



Madera County School Boards Association
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Madera County Schools – Academic Excellence

The schools of Madera County produced commendable results in the testing cycle for 2005-2006. The schools produced the following statistical results*:

- 64% of the schools in Madera County met all federal Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) goals, ranking 3rd in our six (6) county region of Fresno, Kings, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, and Tulare counties. The statewide average is 65%.
- 63% of the schools met or exceeded their API Growth Targets as set by the State. This includes targets for all significant subgroups. English Learners and Students with Disabilities were added to the subgroup list for API for the first time in the 2005-2006 school year.
- 90% of the schools in Madera County met the API goal (590 or higher, or 1 point growth over 2004-2005) for AYP. (Schools met their school site requirement, but failed to meet a sub-category at the school site.)
- The estimated average API growth for Madera County Schools was 23 points.
- 79.5% of Madera County Schools met or exceeded federal proficiency rate for English Language Arts. (An increase of 10.5% over 2004-2005).
- 92% of Madera County Schools met or exceeded federal proficiency for Mathematics. (An increase of 9% from 2004-2005).
- Eight schools and one district in the county achieved an API score over 800. (Three more schools than in 2004-2005).

**Provided by Madera County Office of Education, Educational Services Division.*

Madera County produced the following Title I Achieving Schools:

Year	School	District
2008-09	Dairyland Elementary	Alview-Dairyland Union
2008-09	Lincoln Elementary	Madera Unified
2007-08	Dixieland Elementary	Madera Unified
2007-08	Lincoln Elementary	Madera Unified
2006-07	John Adams Elementary	Madera Unified
2006-07	Howard Elementary	Madera Unified
2006-07	Oakhurst Elementary	Bass Lake Joint Union Elementary
2005-06	Lincoln Elementary	Madera Unified

The Title I Academic Achievement Award is given to schools receiving federal Title I funds as authorized by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001. To be eligible for the Title I Schoolwide Program, a school must enroll 40 percent or more of socioeconomically disadvantaged students. The school must demonstrate that all students are making significant progress toward proficiency on California's academic content standards. Additionally, the school's socioeconomically disadvantaged students must have doubled the achievement targets set for them for two consecutive years.



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Madera County has also produced the following California Distinguished Schools:

Year	School	District
2008	Dixieland Elementary	Madera Unified
2008	Sierra View Elementary	Golden Valley Unified
2006	John Adams Elementary	Madera Unified
2006	Oakhurst Elementary	Bass Lake Joint Union Elementary
2005	Yosemite High	Yosemite Union High
2004	Webster Elementary	Golden Valley Unified
2004	Bass Lake Elementary	Bass Lake Joint Union Elementary
2003	Oak Creek Intermediate	Bass Lake Joint Union Elementary
2002	Rivergold Elementary	Coarsegold Union Elementary
2002	Howard Elementary	Madera Unified
2001	Yosemite High	Yosemite Joint Union
2000	Lincoln Elementary	Madera Unified
1998	Sierra Vista Elementary	Madera Unified
1997	James Monroe Elementary	Madera Unified
1995	Wawona Elementary	Bass Lake Joint Union Elementary
1993	La Vina Elementary	Madera Unified
1993	John Adams Elementary	Madera Unified
1990	Oak Creek intermediate	Bass Lake Joint Union Elementary
1989	John Adams Elementary	Madera Unified
1987	La Vina Elementary	Madera Unified
1986	Madera High	Madera Unified
1986	Dixieland Middle	Madera Unified
1986	Howard Elementary	Madera Unified

The California School Recognition Program (CSRP) directly focuses on California's students and their entitlement to an equitable and rigorous education. The California Distinguished Schools Award identifies and honors the schools that have demonstrated educational excellence for all students and progress in narrowing the achievement gap. These schools must meet a variety of eligibility criteria including designated federal and state accountability measures based on No Child Left Behind (NCLB), Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP), and the Academic Performance Index (API) requirements.