

# Washington Elementary School

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# 2012-13 School Accountability Report Card

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# **Principal's Message**

The staff and administration at Washington School, while promoting citizenship in all students and creating a safe and orderly environment, are dedicated to providing all students with a curriculum in which they will experience academic growth through a meaning-centered thinking curriculum. We recognize and acknowledge the importance of our students' well-being and we embrace it for all.

### **School Mission**

The mission of B.T. Washington School is to create and maintain an environment that assures that our students reach a high level of academic achievement as measured by state assessments. We commit to a comprehensive system of support to ensure this outcome.

### **School Vision**

Booker T. Washington School is a place where all students learn in a safe environment with high academic expectations. A caring and effective staff will partner with parents and the community to provide our students with the tools they need to be life-long productive citizens.

### **District & School Profile**

The El Centro Elementary School District is located in Imperial County, and is surrounded by thousands of acres of California's most productive farming land. El Centro Elementary School District is comprised of nine elementary schools and two middle schools, and educates almost 6,000 students in kindergarten through eighth grade per school year. The district is committed to preparing its students for the future and dedicated to excellence in the realm of academics. All programs within the district are founded on the principle that "children come first."

Washington Elementary School serves students in kindergarten through sixth grade. During the 2012-13 school year, the school had an enrollment of 426 students including 8.7% in special education, 69% qualifying for English Language Learner support, 13.7% migrant education, and 95.8% qualifying for free or reduced price lunch. Washington Elementary School achieved a 2013 Academic Performance Index (API) score of 716.

Percentage of Students by Ethnicity/Grade Level 2012-13							
Ethnic Group	%	Grade Level	#				
African American	2.3%	Kindergarten	53				
American Indian or		Grade 1	62				
Alaskan Native		Grade 2	68				
Asian		Grade 3	69				
Filipino		Grade 4	65				
Hawaiian or Pacific		Grade 5	57				
Islander		Grade 6	52				
Hispanic or Latino	96.7%	Grade 7					
White (not Hispanic)	0.9%	Grade 8					
Two or More Races		Total Enrollment	426				



# El Centro Elementary School District

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### **Parent Involvement**

Parents are encouraged to get involved in their child's learning environment either by volunteering in the classroom, participating in a decision-making group, or attending school events.

Parents stay informed of upcoming events and school activities through the monthly calendar of events, banners located on the perimeter fencing, flyers, email, parent conferences, progress reports, the school marquee, the school website, and TeleParent automated telephone message delivery system. Contact the principal at (760) 352-6611 for more information on how to become involved in your child's learning environment.

#### **Opportunities to Volunteer**

Chaperone Classroom Helper Fundraising Activities Library Helper

#### **Committees**

English Learner Advisory Council District English Learner Advisory Council Parent Teacher Organization School Site Council

#### **School Activities**

Back to School Night
FACT Center
Halloween Carnival
Health Fair
Open House
Parent Night
Parent Conferences
Principal's Breakfast - Monthly
Student Orientation
Student Recognition Assemblies

# Curriculum & Instruction

### School Leadership

The administrative team is comprised of the principal, who works closely with the leadership team, teachers, and school staff. Principal Karla Sigmond is responsible for the day-to-day operations of the school and overall instructional program. Coordinating efforts with the principal is the Leadership Team, comprised of the principal, the reading coach, and grade level representatives. The Leadership Team meets monthly throughout the year to evaluate the effectiveness of the instructional programs and implement strategies that increase student proficiency.

Principal Sigmond has been in the educational field for 30 years and serving Washington Elementary School for the first year as of 2013-14. Previous positions held in other schools include: classroom teacher, principal, and district English Learner migrant coordinator. Principal Sigmond holds a master's degree in Education: Counseling, a teaching credential, counseling credential, and an administrative credential.

### **Specialized Instruction**

All curriculum and instruction is aligned to the California State Content Standards and Frameworks approved by the State Board of Education. The instructional program is structured so that all students receive instruction appropriate to their learning level. Teachers use a variety of research-based instructional strategies and techniques using state-approved instructional materials to ensure academic success.

