

School Profile: Lapham Elementary School

Introduction

At Lapham, we are focused on supporting student learning through a belief of equity and excellence for all students. We are striving to accomplish this by using the Great Teaching Matters Framework that identifies:

- Setting high expectations for all students
- Acknowledging students through the use of affirming and clarifying language
- Developing a student's ability to take ownership of his/her learning
- Building meaningful relationships with students and families
- Monitoring student progress and providing feedback



Strengths

- Highly qualified staff who keep students at the center of our work
- Collaborative culture of learning and continuous improvement
- Schoolwide implementation of Social Emotional and Mindfulness supports that include Zones of Regulation and Breathe for Change
- Implementation of WIN (What I Need) to provide students with additional learning to accelerate growth
- Meaningful use of data to inform decision making and outcomes for student learning

Progress

During the 2015-16 school year, the Lapham Team made great progress in the continuation of meaningfully using data to inform instructional decisions, flexibly grouping students across classrooms during literacy instruction and implementation of Breathe for Change.

Areas for Growth

The Lapham Team will strengthen writing instruction through a focused use of I Can statements and collaborative conversation logs which support speaking and listening standards that provide scaffolds for opinion writing. In addition, mindfulness strategies will be consistently used across all learning environments to support social emotional learning and growth.

Vision Connection

Our school supports MMSD's vision that all students can acquire the skills and abilities needed to be successful including a mastery of content areas, growth mindset, self-knowledge, creativity, wellness, interpersonal skills, confidence, cultural competence and community connection. Through these skills and abilities, our students will graduate from MMSD college, career and community ready.

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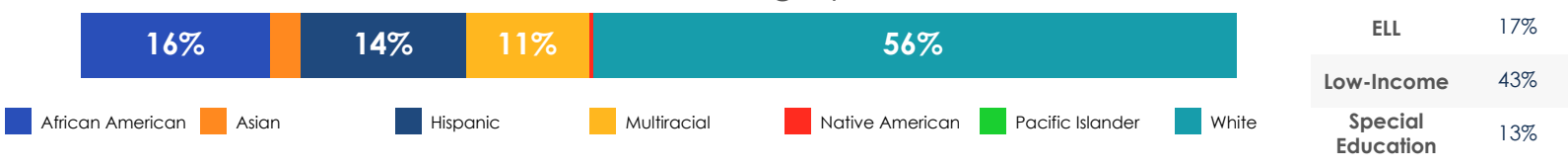
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2015-2016 Data Profile

Address	1045 E Dayton St
Principal	Tammy Thompson Kapp
Phone	(608)204-4140
4K	Yes
Title I	No

Developmental Bilingual Education	No
Dual Language Immersion	No
SAGE	No
Attendance Rate	92.3%
Total Enrollment	270

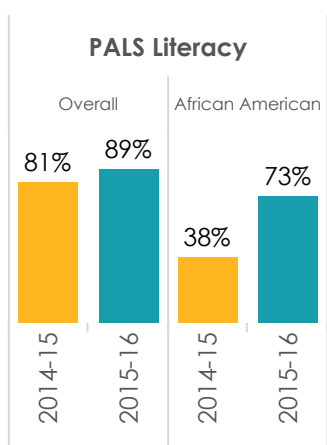
Demographics



ELL	17%
Low-Income	43%
Special Education	13%

Strategic Framework Goal #1 Milestones: On-Track to Graduate

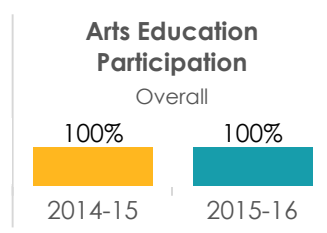
Each bar shows the percent of students meeting the relevant metric overall and for the focus groups the school selected on their School Improvement Plan (SIP, when applicable).



PALS includes English and Espanol in Grades 1-2 and is new for 2014-15.

Strategic Framework Goal #2 Milestones: Challenging and Well-Rounded Education

The table below shows the percent of students meeting the relevant metric.



Participation rates are based on transcribed courses.

Strategic Framework Goal #3 Milestones: Positive Climate

The table below shows the percent of responses within each dimension and group that were positive.

