



# Welcome to Westerly Creek Elementary School!

2019-2020

# The Vision that Guides Our Success

## *Learning and Instruction*

- At Westerly Creek Elementary School, we **platoon** which allows teachers to become experts in their content area.
- We collaborate, reflect, and align instruction on research-based best practices using **consistent language**.
- Westerly Creek students receive **differentiated instruction** to ensure that all students reach their personal learning goals.

## *Professional Culture*

- Teachers and staff at Westerly Creek Elementary School create a bridge between home and school by building **lasting relationships** with our families and community.

# The Vision that Guides Our Success, continued

## *Family and Community Engagement*

- At Westerly Creek, we enhance communication, resources, and enrichment by hosting Family Engagement Nights, conferences, and school celebrations that **intentionally embrace** the diversity of our community to **foster a sense of belonging** for all.

## *School Climate and Culture*

- At Westerly Creek Elementary School, we create a safe, equitable **school learning environment** that fosters high, clear, **consistent expectations** for student and adult behaviors that are clearly communicated.

# WCE in State Rankings

State Ranking	School	Grades	#Students	S/T Ratio	FRL	SS
1	Polaris	1 - 5	333	19	3.9%	99.7%
8	Cory	ECE - 5	371	16.6	12.7%	98.6%
9	Slavens	K - 8	711	16.6	6.8%	98.6%
17	Carson	ECE - 5	469	15.6	13.4%	96.5%
19	Steck	ECE - 5	348	17.8	13.5%	96.8%
23	WCE	ECE - 5	721	16.6	13.4%	95.6%
26	Park Hill	ECE - 5	642	17.7	20.4%	95.2%
31	Bill Roberts	ECE - 8	930	19.3	17.2%	94.4%
40	Swigert	ECE - 5	641	17.8	5.5%	94.2%
45	Bromwell	K - 5	322	15.9	5.3%	93.6%

# WCE Status- ELA CMAS

The Colorado Measures of Academic Success (**CMAS**) are Colorado's standards-based assessments designed to measure the Colorado Academic Standards for **English Language Arts**.

3<sup>rd</sup> 74.8 %

4<sup>th</sup> 78.2 %

5<sup>th</sup> 74.5 %

# WCE Status- Math CMAS

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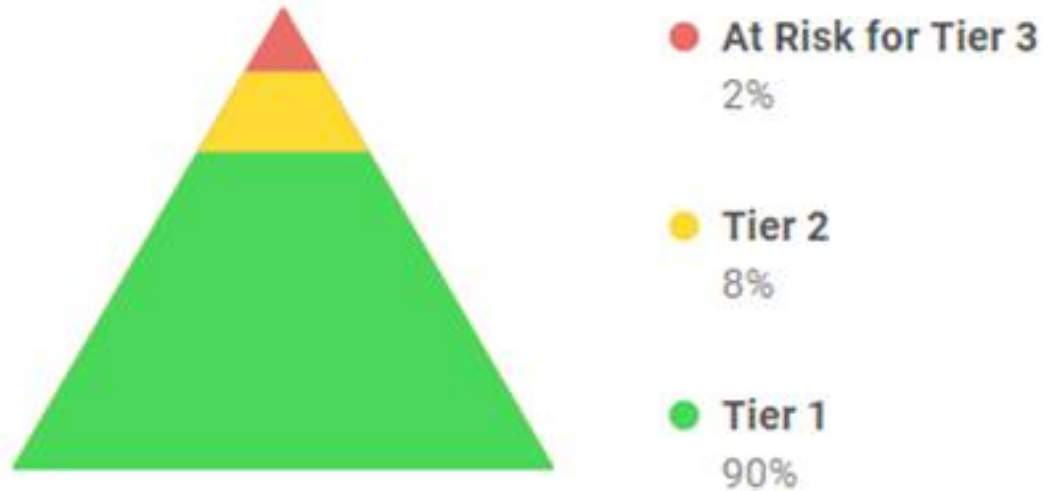
3<sup>rd</sup> 80.4 %

4<sup>th</sup> 62.7 %

5<sup>th</sup> 69.6 %

# Literacy i-Ready EOY 2019

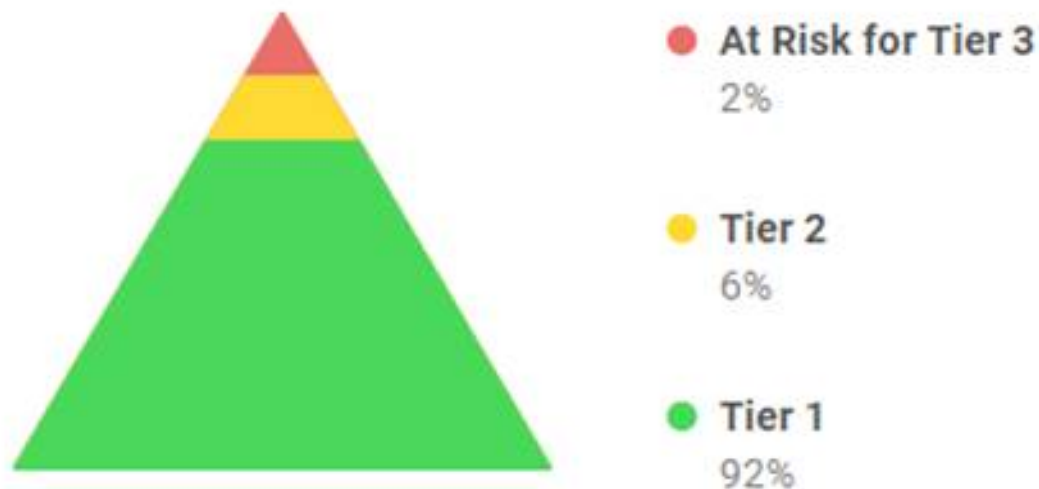
## Overall Placement





# Math i-Ready EOY 2019

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# Celebrations!!

