# Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)

## **School Letter Grade Calculations**



### **School Index Score Calculations**

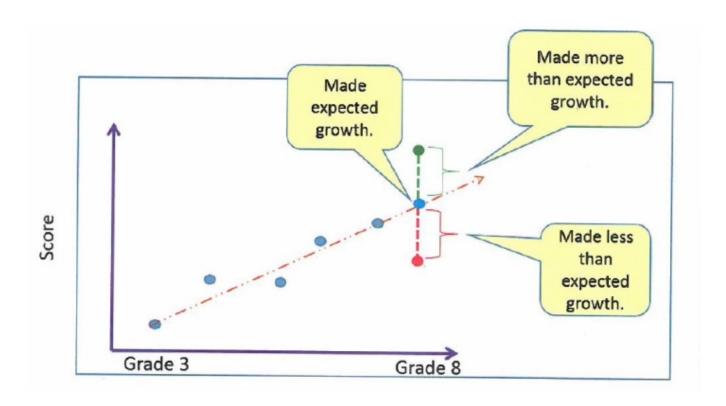
Indicators for Success	K-8	9-12
Weighted Achievement Score	35%	35%
Value-Added Growth Score (Includes English Learner Proficiency)	50%	35%
School Quality & Student Success Score	15%	15%
4-Year Graduation Rate	NA	10%
5-Year Graduation Rate	NA	5%

## **Weighted Achievement**

Achievement Level ACT Aspire	Points Earned for Each Achievement Level
In Need of Support	0.00
Close	0.50
Ready/Exceeds	1.00

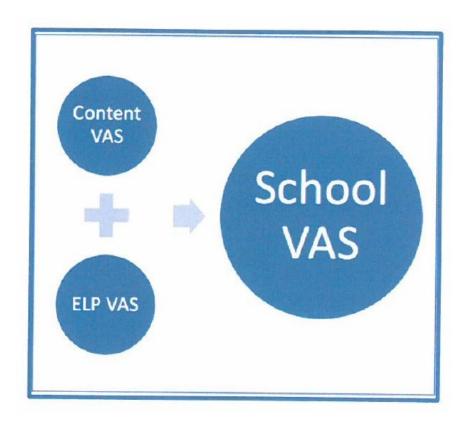
Individual student points are aggregated for each school.

#### **Student Value-Added Growth Score**



- The student growth score is the difference between what the student is expected to achieve, based on prior achievement scores, and what the student achieves in the current year.
- We expect students to meet or exceed their expected growth if they are to be ready for college, career, and life.

#### **School Value-Added Growth Score**



School value-added growth scores (VAS) include student growth in the content areas (math and English language arts) as well as student growth in English language proficiency.

## **School Quality & Student Success Score**

Indicator	<b>Grade Level</b>	Measure
Student Engagement	Grades K-11	Attendance
Science Achievement	Grades 3-10	ACT Aspire
Science Growth	Grades 4-10	ACT Aspire
Reading at Grade Level	Grades 3-10	ACT Aspire
ACT	Grade 12	<b>Best ACT score from prior 3 years</b>
ACT Readiness Benchmark	Grade 12	Best ACT score from prior 3 years for reading, math, and science
GPA 2.8 or better on 4.0 scale	Grade 12	High school final GPA
Community Service Learning Credits Earned	Grade 12	Credits earned at any time during grades 9-12
On-time Credits	Grades 9-11	Credits completed in grades 9-11
Computer Science Course Credits Earned	Grade 12	Credits earned at any time during grades 9-12
Advanced Placement/International Baccalaureate or Concurrent Credit Courses	Grade 12	Credits earned at any time during grades 9-12

