

**Plan Type**
**Official Rating based on Multi-Year SPF Report**
**Insufficient State Data**
**0.0/0**  
 Points Earned

The performance framework evaluates district and school performance on Academic Achievement, Academic Growth, and Postsecondary & Workforce Readiness indicators. The percentage of points earned across all indicators determines the final accreditation rating for a district or the final plan type for a school, which is displayed above. The cut points for final ratings established by the State Board of Education are shown at the right of this page. Failure to meet test participation, safety, and finance assurances may result in a rating being lowered by one level. Refer to the scoring guide near the end of this report for more details on how ratings are determined.

Performance

Improvement

Priority Imp

Turnaround

School plan types are based on the total percentage of points earned.

**Performance Plan:**

53.0% - 100%

**Improvement Plan:**

42.0% - 52.9%

**Priority Improvement Plan:**

34.0% - 41.9%

**Turnaround Plan:**

0.0% - 33.9%

**Insufficient State Data:**

No reportable achievement and growth data.

**Indicator Rating Totals**

Performance Indicator	Percent of Points Earned	Points Earned/ Eligible	Rating
Academic Achievement	55.6%	16.7/30	Approaching
Academic Growth	50.0%	20.0/40	Approaching
Postsecondary & Workforce Readiness	76.4%	22.9/30	Meets

**Assurances**

	Rating
Accountability Participation Rate	Meets 95% Participation

**Test Participation Rates and Total Participation Rate Descriptor\***

Subject	Total Records	Valid Scores	Total Participation		Accountability Participation		Rating
			Rate	Parent Excusals	Rate	Rate	
English Language Arts	263	165	62.7%	97	99.4%	Meets 95% Participation	
Math	263	167	63.5%	96	100.0%	Meets 95% Participation	

**Total Participation Rate Descriptor for Planning Purposes:**
**Low Total Participation**
**Summary of Ratings by EMH Level**

EMH Level	Performance Indicator	Percent of Points Earned	Points Earned/ Eligible	Rating	Points by Level	Overall Rating by Level
Middle	Academic Achievement	37.5%	15.0/40	Approaching	37.5%	Priority Improvement
	Academic Growth	-	0.0/0	-		
High	Academic Achievement	70.0%	21.0/30	Meets	63.9%	Performance
	Academic Growth	50.0%	20.0/40	Approaching		
	Postsecondary & Workforce Readiness	76.4%	22.9/30	Meets		

(-) No Reportable Data

Under state accountability policy, 95% of students must participate in state assessments. Students who are excused from testing by a parent or guardian do not impact the Accountability Participation Rate that is used to determine whether the overall rating is reduced by one level. Districts or schools with less than 95% total participation in ELA and Math receive a "Low Total Participation" descriptor to help readers when interpreting accountability data. The descriptor does not impact framework calculations. Multilingual Learners in their first year in the U.S. who were eligible to take the ELP assessment count as participants for ELA.

**5806: Merino Junior Senior High School | 1860: Buffalo RE-4J**

Middle School - (2 Year)

**ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT**

Subject	Student Group	Count	Participation Rate	Mean Scale Score	Percentile Rank	Pts Earned/ Eligible	Rating
CMAS - English Language Arts	All Students	24	24.1%	719.2	7	2.00/8	Does Not Meet
	Free/Reduced-Price Lunch Eligible	n < 16	-	-	-	0.00/0	-
	Minority Students	n < 16	-	-	-	0.00/0	-
	Multilingual Learners	n < 16	-	-	-	0.00/0	-
	Students with Disabilities	n < 16	-	-	-	0.00/0	-
CMAS - Math	All Students	26	25.9%	722.2	27	4.00/8	Approaching
	Free/Reduced-Price Lunch Eligible	n < 16	-	-	-	0.00/0	-
	Minority Students	n < 16	-	-	-	0.00/0	-
	Multilingual Learners	n < 16	-	-	-	0.00/0	-
	Students with Disabilities	n < 16	-	-	-	0.00/0	-
TOTAL		*	*	*	*	6.00/16	Approaching

