

Pittsburgh's elementary schools

In the 2004/05 school year:

The average K-5/6 elementary school had 276 students.

94.2% of elementary and K-8 students attended school on the average day.

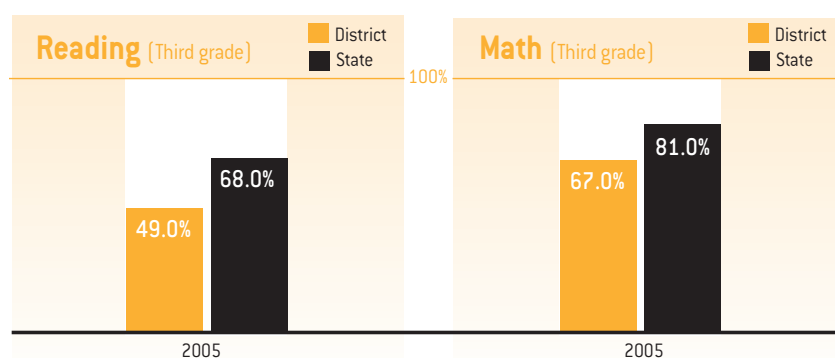
70.7% of elementary and K-8 students were eligible for free or reduced price lunch (a measure of family poverty).

The average elementary school building used 68.0% of its capacity.

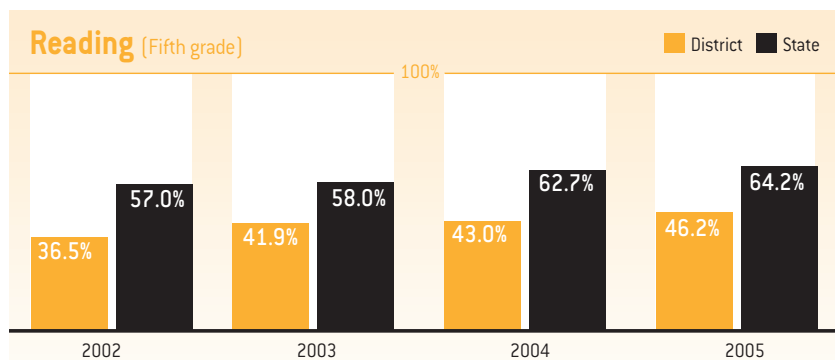
Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels

Reading 2005 (1st)	77.4%	Reading on grade level, based on one-on-one testing
Math 2005 (2nd)	67.0%	TerraNova Mathematics exam
Science 2004 (5th)	50.4%	PASS Science exam

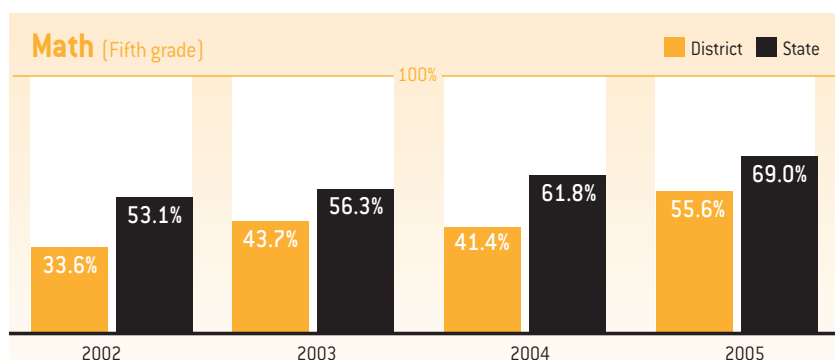
Tests required by the state: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels on PSSA Reading and Math tests



PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.



Change in Reading from 2002 to 2005: District: +9.7
State: +7.2



Change in Math from 2002 to 2005: District: +22.0
State: +15.9

Allegheny Traditional Academy

K-5 Traditional Academy magnet school

810 Arch St., 15212

Allegheny Center

412-323-4100

Principal: Mary Beth Herzberger

School building capacity

Percent used: 84.3%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

403 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 59.8%

White: 36.7%

Other: 3.5%

Student daily attendance: 95.3%

Family income status

71.9% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnerships with Pittsburgh Public Theatre, Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra
- Kindergarten transition program

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

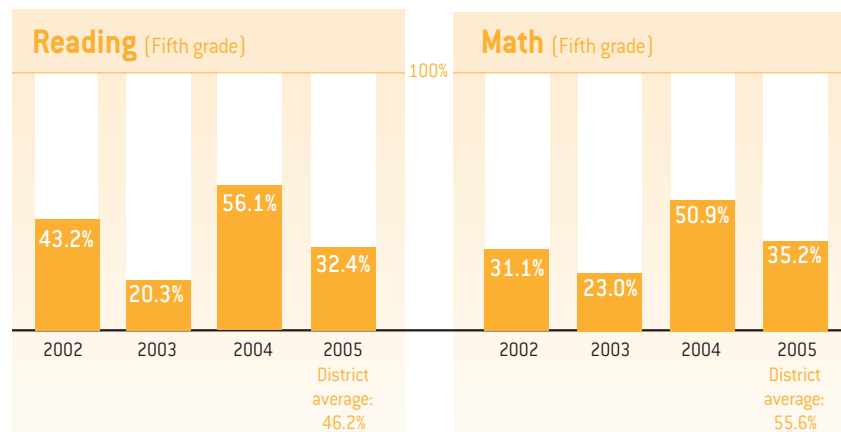
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Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels

	Allegheny	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	78.8%	77.4%
Math 2005 (2nd)	51.5	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	43.9	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 44%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 68%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **2**

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): **47**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- PSSA 5th grade reading scores near district average for low-income and black students

What are this school's challenges?

- Decrease in overall PSSA 5th grade reading scores 2002-05
- Low PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores for white students, low 5th grade math scores for black students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.apluschools.org.

Banksville Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school with an arts focus

1001 Carnahan Rd., 15216
Banksville
412-571-7400
Principal: Patricia Washington

School building capacity

Percent used: 79.2%
District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

210 students
District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 18.1%
White: 76.2%
Other: 5.7%

Student daily attendance: 94.8%

Family income status

37.3% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.
District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Expanded arts program;
Spanish language focus
- Keystone Achievement award

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

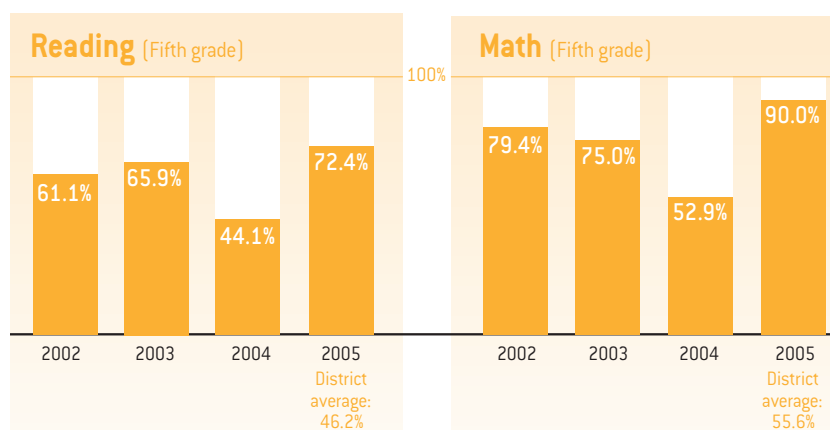
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Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels

	Banksville	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	79.2 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	88.9	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	80.0	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 72%
District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 94%
District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **3**

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): **76**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- High overall PSSA 3rd and 5th grade reading/math scores
- High PSSA 5th grade math scores for low-income students

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 5th grade reading scores near district average for low-income students

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Beechwood Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

810 Rockland Ave., 15216

Beechview

412-571-7390

Principal: Sally Rifugiato

School building capacity

Percent used: 91.3%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

285 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 22.1%

White: 68.1%

Other: 9.8%

Student daily attendance: 93.6%

Family income status

51.1% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnership with Western PA Conservancy
- Math and chess clubs

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

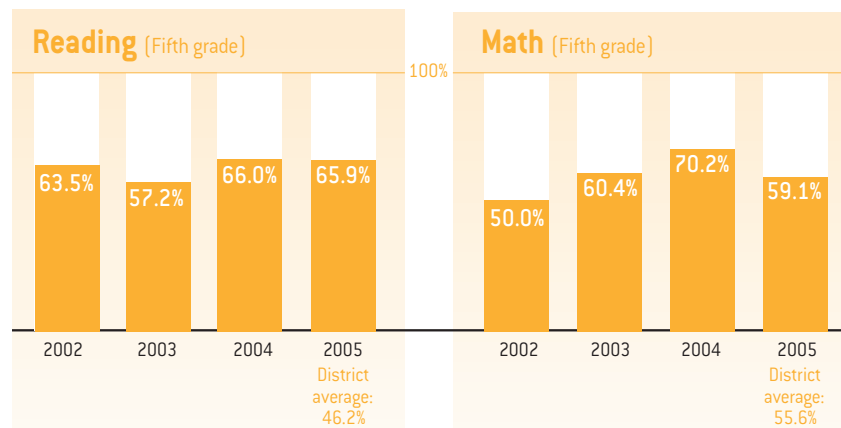
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Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels

	Beechwood	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	78.7 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	65.2	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	97.8	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 58%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 76%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **3**

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): **62**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- High overall PSSA 5th grade reading scores
- High PSSA 5th grade reading scores for low-income students

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 5th grade math scores near district average for low-income students

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Bon Air Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

252 Fordyce St., 15210

Bon Air

412-488-2575

Principal: Donus Crawford Jr.

School building capacity

Percent used: 75.9%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

88 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 21.6%

White: 73.9%

Other: 4.5%

Student daily attendance: 95.1%

Family income status

65.5% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnership with Bon Air Civic Association
- Weekly progress reports for all students

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

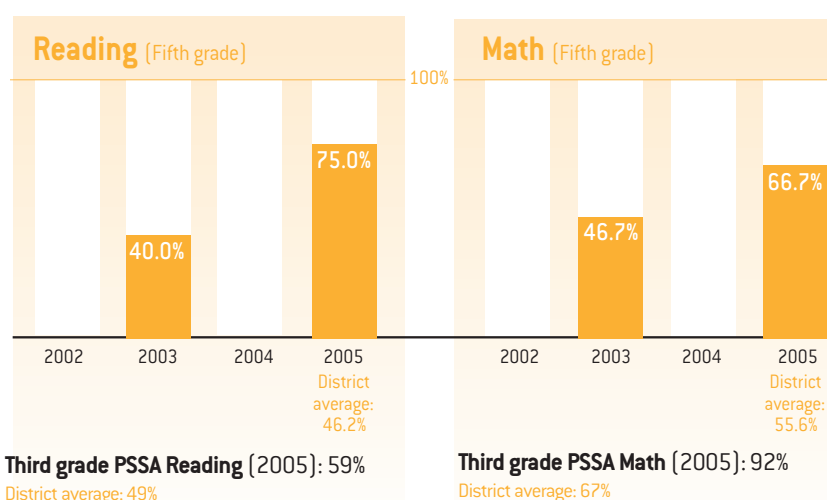
Closing in 2006

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

	Bon Air	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	90.5 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	100.0	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	88.9	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005. Bon Air was closed in 2002. In 2004, scores were not reported because less than 10 students were tested.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **3**

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): **72**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- High PSSA 3rd grade math scores and high 5th grade reading scores

What are this school's challenges?

