

School Accountability Report Card Reported for School Year 2009-10 Published During 2010-11

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 on the California Department of Education (CDE) SARC Web page 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.

I. Data and Access

DataQuest

DataQuest is an online data tool located on the CDE DataQuest Web page at <http://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/> that contains additional information about this school and comparisons of the school to the district, the county, and the state. Specifically, DataQuest is a dynamic system that provides reports for accountability (e.g. Academic Performance Index [API], Adequate Yearly Progress [AYP], test data, enrollment, graduates, dropouts, course enrollments, staffing, and data regarding English learners).

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-served 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 on a workstation, and the ability to print documents.

II. About This School

Contact Information (School Year 2010-11)

This section provides the school's contact information.

School		District	
School Name	Briones Alternative School	District Name	Martinez Unified School District
Street	614 F St.,	Phone Number	(925) 335-5800
City, State, Zip	Martinez, CA 94553	Web Site	www.martinez.k12.ca.us
Phone Number	925-228-9232	Superintendent	Rami Muth
Principal	Carol Adams	E-mail Address	scasey@martinez.k12.ca.us
E-mail Address	cadams@martinez.k12.ca.us	CDS Code	07617390730473

School Description and Mission Statement (School Year 2009-10)

This section provides information about the school, its programs and its goals.

Martinez, a small city of 38,000 residents, serves as the county seat for Contra Costa County. The Martinez community is a middle-income suburb of the greater San Francisco Bay area with a rich local history. Many of the names associated with the community echo the city's proud past: Ygnacio Martinez, first settler of the area; Joe Di Maggio, Hall of Fame baseball player; John Muir, father of the National Park System, and, John Swett, father of California's public education system. Martinez has a rich history of community support as evidenced by the four-school bond measures passed in the last 10 years. A well-established education foundation provides tens of thousands of dollars to teachers and programs designed to improve instruction. Local businesses and industries also provide fiscal and volunteer support for schools.

Message From Principal

Dear Parents and Guardians:

Welcome to Briones Independent Study! Briones is a fully accredited, standards-based alternative school within the Martinez Unified School District. Briones Independent Study provides an educational option that fosters students' academic growth, intellectual curiosity, critical thinking, and problem solving skills. We focus on the success of each student and provide all students with individualized learning plans and tailored instruction which takes into account diverse needs, individual learning styles and interests. Briones teachers are participating as a professional learning community and ongoing professional development. Teachers work together to share lessons as well as effective teaching strategies. There is a school-wide focus on developing academic language and writing skills for students. Teachers collaborate and share best practices to create a learning environment where all students are supported to reach their academic potential.

Within Briones is an academy program called The New Leaf Collaborative. Within the New Leaf program, there are two classes. This program is supported by a grant from the Contra Costa County Mental Health Department. Through the funding from the grant, students have counseling services available as well as internship opportunities within the community. The internships are matched with each student's career interest. The New Leaf Collaborative's two classes are the Environmental Studies Academy (ESA) and the Green House Academy. The Green House Academy is funded through the mental health grant, but is part of Vicente High School and has a mandatory daily attendance requirement. These programs emphasize place-based and project-based learning in a highly supportive small group environment. ESA's activities include student eco-literacy teams that work with local elementary classes teaching students lesson about the environment and conservation; creek and wetland restoration, and native plant revegetation, environmental community activism. The Green House Academy has a health and human services focus. The four primary areas of career preparation are in medicine, emergency response, wellness/nutrition, and social services. The New Leaf Collaborative strives to create socially-empowered agents of change who work through service education and outreach in the community. Students in ESA are also required to complete independent study work at home to fulfill graduation requirements. Currently, the teacher student ratio is 1:24.

Opportunities for Parental Involvement (School Year 2009-10)

This section provides information about opportunities for parents to become involved with school activities.

Parents are invited to participate in a Parent Orientation in August with the principal, the Festival of Thanks in November, field trips, and site council. In addition, parents are invited to participate on the WASC Committee. For additional information about organized opportunities for parent involvement at Briones (Alternative), please contact Sylvia Juslin at 925-228-9232 Ext. 291.

