

Santa Barbara Unified School District

Board Report #5

School Reopening

August 25, 2020



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DRIVERS FOR SCHOOL REOPENING

PRIORITIES FOR FALL 2020



Instruction



**Community &
Family
Engagement**



**Health &
Wellness**



**Facilities &
Operations**



**Governance &
Leadership**

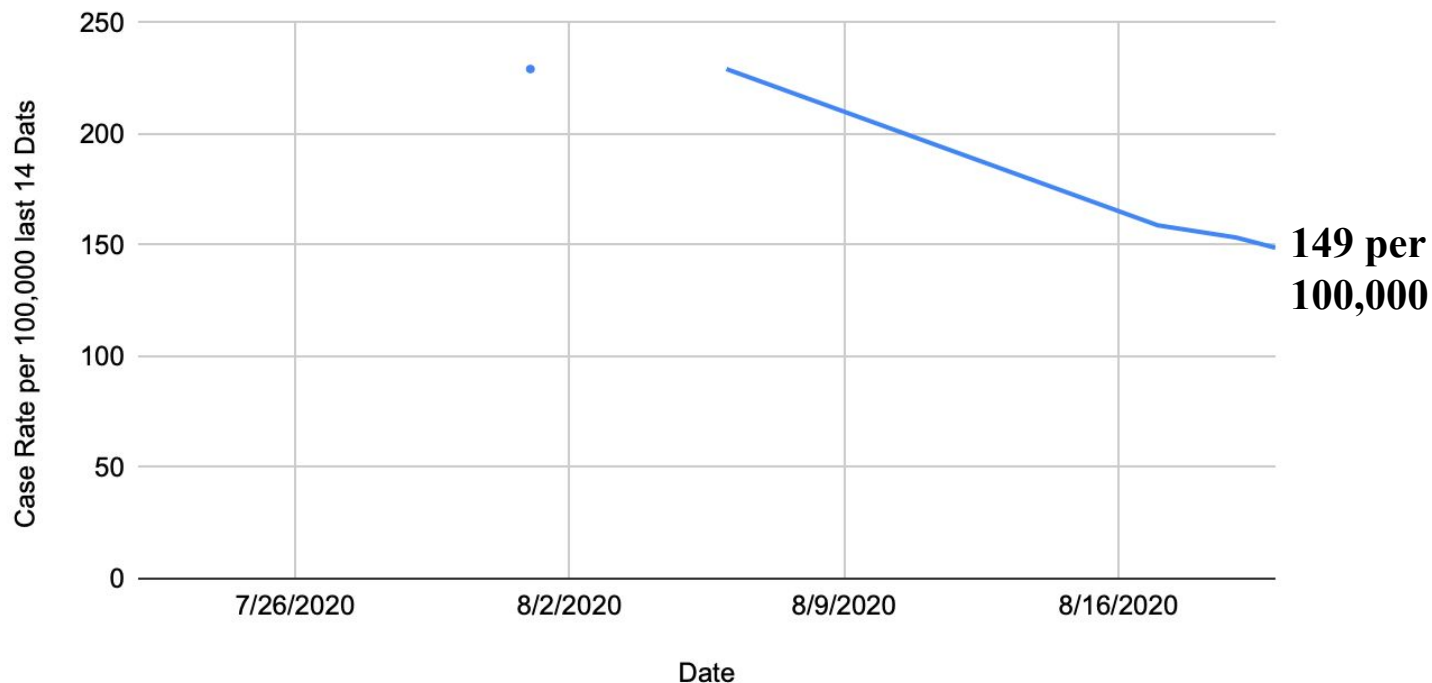
Health & Wellness: Current COVID Rates



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Goal is < 200 per 100,000

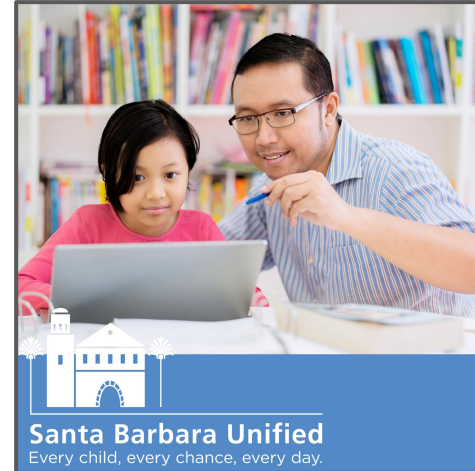
Case Rate per 100,000 last 14 Days vs. Date



