## **ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS FAMILY REPORT**

## **DAVID CARTWRIGHT**

Washington Middle School

# GRADE 8

Lincoln School District

#### **ABOUT THIS ASSESSMENT**

David took the Sample Assessment in English Language Arts in Spring 2017. This test asks students to answer questions that measure the knowledge and skills they need to succeed in their grade.

If you have questions about this report, please talk to David's teacher or principal, or contact Lincoln School District at **(800) 555-1234.** 

#### WHAT THE RESULTS MEAN

This report will help you answer many questions about the development of David's literacy.

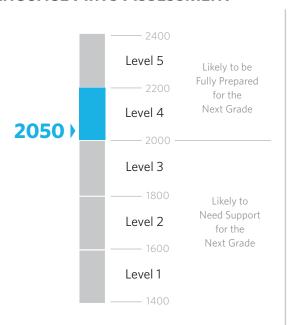
- What is David's Overall Score?
- How did David perform compared to other students in Grade 8?
- How well did David learn specific knowledge and skills in Grade 8 English Language Arts?
- Is David well prepared for high school English?

## DAVID'S PERFORMANCE ON THE 8TH GRADE ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS ASSESSMENT

## PERFORMANCE LEVEL



Students who score in Level 4 show **Strong Understanding** of the expectations for their grade. They are likely to be fully prepared for high school English.



**OVERALL SCORE** 

2050

#### Level 5 Very strong understanding, highly likely to be fully prepared

Level 4 Strong understanding,

likely to be fully prepared

#### Level 3 Moderate understanding,

likely to need additional support to be fully prepared

#### Level 2 Partial understanding,

likely to need substantial support to be fully prepared

#### Level 1 Minimal understanding,

highly likely to need substantial support to be fully prepared

#### **NEXT STEPS**

Turn to the second page to learn more about David's knowledge and skills in English. You will also find more information about his English scores for the last two years, and information about the scores for other 8th grade students in his school, district and state.

### **ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS SCORING CATEGORIES**

#### SPEAKING READING -READING -& LISTENING LANGUAGE LITERARY TEXT INFORMATIONAL TEXT WRITING At/Above Mastery **Below Mastery** At/Above Mastery **Below Mastery** At/Above Mastery Can understand and Needs additional Can write effectively Needs additional Can employ effective support to understand support to understand analyze a range of speaking and listening and analyze complex complex literary and interpret, or utilize skills (fiction) texts informational standard English (nonfiction) texts

David's Level

### **DAVID'S PERFORMANCE COMPARED**

Percent of students in each Performance Level.

	Washington Middle	Lincoln District	Jefferson State	Consortium States
Level 5	06%	10%	08%	10%
Level 4	24%	32%	20%	26%
Level 3	40%	36%	42%	38%
Level 2	22%	18%	18%	20%
Level 1	08%	04%	12%	06%

#### **Consortium States:**

Adams, Franklin, Hancock, Hamilton, Jefferson

# David's ELA Performance Level over the Past 3 Years

2015 2016 **2017**Grade 6 Grade 7 **Grade 8** 

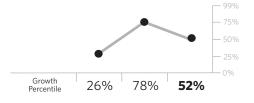






# DAVID'S ELA GROWTH OVER THE PAST 3 YEARS

In 2017, David showed growth that was the same or better than **52%** of other Grade 8 students across lefferson State.



# DAVID'S STRENGTHS & AREAS FOR IMPROVEMENT

#### David's strengths are in these areas:

- Referencing and comprehending grade level literary (fiction - such as novel or play) texts
- Demonstrating speaking and listening skills
- Responding to writing prompts and drawing evidence from multiple sources

#### You can ask David's teachers:

What can we do at home, in class, at school to help him continue building his knowledge and skills in these areas?

## David needs to improve his knowledge and skills in these areas:

- Referencing and comprehending grade level informational (nonfiction - such as magazine articles) texts
- Understanding, interpreting, and utilizing standard English, grammar and usage

#### You can ask David's teachers:

What extra support at home, in class, at school does David need to help him improve his knowledge and skills in these areas?