

SCHOOL PROFILE AND PERFORMANCE REPORT FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2014–15



Torrington School Torrington School District

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School Information

Grade Range PK-5
Enrollment 615

Community Information

[CERC Town Profiles](#) provide summary demographic and economic information for Connecticut's municipalities

Related Reports/Publications

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Notes

Unless otherwise noted, all data are for 2014-15 and include all grades offered by the school.

In most tables, data are displayed only for the three major race/ethnicity categories. For additional race/ethnicity categories, please visit [EdSight \(EdSight.ct.gov\)](http://EdSight.EdSight.ct.gov).

For district totals, please see the district profile.

* When an asterisk is displayed, data have been suppressed to ensure student confidentiality.

N/A is displayed when a category is not applicable for a district or school.

Students

October 1, 2014 Enrollment

	School		District
	Count	Percent of Total (%)	Percent of Total (%)
Female	296	48.1	45.9
Male	319	51.9	54.1
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0.0	0.2
Asian	30	4.9	3.2
Black or African American	*	*	4.2
Hispanic or Latino	90	14.6	21.2
Pacific Islander	*	*	0.2
Two or More Races	16	2.6	3.5
White	463	75.3	67.5
English Language Learners	63	10.2	8.5
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	224	36.4	50.2
Students with Disabilities ¹	72	11.7	18.0

¹Students in this category are students with Individualized Education Programs (IEPs) only. This category does not include students with Section 504 Plans.

Chronic Absenteeism and Suspension/Expulsion

	Chronic Absenteeism ²		Suspension/Expulsion ³	
	Count	Rate (%)	Count	Rate (%)
Female	14	4.7	*	*
Male	21	6.5	*	*
Black or African American	*	*	0	*
Hispanic or Latino	8	8.2	*	*
White	22	4.7	*	*
English Language Learners	*	*	0	0.0
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	22	9.6	6	2.5
Students with Disabilities	11	12.9	*	*
School	35	5.6	9	1.4
District		10.8		7.8

Number of students in 2013-14 qualified as truant under state statute: 61

²A student is chronically absent if he/she misses ten percent or greater of the total number of days enrolled in the school year for any reason. Pre-Kindergarten students are excluded from this calculation.

³The count and percentage of students who receive at least one in-school suspension, out-of-school suspension or expulsion.

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Educators

Full-Time Equivalent (FTE)¹ Staff

	FTE
General Education	
Teachers and Instructors	40.6
Paraprofessional Instructional Assistants	0.0
Special Education	
Teachers and Instructors	5.2
Paraprofessional Instructional Assistants	11.0
Administrators, Coordinators and Department Chairs	
School Level	2.0
Library/Media	
Specialists (Certified)	1.0
Support Staff	1.0
Instructional Specialists Who Support Teachers	2.0
Counselors, Social Workers and School Psychologists	2.5
School Nurses	2.0
Other Staff Providing Non-Instructional Services/Support	13.0

¹In the full-time equivalent count, staff members working part-time in the school are counted as a fraction of full-time. For example, a teacher who works half-time in a school contributes 0.50 to the school's staff count.

Educators by Race/Ethnicity

	School Count	School Percent of Total (%)	District Percent of Total (%)
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0.0	0.5
Asian	0	0.0	0.5
Black or African American	1	1.7	0.7
Hispanic or Latino	0	0.0	3.9
Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0.0
Two or More Races	0	0.0	0.0
White	57	98.3	94.3

Classes Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers²

School	Percent of Total (%)
School	100.0
School Poverty Quartile: Middle	
State High Poverty Quartile Schools	97.9
State Low Poverty Quartile Schools	99.6

²Core academic classes taught by teachers who are fully certified to teach in that subject area.

Classroom Teacher Attendance, 2013-14

	School	District
Average # of FTE Days Absent Due to Illness or Personal Time	11.2	10.8

Instruction and Resources

School Schedule

Days of Instruction	181
Hours of Instruction Per Year	
Grades 1-12 and Full-Day Kindergarten	938
Half/Extended Day Kindergarten	N/A

School Hours for Students	
Start Time	09:00 AM
End Time	03:30 PM

Students with Disabilities Who Spend 79.1 to 100 Percent of Time with Nondisabled Peers³

	Count	Rate (%)
Autism	13	*
Emotional Disturbance	N/A	N/A
Intellectual Disability	0	0.0
Learning Disability	18	90.0
Other Health Impairment	12	*
Other Disabilities	*	*
Speech/Language Impairment	8	*
School	53	77.9
District		54.2

³Ages 6-21

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Performance and Accountability

School Performance Index (SPI)

A School Performance Index (SPI) is the average performance of students in a subject area (i.e., ELA, Mathematics or Science) on the state summative assessments. The SPI ranges from 0-100. An SPI is reported for all students tested in a school and for students in each individual student group. Connecticut's ultimate target for an SPI is 75.

