Connecticut State Department of Education

DISTRICT PROFILE AND PERFORMANCE REPORT FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2017–18



Great Oaks Charter School District

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Students

District Information

Grade Range	6-9
Number of Schools/Programs	1
Enrollment	400
Per Pupil Expenditures ¹	\$18,515
Total Expenditures ¹	\$5,998,883

¹Expenditure data reflect the 2016-17 year.



Community Information

<u>CERC Town Profiles</u> provide summary demographic and economic information for Connecticut's municipalities

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Unless otherwise noted, all data are for 2017-18 and include all grades offered by the district.

In most tables, data are displayed only for the three major race/ethnicity categories. For additional race/ethnicity categories, please visit edsight.ct.gov.

State totals are not displayed as they are not comparable to district totals.

Special Education tables reflect only students for whom the district is fiscally responsible.

suppressed to ensure student confidentiality. N/A is displayed when a category is not applicable for a district or school.

* When an asterisk is displayed, data have been

October 1, 2017 Enrollment				
		District	State	
	Count	Percent of Total (%)	Percent of Total (%)	
Female	209	52.3	48.4	
Male	191	47.8	51.6	
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	0.3	
Asian	0	0.0	5.1	
Black or African American	188	47.0	12.8	
Hispanic or Latino	189	47.3	24.8	
Pacific Islander	*	*	0.1	
Two or More Races	*	*	3.3	
White	16	4.0	53.6	
English Learners	56	14.0	7.2	
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	346	86.5	36.7	
Students with Disabilities ¹	76	19.0	14.8	

¹Students in this category are students with Individualized Education Programs (IEPs) only. This category does not include students with Section 504 Plans.

Chronic Absenteeism and Suspension/Expulsion

	Chronic		Suspe	ension/
	Absenteeism ²		Expu	llsion ³
	Count	Rate (%)	Count	Rate (%)
Female	28	14.9	44	22.0
Male	36	21.4	63	34.8
Black or African American	22	13.2	56	31.1
Hispanic or Latino	35	21.1	44	24.9
White	*	*	*	*
English Learners	12	22.6	9	16.1
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	59	19.1	90	27.2
Students with Disabilities	19	29.7	31	42.5
District	64	18.0	107	28.1
State		10.7		6.8

Number of students in 2016-17 qualified as truant under state statute: 0

Number of school-based arrests: 0

²A student is chronically absent if he/she misses ten percent or greater of the total number of days enrolled in the school year for any reason. Pre-Kindergarten students are excluded from this calculation.

³The count and percentage of students who receive at least one in-school suspension, out-of-school suspension or expulsion.

Educators

Full-Time Equivalent (FTE)1 Staff

	FTE
General Education	
Teachers and Instructors	15.0
Paraprofessional Instructional Assistants	53.0
Special Education	
Teachers and Instructors	1.0
Paraprofessional Instructional Assistants	3.0
Administrators, Coordinators and Department Chairs	
District Central Office	3.0
School Level	0.0
Library/Media	
Specialists (Certified)	0.0
Support Staff	0.0
Instructional Specialists Who Support Teachers	0.0
Counselors, Social Workers and School Psychologists	0.0
School Nurses	1.0
Other Staff Providing Non-Instructional Services/Support	14.0

¹In the full-time equivalent count, staff members working part-time in the school are counted as a fraction of full-time. For example, a teacher who works half-time in a school contributes 0.50 to the school's staff count.

Educators by Race/Ethnicity

		District	State
	Count Percent of Total (%)		Percent of Total (%)
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0.0	0.1
Asian	0	0.0	1.1
Black or African American	6	31.6	3.7
Hispanic or Latino	1	5.3	3.7
Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0.0
Two or More Races	1	5.3	0.1
White	11	57.9	91.0

Classroom Teacher Attendance: 2016-17

	District	State
Average Number of FTE Days Absent Due to Illness or Personal Time	4.8	10.5

Instruction and Resources

11th and 12th Graders Enrolled in College-and-Career-Readiness Courses during High School²

	11th		1	2th
	Count	Rate (%)	Count	Rate (%)
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
District	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
State		69.3		80.1

²College-and-Career-Readiness Courses include Advanced Placement®(AP), International Baccalaureate®(IB), Career and Technical Education(CTE), workplace experience and dual enrollment courses.