Student Enrollment by Grade Level (School Year 2009-10)

This table displays the number of students enrolled in each grade level at the school.

Grade Level	Number of Students
Kindergarten	0
Grade 1	0
Grade 2	1
Grade 3	1
Grade 4	0
Grade 5	1
Grade 6	0
Grade 7	2
Grade 8	1
Grade 9	5
Grade 10	14
Grade 11	21
Grade 12	44
Total Enrollment	90

Student Enrollment by Group (School Year 2009-10)

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
Black or African American	3	White	57
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	Two or More Races	
Asian	1.11	Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	27
Filipino		English Learners	3
Hispanic or Latino	30	Students with Disabilities	3
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1.11		

III. School Climate

School Safety Plan (School Year 2009-10)

This section provides information about the school's comprehensive safety plan.

Briones has an up-to-date site safety plan that is distributed to staff and part of the Single Schoolwide Plan for Student Achievement. The school conducts emergency drills (including fire, earthquake, shelter-in-place, bomb threat, and hostile intruder drills) and participates in the Contra Costa Emergency Response team, as well as works regularly with Martinez Police Department in reviewing emergency and drill protocols. Briones has a Comprehensive School Safety Plan as required by the Department of Education that is updated annually. Date of Last Review/Update: October, 2010 Date Last Reviewed with Staff: October, 2010

Suspensions and Expulsions

This table displays the rate of suspensions and expulsions (the total number of incidents divided by the total enrollment) at the school and district levels for the most recent three-year period.

Rate	School			District		
	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10
Suspensions	4.3	0.0	.02	7.8	9.1	7.1
Expulsions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.1

IV. School Facilities

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements (School Year 2010-11)

This section provides information about the condition of the school's grounds, buildings, and restrooms based on the most recent data available, and a description of any planned or recently completed facility improvements.

Briones school is a small facility nestled along Alhambra Creek, within the extensive Martinez Adult School complex. The Briones School facility consists of a large classroom divided into numerous cubicles, plus two smaller storerooms and an office shared with Vicente Martinez High School. In addition, Briones utilizes two large classrooms for its Environmental Studies Academy and Green House Academy. Each teacher center has a telephone and network access, as does the adjacent student area. Each teacher has a separate phone line, GroupWise office communication software, and the Aeries student attendance and management system.

School Facility Good Repair Status (School Year 2010-11)

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

System Inspected	Repair Status				Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
	Exemplary	Good	Fair	Poor	
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	[]	[X]	[]	[]	
Interior: Interior Surfaces	[]	[]	[X]	[]	

System Inspected	Repair Status				Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
	Exemplary	Good	Fair	Poor	
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/ Vermin Infestation	[X]	[]	[]	[]	
Electrical: Electrical	[]	[X]	[]	[]	
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	[]	[X]	[]	[]	
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	[]	[X]	[]	[]	
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	[]	[X]	[]	[]	
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	[]	[X]	[]	[]	
Overall Rating	[]	[X]	[]	[]	

V. 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 on the CDE DataQuest Web page at <http://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/>.

Teachers	School			District
	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2009-10
With Full Credential	4	4	4	203
Without Full Credential	0	0	0	1
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	0	0	0	---

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	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners	0	0	0
Total Teacher Misassignments	0	0	0
Vacant Teacher Positions	0	0	0

Core Academic Classes Taught by No Child Left Behind Compliant Teachers (School Year 2009-10)

This table displays the percent of classes in core academic subjects taught by No Child Left Behind (NCLB) compliant and non-NCLB compliant teachers in the school, in all schools in the district, in high-poverty schools in the district, and in low-poverty schools in the district. High poverty schools are defined as those schools with student participation of approximately 75 percent or more in the free and reduced price meals program. Low poverty schools are those with student participation of approximately 25 percent or less in the free and reduced price meals program. More information on teacher qualifications required under NCLB can be found on the CDE Improving Teacher and Principal Quality Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/nclb/sr/tq/>.

