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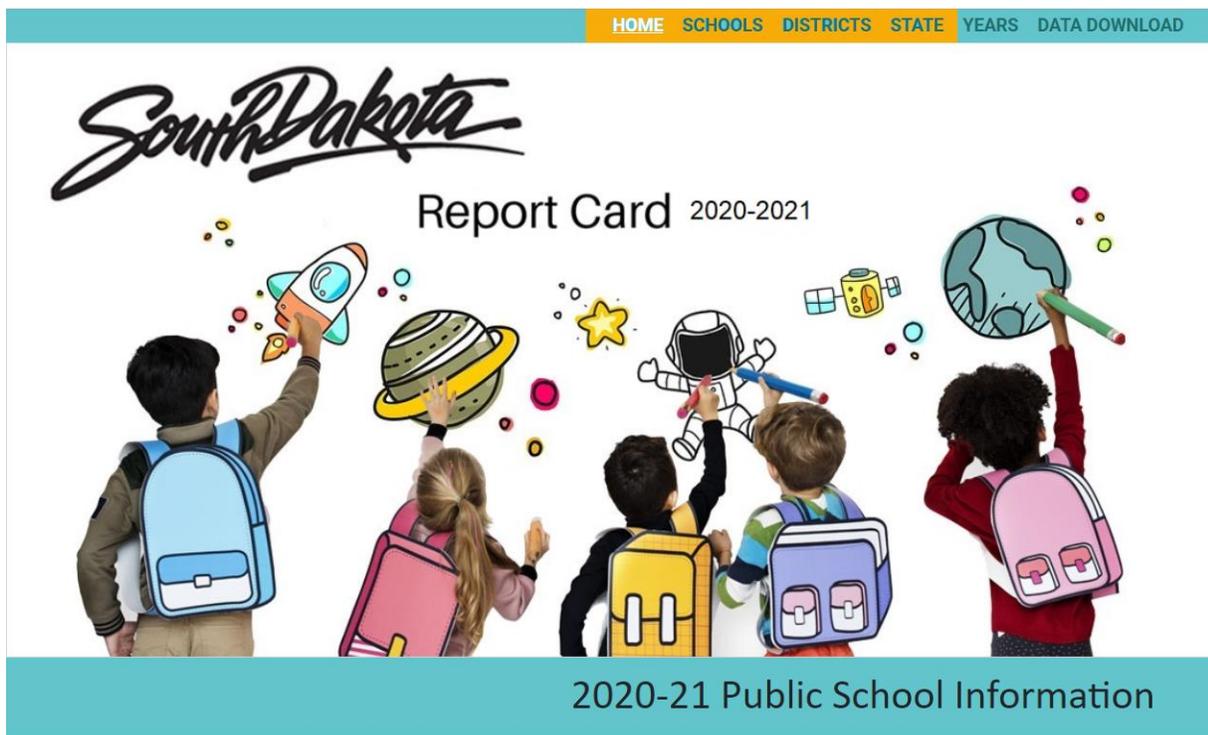
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Public Report Card Access

Public Report cards are generated to allow access to data that have been checked to remove any personally identifiable information. If group sizes are too small to report, an asterisk * is used to indicate the data are suppressed.

To access the public report cards for districts and schools, go to <https://sdschools.sd.gov>. This takes users to the school finder page. From there, users can navigate to report cards by clicking on any of the highlighted areas-school, district or state-or by typing in the name of a district or school in the search box. Past year report cards are available along with data download reports from the top right side of the school finder page.



Navigating the system

District Report Cards

When navigating the District Report Card, there are many ways to get to information. The red Options button takes users directly to the State Report Card, FAQs and other Accountability documents and reports. Like last year, the report cards contain COVID-19 messaging in some sections.

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District Report Card 2020-2021

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COVID-19 Important Note

The district report card highlights key performance areas that are aligned to South Dakota's school accountability with our district's vision, mission, and goals set forth by the superintendent working with the Board of Education that all students are "on-track" to graduate high school and are prepared to pursue their life goals, enrolling and achieving their career aspirations.

