## CIRCLEVILLE CITY SCHOOLS

2018-19 Quality Profile



## OUR SCHOOLS







CIRCLEVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

CIRCLEVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL

#### Superintendent's Welcome

While state report cards offer the results of mostly single-day student assessments, we at Circleville City Schools know that academic progress is measured by so much more. This is our second year producing our annual Quality Profile report and with it a comprehensive overview of all things Red and Black.

Our student centered approach to learning in Circleville is evidenced by our rigorous STEM based programming at all three buildings, tiered gifted and special education services, and is grounded in literacy driven curriculum across subject areas K-12. Outside of school hours, our reach extends to afterschool programming, honors societies, clubs, the arts, athletics, and service learning initiatives. Whether you are a new family in our district, a local citizen, or have been a



Circleville Tiger for life, we are incredibly proud to serve our community in the heart of Pickaway County where we are entirely dedicated to uplifiting our community's greatest asset, our youth. Go Tigers!



Sincerely,

Jonathan Davis
Superintendent of Schools



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## OUR LEADERSHIP AND MISSION

### Board of Education

Todd Stevens, President Amy DeLong, Vice President Tony Reeser, Board Member Patty Rothe, Board Member Andrea Tipping, Board Member

#### Administration

Jonathan Davis, Superintendent Kyle Uhrig, Assistant Superintendent Kristen Rhoads, Treasurer Lisa Heins, Curriculum Director



## MAXIMIZING THE ACHIEVEMENT OF EACH STUDENT IN A SAFE ENVIRONMENT

Create and sustain an engaging and successful environment for all students that promotes respect, responsibility, and safety.

Goal 1

Goal 2

Promote a culture of student achievement by working to increase student growth in proficient areas of state assessments by 10% each year (with an ultimate goal of passing the state recommended thresholds)

Increase the number of graduates at CHS and those that are career and college ready as evidenced by graduation rate, district internal data, and the career and college readiness indicator on the state report card.



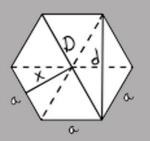




## Scope of Academic Programs



**College Credit Plus** course offerings



**STEM Emphasis** 



**National Finisher: High School Robotics Program** (National Robotics Challenge)

**Authentic Literacy** (critical writing, speaking, and reading skills)



Math Science

**Social Studies English Language Arts** 

Technology/Library Media

**Physics** 

**SportsMed Technologies** 

**AP American History** 

**AP Calculus** 

**Vet Tech** 

Spanish

Robotics

Marketing

Gifted Grades 3-12

Government **Senior Only Credentialing** 

**Physical Education** 

**Family/Consumer Sciences** 

Robotics

**Woods and Construction Methods** 

Pickaway-Ross Career & Technical Center

**Family Consumer Sciences** 

**Photography** 

Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources

Small engines, electricty methods

**Business Foundations and Logistics** 

Intro to Engineering and Computer Science

"Circleville City Schools curriculum is two-fold in design as it aligns with the State of Ohio's Learning Standards and focuses on the development of 21st Century skills. The standards identify what students should know and be able to do in their academic development and provides model curricula for us to tailor to our gifted students when further challenges are needed. The standards emphasize skills like critical thinking and problem solving — 21st Century skills in high demand by the employers of today. By teaching our students to apply these skills to what they are studying in school, we can make sure they are on track to graduate from high school and enjoy lifelong success in their eventual careers."

Lisa Heins, Curriculum Director

## **OUR ACADEMIC FOCUS**



As a public school district entrusted with developing the next generation of Circleville Tigers, our K-12 academic road map is dynamic in design with an emphasis on literacy, digital literacy and Science Technology Engineering Mathematics (STEM), and career development. All of these real world skills, infused in our classrooms, provide our students with a framework to be successful and engaged citizens within their community upon graduation. With graduation being our long-range priority, Circleville City Schools posted a 92.7% graduation rate in 2018.

## Measures of Academic Progress

Beyond annual state assessments, we are invested in an analytics process that tracks student progress quarterly that provides staff, students, and families with the data to modify instruction and help students reach their full potential.

