



TRANSITION SKILLS SUMMARY

STARK COUNTY – SPRING 2019 REPORT

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The Stark County Transition Skills Summary (TSS) – a collaborative effort of Stark County early childhood educators – is funded through the Stark Education Partnership along with support from the Early Childhood Resource Center and State Support Team 9 (SST9). TSS uses 47 key developmental skills within five domains and creates a snapshot of a four year-old child’s progress towards kindergarten readiness.

The following is a summary of the sites that completed the TSS and the average performance levels of Stark County students in Spring of 2019.

60 sites completed the 2019 TSS¹

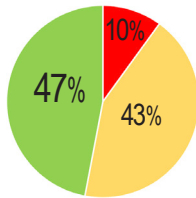
2,005 students participated in the 2019 TSS²

23 professional development trainings for teachers & administrators since January 2018



LANGUAGE & LITERACY DEVELOPMENT

Communication and literacy skills form the foundation for reading, writing and understanding texts.

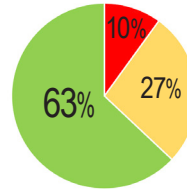


STARK **47%**
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COGNITION & GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

Children develop a number sense (counting, comparing & sorting). Children know shapes and colors, and can find solutions to problems.

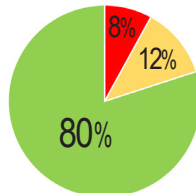


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APPROACHES TOWARD LEARNING

Children work/play independently, follow classroom rules and participate in group settings.

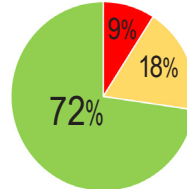


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SOCIAL EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Children develop appropriate social skills and self-regulation. Students understand emotions and manage changes and conflict

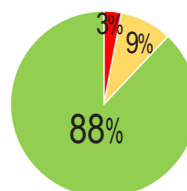


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PHYSICAL HEALTH & MOTOR DEVELOPMENT

Children develop large motor skills for movement; fine motor skills help with pencil grip and scissor use. Students learn self-care and hygiene.



STARK **88%**
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■ BEGINNING ■ DEVELOPING ■ ON TRACK

¹ 58 sites completed the 2018 TSS

² 1,578 students participated in the 2018 TSS

STARK COUNTY TSS RESULTS

SPRING 2018 vs. SPRING 2019

(Results do not compare the same cohort of children)

■ 2018 ■ 2019

