

2014-15 School Accountability Report Card

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# **University Charter MS**

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# Director's Message

UCS (University Charter Schools—University Charter Middle School and University Preparation School combined) is a collaborative community of innovative learners who seek out challenges and persevere toward individual and shared goals. We provide multiple opportunities for students to thrive in a diverse and compassionate learning environment. The middle school program focuses on developing critical thinkers who demonstrate mastery of the California Common Core State Standards in an environment that supports the unique developmental stages of the adolescent child.

University Charter Middle School (UCMS) maximizes learning opportunities for its students who reflect the ethnic, linguistic, socioeconomic, and special needs diversity of Ventura County and California classrooms by using the best and most promising pedagogical and California standards-based practices employed by highly qualified teachers and administrators. These practices are modeled for student teachers, other credential candidates and a variety of practitioners through regularly scheduled on-site training and action research in conjunction with CSU Channel Islands.

In the years since the school's inception, UCMS has evolved, expanded and celebrated great achievements. The school community—including students, teachers, parents, families, CSUCI faculty and community partners—has experienced great pride in the accomplishments of the past years and wishes to see the school continue to make strides in the future. Among the numerous successes experienced are the following events, awards, programs and achievements that have contributed to the growth and development of UCMS between 2006 and 2015:

- \$40,000 granted to UPS and UCMS to help support salary of Science Lab coach
- Cutting-edge technology: 1:1 ratio of students in grades 6-8 to Chromebooks or laptops; Smartboards in all classrooms
- · Schoolwide implementation of Lucy Calkins writer's workshop
- Opportunity to learn two languages for all students via our two programs: Two-way Immersion and Language Enrichment
- · Peaceful Playground school: assigned playground coach at each campus
- Developed PE program for grades K-8
- Active participation in Parent-Teacher-Student Association (PTSA)
- POET (Peer Observation to Enhance Teaching) teachers are relieved by the administrator to go and observe their colleagues for the purpose of professional growth
- School counselor to support social-emotional growth and challenges of students
- More than 1,000 pre-service teachers have worked and trained in our classrooms
- · Recipient of the Rooted Futures grant
- Many lunch and after-school clubs include Math Club, Animal Shelter Awareness Club, Animal Habitat Club, Book Club, Bead Club, Nutrition Club, Leadership and Yearbook
- Middle School Leadership program
- Middle School Teacher-Student Mentoring program
- Triton Autism Ambassadors for Middle School students
- Renaissance for Middle School students
- Science Fair
- · After-school athletics program (basketball, volleyball, track, flag football, soccer)
- · National award-winning cheerleading team
- · Robotics Team actively involved in FIRST LEGO League (FLL) and local competitions
- · After-school clubs include Math Club, Art Club and Ballet Folklorico
- Participation in Camarillo Academic Olympics (CAO)
- Annual participation in Ventura County Spelling Bee
- Planned and executed countywide STEMposium event for more than 100 Ventura County educators in the summer of 2015
- Peer Buddies program
- Specialist classes providing students enrichment opportunities: music (theory, ukulele, xylophone), technology (coding, Minecraft), LEGO engineering program, keyboarding, art classes, etc.
- Schoolwide CHAMPS and Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports programs
- · Grant recipient of \$60,000 for Family Resource Center by anonymous donor
- · Dual Language and Language Enrichment Programs
- · Fall Harvest Festival and Spring Luau
- Annual eighth-grade Washington, D.C., trip
- Collaboration with CSUCI Science Department to coordinate community Science Night event to serve students and residents throughout Ventura County

These achievements supplement the progress made within our instructional programs that support students to be successful within a rigorous, project-based educational program. UCMS strives to provide an education that engages students in meaningful educational experiences that empower them to become productive, creative, socially responsible lifelong learners who will make valuable contributions in our culturally diverse and ever-evolving technological society.



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#### School Mission Statement

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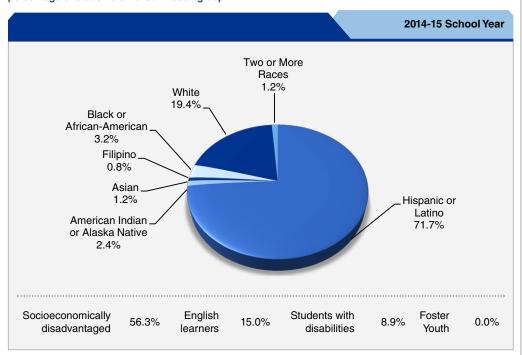
# School Accountability Report Card

In accordance with state and federal requirements, the School Accountability Report Card (SARC) is put forth annually by all public schools as a tool for parents and interested parties to stay informed of the school's progress, test scores and achievements.

# Enrollment by Student Group

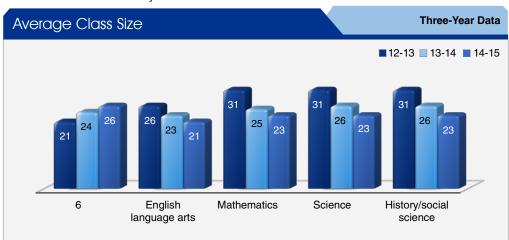
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The total enrollment at the school was 247 students for the 2014-15 school year. The pie chart displays the percentage of students enrolled in each group.



