

A quick reference to Springfield Public Schools

SPS Flash Facts

Highlights

- SPS is the largest public school district in Missouri.
- SPS students achieved an average composite score on the ACT of 22.9 compared with the state average of 21.6 and the national average of 21.1.
- SPS serves 6,900 breakfast meals and 13,950 lunch meals daily.
- SPS buses travel 10,787 miles daily to transport an average of 7,536 students.
- SPS financial information:
Revenue \$203,261,268
Expenditures \$194,981,382
Total Levy \$3.6226
2010-2011 data
- All five high schools participate in the A+ program.
- Central High School is currently ranked as a silver International Baccalaureate School with a 27.8% participation rate and an 88.7% IB exam pass rate
- SPS Learning Model focuses on communication, collaboration and critical thinking to prepare students and staff for the 21st century.

Enrollment

Student population (Sept. 2011)	
Elementary schools	11,860
Middle schools	5,411
High schools	<u>7,095</u>
Total	24,366

Peak enrollment
26,084 students (1970-1971)

Graduation rate **82.8%**

Dropout rate **2.7%**

Socioeconomic status (2010-2011)
50.5 percent of all students are eligible for free or reduced price meals.

Average daily attendance (2009-2010)

Elementary schools	95.24%
Middle schools	94.98%
High schools	92.89%
District	94.50%

Population diversity (Sept. 2011)

African-American	8.2%
Asian	2.8%
Hispanic	3.7%
Native American	0.6%
White	84.1%

Personnel

The district is the fourth largest employer in Springfield with over 3,300 employees: 1,783 certified, 1,394 support personnel and 199 administrators.

Staffing ratios

Students/classroom teacher	20
Students/administrator	252

School information

Number of buildings

36 elementary schools
1 5-6 school
9 middle schools
5 high schools
3 alternative education centers
1 gifted education center
2 early childhood centers

Building hours

Elementary schools- varies by site
Middle schools-8 a.m. to 2:45 p.m.
High schools-8 a.m. to 2:50 p.m.
KAC-8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Geographic area

Organized in 1867, the district has grown to an area of 138 square miles which includes the city of Springfield and parts of Greene County.

Stability rate

Students who attended the same local school for the entire 2010-2011 school year:

Elementary schools	84.5%
Middle schools	87.9%
High schools	87.7%
District	86.2%

Strategic plan

Our strategic plan, SP5, is a roadmap to the future of public education. It was developed with input gathered from thousands of citizen surveys, numerous focus groups and meetings with business leaders, teachers, and staff

District mission and goals

Mission: *Springfield Public Schools exists for the academic excellence of all students.*

Goals:

- *Improve student achievement.*
- *Improve graduation rate.*
- *Ensure effective and efficient use of resources.*



Helpful phone numbers

Elementary schools

Bingham	523-3400
Principal	Adam Meador
Bissett	523-2800
Principal	Marcie Stallcup
Bowerman	523-1400
Principal	Joe Dye
Boyd	523-1500
Principal	James Grandon
Campbell	523-3200
Principal	John Mott
Cowden	523-3500
Principal	Cherie Norman
Delaware	523-3700
Principal	Beth Engelhart
Disney	523-3600
Principal	Lynne Miller
Field	523-4800
Principal	Janell Bagwell
Fremont	523-1700
Principal	Nancy Brake-Johnson
Gray	523-4000
Principal	Angie Carder
Harrison	523-5800
Principal	Chris Mendel
Hickory Hills	523-7100
Principal	Kelly Allison
Holland	523-4100
Principal	Nicole Kimbrough
Jeffries	523-3900
Principal	Liz Cooper
Mann	523-4400
Principal	Teri Peterson
McBride	523-4500
Principal	Robert Reed
McGregor	523-5700
Principal	Sara Shevchuk
Pershing	523-2400
Principal	Natalie Cauldwell
Pittman	523-4700
Principal	Laura Batson
Pleasant View	523-2100
Principal	Julie Steiger

Portland	523-4600
Principal	Lora Hopper
Robberson	523-1800
Principal	Kevin Huffman
Rountree	523-5200
Principal	David Martin
Sequiota	523-5100
Principal	Kristi Johnson
Sherwood	523-4300
Principal	Lesa Conn-Haase
Sunshine	523-5000
Principal	Rene' Saner
Truman	523-5100
Principal	Stephanie Young
Twain	523-4300
Principal	Stacey Manlove
Watkins	523-5000
Principal	Janine Forrester
Weaver	523-1200
Principal	Janelle Andrus
Weller	523-1900
Principal	Marilyn Monroe
Westport	523-3100
Principal	Gary Tew
Wilder	523-5300
Principal	Jason Steingraber
Williams	523-2000
Principal	Jennifer Webb
York	523-3000
Principal	Gary Danielson

5-6-intermediate school

Wilson's Creek	523-7800
Principal	Karyn Christy

Middle schools

Carver	523-6800
Principal	Dr. Dan O'Reilly
Cherokee	523-7200
Principal	Bill Powers
Hickory Hills	523-7100
Principal	Kelly Allison
Jarrett	523-6600
Principal	Teresa Wise

Pershing	523-2400
Principal	Natalie Cauldwell
Pipkin	523-6000
Principal	Tim Zeigler
Pleasant View	523-2100
Principal	Julie Steiger
Reed	523-6300
Principal	Debbie Grega
Study	523-6400
Principal	Jim Harvey

High schools

Central	523-9600
Principal	Dr. Ron Snodgrass
Glendale	523-8900
Principal	Dr. Matt Pearce
Hillcrest	523-8000
Principal	Jay Rush
Kickapoo	523-8500
Principal	Dave Schmitz
Parkview	523-9200
Principal	Eric Ramsey

Other sites

Bailey Alternative	523-2700
Principal	Justin Dickerson
Phelps Center for Gifted Ed.	523-3300
Principal	Lanae Lazzelle
Early Childhood Center	523-1300
Principal	Missy Riley

Administration

Switchboard	523-0000
INFO	523-4636
Human Resources	523-4647
School Police	523-2911

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