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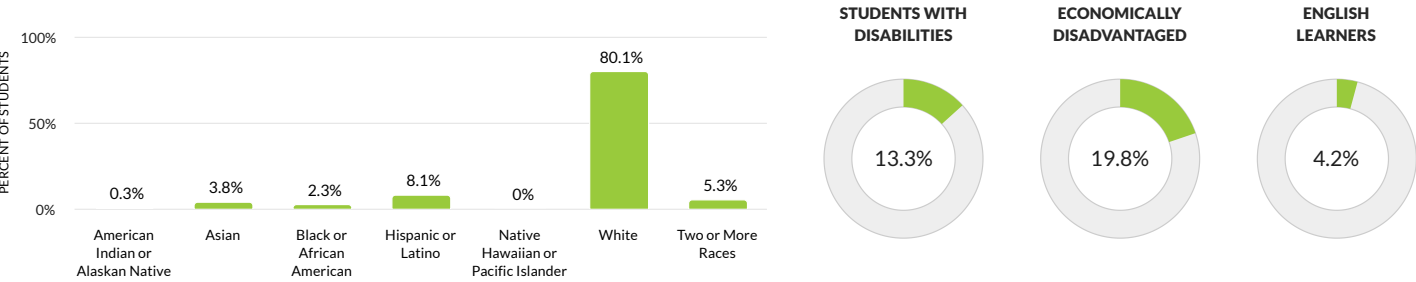
School Details

Grades : 7-8  
Enrollment : 602  
Percent open enrollment : 4.2%

DeForest Area Middle School: Our school is committed to engaging, challenging, and inspiring ALL students to pursue their full potential. We strive to provide a learning environment that is safe, respectful, and responsible. Our staff is committed to building long-lasting, positive relationships with students and families that support students both academically and emotionally.

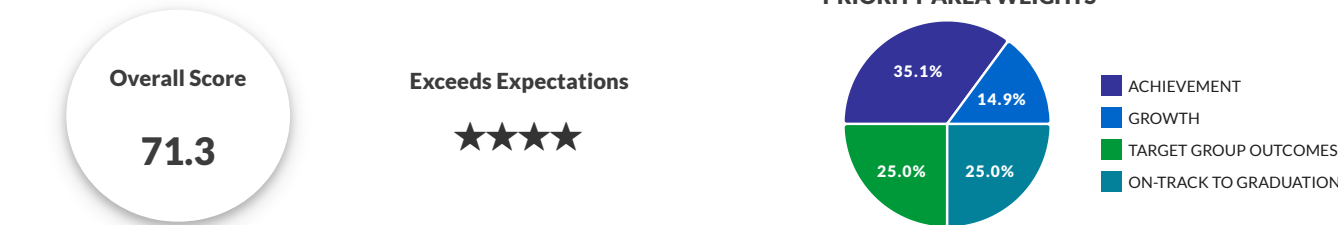
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Student Groups



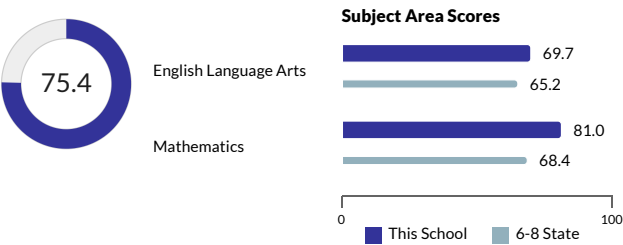
Score Summary

Report cards, including the weighting of the Achievement and Growth priority areas, are governed by Wis. Stat. § 115.385. For more information, including updates for 2024-25, see <https://dpi.wi.gov/accountability/resources>.

