

Welcome to Legacy Elementary

Legacy Elementary is a neighborhood public school with a strong tradition of achievement in a supportive and caring community. It was built in 1995. The school currently houses 896 students in preschool–sixth grade, with 35 teachers assigned to meet their needs. There are 35 additional faculty, staff, and administrative employees working at Legacy. Their work is magnified every year by hundreds of volunteers. Legacy is committed to helping every student have a positive, meaningful experience at school. At Legacy, “Everybody Learns Every Day.”

Current Students Per Grade

- Preschool: 58
- Kindergarten: 96
- 1st Grade: 113
- 2nd Grade: 119
- 3rd Grade: 120
- 4th Grade: 136
- 5th Grade: 115
- 6th Grade: 140

A Professional Learning Community

Legacy teachers meet together every Monday to focus on student achievement and growth. Their collaborative efforts are guided by four essential questions:

1. What do we expect students to learn?
2. How will we know what students have learned?
3. How will we respond to students who aren't learning?
4. How will we respond to students who already know the material?

In response to these questions, each grade has developed common curriculum maps that govern the pacing and content of instruction. This common pacing allows teachers to compare assessment data together, for every student at their grade level, and to make decisions regarding the next steps for instruction. This year teachers have received training and are working to implement the new Utah Core Curriculum in Language Arts and in Math.

Legacy Triathlon Challenge

Reading, fitness, and citizenship are three legs required to complete the Legacy Triathlon Challenge. Students can earn bronze, silver, and gold medals for reading a required number of selected books, running up to 12 miles in Legacy's Running Club, and completing service in the community.

Students can download grade level requirements and book lists at our school website. The Triathlon is designed to provide additional challenge for students who choose to participate. All students are encouraged to work toward earning one or all three medals.

School Trust Land Grant 2012–13

Utah's School Land Trust Administration awarded \$39,132 to Legacy Elementary for 2012–13. These funds are being used to meet our school goals in reading and writing. This includes:

- Teacher assistants to work with identified students
- Booster Club (Academic Double Dosing K–6)
- Literacy software
- Professional development
- Data/Literacy specialists
- Time for reading assessments

School Trust Land Grant 2011–12

\$38,522 was allocated to Legacy Elementary last year. Funds were used to work toward school goals in literacy. This included:

- Technology purchases to provide a projector and document camera in every classroom to enhance instruction.
- Upgrades to wireless access points to increase availability of computer tablet devices for students.
- Teacher Assistants to work with identified students
- Substitutes to provide time for teachers to assess student reading levels, collaborate on school goals, and attend professional development.
- Literacy Software
- Professional development
- Data/Literacy Specialists

A full copy of grant proposals and annual reports can be accessed online at www.schoolandtrust.org

The School Community Council approves local School Trust Land Grant proposals and determines how funds are to be used. Legacy expresses its thanks to the community for supporting the goals of our school.

Legacy Community Council 2012–2013

Emily Larsen, Chair
Maureen DeWet, Vice Chair
Gary Gibb, Principal
Charlotte Hutchinson, Teacher
Kim Conant, Patron
Annalise Eccles, Patron
Aaron Raymond, Patron
Brooke Richards, Patron

An annual meeting schedule and minutes from previous council meetings can be found on our school website. Patrons interested in serving on the council can inquire at the school. Elections are held each fall.

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ALPINE SCHOOL DISTRICT

ANNUAL STAKEHOLDER REPORT
NOVEMBER 2012



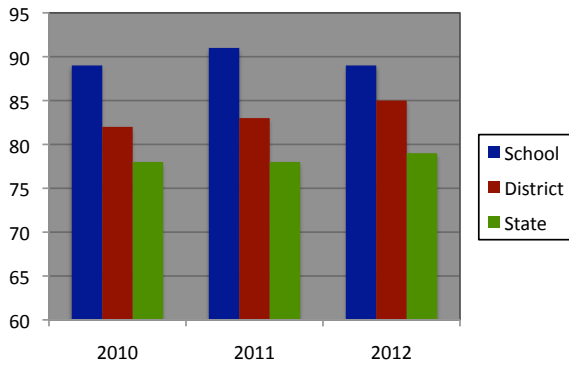
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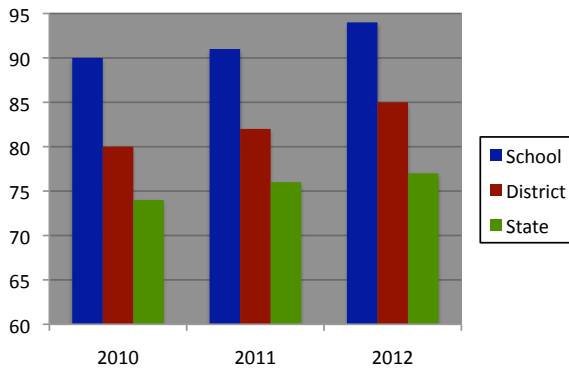
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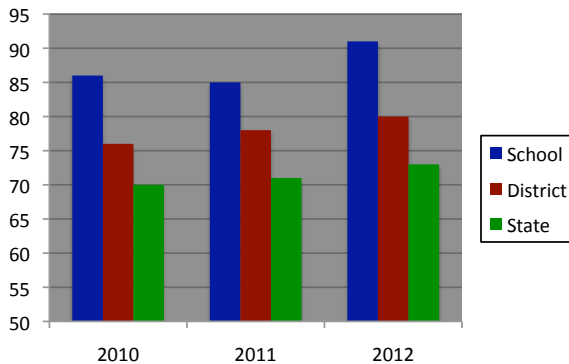
Language Arts Percent Proficient



