

# SAFETY AND SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT

## Safe and Orderly School Features

Your School	does	does not
• allows after-school programs	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• requires student uniforms	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
• encourages community programs in school building.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• conducts home visits	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• has a closed campus	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• requires parental conferences	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## Safety and Discipline

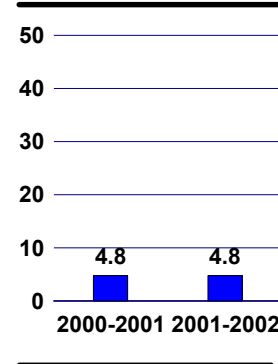
Safe schools are a top priority for parents, teachers, and communities. Your school's safety and discipline record for the 2002-2003 school year is:

Type of Incident	Number of Incidents Reported	Action Taken				
		In School Suspension	Out of School Suspension	Expulsion	Referred to Law Enforce.	Other
Substance Abuse - Drugs	40		31	9	38	
Substance Abuse - Alcohol	9		9		9	
Substance Abuse - Tobacco	14		14			
Assaults/Fights	33		33		28	
Habitually Disruptive Students						
Dangerous Weapons	3			3	3	
Other Violations of Code of Conduct	400	32	361	7	31	

## Student Attendance and Time Spent in Classroom

2002-2003	Your School
Length of School Year	176 days
Enrollment	1,672
Average Daily Attendance	1,617
Student Dropouts	4.8%
Students Per Total Staff	14.4
Annual Number of Teacher Days Scheduled without Student Contact	11

## Dropout Rate



## Student Information Over Time

	2000-2001	2001-2002	2002-2003
Student Average Daily Attendance	97.3%	97.2%	96.7%
Student Dropouts	4.8%	4.8%	
Safety and Discipline Total Incidents Reported	373	503	499
Student Enrollment Stability		91.7%	92.9%
Students Eligible for Free Lunch		252	275

## OVERALL ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE RATINGS

- Excellent
- High
- Average
- Low
- Unsatisfactory

## SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT RATINGS

- Significant Improvement
- Improvement
- Stable
- Decline
- Significant Decline

N/R - Data not reported to State

# TAXPAYERS' REPORT

## Sources of School District Revenue 2002

Local Tax Contribution	\$238,068,201
State Tax Contribution	260,493,727
Federal Grants	27,438,007
State Grants	21,291,013
Private/Partnership Grants	310,482
Other Discretionary Income	70,195,427
<b>Total School Dist Revenue</b>	<b>\$617,796,857</b>

Total 2002 District Revenue Per Pupil = \$7,288

## District Source of Funds 2002



## District Use of Funds 2002

Teachers	\$312,567,442
Administration	44,100,297
Building & Facilities Maintenance	53,758,928
Operational Expenses	128,575,576
Textbooks/Materials	47,577,778
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$586,580,021</b>

## District Use of Funds 2002



## District Debt and Capital Construction & Equipment

Total Outstanding Bonded Debt	\$541,868,460
Average Annual Percentage Interest Rate on Debt	4.90%
Amount Raised from Most Recent Bond	\$265,000,000
Amount Spent on New Buildings During Last 2 Years	\$155,192,234

## Voter Approved Funding Changes

Your community did  / did not  hold an election in November 2001.

The following items have been approved by voters:

TABOR Override

Bond

Mill Levy Increase

## Arvada High School

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# ARVADA HIGH SCHOOL



JEFFERSON COUNTY R-1

## School Accountability Report 2002-2003 School Year

## School Performance Summary

### Overall Academic Performance

Average

### Academic Improvement:

Stable

## How Arvada High School Compares To Nearby High Schools

School	Academic Performance
Westminster High School(1)	Low
Pomona High School	High
Arvada West High School	High
Compass Secondary Montessori Charter School	Average
Ralston Valley Senior High School	High
Wheat Ridge High School	Average
Iver C. Ranum High School(1)	Low
Jefferson Charter Academy Senior High School	High
Jefferson High School	Low
D'Evelyn Senior High School	Excellent

