



Buffalo Ridge Elementary  
Board Report  
2023-2024

## School Demographics

Staff	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024
Certified	36	35	35
ESP	27	25	24

## School Enrollment

Fall	K	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	Total
Oct. 1st 2021	60	62	48	67	62	61	66	426
Oct. 1st 2022	50	65	59	41	64	61	66	406
2023-2024 (Current)	61	55	61	63	50	59	56	405

## Subgroups

\*Subgroup data from the state is a year behind.

		2021-2022			2022-2023			2023-2024 (Current)		
Category		School	District	State	School	District	State	School	District	State
Gender	Female	50%	49%	48%	51%	50%	48%	49%	49%	TBD
	Male	50%	51%	52%	49%	50%	52%	51%	51%	TBD
IEP		13%	11%	17%	12%	12%	15%	15%	13%	TBD
Free/Reduced		10%	28%	35%	23%	39%	34%	29%	34%	TBD
Mobility		13%	16%	NA	13%	15%	NA	TBD	TBD	NA
ELL		0%	4%	3%	0%	4%	2%	1%	4%	TBD
Ethnicity	White	90%	83%	78%	91%	85%	77%	91%	84%	TBD
	Hispanic	5%	12%	14%	5%	11%	15%	5%	11%	TBD
Other Minority		5%	5%	8%	4%	4%	8%	4%	5%	TBD

# Overall School Performance

## Overall School Performance on Indicators

Indicator	WAEA Target Level	ESSA Norm Category	Count of Students	Description
Growth	Meets Target 52	Average 51.8	167	WAEA: The mean student growth percentile (MGP) in reading and math combined for all students in grades four through eight as measured from prior year PAWS to current year WY-TOPP.
			167	ESSA: The mean student growth percentile (MGP) in ELA and math combined for all students grades four through ten.
Equity	Meets Target 48	Average 47.9	58 ; 141	The weighted mean student growth percentile (MGP) with MGP of students who scored in the bottom 25% of students on the prior year test weighted at 80% and the MGP of the remaining students weighted at 20%.The reported count of students for this indicator reflects the number of students with tests in the consolidated subgroup and the number of students with tests not included in the consolidated subgroup. In some cases, students have a test in each group.
Achievement*	Meets Target 52	Average 52.5	220	WAEA: The percent proficient or above on the state test in English language arts, mathematics, and science.
			220	ESSA: The percent proficient or above on the state test in English language arts and mathematics.
ELP	N/A	N/A	1	The percent of English learners who met their annual goal for English language proficiency.

\* A school's achievement score may be lowered if the school does not meet the 95% participation rate requirement

WY-TOPP Participation Rate Status WAEA: **Met**

WY-TOPP Participation Rate Status ESSA: **Met**

ACCESS Participation Rate Status WAEA and ESSA: **Met**

## Overall School Performance

	WAEA Performance Category Cut Scores			ESSA Performance Category Cut Scores		
	Below Targets	Meeting Targets	Exceeding Targets	Below Average	Average	Above Average
Growth	< 48	>= 48 and < 60	>= 60	< 47.1	>= 47.1 and < 54.5	>= 54.5
Equity	< 48	>= 48 and < 60	>= 60	< 47.5	>= 47.5 and < 56.2	>= 56.2
Achievement	< 51	>= 51 and < 68	>= 68	< 47.7	>= 47.7 and < 58.6	>= 58.6
ELP	< 36	>= 36 and < 60	>= 60	< 27.7	>= 27.7 and < 50.0	>= 50.0

State Assessment (WY-TOPP)

\*Students will demonstrate proficiency or growth as measured by WY TOPP

		School 2022	School 2023
Grade	Subject	% Proficient & Advanced	% Proficient & Advanced
3	ELA	47.70	44.70
3	Math	47.70	42.50
4	ELA	34.40	39.40
4	Math	53.10	63.60
4	Science	50.00	51.60
5	ELA	60.30	44.80
5	Math	49.20	37.90
6	ELA	49.20	65.10
6	Math	54.00	68.30

\*Grade levels will exceed the state average in content areas measured by WY TOPP

		School 2023	State 2023
Grade	Subject	% Proficient & Advanced	% Proficient & Advanced
3	ELA	44.70	48.25
3	Math	42.50	53.52
4	ELA	39.40	45.48
4	Math	63.60	51.10
4	Science	51.50	50.23
5	ELA	44.80	54.87
5	Math	37.90	53.66
6	ELA	65.10	59.84
6	Math	68.30	51.48

Overall School Performance (Past Six School Years)

School Year	Overall Rating
2017-2018	Meeting Expectations
2018-2019	Partially Meeting Expectations
2019-2020	No Rating
2020-2021	No Rating
2021-2022	Partially Meeting Expectations
2022-2023	Meeting Expectations

# **SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT GOALS**

## **MATH:**

Buffalo Ridge will continue our work in creating assessments for math standards using proficiency scales (focus on 6th grade) in the PLC process. Data from a variety of district and school assessments will be used to create and modify Tier II intervention groups to support equity and growth students.

## **ELA:**

Buffalo Ridge will commit the PLC process to ELA (all grades) to ensure core instruction around the first essential question of a PLC. (What is it all students must know?) We will also use reading diagnostic assessments (FastBridge) along with SPR Equity students to target struggling readers to create IRP's k-6.

## **SCIENCE:**

Buffalo Ridge will use Panorama to build background science knowledge that will help students continue our improvement of our Science score as measured by the state assessment.

## **WELL-BEING:**

Buffalo Ridge will focus on supporting and celebrating student and staff successes to support a positive school culture. This will include celebrations and recognitions around grade level goals, Bison of the Quarter, Teacher Feature of the Month, Staff Shout Outs, Staff Appreciation days... Buffalo Ridge Hope Squad is also in its 3rd year, with each year bringing more recognition to the students as resources to one another.

# **ACCOUNTABILITY REPORT GOALS**

## **GROWTH & EQUITY:**

Buffalo Ridge will increase overall equity in 6th grade Math by 5% as measured by the 2023-24 summative state assessment.

Buffalo Ridge will increase overall equity in 5th grade ELA by 5% as measured by the 2023-24 summative state assessment.

## **ACHIEVEMENT:**

Buffalo Ridge will shift our PLC focus from math to ELA and the use of Panorama as a primary resource to focus on the first essential question of a PLC (What is it all students must know?).