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OREGON AT-A-GLANCE SCHOOL PROFILE

Mills Elementary School

PRINCIPAL: Chelsea Woods | GRADES: K-5 | 520 E Main St, Klamath Falls 97601 | 541-883-4754

2024-25

Students We Serve

305
Student Enrollment

DEMOGRAPHICS

American Indian/Alaska Native	
Students	7%
Teachers	0%
Asian	
Students	<1%
Teachers	0%
Black/African American	
Students	2%
Teachers	0%
Hispanic/Latino	
Students	41%
Teachers	0%
Multiracial	
Students	5%
Teachers	0%
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	
Students	<1%
Teachers	0%
White	
Students	45%
Teachers	100%

15% Ever English Learners

2 Languages Spoken

33% Students with Disabilities

90% Required Childhood Vaccinations

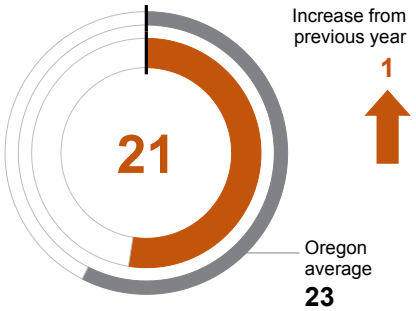
80% Students Experiencing Poverty

*<10 students or data unavailable

School Environment

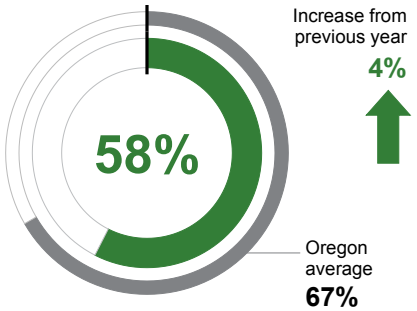
CLASS SIZE

Median class size.



REGULAR ATTENDERS

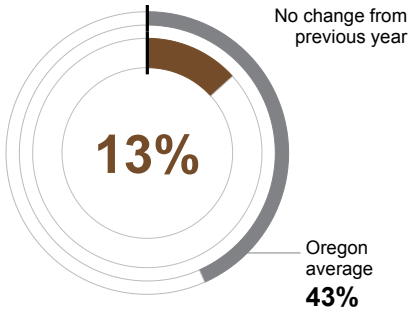
Students who attended more than 90% of their enrolled school days.



Academic Success

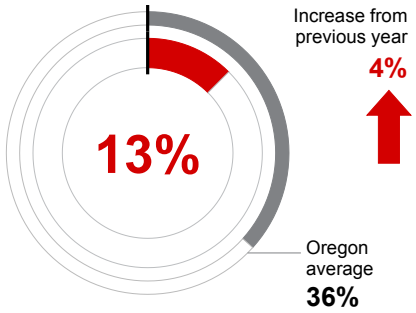
ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

Students meeting state grade-level expectations.



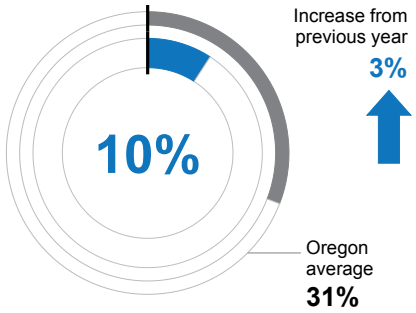
MATHEMATICS

Students meeting state grade-level expectations.



SCIENCE

Students meeting state grade-level expectations.



School Goals

Mills Elementary has 3 key goals to ensure student success. First, we empower each child to achieve their best work through a supportive learning environment. Second, we promote respect and responsibility in students’ interactions with everyone to help them become their best selves. Lastly, we provide differentiated instruction tailored to meet the diverse academic needs of all students, ensuring they are appropriately challenged. Through these goals, we work to encourage academic excellence and personal growth for every student.

