Connecticut State Department of Education

SCHOOL PROFILE AND PERFORMANCE REPORT FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2021–22



Head O'Meadow Elementary School Newtown School District

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School Information

Grade Range	K-4
Enrollment	313
Per Pupil Expenditures ¹	\$18,713
Total Expenditures ¹	\$5,370,669

¹ Expenditure data reflect the 2020-21 school year.

Community Information

AdvanceCT Town Profiles provide summary demographic and economic information for Connecticut's municipalities at https://www.advancect.org/site-selection/town-profiles

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Unless otherwise noted, all data are for 2021-22 and include all grades offered by the school.

In most tables, data are displayed only for the three major race/ethnicity categories. For additional race/ethnicity categories, please visit https://edsight.ct.gov

For district totals, please see the district profile.

* When an asterisk is displayed, data have been suppressed to safeguard student confidentiality, or to ensure that statistics based on a very small sample size are not interpreted as equally representative as those based on a sufficiently larger sample size. Complete data suppression guidelines are available at https://tinyurl.com/SuppressionPolicy

N/A is displayed when a category is not applicable for a district or school.

Students

October 1, 2021 Enrollment					
		School	District		
	Count	Percent of Total (%)	Percent of Total (%)		
Female	143	45.7	*		
Male	170	54.3	50.5		
Non-Binary	0	0.0	*		
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0.0	*		
Asian	*	*	2.5		
Black or African American	8	2.6	2.0		
Hispanic or Latino of any race	31	9.9	10.8		
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0.0	*		
Two or More Races	*	*	1.8		
White	266	85.0	82.8		
English Learners/Multilingual Learners	6	1.9	1.0		
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	24	7.7	12.5		
Students with Disabilities ²	37	11.8	15.5		

² Students in this category are students with an individualized education program (IEP) only. This category does not include students with Section 504 plans or services plans.

Chronic Absenteeism and Suspension/Expulsion

	Chronic Absenteeism³		Suspension	/Expulsion⁴
	Count	Rate (%)	Count	Rate (%)
Female	12	8.1	0	0.0
Male	17	9.9	0	0.0
Non-Binary	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	0	*	0	*
Hispanic or Latino of any race	*	*	0	0.0
White	22	8.2	0	0.0
English Learners/Multilingual Learners	0	*	0	*
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	8	30.8	0	0.0
Students with Disabilities	*	*	0	0.0
School	29	9.1	0	0.0
District		10.3		2.9

Number of students qualified as truant under state statute: Fewer than 6

Number of school-based arrests: 0

³ A student is chronically absent if they miss ten percent or greater of the total number of days enrolled in the school year for any reason. Pre-Kindergarten students are excluded from this calculation.

⁴ This column displays the count and percentage of students who receive at least one in-school suspension, out-of-school suspension or expulsion.

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Educators

Full-Time Equivalent (FTE)1 Staff

	FTE
General Education	
Teachers and Instructors	23.3
Paraprofessional Instructional Assistants	8.8
Special Education	
Teachers and Instructors	3.0
Paraprofessional Instructional Assistants	7.1
Administrators, Coordinators and Department Chairs	
School Level	2.2
Library/Media	
Specialists (Certified)	1.0
Support Staff	0.6
Instructional Specialists Who Support Teachers	3.0
Counselors, Social Workers and School Psychologists	2.0
School Nurses	1.3
Other Staff Providing Non-Instructional Services/Support	11.7

Educators by Race/Ethnicity

		School	District
	Count	Percent of Total (%)	Percent of Total (%)
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0.0	0.2
Asian	0	0.0	0.9
Black or African American	0	0.0	0.2
Hispanic or Latino of any race	1	2.5	2.5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0.0
Two or More Races	0	0.0	0.0
White	39	97.5	96.2

Classroom Teacher Attendance, 2020-21

	School	District
Average # of FTE Days Absent Due to Illness or	7.5	8.0
Personal Time		

¹ In the full-time equivalent count, staff members working part-time in the school are counted as a fraction of full-time. For example, a teacher who works half-time in a school contributes 0.50 to the school's staff count.