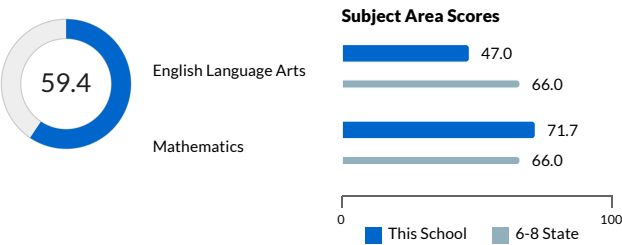


Priority Area Scores

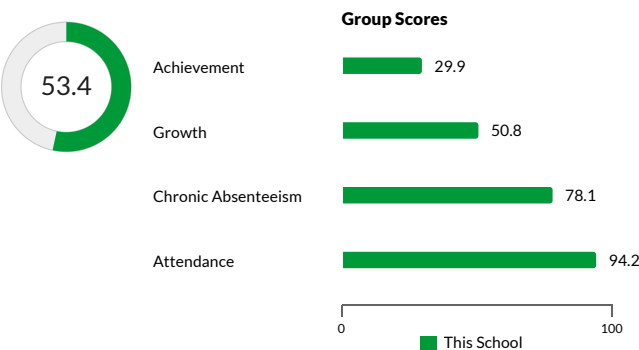
ACHIEVEMENT



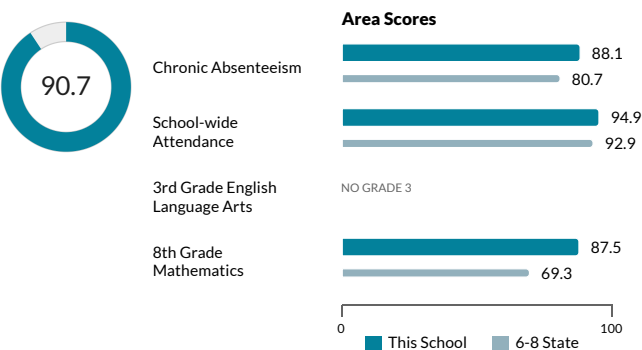
GROWTH



TARGET GROUP OUTCOMES



ON-TRACK TO GRADUATION

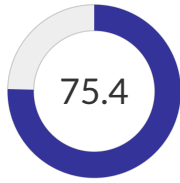




## ACHIEVEMENT

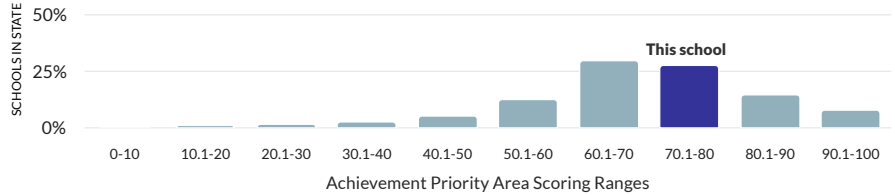
This priority area summarizes how this school's students performed on state assessments using a points-based proficiency system that gives partial credit for Approaching performance and extra credit for Advanced performance. The score is a multi-year average of English language arts and mathematics component scores.

### Priority Area Score



English Language Arts Score: 69.7  
Mathematics Score: 81.0

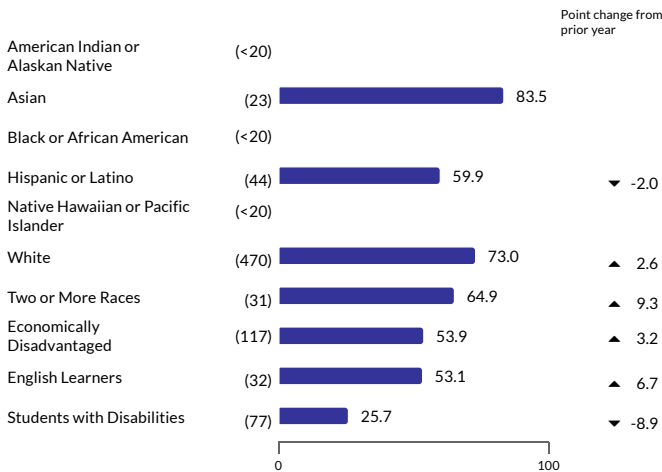
■ This school's score was the same or higher than 66.0% of 6-8 schools in the state.



## Student Group Achievement, 2024-25 (for information only)

Group size is given in parentheses. Groups with fewer than 20 students do not have a score displayed.

### ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS



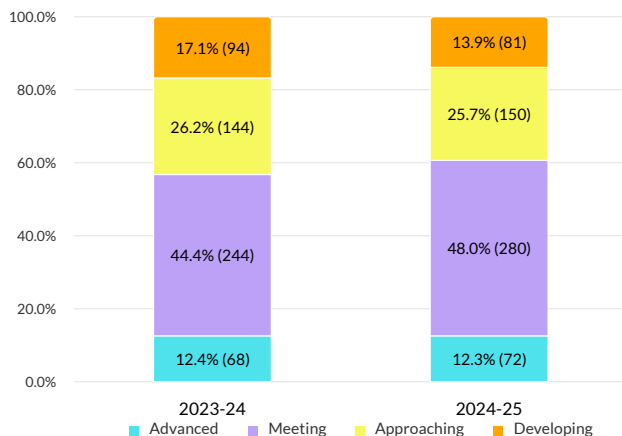
### MATHEMATICS



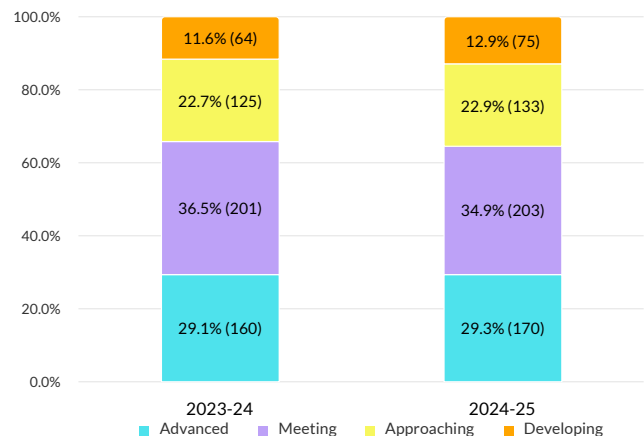
## Performance Levels by Year

These graphs show school-wide percentages and group sizes of students performing at each level.

### ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS



### MATHEMATICS



ACHIEVEMENT - ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Schools receiving Wisconsin public funds are required by law to participate in statewide testing. Test participation rates that fall below the threshold of 95% present an incomplete picture of a school's performance.

Test Participation Rates, 2024-25

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

All students	Lowest-participating group: Hispanic or Latino
99.2%	97.8%

MATHEMATICS

All students	Lowest-participating group: Two or More Races
98.7%	97.0%

Student Group Performance Levels by Year

Student group data are shown for full academic year students in tested grades.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

	2023-24					2024-25				
	Total # Tested	Advanced	Meeting	Approaching	Developing	Total # Tested	Advanced	Meeting	Approaching	Developing
All Students: 6-8 State	178,443	11.5%	39.7%	30.2%	18.5%	177,905	12.3%	40.5%	29.0%	18.2%
All Students	550	12.4%	44.4%	26.2%	17.1%	583	12.3%	48.0%	25.7%	13.9%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	<20	*	*	*	*	<20	*	*	*	*
Asian	<20	*	*	*	*	23	17.4%	56.5%	21.7%	4.3%
Black or African American	<20	*	*	*	*	<20	*	*	*	*
Hispanic or Latino	39	15.4%	33.3%	25.6%	25.6%	44	6.8%	40.9%	31.8%	20.5%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	<20	*	*	*	*	<20	*	*	*	*
White	450	12.7%	47.6%	24.4%	15.3%	470	13.2%	49.4%	25.1%	12.3%
Two or More Races	37	10.8%	24.3%	43.2%	21.6%	31	9.7%	48.4%	19.4%	22.6%
Economically Disadvantaged	105	5.7%	29.5%	37.1%	27.6%	117	5.1%	35.9%	33.3%	25.6%
English Learners	26	7.7%	26.9%	26.9%	38.5%	32	0.0%	37.5%	43.8%	18.8%
Students with Disabilities	66	7.6%	10.6%	33.3%	48.5%	77	1.3%	10.4%	32.5%	55.8%

