Connecticut State Department of Education

SCHOOL PROFILE AND PERFORMANCE REPORT FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2013–14



Roger Ludlowe Middle School Fairfield School District

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School Information

Grade Range 6-8
Enrollment 860

Community Information

<u>CERC Town Profiles</u> provide summary demographic and economic information for Connecticut's municipalities

Related Reports/Publications

CT Reports (CMT/CAPT)

District and School Performance Reports

Special Education Annual Performance Reports

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Notes

Unless otherwise noted, all data are for 2013-14 and include all grades offered by the school.

In most tables, data are displayed only for the three major race/ethnicity categories. For additional race/ethnicity categories, please visit EdSight.

For district totals, please see the district profile.

* When an asterisk is displayed, data have been suppressed to ensure student confidentiality.

N/A is displayed when a category is not applicable for a district or school.

Students

October 1, 2013 Enrollment					
		School	District		
	Count	Percent of Total (%)	Percent of Total (%)		
Female	423	49.2	49.0		
Male	437	50.8	51.0		
American Indian	*	*	*		
Asian	37	4.3	5.6		
Black or African American	*	*	2.4		
Hispanic or Latino	46	5.3	8.7		
Pacific Islander	0	0.0	*		
White	744	86.5	80.4		
Two or More Races	18	2.1	2.8		
English Language Learners	*	*	2.1		
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	45	5.2	9.1		
Students with Disabilities ¹	105	12.2	11.0		

¹Students in this category are students with Individualized Education Programs (IEPs) only. This category does not include students with Section 504 Plans.

Chronic Absenteeism and Suspension/Expulsion

	Chronic		Suspe	nsion/
	Absenteeism ²		Expu	lsion ³
	Count	Rate (%)	Count	Rate (%)
Female	18	4.3	*	*
Male	28	6.4	*	*
Black or African American	*	*	*	*
Hispanic or Latino	*	*	*	*
White	40	5.4	26	3.4
English Language Learners	0	*	0	*
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	6	16.2	*	*
Students with Disabilities	6	6.1	8	7.5
School	46	5.4	34	3.9
District		3.6		2.0

Number of students in 2012-13 qualified as truant under state statute: 1

²A student is chronically absent if he/she misses ten percent or greater of the total number of days enrolled in the school year for any reason. Pre-Kindergarten students are excluded from this calculation.

³The count and percentage of students who receive at least one in-school suspension, out-of-school suspension or expulsion.

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Educators

Full-Time Equivalent (FTE)1 Staff

	FTE
General Education	
Teachers and Instructors	63.6
Paraprofessional Instructional Assistants	1.0
Special Education	
Teachers and Instructors	9.0
Paraprofessional Instructional Assistants	10.0
Administrators, Coordinators and Department Chairs	
School Level	3.5
Library/Media	
Specialists (Certified)	1.2
Support Staff	1.0
Instructional Specialists Who Support Teachers	3.7
Counselors, Social Workers and School Psychologists	6.0
School Nurses	1.6
Other Staff Providing Non-Instructional Services/Support	18.7

In the full-time equivalent count, staff members working part-time in the school are counted as a fraction of full-time. For example, a teacher who works half-time in a school contributes 0.50 to the school's staff count.

Educators by Race/Ethnicity

		School	District
	Count	Percent of Total (%)	Percent of Total (%)
Asian	0	0.0	0.7
Black or African American	0	0.0	0.5
Hispanic	3	3.1	1.9
Native American	0	0.0	0.0
White	94	96.9	97.0

Classes Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers²

	Percent of Total (%)				
School	100.0				
School Poverty Quartile: Low					
State High Poverty Quartile Schools	97.8				
State Low Poverty Quartile Schools	99.5				

²Core academic classes taught by teachers who are fully certified to teach in that subject area.

Classroom Teacher Attendance, 2012-13

	School	District
Average # of FTE Days Absent Due to	10.5	9.6
Illness or Personal Time		

Instruction and Resources

School Schedule

Days of Instruction	182	School Hours for Students	
Hours of Instruction Per Year		Start Time	08:10 AM
Grades 1-12 and Full-Day Kindergarten	1025	End Time	02:50 PM
Half/Extended Day Kindergarten	N/A		

Students with Disabilities Who Spend 79.1 to 100 Percent of Time with Nondisabled Peers 4

	Count	Rate (%)
Autism	10	*
Emotional Disturbance	*	*
Intellectual Disability	0	0.0
Learning Disability	50	98.0
Other Health Impairment	19	*
Other Disabilities	*	*
Speech/Language Impairment	13	*
School	95	90.4
District		81.1

³Ages 6-21

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Performance

School Performance Index (SPI)

A School Performance Index (SPI) for the Connecticut Mastery Test (CMT) and the Connecticut Academic Performance Test (CAPT) is the test performance of all subjects tested in the respective assessment for all students in the district. The SPI ranges in value from 0 to 100 points. Connecticut's ultimate target for a SPI is 88 because in a district with a SPI of 88 or above, students will have performed at or above the "goal" level on the majority of tests. Detailed reports of CMT and CAPT assessment results are available at www.ctreports.com. School and District Performance Reports produced by the Connecticut State Department of Education (CSDE) are also available online.

CMT	SPI			2013-14			Note: If no		
	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	Count	SPI	Target	Achieved	data are displayed for
Black or African American	82.5	69.3	76.9	72.7					2013-14, the
Hispanic or Latino	80.1	86.0	81.3	80.2					district
English Language Learners	70.4	71.4		•					implemented the Smarter
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	81.1	78.9	77.5	73.4					Balanced Field
Students with Disabilities	64.7	69.6	65.8	67.0					Test.
High Needs	75.6	76.5	74.1	72.0					_
School	91.5	91.0	91.4	91.2					

2013 National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP): Percent At or Above Proficient¹

READING	Grade 4	Grade 8	Grade 12
Connecticut	43%	45%	50%
National Public	34% 34%		36%
MATH	Grade 4	Grade 8	Grade 12
Connecticut	45%	37%	32%
National Public	41%	34%	25%

¹NAEP is often called the "Nation's Report Card." It is sponsored by the U.S. Department of Education. This table compares Connecticut's performance to that of national public school students. Performance standards for state assessments and NAEP are set independently. Therefore, one should not expect performance results to be the same across CMT/CAPT and NAEP. Instead, NAEP results are meant to complement CMT/CAPT results.

Physical Fitness Tests: Students Reaching Health Standard²

	Percent of Students by Grade ³ (%)				All Teste	d Grades
	4	6	8	10	Count	Rate (%)
Sit & Reach		85.7	80.5		552	83.0
Curl Up		88.8	85.3		552	87.0
Push Up		80.3	80.5		552	80.4
Mile Run/PACER		93.8	92.8		552	93.3
All Tests - School	•	65.3	66.6		552	65.9
All Tests - District	73.3	72.8	69.1	57.3		68.5

²The Connecticut Physical Fitness Assessment (CPFA) is administered to all students in Grades 4, 6, 8 and 10. The health-related fitness scores gathered through the CPFA should be used to educate and motivate children and their families to increase physical activity and develop lifetime fitness habits.

³Only students assessed in all four areas are included in this calculation.