Location of Classes	Percent of Classes In Core Academic Subjects Taught by	
	NCLB Compliant Teachers	Non-NCLB Compliant Teachers
This School	100	0
All Schools in District	99.8	.2
High-Poverty Schools in District	100	0
Low-Poverty Schools in District	99.8	.2

VI. Support Staff

Academic Counselors and Other Support Staff (School Year 2009-10)

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	Average Number of Students per Academic Counselor
Academic Counselor		
Counselor (Social/Behavioral or Career Development)		---
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)		---
Library Media Services Staff (paraprofessional)		---
Psychologist		---
Social Worker		---
Nurse		---
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist		---
Resource Specialist (non-teaching)		---
Other		---

VII. Curriculum and Instructional Materials

Quality, Currency, Availability of Textbooks and Instructional Materials (School Year 2010-11)

This table displays information about the quality, currency, and availability of the standards-aligned textbooks and other instructional materials used at the school; whether the textbooks and instructional materials are from the most recent adoption (yes/no); and information about the school's use of any supplemental curriculum or non-adopted textbooks or instructional materials.

Textbooks used in Briones are the district adopted material that are standards aligned. New textbooks and supplemental materials are ordered as needed for specific grade levels or when there is a new textbook adoption.

Core Curriculum Area	Quality, Currency, and Availability of Textbooks and Instructional Materials	Percent of Pupils Who Lack Their Own Assigned Textbooks and Instructional Materials	Most Recent SBE or Local Governing Agency Approved Textbooks and Instructional Materials
Reading/Language Arts	The availability and sufficiency of English Language Arts textbooks meets the expectations established in the Williams Settlement. The instructional materials are current and consistent with the instructional materials cycle adopted by the State Board of Education.	0	Yes

Core Curriculum Area	Quality, Currency, and Availability of Textbooks and Instructional Materials	Percent of Pupils Who Lack Their Own Assigned Textbooks and Instructional Materials	Most Recent SBE or Local Governing Agency Approved Textbooks and Instructional Materials
Mathematics	The availability and sufficiency of Mathematics textbooks meets the expectations established in the Williams Settlement. The instructional materials are current and consistent with the instructional materials cycle adopted by the State Board of Education.	0	Yes
Science	The availability and sufficiency of Science textbooks meets the expectations established in the Williams Settlement. The instructional materials are current and consistent with the instructional materials cycle adopted by the State Board of Education.	0	Yes
History-Social Science	The availability and sufficiency of History/Social Science textbooks meets the expectations established in the Williams Settlement. The instructional materials are current and consistent with the instructional materials cycle adopted by the State Board of Education	0	Yes
Foreign Language	The availability and sufficiency of Foreign Language textbooks meets the expectations established in the Williams Settlement. The instructional materials are current and consistent with the instructional materials cycle adopted by the State Board of Education.	0	Yes
Health	The availability and sufficiency of Health textbooks meets the expectations established in the Williams Settlement. The instructional materials are current and consistent with the instructional materials cycle adopted by the State Board of Education	0	Yes
Visual and Performing Arts			
Science Laboratory Equipment (grades 9-12)	The availability and sufficiency of Science Laboratory Equipment meets the expectations established in the Williams Settlement. The instructional materials are current and consistent with the instructional materials cycle adopted by the State Board of Education.	0	Yes

VIII. School Finances

Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries (Fiscal Year 2008-09)

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 can be found on the CDE Current Expense of Education & Per-pupil Spending Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/ec/> and teacher salaries can be found on the CDE Certificated Salaries & Benefits Web page at <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	\$6,126	\$2,252	\$3,874	\$62,616
District	---	---	\$4,640	\$62,381
Percent Difference: School Site and District	---	---	-25.9	-1.2
State	---	---	\$5,681	\$61,706
Percent Difference: School Site and State	---	---	-25.1	0.05

Types of Services Funded (Fiscal Year 2009-10)

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

Briones Independent Study receives services funded by the following sources: SIP funding; Martinez Education Foundation; Mental Health Grant, CAHSEE intervention; and other local grants (teacher and/or school wide grants to support improved student learning.)