	English Language Arts(ELA)		Math		Science	
	Count	SPI	Count	SPI	Count	SPI
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
Asian	12	*	12	*	6	*
Black or African American	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic or Latino	49	69.4	49	57.1	8	*
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	0	*
Two or More Races	10	*	10	*	0	*
White	237	72.6	237	61.2	73	54.8
English Language Learners	30	59.5	30	51.7	8	*
Non-English Language Learners	289	72.9	289	60.9	81	55.8
Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	117	66.4	117	56.1	33	52.9
Not Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Meals	202	74.7	202	62.4	56	55.9
Students with Disabilities	52	57.9	52	50.0	17	*
Students without Disabilities	267	74.3	267	62.0	72	57.3
High Needs	149	65.6	149	55.7	44	50.7
Non-High Needs	170	77.0	170	63.9	45	58.8
School	319	71.7	319	60.1	89	54.8

National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP): Percent At or Above Proficient¹

	NAEP 2015		NAEP 2013
	Grade 4	Grade 8	Grade 12
READING			
Connecticut	43%	43%	50%
National Public	35%	33%	36%
MATH			
Connecticut	41%	36%	32%
National Public	39%	32%	25%

¹NAEP is often called the "Nation's Report Card." It is sponsored by the U.S. Department of Education. This table compares Connecticut's performance to that of national public school students. Performance standards for state assessments and NAEP are set independently. Therefore, one should not expect performance results to be the same across Smarter Balanced and NAEP. Instead, NAEP results are meant to complement other state assessment data. To view student subgroup performance on NAEP, [click here](#).

Physical Fitness Tests: Students Reaching Health Standard²

	Percent of Students by Grade ³ (%)				All Tested Grades	
	4	6	8	10	Count	Rate (%)
Sit & Reach	85.2	N/A	N/A	N/A	128	85.2
Curl Up	84.4	N/A	N/A	N/A	128	84.4
Push Up	74.2	N/A	N/A	N/A	128	74.2
Mile Run/PACER	83.6	N/A	N/A	N/A	128	83.6
All Tests - School	52.3	N/A	N/A	N/A	128	52.3
All Tests - District	49.7	24.6	12.4	64.4		40.0

²The Connecticut Physical Fitness Assessment (CPFA) is administered to all students in Grades 4, 6, 8 and 10. The health-related fitness scores gathered through the CPFA should be used to educate and motivate children and their families to increase physical activity and develop lifetime fitness habits.

³Only students assessed in all four areas are included in this calculation.

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Next Generation Accountability Results

These statistics are the first results from Connecticut's Next Generation Accountability System for districts and schools. This system is a broad set of 12 indicators that help tell the story of how well a school is preparing its students for success in college, careers and life. It moves beyond test scores and graduation rates and instead provides a more holistic, multifactor perspective of district and school performance and incorporates student growth over time.

Indicator		Index/Rate	Target	Points	Max	% Points	State Average
ELA Performance Index	All Students	71.7	75	95.5	100	95.5	67.9
	High Needs Students	65.6	75	87.4	100	87.4	56.7
Math Performance Index	All Students	60.1	75	80.1	100	80.1	59.3
	High Needs Students	55.7	75	74.2	100	74.2	47.8
Science Performance Index	All Students	54.8	75	73.1	100	73.1	56.5
	High Needs Students	50.7	75	67.6	100	67.6	45.9
Chronic Absenteeism	All Students	5.6%	<=5%	48.8	50	97.6	10.6%
	High Needs Students	9.1%	<=5%	41.8	50	83.6	17.3%
Preparation for CCR	% Taking Courses	N/A	75%	0.0	0	0.0	66.1%
	% Passing Exams	N/A	75%	0.0	0	0.0	37.3%
On-track to High School Graduation		N/A	94%	0.0	0	0.0	85.6%
4-year Graduation All Students (2014 Cohort)		N/A	94%	0.0	0	0.0	87.0%
6-year Graduation - High Needs Students (2012 Cohort)		N/A	94%	0.0	0	0.0	77.6%
Postsecondary Entrance (Class of 2014)		N/A	75%	0.0	0	0.0	72.8%
Physical Fitness (estimated part rate) and (fitness rate)		97.7% 52.3%	75%	34.9	50	69.8	87.6% 51.0%
Arts Access		N/A	60%	0.0	0	0.0	45.7%
Accountability Index				603.4	750	80.5	

Gap Indicators	Non-High Needs Rate ¹	High Needs Rate	Size of Gap	State Gap Mean + 1 Stdev ²	Is Gap an Outlier? ²
Achievement Gap Size Outlier?					N
ELA Performance Index Gap	75.0	65.6	9.4	16.8	
Math Performance Index Gap	63.9	55.7	8.2	19.5	
Science Performance Index Gap	58.8	50.7	8.2	17.3	
Graduation Rate Gap	

¹If the Non-High Needs Rate exceeds the ultimate target (75 for Performance Index and 94% for graduation rate), then the ultimate target is displayed and used for gap calculations.

²If the size of the gap exceeds the state mean gap plus one standard deviation, then the gap is an outlier.

Subject/Subgroup	Participation Rate (%)	
ELA	All Students	99.1
	High Needs Students	98.1
Math	All Students	99.1
	High Needs Students	98.1
Science	All Students	98.9
	High Needs Students	97.8

Supporting Resources

- [Two-page FAQ](#)
- [Detailed Presentation](#)
- [Using Accountability Results to Guide Improvement: comprehensive documentation and supports](#)