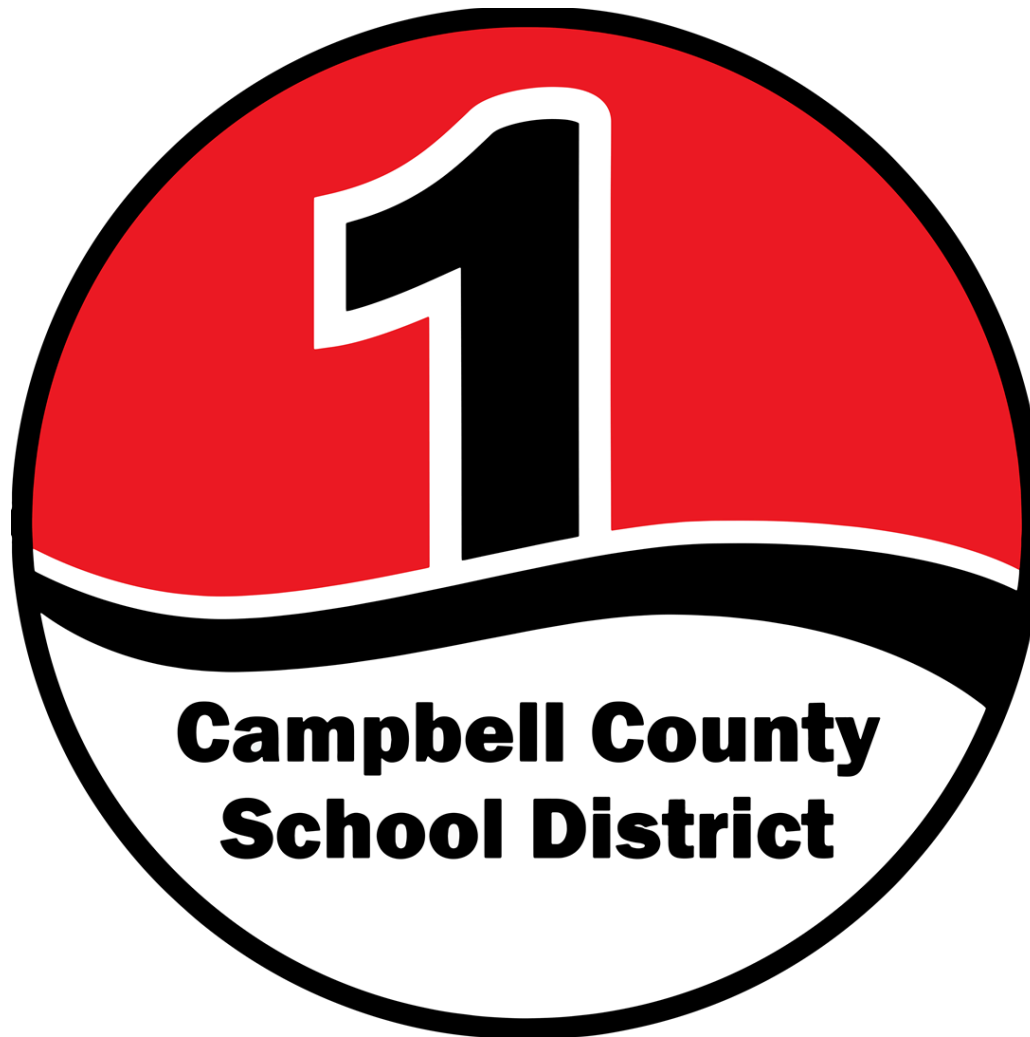




Cottonwood Elementary
Board Report
2025-2026

School Demographics

Staff	2023-2024	2024-2025	2025-2026
Certified	24	23	23
ESP	19	19	20

School Enrollment

Fall	K	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	Total
Oct. 1st 2023	30	28	30	27	33	33	31	212
Oct. 1st 2024	26	24	26	27	29	34	30	196
Current 2025-2026	24	21	23	27	27	32	34	188

Subgroups

*Subgroup data from the state is a year behind.

