



OVERVIEW

District Details

Grades : K4-12

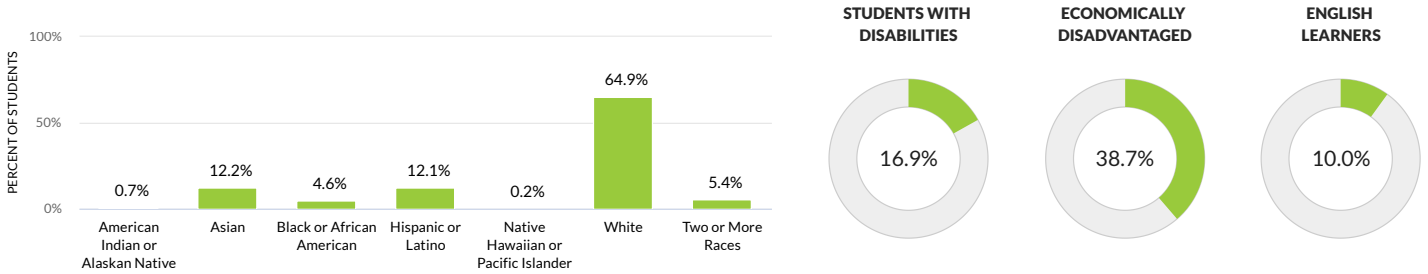
Enrollment : 14,491

Percent open enrollment : 8.1%

The Appleton Area School District serves over 15,000 students in fifteen elementary schools, four middle schools, three high schools, thirteen Charter schools, and one magnet school. Working together, students, families, staff, and community will ensure that each graduate is academically, socially, and emotionally prepared for success in life. Every Student, Every Day.

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Student Groups



Score Summary

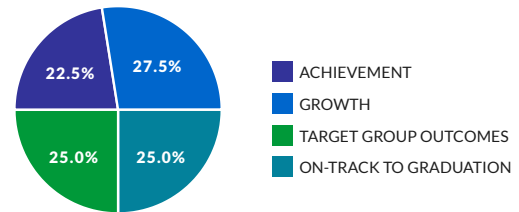
! Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, please use caution when interpreting scores and ratings. Careful review of the detailed data on all pages is encouraged. Also, see <https://dpi.wi.gov/accountability/resources>.



Meets Expectations

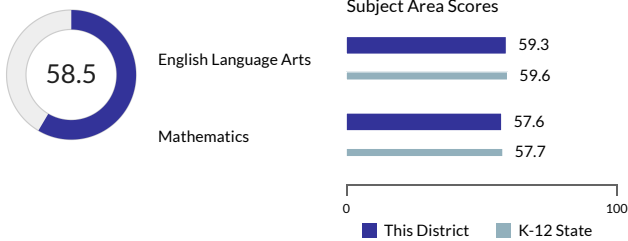


PRIORITY AREA WEIGHTS

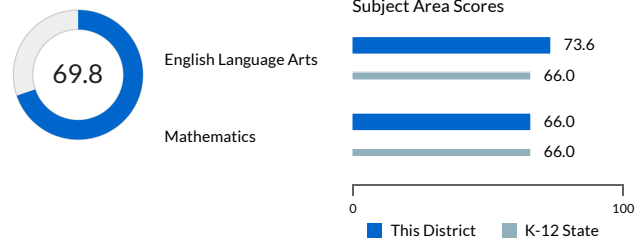


Priority Area Scores

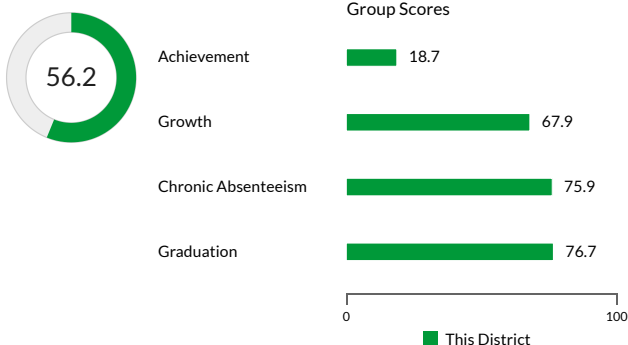
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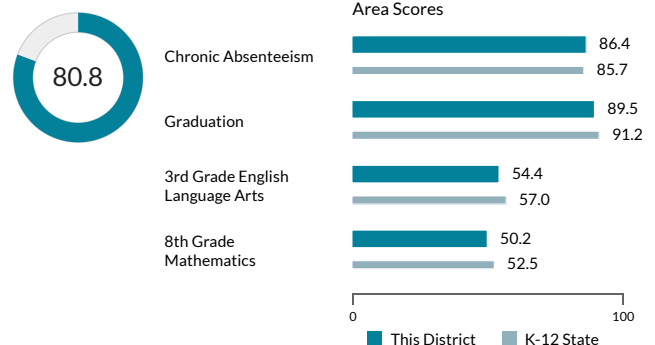
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TARGET GROUP OUTCOMES



