Connecticut State Department of Education

SCHOOL PROFILE AND PERFORMANCE REPORT FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2014–15



Norfeldt School West Hartford School District

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School Information

Grade Range K-5
Enrollment 357

Community Information

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Notes

Unless otherwise noted, all data are for 2014-15 and include all grades offered by the school.

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

For district totals, please see the district profile.

* When an asterisk is displayed, data have been suppressed to ensure student confidentiality.

N/A is displayed when a category is not applicable for a district or school.

Students

October 1, 2014 Enrollment					
		School	District		
	Count	Percent of Total (%)	Percent of Total (%)		
Female	156	43.7	49.0		
Male	201	56.3	51.0		
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0.0	*		
Asian	55	15.4	11.4		
Black or African American	16	4.5	8.2		
Hispanic or Latino	27	7.6	16.1		
Pacific Islander	0	0.0	*		
Two or More Races	20	5.6	3.5		
White	239	66.9	60.6		
English Language Learners	20	5.6	5.7		
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	22	6.2	21.2		
Students with Disabilities ¹	40	11.2	12.0		

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

Chronic Absenteeism and Suspension/Expulsion

	Chronic		Suspe	nsion/
	Absen	Absenteeism ²		lsion ³
	Count	Rate (%)	Count	Rate (%)
Female	7	4.4	*	*
Male	7	3.4	*	*
Black or African American	*	*	*	*
Hispanic or Latino	*	*	0	0.0
White	8	3.3	0	0.0
English Language Learners	*	*	0	0.0
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	*	*	*	*
Students with Disabilities	*	*	0	0.0
School	14	3.8	*	*
District		5.3		3.8

Number of students in 2013-14 qualified as truant under state statute: 0

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

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

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Educators

Full-Time Equivalent (FTE)1 Staff

	FTE
General Education	
Teachers and Instructors	24.8
Paraprofessional Instructional Assistants	5.2
Special Education	
Teachers and Instructors	5.0
Paraprofessional Instructional Assistants	20.0
Administrators, Coordinators and Department Chairs	
School Level	1.0
Library/Media	
Specialists (Certified)	1.0
Support Staff	0.4
Instructional Specialists Who Support Teachers	2.5
Counselors, Social Workers and School Psychologists	1.4
School Nurses	1.0
Other Staff Providing Non-Instructional Services/Support	10.2

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

Educators by Race/Ethnicity

		School	District
	Count	Percent of Total (%)	Percent of Total (%)
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	2.5	0.2
Asian	0	0.0	1.6
Black or African American	1	2.5	2.3
Hispanic or Latino	0	0.0	3.3
Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0.0
Two or More Races	0	0.0	0.0
White	38	95.0	92.6

Classes Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers²

	Percent of Total (%)
School	100.0
School Poverty Quartile: Lo)W
State High Poverty Quartile Schools	97.9
State Low Poverty Quartile Schools	99.6

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

Classroom Teacher Attendance, 2013-14

	School	District
Average # of FTE Days Absent Due to Illness	8.6	8.5
or Personal Time		

Instruction and Resources

School Schedule

Days of Instruction	182
Hours of Instruction Per Year	
Grades 1-12 and Full-Day Kindergarten	977
Half/Extended Day Kindergarten	N/A

School Hours for Students		
	Start Time	08:35 AM
	End Time	03:20 PM

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

	Count	Rate (%)
Autism	*	*
Emotional Disturbance	*	*
Intellectual Disability	N/A	N/A
Learning Disability	7	*
Other Health Impairment	8	*
Other Disabilities	11	*
Speech/Language Impairment	*	*
School	36	100.0
District		74.8

³Ages 6-21

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Performance and Accountability

School Performance Index (SPI)

A School Performance Index (SPI) for the Smarter Balanced and Connecticut Alternate Assessment(CTAA) is the test performance of both assessments in the respective subject for all students in the school. The SPI ranges in value from 0 to 100 points. Connecticut's ultimate target for a SPI is 75 because in a school with a SPI of 75 or above, students will have performed at or above the 'goal' level on the majority of tests.

