

This report meets state and federal reporting requirements for Elementary and Secondary Education ACT (ESEA). In July of 2012, Washington received a waiver from ESEA requirements. The waiver allowed the state to replace the Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) requirement that all students pass both the reading and math assessments by 2014 with Annual Measurable Objectives (AMO) that allow a greater focus on opportunity gaps. To meet AMO, subgroups of students (such as Black, Hispanic, Asian, special education, low-income) must have the difference between their 2011 scores and 100 percent cut in half by 2017. In Washington State, four measurements are used to meet ESEA requirements.

1. Performance of 3rd-8th graders on the Measurements of Student Progress (MSP), and 10th graders on the High School Proficiency Exam (HSPE) in reading and writing and the End-of-Course (EOC) exam in math;
2. The rate of unexcused absences for students in grades 1-8;
3. The graduation rate for high school students; and
4. A participation rate of 95%.

For information about the ESEA waiver and requirements go to: <http://www.k12.wa.us/ESEA/PublicNotice.aspx>.

School Improvement

Teachers and parents work together to make sure VSAA students are successful at school. They create a School Improvement Plan each year to identify and describe specific actions VSAA is taking to improve student achievement. Parents are encouraged to contact the school to see VSAA's School Improvement Plan.

Professional Learning Communities (PLCs) monitor and discuss students' progress throughout the year. VSAA also uses Student Learning Plans to gauge the progress of each student.

Our highly qualified staff

The ESEA law requires that all teachers who teach core academic subjects be highly qualified. Full certification, a bachelor's degree, and demonstrated competence in subject knowledge and teaching are required to be highly qualified. In 2012-13, 99 percent of Vancouver's teachers met or exceeded these standards, and they continue to improve their knowledge and skills with ongoing professional training.

For detailed information, go to www.vansd.org, pull down Schools, then select School Report Cards Data. Printed copies of school reports are available on request.

Annual measurable achievement progress

The Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) includes English Language Learners (ELL) in the state accountability system and requires states to set performance targets referred to as Annual Measurable Achievement Objectives (AMAOs) for districts:

- **AMAO 1** - the annual increase in the number or percentage of ELL students making progress in learning English, based on results of the Washington English Language Proficiency Assessment (WELPA).
- **AMAO 2** - the number or percentage of students attaining English proficiency by exiting the ELL program by scoring a Level 4 on the WELPA.
- **AMAO 3** - the number or percentage of students learning English who reach academic standards in reading and math based on performance on the Measurement of Student Progress (MSP) and the High School Proficiency Exam (HSPE).

To view your school's AMAO report go to: <http://reportcard.ospi.k12.wa.us/WLPTAmao.aspx>.

For Spanish, Russian or Chuukese translations call, Stephanie Ongtooguk at 360-771-5548, Katrina Walla, 360-771-5479 or Juanita Yasu, 360-771-5343

Si desea que le lean o aclaren este informe en español, favor de llamar a la intérprete, Sra. Stephanie Ongtooguk, al 360-771-5548. Gracias.

Если вы хотите, чтобы этот отчёт вам прочитали или пояснили по-русски, позвоните Екатерине Валла по телефону 360-771-5479.

Iká pwe ke mochen pwe sipwe aweweóchú masowan ei taropwe nón fóosun Chuuk, kose mochen kékkéri Juanita Yasu, 360-771-5343. Kinisou Chapwúr.

To access information about the National Assessment of Education Progress (NAEP) click the following link: <http://reportcard.ospi.k12.wa.us/naepCurrent.aspx?year=2008-09&cgradeLevelId=4&waslCategory=1&chartType=1>

Student characteristics

	VSAA	Vancouver School District
October 2012		
Total enrollment	584	22,879
Percent American Indian/ Alaskan Native	1%	1%
Percent Asian/ Pacific Islander	3%	6%
Percent Black	1%	3%
Percent Hispanic	9%	21%
Percent White	79%	64%
For the 2012-13 school year		
Low income	21%	53%
In Transitional Bilingual	<1%	11%
In Special Education	2%	13%

Expenditure by pupil

In 2012-13, the actual per pupil expenditure rate for instruction was \$7,592.

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Measurement (Percent) of Student Progress (MSP) 2012 - 2013

Group*	6TH GRADE		7TH GRADE			8TH GRADE										
	Reading		Math		Reading		Math		Writing		Reading		Math		Science	
	2012	2013	2012	2013	2011	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013
All Students	95	93	89	84	93	93	87	93	95	91	88	90	77	81	88	86
Male	93	84	83	84	94	82	84	93	94	74	90	87	77	77	93	90
Female	95	95	92	94	92	98	89	93	95	98	87	91	77	83	85	85
Native American	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian/Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Black	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	100	*	90	*	*	*	*	*	*	91	*	73	*	73	*
White	80	93	61	87	69	92	74	87	87	97	73	91	75	80	70	91
Limited English	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Special Educ.	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Low Income	94	90	75	85	91	82	86	88	86	88	75	75	61	65	67	80

* Subgroups with fewer than 10 members are not reported.

For comparison purposes, percentages of 7th-graders (All Students) in Washington who met the standards are as follows: 2012 Reading: 66%; 2013 Reading: 61%; 2012 Math: 51%; 2013 Math: 57%.

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Student Performance for End-of-Course (EOC) Math & Biology 2012 - 2013

High School Proficiency Exam (HSPE) Reading, Writing 2012 - 2013

10TH GRADE

Group*	Reading		Writing		Math - EOC				Biology - EOC	
	2012	2013	2012	2013	Math1 2012	Math 1 2013	Math 2 2012	Math 2 /2013	2012	2013
All Students	97	99	100	100	68	*	92	91	97	*
Male	95	96	100	100	96	*	*	*	95	*
Female	98	100	100	100	64	*	93	92	98	*
Native American	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian/Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Black	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
White	98	98	100	100	*	*	95	90	84	*
Limited English	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Special Educ.	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Low Income	95	100	100	100	*	*	*	*	*	90

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For comparison purposes, percentages of 10th-graders (All Students) in Washington who met the standards are as follows: 2012 Reading: 81% 2013 Reading: 81%; 2012 EOC Math 1: 53%; 2013 EOC Math 1: 55%; 2012 EOC Math 2: 68%; 2013 EOC Math 2: 71%.