Students with special gifts and talents need more challenging curriculum and instruction. The Gifted and Talented Education (GATE) program is offered to students in grades 3 through 6 who have been identified as academically gifted through districtadministered assessments. Students participate in GATE activities during regular school hours; activities are based upon a designated theme. Instruction is provided by teachers who are GATE Trained.

For students whose primary language is not English and who have limited English proficiency, Washington Elementary School offers programs to help them acquire English as quickly as possible and prepare them to meet the state's academic content standards. English learners receive small group and/or individualized instructional support in the classroom from bilingual aides who collaborate with the student's teacher to provide support in areas of need. Instruction focuses on reinforcement of class lessons, reading intervention, and targeted support in areas of need. Washington Elementary offers an ELD Exchange Class that groups students based on proficiency. Students in this class receive 30 minutes of instruction each day, Monday through Friday Washington Elementary School's teachers utilize Treasures series, a state-approved reading intervention program and textbook adoption. Students are monitored through the CELDT exam given throughout the vear: results are used to evaluate and adjust individualized learning strategies. English learners are assessed annually using the CELDT exam (California English Language Development Test); results are used to evaluate student progress, intervention programs, and teaching strategies.

Washington Elementary School's special education program is staffed by special education teachers and instructional aides. Instruction is provided in the least restrictive environment based on each student's Individual Education Plan (IEP). Students have access to a comprehensive curriculum and are mainstreamed into the general education class with in-class support in both small group and individual settings. A portion of instruction may be provided in one of the special day classes. The IEP team meets annually to establish goals and objectives, define academic instruction, evaluate the effectiveness of the student's plan, and make instructional adjustments as necessary. Washington Elementary School takes advantage of the district's participation in the Imperial County Office of Education's Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA), which provides a pool of professional resources and expertise in the field of special education.

Washington Elementary School provides a variety of intervention and remediation programs to support students' efforts to achieve academic success and reach grade level expectations. Using district benchmark assessments, STAR test results and end-ofunit exams, teachers and administrators can identify students who are struggling or performing below state proficiency grade level standards. For those students who need extra help in any subject area, a Problem Solving Team pulls together school and family resources to identify and develop strategies to help students improve academic and/or behavioral performance. Intervention strategies include:

- · Linda Mood Bell Instruction
- 10 to 1 Program
- New Comer Program
- Migrant After School

Supplementary instructional materials are purchased as needed to support intervention programs. Classroom teachers monitor student performance on district benchmark assessments and end-of-unit tests to measure ongoing academic progress and adjust instructional needs.

### **Enrichment Programs**

Washington Elementary School offers an expanded day kindergarten program, a band program to all fourth grade students, and a strings program to all fifth grade students who wish to participate. All kindergarten through sixth grade students can participate in the After School Education & Safety (ASES) Program which offers enrichment programs in science, visual arts, performing arts, and physical education.

### **Staff Development**

All training and curriculum development activities at Washington Elementary School revolve around the California State Content Standards and Frameworks.

Staff Development Days Three-Year Trend						
2010-11	2011-12	2012-13				
3	3	2				

During the 2012-13 school year, Washington Elementary School held staff development devoted to:

- · Professional Learning Communities
- Language Arts Training
- Data Analysis
- · Instructional Strategies
- Classroom Management & Discipline
- Data Analysis
- English Language Arts Program Resources
- SPARKS Training
- Unit 1 Planning
- Common Core State Standards
- English Language Arts Grade Level
- · Frontloading Science
- Non-Violent Crisis Prevention Intervention
- School Business

Decisions concerning selection of staff development activities are performed by all staff using tools such as teacher input and data analysis to determine the areas in which additional teacher training may enhance classroom instruction and increase student achievement levels. Washington Elementary School supports ongoing professional growth throughout the year on minimum days and early release days. Teachers meet in both grade level and department level teams to conduct data analysis to identify areas of need.

Washington Elementary School offers support to new and veteran teachers through peer coaching and mentoring. Instructional aides are provided targeted training focused on teaching strategies and curriculum content. All staff are encouraged to attend professional workshops and conferences. Classified support staff receive job-related training from department supervisors and district representatives.