2020-21 School Year: Enrollment Timeline

↓ 307 since July 1

- Families on transfers who disenrolled must reapply
 - Per Board Policy 5116.1 and Board Policy 5117





	Percent Present Days 1-3	Average Number Reported Absent Each Day
Elementary	95.1%	176
Junior High	99.6%	11
High School	98.7%	93
Total	98.5%	280



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Elementary Waiver process/update

- Apply to the local health officer for in-person instruction.
- Steps to take:
 - Consult with labor, parent, and community organizations
 - Publish school reopening plans
 - Test employees and students
 - Conduct contact tracing

OUR NEXT STEPS:

- Authentic engagement process
 - Consult with labor, parent, and community organizations
- Assess feasibility of application





Any parent or teacher who believes a student would benefit from behavioral or mental health services should make a referral to:

- School administrator
- School counselor

Community and Family Engagement: Community Child Care

- United Way, Boys' & Girls' Club, Girls Inc., YMCA
- Scholarships Available: 350
- Eligible Students: 3500





8,000

Hours of Professional
Learning

72%

Of Teachers Exceeded
Requirements

Instruction: Learning Continuity and Attendance Plan

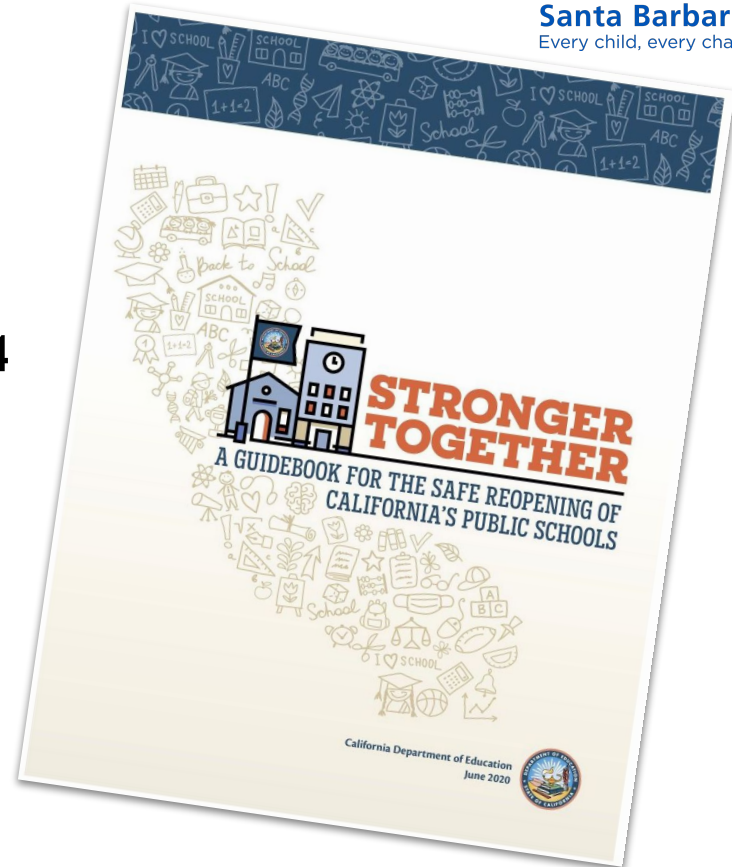


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Community Survey Available: **08/07 - 09/04**

Public Hearing: **09/08**

Board approval: **09/22**



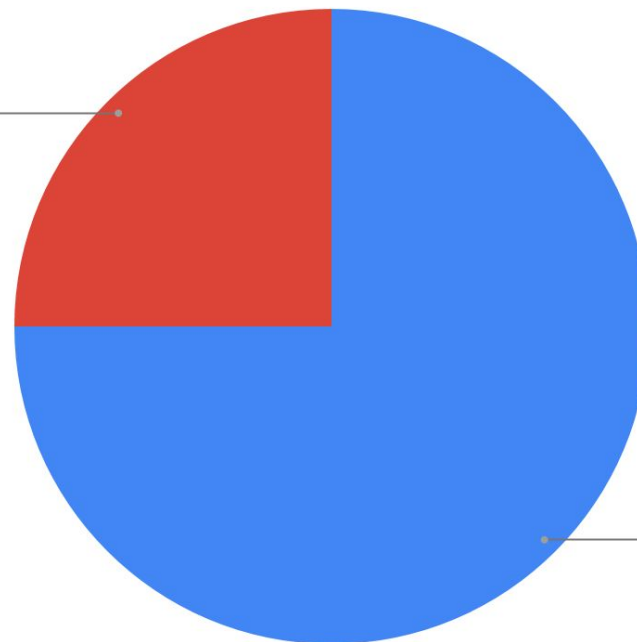
Connectivity Summary

	iPad Connectivity
Elementary	94.1%
Junior High School	97.0%
High School	87.4%
Totals	91.4%



