



Eagles Take Flight at East Academy, an award-winning, public charter school serving the South Collinwood neighborhoods of Cleveland. The school offers a well-rounded, academic program that includes instruction in Visual & Performing Arts, PE, STEM, and Social-Emotional Wellness.

Students benefit from smartboards in all classrooms and a 1:1 laptop program to support personalized learning. The school offers a structured, afterschool program with a large variety of competitive sports and student activities. East Academy is committed to the overall wellbeing of students through student support services and strong community partnerships like the Cleveland Food Bank and Cleveland Cavaliers.

MISSION STATEMENT

To execute our school's academic and cultural expectations (Academic Excellence, Building Community, Celebrating Individuals, Developing Character) explicitly and with fidelity to ensure each student's educational needs are met.

2022 Basketball
Champions



GRADES SERVED

Early K - 8

AVERAGE DAILY ENROLLMENT

236

EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL

Denecia Dillard

PRINCIPAL

Ashley Hall-Green

REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT

Heather Stevens

SCHOOL YEAR OPENED

2013-14

MANAGED BY ACCEL SINCE

2015-16

AUTHORIZER

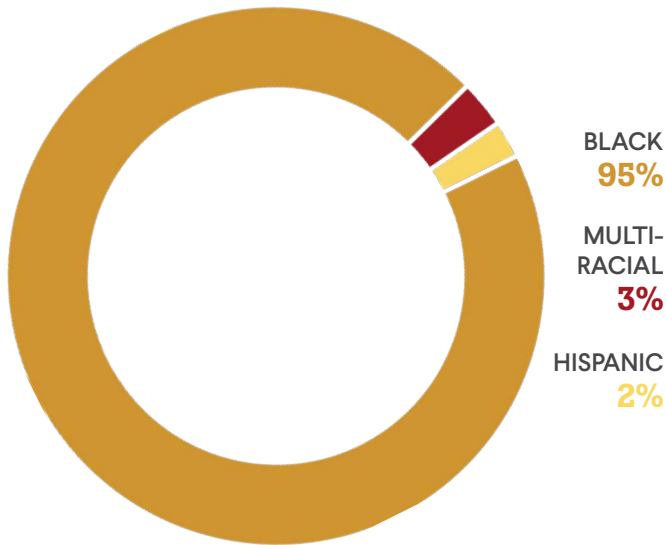
St. Aloysius

(Charter School Specialists)

