

2021 School Corporation Annual Performance Report (APR)

General Explanations

The APR is a report on the performance of schools and school corporations (districts) in your area. The goal is to provide information regarding the progress schools are making to help students become college and career ready. Where possible, this report contains three years of data to show trends – not just this year’s results. In addition, the state average is also shown for comparison purposes. There are additional indicators that are available on the Indiana Department of Education’s website (inview.doe.in.gov), including data broken out by different student populations, such as race, gender, income level, and special education status.

Indiana educators and citizens have developed higher academic standards for all students. These standards are necessary to prepare Hoosier students to be successful in life, whether their next steps are enrollment, employment, or enlistment leading to service. For high schools, you will see graduation rates and the percentage of graduates who plan to pursue a credential or certification beyond their high school diploma.

Other important data are provided, such as average attendance rates and indicators of school safety, including expulsions and suspensions. Additional financial information is also provided, including how much is spent, on average, for each student; how much teachers are paid; and the percentage of corporation students who are in special education classes or gifted and talented classes.

COVID-19 NOTE: Due to COVID-19, ILEARN/ISTEP assessments were not administered during the 2019-2020 school year.

Definitions (in the order found on the report)

Corporation Level & General School Data

A-F Accountability Grade	Grade calculated by the IDOE per 511 IAC 6.2-6 and officially assigned by the State Board of Education. For 2018-19, Schools and Corporations were assigned the better of their 2017-18 grade or the 2018-19 calculated grade. Grade were not assigned for 2019-20 due to COVID-19.
Student Enrollment	Number of students enrolled on October 1 of the school year. Note: Counts for Membership funding purposes are taken on a different day and may differ.
Non-Waiver Grad Rate	For 2020-21, the percentage of students who entered Grade 9 in Fall 2018 and graduated in four years or less without a waiver
College and Career Readiness Rate	The percentage of 2018 four year graduates who passed an Advanced Placement test, passed an International Baccalaureate test, received 3 hours of Dual Credit, or received an Industry Certification. Note: These data are not available for the 2021 cohort at time of publication. It was not calculated in 2020 as part of the suspension of A-F Grades.
Career and Technical Diplomas	Core 40 with Technical Honors Diplomas
Certified Teachers	Teachers certified to teach as reported by School Corporation (includes guidance counselors and other non-Administrator staff)
Teacher Salary Range	Salary range is calculated by reviewing the salaries for teachers as provided by the School Corporation. Teachers must be reported at 100% for 180-195 days
Students in Special Education	Students (including non-public Students) who are receiving special education services
Students in Gifted and Talented Education	Percentage of students enrolled in gifted and talented education programs as defined locally
Percent of Instruction Delivered Through Career and Technical Education	Percentage of total instructional hours delivered through vocational education classes
Students Receiving Free or Reduced Price Lunches	Students who receive free or reduced price lunches due to family income level
Limited English Proficiency Students	Students whose inability to communicate English prevents them from participating fully in a standard educational program
Foster Care Students	Students who are foster care students
Alternative Education	Students enrolled and receiving instruction for at least 10 days in an approved alternative education program
Intra District Mobility	Percentage of students who moved from one school to another in the same school corporation
Inter District Mobility	Percentage of student who moved from one school to another in a different school corporation
Pupil Enrollment to Certified Employee Ratio	Number of Students per Certified Employees as reported by the School Corporation
Attendance Rate	Average attendance rate for students

High School Data	
ISTEP+	Grade 10 exam for high school graduation. Pass rates for Grade 10 ISTEP are for first time attempts only.
Career and Technical Programs	Programs administered through the Department of Workforce Development that often result in an Industry Certification
International Baccalaureate	Program of Study offered by some authorized schools that may result in a student receiving a specialized diploma called an International Baccalaureate Diploma. More information can be found at www.ibo.org
Core 40	Basic High school graduation requirements More information on the graduation requirements and types of diplomas can be found at http://www.doe.in.gov/student-services/student-assistance/academic-guidance
Core 40 with Honors diploma	Either Core 40 with Academic Honors or Core 40 with Technical Honors
Graduation Rate	For 2020-21, the percentage of students who entered Grade 9 in Fall 2018 and graduated in four years or less.
Elementary/Middle School Data	
ILEARN	Grade specific exam given to all students. All students in Grades 3-8 are tested annually in Math and English/Language Arts. Students in grades 4 and 6 are also tested in Science. Students in grades 5 are also tested in Social Studies.
IREAD	Exam given to all students in grade 3 to test reading proficiency.