#### **Graduation Rate**

#### **4-Year Graduation Rate**

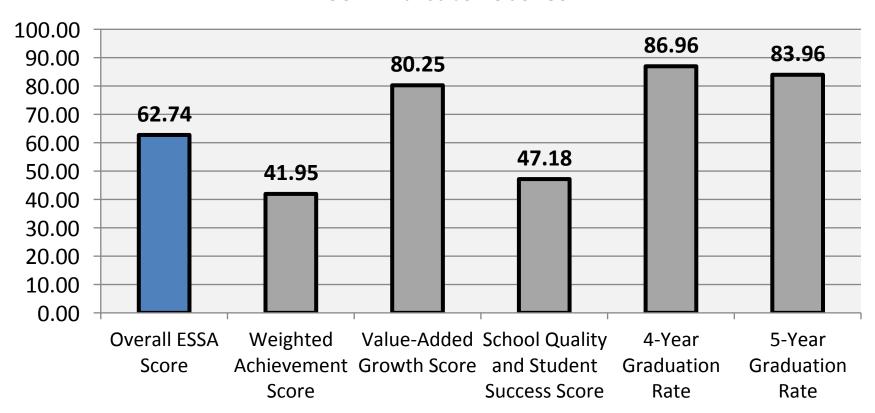
Number of students, beginning in 9<sup>th</sup> grade, who graduate from high school in **four** years

### **5-Year Graduation Rate**

Number of students, beginning in 9<sup>th</sup> grade, who graduate from high school in **five** years

