

# Knoxville Middle School

6-8 neighborhood school

324 Charles St., 15210

Knoxville

412-488-2910

Principal: Toni Kendrick

## School building capacity

Percent used: 68.4%

District average (middle): 66.9%

## 2004-05 Enrollment

311 students

District average (middle): 383

African-American: 86.5%

White: 13.2%

Other: 0.3%

Student daily attendance: 87.3%

## Family income status

95.0% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (middle): 69.7%

## School closings plan status as of 2/9/06:

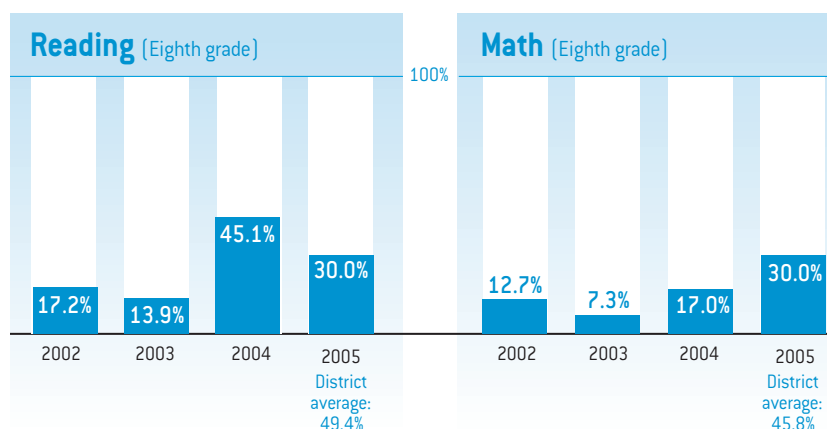
Closing in 2006

## Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels

	Knoxville	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (7th)	19.0 %	41.3 %
Math 2005 (7th)	15.2	29.7
Science 2004 (8th)	18.0	40.1

\*All district seventh and eighth grades

## Tests required by the state: Percentage of eighth graders at Proficient/Advanced levels on PSSA Reading and Math tests



## School ratings

**School Performance Index** (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **1**

**Average Student Achievement** (on a 100-point scale, an estimate of average student achievement at this school, based on a range of reading and math tests): **25**

## Compared to district averages...

### What are this school's strengths?

- Increase in PSSA reading/math scores 2002-05 near district average increase

### What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA reading/math scores still low
- High number of violent offenders

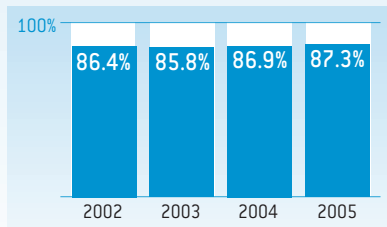
See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: [www.aplusschools.org](http://www.aplusschools.org).



# at Knoxville Middle School

## Enrollment/Attendance

Student daily attendance, 2002-05



Student mobility rate: 68.7%  
 Student stability rate: 91.8%  
 Percentage of students receiving special education services (excluding "gifted"): 30.2%  
 Percentage of students identified as "gifted": 1.5%

## Teachers

Daily attendance: 91.1%  
 Percentage with advanced degrees: 0.0%

## Principals

Principal stability: 2 principals, 2002-05

## Reportable student disciplinary actions 2003-04

Number of incidents: 66  
 Number of offenders\*: 63  
 Number of suspensions: 1  
 Number of expulsions: 2

\* Percentage of enrollment: 17.9%

## Special features

- Partnerships with Mercy Children's Center, Birmingham Foundation, Family Resources
- South Pittsburgh Coalition for Peace

## Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels by race and family income

	School overall	Black	White	Low-income	Not low-income
Reading 2005 (7th)	19.0%	16.1%	23.1%	19.8%	n/a
Percent taking test	97.2	97.8	100.0	98.1	n/a
Math 2005 (7th)	15.2	12.6	23.1	14.9	n/a
Percent taking test	97.2	97.8	100.0	98.1	n/a
Science 2004 (8th)	18.0	16.4	n/a	17.2	n/a
Percent taking test	66.3	69.6	n/a	67.4	n/a

## Tests required by the state: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels on PSSA Reading and Math tests

Percent of tested students scoring: ■ Advanced ■ Proficient ■ Basic ■ Below Basic

