



## Comprehensive Achievement and Civic Readiness (CACR) Annual Summary Report

Please use this template as an internal tool to gather information. Responses should be submitted electronically in the [Minnesota Education Grant System](#) (MEGS). You can copy your responses from this template into MEGS.

If your district or charter does not utilize Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) funds and complete ESEA reporting within MEGS, please submit an electronic copy of this form to [CACR.MDE@state.mn.us](mailto:CACR.MDE@state.mn.us).

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### Annual Public Meeting

**These annual public meetings are to be held in the fall of each school year.**

**CACR Requirement:** For each school year, the school board must publish a report in the local newspaper, by mail or by electronic means on the district website.

Provide the direct website link to the district's CACR annual report. If a link is not available, describe how the district disseminates the report to families and community partners:

[https://www.birchgroveschool.com/acnt\\_8817/site\\_511375/Documents/Annual-and-Comprehensive-Achievement-and-Civic-Readiness-Report.pdf](https://www.birchgroveschool.com/acnt_8817/site_511375/Documents/Annual-and-Comprehensive-Achievement-and-Civic-Readiness-Report.pdf)

### Survey(s) of Staff, Students, and Families

**CACR Requirement:** Each school district must periodically survey affected constituencies, in their home language(s) where appropriate and practicable, about their connection to and level of satisfaction with school.

Summarize the results of your most recent survey(s) of staff, students, and families. Information is also in the Annual Report. Positive feedback was received and 100% of parents strongly agreed that they would recommend Birch Grove Community School.

Goals and Results

All Students Ready for School

Goal	Result	Goal Status
<p>Provide the established SMART goal for the 2024-25 School Year.</p> <p>Birch Grove Community School will continue to operate the Saplings Program, a licensed daycare, for children ages 3-5.</p>	<p>Provide the result for the 2024-25 School Year that directly ties back to the established goal.</p> <p>The Saplings program was operational in 2024-2025.</p>	<p><b><i>Check one of the following:</i></b></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Goal Met (one-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Goal Not Met (one-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Goal Met (multi-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Goal Not Met (multi-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> On Track (multi-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Not On Track (multi-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> N/A (no kindergarten enrollment)</p>

Repeat table for additional school readiness goals as appropriate.

## Close the Achievement Gap(s) Between Student Groups

Goal #1	Result	Goal Status
<p>Provide the established goal for 2024-25 School Year.</p> <p>The percentage of Free/Reduced students meeting or exceeding grade level will surpass the State of Minnesota scores on the MCAs in both reading and math:</p> <p>by 2% in 2024-2025</p> <p>by 4% in 2025-2026</p> <p>by 6% in 2026-2027</p> <p>by 8% in 2027-2028</p> <hr/> <p><b>GOAL #2</b></p> <p>The percentage of Free/Reduced students meeting or exceeding grade level will surpass the State of Minnesota scores on the MCAs in both reading and math:</p> <p>by 2% in 2024-2025</p> <p>by 4% in 2025-2026</p> <p>by 6% in 2026-2027</p> <p>by 8% in 2027-2028</p>	<p>Provide the result for the 2024-25 School Year that directly ties back to the established goal.</p> <p><b>MCA Reading:</b></p> <p><b>BGCS: 50%</b></p> <p><b>State: 32.6%</b></p> <p><b>Birch Grove Community School exceeded the state percentage by 17.4% in reading.</b></p> <hr/> <p><b>Result</b></p> <p>Provide the result for the 2024-25 School Year that directly ties back to the established goal.</p> <p><b>MCA Math:</b></p> <p><b>BGCS: 50%</b></p> <p><b>State: 26.5%</b></p> <p><b>Birch Grove Community School exceeded the state percentage by 23.5% in math.</b></p>	<p><b>Check one of the following:</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Goal Met (one-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Goal Not Met (one-year goal)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Goal Met (multi-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Goal Not Met (multi-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> On Track (multi-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Not On Track (multi-year goal)</p> <hr/> <p><b>Check one of the following:</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Goal Met (one-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Goal Not Met (one-year goal)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Goal Met (multi-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Goal Not Met (multi-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> On Track (multi-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Not On Track (multi-year goal)</p>

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**All Students Ready for Career and College**

Goal	Result	Goal Status
<p>Provide the established SMART goal for the 2024-25 School Year.</p> <p>N/A: Not applicable to an elementary school.</p>	<p>Provide the result for the 2024-25 School Year that directly ties back to the established goal.</p> <p>N/A</p>	<p><b><i>Check one of the following:</i></b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Goal Met (one-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Goal Not Met (one-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Goal Met (multi-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Goal Not Met (multi-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> On Track (multi-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Not On Track (multi-year goal)</p>

All Students Graduate

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Repeat table for additional school readiness goals as appropriate.

## All Students Prepared to be Lifelong Learners

Goal	Result	Goal Status
<p>Provide the established SMART goal for the 2024-25 School Year.</p> <p>The percentage of third graders meeting or exceeding reading proficiency will surpass the State of Minnesota's MCA scores:</p> <p>by 2% in 2024-2025</p> <p>by 4% in 2025-2026</p> <p>by 6% in 2026-2027</p> <p>by 8% in 2027-2028</p>	<p>Provide the result for the 2024-25 School Year that directly ties back to the established goal.</p> <p><b>Reading MCA 3<sup>rd</sup> grade scores:</b></p> <p><b>Birch Grove: 43.0%</b></p> <p><b>State: 46.1%</b></p> <p><b>Birch Grove missed the goal by 5.1%</b></p>	<p><b><i>Check one of the following:</i></b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Goal Met (one-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Goal Not Met (one-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Goal Met (multi-year goal)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Goal Not Met (multi-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> On Track (multi-year goal)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Not On Track (multi-year goal)</p>

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