



## REEDSPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT 105

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### **2021-2022 English Learners in Oregon Report Summary**

Nearly 100,000 students in Oregon are current or former English learners.

As of May 1, 2022, 546,726 students enrolled in Oregon public schools and districts. Among those students, 10.4 percent were current English learners (56,683 students), 7.8 percent were former English learners (42,770 students), and 81.8 percent were never English learners (447,273 students). Both current and former English learners (i.e., ever English learners constituting 18.2 percent of students) were an incredibly diverse student population in 2021-22.

Other key features of the English learner student population in the 2021-22 school year include the following:

- \*The majority of current English learners were in elementary grades (61.1%) while the majority of former English learners were in high school grades.

- \*Spanish was the predominant home language of current English learners.

Current English Language learners tend to be overrepresented in special education and underrepresented in TAG compared to never been English Learners.

Younger EL (English learners) are more likely to be on track to English Language Proficiency within seven years than those who are in middle or high school.

Very few current EL students (around 7%) are meeting state standards in English Language Arts and Mathematics versus former EL or never been EL students.

Attendance rates tend to be higher in elementary grades, particularly among former EL students, then decline during middle and high school grades.

Current EL are more likely to graduate with a modified diploma, former EL graduation rates are better than never been EL. Current EL who graduated in four years were 2.7 times more likely to graduate with a modified diploma.

Students who are designated as EL in high school are less likely to go to college than their peers, while those who are former EL enrollment was comparable to never been EL.

Please email me with any questions you may have.

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