ACADEMICS | **SCHOOL QUALITY**

OVERALL SCORE

STUDENT PERFORMANCE | STUDENT PROGRESS | HIGH SCHOOL COMPLETION | COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS | ENGLISH LEARNERS PROGRESS | EDUCATOR QUALIFICATIONS | SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT | SCHOOL SAFETY

STUDENT PERFORMANCE

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English Language Arts | **Mathematics** | **Science**

Science assessment data for school year 2020-21

While data are available this year in the Student Performance and School Environment sections of the report card, no data are available for Student Progress, as consecutive years of data are not available due to COVID-19 and the absence of student assessments in the 2019-20 school year. **(For this guidebook, stars have been added to cover school- or district-specific data.)**

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English Language Arts



Mathematics



Science

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STUDENT PROGRESS

This measure shows the progress students have made on the state assessments for English language arts and mathematics since the prior school year. It illustrates whether students are learning and improving.



English Language Arts

No data due to COVID-19.

Mathematics

English Learners On Track



However, when users see a View Details button, it is an indication that more data are available.

PERFORMANCE BY STUDENT POPULATION

The information below shows how each population of students performed. It is broken down by group to show whether or not a school is serving all of its students well. When there are gaps for certain groups of students, schools will use that information to understand how they can better serve those groups to ensure that all students are performing at grade level.

VIEW DETAILS

English Language Arts

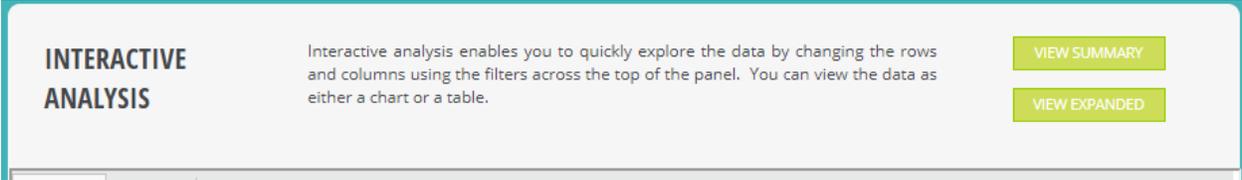
FAY STUDENTS

ALL ASSESSED STUDENTS

ENGLISH LEARNERS

STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

When users click on any of the choices displayed on a View Details button, the system will go to an Interactive Analysis dashboard where items may be viewed in either chart or table format. This dashboard contains data from 2018-19, 2019-20 (where available) and 2020-21. The dashboard allows users to explore the data using filters. The View Summary page will take the user back to the previous report card page. The View Expanded button will take users to a full page view of the chart or table.



The screenshot shows a header for an 'INTERACTIVE ANALYSIS' dashboard. On the left, the title 'INTERACTIVE ANALYSIS' is displayed in bold. To the right of the title is a descriptive paragraph: 'Interactive analysis enables you to quickly explore the data by changing the rows and columns using the filters across the top of the panel. You can view the data as either a chart or a table.' On the far right, there are two green buttons: 'VIEW SUMMARY' and 'VIEW EXPANDED'.

When using the Interactive Analysis dashboards, users may customize the view by choosing different filters from the drop downs on the page. These filters are available in both chart or table views. One thing to note is that “All” means all subgroups, while “All Students” is a subgroup by itself.

