

SAFETY AND SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT

Safe and Orderly School Features

Your School	does	does not
• allows after-school programs	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• requires student uniforms	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
• encourages community programs in school building.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• conducts home visits	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• has a closed campus	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• requires parental conferences	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Safety and Discipline

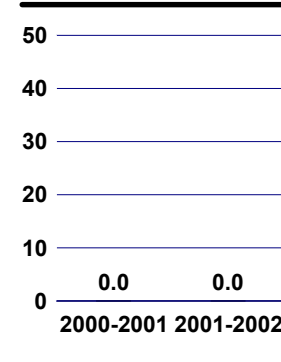
Safe schools are a top priority for parents, teachers, and communities. Your school's safety and discipline record for the 2002-2003 school year is:

Type of Incident	Number of Incidents Reported	Action Taken				
		In School Suspension	Out of School Suspension	Expulsion	Referred to Law Enforce.	Other
Substance Abuse - Drugs	4		4			
Substance Abuse - Alcohol						
Substance Abuse - Tobacco	1		1			
Assaults/Fights	11		10		1	
Habitually Disruptive Students	1			1		
Dangerous Weapons						
Other Violations of Code of Conduct	208	81	126	1		

Student Attendance and Time Spent in Classroom

2002-2003	Your School
Length of School Year	171 days
Enrollment	482
Average Daily Attendance	443
Student Dropouts	0.0%
Students Per Total Staff	9.5
Annual Number of Teacher Days Scheduled without Student Contact	14

Dropout Rate



Student Information Over Time

	2000-2001	2001-2002	2002-2003
Student Average Daily Attendance	94.6%	92.8%	91.9%
Student Dropouts	0.0%	0.0%	
Safety and Discipline Total Incidents Reported	250	354	224
Student Enrollment Stability		93.4%	90.5%
Students Eligible for Free Lunch		200	287

OVERALL ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE RATINGS

- Excellent
- High
- Average
- Low
- Unsatisfactory

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT RATINGS

- Significant Improvement
- Improvement
- Stable
- Decline
- Significant Decline

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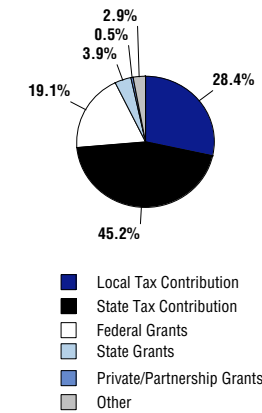
TAXPAYERS' REPORT

Sources of School District Revenue 2002

Local Tax Contribution	\$5,097,160
State Tax Contribution	8,104,692
Federal Grants	3,428,428
State Grants	697,079
Private/Partnership Grants	93,050
Other Discretionary Income	519,526
Total School Dist Revenue	\$17,939,935

Total 2002 District Revenue Per Pupil = \$9,065

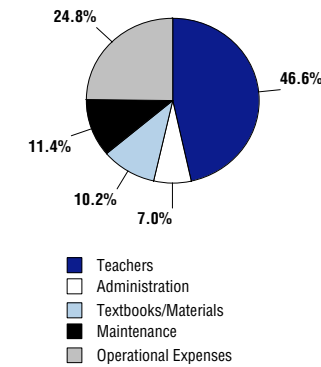
District Source of Funds 2002



District Use of Funds 2002

Teachers	\$7,443,893
Administration	1,119,298
Building & Facilities Maintenance	1,824,162
Operational Expenses	3,965,358
Textbooks/Materials	1,636,214
Total	\$15,988,925

District Use of Funds 2002



District Debt and Capital Construction & Equipment

Total Outstanding Bonded Debt	\$10,215,000
Average Annual Percentage Interest Rate on Debt	6.13%
Amount Raised from Most Recent Bond	\$13,025,000
Amount Spent on New Buildings During Last 2 Years	\$275,223

Voter Approved Funding Changes

Your community did / did not hold an election in November 2001.

