

Palos School District 2012-2013 Areas of Success

Palos East School	Palos South School	Palos West School
<p>The combined overall ISAT score for Palos East for reading, math and science on 2013 ISAT was 79.6%</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 80.5% of 3rd grade students met or exceeded state standards on ISAT reading. • 84.2% of 5th grade students met or exceeded state standards on ISAT reading. • 91.9% of 4th grade students met or exceeded state standards on ISAT science. • 85% of 5th grade students met or exceeded state standards on ISAT math. <p>Augmented technology instruction with the addition of iPads for student use.</p>	<p>The combined overall ISAT score for Palos South for reading, math and science on 2013 ISAT was 96%</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 98.6% of 7th grade students met or exceeded state standards on ISAT science. • 98% of 8th grade Spanish students tested into Spanish II. • Promoted student involvement in extra-curricular activities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Band received 1st place ratings at IGSM and St. Lawrence ○ Choir received a 1st place rating at IGSM ○ Student Council earned Honor Council Status for Illinois ○ Boys Cross Country – Conference Champions ○ 7th & 8th grade girls volleyball - Conference & Tournament Champions ○ 7th grade girls basketball conference champs ○ 8th grade boys basketball – Conference & Tournament 	<p>The combined overall ISAT score for Palos West for reading, math and science on 2013 ISAT was 89.9%</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 88.2% of 3rd grade students met or exceeded state standards on ISAT reading. 35.3% exceeded standards in reading. • 89.6% of 3rd grade students met or exceeded state standards on ISAT math. Students in grade three receiving scores of 3 & 4 on ISAT Extended Response increased 30% from the previous year. • 87.8% of 4th grade students met or exceeded state standards on ISAT reading. 41.9% exceeded standards in reading. • 94.6% of 4th grade students met or exceeded state standards on ISAT math. 41.9% exceeded standards in reading. • 97.3% of 4th grade students met or exceeded state standards on ISAT science. 55.4% exceeded in Science. • 87.1% of 5th grade students met or

	<p>Champions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ 7th grade girls track – Conference Champions● Expanded the 8th Grade Health Education Curriculum through a partnership with Robert Crown in implementing a Heroin Prevention Unit.● Promoted Community Service Projects/Service Learning:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ St. Jude Math-a-thon○ St. Baldrick's Fundraiser○ Spirit of Halloween Gift and Candy Collection● Expanded the South Recycling Program.	<p>exceeded state standards on ISAT math.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● 82.9% of 5th grade students met or exceeded state standards on ISAT reading.● School Search Bright Red Apple 2013 Award for Educational Excellence.
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