

Metro East Web Academy

2025-2026

MEWA Vision: Transforming education by providing multiple innovative pathways for student success.

MEWA Mission: Redefining normal. MEWA: Breaking through barriers in education.

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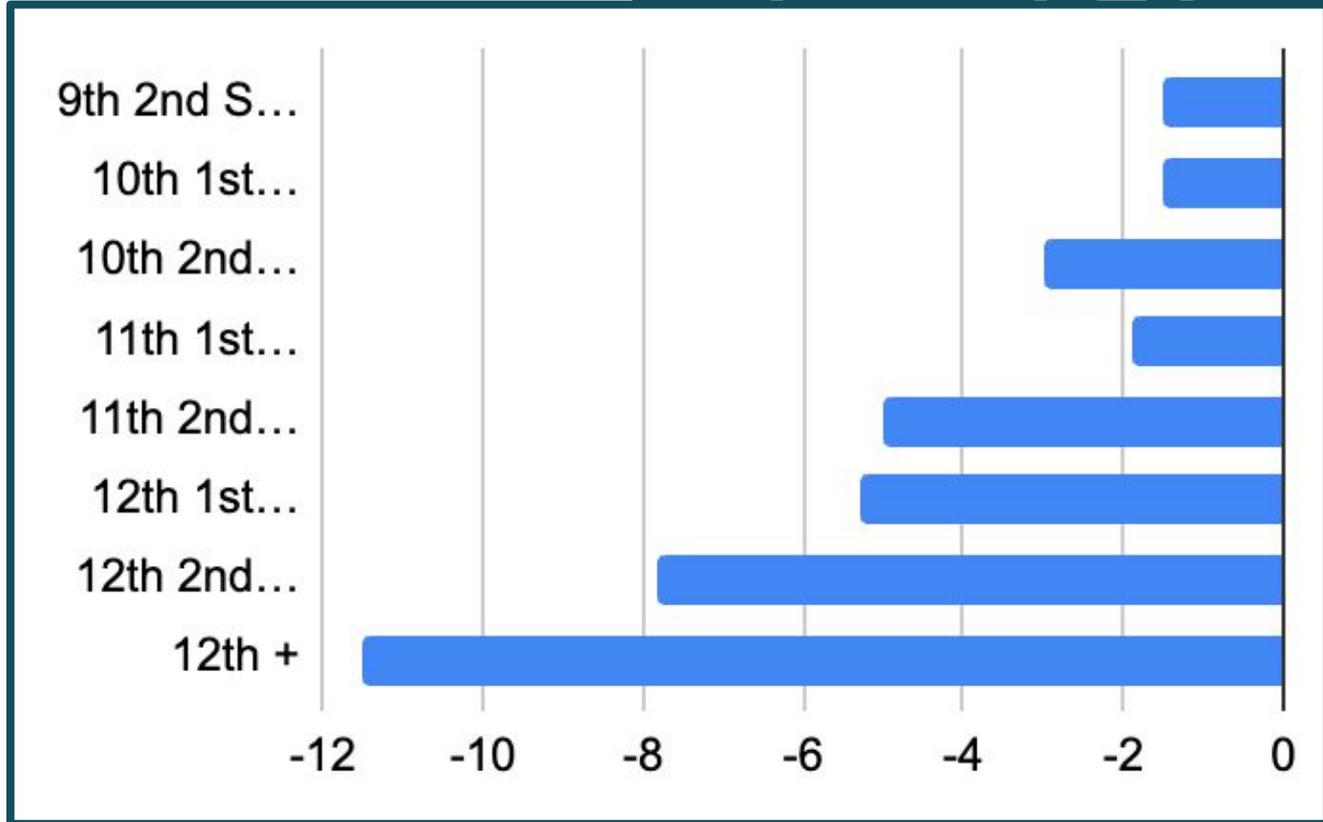
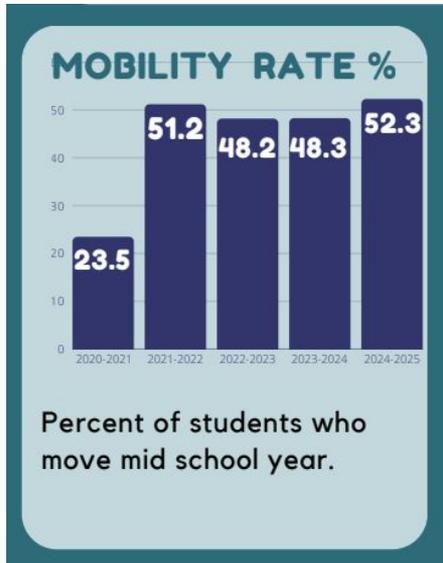


