

## SCHOOL PROFILE

# Hawthorne Elementary

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Hawthorne Elementary School on the east side of Madison is a richly diverse and vibrant learning community. Hawthorne serves students in 4K through 5th grade including a 5K-5th DBE-Developmental Bilingual Education program for primary language Spanish speaking students and a strong English learner support team for all English learners. Hawthorne School is deeply committed to continuous improvement and the success of every child. Strong partnerships with Hawthorne parents, families and the greater Hawthorne and Madison community are integral to our shared success.



School Principal: Beth Lehman

## Equity Vision

As valued, engaged and supported members of the Hawthorne Learning Community, we will build relationships by accepting and celebrating each other for who we are and who we want to become. Together we will take risks and solve problems to provide opportunities for all students to be successful. We will cultivate a lifetime love of learning to help students be college, career and community ready.

## Strengths

Hawthorne's richly diverse learning community and commitment to continuous improvement for all students are key strengths of our learning community. Ongoing improvement efforts facilitate consistent high quality, rigorous, and supportive learning environments for all students. Four-year-old kindergarten through 3rd grade classrooms have approximately 18 students per classroom. Fourth and 5th grade classrooms have approximately 25 students per classroom. The majority of instructional staff have Master's degrees in education or are working toward Master's degrees in various areas of education. Hawthorne's 5K-5th Spanish DBE - development bilingual program and well trained ESL/BRT/BRS staff work in partnership with all staff to support the unique needs of Hawthorne's 44% English learner student population.

## Progress

Hawthorne's 5K-2nd PALs Early Literacy screening results were above district average for 5K-2nd overall and for Caucasian, African American, Asian, low income, Special Education, ELL and Advanced Learners. African American students in 3rd - 5th, as a disaggregated group, exceeded both their proficiency and

growth goals set for the '16-'17 school year in the school improvement plan. 79.2% of Hawthorne's 3rd - 5th grade Hispanic students met their Spring '15 to Spring '16 growth target goals.

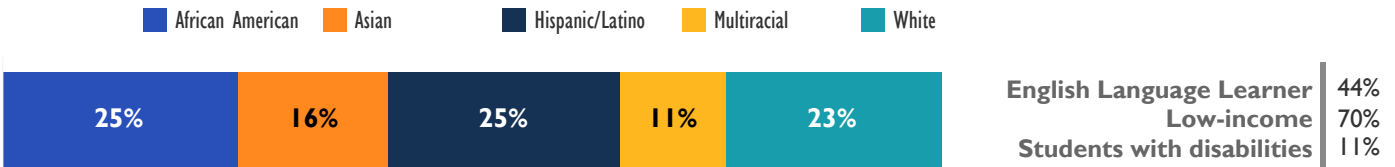
## Area for Growth

Hawthorne's '17-'18 School Improvement Plan focuses on students' continued improvement in reading and writing and social and emotional growth and progress. Through use of quarter long reading and writing plans as well as weekly five-day reading plans for focused instruction teachers will provide appropriately scaffolded standards based instruction for all students. High functioning grade level teaching teams will continue to meet weekly to analyze current student data, reflect on instruction and interventions, and make adjustments for both instruction and intervention for the following week. School staff will continue to focus on building relationships with families through two-way communication and proactive family engagement efforts.

## Vision Connection

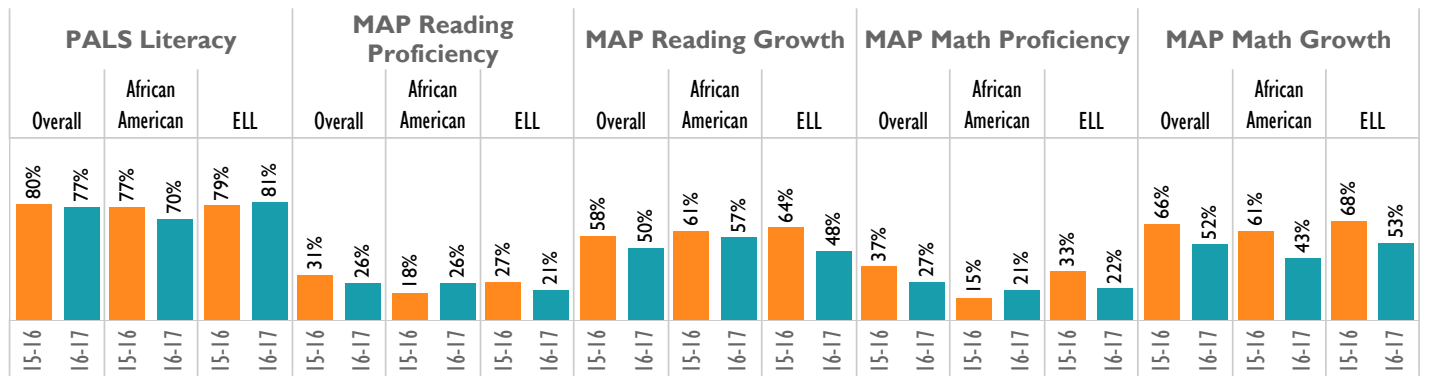
Our school supports MMSD's vision that all students acquire the skills and abilities needed to be successful, including a mastery of content areas, growth mindset, self-knowledge, creativity, wellness, interpersonal skills, confidence, cultural competence, and community connection. Through these skills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

## Demographics



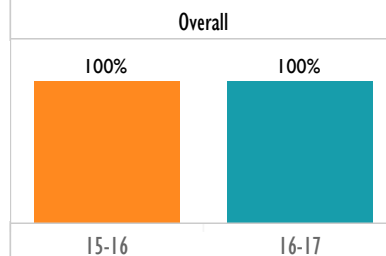
## Strategic Framework Goal #1 Milestones: On-Track to Graduate

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

### Arts Education Participation



Participation rates are based on transcribed courses.

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## 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.

