



## Woodstock Community Unit School District 200

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# Woodstock D 200 students lead McHenry County in academic growth

Woodstock Community Unit School District 200 students' reading and math scores continue to soar, with the highest growth in McHenry County.

Superintendent Mike Moan shared Illinois State Report Card data with the District 200 Board of Education at the Nov. 18 board meeting, highlighting student growth in comparison to the state and neighboring school districts.

"We're excited about the continued growth we're seeing. It's a testament to our teaching staff and to our community, which places a high value on a quality education," Moan said.

Reading scores were particularly notable. According to state data, 69.4% of District 200 students meet or exceed state standards in reading compared to 38.2% of all Illinois students who meet that benchmark.

Both 6th- and 8th-grade students in District 200 led McHenry County in reading growth, and students overall led the county in math growth.

The growth within District 200 has also been significant over the last three years. Reading scores increased 20 percentage points since 2023, while math scores improved by 15.5 percentage points over that same time period.

"We really put a lot of our focus on preparing our students for high school," Moan said. "There are so many academic opportunities in our high schools, and we want our students coming into those buildings ready to take advantage of those opportunities."

Another area where District 200 stands out is in Hispanic student test scores, which significantly outpace those of Hispanic students in other districts in both reading and math.

Board President Carl Gilmore asked Moan to pass along the board's congratulations to all of District 200's teaching staff for the successful results.

"We look forward to more great news in the years to come," Gilmore said.