#### Class Size Distribution

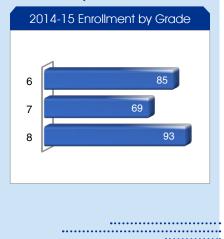
The bar graph displays the three-year data for average class size and the table displays the three-year data for the number of classrooms by size.



Number of Classr	ooms by Size						Three-Year Data		
	2012-13				2013-14		2014-15		
Cubicat	Number of Students								
Subject	1-22	23-32	33+	1-22	23-32	33+	1-22	23-32	33+
English language arts	2	5	3	6	5	1	6	6	
Mathematics		2	4	2	5		4	3	
Science		2	4	1	6		4	3	
History/social science		3	3	2	4	1	3	4	

## **Enrollment by Grade**

The bar graph displays the total number of students enrolled in each grade for the 2014-15 school year.



# California Physical Fitness Test

Each spring, all students in grades 5, 7 and 9 are required to participate in the California Physical Fitness Test (PFT). The Fitnessgram® is the designated PFT for students in California public schools put forth by the State Board of Education. The PFT measures six key fitness areas:

- Aerobic Capacity
- 2. Body Composition
- 3. Flexibility
- 4. Abdominal Strength and Endurance
- 5. Upper Body Strength and Endurance
- Trunk Extensor Strength and Flexibility

Encouraging and assisting students in establishing lifelong habits of regular physical activity is the primary goal of the Fitnessgram. The table shows the percentage of students meeting the fitness standards of being in the "healthy fitness zone" for the most recent testing period. For more detailed information on the California PFT, please visit www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/pf.

Percentage of Students Meeting Fitness Standards				
2014-15 School Year				
Grade 7				
Four of six standards	18.8%			
Five of six standards 29.0%				
Six of six standards	30.4%			



"As responsible members of the community, we take pride in our school environment by maintaining a clean and well-groomed campus."



#### Parental Involvement

We invite all parents to volunteer and become involved in our school programs. We offer a variety of opportunities for parents to become involved and contribute to our school community. School Advisory Council; English Learner Acquisition Committee; PTSA; athletics coaching; and volunteering for field trips, classroom activities, and school events such as Camarillo Academic Olympics, our annual luau, Dolphin Fun Run, and Harvest Festival. We urge parents to contact the school at any time to find out about these opportunities and more!

For more information on how to become involved at the school, please contact Assistant Director Veronica Solorzano at (805) 482-4608 or ghughes@pvsd.k12.ca.us.

## School Safety

University Charter Middle School at CSU Channel Islands is committed to the safety and security of students, staff members and the community. To that end, a comprehensive plan has been developed to address various emergency situations. It is our belief that students can only thrive when they feel safe from earthquakes, bullies and emergencies. Parents and staff members work together to identify potential hazards and take preventive measures. Regular practice drills of emergency procedures make safety a routine and allow us to get on with the business of education. Earthquake, lockdown and fire drills prepare staff and students and equip them with the proper procedures to remain safe in the case of an emergency.

While teaching and practicing the importance of intrinsic rewards and motivation is very important at UCMS, we also have a program of positive reinforcement used to encourage, reward and recognize good citizenship. It must be remembered that the vast majority of students obey all school rules all the time. It is important to understand the connection between demonstrating self-discipline and the positive results of following the rules. Examples of positive-reinforcement activities in place at UCMS include:

- After-school activities
- · Student leadership
- · Recognition assemblies
- Field trips
- Leadership privileges
- Academic awards
- Renaissance Attendance Awards
- Extracurricular activities

- · Athletic programs
- School clubs
- Dolphin Club privileges (special dances, assemblies, awards)
- Club 100 membership
- Caught Being Good tickets with weekly drawings for student recognition
- · Walk to Learn token program

Rules are for the safety and well-being of everyone. Infractions of the rules will lead to certain consequences and disciplinary procedures. Listed below are the procedures that students are given and need to know:

- Loss of privileges, a session with our counselor, and/or community service will result from excessive tardies, class disruptions, incomplete work, lunch problems, etc. This may be assigned before school, at lunch or after school.
- 2. Incident reports may be written by school employees about behavior. A report usually states that the student has an attendance, behavior and/or academic problem. Minor-incident reports are handled by the classroom teacher, while reports of serious incidents, as outlined on the report form, are usually handled by the school director (principal) or designee. Referrals written for severe infractions or multiple infractions may result in higher levels of progressive discipline.
- 3. On-Campus Suspension (OCS) may be used in lieu of suspension for certain offenses. OCS is held during the school day. Assignment to OCS is made by an administrator for a period of one to five days. Students assigned OCS remain in OCS during the length of the school day, including lunch period. Restroom breaks are scheduled. When in OCS, students are expected to complete all assignments and service projects provided by teachers. School Service Projects: for truancy, unserved detention, excessive tardies, lack of respect, or are assigned at the administration's discretion.
- 4. Suspensions may occur for infractions involving Education Code, Section 48900.
- Expulsions: There are certain serious acts of misconduct for which students may be expelled from this school. This is an administrative and School Board decision and is for the most severe violations of school rules
- 6. The school safety plan was last reviewed and discussed with the school faculty in August 2015.



