

Thompson Middle School
St Charles CUSD 303
St Charles, ILLINOIS



ILLINOIS
SCHOOL
REPORT
CARD

GRADES : 6 7 8

State and federal laws require public school districts to release report cards to the public each year.

Starting in 2009, charter school information is included in district statistics.

STUDENTS

RACIAL/ETHNIC BACKGROUND AND OTHER INFORMATION													
	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian/ Pacific Islander	Native American	Multi racial /Ethnic	Low- Income Rate	Limited- English- Proficient Rate	High Sch. Dropout Rate	Chronic Truancy Rate	Mobility Rate	Attendance Rate	Total Enrollment
School	84.8	1.7	8.5	1.9	0.2	2.9	11.3	3.8		0.3	6.3	95.5	982
District	83.8	1.3	7.3	4.6	0.4	2.6	7.7	3.6		0.2	6.6	95.0	13,809
State	53.3	19.1	20.8	4.1	0.2	2.5	42.9	8.0		3.7	13.5	93.7	2,070,125

Low-income students come from families receiving public aid; live in institutions for neglected or delinquent children; are supported in foster homes with public funds; or are eligible to receive free or reduced-price lunches.

Limited-English-proficient students are those students eligible for transitional bilingual programs.

Mobility rate is based on the number of times students enroll in or leave a school during the school year.

Chronic truants are students who are absent from school without valid cause for 18 or more of the last 180 school days.

INSTRUCTIONAL SETTING

PARENTAL CONTACT*		STUDENT-TO-STAFF RATIOS			
	Percent	Pupil- Teacher Elementary	Pupil- Teacher Secondary	Pupil- Certified Staff	Pupil- Administrator
School	100.0	--	--	--	--
District	98.5	18.4	16.9	13.3	242.7
State	96.7	18.4	18.0	13.3	201.8

* Parental contact includes parent-teacher conferences, parental visits to school, school visits to home, telephone conversations, and written correspondence.

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (as of the first school day in May)										
Grades	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9 - 12
School							23.6	23.9	26.3	
District							23.0	23.7	26.4	
State							22.0	21.1	21.4	

TIME DEVOTED TO TEACHING CORE SUBJECTS (Minutes Per Day)												
Grades	Mathematics			Science			English/Language Arts			Social Science		
	3	6	8	3	6	8	3	6	8	3	6	8
School		50	50		50	50		100	100		50	50
District		50	50		50	50		100	100		50	50
State		54	51		43	44		104	92		43	44

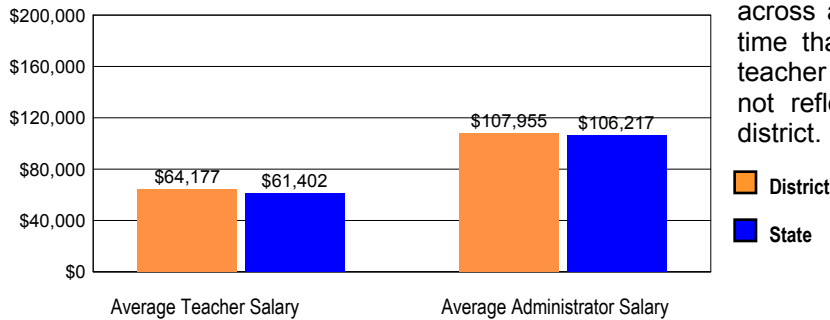
TEACHER INFORMATION (Full-Time Equivalents)								
	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian/ Pacific Islander	Native American	Male	Female	Total Number
District	97.3	0.4	1.6	0.6	0.1	23.9	76.1	871
State	85.1	8.3	5.0	1.4	0.2	22.9	77.1	133,017

TEACHER INFORMATION (Continued)					
	Average Teaching Experience (Years)	% of Teachers with Bachelor's Degrees	% of Teachers with Master's & Above	% of Teachers with Emergency or Provisional Credentials	% of Classes Not Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers
School	--	--	--	0.0	1.3
District	11.5	30.5	69.5	0.5	0.3
State	12.5	44.1	55.8	0.6	1.2

Some teacher/administrator data are not collected at the school level.

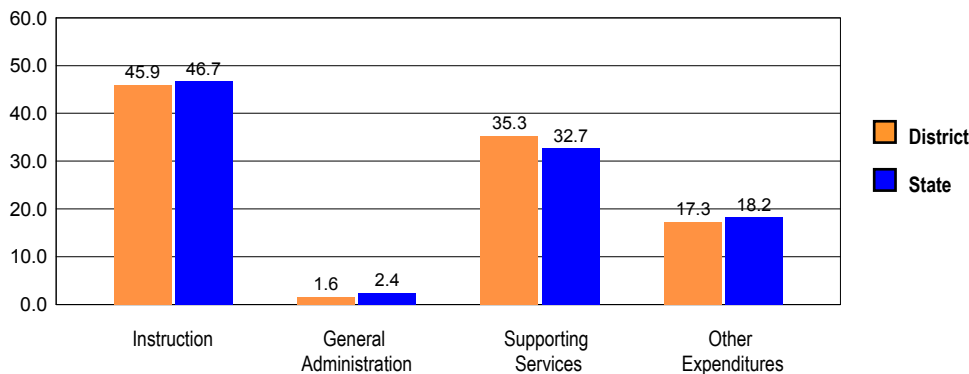
SCHOOL DISTRICT FINANCES

TEACHER/ADMINISTRATOR SALARIES (Full-Time Equivalents)