### **Instructional Materials**

All textbooks used in the core curriculum at Washington Elementary School are aligned to the California Content Standards and Frameworks. Instructional materials are selected from the state's most recent list of standards-based materials and adopted by the State Board of Education. The District follows the State Board of Education's six-year adoption cycle for core content materials (English/language arts, math, science, and social science).

On Tuesday, October 8, 2013, the El Centro Elementary School District held a public hearing to certify the extent to which textbooks and instructional materials have been provided to students. The Governing Board adopted Resolution #100813-1012 which certifies as required by Education Code §60119 (1) that textbooks and instructional materials were provided to all students, including English learners, in the District to the extent that each pupil has a textbook or instructional materials, or both, to use in class and to take home, and (2) sufficient textbooks and instructional materials were provided to each student, including English learners, that are aligned to the academic content standards and consistent with the cycles and content of the curriculum frameworks in math, science, history-social science, and English/language arts, including the English language development component of an adopted program, and 3) each pupil enrolled in a foreign language has sufficient textbooks or instructional materials that are consistent with the content and cycles of the curriculum frameworks adopted by the State Board for those subjects.

In addition to core subject areas, districts are required to disclose in their SARCs the sufficiency of instructional materials used for their visual/performing arts curricula. During the 2013-14 school year, El Centro Elementary School District provided each student, including English learners, enrolled in a visual/performing arts class with a textbook or instructional materials to use in class and to take home. These materials complied with the state's content standards and curriculum frameworks.

### Classroom Environment

### **Class Size**

The Class Size Distribution table in this report illustrates the distribution of class sizes by grade level, the average class size, and the number of classes that contain 1-20 students, 21-32 students, and 33 or more students.

Class Size Distribution								
Self-Contained Classrooms 2010-11								
	Average	2010	<i>/</i> -11					
	Class	Num	ber of Cla	asses				
Grade	Size	1-20	21-32	33+				
K	27.5		2					
1	22.0	2	1					
2	16.8	4						
3	21.7	2	1					
4	29.0		2					
5	33.0		1	1				
6	31.0		1	1				
		2011	-12					
K	31.0		2					
1	23.3	1	2					
2	29.5		2					
3	25.7	1	2					
4	35.0			2				
5	30.5		2					
6	34.5			2				
		2012	2-13					
K	27.0		2					
1	31.0		2					
2	23.0	1	2					
3	23.0	1	2					
4	33.0		1	1				
5	29.0		2					
6	26.0		2					
Combo classes are any combination of K-3. 3-4. and								

Combo classes are any combination of K-3, 3-4, and 4-5 grades.

		Textbooks						
Year Adopted	From Most Recent State Adoption?	Publisher and Series	Percent of Pupils Who Lack Their Own Assigned Textbooks and/or Instructional Materials	Grade				
		Reading/Language Arts						
2009	Yes	McMillan/McGraw Hill: California Treasures	0%	K-6				
		Math						
2008	Yes	Harcourt School Publishers: California HSP Math	0%	K-6				
		Science						
2007	Yes	Harcourt School Publishers: California Science	0%	K-6				
2006	Yes	Holt, Rinehart & Winston:	0%	6-8				
		Earth Science						
	Social Science							
2006	Yes	McMillan/McGraw Hill: California Vistas	0%	K-6				
2006	Yes	McDougal Littell: World	0%					
		Ancient Civilizations	0%	6				

The textbooks and instructional materials used by the school are selected from the State Board of Education's most recent adoption.

Textbook information was obtained from district office personnel December 2013.

### Discipline & Climate for Learning

Washington Elementary School's discipline policies are based upon a schoolwide discipline plan, which is used as a guide to develop school rules, develop behavior management programs, responsibility, promote respect, and minimize classroom disruptions. Teachers clearly identify and explain behavior expectations to their students and discuss consequences for poor or disruptive behavior in the classroom. Washington Elementary School employs a progressive approach in managing students who make poor choices in behavior, do not follow school rules, or are disruptive in the classroom.

