

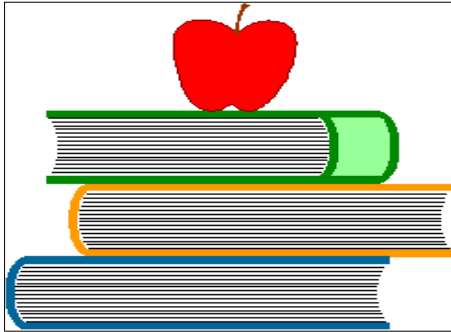
Lowndes County School District

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ACCREDITATION LEVEL: 3

1998-99 Performance Index: 3.0
 1997-98 Performance Index: 3.0
 1996-97 Performance Index: 3.4
 1995-96 Performance Index: 3.5



Demographic Information		
'97-'98 Enroll.	District	State
Students: (K-12)	5,708	504,792
White	58.64%	47.81%
Black	40.93%	51.03%
Asian	0.19%	0.59%
Native American	0.09%	0.15%
Hispanic	0.16%	0.43%

% of Students in Lowest Quarter		
Battery	% < Q1	Rank
ITBS Grade 4	21.9%	63
ITBS Grade 5	22.2%	64
ITBS Grade 6	23.4%	91
ITBS Grade 7	26.9%	88
ITBS Grade 8	19.7%	80
TAP Grade 9	20.5%	54
FLE Composite	21.9%	58
Algebra I	20.5%	72
US History	16.9%	45
Biology	21.6%	65

Mississippi Report Card

Data represent School Year 1997-1998 information

	District Information			Performance Standards				
	District	State	Rank	District	State	Rank		
Student/Teacher Info	Attendance as % of Enrollment	97.49%	96.75%	38	ITBS Grade 4 Read.	46.9	46.1	62
	% Eligible for Free Lunch	41.94%	54.62%	32	ITBS Grade 4 Lang.	49.5	49.4	63
	Number of Carnegie Units Taught	85.5	77.53	52	ITBS Grade 4 Math	51.4	49.8	53
	Classroom Pupil/Teacher Ratio	16.86	16.00	113	ITBS Grade 5 Read.	47.0	45.2	52
	Number of Dropouts	99	10,150	N/A	ITBS Grade 5 Lang.	49.9	49.0	53
	% Teachers with Advanced Degrees	24.22%	30.72%	114	ITBS Grade 5 Math	48.0	48.1	73
	% Emergency Licenses	0.63%	2.92%	N/A	ITBS Grade 6 Read.	48.6	48.7	62
	Number of Gifted Program Teachers	7	672.94	N/A	ITBS Grade 6 Lang.	48.8	50.5	91
	% Gifted Students (Grades 2-12)	5.37%	6.53%	66	ITBS Grade 6 Math	46.7	50.3	101
	Special Ed	% Special Education Students	8.01%	12.09%	N/A	ITBS Grade 7 Read.	47.4	46.9
% Receiving Diplomas		18.75%	18.71%	51	ITBS Grade 7 Lang.	47.5	50.5	99
Federal Special Education Budget		\$274,584	\$31,950,413	34	ITBS Grade 7 Math	46.4	47.9	77
State/Local Special Ed. Budget		\$1,295,074	\$152,979,316	28	ITBS Grade 8 Read.	52.7	50.6	51
Voc Ed	Number of Vocational Teachers	13	1,732.09	51	ITBS Grade 8 Lang.	51.1	51.3	73
	% Students in Voc. Prog. (Gr. 7-8)	55.40%	63.26%	94	ITBS Grade 8 Math	46.3	48.1	85
	% Students in Voc. Prog. (Gr. 9-12)	35.35%	73.18%	143	TAP Grade 9 Read.	50.1	46.5	37
Financial Info	Total Per Pupil Expenditure	\$4,033	\$4,777	144	TAP Grade 9 Lang.	51.5	49.9	48
	Estimated State/Local Per Pupil Exp.	\$3,547	\$4,107	136	TAP Grade 9 Math	47.0	45.4	54
	Estimated Federal Per Pupil Exp.	\$486	\$670	125	P.A. Grade 4 Lang.	466.3	463.2	65
	% District Administration Expend.	1.65%	3.30%	3	P.A. Grade 4 Math	468.8	455.3	56
	Total Operational Levy	41.77	38.50	53	P.A. Grade 5 Lang.	479.0	470.3	53
	Debt Service Levy	7.20	N/A	N/A	P.A. Grade 5 Math	446.7	443.4	71
	Valuation Per Student in ADA	\$25,067	\$25,927	44	P.A. Grade 6 Lang.	471.6	475.6	80
Title I	Title I Allocation	\$928,262	\$122,792,031	45	P.A. Grade 6 Math	440.3	452.9	92
	% Used for Classroom Instruction	82.00%	80.77%	48	P.A. Grade 7 Lang.	482.8	484.2	77
	Number of Eligible Children	1,993	286,334	55	P.A. Grade 7 Math	447.3	453.6	76
	% of Eligible Children Served	100.00%	95.71%	1	P.A. Grade 8 Lang.	473.5	464.3	58
Other	Number of Title I Schools	6	677	22	P.A. Grade 8 Math	431.4	435.5	76
	Number of AP Courses Offered	4	N/A	N/A	P.A. Grade 9 Lang.	464.4	460.3	61
	AP Students as % of HS Enrollment	13.8%	N/A	N/A	P.A. Grade 9 Math	442.3	437.5	62
	Graduation Rate	77.44%	73.81%	60	FLE Reading	269.7	269.8	66
	Mean ACT Core Composite Score	20.2	19.9	61	FLE Math	269.6	265.6	45
	IHL (% ACT Core)	40.9%	39.4%	49	FLE Written Comm.	269.0	266.6	46
					Algebra I	303.8	301.7	58
					US History	303.7	301.7	57
					Biology	300.4	300.0	66