MATHEMATICS

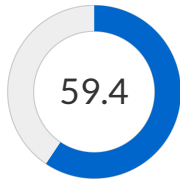
	2023-24					2024-25				
	Total # Tested	Advanced	Meeting	Approaching	Developing	Total # Tested	Advanced	Meeting	Approaching	Developing
All Students: 6-8 State	178,277	20.1%	32.4%	26.2%	21.3%	177,765	21.6%	31.0%	27.6%	19.7%
All Students	550	29.1%	36.5%	22.7%	11.6%	581	29.3%	34.9%	22.9%	12.9%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	<20	*	*	*	*	<20	*	*	*	*
Asian	<20	*	*	*	*	23	39.1%	43.5%	17.4%	0.0%
Black or African American	<20	*	*	*	*	<20	*	*	*	*
Hispanic or Latino	39	20.5%	30.8%	25.6%	23.1%	44	18.2%	25.0%	34.1%	22.7%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	<20	*	*	*	*	<20	*	*	*	*
White	450	31.6%	37.8%	21.3%	9.3%	468	30.6%	35.7%	22.0%	11.8%
Two or More Races	37	18.9%	29.7%	37.8%	13.5%	31	32.3%	32.3%	22.6%	12.9%
Economically Disadvantaged	105	14.3%	24.8%	36.2%	24.8%	116	8.6%	31.0%	40.5%	19.8%
English Learners	26	19.2%	19.2%	42.3%	19.2%	32	15.6%	40.6%	31.3%	12.5%
Students with Disabilities	66	10.6%	10.6%	31.8%	47.0%	77	6.5%	11.7%	31.2%	50.6%



## GROWTH

This priority area measures year-to-year student progress on statewide tests. It uses a value-added model that seeks to control for circumstances beyond the influence of educators. A high value-added score means that on average students in the school are progressing more quickly than other, similar students. Growth is scored from 0 to 100 to match the other priority areas and is a conversion from the roughly 0 to 6 value-added score.

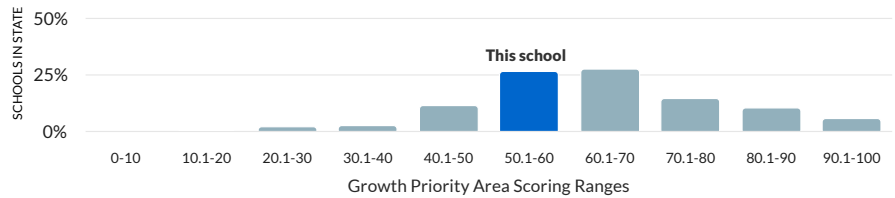
### Priority Area Score



English Language Arts Score: 47.0

Mathematics Score: 71.7

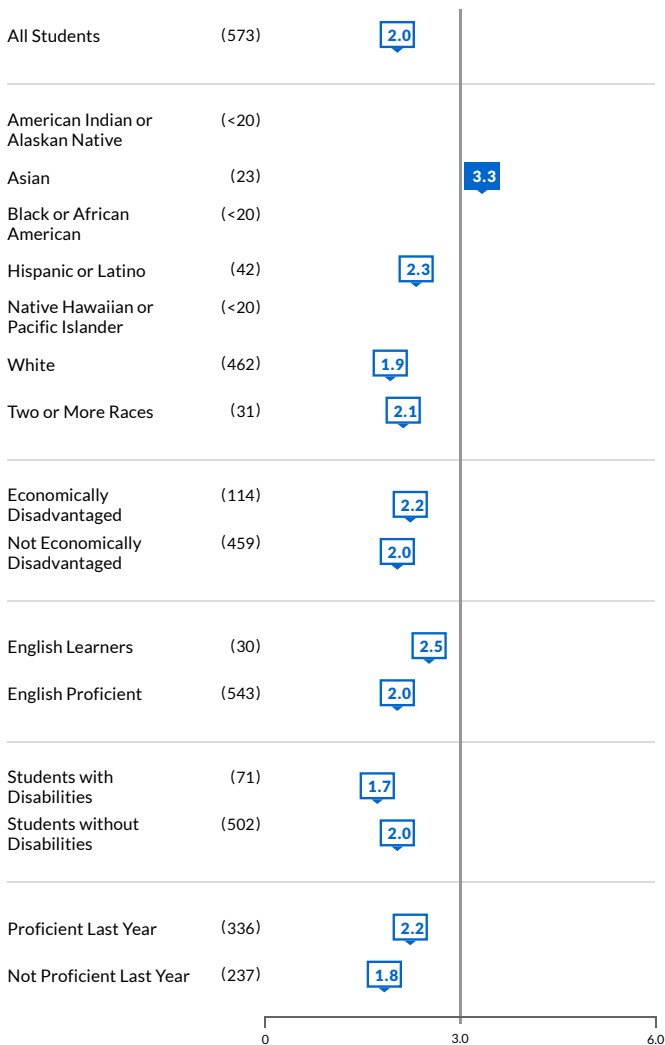
■ This school's score was the same or higher than 42.9% of 6-8 schools in the state.



