

Selected Demographic and Statistical Data 2025-26

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Westside Community Schools
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Summary

The Westside Community Schools' official K-12 enrollment for 2025-26 is 6,143—a slight decrease of -0.71 percent from the previous year and a 1.07 percent increase from the 2021-22 school year.

The diversity of the District's student population continues to increase, as it has for nearly two decades. In 2000-01, approximately 90 percent of Westside students identified themselves as White; in 2025-26, that number stands at 62.98 percent. Likewise, socioeconomic diversity has increased in the same period, with the percentage of students qualifying for free or reduced-price meals rising from roughly 23 percent of enrollment in 2007-08 to 33.52 percent this year.

Other highlights:

- Students qualifying for special education services account for 16.46 percent of the student population.
- English Language Learner enrollment had a slight decrease from 5.03 to 4.86 percent of total enrollment.
- Parents submitted over 655 applications on behalf of prospective students seeking admission to Westside schools under the State of Nebraska's Enrollment Option program for 2025-26. Because applications are accepted only when there is sufficient capacity in requested grade levels, buildings, and programs, we approved just over 48.09 percent of those applicants through August.
- Students enrolled through the Option Enrollment Program represent 32.93 percent of the District's total enrollment.
- Hispanics represent 13.56 percent of the District's total enrollment and have surpassed African Americans as the largest ethnic group.
- African American enrollment represents 10.16 percent of the student population.

• About the Numbers

October 1 is the new official collection date for fall reports to the Nebraska Department of Education. All data contained in this document are based on the October 1 collection data and derived from those fall reports—most often the October Snapshot or Special Education Snapshot. If some figures appear to conflict, it is likely because some totals are calculated differently to include different combinations of students, depending on the report; in those cases, we have used an asterisk to identify and explain those conflicts. Finally, in some instances, percentages may total slightly higher or lower than 100, due to rounding.

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Student Group Counts

Total Student Count, PK-12*	6,276	
Total Membership Count, K-12†	6,143	
Group	Count	Percentage
LEP Participants	298	4.85%
LEP Eligible	299	4.86%
Section 504 Plans	410	6.67%
Special Education Total Student Count, PK*	1,209	19.26%
Special Education Students, K-12†	1,011	16.46%
High Ability Eligible	853	13.89%
High Ability Participants	853	13.89%
Foreign Exchange Students	1	0.02%
Immigrants with less than 1 complete school year	46	0.75%
Immigrants, with 1-3 complete school years	78	1.27%
Immigrants with more than 3 complete school years	287	4.67%
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals**	2,059	33.52%
Option-In Students	2,023	32.93%
Students beyond Grade 12	38	0.62%
Students Self-Identifying as White	3,869	62.98%
Students Self-Identifying as Non-White or Multiracial	2,265	37.02%

**Enrollment by Grade Level (K-12
Students in our classrooms and all PK
Students)**

Grade Level	Count
PK	133
KG	383
01	392
02	420
03	433
04	489
05	431
06	480
07	508
08	493
09	501
10	500
11	541
12	572
Total, PK-12	6,276
Total, K-12	6,143

* Includes PK and non-public students receiving special education services

† K12 students attending full-time

** Includes 2 elementary school participating in Community Eligibility Provision

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**K-12 Enrollment by Building 2021-
22 to Present**

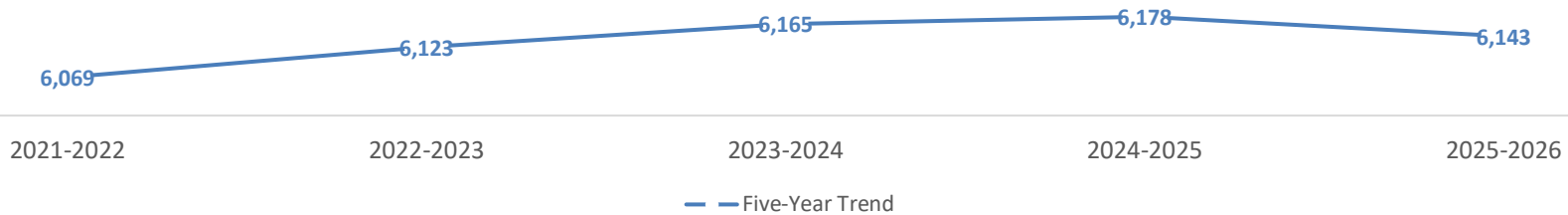
School	2021-22	2022-23	Pct. Change	2023-24	Pct. Change	2024-25	Pct. Change	2025-26	Pct. Change
Hillside	368	372	1.09%	381	2.42%	391	2.22%	369	-5.63%
Loveland	280	280	0%	287	2.50%	276	-3.83%	278	0.72%
Oakdale	297	308	3.70%	308	0%	312	1.30%	294	-5.77%
Paddock Road	283	287	1.41%	288	0.35%	285	-1.04%	286	0.35%
Prairie Lane	271	271	0%	269	-0.74%	269	0%	277	2.97%
Rockbrook	283	275	-2.83%	278	1.09%	278	0%	269	-3.24%
Sunset Hills	260	281	8.08%	289	2.85%	301	4.15%	295	-1.99%
Swanson	295	291	-1.36%	289	-0.69%	283	-2.08%	284	0.35%
Westbrook	397	399	0.50%	395	-1.00%	393	-0.51%	390	0.76%
Westgate	289	274	-5.19%	304	10.95%	297	-2.30%	286	-3.70%
WMS	1,007	979	-2.78%	939	-4.09%	948	-0.96%	1001	5.59%
WHS	2,039	2,106	2.29%	2,138	1.59%	2,145	0.33%	2,114	-1.45%
Total	6,069	6,123	0.59 %	6,165	0.69%	6,178	0.21%	6,134	-0.71%

