



OVERVIEW

District Details

Grades : K4-12

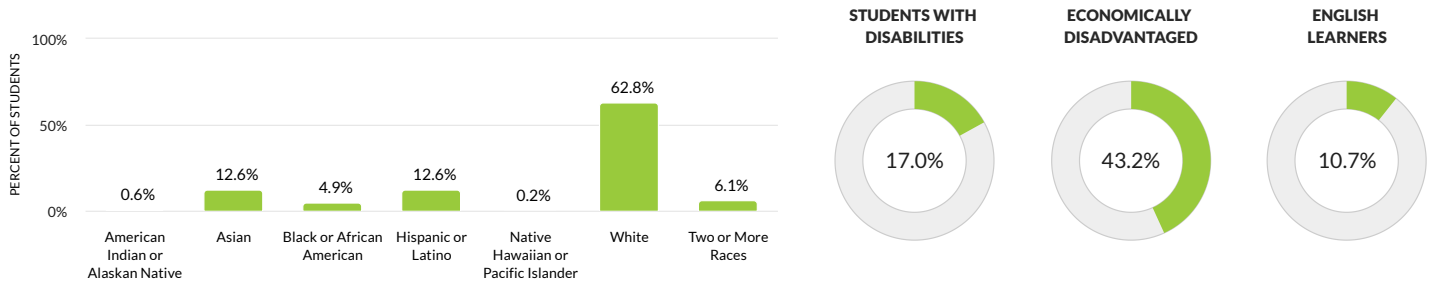
Enrollment : 14,552

Percent open enrollment : 8.3%

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.

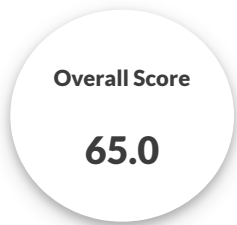
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Student Groups



Score Summary

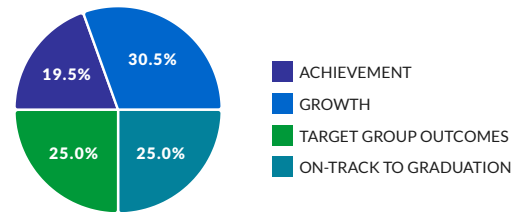
! Please use caution when interpreting scores and ratings. Multiple years of data impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic are used throughout the report card. Also, see <https://dpi.wi.gov/accountability/resources>.



