Using Information

Data to Drive Decisions

Rhode Island gathers a variety of data to help schools with planning and accountability. The value-added calculations and the learning-support indicators combine different sources of data to help schools plan instruction, allocate resources, and focus on student performance.

Characteristics of students attending this school

- **Student eligibility for subsidized lunch programs**
  - 18% Not Eligible
  - 82% Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Lunch

- **Students from various ethnic backgrounds**
  - 87% White
  - 3% African-American
  - 2% Asian
  - 8% Hispanic
  - 8% Native American

- **Students receiving ESL/bilingual education services**
  - 100% Bilingual

- **Students receiving special education services**
  - 17% Nonrecipients
  - 12% Resource
  - 71% Self-Contained

- **Highest level of parents' education**
  - 2% Highest
  - 2% Second Highest
  - 96% Third Highest

Value-Added Indicators

- **Mathematics**
  - Statewide: 80% SKILLS, 40% CONCEPTS, 20% PROBLEM SOLVING
  - This School: 80% SKILLS, 40% CONCEPTS, 20% PROBLEM SOLVING
  - Similar Students Statewide: 80% SKILLS, 40% CONCEPTS, 20% PROBLEM SOLVING

- **English Language Arts**
  - Statewide: 80% READING: BASIC UNDERSTANDING, 40% READING: ANALYSIS & INTERPRETATION, 20% WRITING: EFFECTIVENESS, 10% WRITING: CONVENTIONS
  - This School: 80% READING: BASIC UNDERSTANDING, 40% READING: ANALYSIS & INTERPRETATION, 20% WRITING: EFFECTIVENESS, 10% WRITING: CONVENTIONS
  - Similar Students Statewide: 80% READING: BASIC UNDERSTANDING, 40% READING: ANALYSIS & INTERPRETATION, 20% WRITING: EFFECTIVENESS, 10% WRITING: CONVENTIONS

Learning Support Indicators

- **SALT Survey Indicators**
  - School Climate
    - This School: 80%
    - State: 60%
  - Parental Involvement
    - This School: 60%
    - State: 40%
  - Instruction
    - This School: 40%

- **Other Indicators**
  - Attendance
    - School: 95%
    - State: 95%
  - Time out of school
    - School: 80%
    - State: 85%
  - Health Education Assessments
    - Proficient Non-proficient
    - School: 70%
    - State: 77%
    - District: 30%

Additional school indicators

- **SALT Survey Teacher Response Rate**
  - This School: 100%
  - This District: 82%
  - The State: 69%

- **SALT Survey Student Response Rate**
  - This School: 84%
  - This District: 90%
  - The State: 90%

- **SALT Survey Parent Response Rate**
  - This School: 64%
  - This District: 60%
  - The State: 55%

- **Stability Index**
  - This School: 86%
  - This District: 51%
  - The State: 86%

- **Mobility Index**
  - This School: 19%
  - This District: 17%
  - The State: 17%

- **Rate of suspensions (incidents per 100 students enrolled)**
  - This School: 0.9
  - This District: 6.3
  - The State: 6.4

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