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**K-12 Enrollment by Grade Level 2021-
22 to Present**

Grade	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
K	476	420	403	394	383
1	406	470	441	410	392
2	457	419	474	429	420
3	416	452	421	479	433
4	412	432	462	428	489
5	428	419	443	464	431
6	428	427	444	481	480
7	492	472	470	476	508
8	515	507	469	472	493
9	489	532	536	514	501
10	526	493	527	547	500
11	497	530	500	546	541
12	527	551	575	538	572
Total	6,069	6,123	6,165	6,178	6,143

FIVE-YEAR TREND



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K-12 Enrollment by Ethnicity (Grade Level)

	American Indian or Alaska Native		Asian		Black or African American		Hispanic		Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander		Two or More Races		White		Total Enrollment
Grade	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	
KG	1	1	3	9	15	18	31	25	1	0	16	19	118	126	383
1	0	0	9	6	15	20	35	28	0	0	17	27	125	110	392
2	0	0	11	8	18	18	21	34	0	0	26	25	137	122	420
3	0	0	4	8	15	19	29	36	0	1	19	26	133	143	433
4	1	0	6	8	16	20	21	37	1	0	28	21	141	189	489
5	0	0	6	10	22	24	26	37	0	1	23	18	134	130	431
6	0	2	8	7	23	25	30	30	0	0	23	18	150	164	480
Subtotal K-6	2	3	47	56	124	144	193	227	2	2	152	154	938	984	3,028
7	1	1	3	14	30	24	39	34	0	0	33	29	145	155	508
8	1	1	14	9	25	30	31	41	0	0	25	26	141	149	493
9	0	0	3	6	27	24	35	27	1	0	30	26	150	172	501
10	0	2	7	7	33	32	37	31	0	0	23	21	163	144	500
11	0	3	7	6	33	33	40	41	0	0	22	18	167	171	541
12	0	0	5	3	26	39	30	27	0	1	30	21	174	216	572
Subtotal 7-12	2	7	39	45	174	182	212	201	1	1	163	141	940	1,007	3,115
Total	4	10	86	101	298	326	405	428	3	3	315	295	1,878	1,991	6,143

