

# **ROCORI School District**

Enrollment Projections | October 17, 2021



Methodology

## Enrollment projections are an attempt to use past history as a model to predict future enrollment trends

Different models can be used to look at our history Year after year students move from one grade to the next. By studying the progression from grades K-1, or 8-9, for instance a "retention ratio" can be determined for each grade progression. Determining the new kindergarten rate as time goes can be tricky as the District doesn't have a direct "history" for these children.



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There are countless factors that can affect the predictions. The farther into the future a prediction is, the more likely these projections will vary from actual.

With regards to students entering the system:

For the first 5 years the children have been born... ...in the second 5 years it's likely the parents have at least met... ...beyond 10 years it is possible the parents haven't even met yet!



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#### **Enrollment Projections:**

- Student data is broken down between resident and open-enrolled
- An average of 10 years is used for the retention ratio as students are rolled forward

#### **Conservative Approach**

- Kindergarten enrollment is average of 10 years 125
- Once open enrollment reaches 130, it's capped at a growth rate of 5 students per year

#### Aggressive Approach

- Kindergarten enrollment is average of last 5 years 136
- Open enrollment projections are not capped





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#### Total (Conservative)

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6-8 (Aggressive)

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9-12 (Aggressive)

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