

Carrithers Middle

School Info

District: **JEFFERSON COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

KDE Indicator Performance Rating:

● Red(Low Performance) ● Orange ● Yellow ● Green ● Blue(High Performance)

Principal: **Jason Watts**

Assistant Superintendent: **Heather Benfield**

Area: **Middle School Zone**

School Board Member: **Taylor Everett**

School District: **7**

Address: **4320 Billtown Road**

Zip: **40299**

Phone #: **(502) 485-8224**

School Start Time: **8:40 AM**

Grade Span: **6th-8th**

Optimal Capacity: **690**

Level: **Middle School**

Title 1: **Yes**

Classification: **A1**

Demographics

STAFF	White	African American	Hispanic	Asian	Two or More	Indian / Alaskan	Hawaiian / Pacific	Male	Female	Total
Principal/Assistant Principal	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
Guidance Counselor/Deans	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Full-Time Teachers	30	5	2	0	0	0	0	13	24	37
Part-Time Teachers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Librarian/Media Specialist	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Other Professional Staff	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
STUDENTS	White	African American	Hispanic	Asian	Two or More	Indian / Alaskan	Hawaiian / Pacific	Male	Female	Total
2025-2026 Enrollment	221	140	128	23	40	0	0	301	251	552
2025-2026 Free Lunch	112	85	67	11	21	*	*	156	140	296
2025-2026 Reduced Lunch	10	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	20
2025-2026 Paid Lunch	99	51	57	11	18	*	*	136	100	236
2024-2025 ECE	28	19	10	*	*	*	*	48	18	66
2025-2026 504	11	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	22
2025-2026 ESL	25	15	70	*	*	*	*	74	43	117
2025-2026 ML	26	15	72	*	*	*	*	77	43	120
2025-2026 Gifted and Talented	38	26	11	*	*	*	*	47	42	89
2024-2025 Homeless	5	14	4	*	*	*	*	12	11	23
2025-2026 Magnet Applications	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2025-2026 Magnet/AofL Enrollment	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

Note: To protect student privacy, counts have been suppressed for student populations with fewer than ten students. A * represents a suppressed count.

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2024-2025 KSA (READING)

	NOVICE	APPRENTICE	PROFICIENT	DISTINGUISHED	PD
All Students	44%	26%	22%	8%	29%
White	39%	24%	24%	13%	37%
African American	48%	28%	20%	4%	24%
Hispanic	57%	25%	16%	2%	18%
Asian	12%	24%	47%	18%	65%
Two or More	38%	32%	24%	5%	30%
Indian / Alaskan	*	*	*	*	*
Hawaiian / Pacific	*	*	*	*	*
Male	50%	26%	18%	6%	24%
Female	38%	26%	26%	10%	36%
ECE	77%	18%	4%	2%	5%
F/R Lunch	49%	27%	18%	6%	24%
English Learners	*	*	*	*	*
Gifted and Talented	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless	*	*	*	*	*
Foster	*	*	*	*	*

2024-2025 KSA (MATH)

	NOVICE	APPRENTICE	PROFICIENT	DISTINGUISHED	PD
All Students	47%	28%	22%	4%	26%
White	39%	30%	27%	5%	32%
African American	53%	28%	16%	3%	19%
Hispanic	60%	22%	17%	2%	18%
Asian	18%	18%	53%	12%	65%
Two or More	35%	41%	22%	3%	24%
Indian / Alaskan	*	*	*	*	*
Hawaiian / Pacific	*	*	*	*	*
Male	48%	27%	21%	5%	26%
Female	45%	29%	23%	3%	26%
ECE	*	*	*	*	*
F/R Lunch	53%	27%	17%	3%	20%
English Learners	*	*	*	*	*
Gifted and Talented	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless	*	*	*	*	*
Foster	*	*	*	*	*

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Non-Acadmic

	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025	2025-2026
Graduation Rate (4-Year)	-	-	-	-	-
Graduation Rate (5-Year)	-	-	-	-	-
Graduates Transitioning to College	-	-	-	-	-
ACT (Grade 11)					
Composite Average Score	-	-	-	-	-
% Meeting Reading Benchmark	-	-	-	-	-
% Meeting Math Benchmark	-	-	-	-	-
ACT (Grade 12)					
Composite Average Score	-	-	-	-	-
% Meeting Reading Benchmark	-	-	-	-	-
% Meeting Math Benchmark	-	-	-	-	-
SAT Overall Score	-	-	-	-	-
# Enrolled in 1+ AP Course	-	-	-	-	-
Advanced Placement Pass Rate	-	-	-	-	-
Attendance Rate	COVID-19	88.2%	90.0%	91.8%	-
Chronic Absenteeism	COVID-19	48.11%	42.40%	30.9%	-
Retention Rate	0.5%	0.5%	*	-	-
Dropout Rate	-	-	-	-	-
# Referrals	2340	2306	1257	757	-
# Suspensions	324	311	206	103	-
Diversity Index	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.1	-
Market Share	71.4%	70.8%	74.3%	73.0%	-
Mobility	11.1%	10.9%	9.9%	7.5%	-
Stability	79.4%	82.2%	87.4%	87.1%	90.0%
Parent Teacher Conferences	34	48	22	28	-
PTA Membership	217	102	128	0	-
Per Pupil Spending	\$18,355	\$19,925	\$21,262	-	-
FT Teachers with Masters +	88%	87%	86%	92%	86%
FT Teacher Attendance	91.55%	93.63%	94.22%	94.48%	-
FT Teacher Retention	87.8%	84.2%	78.0%	82.1%	76.7%
National Board Certification					
Teachers	1	1	*	*	-
5+ years in primary program	-	-	-	-	-
BRIGANCE					
% Kindergarten Ready	-	-	-	-	-
% AVG+ Physical Development	-	-	-	-	-
% AVG+ Language Development	-	-	-	-	-
% AVG+ Academic/Cognitive	-	-	-	-	-
% AVG+ Social Emotional	-	-	-	-	-
% AVG+ Self Help	-	-	-	-	-

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