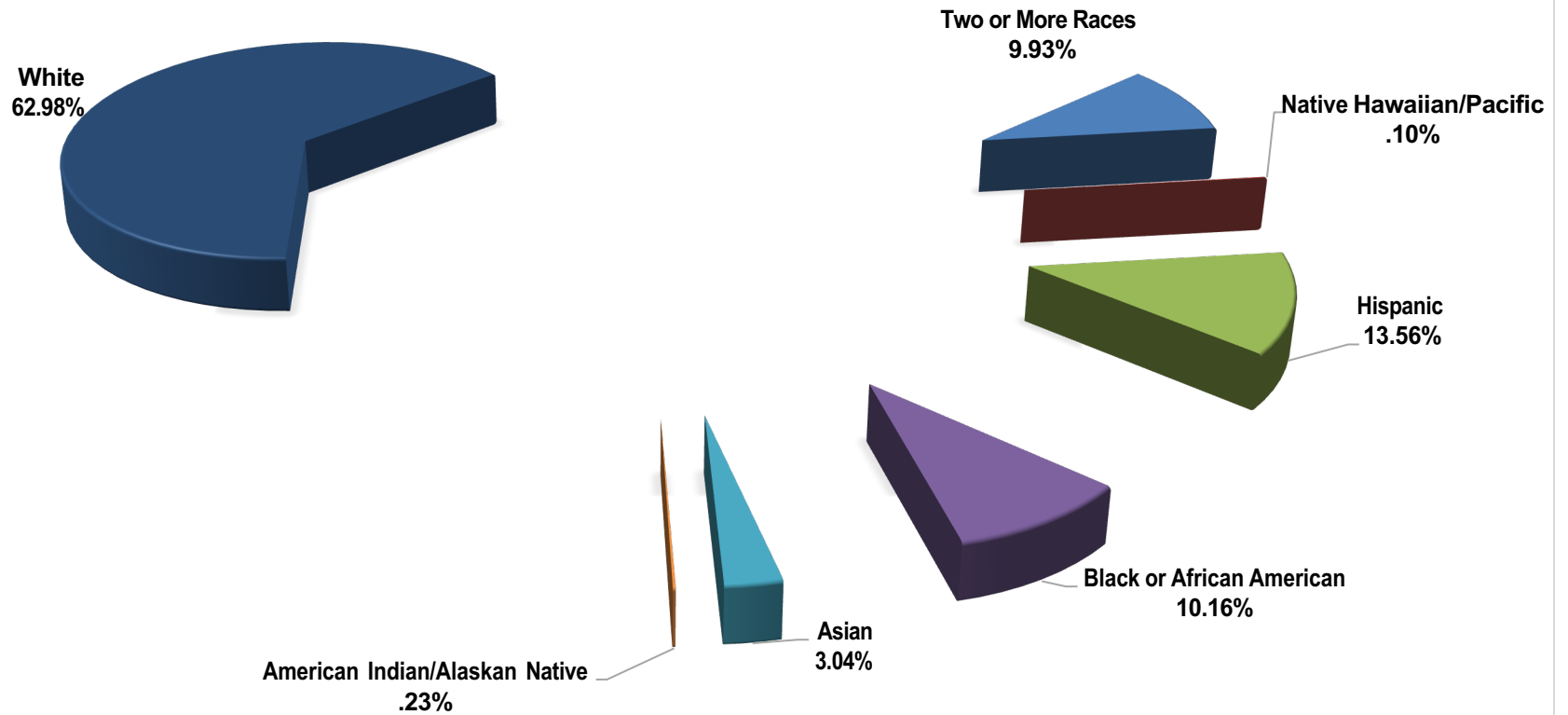
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K-12 Enrollment by Ethnicity (Building)

	American Indian or Alaska Native		Asian		Black or African American		Hispanic		Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander		Two or More Races		White		Total Enrollment
Building	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Count
Hillside	0	0	5	4	24	25	38	39	0	0	20	24	101	89	369
Loveland	1	0	11	8	12	14	13	20	0	0	10	6	92	91	278
Oakdale	0	0	3	5	6	3	12	17	0	0	16	17	101	114	294
Paddock Road	0	1	0	1	6	11	22	28	2	2	14	11	97	91	286
Prairie Lane	0	0	1	1	7	6	18	16	0	0	12	7	98	111	277
Rockbrook	0	0	3	3	1	3	12	14	0	0	11	20	92	110	269
Sunset Hills	0	1	1	3	1	3	6	14	0	0	6	7	117	136	295
Swanson	0	0	15	21	4	8	15	11	0	0	13	20	84	93	284
Westbrook	0	0	4	7	35	52	28	40	0	0	33	29	73	89	390
Westgate	1	1	4	3	28	19	29	28	0	0	17	13	83	60	286
Subtotal K-6	2	3	47	56	124	144	193	227	2	2	152	154	938	984	3,028
WMS	2	2	17	23	55	54	70	75	0	0	58	55	286	304	1001
WHS	0	5	22	22	119	128	142	126	1	1	105	86	654	703	2,114
Subtotal 7-12	2	7	39	45	174	182	212	201	1	1	163	141	940	1,007	3,115
Total	4	10	86	101	298	326	405	428	3	3	315	295	1,878	1,991	6,143
Pct. of Total	0.23%		3.04%		10.16%		13.56%		0.10%		9.93%		62.98%		100%

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K-12 ENROLLMENT BY ETHNICITY



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K-12 Enrollment by Gender (By Grade Level)

Grade Level	Female		Male		Total Enrollment
	Number	Percentage	Number	Percentage	
KG	185	48.30%	198	51.70%	383
1	201	51.28%	191	48.72%	392
2	213	50.71%	207	49.29%	420
3	200	46.19%	233	53.81%	433
4	214	43.76%	275	56.54%	489
5	211	48.96%	220	51.04%	431
6	234	48.75%	246	51.25%	480
K-6 Subtotal	1,458	48.15%	1,570	51.85%	3,028
7	251	49.41%	257	50.59%	508
8	237	48.07%	256	51.93%	493
9	246	49.10%	255	50.9%	501
10	263	52.60%	237	47.40%	500
11	269	49.72%	272	50.28%	541
12	265	46.33%	307	53.67%	572
7-12 Subtotal	1,531	49.14%	1,584	50.86%	3,115
Total	2,989	48.75%	3,154	51.25%	6,143

