

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents and Community Members,

Mills' students continued to make some amazing growth during the 2015-2016 school year. One of the most important successes was the dramatic increase in the "Regular Attenders." This increase is a huge credit to our families who are making sure our students are regularly attending school. This is the second year in a row we have seen this growth.

Other Mills' highlights from the past year include:

- Over half our students passed the OAKS Science test. This is the second year in a row where over 50% of our students passed.
- The math achievement gap between Mills and the state of Oregon has consistently decreased over the past four years.
- The reading achievement gap between Mills and the state of Oregon decreased last year for the first time in several years.

All Mills staff members continue to be excited about this tremendous growth and we hope you are too. We fully expect to continue this growth for your child and all Mills' students in the upcoming school year.

This year we are excited to announce Mills is a STEM aligned school. Mills is using a new hands-on science curriculum that will incorporate technology, engineering, and math into our weekly instruction. We are also excited to use a new reading curriculum which more closely aligns to our state tests.

Please do not hesitate to call if you have any questions about this report card or about the quality of education your child is receiving.

Thank you,

Principal | Fred Bartels

SCHOOL PROFILE

ENROLLMENT 2015-16	427
K-3	290
4-5	137
6-8	--

MEDIAN CLASS SIZE	School	Oregon
Self-Contained	24.0	25.0
Departmentalized	--	--

IMMUNIZATION RATES

Percent of students with all required vaccines: 99 (Visit www.healthoregon.org/immdata for more information.)

Percent of students without all required vaccines: 1

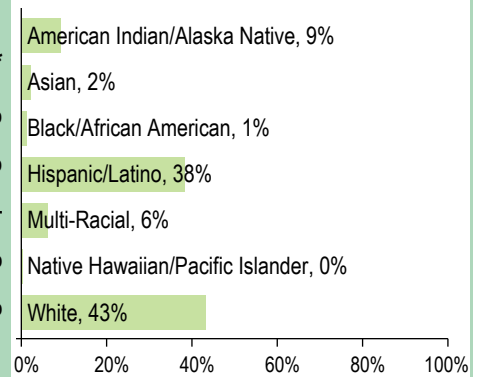
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*** indicates that this school offered lunch at no charge to all students.

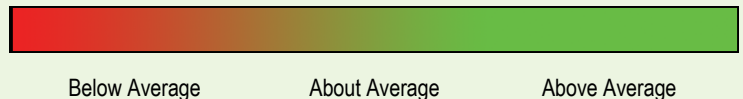
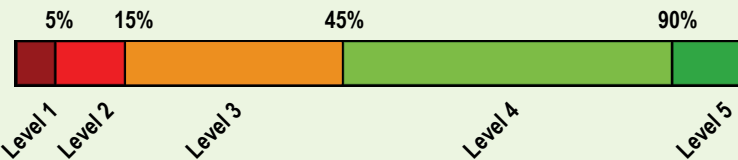
STUDENTS

SELECTED DEMOGRAPHICS	
Economically Disadvantaged	***
Students with Disabilities	18%
Ever English Learner	20%
Different Languages Spoken	4
Regular Attenders	81.7%
Mobile Students	28.0%



OVERALL SCHOOL RATING

Given the recent passage of the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) and the expiration of Oregon's ESEA flexibility waiver on August 1, 2016, the State of Oregon will not assign ratings (i.e., overall and comparison school ratings) to schools for the 2015-16 school year.



PROGRESS ARE STUDENTS MAKING ADEQUATE GAINS OVER TIME?

SCHOOL PERFORMANCE

Performance of students enrolled in the school for a full academic year

Did at least 95% of the students at this school take required assessments? Yes No, Interpret Results with Caution
Participation rate criteria are in place to ensure schools test all eligible students.

The Smarter Balanced and alternate assessments have four performance levels where levels 3 and 4 are meeting the standard for school and district accountability.

See report cards from previous years to view historical OAKS performance data.

	School Performance (%)			School Performance (%)	Oregon Performance (%)	Like-School Average (%)
	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2015-16	2015-16
English Language Arts (Administered statewide in grades: 3-8, 11)				Level 1	Level 2	Levels 3 & 4
All students in tested grades	2014-15 was the first operational year of the new English language arts assessment.			22.7 25.9 51.4	26.3 25.8 47.9	52.4 21.3 26.3 45.5 24.3 30.2
Mathematics (Administered statewide in grades: 3-8, 11)				Level 1	Level 2	Levels 3 & 4
All students in tested grades	2014-15 was the first operational year of the new mathematics assessment.			25.4 36.2 38.4	25.8 33.7 40.5	44.9 28.5 26.6 38.3 29.0 32.6
Science (OAKS) (Administered statewide in Grades: 5, 8, 11)				Did not meet	Met	Exceeded
All students in tested grades	38.2	32.8	54.4	50.9	66.5	58.0
	7.3 30.9 61.8	1.6 31.1 67.2	1.8 52.6 45.6	1.9 49.1 49.1	15.7 50.8 33.5	10.5 47.5 42.0

Visit www.ode.state.or.us/go/data for additional assessment results.