**ACADEMIC GROWTH**

Subject	Student Group	Count	Median Growth Percentile/Rate	Pts Earned/ Eligible	Rating
CMAS - English Language Arts	All Students	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
	Free/Reduced-Price Lunch Eligible	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
	Minority Students	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
	Multilingual Learners	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
	Students with Disabilities	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
CMAS - Math	All Students	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
	Free/Reduced-Price Lunch Eligible	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
	Minority Students	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
	Multilingual Learners	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
	Students with Disabilities	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
English Language Proficiency	English Language Proficiency	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
	On Track to EL Proficiency	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
TOTAL		*	*	0.00/0	-

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High School - (2 Year)

**ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT**

Subject	Student Group	Count	Participation Rate	Mean Scale Score	Percentile Rank	Pts Earned/ Eligible	Rating
Colorado PSAT - Evidence Based Reading & Writing	All Students	92	90.3%	469.6	57	6.00/8	Meets
	Free/Reduced-Price Lunch Eligible	19	86.4%	427.9	17	0.50/1	Approaching
	Minority Students	19	86.4%	429.5	18	0.50/1	Approaching
	Multilingual Learners	n < 16	-	-	-	0.00/0	-
	Students with Disabilities	n < 16	-	-	-	0.00/0	-
Colorado PSAT - Math	All Students	92	90.3%	470.9	72	6.00/8	Meets
	Free/Reduced-Price Lunch Eligible	19	86.4%	439.5	41	0.50/1	Approaching
	Minority Students	19	86.4%	425.3	25	0.50/1	Approaching
	Multilingual Learners	n < 16	-	-	-	0.00/0	-
	Students with Disabilities	n < 16	-	-	-	0.00/0	-
<b>TOTAL</b>		*	*	*	*	14.00/20	Meets

**ACADEMIC GROWTH**

Subject	Student Group	Count	Median Growth Percentile/Rate	Pts Earned/ Eligible	Rating
Colorado PSAT/SAT - Evidence-Based Reading & Writing	All Students	83	43.0	4.00/8	Approaching
	Free/Reduced-Price Lunch Eligible	22	39.0	0.50/1	Approaching
	Minority Students	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
	Multilingual Learners	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
	Students with Disabilities	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
Colorado PSAT/SAT - Math	All Students	100	47.5	4.00/8	Approaching
	Free/Reduced-Price Lunch Eligible	24	47.0	0.50/1	Approaching
	Minority Students	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
	Multilingual Learners	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
	Students with Disabilities	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
English Language Proficiency	English Language Proficiency	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
	On Track to EL Proficiency	n < 20	-	0.00/0	-
<b>TOTAL</b>		*	*	9.00/18	Approaching

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High School - (2 Year)

**POSTSECONDARY AND WORKFORCE READINESS**

Subject	Student Group	Count	Best Rate	Rate/Score	Participation Rate	Pts Earned/Eligible	Rating
Colorado SAT - Evidence Based Reading & Writing	All Students	45	*	489.8	93.8%	2.00/4	Approaching
	Free/Reduced-Price Lunch Eligible	n < 16	*	-	-	0.00/0	-
	Minority Students	n < 16	*	-	-	0.00/0	-
	Multilingual Learners	n < 16	*	-	-	0.00/0	-
	Students with Disabilities	n < 16	*	-	-	0.00/0	-
Colorado SAT - Math	All Students	45	*	469.6	93.8%	2.00/4	Approaching
	Free/Reduced-Price Lunch Eligible	n < 16	*	-	-	0.00/0	-
	Minority Students	n < 16	*	-	-	0.00/0	-
	Multilingual Learners	n < 16	*	-	-	0.00/0	-
	Students with Disabilities	n < 16	*	-	-	0.00/0	-
Dropout Rate	All Students	207	*	0.5%	*	8.00/8	Exceeds
	Free/Reduced-Price Lunch Eligible	53	*	0.0%	*	2.00/2	Exceeds
	Minority Students	36	*	0.0%	*	2.00/2	Exceeds
	Multilingual Learners	n < 16	*	-	*	0.00/0	-
	Students with Disabilities	39	*	0.0%	*	2.00/2	Exceeds
Matriculation Rate	All Students	37	*	56.8%	*	2.00/4	Approaching
	2 YEAR	*	*	24.3%	*	0.00/0	-
	4 YEAR	*	*	16.2%	*	0.00/0	-
	CTE	*	*	27.0%	*	0.00/0	-
	MILITARY	*	*	0.0%	*	0.00/0	-
Graduation Rate	All Students	38	6yr	94.7%	*	6.00/8	Meets
	Free/Reduced-Price Lunch Eligible	21	5yr	85.7%	*	1.50/2	Meets
	Minority Students	n < 16	-	-	*	0.00/0	-
	Multilingual Learners	n < 16	-	-	*	0.00/0	-
	Students with Disabilities	n < 16	-	-	*	0.00/0	-
<b>TOTAL</b>		*	*	*	*	27.50/36	Meets

