# How to Read the 2005-2006 District Report Cards

Sample SD 1234 Main St Sample Town, OR 97654-3210

#### ACCOUNTABILITY INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE FEDERAL NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ACT

The information below is used to determine the Adequate Yearly Progress designation for your district. A district is designated as *Not Meeting AYP* if any indicator is determined to be *Not Met*. The Student Achievement and Student Participation ratings are based on 2004-2005 and 2005-2006 Oregon Statewide Assessments for the students in your district identified as enrolled for a full academic year. The statewide goal for the minimum percentage of students expected to meet or exceed standards is 50% in Englisht/Language Arts and 49% in Mathematics. Student Participation is expected to be 95% or greater. The statewide goal for the minimum graduation rate is 68.1%. The statewide goal for the minimum attendance rate is 92.0%. For more information, please view documents at www.ode.state.or.us/data/reportsate/reports.aspx

| STUDENT GROUP  | STUDENT AC            | CHIEVEMENT  | STUDENT PA            |             |            |  |  |
|--|-----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|------------|--|--|
| Race/Ethnicity   | ENGLISH/LANGUAGE ARTS | MATHEMATICS | ENGLISH/LANGUAGE ARTS | MATHEMATICS | GRADUATION |  |  |
| White  | MET                   | MET         | MET                   | MET         | MET        |  |  |
| African American/Black                                   | NA                    | NA          | NA                    | NA          | NA         |  |  |
| Hispanic   | NOT MET               | NOT MET     | MET                   | MET         | MET        |  |  |
| Asian/Pacific Islander                                   | NA                    | NA          | NA                    | NA          | NA         |  |  |
| Am. Indian/Alaskan Native                                | NA                    | NA          | NA                    | NA          | NA         |  |  |
| Multi-Racial/Multi-Ethnic                                | NA                    | NA          | NA                    | NA          |            |  |  |
| Special Education  | NOT MET               | NOT MET     | MET                   | MET         | MET        |  |  |
| Limited English Proficient                               | NOT MET               | NOT MET     | MET                   | MET         | MET        |  |  |
| Economically Disadvantaged                               | NOT MET               | NOT MET     | MET                   | MET         | MET        |  |  |
| All Students   | MET                   | MET         | MET                   | MET         | MET        |  |  |
| NA Ton few test scores or students to determine a rating |                       |             |                       |             |            |  |  |

Department of Education Notes

### 1 Student Achievement

To meet each student achievement requirement, the student group must meet the statewide academic target, or reduce the percentage of tests not meeting standards by 10%, and meet the state target for graduation.

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#### Graduation

If graduation rates for 2004-2005 or 2003-2004 and 2004-2005 combined is greater than or equal to the graduation target of 68.1%, the graduation rating is *Met*.

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For the school or district to meet AYP, student groups other than All Students are required to meet the graduation target only when the group does not meet the statewide academic target. The All Students group must meet the graduation target.

#### The graduation rate is:

Number of students leaving school with a standard diploma
(Number of students leaving school with a standard diploma + Number of students dropping out)

A standard diploma requires at least 22 credits.

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# Federal Adequate Yearly Progress Rating

The No Child Left Behind Act requires the annual determination of whether schools, districts, and the state have made adequate yearly progress (AYP) toward the goal of having all students meet rigorous state academic standards by the 2013-2014 school year. Each year, the performance of all students in the school and district, as well as subgroups of students, is measured against annual performance targets.

If all groups meet the targets in English/Language Arts and Mathematics, and the district meets the target for attendance or graduation, the district is designated as *Meeting AYP*. If any target is not met, then the district is designated as *Did Not Meet AYP*.

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A school or district that does not meet AYP should not be labeled as failing. The description of not meeting AYP signals that the school or district as a whole, or one or more subgroups of students, is not "on track" for meeting the national goals for student achievement by the target year of 2014. The school or district as a whole may have strong academic performance, but the designation may be based on a single factor or a single subgroup.

## 2 School Ratings

Schools are rated in four categories.

The **Student Performance Rating** is based on results of the Oregon Statewide Assessments during the school years 2004-2005 and 2005-2006.

The **Student Behavior Rating** is based on attendance and dropout rates for the two most recent school years.

The *Improvement Rating* is based on change in assessment results and attendance and dropout rates during the last four school years.

The **School Characteristics Rating** is based on the percentage of students that participated in the 2005-2006 Oregon Statewide Assessments in Reading/Literature, Math Knowledge and Skills, and Writing.