Students with Disabilities Who Spend 79.1 to 100 Percent of Time with Nondisabled Peers³

	Count	Rate (%)
Autism	N/A	N/A
Emotional Disturbance	N/A	N/A
Intellectual Disability	N/A	N/A
Learning Disability	N/A	N/A
Other Health Impairment	N/A	N/A
Other Disabilities	N/A	N/A
Speech/Language Impairment	N/A	N/A
District	N/A	N/A
State		68.6

³Ages 6-21

Students with Disabilities by Primary Disability¹

	Dis	State	
	Count	Rate (%)	Rate (%)
Autism	0	0.0	1.8
Emotional Disturbance	0	0.0	1.1
Intellectual Disability	0	0.0	0.5
Learning Disability	0	0.0	5.2
Other Health Impairment	0	0.0	3.1
Other Disabilities	0	0.0	1.1
Speech/Language Impairment	0	0.0	1.8
All Disabilities	0	0.0	14.5

Students with Disabilities Placed Outside of the District²

	Dis	State	
	Count	Rate (%)	
Public Schools in Other Districts	0	0.0	8.3
Private Schools or Other Settings	0	0.0	5.2

²Grades K-12

Overall Expenditures: 2016-17

		Per Pupil	
	Total (\$)	District (\$)	State (\$)
Instructional Staff and Services	2,714,191	8,377	9,847
Instructional Supplies and Equipment	266,834	824	287
Improvement of Instruction and Educational Media Services	1,760,769	5,434	589
Student Support Services	34,239	106	1,120
Administration and Support Services	300,031	926	1,905
Plant Operation and Maintenance	363,475	1,122	1,648
Transportation	362,887		904
Costs of Students Tuitioned Out		N/A	N/A
Other	196,457	606	208
Total	5,998,883	18,515	16,535
Additiona	al Expenditures		
Land, Buildings, and Debt Service	0	0	1,393

³Expenditures may be supported by local tax revenues, state grants, federal grants, municipal in-kind services, tuition and other sources.

Special Education Expenditures: 2016-17

	Dist	District		
	Total (\$)	Percent of Total (%)	Percent of Total (%)	
Certified Personnel	0	0.0	33.8	
Noncertified Personnel	0	0.0	14.5	
Purchased Services	0	0.0	5.5	
Tuition to Other Schools	0	0.0	23.4	
Special Ed. Transportation	0	0.0	8.7	
Other Expenditures	0	0.0	14.1	
Total Expenditures	0	0.0	100.0	

Expenditures by Revenue Source:⁴ 2016-17

	Percent of Total (%)				
	Including Excluding				
	School	School			
	Construction	Construction			
Local	0.0	0.0			
State	65.5	65.5			
Federal	6.3	6.3			
Tuition & Other	28.3	28.3			

⁴Revenue sources do not include state-funded Teachers' Retirement Board contributions, vocational-technical school operations, SDE budgeted costs for salaries and leadership activities and other state-funded school districts (e.g., Dept. of Children and Families and Dept. of Correction).

¹Grades K-12

Performance and Accountability

District Performance Index (DPI)

A District Performance Index (DPI) is the average performance of students in a subject area (i.e., ELA, Mathematics or Science) on the state summative assessments. The DPI ranges from 0-100. A DPI is reported for all students tested in a district and for students in each individual student group. Connecticut's ultimate target for a DPI is 75. The USDOE approved Connecticut's waiver request related to statewide student assessment in science. As a result, in spring 2018, the Connecticut State Department of Education administered a NGSS Assessment Field Test for both science standard and alternate assessments. Therefore, no science data appear in the table below.