# Professional Development

Each year, three days of professional development are held in August, preceding the school year and student arrival. Through professional development. administrators and teachers take time to improve their teaching skills and to extend their knowledge of the subjects they teach. These days of professional development cover training and topics such as (but not limited to) testing, assessment and accountability, differentiation strategies, instructional improvement, state standards, project-based learning, English-Language Development (ELD), dual immersion, classroom management strategies and Response to Intervention (RTI). One day of professional development is held midyear, and an additional day occurs upon the conclusion of the school year. In addition, teachers meet weekly for an afternoon of staff development, which includes a variety of professional development topics and trainings that expand upon the professional development provided in August.

In addition to the professional development days provided throughout the school year, the school aims to ensure opportunities for staff to attend off-site workshops and conferences whenever possible. UCMS teachers often participate in the valuable opportunities offered by the Ventura County Office of Education, which include but are not limited to workshops reinforcing RTI models and strategies.

Teachers collaborate to implement professional-development strategies and structures during their Active Collaboration Team Time (ACTT), which takes place during the school day while students are actively learning with Specialist Team Teachers. During ACTT, teachers work in teams to review student work, track student performance, and guide and improve their instruction in the classroom.

Professional Development Days						
2013-14	5 days					
2014-15	6 days					
2015-16	5 days					



# California Standards Tests for All Students: Science (grades 5, 8 and 10)

The tables show the percentage of students in grades 5, 8 and 10 who scored at Proficient or Advanced levels (meeting or exceeding state standards) in science.

Students Scoring at Proficient or Advanced Levels					Three	-Year Data
	Unive	ersity Charte	er MS		California	
Subject	12-13	13-14	14-15	12-13	13-14	14-15
Science	64%	65%	71%	59%	60%	56%

# California Standards Tests Results by Student Group: Science (grades 5, 8 and 10)

Students Scoring at Proficient or Advanced Levels	2014-15 School Year
Group	Science
All students in the district	77%
All students at the school	71%
Male	77%
Female	65%
Black or African-American	*
American Indian or Alaska Native	*
Asian	*
Filipino	*
Hispanic or Latino	65%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	*
White	95%
Two or more races	*
Socioeconomically disadvantaged	60%
English learners	*
Students with disabilities	*
Students receiving Migrant Education services	*
Foster youth	<b>♦</b>

# California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress Results for All Students (grades 3-8 and 11)

The table below shows the percentage of students meeting or exceeding the state standards in English language arts/literacy and mathematics.

Percentage of Students Meetin	ndards 2014-15 School Year	
Subject	University Charter MS	California
English language arts/literacy	51%	44%
Mathematics	40%	33%

Scores are not shown when the number of students tested is 10 or fewer, either because the number of students tested in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

# California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress/Standardized Testing and Reporting Results

Beginning in the 2013-14 school year, the Standardized Testing and Reporting (STAR) Program was eliminated and replaced by a new set of assessments called the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP).

For the 2015 school year, the CAASSP included a mix of online and paper-pencil assessments. The online component contained the Smarter Balanced English language arts/literacy and mathematics tests. The paper-pencil science assessments of CAASPP included the California Standards Test (CST), California Modified Assessment (CMA) and California Alternate Performance Assessment (CAPA). There was also the optional Standards-based Tests in Spanish for reading/language arts.

The CST is a multiple-choice test in science for varying grade levels. The CMA is a modified assessment for students with disabilities who have an Individualized Education Plan (IEP). The CAPA is an alternate assessment for students with significant cognitive disabilities who are unable to take the CST with accommodations or modifications or the CMA with accommodations.

For more information on the CAASPP assessments, please visit www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/ca.

# CAASPP by Student Group: English Language Arts and Mathematics

The tables on the following pages display the information on student achievement at each performance level in English language arts and mathematics for the school by student groups for grades 6-8.

Levels of achievement include:

- Level 1 = Standard not met
- Level 2 = Standard nearly met
- Level 3 = Standard met
- Level 4 = Standard exceeded

Note: The number of students tested includes students who did not receive a score. However, the number of students tested is not the number that was used to calculate the performance level percentages. The performance level percentages are calculated using students with scores.

Information is not available at this time.





