

HARRISON TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT

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The ELA Enrichment Program is designed to meet the needs of students who demonstrate exceptional literacy performance, advanced reasoning skills, and the ability to successfully engage in accelerated and rigorous instruction.

To maintain fairness and accuracy, criteria are reviewed and adjusted annually based on the performance of the current student population. As a result, benchmark cut scores may shift slightly from year to year to ensure they reflect the highest-performing students within each grade level cohort.

Placement in ELA Enrichment is reviewed annually. Enrollment is not automatically renewed from year to year. Students must continue to demonstrate exceptional performance, advanced literacy skills, and learning behaviors aligned to the pace and rigor of the program. Due to limited class size and the evolving performance of each grade-level cohort, annual placement decisions are based on a combination of assessment data, classroom performance, and learner characteristics.

Meeting minimum criteria does not guarantee placement. Final enrollment decisions are based on overall rubric scores, program capacity, and comparison to the current grade-level applicant pool. The district reserves the right to consider overall student performance, cohort trends, staffing, scheduling constraints, and program capacity when making final placement decisions.

Students Entering Fourth Grade ELA Enrichment

- Two of the following criteria:
 - o Students who scored a CSI raw score of 125 or higher on the 24-25 Gr2 InView Scores
 - o Students who scored a 620 or higher on the 2025-2026 Spring Gr 3 ELA i-Ready EOY diagnostic
 - o Students who scored an Exceeds Expectations on the 2025-2026 Link It Benchmark ELA Form C

OR

- Three of the following criteria:
 - o Students who scored 120 or higher on the 24-25 Gr2 InView Scores
 - o Students who scored a 596 or higher on the 2025-2026 Spring Gr 3 ELA i-Ready EOY diagnostic
 - o Students who scored an Exceeds Expectations on the 2025-2026 Link It Benchmark ELA Form C

Students Entering Fifth Grade ELA Enrichment

- Two of the following criteria:
 - Students who scored a raw score of 125 or higher on the 23-24 InView CSI
 - Students who scored a 630 or higher on the 2025-2026 Spring Gr 4 ELA i-Ready EOY diagnostic
 - Students who scored an Exceeds Expectations on their Link It Benchmark ELA Form C

OR

- Three or more of the following criteria:
 - Students who scored a raw score of 120 or higher on the 23-24 InView CSI
 - Students who scored a 624 or higher on the 2025-2026 Spring Gr 4 ELA i-Ready EOY diagnostic
 - Students who scored an Exceeds Expectations on the 2025-2026 Link It Benchmark ELA Form C

Students Entering Sixth Grade ELA Enrichment

- Two of the following criteria:
 - Students who scored a raw score of 125 or higher on the 22-23 Gr 2 ELA InView Reading
 - Students who scored a 641 or higher on the 2025-2026 Spring Gr 5 ELA i-Ready EOY diagnostic
 - Students who scored “Exceeding” on the Grade 5 2025-2026 Link It Form C Benchmark for ELA

OR

- Three of the following criteria:
 - Students who scored a raw score of 120 or higher on the 22-23 Gr 2 ELA InView Reading
 - Students who scored a 636 or higher on the 2025-2026 Spring Gr 5 ELA i-Ready EOY diagnostic
 - Students who scored “Exceeding” on the Grade 5 2025-2026 Link It Form C Benchmark for ELA