“In their own words” Highlights from the school

EFFECTIVE SCHOOLS: Staff began implementation of the “Effective School Model” as the organizational structure for Robert L. Bailey Elementary School.

STAFF DEVELOPMENT: Staff continued training in the “Effective School Model” throughout the 1998-99 school year.


### Data and Analysis

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**Selected SALT Survey Findings**

- **1. SALT Survey Teacher Response Rate (%)**
  - This School: 100.00
  - This District: 83.46
  - The State: 85.98

- **2. SALT Survey Student Response Rate (%)**
  - This School: 89.47
  - This District: 74.34
  - The State: 76.54

- **3. Student Attendance (%)**
  - This School: 89.13
  - This District: 87.73
  - The State: 92.74

- **4. Average Class Size (Elementary)**
  - This School: 22
  - This District: 23
  - The State: 21

- **5. Span of Responsibility (Middle & High)**
  - This School: NA
  - This District: NA
  - The State: NA

- **6. Stability (%)**
  - This School: 62.18
  - This District: 73.48
  - The State: 84.76

- **7. Mobility (%)**
  - This School: 48.03
  - This District: 30.39
  - The State: 19.71

- **8. Teacher Attendance (%)**
  - This School: 90.83
  - This District: 92.92
  - The State: 96.31

- **9. Teacher Grievances Filed / Total # of Teachers**
  - This School: 0/20
  - This District: 336/1712
  - The State: 472/10028

- **10. Suspensions / Total # of Students**
  - This School: 17/323
  - This District: 5168/25611
  - The State: 39481/153342

- **11. Drop-out Rate (%)**
  - This School: NA
  - This District: 31.54
  - The State: 17.95

- **12. Graduation Rate (%)**
  - This School: NA
  - This District: 68.46
  - The State: 82.00

**Selected School Indicators**

- **1. SALT Survey Teacher Response Rate (%)**
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- **Financial information**

  Financial information will appear at the individual school level in next year’s INFORMATION WORKS! This year, data collected from a sample of Rhode Island districts and schools will be available under separate cover.

- **Mathematics (Skills)**
  - % of students performing at standard or above
  - % of students performing at lowest achievement level

- **Mathematics (Problem Solving)**
  - % of students performing at standard or above
  - % of students performing at lowest achievement level

- **English Language Arts (Reading, Analysis & Interpretation)**
  - % of students performing at standard or above
  - % of students performing at lowest achievement level

- **English Language Arts (Writing, Effectiveness)**
  - % of students performing at standard or above
  - % of students performing at lowest achievement level