Teaching in Distance Learning Model

From Offsite
25.0%

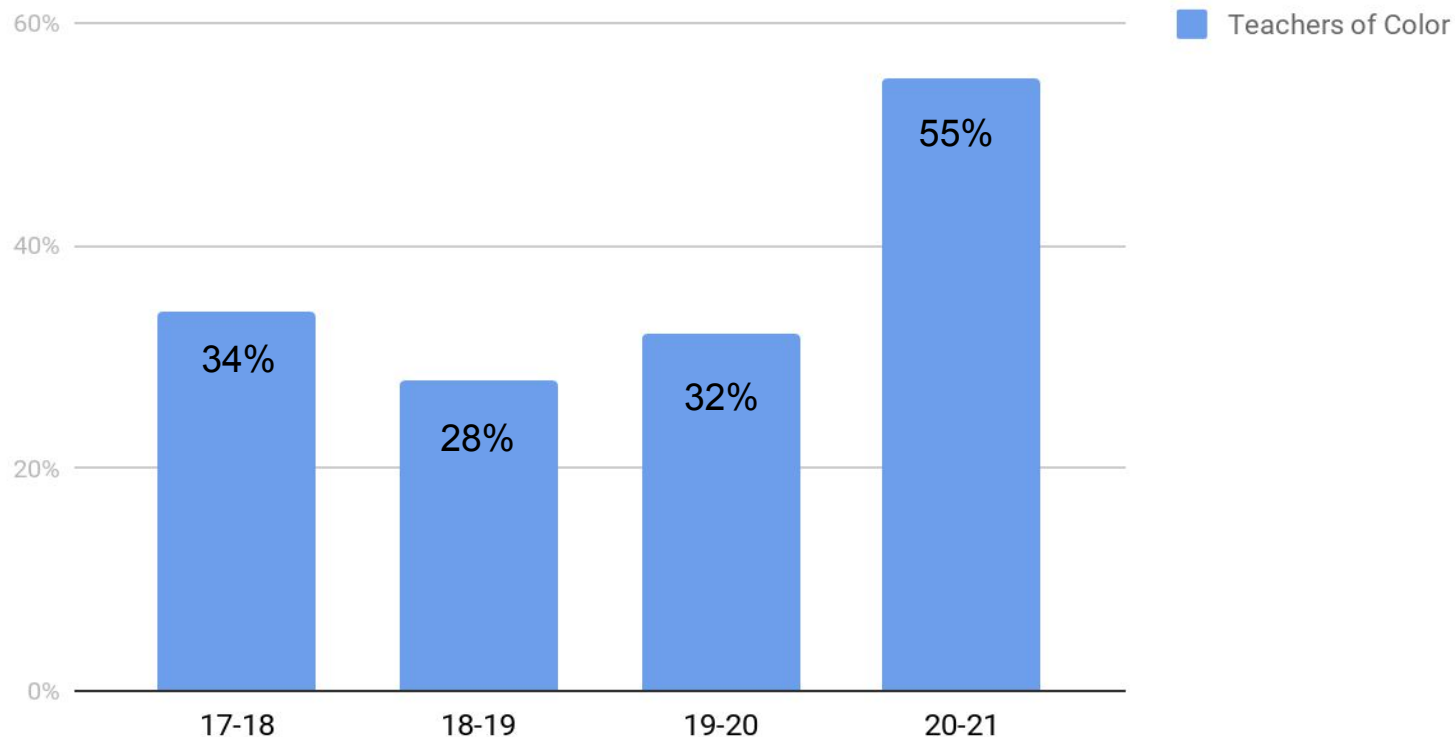


From Classroom
75.0%



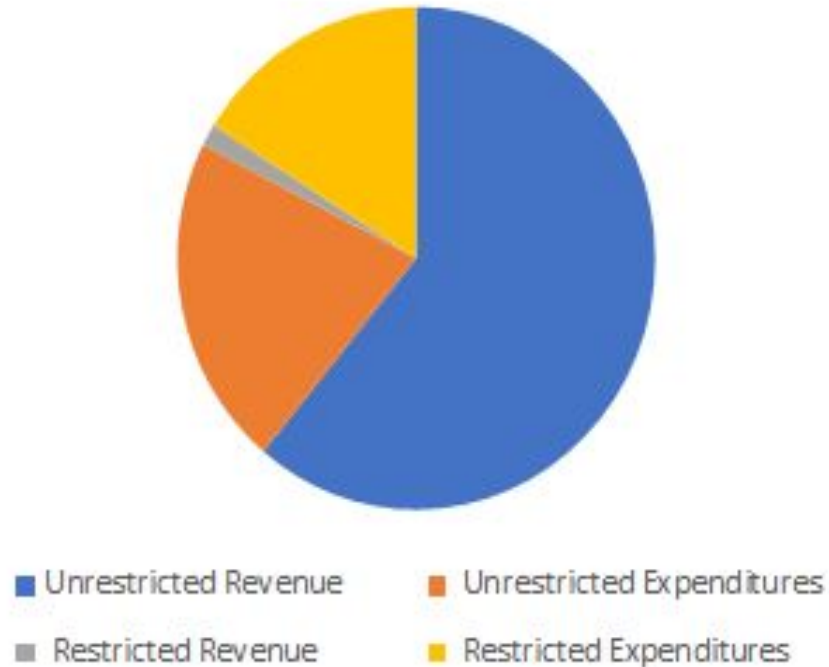


Diverse Teacher Workforce - SB Unified New Teacher Hires





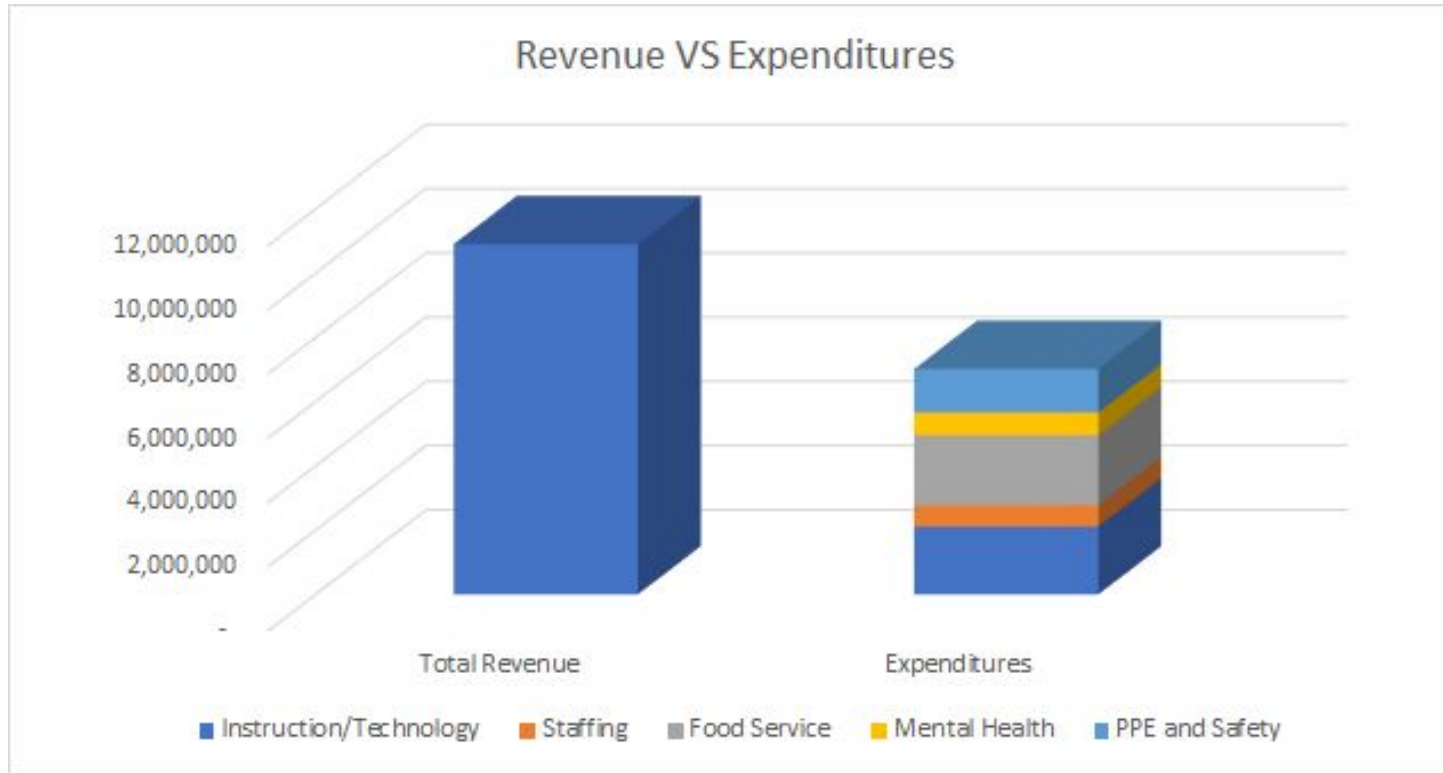
General Fund as of August 18, 2020



Operations: Fiscal - CARES ACT Revenue VS Expenditures



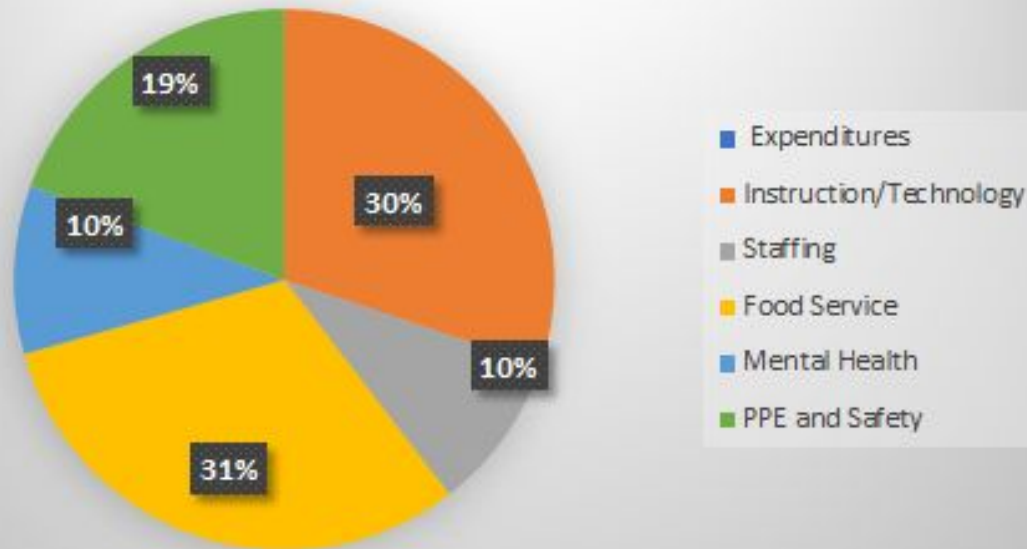
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CARES ACT funds must be expended by December 31, 2020.

Operations: Fiscal : CARES ACT Expenditures

Expenditures to date \$7 million



- As of August 18, 2020 the district has spent or encumbered \$7 million
- Instruction and Technology \$2.1 million
- Staffing \$661,000
- Food Service \$2.2 million
- Mental Health \$706,000
- PPE and Safety \$1.35 million
- Funds must be spent by Dec. 31, 2020

Operations: Fiscal - Elementary Transportation Needs



Hybrid- 50% Students

Transport 600 students:

Social Distancing - 22 buses
needed

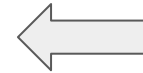
Budget increase: \$5.7m

Find Alternative Solutions



[Administration](#) [Regulation 3541](#)

Reinstate AR3541:
three mile radius
from neighborhood
school and enforce
no busing for
students on transfers.



100% Face-to-Face

Transport 1200 students:

Social Distancing - 44 buses
needed

Budget increase: \$14.4m

Find Alternative Solutions

Operations: Food Service: What's New?

- Student Identification Number: **Required**
- Students: Are **NOT** required to be present (Parents can pick up their meals as long as they have a form of their identification)
- Meals can be picked up any district school!
- Polling Families: To determine a convenient time for pick up



Distance Learning in Action!



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Welcome to Harding Elementary 6th grade team partners Megan Reed and Natalie Ramirez

“A whole new way of teaching” - Megan Reed

