

2024-2025 Annual Report



Fairfield Sports Academy is a new public charter school located in Hamilton, Ohio, serving students in grades EK-6. The award-winning school is committed to fostering the academic, emotional, and physical development of young athletes through teamwork, sportsmanship, and competitive athletics. Students focus on core academic subjects, including English Language Arts, Math, Social Studies, and Science, in the mornings. The school implements an Ohio

Standards-based curriculum and provides individualized instruction through bi-weekly assessments, ensuring that student progress is closely monitored. Afternoons are dedicated to physical education and extracurricular activities, including competitive sports and the arts. Fairfield Sports Academy prioritizes family engagement by scheduling team practices and most games during the school day, leaving evenings free for family time.

OUR MISSION: To provide all students with an academically challenging education that has an emphasis on the promotion of teamwork, sportsmanship, and athletic competition to create student-athletes who are confident and capable, contributing to members of our community.

Board President
Mr. Matthew Wahlert
Board Vice President

Martha James
Secretary
Ms. Holly Jenkins
Treasurer
Dr. Brandi Elliott

Board Members
Traci Jemison
Authorizer

Ohio Council of Community Schools

Principal
Laura Allison
Vice President

Dr. Chad Carr
Grades Served
Early K-6

Students Served
168

School Year Opened
2023-2024

Fiscal Officer
Dave Massa

2024-2025 Annual Report

Student Demographics



BLACK
48.8%
WHITE
31.7%
HISPANIC
8.7%
MULTI-RACIAL
6.8%
OTHER
4.0%

NOTE: If Enrollment is less than 10, results are Not Calculated

Special Populations

Students with Disabilities	16.6%
100%	Economically Disadvantaged
Student Mobility Rate	20.3%
88.6%	Attendance Rate

Progress towards Goals

The percent proficient in ELA on the state assessment decreased slightly from 63.6% in SY2024 to 61% in SY2025.

The percent proficient in Math on the state assessment decreased slightly from 50% in SY2024 to 48.8% in SY2025.

Discipline occurrences from SY2024 to SY2025 remained the same.

State Report Card

Performance Index Score 79.2	Overall Rating ★★★★☆
Achievement Component ★★★	Early Literacy Component ★★★
Progress Component ★★★	Gap Closing Component ★★★★☆

Our Academic Goals

- By FY2028, the overall percentage of students reaching proficiency or above on state tests in English Language Arts and Mathematics will increase by 30%.
- #1**
-
- By June 2028, the performance of students will improve by decreasing the discipline occurrences by 15%.
- #2**

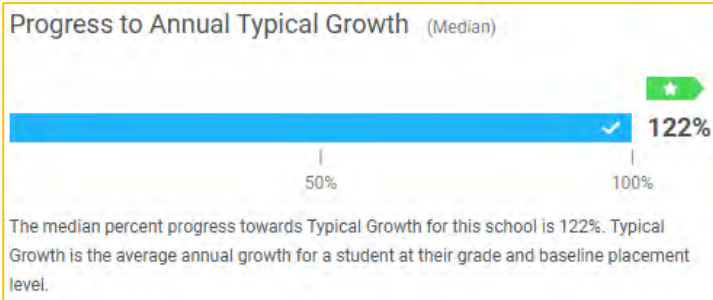
Accel Rankings / Awards:

- Accely Silver,
- Outstanding reading growth
- outstanding student attendance
- #1 Charter School in Butler County
- Scores in Top 15% of Ohio Charter Schools

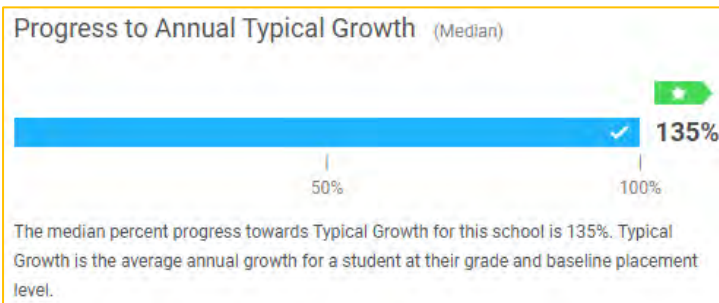
2024-2025 Annual Report



iReady Data Reading



iReady Data Mathematics



OUR HIGHLIGHTS

Our 2024 Report Card Highlights
Our students and staff have worked tirelessly to earn these impressive ratings and awards. Here's a look at our achievements:

- Overall Rating: 3.5 Stars (Meets State Standards)
- Achievement: 3 Stars (Meets State Standards)
- Progress: 3 Stars (Meets State Standards)
- Gap Closing: 4 Stars (Exceeds State Standards)
- Early Literacy: 3 Stars (Meets State Standards)

Fairfield Preparatory Academy took home three awards at this year's ALIVE25 Summit, the annual gathering of ACCEL Schools leaders from across the country. The school earned the ACCEL Silver Award for strong academic achievement and a thriving school community. Rounding out the accolades were wins for Outstanding Growth in Reading and Outstanding Student Attendance.

2024-2025 Annual Report



Financial Data:

State Sources	1,944,618
Federal Sources	181,534
Local Sources	12,024
Total Revenue	\$2,138,176
Salary & Wages	1,040,092
Employee Benefits	284,048
Purchased Services	1,317,835
Supplies & Materials	119,399
Capital Outlay	16,779
Other Expenses	49,752
Total Expenses	\$2,827,904

- (1) Numbers in \$M
(2) At the time of publication, 2025 fiscal year data was not available from the Ohio Auditor of State. For updated information visit: www.auditor.state.oh.us

Sponsor Statement:

Ohio Council of Community Schools (OCCS) uses various methods to evaluate the school's performance including published tests and other academic scores such as the Ohio Department of Education & Workforce Local Report Card and supporting data. OCCS regional representatives visit our partner schools regularly ensuring compliance with federal, state, and contractual requirements.

