



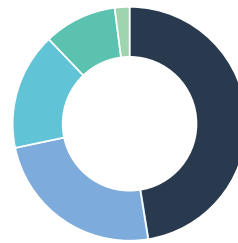
## School Overview

Tillicum is a high achieving middle school serving approximately 800 students. We offer a comprehensive core instructional program, including a variety of elective options such as, World Languages, Drama, Dance, Choir, Band, Orchestra, and Academic/Personal Growth Courses. We are committed to affirming and inspiring each and every student to learn and thrive as creators of their future world.

### Programs Offered

Cascade (special education), International Spanish Academy (immersion), Chinese Dual Language Immersion

## Racial Diversity



24%	Asian
2%	Black
16%	Hispanic
10%	Two or more races
47%	White
N/A	Native American
N/A	Pacific Islander

## School & Student Characteristics <sup>1</sup>

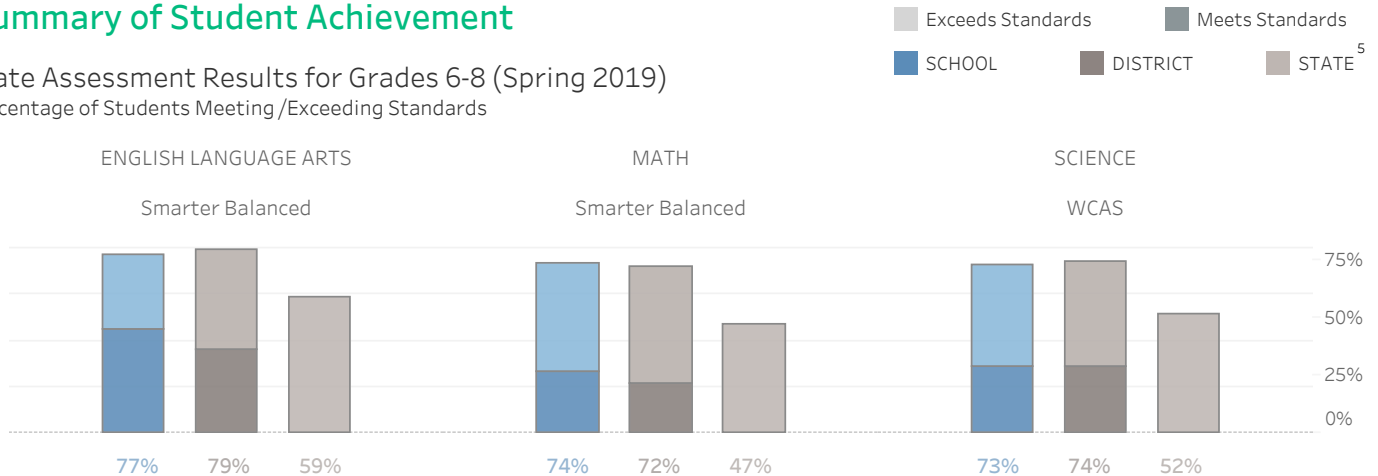
	SCHOOL	DISTRICT <sup>2</sup>
Enrollment	784	683
National Board Certified Teachers	24%	28%
Eligible for Free/Reduced Price Meals	12%	17%
Receiving Special Education Services	10%	8%
English Language Learners	4%	8%
First Language Other Than English	21%	35%
Mobility Rate <sup>3</sup>	4%	7%