Meets Expectations

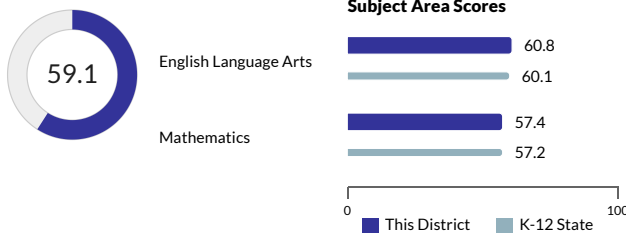


PRIORITY AREA WEIGHTS

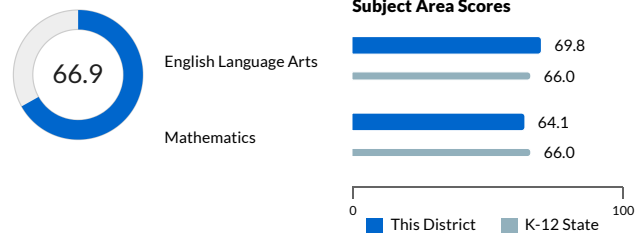


Priority Area Scores

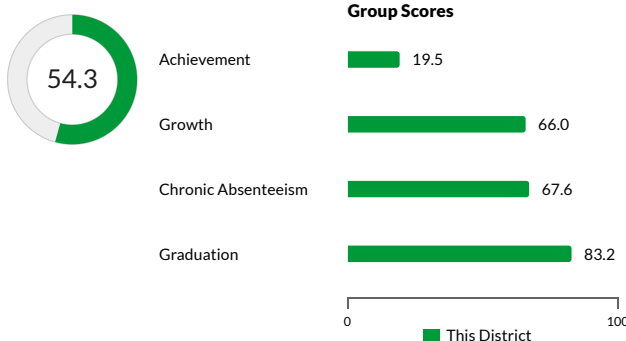
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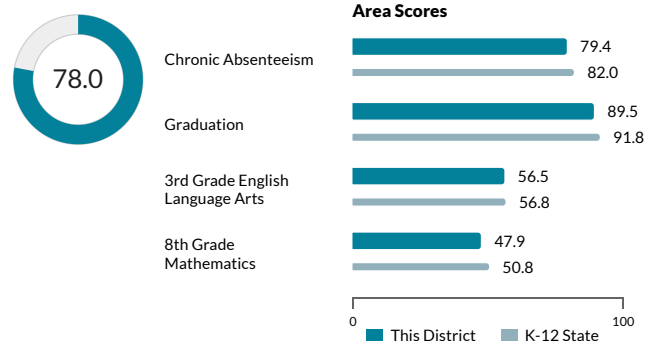
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TARGET GROUP OUTCOMES



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 as indicated in Wis. Stat. 115.385(1g)(d). As a result, the following schools are excluded from this district report card: Wisconsin Connections Academy.

This district contains one or more schools reported as detention facilities as indicated in Wis. Stat. 115.385(1g)(f) with at least 50% of students enrolled for less than an entire school term. As a result, the following schools are excluded from this district report card: Appleton Cooperative Educational Center.

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	4	11.8%
Exceeds Expectations	12	35.3%
Meets Expectations	12	35.3%
Meets Few Expectations	3	8.8%
Fails to Meet Expectations	2	5.9%

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	1	2.9%
Needs Improvement	0	0.0%

School Score Summary

This table does not include alternate accountability schools.

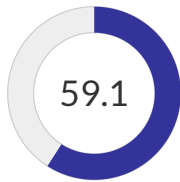
Priority Area	Low Score	Average Score	High Score	Possible Points
Overall Score	39.2	70.2	96.4	100.0
Achievement	39.7	61.8	100.0	100.0
Growth	27.1	70.0	97.4	100.0
Target Group Outcomes	24.8	62.0	100.0	100.0
On-Track to Graduation	69.8	81.9	95.6	100.0



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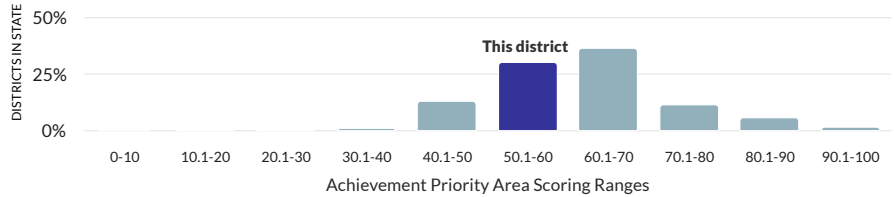
This priority area summarizes how this district's students performed on state assessments using a points-based proficiency system that gives partial credit for Basic test performance and extra credit for Advanced performance. The score is a multi-year average of English language arts and mathematics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

Priority Area Score



English Language Arts Score: 60.8
Mathematics Score: 57.4

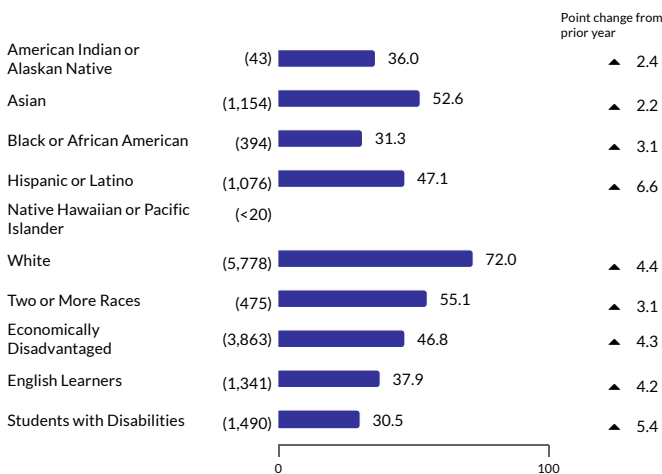
■ This district's score was the same or higher than 41.8% of districts in the state.



