SAFETY AND SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT
Safe and Orderly School Features


DISTRICT TAXPAYER'S REPORT

|  | District Source of Funds 2005 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Sources of School District Revenue 2005 |  |
| Local Tax Contribution $\quad \$ 46,736,615$ |  |
| State Tax Contribution $\quad 77,668,248$ |  |
| Federal Grants $\quad 8,264,390$ |  |
| State Grants 4,025,773 |  |
| Private/Partnership Grants $\quad 76,545$ |  |
| Other Discretionary Income 7,383,831 | - Local Tax Contribution <br> State Tax Gontribution  <br> ( Federa Grants <br> State Grants  <br> 口 Privet/Partnership Grants <br> - Other Discretionary Income |
| Total School Dist Revenue \$144,155,402 |  |
| Total 2005 District Revenue Per Pupil $=$ \$7,668 |  |
|  | District Use of Funds 2005 |
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| Teachers $\quad \$ 72,554,566$ |  |
| Administration 11,657,884 |  |
| Building \& Facilities $\quad 13,674,819$ |  |
| Operational Expenses $\quad 30,970,218$ |  |
| Textbooks/Materials 6,278,580 | Teachers Administra |
| Total \$135,136,067 | G Building \& Facilities <br> a Operational Expenses <br> a Textbooks/Materials |

District Debt and Capital Construction \& Equipment

| Total Outstanding Bonded Debt | $\$ 188,290,000$ |
| :--- | ---: |
| Average Annual Percentage Interest Rate on Debt | $4.5 \%$ |
| Amount Raised from Most Recent Bond | $\$ 163,000,000$ |
| Amount Spent on New Buildings During Last 2 Years | $\$ 15,806,593$ |

Accreditation is the state's most all-encompassing accountability system, measuring eleven different indicators including academic areas both tested and not tested by CSAP, school safety,
and budget compliance. The state accredits districts, and districts, in turn, accredit individual
schools.
Accreditation Status for the 2005-2006 School Year
Accredited

## Voter Approved Funding Changes

Your community did $\square$ /did not $\triangle$ hold an election in November 2004 The following items have been approved by voters:

| $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ |
| :--- | ---: | :--- |
| TABOR | $\square$ | Mill Levy <br> Override |
| Increase |  |  |

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RAMPART HIGH SCHOOL


## ACADEMY 20

School Accountability Report
2005-2006 School Year

## School Performance Summary

## Overall Academic Performance on State

 AssessmentsAcademic Growth of Students


How Rampart High School Compares To High Schools Within A 75-Mile Radius


## STUDENT PERFORMANCE

Colorado students are assessed once a year in order to measure their performance on state academic content standards, using the Colorado Student Assessment Program (CSAP). The hart below shows the results for grades 9-10 in the subject areas for reading, writing and math for all students tested.
CSAP 2006 Spring
Grade 9


Reading


Writing


Math

GRADE 11 - ACT School

GRADE 11 - ACT State


Writing

Math

QUESTIONS PARENTS SHOULD ASK
Based on your child's school's Overall Academic Performance o Excellent, here are some questions you may want to ask your school about student achievement

## What is the school doing to improve my child's overall grades in reading,

## writing, and math?

You may want to request information from your child's teacher to find out what curriculum is being taught and if the material follows standards set in these subjects. Ask how phonics - and research-based testing is being used to identify your child's strengths and weaknesses.
What can I do as a parent to help my child do his or her best in school? Parental involvement is important in making sure your child does well in school talk to your child's teacher to find out how you can help. Ask your child's teacher about giving your child supplemental reading and math assignments or for additional homework that you may help your child with at home.
How does my child's teacher plan to help my child do his or her best in school? Your child's teacher should have a good idea of what your child does well and what areas might need improvement. Ask your child's teacher how he or she is being diagnostically assessed and what strategy his or her teacher has in place to address your child's needs.
How does the school use tests (i.e. CSAP, ACT, etc.) to make sure my child is or will be ready for college?
Ask your child's college advising counselor about how your child's scores will help or hinder his or her ability to attend and succeed in college and what grants and scholarships your child may be eligible for.
Is my child being challenged by the school work given in class?
Your child should be given school work that is challenging. Ask your child's counselor about options, programs, and additional work outside of class that will help challenge students who may need it.
What plan does the school have in place to make sure its students do not fall behind other schools in the state?

Ask for a copy of the school's plan that ensures all students are learning as much as, or more than, other students in the state. Also, make sure your child is being taught by a qualified teacher; all teachers should be experts in what they teach. Teachers are required to have passed an approved teacher education program and have a degree in the subject they teach, e.g. primary education, literacy, science, math, etc.
Based on this school's academic performance, your child may be eligible for one or more of the following: ask your school if your child qualifies for: After-school and summer-school classes
Tutoring
tor
Other extra help outside of regular school hours

## ABOUT OUR STAFF

## School Employmen

Each year, your district reports to the Colorado Department of Education on the number of adults who work in your school, as well as the type of work they do. Last year, your school employed:

| employed: | Your School |  | District |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Full Time | Part Time | Full Time | Part Time |  |  |  |  |  |
| Teachers | 87 | 7 | 1160 | 155 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Paraprofessionals | 15 | 3 | 283 | 192 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Administrators | 5 | 0 | 105 | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Other Professionals* | 10 | 2 | 203 | 62 |  |  |  |  |  |
| School Support | 25 | 1 | 391 | 161 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Staff | 155 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2664 |  |

*School counselors and librarians are included in the Other Professionals category.
Your school employed 5/1 FT/PT counselor(s) and 1/0 FT/PT librarian(s) last year
Students per Teacher Ratio

|  | Student Enrollment | Students per Teacher |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Grade 9 | 454 | 19.9 |
| Grade 10 | 401 | 17.6 |
| Grade 11 | 398 | 17.4 |
| Grade 12 | 380 | 16.6 |

## Professional Experience of Teachers

| Professional Experience of Teachers | Your School | District |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Average years of teaching experience | 10 | 10 |
| Percent of teachers teaching in the subject in which | $84 \%$ | $81 \%$ |
| they received their degree | $2.6 \%$ | $3.3 \%$ |
| Teachers' average days absent | 21 | 174 |
| Number of teachers who left school/district last year | 52 | 793 |
| Teachers with tenure | 42 | 522 |
| Teachers without tenure | 3 | 3 |
| Number of professional development days |  |  |

Salaries

|  | Your School | District | State |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Average Teacher Salary | $\$ 42,426$ | $\$ 41,011$ | $\$ 44,434$ |
| Average Administrator Salary | $\$ 79,105$ | $\$ 82,420$ | $\$ 75,524$ |

Principal: Gil Bierman
Number of years as Principal at this school: 4 Number of years as Principal at any school: 5