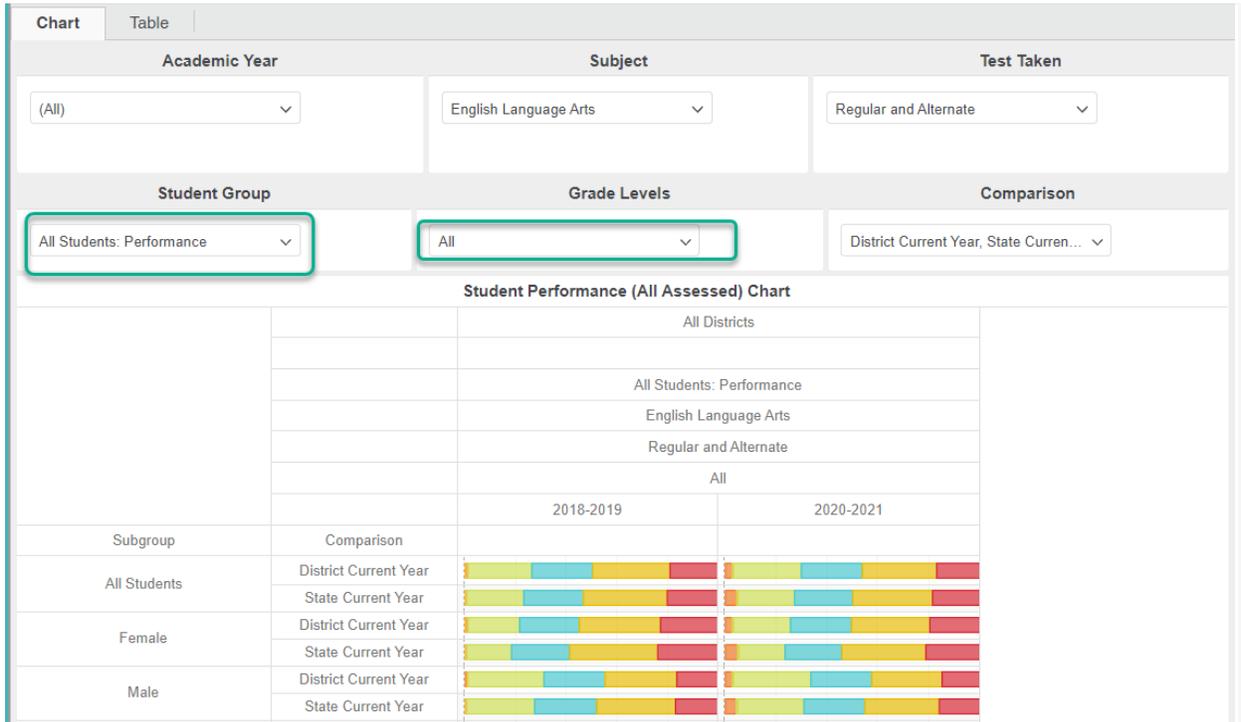


Chart **Table**

Academic Year: (All) Subject: English Language Arts Test Taken: Regular and Alternate

Student Group: All Students: Performance Grade Levels: All Comparison: District Current Year, State Current Year

Student Performance (All Assessed) Table

Subgroup	Total Students		Number Students Tested		Percent Students Tested		Number Students Not Tested		Percent Not Tested	
	District Current Year	State Current Year	District Current Year	State Current Year	District Current Year	State Current Year	District Current Year	State Current Year	District Current Year	State Current Year
All Students	1803	73200	1799	72768	99.78	99.41	4	432	0.22	0.58
Female	924	35762	922	35557	99.78	99.43	2	205	0.22	0.58

District Data Drill Down Examples

Step 1 – Choose District


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ATTENDANCE AND GRADUATION



Attending school regularly is essential for students to progress through each level of their education. Attendance rate is measured for elementary and middle schools. At the high school level, graduation rate and college and career readiness are important indicators of students' readiness to pursue higher education, career, and life beyond high school.

Attendance Rate



High School Completion



College & Career Readiness



EDUCATION SPENDING



South Dakota provides the tools for our schools to meet all their financial needs to provide a quality education to all our students. The numbers below provide information about some of the financial details for the district.