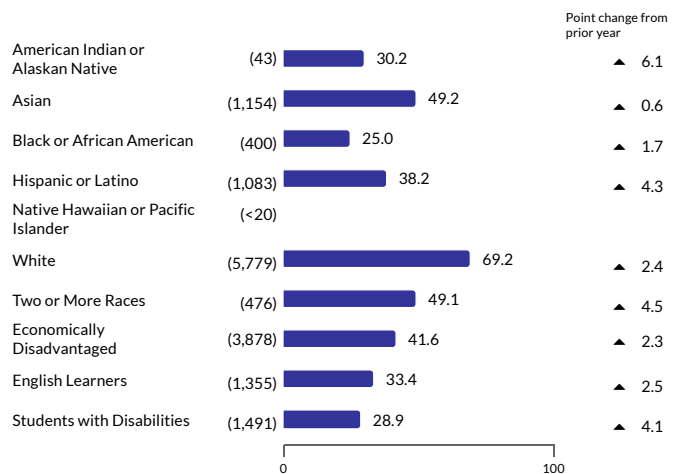
Student Group Achievement, 2022-23 (for information only)

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

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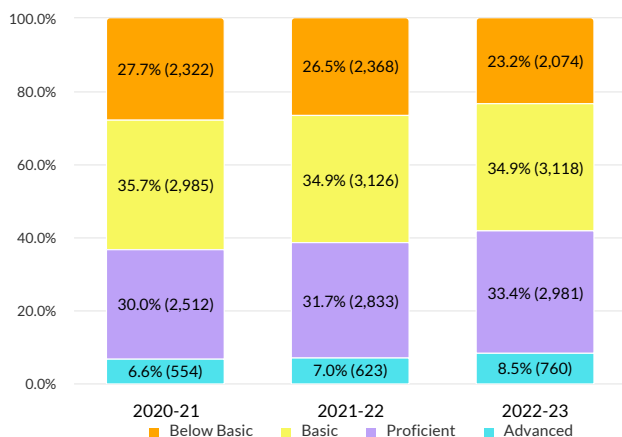
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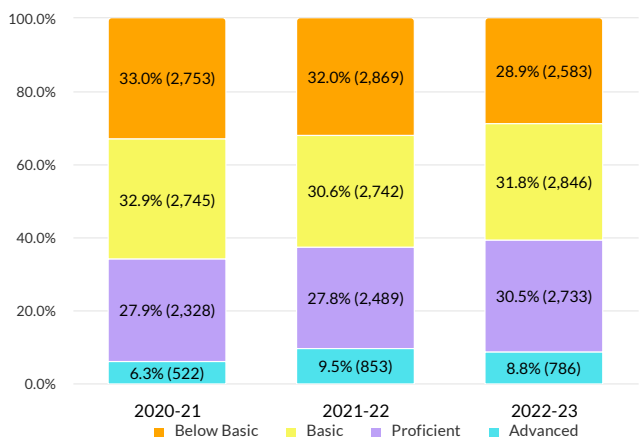
Performance Levels by Year

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, 2022-23

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

All students	Lowest-participating group: American Indian or Alaskan Native
97.0%	93.0%

