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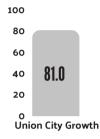
Elementary School



MATH

STUDENT GROWTH EXCEEDS STANDARD

ALL STUDENT GROWTH SCORES











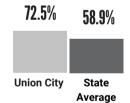




SCIENCE

PROFICIENT OR ADVANCED SCORES EXCEED STATE AVERAGE

PERCENT PROFICIENT OR ADVANCED



KEY TO SUCCESS



Union City's community school director has built a special partnership with the **Carnegie Science Center**, who in 23-24 hosted a week-long mobile Fabrication or "Fab" Lab for all students at the school. All grade levels got to experience the STEM lab and complete projects!



STUDENT ATTENDANCE

IMPROVED REGULAR ATTENDANCE RATE

STUDENTS CHRONICALLY ABSENT

(missing 10% or more days per year)



The percentage of staff survey respondents reporting attendance as an area of need for additional support has decreased by 24% since 21-22, when Union City Elementary became a community school.









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STUDENT ENRICHMENT

INCREASED ENRICHMENT EXPERIENCES FOR STUDENTS

Since becoming a community school, Union City elementary has significantly increased the academic enrichment experiences available to students. In 23-24:

- 100% of students participated in at least one field trip or in-school enrichment experience
- 26 field trips were held
- Read Across America week featured a new schoolwide experience -- "The Masked Reader"





In the fall of 2023, a book vending machine was installed in the school after two years of planning. The vending machine was dedicated to the late Mrs. Kathy Obert, Union City's long-time reading coach. After Mrs. Obert passed, she asked that donations be made to the school for "something that got students excited about reading." Throughout the year, students have been able to earn coins for the machine and choose their books. By the end of the year, every child at the school earned at least one book for their at-home library.



COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

ROBUST PARTNERSHIPS MADE UNION CITY'S YEAR A GREAT ONE!

In the 23-24 school year, Union City Elementary was grateful for:

- 255 volunteers contributing over 1,000 hours of time to events and programs
- Over \$14,000 of in-kind donations from 46 unique donors
- 80% of action plan strategies benefiting from a community partnership



SPECIAL THANKS

Union City Elementary would like to extend a special thank you to Parker Hannifin's Union City plants, whose growing partnership with the school have benefited students, staff and families in numerous ways. Employees from Parker, along with Capela's Landscaping, helped to renovate the school's courtyard this year, which will be utilized by students for years to come. Union City High School students, teachers and club advisors also made 23-24 school year a special one, assisting in many events, initiatives and projects that greatly impacted the young students at Union City Elementary.

Finally, Union City is grateful for their funding partners, **Anonymous** and **Women United** for their continued dedication and support of the Community School Model.







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