



## 2007-08 School Accountability Report Card • District Summary Report

Published During the 2008-09 School Year

### California Standards Tests Results

The table shows the percentage of students that scored at Proficient or Advanced levels in subjects that may include: English-language arts, mathematics, science, and history-social science. For a complete report on all subgroups and their scores by grade level, please visit <http://star.cde.ca.gov>.

Percentage of Students Scoring At Proficient or Advanced Levels						
	Walnut Creek SD			California		
	05-06	06-07	07-08	05-06	06-07	07-08
English-Language Arts	78%	79%	80%	42%	43%	46%
Mathematics	77%	77%	78%	40%	40%	43%
Science	67%	74%	78%	35%	38%	46%
History-Social Science	72%	72%	73%	33%	33%	36%

### Adequate Yearly Progress

NCLB requires that all schools and districts meet Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) requirements. To meet these standards, California public schools and districts must meet or exceed criteria in four target areas:

1. Participation rate on statewide assessments
2. Percent of students scoring proficient on statewide assessments
3. API scores
4. Graduation rate for high schools

The table displays whether or not the district made AYP overall and met each of the AYP criteria for 2007-08. For a detailed report on AYP, please visit [www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/ay](http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/ay).

Adequate Yearly Progress Criteria		
	Walnut Creek SD	
Met Overall AYP	Yes	
AYP Criteria	English-Language Arts	Mathematics
Participation Rate	Yes	Yes
Percent Proficient	Yes	Yes
API	Yes	
Graduation Rate	✧	

✧ Not applicable. The graduation rate for AYP criteria applies to high schools.

### Suspensions and Expulsions

The table shows the rate of suspensions and expulsions (the total number of incidents divided by the district's total enrollment) for the most recent three-year period.

Suspension and Expulsion Rates			
	Walnut Creek SD		
	05-06	06-07	07-08
Suspension Rate	0.030	0.068	0.047
Expulsion Rate	0.000	0.001	0.000

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*"A community  
of learners building  
knowledge, skills  
and character."*

This School Accountability Report Card (SARC) Summary Report is a tool for parents to learn where students are succeeding and where we are improving. While this Summary Report cannot show you all data, it's an excellent starting point for discussion. For a full SARC report including additional testing data, district financials, and information on our teachers and programs, go to the district office or school website.



## Teacher Qualifications

The table shows information about teacher with full credentials and teacher without full credential. More information can be found by visiting <http://data1.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/>.

Teacher Credential Information	
	Walnut Creek SD
Teachers	07-08
With Full Credential	172
Without Full Credential	0

## No Child Left Behind Compliant Teachers

No Child Left Behind (NCLB) requires that all teachers of core academic subject areas be "highly qualified." In general, for a teacher to be considered highly qualified, they must have a bachelor's degree, an appropriate California teaching credential, and have demonstrated competence for each core subject he or she teaches. The table displays data regarding NCLB compliant teachers from the 2007-08 school year. For more information on teacher qualifications related to NCLB, visit [www.cde.ca.gov/nclb/sr/tq](http://www.cde.ca.gov/nclb/sr/tq).

Core Academic Courses Taught by NCLB Compliant Teachers		
	% of Classes Taught by NCLB Compliant Teachers	% of Classes Taught by Non-NCLB Compliant Teachers
All Schools in District	98.5%	1.5%
High-Poverty Schools in District	◆	◆
Low-Poverty Schools in District	98.5%	1.5%

◆ Information not available.

## Financial Information

The data displayed is from the 2006-07 school year because the most current fiscal information available provided by the state is always two years behind the current school year, and one year behind most other data included in this report.

District Salary Information — Does not include benefits				
Range	Walnut Creek SD	Similar Sized District		
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$40,931	\$39,773		
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$60,744	\$61,167		
Highest Teacher Salary	\$74,715	\$78,093		
Average Principal Salary (Elementary School)	\$111,552	\$97,851		
Average Principal Salary (Middle School)	\$116,502	\$102,064		
Superintendent Salary	\$178,632	\$140,582		
% of Budget for Teacher Salaries	45.2%	41.0%		
% of Budget for Administrative Salaries	5.8%	5.9%		
	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil From Restricted Sources	Expenditures Per Pupil From Unrestricted Sources	Average Teacher Salary
Walnut Creek SD		\$5,609	\$62,436	
California		\$5,300	\$61,488	

## Mission Statement

*In a child-centered, academically challenging environment, which cultivates character and celebrates learning, the families, community and staff of the Walnut Creek School District, as partners, will develop creative, exemplary learners with the skills and enthusiasm to shape a changing world.*



**SARC:** Data provided by the California Department of Education (CDE), school and the district office. For additional information on facts about California schools and districts, please visit DataQuest at <http://data1.cde.ca.gov/dataquest>. DataQuest is an online resource that provides reports for accountability, test data, enrollment, graduates, dropouts, course enrollments, staffing and data regarding English Learners.

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