Connecticut State Department of Education

DISTRICT PROFILE AND PERFORMANCE REPORT FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2013–14



Unified School District #2

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District Information

Grade Range	6-12
Number of Schools	4
Enrollment	228
Per Pupil Expenditures ¹	N/A
Total Expenditures ¹	N/A

¹Expenditure data reflect the 2012-13 year.



Community Information

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

Related Reports/Publications

CT Reports (CMT/CAPT)

District and School Performance Reports

Special Education Annual Performance Reports

SAT®, AP®, PSAT® Report by High School (Class of 2014)

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Unless otherwise noted, all data are for 2013-14 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.

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.

* When an asterisk is displayed, data have been

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

Students

October 1, 2013 Enrollment				
		District	State	
	Count	Percent of Total (%)	Percent of Total (%)	
Female	50	21.9	48.3	
Male	178	78.1	51.6	
American Indian	*	*	0.2	
Asian	*	*	4.6	
Black or African American	97	42.5	12.9	
Hispanic or Latino	62	27.2	21.2	
Pacific Islander	*	*	0.0	
White	60	26.3	58.4	
Two or More Races	*	*	2.3	
English Language Learners	*	*	5.7	
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	152	66.7	37.3	
Students with Disabilities ¹	160	70.2	12.8	

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		Suspension/	
	Absenteeism ²		Expulsion ³	
	Count	Rate (%)	Count	Rate (%)
Female	*	*	*	*
Male	*	*	*	*
Black or African American	0	0.0	43	36.1
Hispanic or Latino	*	*	34	32.6
White	*	*	*	*
English Language Learners	0	*	0	*
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	*	*	75	25.0
Students with Disabilities	*	*	56	25.8
District	*	*	90	28.6
State		10.8		7.4

Number of students in 2012-13 qualified as truant under state statute: 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	29.0
Paraprofessional Instructional Assistants	2.0
Special Education	
Teachers and Instructors	37.8
Paraprofessional Instructional Assistants	10.0
Administrators, Coordinators and Department Chairs	
District Central Office	0.0
School Level	6.0
Library/Media	
Specialists (Certified)	1.0
Support Staff	0.0
Instructional Specialists Who Support Teachers	2.0
Counselors, Social Workers and School Psychologists	20.0
School Nurses	3.0
Other Staff Providing Non-Instructional Services/Support	13.0

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 (%)
Asian	3	2.9	1.0
Black or African American	11	10.5	3.5
Hispanic	3	2.9	3.6
Native American	0	0	0.1
White	88	83.8	91.7

Classes Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers²

	Percent of Total (%)	
District	100.0	
District Poverty Quartile: High		
State High Poverty Quartile Schools	97.8	
State Low Poverty Quartile Schools 99.5		

²Core academic classes taught by teachers who are fully certified to teach in that subject area.

Classroom Teacher Attendance: 2012-13

	District	State
Average Number of FTE Days Absent Due to Illness or Personal Time	N/A	N/A

Instruction and Resources

11th and 12th Graders Who Enrolled in at Least Two Advanced Placement® or International Baccalaureate® Courses during High School³

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	11th		12th	
	Count	Rate (%)	Count	Rate (%)
Black or African American	0	0	0	0
Hispanic or Latino	0	0	0	0
White	0	0	0	0
English Language Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	0	0	0	0
Students with Disabilities	0	0	0	0
District	0	0	0	0
State		14.2		26.8

³Effective 2014-15, this calculation will also include students who participate in dual enrollment courses and two or more courses within a career and technical education (CTE) concentration.

Students with Disabilities Who Spend 79.1 to 100 Percent of Time with Nondisabled Peers⁴

	Count	Rate (%)
Autism	0	0
Emotional Disturbance	0	0
Intellectual Disability	0	0
Learning Disability	0	0
Other Health Impairment	0	0
Other Disabilities	0	0
Speech/Language Impairment	0	0
District	0	0
State		69.2

⁴Ages 6-21

Students with Disabilities by Primary Disability¹

	Dis	State	
	Count	Rate (%)	Rate (%)
Autism	6	2.6	1.4
Emotional Disturbance	94	41.2	1.0
Intellectual Disability	*	*	0.4
Learning Disability	15	6.6	4.2
Other Health Impairment	27	11.8	2.5
Other Disabilities	11	4.8	1.0
Speech/Language Impairment	*	*	1.9
All Disabilities	155	68.0	12.4

Students with Disabilities Placed Outside of the District²

	District		State
	Count	Rate (%)	Rate (%)
Public Schools in Other Districts	0	0	2.8
Private Schools or Other Settings	155	100.0	8.1

²Grades K-12

Overall Expenditures: 2012-13

		Per P	upil			
	Total (\$)	District (\$)	State (\$)			
Instructional Staff and Services	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Instructional Supplies and Equipment	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Improvement of Instruction and Educational Media Services	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Student Support Services	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Administration and Support Services	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Plant Operation and Maintenance	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Transportation	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Costs of Students Tuitioned Out	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Other	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Total	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Additional Expenditures						
Land, Buildings, and Debt Service	N/A	N/A	N/A			

