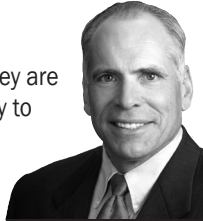


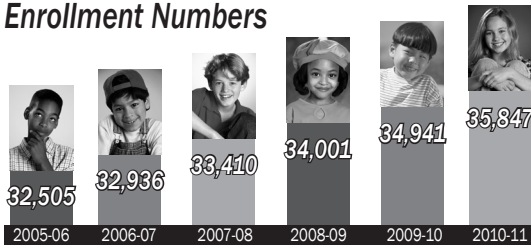
Lincoln Public Schools is a premier school district that provides excellence in education for all our students, evidenced in a tradition of rigorous academic standards and achievement. Educators at LPS are committed, motivated and incredibly dedicated to the young people of this community.

Our goal is to continue improving our schools, one student at a time, until they are all successful. We invite our community to stay connected and involved with our schools as we work together to ensure an exciting future for our children.



Dr. Steve Joel
Superintendent of Schools

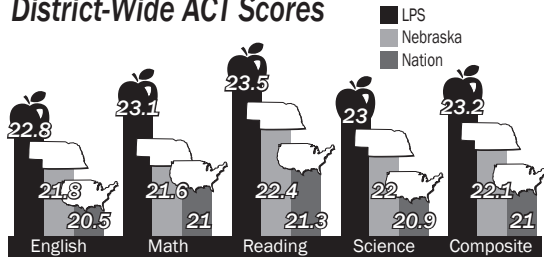
Enrollment Numbers



In the past five years enrollment at Lincoln Public Schools has increased more than **10** percent.

- About **43** percent of our students qualified for free or reduced lunch.
- About **30** percent of our students came from ethnically diverse cultures.
- LPS students came from more than **50** different countries.

District-Wide ACT Scores



The ACT test assesses a high school student's general educational development and is designed to measure the skills needed for success in the first year of college coursework.

The district-wide **23.2** composite score for LPS is only **.1** lower than our all-time high of **23.3**. The LPS score is a full point higher than the state, and two full points higher than the nation.

How Can You Help?

Be an advocate by:

- Volunteering in the schools by reading to kids, tutoring, or sharing your skills.
- Attending school activities and asking how you can help.
- Supporting specific LPS projects by donating to Fund-A-Need at foundationforlps.org
- Participating in business-school partnerships.



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Hartley Elementary

Student performance requires a community-driven comprehensive system of supports

MISSION STATEMENT

"We, the Hartley School Community, believe that together we can empower our students to achieve success and become contributing members of society. We will provide a climate that values diversity, individual differences, high standards for academic achievement and social responsibility."

Students

- 341 Students, grades K-5
- Average student class size: 19
- 67% Minority Students
- 2% Gifted
- 17% Special Education
- 27% Mobility rate
- 84% Eligible for free/reduced meals
- 95% Average daily attendance rate
- 21% English Language Learners

Staff

- 35 Teachers certified in their subject areas

- 56 total staff
- 11 Average years of teaching
- Specialists in library media, music, computer, art, and P.E.
- Literacy Support Staff
- School Social Worker

Technology

- 1 computer lab with 30 student computers
- 100% classrooms with computer(s)
- Portable computer lab
- All classrooms have LCD projector
- Clicker system assessment tool
- Document cameras in all classrooms

Special Programs

- Child Guidance
- Character Counts
- E.L.L.
- B.I.S.T.
- Junior Achievement
- Reading Recovery
- Soar to Success
- Quick Reads
- Reading, Writing and Math Intervention
- TeamMates
- America Reads Program
- Family Literacy Program
- BackPack Program

Extracurricular Clubs

- Math/Reading/Writing/Science
- Swing Choir
- Sports/Running Club

- Homework Club
- Girl Scouts
- Leadership Clubs
- Dance Clubs
- Fitness/Nutrition
- Girls on the Run
- Book Club
- Cooking Club

Community Learning Center

- Community Learning Center
- Cedars Youth Services
- PTA
- Academic and Enrichment Classes
- Before & After School Care

School Day

- 9:00 a.m.-3:38 p.m.
- Breakfast Program 8:30 a.m.-9:00 a.m.
- Office 7:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

VIP Partners

- Food Bank
- Maxey PTO
- HOME Real Estate
- Delta Gamma Sorority
- Junior Achievement of Lincoln
- McDonalds

What's unique about Hartley?

- Built in 1922
- Annual Nature Night
- Focus on Multicultural Education and Student Achievement
- Monthly Character Assemblies
- Family Literacy Program