ON-TRACK TO GRADUATION





DISTRICT SCHOOLS ACCOUNTABILITY SUMMARY

This page summarizes outcomes for schools in this district. It is for information only. School report card scores do not factor into district scores. Instead, to determine the district's scores and rating, all students in the district, including those in alternate accountability schools, are treated as one district-wide student body.

This district contains one or more virtual charter schools with at least 50% open enrollment. The following schools are excluded from this district report card: Wisconsin Connections Academy.

Distribution of Schools by Rating

This table lists the number and percentage of schools in each of the five rating categories as determined by the schools' overall scores.

Rating Category	Number of Schools	Percent of Schools
Significantly Exceeds Expectations	5	14.3%
Exceeds Expectations	13	37.1%
Meets Expectations	8	22.9%
Meets Few Expectations	7	20.0%
Fails to Meet Expectations	0	0.0%

Alternate Accountability Schools

Schools that are new, small, or do not have grades in which state tests are taken lack the data needed to receive an overall score and rating. Instead, these schools participate in an alternate accountability process and receive one of two ratings based upon results of a district-supervised self-evaluation. Alternate accountability ratings for schools in this district are summarized below.

Alternate Accountability Rating Category	Number of Schools	Percent of Schools
Satisfactory Progress	2	5.7%
Needs Improvement	0	0.0%

School Score Summary

This table does not include alternate accountability schools.

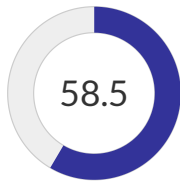
Priority Area	Low Score	Average Score	High Score	Possible Points
Overall Score	52.1	71.1	98.3	100.0
Achievement	33.7	60.6	100.0	100.0
Growth	46.1	70.7	99.2	100.0
Target Group Outcomes	37.0	63.3	100.0	100.0
On-Track to Graduation	73.3	86.1	98.3	100.0



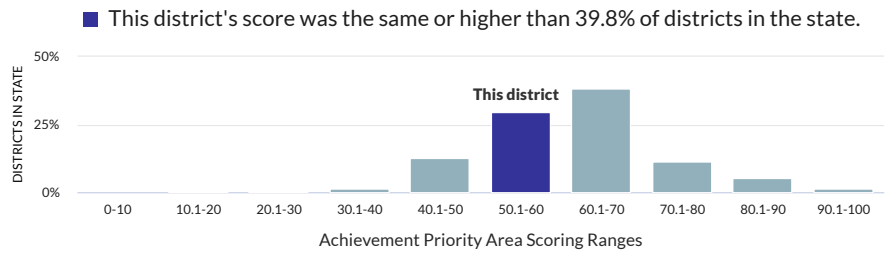
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This priority area summarizes how this district's students performed on state assessments using a points-based proficiency system that gives partial credit for Basic test performance and extra credit for Advanced performance. The score is a multi-year average of English language arts and mathematics subscores.

Priority Area Score



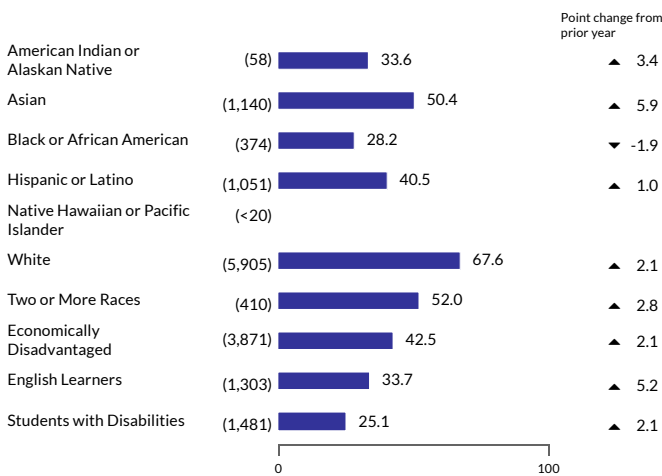
English Language Arts Score: 59.3
Mathematics Score: 57.6