CAASPP Results by Student Group: English Language Arts and Mathematics - Grade 6

Students Achieving at Each Perform	nance Level					2014-15 S	chool Year
English Language Arts: Grade 6	Total	Number	Percentage		Percent Ac	hievement	
Group	Enrollment	Tested	Tested of Total Enrollment	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4
All students	87	86	98.9%	22%	38%	26%	13%
Male		40	46.0%	30%	33%	23%	13%
Female		46	52.9%	15%	43%	28%	13%
Black or African-American		3	3.4%	*	*	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native		1	1.1%	*	*	*	*
Asian		1	1.1%	*	*	*	*
Filipino		0	0.0%	*	*	*	*
Hispanic or Latino		62	71.3%	24%	45%	21%	10%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander		0	0.0%	*	*	*	*
White		18	20.7%	17%	11%	50%	22%
Two or more races		1	1.1%	*	*	*	*
Socioeconomically disadvantaged		47	54.0%	21%	49%	23%	4%
English learners		12	13.8%	25%	50%	17%	0%
Students with disabilities		1	1.1%	*	*	*	*
Students receiving Migrant Education services		0	0.0%	*	*	*	*
Foster youth		<b>♦</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	*	<b>*</b>	*
Mathematics: Grade 6							
	Total	Number	Percentage Tested of Total		Percent Ac	hievement	
Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percentage Tested of Total Enrollment	Level 1	Percent Ac	chievement Level 3	Level 4
			Tested of Total	<b>Level 1</b> 33%			<b>Level 4</b> 10%
Group	Enrollment	Tested	Tested of Total Enrollment		Level 2	Level 3	
Group All students	Enrollment	Tested 86	Tested of Total Enrollment 98.9%	33%	<b>Level 2</b> 34%	<b>Level 3</b> 23%	10%
Group All students Male	Enrollment	86 40	Tested of Total Enrollment 98.9% 46.0%	33% 35%	<b>Level 2</b> 34% 30%	23% 23%	10% 13%
Group All students Male Female	Enrollment	86 40 46	Tested of Total Enrollment 98.9% 46.0% 52.9%	33% 35% 30%	34% 30% 37%	23% 23% 24%	10% 13% 9%
Group All students Male Female Black or African-American	Enrollment	Tested  86  40  46  3	Tested of Total Enrollment  98.9%  46.0%  52.9%  3.4%	33% 35% 30%	Level 2  34%  30%  37%  ❖	23% 23% 24%	10% 13% 9%
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Group All students Male Female Black or African-American American Indian or Alaska Native Asian	Enrollment	Tested  86  40  46  3  1	Tested of Total Enrollment  98.9%  46.0%  52.9%  3.4%  1.1%	33% 35% 30% •	34% 30% 37%  *  *	23% 23% 24%  *  *	10% 13% 9% •• •
Group All students Male Female Black or African-American American Indian or Alaska Native Asian Filipino	Enrollment	Tested  86  40  46  3  1  0	Tested of Total Enrollment  98.9%  46.0%  52.9%  3.4%  1.1%  0.0%	33% 35% 30% *	2 34% 30% 37% 30%	23% 23% 24%  *  *  *	10% 13% 9%  *  *  *
Group All students Male Female Black or African-American American Indian or Alaska Native Asian Filipino Hispanic or Latino	Enrollment	Tested  86  40  46  3  1  0  62	Tested of Total Enrollment  98.9%  46.0%  52.9%  3.4%  1.1%  0.0%  71.3%	33% 35% 30%	2 34% 30% 37%	23% 23% 24%	10% 13% 9%
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Group All students Male Female Black or African-American American Indian or Alaska Native Asian Filipino Hispanic or Latino Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander White Two or more races Socioeconomically disadvantaged	Enrollment	Tested  86  40  46  3  1  1  0  62  0  18  1  47	Tested of Total Enrollment  98.9%  46.0%  52.9%  3.4%  1.1%  0.0%  71.3%  0.0%  20.7%  1.1%  54.0%	33% 35% 30%	Level 2  34%  30%  37%	23% 23% 24%	10% 13% 9%
Group All students Male Female Black or African-American American Indian or Alaska Native Asian Filipino Hispanic or Latino Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander White Two or more races Socioeconomically disadvantaged English learners	Enrollment	Tested  86  40  46  3  1  1  0  62  0  18  1  47  12	Tested of Total Enrollment  98.9%  46.0%  52.9%  3.4%  1.1%  0.0%  71.3%  0.0%  20.7%  1.1%  54.0%  13.8%	33% 35% 30%	Level 2  34%  30%  37%	23% 23% 24%	10% 13% 9%

**Level 1** = Standard not met

Level 2 = Standard nearly met

Level 3 = Standard met

Level 4 = Standard exceed

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<sup>♦</sup> Information is not available at this time.





# CAASPP Results by Student Group: English Language Arts and Mathematics - Grade 7

Students Achieving at Each Perform	nance Level					2014-15 S	chool Year
English Language Arts: Grade 7	Total	Number	Percentage		Percent Ac	hievement	
Group	Enrollment	Tested	Tested of Total Enrollment	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4
All students	72	72	100.0%	24%	22%	39%	14%
Male		35	48.6%	40%	23%	26%	9%
Female		37	51.4%	8%	22%	51%	19%
Black or African-American		2	2.8%	*	*	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native		3	4.2%	*	*	*	*
Asian		1	1.4%	*	*	*	*
Filipino		0	0.0%	*	*	*	*
Hispanic or Latino		51	70.8%	31%	22%	27%	18%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander		0	0.0%	*	*	*	*
White		14	19.4%	7%	14%	71%	7%
Two or more races		1	1.4%	*	*	*	*
Socioeconomically disadvantaged		42	58.3%	36%	29%	29%	5%
English learners		15	20.8%	73%	13%	7%	0%
Students with disabilities		3	4.2%	*	*	*	*
Students receiving Migrant Education services		0	0.0%	*	*	*	*
Foster youth		<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	*	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>
Mathematics: Grade 7	Total		Percentage		Percent Ac	hi a camant	
		Number			reiceill Ac	nievement	
Group	Enrollment	Number Tested	Tested of Total Enrollment	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4
Group All students			Tested of Total	<b>Level 1</b> 29%			<b>Level 4</b> 14%
•	Enrollment	Tested	Tested of Total Enrollment		Level 2	Level 3	
All students	Enrollment	Tested 72	Tested of Total Enrollment 100.0%	29%	<b>Level 2</b> 35%	<b>Level 3</b> 22%	14%
All students  Male	Enrollment	72 35	Tested of Total Enrollment 100.0% 48.6%	29% 34%	<b>Level 2</b> 35% 34%	<b>Level 3</b> 22% 20%	14%
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All students  Male  Female  Black or African-American  American Indian or Alaska Native  Asian  Filipino  Hispanic or Latino  Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander  White  Two or more races	Enrollment	Tested 72 35 37 2 3 1 0 51 0 14 1	Tested of Total Enrollment  100.0%  48.6%  51.4%  2.8%  4.2%  1.4%  0.0%  70.8%  0.0%  19.4%  1.4%	29% 34% 24%	Level 2  35%  34%  35%	22% 20% 24%	14% 11% 16%
All students  Male  Female  Black or African-American  American Indian or Alaska Native  Asian  Filipino  Hispanic or Latino  Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander  White  Two or more races  Socioeconomically disadvantaged	Enrollment	Tested 72 35 37 2 3 1 0 51 0 14 1 42	Tested of Total Enrollment  100.0%  48.6%  51.4%  2.8%  4.2%  1.4%  0.0%  70.8%  0.0%  19.4%  1.4%  58.3%	29% 34% 24%	Level 2  35%  34%  35%	22% 20% 24%  \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	14% 11% 16%
All students  Male  Female  Black or African-American  American Indian or Alaska Native  Asian  Filipino  Hispanic or Latino  Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander  White  Two or more races  Socioeconomically disadvantaged  English learners	Enrollment	Tested 72 35 37 2 3 1 0 51 0 14 1 42 15	Tested of Total Enrollment  100.0%  48.6%  51.4%  2.8%  4.2%  1.4%  0.0%  70.8%  0.0%  19.4%  1.4%  58.3%  20.8%	29% 34% 24%	Level 2  35%  34%  35%	Level 3  22%  20%  24%	14% 11% 16%

