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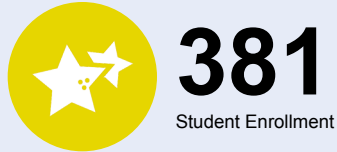
OREGON AT-A-GLANCE SCHOOL PROFILE

Wascher Elementary School

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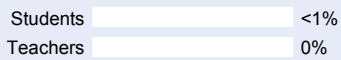
2024-25

Students We Serve

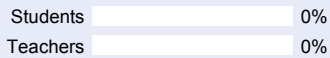


DEMOGRAPHICS

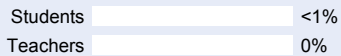
American Indian/Alaska Native



Asian



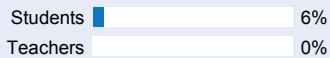
Black/African American



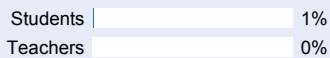
Hispanic/Latino



Multiracial



Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander



White



21%

Ever English
Learners



5

Languages
Spoken

12%

Students
with
Disabilities

94%

Required
Childhood
Vaccinations

34%

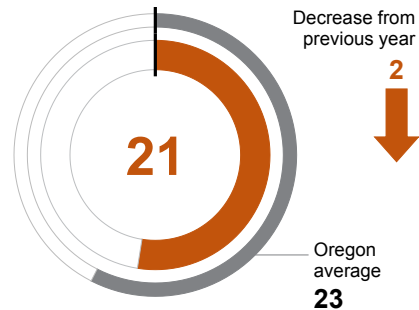
Students
Experiencing
Poverty

*<10 students or data unavailable

School Environment

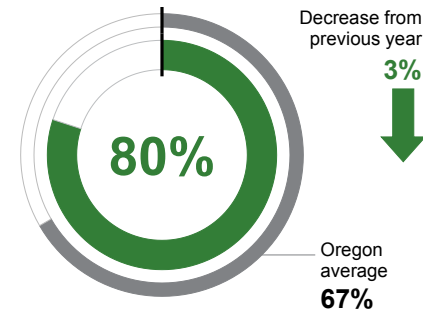
CLASS SIZE

Median class size.



REGULAR ATTENDERS

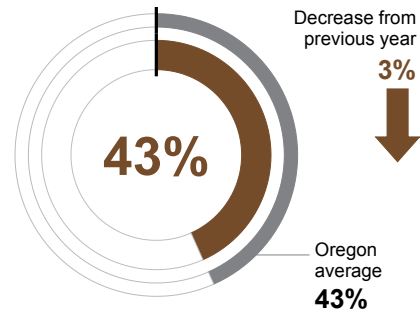
Students who attended more than 90% of their enrolled school days.



Academic Success

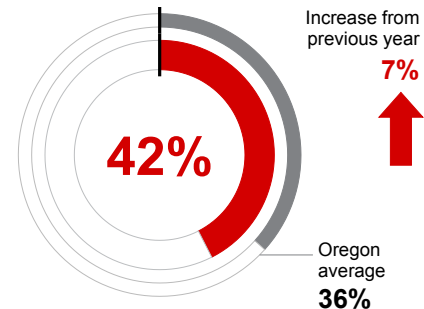
ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

Students meeting state grade-level expectations.



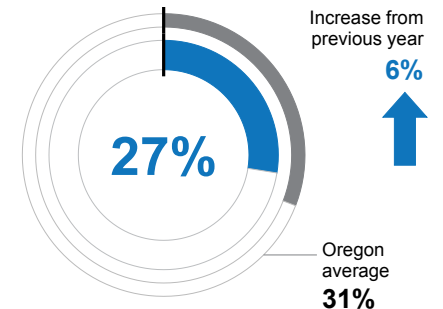
MATHEMATICS

Students meeting state grade-level expectations.



SCIENCE

Students meeting state grade-level expectations.



School Goals

Wascher Elementary School strives to achieve academic excellence through high standards of teaching and learning utilizing research-based best practices. Our staff is dedicated to supporting each student to develop the critical thinking skills and social/emotional skills that will enable them to pursue their individual aspirations in school, college, career and life.

State Goals

The Oregon Department of Education is partnering with school districts and communities statewide to reach a 90% on-time graduation rate by 2027. Anchored in the pillars of Academic Excellence, Belonging & Wellness, and Accountability, ODE prioritizes evidence-based strategies that strengthen early literacy, improve attendance, and deepen student engagement. We are committed to eliminating opportunity and achievement gaps for historically underserved students. By investing in culturally responsive practices, cultivating inclusive school environments, and fostering a culture of continuous improvement, we can help ensure every student thrives.

Safe & Welcoming Environment

Wascher provides a safe and equitable learning environment for each student. We are committed to fostering a school culture and climate that is inclusive and is culturally and linguistically responsive to the needs of every student. We believe that learning happens most and best within the context of strong relationships. Our staff are committed to relationship-building between students and between students and staff.



