



Woodhaven Middle School
Parkland School Division
Provincial Achievement Tests
Summary Results Report 2016 – 2017

The charts, beginning on page three, report Woodhaven Middle School's student achievement on Alberta's Provincial Achievement Tests. Individual subjects are provided in historical detail on the pages that follow.

Some considerations:

Grade 6 classes experienced significant growth on the Acceptable Standard in 3 of 4 subject areas

- Acceptable Standard scores in Grade 6 Social Studies increased by 10% over the previous year, exceeding the provincial average by 14.4%.
- Acceptable Standard scores in Grade 6 Science increased by 8.5% over the previous year, exceeding the provincial average by 2.4%.
- Acceptable Standard scores in Grade 6 English Language Arts (ELA) increased by 6.4% over the previous year, exceeding the provincial average by 5.9%.

Grade 9 classes experienced growth on the Acceptable Standard in 3 of 4 subject areas

- Acceptable Standard scores in Grade 9 Social Studies increased by 5% over the previous year.
- Acceptable Standard scores in Grade 9 English Language Arts increased by 4.3% over the previous year.
- Acceptable Standard scores in Grade 9 Math increased by 1% over the previous year.

Grade 6 classes experienced growth at the Standard of Excellence in 2 of 4 subject areas

- Standard of Excellence scores in Grade 6 Social Studies increased by 4.4 % over the previous year and have increased consistently over the past four years.
- Standard of Excellence scores in Grade 6 English Language Arts have increased consistently over the past four years.

Grade 9 classes experienced growth at the Standard of Excellence in 3 of 4 subject areas

- Standard of Excellence scores in Grade 9 English Language Arts increased by 2.5% over the previous year.
- Standard of Excellence scores in Grade 9 Mathematics increased by 1.7% over the previous year.
- Standard of Excellence scores in Grade 9 Social Studies increased by 1.7% over the previous year.

Grade 9 results indicate areas for growth within Woodhaven Middle School:

- While we saw growth in many subjects at both the Acceptable Standard and Standard of Excellence, Woodhaven Middle School performed below the provincial average for Grade 9 academic core subjects, at both the acceptable standard and the standard of excellence.
- Math scores continue to display the most significant gap between the number of Woodhaven Middle Students achieving the Acceptable Standard and the provincial average in this area, with only 53.2% of Woodhaven Middle School students reaching the Acceptable Standard.
 - As Math has been identified as an area for growth in Grade 6 as well, this will be an area of significant focus within our school.

Grade 6 results indicate areas for growth within Woodhaven Middle School:

- Woodhaven Middle School performed below the provincial average at the Standard of Excellence for Grade 6 ELA, Math and Science.
- Woodhaven Middle School performed below the provincial average at the Acceptable Standard for Math.

After a year of declined results at the Standard of Excellence and Acceptable Standard in 2015-16, Woodhaven Middle School saw growth in the Acceptable Standard in six of the eight Provincial Achievement Tests and at the Standard of Excellence in five of the eight Provincial Achievement Tests.

While this is an area for celebration, work still needs to be done to increase the percentage of Woodhaven Middle School students achieving both the Acceptable Standard and Standard of Excellence in Math in Grades 6 and 9.

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Successes		Challenges	
School Growth	School Exceeds Province	Province Exceeds School	School Decline
Standard of Excellence <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● SS 6 (+4.4) ● ELA 9 (+2.5) ● MA 9 (+1.7) ● SS 9 (+1.7) ● ELA 6 (+0.1) Acceptable Standard <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● SS 6 (+10.0) ● SC 6 (+8.5) ● ELA 6 (+6.4) ● SS 9 (+5.0) ● ELA 9 (+4.3) ● MA 9 (+1.0) 	Standard of Excellence <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● SS 6 (+6.6) Acceptable Standard <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● SS 6 (+14.4) ● ELA 6 (+5.9) ● SC 6 (+2.4) 	Standard of Excellence <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● SS 9 (-8.1) ● SC 9 (-7.8) ● MA 9 (-7.4) ● ELA 9 (-7.2) ● SC 6 (-6.3) ● MA 6 (-5.1) ● ELA 6 (-0.8) Acceptable Standard <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● SS 9 (-7.4) ● SC 9 (-6.5) ● MA 6 (-4.6) ● ELA 9 (-2.9) ● MA 9 (-1.0) 	Standard of Excellence <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● SC 9 (-2.2) ● MA 6 (-1.8) ● SC 6 (-1.4) Acceptable Standard <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● SC 9 (-5.5) ● MA 6 (-0.1)

PROVINCIAL ACHIEVEMENT TESTS

The great majority of Parkland School Division students write the Provincial Achievement Tests. Participation rates are helpful at understanding performance standards that are based on all students enrolled. +/- Represents the change in performance from previous year.

