



Conveniently located along Superior Avenue in the Crystal Park neighborhood, Wright Preparatory Academy serves students throughout Northeast Canton.



The campus features a beautiful playground, cafeteria, full-sized gym, and spacious classrooms with

interactive, hands-on materials to engage students. Wright Prep creates a safe and secure learning environment that accelerates academic achievement without losing sight of student well-being and personal development.

Teachers, staff, students, and parents embrace a culture of high expectations for both academics and behavior. In addition to core subjects, students benefit from PE classes during the school day as well as on-site counseling and after-school programs.

### MISSION STATEMENT

To improve the lives of its students by providing authentic learning experiences in a collaborative, nurturing environment that will build a foundation for student success in school and in life. Our vision is for Panthers to inspire courage, leadership, invincible grit, creativity, and kindness in themselves and others.

### GRADES SERVED

**Early K - 8**

### AVERAGE DAILY ENROLLMENT

**124**

### EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL

**Darryl Lindsay**

### PRINCIPAL

**Kristen Clotworthy**

### REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT

**Heather Stevens**

### SCHOOL YEAR OPENED

**2016-17**

### MANAGED BY ACCEL SINCE

**2018-19**

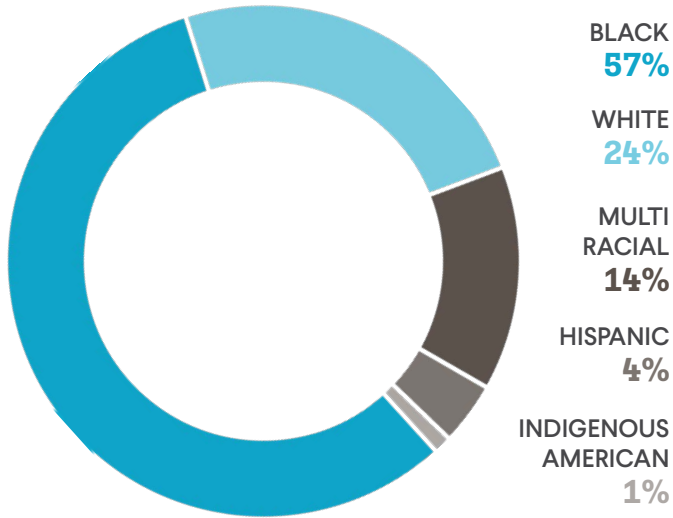
### AUTHORIZER

**St. Aloysius  
(Charter School Specialists)**

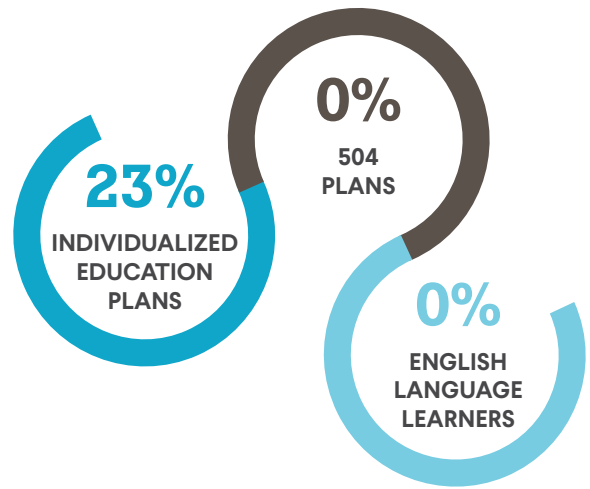


**2021-22**  
**ANNUAL REPORT**

## STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS



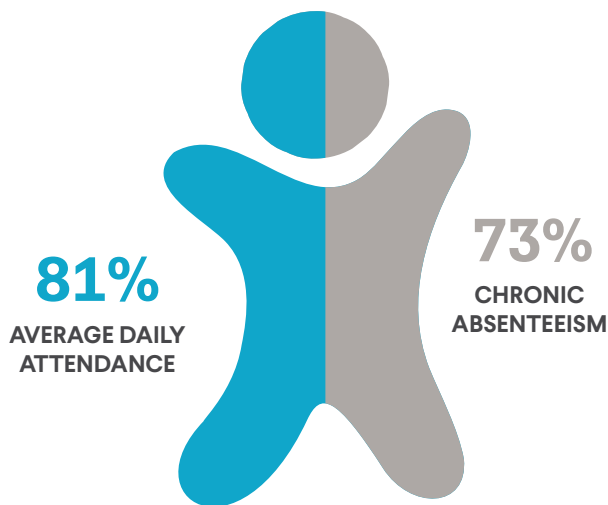
## SPECIAL POPULATIONS



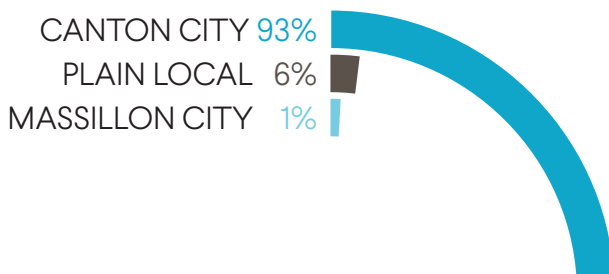
100% ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED