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97.0%	93.0%

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

	2020-21					2021-22					2022-23				
	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	493,112	6.9%	31.5%	35.2%	26.5%	541,214	7.1%	30.8%	33.9%	28.2%	542,514	8.5%	31.9%	34.5%	25.1%
All Students	8,373	6.6%	30.0%	35.7%	27.7%	8,950	7.0%	31.7%	34.9%	26.5%	8,933	8.5%	33.4%	34.9%	23.2%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	43	0.0%	11.6%	37.2%	51.2%	58	3.4%	10.3%	36.2%	50.0%	43	0.0%	23.3%	25.6%	51.2%
Asian	986	4.2%	18.3%	40.0%	37.6%	1,140	3.7%	23.1%	43.5%	29.7%	1,154	4.4%	24.5%	42.9%	28.2%
Black or African American	360	1.1%	11.4%	34.2%	53.3%	374	1.3%	12.8%	26.7%	59.1%	394	1.5%	13.5%	31.2%	53.8%
Hispanic or Latino	940	2.3%	17.9%	36.3%	43.5%	1,051	2.7%	18.3%	36.5%	42.5%	1,076	4.0%	21.0%	40.2%	34.8%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	<20	*	*	*	*	<20	*	*	*	*	<20	*	*	*	*
White	5,729	8.3%	35.6%	34.8%	21.3%	5,905	9.0%	37.3%	33.6%	20.1%	5,778	11.0%	39.2%	32.6%	17.2%
Two or More Races	307	3.9%	24.8%	37.1%	34.2%	410	3.9%	29.3%	33.7%	33.2%	475	5.5%	29.3%	35.2%	30.1%
Economically Disadvantaged	3,286	2.3%	18.3%	37.5%	41.9%	3,871	2.4%	20.3%	37.1%	40.2%	3,863	3.1%	23.2%	38.0%	35.7%
English Learners	1,102	0.7%	9.3%	36.3%	53.7%	1,303	0.8%	13.0%	39.0%	47.2%	1,341	1.1%	14.7%	43.0%	41.2%
Students with Disabilities	1,385	0.9%	8.6%	26.1%	64.4%	1,481	1.4%	10.3%	25.3%	62.9%	1,490	1.9%	12.7%	30.0%	55.4%

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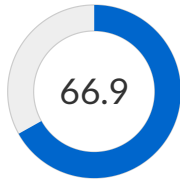
	2020-21					2021-22					2022-23				
	Total # Tested	Advanced	Proficient	Basic	Below Basic	Total # Tested	Advanced	Proficient	Basic	Below Basic	Total # Tested	Advanced	Proficient	Basic	Below Basic
All Students: K-12 State	492,997	7.0%	29.4%	31.6%	32.0%	542,322	9.3%	28.2%	29.1%	33.3%	543,999	9.4%	29.1%	30.5%	31.0%
All Students	8,348	6.3%	27.9%	32.9%	33.0%	8,953	9.5%	27.8%	30.6%	32.0%	8,948	8.8%	30.5%	31.8%	28.9%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	43	0.0%	14.0%	37.2%	48.8%	58	1.7%	6.9%	29.3%	62.1%	43	2.3%	11.6%	30.2%	55.8%
Asian	986	4.3%	17.2%	32.7%	45.8%	1,140	6.1%	22.6%	33.5%	37.7%	1,154	5.5%	23.8%	34.1%	36.5%
Black or African American	355	0.3%	9.3%	24.8%	65.6%	376	1.3%	11.7%	19.1%	67.8%	400	1.3%	11.0%	24.3%	63.5%
Hispanic or Latino	940	1.9%	13.1%	31.6%	53.4%	1,060	3.1%	13.8%	30.8%	52.3%	1,083	2.3%	16.9%	35.7%	45.1%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	<20	*	*	*	*	<20	*	*	*	*	<20	*	*	*	*
White	5,710	7.8%	33.9%	33.7%	24.6%	5,897	12.3%	33.0%	30.6%	24.1%	5,779	11.5%	36.5%	30.8%	21.1%
Two or More Races	307	4.6%	20.5%	32.2%	42.7%	410	4.4%	21.2%	33.7%	40.7%	476	5.3%	23.3%	35.7%	35.7%
Economically Disadvantaged	3,271	1.7%	16.8%	32.4%	49.0%	3,875	3.4%	18.6%	31.1%	46.9%	3,878	3.2%	19.8%	33.8%	43.1%
English Learners	1,098	0.7%	8.6%	28.2%	62.5%	1,313	2.2%	12.4%	30.3%	55.1%	1,355	1.5%	14.1%	34.1%	50.3%
Students with Disabilities	1,381	1.5%	9.6%	20.4%	68.4%	1,478	2.8%	10.3%	20.4%	66.4%	1,491	3.2%	12.1%	24.1%	60.6%



