

2020-21 MCS D FACT SHEET



Murray City School District is located in the city of Murray at the heart of Salt Lake County. Formally established in 1906, the district sits landlocked within a 10-mile radius, surrounded by four other districts – Granite, Salt Lake, Canyons, and Jordan.

SCHOOLS

Murray has 10 schools: One high school, two junior high schools, seven elementary schools, and one pre-K learning center.

- Murray High School (10-12)
- Hillcrest Jr. High School (7-9)
- Riverview Jr. High School (7-9)
- Grant Elementary School (K-6)
- Horizon Elementary School (K-6)
- Liberty Elementary School (K-6)
- Longview Elementary School (K-6)
- McMillan Elementary School (K-6)
- Parkside Elementary School (K-6)
- Viewmont Elementary School (K-6)
- Early Childhood Education Center

ENROLLMENT

6,120 students enrolled for the 2020-21 school year:

- ECEC 115
- Elementary Schools 3,134
- Junior High Schools 1,499
- Murray High School 1,372

DEMOGRAPHICS

- 65% Caucasian
- 21% Hispanic
- 14% Other Minorities
- 11% receive English language development services
- 34% economically disadvantaged (free/reduced lunch)
- 12% have an IEP (Indiv. Ed. Plan)

ACHIEVEMENT

District RISE Scores (2018-19)

- English 49%
- Math 46%
- Science 47%

2020 ACT Scores of Grade 12 Students

- State Average: 20.2
District Composite: 19.9
- English 19.0
 - Math 19.3
 - Reading 21.0
 - Science 19.9

DISTRICT

- 3 of our 10 schools are Title 1 (Parkside, Horizon, Liberty)
- During COVID-19 approximately 32% of all students (26% secondary; 38% elementary) were exclusively online learners

FY20 FINANCIAL STATUS

MCS D is in excellent financial health with strong fund balances and credit ratings of “AAA” (Fitch) and “Aa2” (Moody’s). Audited Expenses:

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| Maintenance/Operation: | \$52,410,148 |
| Debt Service: | \$3,511,012 |
| Capital Projects: | \$1,717,290 |
| Non-K12: | \$740,404 |
| School Lunch: | \$2,720,316 |
| Foundation: | \$159,187 |
| Student Activities: | \$1,104,993 |
| Increment Tax: | \$2,266,586 |

Total: **\$64,629,936**