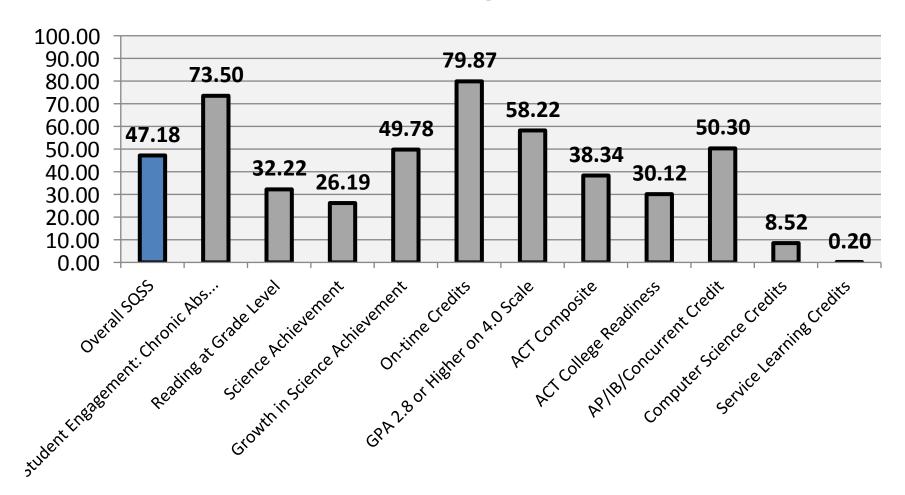
# Northside High School

#### **ESSA Indicator Scores**



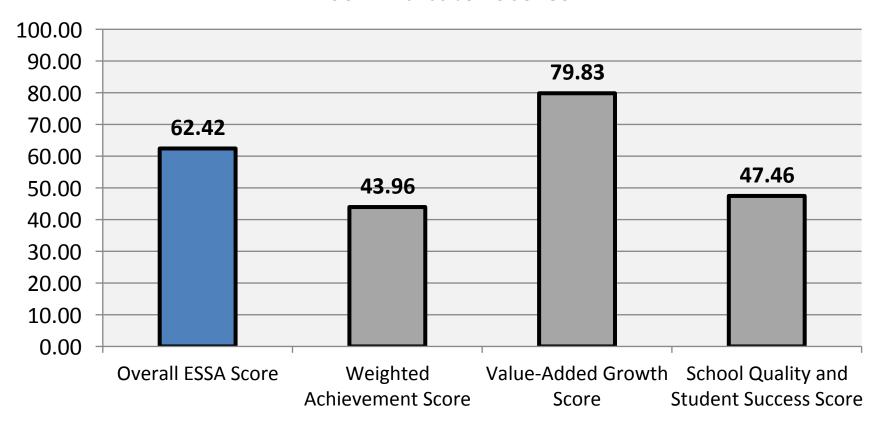
School Letter Grade: C → D

#### **Northside High School**



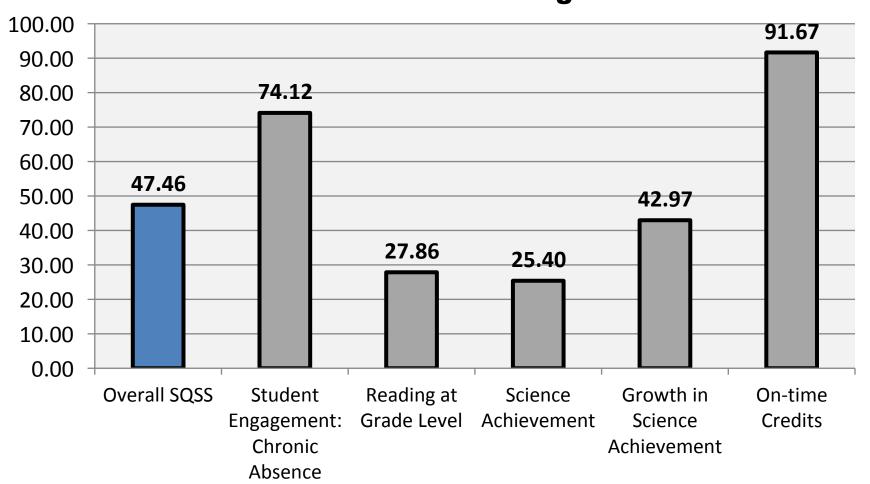
# **Kimmons Junior High**

#### **ESSA Indicator Scores**



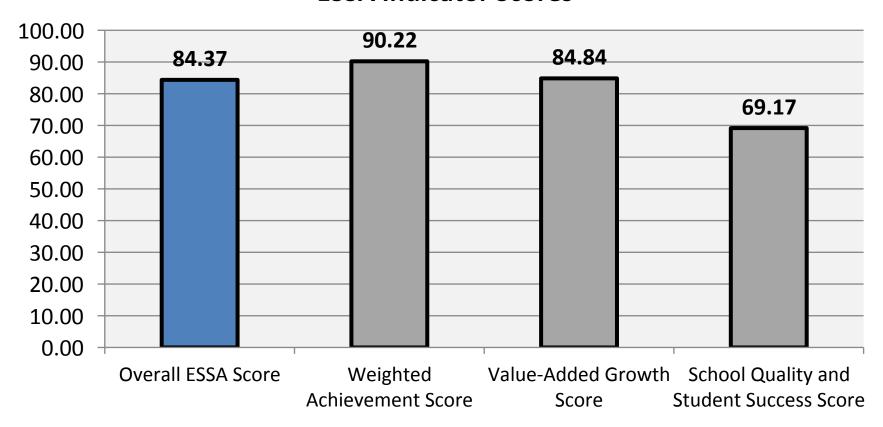
School Letter Grade: C → D

#### **Kimmons Junior High**



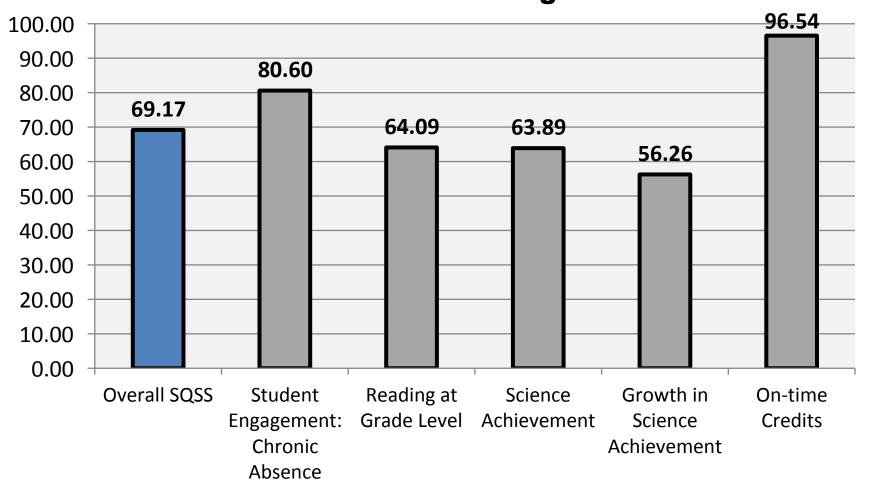
# **Chaffin Junior High**

#### **ESSA Indicator Scores**



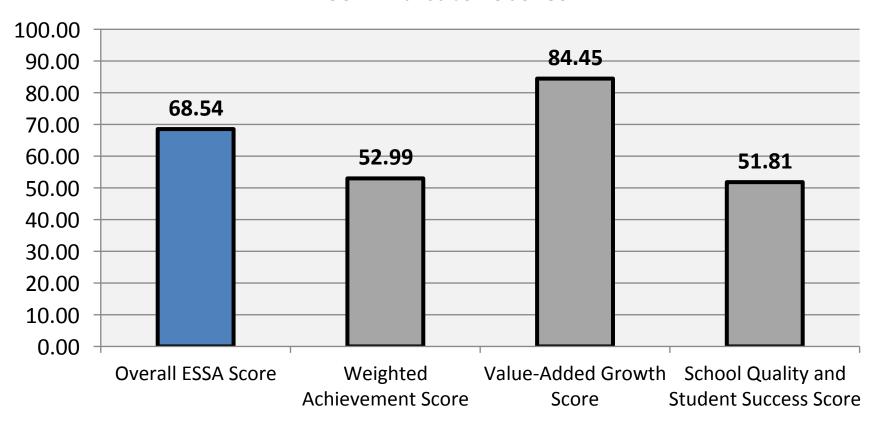
School Letter Grade: B → A





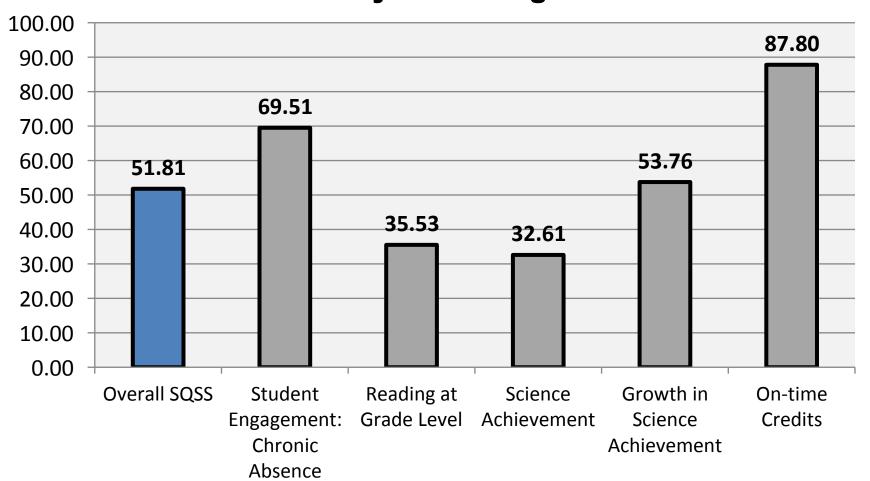
# **Darby Junior High**

#### **ESSA Indicator Scores**



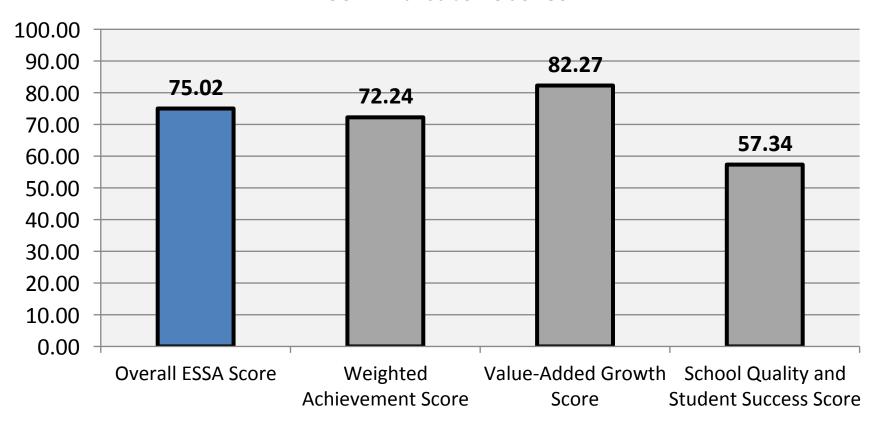
School Letter Grade: D → C

#### **Darby Junior High**



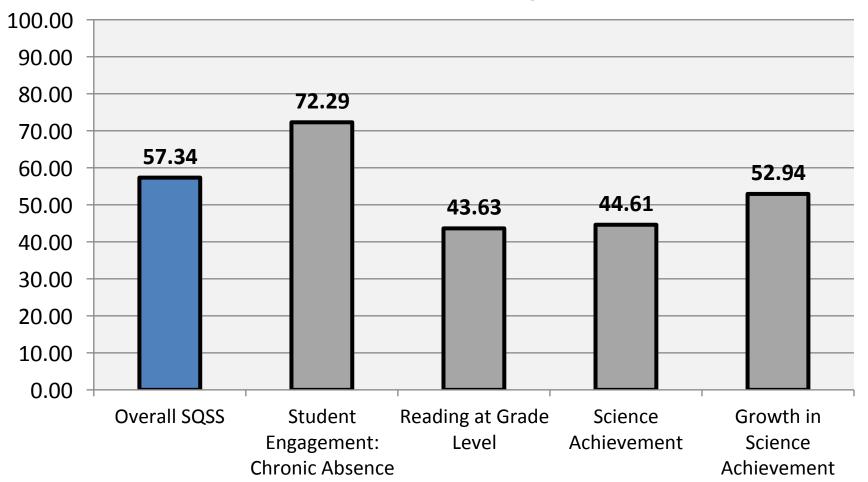
# **Orr Elementary**

#### **ESSA Indicator Scores**



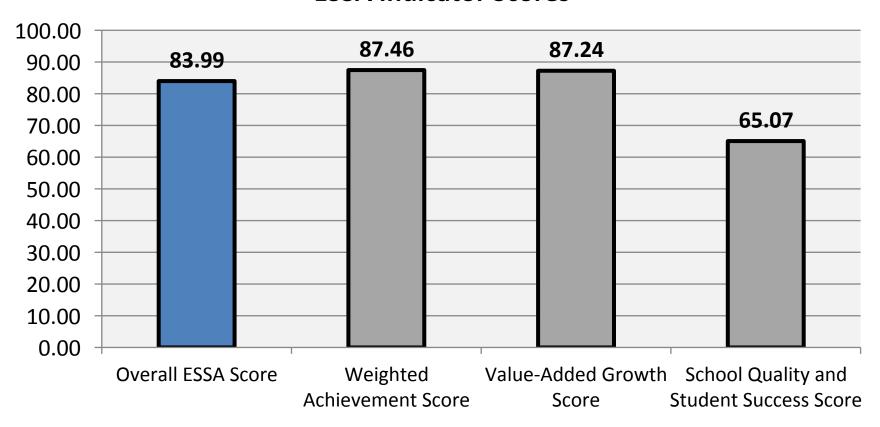
