


Fresno Unified School District  
Board Communication

**BC Number EA-1**

From the Office of the Superintendent  
To the Members of the Board of Education  
Prepared by: Lindsay Sanders, Chief of Equity and Access  
Cabinet Approval: 

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Phone Number: 457-3471

Andrew Scherrer (Jan 24, 2022 11:45 PST)

Regarding: 2020/21 Seal of Biliteracy DataQuest Omission

The purpose of this communication is to provide Board information on the recently released 2020/21 Four-Year Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate district report from California Department of Education (CDE). The results for graduating students completing the State Seal of Biliteracy were omitted from the district data upload. The omission of the data does not impact graduation rates for Fresno Unified, but the report does omit the number of students who completed the Seal of Biliteracy. The CDE report on DataQuest now includes the disclaimer that Fresno Unified School District has notified the CDE of the omission of data and to contact the district for more information.


Students were not negatively impacted as the data was accurately uploaded into ATLAS; seals, certificates, medals, and transcripts were correctly provided to the Class of 2021.

In addition, Senate Bill 98 and Assembly Bill 130 suspended the publication of state indicators on the 2020 and 2021 California School Dashboards; therefore, the information on DataQuest for 2020/21 does not impact district accountability.

Included in this communication is revised district-level reports showing the State Seal of Biliteracy completion by student group and by school.

If you have further questions or require additional information, please contact Lindsay Sanders at (559) 457-3471.

Approved by Superintendent  
Robert G. Nelson Ed.D.



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**2020-21 Four-Year Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate: SSB Included**

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African American	341	277	81.20%	108	4	1.4%	21
American Indian or Alaska Native	27	21	77.80%	12	1	4.8%	3
Asian	510	472	92.50%	319	76	16.1%	139
Filipino	19	19	100.00%	11	0	0.0%	8
Hispanic or Latino	3,108	2,671	85.90%	1,290	649	24.3%	346
Pacific Islander	18	18	100.00%	7	1	5.6%	4
White	424	364	85.80%	238	17	4.7%	108
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<a href="#">Fresno County</a>	13,484	11,797	87.50%	5,834	1,388	11.8%	2,196
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<a href="#">Bullard High</a>	583	548	94.00%	353	44	8.0%	115
<a href="#">Cambridge Continuation High</a>	341	148	43.40%	0	2	1.4%	0
<a href="#">Design Science Middle College High</a>	63	63	100.00%	63	17	27.0%	32
<a href="#">Dewolf Continuation High</a>	158	107	67.70%	0	2	1.9%	0
<a href="#">District Office</a>	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<a href="#">Edison High</a>	554	532	96.00%	378	185	34.8%	179
<a href="#">Erma Duncan Polytechnical High</a>	226	219	96.90%	114	73	33.3%	40
<a href="#">Florence E. Rata</a>	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<a href="#">Fresno High</a>	421	368	87.40%	171	80	21.7%	19
<a href="#">Fulton</a>	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<a href="#">Herbert Hoover High</a>	380	325	85.50%	133	34	10.5%	44
<a href="#">J. E. Young Academic Center</a>	228	189	82.90%	18	7	3.7%	3
<a href="#">McLane High</a>	387	347	89.70%	226	69	19.9%	55
<a href="#">Nonpublic, Nonsectarian Schools</a>	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<a href="#">Phillip J Patino School of Entrepreneurship</a>	37	37	100.00%	32	4	10.8%	10
<a href="#">Phoenix Secondary</a>	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<a href="#">Roosevelt High</a>	464	407	87.70%	186	74	18.2%	45
<a href="#">Sunnyside High</a>	641	597	93.10%	339	157	26.3%	96

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