

# Toppenish School District No. 202

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Dear Families and Community Members:

The Toppenish School District 2014-15 Annual report is now available for review. The report provides key information regarding the educational progress of the Toppenish School District and our schools as well as meets the complex reporting requirements of the federal No Child Left Behind Act. If you need assistance accessing or understanding this information, please call 509.865.8146.

You can view the electronic report elements by visiting our school district website at [www.toppenish.wednet.edu](http://www.toppenish.wednet.edu) or you can access the report at your student's school. The report includes information on enrollment and student demographics, a summary of student scores on state tests, student graduation and dropout rates, an annual budget report, and a description of the district's learning improvement plan. If you are seeking information you cannot find, please let us know by calling 509.865.4455. We would be happy to assist.

Our district mission, "We do what's best for kids", reflects our efforts to consistently provide educational opportunities that meet the needs of our students and community. Our district vision, "We will produce superior graduates who are college and career ready, prepared to excel at the college level, who make wise choices, think critically, communicate effectively, and solve problems. We do this by creating safe, innovative, and stimulating learning environments and by developing interactive partnerships among parents, students, colleagues, and the community", further explains our commitment to providing a wide range of programs that prepare students to be successful beyond high school graduation.

The Washington State Office of School and Student Success has identified several of our schools as needing improvement. They have been designated as Emerging, Focus, or Priority based on an analysis of student achievement as compared with other schools in our state. Below is a summary of our schools and their status:

Toppenish High School	Not identified
Eagle High School	Priority
Toppenish Middle School	Focus
Kirkwood Elementary	Priority
Garfield Elementary	Focus
Lincoln Elementary	Priority
Valley View Elementary	Not Identified

Our schools will continue to work with the state Office of School and Student Success to create goals for improvement and structured plans to help achieve those goals.

We continue to be very proud of the accomplishments of our students, staff, and community. We are committed to continuous improvement as we prepare our students for career and college success. Toppenish School District is seeking increased collaboration with our families and community to help us provide the best education possible for the students of our district. We encourage you to participate in your students' activities in their school building through the various Parent Advisory Committees and to be a part of the many school and community activities throughout the year. For more information on volunteer opportunities, please contact your student's school or call Teri Martin, Federal Programs Director, 865.8283, or Jeanette Ozuna, Assistant Superintendent, 865.8285.

Sincerely,



John M. Cerna, Superintendent

*" We do what's best for kids."*

*"Hacemos lo que es mejor para los niños."*

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