	English Langua	ge Arts(ELA)	Math	
	Count	DPI	Count	DPI
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*
Asian	0	N/A	0	N/A
Black or African American	122	46.0	122	43.5
Hispanic or Latino	133	47.0	135	46.1
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*
White	13	*	13	*
English Learners	72	45.6	73	46.0
Non-English Learners	202	46.8	203	44.6
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	236	47.0	237	44.9
Not Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	38	43.4	39	45.5
Students with Disabilities	49	27.6	50	22.0
Students without Disabilities	225	50.6	226	50.0
High Needs	249	46.2	250	44.1
Non-High Needs	25	49.6	26	53.2
District	274	46.5	276	45.0

National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP): Percent At or Above Proficient¹

	NAEP	NAEP 2013	
READING	Grade 4 Grade 8		Grade 12
Connecticut	43%	44%	50%
National Public	35%	35%	36%
MATH	Grade 4	Grade 8	Grade 12
Connecticut	40%	36%	32%
National Public	40%	33%	25%

¹NAEP is often called the "Nation's Report Card." It is sponsored by the U.S. Department of Education. This table compares Connecticut's performance to that of national public school students. Performance standards for state assessments and NAEP are set independently. Therefore, one should not expect performance results to be the same across Smarter Balanced and NAEP. Instead, NAEP results are meant to complement other state assessment data. To view student subgroup performance on NAEP, click here.

Physical Fitness Tests: Students Reaching Health Standard²

	Percent of Students by Grade ³ (%)				All Teste	ed Grades
	4	6	8	HS	Count	Rate (%)
Sit & Reach	N/A	72.9	65.1	N/A	201	69.7
Curl Up	N/A	64.4	59.0	N/A	201	62.2
Push Up	N/A	62.7	61.4	N/A	201	62.2
Mile Run/PACER	N/A	65.3	60.2	N/A	201	63.2
All Tests - District	N/A	58.5	47.0	N/A	201	53.7
All Tests - State	53.2	51.4	50.5	45.6		50.1

²The Connecticut Physical Fitness Assessment (CPFA) is administered to all students in Grades 4, 6, 8 and 10. The health-related fitness scores gathered through the CPFA should be used to educate and motivate children and their families to increase physical activity and develop lifetime fitness habits.

³Only students assessed in all four areas are included in this calculation.

Cohort Graduation: Four-Year¹

	2016-17		
	Cohort Count ²	Rate (%)	
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	
English Learners	N/A	N/A	
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	N/A	N/A	
Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	
District	N/A	N/A	
State		87.9	

¹The four-year cohort graduation rate represents the percentage of first-time 9th graders who earn a standard high school diploma within four years.

11th and 12th Graders Meeting Benchmark on at Least One College Readiness Exam³

	Participation⁴	Meeting Benchmark	
	Rate (%)	Count	Rate (%)
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A
District	N/A	N/A	N/A
State	96.3		44.8

³College readiness exams and benchmark scores are as follows:

- SAT® meets benchmark score on SAT, Revised SAT or Connecticut School Day SAT
- ACT® meets benchmark score on 3 of 4 exams (benchmark score varies by subject)
- \bullet AP $^{\! @}$ - 3 or higher on any one AP $^{\! @}$ exam
- IB® 4 or higher on any one IB® exam
- Smarter Balanced Level 3 or higher on both ELA and math

⁴Participation Rate equals the number of test-takers in 11th and 12th grade divided by the number of students enrolled in those grades, as a percent. Sources:

SAT® and AP® statistics derived from data provided by the College Board.

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College Entrance and Persistence

	Class of 2017	Class of 2016
	Entrance⁵	Persistence ⁶
	Rate (%)	Rate (%)
Female	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A
District	N/A	N/A
State	70.9	88.3

⁵College entrance refers to the percent of high school graduates from the year who enrolled in college any time during the first year after high school.

⁶College persistence refers to the percent of students who enrolled in college the first year after high school and returned for a second year (Freshman to Sophomore persistence).

