



2022-23 ANNUAL REVIEW TIMOTHY L. JOHNSON ACADEMY

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REPORT OVERVIEW

In order to ensure its schools are operating at the highest level possible, Education One conducts an Annual Review for each school, specifically assessing performance in each indicator found in the school's Accountability Plan Performance Framework (APPF). Indicators measure the school's Academic, Financial, and Organizational capabilities. Quantitative and qualitative data is gathered throughout the year from document submissions, routine site visits, assessment results, and survey conclusions.

Evidence of each indicator's ratings is reported to the school's Board of Directors during regularly scheduled board meetings throughout the school year, when data is available. Through continuous monitoring, Education One is able to identify trends in data over time, address key areas of concern, and highlight successes on a more frequent basis. While the process involves significant time commitments, Education One believes that this high level of accountability, coupled with strong collaboration and partnerships, supports its schools to best meet the needs of the student populations served.

Annual Review reports are presented to key stakeholders, including, but not limited to: School Board Chair, School Leader, and EMO/Superintendent, if applicable. A final copy of each school's Annual Review is posted on Education One's website, www.education1.org, for public viewing.

Part I: Academic Performance

The Academic Performance review gauges the academic success of the school in serving its target populations and closing equity gaps. Part I of the Annual Review consists of various indicators designed to measure success of local, state, and federal academic standards and goals. All indicators are noted in the school's Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

Overall Rating	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	(Extension)	(Extension)	(Extension)	
for Academic	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	
Performance	Does Not Meet Standard	Approaching Standard	Not Applicable	Approaching Standard	Approaching Standard		
		Is the school's	educational progi	ram successful?			
	Exceeds Standard	The school consist indicators below.	stently and effective	ely complies with a	nd presents no con	cerns in the	
Performance Meets Standard The school complies with and presents no concerns in the indicators below.							
Rubric	Approaching Standard	The school presents concerns in some of the indicators and may or may not have a credible					

The school presents concerns in a majority of the indicators and may or may not have a

credible plan to address the issues; or the school requires an Improvement Plan.

Does Not Meet

Standard

	Accountability Plan Performance Framework Indicators	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	Instruction	ES	MS	N/A	MS	MS	
	<u>Attendance</u>	AS	AS	N/A	DNMS	AS	
	Achievement on Benchmark Assessment: Reading	DNMS	N/A	N/A	DNMS	DNMS	
	Achievement on Benchmark Assessment by Subgroup: Reading	N/A	N/A	N/A	DNMS	DNMS	
Local	Achievement on Benchmark Assessment: Math	DNMS	N/A	N/A	DNMS	DNMS	
Academic Performance	Achievement on Benchmark Assessment by Subgroup: Math	N/A	N/A	N/A	MS	AS	
	Growth on Benchmark Assessment: Reading	DNMS	N/A	N/A	AS	AS	
	Growth on Benchmark Assessment by Subgroup: Reading	N/A	N/A	N/A	AS	AS	
	Growth on Benchmark Assessment: Math	DNMS	N/A	N/A	MS	MS	
	Growth on Benchmark Assessment by Subgroup: Math	N/A	N/A	N/A	MS	MS	
	Achievement on State Summative Assessment: Reading	DNMS	DNMS	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Achievement on State Summative Assessment by Subgroup: Reading	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Achievement on State Summative Assessment: Math	DNMS	DNMS	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Achievement on State Summative Assessment by Subgroup: Math	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
State	Growth on State Summative Assessment Reading	DNMS	AS	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Academic Performance	Growth on State Summative Assessment by Subgroup Reading	MS	DNMS	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Growth on State Summative Assessment Math	DNMS	AS	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Growth on State Summative Assessment by Subgroup Math	MS	DNMS	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Comparison to Local Schools	AS	AS	N/A	DNMS	AS	
	Reading Proficiency-Grade 3	DNMS	ES	N/A	DNMS	MS	

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	Accountability Plan Performance Framework Indicators	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	Federal Accountability Rating	AS	DNMS	N/A	N/A	DNMS	
Academic	Chronic Absenteeism	DNMS	ES	N/A	N/A	DNMS	
	Closing Achievement Gaps	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Language Proficiency for English Learners	DNMS	MS	N/A	N/A	N/A	

LOCAL ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE

Instruction: Education One measures and evaluates Instruction during regularly scheduled site visits. During these visits, classroom walkthroughs are conducted, assessing the appropriate implementation of the following instructional best practices:

- Instructional delivery possesses the appropriate level of rigor and relevance, whereas rigor is defined as complexity and relevance is defined as culturally affirming;
- Instructional activities use differentiated strategies to meet the individual needs of most learners;
- Checks for understanding are appropriately implemented throughout the lesson;
- Students receive timely, growth oriented feedback from the teacher to improve their instructional practices;
- Classroom management supports content delivery;
- Techniques are implemented to increase active engagement of most learners;
- Instruction is based on core learning objects and grade level standards; and
- The curriculum is implemented according to its design.

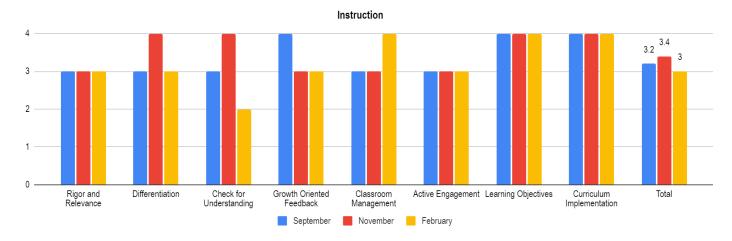
Classroom observation data is compiled to identify overarching trends across the school, both in commendations and recommendations. The school receives points (1-4) for each area observed based on the percentage of classrooms showing a concern. Points are then weighted based on the effect size the component has on student achievement and growth. The school's overall rating coincides with the sum of those weighted points. The rubric for Instruction is as follows:

Exceeds Standard	Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The school receives a score of 4.	The school receives a score within the range of 3.0-3.9.	The school receives a score within the range of 2.0-2.9.	The school receives a score within the range of 1.0-1.9.

The following table provides data collected throughout the 2022-23 school year and indicates the percentage of classrooms that showed a concern in each observable best practice. Boxes highlighted in yellow indicate an area that was a concern in at least a half of the classrooms observed and were recommended as areas of possible focus and/or improvement with the school's leadership team and Board of Directors during regularly scheduled site visits and board meetings.

	2022-23 Site Visit Percentage of Classrooms Showing a Concern								
	Rigorous and Relevant Delivery	Differentiated Strategies	Checks for Understanding	Timely, Growth Feedback	Classroom Management	Active Engagement	Learning Objectives and Standards	Curriculum Implementation	
Sept.	31%	23%	15%	8%	31%	15%	8%	0%	
Nov.	29%	0%	0%	14%	14%	21%	0%	0%	
Feb.	25%	25%	33%	25%	8%	25%	8%	25%	

The following graph illustrates the progress of each best practice throughout the year based on the percentage of classrooms that showed a concern. Consistent with the Instruction rubric, an area receiving a minimum of a '3' would be meeting standard.



Based on the qualitative and quantitative evidence collected throughout the 2022-23 school year, Timothy L. Johnson Academy (TLJA) receives a rating of **Meets Standard** according to the school's Accountability Plan Performance Framework, with an average instructional rating of 3.2 points.

Attendance: Starting at the age of seven, students in Indiana are required to attend school regularly. The Indiana Department of Education (IDOE) defines habitual truancy as ten or more days absent from school, meaning students are required to attend school for 95% of the 180 days in a school year. The rubric for Attendance is as follows:

Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The school's attendance rate is 95.0%		The school's attendance rate is less
or greater.	between 90.0 and 94.9%.	than 90.0%.

The table below identifies the average attendance rate per grade level and the school's overall average attendance. TLJA had an average attendance rate of 90%, and thus, is **Approaching Standard** according to the school's Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

Attendance Breakdown						
Kindergarten	89%	×				
First Grade	90%	×				
Second Grade	89%	×				
Third Grade	93%	×				
Fourth Grade	90%	×				
Fifth Grade	91%	×				
Whole School	90%	×				
Key: ✓ = Meets Standard, X = Approaching Standard, X = Does Not Meet Standard						

Achievement on Benchmark Assessment: The success of the schools implementation of its educational model and programming is measured by analyzing the achievement results of legacy students attending the school. A legacy student is defined as having attended the school for a minimum of two years.