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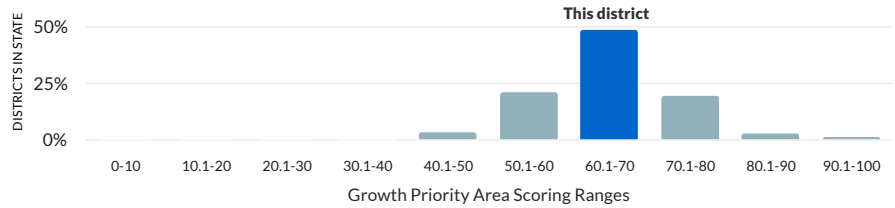
This priority area measures year-to-year student progress on statewide tests. It uses a value-added model that seeks to control for circumstances beyond the influence of educators. A high value-added score means that on average students in the district are progressing more quickly than other, similar 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: 69.8
Mathematics Score: 64.1

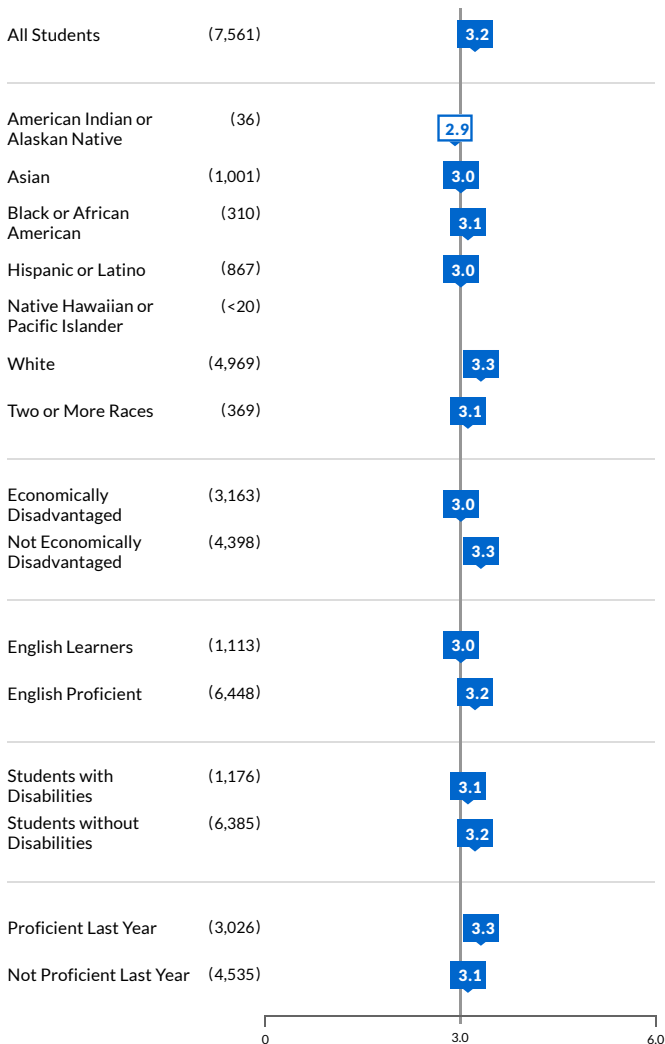
■ This district's score was the same or higher than 60.5% of districts in the state.