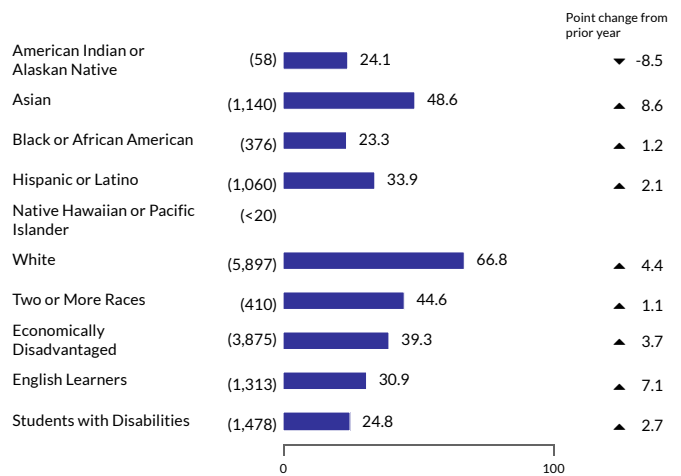
Student Group Achievement, 2021-22 (for information only)

Group size is given in parentheses. Groups with fewer than 20 students do not have a score displayed.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS



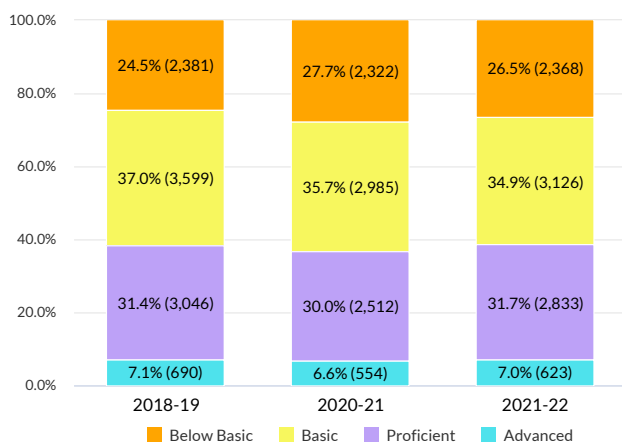
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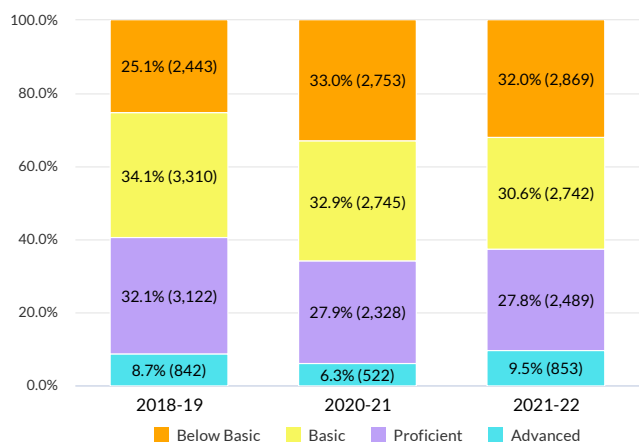
Performance Levels by Year

These graphs show district-wide percentages and group sizes of students performing at each level.

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ACHIEVEMENT - ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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Test Participation Rates, 2021-22

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

All students	Lowest-participating group: Students with Disabilities
96.7%	91.8%

MATHEMATICS

All students	Lowest-participating group: Students with Disabilities
96.6%	91.7%

Student Group Performance Levels by Year

All student groups are shown. Student data is shown for full academic year students in tested grades.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

	2018-19					2020-21					2021-22				
	Total # Tested	Advanced	Proficient	Basic	Below Basic	Total # Tested	Advanced	Proficient	Basic	Below Basic	Total # Tested	Advanced	Proficient	Basic	Below Basic
All Students: K-12 State	572,413	8.0%	32.7%	34.1%	25.3%	493,155	6.9%	31.5%	35.2%	26.5%	541,295	7.1%	30.8%	33.9%	28.2%
All Students	9,716	7.1%	31.4%	37.0%	24.5%	8,373	6.6%	30.0%	35.7%	27.7%	8,950	7.0%	31.7%	34.9%	26.5%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	54	3.7%	24.1%	35.2%	37.0%	43	0.0%	11.6%	37.2%	51.2%	58	3.4%	10.3%	36.2%	50.0%
Asian	1,139	5.0%	20.1%	45.2%	29.7%	986	4.2%	18.3%	40.0%	37.6%	1,140	3.7%	23.1%	43.5%	29.7%
Black or African American	459	2.6%	15.3%	28.8%	53.4%	360	1.1%	11.4%	34.2%	53.3%	374	1.3%	12.8%	26.7%	59.1%
Hispanic or Latino	1,064	1.1%	21.3%	39.2%	38.3%	940	2.3%	17.9%	36.3%	43.5%	1,051	2.7%	18.3%	36.5%	42.5%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	<20	*	*	*	*	<20	*	*	*	*	<20	*	*	*	*
White	6,733	8.8%	36.2%	35.9%	19.1%	5,729	8.3%	35.6%	34.8%	21.3%	5,905	9.0%	37.3%	33.6%	20.1%
Two or More Races	254	5.9%	26.4%	36.2%	31.5%	307	3.9%	24.8%	37.1%	34.2%	410	3.9%	29.3%	33.7%	33.2%
Economically Disadvantaged	3,758	2.4%	19.9%	40.7%	37.0%	3,286	2.3%	18.3%	37.5%	41.9%	3,871	2.4%	20.3%	37.1%	40.2%
English Learners	1,298	0.5%	13.4%	42.6%	43.5%	1,102	0.7%	9.3%	36.3%	53.7%	1,303	0.8%	13.0%	39.0%	47.2%
Students with Disabilities	1,525	1.1%	8.9%	27.7%	62.4%	1,385	0.9%	8.6%	26.1%	64.4%	1,481	1.4%	10.3%	25.3%	62.9%