Suspensions and Expulsions							
	Washington						
	10-11	11-12	12-13				
Suspensions (#)	43	38	23				
Suspensions (%)	9.15%	7.93%	5.40%				
Expulsions (#)	0	0	0				
Expulsions (%)	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%				
		<b>ECESD</b>					
	All Eler	nentary S	Schools				
	All Eler	nentary S 11-12	Schools 12-13				
Suspensions (#)							
Suspensions (#) Suspensions (%)	10-11	11-12	12-13				
	10-11 300	11-12 207	12-13 131				

This table illustrates the total cases (not number of days) of suspensions and expulsions, and includes students with multiple instances of suspension. For example, a student suspended in one month for two days and then suspended a month later for three days is counted as two cases of suspension.

### **Student Achievement**

### **Adequate Yearly Progress**

The Federal No Child Left Behind Act (NCLB) requires that all students perform at or above the proficient level on the state's standards-based assessment by the year 2014. Meeting Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) milestones helps determine whether students are reaching proficiency level targets set by NCLB. AYP requires annual evaluation and reporting of the academic progress of all students and defined student subgroups.

For the 2012-13 AYP cycle, elementary and middle schools must achieve a 89.2% or higher proficiency rate in English/language arts and 89.5% or higher proficiency rate in math on the California Standards Test (CST). Additional criteria contributing to whether or not a school demonstrates AYP include achieving a 95% or above participation rate on the CST and obtaining an API growth score of 740 or increasing the API growth by 1 point.

Adequate Yearly Progress
Results Reported by Indicator
and Compared to
District Performance
2012-13

Did the school and district meet or exceed 2013 AYP performance criteria in each of the areas listed below?

AYP Criteria	Washington	ECESD
Overall Performance	No	No
Participation Rate		
Language Arts	Yes	Yes
Math	Yes	Yes
Percent Proficient		
Language Arts	No	No
Math	No	No
API	No	Yes
Graduation Rate	N/A	N/A
AYP Perfor	mance Level	
Number of AYP Criteria		
Met Out of the Total	8/17	14/25/
Number of Criteria	3,17	, 20,
Possible		

More information on AYP can be found on the California Department of Education's (CDE) website www.cde.ca.gov/nclb/ and the U.S. Department of Education's website www.ed.gov/nclb/accountability/.

# Standardized State Assessments

The Standardized Testing and Reporting (STAR) Program consists of several key components, including the California Standards Tests (CSTs), the California Modified Assessment (CMA), and the California Alternate Performance Assessment (CAPA). The CSTs show how well students are doing in relation to the state content standards. The CSTs include English/language arts (ELA) and mathematics in grades two through eleven; science in grades five, eight, and nine through eleven; and history-social science in grades eight, and ten through eleven.

STAR Results All Students Percentage of Students Scoring at Proficient and Advanced Levels									
	Washington		ECESD			CA			
	10-11	11-12	12-13	10-11	11-12	12-13	10-11	11-12	12-13
English-Language Arts	35	36	31	47	49	46	54	56	55
Math	55	49	44	54	53	52	50	51	50
Science	47	41	48	57	60	57	57	60	59
History				39	46	48	48	49	49

Only grades 5, 8, 9, 10, and 11 take the Science portion of this exam and only grades 8, 9, 10, and 11 take the History portion.

STAR Results Ethnic Subgroups Percentage of Students Scoring at Proficient and Advanced Levels 2012-13								
				Wash	ington			
	African American	American Indian or Alaskan Native	Asian	Filipino	Hispanic or Latino	Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	White (not Hispanic)	Two or More Races
English-Language Arts Math Science History	7 thoroan	rvaavo	roan	Тіпріпо	30 44 48	iorandor	тноратноу	110000

In order to protect student confidentiality, no results are reported for any group of 10 or fewer students. In cases where a % is not provided, no students were tested in the respective subgroup or subject area.