Subject	ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS 6									
Standard	Alberta			Parkland School Div.			Woodhaven School			
	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017	+/-
Acceptable	82.8	82.9	82.5	83.8	85.2	84.2	94.9	82.0	88.4	+6.4
Excellence	19.5	20.4	18.9	14.0	15.9	15.2	18.6	18.0	18.1	+0.1
2017 Participation amount by percentage of students				Alberta			PSD		Woodhaven	
				90.2%			94.9%		99.3%	

Subject	MATHEMATICS 6									
Standard	Alberta			Parkland School Div.			Woodhaven School			
	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017	+/-
Acceptable	72.5	71.4	68.4	70.3	69.7	62.4	71.2	63.9	63.8	-0.1
Excellence	13.8	13.8	12.3	7.2	8.2	7.3	5.9	9.0	7.2	-1.8
2017 Participation amount by percentage of students				Alberta			PSD		Woodhaven	
				89.9%			94.1%		98.6%	

Subject	SCIENCE 6									
Standard	Alberta			Parkland School Div.			Woodhaven School			
	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017	+/-
Acceptable	76.0	77.6	76.6	78.6	79.2	76.3	86.4	70.5	79.0	+8.5
Excellence	25.9	27.7	29.5	17.6	19.1	23.5	22.9	24.6	23.2	-1.4
2017 Participation amount by percentage of students				Alberta			PSD		Woodhaven	
				89.1%			94.6%		99.3%	

Subject	SOCIAL STUDIES 6									
Standard	Alberta			Parkland School Div.			Woodhaven School			
	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017	+/-
Acceptable	69.6	71.1	72.6	67.4	69.7	70.7	83.1	77.0	87.0	+10.0
Excellence	18.7	22.6	22.4	11.0	14.0	18.1	20.3	24.6	29.0	+4.4
2017 Participation amount by percentage of students				Alberta			PSD		Woodhaven	
				89.3%			94.6%		99.3%	

Subject	ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS 9									
Standard	Alberta			Parkland School Div.			Woodhaven School			
	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017	+/-
Acceptable	75.6	77.0	76.8	77.5	72.7	75.1	79.6	69.6	73.9	+4.3
Excellence	14.4	15.2	14.9	9.8	9.3	10.7	9.3	5.2	7.7	+2.5
2017 Participation amount by percentage of students				Alberta			PSD		Woodhaven	
				88.8%			94.9%		96.5%	

Subject	MATHEMATICS 9									
Standard	Alberta			Parkland School Div.			Woodhaven School			
	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017	+/-
Acceptable	64.0	66.7	66.2	66.5	60.9	63.3	71.0	52.2	53.2	+1.0
Excellence	17.5	17.2	18.7	11.4	12.0	15.3	12.1	9.6	11.3	+1.7
2017 Participation amount by percentage of students				Alberta			PSD		Woodhaven	
				88.5%			94.5%		97.2%	

Subject	SCIENCE 9									
Standard	Alberta			Parkland School Div.			Woodhaven School			
	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017	+/-
Acceptable	73.3	73.5	73.2	79.1	70.3	70.4	87.9	72.2	66.7	-5.5
Excellence	22.8	22.5	21.3	21.3	15.7	15.9	27.1	15.7	13.5	-2.2
2017 Participation amount by percentage of students				Alberta			PSD		Woodhaven	
				88.8%			94.2%		95.7%	

Subject	SOCIAL STUDIES 9									
Standard	Alberta			Parkland School Div.			Woodhaven School			
	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017	+/-
Acceptable	64.4	64.0	66.3	65.3	55.6	62.9	72.0	53.9	58.9	+5.0
Excellence	20.0	18.3	20.2	14.8	10.2	15.7	15.0	10.4	12.1	+1.7
2017 Participation amount by percentage of students				Alberta			PSD		Woodhaven	
				88.8%			94.5%		97.2%	