

Forest Park Elementary

2011-2012

State of School Summary & Overview

Forest Park School has developed foundation learning. Performance levels are high with over 90% of our student population meeting or exceeding benchmark in reading, math and science. This year staff and I, are looking to move Forest Park into the age of New Literacies where every student is prepared with 21st century skills.

As we transition from foundation learning to the development of transferrable skills, we are committed to developing quality balanced programs that teach students how to solve problems, analyze, interpret, access and use information for making decisions. To ensure that students receive the most optimal learning experiences, Forest Park will focus on developing a school culture that builds on the strengths of students and connects their learning to the real world.

2011-2012 Instructional Focus

- Rigor & Relevance in Student Learning Activities
- High Level Class Conversations Using Kaplan's Depth & Complexity Questioning Framework
- Authentic Assessment and Instruction

Enrollment: 494 (Grades K-5)

Grade	Enrollment
Kindergarten	83
First Grade	67
Second Grade	86
Third Grade	93
Fourth Grade	92
Fifth Grade	73
Note: There are three class sections at every grade level except kindergarten, which has four. We have one 2/3 blend class.	

Current Instruction

- Differentiated Instruction
- Enrichment Offerings
- Gradual Release of Responsibility

School-Wide Support for 21st Century Learning

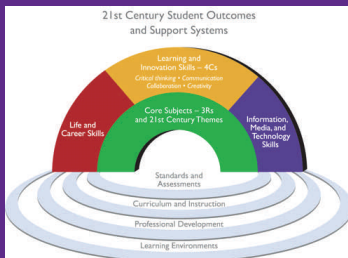
Positive Behavior Support Plan (PBIS)

1. Character Education - Word of the Month
2. Quarterly PBIS Assemblies
3. Friendship Groups

Professional Learning Communities

1. Teacher Collaboration
2. Action Research That Provides Targeted Instruction for All Levels of Learning

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Developing a 21st Century Learning Culture

School Mission/Vision Targets 2010-2013

Exploring Our Futures: Develop community/business partnerships that support authentic learning experiences for students.

Sharing Our World: Promote learning activities that allow students to seek and evaluate a range of points of views and are willing to grow from the experience.

Imagining Our Possibilities: Develop activities explore a variety of careers.

2011-12 Costs for Programs & Services

21st Century Programs

Total Program Costs	\$ 2,000
Measures of Academic Progress Subscription (MAPS)	\$ 3,700 (paid for by District)
*Junior Great Books (JGB) – Student Materials	\$ 2,000 (projected costs for this year)
*Learning Enrichment & Accelerated Pace (LEAP)	\$ 1,071/class (10-12 students)

Professional Development Costs Associated with 21st Century Programs

Total Professional Development Costs	\$17,000
VTS	\$ 6,000
MAPS (mandatory)	\$ 4,000
*JGB – Parent Training	\$ 2,000
Substitute Costs associated with PD	\$ 5,000

Current Enrichment Staffing

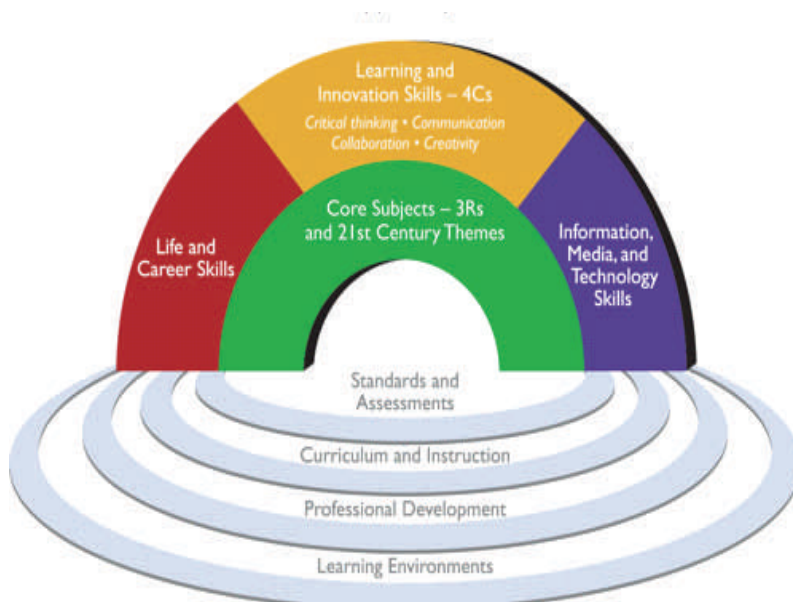
2.3 Total Enrichment FTE

1.0 Physical Education
0.8 Library & Literacy Enrichment
0.5 Technology

Staffing Enrichment Costs

Special Programming (21 st Century Support Systems)	\$241,488
	\$164,325 staffing (2.1 FTE)
	\$ 77,163 Portland Schools Foundation

*Note: These costs have not yet been incurred.



21st CENTURY THEMES

Mastery of **core subjects and 21st century themes** is essential for all students in the 21st century.

Global Awareness
Financial, Economic, Business & Entrepreneurial Literacy
Health Literacy
Environmental Literacy
Civic Literacy