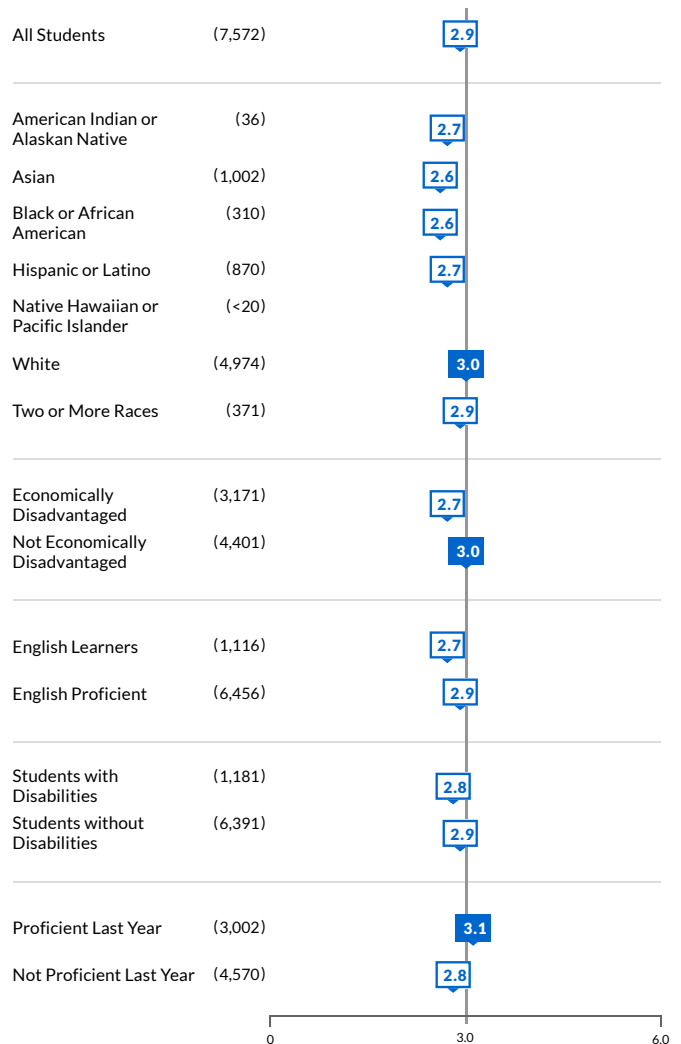
Student Group Value-Added (for information only)

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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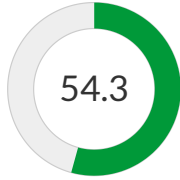




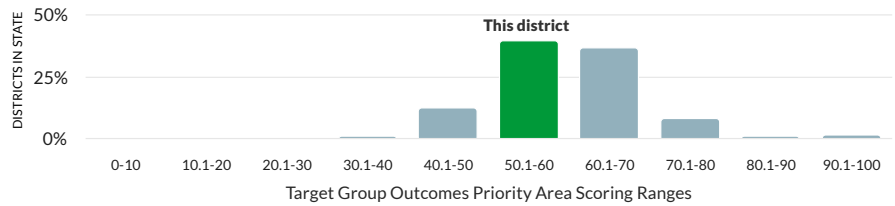
TARGET GROUP OUTCOMES

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 27.2% of districts in the state.



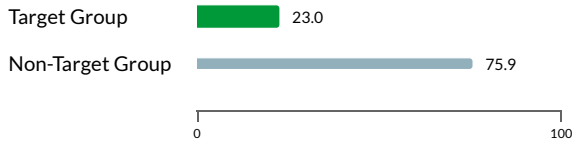
Component Scores

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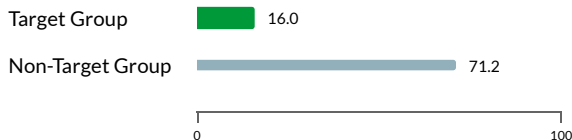
Score: 19.5

Average points-based proficiency rates.

English Language Arts



Mathematics

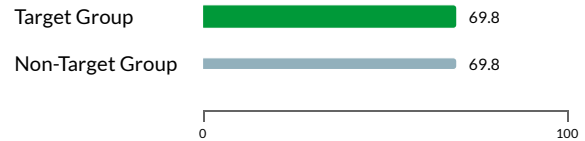


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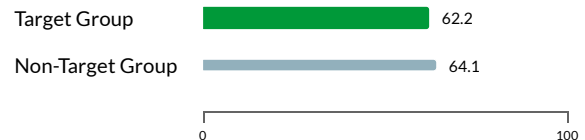
Score: 66.0

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

English Language Arts



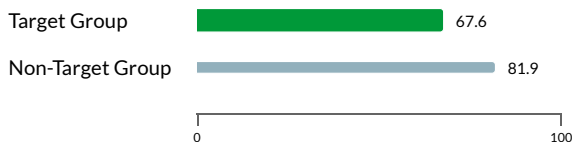
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CHRONIC ABSENTEEISM

Score: 67.6

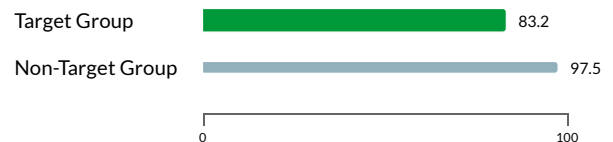
Score is 100 minus the multi-year average chronic absenteeism rate — the percentage of students who missed more than 10% of school days — so a higher score is better.