Education One requires all schools in its portfolio to measure student progress multiple times throughout the school year using an assessment tool selected by the school. TLJA utilized the Northwest Evaluation Association (NWEA) tool Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) during the 2022-23 school year. This computer adaptive assessment assesses students in reading and math and is aligned to grade level standards. Individual ratings for both reading

and math achievement of legacy students are reported on an annual basis, utilizing end of year assessment results. The rubric for this sub-indicator is as follows:

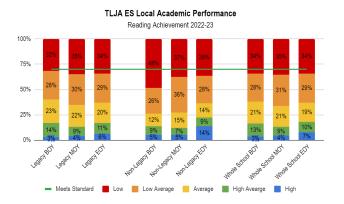
Exceeds Standard	Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
80.0% or more of legacy students demonstrated grade level proficiency according to benchmark assessment standards.	70.0-79.9% of legacy students demonstrated grade level proficiency according to benchmark assessment standards.	60.0-69.9% of legacy students demonstrated grade level proficiency according to benchmark assessment standards.	Less than 60% of legacy students demonstrated grade level proficiency according to benchmark assessment standards.

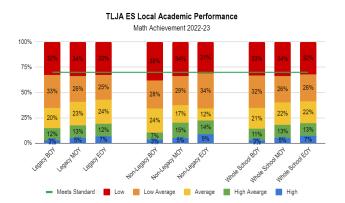
During the 2022-23 school year, TLJA gave its benchmark assessment in the fall, winter, and spring. These results were consistently collected, analyzed, and discussed to identify areas of immediate improvement and/or celebration.

The 'Average,' 'High Average,' and 'High' categories signify students who demonstrated grade level proficiency. However, these categories represent percentile rankings. An increase in the percentage of students in these categories indicates that students outgrew their academic peers enough to obtain higher achievement scores. A decrease in the percentage of these categories would then signify that students did not grow enough to maintain similar achievement levels as their academic peers. It does not necessarily mean that students went backwards in their achievement.

At the beginning of the year, 40.1% of TLJA legacy students were performing on grade level in reading and 34.9% in math. The percentage of legacy students performing on grade level decreased by 2.8 points in reading but increased by 7.9 points in math. The following table and graphs illustrate the achievement of legacy students in reading and math for the 2022-23 school year, compared to their non-legacy peers and the school's overall achievement percentage.

		Reading			Math		
	Population %	BOY Achievement	EOY Achievement	Change	BOY Achievement	EOY Achievement	Change
Legacy Students	85%	40.1%	37.2%	-2.8	34.9%	42.9%	+7.9
Non-Legacy Students	15%	25.9%	36.2%	+10.3	34.5%	34.5%	+0
Whole School	100%	37.9%	37.1%	-0.8	34.9%	41.6%	+6.7





The following tables indicate the percentage of all students enrolled at TLJA, both legacy and non-legacy, by grade level and whole school, that met achievement targets on the end of the year benchmark assessment in reading and

math. Students in third through fifth grade did not take the End of Year assessment due to focus on other assessment requirements. Percentages reflect middle of year performance.

		Reading				
Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Students with Average+ Achievement Status	Percentage of Grade Level Achievement	Achievement Target Rating		
Kindergarten	67	22	32.8%	×		
First Grade	72	35	48.6%	×		
Second Grade	53	15	28.3%	×		
Third Grade	63	27	42.9%	×		
Fourth Grade	58	18	31.0%	×		
Fifth Grade	62	22	35.5%	×		
Whole School	375	139	37.1%	×		
Key: ✓ = Exceeds Standard, ✓ = Meets Standard, メ = Approaching Standard, メ = Does Not Meet Standard						

		Math				
Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Students with Average+ Achievement Status	Percentage of Grade Level Achievement	Achievement Target Rating		
Kindergarten	45	26	36.6%	×		
First Grade	40	15	59.4%	×		
Second Grade	58	31	41.2%	×		
Third Grade	47	34	36.5%	×		
Fourth Grade	44	16	29.8%	×		
Fifth Grade	54	18	43.5%	×		
Whole School	472	206	41.6%	×		
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<u>Reading:</u> 37.2% of legacy students were considered proficient on the reading NWEA assessment. At this time last year, 32.9% of legacy students were considered proficient, an increase of 4.3 points. Education One commends the school for seeing an increase from the previous school year. However, the school receives a rating of **Does Not Meet Standard**, according to the school's Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

<u>Math:</u> 42.9% of legacy students were considered proficient on the math NWEA assessment. At this time last year, only 32.2% of legacy students were considered proficient. Education One commends the school for an increase of 10.7 points. The school, however, receives a rating of **Does Not Meet Standard**, according to the school's Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

Subgroup Achievement on Benchmark Assessment: Successful implementation of the educational model is also monitored by analyzing the results of the school's represented subgroups to ensure equitable opportunities are provided for all students enrolled and achievement gaps are closing. The school receives separate annual ratings in reading and math for each of the following subgroups with 20 or more students, based on benchmark assessment results:

- English Learner;
- Gender:
- Race:
- Socioeconomic Status; and

• Special Education

The rubric for this sub-indicator is as follows:

Exceeds Standard	Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The percentage of students in the identified subgroup increased overall achievement by more than 15.0% from beginning of the year to end of the year. OR 80.0% or more of students in the identified subgroup demonstrated grade level achievement at the end of the year, according to benchmark assessment standards.	increased overall achievement	The percentage of students in the identified subgroup increased overall achievement by 7.5-9.9% from beginning of the year to end of the year. OR 60-69.9% or more of students in the identified subgroup demonstrated grade level achievement at the end of the year, according to benchmark assessment standards.	The percentage of students in the identified subgroup increased overall achievement by less than 7.5% from beginning of the year to end of the year. OR Less than 60.0% of students in the identified subgroup demonstrated grade level achievement, according to benchmark assessment standards.

The following table illustrates the achievement of each subgroup of students in reading and math for the 2022-23 school year based on beginning and end of year assessment results. Data for subgroups with less than 20 students is suppressed for confidentiality purposes.

Subgroup Breakdown									
Subgroup	Pop. %		Reading				Math		
		% of BOY Grade Level Achievement Legacy Students	% of EOY Grade Level Achievement Legacy Students	Change	Achievement Target Rating	% of BOY Grade Level Achievement Legacy Students	% of EOY Grade Level Achievement Legacy Students	Change	Achievement Target Rating
Whole School	100%	40.1%	37.2%	-2.8	×	34.9%	42.9%	+7.9	×
English Learner	68%	35.8%	37.7%	+1.9	×	35.6%	46.8%	+11.1	V
Female	52%	44.6%	42.8%	-1.8	×	30.9%	41.8%	+10.9	V
Male	48%	35.1%	31.1%	-4.0	×	39.3%	44.0%	+4.7	×
Asian	64%	36.3%	38.2%	+2.0	×	35.3%	46.1%	+10.8	V
Black	26%	51.2%	37.8%	-13.4	×	32.5%	31.3	-1.3	x
Hispanic	7%	33.3%	33.3%	+0	×	33.3%	52.4%	+19.0	V
SPED	7%	12.5%	6.3%	-6.3	×	18.0%	0.0%	-19	×

<u>Reading:</u> Overall, the school receives a rating of **Does Not Meet Standard**, according to the school's Accountability Plan Performance Framework. All subgroups had a rating of Does Not Meet Standard.

<u>Math:</u> Overall, the school receives a rating of <u>Approaching Standard</u>, according to the school's Accountability Plan Performance Framework. Four subgroups were either meeting or exceeding standard. Male, Black, and Special Education students were not meeting standard.

Growth on Benchmark Assessment: Education One analyzes the percentage of students who meet or exceed growth targets established by the school's benchmark assessment. Students included in this percentage took the benchmark assessment at the beginning and end of the year. The school receives separate annual ratings for both reading and math. The rubric for this sub-indicator is as follows:

Exceeds Standard	Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
60.0% or more of students met or exceeded established	50.0-59.9% of students met or exceeded established growth	40.0-49.9% of students met or exceeded established growth	Less than 40.0% of students met or exceeded established
growth targets.	targets.	targets.	growth targets.

The following tables indicate the percentage of students that met growth targets by the end of the year benchmark assessment in reading and math.

