School Library Profiles - 2007-2008 School Year

WEBBER JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL 4201 SENECA, Fort Collins, CO 80526

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This report covers the research findings presented in "How School Librarians Help Kids Achieve Standards: The Second Colorado Study" as well as those reported in Fast Facts No. 180 from the Library Research Service, which show that CSAP reading scores increase with improvements in school library programs. Various predictors of academic achievement are reported for the school and its peers. Note that these predictors cannot be explained away by school or community differences. For more information visit:

http://www.lrs.org/data-tools/school-libraries/impact-studies/http://www.lrs.org/documents/fastfacts/180NRSxIL.pdf

The data reported here reflects your school's responses to the Annual Colorado School Library Survey.

WEBBER JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Grade Level: Middle Enrollment Range: 700 - 999

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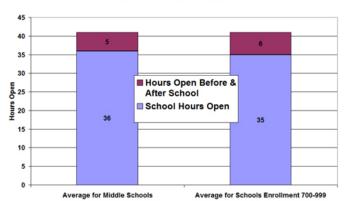
Weekly Service Levels

School Library Visits per Week

	Your School	Middle Schools Avg.	Avg. for Schools 700-999 Students
Ind. Student Visits	300	340	427
Visits per Student	0.36	0.60	0.52
Class/Group Visits	10	24	27

Choosing to visit the school library as an individual, separate from a class visit, is a strong indicator of higher test scores.

Hours Open During a Typical Week



When access to school libraries is scheduled flexibly, reading scores improve 13-22%. Flexible scheduling allows students to visit the school library individually.

School Library Hours Open Per Week

	Your School	
School Hours Open	30.0	
Hours Open Before and After School	5.0	

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School Library Program Development

School Library Collection

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	Your School	Middle Schools Avg.	Avg. for Schools 700-999 Students	
Number of Books	12,891	10,960	12,633	
Books per Student	15	20	16	
Print Subscriptions	35	17	20	
Subs. per 100 Students	4	3.6	2.5	
Avg. N-F Copyright	1994	1992	1994	

Schools with well-developed school library programs average higher reading scores. Well-developed programs are indicated by staffing level, collection size and age, and expenditures.

Computers per 100 Students

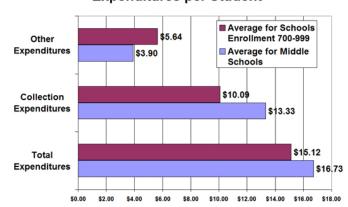
	Your School	Middle Schools Avg.	Avg. for Schools 700-999 Students
Library Computers w/Access to Resources	2.5	7.1	4.8
Other School Computers w/Access to Resources	26.2	20.3	18.7

Operating Expenses

CSAP reading test scores increase with increases in:

- School Library staff hours per 100 Students
- Print volumes per student
- Periodical subscriptions per 100 students
- Electronic reference titles per 100 students
- School Library Expenditures per student

Expenditures per Student



School Library Expenditures

	Your School	
Collection Expenditures	16.81	
Other Expenditures	3.60	
Total Expenditures	20.41	

^{*} Note: For the purposes of this profile, the terms "School Library" and "Library Media Center" are equivalent. To maintain consistency, this profile uses the term "School Library."