## Attendance & Discipline

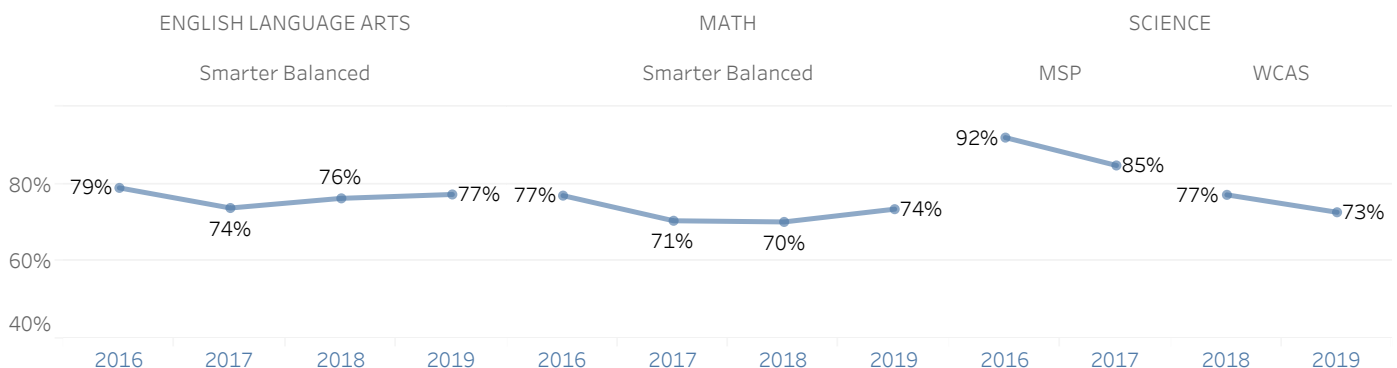
	SCHOOL	DISTRICT
Average Attendance Rate	96%	96%
Students with < 10 Absences Per Year	75%	63%
Students with 18+ Absences Per Year	7%	17%
Suspension Rate	0.9%	3.4%

## Summary of Student Achievement

State Assessment Results for Grades 6-8 (Spring 2019)  
Percentage of Students Meeting/Exceeding Standards



State Assessment Results for Grades 6-8 in the Last Four Years  
Percentage of Students Meeting Standards



## Glossary

### National Board Certified Teachers

The National Board for Professional Teaching Standards offers a voluntary certification process for teachers to show that they have met the organization's standards for effective teaching. Teachers who apply go through a lengthy and rigorous screening process to obtain certification.

### Science Assessments - WCAS/MSP

WCAS stands for Washington Comprehensive Assessment of Science, first administered in Spring 2018 to students state-wide in grades 5, 8 and 11. The WCAS replaces the WA State MSP science assessment. The WCAS is aligned to Next Generation Science Standards, which emphasize engineering and technology. The standards were adopted by the state in 2013. For more information see [www.k12.wa.us/assessment/StateTesting/default.aspx](http://www.k12.wa.us/assessment/StateTesting/default.aspx).

### Smarter Balanced

Starting in 2014-15, Washington State adopted the Smarter Balanced exams to assess student learning in English language arts and math in grades 3-8 and 10-11. These computer-based exams are aligned to the state's Common Core learning standards. For more information see [www.k12.wa.us/assessment/StateTesting/default.aspx](http://www.k12.wa.us/assessment/StateTesting/default.aspx).

### Special Education Services

Neighborhood schools provide a continuum of special education services. We provide specialty centers as well:

\* **Cascade** program for students who benefit from behavioral supports due to emotional stressors.

\* **Evergreen** program to serve young adults (ages 18-21) with disabilities.

\* **Olympic** program to support students on the autism spectrum.

\* **Pacific** program for students with significant developmental and intellectual disabilities.

\* **PALS** (Preschool Age Learning) preschool to provide early intervention services for children with special needs (ages 3-5), together with typically developing peers.

## End Notes

- 1 School and Student Characteristics**  
Data are from October 1, 2018 unless otherwise specified.
- 2 District Average**  
The district averages displayed here are the averages for district middle schools.
- 3 Mobility Rate**  
The percent of students who entered or withdrew from the school between October 1 and June 15, based on October 1 enrollment.
- 4 Suspension Rate**  
The percent of students who received at least one in-school or out-of-school suspension or were expelled over the course of the school year.
- 5 State Assessment Results**  
State pass rate percentages combine "Meets Standard" and "Exceeds Standard."