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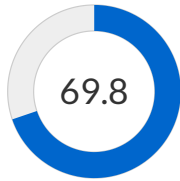
	2018-19					2020-21					2021-22				
	Total # Tested	Advanced	Proficient	Basic	Below Basic	Total # Tested	Advanced	Proficient	Basic	Below Basic	Total # Tested	Advanced	Proficient	Basic	Below Basic
All Students: K-12 State	573,212	9.4%	31.6%	30.8%	28.2%	493,043	7.0%	29.4%	31.6%	32.0%	542,396	9.3%	28.2%	29.1%	33.3%
All Students	9,717	8.7%	32.1%	34.1%	25.1%	8,348	6.3%	27.9%	32.9%	33.0%	8,953	9.5%	27.8%	30.6%	32.0%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	56	1.8%	26.8%	39.3%	32.1%	43	0.0%	14.0%	37.2%	48.8%	58	1.7%	6.9%	29.3%	62.1%
Asian	1,139	6.0%	22.7%	38.5%	32.7%	986	4.3%	17.2%	32.7%	45.8%	1,140	6.1%	22.6%	33.5%	37.7%
Black or African American	456	2.0%	12.3%	30.9%	54.8%	355	0.3%	9.3%	24.8%	65.6%	376	1.3%	11.7%	19.1%	67.8%
Hispanic or Latino	1,064	2.7%	20.1%	36.5%	40.7%	940	1.9%	13.1%	31.6%	53.4%	1,060	3.1%	13.8%	30.8%	52.3%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	<20	*	*	*	*	<20	*	*	*	*	<20	*	*	*	*
White	6,735	10.7%	37.3%	33.1%	18.9%	5,710	7.8%	33.9%	33.7%	24.6%	5,897	12.3%	33.0%	30.6%	24.1%
Two or More Races	254	5.5%	24.8%	35.4%	34.3%	307	4.6%	20.5%	32.2%	42.7%	410	4.4%	21.2%	33.7%	40.7%
Economically Disadvantaged	3,761	3.1%	21.2%	37.0%	38.7%	3,271	1.7%	16.8%	32.4%	49.0%	3,875	3.4%	18.6%	31.1%	46.9%
English Learners	1,302	1.4%	16.1%	37.0%	45.5%	1,098	0.7%	8.6%	28.2%	62.5%	1,313	2.2%	12.4%	30.3%	55.1%
Students with Disabilities	1,525	1.4%	11.7%	24.9%	62.0%	1,381	1.5%	9.6%	20.4%	68.4%	1,478	2.8%	10.3%	20.4%	66.4%



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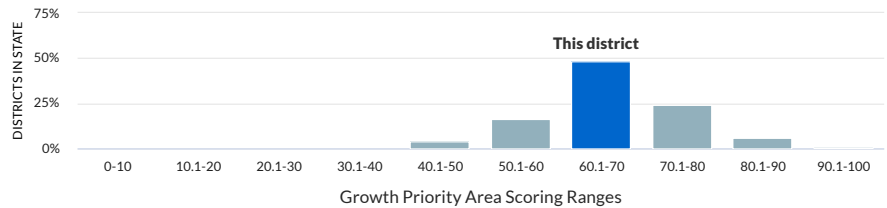
This priority area measures year-to-year student progress on statewide tests. It uses a value-added model that seeks to control for circumstances beyond the influence of educators. A high value-added score means that on average students in the district are progressing more quickly than other, similar students. Growth is scored from 0 to 100 to match the other priority areas and is a conversion from the roughly 0 to 6 value-added score.

