

Making the Grade

The Status of School Library Media Centers in the Sunshine State and How They Contribute to Student Achievement affirms that school library media programs positively impact student achievement when the following conditions exist:

- ✓ More staffing
- ✓ More resources
- ✓ Larger per pupil budget
- ✓ High Circulation
- ✓ More student visits to the media center
- ✓ More internet accessible computers
- ✓ An electronic card catalog
- ✓ An information literacy skills curriculum
- ✓ The school and media center have a web page with link on main page of school website

Copies of the complete Making the Grade study are available from your school library media center or for checkout from the District Media Services Dept. Please call 547-3947.

Great Accomplishments 2009-2010

Way Cool Science Display
Non-Fiction Project w/ Language Arts Teachers
Smartboard & Mimio Use

Making the Grade was the largest school library study ever completed which focused on student achievement and school grades. There were 1715 schools studied. **Those items with a check mark indicate where your school makes the grade. Areas in red are not intended to be punitive, but to assist you in planning for next year.**

| Student Visits | |
|------------------|------------|
| District MS Avg. | Our School |
| NA | 4,843 |

| NetTrekker Meaningful Searches | | | |
|--------------------------------|------------|------------------|------------|
| As of 6/10 | Highest MS | District MS Avg. | Our School |
| | 95,454 | 28,667 | 12,514 |

LMS also uses World Book Online, Brainchild and the Florida Electronic Library Gale Databases



Can you find these in your library?

- University trained & certified media specialist
- Library Support Staff
- Students engaged in learning
- Welcoming atmosphere
- Current Book Collection
- Recreational reading opportunities
- Brochures, bookmarks, and style sheets displayed
- New materials displayed
- Locations of materials clearly displayed
- Alternative scheduling options
- Evidence of collaborative planning
- Student & teacher input in library program
- Sufficient technology tools

State of the School Library Media Center

St. Johns County Schools

Landrum Middle School

June 2010



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- Linda Bard, Media Specialist
- Charron Umlauf, Media Aide
- Dr. Joseph Joyner
Superintendent of Schools
SJCS
- Lou Greco
Director for Media Services

Statistics based on data from 2009-2010 SY.

STAFFING (pg.18 FL Study)

| Personnel | State Avg | District # | Our School |
|----------------------------|-----------|------------|------------|
| Professional | 1.34 | 1 | 1 |
| Clerical | 1.31 | 1 | 1 |
| NBCT | NA | 6 | no |
| Library University Trained | NA | 7/7 MS | yes |

Staffing meets SJCSD recommendations.

| Media PLC Hours Offered | District Avg. | Hours earned |
|-------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| 24.5 | 16.72 | 11.25 |

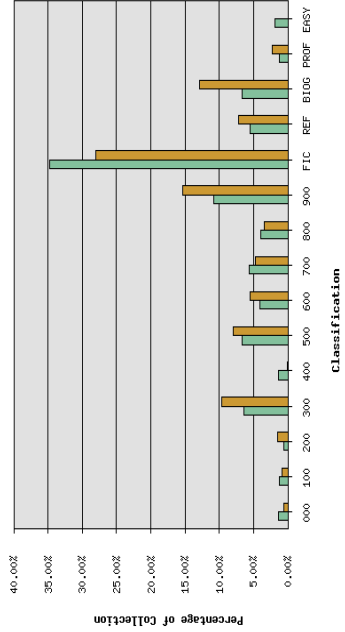
| Budget | District Avg. MS | Our School |
|----------------------|------------------|------------|
| Total | \$6,112 | \$8,180 |
| Total Pupils | 900 | 1260 |
| Per Pupil Allocation | \$6.77 | \$7.15 |

Note: When we first started tracking library data in 2002 the average per student allocation was \$19.00..

| Computers in Media Center (Pg.45 FL Study) | | |
|--|-----------------|------------|
| State Avg | District MS Avg | Our School |
| 31.19 | 32.57 | 36 |

| FCAT Level Circulations | | | | | |
|-------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Levels | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| # of Stu. | 36 | 96 | 332 | 355 | 203 |
| LMS Per Stu Circ. | 17.92 | 17.83 | 18.63 | 16.50 | 15.67 |
| MS Avg. | 20.08 | 19.59 | 19.38 | 20.03 | 20.94 |

Collection Balance Chart—LMS (2008 data)



Legend: Your Collection (green), Million Percentages (orange)

| Average Total Book Count (pgs. 55, 56, 165 FL Study) | | | | |
|--|----------|----------|-------------|------------|
| MS Avg. | National | State MS | District MS | Our School |
| Books per facility | 11,973 | 13,148 | 15,373 | 15,483 |
| Books per student | NA | 16 | 17.5 | 12.29 |

LMS meets SACS standards for libraries with more than 10 books per students.

| Magazines ~ Periodicals (pg. 55 FL Study) | | | |
|---|---------------|------------------|------------|
| | State MS Avg. | District MS Avg. | Our School |
| Titles | 54.78 | 7.7 | 11 |

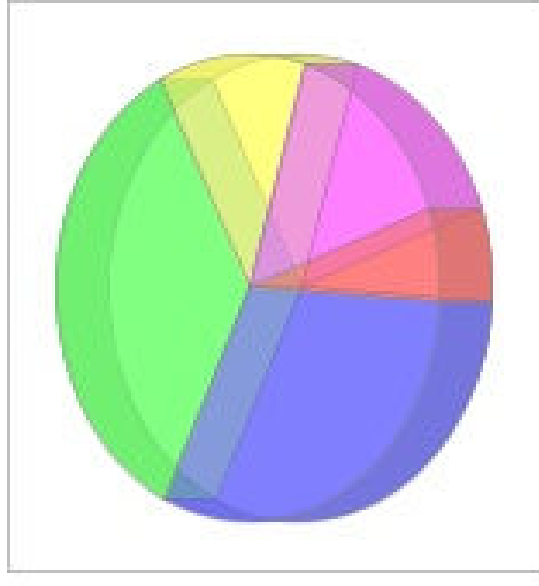
| Reading Incentive Programs (pg. 39 FL Study) | | |
|--|-------------|------------|
| | District MS | Our School |
| AR/RC | 7 schools | |
| SSYRA | 7 schools | ✓ |

| Average Checkout Per Student (pg. 22 FL Study and Super Summary) | | | |
|--|------------|-------------|-------------|
| | State Avg. | District MS | School Avg. |
| Per pupil | NA | 19.68 | 20.81 |

| Weekly Circulation (pg. 22 FL Study and Super Summary) | | | |
|--|---------------|------------------|-----------------|
| | State MS Avg. | District MS Avg. | Our School Avg. |
| All Materials | 571 | 510 | 700 |

Sunlink Total Collection Information (Including AV)

30 years or older 638
20 to 29 years 3019
10 to 19 years 3440
6 to 9 years 1182
0 to 5 years 1439
6.57%
31.07%
35.40%
12.16%
14.81%



| Interlibrary Loan (pg. 22 FL Study) | | | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|---------------|-----------------|
| | Borrowed | Loaned | |
| School LMS | 38 | State Avg. 78 | State Avg. 1.69 |
| SJCSD MS Avg. | 80 | 1.69 | 95 |

| Hours Per Week Media Center is Open (pg. 21 FL Study) | | | |
|---|-------|----------|------------|
| MS Avg. | State | District | Our School |
| Before School | 2.77 | 2 | 1.83 |
| During School | 32.07 | 30 | 31.9 |
| After School | 1.83 | 3 | 3.33 |