



"To Build Knowledge and Skills for Success Today and Tomorrow"

Guide to Reading New SD State Reports Cards for the District and Schools

To view the reports cards and other information on testing, go to the Meade School District 46-1 Portal at <http://www.meade.k12.sd.us/>. Go to the Parent Information Tab. In the drop down tab, choose Testing Information. At the top of the page, you will see the live link to the report card.

Testing Information

[Link for State, District and/or School Level Test Results](#)

This will take you to the SD State Report Card Site or it can be reached at <https://sdschools.sd.gov/#!/home>.

Welcome to the South Dakota Report Card

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

Find your school on the list to view this past year's report.

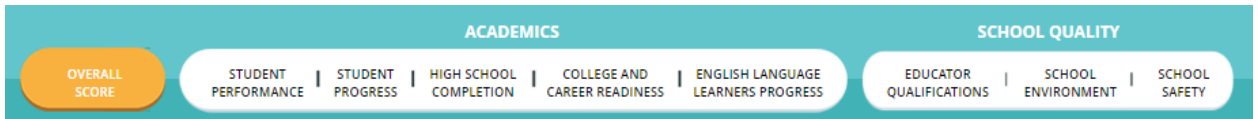
School ▾ Enter a school name VIEW

Steps to look at district results

1. Click on the drop down box and change from school to district.
2. Enter Meade

District ▾ MEADE VIEW

3. It should look like this
4. Click View
5. You will see a banner at the top, you can choose any of the menu buttons or scroll down to view results.



Explanation of each section:

Overall Score

- Student Performance – shows the percentages of students who are proficient in English Language Arts, math, and science
- Student Progress – shows the progress of students in ELA and math since the previous school year
- Attendance and Graduation
- Education Spending

Student Performance

- How did students perform in each subject?
- How does my child's district compare to the state?
- How did this district perform in each subject over the last three years?
- Performance by student population (use the drop down box to access ELA, math or science)
 - Performance is broken down by all students, gender, ethnicity, economically disadvantaged, students with disabilities, and other subgroups
 - An * indicates data is not shown to prevent the identification of individuals in small groups

Other sections include explanation and data. If you have any questions, please contact the district assessment coordinator, Guyla Ness, at guyla.ness@k12.sd.us.

Steps to look at school data:

1. You can go to the top of the district report card and find **◀ FIND YOUR SCHOOL**, this will take you back to the main report card page.
2. Type in the name of the school and then view
3. At the top of the page, you will see an overall score which will indicate the amount of support designated by the state.
4. For elementary and middle schools, areas are broken down by academics and student performance. In the example below, you will see a link under the overall score called Calculation Guide. This will take you to a detailed explanation of how the scores are calculated. Each category below has a View Details button which will take you to more information.

HOW IS THE OVERALL SCORE MEASURED?

There are many factors that determine a school's performance. The overall score uses the school's performance in the following categories.

ACADEMICS

- 91**
CALCULATION GUIDE
- Student Performance**
VIEW DETAILS
- Student Progress**
VIEW DETAILS
- English Language Learners Progress**
VIEW DETAILS

SCHOOL QUALITY


- Educator Qualifications**
VIEW DETAILS
- School Environment**
VIEW DETAILS
- School Safety**
VIEW DETAILS

The screenshot shows a school performance report card. At the top left, there is a circular gauge showing an overall score of 91, with a green button labeled 'CALCULATION GUIDE' below it. To the right of the gauge, there is a heading 'ACADEMICS' and three categories: 'Student Performance', 'Student Progress', and 'English Language Learners Progress', each with an icon and a 'VIEW DETAILS' button. Below this is a heading 'SCHOOL QUALITY' and three categories: 'Educator Qualifications', 'School Environment', and 'School Safety', each with an icon and a 'VIEW DETAILS' button. The background features a faint illustration of a school building.

5. For high schools, you will find the categories a little different. Under academics, you will find information on college and career readiness as well as high school completion.

HOW IS THE OVERALL SCORE MEASURED?





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CALCULATION GUIDE

ACADEMICS

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Student Performance
VIEW DETAILS
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College and Career Readiness
VIEW DETAILS
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High School Completion
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English Language Learners Progress
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