Brief History:

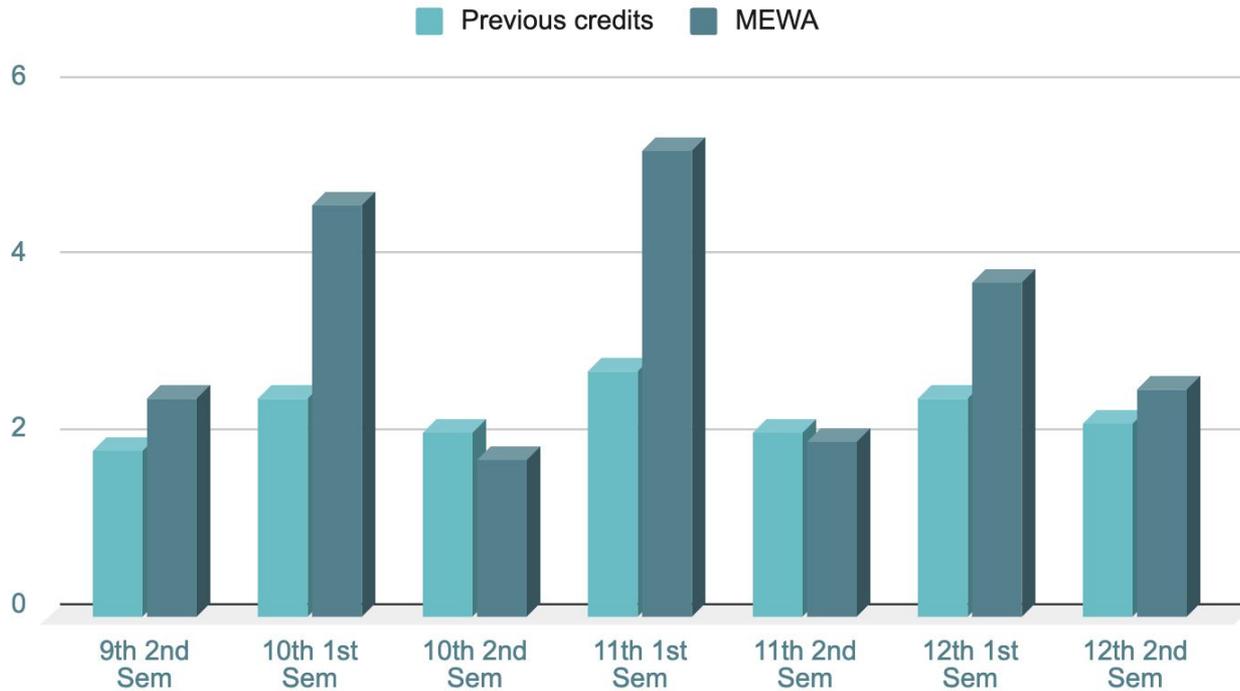


- Started in 2009
- Students who came were primarily credit deficient - we serve the same student population today
- Current Enrollment: 1058 students
- Serving students with a variety of options: online, GED, CAPP, early college
- We work to individualize education for our students

Students coming to us behind in credit 2024-2025 (31% GBSD)