K-12 Enrollment by Gender (By Building)

Building	Female		Male		Total Enrollment
	Number	Percentage	Number	Percentage	
Hillside	188	50.96%	181	49.04%	369
Loveland	139	50.00%	139	50.00%	278
Oakdale	138	46.94%	156	53.06%	294
Paddock Road	141	49.30%	145	50.70%	286
Prairie Lane	136	49.10%	141	50.90%	277
Rockbrook	119	44.24%	150	55.76%	269
Sunset Hills	131	44.41%	164	55.59%	295
Swanson	131	46.13%	153	53.87%	284
Westbrook	173	44.36%	217	55.64%	390
Westgate	162	56.64%	124	43.36%	286
K-6 Subtotal	1,458	48.15%	1,570	51.85%	3,028
WMS	488	48.75%	513	51.25%	1,001
WHS	1,043	49.34%	1,071	50.66%	2,114
7-12 Subtotal	1,531	49.14%	1,584	50.86%	3,115
Total	2,989	48.75%	3,154	51.25%	6,143

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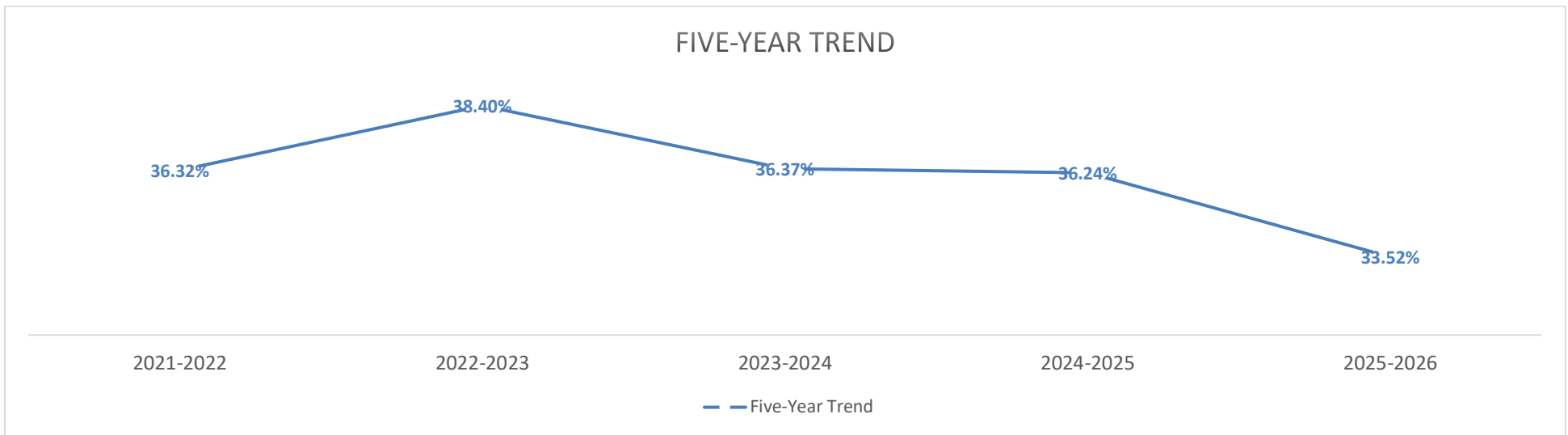
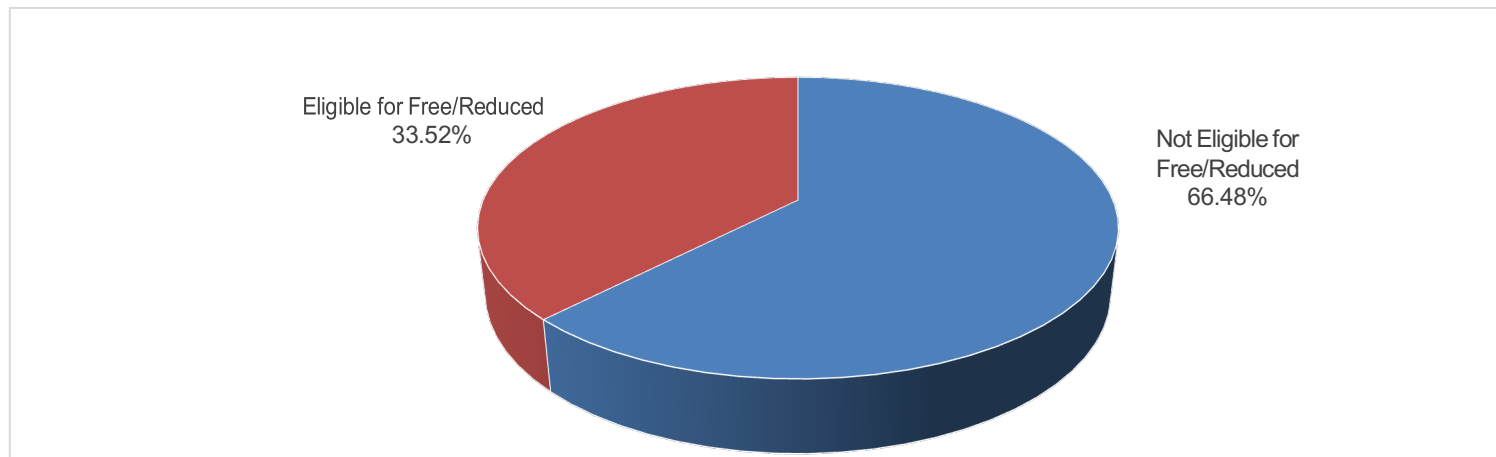
K-12 Free and Reduced-Price Meal Eligibility

	Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals		Not Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals		Total Students
Grade Level	Count	% of Grade Level	Count	% of Grade Level	Count
K	119	31.07%	264	68.93%	383
01	130	33.16%	262	66.84%	392
02	143	34.05%	277	65.95%	420
03	149	34.41%	284	65.59%	433
04	157	32.11%	332	67.89%	489
05	152	35.27%	279	64.73%	431
06	149	31.04%	331	68.96%	480
Subtotal K-6	999	32.99%	2,029	67.01%	3,028
07	184	36.22%	324	63.78%	508
08	158	32.05%	335	67.95%	493
09	164	32.73%	337	67.27%	501
10	179	35.80%	321	64.20%	500
11	198	36.60%	343	63.40%	541
12	177	30.94%	395	69.06%	572
Subtotal 7-12	1,060	34.03%	2,055	65.97%	3,115
Total	2,059	33.52%	4,084	66.48%	6,143

	Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals		Not Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals		Total Students
Building	Count	% of Bldg	Count	% of Bldg	Count
Hillside	186	50.41%	183	49.59%	369
Loveland	63	22.66%	215	77.34%	278
Oakdale	48	16.33%	246	83.67%	294
Paddock Road	116	40.56%	170	59.44%	286
Prairie Lane	55	19.86%	222	80.14%	277
Rockbrook	60	22.30%	209	77.70%	269
Sunset Hills	28	9.49%	267	90.51%	295
Swanson	63	22.18%	221	77.82%	284
Westbrook	211	54.10%	179	45.90%	390
Westgate	169	59.09%	117	40.91%	286
Subtotal K-6	999	32.99%	2,029	67.01%	3,028
WMS	342	37.13%	659	62.87%	1,001
WHS	718	35.90%	1,396	64.10%	2,114
Subtotal 7-12	1,060	34.03%	2,055	65.97%	3,115
Total	2,059	33.52%	4,084	66.48%	6,143

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Free/Reduced-Price Meal Eligibility



