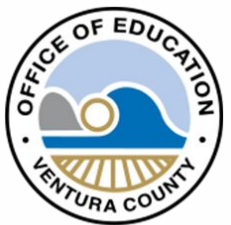


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**Ventura County
Plan for Expelled Students
Triennial Update
June 2024-2027**



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Ventura County Office of Education Vision

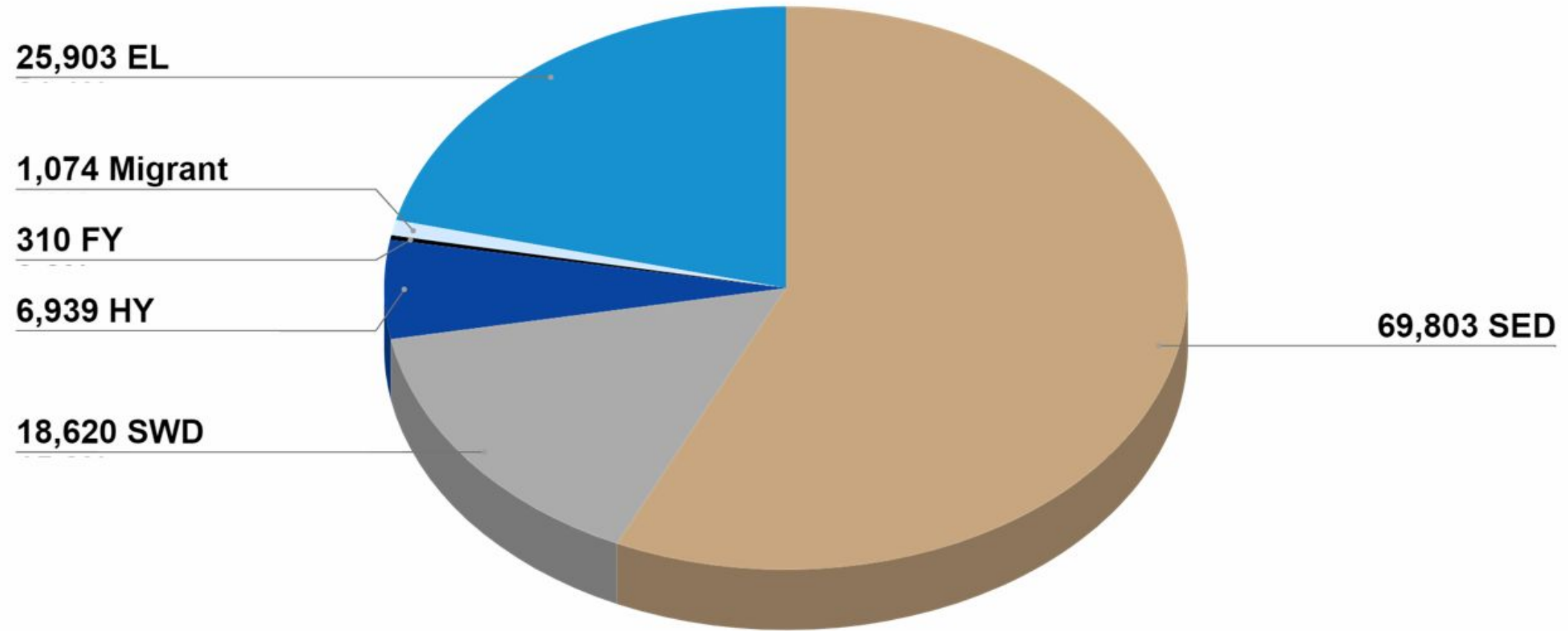
In fulfilling our *"Commitment to Quality Education for All"* we teach, inspire and support our students by providing opportunities for them to discover their potential, develop their character, and maximize their learning so they may become life-long learners and world class citizens.

Ventura County Office of Education Mission

Our students learn in a personalized environment that fosters human dignity and promotes academic, social emotional and personal success.