STAR Results Other Subgroups Percentage of Students Scoring at Proficient and Advanced Levels 2012-13							
	Washington						
	Male	Female	English Learners	Economically Disadvantaged	Students with Disabilities	Migrant Education	
English-Language Arts	25	36	20	30	11	32	
Math	44	44	38	43	23	48	
Science History	50	46	33	48		55	

In order to protect student confidentiality, no results are reported for any group of 10 or fewer students. In cases where a % is not provided, no students were tested in the respective subgroup or subject area.

				formance In mance Com	parison				
					Washingto	n			
				В	ase API Ra	ank:			
		2010			2011			2012	
Statewide Rank		2			3			2	
Similar Schools Rank		7			7			3	
		Washington			ngton	ECE	ESD State		ite
				# of		# of		# of	
	Increa	se/Decrease	e in API	Students	Growth	Students	Growth	Students	Growth
	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2012	2-13	2012	2-13	2012	<u>!</u> -13
All Students	23	-24	-21	291	716	3,730	797	4,655,989	790
Ethnic Subgroups									
African American				7		48	781	296,463	708
Hispanic or Latino	27	-26	-21	280	717	3,469	793	2,438,951	744
White (not Hispanic)				4		152	871	1,200,127	853
Other Subgroups									
Economically Disadvantaged	22	-26	-23	282	713	3,089	781	2,774,640	743
English Learners	24	-43	-14	205	691	2,081	751	1,482,316	721
Students with Disabilities				37	560	441	676	527,476	615

Student scores are reported as performance levels. Detailed information regarding the STAR Program results for each grade and performance level, including the percent of students not tested, can be found on the CDE Standardized Testing and Reporting (STAR) Results Web site at http://star.cde.ca.gov.

### **Physical Fitness**

In the spring of each year, Washington Elementary School is required by the state to administer a physical fitness test to all students in grade five. The physical fitness test measures each student's ability to complete six fitness tasks in six major areas. Students that either meet or exceed the standards in all six fitness areas are considered to be physically fit or in the "healthy fitness zone." Comparative district and state results can be found at the CDE's Website www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/pf/.



### **Academic Performance Index**

California uses the results of STAR testing to calculate the Academic Performance Index (API) which is used to measure school performance, set academic growth targets, and monitor progress over time. The API is a numeric index between 200-1000 that measures student performance in grades two through eleven. An API score of 800 is the state's designated performance target for all schools. Test results are weighted and a formula is applied to determine API.

Growth Targets: For schools with an API under 800, the state requires a gain of 5% of the difference between the school's actual API and 800. Growth Targets apply not only schoolwide, but to each numerically significant subgroup as well

Schools/subgroups that have achieved an API of 800 or above must maintain their scores. Statewide Rank: All schools in California are categorized according to type (elementary, middle, high) and are placed on a scale of 1 to 10, with 10 being the highest.

Similar Schools Rank: School performance is also compared to other similar schools in the state, based on demographic characteristics, and ranked 1 to 10 within a grouping of 100 schools.

### No Child Left Behind (NCLB)

The No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Act is part of the Federal Title I funding program designed to support additional staffing and programs to meet the needs of low-income, low achieving students, and other designated students with special needs. Schools may apply, based upon their student demographics, for one of two types of Title I funding: Title I Schoolwide or Title I Targeted Assistance. Title I Schoolwide schools use federal funds for schoolwide improvement of student achievement. Title I Targeted Assistance schools use federal funds to help those students who meet specific program criteria. In 2012-13, Washington Elementary qualified for Schoolwide Title I funding and is subject to comply with Title I program participation requirements.

Title I PI Status 2013-14						
	Washington	ECESD				
PI Status First Year of PI Implementation	In PI 2003-2004	In PI 2004-2005				
· Year in PI # Schools Currently In PI	Year 5	Year 3				
% Schools Currently In PI		100%				

The statistical information in this table reflects the PI status during the 2013-14 school year

Any school receiving Title I funds is required to comply with respective program testing and reporting activities, achieve specific levels of student proficiency, and monitor school progress towards meeting established goals. Progress California Adequate Yearly calculations determine whether a Title I school has met performance goals. Schools not meeting specific AYP criteria enter Program Improvement, a monitoring system and curriculum enhancement program designed to help schools to increase student proficiency levels. More information about Title I and Program Improvement can be located on the CDE's website www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/ti/.