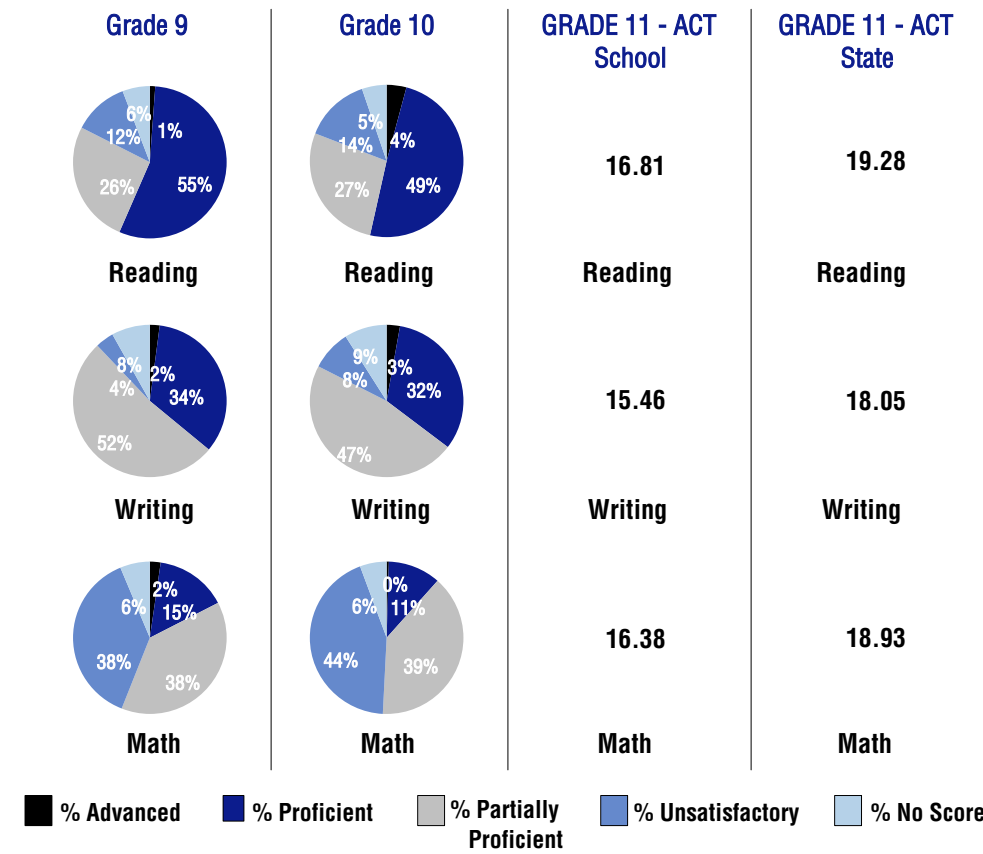
1 Located in Westminster 50 School District.

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# STUDENT PERFORMANCE

Colorado students are assessed once a year in order to measure their performance on state academic content standards, using the Colorado Student Assessment Program (CSAP). The chart below shows the results for grades 9 - 10 in the subject areas for reading, writing and math for all students tested.

## CSAP 2003 Spring

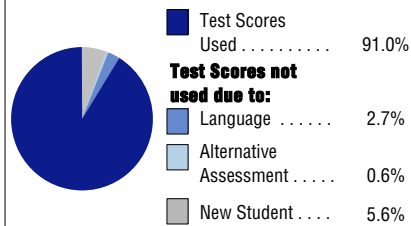


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### Percent of Students Scoring Proficient and Advanced

	Your School	District	State
Grade 9-10 Reading	55%	71%	66%
Grade 9-10 Writing	35%	57%	51%
Grade 9-10 Math	14%	36%	29%

### Student Test Scores Used For Calculating Overall Academic Performance



Each school in the State received a rating of "Excellent", "High", "Average", "Low", or "Unsatisfactory" for student academic performance in school year 2002-2003 using the CSAP results printed above. Every student in this school who took these tests was included in the calculation used to assign a rating, except for students who do not speak English, whose special needs require that they spend less than 45% of their time in a regular classroom, or who enrolled in the public school after February 1 of this school year. Your school's rating was determined by the percentage of students performing in each of the Advanced, Proficient, Partially Proficient, and Unsatisfactory levels. These percentages were weighted and combined across grade levels and academic areas. These weights reward performance at the Advanced and Proficient levels over performance at the Partially Proficient and Unsatisfactory levels. The ratings were assigned after calculating the weighted total for each academic area and grade level for each school and comparing this school to all other high schools for the 2002-2003 school year.