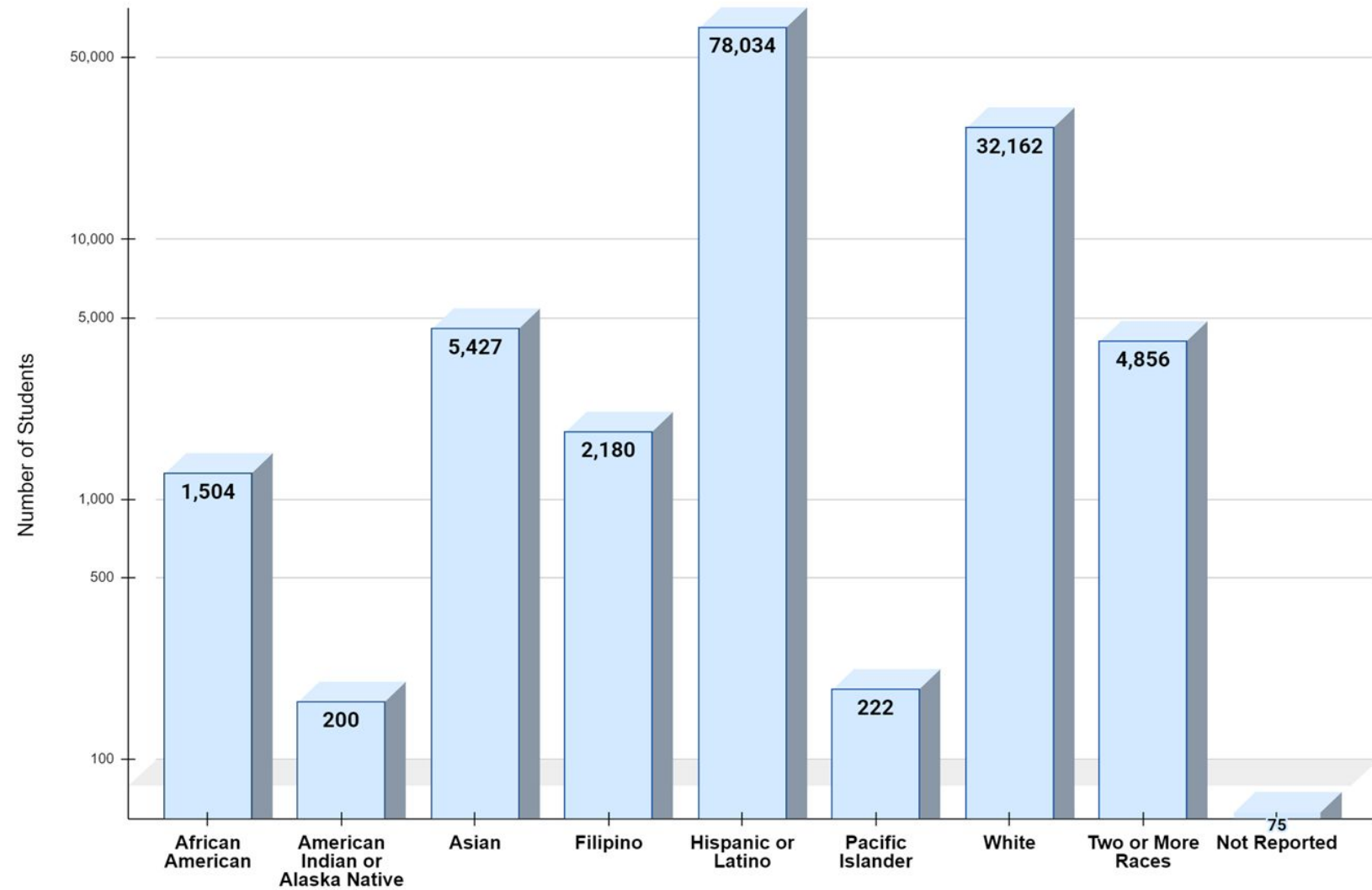
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Student Groups- DataQuest, 2023-24