The following items have been approved by voters:

- TABOR Override
- Bond
- Mill Levy Increase

Sheridan Middle School

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SHERIDAN MIDDLE SCHOOL



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School Accountability Report 2002-2003 School Year

School Performance Summary

Overall Academic Performance

Low

Academic Improvement:

Stable

How Sheridan Middle School Compares To Nearby Middle Schools

School	Academic Performance
Littleton Prep Charter School(1)	Average
Goddard Middle School(1)	High
Charles B Sinclair Middle School(2)	Average
Henry Middle School(3)	Low
Mary L Flood Middle School(2)	Average
Englewood Leadership Academy(2)	Excellent
Kunsmiller Middle School(3)	Low
Grant Ranch School(3)	Average
Euclid Middle School(1)	High
Grant Middle School(3)	Low

1 Located in Littleton 6 School District.

2 Located in Englewood 1 School District.

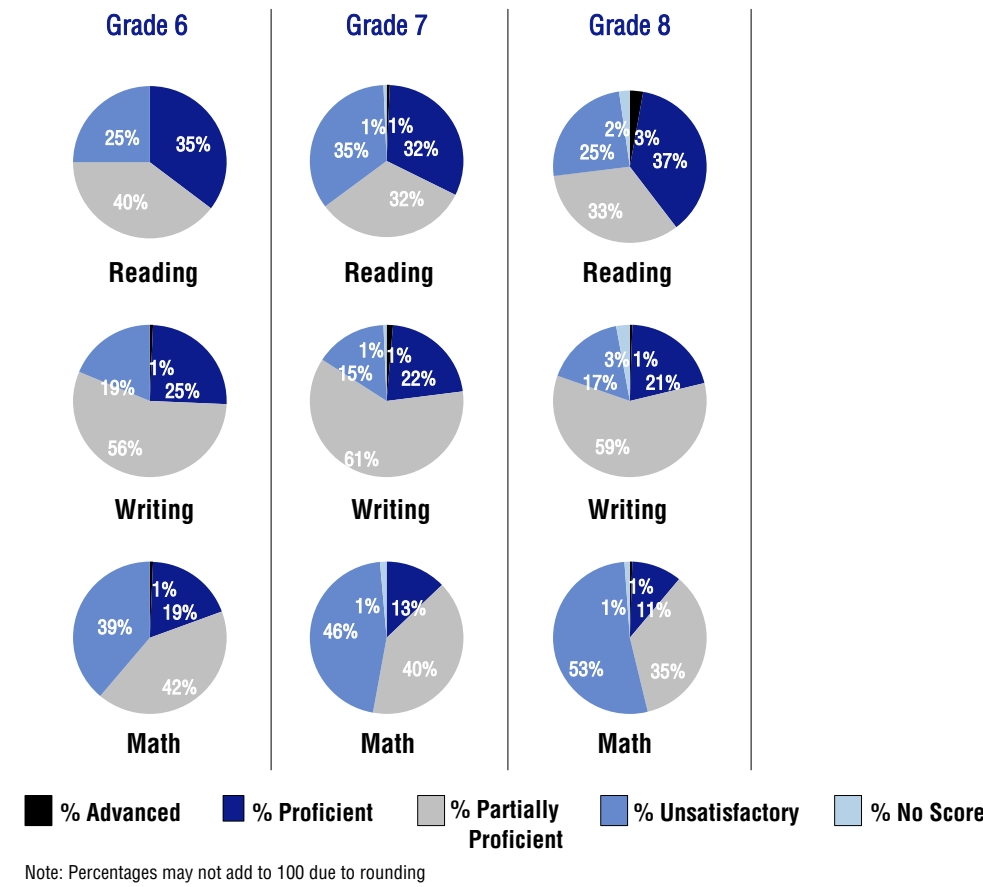
3 Located in Denver County 1 School District.

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STUDENT PERFORMANCE

Colorado students are assessed once a year in order to measure their performance on state academic content standards, using the Colorado Student Assessment Program (CSAP). The chart below shows the results for grades 6 - 8 in the subject areas for reading, writing and math for all students tested.

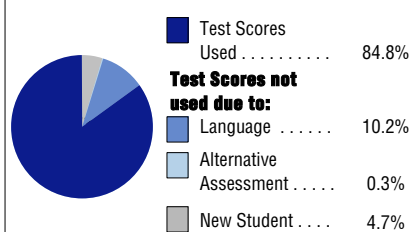
CSAP 2003 Spring



Percent of Students Scoring Proficient and Advanced

	Your School	District	State
Grade 6-8 Reading	36%	36%	65%
Grade 6-8 Writing	23%	23%	52%
Grade 6-8 Math	14%	14%	43%

Student Test Scores Used For Calculating Overall Academic Performance



Each school in the State received a rating of "Excellent", "High", "Average", "Low", or "Unsatisfactory" for student academic performance in school year 2002-2003 using the CSAP results printed above. Every student in this school who took these tests was included in the calculation used to assign a rating, except for students who do not speak English, whose special needs require that they spend less than 45% of their time in a regular classroom, or who enrolled in the public school after February 1 of this school year. Your school's rating was determined by the percentage of students performing in each of the Advanced, Proficient, Partially Proficient, and Unsatisfactory levels. These percentages were weighted and combined across grade levels and academic areas. These weights reward performance at the Advanced and Proficient levels over performance at the Partially Proficient and Unsatisfactory levels. The ratings were assigned after calculating the weighted total for each academic area and grade level for each school and comparing this school to all other middle schools for the 2002-2003 school year.