Salaries and counts of staff are summed across a district based on the percentage of time that each individual is employed as a teacher or an administrator and may or may not reflect the actual paid salaries for the district.

EXPENDITURE BY FUNCTION 2007-08 (Percentages)



REVENUE BY SOURCE 2007-08				EXPENDITURE BY FUND 2007-08			
	District	District %	State %		District	District %	State %
Local Property Taxes	\$132,783,278	82.8	58.7	Education	\$110,935,197	72.8	71.5
Other Local Funding	\$8,885,649	5.5	6.3	Operations & Maintenance	\$14,752,389	9.7	8.6
General State Aid	\$4,858,790	3.0	18.6	Transportation	\$7,413,083	4.9	3.9
Other State Funding	\$10,222,521	6.4	9.0	Bond and Interest	\$15,475,629	10.2	6.3
Federal Funding	\$3,658,147	2.3	7.4	Rent	\$0	0.0	0.0
TOTAL	\$160,408,385			Municipal Retirement/ Social Security	\$3,838,952	2.5	1.8
				Fire Prevention & Safety	\$0	0.0	0.9
				Site & Construction/ Capital Improvement	\$2,013	0.0	6.8
				TOTAL	\$152,417,263		

OTHER FINANCIAL INDICATORS				
	2006 Equalized Assessed Valuation per Pupil	2006 Total School Tax Rate per \$100	2007-08 Instructional Expenditure per Pupil	2007-08 Operating Expenditure per Pupil
District	\$248,517	4.21	\$5,709	\$10,953
State	**	**	\$6,103	\$10,417

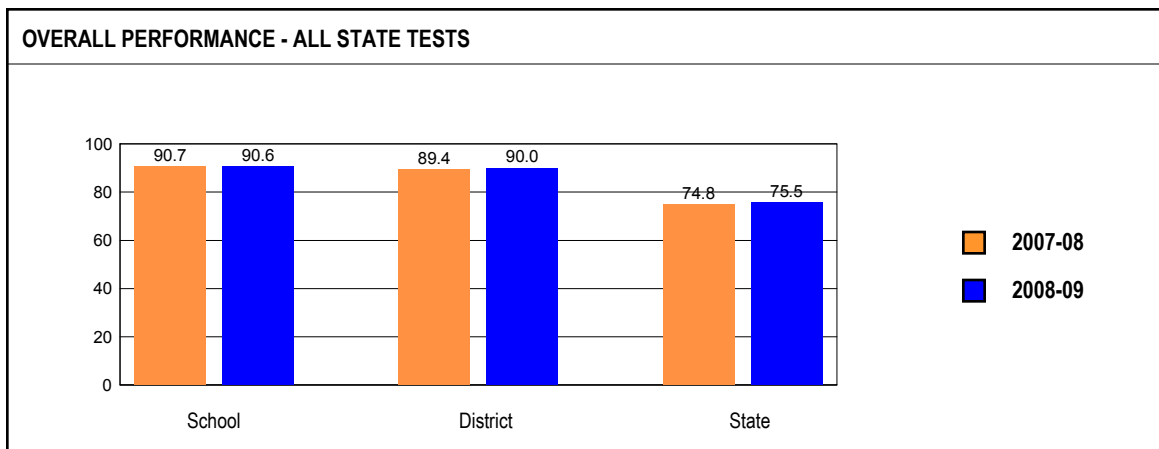
** Due to the way Illinois school districts are configured, state averages for equalized assessed valuation per pupil and total school tax rate per \$100 are not provided.
Equalized assessed valuation includes all computed property values upon which a district's local tax rate is calculated.
Total school tax rate is a district's total tax rate as it appears on local property tax bills.
Instructional expenditure per pupil includes the direct costs of teaching pupils or the interaction between teachers and pupils.
Operating expenditure per pupil includes the gross operating cost of a school district excluding summer school, adult education, bond principal retired, and capital expenditures.

ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE

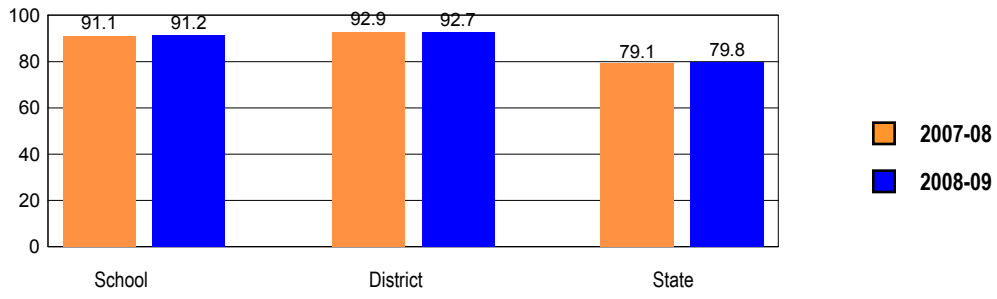
OVERALL STUDENT PERFORMANCE

These charts present the overall percentages of state test scores categorized as meeting or exceeding the Illinois Learning Standards for your school, district, and the state. They represent your school's performance in reading, mathematics, and science.

The 2007-08 school year was the first time that Limited English Proficient (LEP) students took the ISAT or PSAE (with accommodations) instead of the IMAGE test. Therefore, any comparisons with prior year's achievement levels for LEP students should be made with appropriate caution.



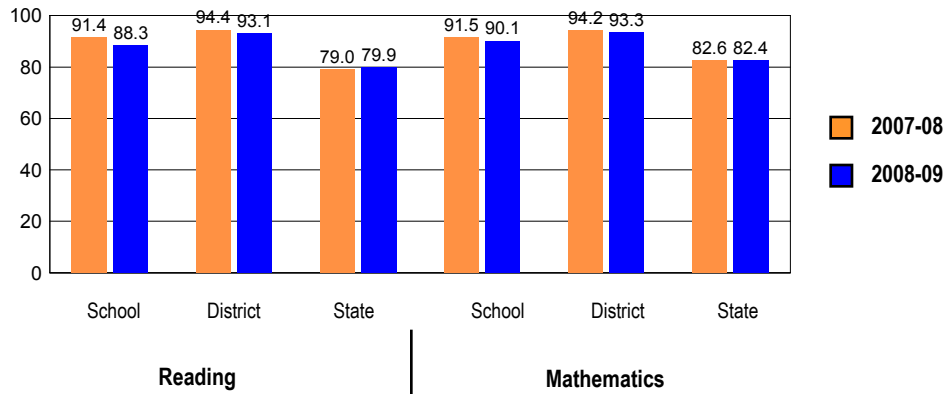
OVERALL ILLINOIS STANDARDS ACHIEVEMENT TEST (ISAT) PERFORMANCE



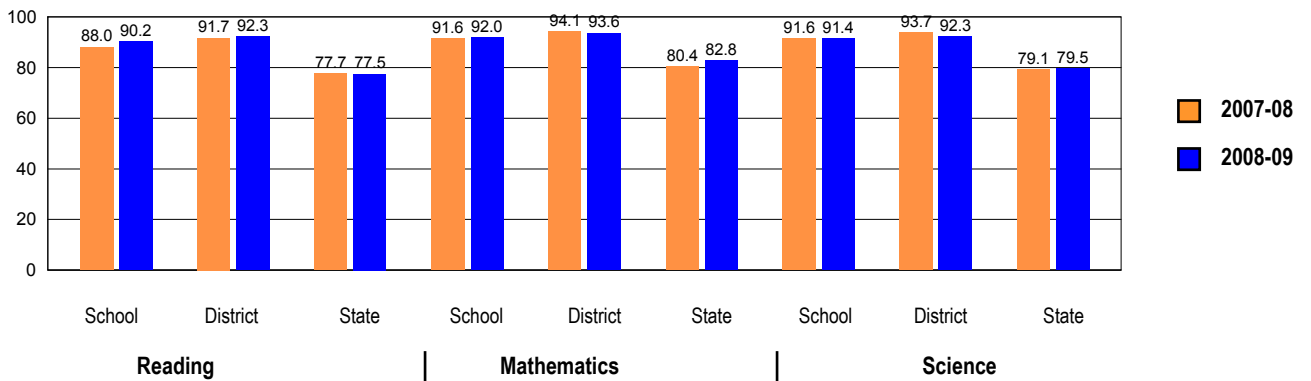
ISAT PERFORMANCE

These charts provide information on attainment of the Illinois Learning Standards. They show the percents of student scores meeting or exceeding Standards for the grades and subjects tested on ISAT.

