

2024-2025 Annual Report



A+ Children's Academy is an award-winning public charter elementary school serving the Columbus community. Students benefit from an accredited, standards-based education that emphasizes hands-on, small-group learning. In addition to core subjects, the school offers enriching programs in Physical Education and Outdoor Education. Caring teachers and small class sizes foster a close-knit, student-centered culture. The safe and secure campus provides for exploration and growth with an art room, a multi-purpose room, outdoor learning centers, and a playground. A+ Children's Academy extends learning beyond the classroom with educationally enriching field trips, guest speakers, and annual school traditions such as Holiday Hop and Literacy Night. Additionally, the school provides counseling services and summer programs to support students' academic and personal development.

Mission: For all students to strive toward their full potential through an engaging, standards-based, arts-integrated curriculum that acknowledges each student's individuality.

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Grades Served
K-6

Students Served
98

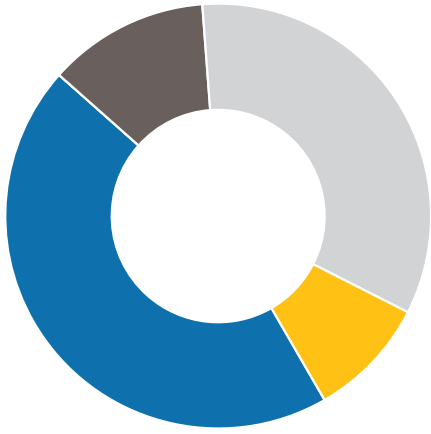
School Year Opened
2012-2013

Managed By Accel Since
2022-2023



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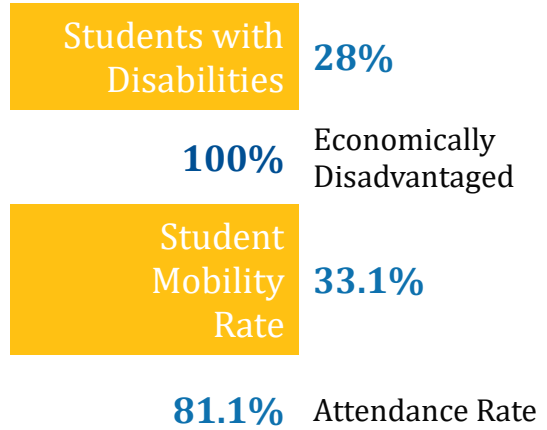
Student Demographics



BLACK
44.5%
WHITE
33.8%
MULTI-RACIAL
12.4%
OTHER
9.1%

NOTE: If Enrollment is less than 10, results are Not Calculated

Special Populations



Progress towards Goals

The percentage of proficient students increased in Mathematics, while the ELA results decreased slightly in 24/25 SY.

In Reading (iReady), 88% of K-8 students are demonstrating progress at or above the annual typical growth rate.

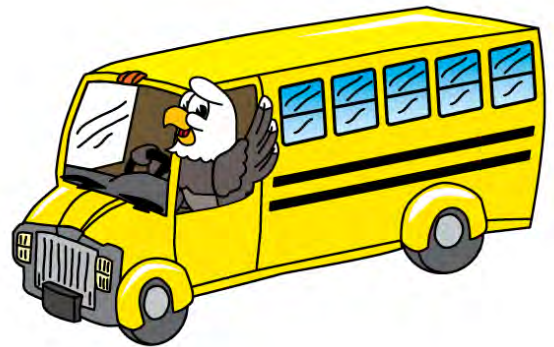
In Math (iReady), 93% of K-8 students are demonstrating progress at or above the annual typical growth rate.

Our Academic Goals

- #1 By FY2026, we will improve the performance in **ELA and Math** on the state assessment by 20%.
- #2 By FY2026, we will improve the performance by decreasing **Discipline Occurrences** by 20%.

State Report Card

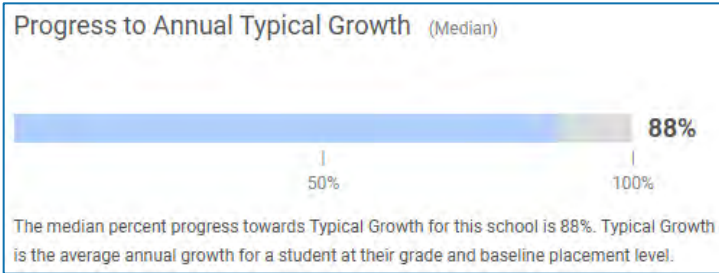
Performance Index Score 56.1	Overall Rating ★★★
Achievement Component ★★	Early Literacy Component ★
Progress Component ★★★	Gap Closing Component ★★★