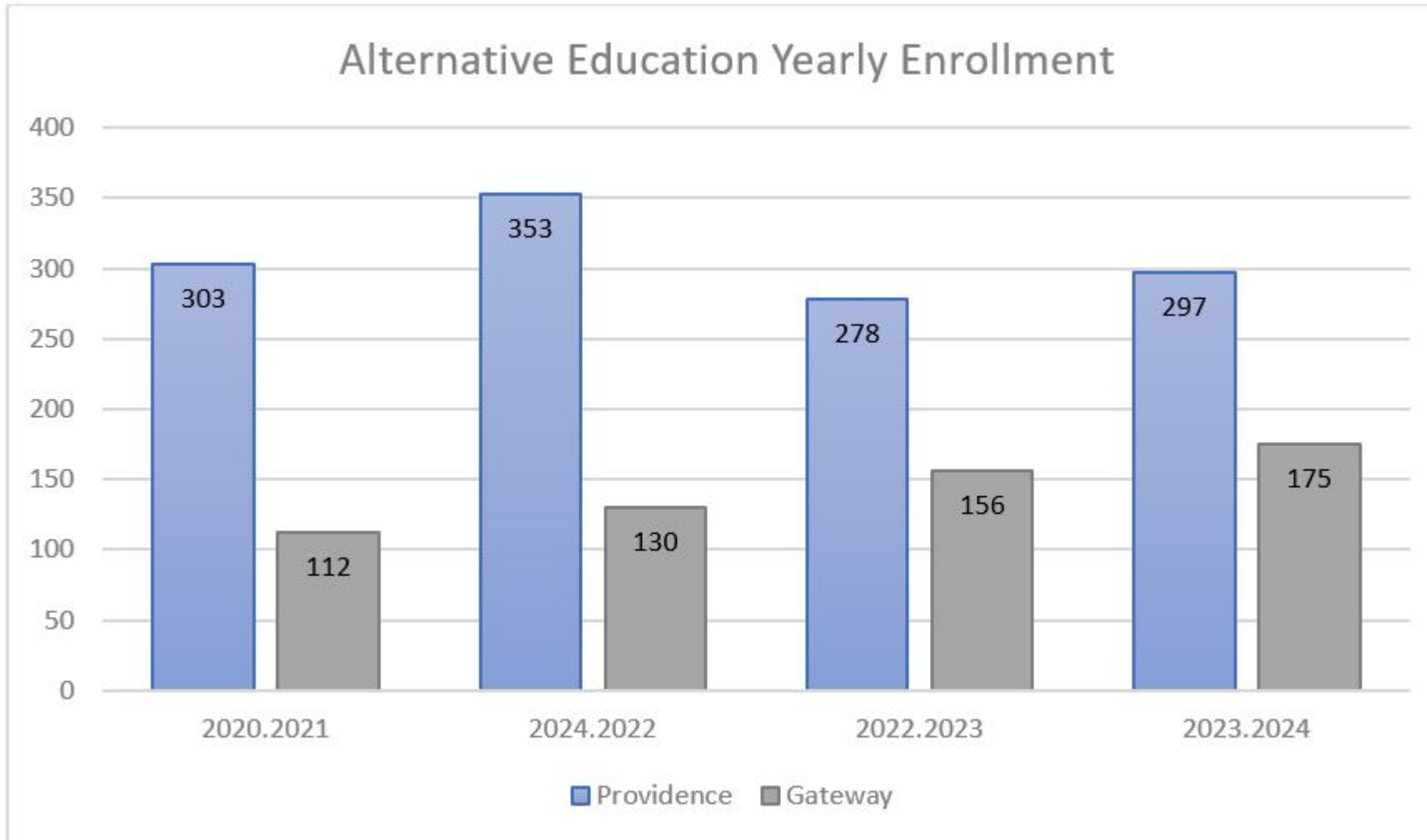
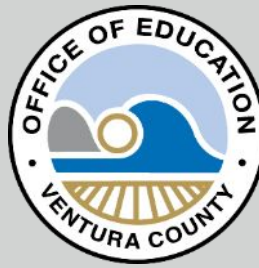
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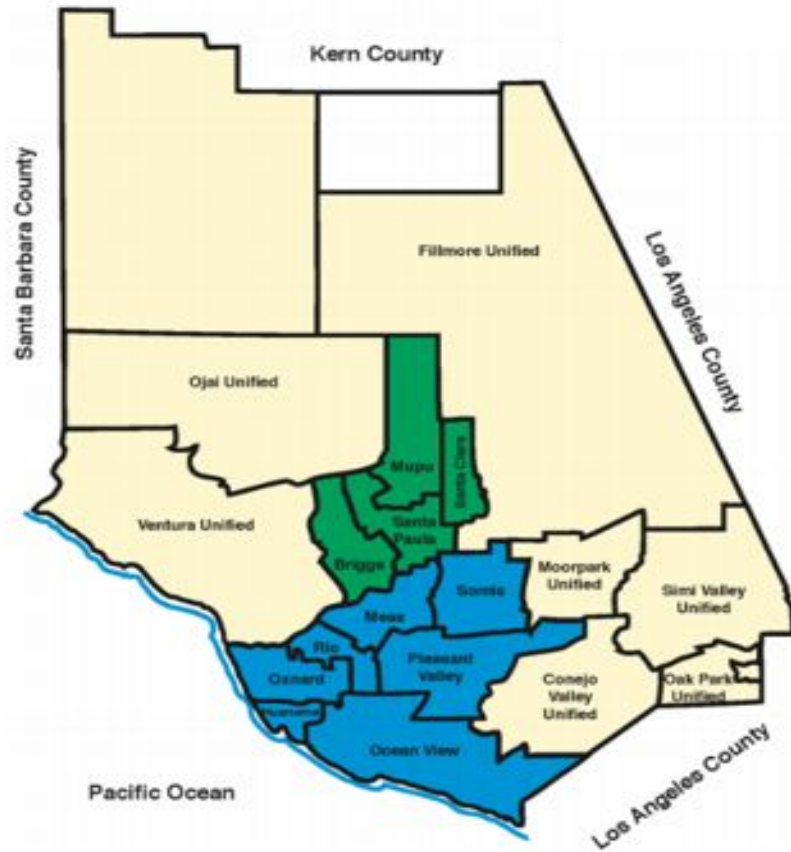