School Letter Grade: D → B

#### **Orr Elementary**



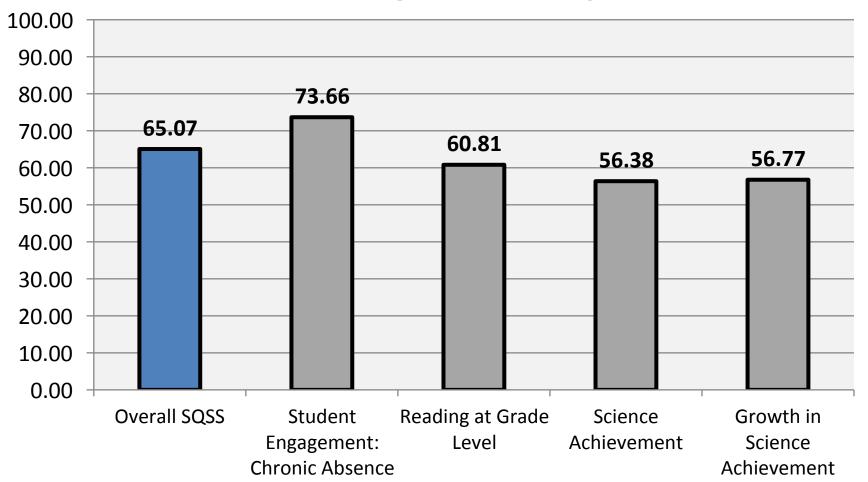
# **Cavanaugh Elementary**

#### **ESSA Indicator Scores**



School Letter Grade: C → A

#### **Cavanaugh Elementary**



# University of Arkansas Office for Education Policy (OEP) Annual Awards

Top 20 *Elementary Schools* in Arkansas based on *Overall* ACT Aspire Growth

#12 Cavanaugh Elementary

Top 10 *Elementary Schools* in Arkansas based on *Overall* ACT Aspire *English Language Arts* Growth

#2 Cavanaugh Elementary, #7 Euper Lane Elementary, and #10 Sutton Elementary

Top 20 *Middle Schools* in Arkansas based on *Overall* ACT Aspire Growth

#16 Chaffin Junior High

# University of Arkansas Office for Education Policy (OEP) Annual Awards

Top 10 *High Poverty\* Elementary Schools* in Arkansas based on ACT Aspire *English Language Arts* Growth

