

This flyer contains important information about your school. CMSD will use this data and a wide variety of other information about the district, schools, and neighborhoods to make recommendations to improve the system for our students and staff.

Charles Dickens PreK-8		
Southeast Region		
School's Data		District Information
K-8 Enrollment (SY 24-25)	242	K-8 school enrollment ranges from 143 to 695, with the middle point across all schools (median) at 312. A school with around 450 students — about two full classes at every grade level from Kindergarten through 8th grade — can offer more opportunities for students.
Enrollment Trend (2019-2025)	-34%	The enrollment trend across all of our K-8 schools ranged from a 44% loss to a 24% gain. The median change across schools was a drop of 12%. Independent enrollment studies predict that the total number of students will keep going down over the next several years, mainly because fewer children are being born.
Building Condition Score	81	K-8 school building condition scores range from 46 to "newly built," which is the same as a perfect score of 100. The middle point score across all schools (median) is 84. Our long-term goal is to keep every school building at a score of 80 or higher.
Building Planning Capacity	520	The vast majority of our K-8 buildings are large enough to hold at least 450 students. Buildings with a capacity lower than this may have to make tradeoffs that can limit student opportunities and access. When student enrollment is significantly lower than a building's capacity, the district must spend resources to maintain unused space, which means fewer resources for students and staff.
Additional School Details		
Ohio State Report Card Star Rating (SY 23-24)	★★ ½	State Report Cards are one of many ways to look at school quality. Our goal is for every student to be in a school that gives them the support and experiences they need to succeed.
PreK Offered (SY 25-26)	Yes	
Encores and HS Credit Opportunities (SY 25-26)	Art, Music, PE	
Sports (SY 25-26)	Basketball (Boys), Track (Girls)	

DEFINITIONS OF KEY TERMS

K-8 Enrollment is the end-of-year enrollment in grades Kindergarten through 8th grade, as reported by the Ohio Department of Education for all schools in the state. **Enrollment trend** shows how the number of students at a school has changed by comparing the most recent end-of-year enrollment to previous years.

Building condition score shows how much maintenance a building needs in its main systems, like A/C, plumbing, roofs, and windows. Lower scores mean more repairs are needed. This score is a snapshot in time as of Spring 2025.

Building planning capacity is the potential number of students a building could hold for future state planning purposes.

Ohio State Report Card Star Rating can range from 1 to 5 stars, with more stars meaning stronger performance on state measures like student achievement, progress, and graduation. Star ratings for SY 24-25 will be issued by the Ohio Department of Education this fall.