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# Family Engagement Practices in California Schools

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**APPENDIX TABLE 1**

Study district characteristics, 2014–15

School district	County	Grade span	Number of schools	Number of students
Bakersfield City	Kern	K–8	44	30,076
Hayward Unified	Alameda	K–12	37	22,555
Live Oak	Santa Cruz	K–8	7	2,108
Lynwood Unified	Los Angeles	K–12	19	14,776
Milpitas Unified	Santa Clara	K–12	14	10,281
Oakland Unified	Alameda	K–12	126	48,077
Redwood City	San Mateo	K–8	17	9,042
Riverside Unified	Riverside	K–12	51	42,339
Sacramento City Unified	Sacramento	K–12	82	46,868
San Diego Unified	San Diego	K–12	228	129,779
San Francisco Unified	San Francisco	K–12	118	58,414
Sanger Unified	Fresno	K–12	20	11,204
Santa Ana Unified	Orange	K–12	60	56,815
Sylvan Union	Stanislaus	K–8	14	8,565
Willows Unified	Glenn	K–12	4	1,443

SOURCE: California Department of Education Dataquest.

**APPENDIX TABLE 2**

Study districts' student characteristics, 2014-15

School district	Percent African American not Hispanic	Percent American Indian or Alaska Native	Percent Asian	Percent Filipino	Percent Hispanic or Latino	Percent Pacific Islander	Percent white not Hispanic	Percent two or more races	Percent none reported (ethnicity)	Percent English Learners	Percent English Learners who speak Spanish	Percent free or reduced-price meals
Bakersfield City	8.1	0.6	0.8	0.5	78.7	0.1	9.9	1.4	0.0	31.4	98.1	88.4
Hayward Unified	10.9	0.4	7.8	6.9	62.4	3.3	5.5	2.3	0.6	30.9	85.3	73.8
Live Oak	2.2	0.4	1.9	1.2	52.4	0.1	31.5	2.8	7.3	33.5	94.8	60.4
Lynwood Unified	4.7	0.0	0.1	0.0	94.0	0.3	0.8	0.0	0.0	36.0	99.8	96.3
Milpitas Unified	2.5	0.4	45.0	20.6	20.6	0.9	6.7	3.2	0.0	27.5	26.8	32.9
Oakland Unified	26.7	0.3	13.0	0.9	43.8	1.0	9.8	2.7	1.8	32.3	75.7	74.5
Redwood City	1.0	0.1	2.3	0.8	72.7	1.3	19.3	2.1	0.2	47.7	96.4	50.9
Riverside Unified	7.0	0.4	3.4	1.2	60.6	0.5	24.0	1.7	1.2	17.2	93.3	63.6
Sacramento City Unified	17.3	0.7	17.0	1.3	38.2	1.7	18.1	5.6	0.1	21.5	59.2	64.2
San Diego Unified	9.3	0.3	8.4	5.3	46.9	0.6	23.1	5.8	0.3	25.0	74.5	60.7
San Francisco Unified	9.6	0.4	34.9	4.8	28.6	1.2	13.3	3.2	3.9	27.8	46.6	62.3
Sanger Unified	1.5	0.2	10.1	0.6	69.6	0.2	14.8	2.0	0.9	19.9	83.5	76.2
Santa Ana Unified	0.3	0.1	2.5	0.3	93.4	0.1	2.6	0.6	0.0	46.4	98.5	86.1
Sylvan Union	4.2	0.4	5.6	3.1	41.2	1.0	39.4	3.1	1.9	15.1	64.5	49.7
Willows Unified	1.1	2.8	5.5	0.3	49.9	0.6	38.8	0.8	0.2	24.3	88.6	65.9
15 County Sample	11.5	0.4	13.2	3.3	58.2	1.0	17.1	3.9	1.0	30.8	82.1	74.6
California	6.0	0.6	8.8	2.5	53.6	0.5	24.6	2.8	0.6	22.3	83.7	58.6

SOURCE: California Department of Education Dataquest.



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