Teacher and Administrative Salaries (Fiscal Year 2008-09)

This table displays district salaries 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 based on the salary schedule. Detailed information regarding salaries may be found on the CDE Certificated Salaries & Benefits Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/>.

Category	District Amount	State Average For Districts In Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	38,966	\$38,970
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$57,853	\$59,776
Highest Teacher Salary	\$74,901	\$78,072
Average Principal Salary (Elementary)	96,773	\$94,605
Average Principal Salary (Middle)	98,037	\$98,480
Average Principal Salary (High)	\$111,461	\$106,266
Superintendent Salary	141,780	\$144,721
Percent of Budget for Teacher Salaries	43.6	38.8
Percent of Budget for Administrative Salaries	5	6.0

IX. Student Performance

Standardized Testing and Reporting Program

The Standardized Testing and Reporting (STAR) Program consists of several key components, including the California Standards Tests (CSTs); the California Modified Assessment (CMA), and the California Alternate Performance Assessment (CAPA). The CSTs show how well students are doing in relation to the state content standards. The CSTs include English-language arts (ELA) and mathematics in grades two through eleven; science in grades five, eight, and nine through eleven; and history-social science in grades eight, and ten through eleven. The CAPA includes ELA, mathematics in grades two through eleven, and science for grades five, eight, and ten. The CAPA is given to those students with significant cognitive disabilities whose disabilities prevent them from taking either the CSTs with accommodations or modifications or the CMA with accommodations. The CMA includes ELA for grades three through eight and science in grades five and eight and is an alternate assessment that is based on modified achievement standards. The CMA is designed to assess those students whose disabilities preclude them from achieving grade-level proficiency on an assessment of the California content standards with or without accommodations. Student scores are reported as performance levels. Detailed information regarding the STAR Program results for each grade and performance level, including the percent of students not tested, can be found on the CDE Standardized Testing and Reporting (STAR) Results Web site at <http://star.cde.ca.gov>. Program information regarding the STAR Program can be found in the Explaining 2009 STAR Program Summary Results to the Public guide at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/sr/documents/pkt5intrpts09.pdf>.

Note: Scores are not shown 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. In no case shall any group score be reported that would deliberately or inadvertently make public the score or performance of any individual student.

Standardized Testing and Reporting 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		
	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10
English-Language Arts	43	30	30	57	62	62	46	50	52
Mathematics	9	12	12	52	62	62	43	46	48
Science	26	18	18	58	63	63	46	50	54
History-Social Science	20	21	21	42	53	53	36	41	44

Standardized Testing and Reporting 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
All Students in the LEA				
All Student at the School	30	12	18	21
Male	38	9	17	30
Female	23	14	19	12
Black or African American				
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian				
Filipino				
Hispanic or Latino	43	*	*	*
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander				
White	27	11	19	24
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	30	0	*	14
English Learners	*	*		*
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	*
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services				

California High School Exit Examination

The California High School Exit Examination (CAHSEE) is primarily used as a graduation requirement. However, the grade ten results of this exam are also used to establish the percentages of students at three proficiency levels (not proficient, proficient, or advanced) in ELA and mathematics in order to compute Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) designations as required by the federal NCLB Act of 2001. Detailed information regarding CAHSEE results can be found at the CDE California High School Exit Examination (CAHSEE) Web site at <http://cahsee.cde.ca.gov/>. *Note: Scores are not shown 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. In no case shall any group score be reported that would deliberately or inadvertently make public the score or performance of any individual student.*

California High School Exit Examination Results for All Students – Three-Year Comparison

This table displays the percent of students achieving at the Proficient or Advanced level in ELA and mathematics.

Subject	School			District			State		
	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10
English-Language Arts	*	72.7	63	67.2	66.2	71.6	52.9	52.0	54
Mathematics	*	*		64.5	63.9	64.4	51.3	53.3	53.4

California High School Exit Examination Grade Ten Results by Student Group – Most Recent Year

This table displays the percent of students, by group, achieving at each performance level in ELA and mathematics for the most recent testing period.