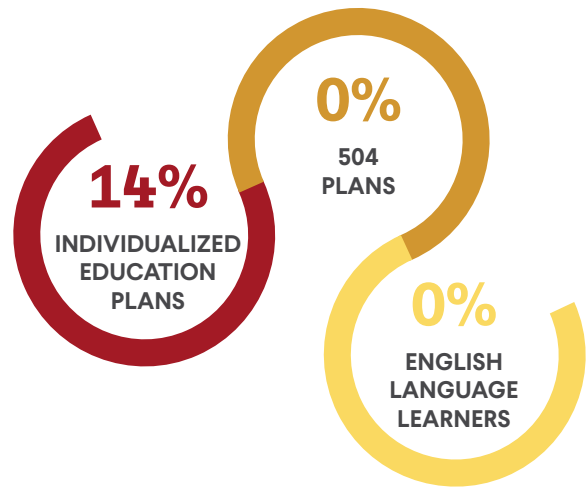


2021-22
ANNUAL REPORT

STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS



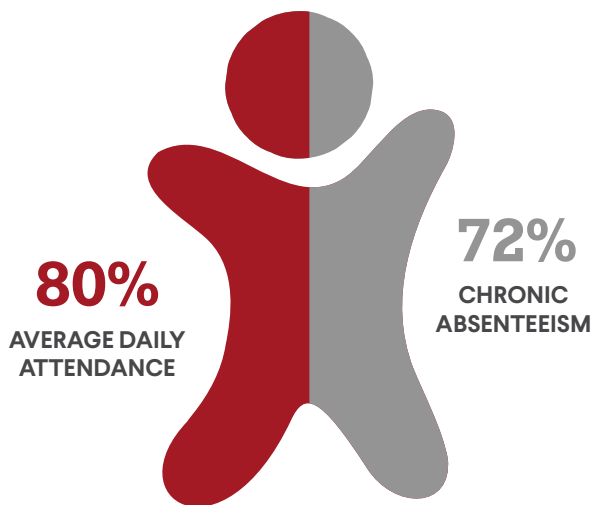
SPECIAL POPULATIONS



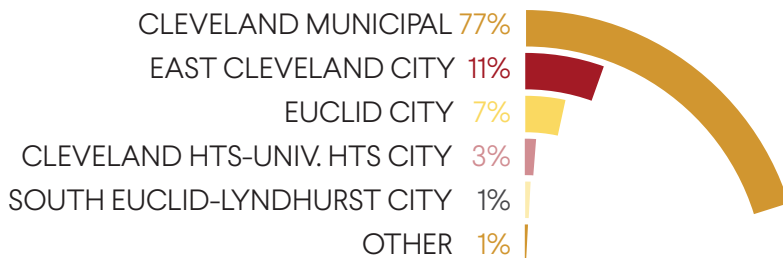
100% ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED

24% STUDENT MOBILITY RATE

0% UNHOUSED



DISTRICTS OF RESIDENCE



HIGHLIGHTS

- Improved overall academic performance (PI score) by close to 9%
- 100% of third graders met the state requirements for promotion to Grade 4
- With a record of 11-1, won the Junior Cleveland Cavaliers Youth Basketball Championship!
- D. Dillard recognized as the 2022 ACCEL Schools Executive Principal of the Year
- Campus Improvements: roof replaced, parking lot resurfaced, Main Office renovations
- New Program Implementation:
 - Summer Enrichment Program offered Robotics/STEM, Dance, PE, Arts & Crafts, and Fashion Design. More than 100 students attended—close to half the school population!
 - Expanded leadership team & reduced student suspensions by 60%
 - New SmartBoards in every classroom
 - Distributed 4,000 pounds of food per month to the community in partnership with the Cleveland Food Bank
- Provided 1047.19 instructional hours, 12% more than the Ohio requirement for charter schools
- Achieved budget surplus in Fiscal Year 2022
- Full day Kindergarten & Early K program for students turning five years old before Jan. 1
- Safe, secure campus with separate K-4 and 5-8 learning centers
- Well-rounded education including Fine & Performing Arts, PE, Social-Emotional Learning, and STEM (drone flying, coding & robotics)
- Large variety of student activities including FIT Club, Girl & Boys Basketball Sponsored by CAVS, Cheerleading, Track & Field, Volleyball, Comic Book Club, Theater Club, and a robust PBIS Program
- Educational field trips and annual school traditions such as the Halloween Bash, Black History Assembly, School Dances, Field Day & more
- Free breakfast, lunch, counseling services & structured afterschool programming
- Accredited by Cognia™

INSTRUCTIONAL & SUPPORT STAFF



STATE REPORT CARD

PERFORMANCE INDEX SCORE 47.5	ACHIEVEMENT COMPONENT ★
PROGRESS COMPONENT ★	THIRD GRADE READING GUARANTEE _____ PROFICIENCY 30%
	PROMOTION TO GRADE 4 100.0%



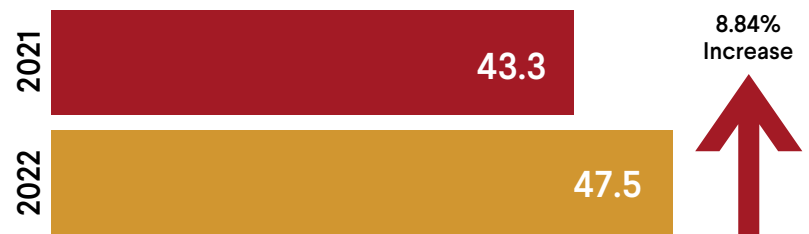
ACADEMIC PROGRESS

The academic goals of East Academy during the 2021-22 school year were to:

- Use 100% of board-approved curriculum with fidelity
- Increase usage of i-Ready lessons to four articles per month to ensure continued growth in Lexile levels, as monitored through students' performance on level set assessments
- 80% of East Academy scholars will gain one or more years in literacy and mathematic skills, as provided by the Beginning of Year (BOY) and End of Year (EOY) i-Ready assessment data

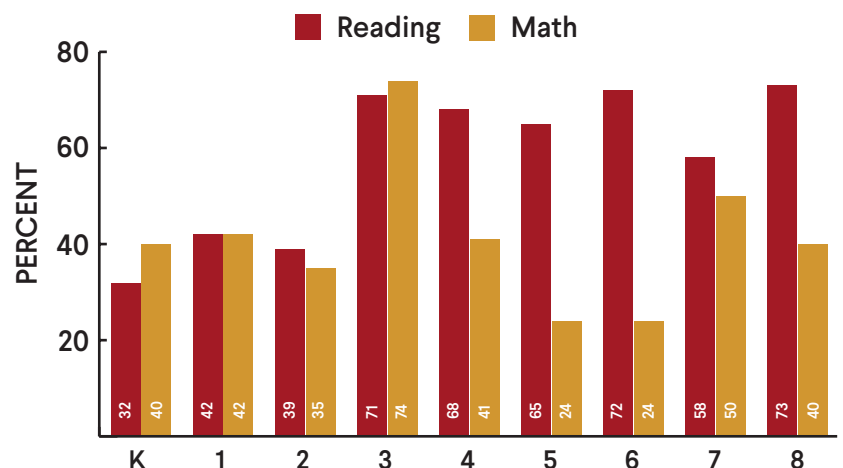
By improving the testing environment and logistics, increasing the percentage of students tested, improving school culture overall, and adhering to board-approved curriculum, East Academy met all goals as evidenced by 84% of students meeting or exceeding target growth goals according to the i-Ready assessment.

YOY GROWTH IN PERFORMANCE INDEX SCORE



PERCENT OF STUDENTS MEETING READING & MATH GROWTH GOALS

i-Ready Assessment, Fall 2021 to Spring 2022





DAVID SHEPHERD
SCHOOL BOARD PRESIDENT

CARL FREY
VICE PRESIDENT

SCOTT NORCROSS
TREASURER

KARL SOOY
SECRETARY

DAVID FLOREZ
DIRECTOR



St. Aloysius, as the sponsor of this school, is legally mandated to provide oversight, monitoring, and technical assistance. As part of the monitoring process, the performance of the school is assessed and evaluated on each of the required Ohio School Report Card components. Additionally, St. Aloysius has a regular presence at school board meetings where student performance indicators such as attendance, behavior, and academic achievement are tracked and financial and organizational issues that impact student success are reviewed and discussed. Key to the oversight, monitoring, and technical assistance is St. Aloysius' review of the school's Ohio Improvement Process (OIP) plan development and implementation. As a result of our thorough oversight and monitoring, St. Aloysius has determined that this school is substantially compliant with the rules and regulations governing community schools

All community school sponsors are required to submit a written report of the evaluation results of the school's academic, financial, and organizational performance, as well as the school's legal compliance with Ohio Revised Code, Ohio Administrative Code, and to the terms of the Community School contract. This report must be made available to parents of students enrolled in the community school by November 30th of each year under OAC 3301-102-05 (A) (3). An Annual Report regarding the performance of this school and other schools under the sponsorship of St. Aloysius will be posted on our website at www.stalschildren.org/charterschools and www.charterschoolspec.com no later than November 30, 2022. Parents are urged to review this report, in addition to other monitoring and evaluation reports available through the school or the sponsor for a full understanding of the school's performance.



FINANCIAL DATA

State Sources	2,384,031
Federal Sources	1,079,820
Local Sources	2,500
TOTAL REVENUES	\$3,466,351

Purchased Services	3,463,769
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$3,463,769

At time of publication, 2022 fiscal year data was not available from the Ohio Auditor of State. For updated information visit: www.auditor.state.oh.us