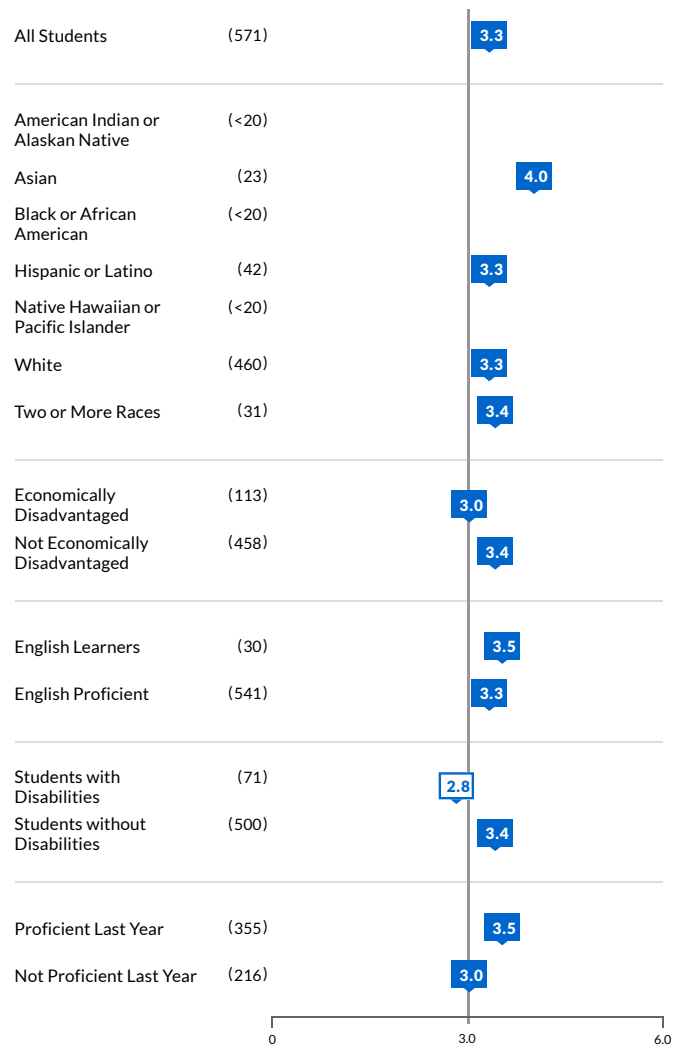
### Student Group Value-Added (for information only)

Value-added scores cover an approximately 0-6 range. Higher scores mean greater positive impact. A score of 3.0 is average. Group size is shown in parentheses. Groups with fewer than 20 students do not have a score displayed. Shaded boxes indicate higher-than-average scores.

#### ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS



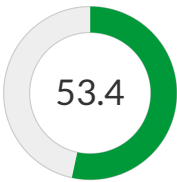
#### MATHEMATICS



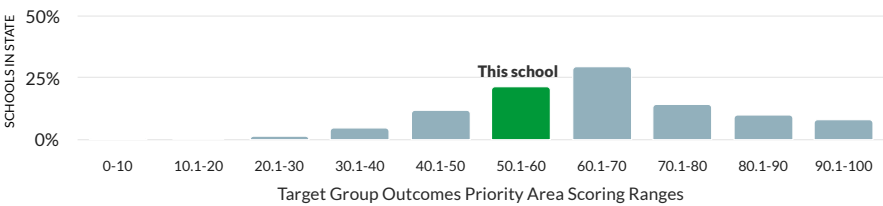
TARGET GROUP OUTCOMES

This priority area examines outcomes for students with the lowest test scores — the target group. This measure was designed to inform improvement efforts that result in positive change for learners who most need it while also improving outcomes for all students. The priority area score combines component scores for achievement, growth, chronic absenteeism, and attendance or graduation rate. Data are not displayed when target groups have fewer than 20 students.

Priority Area Score



■ This school's score was the same or higher than 25.1% of 6-8 schools in the state.



Component Scores

**ACHIEVEMENT**

Score: 29.9

Average points-based proficiency rates.

