

# Honor Roll rank – Local public districts

## ABOUT THE RANK:

This is the eighth straight year Upper St. Clair School District has ranked No. 1 on the PBT Honor Roll of the seven-county region's public school districts.

Though Upper St. Clair continues to hold onto the top spot in the region, No. 2 Mt. Lebanon School District has narrowed the gap. Upper St. Clair boasts the top scores for 11th-, eighth- and seventh-graders. Mt. Lebanon's consistency

across all grade levels and improvement at the elementary level has helped it edge closer to the No. 1 spot.

Upper St. Clair and Mt. Lebanon also nabbed the top two spots in the statewide rank of 496 districts.

The formula for this ranking takes into account three years of PSSA test scores in math, reading, writing and science. The Overachiever rank, which takes into account a district's economics, does not factor into the overall Honor Roll score.

The top nine spots in the Honor Roll rank went unchanged from the 2012 ranking. Pine-Richland was the newcomer to the top 10, moving up from No. 14 last year.

The largest gain on the ranking this year was 16 spots, by Belle Vernon Area School District, which moved up to No. 38 in 2013 from 54th last year. Allegheny Valley School District moved up 10 spots to No. 40 from No. 50 and Washington School District jumped from No. 87 in 2012 to 77th this year.

RANK		School district (county)	DISTRICT RANK BY GRADES							Overachiever rank	State rank
2013	2012		11th	8th	7th	6th	5th	4th	3rd		
1	1	Upper St. Clair School District (Allegheny)	1	1	1	2	13	8	9	23	1
2	2	Mt. Lebanon School District (Allegheny)	2	4	3	3	2	2	8	12	2
3	3	North Allegheny School District (Allegheny)	3	2	5	8	5	6	11	43	5
4	4	Hampton Township School District (Allegheny)	4	6	6	4	4	3	1	21	7
5	5	South Fayette Township School District (Allegheny)	7	3	2	1	3	1	2	9	8
6	6	Fox Chapel Area School District (Allegheny)	5	7	8	12	1	4	4	7	12
7	7	Peters Township School District (Washington)	6	5	4	9	14	19	3	62	14
8	8	Quaker Valley School District (Allegheny)	9	15	7	14	7	11	15	37	27
9	9	Franklin Regional School District (Westmoreland)	8	16	11	21	9	10	13	48	30
10	14	Pine-Richland School District (Allegheny)	10	9	12	15	26	20	7	94	34
11	10	Penn-Trafford School District (Westmoreland, Allegheny)	11	19	13	16	11	5	5	55	37
12	15	Seneca Valley School District (Butler)	17	10	9	7	21	23	16	73	43
13	12	Bethel Park School District (Allegheny)	13	14	23	27	17	21	23	76	46
14	11	Norwin School District (Westmoreland, Allegheny)	19	8	15	13	30	25	17	52	49
15	17	West Jefferson Hills School District (Allegheny)	15	17	17	11	22	24	26	74	51
16	19	Moon Area School District (Allegheny)	16	11	18	29	28	17	28	61	53
17	18	Beaver Area School District (Beaver)	14	20	14	6	6	38	59	49	54
18	16	Greater Latrobe School District (Westmoreland)	12	21	21	26	25	26	32	32	56
19	13	Mars Area School District (Butler)	35	13	10	10	10	15	14	88	57
20	22	Canon-McMillan School District (Washington)	25	24	19	5	32	14	12	45	62
21	21	Ligonier Valley School District (Westmoreland)	21	12	42	18	27	33	24	4	64
22	20	Avonworth School District (Allegheny)	28	18	25	35	24	39	6	93	73
23	24	West Allegheny School District (Allegheny)	18	25	30	44	20	31	37	70	81
24	26	Kiski Area School District (Westmoreland, Armstrong)	22	40	36	24	34	22	20	17	88
25	23	North Hills School District (Allegheny)	24	48	28	19	23	18	18	60	92
26	29	Montour School District (Allegheny)	23	28	16	17	35	50	41	87	94
27	25	Greensburg Salem School District (Westmoreland)	29	32	24	23	19	47	25	3	95
28	28	South Butler County School District (Butler)	26	22	37	39	42	27	43	84	97
29	27	Hempfield Area School District (Westmoreland)	31	31	33	43	18	43	34	71	105
30	36	South Park School District (Allegheny)	20	42	39	40	53	37	39	90	126
31	33	Southmoreland School District (Westmoreland, Fayette)	54	27	35	34	29	9	21	2	129
32	30	Riverview School District (Allegheny)	40	57	53	28	15	13	10	39	131
33	37	Plum Borough School District (Allegheny)	43	29	22	33	45	35	31	89	135
34	31	Gateway School District (Allegheny)	33	35	40	38	52	55	46	15	148
35	34	Freedom Area School District (Beaver)	44	26	44	62	40	51	44	14	147
36	35	Freeport Area School District (Armstrong, Butler)	57	23	26	56	44	29	33	51	153
37	44	Elizabeth Forward School District (Allegheny)	56	51	27	52	8	16	22	30	155
38	54	Belle Vernon Area School District (Westmoreland, Fayette)	42	37	20	32	50	65	47	56	159
39	40	Western Beaver County School District (Beaver)	58	38	46	37	51	7	36	24	164
40	50	Allegheny Valley School District (Allegheny)	34	55	55	31	54	30	38	31	166
41	42	South Side Area School District (Beaver)	51	46	47	67	12	41	27	54	169
42	46	Keystone Oaks School District (Allegheny)	55	59	45	46	16	12	19	27	170
43	41	Derry Area School District (Westmoreland)	47	33	48	55	33	28	75	13	172
44	45	Chartiers Valley School District (Allegheny)	39	39	43	57	63	42	51	91	177
45	32	Blackhawk School District (Beaver, Lawrence)	53	41	29	20	59	46	30	96	174



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