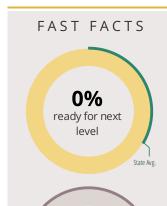
# EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

Grades: P,K District: ELMWOOD PARK CUSD 401 Principal: Ms.Joanne Mourikes Superintendent: Dr.Kevin Anderson



average class

size

73%

teacher

retention

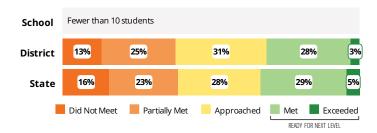
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students

State Avg.

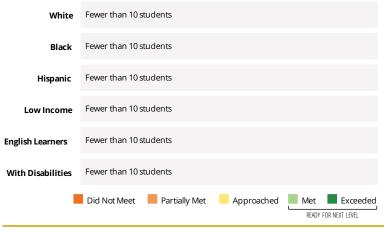


All Illinois students in grades 3-8 take the PARCC assessment each year. High school students take the PARCC in specific Math or English Language Arts (ELA) courses.



# Success by Student Group

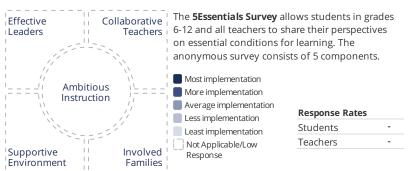
This display shows PARCC performance levels for each student group. No data is shown for groups with fewer than 10 students.



## Student Characteristics

White	49%	Low Income	41%
Black	3%	English Learners	31%
Hispanic	42%	With Disabilities	35%
Asian	4%	Homeless	1%
American Indian	1%		
Two or More Races	2%		
Pacific Islander	0%		

#### School Environment



\_ Effective Leaders

Do principals and teachers implement a shared vision for success?

\_ Collaborative Teachers

Do teachers collaborate to promote professional growth?

\_ Ambitious Instruction

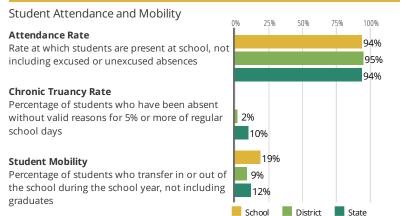
Are the classes challenging and engaging?

Supportive Environment

Is the school safe, demanding, and supportive?

\_ Involved Families

Does the entire staff build strong external relationships?



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# School Highlights

#### **Academic Courses**

Kindergarten implements the HMH Journeys Series, Heggerty Phonemic Awareness Program, Jolly Phonics and Math Trailblazers. Our Extended Day section and Bilingual Spanish section, as well as small group instruction for L.A., support K student success. Preschool implements the Creative Curriculum.

# **Career Development Courses and Programs**

The ECC offers learning units on Community Workers, a yearly visit to the Fire Department, and parent volunteers in classrooms to talk about careers.

#### District Finance

**Instructional Spending per Pupil** includes only the activities directly dealing with the teaching of students or the interaction between teachers and students.



Operational Spending per Pupil includes all costs for overall operations in this school's district, including Instructional Spending, but excluding summer school, adult education, capital expenditures, and long-term debt payments.



## **Physical Education, Heath and Wellness**

The ECC program offers Indoor and Outdoor Gross Motor Skill periods. Our Preschool program offers daily Gross Motor Skills time. Our curriculum reviews healthy eating and healthy lifestyles. We also offer regularly scheduled Health Talks and visits to our classrooms by our full time School Nurse

# **Athletics**

The ECC hosts family events with an emphasis on physical fitness for the winter and summer months.

## Other Programs and Activities

The ECC holds monthly PTO meetings, events and fundraisers. Our Parent Education program organizes Monthly Family activity/events. At our Winter Concert in December, all students perform with their classroom. Kindergarten students perform at an end of the year program.

#### School Personnel Resources

Bilingual Education Teacher, English as a Second Language Teacher, Paraprofessional, Pre-Kindergarten Teacher, Reading Specialist, School Social Worker, Special Education Teacher, Speech Language Pathologist-non teaching, Speech Language Pathology Teacher

#### **Educator Measures**

This school has had **1 principal(s)** over the past 6 years. In the last three years, an average of **73% of teachers** return to this school each year.

#### **School Awards**

Every student in the building enjoys being "Star of the Week" in his/her classroom. The student makes a poster which is displayed outside the classroom, and is mentioned in the ECC Weekly Newsletter.

#### **Facilities**

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Most of this data has been collected by ISBE from school districts through data systems. Some information, such as the School Highlights, is entered directly by principals and can be updated throughout the year.