

School Accountability Report Card

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Isaac L. Sowers Middle

The School Accountability Report Card (SARC), which is required by law to be published annually, contains information about the condition and performance of each California public school. More information about SARC requirements is available at the California Department of Education (CDE) Web site at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/>. For additional information about the school, parents and community members should contact the school principal or the district office. DataQuest, an online data tool at <http://data1.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/>, contains additional information about this school and comparisons of the school to the district, the county, and the state.

I. About This School

Contact Information

This section provides the school's contact information.

School		District	
School Name	Isaac L. Sowers Middle	District Name	Huntington Beach City Elementary
Street	9300 Indianapolis	Phone Number	(714) 964-8888
City, State, Zip	Huntington Beach, CA 92646-	Web Site	www.hbcasd.k12.ca.us
Phone Number	7149627738	Superintendent	Dr. Roberta DeLuca
Principal	Deborah Randall	E-mail Address	roberta.deluca@hbcasd.k12.ca.us
E-mail Address	deborah.randall@hbcasd.k12.ca.us		

School Description and Mission Statement

This section provides information about the school's goals and programs.

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Student Enrollment by Group

This table displays the percent of students enrolled at the school who are identified as being in a particular group.

Group	Percent of Total Enrollment	Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
African-American	1.00%	White (Not Hispanic)	71.07%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.90%	Multiple or No Response	11.97%
Asian	7.38%	Economically Disadvantaged	5.00%
Filipino	0.00%	English Learners	2.00%
Hispanic or Latino	7.00%	Students With Disabilities	9.00%
Pacific Islander	0.33%		

Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution

This table displays by subject area the average class size and the number of classrooms that fall into each size category (a range of total students per classroom).

Subject	2004-05				2005-06				2006-07			
	Number of Classrooms				Number of Classrooms				Number of Classrooms			
	Avg. Class Size	1-22	23-32	33+	Avg. Class Size	1-22	23-32	33+	Avg. Class Size	1-22	23-32	33+
English	30	--	47.0	6.0	29.1	2.0	48.0	9.0	29	2.0	43.0	8.0
Mathematics	30.4	3.0	20.0	17.0	27.2	5.0	36.0	1.0	28	8.0	27.0	9.0
Science	29.5	2.0	21.0	11.0	28.9	3.0	32.0	--	31	--	1.0	--
Social Science	30.8	--	27.0	8.0	30.1	1.0	30.0	7.0	29	1.0	35.0	4.0

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School Facility Good Repair Status

This table displays the results of the most recently completed school site inspection to determine the school facility's good repair status.

Item Inspected	Repair Status			F YdUjf 'BYYXYX'UbX 5 Wqcb 'HU_Yb'cf 'D'UbbYX
	Good	Fair	Poor	
Gas Leaks	x			
Mechanical Systems	x			
Windows/Doors/Gates (interior and exterior)	x			
Interior Surfaces (walls, floors, and ceilings)	x			
Hazardous Materials (interior and exterior)	x			
Structural Damage	x			
Fire Safety	x			
Electrical (interior and exterior)	x			
Pest/Vermin Infestation	x			
Drinking Fountains (inside and outside)	x			
Restrooms	x			
Sewer	x			
Playground/School Grounds	x			
Roofs	x			
Overall Cleanliness	x			

Overall Summary of School Facility Good Repair Status

This table displays the overall summary of the results of the most recently completed school site inspection.

Item Inspected	Exemplary	Good	Fair	Poor
Overall Summary	x			

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IV. Teachers

Teacher Credentials

This table displays the number of teachers assigned to the school with a full credential, without a full credential, and those teaching outside of their subject area of competence. Detailed information about teacher qualifications can be found at the CDE Web site at <http://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/>.

Teachers	School			District
	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2006-07
With Full Credential	44	44	46	283
Without Full Credential	0	1	0	0
Teachers Teaching Outside Subject Area	0	0	5	--

Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions

This table displays the number of teacher misassignments (teachers assigned without proper legal authorization) and the number of vacant teacher positions (not filled by a single designated teacher assigned to teach the entire course at the beginning of the school year or semester). Note: Total Teacher Misassignments includes the number of Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners.

Indicator	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners	0	17	11
Total Teacher Misassignments	0	0	5
Vacant Teacher Positions	1	0	3

Core Academic Classes Taught by No Child Left Behind Compliant Teachers

This table displays the percent of classes in core academic subjects taught by No Child Left Behind (NCLB) compliant and non-NCLB compliant teachers at the school, at all schools in the district, at high-poverty schools in the district, and at low-poverty schools in the district. More information on teacher qualifications required under NCLB can be found at the CDE Web site at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/nclb/sr/tq/>.

Location of Classes	Percent of Classes In Core Academic Subjects	
	Taught by NCLB Compliant Teachers	Taught by Non-NCLB Compliant Teachers
All Schools in District	100.0%	0.0%
Low-Poverty Schools in District	100.0%	0.0%

V. Support Staff

Academic Counselors and Other Support Staff

This table displays, in units of full-time equivalents (FTE), the number of academic counselors and other support staff who are assigned to the school and the average number of students per academic counselor. 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.

