



West Seattle Elementary

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School Report for 2017–18 School Year

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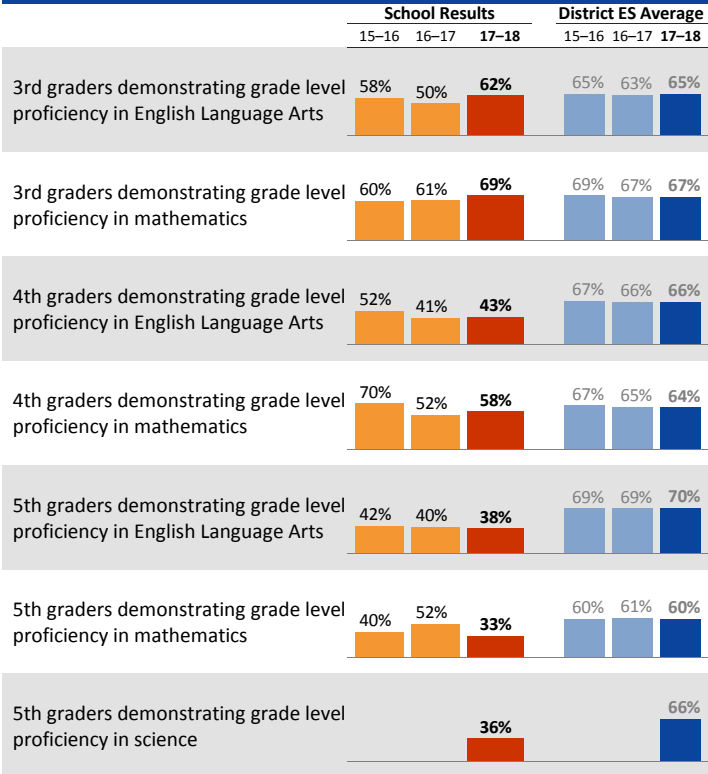
Students: 432

Teachers: 27

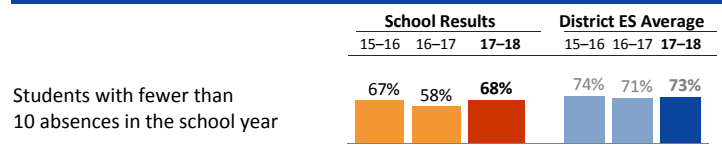
Average daily attendance: 94.6%

Student mobility: 21%

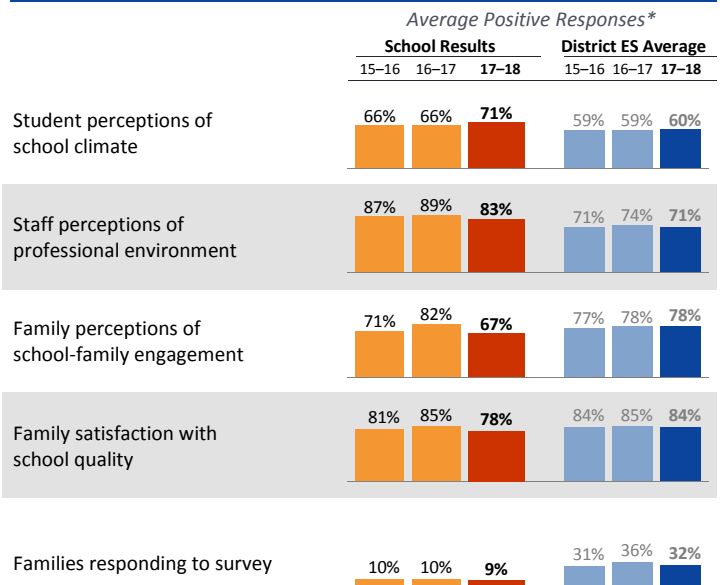
Student Achievement *



Attendance



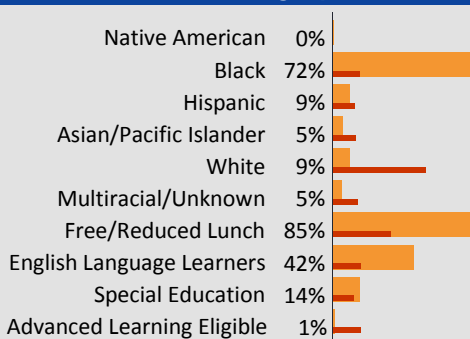
Student, Family, and Staff School Climate Survey