- Overall PSSA 3rd grade reading scores and 5th grade math scores near district average

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Brookline Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

500 Woodbourne Ave., 15226

Brookline

412-571-7380

Principal: Richard Mascari

School building capacity

Percent used: 75.3%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

365 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 18.4%

White: 81.1%

Other: 0.5%

Student daily attendance: 94.5%

Family income status

51.0% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Western PA Conservancy garden site
- Title I Distinguished School

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

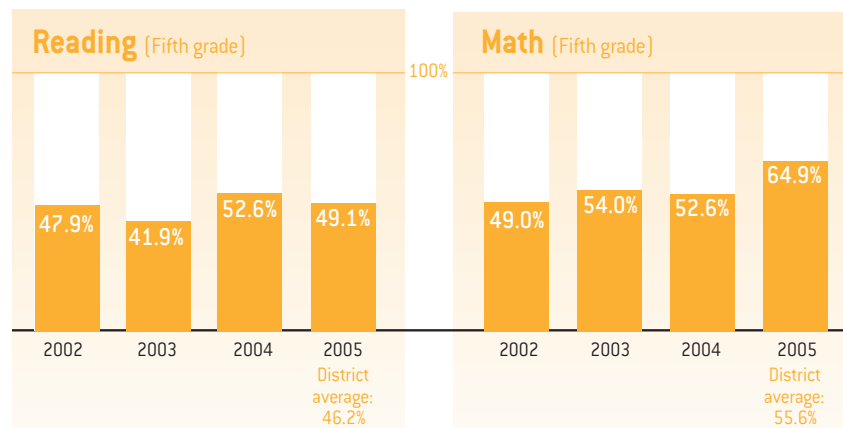
Becoming K-8

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

	Brookline	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	98.1%	77.4%
Math 2005 (2nd)	85.7	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	70.7	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 57%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 81%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **3**

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): **72**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- Near district average in all categories

What are this school's challenges?

- Near district average in all categories

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Burgwin Elementary School

K-7 neighborhood school

5401 Glenwood Ave., 15207

Hazelwood

412-422-3530

Principal: Cindi Muehlbauer

School building capacity

Percent used: 51.7%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

228 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 88.2%

White: 11.0%

Other: 0.9%

Student daily attendance: 94.0%

Family income status

90.7% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnerships with Duquesne University, Junction Dance Theatre
- Video-conferencing lab

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

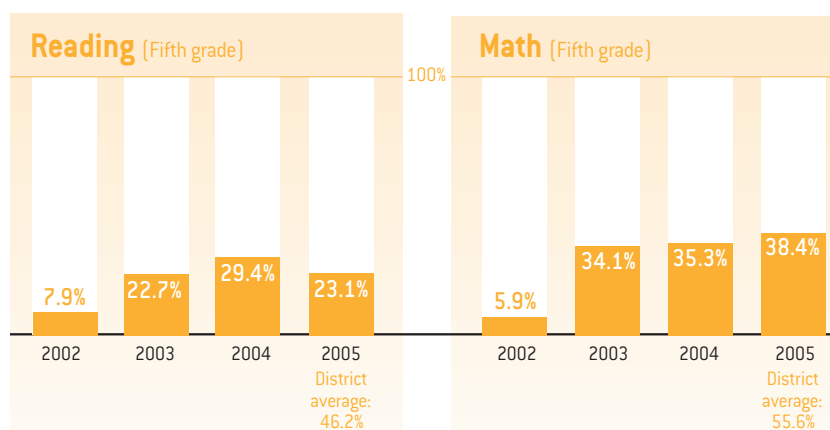
Closing in 2006

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

	Burgwin	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	66.7 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	37.5	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	12.1	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 28%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 65%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

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): **36**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores near district average for black students

What are this school's challenges?

- Overall PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores below district average

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Chatham Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

227 Bonvue St., 15214

Perry North

412-323-3140

Principal: Anita Walker

School building capacity

Percent used: 69.8%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

173 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 86.7%

White: 12.7%

Other: 0.6%

Student daily attendance: 93.6%

Family income status

95.5% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Technology lab
- Conflict mediation program

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

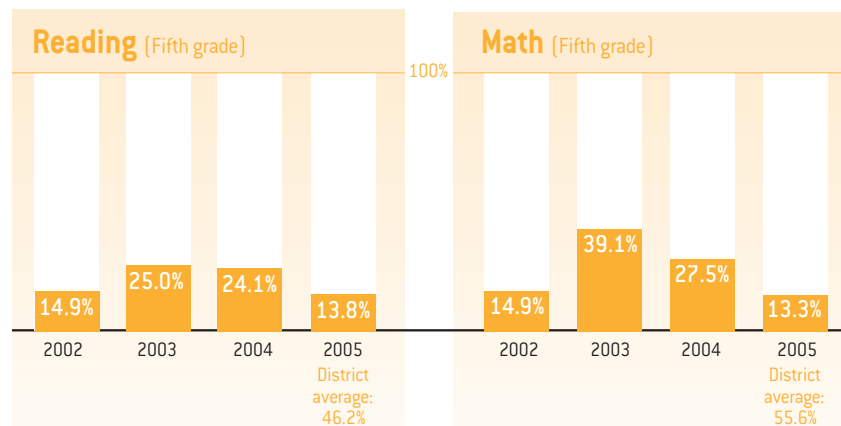
Closing in 2006

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

	Chatham	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	80.0%	77.4%
Math 2005 (2nd)	57.1	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	44.8	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 46%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 53%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

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): **32**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- Overall PSSA 3rd grade reading/math scores near district average

What are this school's challenges?

- Low overall PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores
- Low PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores for low-income and black students

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Clayton Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

1901 Clayton Ave., 15214

Perry South

412-323-3450

Principal: Viola Burgess

School building capacity

Percent used: 57.9%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

197 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 93.9%

White: 5.1%

Other: 1.0%

Student daily attendance: 95.9%

Family income status

90.9% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Literacy focus
- Professional development partnership with Carlow University

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

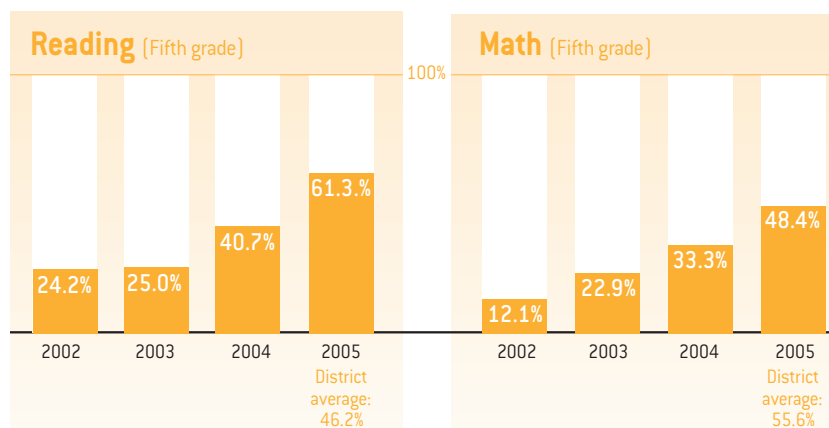
Closing in 2006

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

	Clayton	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	52.4 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	60.7	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	66.7	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 39%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 44%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **3**

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): **38**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- Increase in overall PSSA 5th grade reading scores 2002-05
- High PSSA 5th grade reading scores for low-income and black students

What are this school's challenges?

- Low overall PSSA 3rd grade math scores

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Colfax Spanish Academy

K-7 neighborhood school with a focus on Spanish

2332 Beechwood Blvd., 15217
Squirrel Hill
412-422-3525
Principal: David May-Stein

School building capacity

Percent used: 69.6%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

341 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 57.2%

White: 31.1%

Other: 11.7%

Student daily attendance: 93.6%

Family income status

52.8% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnership with Prime Stage Theatre
- Piano lab

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

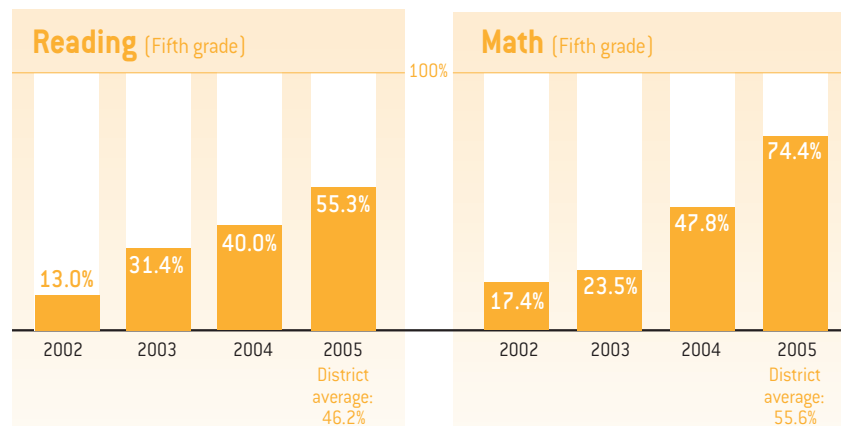
Becoming Accelerated Learning Academy, new addition

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

	Colfax	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	88.0%	77.4%
Math 2005 (2nd)	45.2	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	65.9	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 58%
District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 70%
District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

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): **48**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- Increase in overall PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores 2002-05
- High PSSA 5th grade math scores for low-income and black students

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 5th grade reading scores near district average for low-income and black students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org.

Concord Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

2350 Brownsville Rd., 15210

Carrick

412-885-7755

Principal: Susan Barie

School building capacity

Percent used: 108.9%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

295 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 11.2%

White: 87.1%

Other: 1.7%

Student daily attendance: 92.9%

Family income status

49.5% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- "Carrick Goes Gardening" community garden project
- Partnership with Western PA Conservancy

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

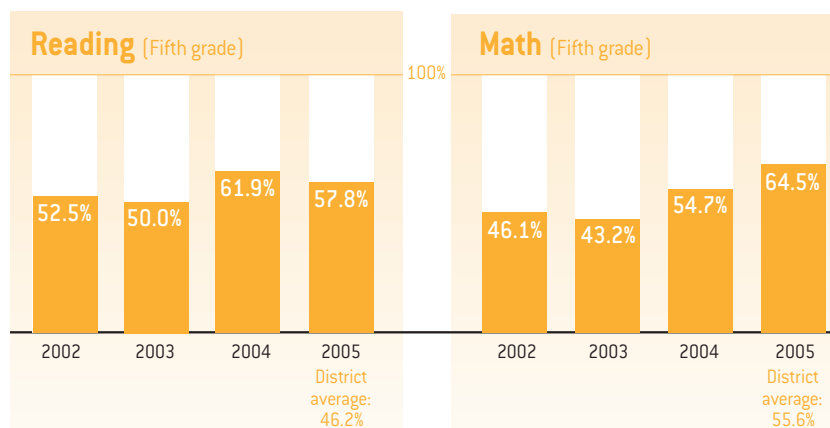
New addition

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

	Concord	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	86.4 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	85.4	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	90.5	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 69%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 86%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **2**

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): **71**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- High overall PSSA 3rd grade reading/math scores
- High PSSA 5th grade reading scores for low-income students

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 5th grade math scores near district average for low-income students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org

Crescent Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

8080 Bennett St., 15221

East Hills

412-247-7840

Principal: Marvine Garrett

School building capacity

Percent used: 59.7%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

261 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 99.2%

White: 0.0%

Other: 0.8%

Student daily attendance: 93.5%

Family income status

91.8% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Garden and chess clubs
- Member of Homewood Roundtable

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

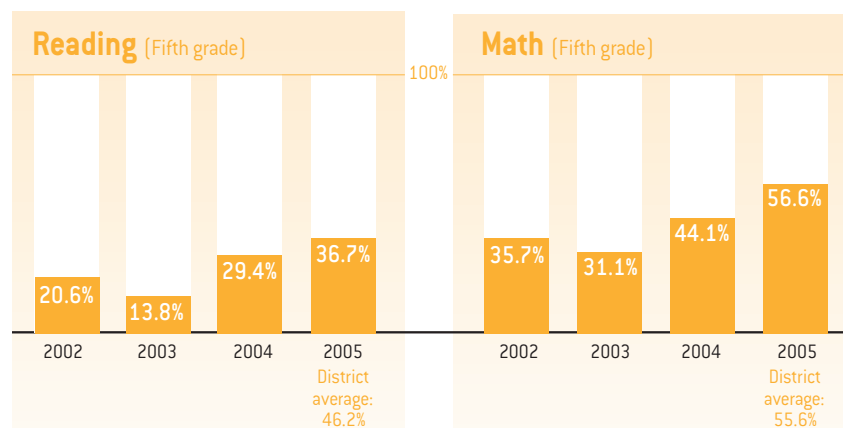
Program closing, building re-opening with grades 5-8 paired with Faison K-4 for K-8 program

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

	Crescent	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	67.5 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	57.1	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	22.2	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 53%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 70%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **3**

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): **39**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- PSSA 3rd and 5th grade reading/math scores near district average

What are this school's challenges?