Math Percent Proficient



Science Percent Proficient



Utah's Comprehensive Accountability System (UCAS) places Legacy Elementary in the top quartile of Utah schools for 2011-12. Legacy scored 501/600 total points. Achievement 277/300 Student Growth 224/300 You can find more information about UCAS and about achievement results for Legacy Elementary at www.schools.utah.gov.

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Den Time

Every week at Legacy "Den Time" provides re-teaching and enrichment for students in each grade level. They receive additional instruction for identified concepts from the core curriculum. This weekly intervention provides small group instruction for students who need more understanding and enrichment activities for students who are ready to explore concepts more deeply. The adult-student ratio is increased during Den Time to allow for more focused instruction.

Booster Club

Every day before and after school selected students in kindergarten-sixth grade participate in Legacy's Booster Club. Booster Club students work in small groups of 4-6 students with focused instruction in math and literacy. There is a group for every grade level. Any student who needs additional help with a particular concept can be part of Booster Club. Students change frequently, and children can participate more than once. This intervention is intended to provide additional time for students who need it most. Children who are selected receive an invitation from their teacher. Booster Club is funded through School Trust Land monies in combination with a grant from Alpine School District.

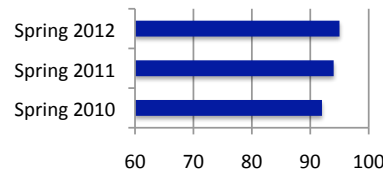
School Goals 2012-2013

- 93% of students will pass the State Language Arts Assessment. 60% will pass at the highest mastery level.
- At least 90% of students will reach grade level reading benchmarks on the DRA.
- 96% of students will meet school established benchmarks in writing.



WRITING EVERY DAY

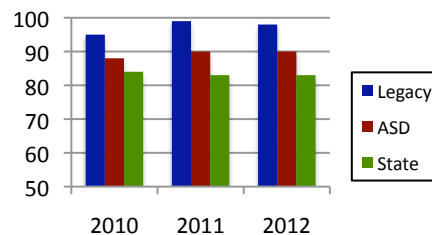
Legacy Writing Assessment, Percentage of Students at Benchmark (1st-6th grade)



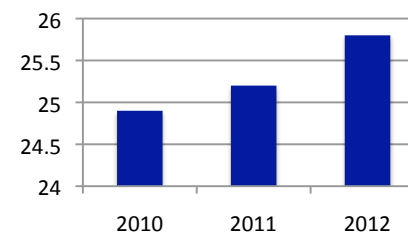
Legacy is working to improve children's writing. School Trust Land Grant funds are used to provide training and technology to meet this goal. Three times each year students are assessed on a common rubric. In 2010 92% of all students reached writing benchmarks. In 2011 94% of students passed benchmark. Last spring 95% of our students reached the writing benchmark for their grade level!

Utah's Direct Writing Assessment is given to every fifth grader. Legacy students have consistently demonstrated proficiency on this assessment, not only in percentage of students passing, but with an increase in average scores. 98% of students demonstrated proficiency on this assessment in spring 2012.

5th Grade Direct Writing Assessment Percent Proficient



5th Grade Direct Writing Assessment Average Score



School Goals 2011-2012

- Literacy: Increase the percentage of students passing the Language Arts Assessment from 91% to 93%.
- At least 90% of students will reach grade level reading benchmarks on the DRA.
- Writing: 95% of students will reach benchmark on a schoolwide writing assessment.

Did we reach our goals?

- Literacy: 89% of students demonstrated proficiency on the State Language Arts Assessment
- 89% of students K-6 reached benchmark on the DRA.
- Writing: 95% of students demonstrated proficiency on schoolwide writing assessments.