At Circleville City we administer Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) assessments three times a year to help our staff make informed decisions about instruction to craft individualized lesson plans

for students in Math and Reading ahead of state assessmentsone more way we prepare students for state assessments and grade level promotion.

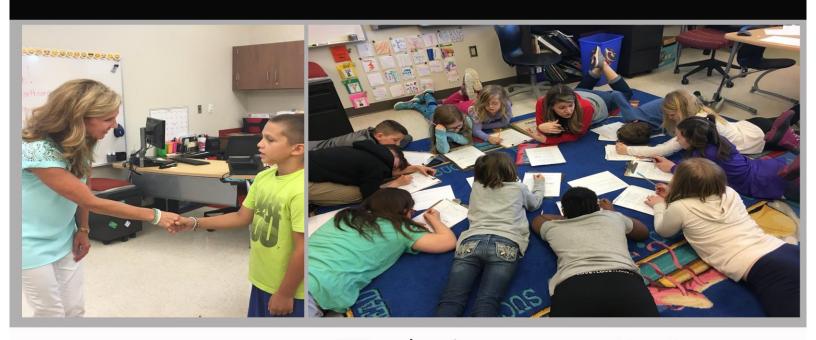


#### Robotics, STEM, and Coding

Starting at the elementary level, we are proud to offer a 1 to 1 technology ratio district wide. Through that initiative and with other supports we proudly offer Problem-Based Learning (PBL) in the form of computer coding, keyboarding instruction, Google Suite lessons, summer STEM camps, elementary tinker carts, Genius Hour coding and programming at the middle school and high school, and an award winning robotics program at CHS.

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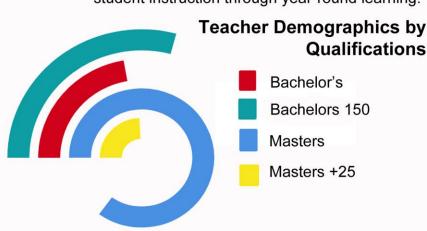
## **OUR EDUCATORS**



Circleville City Schools is comprised of 260+ educators that make up our TIGER FAMILY. Our educators come in many forms – teachers, counselors, custodians, instructional aides, principals, bus drivers, treasurers, cooks, administrators, and administrative assistants– each with a desire to advance their community through the education of their students. While not every employee oversees direct classroom instruction, they do directly contribute to the daily development of the Tigers in our care. With each new Kindergarten class we enroll in our elementary school, our staff strives to guide our students throughout their academic journey – helping them to discover their talents and provide them a model for success along the way.

Tiger Academy
In addition to monthly trainings with Dr. McCune, Circleville City Schools staff also participates in a bi-annual professional development program called the Tiger Academy. The Tiger Academy is a two-week long seminar for staff held twice a year in June and August. This professional development initiative is a way for educators to earn contact credit hours for license renewal taught by a university instructor, become certified in software-based educational programs such as Google Classroom, and stay up-to-date with best-practice instructional strategies in their different content areas. Orchestrated by our Curriculum Director Mrs. Lisa Heins, Circleville City Schools staff is committed to broadening the depths of their student instruction through year-round learning.





### STUDENT LEADERSHIP





















































## Leading the way after graduation - Class of 2018

## 2018-19 Student Organizations, Clubs, and Initiatives

Key Club Service Over-Self American Field Service study abroad (AFS) Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) Student Council Nature Club

Yearbook Committee

Family Career and Community Members of America Class Officers Art Club

Business Professionals of America

Battle of the Books In the Know

Breakfast Club National Honor Society

Destination Imagination Club FUTURE

Science Fair Mock Trial

Builder's Club Elementary Beta Academy National Art Society

**CHS** Robotics

Over 2.100+

Student Volunteer Hours

Serving initiatives such as: Ronald McDonald House, the American Red Cross, Wyngate Assisted Living Facility, the 'Filling Station' at Community United Methodist Church, and emergency responders breakfasts.



