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:**
  - Not Eligible: 73%
  - Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Lunch: 27%

- **Students from various ethnic backgrounds:**
  - African-American: 42%
  - Asian: 15%
  - Hispanic: 2%
  - Native American: 94%
  - White: 41%

- **Students receiving ESL/bilingual education services:**
  - Nonrecipients: 6%
  - Resource: 12%
  - Self-Contained: 3%
  - English as a Second Language (ESL): 94%
  - Bilingual: 85%

- **Highest level of parents’ education:**
  - Did not finish high school: 1%
  - Graduated from high school: 92%
  - Some education after high school: 3%
  - Graduated from college: 3%
  - Don’t know: 4%

Value-Added Indicators

**Percentage of students who met or exceeded the standard compared with the percentage of similar students statewide**

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Learning Support Indicators

State averages are calculated by school level (elementary, middle, and high).

- **SALT Survey Indicators:**
  - School: 80%
  - State: 60%
  - Parental Involvement: 60%
  - Instruction: 50%

- **Other Indicators:**
  - Attendance: 95%
  - Health Education Assessments: 23%
  - Time out of school: 95%
  - Proficient: 77%
  - Non-proficient: NA

Additional school indicators

- **SALT Survey Teacher Response Rate:**
  - This School: 86%
  - This District: 68%
  - The State: 69%

- **SALT Survey Student Response Rate:**
  - This School: 81%
  - This District: 88%
  - The State: 90%

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

- **Stability Index:**
  - This School: 74%
  - This District: 48%
  - The State: 86%

- **Mobility Index:**
  - This School: 36%
  - This District: 28%
  - The State: 17%

- **Rate of suspensions (incidents per 100 students enrolled):**
  - This School: 6.7
  - This District: 5.9
  - The State: 3.6

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