

## SCHOOL PROFILE

# John Muir Elementary

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MADISON METROPOLITAN  
SCHOOL DISTRICT



Muir Elementary School serves a diverse 4K - 5th grade student community, including Early Childhood and Phonology programs. We collaborate with families as partners and have established relationships with the University of Wisconsin Madison School of Education, UW-Whitewater and Edgewood College. We are also very proud of our strong partnerships with our PTO, The Lussier Community Center, Cuna Mutual, Findorff and Sons Inc., Memorial HS and appreciate how these connections enhance our school community. Muir supports project-based and service learning opportunities for students to include our outdoor learning focus and school garden. For the upcoming 2018-19 year, we will be focusing on Learning Partnerships to build strong connections to enhance student success as learners.



School Principal: Andrea Kreft

## Equity Vision

We embrace diversity as an asset and have a collective responsibility to promote equity in education among our students, staff and families.

## Strengths

Muir invests in a whole child perspective and collaborates with members of our community to support and promote student learning, health and wellness, and personal growth. Our strengths come from the diverse and welcoming school community that works together towards continuous improvement. We encourage partnerships and evolving instructional practices, and highlight outdoor and experiential education to broaden our student's school and life experiences.

## Progress

This past year, grade level teachers developed a strong focus on teaming and student-centered learning through the plan, teach, reflect and adjust model in mathematics. Teams have also increased collaborative time and learning from each other across grade levels to bridge and support transitions for our students. A school-wide focus has been on creating learning targets tied to teaching standards for our lessons with a focus on checking for understanding of the target through meaningful tasks and assessments. Our school community has also further developed "Muir Model" practices and social-emotional learning through service learning projects to develop citizenship skills and positive behaviors.

## Area for Growth

Across the 2018-2019 school year, instructional practices will center on the learning and implementation of the five step literacy process with a focus on Critical Reading Standards R1-9, Step 3. Our staff will use strengths in collaborative practices and collective efficacy to support each other and engage our students through this new learning. We will also focus on the effects of trauma through professional learning to provide another level of support to our students and families.

## Vision Connection

Our school supports MMSD's vision that all students acquire the skills and abilities needed to be successful, including a mastery of content areas, growth mindset, self-knowledge, creativity, wellness, interpersonal skills, confidence, cultural competence, and community connection. Through these skills and abilities, our students will graduate college, career, and community ready.

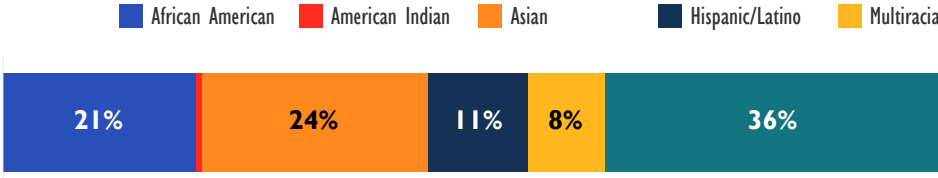
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 Principal Andrea Kreft  
 Phone (608)663-8170  
 4K Yes  
 Title I No

Developmental Bilingual Education No  
 Dual Language Immersion No  
 SAGE Yes  
 Attendance rate 93.8%  
 Total enrollment 409

2017-2018 Data Profile

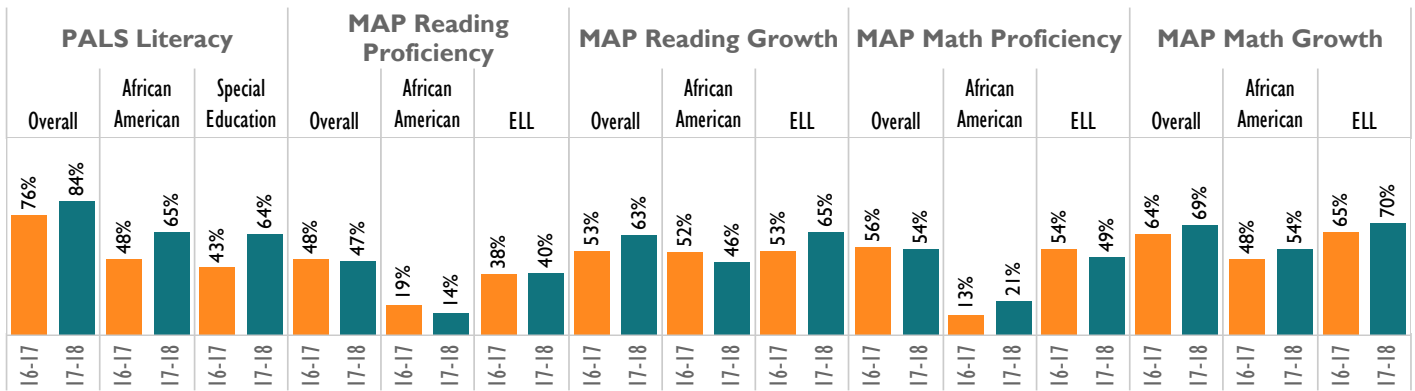
## Demographics



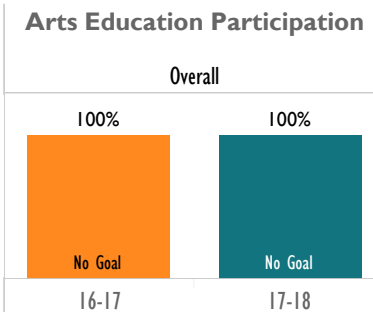
English Language Learner 37%  
 Low-income 42%  
 Students with disabilities 13%

## Strategic Framework Goal #1 Milestones: On-Track to Graduate

Each bar shows the percent of students meeting the relevant metric overall and for the focus group the school selected on their School Improvement Plan (SIP) when applicable.



## Strategic Framework Goal #2 Milestones: Challenging and Well-Rounded Education



Participation rates are based on transcribed courses.

When no goal for the measure has been set "No Goal" will be displayed in the bar.

## Strategic Framework Goal #3 Milestones: Positive Climate

Each bar shows the percent of responses within each dimension that were positive overall. When no goal for the measure has been set "No Goal" will be displayed in the bar.