### THE FINE ARTS

## **TIGER MEDIA ARTS**

Photography Tiger Graphic Design Tiger TV video production Yearbook-Tiger Media Arts Capstone Library Media



#### ART

Painting and Drawing AP Studio Art
Photographic Arts & Design I & II
Ceramics and Sculpture
Advanced Art Portfolio

## PHYSICAL EDUCATION INSTRUMENTAL &

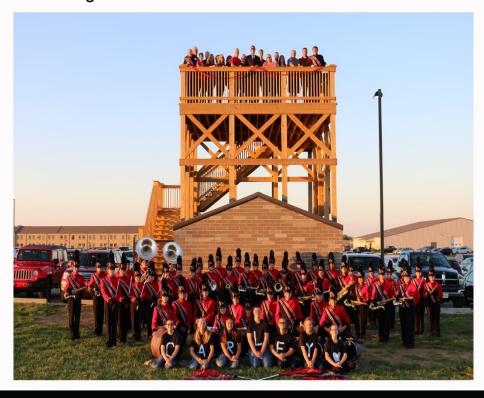
#### **CHORAL MUSIC**

Symphonic Choir Mixed Choir
Show Choir Flag Corps
Jazz Band Marching Band
Festival/Concert Band
Music Theory History of Rock

The Fine Arts continues to be a staple of Circleville City Schools, offering students a variety of platforms to grow, express themselves, and innovate. In 2018 alone our students have performed on the biggest of stages at Ohio Music Education Association (OMEA) state choral and instrumental contests, had artwork on display at the Governor's Art Exhibit, and created tourism videos for county representatives and small business. Whether it be mastering the dynamics of a musical progression in song or learning how to capture a moment through photography and video, providing a forum for our students to create is at the core of our dynamic and enriching curriculum.







## DISTRICT INITIATIVES



#### **SUPPORT SERVICES**

Afterschool programming - Extra Mile Title Reading and Striving Literacy Free lunch district wide in 2018-19 Tiger Reading Bus Outdoor Education Center



#### MILITARY FRIENDLY RECOGNIZED SCHOOLS

In May 2018, the district was recognized by the Ohio Department of Education as a Purple Star Recipient. The Purple Star designation is placed on schools that are military friendly, host an annual military themed event, and designate a liasion to assist active duty families with streamlining supports for their child's education.





## 5-STAR RATED PRESCHOOL PROGRAM

Effective November 12th, 2017 and running through November 11th of 2020, the State of Ohio has awarded the Circleville Elementary Preschool a 5-star Step Up to Quality rating for meeting quality standards established by the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS) and the Ohio Department of Education (ODE). Step Up to Quality is a Five-star tiered quality rating and improvement system created to recognize and pro mote early learning and development programs that meet quality standards over time and that are continuously above the health and safety licensing requirements set forth by the state.

#### STUDENT HEALTH - THE BERGER-TIGER CARE CLINIC

In August of 2017, the district launched our Berger-Tiger Care Clinic in partnership with Berger Health System. Recognizing there can be barriers to health care services, this opt-in on site clinic operates on campus three days a week and is staffed by certified nurse practitioners from Berger who work with families to provide care that cuts down on appointment times and keeps our students healthy and in the classroom.





### **FACILITIES**





### Let's Meet At Our House

From our innovative 21st Century classrooms to the stage in our high school auditorium, we have been fortunate enough to be put in a position to be good stewards of the environment we educate our students in and the facilities in which we host our Circleville families and community.

Totaling over 300,000 sq. feet of real estate, Circleville City Schools offers students accommodations fit for 21st Century learning.

## Facilities Highlights:

- Multimedia driven classrooms with interactive smart boards and 1:1 technology to student ratios
- 564 seat auditorium and stage featuring a state of the art light and sound system.
- Three gymnasiums with ample seating
- 62 seat Alumni Room meeting space
- Multi-purpose courtyard and outdoor patio and study area
- Three interactive media centers, and
- Four computer labs retrofitted with the latest in 21st Century educational technology





## FISCAL STEWARDSHIP



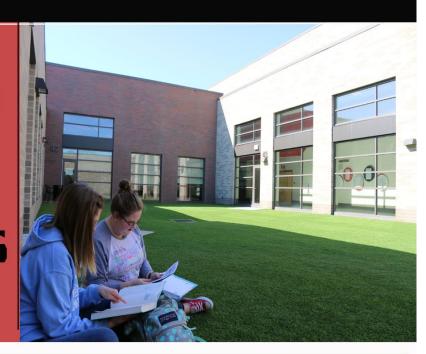
Generally Accepted
Accounting Principles (GAAP)
Award of Excellence in financial
reporting for FY17.