Title	Number of FTE Assigned to School
Other	1.0

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VI. Curriculum and Instructional Materials

Quality, Currency, and Availability of Textbooks and Instructional Materials

This table displays information about the quality, currency, and availability of the standards-aligned textbooks and other instructional materials used at the school, and information about the school's use of any supplemental curriculum or non-adopted textbooks or instructional materials.

Core Curriculum Area	Ei U]mž7 i ffYbWzUbX'5 j Uj'UW]J]m cZHYI HVcc_g'UbX -bgfii W]cbU'A UHf]Ug	DYfWbhcZDi d]g K \ c'@W'H Yf' Ck b 5 gg][bYX'HYI HVcc_g'UbX -bgfii W]cbU'A UHf]Ug
Reading/Language Arts	Prentice Hall, Timeless Voices, Timeless Themes, 2003	0
Mathematics	T & Ö [~ * a Šac^ ÉÖ [} & ^] o Ae a AU a] • É Ö!aa^•Á È ÉÖEEG Ú!^} c^A Pa]ÉU!^} c^A Pa]ÁU!^É Öf^a!aa} a Öf^a!aa}ÖÖaf! } ae Öaa] ÉÖ!aa^•Á È ÉÖEEG	0
Science	Prentice Hall, Science Explorer: Focus on Earth, Life & Physical Science, Grades 6-8, 2001	0
History-Social Science	Teachers' Curriculum Institute, History Alive! Grades 6-8, 2007	0
Foreign Language	McDougal Littell, En Espanol, 2000	0
Health		0
Science Laboratory Equipment (grades 9-12)		0

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VII. School Finances

Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries (Fiscal Year 2005-06)

This table displays a comparison of the school's per pupil expenditures from unrestricted (basic) sources with other schools in the district and throughout the state, and a comparison of the average teacher salary at the school site with average teacher salaries at the district and state levels. Detailed information regarding school expenditures and teacher salaries can be found at the CDE Web site at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/ec/> and <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/>.

Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Supplemental)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Basic)	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$3,638.18	\$349.70	\$3,288.48	\$63,189.00
District	--	--	--	\$66,118.00
Percent Difference - School Site and District	--	--	--	4%
State	--	--	\$4,943.00	\$61,005.00
Percent Difference - School Site and State	--	--	33%	-4%

Types of Services Funded

This section provides information about the programs and supplemental services that are available at the school and funded through either categorical or other sources.

No Data Available

Teacher and Administrative Salaries (Fiscal Year 2005-06)

This table displays district-level salary information for teachers, principals, and superintendents, and compares these figures to the state averages for districts of the same type and size. The table also displays teacher and administrative salaries as a percent of a district's budget, and compares these figures to the state averages for districts of the same type and size. Detailed information regarding salaries may be found at the CDE Web site at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/>.

Category	District Amount	State Average For Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$37,186.00	\$39,984.00
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$70,020.00	\$63,798.00
Highest Teacher Salary	\$85,404.00	\$79,204.00
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	\$105,102.00	\$99,820.00
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	\$101,181.00	\$102,340.00
Superintendent Salary	\$151,200.00	\$158,484.00
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	45.0%	43.0%
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	6.0%	5.0%

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VIII. Student Performance

California Standards Tests

The California Standards Tests (CSTs) show how well students are doing in relation to the state content standards. The CSTs include English-language arts and mathematics in grades 2 through 11; science in grades 5, 8, 9, 10, and 11; and history-social science in grades 8, 9, 10, and 11. Student scores are reported as performance levels. Detailed information regarding CST results for each grade and performance level, including the percent of students not tested, can be found at the CDE Web site at <http://star.cde.ca.gov>. Note: Scores are not shown when the number of students tested is 10 or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy, or to protect student privacy.

CST Results for All Students – Three-Year Comparison

This table displays the percent of students achieving at the Proficient or Advanced level (meeting or exceeding the state standards).

Subject	School			District			State		
	2005	2006	2007	2005	2006	2007	2005	2006	2007
English-Language Arts	67%	71%	72%	65%	68%	70%	40%	42%	43%
Mathematics	60%	68%	61%	65%	69%	69%	38%	40%	40%
Science	--	70%	70%	53%	59%	66%	27%	35%	38%
History-Social Science	50%	61%	53%	45%	55%	55%	32%	33%	33%

CST Results by Student Group – Most Recent Year

This table displays the percent of students, by group, achieving at the Proficient or Advanced level (meeting or exceeding the state standards) for the most recent testing period.