- Near district average in most categories

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Dilworth Traditional Academy

K-5 Traditional Academy magnet school with an arts/humanities focus

6200 Stanton Ave., 15206
East Liberty
412-665-5000
Principal: Robert O'Keefe

School building capacity

Percent used: 72.6%
District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

318 students
District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 61.0%
White: 32.7%
Other: 6.3%

Student daily attendance: 95.8%

Family income status

72.6% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.
District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Arts throughout the curriculum
- Sign language and robotics

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

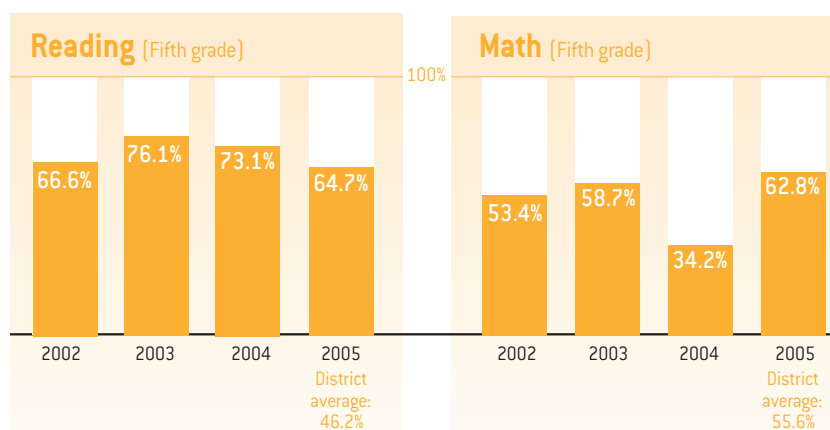
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Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels

	Dilworth	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	73.7 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	65.6	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	41.5	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 69%
District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 80%
District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

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

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): **65**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- High overall PSSA 3rd and 5th grade reading scores
- High PSSA 5th grade reading scores for low-income and black students

What are this school's challenges?

- Overall PSSA 5th grade math scores near district average

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East Hills International Studies Academy

K-5 International Studies magnet school

2150 East Hills Drive, 15221
East Hills
412-247-7830
Principal: Carolyn Davis

School building capacity

Percent used: 40.8%
District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

282 students
District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 83.0%
White: 14.5%
Other: 2.5%

Student daily attendance: 95.8%

Family income status

73.3% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.
District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Open space classrooms
- Heartwood storytellers on bus rides

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

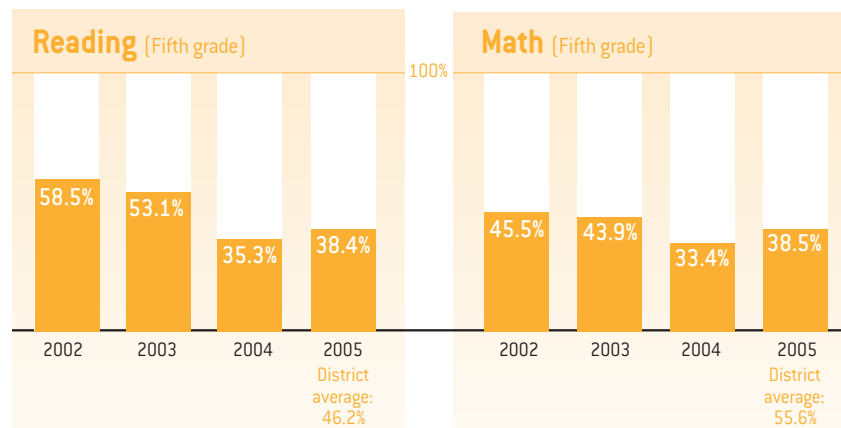
Closing in 2006

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

	East Hills	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	74.4 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	50.0	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	72.5	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 39%
District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 45%
District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

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): **43**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- PSSA 3rd and 5th grade reading scores near district average

What are this school's challenges?

- Low PSSA 3rd and 5th grade math scores
- Decrease in 5th grade reading/math scores

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.apluschools.org.

Faison Arts Academy

K-5 neighborhood school with an arts focus

7430 Tioga St., 15208
Homewood
412-247-0305
Principal: Yvona Smith

School building capacity

Percent used: 73.3%
District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

410 students
District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 99.3%
White: 0.5%
Other: 0.2%

Student daily attendance: 93.9%

Family income status

87.5% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.
District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Arts throughout the curriculum
- Communities In Schools site

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

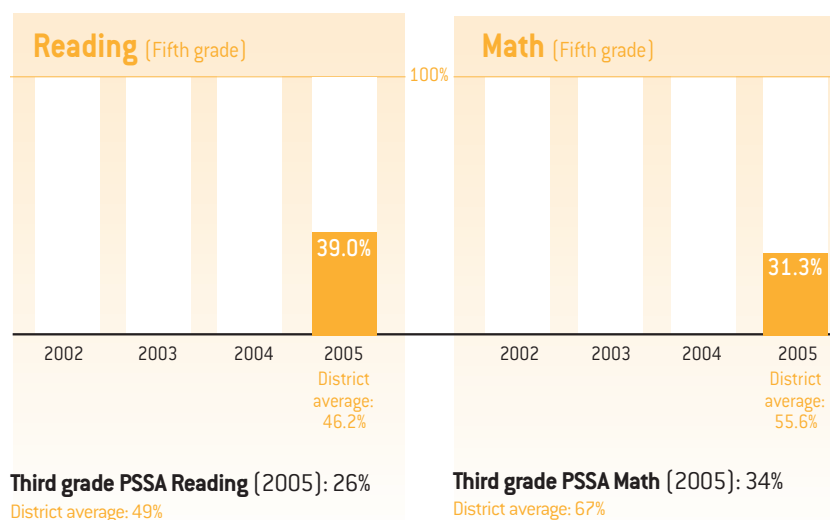
Becoming K-4 paired with 5-8 at Crescent building for K-8 program

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

	Faison	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	63.6 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	56.3	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	-----	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005. Faison opened in 2004.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **Not rated***

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): **30**

*School ratings were provided by the RAND Corp. While RAND did not give Faison an SPI rating because it only opened in 2004, the district assigned a rating of "1" using the RAND process.

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores near district average for black students

What are this school's challenges?

- Low overall PSSA 3rd grade reading/math scores
- Low PSSA 5th grade math scores for low-income students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org

Fort Pitt Early Childhood Center

K-5 neighborhood school

5101 Hillcrest St., 15224

Garfield

412-665-2020

Principal: Verna Arnold

School building capacity

Percent used: 46.2%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

278 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 96.8%

White: 2.5%

Other: 0.7%

Student daily attendance: 95.0%

Family income status

98.3% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Model early childhood site
- Partnerships with Reading Is Fundamental, Carnegie Library

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

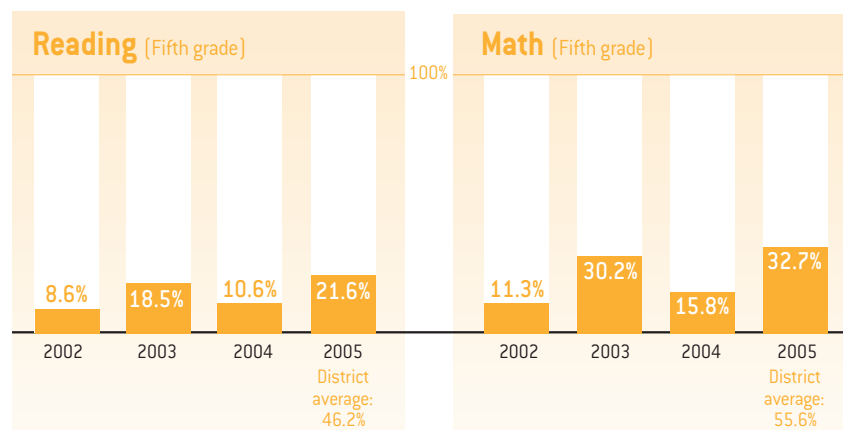
Becoming Accelerated Learning Academy

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

	Fort Pitt	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	81.1%	77.4%
Math 2005 (2nd)	50.0	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	12.3	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 37%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 58%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **2**

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): **34**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- Overall PSSA 3rd grade reading/math scores near district average
- PSSA 5th grade math scores near district average for black students

What are this school's challenges?

- Low overall PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores
- Low PSSA 5th grade reading scores for black students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org.

Friendship Academy of Mathematics and Natural Sciences

K-5 neighborhood school with a math/science focus

201 S. Graham St., 15206
Friendship
412-665-2010
Principal: Carol Heyward

School building capacity

Percent used: 69.9%
District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

242 students
District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 95.0%
White: 4.1%
Other: 0.8%

Student daily attendance: 95.0%

Family income status

85.5% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.
District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnerships with Dance Alloy and UPMC St. Margaret

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

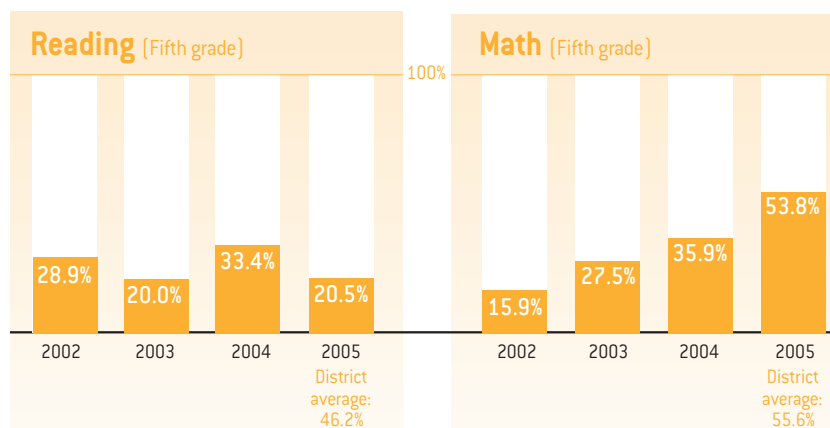
Program closing in 2006

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

	Friendship	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	64.1 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	64.4	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	32.4	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 40%
District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 56%
District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

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): **30**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- Increase in PSSA 5th grade math scores 2002-05

What are this school's challenges?