**REFERENCE TABLE: DISAGGREGATED GRADUATION RATES**

Student Group	4-Year Rate	5-Year Rate	6-Year Rate	7-Year Rate	Best Rate
All Students	88.8%	90.5%	94.7%	88.9%	6yr
Free/Reduced-Price Lunch Eligible	76.0%	85.7%	-	-	5yr
Minority Students	-	-	-	-	-
Multilingual Learners	-	-	-	-	-
Students with Disabilities	-	-	-	-	-

**CO SAT:** represent outcomes for designated subjects and student groups; participation rates count parent excusals as non-participants.

**Dropout Rates:** represent percentages of students enrolled in grades 7-12 at any time during the year who left and did not subsequently enroll in another Colorado school. Calculations are based on the 2022 End of Year (EOY) data submission.

**Matriculation Rates:** represent percentages of students who enrolled in a Career & Technical Education (CTE) program or 2- or 4-year institute of higher education in the year following graduation. Students who earned a CTE certificate, college degree, or other industry-recognized credential prior to graduation are also included. Calculations are based on the 2022 graduation cohort.

**Graduation Rates:** represent percentages of students graduating high school within designated timeframes. Ratings are based on the best of the 4-, 5-, 6-, and 7-year graduation rates. AYGs designate Anticipated Years of Graduation, which are defined as four years after the year that students initially enroll in 9th grade. Calculations are based on data for students with AYGs between 2019 and 2022.

For additional information about ratings, refer to the scoring guide on the last page of this report. For more information about PWR metrics:

<http://www.cde.state.co.us/accountability/pwr>

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## Scoring Guide for 2023 District/School Performance Frameworks

Performance Indicator	Measure/Metric	Rating	Point Value			
Academic Achievement & ELP On Track Growth	The district or school's mean scale score (or percent On Track) was*: see tables below for actual values		All Students	Each Disaggregated Group	ELP On Track Growth	
	• at or above the 85th percentile	Exceeds	8	1.00	2.0	
	• at or above the 50th percentile but below the 85th percentile	Meets	6	0.75	1.5	
	• at or above the 15th percentile but below the 50th percentile	Approaching	4	0.50	1.0	
	• below the 15th percentile	Does Not Meet	2	0.25	0.5	
	Students Previously Identified for a READ Plan (bonus point)		1 bonus point			
Academic Growth	Median Growth Percentile was:		All Students	Each Disaggregated Group	ELP	
	• at or above 65	Exceeds	8	1.00	2.0	
	• at or above 50 but below 65	Meets	6	0.75	1.5	
	• at or above 35 but below 50	Approaching	4	0.50	1.0	
	• below 35	Does Not Meet	2	0.25	0.5	
Postsecondary and Workforce Readiness	Mean CO SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (EBRW) scale score was**:		All Students	Each Disaggregated Group		
	• at or above 554.7	Exceeds	4	1.00		
	• at or above 501.3 but below 554.7	Meets	3	0.75		
	• at or above 458.0 but below 501.3	Approaching	2	0.50		
	• below 458.0	Does Not Meet	1	0.25		
	Mean CO SAT Math scale score was**:		All Students	Each Disaggregated Group		
	• at or above 544.6	Exceeds	4	1.00		
	• at or above 488.0 but below 544.6	Meets	3	0.75		
	• at or above 439.9 but below 488.0	Approaching	2	0.50		
	• below 439.9	Does Not Meet	1	0.25		
	Dropout Rate: The district or school dropout rate was (of all schools in 2017):		All Students	Each Disaggregated Group		
	• at or below 0.5%	Exceeds	8	2.0		
	• at or below 2.0% but above 0.5%	Meets	6	1.5		
	• at or below 5.0% but above 2.0%	Approaching	4	1.0		
	• above 5.0%	Does Not Meet	2	0.5		
	Matriculation Rate (of all schools in 2018):		All Students			
	• at or above the 75.8%	Exceeds	4			
	• at or above 61.1% but below 75.8%	Meets	3			
	• at or above 46.8% but below 61.1%	Approaching	2			
	• below 46.8%	Does Not Meet	1			
	Graduation Rate and Disaggregated Graduation Rate (Best of 4-, 5-, 6-, or 7-year):		All Students	Each Disaggregated Group		
	• at or above 95.0%	Exceeds	8	2.0		
• at or above 85.0% but below 95.0%	Meets	6	1.5			
• at or above 75.0% but below 85.0%	Approaching	4	1.0			
• below 75.0%	Does Not Meet	2	0.5			