Priority Area Score



English Language Arts Score: 73.6
Mathematics Score: 66.0

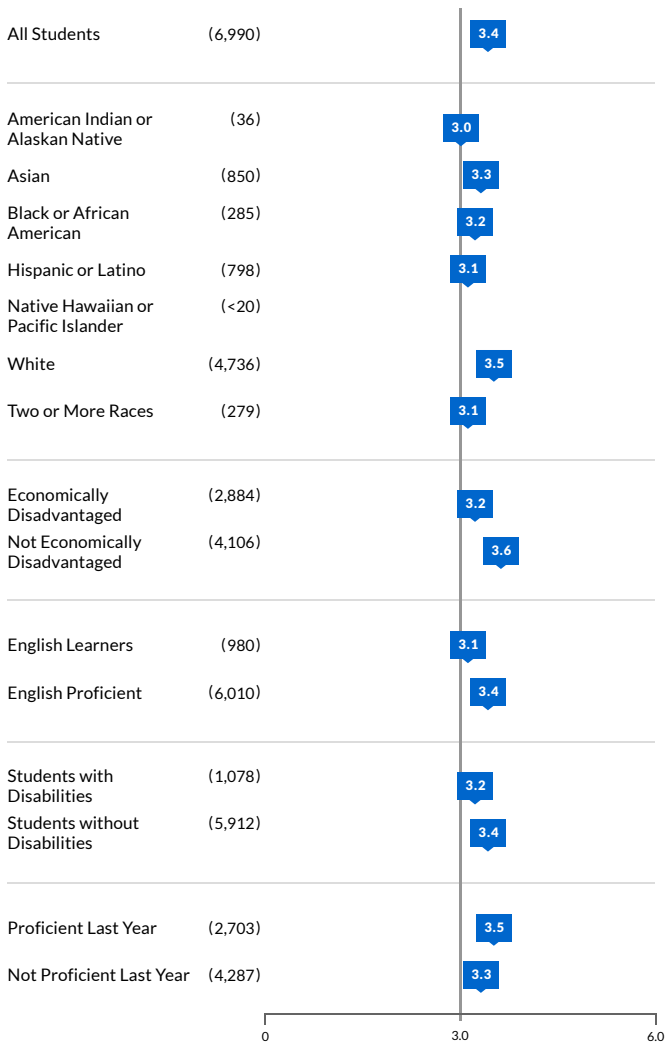
■ This district's score was the same or higher than 69.1% of districts in the state.



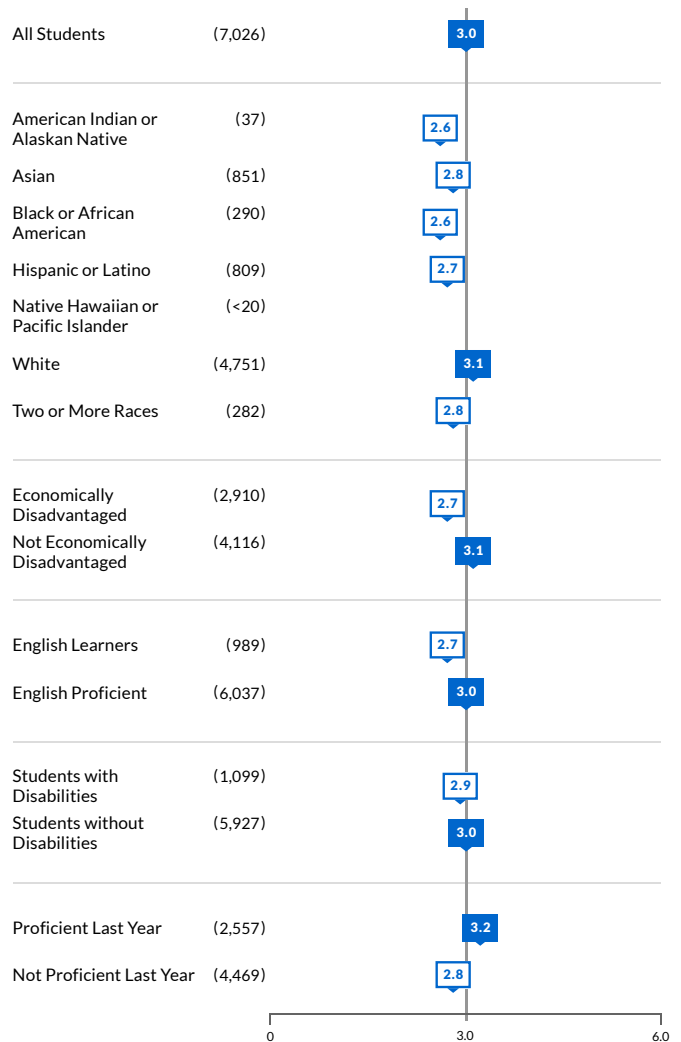
Student Group Value-Added (for information only)

Value-added scores cover an approximately 0-6 range. Higher scores mean greater positive impact. A score of 3.0 is average. Group size is shown in parentheses. Groups with fewer than 20 students do not have a score displayed. Shaded boxes indicate higher-than-average scores.