**Level 1** = Standard not met

Level 2 = Standard nearly met

Level 3 = Standard met

Level 4 = Standard exceed

Scores are not shown when the number of students tested is 10 or fewer, either because the number of students tested in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

<sup>♦</sup> Information is not available at this time.



# CAASPP Results by Student Group: English Language Arts and Mathematics - Grade 8

Students Achieving at Each Perform	nance Level					2014-15 S	chool Year
English Language Arts: Grade 8	Total	Number	Percentage		Percent Achievement		
Group	Enrollment	Tested	Tested of Total Enrollment	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4
All students	89	89	100.0%	15%	22%	46%	17%
Male		47	52.8%	15%	26%	38%	21%
Female		42	47.2%	14%	19%	55%	12%
Black or African-American		3	3.4%	*	*	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native		2	2.2%	*	*	*	*
Asian		1	1.1%	*	*	*	*
Filipino		1	1.1%	*	*	*	*
Hispanic or Latino		60	67.4%	18%	28%	40%	13%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander		0	0.0%	*	*	*	*
White		20	22.5%	0%	10%	55%	35%
Two or more races		2	2.2%	*	*	*	*
Socioeconomically disadvantaged		42	47.2%	17%	36%	40%	7%
English learners		8	9.0%	*	*	*	*
Students with disabilities		3	3.4%	*	*	*	*
Students receiving Migrant Education services		0	0.0%	*	*	*	*
Foster youth		<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>
Mathematics: Grade 8	Total	Number	Percentage Tested of Total		Percent Ac	hievement	
Group	Enrollment	Tested	Enrollment	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4
All students	89	89	100.0%	20%	29%	25%	26%
Male		47	52.8%	23%	28%	28%	21%
Female							
Black or African-American		42	47.2%	17%	31%	21%	31%
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American Indian or Alaska Native							
		3	3.4%	*	*	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native		3 2	3.4%	*	*	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native Asian		3 2 1	3.4% 2.2% 1.1%	* *	* *	*	* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
American Indian or Alaska Native Asian Filipino		3 2 1	3.4% 2.2% 1.1% 1.1%	*	* * * * *	*	* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
American Indian or Alaska Native Asian Filipino Hispanic or Latino		3 2 1 1 60	3.4% 2.2% 1.1% 1.1% 67.4%	*	*	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native  Asian  Filipino  Hispanic or Latino  Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander		3 2 1 1 60 0	3.4% 2.2% 1.1% 1.1% 67.4% 0.0%	*	*	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native  Asian  Filipino  Hispanic or Latino  Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander  White		3 2 1 1 60 0 20	3.4% 2.2% 1.1% 1.1% 67.4% 0.0% 22.5%	*	*	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native  Asian  Filipino  Hispanic or Latino  Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander  White  Two or more races		3 2 1 1 60 0 20 2	3.4% 2.2% 1.1% 1.1% 67.4% 0.0% 22.5% 2.2%	*  *  *  27%  *  5%  *	*	*	*  *  *  15%  *  60%
American Indian or Alaska Native  Asian  Filipino  Hispanic or Latino  Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander  White  Two or more races  Socioeconomically disadvantaged		3 2 1 1 60 0 20 2 42	3.4% 2.2% 1.1% 1.1% 67.4% 0.0% 22.5% 2.2% 47.2%	*  *  27%  *  5%  4  24%	*	*	*  *  *  15%  60%  14%
American Indian or Alaska Native  Asian  Filipino  Hispanic or Latino  Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander  White  Two or more races  Socioeconomically disadvantaged  English learners		3 2 1 1 60 0 20 2 42 8	3.4% 2.2% 1.1% 1.1% 67.4% 0.0% 22.5% 2.2% 47.2% 9.0%	*  *  27%  *  5%  4  24%  *	*	*	*  *  *  15%  60%  14%  *

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Level 3 = Standard met

Level 4 = Standard exceeds

Scores are not shown when the number of students tested is 10 or fewer, either because the number of students tested in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

<sup>♦</sup> Information is not available at this time.

