



FINAL EDUCATION PERFORMANCE AUDIT REPORT

FOR

ELKINS HIGH SCHOOL

RANDOLPH COUNTY SCHOOL SYSTEM

NOVEMBER 2008

WEST VIRGINIA BOARD OF EDUCATION

INTRODUCTION

An announced Education Performance Audit of Elkins High School in Randolph County was conducted on February 25 – 28, 2008.

A Follow-up Education Performance Audit of Elkins High School in Randolph County was conducted October 8, 2008. The purpose of the follow-up was to verify correction of the findings identified during the original Education Performance Audit. The review was in accordance with West Virginia Code §18-2E-5 and West Virginia Board of Education Policy 2320 which specify that a school that meets or exceeds the performance and progress standards but has other deficiencies shall remain on full accreditation status and a county school district shall remain on full approval status for the remainder of the accreditation period and shall have an opportunity to correct those deficiencies. The Code and policy include the provision that a school “. . . does not have any deficiencies which would endanger student health or safety or other extraordinary circumstances as defined by the West Virginia Board of Education.”

75 RANDOLPH COUNTY

Susan Hinzman, Superintendent

504 ELKINS HIGH SCHOOL – Passed

David Fincham, Principal

Grades 9 - 12

Enrollment 917 (2006-2007 2nd month enrollment report)

WESTEST 2006-2007

Group	Number Enrolled for FAY	Number Enrolled on Test Week	Number Tested	Participation Rate	Percent Proficient	Met Part. Rate Standard	Met Assessment Standard	Met Subgroup Standard
Mathematics								
All	198	206	197	95.63	75.91	Yes	Yes	✓
White	197	205	196	95.60	75.78	Yes	Yes	✓
Black	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Indian	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Low SES	79	84	78	92.85	59.45	By Average	Confidence Interval	✓
Spec. Ed.	19	22	20	90.90	27.77	NA	NA	NA
LEP	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Reading/Language Arts								
All	198	206	196	95.14	83.15	Yes	Yes	✓
White	197	205	195	95.12	83.06	Yes	Yes	✓
Black	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Indian	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Low SES	79	84	78	92.85	70.27	By Average	Confidence Interval	✓
Spec. Ed.	19	22	20	90.90	27.77	NA	NA	NA
LEP	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

FAY -- Full Academic Year

* -- 0 students in subgroup

** -- Less than 10 students in subgroup

Passed
Graduation Rate = 86.9%

75 RANDOLPH COUNTY
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504 ELKINS HIGH SCHOOL – Passed
_____, Principal

Grades 9 - 12
Enrollment 916 (2007-2008 2nd month enrollment report)

WESTEST 2007-2008

Group	Number Enrolled for FAY	Number Enrolled on Test Week	Number Tested	Participation Rate	Percent Proficient	Met Part. Rate Standard	Met Assessment Standard	Met Subgroup Standard
Mathematics								
All	249	256	247	96.48	68.87	Yes	Yes	✓
White	242	249	240	96.38	69.23	Yes	Yes	✓
Black	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Indian	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Asian	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Low SES	99	106	103	97.16	57.73	Yes	Confidence Interval	✓
Spec. Ed.	37	40	40	100.00	18.91	NA	NA	NA
LEP	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Reading/Language Arts								
All	249	256	246	96.09	76.25	Yes	Yes	✓
White	242	249	239	95.98	76.39	Yes	Yes	✓
Black	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Indian	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Asian	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Low SES	99	106	102	96.22	66.66	Yes	Confidence Interval	✓
Spec. Ed.	37	40	39	97.50	27.77	NA	NA	NA
LEP	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

FAY -- Full Academic Year
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Passed
Graduation Rate = 85.1%

Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) Information by Class

Mathematics											
Class	Tested Enr.	FAY Enr.	Tested	FAY Tested	Part. Rate	Novice	Below Mastery	Mastery	Above Mastery	Distinguished	Proficient
10	206	198	197	191	95.63	3.66	20.42	53.93	13.09	8.90	75.92

Reading											
Class	Tested Enr.	FAY Enr.	Tested	FAY Tested	Part. Rate	Novice	Below Mastery	Mastery	Above Mastery	Distinguished	Proficient
10	206	198	196	190	95.15	2.11	14.74	38.95	29.47	14.74	83.16

Enr. - Enrollment
FAY - Full Academic Year
Part. - Participation

Other Relevant Performance Data

2006-2007 Writing Assessment Distribution of Performance Across All Performance Levels

GRADE 10	Total # Tested	% At Distinguished	% At Above Mastery	% At Mastery	% At Partial Mastery	% At Novice	% With No Score	% of Students at or Above Mastery	% of Students Below Mastery
STATE – WV	19327	8	29	50	11	2	1	87	13
RANDOLPH COUNTY	297	9	21	56	13	1	0	86	14
ELKINS HIGH	192	13	22	56	9	0	0	91	9

NUMBER OF ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP), HONORS, AND COLLEGE COURSES OFFERED 2007-2008			
High School	Number of AP Courses Offered	Number of Honors Courses Offered	Number of College Credit Courses Offered
Elkins High	5	10	6

ADVANCED PLACEMENT TEST (APT) (COLLEGE BOARD)				
Elkins High	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06
10 th Grade Test Takers (%)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
11 th Grade Test Takers (%)	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0
12 th Grade Test Takers (%)	1.5	10.4	12.1	0.9
10 th Grade Test Takers (%) with a score of 3 or higher				
11 th Grade Test Takers (%) with a score of 3 or higher				
12 th Grade Test Takers (%) with a score of 3 or higher	100.0	52.6	36.4	100.0

ESTIMATED COLLEGE GOING RATE FALL 2006		
	Number of High School Graduates 2005-06	Overall College Going Rate
State	17,441	58.3
Elkins High	194	69.6

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES ENROLLED IN DEVELOPMENTAL COURSE FALL 2005			
	% in Developmental Mathematics	% in Developmental English	% in Any Developmental Course(s)
State	30.3%	15.6%	34.1%
Elkins High	15.5%	2.8%	16.9%

ANNUAL PERFORMANCE MEASURES FOR ACCOUNTABILITY

Met Standard.

5.1.1. Achievement.

Elkins High School achieved Exemplary Accreditation status in November 2007.

FOLLOW-UP REVIEW

MET STANDARD OR STANDARD NOT MET.

EDUCATION PERFORMANCE AUDIT

7.8. Leadership

7.8.1. Leadership. Leadership at the school district, school, and classroom levels is demonstrated by vision, school culture and instruction, management and environment, community, and professionalism. (Policy 5500.03)

The curriculum audit of Elkins High School verified that the school offered all required programs of study. The Team commended the principal for excellent leadership.

FOLLOW-UP REVIEW

COMPLIANCE OR NONCOMPLIANCE.

SCHOOL ACCREDITATION STATUS

School	Accreditation Status	Education Performance Audit High Quality Standards	Annual Performance Measures Needing Improvement	Date Certain
75-504 Elkins High	Exemplary Accreditation			