Instruction and Resources

School-Level Expenditures²: 2020-21

	Total (\$)	Per Pupil (\$)
Instruction	\$3,386,871	\$11,801
Support Services - Students	\$532,687	\$1,856
Improvement of Instruction	\$87,873	\$306
Library and Media Services	\$117,213	\$408
Support Services - Instruction		
Support Services - School-Based	\$453,122	\$1,579
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	\$790,587	\$2,755
Transportation Other Than to/From		
Enterprise Operations	\$2,316	\$8
Total	\$5,370,669	\$18,713

Total per pupil expenditures (PPE) including share of district central expenditures is \$21,197.

Students with Disabilities Who Spend 79.1 to 100 Percent of Time with Nondisabled Peers³

Court Data (0/)

	Count	Rate (%)
Autism	*	*
Emotional Disturbance	N/A	N/A
Intellectual Disability	N/A	N/A
Learning Disability	*	*
Other Health Impairment	6	*
Other Disabilities	N/A	N/A
Speech/Language Impairment	13	*
School	28	87.5
District		78.4
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 $^{^{\}rm 3}$ This table includes students ages 6-21 with an IEP or services plan.

School Schedule

Days of Instruction	182
Hours of Instruction Per Year	
Grades 1-12 and Full-Day Kindergarten	967
Half/Extended Day Kindergarten	N/A

² Expenditures may be supported by local tax revenues, state grants, federal grants, municipal in-kind services, tuition and other sources.

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Performance and Accountability

School Performance Index (SPI)

A School Performance Index (SPI) is the average performance of students in a subject area (i.e., ELA, Mathematics or Science) on the state summative assessments. The SPI ranges from 0-100. An SPI is reported for all students tested in a school and for students in each individual student group. Connecticut's ultimate target for an SPI is 75.

	English Langu	age Arts (ELA)	Ma	ıth	Scier	nce
	Count	SPI	Count	SPI	Count	SPI
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
Asian	*	*	*	*	0	N/A
Black or African American	*	*	*	*	0	N/A
Hispanic or Latino of any race	17	*	17	*	0	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*	0	N/A
White	111	81.3	111	78.2	0	N/A
English Learners/Multilingual Learners	*	*	*	*	0	N/A
Non-English Learners/Non-Multilingual Learners	*	*	*	*	0	N/A
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	11	*	11	*	0	N/A
Not Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	124	82.4	124	78.3	0	N/A
Students with Disabilities	23	66.6	23	63.1	0	N/A
Students without Disabilities	112	84.5	112	80.6	0	N/A
High Needs	32	69.1	32	66.7	0	N/A
Non-High Needs	103	85.3	103	81.0	0	N/A
School	135	81.5	135	77.6	0	N/A

National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP): Percent At or Above Proficient¹

	NAEP	NAEP 2013	
READING	Grade 4	Grade 8	Grade 12
Connecticut	35	35	50
National Public	32	29	36
MATH	Grade 4	Grade 8	Grade 12
Connecticut	37	30	32
National Public	35	26	25

¹ NAEP is often called the "Nation's Report Card." It is sponsored by the U.S. Department of Education. This table compares Connecticut's performance to that of national public school students. Performance standards for state assessments and NAEP are set independently. Therefore, one should not expect performance results to be the same across Smarter Balanced and NAEP. Instead, NAEP results are meant to complement other state assessment data. To view performance on NAEP by student group, at

https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/SDE/Student-Assessment/NAEP/report-card_NAEP-2022.pdf

Physical Fitness Tests: Students Reaching Health Standard²

	Percent of Students by Grade ³ (%)				All Tested Grades	
	4	6	8	HS	Count	Rate (%)
Sit & Reach	96.9	N/A	N/A	N/A	65	96.9
Curl Up	95.4	N/A	N/A	N/A	65	95.4
Push Up	78.5	N/A	N/A	N/A	65	78.5
Mile Run/PACER	89.2	N/A	N/A	N/A	65	89.2
All Tests - School	69.2	N/A	N/A	N/A	65	69.2
All Tests - District	51.5	84.4	38.9	67.4		60.3

²The Connecticut Physical Fitness Assessment (CPFA) is administered to students in Grades 4, 6, 8 and High School (HS). The health-related fitness scores gathered through the CPFA should be used to educate and motivate children and their families to increase physical activity and develop lifetime fitness habits.

