

HELEN LEMME

Elementary School

2017-18
SNAPSHOT



IOWA CITY
COMMUNITY
SCHOOL DISTRICT
Child-Centered • Future-Focused



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Dear Parent or Guardian,

Welcome to Helen Lemme Elementary School! Nestled on the east side of Iowa City, our school serves a fantastic education to approximately 400 students. With a staff of 50 highly qualified teachers, associates, food-service, secretaries, and custodians we work every day to provide an environment where students are safe, motivated, challenged, and performing at high levels.

Student achievement is the priority for our teachers at Lemme. Children in grades K-6 receive a comprehensive education with direct instruction provided in the areas of language arts, math, science, social studies, and health. All students attend library classes, art, music, guidance, computer lab and physical education on a weekly basis, all of which are taught by licensed teachers. English Language Learner and Extended Learning Programs are both available at Lemme Elementary.

At Lemme, we encourage all parents/guardians to become involved in their child's education. Our Parent/Teacher Association (PTA) is very active and supports our students in many ways. They sponsor many school events, book fairs, organize volunteers, plan fun family nights, and provide supplemental financial support. Their help and cooperation creates a supportive relationship that enhances the total school program.

We believe that children need the opportunity to explore their interests and hobbies. At Lemme we offer orchestra, band, science fairs and family nights, Safety Patrol, Student Council and Orff Club.

Helen Lemme Elementary strives to ensure a high quality, fun, and safe education for every student, every day!

Eliza Proctor

Eliza Proctor
Lemme Principal

Mission

Helen Lemme Elementary School shall strive to maximize our students' academic and social development in an atmosphere of respectful behavior, in which students feel important, valued, and that they belong. Helen Lemme Elementary school is a safe and happy place for all.



COURSE OFFERINGS

Language Arts
Math
Science
Social Studies
Gifted & Talented (ELP)
Orchestra Instruction (grades 5-6)
Band Instruction (grades 5-6)
Art
Music
PE
Library/Technology
Guidance
Level I Special Education
Reading Recovery

GRADE LEVEL ORGANIZATION

Kindergarten - 6 Straight Grades

ADDITIONAL PROGRAMS

English Language Learners (ELL)
Before and After School Program
Hot Lunch and Breakfast
PTA

CO-CURRICULAR/ EXTRACURRICULAR

Clubs: Safety Patrol, Student Council,
Orff Club, Family Science Nights

STUDENTS PROGRESS TO:

South East Junior High School
City High School

LEMME HIGHLIGHTS



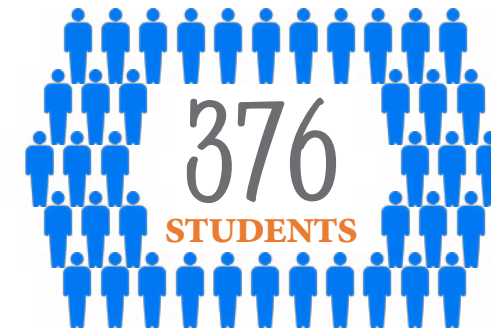
We are very proud to have an Oak Savannah Prairie at Lemme Elementary. Our prairie is filled with wildflowers, native prairie plants, raised garden beds, fruits and vegetables. The entire Lemme community is active in planting, maintaining, and enjoying all that the prairie has to offer. In the 1980's an outdoor classroom was created to protect the prairie. Students enjoy learning and playing in the prairie.

STUDENT PERFORMANCE

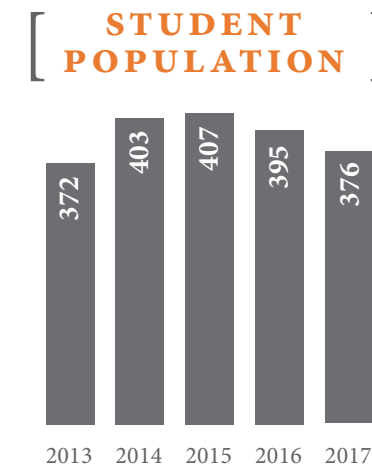
	Percentage of Students Proficient in Reading	Percentage of Students Proficient in Math	Percent of Students Reaching Projected Academic Growth in Reading	Percent of Students Reaching Projected Academic Growth in Math
School	83.3%	80.8%	51.6%	57.5%
District	74.0%	70.9%	52.5%	54.6%
State	77.1%	78.9%	48.4%	54.0%

Data based on Iowa Assessments of 3rd through 6th grade students

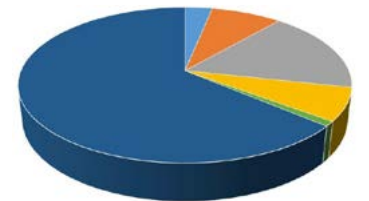
LEMME BY THE NUMBERS



- 10.0% English Language Learners
- 9.0% Students receiving special education services
- 28.7% Low socioeconomic status students



STUDENT DIVERSITY



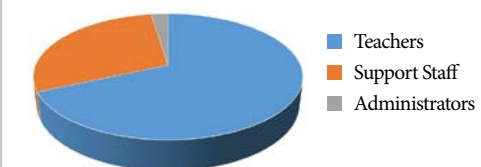
- Asian
- Black
- Hispanic
- Multi-racial
- Native American/Alaskan
- Pacific Islander/Other
- White

QUALITY TEACHERS

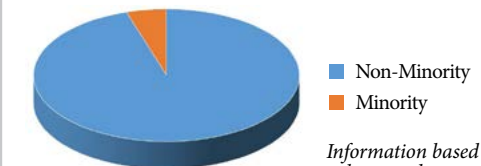
	Total Number of Classroom Teachers	Iowa Licensed Teachers	Classes Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers	Teachers with Advanced Degrees	Teachers in Leadership Positions	Staff Retention Rate
School	28	100%	100%	14	13	76.7%
District	1111	100%	100%	681	307	



SCHOOL PERSONNEL



STAFF DIVERSITY



Information based on voluntary data provided by employees.