	English Langua	ge Arts(ELA)	Mat	h	Scien	ce
	Count	SPI	Count	SPI	Count	SPI
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
Asian	30	81.3	30	86.8	14	*
Black or African American	11	*	11	*	*	*
Hispanic or Latino	12	*	12	*	6	*
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
Two or More Races	12	*	12	*	*	*
White	133	79.8	133	76.1	43	59.6
English Language Learners	12	*	12	*	*	*
Non-English Language Learners	186	79.0	186	75.5	*	*
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	8	*	8	*	*	*
Not Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	190	78.9	190	76.0	*	*
Students with Disabilities	24	66.4	24	58.0	7	*
Students without Disabilities	174	79.9	174	77.3	63	60.5
High Needs	38	65.4	38	61.6	11	*
Non-High Needs	160	81.3	160	78.1	59	61.1
School	198	78.2	198	75.0	70	61.0

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

	NAEP	NAEP 2013	
READING	Grade 4	Grade 8	Grade 12
Connecticut	43%	43%	50%
National Public	35%	33%	36%
MATH	Grade 4	Grade 8	Grade 12
Connecticut	41%	36%	32%
National Public	39%	32%	25%

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

Physical Fitness Tests: Students Reaching Health Standard²

	Percent of Students by Grade ³ (%)				All Tested Grades	
	4	6	8	10	Count	Rate (%)
Sit & Reach	79.7	N/A	N/A	N/A	64	79.7
Curl Up	82.8	N/A	N/A	N/A	64	82.8
Push Up	81.3	N/A	N/A	N/A	64	81.3
Mile Run/PACER	87.5	N/A	N/A	N/A	64	87.5
All Tests - School	60.9	N/A	N/A	N/A	64	60.9
All Tests - District	63.3	62.5	56.5	55.8		59.7

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

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

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Next Generation Accountability Results

These statistics are the first results from Connecticut's Next Generation Accountability System for districts and schools. This system is a broad set of 12 indicators that help tell the story of how well a school is preparing its students for success in college, careers and life. It moves beyond test scores and graduation rates and instead provides a more holistic, multifactor perspective of district and school performance and incorporates student growth over time.

Indicator		Index/Rate	Target	Points	Max	% Points	State Average
ELA Performance Index	All Students	78.2	75	100.0	100	100.0	67.9
	High Needs Students	65.4	75	87.1	100	87.1	56.7
Math Performance Index	All Students	75.0	75	100.0	100	100.0	59.3
	High Needs Students	61.6	75	82.1	100	82.1	47.8
Science Performance Index	All Students	61.0	75	81.3	100	81.3	56.5
	High Needs Students	N/A	75	0.0	0	0.0	45.9
Chronic Absenteeism	All Students	3.8%	<=5%	50.0	50	100.0	10.6%
	High Needs Students	10.0%	<=5%	40.0	50	80.0	17.3%
Preparation for CCR	% Taking Courses	N/A	75%	0.0	0	0.0	66.1%
	% Passing Exams	N/A	75%	0.0	0	0.0	37.3%
On-track to High School Graduation		N/A	94%	0.0	0	0.0	85.6%
4-year Graduation All Students (2014 Cohort)		N/A	94%	0.0	0	0.0	87.0%
6-year Graduation - High Needs Students (2012 Cohort)		N/A	94%	0.0	0	0.0	77.6%
Postsecondary Entrance (Class of 2014)		N/A	75%	0.0	0	0.0	72.8%
Physical Fitness (estimated part rate) and (fitness rate)		94.1% 60.9%	75%	40.6	50	81.3	87.6% 51.0%
Arts Access		N/A	60%	0.0	0	0.0	45.7%
Accountability Index				581.1	650	89.4	

Gap Indicators	Non-High Needs Rate ¹	High Needs Rate	Size of Gap	State Gap Mean + 1 Stdev²	Is Gap an Outlier? ²
Achievement Gap Size Outlier?					N
ELA Performance Index Gap	75.0	65.4	9.6	16.8	
Math Performance Index Gap	75.0	61.6	13.4	19.5	
Science Performance Index Gap	61.1	N/A		17.3	
Graduation Rate Gap					

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

 $^{^{2}}$ If the size of the gap exceeds the state mean gap plus one standard deviation, then the gap is an outlier.

Subject/Subgroup		Participation Rate (%)		
ELA	All Students	99.5		
	High Needs Students	100.0		
Math	All Students	99.5		
	High Needs Students	100.0		
Science	All Students	100.0		
	High Needs Students			

Supporting Resources

Two-page FAQ
Detailed Presentation

Using Accountability Results to Guide Improvement: comprehensive documentation and supports