



Nova High School

Mark C. Perry, Principal

School Report for 2017–18 School Year

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2017–18 School Year

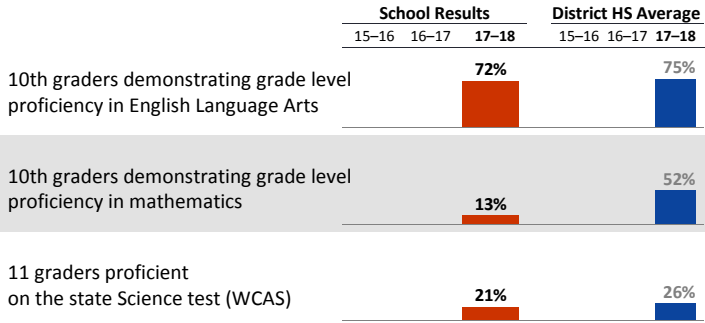
Students: 311

Teachers: 18

Average daily attendance: 81.1%

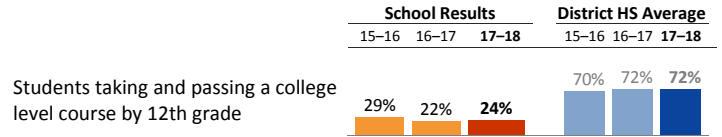
Student mobility: 33%

Student Achievement *

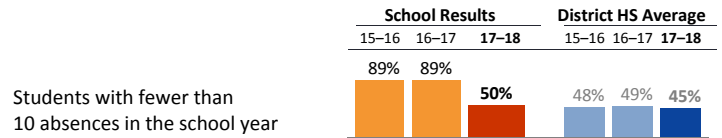


* Students who did not participate in state testing are counted as not demonstrating proficiency.

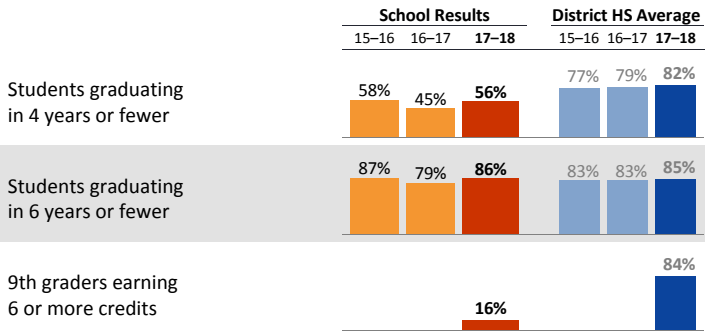
College & Career Ready



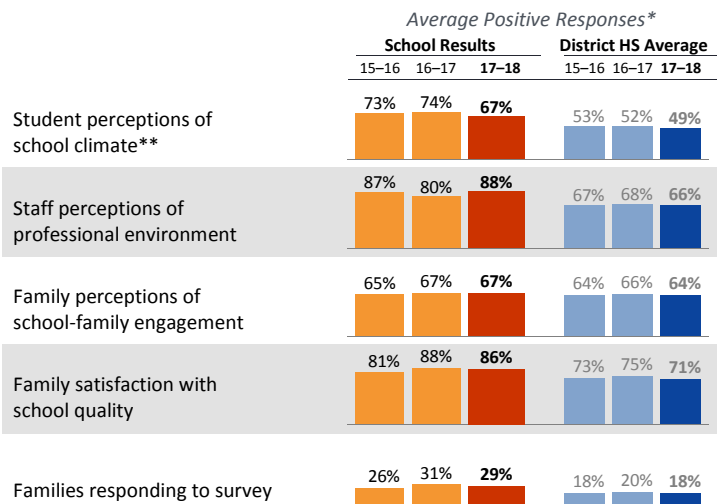
Attendance



On-Track for Graduation

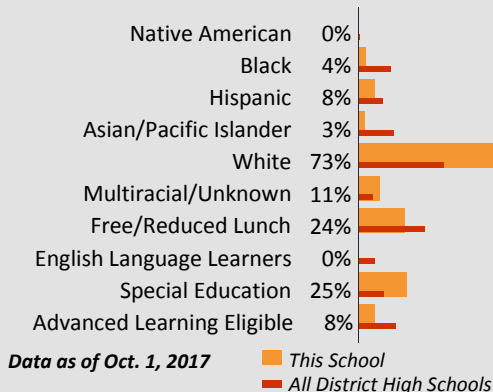


Student, Family, and Staff School Climate Survey



**Results for each survey category equal the average percent of positive responses ("Agree" or "Strongly Agree") for a subset of questions.

