



# KIPP Sol Academy

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## 2019-20 School Accountability Report Card Published During the 2020-21 School Year

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#### District Governing Board

#### District Administration

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### School Description

The mission of KIPP Sol Academy is to provide an excellent education that ignites hearts as much as minds. By teaching academic skills, fostering intellectual habits and cultivating character strengths, we light the spark within each child necessary to explore, advance and succeed on the path to and through college. Our students will transform their lives and the lives of many others as advocates who confidently think, speak and act for themselves, their communities and for positive change throughout the world.

### About Our School:

At KIPP Sol Academy, we call our students Advocates. Our definition of advocacy - "the ability to define ourselves, name ourselves, create think and speak for ourselves so we never risk being defined, named, created, or spoken for by others"- is the motivational belief we hold about what education can do to empower young people and it reminds us why we do our work here with such excellence, commitment, and love.

At KIPP Sol we believe. We believe each child is unique and should be celebrated and nurtured as so. We believe that education is the path to equity and freedom. We believe excellent skills in reading, writing, speaking, and math give us a powerful voice and make us independent. The power is within each of us. We believe that intelligence is malleable. Effective effort is what makes us successful. We believe we must work to earn trust and build relationships with students, families and teammates in order to best serve the community. Our students are who we are. We believe we must teach our students with love and empathy while always holding them to the highest expectations. Anything less would be a disservice to our students and the community.

We live our beliefs daily through our comprehensive (Blended Learning) curriculum to ensure students with a spectrum of needs, interests, and abilities are stimulated and learning at rigorous, yet appropriate, levels. At Sol, "blended learning" means more than just integrating at computer for every student. It means that we expertly mix learning environments, technologies, teaching methods, and structure cross-curricular student learning opportunities to ensure that students are challenged as individual learners. In order to honor our students' growth and development over time as learners and as people, we have divided our instructional model into the Lower School (5th-6th grades) and Upper School (7th-8th grades). Our curricular model in the upper and lower school is based on our 6 Pillars of Excellent Education: Rigorous instruction, Individual Exploration, Whole-child Learning, Risk Taking, Team Building, and Data Driven.

"Somos Sol" is the phrase we use to represent the feeling we have as members of a KIPP Sol community - as staff members, students, and parents. As a charter school, we simply would not exist without the trust and support of our amazing families. Our Sol families help us to build a school community that creates beautiful memories and a strong connection to school for our Advocates.

When you visit Sol, you walk the brightly colored halls and you hear, see and feel Advocates actively engaged in their learning. You will see our students huddled together as they couple factual knowledge with innovation to tackle a dilemma in science; you will walk outside and see a group of 5th graders designing and authoring a personal blog to record reflections on their personal reading books; you will hear the laughter of students cheering on teammates as they run relays in P.E.; you will hear music playing as students enthusiastically work to sand their paper sculptures in art; you will walk into an English class and see a teacher pulling a small group to review something confused from yesterday's lesson while another group of students collaborate to edit constructed responses and still other students curl up with a book or continue writing a literary response; in math, Advocates apply their own algorithms to solve real-world problems while deepening their conceptual understanding and mathematical reasoning. If the academic day leaves you wanting more, you can stay for our extending enrichment blocks that include intervention, tutoring, computer coding, and a host of exciting topics such as film critique, arts and mariachi, dance, photography, basketball, soccer and more!

We look forward to serving the students and families of East LA with excellence, love, reflection and ganas for many years to come. We are proud of Sol's quality staff and beautiful students and families. Come visit us! ¡Somos Sol!

### About the SARC

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.

### 2019-20 Student Enrollment by Grade Level

Grade Level	Number of Students
Grade 5	130
Grade 6	127
Grade 7	128
Grade 8	118
<b>Total Enrollment</b>	<b>503</b>

### 2019-20 Student Enrollment by Group

Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	0.4
Hispanic or Latino	98.6
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	88.5
English Learners	12.5
Students with Disabilities	10.3
Homeless	0.6

### 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 for KIPP Sol Academy	18-19	19-20	20-21
With Full Credential	24	17	13
Without Full Credential	3	6	15
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	0	0	0

Teacher Credentials for KIPP Sol Academy	18-19	19-20	20-21
With Full Credential	♦	♦	20,610
Without Full Credential	♦	♦	669
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	♦	♦	1,337

#### Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions at KIPP Sol Academy

Indicator	18-19	19-20	20-21
Teachers of English Learners	0	0	0
Total Teacher Misassignments*	0	0	0
Vacant Teacher Positions	2	1	1

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 Instructional Materials (School Year 2020-21)

Textbooks and Instructional Materials

Year and month in which data were collected: January 2021

Core Curriculum Area	Textbooks and Instructional Materials/Year of Adoption
Reading/Language Arts	EL Education Fountas and Pinnell Leveled Literacy Intervention Sets Heinemann Units of Study for Teaching, Grades K-8 Heinemann Units of Study in Argument, Information, and Narrative Writing Middle School Series Bundle, Grades 6-8: A Common Core Workshop Curriculum Reading Reconsidered Actively Learn  <b>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption:</b> Yes <b>Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook:</b> 0.0 %
Mathematics	ICL Math Bridges Illustrative Math FACEing Math Set Implementing the Common Core Standards for Math iReady Glencoe Geometry  <b>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption:</b> Yes <b>Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook:</b> 0.0 %
Science	Amplify Curriculum Teacher created Curriculum - standards aligned NGSS Reader Pack  <b>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption:</b> Yes <b>Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook:</b> 0.0 %
History-Social Science	Teacher cerated curriculum - standards aligned History Alive  <b>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption:</b> Yes <b>Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook:</b> 0.0 %
Foreign Language	Teacher cerated curriculum - standards aligned <b>Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook:</b> 0.0 %
Health	Teen Talk to meet the compliance standards of the California Healthy Youth Act (CHYA) Ripple Effects for Social emotional learning  <b>Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook:</b> 0.0 %
Visual and Performing Arts	<b>Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook:</b> 0.0 %
Science Laboratory Equipment	N/A <b>Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook:</b> 0.0 %

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

### School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements (Most Recent Year)

In the fall of 2015, KIPP Sol Academy moved into its permanent facility at 4800 E Cesar E Chavez Avenue. This state-of-the-art new facility is a wonderful place for Sol to continue to grow its roots and its impact in the community. The KIPP Sol Academy campus is also inspected monthly for safety and cleanliness.

Our facilities have undergone improvements that focus on the health and safety of students and staff. These improvements were a result of COVID-19 and will ensure everyone is healthy and safe when they return to school. Improvements include:

- Upgrade to MERV13 air filters
- Plexiglass installation in the office, restrooms and classrooms
- Installation of touchless water bottle fillers
- Installation of touchless hand sanitizer dispensers

### School Facility Good Repair Status (Most Recent Year)

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 in which data were collected: November 2020**

System Inspected	Repair Status	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
<b>Systems:</b> Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	Good	
<b>Interior:</b> Interior Surfaces	Good	
<b>Cleanliness:</b> Overall Cleanliness, Pest/ Vermin Infestation	Good	
<b>Electrical:</b> Electrical	Good	
<b>Restrooms/Fountains:</b> Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	Good	
<b>Safety:</b> Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	Good	
<b>Structural:</b> Structural Damage, Roofs	Good	
<b>External:</b> Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	Good	
<b>Overall Rating</b>	<b>Exemplary</b>	

## 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 18-19	School 19-20	District 18-19	District 19-20	State 18-19	State 19-20
ELA	66	N/A	45	N/A	50	N/A
Math	56	N/A	34	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 Science for All Students

#### Grades Five, Eight, and High School

##### Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard

Subject	School 18-19	School 19-20	District 18-19	District 19-20	State 18-19	State 19-20
Science	41	N/A	23	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.

### 2019-20 Percent of Students Meeting Fitness Standards

Grade Level	4 of 6	5 of 6	6 of 6
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.

**CAASPP Test Results in Science 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
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 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
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
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.