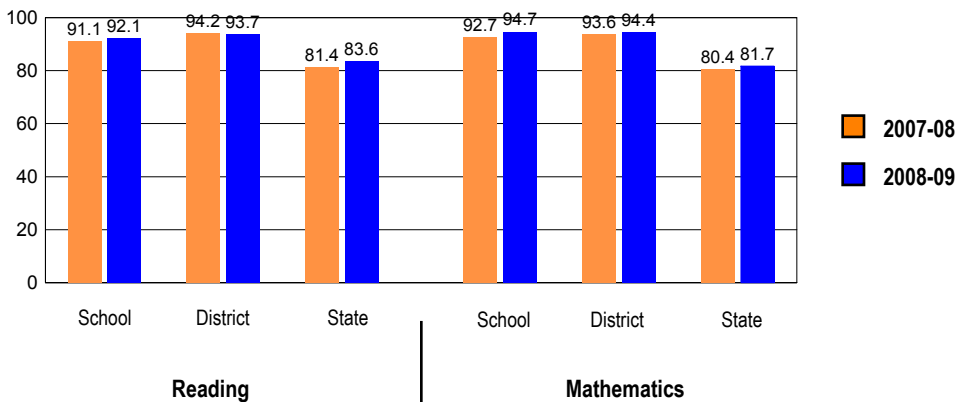
ISAT Grade 6



ISAT Grade 7



ISAT Grade 8



PERFORMANCE ON STATE ASSESSMENTS

Federal law requires that student achievement results for reading, mathematics, and science for schools providing Title I services be reported to the general public.

The Illinois Standards Achievement Test (ISAT) is administered to students in grades 3 through 8. The Prairie State Achievement Examination (PSAE) is administered to students in grade 11. The Illinois Alternate Assessment (IAA) is administered to students with disabilities whose Individualized Education Programs (IEPs) indicate that participation in the ISAT or PSAE would not be appropriate.

Students with disabilities have an IEP (No Child Left Behind Act). An IEP is a written plan for a child with a disability who is eligible to receive special education services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act.

Reading and Mathematics are tested in grades 3 through 8 and 11. Science is tested in grades 4, 7, and 11.

In order to protect students' identities, test data for groups of fewer than ten students are not reported.

PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS NOT TESTED IN STATE TESTING PROGRAMS FOR READING AND MATHEMATICS														
		Gender			Racial/Ethnic Background						LEP	Migrant	Students with Disabilities	Economically Disadvantaged
		All	Male	Female	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian/Pacific Islander	Native American	Multi racial /Ethnic				
School	*Enrollment	996	524	472	846	19	85	17	3	26	34	0	116	111
	Reading	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.00	0.0		0.9	0.0
	Mathematics	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.00	0.0		0.9	0.0
District	*Enrollment	7,557	3,902	3,655	6,385	101	503	354	28	186	235	0	1,024	573
	Reading	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.1	0.0
	Mathematics	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.1	0.0
State	*Enrollment	1,073,392	548,452	524,651	574,717	203,366	215,934	43,962	1,676	32,799	72,638	258	152,593	473,876
	Reading	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.8	0.4	0.4
	Mathematics	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.8	0.4	0.4

* Enrollment as reported during the testing windows for grades 3 - 8 and 11.

PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS NOT TESTED IN STATE TESTING PROGRAMS FOR SCIENCE ONLY														
		Gender			Racial/Ethnic Background						LEP	Migrant	Students with Disabilities	Economically Disadvantaged
		All	Male	Female	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian/Pacific Islander	Native American	Multi racial /Ethnic				
School	*Enrollment	341	178	163	295	3	29	4	1	9	10	0	35	39
	Science	0.3	0.6	0.0	0.3		0.0				0.0		2.9	0.0
District	*Enrollment	3,262	1,663	1,599	2,811	32	210	140	9	60	80	0	406	237
	Science	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0		0.2	0.0
State	*Enrollment	448,699	228,285	220,300	248,119	82,562	85,745	18,385	751	12,734	25,035	120	62,799	186,799
	Science	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.2	1.2	0.6	0.1	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.0	0.8	0.8

* Enrollment as reported during the testing windows for grades 4, 7, and 11.

ILLINOIS STANDARDS ACHIEVEMENT TEST (ISAT)

The following tables show the percentages of student scores in each of four performance levels. These levels were established with the help of Illinois educators who teach the grade levels and learning areas tested. Due to rounding, the sum of the percentages in the four performance levels may not always equal 100.

Level 1 -- Academic Warning - Student work demonstrates limited knowledge and skills in the subject. Because of major gaps in learning, students apply knowledge and skills ineffectively.

Level 2 -- Below Standards - Student work demonstrates basic knowledge and skills in the subject. However, because of gaps in learning, students apply knowledge and skills in limited ways.

Level 3 -- Meets Standards - Student work demonstrates proficient knowledge and skills in the subject. Students effectively apply knowledge and skills to solve problems.

Level 4 -- Exceeds Standards - Student work demonstrates advanced knowledge and skills in the subject. Students creatively apply knowledge and skills to solve problems and evaluate the results.