### Academic Achievement: Mean Scale Score by Percentile Cut-Points

The Academic Achievement Indicator reflects achievement as measured by the mean scale score on Colorado's standardized assessments. The presented targets for the Achievement Indicators have been established utilizing baseline year data.\*

Percentile	English Language Arts & EBRW for CO PSAT			Mathematics			Science		
	Elementary	Middle	CO PSAT	Elem	Middle	CO PSAT	Elem	Middle	High
15th percentile	722.3	724.1	423.5	719.1	716.5	413.0	NA	NA	NA
50th percentile	739.5	740.1	461.1	734.3	731.2	448.4	NA	NA	NA
85th percentile	755.9	757.3	505.0	751.9	746.2	491.0	NA	NA	NA

### Percent of Students On Track for ELP Growth Targets

Percentile	ELP On Track Growth		
	Elem	Middle	High
15th percentile	51.7%	8.9%	12.1%
50th percentile	64.1%	18.0%	21.1%
85th percentile	76.3%	31.5%	29.8%

### Total Possible Points by Performance Indicator

Indicator	Total Possible Points	Elementary/Middle	High/District
Achievement	24 points (8 per subject for all students, 4 per subject by disaggregated group, no Science data for 2023)	40%	30%
Growth	28 total points (8 per subject for all students, 4 per subject by disaggregated group, 2 for ELP growth, 2 for ELP On Track Growth)	60%	40%
Postsecondary Readiness	52 total points (16 for graduation, 4 for matriculation, 16 for dropout, 8 per CO SAT subject)	not applicable	30%

### Cut-Points for Each Performance Indicator

Achievement; Growth; Postsecondary Readiness	Cut-Point: The district or school earned...of the points eligible.	Rating
Achievement; Growth; Postsecondary Readiness	• at or above 87.5%	Exceeds
	• at or above 62.5% but below 87.5%	Meets
	• at or above 37.5% but below 62.5%	Approaching
	• below 37.5%	Does Not Meet

### Cut-Points for Plan/Category Type Assignment

Total Framework Points	District	School	Accreditation Category/Plan Type
	74.0%	not applicable	Accredited w/Distinction (District only)
	56.0%	53.0%	Accredited (District) or Performance Plan (School)
	44.0%	42.0%	Accredited w/Improvement Plan (District) or Improvement Plan (School)
	34.0%	34.0%	Accredited w/Priority Improvement Plan (District) or Priority Improvement (School)
	25.0%	25.0%	Accredited w/Turnaround Plan(District) or Turnaround Plan (School)

\* School data used as baseline: 2016 for CMAS & CoAlt ELA & Math (g3-8). 2019 for CO PSAT & CoAlt EBRW/ELA & Math (g9-10). 2023 for ELP On Track to Proficiency Growth as planned prior to the COVID-19 pandemic.

\*\* 2019 school data used as baseline for CO SAT & CoAlt EBRW/ELA & Math (g11).