### Textbooks and Instructional Materials

UCMS selects textbooks from a list of state-approved options. Teachers also develop lessons based on the California state standards by utilizing the most effective and appropriate supplemental materials to maximize learning opportunities for all students. To find a list of the state standards, please visit the California Department of Education website. All students are assigned textbooks for all relevant subjects and may request a book for use at home.

Textbooks are adopted from the most recent state-approved list and are consistent with the content and cycles of the curriculum frameworks adopted by the State Board of Education.

Textbooks and Ins	5-16 School Year	
Subject	Textbook	Adopted
English language arts	Pearson/Prentice Hall	2007
Mathematics	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	2014
Science	Pearson/Prentice Hall	2007
History/social science	Pearson/Prentice Hall	2007

# Quality of Textbooks

The following table outlines the criteria required for choosing textbooks and instructional materials.

Quality of Textbooks	2015-16 School Year
Criteria	Yes/No
Are the textbooks adopted from the most recent state-approved or local governing-board-approved list?	Yes
Are the textbooks consistent with the content and cycles of the curriculum frameworks adopted by the State Board of Education?	Yes
Do all students, including English learners, have access to their own textboo and instructional materials to use in class and to take home?	ks Yes

# Adequate Yearly Progress

Adequate Yearly Progress Crite	2014-15 School Year	
	University Charter MS	California
Met overall AYP	Yes	Yes
Met participation rate:		
English language arts	Yes	Yes
Mathematics	Yes	Yes
Met percent proficient:		
English language arts	•	
Mathematics	•	
Met attendance rates	Yes	Yes
Met graduation rate	0	Yes

<sup>■</sup> Not applicable. Due to the transition to the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments, the U.S. Department of Education approved the California Department of Education's waiver request to exclude the percent proficient results from AYP determinations. For more information on the AYP reports, please visit http://data1.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/.

# Availability of Textbooks and Instructional Materials

The following lists the percentage of pupils who lack their own assigned textbooks and instructional materials.

## Percentage of Students Lacking Materials by Subject

Lacking Materials by Subject		
2015-16 School Year		
Reading/language arts	0%	
Mathematics 0%		
Science 0%		
History/social science 0%		
Visual and performing arts 0%		
Foreign language 0%		
Health	0%	



# Adequate Yearly Progress

The federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) requires all schools and districts meet Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) requirements. California public schools and districts are required to meet or exceed criteria in the following four target areas:

- Participation rate on statewide assessments in English language arts and mathematics
- Percentage of students scoring proficient on statewide assessments in English language arts and mathematics
- Attendance rates for schools with enrollment in Transitional Kindergarten through grade eight (TK-8)
- · Graduation rate for high schools

The table displays whether or not the school, district, and state met each of the AYP criteria and made overall AYP for 2014-15. For more information, visit www. cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/ay.

<sup>•</sup> Not applicable. This AYP indicator is only applicable for high schools.



## School Facility Items Inspected

The table shows the results of the school's most recent inspection using the Facility Inspection Tool (FIT) or equivalent school form. The following is a list of items inspected.

- Systems: Gas systems and pipes, sewer, mechanical systems (heating, ventilation and air-conditioning)
- Interior: Interior surfaces (floors, ceilings, walls and window casings)
- Cleanliness: Pest/vermin control, overall cleanliness (school grounds, buildings, rooms and common areas)
- Electrical: Electrical systems (interior and exterior)

- Restrooms/fountains: Restrooms, sinks and drinking fountains (interior and exterior)
- Safety: Fire-safety equipment, emergency systems, hazardous materials (interior and exterior)
- Structural: Structural condition, roofs
- External: Windows/doors/gates/fences, playgrounds/school grounds

## School Facility Good Repair Status

This inspection determines the school facility's good repair status using ratings of good condition, fair condition or poor condition. The overall summary of facility conditions uses ratings of exemplary, good, fair or poor. At the time of this school facility inspection, no deficiencies were found.

School Facility Good Repair Status 2015-16			6 School Year
Items Inspected	Repair Status	Items Inspected	Repair Status
Systems	Good	Restrooms/fountains	Good
Interior	Good	Safety	Good
Cleanliness	Good	Structural	Good
Electrical	Good	External	Good
Overall summary of facility conditions			Exemplary
Date of the most recent school site inspection			2/19/2015
Date of the most recent completion of the inspection form			2/19/2015

## Deficiencies and Repairs

The table lists the repairs required for all deficiencies found during the site inspection. Regardless of each item's repair status, all deficiencies are listed.

Deficiencies and	Repairs	2015-16 School Year
Items Inspected	Deficiencies, Action Taken or Planned, and Date o	f Action
Electrical	Raceway cover missing from boys' locker room coar possible electric-shock hazard. (Repaired February Wires exposed due to damaged junction box on light school. Damaged junction box replaced. (Repaired	y 2015) nt pole in front of the
Restrooms/fountains	After removal of water fountain in boys' locker room, out of the wall into the main pathway. The pipe was as close to the wall as possible. (Repaired March 20	removed and recapped
Safety	Fire extinguishers in Room A7 and the cafeteria nee along normal path of travel no more than 5 feet from March 2015)	

#### Public Internet Access

Internet access is available at public libraries and other locations that are publicly accessible (e.g., the California State Library). Access to the Internet at libraries and public locations is generally provided on a first-come, first-serve basis. Other use restrictions include the hours of operation, the length of time that a workstation may be used (depending on availability), the types of software programs available at a workstation and the ability to print documents.