Grade 6**Grade 6 - All**

Levels	Reading				Mathematics			
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
School	0.0	11.7	45.8	42.5	0.0	9.9	58.6	31.5
District	0.0	6.9	45.3	47.8	0.0	6.7	49.5	43.7
State	0.2	19.9	52.7	27.2	0.6	17.1	58.9	23.5

Grade 6 - Gender

Levels	Reading				Mathematics				
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	
Male	School	0.0	16.1	44.3	39.7	0.0	11.4	58.3	30.3
	District	0.0	9.7	45.6	44.7	0.0	8.0	49.1	42.9
	State	0.3	22.9	51.1	25.7	0.7	18.5	57.2	23.6
Female	School	0.0	7.0	47.5	45.6	0.0	8.2	58.9	32.9
	District	0.0	4.2	44.9	50.9	0.0	5.5	50.0	44.5
	State	0.1	16.8	54.3	28.8	0.4	15.5	60.8	23.3

Grade 6 - Racial/Ethnic Background

Levels	Reading				Mathematics				
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	
White	School	0.0	8.4	46.2	45.4	0.0	6.6	60.1	33.3
	District	0.0	5.4	44.8	49.9	0.0	5.2	49.9	44.8
	State	0.1	11.5	51.5	36.9	0.2	9.6	58.9	31.3
Black	School	0.0	50.0	41.7	8.3	0.0	41.7	41.7	16.7
	District	0.0	28.6	47.6	23.8	0.0	38.1	38.1	23.8
	State	0.4	34.7	54.4	10.5	1.5	33.2	57.1	8.3
Hispanic	School	0.0	33.3	46.7	20.0	0.0	29.0	58.1	12.9
	District	0.0	17.5	51.3	31.3	0.0	14.8	54.3	30.9
	State	0.2	30.3	55.6	13.8	0.6	23.5	63.7	12.2
Asian/Pacific Islander	School								
	District	0.0	8.6	46.6	44.8	0.0	5.1	37.3	57.6
	State	0.0	8.0	44.8	47.1	0.3	5.2	43.2	51.3
Native American	School								
	District								
	State	0.0	20.2	53.1	26.8	1.8	16.7	59.9	21.6
Multiracial/Ethnic	School	0.0	0.0	50.0	50.0	0.0	10.0	70.0	20.0
	District	0.0	8.0	44.0	48.0	0.0	12.0	56.0	32.0
	State	0.2	18.9	52.7	28.2	0.4	17.7	59.3	22.6

Grade 6 - Limited-English-Proficient

Levels	Reading				Mathematics			
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
School	0.0	60.0	40.0	0.0	0.0	62.5	37.5	0.0
District	0.0	41.4	55.2	3.4	0.0	35.5	51.6	12.9
State	0.5	58.4	37.6	3.4	1.6	42.6	51.0	4.8

Grade 6 - Students with Disabilities

Levels	Reading				Mathematics				
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	
IEP	School	0.0	40.0	42.2	17.8	0.0	40.0	51.1	8.9
	District	0.0	32.8	50.4	16.8	0.0	33.8	55.1	11.0
	State	1.0	55.1	37.0	6.9	2.7	46.6	44.8	5.8
Non-IEP	School	0.0	7.3	46.3	46.3	0.0	5.2	59.7	35.1
	District	0.0	3.1	44.5	52.4	0.0	2.8	48.7	48.5
	State	0.1	14.5	55.1	30.3	0.2	12.5	61.1	26.2

Grade 6 - Economically Disadvantaged

Levels	Reading				Mathematics				
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	
Free/Reduced Price Lunch	School	0.0	37.8	48.6	13.5	0.0	36.8	55.3	7.9
	District	0.0	26.9	52.6	20.5	0.0	23.8	55.0	21.3
	State	0.3	31.7	55.2	12.7	1.0	27.1	61.1	10.8
Not Eligible	School	0.0	8.5	45.4	46.1	0.0	6.4	59.0	34.6
	District	0.0	5.4	44.7	49.9	0.0	5.4	49.1	45.5
	State	0.1	10.2	50.5	39.3	0.2	8.6	57.2	34.0

Grade 7**Grade 7 - All**

Levels	Reading				Mathematics				Science			
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
School	0.3	9.5	52.1	38.1	0.3	7.7	46.7	45.2	2.7	6.0	55.7	35.7
District	0.4	7.3	51.5	40.8	0.7	5.6	44.6	49.0	2.2	5.5	54.1	38.2
State	0.5	22.0	56.8	20.7	1.6	15.6	55.0	27.7	7.0	13.6	55.7	23.8

Grade 7 - Gender

Levels	Reading				Mathematics				Science				
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	
Male	School	0.0	10.8	55.1	34.1	0.6	8.5	45.5	45.5	2.3	6.8	56.8	34.1
	District	0.5	8.7	53.4	37.4	1.0	7.0	41.9	50.1	2.4	6.6	51.1	39.9
	State	0.7	26.1	55.4	17.9	2.1	17.1	52.8	28.0	7.9	13.0	52.8	26.4
Female	School	0.6	8.1	48.8	42.5	0.0	6.9	48.1	45.0	3.1	5.0	54.4	37.5
	District	0.4	5.7	49.3	44.6	0.4	4.2	47.6	47.8	2.1	4.2	57.5	36.2
	State	0.3	17.8	58.2	23.7	1.2	14.0	57.4	27.4	6.0	14.2	58.7	21.1

