

SSC School District and Charter School Financial Projection Dashboard 2016-17 May Revision

This version of SSC's Financial Projection Dashboard is based on the 2016-17 May Revision. We have updated the cost-of-living adjustment (COLA), Consumer Price Index (CPI), and ten-year T-bill planning factors per the latest economic forecasts. We have also updated the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) factors. We rely on various state agencies and outside sources in developing these factors, but we assume responsibility for them with the understanding that they are general guidelines.

LCFF ENTITLEMENT FACTORS				
Entitlement Factors per ADA	K-3	4-6	7-8	9-12
2015-16 Base Grants	\$7,083	\$7,189	\$7,403	\$8,578
COLA at 0.00%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
2016-17 Base Grants	\$7,083	\$7,189	\$7,403	\$8,578
Entitlement Factors per ADA	K-3	4-6	7-8	9-12
2016-17 Base Grants	\$7,083	\$7,189	\$7,403	\$8,578
Grade Span Adjustment Factors	10.4%	—	—	2.6%
Grade Span Adjustment Amounts	\$737	—	—	\$223
2016-17 Adjusted Base Grants	\$7,820	\$7,189	\$7,403	\$8,801
Supplemental Grants (% Adj. Base)	20%	20%	20%	20%
Concentration Grants	50%	50%	50%	50%
Concentration Grant Threshold	55%	55%	55%	55%

LCFF DARTBOARD FACTORS					
Factor	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
LCFF Planning Factors	SSC Simulator ¹	SSC Simulator ¹	SSC Simulator ²	SSC Simulator ²	SSC Simulator ²
SSC Gap Funding Percentage	52.20%	54.84%	19.30%	34.25%	36.74%
Department of Finance Gap Funding Percentage	52.20%	54.84%	73.96%	41.22%	75.16%
Gap Funding Percentage ³ (May Revise)	53.08%	54.84%	—	—	—

PLANNING FACTORS						
Factor		2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
Statutory COLA		1.02%	0.00%	1.11%	2.42%	2.67%
COLA on state and local share only of Special Education, Child Nutrition, Foster Youth, Preschool, American Indian Education Centers/American Indian Early Childhood Education		1.02%	0.00%	1.11%	2.42%	2.67%
California CPI		2.02%	2.15%	2.26%	2.49%	2.36%
California Lottery	Base	\$140	\$140	\$140	\$140	\$140
	Proposition 20	\$41	\$41	\$41	\$41	\$41
Interest Rate for Ten-Year Treasuries		1.98%	2.05%	2.43%	2.58%	2.70%
CalPERS Employer Rate (projected)		11.847%	13.888%	15.50%	17.10%	18.60%
CalSTRS Employer Rate (statutory)		10.73%	12.58%	14.43%	16.28%	18.13%
CalSTRS On-Behalf Rate		7.125890%	8.578248% ⁴	8.578248% ⁴	8.578248% ⁴	8.578248% ⁴

RESERVES		
State Reserve Requirement	District ADA Range	Reserve Plan ⁵
The greater of 5% or \$65,000	0 to 300	SSC recommends one year's increment of planned revenue growth
The greater of 4% or \$65,000	301 to 1,000	
3%	1,001 to 30,000	
2%	30,001 to 400,000	
1%	400,001 and higher	

¹ Go to the SSC LCFF Simulator at www.sscal.com. Your LCFF amounts for multiyear planning purposes will be provided based on your district-specific data.

² For the forecast years, the total dollar amount needed to fund the statutory COLA is applied to the SSC LCFF Simulator.

³ Either this percentage or the final State Budget gap percentage can be used for calculating movement toward class sizes of 24:1 at grades transitional kindergarten-3.

⁴ 2016-17 rate is preliminary until February 2017

⁵ District reserve requirements as stated in the State Board of Education (SBE) adopted criteria and standards based solely on district size is not as relevant when financial volatility and exposure is disparate under the LCFF. We recommend that every district first observe the current SBE-required reserve for the traditional economic uncertainties. We also recommend the establishment of a separate reserve based on the annual LCFF revenue increase projected for the district in Year 2 and Year 3 of the multiyear projection. We recommend that the district develop a plan to, over time, set aside one year's growth in LCFF funding as a reserve due to the potential volatility inherent in state revenues. Within that set aside, we also recommend assigning the supplemental and concentration grant dollars.