- Decrease in PSSA 5th grade reading scores 2002-05

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org

Fulton Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

5799 Hampton St., 15206

Highland Park

412-665-4590

Principal: Marlene Taylor

School building capacity

Percent used: 57.3%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

236 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 96.6%

White: 2.1%

Other: 1.3%

Student daily attendance: 94.5%

Family income status

88.5% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnerships with Dance Alloy and Pittsburgh Voyager

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

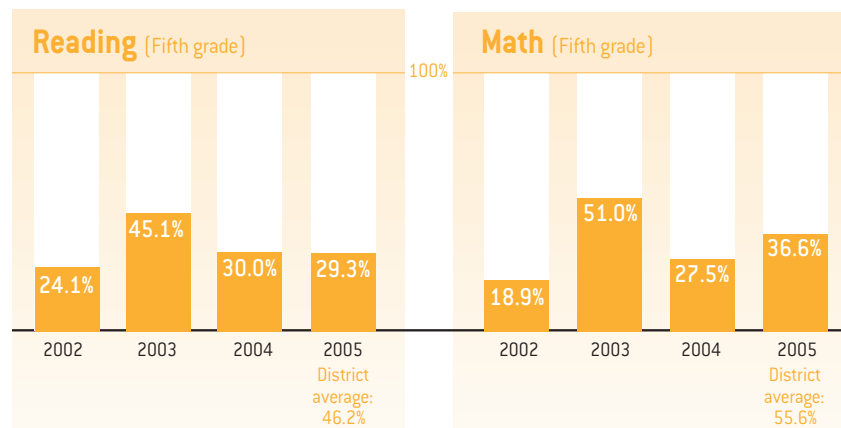
Adding International Studies magnet program (moving from East Hills)

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

	Fulton	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	68.9%	77.4%
Math 2005 (2nd)	47.4	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	31.4	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 40%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 56%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **2**

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): **35**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores near district average for low-income and black students

What are this school's challenges?

- Low overall PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org.

Grandview Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

845 McLain St., 15210

Allentown

412-488-6605

Principal: Richard Sternberg

School building capacity

Percent used: 88.4%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

290 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 55.5%

White: 44.1%

Other: 0.3%

Student daily attendance: 93.4%

Family income status

78.1% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Principal named 2001 PA National Distinguished Principal
- Title I Distinguished School

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

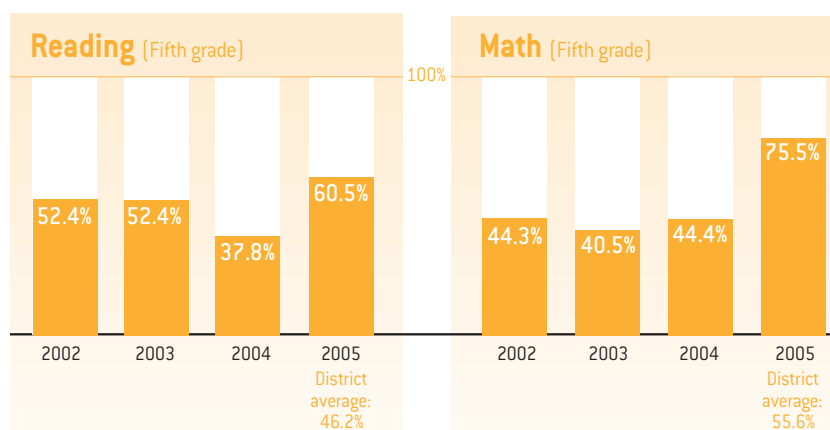
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Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels

	Grandview	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	60.8 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	65.9	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	44.7	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 57%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 78%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **3**

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): **59**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- High PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores for low-income and black students
- High overall PSSA 5th grade math scores

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores near district average for white students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org.

King Elementary School

K-7 neighborhood school

50 Montgomery Place, 15212

Allegheny Center

412-323-4160

Principal: LaVerne Anthony

School building capacity

Percent used: 36.6%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

275 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 90.5%

White: 9.5%

Other: 0.0%

Student daily attendance: 93.7%

Family income status

94.8% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Lunchtime read-aloud program
- Home of North Parent Educational Resource Center

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

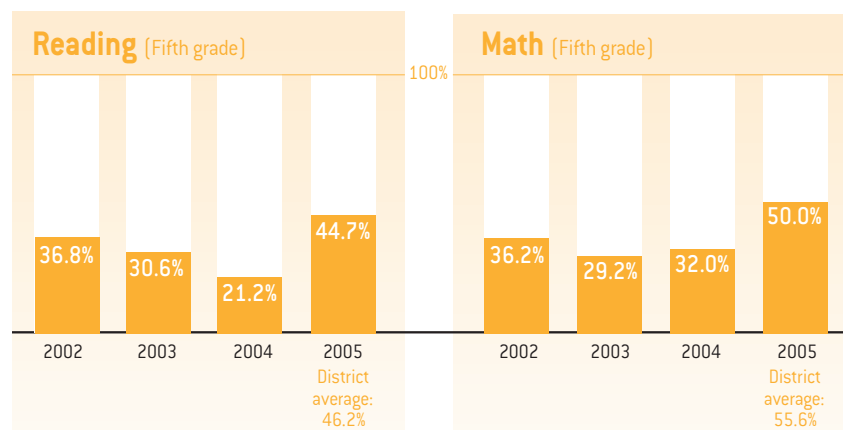
Becoming Accelerated Learning Academy

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

	King	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	84.2%	77.4%
Math 2005 (2nd)	55.6	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	20.0	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 17%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 37%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

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): **30**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores near district average for low-income and black students

What are this school's challenges?

- Low overall PSSA 3rd grade reading/math scores

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org.

Knoxville Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

90 Georgia St., 15210

Knoxville

412-488-4625

Principal: Rodney Necciai

School building capacity

Percent used: 77.4%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

326 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 85.3%

White: 11.7%

Other: 3.1%

Student daily attendance: 91.8%

Family income status

96.3% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnerships with Citiparks, Carnegie Science Center
- Chess club

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

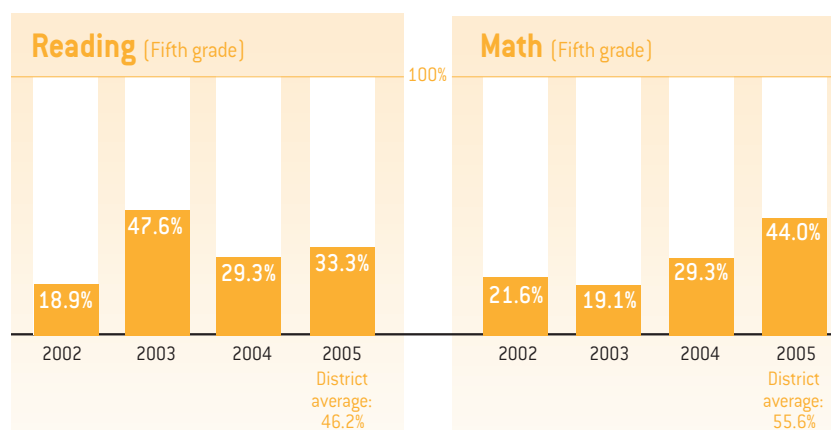
Closing in 2006

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

	Knoxville	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	71.7 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	41.4	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	17.9	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 24%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 45%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **2**

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): **32**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores near district average for low-income and black students

What are this school's challenges?

- Low overall PSSA 3rd grade reading/math scores

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org

Lemington Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

7061 Lemington Ave., 15206

Lemington

412-665-3990

Principal: Kevin Bivins

School building capacity

Percent used: 62.0%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

220 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 99.1%

White: 0.5%

Other: 0.5%

Student daily attendance: 93.2%

Family income status

91.7% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Professional development partnership with Indiana University of PA
- Student-run newspaper

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

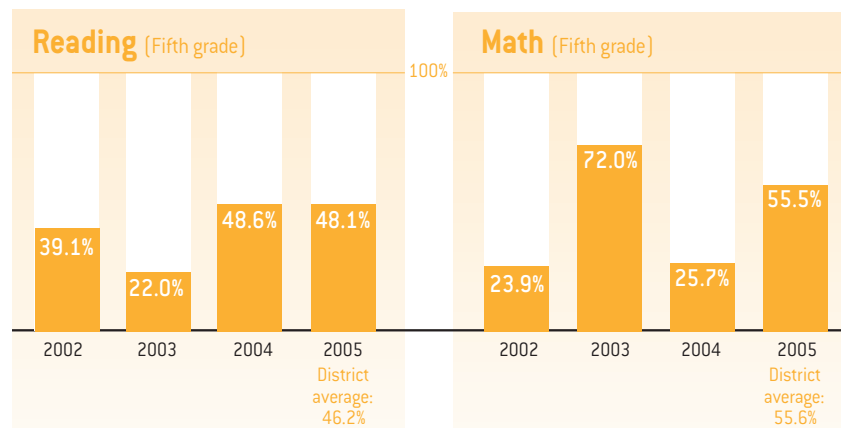
Closing in 2006

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

	Lemington	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	78.1%	77.4%
Math 2005 (2nd)	73.5	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	100.0	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 15%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 57%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **3**

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): **45**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores near district average

What are this school's challenges?

- Low PSSA 3rd grade reading scores

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.apluschools.org.

Liberty International Studies Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school with an International Studies magnet program

601 Filbert St., 15232
Shadyside
412-622-8450

Principal: Marjorie Murphy

School building capacity

Percent used: 92.3%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

409 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 58.4%

White: 27.1%

Other: 14.4%

Student daily attendance: 96.1%

Family income status

42.2% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnerships with Carnegie Science Center, Pittsburgh Voyager
- Long-term "Save the Rainforest" project

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

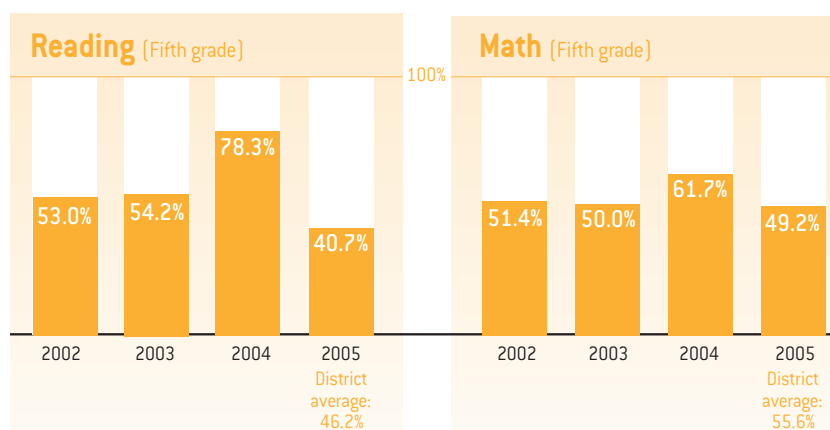
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Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels

	Liberty	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	93.9%	77.4%
Math 2005 (2nd)	72.4	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	61.7	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 50%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 66%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **2**

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): **67**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- PSSA 5th grade reading scores near district average for low-income and black students

What are this school's challenges?

