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Description of the School

Describe the school's size, community/communities, location, and changes it has experienced in the last three years. Include demographic information about the students, staff, and community at large. What unique features and challenges are associated with the community/communities the school serves?

Lincoln Trail Elementary (LTE) is a preschool through fifth grade facility outside of the city limits of Elizabethtown with 560 students. LTE employs 39 certified employees and 16 classified employees. LTE is a Title 1 school with an average of our student body at 38% Free/Reduced Lunch. The number of students that move in and out of our school district has increased in the last 3 years, as well as the number of students being cared for by grandparents or foster families. LTE has a special education program (PASS) and has a fluctuating number of students qualifying for special education services. Although KDE assessment data shows LTE does not have a statistically significant gap group, the gap groups to monitor are: students with disabilities group and the students qualifying for free/reduced lunch group. Individual student needs are met through a variety of programs including special education resource classes, ELL Program, After School Child Care, Extended School Daytime waiver, partnerships with Elizabethtown Community and Technical College and Western Kentucky University, Gifted and Talented Program, and Title I. Related Arts classes are provided through PE, Art, Music, Stem, and library/ Computer. Lincoln Trail houses a fully functioning Family Resource Center that helps remove barriers for students and works with families to obtain needed services.

School's Purpose

Provide the school's purpose statement and ancillary content such as mission, vision, values, and/or beliefs. Describe how the school embodies its purpose through its program offerings and expectations for students.

Our vision at LTE is to recognize that all children can achieve high levels of growth. Lincoln Trail Elementary School's mission statement is as follows: "In partnership with our families and community, Lincoln Trail Elementary builds the foundation for lifelong success." Through our interactions with parents, students, staff members and community stakeholders we demonstrate our beliefs as follows: * "Success for all - whatever it takes" * "School, parent and community engagement, collaboration and communication are winning combinations" * "Investing in our students is investing in Hardin County's future."

Notable Achievements and Areas of Improvement

Describe the school's notable achievements and areas of improvement in the last three years. Additionally, describe areas for improvement that the school is striving to achieve in the next three years.

The highly experienced staff includes 2 National Board Certified Teachers, WHAS ExCEL Award Nominees, 2 WHAS ExCEL winners, Physical Fitness Teacher of the Year, Social Studies Teacher of the Year and multiple GRECC participants and presenters. The average years of experience for certified staff at LTE is 10 years. In January 2021, LTE obtained occupancy of a brand new building. In March of 2021, students were able to return to school full-capacity due to Covid-19. Various sources of data were used to determine priority areas of improvement for LTE. A priority for improvement for LTE is to increase the number of students scoring proficient or higher in the area of 4th grade science. Additionally, a school wide improvement goal will be in the area of growth for all students in reading/math as measured by i-Ready and KPREP.

Additional Information

CSI/TSI Schools (including ATSI) Only: Describe the procedures used to create the school's improvement plan and briefly state the specific efforts to address the causes of low student performance and resource inequities.

N/A

Additional Information

Provide any additional information you would like to share with the public and community that were not prompted in the previous sections.

In January 2021, Lincoln Trail Elementary obtained occupancy of a brand new building.

Attachment Summary

Attachment Name	Description	Associated Item(s)
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