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Dear Parents and Community Members,

October 13, 2006

The Oregon Department of Education is proud to issue the eighth annual school report card. As Oregon schools and districts continue to face many challenges, educators remain committed to providing the highest quality education for Oregon students. This year you will find a federal rating displayed on this report card. This district rating is required by the No Child Left Behind Act. The report card is not meant to tell you everything about your district, but it offers a starting point for discussions about where improvement mindt be needed and for celebrating successes in education for Oregon's children.

Federal Adequate Yearly Progress Rating: NOT MET

☐ MET
☐ See rating details on back page
☐ DID NOT MEET
☐ Identified for District Improvement

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Susan Castillo State Superintendent of Public Instruction

| SCHOOL RATINGS          |              |   |  |                       |                           |  |  |  |  |
|-------------------------|--------------|---|--|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| SCHOOLS                 | Overall      | Academic Achievement<br>Student Performance | Attendance/Dropout<br>Student Behavior | Improvement           | School<br>Characteristics |  |  |  |  |
| Apple School            | Satisfactory | Satisfactory                                | Strong                                 | Stayed About The Same | Exceptional               |  |  |  |  |
| Berry Middle School     | Strong       | Strong                                      | Strong                                 | Stayed About The Same | Exceptional               |  |  |  |  |
| Cherry High School      | Satisfactory | Satisfactory                                | Strong                                 | Stayed About The Same | Exceptional               |  |  |  |  |
| Date Elementary School  | Strong       | Strong                                      | Strong                                 | Stayed About The Same | Exceptional               |  |  |  |  |
| Fig Elementary School   | Strong       | Strong                                      | Strong                                 | Stayed About The Same | Exceptional               |  |  |  |  |
| Grape Elementary School | Strong       | Strong                                      | Strong                                 | Stayed About The Same | Exceptional               |  |  |  |  |
| Kiwi Elementary School  | Strong       | Strong                                      | Strong                                 | Stayed About The Same | Exceptional               |  |  |  |  |
| Lemon Elementary School | Strong       | Strong                                      | Strong                                 | Stayed About The Same | Exceptional               |  |  |  |  |
| Melon Middle School     | Strong       | Satisfactory                                | Strong                                 | Improved              | Exceptional               |  |  |  |  |
|                         |              |   |  |                       |                           |  |  |  |  |

| FEDERAL DESIGNATION FOR TITLE 1 SCHOOLS                     | DISTRICT |            | STATE   |            |
|---|----------|------------|---------|------------|
| REQUIRED BY THE FEDERAL NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ACT            | SCHOOLS  | PERCENTAGE | SCHOOLS | PERCENTAGE |
| Identified for School Improvement (SI1 or SI2)              | 0        | 0.0%       | 36      | 2.9%       |
| Identified for Corrective Action (CA) or Restructuring (R1) | 0        | 0.0%       | 11      | 0.9%       |
|   |          |            |         |            |

For more information, contact your local school or district.

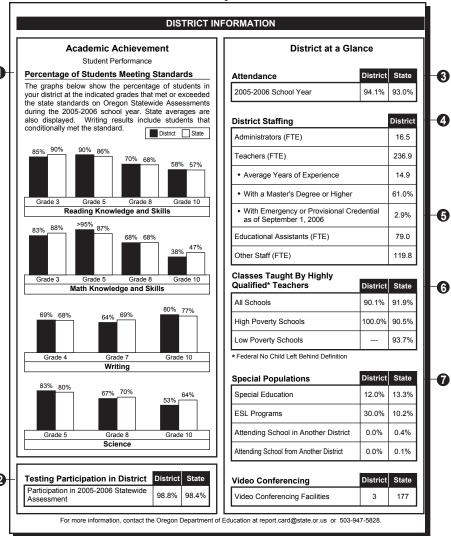
# Federal Designation for Title I Schools

Title I schools are schools with a high number of students from families in poverty. The school receives additional federal funds to address the educational needs of students in poverty. Title I schools designated as Not Meeting Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) in the same content area for two or three consecutive years are identified for School Improvement. Title I schools designated as Not Meeting Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) for four consecutive years are identified for Corrective Action.

# d Identified for District Improvement

A district is identified for improvement if it does not meet AYP in the same content area (i.e., English/Literature Arts, Mathematics, Other Indicator) for two years in a row.

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## Percentage of Students Meeting Standards

The graphs show the percentage of students in the district that met or exceeded the state standard on the 2004-2005 and 2005-2006 Oregon Statewide Assessments in Reading and Math Knowledge and Skills, Writing, and Science. The writing graph includes students who conditionally met state standards. Conditionally Met the Standards or almost met the standards refers to the expectation that students in this designation must show, through additional work samples in the classroom, that they are capable of producing quality work in the range of Met the Standards. Displays are also shown for the state.