- Early Literacy (K – 3) i-Ready: **95.5%** proficient
- Early Math (K – 3) i-Ready: **94.3%** proficient
- CMAS Literacy (3 – 5): **75.9%** proficient
- CMAS Math (3 – 5): **70.8%**
- CMAS Science (3 – 5): **77.5%**
  - 4<sup>th</sup> highest score of all DPS elementary schools
- ACCESS: **86.4%** of ELLs On-Track
  - 8<sup>th</sup> highest on-track score of all DPS school

# Celebrations!!

- Highest iReady scores in the district - on grade level or above 87%
- IEP: Up 15.3% in ELA and 19.8% in Math
- FRL: Up 25.3% in ELA and 15.3% in Math
- SOC: Up 14% in ELA
  
- Grade-Level Highlights:
  - Access
  - FRL
    - SOC in 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Math: up 12.2%
    - SOC in 5<sup>th</sup> Grade ELA: up 28.4%
    - FRL in 5<sup>th</sup> Grade ELA: up 31%

# What Got Us Here (besides AMAZING staff)

- Grade-level/vertical alignment
- All students receiving individualized instruction at their instructional level
- Targeted instruction for identified students
- Consistent guided reading plus in all k-5 classrooms
- 5<sup>th</sup> year of implementation of OG with vertically aligned scope/sequence
- School-wide professional development that ensured all aligned
- Deeper dives into ELA/Bridges curriculum
- School wide Personal Success Factors using same vocabulary around Growth Mindset
- Walk-to-Learn with a schedule that allowed for double dipping and extensions

# THE WCE PTA: What We Do

**GOAL:** Raise \$150,000 each academic year to help WCE meet its budget needs and fund:

- ❖ Paraprofessionals
- ❖ Interventionists
- ❖ Literacy & Math Support
- ❖ Gifted & Talented Support
- ❖ Updated Technology
- ❖ And much more!

**We help fund the programs that make Westerly Creek a GREAT SCHOOL for our kids.**



# How We Fundraise

**BOOK IT to the CREEK:** WCE's summer reading program & fall fundraiser

**Sept 9 | Submit hours & pledges**



[thewcepta.com/bookit](http://thewcepta.com/bookit)



**VEGAS NIGHT IN STAPLETON:** Casino games with professional dealers & equipment

**Oct 11 | Hangar at Stanley**

[StapletonNightOut.com](http://StapletonNightOut.com)

Prizes • Drinks • Dancing • Fun

**SPRING AUCTION:** Details coming soon!

[thewcepta.com/auction](http://thewcepta.com/auction)



**SHOP:** Use FREE programs

# What YOU Can Do Today

- ✓ **JOIN the PTA:** Membership is \$10/person/annually
- ✓ **VOLUNTEER:** There are LOTS of ways you can help
  - Reach out: [info@thewcepta.com](mailto:info@thewcepta.com) or sign up in the classroom
- ✓ **BECOME A SPONSOR:** Cost is \$500-\$1,000/annually
  - This is a GREAT way to promote a small business
- ✓ **SHOP:** No additional cost to your family
  - Link your King Soopers account online or at Customer Service
  - Shop online using <https://smile.amazon.com>
  - Scan grocery receipts using the Box Tops app
  - Collect Longmont Dairy milk caps

# What YOU Can Do Today

✓ **DONATE:** \$250 per child/per year – a Direct Giving donation to “bridge the gap” and meet our PTA goal

- Tax deductible | One-time or monthly donations
- Pay with a credit card and earn points
- Employer Matching Program? It could DOUBLE your donation!






# Upcoming Events

- **Sept 10:** PTA General Meeting | Library
- **Sept 19:** WCE Wolfpack Dads “Mini Golf Tourney” Fundraiser | Punch Bowl Social
- **Sept 27:** BOOK IT Celebration – Volunteers Needed!
- **Oct 4:** Field Day at Westerly Creek  
K-2nd: 9:30-11:30a | 3-5th: 1:30-3:30p | ECE: 10-11a
- **Oct 11:** Vegas Night in Stapleton | Hangar at Stanley
- **Nov 12:** PTA General Meeting | Library

# Stay Informed

- **WCE Emails:** School-wide news sent every Thursday plus emails from your teacher and room parent
- **Volunteer in the Classroom:** Pick a position and get involved!
- **Bookmark:** [www.thewcepta.com](http://www.thewcepta.com)
- **Follow Us:**  [www.facebook.com/WesterlyCreek](http://www.facebook.com/WesterlyCreek) and join your grade level page “Class of ...”
- **Sync your Google calendar** with WCE calendars: [westerlycreek.dpsk12.org/calendars/](http://westerlycreek.dpsk12.org/calendars/)



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