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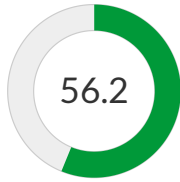




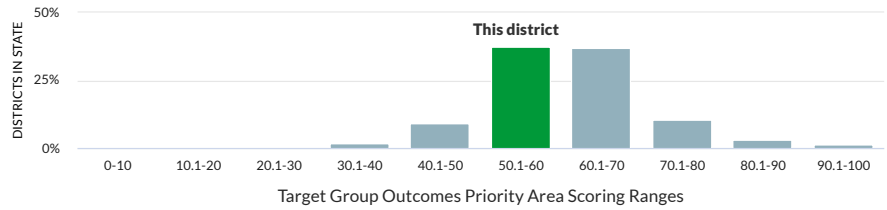
TARGET GROUP OUTCOMES

This priority area examines outcomes for students with the lowest test scores — the Target Group. It is designed to promote equity by helping districts focus on learners who need the most support while also improving outcomes for all students. The priority area score combines component scores for achievement, growth, chronic absenteeism, and attendance or graduation rate. Data are not displayed when target groups have fewer than 20 students.

Priority Area Score



■ This district's score was the same or higher than 31.4% of districts in the state.



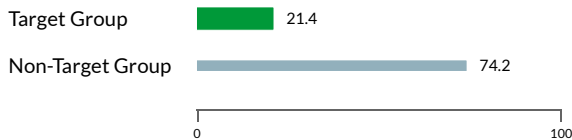
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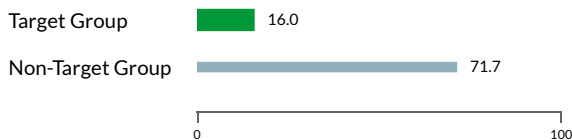
Score: 18.7

Average points-based proficiency rates.

English Language Arts



Mathematics

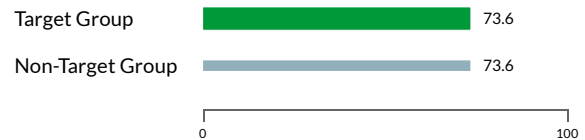


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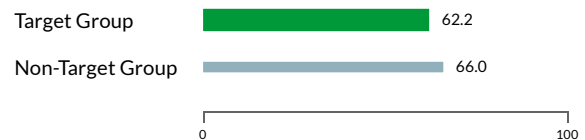
Score: 67.9

Value-added scores converted onto a 0-100 growth scale.

English Language Arts



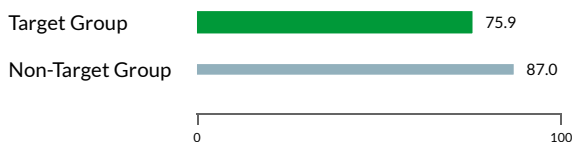
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CHRONIC ABSENTEEISM

Score: 75.9

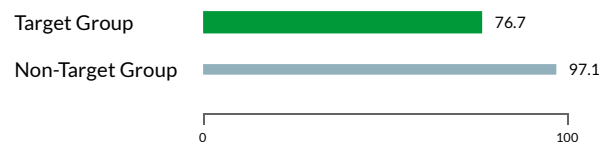
Score is 100 minus the multi-year average chronic absenteeism rate — the percentage of students who missed more than 10% of school days — so a higher score is better.



GRADUATION

Score: 76.7

Average of 2020-21's 4- and 7-year cohort rates.

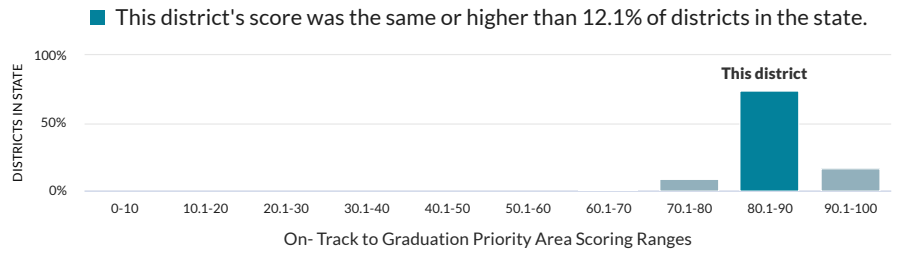
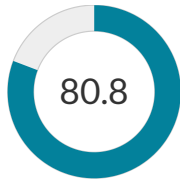




ON-TRACK TO GRADUATION

This priority area indicates how successfully students are progressing toward completing their K-12 education. The score combines component scores for measures of student engagement and achievement.