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Moody's Rating

SPENDING PER PUPIL \$11, 296.66

29.9% NON-INSTRUCTION
70.1% CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION



#### **ENERGY EFFICIENCY**

Energy conservation remains at the heart of our district's fiscal and planning. In October of 2017, we entered into an energy partnership with Dynamix Energy Solutions which reduced kilowatt useage campus wide 27% in the first eight months and resulted in financial savings that can be directed towards further educating our youth.



#### A letter from Treasurer Kristen Rhoads

Each and every day through requisitions, purchase orders, payroll, and long-range planning we leave no stone unturned in providing a network of fiscal support for each and every child and teacher in the district. At Circleville City we are pleased to be in a position where regular school attendance and participation in athletics come at no fee based cost to students and families to participate.

With an added emphasis on district spending per pupil we pride ourselves in crafting a fiscal plan that is built upon an instruction-first in all aspects of spending. As a result of these calculated measures, we are proud to put students in the best position to succeed each and every day in their academic journey while being good stewards of tax payer and community support.



Sincerely,

Kristen Rhoads, Treasurer

## TIGER ATHLETICS



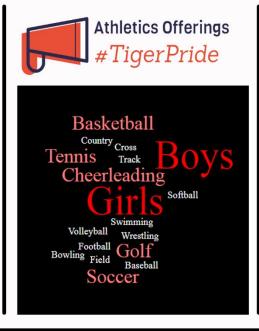


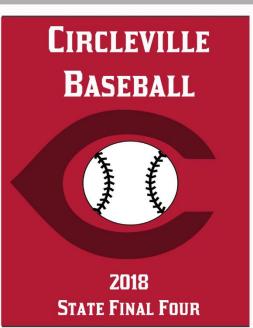


#### 2017-18 CHS Athletics Feats

19, 1st Team Mid-State League
30, 2nd Team Mid-State League
22, Honorable Mention Mid-State League
5 Mid-State League Champions (individual)
8, 1st Team All SE District
7, 2nd Team All SE District
8, Honorable Mention All SE District
2nd Team All State - 1
20, Regional Qualifiers
1 District Champion
1 State Champion
2 State Semi-Finalists (individual)
(wrestling)

1 State Semi-Finalist (team) (baseball)





### A Thank You to our Champion's Club and Boosters

In transitioning into our new buildings and our new athletics facilities over the past 5 years, our Champions Club, booster groups, and sponsors have been at the center of creating long-lasting memories, experiences, and opportunities for our students at Circleville City. The Champions Club is an organization representative of the highest level of community commitment in Athletics— making substantial financial contributions towards the creation of such facilities over a 5-year period. We once again would like to honor our Champions Club members for their inspirational support of our Tiger students.

Hall of Fame Class of 2018 Beth Adkins Paynter, Ryan Ankrom, Leah Allen Congrove, and Gary Mogan

## **OUR VIBRANT COMMUNITY**

# Our Vibrant Community



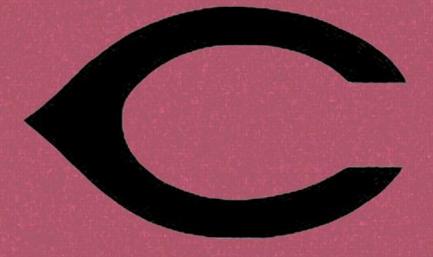
The Circleville Pumpkin Show
Mary Virginia Crites Hannan Park
Ted Lewis Park and Museum
Pickaway County Family YMCA
Berger Health Systems
Mt. Oval Historical Farm
Ohio Christian University
Pickaway-Ross Career & Technical Center

Pickaway Coiunty Public Library Clarke-May Museum Slate Run Metro Park Cook's Creek Golf Course Pickaway County Country Club Hargus Lake Deer Creek State Park Upper Lansdowne Golf Course

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26 miles south
of I-270





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