

Sparks Middle School

2023-2024 SCHOOL PERFORMANCE PLAN

Student Success Goal

Sparks Middle School will increase student performance on the Smarter Balanced (SBAC) in both English Language Arts (ELA) and Math by 4% by June 2024.

To support students to achieve this goal, we will:

1. I-Ready Programming Implementation will allow for each student to have a plan to support their academic needs.
2. A focused school wide Social and Emotional Curriculum will be implemented to all students to support their social and emotional learning needs.
3. All teachers will participate in professional learning communities that are content specific to align the curriculum with district standards of proficiency. Teachers will continue to participate in learning strategies that will focus on developing reading and writing skills as well as mathematical fundamentals in grades 6, 7, and 8.

Student, Staff, and Family Partnerships Goal

Sparks Middle School will increase opportunities for family partnership and engagement in school activities and increase participation in our school climate survey from 3% to 15% this year.

To support students and families to achieve this goal, we will:

1. PBIS incentives for students who successful attend School
2. Increased community outreach through parent meetings and ConnectED communication to all families.
3. Continue partnership with our Family Engagement Liaison in developing and deepening partnerships with parents through monthly parent meetings with relevant community presenters.

Resources for Parents and Families

Quick Tips for Parents and Families

Get involved! Contact Sparks Middle School for information about volunteering with our school.

Stay connected! Let the front office know if your phone number, email or home address has changed.

Know your child's teachers! We are here to support your child's learning journey.

Resource Links

Infinite Campus Parent Portal

See your child's grades, assignments, attendance information and important updates

www.washoeschools.net/ICparent

Family Resource Centers

Basic needs assistance, resource referrals, and help with accessing services like SNAP

www.washoeschools.net/FRC

Care Solace

Free and confidential help to access mental health care providers in your community

www.washoeschools.net/Care



OUR WCSO PROMISE

We will know every student by **NAME, STRENGTH AND NEED** so they graduate prepared for the future they choose and we will deliver on this promise in partnership with our **FAMILIES and COMMUNITY.**

Our Student Demographics

100% Free or Reduced Lunch

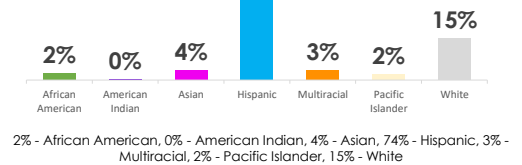
30% English Learners

13% Individualized Education Plans

3% Children in Transition

0% Foster

1% Gifted & Talented



Total Enrollment

655

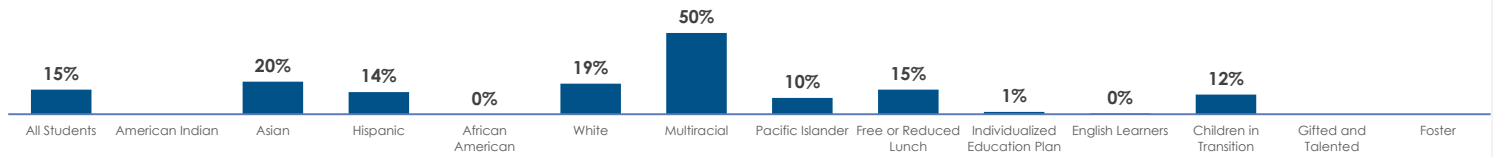


Smarter Balanced Assessment

Percent Achieving 'At or Above' Standard

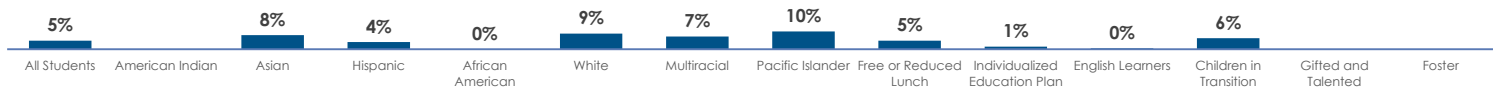


English / Language Arts



English / Language Arts: Percentage achieving "At or Above" standard (2022-2023): 15% - All Students, 0% - American Indian, 20% - Asian, 14% - Hispanic, 0% - African American, 19% - White, 50% - Multiracial, 10% - Pacific Islander, 15% - Free or Reduced Lunch, 1% - Individualized Education Plan, 0% - English Learners, 12% - Children in Transition, 0% - Gifted and Talented, 0% - Foster

Mathematics



Mathematics: Percentage achieving "At or Above" standard (2022-2023): 5% - All Students, 0% - American Indian, 8% - Asian, 4% - Hispanic, 0% - African American, 9% - White, 7% - Multiracial, 10% - Pacific Islander, 5% - Free or Reduced Lunch, 1% - Individualized Education Plan, 0% - English Learners, 6% - Children in Transition, 0% - Gifted and Talented, 0% - Foster



5th Grade Science Assessment

11%

Percentage of students achieving 'At or Above' Standard



Attendance

32%

Percentage of students missing 10% or more of school days

Scan to see more data!

