Furley Elementary School

School No. 206

School Profile - Fall 2019

Welcome

School profiles present a summary of up to three years of public schoolwide data on each school in the district. They include information on principal and teacher tenure, official enrollment, student demographics, attendance, suspensions, and the parent survey. This profile also reports results from the Kindergarten Readiness Assessment (KRA) and MCAP (Maryland Comprehensive Assessment Program, formerly PARCC) assessments for Grades 3 through 5. For more information, visit baltimorecityschools.org/data

BALTIMORE CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

School Information

Phone **Management Type** 410-396-9094 Traditional **Grades Served** Address

5001 Sinclair Lane

Baltimore, MD 21206

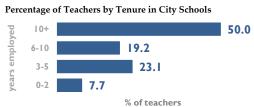
Principal

Greta Cephas

Teachers

Official figures are based on full-time teachers as of 10/15/2018.

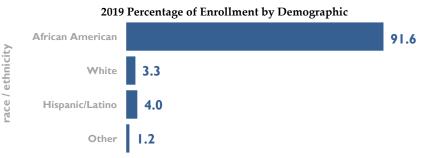
Total No. of **Teachers** 26



Pre-k to 5

Enrollment & Demographics





2019 Percentage of Enrollment by Student Group



Key: EL = English Learners - i.e., students whose primary or home language is not English and have been assessed as having limited English proficiency; SWD = Students with Disabilities i.e., those who have current Individualized Education Programs.

2019 City Schools' Poverty Rate

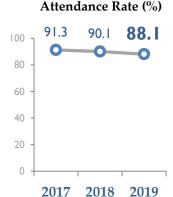
Poverty rates are not reported in this school profile. In the 2015-16 school year, City Schools became a Community Eligibility Provision district, allowing all students to eat breakfast and lunch for free at school. Families no longer needed to fill out the free or reduced-price meals form, which measured poverty. The district now uses a different measure for poverty called direct certification. Direct certification includes students who are homeless, in foster care, or participating in programs for low-income families (e.g., SNAP, TANF), but excludes Medicaid (which prior school profiles included). The challenge is that some low-income families may not be eligible to participate in programs due to immigration status. Funding decisions are often based on a school district's poverty rate. Because City Schools' rate is likely undercounted, we are looking into other measures in addition to the current one.

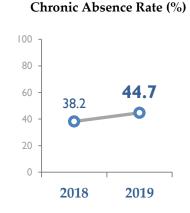
Attendance

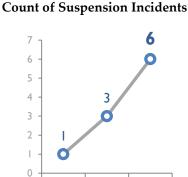
In the 2017-18 school year, as part of Maryland's Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) Accountability Plan, chronic absence calculations were updated to measure the percent of students absent 10% or more of days enrolled (attendance rate ≤90%), among students enrolled for at least 10 days. Because of this new method, only 2017-18 and 2018-19 data are displayed. Data are for the school year ending in the calendar year indicated (i.e., "2019" indicates the 2018-19 school year).

Suspensions

The number of suspensions in a school year includes all suspension incidents and expulsions.