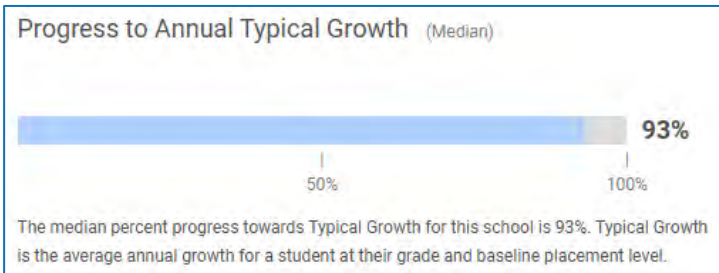
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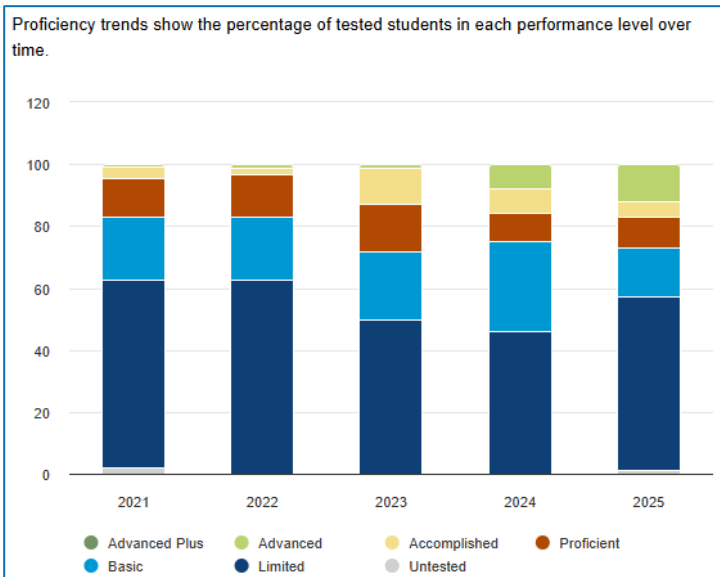
iReady Data Reading



iReady Data Mathematics



Percent Proficient at A+ Children's Academy



OUR HIGHLIGHTS

Academic:

- School received 3 stars for Progress and Gap Closing for the 24/25 SY (State Report Card)

Partnerships:

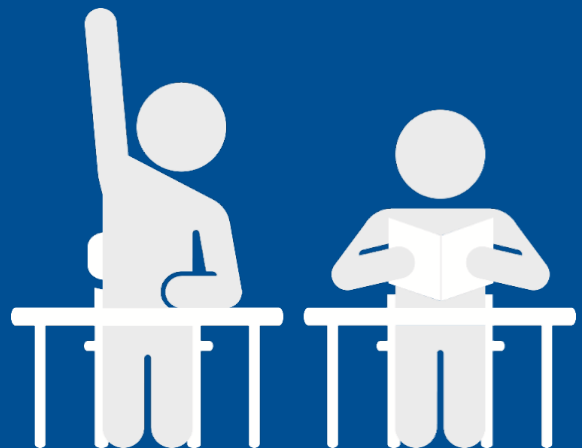
- Winter Coat Giveaway w/Reynoldsburg Division of Police

Community:

- Fall Festival
- Little Free Library
- Meet the Teacher Events
- New location for 2025-26

Student Life:

- Spirit Week
- Perfect Attendance Pizza Parties



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Financial Data:

State Sources	1,190,692
Federal Sources	404,286
Local Sources	97,523
Total Revenue	\$1,692,502

Salary & Wages	288,597
Employee Benefits	138,808
Purchased Services	1,382,663
Supplies & Materials	52,575
Capital Outlay	-
Other Expenses	38,347
Total Expenses	\$1,900,990

(1) Numbers in \$M

(2) At the time of publication, 2025 fiscal year data was not available from the Ohio Auditor of State. For updated information visit: www.auditor.state.oh.us

Sponsor Statement:

A message from the Ohio Department of Education and Workforce, Office of Ohio School Sponsorship, Ohio Revised Code (ORC)3314.03(C)(2) specifies that the sponsor of school the must “monitor and evaluate the academic and fiscal performance and the organization and operation of the community school on at least an annual basis.”

The Ohio Department of Education and Workforce, Office of Ohio School Sponsorship evaluates its sponsored schools on the performance of Ohio School Report Card indicators and on performance measures as listed in the school’s community school Contract.

The Office of Ohio School Sponsorship monitors the performance of its sponsored community schools through attendance at governing board meetings, on-site visits and through review of compliance surveys, monthly financial reports, and other reports related to the school’s academic, financial and operational performance to ensure compliance with rule and law.

