



2023-24 HILLSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PROFILE

The Mission of Hillside Elementary School, as an inviting and supportive community, is to educate all students to be successful citizens by fostering academic excellence, encouraging character development, and meeting the unique needs of the learner.

Vision: Westside Community Schools will relentlessly pursue innovative educational ideals and promise to personalize learning for every student. We invite the challenge of developing a community of learners who embrace a broader, richer definition of success.

As a result of that vision we ensure that the following is our **Foundation:**

- Ensure a guaranteed and viable curriculum
- Provide best practice instruction supported by high-quality, teacher-generated assessments
- Provide a balanced literacy framework
- Work together in high-quality Professional Learning Communities every week
- Take part in ongoing, professional learning

WHO WE ARE					
2023-24 Demographics		2022-23 Overall State Testing -- NSCAS Percent Proficient in All Grades Tested			
Total Attendance:	382				
Excessive Absenteeism: (Absent 10% or more)	17.50%	3rd	4th	5th	6th
Free/Reduced Lunch:	51%	English Language Arts	69%	65%	62%
English Language Learners:	7%	Math	47%	65%	54%
Excellence in Youth - (gifted) grades 3-6:	10%	Science (only grade tested)		78%	
Special Education:	17.74%				

OUR BUILDING OUTCOMES FOCUS

1. Increase student proficiency in math performance.
2. Increase student proficiency in English Language Arts performance.

GOALS

1. All students will learn in an environment where adults know their students and focus on the work that best promotes their learning. Students are encouraged to excel academically, challenged to think, and valued as individuals with diverse needs.
2. All students will demonstrate growth, reach high levels of academic achievement, and participate in challenging work.