



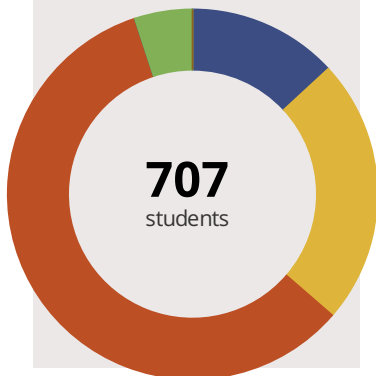
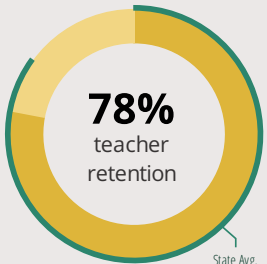
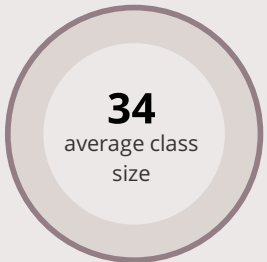
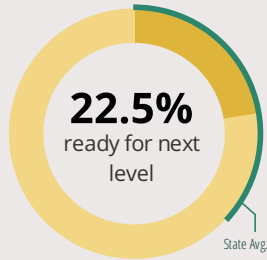
Dirksen Junior High School

203 S Midland Ave Joliet, IL 60436 (815) 729-1566

Grades: 6 - 8
District: Joliet PSD 86

Principal: Markisha Mitchell
Superintendent: Dr. Theresa Rouse

FAST FACTS



Academic Success

Middle All Illinois students in grades 3-8 take the PARCC assessment each year. High school students take the SAT in Math and English Language Arts.

School	Fewer than 10 students
District	Fewer than 10 students
State	Fewer than 10 students

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 ■ Partially Met
 ■ Approached
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Success by Student Group

This display shows PARCC performance levels for each student group. No data is shown for groups with fewer than 10 students.

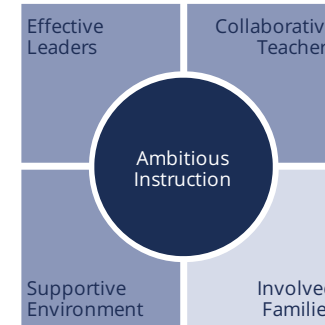
White	Fewer than 10 students
Black	Fewer than 10 students
Hispanic	Fewer than 10 students
Low Income	Fewer than 10 students
English Learners	Fewer than 10 students
With Disabilities	Fewer than 10 students

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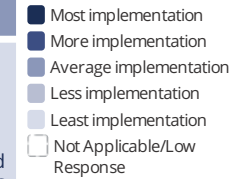
Student Characteristics

■ White	13%	■ Low Income	100%
■ Black	23%	■ English Learners	19%
■ Hispanic	58%	■ With Disabilities	13%
■ Asian	0%	■ Homeless	3%
■ American Indian	0%		
■ Two or More Races	5%		
■ Pacific Islander	0%		

School Environment



The **5Essentials Survey** allows students in grades 6-12 and all teachers to share their perspectives on essential conditions for learning. The anonymous survey consists of 5 components.



Response Rates	
Students	100%
Teachers	100%

Average Effective Leaders

Do principals and teachers implement a shared vision for success?

Average Collaborative Teachers

Do teachers collaborate to promote professional growth?

Most Ambitious Instruction

Are the classes challenging and engaging?

Average Supportive Environment

Is the school safe, demanding, and supportive?

Least Involved Families

Does the entire staff build strong external relationships?

Student Attendance and Mobility

Attendance Rate

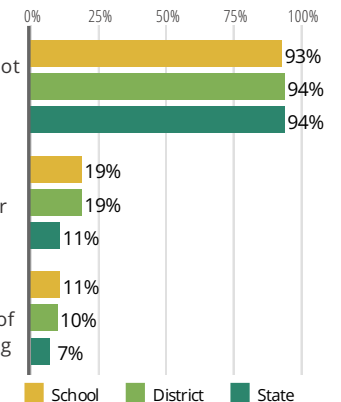
Rate at which students are present at school, not including excused or unexcused absences

Chronic Truancy Rate

Percentage of students who have been absent without valid reasons for 5% or more of regular school days

Student Mobility

Percentage of students who transfer in or out of the school during the school year, not including graduates





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School Highlights

Academic Courses

Band, Dance, Orchestra

Career Development Courses and Programs

Physical Education, Health and Wellness

Athletics

Boy's Basketball, Boy's Cross Country, Boy's Soccer, Boy's Wrestling, Cheerleading Club, Girl's Basketball, Girl's Cross Country, Girl's Soccer, Girl's Volleyball

Other Programs and Activities

Communications Club, Family Nights, Mentoring Program, National Honor Society, Scholastic Bowl, Technology Club, Tutoring Program, Yearbook Club

School Personnel Resources

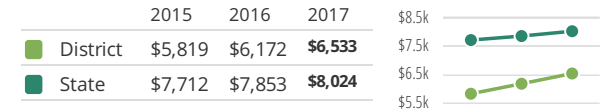
Paraprofessional, Special Education Teacher, Supervisory Dean

School Awards

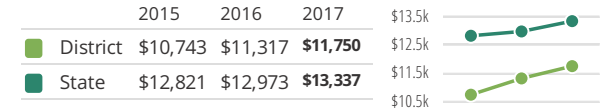
Facilities

District Finance

Instructional Spending per Pupil includes only the activities directly dealing with the teaching of students or the interaction between teachers and students.



Operational Spending per Pupil includes all costs for overall operations in this school's district, including Instructional Spending, but excluding summer school, adult education, capital expenditures, and long-term debt payments.



Educator Measures

This school has had **3 principal(s)** over the past 6 years. In the last three years, an average of **78% of teachers** return to this school each year.

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Most of this data has been collected by ISBE from school districts through data systems. Some information, such as the School Highlights, is entered directly by principals and can be updated throughout the year.