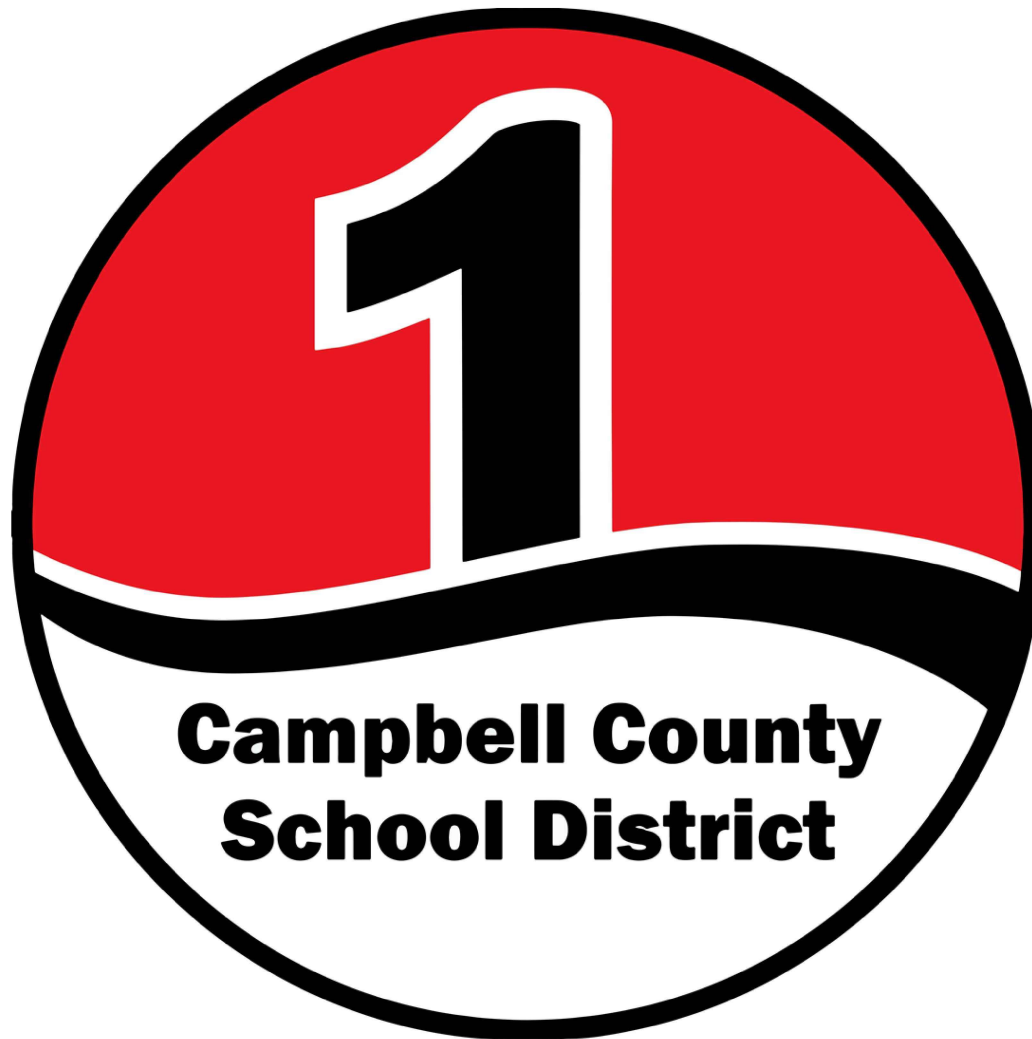




Buffalo Ridge Elementary
Board Report
2025-2026

School Demographics

Staff	2023-2024	2024-2025	2025-2026
Certified	35	35	34
ESP	24	25	26

School Enrollment

Fall	K	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	Total
Oct. 1st 2023	61	55	61	63	50	59	56	405
Oct. 1st 2024	59	57	58	65	67	47	65	418
Current 2025-2026	37	63	55	55	67	68	41	386