Reading						
Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Students Meeting Growth Target	Percentage of Students Meeting Growth Target	Growth Target Rating		
Kindergarten	67	24	35.8%	X		
First Grade	72	49	68.1%	✓		
Second Grade	53	13	24.5%	×		
Third Grade	63	23	36.5%	×		
Fourth Grade	58	28	48.3%	X		
Fifth Grade	62	38	61.3%	✓		
Whole School	375	175	46.7%	X		
Key: ✓ = Exc	ceeds Standard, ✔= Meets	Standard, 🗶 = Approaching	g Standard, X = Does Not M	eet Standard		

Math					
Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Students Meeting Growth Target	Percentage of Students Meeting Growth Target	Growth Target Rating	
Kindergarten	71	32	45.1%	×	
First Grade	69	55	79.7%	V	
Second Grade	51	15	29.4%	×	
Third Grade	63	38	60.3%	V	
Fourth Grade	57	26	45.6%	×	
Fifth Grade	62	45	72.6%	>	
Whole School	373	211	53.3%	V	
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<u>Reading:</u> 46.7% of students met growth targets on the reading NWEA assessment, an increase of 3.1 points from the 2021-22 school year. TLJA, however, receives a rating of <u>Approaching Standard</u>, according to the school's Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

<u>Math:</u> 53.3% of students met growth targets on the math NWEA assessment, an increase of 2.4 points from the previous school year. The school receives a rating of **Meets Standard**, according to the school's Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

Subgroup Growth on Benchmark Assessment: Growth is also measured through the lens of subgroups served at the school. The school receives separate annual ratings in reading and math for each of the following subgroups with 20 or more students, based on benchmark assessment results:

- Economically Disadvantaged;
- English Learner;
- Gender:
- Race: and
- Special Education

The rubric for Subgroup Student Achievement on Benchmark Assessment is as follows:

Exceeds Standard	Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
60.0% or more of students in the identified subgroups met or exceeded typical growth expectations.	50.0-59.9% of students in the identified subgroups met or exceeded typical growth expectations.	40.0-49.9% of students in the identified subgroups met or exceeded typical growth expectations.	Less than 40.0% of students in the identified subgroups met or exceeded typical growth expectations.

The following table illustrates the growth made by each subgroup of students in reading and math for the 2022-23 school year based on end of year assessment data and how those percentages rate against the indicator's rubric. Data for subgroups with less than 20 students is suppressed for confidentiality purposes.

Subgroup	Pop. %	Rea	ading	Math		
		Percentage of Students Meeting Growth Target	Growth Target Rating	Percentage of Students Meeting Growth Target	Growth Target Rating	
Whole School	100%	46.7%	×	56.6%	V	
English Learners	69%	48.3%	×	59.2%	V	
Female	51	51.6%	V	57.1%	V	
Male	49%	41.5%	×	56.0%	V	
Asian	65%	47.1%	×	58.6%	V	
Black	25%	41.1%	×	50.5%	V	
Hispanic	7%	60.0%	V	72.0%	✓	
SPED	4%	25.0%	×	43.8%	×	

<u>Reading:</u> Overall, the school receives a rating of <u>Approaching Standard</u> according to the school's Accountability Plan Performance Framework. The majority of subgroups were approaching standard, with the exception of Female and Hispanic students, who were meeting standard. Special Education students' growth percentage did not meet standard.

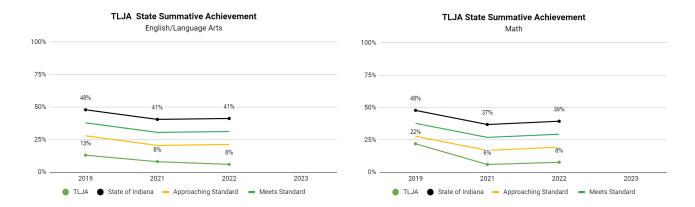
<u>Math:</u> The school receives a rating of **Meets Standard**. All subgroups either met or exceeded standard, with the expectation of the Special Education subgroup that was approaching standard.

STATE ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE

Achievement on Summative Assessment: Education One measures the school's educational model by comparing the percentage of students achieving grade level proficiency to the state's results. Students included in the percentage used for comparison are legacy students, as defined above in local academic performance. The rubric for Legacy Student Achievement on Summative Assessment is as follows:

Exceeds Standard	Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
	The percentage of legacy students achieving grade level proficiency is within 0-10.0% of the state's percentage.		The percentage of legacy students achieving grade level proficiency is 20.0% or more less than the state's percentage.

The corresponding charts illustrate trend data for legacy students' achievement compared to the state of Indiana on the Indiana Learning Evaluation Assessment Readiness Network (ILEARN) assessment, which is administered each spring to summatively measure grade-level standard achievement and annual growth for students in grades three through eight. ILEARN was first implemented in the spring of 2019. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, all state testing was canceled in 2020 but was re-established in 2021.



<u>English/Language Arts</u>: In Indiana, 41% of students in grades 3-8 met or exceeded grade-level standards on the 2022 English/Language Arts ILEARN assessment. At TLJA, 6% of students in grades 3-8 met or exceeded grade-level standards on the 2022 English/Language Arts ILEARN assessment. Due to harmless legislation, the school receives a rating of **Not Applicable**.

<u>Math:</u> In Indiana, 39% of students in grades 3-8 met or exceeded grade-level standards on the 2022 Math ILEARN assessment. At TLJA, 8% of students in grades 3-8 met or exceeded grade-level standards on the 2022 Math ILEARN assessment. Due to harmless legislation, the school receives a rating of **Not Applicable**.

Subgroup Achievement on Summative Assessment: Similar to legacy student achievement, Education One compares the percentage of students in each subgroup served at the school who met or exceeded grade-level standards to the state's percentage of each similar subgroup. This indicator measures how successful the implementation school's educational model is in serving special populations found in the community that may be underrepresented across the state as a whole. The rubric is as follows:

Exceeds Standard	Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The percentage of students in the identified subgroups demonstrating grade level achievement is greater than the state's percentage.	The percentage of students in the identified subgroups demonstrating grade level achievement is within 0-10.0% of the state's percentage.	The percentage of students in the identified subgroups demonstrating grade level achievement is within 10.1-20.0% of the state's percentage.	The percentage of students in the identified subgroups demonstrating grade level achievement is more than 20.0% from the state's percentage.

The following tables illustrate the percentage of students that met or exceeded grade-level standards on the state summative assessment by subgroup for the 2021-22 school year. Data for subgroups with less than 20 students is suppressed for confidentiality purposes.

Subgroup	School Population %	School % of Students Meeting or Exceeding Standards	State Population %	State % of Students Meeting or Exceeding Standards	Difference	Rating
Whole School	100%	6%	100%	41%	-35	×
Free/Reduced Lunch	85%	8%	44%	27%	-19	×
English Learner	63%	8%	8%	14%*	-6	X
Female	51%	8%	49%	45%	-37	×
Male	49%	4%	51%	37%	-33	x
Asian	59%	9%	3%	57%	-48	×
Black	30%	0%	12%	19%*	-19	×
Hispanic	2%	10%	14%	28%	-18	×
Special Education	7%	9%	16%	13%*	-4	X

^{*}Student subgroups with a state passing percentage less than 20% need to be within at least half of the state's subgroup passing percentage to approach standard and within a quarter to meet standard.

Subgroup Breakdown: Math ILEARN 3-8						
Subgroup	School Population %	School % of Students Meeting or Exceeding Standards	State Population %	State % of Students Meeting or Exceeding Standards	Difference	Rating
Whole School	100%	8%	100%	39%	-31	X
Free/Reduced Lunch	85%	7%	44%	25%	-18	X
English Learner	63%	9%	8%	17%*	-8	X
Female	51%	6%	49%	37%	-31	×
Male	49%	9%	51%	42%	-33	×
Asian	59%	10%	3%	58%	-48	×
Black	30%	4%	12%	15%*	-11	×
Hispanic	2%	10%	14%	25%	-15	X
Special Education	7%	0%	16%	16%*	-16	×
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^{*}Student subgroups with a state passing percentage less than 20% need to be within at least half of the state's subgroup passing percentage to approach standard and within a quarter to meet standard.

<u>Reading:</u> The school did not meet standard in any of the identified subgroups in English/Language Arts. However, the Free/Reduced Lunch, English Language, Hispanic, and Special Education students' passing percentage qualified as approaching standard. Due to harmless legislation, the school receives a rating of **Not Applicable**.

