

SAN MATEO COUNTY CHILD CARE NEEDS ASSESSMENT 2017: MENLO PARK

ZIP CODE(S): **94025**

FEATURED SCHOOL DISTRICT: **MENLO PARK CITY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Key Population Characteristics

Total Population: **41,234**

Median Family Income: **\$127,236**

Percentage of Families with Children Under Age 18 Below Poverty: **5.8%**

Foreign-Born as Percentage of Total Population: **24.6%**

Percentage of Population that Speaks Language Other than English at Home: **31.4%**

Total Number of Children Ages Birth through 12 Years: **7,776**

Percentage of Children, Birth through 12, with All Parents/Guardians in Work Force: **63.2%**

School District Data: **Menlo Park City Elementary School District**

Total District Enrollment 2016-17: **2,999**

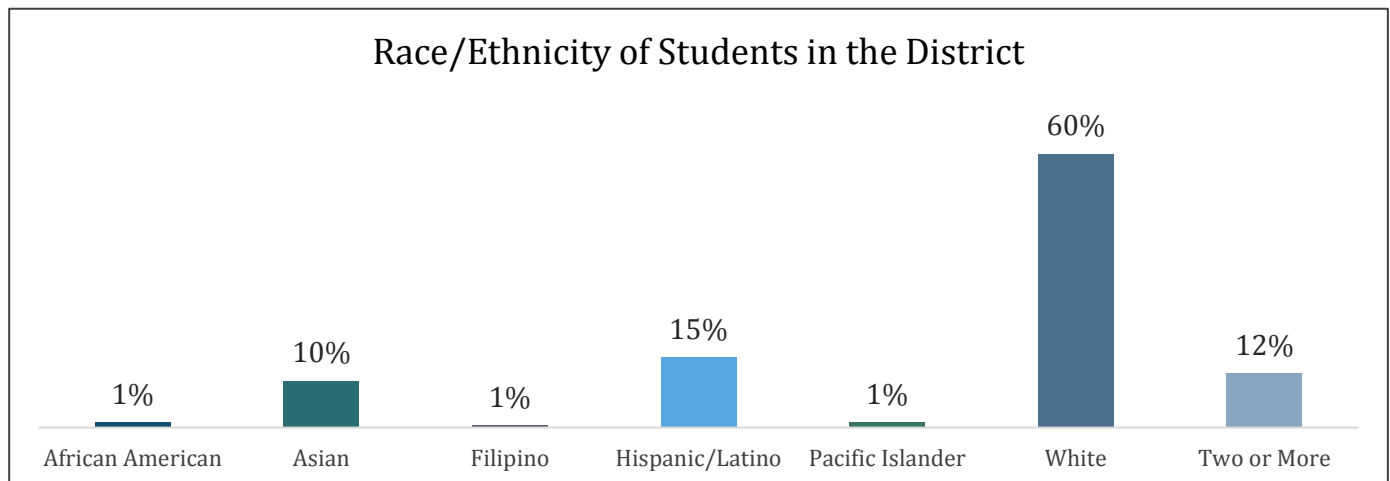
Percentage of All 3rd Graders Meeting/Exceeding Literacy Standard: **80.7%**

Percentage of Economically Disadvantaged 3rd Graders Meeting/Exceeding Literacy Standard: **30.0%**

Percentage of Students Classified as English Language Learners: **8.5%**

Most Common Languages: **English, Spanish, Mandarin, Russian**

Number of Students Receiving Special Education in the District: **248**



Data prepared by Sarah Kinahan Consulting, November 2017, for the San Mateo County Child Care Partnership Council, 650.802.5443, ccpc@smcoe.org. To view the full San Mateo County Child Care and Preschool Needs Assessment 2017 report, or to understand the data sources and methodology, visit: <http://www.smcoe.org/learning-and-leadership/early-learning/child-care-partnership-council/child-care-and-early-learning-needs-assessment.html>.



