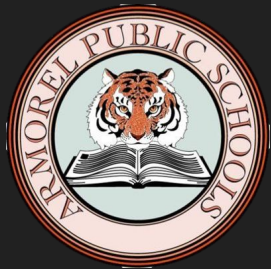


# Armored School District

Public Meeting  
August 28, 2017



## Students/Teachers

### Elementary School

243 Students

22 Certified Staff

5 Classified Staff

### High School

198 Students

23 Certified Staff

5 Classified Staff

### Total Enrollment 441

PreK 15 Students

## Administration

Jennifer Barbaree,  
Superintendent

Joey Carr, Elementary  
Principal

Teresa Lawrence, High  
School Principal, Federal  
Programs Coordinator

## School Board

Susan Hughes, President

Scott Jowers, Vice President

Angela Finley, Secretary

Dale Cook, Board Member

Jeff Hollingsead, Board  
Member

# Accreditation Status and ESEA Accountability

The Armorel School District is fully accredited by the Arkansas Department of Education with no exceptions found.

ESEA:

<http://www.arkansased.gov/divisions/public-school-accountability/every-student-succeeds-act-essa>

Arkansas Department of Education has all schools' accountability status as "frozen". According the last report in 2014, Armorel School District overall status was Needs Improvement. Assessment scores did not meet the annual measurable objective that was set for the district in math and literacy.

# 2016-2017 Student Assessment Data

ACT Aspire 2016-2017 Data Supplemental Score Report

National Percentile Rank	English		Reading		Writing		Science		Math	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
Grade 3	69%	73%	67%	62%	69%	66%	69%	72%	76%	68%
Grade 4	63%	74%	69%	69%	74%	92%	81%	75%	73%	78%
Grade 5	37%	73%	49%	56%	92%	95%	50%	68%	64%	76%
Grade 6	76%	64%	62%	48%	85%	83%	74%	53%	78%	68%
Grade 7	65%	69%	64%	59%	62%	82%	63%	71%	72%	53%
Grade 8	66%	74%	65%	50%	73%	86%	50%	65%	43%	58%
Grade 9	48%	66%	47%	56%	73%	50%	46%	64%	52%	48%
	ELA Average Score		Text Complexity %		STEM Average Score					
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017				
Grade 3	419	420	68%	47%	417	417				
Grade 4	423	424	64%	50%	420	419				
Grade 5	424	426	48%	48%	421	422				
Grade 6	426	426	50%	57%	426	423				
Grade 7	427	426	52%	41%	425	423				
Grade 8	428	428	65%	50%	423	425				
Grade 9	425	427	46%	46%	425	426				

# 2016-2017 Student Assessment Data

2017 Scores		District	State	Nation
English 10	Armored	73.7	60.1	62
<b>Math 10</b>	<b>Armored</b>	<b>21.1</b>	<b>24.7</b>	<b>32</b>
Science 10	Armored	47.4	33.2	34
Reading 10	Armored	36.8	36.4	38
Writing 10	Armored	73.7	56.8	52
English 9	Armored	68.6	58.5	61
<b>Math 9</b>	<b>Armored</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>30.2</b>	<b>36</b>
Science 9	Armored	47.1	32.1	32
Reading 9	Armored	42.9	39.4	44
<b>Writing 9</b>	<b>Armored</b>	<b>45.7</b>	<b>50.7</b>	<b>44</b>
English 8	Armored	90.6	73.3	74
Math 8	Armored	43.8	43.6	37
Science 8	Armored	53.1	42.1	40
<b>Reading 8</b>	<b>Armored</b>	<b>43.8</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>50</b>
Writing 8	Armored	56.3	37.6	29
English 7	Armored	91.2	78.6	75
<b>Math 7</b>	<b>Armored</b>	<b>44.1</b>	<b>48.2</b>	<b>43</b>
Science 7	Armored	55.9	44.4	41
Reading 7	Armored	44.1	38.7	41
Writing 7	Armored	52.9	38	28

2017 Scores		District	State	Nation
English 6	Armored	78.3	74	73
Math 6	Armored	73.9	62.1	57
<b>Science 6</b>	<b>Armored</b>	<b>47.8</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>47</b>
<b>Reading 6</b>	<b>Armored</b>	<b>43.5</b>	<b>46.7</b>	<b>47</b>
Writing 6	Armored	78.3	59.3	44
English 5	Armored	87.9	72.5	73
Math 5	Armored	69.7	52.2	51
Science 5	Armored	66.7	41.5	44
Reading 5	Armored	39.4	34.6	39
Writing 5	Armored	78.8	42.1	26
English 4	Armored	91.2	69.7	70
Math 4	Armored	76.5	55.2	55
Science 4	Armored	70.6	42.4	41
Reading 4	Armored	64.7	43.2	42
Writing 4	Armored	79.4	32.3	21
English 3	Armored	86.8	73.2	72
Math 3	Armored	81.6	58.2	60
Science 3	Armored	63.2	38.3	37
Reading 3	Armored	42.1	37	38
Writing 3	Armored	26.3	19.2	17

