

SAFETY AND SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT

Safe and Orderly School Features

Your School	does	does not
• allows after-school programs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
• requires parental conferences	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Safety and Discipline

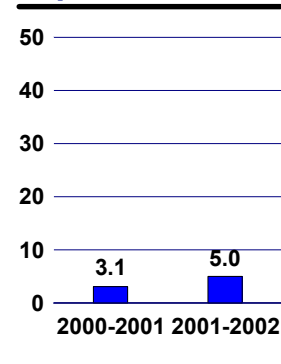
Safe schools are a top priority for parents, teachers, and communities. Your school's safety and discipline record for the 2002-2003 school year is:

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	25		25			
Substance Abuse - Alcohol	16		16			
Substance Abuse - Tobacco	2		2			
Assaults/Fights	2		1	1		
Habitually Disruptive Students						
Dangerous Weapons	11		7	4		
Other Violations of Code of Conduct	133		130	3		

Student Attendance and Time Spent in Classroom

2002-2003	Your School
Length of School Year	185 days
Enrollment	1,371
Average Daily Attendance	1,197
Student Dropouts	5.0%
Students Per Total Staff	11.7
Annual Number of Teacher Days Scheduled without Student Contact	13

Dropout Rate



Student Information Over Time

	2000-2001	2001-2002	2002-2003
Student Average Daily Attendance	87.8%	90.8%	87.3%
Student Dropouts	3.1%	5.0%	
Safety and Discipline Total Incidents Reported	268	279	189
Student Enrollment Stability		61.5%	92.2%
Students Eligible for Free Lunch		281	357

OVERALL ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE RATINGS

- Excellent
- High
- Average
- Low
- Unsatisfactory

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT RATINGS

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

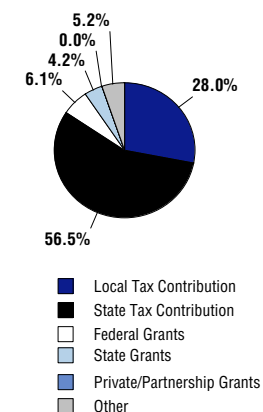
TAXPAYERS' REPORT

Sources of School District Revenue 2002

Local Tax Contribution	\$20,024,084
State Tax Contribution	40,325,467
Federal Grants	4,344,255
State Grants	2,972,756
Private/Partnership Grants	8,681
Other Discretionary Income	3,729,440
Total School Dist Revenue	\$71,404,683

Total 2002 District Revenue Per Pupil = \$6,629

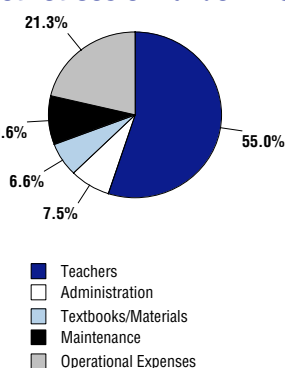
District Source of Funds 2002



District Use of Funds 2002

Teachers	\$40,941,715
Administration	5,616,546
Building & Facilities Maintenance	7,111,255
Operational Expenses	15,857,705
Textbooks/Materials	4,891,203
Total	\$74,418,424

District Use of Funds 2002



District Debt and Capital Construction & Equipment

Total Outstanding Bonded Debt	\$17,300,000
Average Annual Percentage Interest Rate on Debt	5.29%
Amount Raised from Most Recent Bond	\$25,500,000
Amount Spent on New Buildings During Last 2 Years	\$2,377,381

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

Westminster High School

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WESTMINSTER HIGH SCHOOL



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School Accountability Report 2002-2003 School Year

School Performance Summary

Overall Academic Performance

Low

Academic Improvement:

Stable

How Westminster High School Compares To Nearby High Schools

School	Academic Performance
Iver C. Ranum High School	Low
Arvada High School(1)	Average
Pomona High School(1)	High
Academy Of Charter Schools(2)	Average
North High School(3)	Low
Prep Assessment Center Contemporary Learn(3)	Unsatisfactory
Arvada West High School(1)	High
Jefferson Charter Academy Senior High School(1)	High
Vantage Point(2)	Low
Compass Secondary Montessori Charter School(1)	Average

1 Located in Jefferson County R-1 School District.

2 Located in Northglenn-Thornton 12 School District.

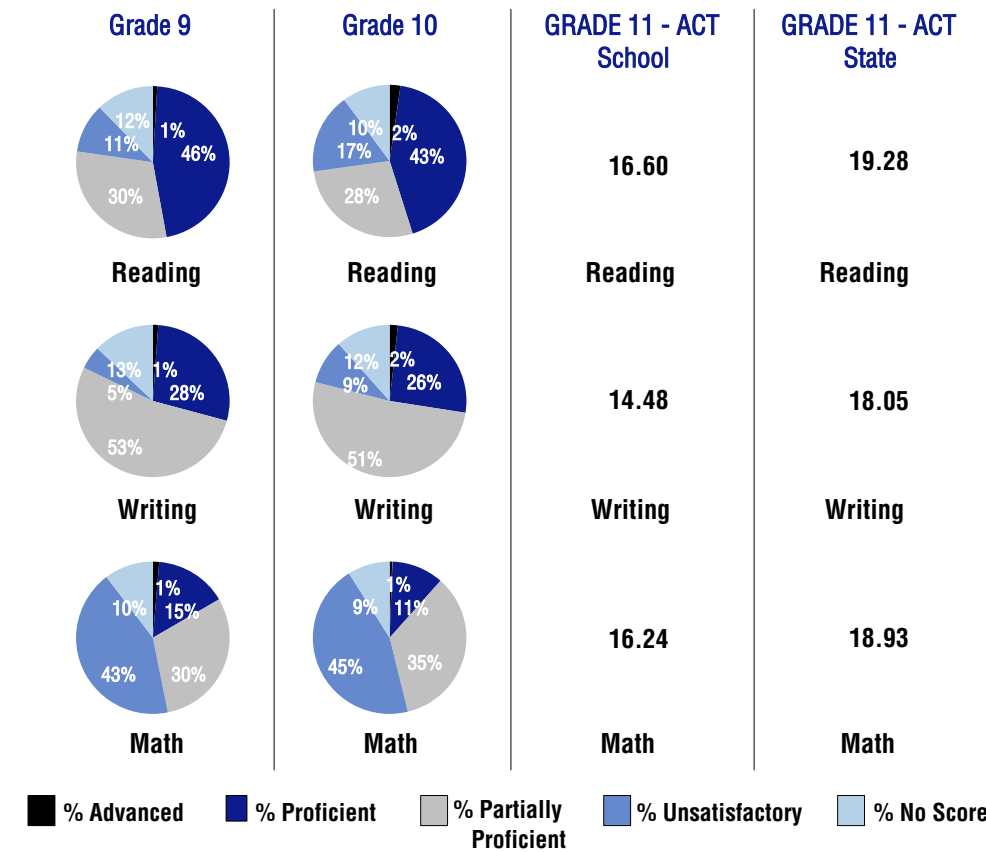
3 Located in Denver County 1 School District.