State Goals

The Oregon Department of Education is partnering with school districts and communities statewide to reach a 90% on-time graduation rate by 2027. Anchored in the pillars of Academic Excellence, Belonging & Wellness, and Accountability, ODE prioritizes evidence-based strategies that strengthen early literacy, improve attendance, and deepen student engagement. We are committed to eliminating opportunity and achievement gaps for historically underserved students. By investing in culturally responsive practices, cultivating inclusive school environments, and fostering a culture of continuous improvement, we can help ensure every student thrives.

Safe & Welcoming Environment

At Mills Elementary, staff believe students perform best in a safe and welcoming environment. Staff emphasizes the importance of building strong relationships with students, greeting each one with a smile daily and providing support throughout the school day. Mills employs the Capturing Kids Heart framework for promoting a proactive approach to positive relationship building with students. The school explicitly teaches positive behaviors while offering support to students in need to create an atmosphere that ensures students feel safe and welcomed.

School Website: https://www.kfalls.k12.or.us/o/em

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OREGON AT-A-GLANCE SCHOOL PROFILE CONTINUED

Mills Elementary School

2024-25

Our Staff (rounded FTE)

17 Teachers

19 Educational assistants

0 Counselors/ Psychologists/ Social Workers

76% Average teacher retention rate over the past three years

53% % of licensed teachers with more than 3 years of experience

Yes Same principal in the last 3 years

Outcomes

	REGULAR ATTENDERS	ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS	MATHEMATICS
American Indian/Alaska Native	33%	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable
Asian	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable
Black/African American	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable
Hispanic/Latino	56%	16%	12%
Multiracial	73%	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable
White	65%	11%	13%
Students Experiencing Poverty	57%	9%	12%
Ever English Learner	66%	9%	9%
Students with Disabilities	59%	14%	12%
Migrant	59%	14%	7%
Homeless	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable
Students in Foster Care	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable
Military Connected	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable
Talented and Gifted	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable
Female	61%	19%	13%
Male	55%	9%	13%
Non-Binary	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable	<10 students or data unavailable

About Our School

BULLYING, HARASSMENT, AND SAFETY POLICIES

Mills Elementary School is dedicated to providing a safe and supportive learning environment. We understand that bullying and harassment disrupt students' ability to learn and thrive. Therefore, we actively investigate every reported incident and enforce appropriate consequences for those who engage in such behaviors. We promote a culture of respect and responsibility by encouraging students and parents to report any suspected bullying or harassment to a teacher or administrator immediately. Reports can be made in person or through established channels, ensuring confidentiality where possible. We will always foster an atmosphere where all students feel safe and valued.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

At Mills Elementary School, families can access the 21st Century Community Learning Center. This after school program enhances students' educational experience through activities like softball, volleyball, soccer, and basketball. In addition to sports, the program provides homework help, tutoring, reading, math, arts and crafts, and science projects. As a host for the 21st Century Community Learning Center, Mills offers supplemental opportunities, including workshops in art and science, and partners with the YMCA to provide sports opportunities. These choices are an excellent resource for all students and families.

PARENT ENGAGEMENT

Mills Elementary believes student success improves when teachers, parents, and students collaborate. We encourage families to volunteer at school and to support their children’s education at home. At the start of the school year, families work with teachers to set personalized goals for their children, fostering a shared commitment to their academic growth. These goals are revisited throughout the year to monitor progress. Moreover, we host academic parent evenings to equip families with effective strategies to support learning. Our family nights focus on interactive activities designed to engage all family members, promoting a community-centered approach to education.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Mills Elementary School is dedicated to fostering strong community engagement to support our students and their educational experiences. We are proud to collaborate with several community partners, including Oregon State University, Oregon Tech, and the YMCA, which offer valuable resources and programs. Additional partners such as SMART Reading and Starbase provide enriching learning opportunities, while the YMCA 5th Grade Outdoor School enhances hands-on experiences. We also work with Konnect Dental to promote health and wellness and the Lions Club to support various initiatives. Together, these partnerships strengthen our commitment to community involvement and engagement in our Mills students' education.

Data are suppressed to protect confidential student information.

For more information please visit: www.oregon.gov/ode/schools-and-districts/reportcards/reportcards/Pages/Accountability-Measures.aspx