- Low PSSA 5th grade math scores for low-income and black students
- Decrease in overall PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org

Lincoln Elementary Technology Academy

K-5 neighborhood school with a technology focus

328 Lincoln Ave., 15206
Lincoln
412-665-3980
Principal: Regina Holley

School building capacity

Percent used: 58.6%
District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

251 students
District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 98.8%
White: 0.4%
Other: 0.8%

Student daily attendance: 94.6%

Family income status

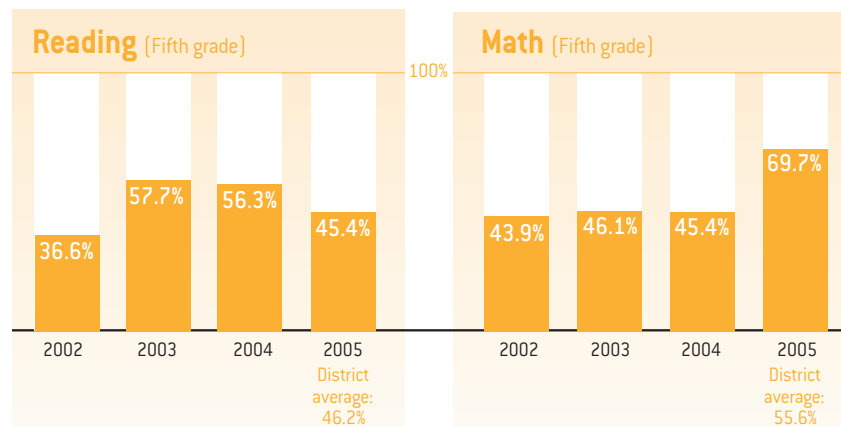
92.9% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.
District average (elem.): 70.7%

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

	Lincoln	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	79.6 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	83.8	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	27.1	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 43%
District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 72%
District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

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

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): **69**

Special features:

- Harlem Renaissance program
- Title I Distinguished School

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

Becoming K-4 paired with 5-8 at Belmar building for K-8 program

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- High PSSA 5th grade math scores for low-income and black students

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 5th grade reading scores near district average for low-income and black students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org.

Linden Academy

K-5 International Studies magnet school

725 S. Linden Ave., 15208

Point Breeze

412-665-3996

Principal: Jo Ann Hoover

School building capacity

Percent used: 86.6%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

389 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 54.5%

White: 40.6%

Other: 4.9%

Student daily attendance: 96.4%

Family income status

33.8% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnership with Dance Alloy
- K and 5th grade "book buddies"

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

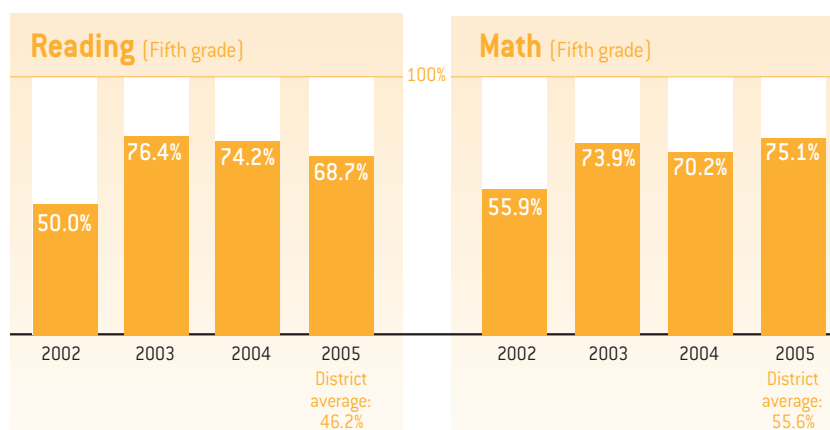
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Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels

	Linden	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	91.8 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	85.1	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	66.2	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 85%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 87%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

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

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): **80**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- High overall PSSA 3rd and 5th grade reading/math scores
- High PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores for white students

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores near district average for low-income and black students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org

Madison Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

3401 Milwaukee St., 15219

Hill District

412-622-8460

Principal: Victoria Burgess

School building capacity

Percent used: 45.2%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

177 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 100.0%

White: 0.0%

Other: 0.0%

Student daily attendance: 95.3%

Family income status

82.2% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Lunchtime read-aloud program
- Parent resource center on site

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

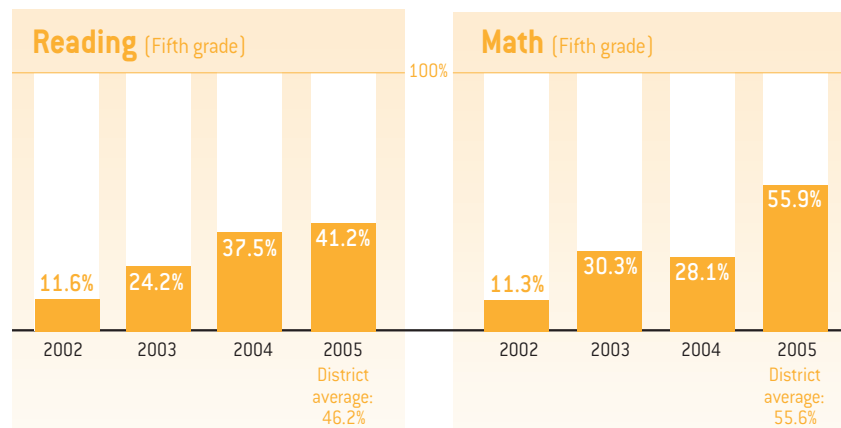
Closing in 2006

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

	Madison	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	70.0%	77.4%
Math 2005 (2nd)	75.0	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	21.4	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 24%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 73%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **2**

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): **45**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- Increase in PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores 2002-05

What are this school's challenges?

- Low PSSA 3rd grade reading scores

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.apluschools.org.

Manchester Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school with an International Studies magnet program

1612 Manhattan St., 15233
Manchester
412-323-3100
Principal: Henry Stephens

School building capacity

Percent used: 55.9%
District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

287 students
District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 92.3%
White: 7.7%
Other: 0.0%

Student daily attendance: 94.3%

Family income status

84.5% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.
District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Math, science and technology emphasis
- Partnership with Carnegie Science Center

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

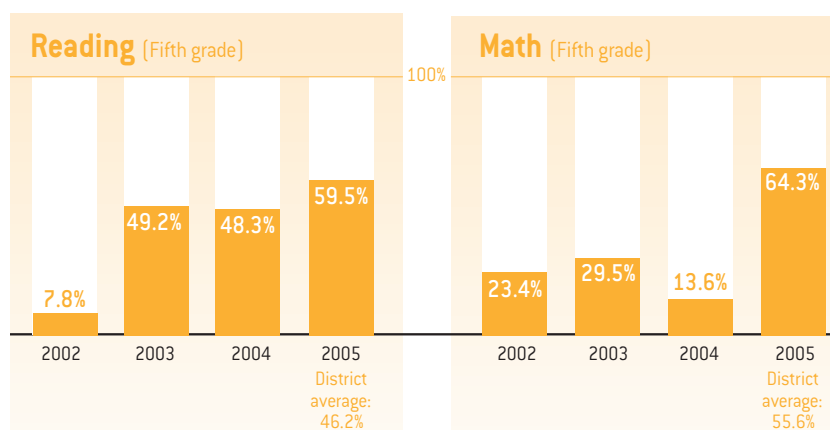
Becoming K-8

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

	Manchester	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	72.2 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	54.5	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	66.0	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 63%
District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 84%
District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **3**

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): **46**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- Increase in overall PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores
- High PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores for black students, high 5th grade reading scores for low-income students

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 5th grade math scores near district average for low-income students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org

Mann Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

2819 Shadeland Ave., 15212

Marshall-Shadeland

412-734-6610

Principal: James Nath

School building capacity

Percent used: 61.1%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

242 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 54.5%

White: 44.6%

Other: 0.8%

Student daily attendance: 93.6%

Family income status

86.3% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnership with Mercy Behavioral Health
- Chess and literary clubs

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

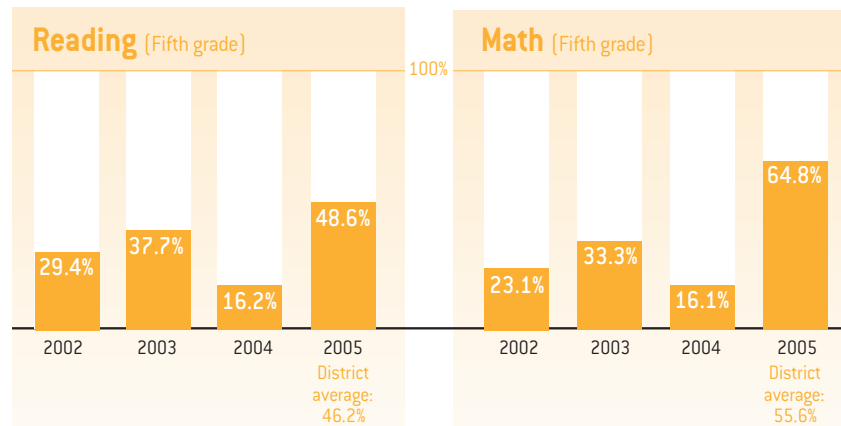
Closing in 2006

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

	Mann	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	88.2 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	58.1	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	22.6	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 53%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 59%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

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): **43**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- Increase in PSSA 5th grade math scores 2002-05

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 3rd grade reading/math scores near district average

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.apluschools.org.

McCleary Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

5251 Holmes St., 15201

Lawrenceville

412-784-2273

Principal: Todd Van Horn

School building capacity

Percent used: 106.5%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

147 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 63.3%

White: 33.3%

Other: 3.4%

Student daily attendance: 92.7%

Family income status

91.8% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnership with UPMC St. Margaret
- Ecology club and school garden

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

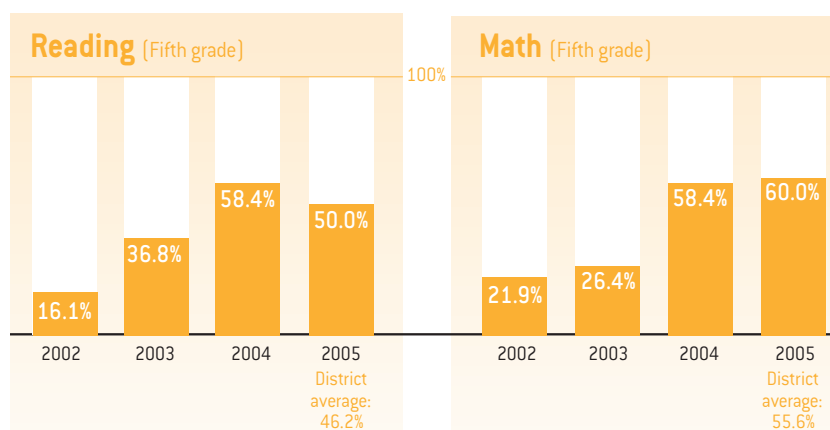
Closing in 2006

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

	McCleary	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	62.5%	77.4%
Math 2005 (2nd)	75.0	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	58.3	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 38%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 58%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **3**

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): **49**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- Increase in PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 3rd grade reading/math scores near district average

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.apluschools.org

Miller African Centered Academy

K-5 neighborhood school with an African focus

61 Reed St., 15219

Hill District

412-338-3830

Principal: Rosemary Moriarty

School building capacity

Percent used: 70.0%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

266 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 98.1%

White: 0.8%

Other: 1.1%

Student daily attendance: 94.7%

Family income status

77.4% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- African-centered program throughout curriculum
- Partnership with Nego Gato, Inc.