<u>Math:</u> The school did not meet standard in any of the identified subgroups in Math. However, the Free/Reduced Lunch, English Language, and Hispanic students' passing percentage qualified as approaching standard. Due to harmless legislation, the school receives a rating of **Not Applicable**.

Growth on Summative Assessment: Under the Indiana Growth Model, the Indiana Department of Education compares each student's growth on the state summative assessment from one year to the next and determines whether students made low, average, or high growth when compared to their academic peers. For more information, click here. To measure student growth overall, Education One uses the school's median growth percentile (MGP), which summarizes student growth percentiles by ordering individual student growth percentiles from lowest to highest, and identifying the middle score, or the median. MGPs range from 1 (lowest) to 99 (highest). An MGP of 50 indicates average growth. The rubric is as follows:

Exceeds Standard	Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The school's Median Growth Percentile is 75 or more (top		The school's Median Growth Percentile is between 25	The school's Median Growth Percentile is less than 25
quartile).	and 74.9.	and 49.9.	(bottom quartile).

<u>Reading:</u> TLJA had an MGP of 35 for the 2022 ILEARN English/Language Arts assessment. Due to harmless legislation, the school receives a rating of **Not Applicable**.

Math: TLJA had an MGP of 45 for the 2022 ILEARN Math assessment. Due to harmless legislation, the school receives a rating of **Not Applicable**.

Subgroup Growth on Summative Assessment: Education One measures the success of the school's educational model by analyzing the percentage of students in each of the school's represented subgroups who are on target to become proficient or maintain proficiency of English/Language Arts and Mathematics standards based on growth exhibited. Student growth percentiles are used to determine whether students are making adequate growth annually to make these targets. The rubric for this sub-indicator is as follows:

Exceeds Standard	Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The percentage of students in the identified subgroup who	The percentage of students in the identified subgroup who	The percentage of students in the identified subgroup who	The percentage of students in the identified subgroup who
are on target to become proficient or maintain	are on target to become proficient or maintain	are on target to become proficient or maintain	are on target to become proficient or maintain
proficiency is greater than the state's percentage.	proficiency is within 0-10.0% of the state's percentage.		proficiency is more than 20.0% from the state's percentage.

Growth data was not publicly released by the state of Indiana for the 2022 state summative assessment by subgroup. Therefore, the TLJA receives a rating of **Not Applicable** for Subgroup Student Growth on Summative Assessment.

Comparison to Local Schools: Education One compares its portfolio schools to surrounding community schools that serve students with similar demographics and are within 10 miles of the school's location to ensure the charter school is providing a quality choice to the community. Achievement and growth results from the state summative assessment are utilized to identify how Education One schools are performing against their comparative local schools. The table below indicates the comparison schools for TLJA, based on the subgroups served and location are:

School Name	Economically Disadvantaged	English Learner	Special Education	Location
TLJA	85%	63%	7%	
Levan R. Scott Academy	87%	40%	12%	1.2 miles
Merle J. Abbett Elementary School	87%	36%	11%	1.3 miles
Prince Chapman Academy	87%	44%	13%	2.4 miles
Adams Elementary School	81%	32%	15%	2.6 miles

To meet standard, a school's overall performance in both achievement and growth outpaces the comparison schools at least 75% of the time. The rubric for Comparison to Local Schools is as follows:

Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The school's overall performance in proficiency and growth outpaces comparison schools 75.0-100% of the time.	The school's overall performance in proficiency and growth outpaces comparison schools 50.0-74.9% of the time.	The school's overall performance in proficiency and growth outpaces comparison schools less than 50.0% of the time.

The following table identifies the performance measures that TLJA outperformed, which are highlighted in green. Comparisons are made based on whole school performance outcomes. TLJA has a student population unlike any other in the area. Since the school has a very special population of more than 50% of its students designated as English Learners, this subgroup performance is also compared to local schools. The school's English Learner population showed more achievement and/or growth in 62.5% of the possible areas. Therefore, TLJA receives a rating of Approaching Standard according to the school's Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

Whole School Comparisons								
School Name E/LA Achievement % Math E/LA Growth % Growth %								
TLJA	6%	8%	23%	13%				
Merle J. Abbett Elementary School	5%	4%	12%	6%				
Adams Elementary School	10%	12%	24%	14%				
Levan R. Scott Academy	8%	11%	20%	14%				
Prince Chapman Academy	15%	16%	30%	18%				

English Learner Comparisons							
School Name E/LA Math E/LA Math Achievement % Achievement % Growth % Growth							
TLJA	10%	9%	21%	16%			
Merle J. Abbett Elementary School	4%	3%	8%	4%			
Adams Elementary School	11%	18%	26%	19%			
Levan R. Scott Academy	9%	8%	20%	12%			
Prince Chapman Academy	5%	10%	19%	11%			

Reading Proficiency- Grade 3: The purpose of the Indiana Reading Evaluation and Determination (IREAD-3) assessment is to measure foundational reading standards through grade three. IREAD-3 is a summative assessment that evaluates reading skills for students who are in grade three to ensure that all students can read proficiently before moving to grade four. IREAD-3 is administered two times per year, round one taking place in the spring and round two taking place in the summer for those students who did not pass the first round assessment. Education One compares its schools' passing percentage after both rounds of testing to the passing percentage of the state. The rubric for this sub-indicator is as follows:

Exceeds Standard	Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The percentage of students receiving a passing score after both spring and summer assessments is greater than the state's passing percentage.	The percentage of students receiving a passing score after both spring and summer assessments is within 0-10.0% of the state's passing percentage.	The percentage of students receiving a passing score after both spring and summer assessments is within 10.1-20.0% of the state's passing percentage.	The percentage of students receiving a passing score after both spring and summer assessments is greater than 20.0% of the state's passing percentage.

In 2021-22, TLJA had a total passing rate of 57.0% on IREAD-3. The state of Indiana's passing percentage was 82%. 70% of tested students on the 2022 IREAD-3 were English Learners. The school's English Learner passing percentage was 53.8%, while the state's English Learner passing percentage was 63.7%. With a difference of 9.9%, the school receives a rating of **Meets Standard** according to the school's Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

FEDERAL ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE

Federal Accountability Rating: In accordance with Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA), Indiana developed a federal accountability system to drive student success where each school's performance is measured in relation to the respective statewide performance goals, and reflected by the following designations:

- Exceeds Expectations
- Meets Expectations
- Approaches Expectations
- Does Not Meet Expectations

The performance of all indicators is combined to determine the overall annual performance rating of the school. To learn more about Indiana's federal accountability system and ESSA click here. The rubric for Federal Accountability Rating is as follows:

Exceeds Standard	Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The school received a rating of Exceeds Expectations.	The school received a rating of Meets Expectations.	The school received a rating of Approaches Expectations.	The school received a rating of Does Not Meet Expectation for the most recent school year OR received a rating of Approaches Expectations for at least two or more consecutive years.

The table below represents the school's designations for each of the statewide goals as well as the overall designation. Data utilized for these designations was from the 2021-22 school year. The school received a designation of Does Not Meet Expectations and receives a rating of **Does Not Meet Standard**.

Overall Designation	Does Not Meet Expectations				
Achievement: E/LA	Does Not Meet Expectations	Does Not Meet Expectations			
Growth: E/LA	Does Not Meet Expectations	Does Not Meet Expectations			
Closing the Gaps: E/LA	Does Not Meet Expectations	Does Not Meet Expectations Closing the Gaps: Mathematics			
Language Proficiency for EL	Does Not Meet Expectations	Addressing Chronic Absenteeism	Does Not Meet Expectations		

Chronic Absenteeism The state's student attendance goal measures whether students are considered "model attendees." A "model attendee" is a persistent attendee, a student who is in attendance for at least 96% of his or her enrolled days during the school year, or an improving attendee, a student whose attendance improved by at least three percentage points from the prior school year. Education One measures the success of a school's model attendee rate by comparing it to the state's rate. The rubric is as follows:

Exceeds Standard	Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The model attendee rate is greater than the state's percentage.	The model attendee rate is within 0-10.0% of the state's percentage.	The model attendee rate is within 10.1-20.0% of the state's percentage.	The model attendee rate is more than 20.0% away from the state's percentage.