OREGON AT-A-GLANCE SCHOOL PROFILE CONTINUED

Wascher Elementary School

2024-25

Outcomes

Our Staff (rounded FTE)



23

Teachers



9

Educational
assistants



1

Counselors/
Psychologists/
Social Workers



90%

Average teacher
retention rate over
the past three years



78%

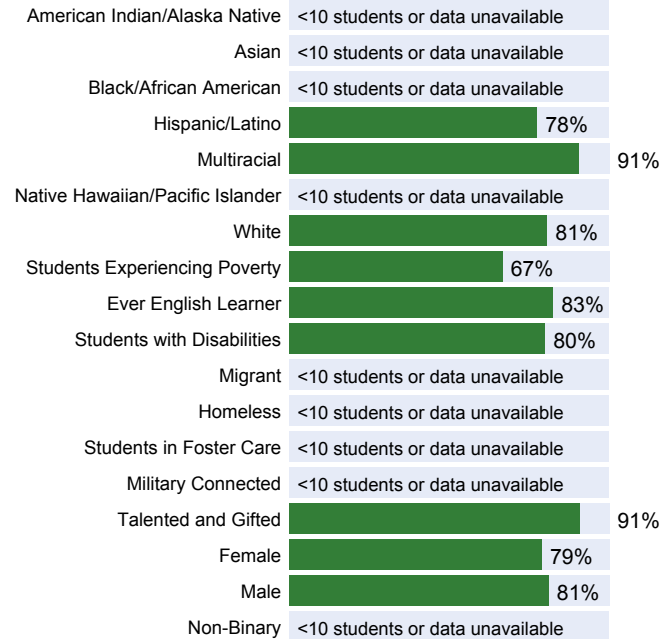
% of licensed teachers
with more than 3 years
of experience



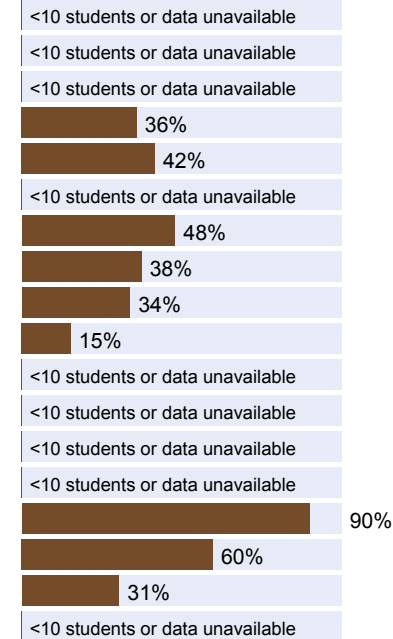
Yes

Same principal in
the last 3 years

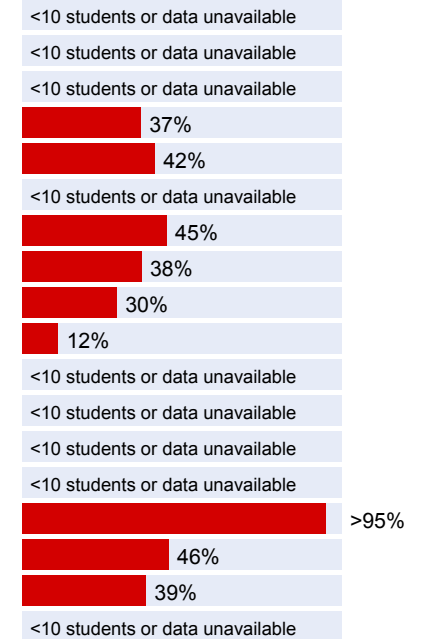
REGULAR ATTENDERS



ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS



MATHEMATICS



About Our School

BULLYING, HARASSMENT, AND SAFETY POLICIES

Wascher Elementary School has zero tolerance for bullying and harassment. Our school offers a nurturing and inclusive environment in which all students belong and each student is welcomed. Through a variety of daily activities and conversations, Wascher continuously seeks to establish and sustain an equitable school culture and climate in which each student can thrive. The practice of safety is an integral part of the instructional programming that we provide.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Wascher Elementary School offers extensive extracurricular opportunities in our afterschool program, focused on Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math (STEAM). Our school offers afterschool targeted tutoring in English/Language Arts and Math.

PARENT ENGAGEMENT

We recognize that parent engagement is critical to student success as we value diverse voices and perspectives that represent the students we serve. We partner with families in multiple ways ranging from family nights, goal setting conferences, ParentSquare communication and weekly updates from the superintendent. We believe in the value of partnering with parents and guardians, as together we can create the support that is needed to ensure that every student attends school all day, every day.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

We take pride in strong community partnerships. Wascher is committed to collaborate with the community to create a collective impact that has lasting positive outcomes for students. To achieve this goal, Wascher partners with a variety of community-based organizations, including:

- Yamhill County Community Care Organization
- Yamhill County Health Department
- McMinnville Education Foundation
- Linfield University
- Chemeketa Community College
- Evergreen Aviation and Space Museum