

The teachers and staff are committed to providing a fun and safe environment for students to learn. I have been extremely impressed with the willingness of all school employees that work closely with our daughter to learn about her medical condition and the way they keep her safe at school. I love Traverse Mountain Elementary!

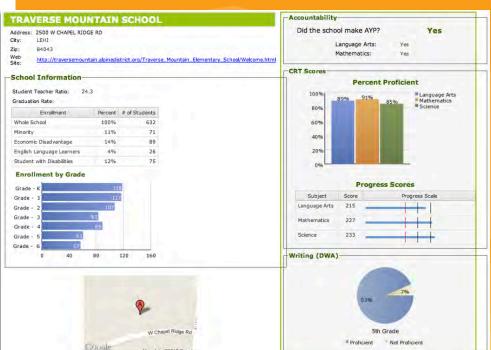
-Shannon Belshe, Parent

LEAD Team performing

cling duties

Tiger Mascots unveil new playground wall

School Performance Data



Comparable school data is available at www.school.utah.gov

2011-2012 Faculty





Traverse Mountain Elementary School

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Stakeholder Report

MISSION: We will Learn, Encourage, Achieve, & Dream

always a friend, never a bully

Tiger Tales

Creating Leaders For Our Future

Thank you for allowing our school the opportunity to be a part of the educational experience of the best students around. We are dedicated to providing a safe and nurturing environment where students can experience their potential and participate in becoming a leader over their own personal destiny. We continue to implement "The Leader in Me" philosophy based on the following:

- Be Proactive (You're in Charge)
- Begin with the End in Mind (Have a Plan)
- Put First things First (Work First, Then Play)
 Think Win-Win (Everyone Can Win)
 Seek First to Understand (Listen)

- Synergize (Together is Better)
 Sharpen the Saw (Balance Feels Best)

Collaboration for Student Success

Early Out Mondays and Minimal Mondays are a vital component to increasing student success. Teachers use establish effective instructional strategies, and focus on learning benchmarks for each student in their grade level. Teachers use the following guiding questions in their know they have learned and how will we respond if they haven't learned or already know the information?

Our School Goals

For the purpose of reporting, each teacher will select one student performing below average, average, and above average. We will work to assist all learners by differentiating instruction based on individual needs. The following are two goals to support this premise:

MATH: The goal is for each of these students to improve by either 25 percentage points or reach/surpass 80% mastery on the grade level final benchmark assessment given in April 2012 as compared to the initial evaluation in August 2011.

READING: The goal is for each of these students to make at least one year's growth according to the assessment given at the end of April 2012 as compared to the initial evaluation in August 2011.

Extended Learning Opportunities

We are thankful for the support we have to offer the following opportunities for our students:

- UDOT State Champions Walk to School 2011
- Steve James Prevention Dimensions Bully Free School Program
- Double Dose for students needing extra academic support
 - Knowledge Bowl Competition
 - Before/After School Choir

 - Small Group AM & PM
 - Computer, PE, Music, and Art

 - Toys for Tots & Sub for Santa
 - Four Tuition Preschool Sessions



This is an amazing school because of supportive parents, a fun faculty that is like a family, and polite students that work so hard

- Mrs. Chipman, 1st Grade Teacher



Parent Involvement is Important at Traverse!

PTA (Parent Teacher Association)



The PTA provides many opportunities for students at Traverse Mountain Elementary.

- TIGER BUCK STORE FALL CARNIVAL RED RIBBON
- TRY-ATHLON REFLECTIONS BOOK FAIR
- TAKE-HOME READING
 YEARBOOK
 SPIRIT SHIRTS
- BREAKFAST OF CHAMPIONS • FIELD DAY
- PTA ADVOCATES FOR ALL STUDENTS THANK YOU!

SCC (School Community Council)

The SCC plays an important role in partnering in the education of our children with the school, its staff and faculty and the district. The SCC provides a "cooperative means of improving the educational programs and conditions" within the school. Decisions and responsibilities allocated to the SCC by the Utah law includes:

- Developing a School Improvement Plan (SIP)
- Developing the School LAND Trust Program
- Assisting in the implementation of a professional development pla
- Develop and implement a child access routing plan (safe walking routes to and from school)
- •Advising and making recommendations to school and school district administrators and the local school board regarding the school and its programs, school district programs, and other issues relating to the community environment for students
- Developing a reading achievement plan



Alpine School District Tuition Preschool Programs



- Staffing includes one teacher and at least one assistant.
- Preschool meets Tuesday through Friday (four days a week)
- Programs offer an AM or PM session
- Curriculum follows the Utah State Core Guidelines

Participating Schools:

Alpine Elementary
Eaglecrest Elementary
Eagle Valley Elementary
Harvest Elementary
Legacy Elementary
Lindon Elementary

Orem Elementary Ridgeline Elementary Saratoga Shores Elementary Traverse Mtn Elementary Valley View Elementary Westfield Elementary

Registration Information:

Date: Beginning Monday, January 23, 2012

Time: Noon

Place: Registration will begin at 12:00 PM online at alpineschools.org If you don't have access to a computer, computers will be available in the participating schools and also in the Professional Development Center, 575 N. 100 E. American Fork, Utah, (located in the south end of the District Office parking lot).

Registration Fee: \$50.00 (paid online as you register)

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Go to our website at <u>alpineschools.org</u> for more information and to register. Any questions, please call Cristi Carter at 801-610-8541 or your participating school.