Data utilized for this sub-indicator is from the previous school year. In 201-22, TLJA had a model attendee rate of 24.7%, while the state's rate was 60.1%. Therefore, the school receives a rating of **Does Not Meet Standard**.

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Closing Achievement Gaps: Education One utilizes data from the school's most recent state summative assessment to measure growth towards becoming proficient or maintaining proficiency of grade-level standards in reading and math for the lowest performing 25% of students in the school. The rubric is as follows:

Exceeds Standard	Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The percentage of students performing in the bottom 25% becoming proficient or	The percentage of students performing in the bottom 25% becoming proficient or	The percentage of students performing in the bottom 25% becoming proficient or	The percentage of students performing in the bottom 25% becoming proficient or
maintaining proficiency is greater than the state's percentage.	maintaining proficiency is within 0-10.0% of the state's percentage.		maintaining proficiency is more than 20.0% away from the state's percentage.

The state did not release public data regarding closing achievement gaps. Therefore the school receives a rating of **Not Applicable**.

Language Proficiency for English Learners: English language proficiency measures whether students learning the English language are on target to develop or attain English language proficiency within six years. Student Growth Percentiles (SGPs) from the WIDA ACCESS 2.0 assessment are used to determine whether students are making adequate growth to meet these targets on an annual basis. The rubric from Language Proficiency for English Learners is as follows:

Exceeds Standard	Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The percentage of EL students that met or exceeded growth targets is greater than the state's percentage.	The percentage of EL students that met or exceeded growth targets is within 0-10.0% of the state's percentage.	The percentage of EL students that met or exceeded growth targets is within 10.1-20.0% of the state's percentage.	The percentage of EL students that met or exceeded growth targets is more than 20.0% away from the average state's percentage.

The state did not release public data regarding language proficiency for English Learners. Therefore the school receives a rating of **Not Applicable**.

Part II: Financial Performance

The Financial Performance section gauges both short-term financial health as well as long term financial sustainability, while accounting for key financial reporting requirements. Part II of this review consists of various indicators designed to measure the overall financial viability of a school. All indicators are noted in the school's Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

Overall Rating	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4 (Extension)	Year 5 (Extension)	Year 6 (Extension)
for Financial Performance	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
remande	Meets Standard	Meets Standard	Meets Standard	Meets Standard	Meets Standard	

Is the school in good financial standing?					
	Exceeds Standard	The school consistently and effectively complies with and presents no concerns in the indicators below.			
Performance	Meets Standard	The school complies with and presents no concerns in the indicators below.			
Rubric	Approaching Standard	The school presents concerns in a minimal number of indicators and may or may not have a credible plan to address the issues.			
	Does Not Meet Standard	The school presents concerns in a majority of the indicators with no evidence of a credible plan to address the issues; or the school requires an Improvement Plan.			

	Accountability Plan Performance Framework Indicators	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	Financial Management	MS	MS	AS	MS	MS	
	Enrollment Variance	MS	ES	MS	MS	ES	
	<u>Current Ratio</u>	MS	MS	MS	MS	MS	
Financial Performance	<u>Days Cash</u>	DNMS	DNMS	AS	DNMS	AS	
	<u>Debt/Default Delinquency</u>	MS	MS	MS	MS	MS	
	Debt to Asset Ratio	MS	MS	MS	MS	MS	
	Debt Service Coverage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	

Financial Management: Education One measures the capacity of the school's financial management by the following characteristics:

- Submission of an annual audit that is timely, complete, and has identified no significant deficiency or weaknesses with the school's financial controls; and
- Submission of quarterly financial statements that are timely, complete, and able to be utilized to assess financial indicators.

These characteristics are observed on a quarterly basis as well as annually when new financial information is provided by the school and the State Board of Accounts (SBOA). Updated information is shared out at regularly scheduled school board meetings each quarter. The rubric for Financial Management is as follows:

Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The school meets standard for both the financial audit and quarterly financial reporting requirements.	The school meets standard for either its financial audit or quarterly financial reporting requirements.	The school does not meet stander for either its financial audit or quarterly financial reporting requirements

At the time of this report, TLJA ES has submitted their annual audit for fiscal year 2022. However, the State Board of Accounts has experienced delays in approving audited financials for schools and districts across the state and has yet to approve the TLJA ES audit. The school did regularly submit complete quarterly financial statements that were able to be utilized to assess financial indicators throughout the school year. For these reasons, the school receives a rating of Meets Standard for the 2022-23 school year.

Enrollment Variance: Indiana calculates its state tuition support for schools based on the number of students enrolled in September and February of the same school year. Enrollment variance measures the schools ability to create a budget centered on an appropriate enrollment target. The rubric for this indicator is as follows:

Exceeds Standard	Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
Actual enrollment is greater than the budgeted enrollment.	Actual enrollment is between 98.0 and 100% of the budgeted enrollment.	Actual enrollment is between 93.0 and 97.9% of budgeted enrollment.	Actual enrollment is less than 93.0% of budgeted enrollment.

According to the Indiana Department of Education, TLJA ES submitted an enrollment report of 407 students as of October 1, 2022. By February 2023, the school's enrollment decreased to 385, also based on the submitted report. With a budgeted enrollment 390, the enrollment variance in September was 104.3% and 98.7% in February. With an average enrollment variance of 101.5%, TLJA ES receives a rating of Exceeds Standard.

Current Ratio: With regard to its current ratio, the school's current assets (cash or other assets that can be accessed in the next 12 months) exceed its current liabilities (debt obligations due in the next 12 months) with a ratio of 2.45 and, therefore, receives a rating of **Meets Standard** on their Accountability Plan Performance Framework for Current Ratio. The rubric is as follows:

Meets Standard	Does Not Meet Standard	
The current ratio is 1.10 or greater	The current ratio is less than 1.10	

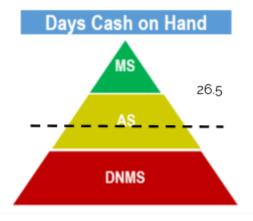
Days Cash: Additionally, Education One also calculates days cash on hand as an important measure of a charter school's fiscal health. This indicator shows how many more days after June 30, 2023 the school would be able to operate. The rubric for Days Cash is:

Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
Days cash on hand is at least 60 days. OR between 30 and 60 days cash and one-year trend is positive.	Days cash on hand is at least between 15-30 days. OR between 30 and 60 days cash and one-year trend is negative.	Days cash is less than 15 days.

Based on the most current quarterly financials, TLJA ES has 26.5 days cash and is **Approaching Standard** based on the Accountability Plan Performance Framework. Education One does not see this rating as an area of concern, due to the school owning its own building, overall lack of debt, and consistently performing in other financial measures.

Debt/Default Delinquency: This metric is determined by both the auditor's comments in the audited financial statements and contact with the school's creditors. The rubric for Debt/Default Delinquency is as follows:

Meets Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The school is not delinquent or in default on any outstanding loans.	The school is delinquent and/or in default on any outstanding loans.



In the case of TLJA ES, neither its auditors nor its creditors provided any indication that the school had defaulted on its debt obligations. Based on that summary, the school receives a rating of **Meets Standard** according to its Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

Debt to Asset Ratio: Education One monitors the school's debt to asset ratio on a quarterly basis, reporting out at the school's regularly scheduled board meetings. This ratio indicates the percentage of assets that are being financed with debt. Based on the most current financial statements, the school receives a rating of **Meets Standard**, according to the debt to asset ratio indicator, with a ratio of 0.21. The rubric for Debt to Asset Ratio is as follows:

Meets Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The debt to asset ratio is less than 0.90.	The debt to asset ratio is 0.90 or greater.

Debt Service Coverage: Education One tracks the school's debt service coverage on a quarterly basis, similar to the other financial indicators. This indicator was not available for the school during the 2022-23 school year. The school receives a rating of **Not Applicable.**

Part III: Organizational Performance

The Organizational Performance review gauges the academic and operational leadership of the school. Part III of this review consists of various indicators designed to measure how well the school's administration and the school's Board of Directors comply with the terms of their charter agreement, applicable compliance requirements and laws, and authorizer expectations. All indicators are noted in the school's Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

Overall Rati	ng Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4 (Extension)	Year 5 (Extension)	Year 6 (Extension)
for Organization	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Performance		Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Approaching Standard	Approaching Standard	

	Is the school's organizational structure successful?						
	Exceeds Standard	The school consistently and effectively complies with and presents no concerns in the indicators below.					
Performance	Meets Standard	The school complies with and presents no concerns in the indicators below.					
Rubric	Approaching Standard	The school presents concerns in a minimal number of indicators and may or may not have a credible plan to address the issues.					
	Does Not Meet Standard	The school presents concerns in a majority of the indicators with no evidence of a credible plan to address the issues; or the school requires an Improvement Plan.					

