

L.P. Brown Elementary



2005-06

School Performance Report

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Mission Statement:

We, the community of L.P. Brown Elementary School, work together to create a nurturing, safe and exciting environment where all people are respected, successful and challenged to view learning as a lifelong activity.

About Our School:

L.P. Brown, named after Leland P. Brown, former Olympia teacher, principal and twenty-six year Superintendent of Olympia Schools, is located in the northwest corner of Olympia. It serves over 300 students in kindergarten through fifth grade. In addition, special needs children are served in the building's TEACCH and Infant Toddler Programs.

The school was originally built in 1965. In 1968, additions were made to the school, which included the library and a six-classroom wing expansion. In 1978, the multipurpose building was expanded, increasing the size of the gymnasium. In 1986, a covered playshed structure was constructed. Separate areas for the bus and parent drop-off, a set of new student lavatories and fire sprinklers for the main building were completed in September 1997. The addition of six classrooms in a new wing and a remodeled music room was finished in January 1998, giving L.P. Brown a total of 18 classrooms. In 2005, additions to and modernization of the building included expansion of the school administration and kitchen areas, a new multipurpose room, music room, added storage and accessibility improvements. All existing facilities, except for the classrooms added in 1998, were fully modernized. Site work included utility and drainage upgrades, plus landscape and walkway improvements.

During the school year, L.P. Brown provides space for the YMCA's before- and after-school childcare, and evenings find the building used for sports activities by the YMCA and Olympia Parks and Recreation, as well as school and community meetings.

2005-06 School Facts:

Based on the October 1, 2005 enrollment report, there are 305 students enrolled at L.P. Brown Elementary School with an ethnic composition of:

African American	4.9%
American Indian	0.3%
Asian American	5.2%
Caucasian	83.6%
Hispanic	4.3%

There are 49.5% male students and 50.5% female students. The student attendance rate is 98.41%.

L.P. Brown has a total of 20 certificated teachers.

- Average years of teacher experience: 15.1
- Teachers with at least a Master's Degree: 80.0%

For more detail about L.P. Brown Elementary, visit the [Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction Washington State Report Card website.](#)

Olympia School District Mission Statement

We will create, in partnership with our staff, families, and community, challenging opportunities for all students to be successful as they become responsible and contributing citizens, and masters of the knowledge and skills essential for lifelong learning in our changing and diverse world.



To see the No Child Left Behind (NCLB) report for your school, visit <http://reportcard.ospi.k12.wa.us>

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How are we doing?

Students in 3rd grade through 5th grade are required to take the Washington Assessment of Student Learning (WASL). The scores represent the percent of students meeting the state requirements.

2005-06 3rd Grade

	Our School	Our District	WA State
Reading	85.0	78.5	68.2
Math	80.0	76.6	64.2

2004-05 4th Grade

	Our School	Our District	WA State		Our School	Our District	WA State
Reading	80	86	79		100.0	91.3	81.1
Writing	51	61	58		76.0	69.2	60.3
Math	74	71	61		85.7	74.3	58.9

2005-06 4th Grade

2004-05 5th Grade

	Our School	Our District	WA State		Our School	Our District	WA State
Reading					89.5	87.7	76.2
Math					72.5	70.7	55.8
Science	45	48	36		67.5	48.5	35.7

2005-06 5th Grade

Measures of Academic Progress (MAP)

(RIT) (150-270)

Reading

	2004-05	2005-06		2004-05	2005-06
Grade 2	196	193		194	196
Grade 3	211	207		213	211
Grade 4	213	214		220	221
Grade 5	219	218		223	225

Math

2005-06 District Operating Budget

INCOME

Local, Taxes	\$12,374,820	.....18.20%
Local, Non-tax	\$3,420,837	.....5.03%
State, General	\$38,899,771	.....57.22%
State, Special	\$9,193,079	.....13.52%
Federal	\$3,644,570	.....5.36%
Other	\$449,097	.....0.66%
Total	\$67,982,174	.....100%

EXPENDITURES

Salary Costs.....	\$57,839,183	.....85.73%
Supplies/Equipment.....	\$3,488,998	.....5.17%
Purchased Services	\$5,554,780	.....8.23%
Travel	\$122,614	.....0.18%
Capital Outlay	\$462,759	.....0.69%
Total	\$67,468,334	.....100%

Expenditure per Student... \$7,827.96

You Are Invited...

The Olympia School District welcomes and encourages volunteer involvement from parents and other members of the community. Every year, more than 3,600 citizens donate their time to Olympia schools, giving nearly 150,000 hours. Examples of volunteer work include tutoring students, helping out in school libraries or offices, assisting teachers with daily assignments or special projects, being a guest speaker, serving as an Art Partner or Lunch Buddy, and serving on School-Based Management Councils, planning, or advisory committees. To volunteer, drop by or call **L.P. Brown Elementary School** at 596-6800.

Our School Improvement Plan:

GOAL 1: READING - By spring of 2007, 87% of the L.P. Brown 4th graders will meet/exceed Reading Standards on the Washington Assessment of Student Learning.

GOAL 2: MATH - By spring of 2007, 80% of Brown's 4th graders will meet or exceed standards in Math on the WASL.

GOAL 3: WRITING - By spring of 2007, 75% of the L.P. Brown 4th grade students will meet/exceed Writing Standards on the Washington Assessment of Student Learning.

GOAL 4: SCIENCE - By spring of 2007, 60% of Brown's 5th graders will meet or exceed standards in Science on the WASL.

GOAL 5: L.P. Brown will maintain a safe and nurturing environment conducive to student learning.

GOAL 6: Brown staff will develop a partnership with our community to collaboratively provide programs and activities that support academic achievement and social growth.

GOAL 7: Brown will continue to seek opportunities to integrate technology into the basic curriculum.

For further information, please call your local school or visit our website at <http://osd.wednet.edu>

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