

MARIN COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION

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District Profile

The Marin County Office of Education offers programs and services for students, teachers, and families in Marin County. The Marin County Office of Education serves and supports the nineteen school districts in our county. Some of the services provided by the Marin County Office of Education are:

- ☞ Business services, including payroll and accounting, data processing, printing services, and administrator support
- ☞ Curriculum and instruction, professional development programs for educators, Instructional Media Center, technology training and support
- ☞ Legal and administrative services
- ☞ Personnel and credentialing services
- ☞ Student services provided by psychologists, school nurses, speech therapists, special education teachers, and specialists
- ☞ Business partnerships and academic competitions

The Marin County Board of Education is a seven-member elected body who establishes policy and who holds regular monthly meetings throughout the school year.

The Marin County Office of Education provides direct services to students in three specialized areas: The Marin County Regional Occupational Program, Special Education programs, and Alternative Education programs.

Mission Statement

The Marin County Office of Education will provide leadership and service as a community asset that earns and enjoys the respect and support of our students, parents, and community taxpayers by...

- ❖ Providing programs and services to prepare students to be productive citizens;
- ❖ Establishing tangible, measurable criteria for the evaluation of all Marin County Office of Education's programs and services;
- ❖ Insuring the quality of Marin County Office of Education's programs and services by comparative and analytical evaluation of student achievement;
- ❖ Demonstrating the cost-efficient utilization of available resources by monitoring the balance between commitment and results;
- ❖ Providing effective, centralized services to the districts and schools in Marin County; and
- ❖ Advancing technology and telecommunications for Marin County students and the community.

Marin County Office of Education Goals

Each program operated by the Marin County Office of Education develops goals and action plans in the following areas annually:

- ◆ Accountability
- ◆ Cost Effectiveness
- ◆ Leadership
- ◆ Quality
- ◆ Student Centered

Individual programs evaluate the progress of program activities toward their established goals each quarter. A final report of program progress is provided to the Marin County Board of Education and the community in August.

Community Involvement

The Marin County Office of Education involves parents, local business, and community members in a variety of ways. Parents participate in advisory committees, program leadership teams, and as volunteers in classrooms or programs. Each program has unique opportunities for members of the community to support the school program. Community agencies also support programs by providing counseling services to students.

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