



Ohio Department of Education

Enrollment and Demographics

Average Daily Enrollment: 297
 Black, Non-Hispanic: 68.2%
 Hispanic: 6.3%
 Multiracial: 4.1%
 White, Non-Hispanic: 20.8%
 Not Specified: NC
 Students with Disabilities: 20.7%
 Economically Disadvantaged: 100%
 Student Attendance: 87.1%

Fiscal Responsibility

The table below is a summary of the school's financial operations for the year ending in June 30, 2019.

Total Assets	\$828,285
Total Liabilities	\$2,967,439
Total Expenses	\$3,223,928
Total Revenues	\$3,224,564

The Ohio Auditor of State has not yet audited the figures presented above. However, the school does receive a regular annual audit performed by the Auditor of State. Released audit reports for the school can be viewed by going to the Auditor's website at <http://www.auditor.state.oh.us> and clicking on "Search Audits."

Board Members

- Clifford King
- Elaine Vance
- Dorothy Curtis
- Brenda Dixon
- Juanita Williams Reynolds

Our Program

Preparing students for the future is a colossal yet exciting task. HOPE Academy Northcoast takes great pride in giving our teachers and students the tools they need to achieve success. Our curricular resources are aligned with the Ohio Learning Standards. We view these standards as the road map to direct our students to their academic goals. By using the school's curriculum and progressive technology, we equip our staff and students to reach their fullest potential. The combination of dedicated people and resources demonstrates our ongoing commitment to give each child the best possible education.

Instructional Time

Our school provided 1,183 hours of instruction, which exceeds the 920 hours required by Ohio Law. This time excludes non-academic activities.

Students with Special Needs

Our school provides a nurturing environment of inclusion. We assist in preparing students with special needs to lead independent and productive lives. A free and appropriate public education is provided to every student.

Community School Sponsor

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 on each of the required Ohio School Report Card components is assessed and evaluated. 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. Keys to oversight, monitoring, and support is St. Aloysius's 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, to the Ohio Department of Education. This report must be made available to parents of students enrolled in the community school by November 30th of each year (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 www.charterschoolspec.com no later than November 30, 2019. 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.

Our Mission

To provide a collaborative focus on high quality instruction that will educate students in higher order thinking skills, standards-based and data driven instruction. HOPE Academy Northcoast's students will be highly qualified, high school and college ready students.

Our Philosophy

Our school's philosophy asserts students can reach proficiency and beyond when given the appropriate academic structure and support. We believe using standards-based instruction centered around an academic framework that utilizes small group differentiated instruction and the gradual release model will give the structure to produce a productive learning environment. Our curriculum is developed with an understanding of Ohio Learning Standards embedded in our pacing guides, and supported through instructional coaching and professional development. Using these best practices and research-based strategies for academics, students will be able to close the achievement gap. We value an academic model where students are encouraged to use higher order thinking skills and learn from error to grow at a more rapid pace. Our philosophy of education encompasses the fundamental structures of an academic framework and standards based instruction with an emphasis on using data to drive instruction. These best practices used in combination with the gradual release model, small group instruction, instructional coaching, and professional development will prove our school can close the achievement gap and reach proficiency.

Staff Positions

Certified/Instructional: 21
 Administrative/Support Staff: 3



School Improvement

Measure	SY 2017-2018	SY 2018-2019
Performance Index	53.2	53.5 
Improving At-Risk K-3 Readers	14.3%	26% 

Source: Ohio Department of Education, School Report Card

Ohio State Report Card

School Name	Overall Grade	Performance Index Score	Gap Closing	Achievement	Students With Disabilities	Progress Component Grade	Value Added: Lowest 20% in Achievement	Improving At-Risk K-3 Readers
HOPE Academy Northcoast	D	53.5	F	F	C	C	C	D

Source: Ohio Department of Education, School Report Card

Ohio State Tests

Percentage of Students Scoring Proficient or Higher

3 rd Grade	4 th Grade	5 th Grade	6 th Grade	7 th Grade	8 th Grade
Reading 40%	Reading 26.5%	Reading 27.3%	Reading 5.1%	Reading 31.3%	Reading 25.8%
Mathematics 16.7%	Mathematics 35.5%	Mathematics 22.7%	Mathematics 7.7%	Mathematics 21.9%	Mathematics 6.5%
		Science 18.2%			Science 19.4%

Source: Ohio Department of Education, School Report Card

Northwest Evaluation Association (NWEA) Assessment

Percentage of Students Who Showed Growth

	Kindergarten	1 st Grade	2 nd Grade	3 rd Grade	4 th Grade	5 th Grade	6 th Grade	7 th Grade	8 th Grade
Mathematics	92.6%	96.2%	100%	93.3%	73.5%	75.0%	73.7%	65.4%	73.3%
Reading	96.2%	84.6%	100%	85.2%	90.6%	78.9%	81.6%	60.7%	75.9%

HOPE Northcoast Academy is a community school established under Chapter 3314 of the Ohio Revised Code. The school is a public school and students enrolled in and attending the school are required to take proficiency tests and other examinations prescribed by law. In addition, there may be other requirements for students at the school that are prescribed by law. Students who have been excused from the compulsory attendance law for the purpose of home education as deemed by the Administrative Code shall no longer be excused for that purpose upon their enrollment in a community school. For more information about this matter, contact the school administration or the Ohio Department of Education. All information contained in this report was accurate to the best of our knowledge at the time of printing.