Per Pupil Spending

Federal Funding Sources

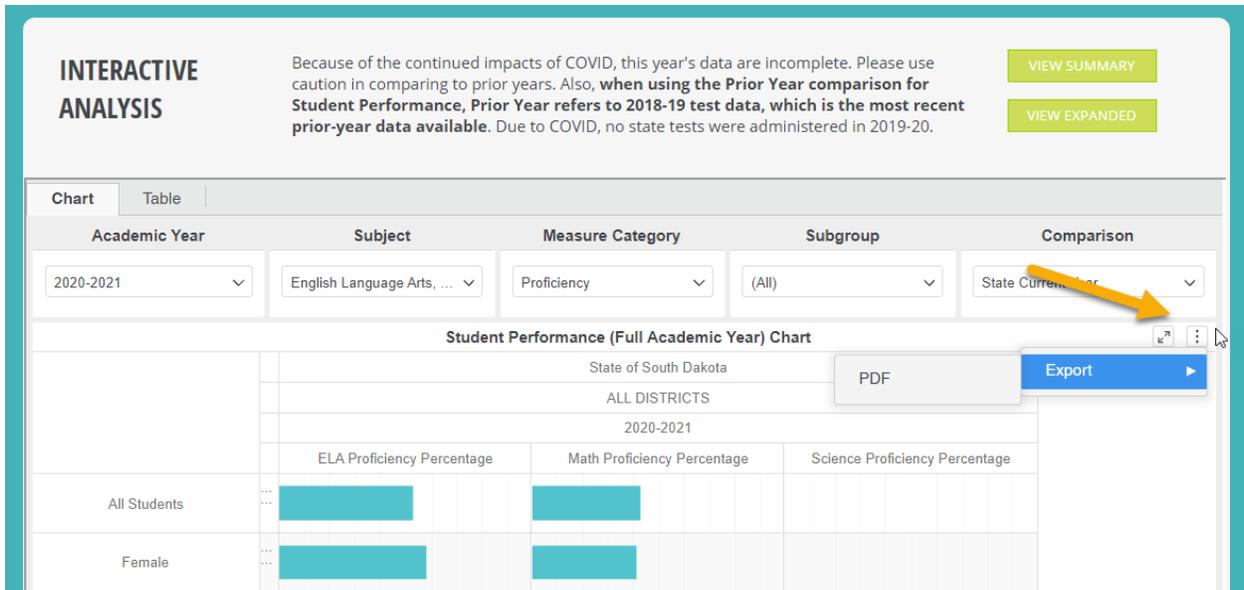
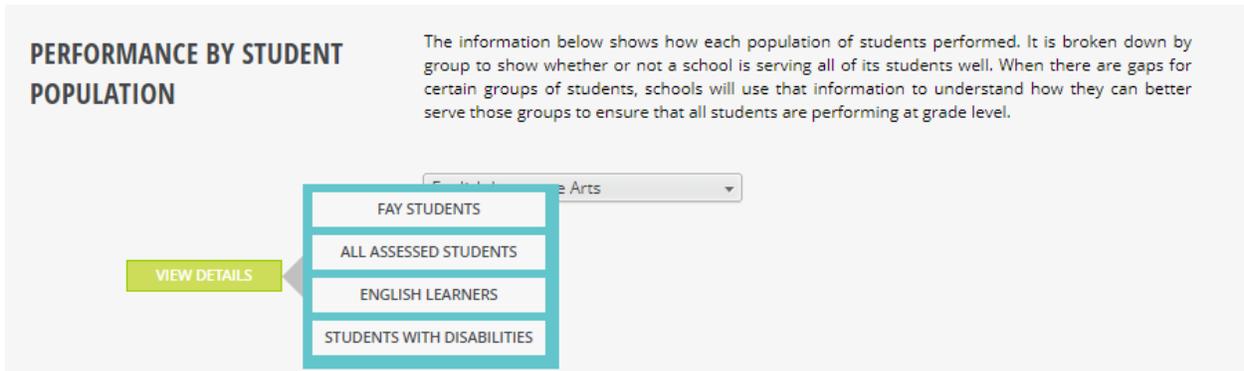
State and Local Funding Sources

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Step 2 – Choose which Indicator to dig into



Step 3 – Scroll down until a section with View Details appears and choose an area to investigate. Keep in mind that Full Academic Year (FAY) students are the ones the district is held accountable for in the Student Performance measure. All Assessed students include all student who were tested during the testing window. Data can be exported by clicking three small dots in the upper right-hand corner of the tables.