Student Demographics



Student Proficiency on State Tests

Spring 2018 School average compared to District high school average (grade 10)

	English Language Arts		Mathematics	
	School	District Avg	School	District Avg
All Students	72%	75%	13%	52%
Native American		50%		19%
Black		46%		17%
Hispanic		55%		27%
Asian/Pacific Islander		79%		65%
White	79%	89%	16%	67%
Multiracial		76%		56%
Free/Reduced Lunch	71%	53%	0%	29%
Eng. Lang. Learners		20%		15%
Special Education	53%	31%	7%	9%
Gifted		95%		94%



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School Plan & Budget for the 2018–19 School Year

School Mission Statement

Mission Statement for Nova High School: Nova is a non-graded, inquiry-based learning community committed to the success of all students through application of learning, performance assessment, building a diverse safe, supportive democratic community for all students. Nova's personalized advisory system provides a teacher/advisor for every student at a ratio of 24:1. . At Nova, students and staff are both learners and teachers. We work to find balance between

School Goals

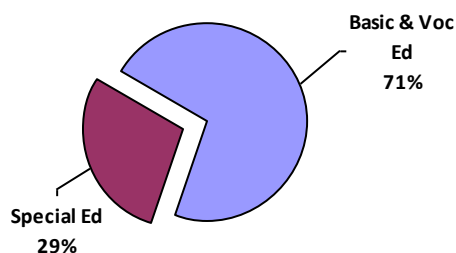
Goals for Nova High School: Incoming 9th grade students attend 3-1/2 days of workshops and advisory activities when they arrive at Nova before signing up for classes.; They meet their teacher advisor, meet with the advisory group, meet one-on-one with their teacher advisor, and sign up for classes. During their first semester at Nova they attend the Freshfolks class (9th grade seminar) which focuses on what they need to know and learn to be successful at Nova – from learning our competency-based system, to understanding how to participate fully in seminars, work collaboratively with other students, manage their time, make good personal and school decisions, and learn basic high school skills in reading, writing, presentations, and critical thought and action utilizing rigorous, engaging, relevant curriculum.

School Description & Plan to Achieve Goals

Description and Plan to Achieve Goals for Nova High School: Nova will provide competency-based inquiry, project- and problem-based opportunities for all students. We will continue to provide differentiated instruction targeted to support students in need of additional assistance. We will provide support time outside of class for math and language arts assistance, including weekly portfolio sessions for 9th grade students. All students are pre-assessed in math and placed in the appropriate math classes and additional tutoring is provided. We provide monthly updates on every student in every class and hold student-led family meetings for every student with their teacher advisor. Nova's staff is trained in trauma-based supports, supports for students who need accommodations, understanding and support for LGBTQ+ students, marginalized students, and students facing issues regarding homelessness. Nova's restorative and redemptive justice practices support conflict and community mediation, when needed. Overall, Nova provides a full spectrum of current research-based teaching and learning practices along with in-depth personalization for every student and family.

Annual Budget Report

2018–19 School Funding by Category



All financial data are from the 2018–19 recommended budget.

Total 2018–19 School Budget:
\$2,827,846

Projected 2018–19 Student Enrollment:
308

Per-Student Funding:
\$9,181

Invitation to Participate

One of the goals of having School Reports is to support families as critical partners with us in a student's academic success. To get involved, please share this with your friends and neighbors, visit the school, or consider talking to the teacher or principal about joining the school's Building Leadership Team or Parent Teacher Student Association to shape your school's improvement plan.

District Mission Statement

Seattle Public Schools is committed to ensuring equitable access, closing the opportunity gaps and excellence in education for every student.