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

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

Student Demographics



Data as of Oct. 1, 2017

■ This School
■ All District Elementaries

Student Proficiency on State Tests

Spring 2018 School average compared to District elementary school average

	English Language Arts		Mathematics	
	School	District Avg	School	District Avg
All Students	48%	67%	55%	64%
Native American		39%		40%
Black	46%	34%	53%	32%
Hispanic	40%	46%	53%	41%
Asian/Pacific Islander	55%	67%	73%	70%
White	67%	82%	61%	76%
Multiracial		71%		66%
Free/Reduced Lunch	47%	38%	53%	37%
Eng. Lang. Learners	29%	18%	39%	26%
Special Education	13%	41%	24%	37%
Gifted		98%		97%



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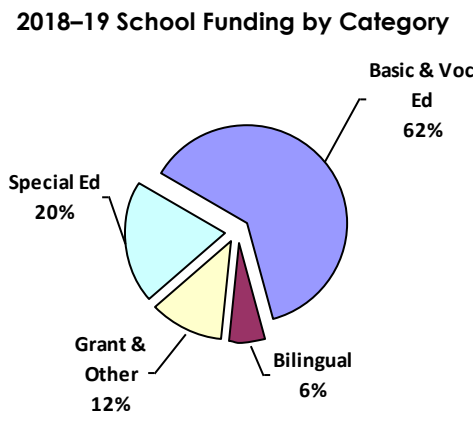
School Plan & Budget for the 2018–19 School Year

School Mission Statement
 West Seattle High School-preparing all students for college and beyond by providing challenging learning experiences which foster Character, Citizenship, Communication, Critical Thinking, Collaboration and Creativity. Wildcat values: PRIDE. Persistent, Respectful, Involved, Diverse, Engaged

School Goals
 Our goals include: 1) Creating systems to support the transition into high school and ensure that 100% of our incoming 9th grade students earn 5 or more credits during their 9th grade year. 2) Closing the gap that exists between racial and socioeconomic subgroups of students in both academic performance and discipline. Improved performance of subgroups of students is measured by scores on standardized tests, GPAs, attendance and discipline rates. 3) Ensuring all students graduate with the skills needed for post-high school success. Measures for this include: graduation rates, number of students enrolling in AP/College in the High School courses, Smarter Balanced Assessment and SAT/ACT performance.

School Description & Plan to Achieve Goals
 West Seattle High School is steeped in tradition and enjoys strong community support. The strength of our school lies within the students, staff and community who strive to do excellent work and support the success of all our students. We offer a full range of courses to challenge our students and prepare them for competitive post-high school options. In order to meet state and district goals, we focus on the achievement of all of our students, looking inward at what are doing in the classroom and outward to the supports we provide to our learners. Teachers meet regularly to develop their practice around inquiry and engagement strategies, analyzing student data and outcomes to make intentional instructional decisions aimed at increasing student achievement. We provide the following supports for students: after school study hall (MASH) on Tuesdays, Thursdays and one Saturday a month; FOCUS classes to provide academic interventions and skill recovery; online credit retrieval; Link Crew to provide for a successful integration to high school for our 9th graders and to build leadership skills in upper grade students. Athletes in our growing program participate in the competitive Metro 3A League and last year several of our teams competed for State titles. We also host a diversity of clubs to engage students in developing their interests and passions.

Annual Budget Report



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

Total 2018–19 School Budget: **\$5,659,874**

Projected 2018–19 Student Enrollment: **429**

Per-Student Funding: **\$13,193**

Invitation to Participate

Families are critical partners in our students’ academic success. Counselors and Academic Intervention Specialists are available to support students both academically and with social/emotional development. We encourage families to stay informed through our website westseattlehs.seattleschools.org and by reading our weekly newsletter, The Westside Weekly.

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