### **School Facilities**

University Charter Middle School at CSU Channel Islands is a working and learning environment for students and staff that reflects the standards of both our school and our community. In addition, necessary repairs and maintenance are continuously being done to ensure a safe facility. As responsible members of the community, we take pride in our school environment by maintaining a clean and well-groomed campus.

UCMS is currently housed on the Los Altos Campus located at 700 Temple Avenue in Camarillo. We utilize 13 classrooms, including a fully equipped computer lab and a new fully equipped science lab. UCMS also has a gymnasium, athletics field, library and two art classrooms.

This campus is regularly maintained and is in good condition. The school is cleaned daily by a team that consists of a cleaning crew and an on-site custodian who works 4.75 hours per day. The cleaning crew cleans in the evenings after school hours, and the custodian is here to clean and do day-to-day maintenance during school hours.

Campus supervisors, teachers, and school administration supervise common areas before school, after school, during lunchtime, nutrition break, and passing periods. School staff works collaboratively with the school resource officer who works with all Camarillo schools and is provided by the Ventura County Sheriff's Office to ensure the safety of all students and staff.

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# Suspensions and Expulsions

This table shows the school and state suspension and expulsion rates for the most recent three-year period. Note: Students are only counted one time, regardless of the number of suspensions.

Suspension and Expulsion Rates				
Univer	sity Cha	rter MS		
	12-13	13-14	14-15	
Suspension rates	8.0%	9.8%	2.3%	
Expulsion rates	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
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12-13 13-14 14-15				
Suspension rates	5.1%	4.4%	3.8%	
Expulsion rates	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	



#### Teacher Qualifications

This table shows information about teacher credentials and teacher qualifications. Teachers without a full credential include teachers with district and university internships, pre-internships, emergency or other permits, and waivers. For more information on teacher credentials, visit www.ctc.ca.gov.

Teacher Credential Information	Three-Year Data		
	University Charter MS		
Teachers	13-14	14-15	15-16
With full credential	12	12	12
Without full credential	0	0	0
Teaching outside subject area of competence (with full credential)	0	0	0

# Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions

This table displays the number of teacher misassignments (positions filled by teachers who lack legal authorization to teach that grade level, subject area, student group, etc.) 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). Please note total teacher misassignments includes the number of teacher misassignments of English learners.

Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions		Three-Year Data	
	University Charter MS		
Teachers	13-14	14-15	15-16
Teacher misassignments of English learners	0	0	0
Total teacher misassignments	0	0	0
Vacant teacher positions	0	0	0

# Core Academic Classes Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers

The No Child Left Behind Act (NCLB) extended the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) to require that core academic subjects be taught by "highly qualified" teachers, defined as having at least a bachelor's degree, an appropriate California teaching credential, and demonstrated competence for each core academic subject area he or she teaches. The table displays data regarding highly qualified teachers from the 2014-15 school year.

High-poverty schools are defined as those schools with student participation of approximately 40 percent or more in the free and reduced-priced meals program. Low-poverty schools are those with student participation of approximately 39 percent or less in the free and reduced-priced meals program. For more information on teacher qualifications related to NCLB, visit www.cde.ca.gov/nclb/sr/tq.

No Child Left Behind Compli	2014-15 School Year		
	Percentage of Classes in Core Academic Subjects		
	Taught by Highly  Qualified Teachers  Not Taught by Highly  Qualified Teachers		
University Charter MS	100.00%	0.00%	
All schools in district	94.68%	5.32%	
High-poverty schools in district	97.86%	2.14%	
Low-poverty schools in district	93.79%	6.21%	

# Academic Counselors and School Support Staff

This table displays information about academic counselors and support staff at the school and their full-time equivalent (FTE).

Academic Counselors and School Support Staff Data	
2014-15 School Year	
Academic Counselors	
FTE of academic counselors	0.0
Average number of students per academic counselor	<b>*</b>
Support Staff	FTE
Social/behavioral or career development counselors	0.30
Library media teacher (librarian)	0.00
Library media services staff (paraprofessional)	0.00
Psychologist	0.25
Social worker	0.00
Nurse	0.06
Speech/language/hearing specialist	0.25
Resource specialist (nonteaching)	1.00

# Types of Services Funded

Like other public schools. University Charter Middle School at CSUCI receives per-student allocation from the state. In addition, the school receives certain categorical funding based on the number of low-income students and English learner students. UCMS spends the majority of allocated funds on teacher salaries and benefits, classroom support, and textbooks, all of which directly relate to classroom instruction. Our hardworking and dedicated PTSA raises funds to help support field trips, assemblies and various student activities. Through categorical funding (Title I) and Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF), UCMS is able to provide additional instruction and interventions and support for English learners and low-income students. The school provided three sessions of intervention during the instructional day and also employs hourly teachers to provide intervention services after school.