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	State
Gender	Female	49%	49%	48%	52%	49%	48%	51%	49%	TBD
	Male	51%	51%	52%	48%	51%	52%	49%	51%	TBD
IEP		15%	13%	15%	15%	14%	16%	14%	15%	TBD
Free/Reduced		29%	34%	34%	29%	42%	42%	27%	44%	TBD
Mobility		9%	15%	NA	9%	15%	NA	TBD	TBD	NA
ELL		1%	4%	2%	1%	5%	3%	1%	4%	TBD
Ethnicity	White	91%	84%	77%	89%	83%	75%	89%	83%	TBD
	Hispanic	5%	11%	15%	7%	11%	16%	6%	12%	TBD
	Other Minority	4%	5%	8%	4%	6%	9%	5%	5%	TBD

Overall School Performance

Indicator	Accountability Model	Student Count	School Score	Performance Category	Participation Rate
Achievement	WAEA	230	59	Meets Target	Met
	ESSA	230	57.8	Average	Met
Growth	WAEA	161	53	Meets Target	NA
	ESSA	161	53.1	Average	NA
Equity	WAEA	53	55	Meets Target	NA
	ESSA	53	54.2	Average	NA
English Learner Progress	WAEA	5	NA	NA	NA
	ESSA	5	NA	NA	NA

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	Partially Meeting Expectations
2022 - 2023	Meeting Expectations
2023 - 2024	Meeting Expectations
2024 - 2025	Meeting Expectations

State Assessment (WY-TOPP)

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

		School 2023	School 2024	School 2025
Grade	Subject	% Proficient & Advanced	% Proficient & Advanced	% Proficient & Advanced
3	ELA	44.70	60.90	50.00
3	Math	42.50	69.80	60.90
4	ELA	39.40	38.50	56.70
4	Math	63.60	59.60	73.10
4	Science	51.50	61.50	65.70
5	ELA	44.80	38.30	46.70
5	Math	37.90	43.30	53.30
6	ELA	65.10	50.00	55.40
6	Math	68.30	63.80	53.80

State Assessment (WY-TOPP)

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

		School 2023	State 2023	School 2024	State 2024	School 2025	State 2025
Grade	Subject	% Proficient & Advanced	% Proficient & Advanced	% Proficient & Advanced	% Proficient & Advanced	% Proficient & Advanced	% Proficient & Advanced
3	ELA	44.70	48.30	60.90	52.40	50.00	53.10
3	Math	42.50	53.50	69.80	56.10	60.90	58.20
4	ELA	39.40	45.50	38.50	49.70	56.70	51.30
4	Math	63.60	51.10	59.60	54.50	73.10	57.40
4	Science	51.50	50.20	61.50	52.00	65.70	55.30
5	ELA	44.80	54.90	38.30	54.60	46.70	57.80
5	Math	37.90	53.70	43.30	52.30	53.30	55.20
6	ELA	65.10	59.80	50.00	58.60	55.40	58.10
6	Math	68.30	51.50	63.80	52.70	53.80	50.20

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT GOALS

ELA 2025: Buffalo Ridge will continue focused work on ELA in collaboration using the 15 Day Challenge with Maria Nielsen from Solution Tree as our primary focus to create clarity around effective tier 1 and tier 2 instruction with our Panorama resource.

ELA 2024: Buffalo Ridge will continue to focus the PLC process on ELA (all grades) to ensure core instruction around the first essential question of a PLC. (What is it all students must know?) We will continue to use proficiency scales and use student friendly language to create clarity for all our students. We will also continue to use reading diagnostic assessments to create individual learning plans for all students k-6.

ELA 2023: Buffalo Ridge will commit the PLC process to ELA (all grades) to ensure core instruction around the first essential question of a PLC. (What is it all students must know?) We will also use reading diagnostic assessments (FastBridge) along with SPR Equity students to target struggling readers to create IRP's k-6.