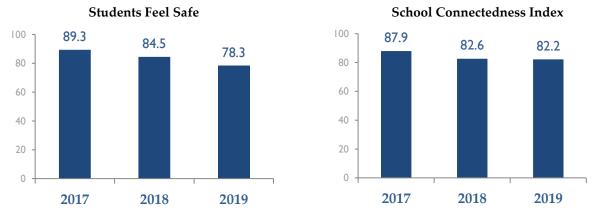
2017

2018

2016

Parent Survey

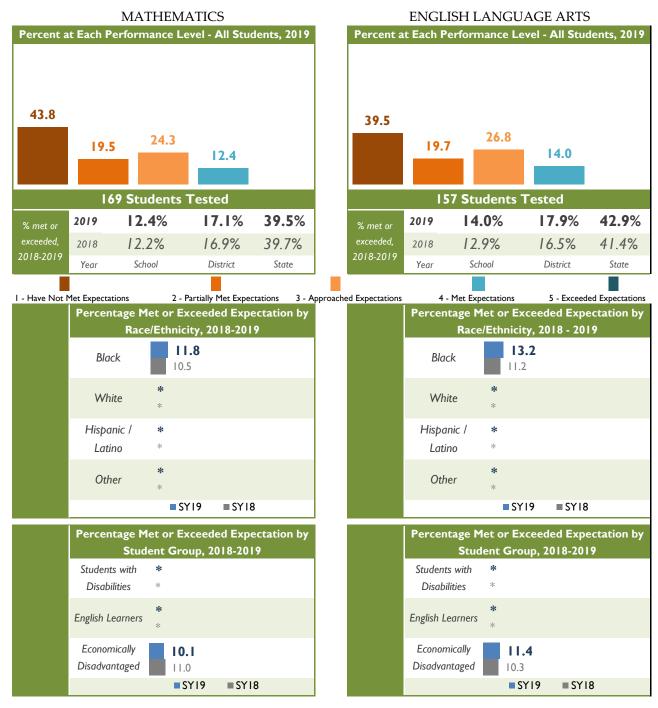
The annual parent survey is given to all City Schools parents about the climate at their children's schools. Students Feel Safe measures the degree to which parents feel that their child is safe, and students fighting and bringing weapons to school is NOT a problem. The School Connectedness Index measures the extent to which parents feel welcome, staff and parents work closely to meet students' needs, and school administrators are responsive to parent concerns. Data are for the school year ending in the calendar year indicated (i.e., "2019" indicates the 2018-19 school year). For detailed information, visit the City Schools website. (NOTE: In Spring 2019, the Maryland State Department of Education administered schoolwide student and staff surveys. When results are available, instructions for viewing them will be posted on the City Schools website.)



NOTE: To maintain confidentiality, results are suppressed if there were fewer than 10 respondents OR there were fewer than 50 respondents and the count of respondents is lower than 10% of student enrollment.

MCAP Results - Grades 3-5

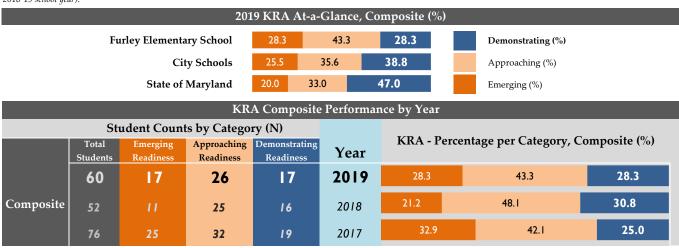
The MCAP (Maryland Comprehensive Assessment Program, formerly the PARCC assessment), aligned to Maryland's College and Career-Ready Standards, is administered in both Math and ELA in Grades 3-8 and for students in Algebra I and English 10. Results are color coded and categorized by the percentage of students achieving each performance level. The 2018-19 school year was the final year that state assessments utilized materials developed by the Partnership for Assessment of Reading for College & Career. Beginning with the 2019-20 school year, students will be assessed under the MCAP, which uses new items developed by Maryland educators. "% met or exceeded" indicates the total percentage of students achieving performance levels 4 or 5 on the PARCC exam (those performance levels, respectively, signify that students have met or exceeded expectations for grade level learning). The percentages of students in each performance level may not add up to 100 due to rounding; the percentages of students in levels 4 and 5 may not add up to the total "% met or exceeded" due to rounding or suppression.



NOTE: To maintain confidentiality, (*) indicates suppressed data with fewer than 10 students. Economically disadvantaged (ED) indicates students identified as enrolled in a direct certification program. Starting in SY 2015-16 ED is the new terminology used to refer to students historically identified as low-income or FARMs students under the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). "n/a" indicates the test is not given at this school.

Kindergarten Readiness Assessment (KRA) Results

Maryland's Kindergarten Readiness Assessment (KRA) is administered to incoming kindergarteners each fall. The KRA uses age-appropriate performance tasks and observations to measure specific skills and determine what each entering kindergartener knows and is able to do in four specific domains: Language & Literacy, Mathematics, Physical Well-Being & Motor Development, and Social Foundations. These domains have the greatest impact on overall kindergarten readiness. Students receive a scaled score in each of the domains, as well as a Composite score aggregating the four domains. Students receive one of three readiness measures for their Composite score, which are (from highest to lowest) Demonstrating Readiness, Approaching Readiness, and Emerging Readiness. Also, in the 2018-19 school year, there was a change in the scoring methodology by MSDE. Details on the KRA assessment and changes to the test can be found at https://pd.kready.org/r4kmaryland. Data are for the school year ending in the calendar year indicated (i.e., "2019" indicates the 2018-19 school year).



KRA Average Scale Scores by Domain						
Year	2019		2018		2017	
Domain	This School	City Schools	This School	City Schools	This School	City Schools
Composite	264	266	265	267	261	266
Language and Literacy	263	266	261	267	258	266
Mathematics	257	264	258	264	256	263
Physical Well-Being and Motor Development	277	274	277	272	267	271
Social Foundations	275	271	283	274	274	273

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