



Honoring Student Academic Growth

A PROJECT OF



CONGRATULATIONS to schools with High Student Academic Growth.

CORE's 2019 Academic Growth Awards honor schools having the greatest impact on student achievement. At schools with high academic growth, students consistently make academic gains faster than similar students at similar schools.

The Academic Growth Awards are unique because they recognize acceleration of student achievement by accounting for how much each individual student learns over time, rather than just comparing test scores from year to year.

WHY RECOGNIZE GROWTH?

HIGH ACADEMIC GROWTH IS A REFLECTION OF SCHOOL EFFECTIVENESS. It shows consistent work among educators to provide extraordinary classroom instruction for the students they serve.

GROWTH IS KEY TO UNDERSTANDING STUDENT PROGRESS. Growth shows the acceleration of achievement at schools by accounting for how much each student learns from one year to the next.

GROWTH CONSIDERS IMPROVEMENT IN SCORES FOR EACH STUDENT — even if an individual student has not yet reached academic standards set by the state.

SCHOOLS WITH HIGH GROWTH ARE MAKING A STRONG CONTRIBUTION TO STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT. Growth provides actionable data to support meaningful changes for all students.

HOW IS GROWTH CALCULATED?

Growth is calculated by measuring the progress of the same set of students from one year to the next. We use a mathematical model to calculate academic growth that compares student test scores while taking into account unique circumstances. We also account for demographic factors to calculate a more accurate reading of each school's impact on student progress.

Growth models compare schools by considering whether each student's progress is less or greater than could be expected for other students who are similar and who started off at the same score the previous year.

Growth models are valid and reliable, and those that account for student circumstances are used in several states, including California's CORE Districts.



VISIT WWW.EEQUITYNAVIGATOR.ORG to view the schools receiving High Impact Badges and to recognize 1 year and 3 years of high student academic growth.

Student Academic Growth Award

SCHOOL RECIPIENTS

Della S. Lindley Elementary (ELA)
Desert Hot Springs High (ELA)
Landau Elementary (ELA)
Palm Springs High (Math)
Rancho Mirage Elementary (Math)
Two Bunch Palms Elementary (ELA)
Vista del Monte Elementary (ELA and Math)

RCOE – San Jacinto Unified

★ **One Year of High Impact (17-18)**

Clayton A. Record, Jr. Elementary (ELA)
De Anza Elementary (Math)
San Jacinto Elementary (Math)

RCOE – Val Verde Unified

★ **Three Years of High Impact**

Lasselle Elementary (ELA)

★ **One Year of High Impact (17-18)**

Mary McLeod Bethune Elementary (ELA)
May Ranch Elementary (ELA and Math)
Mead Valley Elementary (ELA)
Orange Vista High (ELA)
Sierra Vista Elementary (ELA and Math)
Triple Crown Elementary (ELA)
Val Verde Elementary (ELA)

Rogers Family Foundation

★ **Three Years of High Impact**

ASCEND (ELA and Math)

★ **One Year of High Impact (17-18)**

Achieve Academy (ELA and Math)
ARISE High School (ELA)
Community School for Creative Education (ELA)
Epic Charter (ELA and Math)
Lazear Charter Academy (ELA and Math)
Lighthouse Community Charter (ELA and Math)

Lodestar: A Lighthouse Community Charter Public
(ELA and Math)

LPS Oakland R & D Campus (ELA)
North Oakland Community Charter (ELA)
Oakland School for the Arts (ELA)
Urban Montessori Charter (ELA)
Yu Ming Charter (ELA and Math)

San Bernardino City Unified

★ **Three Years of High Impact**

Captain Leland Norton Elementary (Math)
Colonel Joseph C. Rodriguez PREP Academy (ELA and Math)
Curtis Middle (ELA)
E. Neal Roberts Elementary (ELA)
George Brown Jr. Elementary (ELA)
Golden Valley Middle (ELA)
Graciano Gomez Elementary (ELA)
H. Frank Dominguez Elementary (ELA)
Hillside Elementary (ELA and Math)
Howard Inghram Elementary (ELA)
Juanita Blakely Jones Elementary (ELA and Math)
Kendall Elementary (ELA)
Martin Luther King Jr. Middle (Math)
Muscoy Elementary (ELA)
North Verdemont Elementary (ELA and Math)
Richardson Prep Hi (ELA and Math)
Rio Vista Elementary (ELA)
Roger Anton Elementary (ELA)
Serrano Middle (ELA)

★ **One Year of High Impact (17-18)**

Arrowhead Elementary (ELA)
Arroyo Valley High (ELA and Math)
Bob Holcomb Elementary (ELA and Math)
Cajon High (ELA)