve on the English Language Advisory Committee (ELAC), School Site Council, PTA committees, and as classroom and school wide volunteers. Our School Site Council (SSC) consists of equal numbers of staff and parents who meet on a regular basis to review programs and priorities and advise the principal.

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

(data collected between July through June, each full school year respectively)

Rate	School 2017-18	School 2018-19	District 2017-18	District 2018-19	State 2017-18	State 2018-19
Suspensions	0.5	0.2	5.0	4.2	3.5	3.5
Expulsions	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1

Suspensions and Expulsions for School Year 2019-2020 Only

(data collected between July through February, partial school year due to the COVID-19 pandemic)

Rate	School 2019-20	District 2019-20	State 2019-20
Suspensions			
Expulsions			

Note: The 2019-2020 suspensions and expulsions rate data are not comparable to prior year data because the 2019-2020 school year is a partial school year due to the COVID-19 crisis. As such, it would be inappropriate to make any comparisons in rates of suspensions and expulsions in the 2019-2020 school year compared to prior years.

School Safety Plan (School Year 2020-2021)

Gold Ridge is a safe and clean facility. There were four (5) student accidents reported at our school in the 2019-2020 school year. Restrooms and the cafeteria are cleaned daily. Classrooms are cleaned every third day. Any safety hazard that is reported is reviewed immediately and resolved. Emergency plans have been developed in the event a threatening situation should arise.

Our Written Worksite Specific Plan (WWSP) for pandemic response calls for twice daily sanitizing of in-person classrooms and hourly sanitizing of restrooms and common areas. Robust procedures are in place to ensure physical distancing, mask wearing, hand washing, and symptom screening.

Gold Ridge has identified three overarching rules to support positive behavior at school: be safe, be respectful, and be responsible. The school rules are published in the Student/Parent Handbook and reviewed with students each trimester through a broad based Positive Behavior Intervention and Support (PBIS) program. Gold Ridge PBIS includes an Eagle ticket program with monthly and weekly reinforcement activities, grade level behavior videos, special assemblies, and classroom based instruction. Physical education teachers present guidelines for safety using playground equipment and rules for games.

Gold Ridge addresses safety in multiple other ways as well. We maintain a close alliance with the Folsom Fire Department and with the Folsom Police Department. The safety team consists of the principal, the department chair, the Physical Education (PE) specialist, the head custodian, and the Office staff. Each member has a radio for communication during drills and if an unexpected emergency were to occur. The team meets monthly to review safety procedures and plan emergency drills. Additionally, campus supervisors are trained on campus rules, and crisis and safety protocols.

Date of Last Review/Update to WWSP: November 9, 2020

Date Last Reviewed with Staff: November 9, 2020

D. Other SARC Information

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

Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Elementary)

Grade Level	2017-18	2017-18	2017-18	2017-18	2018-19	2018-19	2018-19	2018-19	2019-20	2019-20	2019-20	2019-20
	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+	Average Class Size	# of Classes* Size 1-20	# of Classes* Size 21-32	# of Classes* Size 33+
K	23		4		20	1	4		23	1	3	
1	24		4		23		4		21	2	2	
2	24		4		23		4		23		4	
3	25		4		24		5		32		3	1
4	32		1	2	33		1	2	26	2	4	
5	26	1	4		32		2	1	22	2	3	
Other**	16	1	1		13	1	1		23	5	1	2

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

** "Other" category is for multi-grade level classes.

Ratio of Pupils to Academic Counselor (School Year 2019-2020)

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 2019-2020)

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	

*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 2018-2019)

Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Restricted)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Unrestricted)	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$6,333	\$1,019	\$5,314	\$73,997
District	N/A	N/A	\$ 7,737.03	\$77,434
Percent Difference - School Site and District	N/A	N/A	-37.1	-4.5
State	N/A	N/A	\$7,750	\$84,577
Percent Difference - School Site and State	N/A	N/A	-37.3	-13.3

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

Types of Services Funded (Fiscal Year 2019-2020)

District Revenue Sources

In addition to general state funding, Gold Ridge Elementary receives state and federal funding from the following categorical funds and other support programs: Title II, Title III English Learners, Title III Immigrant Student Program, LCAP Supplemental Funds (English Learners/Low Income Student), and state funds for after school interventions for at-risk students.

Data Sources: Data within the SARC was provided by Folsom Cordova Unified School District, retrieved from the 2019-20 school year SARC template, and/or located on Dataquest (<http://data1.cde.ca.gov/dataquest>). Dataquest is a search engine, maintained by the California Department of Education (CDE), which allows the public to search for facts and figures pertaining to schools and districts throughout the state. Among the data available, parents and community may find information about school performance, test scores, student demographics, staffing, and student misconduct/intervention.

Teacher and Administrative Salaries (Fiscal Year 2018-2019)

Category	District Amount	State Average For Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$40,490	\$52,484
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$69,339	\$81,939
Highest Teacher Salary	\$94,844	\$102,383
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	\$122,637	\$129,392
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	\$136,015	\$136,831
Average Principal Salary (High)	\$137,192	\$147,493
Superintendent Salary	\$242,400	\$254,706
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	36.0	34.0
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	5.0	5.0

For detailed information on salaries, see the CDE Certificated Salaries & Benefits web page at <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/>.

Professional Development (Most Recent Three Years)

Measure	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	2	2	2

Folsom Cordova Unified School District has provided up to two professional development days for certificated staff for the current year and the last two years. Each employee is encouraged to grow professionally through self-evaluation and reflection; by attending college and university classes as well as statewide and local workshops; by reading professional literature; and by networking. District-sponsored in-service and training are provided through Professional Learning Communities (PLC), lead teachers and site level academic, reading, math, science and technology coaches. In addition, our district staff has worked collaboratively to provide an induction program for qualified new teachers.

Professional development is focused on supporting students master essential standards through collaborative work in Professional Learning Communities. Teachers have or will soon receive training in Response to Instruction (Rtl), iReady, Lexia Core 5, and Second Step.