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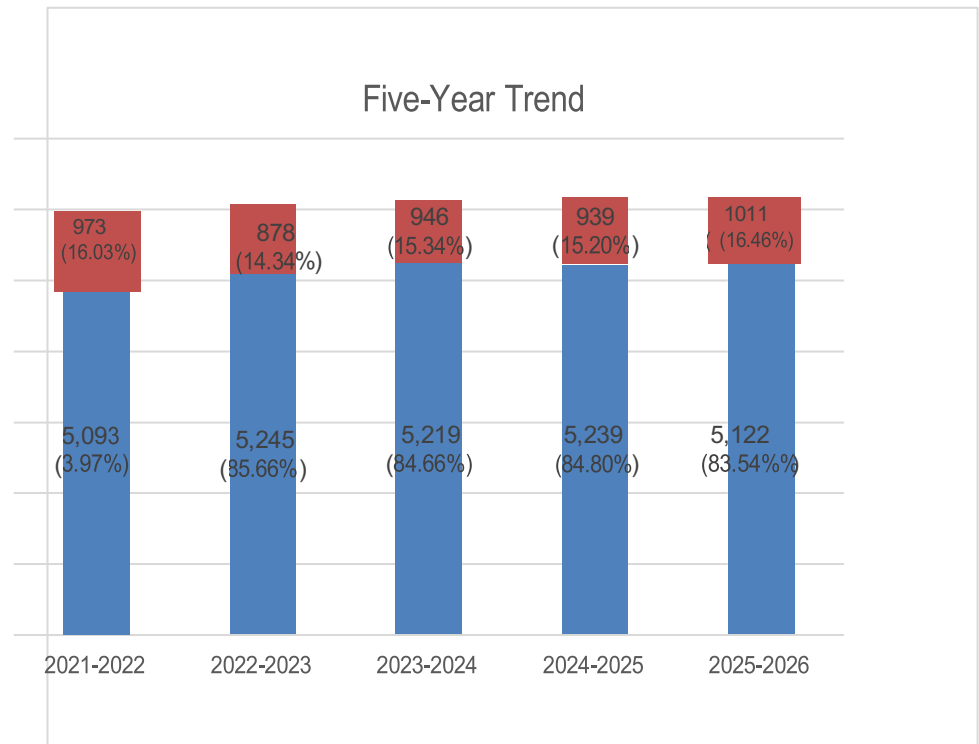
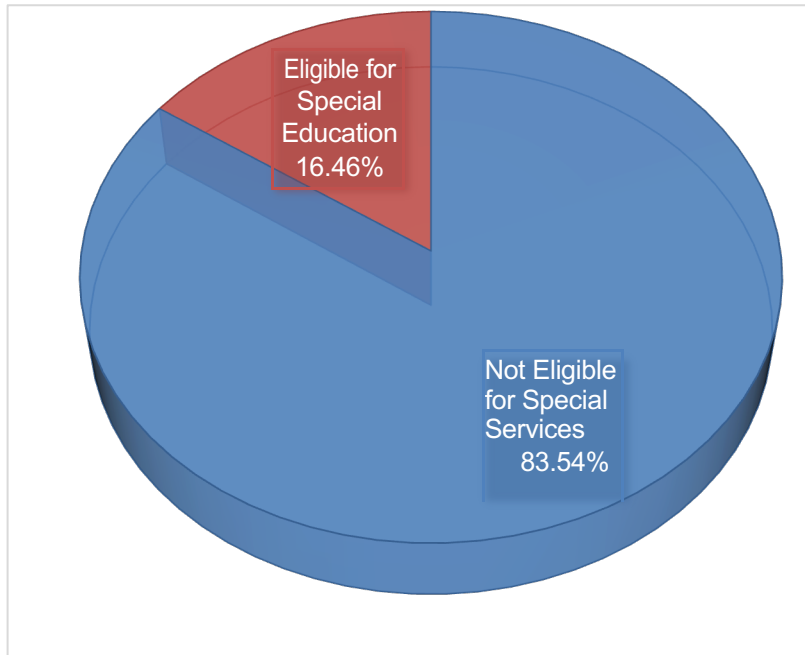
K-12 Students Eligible for Special Education Services

Building	Count	% of Building(s)	Total Student Count
Hillside	74	20.05%	369
Loveland	38	13.67%	278
Oakdale	34	11.56%	294
Paddock Road	42	14.69%	286
Prairie Lane	41	14.80%	277
Rockbrook	41	15.24%	269
Sunset Hills	33	11.86%	295
Swanson	37	13.03%	284
Westbrook	75	19.23%	390
Westgate	58	20.28%	286
Subtotal K-6	473	15.62 %	3,028
WMS	175	17.48%	1,001
WHS	363	17.17%	2,114
Subtotal 7-12	538	17.27%	3,115
Total	1,011	16.46%	6,143

K-8 Students Eligible for EY Program

Building	Count	% of Building(s)	Total Student Count
Hillside	24	6.50%	369
Loveland	30	10.79%	278
Oakdale	43	14.63%	294
Paddock Road	27	9.44%	286
Prairie Lane	35	12.64%	277
Rockbrook	30	11.15%	269
Sunset Hills	41	13.90%	295
Swanson	30	10.56%	284
Westbrook	30	7.69%	390
Westgate	15	5.24%	286
WMS	181	18.08%	1,001
Total	486	12.06%	4,029