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

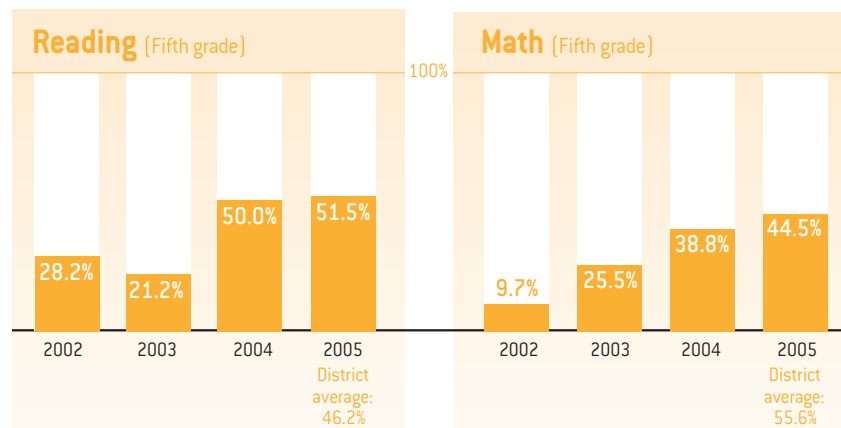
Becoming K-8, program moving to McKelvy building, new addition

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

	Miller	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	74.5%	77.4%
Math 2005 (2nd)	69.6	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	82.8	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 37%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 67%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **3**

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): **45**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- High PSSA 5th grade reading scores for low-income and black students

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 5th grade math scores near district average for low-income and black students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org.

Minadeo Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

6502 Lilac St., 15217

Squirrel Hill

412-422-3520

Principal: Ethel Flam

School building capacity

Percent used: 77.9%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

420 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 36.2%

White: 54.3%

Other: 9.5%

Student daily attendance: 95.5%

Family income status

32.2% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- "Different Ways of Knowing" arts/social studies program
- Award-winning chess team

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

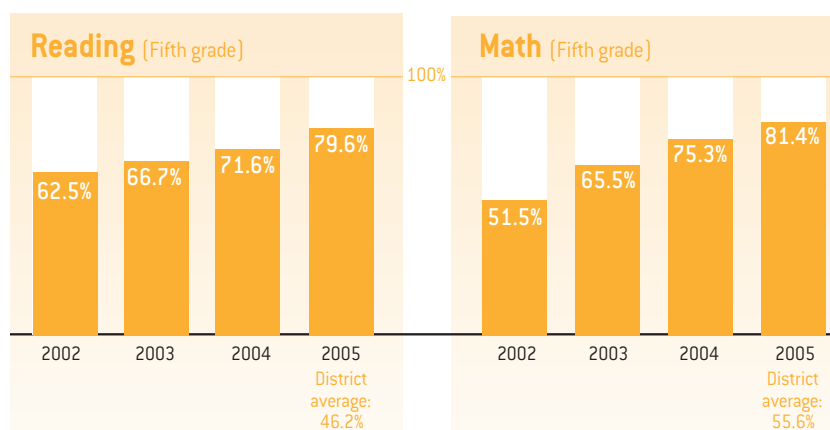
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Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels

	Minadeo	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	78.1 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	76.2	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	81.0	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 75%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 79%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **3**

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): **80**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- High PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores for black students
- High PSSA 5th grade reading scores for low-income and white students

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 5th grade math scores near district average for low-income and white students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org

Morrow Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

1611 Davis Ave., 15212

Brighton Heights

412-734-6600

Principal: Glory Getty

School building capacity

Percent used: 68.0%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

310 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 50.3%

White: 48.4%

Other: 1.3%

Student daily attendance: 94.9%

Family income status

67.3% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnerships with Reading Is Fundamental and Humane Society

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

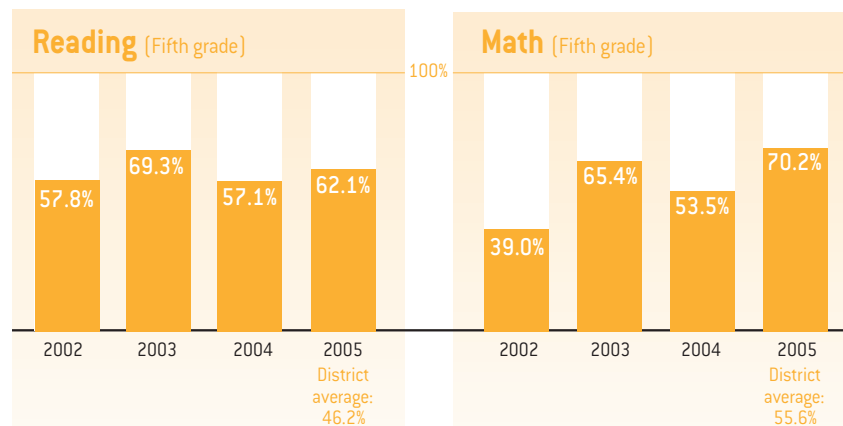
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Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels

	Morrow	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	63.2 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	61.4	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	50.0	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 56%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 76%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **3**

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): **51**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- High PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores for black students

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores near district average for white students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.apluschools.org.

Murray Elementary School

K-7 neighborhood school

800 Rectenwald St., 15210

Mt. Oliver

412-488-6815

Principal: Leon Bonds

School building capacity

Percent used: 62.3%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

293 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 68.6%

White: 30.0%

Other: 1.4%

Student daily attendance: 92.6%

Family income status

92.2% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Outdoor environmental center
- PAGE 1 (Pennsylvania Achievement Gap Effort) school

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

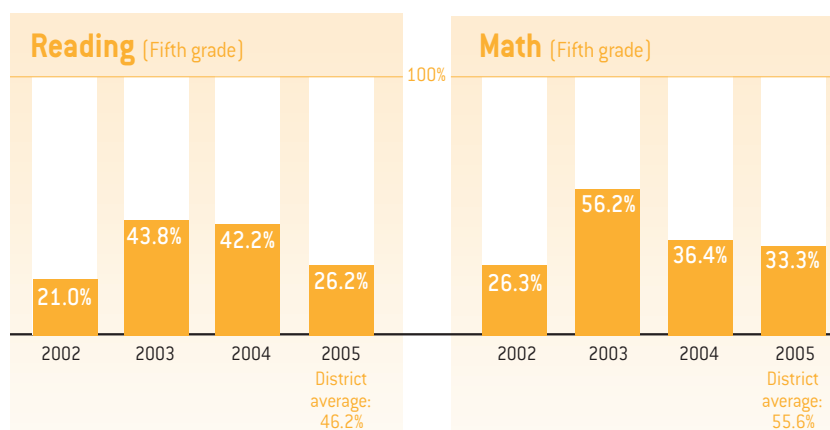
Becoming Accelerated Learning Academy

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

	Murray	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	71.1 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	50.0	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	66.7	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 44%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 62%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **2**

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): **33**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- Overall PSSA 3rd grade reading/math scores near district average
- PSSA 5th grade math scores for black students near district average

What are this school's challenges?

- Low PSSA 5th grade reading scores for black and white students
- Low PSSA 5th grade math scores for white students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org.

Northview Elementary Academy

K-5 neighborhood school with an International Studies magnet program

310 Mt. Pleasant Rd., 15214
Northview Heights
412-323-3130
Principal: Lorraine Eberhardt

School building capacity

Percent used: 49.1%
District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

297 students
District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 97.6%
White: 2.4%
Other: 0.0%

Student daily attendance: 93.2%

Family income status

94.0% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.
District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Range of afterschool clubs
- Conflict mediation program

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

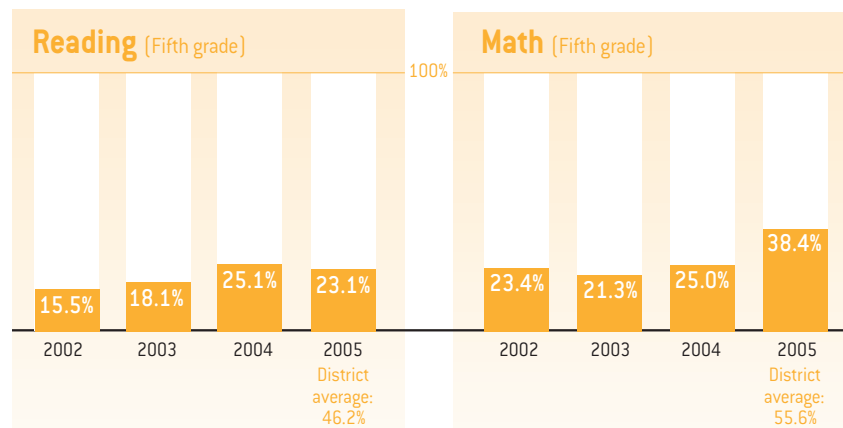
Becoming Accelerated Learning Academy

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

	Northview	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	56.5%	77.4%
Math 2005 (2nd)	42.0	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	30.4	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 15%
District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 39%
District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

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): **29**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores near district average for low-income and black students

What are this school's challenges?

- Low overall PSSA 3rd and 5th grade reading/math scores

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.apluschools.org.

Phillips Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school with an International Studies magnet program

1901 Sarah St., 15203
Southside
412-488-5190

Principal: Barbara Rudiak

School building capacity

Percent used: 113.3%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

307 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 37.8%

White: 58.3%

Other: 3.9%

Student daily attendance: 95.2%

Family income status

61.1% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Principal named 2003 PA National Distinguished Principal
- Partnership with Pittsburgh Voyager

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

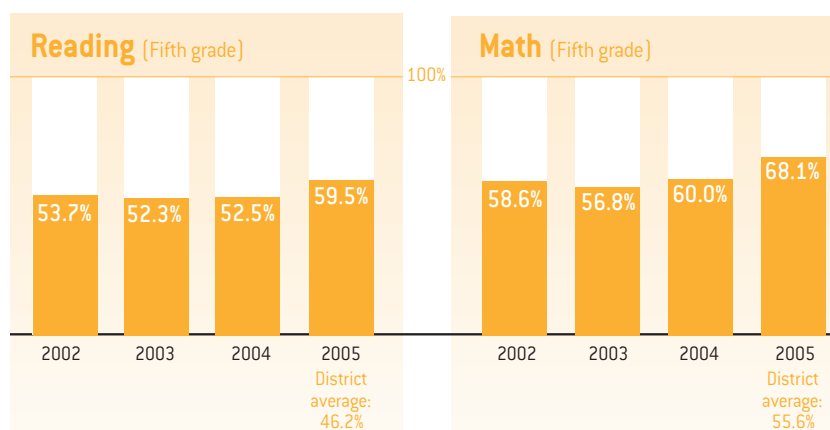
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Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels

	Phillips	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	88.2 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	88.9	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	55.0	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 83%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 91%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

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

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): **78**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- High overall PSSA 3rd grade reading/math scores
- High PSSA 5th grade math scores for low-income and black students, high 5th grade reading scores for black students

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 5th grade reading scores near district average for low-income students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org

Prospect Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

45 Cowan St., 15211

Mt. Washington

412-488-4680

Principal: Jerry Minsinger

School building capacity

Percent used: 75.0%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

294 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 46.9%

White: 52.4%

Other: 0.7%

Student daily attendance: 92.0%

Family income status

84.3% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnership with Family Links
- Oasis Intergenerational Tutoring

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

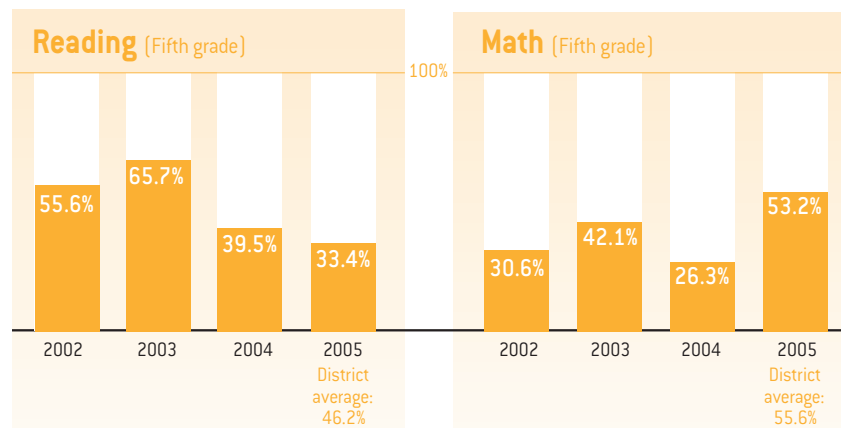
Closing in 2006

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

	Prospect	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	72.2 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	77.3	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	82.1	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 37%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 66%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

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): **44**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- High PSSA 5th grade math scores for black students

What are this school's challenges?