### 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 2020-21)

KIPP Sol Academy highly values parental involvement and engagement in school activities. Sol operates an open-door policy for parents which means that parents are welcomed on our campus and into our classrooms. There are many ways that parents can stay involved and engaged - whether that's by directly supporting teachers in the classroom; taking on a role with our Sol Parent Advocacy Committee (SPA); attending parent development meetings pertaining to high school matriculation, college readiness, or understanding the development of middle school-aged children; chaperoning field trips; helping to supervise lunch and after school; organizing school events; spearheading school-based fundraising; checking homework, academic and behavior progress either online or in person; and cultivating relationships and connections within our community by recruiting new families. We call this "Somos Sol." Parent engagement opportunities are announced through our weekly family newsletter, through phone calls, emails, communication with Sol Parent Advocacy committee and various other notices sent home to families.

During distance learning, parent involvement continues to be a priority. KIPP Sol has kept families engaged and up to date on school related matters by hosting a monthly virtual Coffee with Admin, Parent Advisory Committee, and English Language Proficiency Assessments for California. To maintain high parent involvement, families have also had the opportunity to join virtual events such as Literacy Night, Math Night, and our annual Enrichment Showcase. Additionally, we also changed communication platforms to ensure parents remained informed and involved. Parent Square is our new communication platform and it has ensured families know what is happening at KIPP Sol. There they can see the school calendar, upcoming events, days off, and can even communicate with teachers and administration.

For more information related to these and other parental involvement opportunities, please contact our Family Engagement Lead, Ms. Finn, at [mfinn@kippsocal.org](mailto:mfinn@kippsocal.org).

**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.

**School Safety Plan (School Year 2020-2021)**

KIPP Sol Academy has a comprehensive school safety plan that is reviewed, updated and discussed with faculty at the beginning of the school year. This year's plan was reviewed and updated in October 2020. The safety plan addresses the school's responsibilities in emergencies associated with natural disasters, human-caused emergencies and technological incidents. The plan provides a framework for coordination of response and recovery efforts within the school and local, state, and federal agencies. The plan is intended to establish organization to direct and control operations at the site during a period of emergency by assigning responsibilities to specific personnel. KIPP Sol Academy runs emergency drills on a monthly basis, which includes earthquake, fire, lockdown and shelter in place drills.

**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	0.2	0.0	0.8	0.7	3.5	3.5
Expulsions	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1

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.

**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.

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

Title	Ratio
Academic Counselor*	251.5

\*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 Full-Time Equivalent (FTE)
Counselor (Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	2
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	
Psychologist	0.5
Social Worker	
Nurse	
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	0.3
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)	
Other	6.2

\*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.

**Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Elementary)**

Grade Level	2017-18 Average Class Size	2017-18 # of Classes* Size 1-20	2017-18 # of Classes* Size 21-32	2017-18 # of Classes* Size 33+	2018-19 Average Class Size	2018-19 # of Classes* Size 1-20	2018-19 # of Classes* Size 21-32	2018-19 # of Classes* Size 33+	2019-20 Average Class Size	2019-20 # of Classes* Size 1-20	2019-20 # of Classes* Size 21-32	2019-20 # of Classes* Size 33+
5	33			28	32	2		28	32		18	7
6	32		18	6	30	2	18	6	29	2	20	4
Other**									10	1		

\*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.



### Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Secondary)

Subject	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+
English	31		6	2	27	1	7	1	31		7	1
Mathematics	31		7	1	24	2	8		25	2	8	
Science	31		8		30		8		31		7	1
Social Science	31		7	1	30		8		25	2	7	1

\*Number of classes indicates how many classrooms 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.

### Professional Development (Most Recent Three Years)

Measure	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement	26	44	46

We define professional development as opportunities to grow as professionals during one-on-one meetings with a coach, as a team in content-team meetings, and during professional development cohorts that are differentiated according to teacher needs. In each of these capacities, data is used to inform the reflection and next steps. KIPP Sol's Professional Development occurs on a weekly basis on Monday afternoons from 1:15–4:00pm and on assigned full day regional Professional Development days throughout the school year.

During one-on-one meetings, instructional coaches prepare for meetings by observing teachers and pulling their data to identify the area of focus. All observations are completed using the regional tools of teacher practice observation and a comprehensive teacher rubric. While meeting with teachers, coaches determine whether to focus on data, observation feedback, or both. In data-focused One-on-ones, teachers and coaches look at student work to identify trends, misconceptions, and observation data. They identify specific students and name their needs in order to create action steps. They also make plans to address misconceptions, schedule a time in which a lesson will be retaught, and track the data from those reteaches. In observation One-on-ones, teachers and coaches discuss findings from observations based in the observation tools. Evidence is then captured using either video or running record to ground decision making in facts.