MATH 2025: Buffalo Ridge will continue our work in creating assessments for math standards using proficiency scales in the PLC process. Using these assessments and data from a variety of district and school assessments such as FastBridge, WYTOPP, Modular data, and CFA's will be used to create and modify Tier II intervention groups to support all students. The 15 day challenge will also start to guide math collaboration.

MATH 2024: Buffalo Ridge will continue our work in creating assessments for math standards using proficiency scales (focus on 5th grade) in the PLC process. Data from a variety of district and school assessments such as FastBridge, WYTOPP, Modular data, and CFA's will be used to create and modify Tier II intervention groups to support all students.

MATH 2023: Buffalo Ridge will continue our work in creating assessments for math standards using proficiency scales (focus on 6th grade) in the PLC process. Data from a variety of district and school assessments will be used to create and modify Tier II intervention groups to support equity and growth students.

Science 2025: Buffalo Ridge will continue to use Panorama and the “15 Day Challenge” to build background science content knowledge that will help students continue our improvement of our science score as measured by the state assessment.

Science 2024: Buffalo Ridge will continue to use Panorama to build background science content knowledge that will help students continue our improvement of our science score as measured by the state assessment.

Science 2023: Buffalo Ridge will use Panorama to build background science knowledge that will help students continue our improvement of our Science score as measured by the state assessment.

WELL-BEING 2025: Buffalo Ridge will continue to use HOPE squad and Character Strong for Tier 1 and Tier 2 learning. We will also support students well-being through behavioral consistency with Behavioral leadership in common areas as well as using teacher coaches to help teachers manage student behaviors in the classroom. Buffalo Ridge has also added the MARK program for specific student needs in two sessions this school year.

WELL-BEING 2024: Buffalo Ridge will commit to using Character Strong in the classrooms. Classroom lessons are supported through an online platform that includes lesson plans and resources. Those lessons will be expanded on by the school counselor in her monthly sessions. Tier 2 curriculum is also used to support small group and individual instruction as needed. Buffalo Ridge Hope Squad is also in its 4th year, with each year bringing more recognition to the students as resources to one another. Hope squad meets every other week, focusing on topics such as setting boundaries, when and how to talk to a trusted adult, and safe/unsafe secrets.

WELL-BEING 2023: Buffalo Ridge will focus on supporting and celebrating student and staff successes to support a positive school culture. This will include celebrations and recognitions around grade level goals, Bison of the Quarter, Teacher Feature of the Month, Staff Shout Outs, Staff Appreciation days...Buffalo Ridge Hope Squad is also in its 3rd year, with each year bringing more recognition to the students as resources to one another.

ACCOUNTABILITY REPORT GOALS

ACHIEVEMENT 2025: Our school will continue to increase our Achievement score from 59 as measured by the summative state assessment.

ACHIEVEMENT 2024: Our school will increase our Achievement scores in 4th grade ELA by 5% as measured by the 2024-2025 summative state assessment.

ACHIEVEMENT 2023: Buffalo Ridge will shift our PLC focus from math to ELA and the use of Panorama as a primary resource to focus on the first essential question of a PLC (What is it all students must know?).

GROWTH 2025: Our school will increase our Growth score from 53 as measured by the summative state assessment.

GROWTH 2024: Buffalo Ridge will increase our Growth score in 5th grade Math by 5% as measured by the 2024-2025 summative state assessment.

GROWTH 2023: Buffalo Ridge will increase our Growth score in 5th grade ELA by 5% as measured by the 2023-2024 summative state assessment.

EQUITY 2025: Our school will increase our Equity score from 55 as measured by the summative state assessment. Equity students lists will be used to target students for individual growth.

EQUITY 2024: Buffalo Ridge will increase our Equity score in 5th grade by 5% as measured by the 2024-2025 summative state assessment.

EQUITY 2023: Buffalo Ridge will increase overall equity in 6th grade Math by 5% as measured by the 2023-24 summative state assessment. Buffalo Ridge will increase overall equity in 5th grade ELA by 5% as measured by the 2023-24 summative state assessment.