Group	English-Language Arts			Mathematics		
	Not Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Not Proficient	Proficient	Advanced
All Students in the LEA						
All Students at the School		63				
Male	*	*	*	*	*	*
Female	*	*	*	*	*	*
Black or African American	*	*	*	*	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	*	*	*	*	*	*
Filipino	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic or Latino	*	*	*	*	*	*
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*
White	*	*	*	*	*	*
Two or More Races						
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	*	*	*	*	*	*
English Learners	*	*	*	*	*	*
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	*	*	*
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	*	*	*	*	*	*

California Physical Fitness Test Results (School Year 2009-10)

The California Physical Fitness Test is administered to students in grades five, seven, and nine only. This table displays by grade level the percent of students meeting the 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 on the CDE Physical Fitness Testing Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/pf/>. *Note: Scores are not shown 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. In no case shall any group score be reported that would deliberately or inadvertently make public the score or performance of any individual student.*

Grade Level	Percent of Students Meeting Fitness Standards		
	Four of Six Standards	Five of Six Standards	Six of Six Standards
5	*	*	*
7	*	*	*
9	*	*	*

X. 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 Academic Performance Index (API) Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/ap/>.

Academic Performance Index 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 ten percent of all schools in the state, while a statewide rank of 10 means that the school has an API score in the highest ten 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 ten 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	2007	2008	2009
Statewide	B *	B *	B *
Similar Schools	B	B	B

Academic Performance Index Growth 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		
	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10
All Students at the School	86	-97	72
Black or African American			
American Indian or Alaska Native			
Asian			
Filipino			
Hispanic or Latino			
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander			
White			
Two or More Races			
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged			
English Learners			
Students with Disabilities			

Academic Performance Index Growth by Student Group – 2010 Growth API Comparison

This table displays, by student group, the Growth API at the school, LEA, and state level.

Group	2010 Growth API		
	School	LEA	State
All Students at the School	628	819	767
Black or African American			686
American Indian or Alaska Native			728
Asian			890
Filipino			851
Hispanic or Latino		765	715
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander			753
White		841	838
Two or More Races		764	808
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged		737	712
English Learners		718	692
Students with Disabilities		600	580

Adequate Yearly Progress

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

- Participation rate on the state's standards-based assessments in ELA and mathematics
- Percent proficient on the state's standards-based assessments in ELA and mathematics
- API as an additional indicator
- Graduation rate (for secondary schools)

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

Adequate Yearly Progress Overall and by Criteria (School Year 2009-10)

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	No
Participation Rate: English-Language Arts	Yes	Yes
Participation Rate: Mathematics	Yes	Yes
Percent Proficient: English-Language Arts	Yes	No
Percent Proficient: Mathematics	Yes	No
API	N/A	Yes
Graduation Rate	N/A	No

Federal Intervention Program (School Year 2010-11)

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 (ELA 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 Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/ay/>.

Indicator	School	District
Program Improvement Status		Not In PI
First Year of Program Improvement		
Year in Program Improvement		
Number of Schools Currently in Program Improvement	---	1
Percent of Schools Currently in Program Improvement	---	12.5

XI. School Completion and Postsecondary Preparation

Admission Requirements for California's Public Universities

University of California

Admission requirements for the University of California (UC) follow guidelines set forth in the Master Plan, which requires that the top one-eighth of the state's high school graduates, as well as those transfer students who have successfully completed specified college work, be eligible for admission to the UC. These requirements are designed to ensure that all eligible students are adequately prepared for University-level work. For general admissions requirements please visit the General Admissions Information Web page at <http://www.universityofcalifornia.edu/admissions/general.html>.

California State University

Admission requirements for the California State University (CSU) use three factors to determine eligibility. They are specific high school courses; grades in specified courses and test scores; and graduation from high school. Some campuses have higher standards for particular majors or students who live outside the local campus area. Because of the number of students who apply, a few campuses have higher standards (supplementary admission criteria) for all applicants. Most CSU campuses utilize local admission guarantee policies for students who graduate or transfer from high schools and colleges that are historically served by a CSU campus in that region. For general admissions requirements please visit the California State University Web page at <http://www.calstate.edu/SAS/admreq.shtml>.