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

Special Education Expenditures: 2012-13

	Dist	State	
	Total (\$)	Percent of Total (%)	Percent of Total (%)
Certified Personnel	N/A	N/A	N/A
Noncertified Personnel	N/A	N/A	N/A
Purchased Services	N/A	N/A	N/A
Tuition to Other Schools	N/A	N/A	N/A
Special Ed. Transportation	N/A	N/A	N/A
Other Expenditures	N/A	N/A	N/A
Total Expenditures N/A		N/A	N/A
PK-12 Expenditures Used for Special Educ	ation	N/A	N/A

Expenditures by Revenue Source:⁴ 2012-13

	Percent of Total (%)					
	Including Excluding					
	School	School				
	Construction	Construction				
Local	N/A	N/A				
State	N/A	N/A				
Federal	N/A	N/A				
Tuition & Other	N/A	N/A				

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

District Performance Index (DPI)

A District Performance Index (DPI) for the Connecticut Mastery Test (CMT) and the Connecticut Academic Performance Test (CAPT) is the test performance of all subjects tested in the respective assessment for all students in the district. The DPI ranges in value from 0 to 100 points. Connecticut's ultimate target for a DPI is 88 because in a district with a DPI of 88 or above, students will have performed at or above the 'goal' level on the majority of tests. Detailed reports of CMT and CAPT assessment results are available at www.ctreports.com. School and District Performance Reports produced by the Connecticut State Department of Education (CSDE) are also available online.

СМТ	DPI				2013-14			
	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	Count	DPI	Target	Achieved
Black or African American					<20			n/a
Hispanic or Latino					<20			n/a
English Language Learners				•				
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	11.1	12.7	7.2		<20		16.3	No
Students with Disabilities	11.5	9.9	3.7		<20		14.3	No
High Needs	11.1	12.7	7.2		<20		16.3	No
District	11.1	12.7	7.2		<20		16.3	No

Note: If no data are displayed for 2013-14, the district implemented the Smarter Balanced Field Test.

CAPT		DPI				2013-14		
	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	Count	DPI	Target	Achieved
Black or African American					24	23.2		n/a
Hispanic or Latino					<20			
English Language Learners								
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	14.4	18.1	20.2	22.4	45	18.0	23.5	No
Students with Disabilities	13.3	13.7	15.5	17.4	33	13.2	20.1	No
High Needs	14.5	18.1	20.2	22.7	46	17.6	23.5	No
District	14.5	18.1	20.2	22.0	46	17.6	23.5	No

Note: If no data are displayed for 2013-14, the district implemented the Smarter Balanced Field Test.

2013 National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP): Percent At or Above Proficient¹

READING	Grade 4	Grade 8	Grade 12
Connecticut	43%	45%	50%
National Public	34%	34%	36%
MATH	Grade 4	Grade 8	Grade 12
Connecticut	45%	37%	32%
National Public	41%	34%	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 CMT/CAPT and NAEP. Instead, NAEP results are meant to complement CMT/CAPT results.

Physical Fitness Tests: Students Reaching Health Standard²

	Percent	of Stude	All Teste	ed Grades		
	4	6	8	10	Count	Rate (%)
Sit & Reach	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Curl Up	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Push Up	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Mile Run/PACER	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
All Tests - District	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
All Tests - State	50.2	50.7	50.3	53.9		51.1

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

		2013-14			
	Cohort Count ²	Rate (%)	Target³ (%)	Target Achieved	Target³ (%)
Black or African American	23	*	47.4	No	52.0
Hispanic or Latino	23	*			
English Language Learners	*	*			
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	*	*	44.8	No	49.7
Students with Disabilities	29	24.1	40.6	No	46.0
District	63	19	40.6	No	46.0
State ⁴		85.5			

¹The four-year cohort graduation rate represents the percentage of first-time 9th graders who earn a standard high school diploma within four years. Statewide, district and school results for cohorts of 2010 through 2013 are available online.

11th and 12th Graders Meeting Benchmark on at Least One College Readiness Exam⁵

	Participation ⁶	Meeting Benchmark		
	Rate (%)	Count	Rate (%)	
Female	*	0	*	
Male	0.0	0	0.0	
Black or African American	0.0	0	0.0	
Hispanic or Latino	0.0	0	0.0	
White	0.0	0	0.0	
English Language Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	0.0	0	0.0	
Students with Disabilities	0.0	0	0.0	
District	0.0	0	0.0	
State	72.9		37.6	

⁵College readiness exams and benchmark scores are as follows:

- SAT® composite score of 1550 or higher
- ACT® meets benchmark score on 3 of 4 exams (benchmark score varies by subject)
- AP® 3 or higher on any one AP® exam
- IB® 4 or higher on any one IB® exam

⁶Participation 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:

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College Entrance and Persistence

	Class of 2013	Class of 2012
	Entrance ⁷	Persistence ⁸
	Rate (%)	Rate (%)
Female	N/A	N/A
Male	*	*
Black or African American	*	*
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A
White	*	*
English Language Learners	N/A	N/A
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	*	*
Students with Disabilities	*	*
District	*	*
State	72.7	88.5

⁷College 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.

Source: National Student Clearinghouse

²Cohort count includes all students in the cohort as of the end of the 2012-13 school year.

³Targets are calculated when there are at least 20 students in a cohort in the base year (i.e., 2010-11).

⁴Targets are not displayed at the state level.

⁸College 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).

Narratives

School District Improvement Plans and Parental Outreach Activities

Efforts to Reduce Racial, Ethnic and Economic Isolation

Equitable Allocation of Resources among District Schools