IOWA ASSESSMENT 4TH GRADE NATIONAL PERCENTILE RANK OF NATIONAL STANDARD SCORE

	School	District	Nation
Reading	78%	72%	50%
Math	58%	58%	50%
Science	73%	71%	50%



95.90% AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE

17.8% MOBILITY RATE

96.8% STABILITY RATE



STATE OF IOWA
REPORT CARD

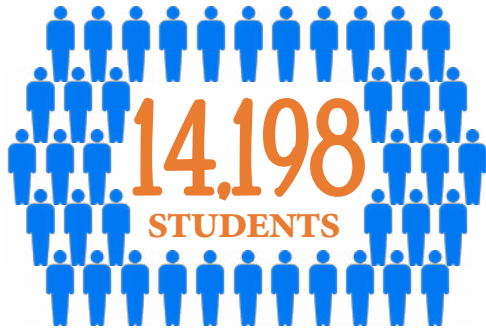
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ATTENDANCE AREA
LOOK-UP

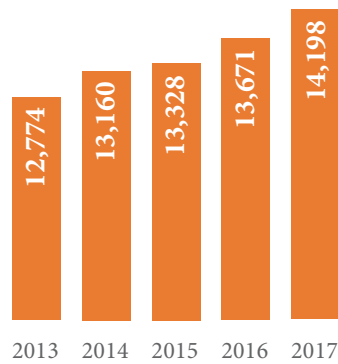
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OUR STUDENTS



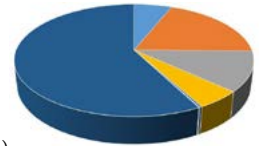
- 8.9% English Language Learners
- 10.4% Students receiving special education services
- 37.4% Low socioeconomic status students

[CERTIFIED ENROLLMENT]



STUDENT DIVERSITY

- Asian (6.1%)
- Black (19.2%)
- Hispanic (11.5%)
- Multi-racial (5.2%)
- Native American/Alaskan (<1%)
- Pacific Islander/Other (<1%)
- White (57.6%)



NEARLY 80
LANGUAGES
SPOKEN

OUR SCHOOLS & STAFF



- 17 PRESCHOOL SITES
- 20 ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS
- 3 JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS
- 3 HIGH SCHOOLS
- 1 ALTERNATIVE HIGH SCHOOL

- DES MOINES
- CEDAR RAPIDS
- DAVENPORT
- SIoux CITY
- IOWA CITY
- WATERLOO
- DUBUQUE
- ANKENY
- COUNCIL BLUFFS
- WEST DES MOINES

5th
LARGEST
SCHOOL
DISTRICT
IN IOWA

DISTRICT SIZE
133
SQ. MILES

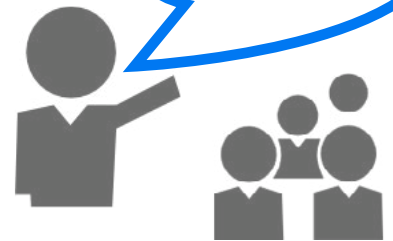
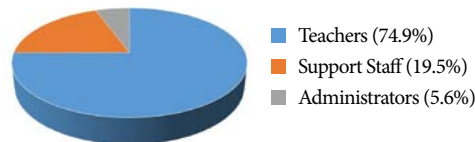


CLASSROOM-FOCUSED PRIORITIES

84%

OF ANNUAL DISTRICT BUDGET IS SPENT ON PERSONNEL COSTS.

SALARY/BENEFIT COSTS



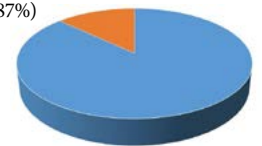
MORE THAN:

- 10,500** Meals Prepared & Served Every Day
- 5,000** Students Transported by Bus Every Day

STAFF DIVERSITY

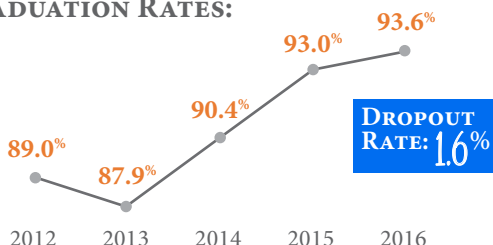
- Non-Minority (87%)
- Minority (13%)

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RAISING THE BAR

GRADUATION RATES:



84% OF DISTRICT GRADUATES INTEND TO PURSUE POST SECONDARY EDUCATION

977
STUDENTS ENROLLED IN AP COURSES

269
STUDENTS ENROLLED IN KIRKWOOD REGIONAL CENTER ACADEMIES

173
STUDENTS ENROLLED IN PSEO AND ALTERNATIVE CONCURRENT COURSES

[2016-17 ACT AVG. COMPOSITE SCORES]

