



Olympic View Elementary

Profile 2008-2009

What Is Special About Our School?

Olympic View Elementary houses approximately 490 students. Built in 1962, its classrooms are more spacious than current building codes demand.

This school accommodates a cultural and economic diversity truly representative of America. Olympic View families consider this diversity an asset and an advantage in promoting world-class skills for all students. The staff also shares this belief and values each child's unique and positive contribution to the school climate.

Olympic View's mission statement reflects a commitment to both academic and emotional intelligence with purpose and unity: staff, parents, community, and students are committed to *"Creating Minds That Think and Hearts That Care."* The school is friendly, and the staff is eager to welcome families into the Olympic View learning team.

The "Welcome Room" helps make the transition into the school relaxed and comfortable. As part of the Success For All program, the first grade teachers and administration staff visits all incoming first graders, promotes parent involvement, uses strategies to meet the needs of individual students having difficulty, implements plans for improved attendance, and uses community and school resources to strengthen educational programs.

On a daily basis, students with similar reading abilities meet in small groups for 90 minutes of learning. Students who need that extra boost are given one-on-one tutoring.

Parent and community input is essential to ensure appropriate direction. The School Leadership Team is one way to become involved in the decision-making process at Olympic View. We invite you to contact the school for details if you would like to participate.

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Principal: Cindy Dracobly (since 2001)

School Built: 1962
School Last Remodeled: NA
Number of Classrooms: 23

Academic and Student Programs

AmeriCorps	Looping Grades
Assemblies, Various	Music Program
Breakfast & Lunch Program	P.E. Specialist
Counselors or Dean	PTA
Cross Grade Tutoring	Safety Patrol
English Language Learners (ELL)	Special Ed Resource Rm.
Extended Learning (ELO)	Spec. Ed Self-contained
GATE Gifted & Talented	Student Led Conferences
Homework Club	Success For All (SFA)
Instructional Coaches (2)	Summer School
Kindergarten All Day	Title 1 School
Kindergarten Integrated	Tutoring
Librarian	

No Child Left Behind Report Card

The No Child Left Behind Act requires all schools and school districts in the United States to prepare annual reports for parents and the public detailing their academic achievement. The State Superintendent of Public Instruction's web site makes this information available on-line. Find your school's report card on-line at <http://reportcard.ospi.k12.wa.us/>, Click on Federal Way in the "Summary" box, and then choose your school from the list. You may also request a paper copy of the report card at your school's office. For more information about the NCLB Act, go to <http://www.nclb.gov/index.html>.

**Student Characteristics
Distribution of Student Ethnicity
(percentage)**

	2006	2007	2008
African American	17.50	11.80	12.10
Asian	10.25	7.40	4.20
Hispanic	35.50	41.20	44.69
Native American	2.75	1.80	1.73
White	23.50	22.00	20.49
Pac Islander	4.50	6.10	5.93
Multi-Racial	5.75	9.00	9.63

Other Student Characteristics

	2006	2007	2008
Number of Students (Oct.)	375	388	405
Free/Reduced Meals	78.4%	80.1%	77.1%

How Are We Using Our Financial Resources?

**Our District
"Per Pupil" Expenditures for 2007-08**

Total Expenditure	\$8,902.00
Supplies & Instructional Materials	\$512.00
Equipment	\$51.00

Our School Funding

Building Expenditures	\$95,375.64
ASB (Associated Student Body) Expenditures	\$3,887.00

Olympic View's funds are used to enhance student curriculum and student programs. Most of the money is used for teaching supplies, materials, equipment, and photocopying for student lessons.

How Are Our Students Doing on Required Tests?

Washington Assessment of Student Learning (WASL)

*Beginning in spring of 2006, the state of Washington requires that the WASL be given at sixth grade.

Percentage Meeting Standard in:

Grade 3				
Math	2005	2006	2007	2008
School	.0	59.0	72.3	58.0
District	.0	70.0	74.1	71.0
Reading	2005	2006	2007	2008
School	.0	48.0	63.6	60.0
District	.0	72.0	73.5	71.0

Grade 4				
Math	2005	2006	2007	2008
School	58.8	61.0	62.0	38.0
District	61.7	66.0	60.1	60.0
Reading	2005	2006	2007	2008
School	80.4	80.0	81.0	69.0
District	84.4	86.0	80.2	77.0
Writing	2005	2006	2007	2008
School	66.0	48.0	55.0	47.0
District	58.6	58.0	56.2	58.0

Grade 5				
Math	2005	2006	2007	2008
School	.0	43.0	53.0	64.0
District	.0	58.0	66.2	69.0
Reading	2005	2006	2007	2008
School	.0	73.0	65.0	73.0
District	.0	82.0	75.3	80.0
Science	2005	2006	2007	2008
School	19.0	10.0	14.0	28.0
District	32.0	30.0	31.2	40.0