# **Professional Staff**

### **Counseling & Support Staff**

Washington Elementary School provides professional, highly qualified staff who provide additional services and support centered on the whole student academically, physically, and mentally. The Counseling and Support Services table in this report illustrates the availability of non-instructional support staff to Washington Elementary School's students.

Full-time equivalent (FTE) is a standard measurement used to identify an employee's regular work load on a weekly basis. For example, an FTE of 1.0 designates a full-time position and the employee is on campus and available all day every day of the week; an FTE of 0.5 indicates that the staff member is available and on campus a portion (50%) of the week.

### **Teacher Assignment**

During the 2012-13 school year, Washington Elementary School had 16 teachers who met all credential requirements in accordance with state guidelines. The Federal No Child Left

# Counselors and Support Personnel (Nonteaching Professional Staff) 2012-13

	No. of	
	Staff	FTE
Academic Counselor	0	*
Computer Lab Supervisor	1	0.6
Library Clerk	1	1.0
Migrant Counselor	1	0.2
Psychologist	1	0.4
Speech Therapist	1	0.2

FTE = Full Time Equivalent

\* = As Needed

Behind Act requires that all teachers in core subject areas meet certain requirements in order to be considered as "NCLB Compliant." Minimum qualifications include: possession of a bachelor's degree, possession of an appropriate California teaching credential, and demonstrated competence in core academic subjects.

Teacher Credentials and Assignments										
	Washington				ECESD					
	10-11	11-12	12-13	13-14	10-11	11-12	12-13	13-14		
Total Teachers	22	20	16		244	224	190			
Teachers with Full Credential		20	16		242	224	189			
Teachers without Full Credential		0	0		2	0	1			
Teachers Teaching Outside Subject Area		0	0		1	0	1			
Teacher Misassignments for English Learners		0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Total Teacher Misassignments		0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Teacher Vacancies		0	0	0	3	0	0	0		

In the table in this report, which identifies the number of classrooms taught and not taught by NCLB-compliant teachers, high poverty schools are those schools in the highest quartile for student participation defined by the free and reduced price meal program. Low poverty schools are those schools that are in the lowest quartile of program participation.

Percentage of Classes in Core Academic Subjects:							
	Taught by NCLB- Compliant Teachers	Not Taught by NCLB- Compliant Teachers					
	2012-13						
Washington District Totals	100.0%	0.0%					
All Schools	98.0%	2.0%					
High-Poverty Schools	98.0%	2.0%					
Low-Poverty Schools	100.0%	0.0%					

# **Facilities & Safety**

The district takes great efforts to ensure that all schools are clean, safe, and functional through proper facilities maintenance and campus supervision. Washington Elementary School's original facilities were built in 1937, and ongoing maintenance and campus improvements ensure facilities remain up to date and provide adequate space for students and staff. District maintenance and site custodial staff ensure that the repairs necessary to keep the school in good condition are completed in a timely manner. A work order process is used by school and district staff to communicate non-routine maintenance requests. Emergency repairs are given the highest priority. In the last 12 months five new air conditioning units were installed, and painting projects were completed throughout the campus where needed. In the past 12 months the following campus improvements have been completed:

- Installation of new carpet in some classrooms
- Paiting of some classrooms
- · Installation of new locks on doors
- Landscaping throughout campus
- · Installation of a new HVAC system

Every morning before school begins, the principal and the custodian inspect facilities for safety hazards or conditions that need attention prior to students and staff entering school grounds. One day custodian and one evening custodian are assigned to Washington Elementary School. The day custodian is responsible for:

- Cafeteria setup/cleanup
- · General grounds maintenance
- · Classroom cleaning
- · Restroom cleaning
- Trash Removal

Restrooms are checked regularly throughout the day for cleanliness and subsequently cleaned as needed. The evening custodian is responsible for:

- · Classroom cleaning
- · Common use area cleaning
- · Office area cleaning
- Restroom cleaning

The principal communicates with custodial staff daily concerning maintenance and school safety issues.