Contact:

If you have any questions about this information, you should contact your local school corporation or contact the Department of Education at 317-234-1332 or by e-mail at datarequests@doe.in.gov.

School City of Whiting, Whiting 4760

	Corporation Results				State
Indicator	'17-'18	'18-'19	'19-'20	'20-'21	Total
A-F Accountability Grade	C	C	C	N/A	
Student Enrollment	1,194	1,219	1,245	1,182	1,112,611
Non-Waiver Grad Rate	89.5	88.9	94.5	85.7	79.11
Percentage of Career and Technical Diplomas	3.4	5.6	2.9	8.1	9.2
Number of Certified Teachers	58	59	58	60	60,992
Teacher Salary Range - Minimum	\$32,694	\$31,072	\$40,000	\$40,000	\$36,488.26
Teacher Salary Range - Maximum	\$75,370	\$76,867	\$74,183	\$72,864	\$68,273.96
Number of Students in Special Education	166	159	154	160	179,000
Percent of Students in Special Education	13.9	13.0	12.4	13.5	16.7
Number of Students in Gifted and Talented Education	97	85	77	115	127,286
Percent of Students in Gifted and Talented Education	8.1	7.0	6.2	9.7	12.3
Number of Students Receiving Free or Reduced Lunches	747	792	838	755	510,751
Percent of Students Receiving Free or Reduced Price Lunches	62.6	65.0	67.3	63.9	47.0
Number of Limited English Proficiency Students	111	137	144	144	73,112
Percent of Limited English Proficiency Students	9.3	11.2	11.6	12.2	6.6
Percent of Students in Foster Care	0.0	0.57	0.4	0.3	1.65
Number of Students in Career and Technical Program	306	350	348	335	192,951
Percentage of Students in Career and Technical Program	25.63	28.7	28.0	28.3	22.4
Intra District Mobility	0	0	0		
Inter District Mobility	4.2	3.4	3.5		
Graduation Rate	93.7	92.3	94.5	94.3	87.1
Number of Incidents of Restraint	0	1	0	0	5,702
Number of Incidents of Restriant Involving a School Resource Officer	0	0	0	0	324
Number of Incidents of Seclusion	0	0	0	0	5,457
Number of Incidents of Seclusion Involving a School Resource Officer	0	0	0	0	284

Corporation Goals for Expenditure Categories in Indiana Code 20-42.5-3-5

Whiting High School, Whiting 4353

	Corporation Results				State
Indicator	'17-'18	'18-'19	'19-'20	'20-'21	Total
A-F Accountability Grade	B	B	B	N/A	
Student Enrollment	456	477	493	486	1,112,611

Whiting High School, Whiting 4353

	Corporation Results				State
Indicator	'17-'18	'18-'19	'19-'20	'20-'21	Total
Non-Waiver Grad Rate	89.47	88.89	94.50	85.71	79.11
College and Career Readiness Rate	65.20	64.8	N/A	N/A	
Number of Certified Teachers	26	27	24	26	60,992
Number of Students in Career and Technical Program	223	264	252	244	192,951
Percentage of Students in Career and Technical Program	48.90	0	0	50.2	22.4
* Grade 10 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Math Standard	29.9	12.1	N/A	8.5	
* Grade 10 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Language Arts Standard	58.5	63.6	N/A	56.2	
* Grade 10 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Science Standard	51.0	41.8	N/A	25.4	31.8
Percent of Graduates Granted Waivers	4.5	3.7	0.00	9.1	9.1
SAT Average Score for Graduating Class	N/A	1025	0	992	1078
Percent of graduates receiving Academic Honors Diploma	0	0	0	25.3	39.6
Number of graduates receiving Core 40 Diploma	82	102	101	98	64648
Percent of 12th Graders Taking SAT	N/A	63		45.0	22.0
Percent Core 40 with Honors Diploma	46.1	40.7	34.0	25.3	39.6
Percent Core 40 Diploma	92.1	94.4	98.1	99.0	90.1
Pupil Enrollment to Certified Employee Ratio	16.8	17.6	19.7	18.6	12.7
Graduation Rate	93.7	92.3	94.5	94.3	87.1
Attendance Rate	95.8	95.5	96.2		
Number of Students with More Than 10 Unexcused Days Absent	6	6	6		
Number of Students absent greater than 10% of School Year	21	33	18		
Number of Students Retained in the 9th Grade	0	0	0	***	0
Number of Students Who Have Dropped Out	3	4	2	3	5,586
Number of Incidents of Seclusion Involving a School Resource Officer	0	0	0	0	284
Number of Students Suspended	137	153	125	4	43,020
Number of Students Expelled	14	7	7	1	891
Number of Students Expelled or Suspended involving Drugs, Weapons, or Alcohol	4	4	7	5	2,943
Number of Out of School Suspensions	78	86	62	4	27,981
Number of In School Suspensions	106	105	99		
Number of Bullying Incidents	0	4	10		