Grade 7 - Racial/Ethnic Background

Levels		Reading				Mathematics				Science			
		1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
White	School	0.0	8.2	50.5	41.2	0.0	6.9	44.7	48.5	2.1	4.8	54.3	38.8
	District	0.4	7.0	49.8	42.8	0.7	5.2	43.6	50.4	2.1	4.9	52.1	40.9
	State	0.2	14.2	57.6	28.0	0.7	9.1	53.4	36.7	2.9	7.1	55.2	34.8
Black	School	0.0	9.1	72.7	18.2	0.0	9.1	72.7	18.2	9.1	9.1	72.7	9.1
	District	1.0	35.9	54.7	8.4	4.1	31.3	55.4	9.3	15.3	25.4	54.1	5.3
	State												
Hispanic	School	3.6	25.0	60.7	10.7	3.6	14.3	64.3	17.9	7.1	21.4	64.3	7.1
	District	1.4	15.5	67.6	15.5	1.4	14.1	53.5	31.0	5.6	15.5	64.8	14.1
	State	0.8	32.4	57.5	9.3	1.9	20.0	62.4	15.7	10.8	21.4	59.0	8.7
Asian/Pacific Islander	School	0.0	2.0	55.1	42.9	0.0	2.0	40.0	58.0	0.0	4.0	68.0	28.0
	District	0.2	9.4	51.3	39.2	0.5	4.9	37.8	56.8	2.8	5.4	51.0	40.8
	State												
Native American	School												
	District												
	State	0.0	19.1	56.4	24.5	0.8	12.8	60.3	26.0	5.0	11.2	55.6	28.2
Multiracial/Ethnic	School												
	District	0.0	0.0	57.1	42.9	0.0	4.8	52.4	42.9	0.0	0.0	71.4	28.6
	State	0.5	19.6	57.3	22.6	1.8	14.9	55.5	27.8	6.2	12.0	58.4	23.4

Grade 7 - Limited-English-Proficient

Levels		Reading				Mathematics				Science			
		1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
School	School	10.0	60.0	30.0	0.0	10.0	40.0	50.0	0.0	20.0	40.0	40.0	0.0
	District	6.3	56.3	37.5	0.0	5.9	41.2	52.9	0.0	11.8	41.2	47.1	0.0
	State	2.3	64.0	32.0	1.7	4.7	38.5	51.0	5.8	25.6	35.2	37.3	1.9

Grade 7 - Students with Disabilities

Levels		Reading				Mathematics				Science			
		1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
IEP	School	0.0	40.0	53.3	6.7	0.0	40.0	53.3	6.7	10.0	26.7	50.0	13.3
	District	3.4	41.2	47.9	7.6	5.9	31.9	52.9	9.2	14.4	24.6	50.8	10.2
	State	2.7	59.0	34.6	3.7	8.3	44.0	42.0	5.7	24.1	26.5	42.5	6.8
Non-IEP	School	0.3	6.5	52.0	41.2	0.3	4.6	46.1	49.0	2.0	3.9	56.2	37.9
	District	0.1	3.2	51.9	44.8	0.1	2.5	43.6	53.8	0.8	3.2	54.5	41.5
	State	0.2	16.4	60.1	23.3	0.6	11.3	57.0	31.1	4.4	11.6	57.7	26.3

Grade 7 - Economically Disadvantaged

Levels		Reading				Mathematics				Science			
		1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
Free/Reduced Price Lunch	School	2.6	25.6	61.5	10.3	2.6	20.5	59.0	17.9	7.7	17.9	69.2	5.1
	District	1.2	20.7	65.9	12.2	2.4	14.6	54.9	28.0	6.1	13.4	65.9	14.6
	State	0.9	34.1	56.3	8.8	2.9	24.7	59.3	13.1	12.2	21.9	57.1	8.7
Not Eligible	School	0.0	7.4	50.8	41.8	0.0	6.1	45.1	48.8	2.0	4.4	53.9	39.7
	District	0.4	6.2	50.3	43.1	0.6	4.9	43.8	50.7	1.9	4.8	53.2	40.0
	State	0.2	12.6	57.1	30.1	0.7	8.4	51.7	39.3	2.9	7.0	54.6	35.6

Grade 8**Grade 8 - All**

Levels		Reading				Mathematics			
		1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
School		0.3	7.5	74.5	17.6	0.3	5.0	46.5	48.1
District		0.3	6.0	76.5	17.2	0.1	5.6	44.4	49.9
State		0.4	16.0	74.6	9.0	0.8	17.5	54.5	27.2