Priority Area Score

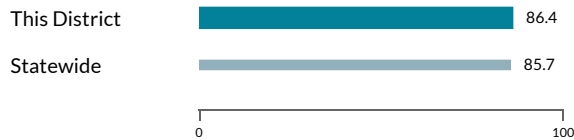


Component Scores

CHRONIC ABSENTEEISM

Score: 86.4

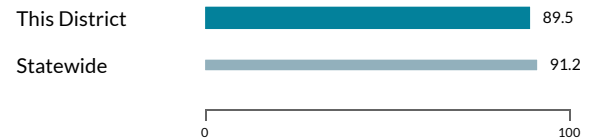
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GRADUATION

Score: 89.5

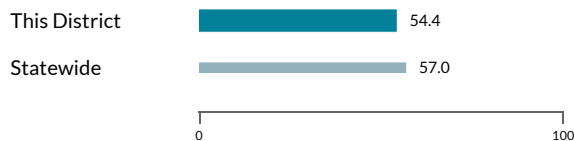
Average of 2020-21's 4- and 7-year cohort rates.



3RD GRADE ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

Score: 54.4

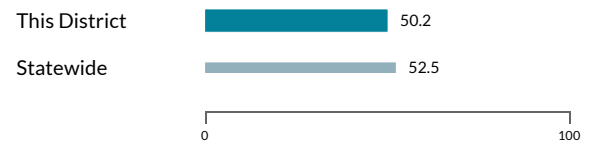
Multi-year average points-based proficiency rates.



8TH GRADE MATHEMATICS

Score: 50.2

Multi-year average points-based proficiency rates.





ON-TRACK TO GRADUATION - ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

This page provides additional detail about chronic absenteeism and graduation and is for information only.

Student Group Chronic Absenteeism Rates, Single-Year

	2018-19		2019-20		2020-21	
	Students	Rate	Students	Rate	Students	Rate
All Students: K-12 State	831,556	13.1%	826,704	13.1%	808,635	16.3%
All Students	14,523	7.4%	14,239	8.8%	13,314	22.4%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	83	26.5%	89	24.7%	86	50.0%
Asian	1,721	5.0%	1,697	6.1%	1,676	21.5%
Black or African American	706	19.3%	663	19.6%	657	48.4%
Hispanic or Latino	1,624	12.2%	1,597	13.0%	1,560	32.8%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	22	9.1%	20	15.0%	23	60.9%
White	9,842	5.8%	9,610	7.4%	8,732	17.7%
Two or More Races	525	10.9%	563	13.7%	580	31.4%
Economically Disadvantaged	5,835	12.0%	5,626	14.4%	5,675	32.5%
English Learners	1,895	7.4%	1,801	7.7%	1,787	27.5%
Students with Disabilities	2,294	13.5%	2,321	16.2%	2,267	31.8%

Student Group Graduation Rates

This table shows for each of two cohorts the percentage of students starting high school together who graduated by 2020-21. The four-year rate pertains to students who started high school four years earlier, and the seven-year rate pertains to students who started seven years earlier.

	Four-year cohort graduation rate			Seven-year cohort graduation rate		
	Students in cohort	Graduates	Rate	Students in cohort	Graduates	Rate
All Students: K-12 State	67,264	60,134	89.4%	66,412	61,851	93.1%
All Students	1,153	979	84.9%	1,230	1,154	93.8%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	<20	*	*	<20	*	*
Asian	145	129	89.0%	132	126	95.5%
Black or African American	69	43	62.3%	49	40	81.6%
Hispanic or Latino	126	100	79.4%	118	104	88.1%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	<20	*	*	<20	*	*
White	774	681	88.0%	911	871	95.6%
Two or More Races	26	21	80.8%	<20	*	*
Economically Disadvantaged	405	294	72.6%	394	346	87.8%
English Learners	109	83	76.1%	116	106	91.4%
Students with Disabilities	156	87	55.8%	132	115	87.1%



POSTSECONDARY PREPARATION, 2020-21

Section 115.385 (d)1.-5., Wis. Stat., requires report cards to include data on pupil participation in various postsecondary preparation opportunities. All data are for grades 9-12. This is for information only and does not affect scores. Course and program data are reported by schools and districts to DPI. Please use caution when interpreting these data. Asterisks replace all-student participation data if the district enrolled fewer than 20 students.

