

OREGON Small Schools INITIATIVE

Health and Science School HS2

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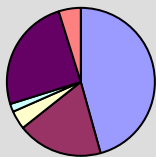
Principal: Steve Day

Health and Science School prepares students for college success through a highly relevant health and science-based educational experience in a small school environment that fosters student identity, commitment, and support. Health and science both provide a lens through which staff plan an engaging and rigorous interdisciplinary, science-based immersion program. The school believes that students will engage in academic success when their learning has greater relevance to the students' culture, community, and personal lives. The school embraces a part of the community that is typically under represented in the science, technology, and health fields.

The following data reflects 2008-2009

Student Population

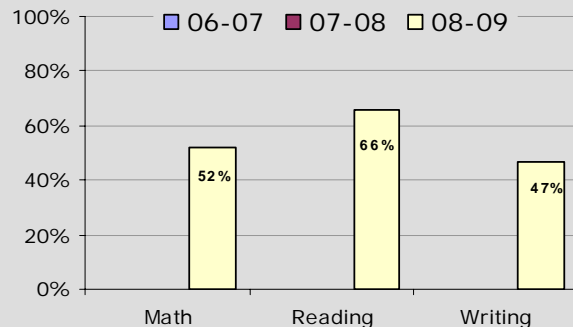
Total Enrollment	182
Low-income students	48.9%
English language learners	19.7%



European American	- 46%
Asian/Pacific Islander	- 19%
African American	- 4%
American Indian	- 2%
Latino, Hispanic	- 25%
Other	- 5%

Student Achievement

10th grade students meeting or exceeding state benchmarks



Sources: Oregon Department of Education and HS2

Health and Science School, a magnet school in the Beaverton School District, opened in Fall 2007 for 9th grade students. The school is now open for students in 6th, 9th, and 10th grades, and in the future, the school will serve students in grades 6 – 12.

Students are able to access a high quality education that prepares and engages them on their pathway to an education beyond high school. Additionally, opportunities for families and other members of the community to access health science courses and programs are available. Focusing on professional skills, foundational health career knowledge, and a wide base of experiences, the school has a strong math and science-based program that prepares students for college and careers.