Dropout Rate and Graduation Rate

This table displays the school's one-year dropout rates and graduation rates for the most recent three-year period for which data are available. For comparison purposes, data are also provided at the district and state levels. Detailed information about dropout rates and graduation rates can be found on the CDE DataQuest Web page at <http://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/>.

Indicator	School			District			State		
	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
Dropout Rate (1-year)	22	9	3	4	2	2	5	5	6
Graduation Rate	70	75	88	84	90	90	81	80	79

Completion of High School Graduation Requirements

This table displays, by student group, the percent of students who began the 2009-10 school year in grade twelve and were a part of the school's most recent graduating class who met all state and local graduation requirements for grade twelve completion, including having passed both the ELA and mathematics portions of the CAHSEE or received a local waiver or state exemption.

Group	Graduating Class of 2010		
	School	District	State
All Students	61.4	86.1	94.5
Black or African American	0.0	71.4	89.7
American Indian or Alaska Native	200.0	122.2	95.3
Asian	0.0	83.3	97.4
Filipino	N/A	100.0	98.2
Hispanic or Latino	40.0	81.7	91.6
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0.0	50.0	95.2
White	82.6	87.7	98.1
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	75.0	84.6	91.3
English Learners	40.0	86.5	98.5
Students with Disabilities	100.0	73.8	53.4

* Since the completion rate compares the number of students enrolled in October to the number of students who met graduation requirements in June, the percentage listed may be skewed by students transferring into or out of the district during the school year. This may result in percentages greater than 100% or less than the ratio actually represented in the graduating class.

Career Technical Education Programs (School Year 2009-10)

This section provides information about the Career Technical Education (CTE) programs and lists programs offered by the school district that are aligned to the model curriculum standards. The list should identify courses conducted by regional occupational centers or programs and those conducted directly by the school district. This section provides a listing of the primary representative of the career technical advisory committee of the school district and industries represented.

There are currently no Career Technical Education Programs at Briones. Students may take ROP courses at Alhambra High School.

Career Technical Education Participation (School Year 2009-10)

This table displays information about participation in the school's CTE programs.

Measure	CTE Program Participation
Number of pupils participating in CTE	0
% of pupils completing a CTE program and earning a high school diploma	0
% of CTE courses sequenced/articulated between the school/institutions of postsecondary education	0

Courses for University of California and/or California State University Admission (School Year 2009-10)

This table displays, for the most recent year, two measures related to the school's courses that are required for University of California (UC) and/or California State University (CSU) admission. Detailed information about student enrollment in, and completion of, courses required for UC/CSU admission can be found on the CDE DataQuest Web page at <http://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/>.

UC/CSU Course Measure	Percent
Students Enrolled in Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	0
Graduates Who Completed All Courses Required for UC/CSU Admission	0

Advanced Placement Courses (School Year 2009-10)

This table displays, for the most recent year, the number of Advanced Placement (AP) courses that the school offered by subject and the percent of the school's students enrolled in all AP courses. Detailed information about student enrollment in AP courses can be found on the CDE DataQuest Web page at <http://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/>.

Subject	Number of AP Courses Offered	Percent of Students In AP Courses
Computer Science		---
English		---
Fine and Performing Arts		---
Foreign Language		---
Mathematics		---
Science		---
Social Science		---
All courses		

XII. Instructional Planning and Scheduling

Professional Development

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

Staff development takes place after school for teachers. The focus for this school year is developing instructional strategies to help all students access grade level text, improving students' reading comprehension, and critical thinking demonstrated through writing. Together teachers work toward creating a learning environment where all students can experience success through sharing of effective teaching strategies and lessons. Student work samples are shared and discussed. Monitoring of students' progress is done to determine if the student is experiencing academic growth. Teachers are creating resource binders to share with each other that provides information on supplemental instructional material available online.