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Note: Menlo Park is adjacent to the unincorporated neighborhood of North Fair Oaks. Serving this neighborhood, Redwood City School District operates Garfield School in Menlo Park. 96 of the subsidized preschool spaces in Menlo Park are at this campus.

Child Care and Preschool Supply in Family Child Care and Centers

Age Group	Family Child Care Homes	Child Care Centers		All Sites Total
		Total	Subsidized	
Infant Spaces	76	110	6	186
Preschool Spaces	96	1,474	357	1,570
School-Aged Spaces	46	699	114	745
Total Number of Spaces	218	2,283	477	2,501
Total Number of Sites	18	40	8	58

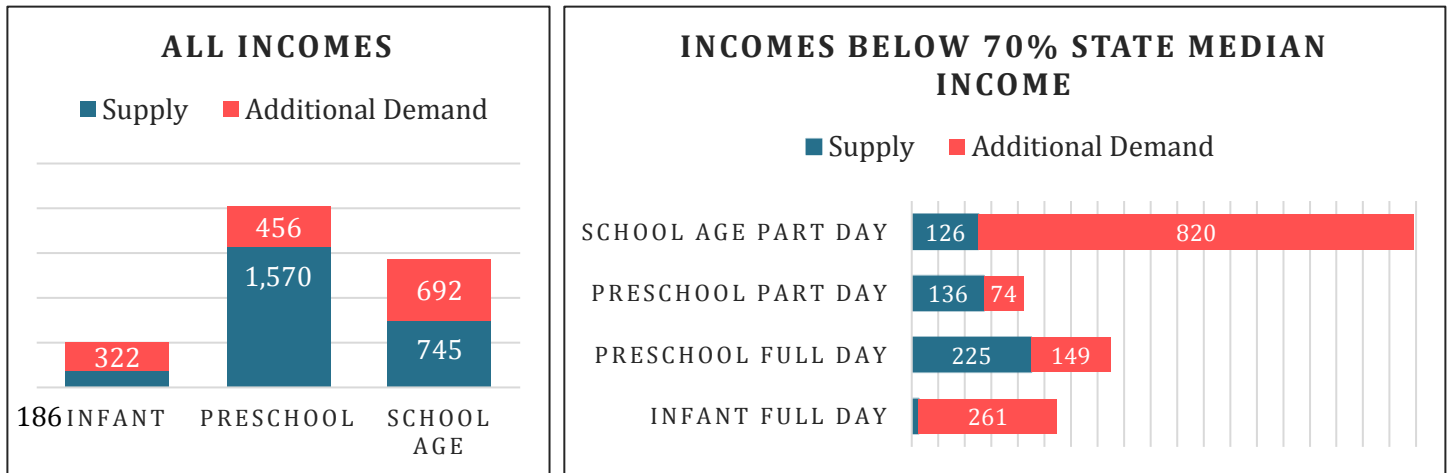
53%

of center-based providers are open to expansion

Child Care and Preschool Demand

All Incomes				Incomes below 70% State Median Income	
Age Cohort	No. Resident Children Needing Care	No. Out of County Children with Parents Working in City Needing Care	Total No. Estimated to Need Child Care	Age Cohort	No. Estimated to Need Child Care
0 – 1 year	289	220	509	0 – 2 years	274
2 – 4 years	1,694	332	2,026	3 – 4 years	584
5 – 12 years	1,437	not applicable	1,437	5 – 12 years	946
Total	3,420	552	3,972	Total	1,804

Child Care and Preschool Unmet Demand



Gap/Surplus Change Over Time

Age Cohort	All Incomes			Incomes below 70% State Median Income		
	Gap/Surplus in 2009	Gap/Surplus in 2017	Trend	Gap/Surplus in 2009	Gap/Surplus in 2017	Trend
Infant	-123	-322	↓	-53	-261	↓
Preschool	-56	-456	↓	26	-223	↓
School Age	-811	-692	↑	-73	-820	↓