# 2016-2017 Student Assessment Data

- Administrators and teachers have spent time breaking down individual student scores. Several pieces of data are used to identify each student's specific needs. (ACT Aspire, Classworks, STAR, common assessments, DIBELS, DRA, AimsWeb)
- Through this process, students have been prescribed a “student success plan”. The plan describes specific interventions for every students' weakest area.

# Proposals to Correct Deficiencies

- Professional Development
  - Curriculum development and standards alignment
  - Cognitively Guided Instruction (CGI), Number Talks
  - Effective Literacy, Early Learning in Arkansas, Connections, RISE
  - Understanding by Design
  - Learning Targets
  - Math Design Collaborative, Literacy Design Collaborative
  - Classworks
- Optimized Scheduling
  - Intervention Times
  - Scheduled collaboration days (PLC)
  - Leadership Academy
- Student Success Plans
  - Individualized based on student data

# District Goals

- Implement student interventions with fidelity.
  - Document student growth by utilizing various pieces of data to provide individual student interventions.
  - Dedicate time each day to individualize “in-school” tutoring.
- Identify learning targets to help students aim for understanding (growth vs. proficiency).
- Integrate technology as a learning tool i.e. Google Classroom, research and technology skills.
- Utilize the Teacher and Administrator Evaluation System (TESS/LEADS), peer observations, self assessment videos, PLCs, and leadership teams to provide more effective teaching practices and grow as educators.



# Curriculum

- Armorel School District offers a rigorous and comprehensive curriculum for all grades.
- Both schools exceed the state designated requirement of six hours daily instruction.
- The high school is organized into an 8 period day.
- Course offerings for credits are met through classroom instruction, concurrent credit with Arkansas Northeastern College, digital learning with Virtual Arkansas, as well as, other providers and transfer credits.
- All students 8-12 grades are enrolled in the Arkansas Smart Core curriculum unless a parent or guardian signs a state-required waiver for an alternate core curriculum.
- Advance Placement (AP) courses are available in grades 10-12. Students may select from AP Literature and Composition, AP World History, AP A/B Calculus, and AP Environmental Science.

# Programs

- Gifted and Talented
- Quiz Bowl
- EAST
- Various Clubs (FBLA, Beta, FCCLA...)
- Athletics
- One School One Book

# Parent Communication

- All parents/guardians have an access code to eSchool-an online database.
- eSchool provides information about student homework, tests, grades, etc.
- Administration utilizes Blackboard Connect (an information calling system), several classroom teachers utilize Remind (an app for smart phones or texting method).
- Parent Teacher Conferences are scheduled: September and March.
- Each school has a parent center and a parent center facilitator.
- All parents are invited to be a part of the PTO.
- Movie Nights, College Nights

# Funding

- Armored School District
  - Local taxes
  - Federal funds
  - State categorical funds

# Federal Programs

- Armorel Elementary School is a Title I school and receives federal money to supplement academic expenditures.
  - 2017-2018 Preliminary Title I Allocation: \$60,413.61
- Armorel School District utilizes Title II-A Teacher Quality federal funding for professional learning opportunities.
  - 2017-2018 Preliminary Title II Allocation: \$9,963.38

# Categorical Programs

- Armorel School District receives funding from the state based on student's enrolled in free and reduced lunch program. National School Lunch Act
  - 2017-2018 NSL funding: \$95,732.00
- 2017-2018 Professional Development funding: \$11,363
- 2017-2018 ELL Funding: not released at this time
- 2017-2018 ALE funding: none

# Facilities

- Gym Lobby Renovation
  - Predicted completion is mid-October
- Parking lot
  - Expansion to come
- New Elementary Building
  - Begin construction in 3-5 years

# Notice of Compliance

Armored School District is an equal opportunity employer and educational organization. Federal law protects the right to an equal educational or employment opportunity regardless of race, religious creed, national origin, ancestry, physical handicap, sex, or age.



# District Web Site

Information about the Armorel School District can be found on the district Web site

<http://armorel.k12.ar.us/>