- Decrease in overall PSSA 5th grade reading scores 2002-05
- Low PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores for white students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.apluschools.org.

Roosevelt Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

17 W. Cherryhill St., 15210

Carrick

412-885-7780

Principal: Vincent Lewandowski

School building capacity

Percent used: 67.4%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

316 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 13.9%

White: 86.1%

Other: 0.0%

Student daily attendance: 94.2%

Family income status

58.3% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Outdoor classroom and community garden
- Partnership with Family Links

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

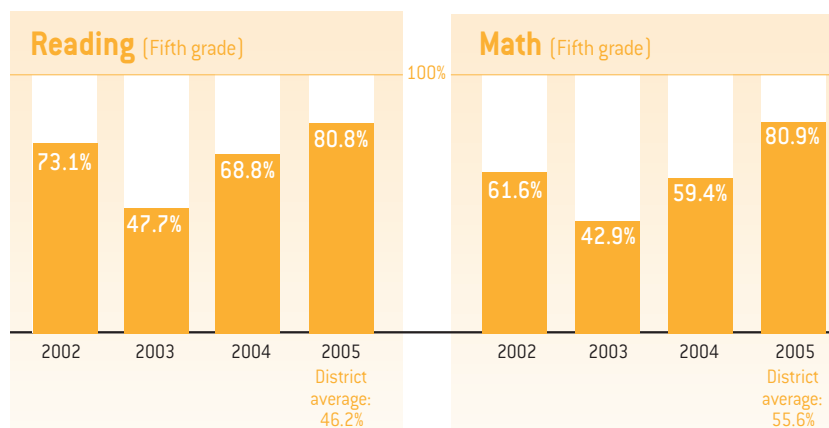
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Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels

	Roosevelt	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	86.2 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	68.6	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	58.1	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 65%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 81%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **3**

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): **76**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- High overall PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores
- High PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores for low-income students

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 3rd grade reading scores lower than 5th grade scores

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org.

Schaeffer Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

1235 Clairhaven St., 15205

Crafton Heights

412-928-6560

Principal: Cynthia Zurchin

School building capacity

Percent used: 84.5%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

185 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 41.6%

White: 56.8%

Other: 1.6%

Student daily attendance: 94.1%

Family income status

63.2% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnership with Langley High School Teaching Academy
- Western PA Writing Project English Festival participant

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

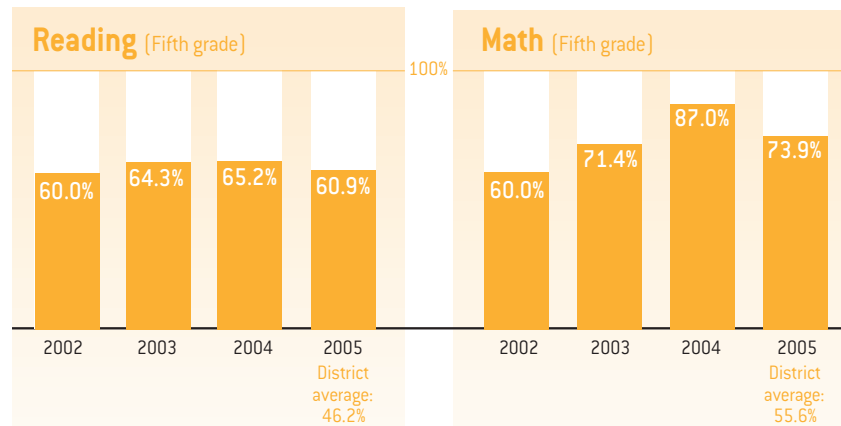
Becoming K-3 paired with 4-8 at Sheraden building for K-8 program

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

	Schaeffer	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	85.7 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	83.9	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	68.2	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 48%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 74%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

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

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): **64**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- High PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores for white students

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores near district average for low-income and black students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org.

Sheraden Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

3128 Allendale St., 15204

Sheraden

412-778-2170

Principal: Annette Scott Piper

School building capacity

Percent used: 61.5%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

198 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 66.2%

White: 33.8%

Other: 0.0%

Student daily attendance: 93.9%

Family income status

84.8% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Outdoor classroom and community garden
- Partnership with Langley High School Teaching Academy

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

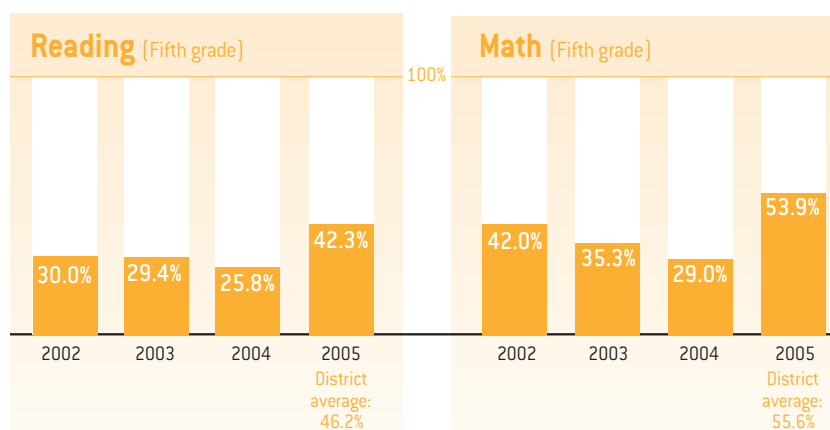
Program closing, building re-opening with grades 4-8 paired with Schaeffer K-3 for K-8 program

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

	Sheraden	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	71.9%	77.4%
Math 2005 (2nd)	75.0	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	25.9	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 48%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 70%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **2**

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): **48**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- Near district average in all categories

What are this school's challenges?

- Near district average in all categories

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org

Spring Hill Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

1351 Damas St., 15212

Spring Hill

412-323-3000

Principal: Carla Berdnik

School building capacity

Percent used: 95.0%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

284 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 37.0%

White: 62.0%

Other: 1.1%

Student daily attendance: 93.5%

Family income status

84.6% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnerships with Andy Warhol Museum and Pittsburgh Center for the Arts

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

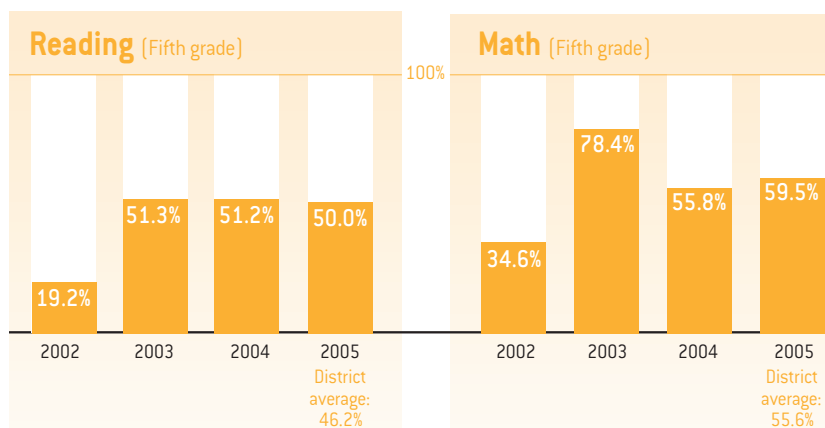
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Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels

	Spring Hill	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	66.7 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	60.9	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	33.3	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 43%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 72%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **2**

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): **43**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- Increase in overall PSSA 5th grade reading scores 2002-05
- High PSSA 5th grade reading scores for black students

What are this school's challenges?

- Low PSSA 5th grade reading scores for white students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.apluschools.org.

Stevens Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

822 Crucible St., 15220

Elliot

412-928-6550

Principal: Joseph Foriska

School building capacity

Percent used: 67.8%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

297 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 63.0%

White: 34.3%

Other: 2.7%

Student daily attendance: 93.9%

Family income status

85.7% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Annual guest reader/career awareness event
- Partnership with Langley High School Teaching Academy

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

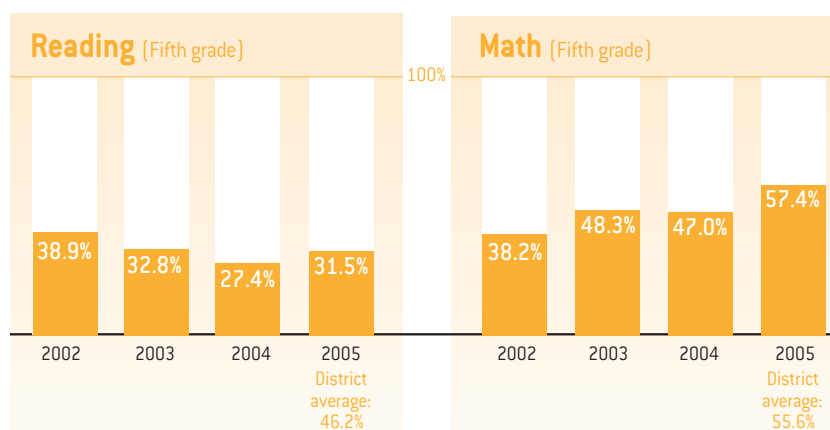
Becoming K-8

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

	Stevens	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	85.7 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	80.4	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	34.0	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 57%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 63%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

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

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): **52**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores near district average for low-income, black, and white students

What are this school's challenges?