	Accountability Plan Performance Framework Indicators	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	Focus on High Academic Achievement			AS	AS	AS	
	Commitment to Exemplary Governance	MS MS		AS	AS	AS	
Governing Board	<u>Fiduciary Responsibilities</u>			MS	AS	AS	
	Strategic Planning and Oversight			MS	AS	AS	
	Legal and Regulatory Compliance			MS	MS	MS	
School Leader	<u>Leadership</u>	MS	MS	AS	MS	MS	
	Reporting Requirements	MS	MS	AS	MS	MS	
Compliance	English Learner Compliance	N/A	MS	MS	AS	AS	
	Special Education Compliance	N/A	MS	MS	MS	MS	

GOVERNING BOARD

Focus on High Achievement: Education One expects governing boards to consistently work towards fulfilling the mission of the school and promises of the charter, and to know whether or not students are on track for high-level academic achievement, as evidenced by the following characteristics:

- Board members believe in the mission of the school;
- Agree on the definition of academic excellence (high-level academic achievement);
- Assume ultimate responsibility for school and student success;
- Understand how student achievement is measured in the school;
- Use student data to inform board decisions; and
- Review indicators of student success regularly to measure progress toward school goals.

Characteristics are observed during attendance of regularly scheduled board meetings, as well as from documentation provided by the chair and board committees. The rubric for this sub-indicator is as follows:

Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The governing board complies with and presents no concerns in the indicator characteristics.	The governing board presents concerns in a minimal number of the indicator	The governing board presents concerns in a majority of the indicator characteristics and/or does not have a plan to address issues. OR The governing board presents concerns in a minimal number of the indicator characteristics and does not have a plan to address issues.

It is evident that the members of the TLJA Network board believe in the mission of the schools they govern, as well as agree on the definition of academic excellence. They strive to ensure that the needs of scholars are met through appropriate academic programming, assuming ultimate responsibility for those successes.

The board is presented with consistent indicators of student success through presentations made by the school leader, the regional director from Phalen Leadership Academy, and Education One to review to measure progress toward school goals. Student data is being used to inform board decisions. However, it is evident that they rely heavily on those outside of the board to understand how student achievement is being measured. For these reasons, the school receives a rating of Approaching Standard according to its Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

Commitment to Exemplary Governance: Education One measures the quality of a governing board through their commitment to exemplary governance, as evidenced by their ability to build and maintain a high-functioning and engaged board, and the implementation of best governance practices. More specifically, exemplary boards exhibit the following characteristics:

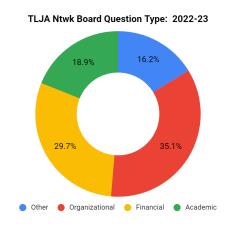
- Recruit and maintain a full slate of excellent board members who bring diverse skills, experiences, partnership opportunities, etc.;
- Election of a board chair who can successfully lead the board and engage all members;
- Timely removal of disengaged members from the board;
- Investment in the board's development, through orientation for new members and ongoing training for existing members;
- Clearly defined roles and responsibilities for officers, committees, and board members;
- Employment of a robust committee structure to accomplish board work strategically and efficiently;
- Engagement during meetings through questioning, commenting, etc. based on a comprehensive review of all board materials prior to the meeting;
- Timely communication of organizational, leadership, academic, fiscal, or facility deficiencies to the Executive Director of Education One; and

• Timely distribution of board meeting materials to Education One prior to any publicly held meeting, that includes academic, financial, and organizational updates.

Characteristics are observed during attendance of regularly scheduled board meetings, as well as from documentation provided by the chair and board committees. The rubric for this sub-indicator is as follows:

Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The governing board complies with and presents no concerns in the indicator characteristics.	The governing board presents concerns in a minimal number of the indicator characteristics with a credible plan to address the issues.	The governing board presents concerns in a majority of the indicator characteristics and/or does not have a plan to address issues. OR The governing board presents concerns in a minimal number of the indicator characteristics and does not have a plan to address issues.

Throughout the 2022-23 school year, the TLJA Network board marinated a full slate of board members. Education One values a board that represents diverse skill sets. The corresponding illustration indicates the skill sets represented on the TLJA Network board at the time of this report. Current board members represent varied skill sets within business, community engagement endeavors, education, finance, and legal. Board members not only bring these skills to govern the school, but come from diverse businesses, groups, and partnerships that bring a lot of value and understanding of the community being served.



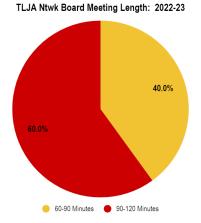
The board was led by Board President Larry Rowland. He has proven to be able to effectively lead the board. The average attendance rate was 74%, an increase of 9 percentage points from the 2021-22 school year. Forty percent of members, however, had an attendance rate of 60% or less, while employing bi-monthly meetings throughout a calendar year.

Meetings, on average, lasted 90 minutes. Engagement during public meetings was appropriate for members who were in attendance,

with a wide variety of questions being asked, as noted in the corresponding graph. The type of engagement lends itself to board member skill sets, evidencing more comfortability in asking organizational and financial performance questions compared to academic performance questions.

The board also employed an improved committee structure to meet during months when a public meeting was not held. The committees included board members and school faculty and staff.





Mr. Rowland maintained consistent and timely communication, including the discussion of any deficiencies, during regularly scheduled meetings with the Executive Director of Education One. Complete and coherent meeting materials and notes were also provided in a timely fashion throughout the school year.

With concerns in disengaged members, the school receives a rating of **Approaching Standard** according to its Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

Fiduciary Responsibilities: Education One measures the quality of a governing board through their commitment to managing resources responsibly, expanding awareness of the program, and raising funds to support the program. More specifically, exemplary boards exhibit the following characteristics:

- Ensure that all members understand the school's finances, and receive necessary training;
- Review financial data regularly and carefully, using it to make sound decisions that protect the school's shortand long-term sustainability;
- Approve a budget each year that allocates resources strategically and aligns with the student performance goals of the school;
- Set and meet realistic fundraising goals through donor engagement to provide additional resources the school needs;
- Require that each board member make the school a top personal philanthropic priority each year; and
- Understand the political context of public charter schools and advocate for policies that promote and support the charter sector.

Characteristics are observed during attendance of regularly scheduled board meetings, as well as from documentation provided by the chair and board committees. The rubric for this sub-indicator is as follows:

Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The governing board complies with and presents no concerns in the indicator characteristics.	The governing board presents concerns in a minimal number of the indicator characteristics with a credible plan to address the issues.	The governing board presents concerns in a majority of the indicator characteristics and/or does not have a plan to address issues. OR The governing board presents concerns in a minimal number of the indicator characteristics and does not have a plan to address issues.

Based on submitted board meeting minutes and attendance at regularly scheduled meetings, the board reviewed and approved financial data regularly. The board maintained a balanced budget during the 2022-23 school year. The board relies on their EMO, Phalen Leadership Academies, to provide financial data and analysis.

The TLJA Network board continues to work through setting fundraising goals, both in the form of monetary donations and capital resources, but has yet to truly capitalize on those efforts. Also, based on the board self-assessment data, members responded that more training to understand financials is needed. As such, the school receives a rating of Approaching Standard according to its Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

Strategic Planning and Oversight: Education One believes that an effective governing board determines the strategic direction of a school, understands and respects the balance between oversight and management, and evaluates and holds school leaders and management partners accountable. More specifically, strong boards exhibit the following characteristics:

- Oversee the development of a clear strategic plan that reflects the board's vision and priorities for the school's future;
- Set annual goals for the school, board, and each board committee;
- Organize the board, its committees, and all meetings in order to meet the school's annual goals and strategic plan;
- Ensure the school leader has the autonomy and authority to manage the school while maintaining strong and close oversight of outcomes;
- Collaborate with the school leader in a way that is conducive to the success of the school, including

requesting and disseminating information in a timely manner, providing continuous and constructive feedback/addressing concerns, engaging the school leader in school improvement plans and setting goals for the future:

- Maintain an up-to-date school leader and board succession plan; and
- Conduct a formal evaluation of the school leader, management partner/Education Service Provider (if applicable) and completion of a board self-evaluation, at least annually, and hold each stakeholder accountable for results.