School Report Cards

School level report cards can be navigated just like the district report cards. There are a few items that are available at the school level that the district level does not have.

On the Overall Score page, data are reported that indicates if a school has been identified for school support. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the identified support status is the same as the 18-19 school year. New identifications have not been calculated for 2019-20 and 2020-21 due to a waiver from the U.S. Department of Education. Also due to this waiver, the Overall Score page does not report SPI points or an overall score.

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Overall Score
This school was identified for

GENERAL SUPPORT

COVID-19
Important Note

Parents are critical partners in a school's success. Just as your child's report card shows how he or she is performing, this school report card shows you how your child's school is performing in multiple areas. It is designed to show the school's strengths in addition to challenges that need to be addressed in order to ensure we are meeting the needs of all students.

ACADEMICS

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SCHOOL QUALITY

EDUCATOR QUALIFICATIONS | **SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT** | **SCHOOL SAFETY**

The About the School page has information about the school, including the principal's name, school contact information and a location map for the school. The school status information also lets users know if the school participates in a Title I program, the grade levels served by the school, school support status, small or special school status, and the poverty and minority levels. Enrollment, services, and spending information are also available on this page.

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SCHOOL INFORMATION

CONTACT INFO
 (605) 754-6485
 www.newunderwood.k12.sd.us

PRINCIPAL
 Katie Adams
 katie.adams@k12.sd.us

SCHOOL STATUS
 Elementary SCOE School
 Grade Levels KG-05
 Title I
 General Cognition
 Neither High Nor Low Minority
 Neither High Nor Low Poverty

STUDENT ENROLLMENT
 Enrollments is the official census count of students enrolled in South Dakota's public schools as of the last Friday in September.

SCHOOL STUDENT ENROLLMENT

Year	Enrollment
2018-2019	~100
2019-2020	~90
2020-2021	~100

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT DIVERSITY

Demographic	Percentage
Hispanic/Latino	2.90%
Asian	0.00%
Black/African American	0.00%
White	97.10%
Two or More Races	0.00%
White/Overseas	0.00%

STUDENTS RECEIVING ADDITIONAL SERVICES
 South Dakota has made it a priority to ensure that the educational needs of all students are met. Schools are provided the tools and additional support in the educational programs designed to meet the needs of students who have historically experienced achievement gaps.

Preschool Enrollment
 0

EDUCATION SPENDING
 South Dakota is committed to ensure that all schools have the financial support needed to provide quality education to all students attending public schools. The details below are based upon the school district's annual finances.

State Aid Fall Enrollment | Per Pupil Spending | Federal Funding Sources | State and Local Funding Sources

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Next: Overall Score

The school report card is just one piece of information, that when combined with a student's individual state test results, and report card grades, gives parents a more accurate picture of their children's academic experience.

State Report Card

The state report card can be navigated like the school and district report cards and includes a few additional features like the message from the Secretary of Education for South Dakota.

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The 2020-2021 school year was a historic one. Despite the challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic, South Dakota schools largely were able to provide in-person instruction for students, while implementing prevention strategies to keep students and staff safe and offering options for students unable to attend in person. I am so proud of the efforts made by South Dakota school leaders, teachers, and staff to ensure that our students kept learning and growing despite a pandemic. Kudos to all of them!

As you review the 2020-2021 Report Card, please note that, because of the continued impacts of COVID, this year's data are incomplete. Please use caution in comparing this year's data to past years; comparisons are not appropriate. The 2020-2021 data should be used in the context of the school year.

COVID-19 Important Note

Tiffany Sanderson, Secretary of Education

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Data Download

Additional reports not available on the options menus for the school or district report cards are available on the state report card. These reports are School and Educator Equity, School Support List and Data Download, which provides data reports for indicators reported on the report card.

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If users need further guidance, please contact the South Dakota Department of Education at 605-773-3134 or 605-773-6400.