Previous Credits and MEWA



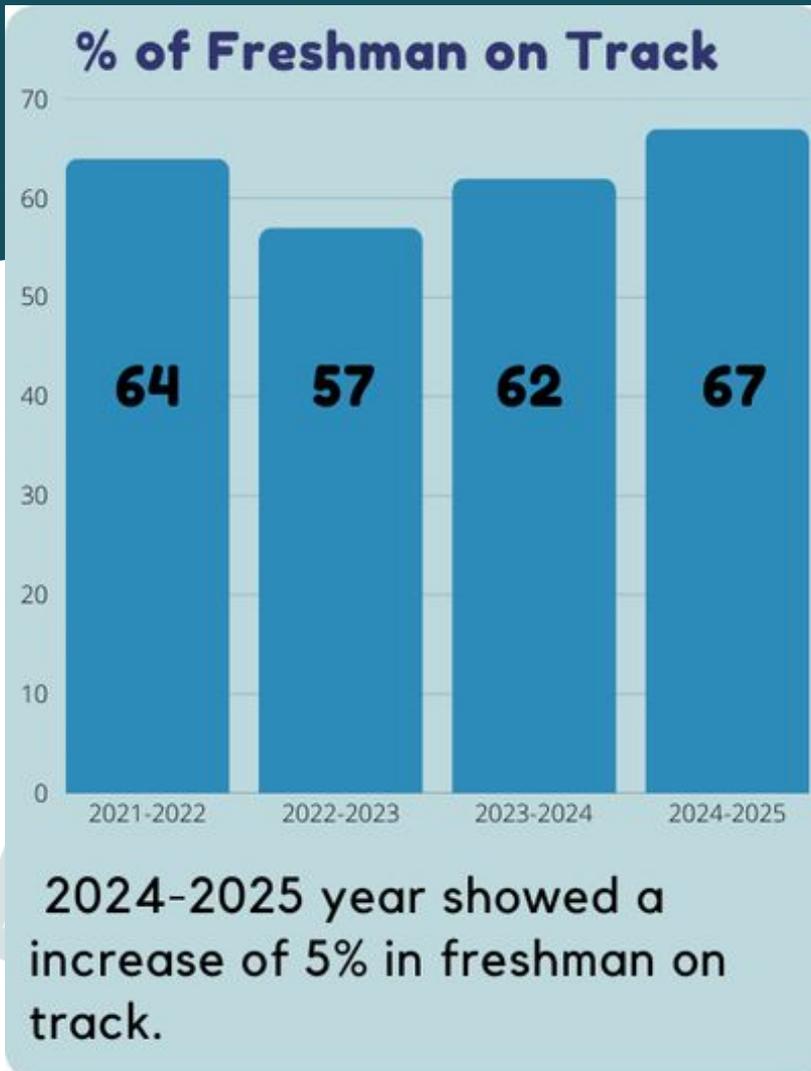
7 year grads	7
6 year grads	9

25% GBSD

Enrollments and demographics

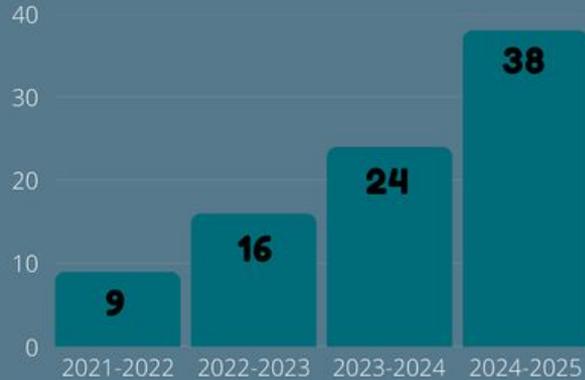
Grade	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025	2025-2026*
k	18	8	12	12	11
1	15	11	10	19	17
2	28	9	13	9	26
3	32	7	14	14	13
4	28	16	14	28	18
5	30	19	17	32	34
6	59	25	38	34	42
7	46	61	51	61	49
8	80	49	82	70	83
9	70	80	77	116	95
10	102	145	133	171	182
11	158	169	202	202	217
12	160	181	226	221	271
Total	826	780	889	980	1058
					* January 2026
GBSD	429	410	431	475	494*
SPED	83	101	93	137	140*
ELL	65	48	49	91	92*
504	45	40	60	88	98*
% Non-White	38	43	47	47	46*

