

Phillips Elementary School

K-5 neighborhood school with an International Studies magnet program

1901 Sarah St., 15203
Southside
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Principal: Rodney Necciai
Number of teachers: 14

Enrollment/Attendance

290 students (1/06)
District average (K-5): 269

African-American: 39.0%
White: 56.6%
Other: 4.5%

Student daily attendance: 95.4%

Special education 2006-07

Learning support

Family income status

63.1% of students eligible for free/reduced lunch.
District average (K-5 & K-8): 72.5%

Special features

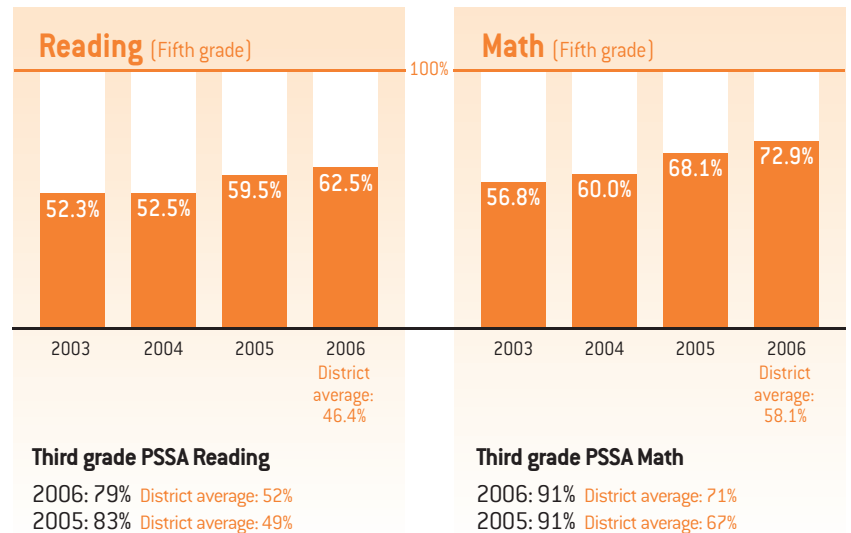
- Partnerships with Carnegie Museum of Art, Pittsburgh History & Landmarks Foundation, and Pittsburgh Opera

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

	Phillips	Districtwide*
Reading 2006 (1st)	92.0 %	78.9 %
Math 2006 (2nd)	85.7	70.4

*All district elementary and K-8 schools

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



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

Compared to district averages...

What are this school's strengths?

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

What are this school's challenges?

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



at Phillips Elementary School

Attendance

Student daily attendance, 2003-06

2003	2004	2005	2006
94.8%	95.4%	95.2%	95.4%

Teachers

Daily attendance: 90.2%

Percentage with advanced degrees: 21.4%

Principals

Principal stability: 1 principal, 2003-06

Student disciplinary actions 2004-05*

Number of incidents: 14

Number of incidents per 100 students: 4.6

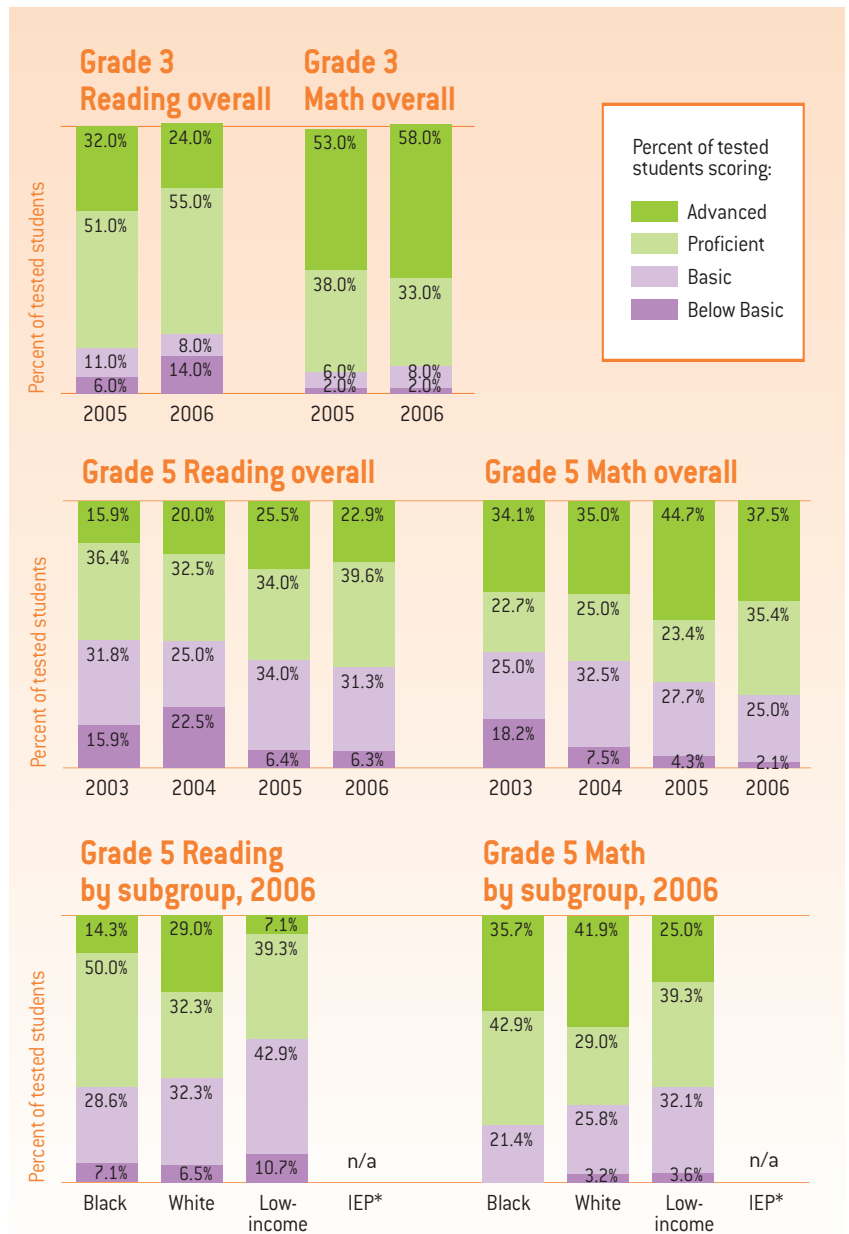
Number of expulsions: 0

* For violence, weapons, and controlled substances

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

	School overall	Black	White	Low-income	Not low-income
Reading 2006 (1st)	92.0%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Math 2006 (2nd)	85.7	75.0%	96.2%	84.0%	87.5%
Percent taking test	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Tests required by the state: Percentage of students at each achievement level on PSSA Reading and Math tests



* Students with an Individual Education Plan (IEP) for special education, excluding students identified as "gifted"