



WLES Spotlight September 2024

West Lafayette Community School Corporation Board Presentation



WLES Demographics

- **Overall School Enrollment:** 11 preschool and 656 Kindergarten through Grade 3
- **Overall Free/Reduced lunch:** 25.8%
- **Overall Special Education:** 78 students including those receiving speech and language only as well. Approximately 12%
- **Overall Number of Teachers:** 47
- **Overall Number of Support Staff (all other adults in the building):** 40

Data gathered from Indiana [GPS site](#)



WLES Highlights

Family and Community Involvement is STRONG!

Partnerships with Purdue University

West Lafayette Early Learning Program

Awaiting results of 2024 National Blue Ribbon School Application



WLES Data Overview

IREAD 3

2022 - 2023 - 92.4% passed

2023 - 2024 - 91.3% passed

ILEARN Math

2022 - 2023 - 78.1 %

2023 - 2024 - 78.0%

ILEARN ELA (overall)

2022 - 2023 - 63.9%

2023 - 2024 - 73%



WLES Goal #1

Goal: By the end of the 2025-2026 school year, 95% of third-grade students will pass the IREAD 3 assessment.

2023-2024 - Second grade students opted in to take IREAD 3.

- 75% already passed and will not need to take it again
- Currently have 64 students who will need to test in March as third graders
 - Interventions underway for those who scored at-risk or who have scored at risk on DIBELS assessments if they did not take IREAD 3 as a 2nd grader.
 - Collaborative meetings to include teachers, interventionists, and parents to support student growth

WLES Goal #2

Goal: By the end of the 2025 - 2026 school year, 85% of third-grade students will pass the ILEARN Math assessment.

- 2024-2025 - We have opted in to the ILEARN through the year checkpoints. This will allow students to gain familiarity with the testing platform and will allow teachers to review data based upon work toward attainment of Indiana State Standards.
- All grades collaborated last school year to create a vertically aligned curriculum to include the updated Indiana State Standards.

WLES Goal #3

Goal: Goal: By the end of the 2025-2026 school year, 30% and 50% of third-grade students will score a three or more on the Evidence/Elaboration and Organization/Purpose sections of the ILEARN writing rubric in Informative and Narrative writing, respectively.

- 2023-2024 ILEARN Writing scores
 - Informative Writing = 6% of students scored a 3 or more in evidence/elaboration and Organization/Purpose
 - Narrative writing = 36% of students scored a 3 or more
- Writing team has been working on K-3 writing rubrics aligned to the ILEARN rubric to support a school-wide writing plan. Working on rolling it out this semester
- Focus on word processing K-3 as students are expected to write to a prompt, while also typing on a Chromebook

WLES Continued Focus

We are continuing to focus professional development on collective teacher efficacy through our use of Professional Learning Communities (PLC). The collaboration and professionalism required to meet the wide range of needs of our students is necessary to support teachers, especially at the elementary level, as they are teaching each subject.

Our teachers have been learning about the power behind collaboration through the use of PLCs and are using this time to support one another in the adoption and implementation of our new reading curriculum, *Wonders*, as well as to carve out our curriculum maps to support the updated Indiana Standards.

WLES Spotlight

We thank Dr. Greiner, Mrs. Roth, and Mrs. Cronk for their supports of our efforts to improve outcomes for our students and teacher. We thank you, the Board, for your continued support.

Our mission, which we recite daily, reminds us that;

Together, we create a safe, supportive, and equitable foundation where ALL reach their highest potential.

We value the contributions of all who are part of our WLES community!