Participation by Type of Postsecondary Preparation

ADVANCED COURSES

District	State
20.5%	19.9%

903 students successfully completed at least one Advanced Placement or International Baccalaureate course.

DUAL ENROLLMENT

District	State
31.7%	18.6%

1,397 students successfully completed at least one dual enrollment course.

INDUSTRY-RECOGNIZED CREDENTIALS

District	State
1.0%	2.8%

46 students earned at least one industry-recognized credential.

WORK-BASED LEARNING

District	State
2.0%	3.4%

89 students participated in a work-based learning program.

Student Group Participation

This table compares the percentages of students in the district participating in different types of postsecondary preparation opportunities with the percentages for the state. Total student enrollments are given for reference.

	Total # Enrolled		Advanced Courses		Dual Enrollment		Industry-Recognized Credentials		Work-Based Learning	
	District	State	District	State	District	State	District	State	District	State
American Indian or Alaskan Native	34	2,799	5.9%	6.5%	17.6%	10.0%	0.0%	1.8%	0.0%	2.4%
Asian	524	9,945	12.0%	28.6%	34.0%	16.9%	0.8%	2.2%	1.7%	1.9%
Black or African American	249	25,104	6.0%	12.2%	22.5%	6.2%	0.4%	0.6%	1.2%	0.9%
Hispanic or Latino	496	34,372	11.5%	15.8%	27.0%	13.4%	0.2%	1.9%	1.6%	1.8%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	<20	198	*	17.7%	*	17.2%	*	3.0%	*	1.0%
White	2,974	181,931	25.3%	21.7%	33.5%	21.7%	1.2%	3.4%	2.3%	4.2%
Two or More Races	122	9,829	11.5%	15.9%	21.3%	13.7%	2.5%	1.8%	0.8%	1.9%
Economically Disadvantaged	1,654	96,593	7.7%	10.8%	24.8%	12.0%	0.5%	2.1%	1.2%	2.6%
English Learners	451	14,562	2.0%	9.7%	24.2%	12.0%	0.0%	1.3%	2.0%	1.3%
Students with Disabilities	698	34,324	0.7%	3.6%	17.3%	9.6%	0.1%	1.9%	1.3%	2.5%



ARTS COURSE INFORMATION, 2020-21

Section 115.385 (d)6., Wis. Stat., requires report cards to include data on the percentage of high school pupils participating in various kinds of arts courses. All data are for grades 9-12. This is for information only and does not affect scores. Course and program data are reported by schools and districts to DPI. Please use caution when interpreting these data. Asterisks replace all-student participation data if the district enrolled fewer than 20 students.

Participation by Type of Arts Course

ART & DESIGN		DANCE		MUSIC		THEATER	
District	State	District	State	District	State	District	State
23.3%	23.0%	2.5%	0.3%	26.2%	18.3%	3.1%	1.6%
1,025 students successfully completed at least one art & design course.		109 students successfully completed at least one dance course.		1,152 students successfully completed at least one music course.		136 students successfully completed at least one theater course.	

Student Group Participation

This table compares the percentages of students in the district completing different types of arts courses with the percentages for the state. Total student enrollments are given for reference.

	Total # Enrolled		Art & Design		Dance		Music		Theater	
	District	State	District	State	District	State	District	State	District	State
American Indian or Alaskan Native	34	2,799	20.6%	21.5%	0.0%	0.0%	20.6%	12.5%	2.9%	0.5%
Asian	524	9,945	23.3%	20.6%	1.3%	0.3%	31.3%	16.3%	1.1%	0.9%
Black or African American	249	25,104	21.3%	18.7%	1.6%	0.4%	13.7%	8.9%	2.8%	2.5%
Hispanic or Latino	496	34,372	22.4%	21.3%	0.6%	0.2%	18.3%	12.1%	2.0%	1.5%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	<20	198	*	22.7%	*	0.0%	*	21.2%	*	0.5%
White	2,974	181,931	23.6%	24.2%	3.1%	0.3%	28.1%	21.0%	3.7%	1.5%
Two or More Races	122	9,829	24.6%	21.5%	1.6%	0.2%	13.9%	16.5%	1.6%	1.6%
Economically Disadvantaged	1,654	96,593	21.2%	21.8%	1.5%	0.2%	18.6%	13.6%	2.1%	1.5%
English Learners	451	14,562	23.5%	21.6%	0.0%	0.2%	19.7%	9.4%	0.7%	1.1%
Students with Disabilities	698	34,324	20.8%	23.4%	0.7%	0.2%	13.8%	12.0%	2.0%	1.5%

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