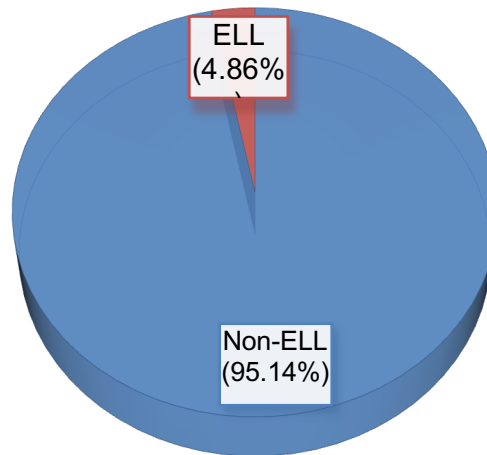
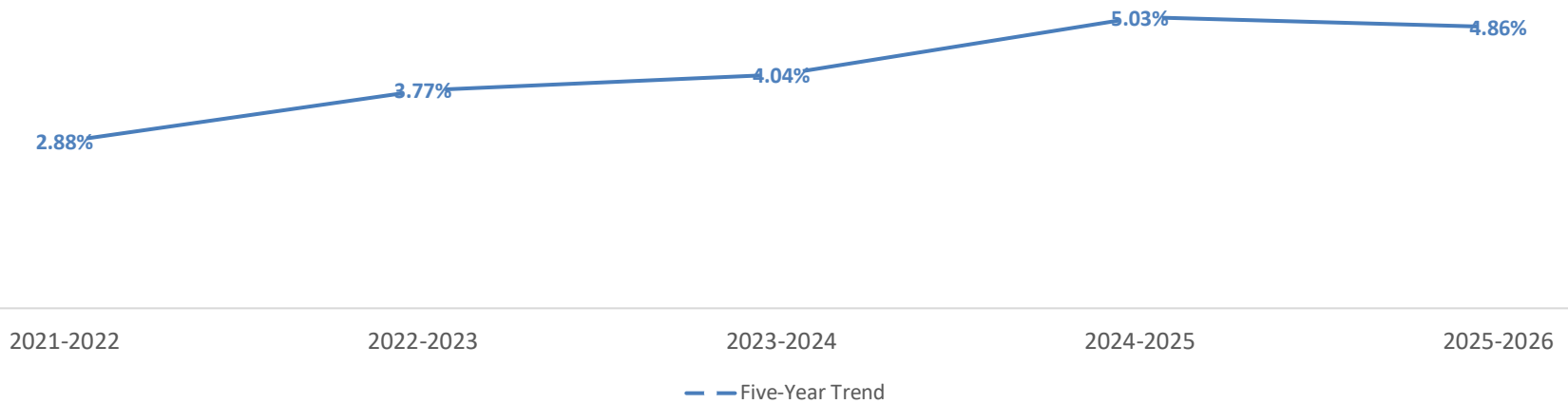
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Special Education Eligibility

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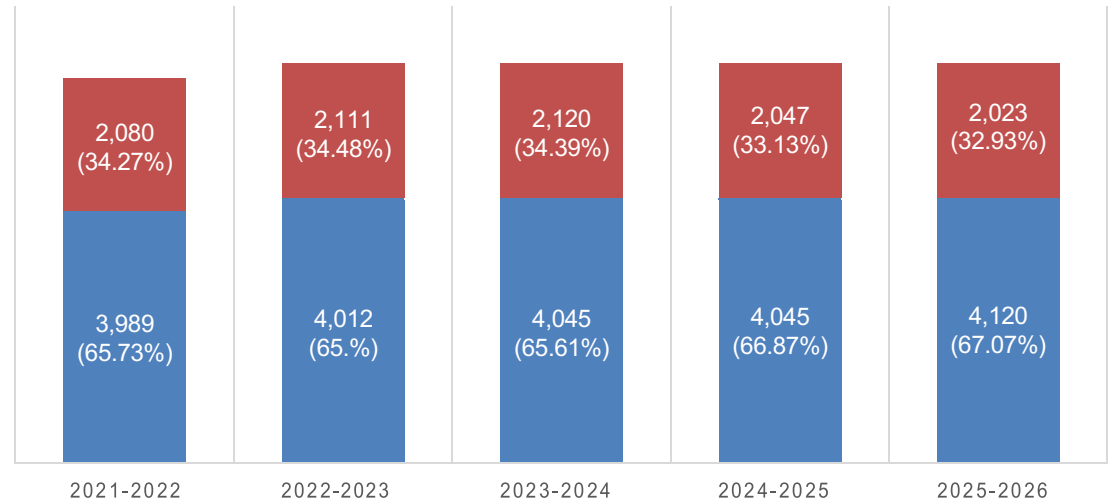
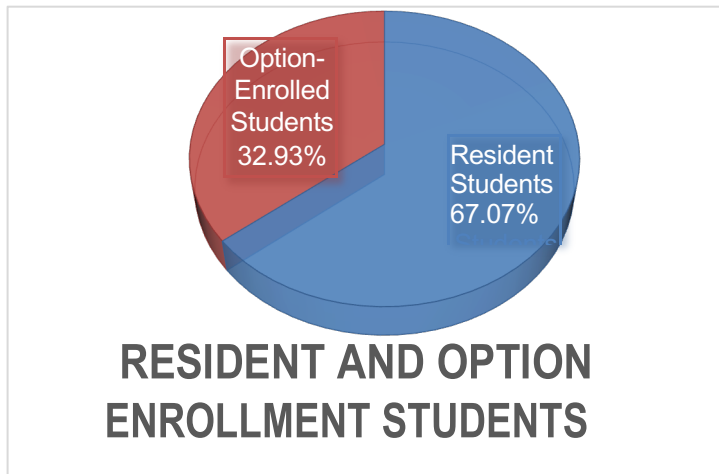
FIVE-YEAR TREND ELL ENROLLMENT AND
ELL AND NON ELL ENROLLMENT