Whiting Middle School, Whiting 4356

	Corporation Results				State
Indicator	'17-'18	'18-'19	'19-'20	'20-'21	Total
A-F Accountability Grade	D	C	C	N/A	
Student Enrollment	261	278	276	269	1,112,611
Number of Certified Teachers	17	17	17	18	60,992
Number of Students in Career and Technical Program	83	86	96	91	192,951
Percentage of Students in Career and Technical Program	31.80	0	0	33.8	22.4
* Grade 6 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Math Standard	39.5	42.6	N/A	16.1	33.0
* Grade 6 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Language Arts Standard	62.8	50.0	N/A	41.4	39.9
* Grade 6 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Science Standard	52.3	47.9	N/A	25.3	38.8
* Grade 7 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Math Standard	18.0	21.6	N/A	6.9	30.5
* Grade 7 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Language Arts Standard	59.6	45.5	N/A	31.0	41.1
* Grade 8 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Math Standard	23.3	15.9	N/A	6.8	27.8
* Grade 8 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Language Arts Standard	58.1	46.3	N/A	37.5	43.9
Pupil Enrollment to Certified Employee Ratio	14.5	15.4	15.3	14.9	12.7
Attendance Rate	96.3	96.0	95.4		
Number of Students with More Than 10 Unexcused Days Absent	1	2	15		
Number of Students absent greater than 10% of School Year	11	15	21		
Number of Students Suspended	109	111	81	18	43,020
Number of Students Expelled	12	12	22		
Number of Students Expelled or Suspended involving Drugs, Weapons, or Alcohol	3	1	11	2	2,943
Number of Out of School Suspensions	61	72	33	8	27,981
Number of In School Suspensions	82	82	70	10	20,769
Number of Bullying Incidents	0	9	5		

Nathan Hale Elementary School, Whiting 4361

	Corporation Results				State
Indicator	'17-'18	'18-'19	'19-'20	'20-'21	Total
A-F Accountability Grade	C	C	C	N/A	
Student Enrollment	477	464	476	427	1,112,611
Number of Certified Teachers	22	23	23	23	60,992
Percentage of Students Passing IREAD	83.8	90.1	N/A	89.8	80.4
* Grade 3 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Math Standard	53.6	50.7	N/A	30.5	48.7
* Grade 3 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Language Arts Standard	58.0	46.6	N/A	45.8	38.7
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Math Standard	52.0	47.1	N/A	17.4	43.7
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Language Arts Standard	61.3	45.7	N/A	34.8	39.6
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Science Standard	45.3	34.3	N/A	20.3	36.1
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Math Standard	53.8	29.7	N/A	22.4	38.6
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Language Arts Standard	52.6	35.1	N/A	36.8	39.5
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/- ILEARN Social Science Standard	37.2	27.0	N/A	32.9	38.6
Pupil Enrollment to Certified Employee Ratio	17.1	16.3	16.3	15.6	12.7
Attendance Rate	95.1	95.3	94.2		
Number of Students with More Than 10 Unexcused Days Absent	25	13	53		
Number of Students absent greater than 10% of School Year	38	32	54		
Number of Students Suspended	63	49	19	10	43,020
Number of Out of School Suspensions	49	37	16	7	27,981
Number of In School Suspensions	22	18	5	3	20,769
Number of Bullying Incidents	0	4	6		

* In 2014-15 Indiana transitioned to new, more rigorous college-and-career ready standards and a new statewide assessment to measure these standards. Therefore, results are not comparable to previous data.

*** Suppressed