Source: National Student Clearinghouse

²Cohort count includes all students in the cohort as of the end of the 2016-17 school year.

Next Generation Accountability Results

Connecticut's Next Generation Accountability System is a broad set of 12 indicators that help tell the story of how well a district/school is preparing its students for success in college, careers, and life. It moves beyond test scores and graduation rates to provide a more holistic, multifactor perspective of district and school performance.

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Inc	licator	Index/Rate	Target	Points Earned	Max Points	% Points Earned	State Average Index/Rate
ELA Performance Index	All Students	46.5	75	31.0	50	62.0	67.6
ELA Performance index	High Needs Students	46.2	75	30.8	50	61.6	57.5
Math Performance Index	All Students	45.0	75	30.0	50	59.9	62.7
Math Performance index	High Needs Students	44.1	75	29.4	50	58.8	52.0
ELA Academic Growth	All Students	45.1%	100%	45.1	100	45.1	60.7%
ELA ACAGEIIIC GIOWIII	High Needs Students	44.2%	100%	44.2	100	44.2	55.6%
	All Students	55.6%	100%	55.6	100	55.6	61.9%
Math Academic Growth	High Needs Students	51.7%	100%	51.7	100	51.7	55.4%
Chronic Absenteeism	All Students	18.0%	<=5%	24.0	50	48.1	10.7%
Chronic Absenteeism	High Needs Students	18.9%	<=5%	22.1	50	44.2	16.6%
Dranaration for CCD	% Taking Courses	N/A	75%	0.0	0	0.0	74.8%
Preparation for CCR	% Passing Exams	N/A	75%	0.0	0	0.0	44.8%
On-track to High School Gra	aduation	90.4%	94%	48.1	50	96.1	87.5%
4-year Graduation All Stude	ents (2017 Cohort)	N/A	94%	0.0	0	0.0	87.9%
6-year Graduation - High Needs Students (2015 Cohort)		N/A	94%	0.0	0	0.0	81.8%
Postsecondary Entrance (Class of 2017)		N/A	75%	0.0	0	0.0	70.9%
Physical Fitness (estimated part rate) and (fitness rate)		103.1% 53.7%	75%	35.8	50	71.6	96.6% 50.1%
Arts Access		0.0%	60%	0.0	50	0.0	51.2%
Accountability Index				447.8	850	52.7	

Gap Indicators	Non-High Needs Rate ¹	High Needs Rate	Size of Gap	State Gap Mean +1 Stdev ²	Is Gap an Outlier? ²
Achievement Gap Size Outlier?					N
ELA Performance Index Gap	49.6	46.2	3.5	15.9	
Math Performance Index Gap	53.2	44.1	9.1	18.2	
Science Performance Index Gap		N/A			
Graduation Rate Gap					

¹ If the Non-High Needs Rate exceeds the ultimate target (75 for Performance Index and 94% for graduation rate), the ultimate target is used for gap calculations.

²If the size of the gap exceeds the state mean gap plus one standard deviation, the gap is an outlier.

Sul	oject/Subgroup	Participation Rate (%) ³	
ELA	All Students	95.2	³ Minimum
ELA	High Needs Students	95.5	participation standard is 95%.
Math	All Students	95.9	
IVIALII	High Needs Students	95.8	
Science	All Students	93.8	
Science	High Needs Students	94.2	

Connecticut's State Identified Measurable Goal for Children with Disabilities (SIMR)

Increase the reading performance of all 3rd grade students with disabilities statewide, as measured by Connecticut's English Language Arts (ELA) Performance Index.

Grade 3 ELA Performance Index for Students with Disabilities:

District: N/A State: 51.5

Supporting Resources

Two-page FAQ

Detailed Presentation

Using Accountability Results to Guide Improvement: comprehensive documentation and supports

Narratives

School District Improvement Plans and Parental Outreach Activities

Efforts to Reduce Racial, Ethnic and Economic Isolation

Equitable Allocation of Resources among District Schools