GRADUATION

Score: 83.2

Average of 2021-22's 4- and 7-year cohort rates.

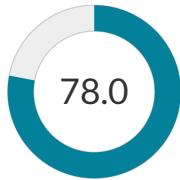




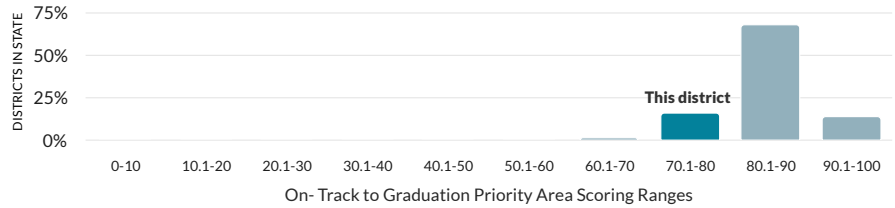
ON-TRACK TO GRADUATION

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



■ This district's score was the same or higher than 11.6% of districts in the state.

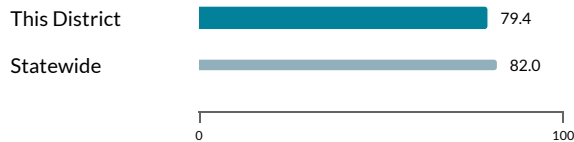


Component Scores

CHRONIC ABSENTEEISM

Score: 79.4

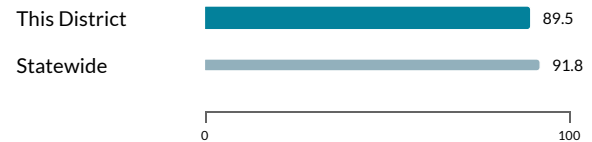
Score is 100 minus the multi-year average chronic absenteeism rate — the percentage of students who missed more than 10% of school days — so a higher score is better.



GRADUATION

Score: 89.5

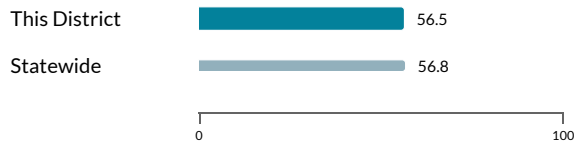
Average of 2021-22's 4- and 7-year cohort rates.



3RD GRADE ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

Score: 56.5

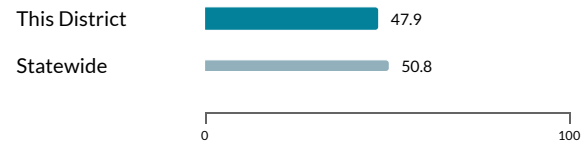
Multi-year average points-based proficiency rates.



8TH GRADE MATHEMATICS

Score: 47.9

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

	2019-20		2020-21		2021-22	
	Students	Rate	Students	Rate	Students	Rate
All Students: K-12 State	826,704	13.1%	808,646	16.2%	810,969	22.8%
All Students	14,234	8.8%	13,313	22.4%	13,506	27.3%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	88	25.0%	86	50.0%	89	58.4%
Asian	1,697	6.1%	1,676	21.5%	1,687	22.0%
Black or African American	662	19.6%	657	48.4%	606	45.5%
Hispanic or Latino	1,597	13.0%	1,560	32.8%	1,636	40.5%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	20	15.0%	23	60.9%	25	48.0%
White	9,607	7.4%	8,731	17.7%	8,741	23.2%
Two or More Races	563	13.7%	580	31.4%	722	39.5%
Economically Disadvantaged	5,625	14.4%	5,674	32.5%	6,083	38.4%
English Learners	1,801	7.7%	1,787	27.5%	1,867	28.8%
Students with Disabilities	2,316	16.3%	2,267	31.8%	2,288	38.6%