**#5 Sutton Elementary and #6 Beard Elementary** 

Top 10 *High Poverty\* Middle Schools* in Arkansas based on *Overall* ACT Aspire Growth

**#10 Darby Junior High** 

Top 10 *High Poverty\* Middle Schools* in Arkansas based on ACT Aspire *Math* Growth

**#7 Darby Junior High** 

Top 10 *High Poverty\* Middle Schools* in Arkansas based on ACT Aspire *English Language Arts* Growth

#10 Darby Junior High

<sup>\*</sup> At least 66% of students receive Free and/or Reduced Lunch

# University of Arkansas Office for Education Policy (OEP) Annual Awards

Top 10 *High Poverty\* High Schools* in Arkansas based on ACT Aspire *Math* Growth

#10 Northside High School

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# How do we improve?

# School Improvement Plans (SIP)



Provide an "equitable, challenging educational experience."

# Purpose



# 4 Quarters



- Each quarter the District Leadership Team will:
  - meet with every campus LeadershipTeam
  - review InterimAssessment data
  - review progress-todate on SIP goals
- Quarterly reports will be provided to the superintendent and the school board

- Highly integrated STEM content within core courses
- Professional Learning
   Communities to promote staff
   collaboration and monitor
   student performance





 Ensure that research-based programs and practices are implemented with fidelity

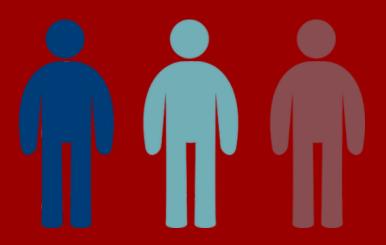
- Implement Response to Intervention model, inclusive of dedicated time for daily school-wide interventions
- Focus on activities that will promote a positive climate, student engagement, and culture of high expectations





Promote and reinforce good student attendance

# 14,795 Students



Prepared to "embrace their roles in our culturally diverse community and rapidly changing world."