Characteristics are observed during attendance of regularly scheduled board meetings, as well as from documentation provided by the chair and board committees. The rubric for this sub-indicator is as follows:

Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The governing board complies with and presents no concerns in the indicator characteristics.	The governing board presents concerns in a minimal number of the indicator characteristics with a credible plan to address the issues.	The governing board presents concerns in a majority of the indicator characteristics and/or does not have a plan to address issues. OR The governing board presents concerns in a minimal number of the indicator characteristics and does not have a plan to address issues.

In April of 2023, the board completed and submitted a self-assessment, evaluating their strengths and areas for improvement, in relation to the school's Accountability Plan Performance Framework. This provided the board with an opportunity to evaluate their performance in order to set goals and plan strategically for the future.

The TLJA Network board collaborated closely with the network superintendent, Ms. Starks. Board minutes and attendance at meetings evidenced the school superintendent having a regularly scheduled time during board meetings to report academic and operational updates. Overall, the board has worked throughout the 2022-23 school year to ensure that Ms. Starks had the autonomy and authority to manage the school. The board employed Phalen Leadership Academies to complete a formal evaluation of the school leader to highlight areas of commendation and growth. The network also has a clear succession plan for school leadership roles.

The submitted self-assessment indicates that the board still is working towards developing a clear strategic plan that reflects the board's vision and priorities for the school's future. Based on these findings, the school receives a rating of Approaching Standard according to its Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

Legal and Regulatory Compliance: Education One monitors whether or not a governing board adheres to the legal and ethical duties of care, as well as meets all expectations set forth in the charter agreements and bylaws . More specifically, legally compliant boards exhibit the following characteristics:

- Hold all meetings in compliance with Indiana's Open Door Law;
- Maintain the highest standards of public transparency by accurately documenting meeting proceedings and board decisions;
- Adherence to all terms set forth in the charter agreement;
- Comply with established board policies and procedures, including those established in the by-laws;
- Conduct routine revisions of policies and procedures, as necessary;
- Adherence to all state and federal laws, including requirements set forth by the SBOA and/or IRS; and
- Apply sound business judgment by avoiding conflicts of interest, maintaining liability insurance, observing tax requirements, etc.

Characteristics are observed during attendance of regularly scheduled board meetings, as well as from documentation provided by the chair and board committees. The rubric for this sub-indicator is as follows:

Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The governing board complies with and presents no concerns in the indicator characteristics.	The governing board presents concerns in a minimal number of the indicator characteristics with a credible plan to address the issues.	The governing board presents concerns in a majority of the indicator characteristics and/or does not have a plan to address issues. OR The governing board presents concerns in a minimal number of the indicator characteristics and does not have a plan to address issues.

All meetings during the 2022-23 school year were held in compliance with Indiana's Open Door Law and met all state and federal laws. The board maintained the highest standards of public transparency, accurately documenting meetings and board decisions, and adhering to all terms set for in the school's charter agreement. Therefore, the school receives a rating of **Meets Standard** according to its Accountability Plan Performance.

SCHOOL LEADER

Leadership: Education One measures the quality of the school's leadership team by looking for the following characteristics:

- Demonstration of sufficient academic and leadership experience;
- Leadership stability in key administrative positions;
- Communication with internal and external stakeholders;
- Clarity of roles and responsibilities among school staff;
- Engagement in a continuous process of improvement and establishment of systems for addressing areas of deficiency in a timely manner; and
- Consistency in providing information to and consulting with the schools' board of directors.

Characteristics of a quality leadership team are observed during regularly scheduled site visits, communication with school leadership, and school leader reviews conducted by the governing board. The rubric for this sub-indicator is as follows:

Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The school leadership team complies with and presents no concerns in the indicator characteristics.	The school leadership team presents concerns in a minimal number of the indicator characteristics with a credible plan to address the issues.	The school leader presents concerns in a majority of the indicator characteristics and/or does not have a credible plan to address the issues. OR The school leadership team presents concerns in a minimal number of the indicator characteristics but does not have a credible plan to address the issues.

Dawn Starks served as the TLJA Network Superintendent and TLJA ES Principal during the entirety of the 2022-23 school year. Ms. Starks has served in this role since Education One was established as the authorizer of TLJA. Principal Starks has a wide and vast experience in both academics and leadership, specifically in turn around work. The stability of her leadership at TLJA has supported the creation of a student centered culture with a low staff turnover rate in key positions.

Ms. Starks evidenced effective communication with both internal and external stakeholders, specifically Education One and TLJA's EMO, Phalen Leadership Academies (PLA). Through communication and collaboration, clarity of roles and responsibilities of PLA and the school's leadership team were evident to staff. Collaboration included engaging in continuous improvement through regularly scheduled site visits from Education One, site reviews from PLA, and data analysis after receiving new data.

Therefore, the school receives a rating of **Meets Standard** according to its Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

COMPLIANCE

Reporting Requirements: Education One requires its schools to submit monthly reports consistent with state reporting and what is required of the authorizer to maintain according to legislation. Education One reports the following characteristics to the governing board on a monthly basis:

- Submission of all required compliance documentation in a timely manner as set forth by Education One, including but not limited to: meeting minutes and schedules, board member information, compliance reports and employee documentation;
- Compliance with the terms of its charter, including amendments, school policies and regulations, and applicable federal and state laws;
- Proactive and productive collaboration with its board and/or management organization (if applicable) in meeting governance obligations; and
- Participation in scheduled meetings with Education One

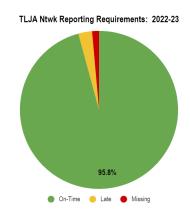
The rubric for this sub-indicator is as follows:

Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The school complies with and presents no concerns in the sub-indicator characteristics.	The school presents concerns in a minimal number of characteristics and has a credible plan to address the issues.	The school presents concerns in a minimal or majority of characteristics and/or with no credible plan to address the issues. OR The school presents concerns in a minimal number of characteristics with no credible plan to address the issues.

TLJA complied with all sub-indicator characteristics, including the submission of all required documentation in a mostly timely manner, complying with the terms of its charter, collaborating with and participating in all scheduled meetings with the Education One team. Thus, TLJA receives a rating of **Meets Standard** according to its Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

English Learner Compliance: To ensure that laws and requirements are being upheld and students who are English Learners (EL) are being serviced appropriately, Education One conducts an EL compliance check on a quarterly basis, looking for the following components:

- Evidence that ILP goals are established, current, and up to date;
- Case conference meetings occur in compliance with all state and federal laws:
- Evidence of interventions and ILPs are appropriately communicated with the classroom teacher;
- Evidence of high quality interventions and ILPs are implemented;
- Staff to student ratios are adequate for providing services, in accordance with state and federal guidelines; and



• Staff have a clear understanding of legal obligations, current legislation, research, and effective practices relating to the services

The rubric for this sub-indicator is as follows:

Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The school complies with all state and federal laws and provides appropriate documentation to evidence meeting each component.	The school presents concerns with documentation and/or compliance in a minimal number of the sub-indicator components but has a credible plan to address the issues.	The school presents concerns with documentation and/or compliance in a minimal or majority of the sub-indicator components and/or provides no evidence of a credible plan to address the issues. OR The school presents concerns with documentation and/or compliance in a minimal number of the sub-indicator components but provides no evidence of a credible plan to address the issues.

During the 2022-23 school year, TLJA served an English Learner population of 68%, an increase of 5 percentage points from the previous school year. Education One conducted both desktop and onsite monitoring of ILPs and interventions taking place at the school. The school evidenced an increase in school personnel at the beginning of the year and established clear schedules for push-in and pull-out services. Instruction taking place in pull out service rooms were consistent with student WIDA data and ILP goals.