KIPP Sol then uses its learnings from data- and observation-focused One-on-ones to inform school-wide professional development. The school-wide professional development is differentiated in response to data collected from student achievement and teacher observation data. We currently have three strands of professional development for teachers: Data (Assess, Analyze, and Act), Lesson Planning, and Leadership. The lesson planning cohort sessions have been scoped out based on excellence indicators aligned to the comprehensive teacher rubric. Each session builds on the knowledge necessary to complete lessons with clear objectives and key points, based on students' current levels of understanding. In the data strand, teachers can learn the skills required to accurately assess student data in order to make decisions. Finally, the leadership cohort is designed for teacher leaders who are leading content or leadership teams. These sessions aim to help leaders create a vision, build team culture, and practice accountability, each grounded in teacher-perspective data and student-achievement data.

Teachers also work in content teams to make sure that the curriculum delivery and instruction is done at the highest possible level. We believe that content teams perform four core functions:

Looking at Student Work (LASW) - Content teams evaluate and respond to demonstrated learning in teachers' classrooms.

Lesson Study - Teachers use their content teams to give and receive feedback on their lesson planning.

Data Dives - Content teams are also a place for teachers to review and respond to student assessment data in their classrooms.

Critical Friends - Content teams provide "Critical Friends" to teachers. "Critical Friends" are one more way for teachers to observe colleagues and receive feedback on their instructional practices.

In short, KIPP Sol's professional development plan aims to improve student achievement outcomes by providing teachers with ongoing data- and observation-based feedback from coaches, colleagues, and school leadership.

During virtual learning professional development still remains a priority. Teachers attend virtual professional development every week for 1-1.5 hours in addition to regular one-on-one meetings. The majority of our professional development so far this year has been focused on distance learning, such as supporting teachers in adapting their teaching style and lesson plans to suit the virtual world.?

### FY 2018-19 Teacher and Administrative Salaries

Category	District Amount	State Average for Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$46,587	\$50,029
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$74,412	\$77,680
Highest Teacher Salary	\$92,389	\$102,143
Average Principal Salary (ES)	\$117,849	\$128,526
Average Principal Salary (MS)	\$131,307	\$133,574
Average Principal Salary (HS)	\$135,702	\$147,006
Superintendent Salary	\$350,000	\$284,736

Percent of District Budget	District Amount	State Average for Districts In Same Category
Teacher Salaries	29.0	33.0
Administrative Salaries	5.0	5.0

\* For detailed information on salaries, see the CDE Certificated Salaries & Benefits webpage at [www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/](http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/).

### Types of Services Funded

KIPP Sol Academy offers an ASES funded afterschool program to assist and support our students. The goal of our program is to continue the support students are receiving during the regular school day in a safe constructive environment during after school hours. Our program provides literacy and enrichment activities for 140 students, grades 5th through 8th. Every student in our program participates in a daily literacy and enrichment component. Our literacy programs provide tutoring and homework help in the core areas of reading, language arts, mathematics and science. Student's use software to make sure they are reading and completing math at their individual levels. Students participate in at least 1 hour daily in a literacy element. Our educational enrichment programs align with the school's academic program and include, but are not limited to, recreation and prevention activities such as football and cheerleading, youth development strategies like performing arts, music, and dance. Other enrichment activities are implemented based on student interest and needs.

### State Priority: Pupil Engagement

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Pupil Engagement (Priority 5):

- High school dropout rates; and
- High school graduation rates.

### Dropout Rate and Graduation Rate (Four-Year Cohort Rate)

Rate for KIPP Sol Academy	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Dropout Rate			
Graduation Rate	79.7	80.1	81.5

Rate for California	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Dropout Rate			
Graduation Rate	82.7	83	84.5

### 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.

### FY 2018-19 Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries

Level	Total	Restricted	Unrestricted	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$13,381	\$2,895	\$10,486	\$61,681
District	N/A	N/A	\$9,056	\$74,789
State	N/A	N/A	\$7,125	\$82,403

Percent Differences	Unrestricted	Average Teacher Salary
School Site/District	14.6	-19.2
School Site/ State	38.2	-28.8

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