Student Group Graduation Rates

This table shows for each of two cohorts the percentage of students starting high school together who graduated by 2021-22. 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	68,258	61,659	90.3%	67,558	63,096	93.4%
All Students	1,164	1,011	86.9%	1,147	1,058	92.2%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	<20	*	*	<20	*	*
Asian	123	112	91.1%	128	123	96.1%
Black or African American	46	32	69.6%	65	55	84.6%
Hispanic or Latino	126	95	75.4%	116	97	83.6%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	<20	*	*	<20	*	*
White	836	749	89.6%	815	767	94.1%
Two or More Races	25	16	64.0%	<20	*	*
Economically Disadvantaged	428	318	74.3%	376	322	85.6%
English Learners	87	62	71.3%	106	87	82.1%
Students with Disabilities	163	98	60.1%	123	99	80.5%



POSTSECONDARY PREPARATION, 2021-22

Section 115.385 (1)(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
15.9%	20.1%

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

DUAL ENROLLMENT

District	State
31.9%	23.2%

1,428 students successfully completed at least one dual enrollment course.

INDUSTRY-RECOGNIZED CREDENTIALS

District	State
1.3%	3.9%

59 students earned at least one industry-recognized credential.

WORK-BASED LEARNING

District	State
2.9%	8.5%

131 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	2,750	2.9%	6.2%	23.5%	14.2%	0.0%	1.5%	0.0%	8.9%
Asian	520	10,138	12.3%	31.6%	28.8%	22.2%	1.3%	3.4%	3.3%	5.7%
Black or African American	228	25,007	3.9%	12.9%	20.2%	7.6%	0.0%	1.0%	2.2%	2.2%
Hispanic or Latino	518	35,817	8.5%	16.1%	24.7%	16.0%	0.2%	3.0%	1.5%	5.1%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	<20	202	*	20.3%	*	22.3%	*	2.5%	*	9.9%
White	3,032	182,130	19.2%	21.6%	35.1%	27.2%	1.6%	4.7%	3.2%	10.4%
Two or More Races	137	10,657	8.0%	17.7%	22.6%	17.8%	0.7%	2.6%	2.2%	6.1%
Economically Disadvantaged	1,786	102,069	5.4%	11.2%	23.8%	16.1%	0.7%	2.5%	2.0%	7.0%
English Learners	509	16,932	2.2%	11.4%	17.7%	13.8%	0.2%	2.1%	0.8%	4.1%
Students with Disabilities	703	34,245	0.1%	3.8%	17.2%	12.5%	0.7%	2.0%	2.1%	7.2%



ARTS COURSE INFORMATION, 2021-22

Section 115.385 (1)(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
26.8%	27.2%	2.4%	0.4%	23.8%	19.1%	3.6%	1.8%
1,199 students successfully completed at least one art & design course.		107 students successfully completed at least one dance course.		1,063 students successfully completed at least one music course.		163 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	2,750	35.3%	30.3%	0.0%	0.0%	14.7%	14.5%	0.0%	1.0%
Asian	520	10,138	31.2%	28.4%	0.8%	0.4%	29.2%	19.5%	1.9%	1.3%
Black or African American	228	25,007	30.3%	25.3%	0.9%	0.5%	10.5%	11.7%	2.6%	2.5%
Hispanic or Latino	518	35,817	29.3%	27.1%	0.8%	0.4%	15.4%	13.0%	2.3%	1.8%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	<20	202	*	28.2%	*	0.0%	*	23.3%	*	1.5%
White	3,032	182,130	25.3%	27.3%	3.1%	0.4%	25.8%	21.5%	4.2%	1.7%
Two or More Races	137	10,657	26.3%	28.2%	2.2%	0.6%	11.7%	17.7%	5.1%	2.2%
Economically Disadvantaged	1,786	102,069	29.1%	27.6%	1.4%	0.4%	17.6%	15.1%	2.9%	1.8%
English Learners	509	16,932	32.8%	29.3%	0.0%	0.5%	18.3%	11.7%	1.2%	1.7%
Students with Disabilities	703	34,245	23.8%	28.6%	0.6%	0.4%	11.4%	14.3%	1.7%	2.0%

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