**English Language Arts**

Target Group 27.7

Non-Target Group 85.1

**Mathematics**

Target Group 32.1

Non-Target Group 98.5

**GROWTH**

Score: 50.8

Value-added scores converted onto a 0-100 growth scale.

**English Language Arts**

Target Group 43.2

Non-Target Group 48.9

**Mathematics**

Target Group 58.4

Non-Target Group 77.4

**CHRONIC ABSENTEEISM**

Score: 78.1

Score is 100 minus the multi-year average chronic absenteeism rate — the percentage of students who missed more than 10% of school days — so a higher score is better.

Target Group 78.1

Non-Target Group 93.5

**ATTENDANCE**

Score: 94.2

This score is the overall attendance rate for the target group in 2023-24.

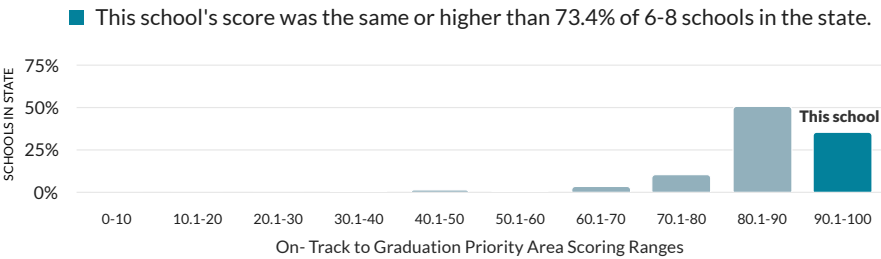
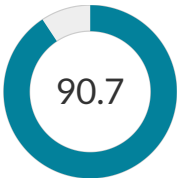
Target Group 94.2

Non-Target Group 95.2

ON-TRACK TO GRADUATION

This priority area indicates how successfully students are progressing toward completing their K-12 education. The score combines component scores for measures of student engagement and achievement.

Priority Area Score



Component Scores

CHRONIC ABSENTEEISM

Score: 88.1

Score is 100 minus the multi-year average chronic absenteeism rate — the percentage of students who missed more than 10% of school days — so a higher score is better.

School88.1

6-8 Statewide80.7

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SCHOOL-WIDE ATTENDANCE

Score: 94.9

This score is the overall attendance rate for the school in 2023-24.

School94.9

6-8 Statewide92.9

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3RD GRADE ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

Score: NA

Multi-year average points-based proficiency rates.

NO GRADE 3

8TH GRADE MATHEMATICS

Score: 87.5

Multi-year average points-based proficiency rates.

School87.5

6-8 Statewide69.3

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3rd Grade Reading (for information only)

Under Wis. Stat. § 115.385(1)(f), report cards are required to include data on the percentage of pupils reading at grade level by the end of third grade. Below is the percentage of third grade students in the Meeting and Advanced performance levels based on Forward reading and DLM ELA results.

NO GRADE 3



## ON-TRACK TO GRADUATION - ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

This page provides additional detail about chronic absenteeism and graduation and is for information only.

### Student Group Chronic Absenteeism Rates, Single-Year

	2021-22		2022-23		2023-24	
	Students	Rate	Students	Rate	Students	Rate
All Students: 6-8 State	190,135	22.5%	187,110	19.0%	185,364	17.3%
All Students	546	16.8%	561	13.0%	570	7.9%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	<20	*	<20	*	<20	*
Asian	<20	*	<20	*	<20	*
Black or African American	23	39.1%	<20	*	<20	*
Hispanic or Latino	40	37.5%	39	25.6%	43	18.6%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	<20	*	<20	*	<20	*
White	440	13.4%	457	11.4%	465	5.8%
Two or More Races	29	24.1%	39	12.8%	36	13.9%
Economically Disadvantaged	137	37.2%	103	31.1%	111	19.8%
English Learners	31	29.0%	33	18.2%	27	7.4%
Students with Disabilities	70	30.0%	65	36.9%	69	15.9%

### Student Group Graduation Rates

This table shows for each of two cohorts the percentage of students starting high school together who graduated by 2023-24. The four-year rate pertains to students who started high school four years earlier, and the seven-year rate pertains to students who started seven years earlier.

This school does not have a 12th grade