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VC Court and Community School Yearly Enrollment



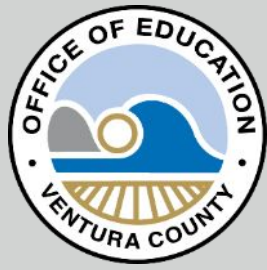
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2022-23	CALIFORNIA	VENTURA COUNTY
Expelled Youth	4,750	144
Incarcerated Youth	2,793	297

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Court and Community Staff



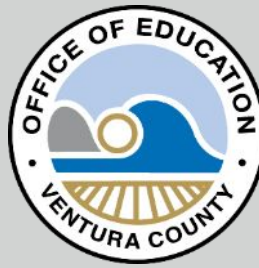
Gateway Community School

- Director, Alternative Education
- Assistant Principal
- Office Manager
- School Counselor
- Transition/Induction Specialist
- School Psychologist
- 2 Special Education Teachers
- 4 General Education Teachers
- 2 Court Community Paraeducators
- 1 Special Education Paraeducator
- VCBH Therapist
- Specialists (Speech, COEDs, Workability, etc.)

Providence Court School

- Director, Alternative Education
- Assistant Principal
- Office Manager
- School Counselor
- Transition/Induction Specialist
- School Psychologist
- 2 Special Education and 6 General Education Teachers
- 3 Court Community and 2 Special Education Paraeducator
- VCBH Therapist
- 2 social emotional service specialists
- 3 Instructional Specialist Behavior
- Specialists: Speech, COEDs, Workability, ERSES
- 4 Campus Assistants

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Academics

WASC Accredited
Transcript Analysis
Credit Recovery
Special Education
CEC classes

Transcript analysis drives student program during Instructional hours (Gen/SPED)

- VCOE Adopted a-g curriculum
- APEX Credit Recovery
- EL/SPED Supports
- Leadership course

SEL

Counseling
Wellness Spaces
Wellness Activities
Incentive Program

Counseling services per rehabilitation plans are provided

- Follow terms of rehabilitation plan
- Restorative Practices
- Reducing suspension
- Activities lead by counseling and behavior team to support SEL