9th Grade On-Track



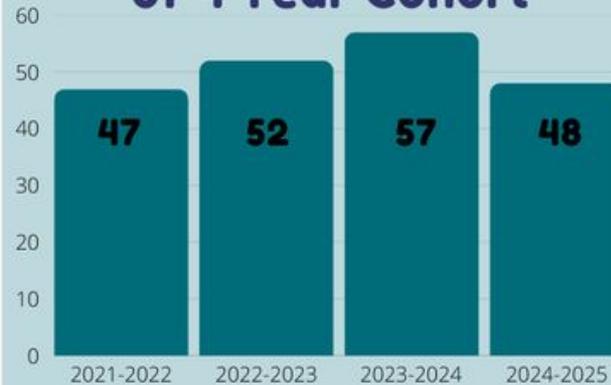
Graduation Rates 2024-2025

of Early Graduates



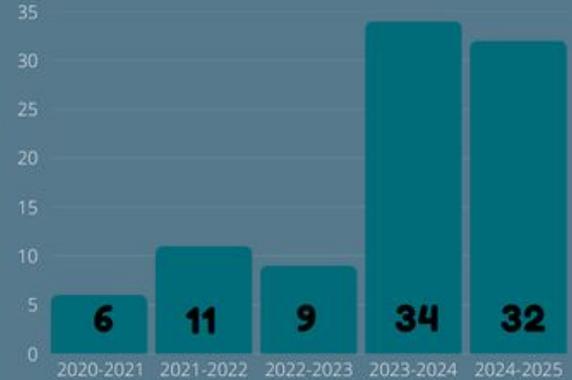
of students who graduated in less than 4 years.

Graduation Rate Percent of 4 Year Cohort



2025 Graduation saw a 9% decrease in 4 year cohort graduation.

OF GED COMPLETERS



MEWA has already graduated 5 GED students in the 2025-2026 school year as of December 2nd, 2025.

