



Pyrtle Elementary School

2014-2015 Continuous School Improvement Abstract

Mission

To prepare independent learners for an ever-changing world.

2014-2015 Continuous School Improvement Goals

1. Math – To improve conceptual understanding of mathematical applications for all students across the curriculum.
2. Writing- To improve all students' ability to write focused ideas and content.

Nebraska Achievement Data

<http://reportcard.education.ne.gov/20122013/Default.aspx?AgencyID=55-0001-042&AgencyName=PYRTLE%20ELEMENTARY%20SCHOOL>

School Improvement Most Important Points

- Staff collaborates in grade level teams to focus on school improvement goals using the data team process during Professional Learning Community meetings.
- Staff set professional learning goals and participate in professional development to improve instructional skills.

Celebrations from 2013-2014 Goals

- Student NeSA math scores in grades 3, 4, and 5 exceed district and state averages in all categories (number sense, geometric/measurement, algebraic reasoning, and data analysis/probability).
- Student NeSA reading scores in grades 3, 4, and 5 exceed district and state averages in all categories (vocabulary and comprehension).
- 94% of all 4th grade students met or exceeded standards on NeSA reading in the spring of 2014.

Student Demographics

Enrollment	% of student ethnic diversity	% of students who qualify for FRL	% of students SPED	% of students gifted
419	22%	29%	15%	7%