Group	Percent of Students Scoring at Proficient or Advanced			
	English-Language Arts	Mathematics	Science	History-Social Science
African-American	53%	47%	--	--
American Indian or Alaska Native	38%	33%	--	--
Asian	85%	78%	89%	81%
Filipino	83%	82%	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	61%	47%	62%	32%
Pacific Islander	--	--	--	--
White (Not Hispanic)	73%	61%	71%	53%
Male	67%	60%	73%	53%
Female	77%	63%	67%	52%
Economically Disadvantaged	40%	35%	47%	20%
English Learners	17%	25%	38%	15%
Students With Disabilities	26%	21%	25%	3%

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Norm-Referenced Test

The norm-referenced test (NRT), currently the California Achievement Test, Sixth Edition (CAT/6), shows how well students are doing compared to students nationally in reading, language, spelling, and mathematics in grades 3 and 7 only. The results are reported as the percent of tested students scoring at or above the national average (the 50th percentile). Detailed information regarding NRT results for each grade level can be found at the CDE Web site at <http://star.cde.ca.gov/>. Note: Scores are not shown when the number of students tested is 10 or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy, or to protect student privacy.

NRT Results for All Students – Three-Year Comparison

This table displays the percent of students scoring at or above the national average (the 50th percentile) in reading and mathematics.

Subject	School			District			State		
	2005	2006	2007	2005	2006	2007	2005	2006	2007
Reading	70%	68%	74%	64%	65%	64%	41%	42%	42%
Mathematics	79%	73%	80%	72%	73%	76%	52%	53%	53%

NRT Results by Student Group – Most Recent Year

This table displays the percent of students, by group, scoring at or above the national average (the 50th percentile) in reading and mathematics for the most recent testing period.

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	Reading	Mathematics
African-American	--	--
American Indian or Alaska Native	--	--
Asian	88%	95%
Filipino	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	64%	64%
Pacific Islander	--	--
White (Not Hispanic)	74%	80%
Male	68%	81%
Female	79%	79%
Economically Disadvantaged	43%	52%
Students With Disabilities	30%	42%

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California Physical Fitness Test Results

The California Physical Fitness Test is administered to students in grades 5, 7, and 9 only. This table displays by grade level the percent of students meeting fitness standards (scoring in the healthy fitness zone on all six fitness standards) for the most recent testing period. Detailed information regarding this test, and comparisons of a school's test results to the district and state levels, may be found at the CDE Web site at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/pf/>. Note: Scores are not shown when the number of students tested is 10 or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy, or to protect student privacy.

Grade Level	DYfWbhcZ Gh XYbfg' A Yfjbl : Jlb Ygg' GhUbXUfXg
7	54.0%

IX. Accountability

Academic Performance Index

The Academic Performance Index (API) is an annual measure of the academic performance and progress of schools in California. API scores range from 200 to 1,000, with a statewide target of 800. Detailed information about the API can be found at the CDE Web site at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/ap/>.

API Ranks – Three-Year Comparison

This table displays the school's statewide and similar schools API ranks. The statewide API rank ranges from 1 to 10. A statewide rank of 1 means that the school has an API score in the lowest 10 percent of all schools in the state, while a statewide rank of 10 means that the school has an API score in the highest 10 percent of all schools in the state. The similar schools API rank reflects how a school compares to 100 statistically matched "similar schools." A similar schools rank of 1 means that the school's academic performance is comparable to the lowest performing 10 schools of the 100 similar schools, while a similar schools rank of 10 means that the school's academic performance is better than at least 90 of the 100 similar schools.

API Rank	2004	2005	2006
Statewide	9	9	9
Similar Schools	2	1	3

API Changes by Student Group – Three-Year Comparison

This table displays by student group the actual API changes in points added or lost for the past three years, and the most recent API score. Note: "N/A" means that the student group is not numerically significant.

Group	Actual API Change			API Score
	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007
All Students	7	29	-13	844
Asian	-4	30	-10	920
Hispanic or Latino	--	-1	13	805
White (Not Hispanic)	13	33	-18	843
Students With Disabilities	--	91	-52	636

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Adequate Yearly Progress

The federal NCLB Act requires that all schools and districts meet the following Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) criteria:

- Participation Rate - English-Language Arts
- Participation Rate - Mathematics
- Percent Proficient - English-Language Arts
- Percent Proficient - Mathematics
- API
- Graduation Rate

Detailed information about AYP, including participation rates and percent proficient results by student group, can be found at the CDE Web site at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/ay/>.

AYP Overall and by Criteria

This table displays an indication of whether the school and the district made AYP overall and whether the school and the district met each of the AYP criteria.

AYP Criteria	School	District
Overall	Yes	Yes
Participation Rate - English-Language Arts	Yes	Yes
Participation Rate - Mathematics	Yes	Yes
Percent Proficient - English-Language Arts	Yes	Yes
Percent Proficient - Mathematics	Yes	Yes
API	Yes	Yes
Graduation Rate	N/A	N/A

Federal Intervention Program

Schools and districts receiving federal Title I funding enter Program Improvement (PI) if they do not make AYP for two consecutive years in the same content area (English-language arts or mathematics) or on the same indicator (API or graduation rate). After entering PI, schools and districts advance to the next level of intervention with each additional year that they do not make AYP. Detailed information about PI identification can be found at the CDE Web site at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/ay/>.

Indicator	District
Program Improvement Status	Not In PI
Number of Schools Currently in Program Improvement	1
Percent of Schools Currently in Program Improvement	11.1%

Professional Development

This section provides information on the annual number of schooldays dedicated to staff development for the most recent three-year period.