As the school continues to increase its population of EL students, maintaining staff to support the designated student to teacher ratio is imperative. With some concerns present but a credible plan to address the issues, the school receives a rating of Approaching Standard according to its Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

Special Education Compliance: To ensure that laws and requirements are being upheld and students with special needs are being serviced appropriately, Education One conducts a Special Education compliance check on a quarterly basis and looks for the following components:

- Evidence that IEP goals are established, current, and up to date:
- Case conference meetings occur in compliance with all state and federal laws;
- Evidence of high quality interventions and IEPs are appropriately communicated with the classroom teacher and implemented;
- Staff have a clear understanding of legal obligations, current legislation, research, and effective practices relating to services
- Evidence that disciplinary actions are appropriate, legal, equitable, and fair;
- Staff to student ratios are adequate for providing services, in accordance with state and federal guidelines;
 and
- The percentage of disciplinary actions of SPED students does not exceed the percentage of students identified as SPED.

The rubric for this sub-indicator is as follows:

Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The school complies with all state and federal laws and provides appropriate documentation to evidence meeting each component.	The school presents concerns with documentation and/or compliance in a minimal number of the sub-indicator components but has a credible plan to address the issues.	The school presents concerns with documentation and/or compliance in a minimal or majority of the sub-indicator components and/or provides no evidence of a credible plan to address the issues. OR The school presents concerns with

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documentation and/or compliance in a minimal number of the sub-indicator components but provides no evidence of
a credible plan to address the issues.

During the 2022-23 school year, TLJA served an Special Education population of 6%, similar to the previous school year. The school hired a director of Special Education during the end of 2023 to ensure student files and IEPs were up to date and interventions were appropriate for students. Education One conducted both desktop and onsite monitoring of ILPs and interventions taking place at the school.

Based on the qualitative and quantitative evidence collected, the school receives a rating of **Meets Standard** according to its Accountability Plan Performance Framework.

Part IV: School Climate

Education One requires its schools to conduct an annual third-party survey of all stakeholders, staff, students, and families, to gauge the school's effectiveness in carrying out its mission and vision. Results should be used to drive programming, policies, and procedure changes, if necessary. Survey data becomes more reliable based on the participation rate of each stakeholder. Education One's standard for survey reliability is a participation rate of at least 70.0%.

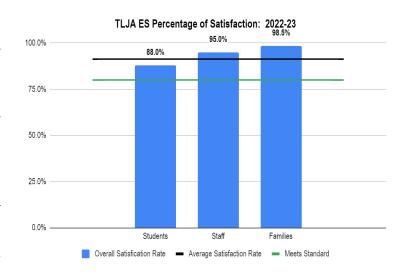
Overall Rating	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4 (Extension)	Year 5 (Extension)	Year 6 (Extension)
for School Climate	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Juniaco	Meets Standard	Not Applicable	Meets Standard	Meets Standard	Meets Standard	

Meets Standard	Approaching Standard	Does Not Meet Standard
The average percentage of parents, students, and staff reporting overall satisfaction is at or above 80.0%.	The average percentage of parents, students, and staff reporting overall satisfaction is between 70.0 and 79.9%.	The average percentage of parents, students, and staff reporting overall satisfaction is less than 70.0%.

The graph illustrates the satisfaction rate of each stakeholder as well as the overall weighted average. With a weighted satisfaction rate of 91.3%, the school receives a rating of **Meets Standard**.

While survey participation is not a metric that is measured in the Accountability Plan Performance Framework, understanding the survey's population size as well as the sample size is valuable in determining the validity of the overall survey.

A school's population size is defined as the total number of possible respondents. The sample size indicates the number of completed responses the survey received. Population size and sample size are listed for each stakeholder in the table below.



TLJA ES's Survey Participation					
Stakeholder Group	Population Size Total # of Possible Respondents	Sample Size Total # of Actual Respondents	Survey Participation Rate		
Students	385	385	100%		
Staff	74	56	75.7%		
Families	200	145	72.5%		

Education One believes a participation rate of at least 70% validates the satisfaction rate of each stakeholder. All surveys had a participation rate at or above this standard, validating the results of all stakeholders and indicating strong satisfaction with TLJA ES from students, staff, and families.

Part V: Next Steps

Does the school or organization require interventions moving forward?

All schools receive high-quality authorization practices to ensure that any areas of deficiency are not due to inadequate authorization. Education One couples oversight and support to ensure that each school remains autonomous in a structure of high expectations and continuous improvement. The authorizer utilizes a Tiered System of Support Rubric to tier each of its schools on a bi-annual basis at the end of the 2nd and 4th quarter of the school year. Schools can be moved in and out of tiered levels based on need at any point throughout the school year.

Education One utilizes the school's performance against the Accountability Plan Performance Framework indicators to tier each school and monitors progress towards meeting standard of those indicators through the following supports:

- **Site Visits:** Members of the Education One accountability team and the school's leadership team conduct classroom walkthroughs to identify overall commendations and recommendations to ensure that instructional best practices are being implemented throughout the school.
- Compliance Checks: Members of the Education One accountability team monitor files and implementation of EL/SPED programs of the school to ensure that applicable laws, regulations, and best practices are followed with these special populations.
- Academic Support Checks: Members of the Education One accountability team collaborate with school leadership teams to help them reach more school specific goals, analyze data, and formulate improvement plans to ensure that schools are on track to meeting their accountability goals set forth in the Accountability Plan Performance Framework.
- Board Meetings and Support Checks: Members of the Education One Team attend regularly scheduled board meetings of each of its schools to monitor board governance indicators and provide status updates to all stakeholders on the school's academic, financial, and organizational performance. The Board Chair meets with the Executive Director on a regular basis to discuss progress towards goals and formulate next steps for improvement or areas of concern.

Schools that receive an overall rating of "Does Not Meet Standard" in any performance area of the Annual Review will automatically be placed in Tier III and will require a school improvement plan.

Tiered Supports					
	Tier I Weighted Points: 3.0-4.0 from State and Federal Academic Rubric	Tier IIa Weighted Points: 3.0-4.0 from Local Academic Rubric	Tier IIb Weighted Points: 2.0-2.9 from Local Academic Rubric	Tier III Weighted Points: 1.0-1.9 from Local Academic Rubric	
Site Visit	The school receives a site visit in Quarter 1 and 3.	The school receives a site visit in Quarter 1-3.	The school receives bi-monthly site visits from September to March.	The school receives monthly site visits from September to March.	
Compliance Checks	Schools receive quarterly compliance checks regardless of Tier. These checks may increase in level or quantity based on the discretion of the authorizer and level of urgency in any compliance deficiency.				
Support Check-In	The school participates in a data dive at the end of the school year during its annual review.	The school participates in data dives after each major assessment administered, with a focus on school specific goals.	The school participates in data dives after each major assessment administered, with a focus on school specific goals. The school participates in discussing site visit next steps and/or school initiatives.	The school participates in data dives after each major assessment administered, with a focus on school specific goals. The school has a school improvement plan.	
Board Meeting and Checks	Education One attempts to attend all regularly scheduled board meetings. Board chairs participate in quarterly checks with Education One, regardless of Tier. These checks may increase in level or quantity based on the discretion of the authorizer and level of urgency in any compliance deficiency.				

Education One commends the school for the following:

Academic Performance

- Continued increase in proficiency and growth percentages of students, specifically in math;
- Evidence of quality instructional practices in grade levels with legacy teacher teams and assistants; and
- Performing comparatively to the state on IREAD-3 for English Learners.

Financial Performance

- Exceeding enrollment targets; and
- Continued consistency and overall lack of debt.

Organizational Performance

- Increased engagement during board meetings through comments and questions;
- Appropriate implementation of committee structures and bi-monthly meetings;
- Collaborating with various stakeholders and establishing partnerships to identify best practices for English Learner students; and
- Focusing English Learner supports and services around student data to improve language acquisition and growth.

2023-24 Next Steps:

Timothy L. Johnson Academy received the following overall ratings in the three main performance areas of the Accountability Plan Performance Framework for the 2022-23 school year:

• Academic Performance: Approaching Standard

Financial Performance: Meets Standard

Organizational Performance: Approaching Standard

Improvement in the following areas is required for the 2023-24 school year:

Academic Performance

- Conduct regular in-person and differentiated professional development of all core content teachers and instructional assistants regarding curriculum and instructional best practices;
- Implement established curriculums and instructional delivery structures with fidelity; and
- Establish and implement appropriate testing calendars of local and state assessments.

Organizational Performance

- Engage in strategic planning at the board level to set goals surrounding areas of organization, academics, and philanthropic support;
- Collaborate with the IDOE and implement state supports around English Learner program; and
- Ensure both English Learner and Special Education programs are staffed to maintain appropriate student to teacher ratios.