Overall Academic Performance for the 2002-2003 school year

Low

SCHOOL HISTORY

	2002-2003	2001-2002	2000-2001
Overall Academic Performance	Low	Low	Low
School Improvement	Stable	Stable	



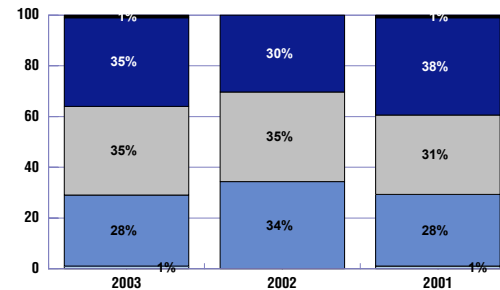
Each school receives a school improvement rating of Significant Improvement, Improvement, Stable, Decline, or Significant Decline. This rating is based upon the change in student academic performance from the previous year. Each school can improve its rating next year by improving student performance on the 2003-2004 CSAP.

Reading Proficiency Levels

Grades 6-8

Percent Proficient and Advanced

2003	36%
2002	30%
2001	39%

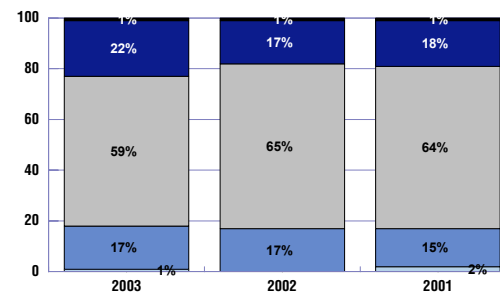


Writing Proficiency Levels

Grades 6-8

Percent Proficient and Advanced

2003	23%
2002	18%
2001	19%

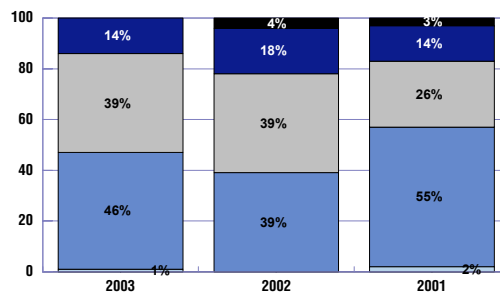


Math Proficiency Levels

Grades 6-8

Percent Proficient and Advanced

2003	14%
2002	22%
2001	17%



Legend: % Advanced, % Proficient, % Partially Proficient, % Unsatisfactory, % No Score

Note: Percentages may not add to 100 due to rounding

ABOUT OUR STAFF

School Employment

Each year, your district reports to the Colorado Department of Education on the number of adults who work in your school, as well as the type of work they do. Last year, your school employed:

	Your School		District	
	Full Time	Part Time	Full Time	Part Time
Teachers	30	3	119	10
Paraprofessionals	4	0	40	1
Administrators	2	0	14	0
Other Professionals*	4	2	24	3
School Support	4	4	53	11
Total Staff	53		275	

* School counselors and librarians are included in the Other Professionals category. Your school employed 2/0 FT/PT counselor(s) and 1/0 FT/PT librarian(s) last year.

Students per Teacher Ratio

	Student Enrollment	Students per Teacher
Grade 6	154	14.0
Grade 7	146	13.3
Grade 8	182	16.5

Professional Experience of Teachers

	Your School	District
Average years of teaching experience	4	8
Percent of teachers teaching the subject in which they received their degree(s)	33%	62%
Teachers' average days absent	3.2%	2.7%
Number of teachers who left school/district last year	20	39
Teachers with tenure	1	39
Teachers without tenure	32	90
Number of professional development days	7	7

Salaries

	Your School	District	State
Average Teacher Salary	\$34,031	\$38,119	\$42,680
Average Administrator Salary	\$70,005	\$74,312	\$72,481

Principal: Vernita Mickens
 Number of years as Principal at this school: 1
 Number of years as Principal at any school: 1

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