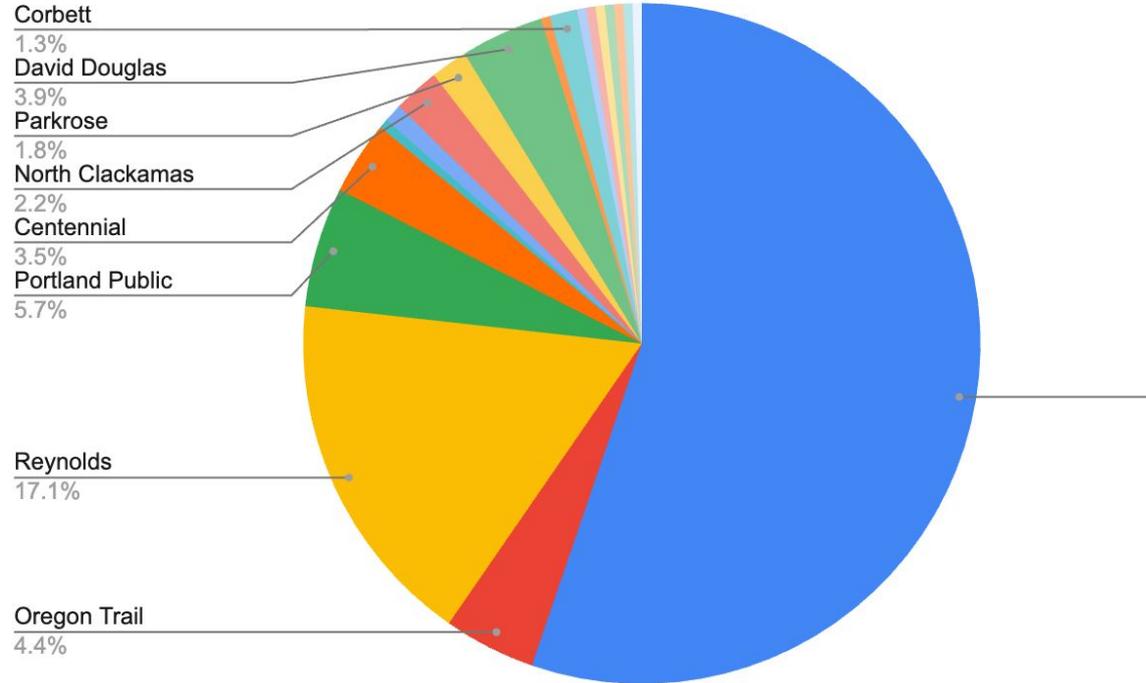
Graduation Rates

Total Graduates: 228

- GBSD: 126 (55.3%)
- Outside of GBSD: 102 (44.7%)

Associate's Degree: 20
GED: 32

2024-2025 MEWA Graduates District of Residence



SIP



1. Equity (3% improvement on all tests for focal groups)
 - a. Curriculum Committee
 - b. Advisory: Stakeholder Group (FIN)
 - c. SEL: for both staff and students

2. 9th Grade on-track (63% by June 2026)
 - a. 67% as of 2024-2025

3. Graduation (4/yr 60%, 5/yr 56% by June 2026)
 - a. 4/yr 48% as of 2023-2024
 - b. 5/yr 62% as of 2023-2024

4. AI
 - a. Development of guidance and policy for both students and staff
 - b. Inclusion of AI tools for students and staff

Academic Achievement

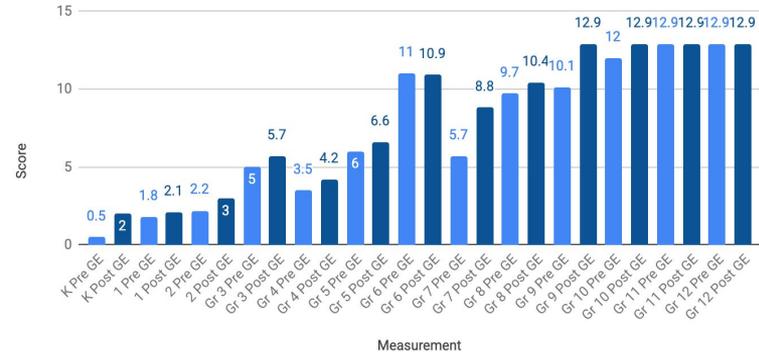
1. Smarter Balanced Assessment - Summative Assessment

- **2024-2025 SBAC Completion Rates and Performance Data**
 - **Mathematics:** 318/431 (**73.8%** completion rate, up from 64.1%)
 - **ELA:** 319/431 (**74.0%** completion rate, up from 63.6%)
- ODE's suspension of essential skills graduation requirement through 2027-28 continues to impact our state testing completion and performance, but there was an almost 10% increase in participation over the 23-24 school year.
- 63 opt outs, 14 less than the year before.
- **2025-2026 Goal:** Continue supporting students with a variety of testing options and improving school culture around state testing.