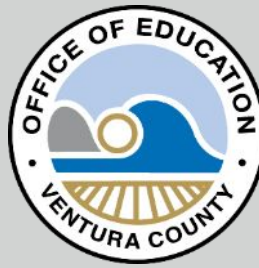
Partnerships


Programs & Services
Orientation Meetings
Return to District Meetings
Community Agencies
Referrals

Enhanced offerings and opportunities are provided through county and community partnerships

- CEC Program
- Dual Enrollment
- Afterschool Programs
- Mentors
- VCCCD, VCPH, VCBH, Tri-counties, VC-HSA,

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May 22, 2024

TO: Dr. César Morales, Superintendent Ventura County Office of Education

FROM: Dr. Consuelo Hernandez Williams, Associate Superintendent Student Services
Stefanie Rodriguez, Director Alternative Education

SUBJECT: Summary of Changes to Ventura County Plan for Expelled Students – Triennial Update 2024

California Education Code Requirements
California Education Code (EC) Section 48926 requires county superintendents, in conjunction with superintendents of school districts within the county, to develop a plan for providing educational services to all expelled pupils in that county. The initial plan was to be adopted by the governing board of each school district within the county and by the county board of education and submitted to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction in 1997. EC Section 48926 also requires that each county superintendent of schools, in conjunction with district superintendents in the county, submit a triennial update to that plan to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

EC Section 48926 provides that:
The plan shall enumerate existing educational alternatives for expelled pupils, identify gaps in educational services to expelled pupils, and strategies for filling those service gaps. The plan shall also identify alternative placements for pupils who are expelled and placed in district community day school programs, but who fail to meet the terms and conditions of their rehabilitation plan or who pose a danger to other district pupils, as determined by the governing board.

Updates to Ventura County Plan for Expelled Students:

1. **Ventura County Background and Context** reflects the most recent population data; the **Three-Year Ventura County Enrollment by Ethnicity** reflects the most current 2020-23 data per CDE; the **Ventura County 2022-23 English Learner Enrollment by Language Acquisition Status and Grade** reflects 2022-2023 data; and the **English Learner Enrollment 2022-23: California State and Ventura County** reflects current data per CDE.
2. **Legal References** - this section was previously titled Legal Updates. The Legal References in this section highlight some of the most important legislation including Suspension, Expulsion, Enrollment and Transfers, Credits and Graduation Requirements, Foster, and Homeless Youth.
3. **Wellness Centers** - the 2024-2027 Triennial Plan includes information on the Mental Health Services Act and Mental Health Student Services Act as well as Wellness Centers/Spaces on middle school and high school campuses throughout the county.
4. **Service Gaps** - the 2024-2027 Triennial Plan reflects a summary of the Service Gaps from 2021-24. Input and collaboration with LEA's on current and past Services Gaps informed the development of the detailed 2024-27 Service Gaps to support expelled students.
5. **Coronavirus (COVID-19) Conditions**- the 2021-2024 Triennial Plan had a section to address Coronavirus (COVID-19) Conditions. This section was removed from the Plan since it is no longer required.

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UPDATES

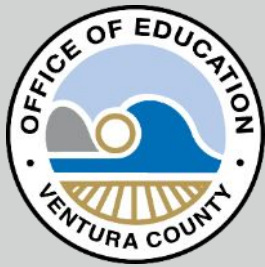
- ✓ Background & Context
- ✓ Legal References
- ✓ Wellness Centers
- ✓ Service Gaps
- ✓ COVID Conditions

REQUIREMENTS & RECOMMENDATIONS

- ✓ Educational Alternatives for Expelled Youth
- ✓ Gaps in Educational Services & Strategies for Filling Gaps

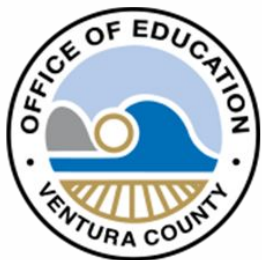
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Networks of Support - Partnerships



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Questions/Comments



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