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OUTCOMES FOR KEY STUDENT GROUPS AT THIS SCHOOL COMPARED TO THE SAME GROUPS STATEWIDE

STUDENT GROUP OUTCOMES

	School Performance (%)	Oregon Performance (%)	Like-School Average (%)	School Performance (%)	Oregon Performance (%)	Like-School Average (%)	School Performance (%)	Oregon Performance (%)	Like-School Average (%)		
Economically Disadvantaged				American Indian/Alaska Native			Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander				
Eng. Lang. Arts	26.3	40.7	43.9	Eng. Lang. Arts	13.0	35.5	34.0	Eng. Lang. Arts	*	40.4	42.1
Mathematics	25.8	32.9	36.3	Mathematics	<5	28.7	36.0	Mathematics	*	29.4	28.9
Science	50.9	56.1	56.9	Science	37.5	51.7	57.1	Science	*	46.5	28.6
English Learners				Asian			White				
Eng. Lang. Arts	20.0	29.1	32.6	Eng. Lang. Arts	*	69.9	68.5	Eng. Lang. Arts	25.3	59.2	50.8
Mathematics	17.8	23.6	26.4	Mathematics	*	68.0	61.8	Mathematics	25.3	51.7	44.3
Science	50.0	38.7	41.0	Science	*	75.6	62.7	Science	43.5	75.4	65.3
Students with Disabilities				Black/African American			Female				
Eng. Lang. Arts	10.5	25.0	17.3	Eng. Lang. Arts	*	31.5	32.4	Eng. Lang. Arts	30.1	57.3	50.9
Mathematics	15.8	22.1	17.6	Mathematics	*	21.6	14.4	Mathematics	24.1	43.8	37.6
Science	25.0	38.4	24.9	Science	*	41.5	29.3	Science	41.7	64.6	56.1
Migrant				Hispanic/Latino			Male				
Eng. Lang. Arts	22.9	24.6	30.6	Eng. Lang. Arts	27.7	34.1	35.0	Eng. Lang. Arts	23.4	47.6	40.2
Mathematics	22.9	20.4	25.1	Mathematics	27.7	26.5	27.9	Mathematics	27.1	46.0	39.0
Science	50.0	36.1	60.0	Science	53.3	44.9	47.6	Science	58.6	68.3	59.9
Talented and Gifted				Multi-Racial							
Eng. Lang. Arts	*	95.4	92.8	Eng. Lang. Arts	36.4	57.1	48.7	*, <5, and >95 are displayed when the data must be suppressed to protect student confidentiality.			
Mathematics	*	95.1	93.1	Mathematics	36.4	48.3	39.9				
Science	*	97.7	>95	Science	*	70.0	62.9				

CURRICULUM & LEARNING ENVIRONMENT WHAT IS THIS SCHOOL DOING TO IMPROVE STUDENT LEARNING AND TO PREPARE STUDENTS FOR THE FUTURE?

SCHOOL READINESS

- All students receive a free breakfast and lunch every day.
- Full-day Kindergarten available for all Kindergarten students.
- Character education program offered to all students.
- Counseling services available for students as needed.
- Onsite Preschool program available, off-site preschool program available free of charge for Mills students.

ACADEMIC SUPPORT

- 90 Minutes of Reading instruction every day.
 - 30 Minutes of writing instruction every day.
 - 75 Minutes of Math instruction every day.
 - 30 to 40 Minutes daily of additional instruction in Math and Reading for all students who need additional support.
 - 30 Minutes of additional support for English Learners every day.
 - After School Program available to all students.
 - Specially trained staff to support the needs of English Language Learners.
- Ongoing Professional Development:
- All teachers receive ongoing high-quality Professional Development throughout the year to ensure they provide the best possible education for your child.

ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT

- Science-Technology-Engineering-Math:
- Hands-on STEM aligned Project Lead the Way science curriculum (all grades).
 - Standards-aligned hands-on math curriculum (all grades).
 - iPads on a 1:6 basis for all K-2nd Grade Students.
 - Access to iPads on a one-on-one basis for all 3rd-5th grade students.
 - STARBASE Science Instruction for all fifth Grade students.
 - Outdoor Science School for fifth Grade students.
 - Computer Literacy/Typing Instruction for all students.
- Physical Education:
- Twice-weekly SPARK PE physical education class for all students.
 - Swimming instruction for all 2nd and 3rd grade students.
- The Arts:
- Twice-weekly drama instruction for all students.
 - Twice-weekly music instruction for all students.
 - Three-times weekly band/orchestra instruction for 5th grade students.
- Reading/Language Arts:
- Instruction for all students is designed for the unique needs of each student.
 - Standards-aligned Language Arts curriculum for all students.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES/ AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS

- Mills hosts an After School Program which provides:
- Enrichment in the arts
 - Homework support
 - Additional instruction in Reading and Math
 - Extra-curricular sports program including: Volleyball, Softball, Basketball, Track and Field, and Soccer
- Mills hosts a Migrant Call-Back which provides:
- Additional homework support for Migrant students
 - Additional instruction in math from highly-qualified staff
 - Additional instruction in reading from highly-qualified staff
 - A free supper-program is available for students in both After School Programs.

Data and information in the Curriculum and Learning Environment section were provided by local schools and districts, and were not verified by the Oregon Department of Education.

FEDERAL TITLE I DESIGNATION

Tier 1 Tier 2 Tier 3

Tier 2 Schools are formerly identified Priority, Priority S.I.G., Focus, or Other Title I Schools based on Oregon's rating formula and ESEA Flexibility Waiver. **These schools have demonstrated moderate improvement since identification and are currently receiving adaptive supports and monitoring from ODE.**

For more information, please visit <http://www.ode.state.or.us/search/page/?id=3742>