K-12 Resident and Option Enrollment Students

	Total Enrollment		Eligible for F/R Meals		ELL		Special Education		EY Participants	
	Count	% of total	Count	% of Group	Count	% of Group	Count	% of Group	Count	% of Group
Westside Resident Students	4,120	67.07%	1,228	29.81%	251	6.09%	675	16.3%	604	14.66%
Option Enrolled Students	2,023	32.93%	831	41.08%	48	2.37%	264	12.9%	229	11.32%
Combined Total	6,143	100.00%	2,059	33.52%	299	4.86%	1011	16.46%	853	13.89%

RESIDENT AND STUDENT ENROLLMENT FIVE-YEAR TREND



K-12 Option Enrollment Students By Building and Grade Level

Grade	Hillside	Loveland	Oakdale	Paddock Road	Prairie Lane	Rockbrook	Sunset Hills	Swanson	Westbrook	Westgate	WMS	WHS	Total
K	26	2	9	12	18	14	12	8	9	5			115
1	21	4	11	13	12	7	5	6	11	4			94
2	22	11	6	9	18	13	10	12	15	9			125
3	31	1	8	14	16	17	8	4	15	12			126
4	27	9	5	7	18	2	5	11	20	10			114
5	23	8	13	18	9	12	9	5	18	8			123
6	26	15	7	18	22	12	14	14	23	13			164
7											173		173
8											173		173
9												184	184
10												189	189
11												203	203
12												240	240
Total	176	50	59	91	113	77	63	60	111	61	346	816	2,023
Bldg Total	369	278	294	286	277	269	295	284	390	286	1,001	2,114	6,143
% of BldgTotal	47.70%	17.99%	20.07%	31.82%	40.79%	28.62%	21.36%	20.13%	28.46%	21.33%	34.57%	38.60%	32.93%

K-12 Option Out Students

Grade Level	Count
K	12
1	5
2	19
3	17
4	24
5	13
6	11
7	13
8	9
9	25
10	20
11	25
12	32
Total	225

Option Enrollment Applications Received

Building*	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Hillside	28	5	1	6	2	3	3							48
Loveland	16	4	3	3	2	5	7							40
Oakdale	12	1	1	1	2	1	6							24
Paddock Road	14	3	0	0	2	0	2							21
Prairie Lane	19	6	3	3	2	2	1							36
Rockbrook	16	0	1	4	3	1	2							27
Sunset Hills	19	3	0	3	4	1	5							35
Swanson	10	4	2	3	0	2	5							26
Westbrook	16	1	1	3	3	1	4							29
Westgate	11	2	3	1	1	2	3							23
No Preference	9	3	1	2	1	3	3							22
WMS								74	39					113
WHS										102	35	49	25	211
Total	170	32	16	29	22	21	41	74	39	102	35	49	25	655

*only first-choice schools included in count

Option Enrollment Applications Approved

Building	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Hillside	30	1	0	2	0	1	2							36
Loveland	2	1	1	0	0	1	2							7
Oakdale	10	0	0	2	0	0	0							12
Paddock Road	14	3	0	0	0	2	0							19
Prairie Lane	24	3	2	2	1	3	3							38
Rockbrook	22	3	1	3	1	2	2							34
Sunset Hills	15	0	0	2	0	0	0							17
Swanson	13	0	1	1	2	0	4							21
Westbrook	12	1	0	1	2	0	0							16
Westgate	6	1	0	0	0	0	0							7
WMS								24	19					43
WHS										45	12	6	2	65
Total	148	13	5	13	6	9	13	24	19	45	12	6	2	315
Percent	87.06%	40.63%	31.25%	44.83%	27.27%	87.50%	31.71%	32.43%	48.72%	44.12%	34.29%	12.24%	.08%	48.09%

K-6 Section Counts By Building

Building	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Hillside	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	21
Loveland	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	14
Oakdale	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	14
Paddock Road	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	14
Prairie Lane	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	14
Rockbrook	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	14
Sunset Hills	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	14
Swanson	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	14
Westbrook	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	21
Westgate	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	14
Total	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	154

K-6 Average Class Size By Building and Grade

Building	K	1	2	3	4	5	6
Hillside	14	16	18	19	19	18	19
Loveland	17	19	20	21	23	20	22
Oakdale	17	18	19	18	26	24	26
Paddock Road	20	19	19	22	23	21	21
Prairie Lane	17	20	22	19	23	16	23
Rockbrook	17	17	19	19	25	18	21
Sunset Hills	19	21	20	20	25	20	24
Swanson	18	20	20	23	20	21	22
Westbrook	19	16	18	16	20	21	20
Westgate	18	17	19	23	25	19	24
Average	17.6	18.3	19.4	20	22.9	19.8	22.2