

Santa Barbara County Education Office AT A GLANCE

Providing service & leadership
to Santa Barbara County schools

About SBCEO

Santa Barbara County Education Office has three primary functions:

- 1** Provide direct instruction to the county's most vulnerable students through alternative, special education, and early childhood education programs.
- 2** Support and supplement local school districts with services that are necessary for their operations, including budget accountability and approval, technology and connectivity, Local Control and Accountability Plan assistance and approval, professional development, and support for districts' academic goals.
- 3** Lead and advocate on behalf of students, families, schools and school districts at the regional, state and federal levels in support of quality public education.



Main Offices

Santa Barbara

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Santa Maria

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Hope Center

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SBCEO Quick Facts

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SBCEO Employees

554 certificated and classified employees

SBCEO Divisions

Administrative Services

Curriculum and Instruction

Educational Services

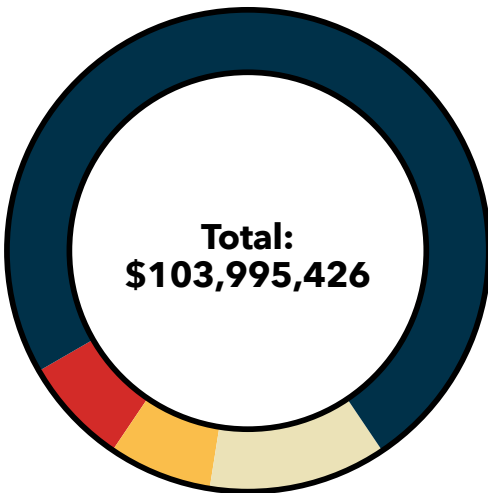
Human Resources

Special Education

Communications

North County Liaison

SBCEO 2022-23 Adopted Budget



● Student support: 74%

● Internal support: 7%

● District and school support: 12%

● Excess property tax transfer: 7%*

* Transferred to State

Learn more: [SBCEO.org](https://www.sbceo.org)

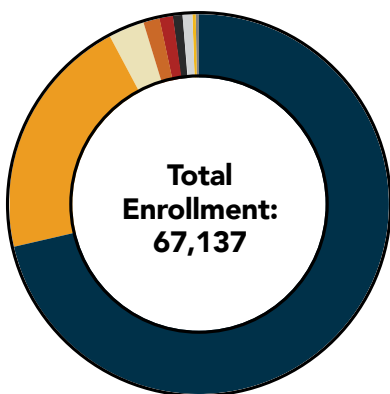
Santa Barbara County K-12 Public Education by the Numbers 2021-22

- K-12 Public School Enrollment: 67,137
- School Districts: 20
- Total Schools: 123 (includes public schools, public charter schools, alternative schools, continuation schools, court schools, community schools.)

Enrollment Demographics

	SB County	State
English Learners	26.3%	19.1%
Free and Reduced Price Meals	61.6%	57.8%
Youth Experiencing Homelessness	8.7%	2.9%
Students with Disabilities	12.1%	12.7%

Enrollment by Ethnicity



Hispanic or Latino: 75%	Not reported: 0.8%
White: 20%	African American: 0.8%
Two or more races: 2.8%	American Indian or Alaska Native: 0.4%
Asian: 1.4%	Pacific Islander: 0.1%
Filipino: 1%	

Source: Dataquest, CDE

SBCEO Recent Highlights

Early Care & Education Operate 10 preschools and infant/toddler centers for low-income families and connect families to subsidized childcare programs, and giving around 2,500 children access to early education

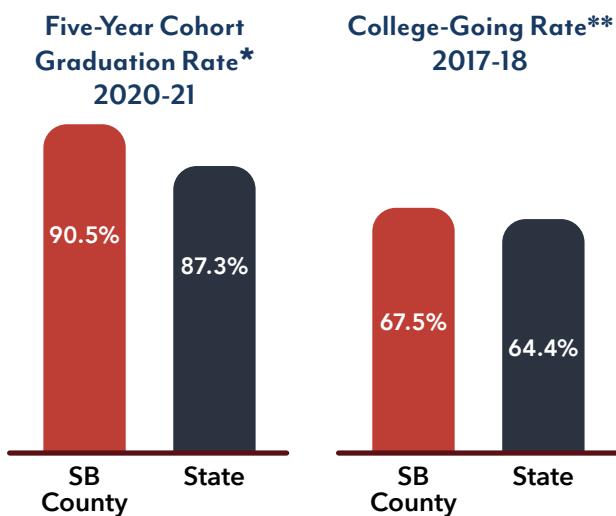
Special Education Provide special education services to over 800 students in preschool, elementary and secondary settings throughout Santa Barbara County. Provide intervention services to infants and toddlers with disabilities and their families.

Budget and LCAP Review district budgets and Local Control and Accountability Plans (LCAP) to ensure solvency and compliance

Technology Provide technology support, internet connection, professional development and training. During the pandemic, SBCEO's Computers for Families program provided 1,362 devices to students and adults and 3,800 bilingual technical support calls.

Arts Education Serve 50,000 students annually with arts education through funds raised by our annual event, the I Madonnari chalk art festival

Academic Achievement Support districts in data analysis, academic goals, and curriculum & instruction



* The percentage of students who graduated from high school with a regular high school diploma within five years of beginning high school

** Most recent data available from the CDE

Mental Health & Wellness In partnership with County Behavioral Wellness, secured a multi-million dollar state grant to increase in-school mental health support. A new team of mental health coordinators is serving the Santa Maria Valley, with expansion efforts underway in Lompoc, the Santa Ynez Valley, Goleta, and Carpinteria.

Educator Recognition Teacher of the Year award, and events including Salute to Teachers and Education Celebration

Educator Development Provide credentialing programs and mentorship for teachers and administrators

Career Technical Education (CTE) Expand career pathway opportunities. Secured a \$1.6 million grant to expand Career Pathways. Since 2018, \$6 million in grant funds distributed to sites.

Programs & Partnerships Serve schools through 200 specialized programs and partnerships like Partners in Education, Children's Creative Project, Health Linkages, Children & Family Resource Services, and Welcome Every Baby

Family Outreach Oversee Santa Barbara County Promotores Network, a team of 70 individuals who link families to health and education resources. Since July 2021, Promotores has reached 65,000 individual children and families.

Emergency and Crisis Response Provide coordination and communications during emergencies, and training and coaching for district leaders during times of crisis

Juvenile Court and Community Schools In partnership with County Probation, run schools for justice-involved youth and those experiencing expulsion and chronic absenteeism

Academic and Community Events

Author-Go-Round	Science Olympiad
Battle of the Books	Spelling Bee
Breakfast with the Authors	Operation Recognition
I Madonnari	Principal for a Day
Math Superbowl	Poetry Slam
Mock Trial	