



JOHNSTOWN-MONROE SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Johnstown-Monroe Families,

If you've followed our recent facility updates across our website, videos, and social channels, you know Johnstown is committed to making an excellent place to learn and grow, including improvements and additions to our campuses. But excellence doesn't stop at outstanding facilities. Today's release of Ohio's school report cards also shows that our academic performance is matching that same high standard, with outstanding achievement across every single school.

Ohio rates schools from 1 star (significantly below standards) to 5 stars (significantly above standards). This year, Johnstown-Monroe earned an overall district rating of 4 stars, meaning we are "exceeding state standards."

This year's Johnstown-Monroe report card highlights include:

- We earned a 5-star graduation rating with an impressive 98.3% of our students graduating on time.
- Math was one of our strongest subjects districtwide this year, with growth results well above what the state expects, including a top-tier result at Johnstown Intermediate School.
- Our students achieved some of our highest academic growth results to date across nearly every grade and subject districtwide.
- Our College, Career, Workforce, and Military Readiness rating jumped from 1 star to 4 stars, reflecting the strength of our many pathways and career technical opportunities.
- We continued to make progress in closing achievement gaps for specific student populations, like students with disabilities or who may be economically disadvantaged.

Much like our district as a whole, every single one of our schools earned an overall rating that exceeds state standards:

- Johnstown Elementary School: 5 Stars (Significantly Above Expectations)
- Johnstown Intermediate School: 4.5 Stars (Above Expectations)
- Johnstown Middle School: 4 Stars (Above Expectations)
- Johnstown High School: 4 Stars (Above Expectations)

These results reflect our community's high expectations and the dedication of our staff and students. At the same time, we remain committed to continuous improvement. This school year, our focus centers on early literacy, innovation and science, and connecting reading and writing instruction more smoothly from grade to grade.

To support this work and prepare for our growing community, we are currently recalibrating our district strategic plan alongside our families, staff, and community partners. Together, we are building momentum that honors our traditions, addresses our emerging needs, and moves Johnstown-Monroe toward lasting success.

Sincerely,

Dr. Lou Kramer
District Superintendent