Campus Description							
Year Built	1937						
	Quantity						
# of Permanent Classrooms	18						
# of Portable Classrooms	4						
# of Restrooms (student use)	2						
Computer Labs	2						
Library	1						
Multipurpose Room/Cafeteria	1						
Outdoor Covered Patio	1						
PTA Bungalow	1						
Staff Lounge/Teacher Work Room	1						
YMCA Portables	2						

### **Campus Supervision**

School administration and teaching staff place a high priority on providing adequate adult supervision on campus before, during, and after school. As students arrive on campus each morning, a school crossing guard and pupil supervisors are strategically assigned to designated entrance areas, the breakfast area and playground. During recess, teachers supervise playground activity. Pupil supervisors monitor lunch time activity in the cafeteria and on the playground. At the end of the day when students are dismissed, the school crossing guard, instructional aides, and pupil supervisors monitor student behavior to ensure a safe and orderly departure.

Washington Elementary is a closed campus. During school hours, all visitors must sign in at the school's office and wear identification badges while on school grounds.

### **School Site Safety Plan**

The Comprehensive School Site Safety Plan was developed for Washington Elementary in collaboration with local agencies and the district office to fulfill Senate Bill 187 requirements. Components of this plan include child abuse reporting procedures, teacher notification of dangerous pupil procedures, disaster response procedures, procedures for safe arrival and departure from school, sexual harassment policy, and dress code policy. The school's most recent school safety plan was reviewed and updated in February 2013, and discussed with school staff in September 2013.

#### **Deferred Maintenance**

Washington Elementary School participates in the State School Deferred Maintenance Program, which provides dollar-for-dollar matching funds to assist school districts with major repairs or replacement of existing school building components. Deferred maintenance projects generally include roofing, plumbing, heating, air conditioning, electrical systems, interior/exterior painting, and floor systems. During the 2012-13 school year, El Centro Elementary School District did not receive deferred maintenance funds from the State School Deferred Maintenance Program.

### **Facilities Inspection**

The district's maintenance department inspects Washington Elementary on an annual basis in accordance with Education Code §17592.72(c)(1). Washington Elementary uses a school site inspection survey to identify unsafe or hazardous conditions and facility improvement needs. The most recent school inspection took place on September 17, 2013. Deficiencies noted in the school inspection survey were corrected immediately by the district's maintenance department. During fiscal year 2012-13, all restrooms were fully functional and available for student use.

School Facility Good Repair Status								
Item Inspected	Repair Status							
Inspection Date: September 17, 2013	Good	Fair	Poor	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned				
Systems		✓						
Interior Surfaces			✓	Office - Hump in floor east room; Cafeteria - Wall peeling at east side by door; Room 2 6th Grade - Countertop is cracked; Room 9 - Crack on east wall and carpet is separating; Room M7 Band - Tear in east wall; Room 22 Kindergarten with Restrooms - Cabinet top needs to be replaced; Room M10 - Building paint peeling; Room 25 - Repair ramp and tear in east wall; Girl's Restroom next to Room 9 - Tile missing and partition rusting; Boy's Restroom next to Room 9 - Tile on baseboard is broken, northwest wall has cracks, paint is peeling, and partitions rusting; Room 18 - Re-attach T-bar east side				
Cleanliness	✓			•				
Electrical		✓		Women's Restroom East of Office - Dryer not working				
Restrooms/Fountains			✓	Kitchen - Middle sink handle is loose and restroom sink is rusting; Room 22 Kindergarten with Restrooms - Women's restroom tile is broken, partition rusting at the bottom, floor front of urinal needs repair, and girl's restroom tile missing around toilet; Room 27 - Adjust fountain				
Safety		✓		Cafeteria - Fire extinguisher not charged				
Structural	✓							
External	<ul> <li>Room M6 5th Grade - Replace wood on ramp; Room M7 Band - Replace ramp; Playground - Rubber has chunks out; Room 21 Kindergarten with Restrooms - Cement broken by gate and paint peeling by door; Room 5 Computer Lab - Tile broken around drinking fountain outside; Ramada - Need to paint</li> </ul>							
Overall Summary of School Facility Good Repair Status								
	Exe	empl	ary	Good Fair Poor				
Overall Summary				✓				

#### Percentage Description Rating:

Fair: The school is not in good repair. Some deficiencies noted are critical and/or widespread. Repairs and/or additional maintenance are necessary in several areas of the school site.