# Federal Intervention Program

Federal Intervention Program	2015-16 School Year
	University Charter MS
Program Improvement status	In PI
First year of Program Improvement	2009-2010
Year in Program Improvement	Year 5

#### Financial Data

The financial data displayed in this SARC is from the 2013-14 fiscal year. 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. For detailed information on school expenditures for all districts in California, see the California Department of Education (CDE) Current Expense of Education & Per-pupil Spending Web page at www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/ec. For information on teacher salaries for all districts in California, see the CDE Certificated Salaries & Benefits Web page at www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs. To look up expenditures and salaries for a specific school district, see the Ed-Data website at www.ed-data.org.

## School Financial Data

The following table displays the school's average teacher salary and a breakdown of the school's expenditures per pupil from unrestricted and restricted sources.

School Financial Data	2013-14 School Year
	University Charter MS
Total expenditures per pupil	\$6,841
Expenditures per pupil from restricted sources	\$158
Expenditures per pupil from unrestricted sources	\$6,683
Annual average teacher salary	\$63,858

# Financial Data Comparison

This table displays the school's per-pupil expenditures from unrestricted sources and the school's average teacher salary and compares it to the state data.

Financial Data Comparison		2013-14 Fiscal Year
	Expenditures Per Pupil From Unrestricted Sources	Annual Average Teacher Salary
University Charter MS	\$6,683	\$63,858
California	\$5,348	\$72,993
School and California: percentage difference	+25.0%	-12.5%

# Data for this year's SARC was provided by the California Department of Education (CDE), school and district offices. For additional information on California schools and districts and comparisons of the school to the district, the county and the state, please visit DataQuest at http://datat.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. Per Education Code Section 35256, each school district shall make hard copies of its annually updated report card available, upon request, on or before February 1 of each year.

#### All data accurate as of December 2015.

# Federal Intervention Program

Schools and districts receiving Title I funding that fail to meet AYP over two consecutive years in the same content area (English language arts or mathematics) or on the same indicator enter into Program Improvement (PI). Each additional year that the district or school(s) do not meet AYP results in advancement to the next level of intervention. The percentage of schools identified for Program Improvement is calculated by taking the number of schools currently in PI within the district and dividing it by the total number of Title I schools within the district.

This table displays the 2015-16 Program Improvement status for the school and district. For detailed information about PI identification, please visit www.cde. ca.gov/ta/ac/ay/tidetermine.asp.



# Expenditures Per Pupil

Supplemental/restricted expenditures come from money whose use is controlled by law or by a donor. Money that is designated for specific purposes by the district or governing board is not considered restricted. Basic/unrestricted expenditures are from money whose use, except for general guidelines, is not controlled by law or by a donor.

School Accountability Report Card

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The tables below outline the state priority areas that are included in the School Accountability Report Card.

## Conditions of Learning

The table below describes information in the SARC that is relevant to the Basic State Priority (Priority 1).

# Local Control Accountability Plan Requirements

Alignment Between State Priority Areas and the SARC

#### **Conditions of Learning**

#### State Priority: Basic

Degree to which teachers are appropriately assigned and fully credentialed in the subject area and for the pupils they are teaching. Education Code (EC) § 52060 (d)(1)

Pupils have access to standards-aligned instructional materials. EC § 52060 (d)(1)

School facilities are maintained in good repair. EC § 52060 (d)(1)

#### **Pupil Outcomes**

The table below describes information in the SARC that is relevant to Pupil Achievement State Priority (Priority 4) and Other Pupil Outcomes State Priority (Priority 8).

# Local Control Accountability Plan Requirements

Alignment Between State Priority Areas and the SARC

#### **Pupil Outcomes**

#### State Priority: Pupil Achievements

Statewide assessments (e.g., California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress). EC § 52060 (d)(4)(A)

The Academic Performance Index. EC § 52060 (d)(4)(B)

The percentage of pupils who have successfully completed courses that satisfy the requirements for entrance to the University of California and California State University, or career technical education sequences or programs of study. EC § 52060 (d)(4)(C)

#### **State Priority: Other Pupil Outcomes**

Pupil outcomes in subject areas such as English, mathematics, social sciences, science, visual and performing arts, health, physical education, career technical education, and other studies prescribed by the governing board.<sup>1</sup> EC § 52060 (d)(8)

## Engagement

The table below describes information in the SARC that is relevant to the Parental Involvement State Priority (Priority 3), Pupil Engagement State Priority (Priority 5) and School Climate State Priority (Priority 6).

#### Local Control Accountability Plan Requirements

Alignment Between State Priority Areas and the SARC

#### **Engagement**

#### **State Priority: Parent Involvement**

Efforts the school district makes to seek parent input in making decisions for the school district and each school site. EC § 52060 (d)(3)

#### State Priority: Pupil Engagement

High school dropout rates. EC § 52060 (d)(5)(D)

High school graduation rates. EC § 52060 (d)(5)(E)

asked questions, please visit www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/lc/lcfffaq.asp.

#### State Priority: School Climate

Pupil suspension rates. EC § 52060 (d)(6)(A)

Pupil expulsion rates. EC § 52060 (d)(6)(B)

Other local measures including surveys of students, parents and teachers on the sense of safety and school connectedness.<sup>2</sup> EC § 52060 (d)(6)(C)

Note: State Priority 2 and 7 are not required in the SARC, as well as certain portions of Priority 4 and 5. For detailed information about LCAP and frequently

English, mathematics and physical education are the only subject areas included in Other Pupil Outcomes (Priority 8) that are reflected in the SARC.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The school safety plan is the only other local measure of School Climate (Priority 6) that is reflected in the SARC.