18% STUDENT MOBILITY RATE

1% UNHOUSED



## DISTRICTS OF RESIDENCE



### HIGHLIGHTS

- Rated 3 stars in Progress for meeting state expectations in student academic growth
- Campus Improvements: updated playground, new first floor cafeteria, dedicated gym and assembly space, new indoor PE equipment, updated flooring and paint throughout campus
- New interactive whiteboards added to all classrooms
- Introduced Platinum Paw Awards, a monthly award program given to one student per grade level who models school values and shows academic & behavioral improvement
- Provided 981.03 instructional hours, 6% 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
- Free breakfast, lunch, on-site counseling services & after school programs
- Accredited by Cognia™

## INSTRUCTIONAL & SUPPORT STAFF



## STATE REPORT CARD

PERFORMANCE INDEX SCORE <b>53</b>	ACHIEVEMENT COMPONENT ★
PROGRESS COMPONENT ★★★	THIRD GRADE READING GUARANTEE <hr/> PROFICIENCY <b>28.6%</b>  PROMOTION TO GRADE 4 <b>92.3%</b>



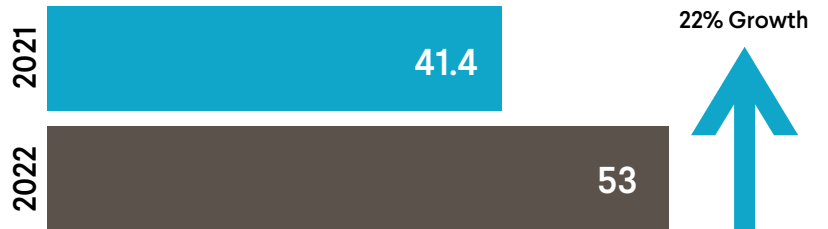
## ACADEMIC PROGRESS

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

- Increase by 30% the achievement rate of students that perform below grade level to on grade level on the i-Ready Reading Diagnostic
- Continuously improve the percentage of students scoring proficient or higher on state assessments
- Increase by 20% or more the percentage of students achieving annual typical growth by grade level on i-Ready diagnostic assessments for Reading and Math
- Over two academic years, continuously improve the performance of the students in the lowest 20% achievement (baseline data: F in Progress, 2018-19)

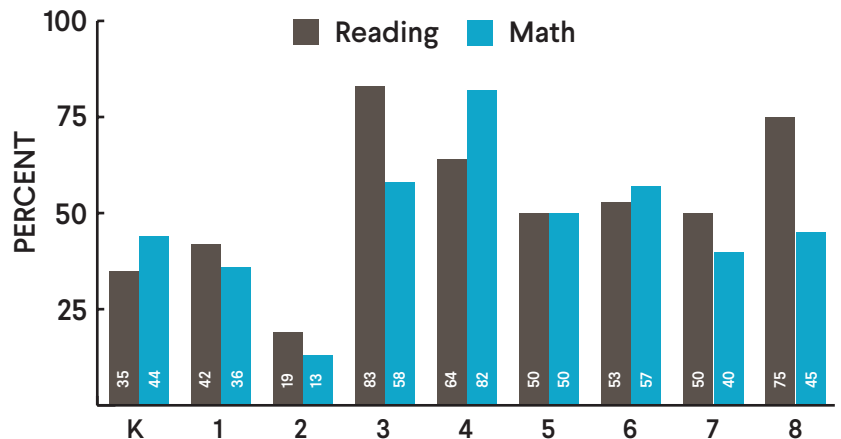
Emerging from the pandemic, Wright Preparatory Academy increased its Performance Index (PI) score by 22% to 53, an improvement even over the pre-pandemic score of 51.2 in 2019.

### YOY GROWTH IN PERFORMANCE INDEX SCORE



### PERCENT OF STUDENTS MEETING READING & MATH GROWTH GOALS

*i-Ready Assessment, Fall 2021 to Spring 2022*





**JIM GEORGE**  
SCHOOL BOARD PRESIDENT

**DAVID MONTESANO**  
VICE PRESIDENT

**DONALD CURETON**  
TREASURER

**JUSTIN PARDI**  
SECRETARY

**DAWN GUMMO**  
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](http://www.stalschildren.org/charterschools) and [www.charterschoolspec.com](http://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	1,290,789
Federal Sources	832,276
Local Sources	6,650
<b>TOTAL REVENUES</b>	<b>\$2,129,714</b>

Salaries & Wages	546,941
Employee Benefits	161,449
Purchased Services	161,449
Supplies & Materials	161,449
Capital Outlay	62,405
Other Expenses	6,637
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$2,081,112</b>

*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](http://www.auditor.state.oh.us)*