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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 9 - 10 in the subject areas for reading, writing and math for all students tested.

CSAP 2003 Spring

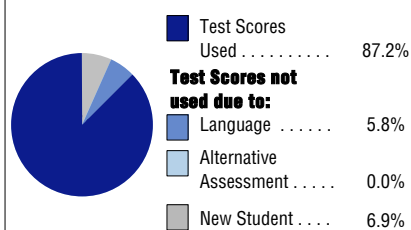


Note: Percentages may not add to 100 due to rounding

Percent of Students Scoring Proficient and Advanced

	Your School	District	State
Grade 9-10 Reading	47%	45%	66%
Grade 9-10 Writing	28%	30%	51%
Grade 9-10 Math	14%	13%	29%

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 high schools for the 2002-2003 school year.

Overall Academic Performance for the 2002-2003 school year

Low

■ % Advanced ■ % Proficient ■ % Partially Proficient ■ % Unsatisfactory ■ % No Score

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SCHOOL HISTORY

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



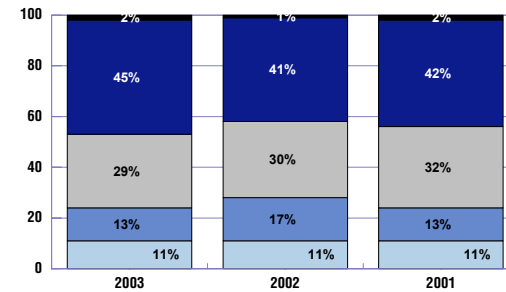
Each school receives a school improvement rating of Significant Improvement, Improvement, Stable, Decline, or Significant Decline. This rating is based upon the change in student academic performance from the previous year. Each school can improve its rating next year by improving student performance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

Reading Proficiency Levels

Grades 9-10

Percent Proficient and Advanced

2003	47%
2002	42%
2001	44%

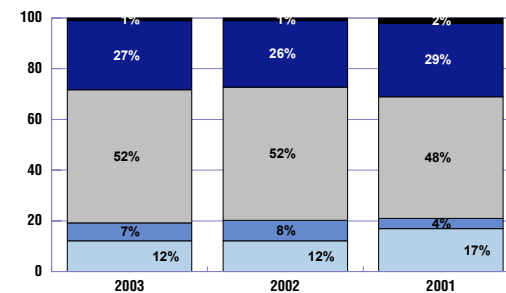


Writing Proficiency Levels

Grades 9-10

Percent Proficient and Advanced

2003	28%
2002	27%
2001	31%

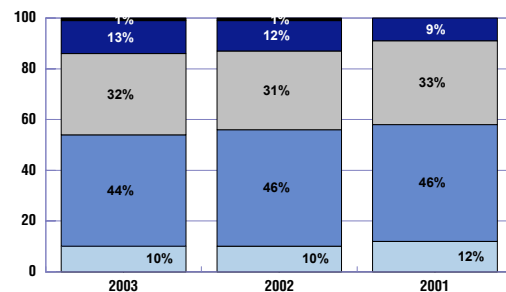


Math Proficiency Levels

Grades 9-10

Percent Proficient and Advanced

2003	14%
2002	13%
2001	9%



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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	68	3	647	15
Paraprofessionals	14	0	223	34
Administrators	4	0	55	0
Other Professionals*	7	2	86	4
School Support	15	7	198	70
Total Staff	120		1,331	

* School counselors and librarians are included in the Other Professionals category.

Your school employed 4/0 FT/PT counselor(s) and 1/0 FT/PT librarian(s) last year.

Students per Teacher Ratio

	Student Enrollment	Students per Teacher
Grade 9	447	25.6
Grade 10	350	20.1
Grade 11	292	16.7
Grade 12	282	16.2

Professional Experience of Teachers

	Your School	District
Average years of teaching experience	12	11
Percent of teachers teaching the subject in which they received their degree(s)	87%	71%
Teachers' average days absent	4.2%	4.4%
Number of teachers who left school/district last year	11	103
Teachers with tenure	34	364
Teachers without tenure	37	298
Number of professional development days	6	6

Salaries

	Your School	District	State
Average Teacher Salary	\$44,019	\$42,718	\$42,680
Average Administrator Salary	\$68,471	\$78,503	\$72,481

Principal: Sandra Hisamoto

Number of years as Principal at this school: 3

Number of years as Principal at any school: 3

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