³Only students assessed in all four areas are included in this calculation.

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Next Generation Accountability Results

Connecticut's Next Generation Accountability System is a broad set of 12 indicators that help tell the story of how well a district/school is preparing its students for success in college, careers, and life. It moves beyond test scores and graduation rates to provide a more holistic, multifactor perspective of district and school performance.

Indicator		Index/Rate	Target	Points Earned	Max Points	% Points Earned	State Average Index/Rate
ELA Performance Index	All Students	81.5	75	50.0	50	100.0	64.2
ELA Performance index	High Needs Students	69.1	75	46.1	50	92.2	54.2
Math Danfannanan Indan	All Students	77.6	75	50.0	50	100.0	58.6
Math Performance Index	High Needs Students	66.7	75	44.5	50	88.9	47.7
Science Performance Index	All Students		75				61.4
	High Needs Students		75				51.3
ELA Academic Growth	All Students	83.0%	100%	83.0	100	83.0	60.4%
	High Needs Students		100%				56.2%
	All Students	93.0%	100%	93.0	100	93.0	65.2%
Math Academic Growth	High Needs Students		100%				59.1%
Progress Toward English	Literacy		100%				64.9%
Proficiency	Oral		100%				57.4%
Character Alexander store	All Students	9.1%	<=5%	41.9	50	83.8	23.7%
Chronic Absenteeism	High Needs Students	12.3%	<=5%	35.4	50	70.8	34.0%
Duamanation for CCD	% Taking Courses		75%				84.8%
Preparation for CCR	% Meeting Benchmark		75%				43.5%
On-track to High School Graduation			94%				82.7%
4-year Graduation All Students (2021 Cohort)			94%				89.6%
6-year Graduation - High Needs Students (2019 Cohort)			94%				85.2%
Postsecondary Entrance (Class of 2021)			75%				66.1%
Physical Fitness (estimated part rate) and (fitness rate)		100.0% 69.2%	75%	46.2	50	92.3	94.0% 45.8%
Arts Access			60%				52.4%
Accountability Index			490.0	550	89.1		

NOTE: A dot (.) appears in the table above when there are fewer than 20 students in the student group or the indicator is not applicable based on grades served.

Gap Indicators	Non-High Needs Rate ¹	High Needs Rate	Size of Gap	State Gap Mean +1 Stdev ²	Is Gap an Outlier?2
Achievement Gap Size Outlier?					N
ELA Performance Index Gap	75.0	69.1	5.9	16.6	
Math Performance Index Gap	75.0	66.7	8.3	18.5	
Science Performance Index Gap				17.9	
Graduation Rate Gap					

¹ If the Non-High Needs Rate exceeds the ultimate target (75 for Performance Index and 94% for graduation rate), the ultimate target is used for gap calculations.

NOTE: A dot (.) appears in the table above when there are fewer than 20 students in at least one of the student groups used to calculate the gap measure or the indicator is not applicable based on grades served. Gap calculations are based on unrounded rates.

Subject	t/Student Group	Participation Rate (%) ³		
FLA	All Students	100.0		
LLA	High Needs Students	100.0		
Math	All Students	100.0		
IVIALII	High Needs Students	100.0		
Science	All Students			
	High Needs Students			

³Minimum participation standard is 95%.

Supporting Resources: https://public-edsight.ct.gov/Overview/Next-Generation-Accountability-Dashboard#related-links

 $^{^{\}rm 2}$ If the size of the gap exceeds the state mean gap plus one standard deviation, the gap is an outlier.