Overall Academic Performance for the 2002-2003 school year .....

**Average**

■ % Advanced ■ % Proficient ■ % Partially Proficient ■ % Unsatisfactory ■ % No Score

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# SCHOOL HISTORY

	2002-2003	2001-2002	2000-2001
Overall Academic Performance	Average	Average	Average
School Improvement	Stable	Stable	



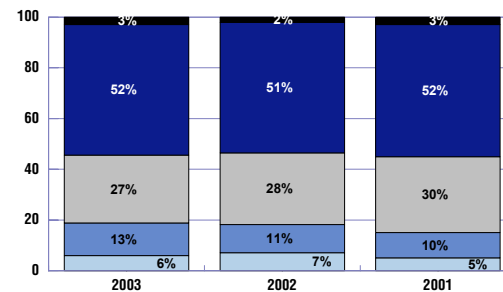
Each school receives a school improvement rating of Significant Improvement, Improvement, Stable, Decline, or Significant Decline. This rating is based upon the change in student academic performance from the previous year. Each school can improve its rating next year by improving student performance on the 2003-2004 CSAP.

## Reading Proficiency Levels

### Grades 9-10

#### Percent Proficient and Advanced

2003	55%
2002	53%
2001	55%

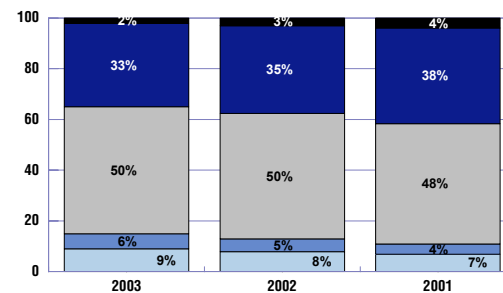


## Writing Proficiency Levels

### Grades 9-10

#### Percent Proficient and Advanced

2003	35%
2002	38%
2001	42%

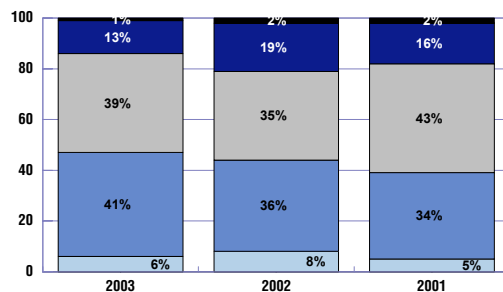


## Math Proficiency Levels

### Grades 9-10

#### Percent Proficient and Advanced

2003	14%
2002	21%
2001	18%



■ % Advanced ■ % Proficient ■ % Partially Proficient ■ % Unsatisfactory ■ % No Score

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# ABOUT OUR STAFF

## School Employment

Each year, your district reports to the Colorado Department of Education on the number of adults who work in your school, as well as the type of work they do. Last year, your school employed:

	Your School		District	
	Full Time	Part Time	Full Time	Part Time
Teachers	81	2	4,675	303
Paraprofessionals	8	12	736	1,846
Administrators	5	0	370	10
Other Professionals*	7	1	787	88
School Support	5	1	1,484	783
<b>Total Staff</b>	120		11,028	

\* School counselors and librarians are included in the Other Professionals category. Your school employed 5/0 FT/PT counselor(s) and 1/0 FT/PT librarian(s) last year.

## Students per Teacher Ratio

	Student Enrollment	Students per Teacher
Grade 9	453	22.1
Grade 10	429	20.9
Grade 11	416	20.3
Grade 12	374	18.2

## Professional Experience of Teachers

	Your School	District
Average years of teaching experience	13	9
Percent of teachers teaching the subject in which they received their degree(s)	86%	70%
Teachers' average days absent	5.9%	5.7%
Number of teachers who left school/district last year	10	545
Teachers with tenure	63	3,112
Teachers without tenure	20	1,866
Number of professional development days	7	8

## Salaries

	Your School	District	State
Average Teacher Salary	\$51,509	\$47,288	\$42,680
Average Administrator Salary	\$70,979	\$76,962	\$72,481

Principal: Robert Lopez  
 Number of years as Principal at this school: 1  
 Number of years as Principal at any school: 1

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