Grade 8 - Gender

Levels		Reading				Mathematics			
		1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
Male	School	0.0	12.4	72.8	14.8	0.0	5.9	50.3	43.8
	District	0.3	9.3	75.5	14.9	0.0	7.1	44.7	48.2
	State	0.5	19.0	72.5	7.9	0.9	18.6	53.1	27.4
Female	School	0.7	2.0	76.5	20.8	0.7	4.0	42.3	53.0
	District	0.2	2.2	77.7	19.9	0.2	3.8	44.1	51.9
	State	0.2	12.9	76.7	10.2	0.6	16.4	56.0	27.0

Grade 8 - Racial/Ethnic Background

Levels		Reading				Mathematics			
		1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
White	School	0.4	4.7	75.9	19.0	0.0	2.9	46.0	51.1
	District	0.2	4.2	76.9	18.7	0.0	4.0	44.0	52.0
	State	0.2	10.0	77.2	12.6	0.4	10.3	53.4	35.9
Black	School	0.0	8.3	91.7	0.0	0.0	8.3	50.0	41.7
	District	0.7	28.6	68.7	2.1	1.9	34.5	54.4	9.2
	State	0.7	28.6	68.7	2.1	1.9	34.5	54.4	9.2
Hispanic	School	0.0	40.0	52.0	8.0	4.0	24.0	56.0	16.0
	District	0.0	26.0	68.5	5.5	1.4	20.5	52.1	26.0
	State	0.5	22.2	73.6	3.7	0.8	22.9	61.3	15.0
Asian/Pacific Islander	School	1.9	7.7	73.1	17.3	0.0	9.4	34.0	56.6
	District	0.2	6.3	72.5	21.0	0.4	5.7	36.0	57.9
	State	0.2	6.3	72.5	21.0	0.4	5.7	36.0	57.9
Native American	School	0.0	17.9	75.3	6.8	1.3	16.6	58.3	23.8
	District	0.0	17.9	75.3	6.8	1.3	16.6	58.3	23.8
	State	0.0	17.9	75.3	6.8	1.3	16.6	58.3	23.8
Multiracial/Ethnic	School	0.0	7.1	82.1	10.7	0.0	7.1	53.6	39.3
	District	0.2	14.6	75.5	9.6	0.5	16.7	56.0	26.7
	State	0.2	14.6	75.5	9.6	0.5	16.7	56.0	26.7

Grade 8 - Students with Disabilities

Levels		Reading				Mathematics			
		1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
IEP	School	3.1	43.8	50.0	3.1	0.0	28.1	62.5	9.4
	District	2.4	35.7	60.3	1.6	0.0	31.0	61.1	7.9
	State	2.0	51.8	44.9	1.3	4.0	51.3	40.0	4.7
Non-IEP	School	0.0	3.5	77.3	19.2	0.3	2.4	44.8	52.4
	District	0.0	2.1	78.6	19.3	0.1	2.2	42.2	55.5
	State	0.1	10.6	79.1	10.2	0.3	12.4	56.7	30.6

Grade 8 - Economically Disadvantaged

Levels	Reading				Mathematics			
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
Free/Reduced Price Lunch								
School	0.0	32.4	64.7	2.9	2.9	29.4	52.9	14.7
District	0.0	22.2	73.6	4.2	1.4	23.6	56.9	18.1
State	0.6	25.8	70.5	3.0	1.3	28.1	58.1	12.4
Not Eligible								
School	0.4	4.6	75.7	19.4	0.0	2.1	45.8	52.1
District	0.3	4.9	76.7	18.1	0.0	4.3	43.6	52.2
State	0.1	8.6	77.7	13.6	0.4	9.4	51.8	38.4

2009 ADEQUATE YEARLY PROGRESS (AYP) Status Report

Is this school making Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP)?	No	Has this school been identified for School Improvement according to the AYP specifications of the federal No Child Left Behind Act?	No
Is this school making AYP in Reading?	No	2009-10 Federal Improvement Status	
Is this school making AYP in Mathematics?	Yes	2009-10 State Improvement Status	

	Percent Tested on State Tests				Percent Meeting/Exceeding Standards *						Other Indicators			
	Reading		Mathematics		Reading			Mathematics			Attendance Rate		Graduation Rate	
	%	Met AYP	%	Met AYP	%	Safe Harbor Target **	Met AYP	%	Safe Harbor Target **	Met AYP	%	Met AYP	%	Met AYP
State AYP Minimum Target	95.0		95.0		70.0			70.0			90.0		78.0	
All	99.9	Yes	99.9	Yes	89.6		Yes	91.9		Yes	95.5	Yes		
White	99.9	Yes	99.9	Yes	91.8		Yes	93.6		Yes				
Black														
Hispanic	100.0	Yes	100.0	Yes	65.7		Yes	78.6		Yes				
Asian/Pacific Islander														
Native American														
Multiracial /Ethnic														
LEP														
Students with Disabilities	99.1	Yes	99.1	Yes	55.3	63.5	No	60.5	65.0	Yes	94.7			
Economically Disadvantaged	100.0	Yes	100.0	Yes	65.6		Yes	71.0		Yes				