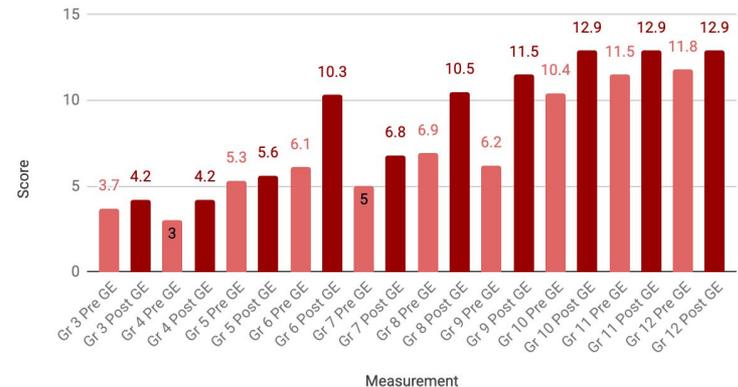
2. Renaissance Star 360 Testing - Formative Assessment

- **Culture:** Measuring and monitoring **academic growth** is our priority. Typically, 70+% of our students complete Star360 tests (norm-referenced tests used to monitor student learning growth measures per year, in early reading/literacy and math) three times per year. We generally see growth which indicates that we have a positive impact on student learning, and if we see unexpected trends, we use the data to inform our interventions as appropriate.
- **GE:** GE represents how a student's test performance compares with other students nationally. Generally speaking, you'd expect to see a GE increase of +.8 to +1, which would indicate a year of academic growth.
- **2024-2025 STAR Performance Data**
 - Mathematics: *Average Growth in Grade Equivalency* = +2.2
 - Early Lit/Reading: *Average Growth in Grade Equivalency* = +.9
- **2025-2026 Goal:** increase participation and validity of test scores by implementing more teacher and mentor involvement.

Early Literacy/Reading Grade Equivalency Fall 2024-Spring 2025



Math Grade Equivalency Fall 2024-Spring 2025





Finances

- Cash on hand equal to \$6,818,462.00 (deposits with financial institutions)
- Days cash on hand equal to 306 days (Cash on Hand in the amount of \$6,818,462, divided by the quotient of Operating Expenses of \$8,115,020, divided by 365)
- The amount of cash on hand required to comply with the loan agreement for the current fiscal year equals \$1,333,976.00 (equal to at least 60 days cash on hand)
- The borrower's debt service cover ratio equal to 3.65 (Net change in fund balance of \$1,173,740+debt service of \$443,300 divided by debt service for the FY of \$443,300)
- Added \$1,162,401 to our fund balance

*As of June 30, 2025

Cybersharks



MEWA's Elementary School Program (K-5)

Information:

- Around 120 students Kindergarten-5th grade
- Core teachers as their mentor
- Learning Coach Required

Synchronous & Asynchronous Learning:

- Live classes 4-5 times a week
- In-Person Support Labs & Online Office Hours
- Canvas Courses (Math, SS, Science, ELA, PE)
- Electives: Art (K,2,4) & Technology (1,3,5)
- SEL, ESOL, and Interventions

Supplementary Curriculum

I-Ready, Khan Academy, Epic! Reading, TypeTastic, etc.

Clubs/Events:

Craft Day, Chess Club, Social Club

Activities:

Parties, Fun Fridays (Kinder), Summer Camp, Loteria, Author Visits

Field Trips:

OMSI, Zoo, Rock Haven, Bowling

Stipends:

Designed to enrich the offerings MEWA has for students.



Equity at MEWA

- Diversity Corner in MEWA Post
- Library & Virtual Library
- Communication on Awareness/cultural events to staff (resources and bulletin board)
- Diversity Calendar
- Equity Audit conducted in 2024
- Course Evaluations
- Events
- Family connections/communication (Identify barriers/provide resources)

cyberspark

👉 We are proud of what we do and whom we serve.

We are grateful to partner with GBSD in so many ways and believe that partnership creates the village our students and families need.

Buenas tardes solo quería agradecerles a todas y cada una de las personas que trabajan en MEWA desde las directoras maestras y maestros y staff gracias por su excelente trabajo y su dedicación les deseo un thanksgiving grandioso Friday, November 21, 2025

Good afternoon, I just wanted to thank each and every person who works at MEWA, from the directors to the teachers and staff. Thank you for your excellent work and dedication. I wish you all a wonderful Thanksgiving. Friday, November 21, 2025