# SARC Data & Internet Access

### **DataQuest**

DataQuest is an online data tool location at http://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/ that contains additional information about Washington Elementary School and comparisons of the school to the district, the county, and the state. DataQuest provides reports for school accountability, including but not limited to API, AYP, STAR results, enrollment, and staffing.

# Public Internet Access Location

Parents may access Washington Elementary School's SARC and access the internet at any of the county's public libraries. The closest public library to Washington Elementary School is the El Centro Public Library.

El Centro Public Library 539 W. State Street, El Centro Phone Number: (760) 337-4565 Website: www.cityofelcentro.org/library Hours:

Mon-Thurs 9am-6pm Fri 9am- 5pm Sat & Sun, Closed

Number of Computers Available: 5

# **District Expenditures**

### Salary & Budget Comparison

State law requires comparative salary and budget information to be reported to the general public. For comparison purposes, the State Department of Education has provided average salary data from school districts having similar average daily attendance throughout the state. (Note: 2011-12 salary comparison data was the most recent data available at the time this report was published.)

Salary Comparison 2011-12								
	ECESD	State Average of Districts in Same Category						
Beginning Teacher Salary	39,753	41,327						
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	66,989	63,903						
Highest Teacher Salary	84,218	81,573						
Average Principal Salaries:								
Elementary School	102,375	103,887						
Middle School	107,362	107,439						
Superintendent Salary	152,262	155,551						
Percentage of Budget For:								
Teacher Salaries	41	41						
Administrative Salaries	6	6						

### **Expenditures Per Student**

For the 2011-12 school year, El Centro Elementary School District spent an average of \$7,647 of total general funds to educate each student (based on 2011-12 audited financial statements and in accordance with calculations defined in Education Code §41372). The table in this report 1) compares the school's per pupil expenditures from unrestricted (basic) and restricted (supplemental) sources with other schools in the District and throughout the state, and 2) compares the average teacher salary at the school site with average teacher salaries at the district and state levels. Detailed information regarding salaries can be found at the CDE website at www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/ec/ and www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/. (The figures shown in the table below reflect the direct cost of educational services, per ADA, excluding food services, facilities acquisition and construction, and certain other expenditures.)

Current Expense of Education Per Pupil 2011-12 Dollars Spent Per Student							
Expenditures Per Pupil	Washington	ECESD	% Difference - School and District	State Average for Districts of Same Size and Type	% Difference - School and State		
Total Restricted and Unrestricted	4,735	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
Restricted (Supplemental)	1,095	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
Unrestricted (Basic)	3,640	3,805	95.7%	5,537	65.7%		
Average Teacher Salary	72,812	71,407	102.0%	66,594	109.3%		

In addition to general fund state funding, El Centro Elementary School District receives state and federal categorical funding for special programs. For the 2011-12 school year, the District received categorical, special education, and support programs funds for:

- After School Learning & Safe Neighborhood Partnerships
- Class Size Reduction (Grades K-3)
- · Early Mental Health Initiative
- · Education Jobs Fund
- · Economic Impact Aid (EIA)
- · Lottery: Instructional Materials
- · Medi-Cal Billing
- Ongoing & Major Maintenance Accounts
- · Other Local: Locally Defined
- Special Education
- State Lottery
- Title I, II, III
- Transportation
- · Transportation: Special Education

### **Disclosure**

The statistical information disclosed in this report is obtained from the California Department of Education and the El Centro Elementary School District. At the time of publication, this report met all SARC-related state and federal requirements, using the most current data available. Data to prepare the instructional materials and school facilities sections were acquired in December 2013.