Four Conditions Are Required For Making Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP):

1. At least 95% tested in reading and mathematics for every student group. If the current year participation rate is less than 95%, this condition may be met if the average of the current and preceding year rates is at least 95%, or if the average of the current and two preceding years is at least 95%. Only actual participation rates are printed. If the participation rate printed is less than 95% and yet this school makes AYP, it means that the 95% condition was met by averaging.
2. At least 70.0% meeting/exceeding standards in reading and mathematics for every group. For any group with less than 70.0% meeting/exceeding standards, a 95% confidence interval was applied. Subgroups may meet this condition through Safe Harbor provisions. ***
3. For schools not making AYP solely because the IEP group fails to have 70.0% meeting/exceeding standards, 14% may be added to this variable in accordance with the federal 2% flexibility provision.
4. At least 90% attendance rate for non-high schools and at least 78% graduation rate for high schools.

* Includes only students enrolled as of 05/01/2008.

** Safe Harbor Targets of 70.0% or above are not printed.

*** Subgroups with fewer than 45 students are not reported. Safe Harbor only applies to subgroups of 45 or more. In order for Safe Harbor to apply, a subgroup must decrease by 10% the percentage of scores that did not meet state standards from the previous year plus meet the other indicators (attendance rate for non-high schools and graduation rate for high schools) for the subgroup. For subgroups that do not meet their Safe Harbor Targets, a 75% confidence interval is applied. Safe Harbor allows schools an alternate method to meet subgroup minimum targets on achievement.

Thompson Middle School Improvement Plan for 2009-2010

This “School Report Card” has been compiled by the Illinois State Board of Education as a means by which school districts communicate local and statewide information to the public. The No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 (NCLB) requires states to establish annual achievement targets which are used to calculate Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP). The purpose of this “School Report Card” is to communicate the school’s and district’s performance on the annual targets.

The Thompson Middle School Staff is working hard to provide a high quality education for all students. In order to achieve this, a cooperated effort must be provided by all stakeholders: students, parents, faculty, staff, and administration. Our overall achievement on these assessments was solid, with all of our sub-groups meeting standards except one. Our IEP sub-group failed to make *adequate yearly progress* (AYP) in the area of reading. This subgroup failed to meet standards by .7%.

Findings for the Improvement Plan

The Illinois Standards Achievement Test (ISAT) assesses reading and math in grades 6, 7, and 8. Students in grade 7 are also assessed in science. Students in grades 6 and 8 take writing assessments.

The percent of students at Thompson Middle School who met or exceeded standards was 88%, 90%, and 92% respectively in grades 6, 7, and 8 on the reading assessment. On the math assessment, the percent who met or exceeded standards was 90%, 92%, and 95% respectively for grades 6, 7, and 8. These passing rates are significantly higher in comparison to students in grades 6-8 throughout the State of Illinois on both the reading and math assessments. 91.4% of grade 7 students met or exceeded standards in science, compared to the State of Illinois average of 79.5%.

Our IEP sub-group failed to meet annual yearly progress, in the area of reading, on the 2009 ISAT. This sub-group missed meeting standards by .7% when factoring in the 2% federal flexibility provision.

Goals for the Current Year

Our ongoing goal is for all students to show continual academic and affective growth. Through extensive data review and analysis, specific and targeted areas of improvement have been identified. Our targeted areas are specific subgroups that are not performing at the pace of our overall student population. Our work will be centered on not only our students meeting standards, but the groups of students who are working on moving from meets to exceeds.

The Thompson Middle School Improvement Goals for the 2009-2010 school year include:

- Increase the percentage of all students who meet or exceed reading standards on the 2009 ISAT by 5 %
- Increase the percentage of all students who meet or exceed math standards on the 2009 ISAT by 4 %
- Increase the percentage of students who feel a sense of belonging at Thompson as measured by D303 climate survey and II Youth Survey

As a result of our IEP sub-group not meeting AYP, Thompson has developed specific action plans to improve the learning scores of this group. Three examples of these actions include, staff development that will be completed during a school improvement day focusing on meeting the reading needs of IEP students. Staff will also focus on reading strategies across curriculum, building student knowledge in the area of text features, inferring, prior knowledge, and making predications. Additionally, through our Professional Learning Community initiative, teachers will consistently focus on the learning needs of all of our students, specifically targeting our IEP sub-group.

Contact Information

It is important to have both parent and community interaction as we work to help Thompson meet our goals. If you have questions or comments, please feel free to contact Mr. Steve Morrill, Principal, at (630) 377-4872, or by e-mail at Stephen.Morrill@d303.org. You are also able to communicate with us using the district web site at www.d303.org. Please log on to our site for additional information about our district and programs.