- Decrease in overall PSSA 5th grade reading scores 2002-05

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Vann Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

631 Watt St., 15219

Hill District

412-622-8455

Principal: Martin Slomberg

School building capacity

Percent used: 42.2%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

184 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 99.5%

White: 0.0%

Other: 0.5%

Student daily attendance: 95.2%

Family income status

82.7% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnership with Pittsburgh Public Theatre
- Title I Distinguished School

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

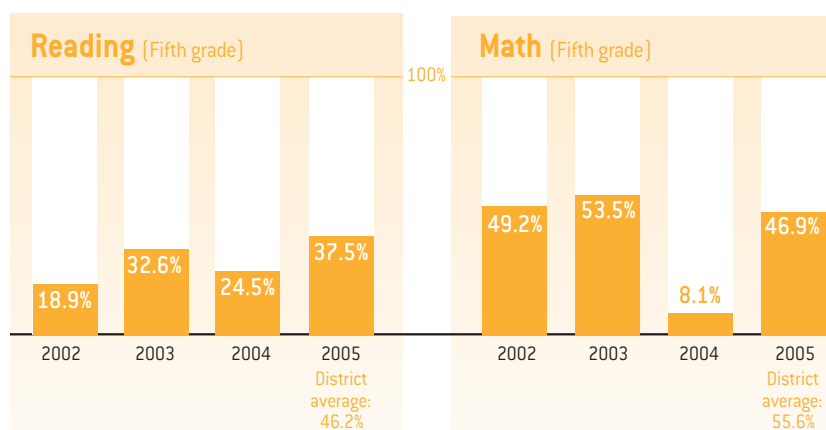
Becoming K-8, new addition

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

	Vann	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	82.6 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	91.7	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	14.3	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 40%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 68%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **3**

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): **40**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores near district average for low-income and black students

What are this school's challenges?

- Overall PSSA 5th grade math scores decreased 2002-05 while the district average increased

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.apluschools.org.

Weil Technology Institute

K-5 neighborhood school with a technology focus

2250 Centre Ave., 15219
Hill District
412-338-3840
Principal: Vivian Wilson

School building capacity

Percent used: 54.8%
District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

265 students
District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 99.2%
White: 0.0%
Other: 0.8%

Student daily attendance: 93.9%

Family income status

83.7% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.
District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Music lab
- Robotics program

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

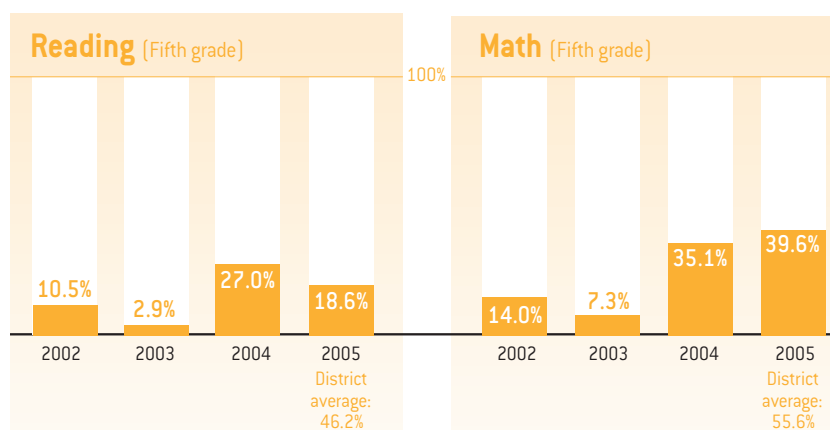
Becoming K-8 Accelerated Learning Academy

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

	Weil	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	63.9%	77.4%
Math 2005 (2nd)	34.3	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	2.9	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 30%
District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 50%
District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **2**

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): **34**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- PSSA 5th grade math scores near district average for low-income and black students

What are this school's challenges?

- Low PSSA 5th grade reading scores for low-income and black students
- Low overall PSSA 3rd grade reading/math scores

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.aplusschools.org

West Liberty Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

785 Dunster St., 15226

Overbrook

412-571-7420

Principal: Sarah Alexander

School building capacity

Percent used: 93.9%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

276 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 14.1%

White: 82.6%

Other: 3.3%

Student daily attendance: 95.0%

Family income status

45.9% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnership with Pioneer Education Center
- Oasis Intergenerational Tutoring

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

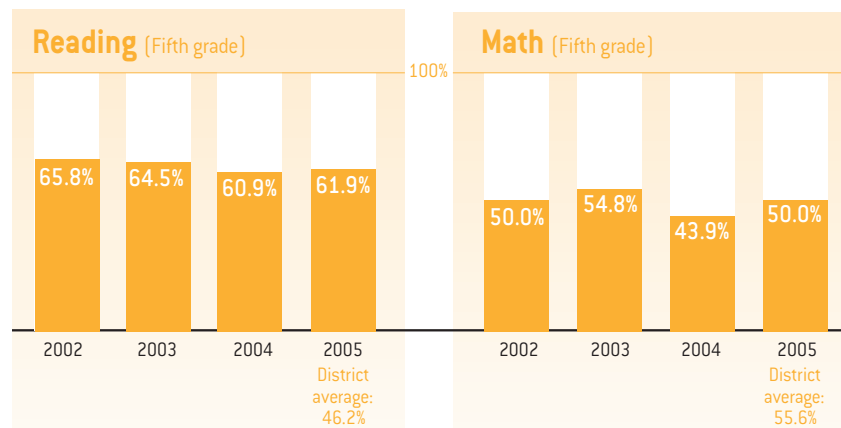
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Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels

	West Liberty	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	83.7%	77.4%
Math 2005 (2nd)	66.7	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	68.3	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 70%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 88%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **2**

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): **65**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- High overall PSSA 3rd grade reading/math scores
- High PSSA 5th grade reading scores for low-income students

What are this school's challenges?

- Low PSSA 5th grade math scores for white students

See a more detailed report on the A+ Schools Web site: www.apluschools.org.

Westwood Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

508 Shadyhill Rd., 15205

Westwood

412-928-6570

Principal: Denyse Littles-Cullens

School building capacity

Percent used: 84.2%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

342 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 52.0%

White: 46.2%

Other: 1.8%

Student daily attendance: 95.1%

Family income status

59.9% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnership with Langley High School Teaching Academy
- Oasis Intergenerational Tutoring

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

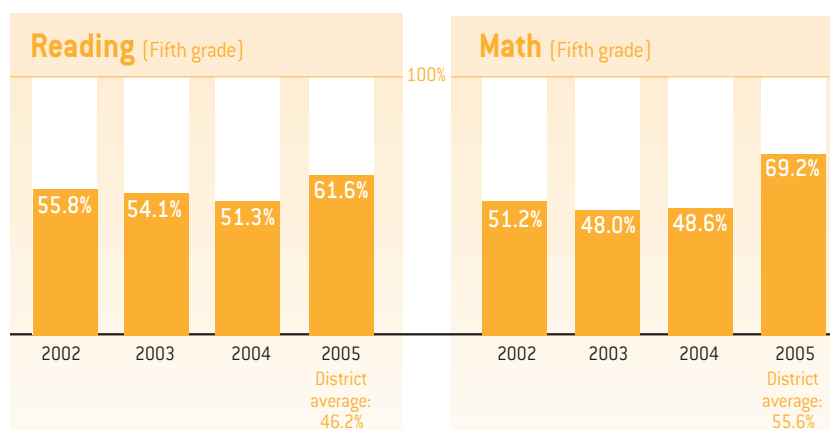
Becoming K-8

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

	Westwood	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	85.3%	77.4%
Math 2005 (2nd)	95.6	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	63.9	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 66%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 74%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

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

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): **72**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- High PSSA 5th grade reading scores for black students

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores near district average for low-income and white students

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Whittier Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

150 Meridan St., 15211

Mt. Washington

412-488-8211

Principal: Elaine Wallace

School building capacity

Percent used: 63.7%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

170 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 34.7%

White: 64.1%

Other: 1.2%

Student daily attendance: 95.1%

Family income status

56.6% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Partnership with Veterans of Foreign Wars
- Home of South Parent Educational Resource Center

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

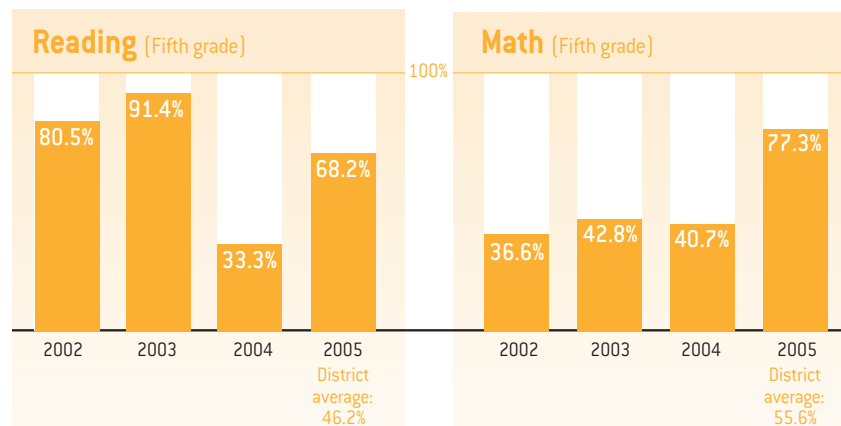
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Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels

	Whittier	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	87.1 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	75.0	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	40.7	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 67%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 67%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

School Performance Index (an estimate of this school's average contribution to students' reading and math achievement, 1=least, 4=most): **3**

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): **71**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- Increase in overall PSSA 5th grade math scores 2002-05
- High PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores for low-income students

What are this school's challenges?

- Decrease in overall PSSA 5th grade reading scores 2002-05

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Woolslair Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school

501 40th St., 15224

Lawrenceville

412-623-8800

Principal: Monica Lamar

School building capacity

Percent used: 100.0%

District average (elem.): 68.0%

2004-05 Enrollment

345 students

District average (K-5/6): 276

African-American: 57.1%

White: 35.9%

Other: 7.0%

Student daily attendance: 92.4%

Family income status

90.4% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.

District average (elem.): 70.7%

Special features:

- Weekly parent newsletter
- Partnership with UPMC St. Margaret

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

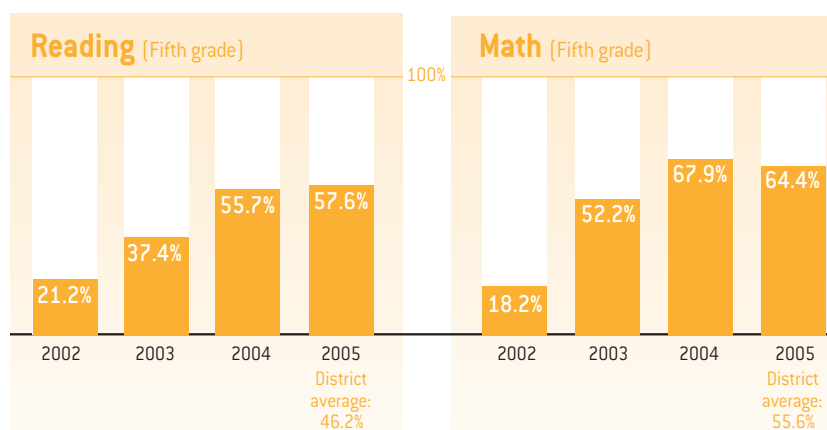
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Tests given by the district: Percentage of students at Proficient/Advanced levels

	Woolslair	Districtwide*
Reading 2005 (1st)	83.0 %	77.4 %
Math 2005 (2nd)	59.6	67.0
Science 2004 (5th)	73.1	50.4

*All district elementary schools

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



Third grade PSSA Reading (2005): 39%

District average: 49%

Third grade PSSA Math (2005): 59%

District average: 67%

PSSA data for third grade was unavailable for years prior to 2005.

School ratings

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

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): **53**

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

- Increase in overall PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores 2002-05
- High PSSA 5th grade reading/math scores for low-income students

What are this school's challenges?

- PSSA 3rd grade reading/math scores near district average

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