## 2 Testing Participation

Testing Participation is based on the percentage of students participating in 2005-2006 Oregon Statewide Assessments in Reading and Math Knowledge and Skills, and Writing. The table shows the participation in statewide assessments for the district and the state. Students who were absent or refused to be tested are counted as not participating.

#### Attendance

This table displays the average daily attendance for the district. The state average is also shown. Attendance is factored into each schools Overall rating. Data are collected from each school on the annual ADM collection. ADM is an acronym for annual daily membership.

### 4 District Staffing

This table shows the number of administrators, teachers, instructional assistants, and other staff in the district. The number of teaching staff members with a masters degree or higher and the average number of years of teaching experience are shown. Data are collected from each school district on the Certificated Staff and the FTE of School Level Staff reports. FTE is an acronym for *full-time equivalent*.

# With Emergency or Provisional Credential as of September 1, 2006

Refers to a percentage of licenses held by teachers in the district. The emergency or provisional licenses are a category of all teaching licenses issued by the Teacher Standards and Practices Commission.

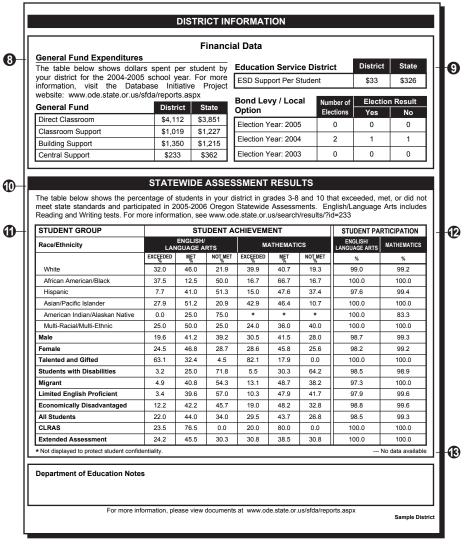
# G Classes Taught By Teachers Who Meet Federal Definition of Highly Qualified Teacher

This table displays the percentage of core content classes taught by teachers holding licenses that meet the definition approved under the No Child Left BehindAct. Core content classes include English, reading/language arts, mathematics, science, foreign languages, social studies, and the arts. In a self-contained classroom setting, teachers must also meet specific licensure qualifications. Schools are classified as high poverty and low poverty based on the numbers of students qualifying for free and reduced price meals.

## Special Populations

This table shows descriptive information about students in the district. The number of students enrolled in special education classes is shown. Data are collected from the Special Education Child Count report. The percentage of students enrolled in English as a Second Language programs is displayed. Data are collected from the annual ADM collection. Additionally, the number of students that live in the district but are attending school outside the district is displayed. The number of students that live outside the district but are attending school in the district is also shown. These data are collected from the annual ADM collection. State averages are also displayed.

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## **3** General Fund Expenditures

This table shows the dollars spent per student by your district during the 2004-2005 school year. The state averages are also displayed. Direct Classroom funding refers to the regular and special programs related directly to instruction. These expenditures include TAG, special education, Title I, and summer school. Classroom Support funding includes extracurricular expenditures and support services such as guidance, health, and speech. Other support services include the office of the principal, library media expenses, and staff development. Building Support refers to the expenditures for maintenance of the building. Central Support refers to the expenditures for maintenance of the building. Central Support refers to the expenditures of the school district central office. Data are collected from each school district as part of the Database Initiative Project and can be accessed on the Oregon Department of Education web site at http://www.ode.state.or.us/sfda/reports.aspx.

### **9** Education Service District Support

This table shows the support per student the district received from the education service district. Data are collected from ESD Direct Support reports. The average ESD state support is also displayed. ESD support is delivered to districts through funding and services.

#### Statewide Assessments

This table shows 2005-2006 assessment results for all students in the district. English/Language Arts includes Reading/Literature Knowledge and Skills and Writing results.

#### Student Group

Statewide Assessment results are displayed for the student groups required by the No Child Left Behind Act. CLRAS and Extended assessments measure the mastery of academic, career and liferole skills by students with significant disabilities.

### Student Participation

Percentages in Student Participation include all students in the district who participated in the 2005-2006 Oregon Statewide Assessments in Reading and Math Knowledge and Skills, and Writing. Students who were absent or refused to be tested are included in the percentage not tested. If the parents of a student provided written refusal of consent for the student to be tested, the student's non-participation is included in the percentage not tested.\*

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