		2023-2024			2024-2025			2025 - 2026		
Category		School	District	State	School	District	State	School	District	TBD
Gender	Female	54%	49%	48%	56%	49%	48%	56%	49%	TBD
	Male	46%	51%	52%	44%	51%	52%	44%	51%	TBD
IEP		15%	13%	15%	19%	14%	16%	20%	15%	TBD
Free/Reduced		42%	34%	34%	49%	42%	42%	48%	44%	TBD
Mobility		24%	15%	NA	20%	15%	NA	TBD	TBD	NA
ELL		5%	4%	2%	5%	5%	3%	6%	4%	TBD
Ethnicity	White	87%	84%	77%	88%	83%	75%	85%	83%	TBD
	Hispanic	9%	11%	15%	10%	11%	16%	11%	12%	TBD
Other Minority		4%	5%	8%	2%	6%	9%	4%	5%	TBD

Overall School Performance

Indicator	Accountability Model	Student Count	School Score	Performance Category	Participation Rate
Achievement	WAEA	116	42	Below Target	Met
	ESSA	116	43.3	Below Average	Met
Growth	WAEA	88	47	Below Target	NA
	ESSA	88	46.5	Below Average	NA
Equity	WAEA	36	43	Below Target	NA
	ESSA	36	43.1	Below Average	NA
English Learner Progress	WAEA	11	64	Exceeds Target	Met
	ESSA	11	63.6	Above Average	Met

Achievement	The percent proficient or above on WY TOPP in English Language Arts, Math and Science.
Growth	Growth in all students (reading and math combined) measured from prior to current year WY TOPP.
Equity	Growth of bottom 25% of students (reading and math combined) measured from prior to current year WY TOPP.
English Learner Progress	The percent of English Learners who met their annual goal for English Language Proficiency as measured by ACCESS. *Must have at least 10 English Learners to receive this score.

Overall School Performance (Last Five Years)

School Year	Overall Rating
2021 - 2022	Meeting Expectations
2022 - 2023	Not Meeting Expectations
2023 - 2024	Not Meeting Expectations
2024 - 2025	Not Meeting Expectations

State Assessment (WY-TOPP)

*Students will demonstrate proficiency or growth as measured by WY TOPP

		School 2024	School 2025
Grade	Subject	% Proficient & Advanced	% Proficient & Advanced
3	ELA	42.90	37.00
3	Math	53.60	51.80
4	ELA	35.50	31.00
4	Math	45.20	43.30
4	Science	29.00	26.70
5	ELA	31.30	57.60
5	Math	21.20	54.50
6	ELA	34.60	50.00
6	Math	25.90	25.00

State Assessment (WY-TOPP)

*Grade levels will exceed the state average in content areas measured by WY TOPP

		School 2025	State 2025
Grade	Subject	% Proficient & Advanced	% Proficient & Advanced
3	ELA	37.00	53.10
3	Math	51.80	58.20
4	ELA	31.00	51.30
4	Math	43.30	57.40
4	Science	26.70	55.30
5	ELA	57.60	57.80
5	Math	54.50	55.20
6	ELA	50.00	58.10
6	Math	25.00	50.20

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT GOALS

ELA: By the end of the 2025–2026 school year, at least 55% of Cottonwood students will score proficient or advanced in English Language Arts on the Summative WYTOPP assessment.

MATH: By the end of the 2025–2026 school year, at least 55% of Cottonwood students will score proficient or advanced in Math on the Summative WYTOPP assessment.

SCIENCE: By the end of the 2025–2026 school year, at least 40% of Cottonwood 4th grade students will score proficient or advanced in Science on the Summative WYTOPP assessment.

WELL-BEING: Cottonwood Elementary staff will implement Positive Behavior Supports and Behavioral Leadership strategies across all school settings, including classrooms, in order to promote a consistent, positive, and proactive behavioral framework.

ACCOUNTABILITY REPORT GOALS

ACHIEVEMENT: Cottonwood Elementary will improve from 42% to 51% of students meeting expectations on the Achievement Indicator, as measured by the 2025–2026 WAEA School Performance Report.

GROWTH: Cottonwood Elementary will improve from a Median Growth Percentile score of 47 to 50 to meet expectations on the Growth Indicator as measured by the 2025-2026 WAEA School Performance Report.

EQUITY: Cottonwood Elementary will improve from a Median Growth Percentile score of 43 to 48 to meet expectations on the Equity Indicator as measured by the 2025-2026 WAEA School Performance Report.

ELP: Cottonwood Elementary will maintain a score of meeting or exceeding expectations on the ELP Indicator as measured by the 2025-2026 WAEA School Performance Report.