

Saint Paul Public Schools
Elementary Class Size Report
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Introduction

The following report indicates class sizes in elementary grades in Saint Paul Public Schools as of mid-October, 2007. It shows first a table for the district as a whole, then a table for each individual school within the district. Each table shows the number of students in each grade, the number of classes for that grade, and the average class size for that grade. Where there are classes that include more than one grade, the number of classes is prorated between the grades, except for those schools that use multi-grade groupings as an essential part of their educational approach. In those cases, the multiple grades are reported together.

The numbers in the report represent actual students per classroom. In most cases, additional teachers share the instructional duties, either working with the homeroom teacher in the classroom or working with selected groups of students elsewhere in the school. For the most part, these teachers work with students with special educational needs. Many of these teachers are paid either from federal funds or from special state allocations that are separate from general educational revenue. The three largest such groups are teachers of English Language Learners, Title I teachers, and Special Education teachers. Specialists in such subjects as art, music, and physical education are paid from general education revenue but are generally not included in the figures in this report.

This report does not include students in self-contained Special Education programs.

Adams Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	133	6	22.2
Grade 1	115	5	23.0
Grade 2	109	5	21.8
Grade 3	104	4	26.0
Grade 4	104	4	26.0
Grade 5	86	3	28.7
Grade 6	62	3	20.7
Grade 1 – 6 total	580	24	24.2

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American Indian Magnet Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	16	1	16.0
Kindergarten	43	2	21.5
Grade 1	44	2	22.0
Grade 2	49	2	24.5
Grade 3	49	2	24.5
Grade 4	44	2	22.0
Grade 5	50	2	25.0
Grade 6	47	2	23.5
Grade 1 – 6 total	283	12	23.6

Ames Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	32	2	16.0
Kindergarten	56	2	28.0
Grade 1	49	2	24.5
Grade 2	44	2	22.0
Grade 3	37	2	18.3
Grade 4	30	1.2	25.0
Grade 5	34	1.5	22.7
Grade 6	31	1.3	23.8
Grade 1 – 6 total	225	10	22.5

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Battle Creek Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	75	3	25.0
Grade 1	81	3	27.0
Grade 2	80	3	26.7
Grade 3	82	3	27.3
Grade 4	84	3	28.0
Grade 5	84	3	28.0
Grade 6	84	3	28.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	495	18	27.5

Capitol Hill Elementary School (Grades 1 to 6 only)

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Grade 1	93	4	23.3
Grade 2	96	4	24.0
Grade 3	130	5	26.0
Grade 4	124	4	31.0
Grade 5	124	4	31.0
Grade 6	124	4	31.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	691	25	27.6

Note: Capitol Hill also enrolls students in Grades 7 and 8.

Chelsea Heights Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	54	3	18.0
Grade 1	53	3	17.7
Grade 2	61	3	20.3
Grade 3	61	2.5	24.4
Grade 4	59	2.5	23.6
Grade 5	56	2	28.0
Grade 6	50	2	25.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	340	15	22.7

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Cherokee Heights Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	43	2	21.5
Grade 1	51	3	17.0
Grade 2	43	2	21.5
Grade 3	41	1.8	22.8
Grade 4	31	1.2	25.8
Grade 5	44	2	22.0
Grade 6	100	4	25.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	310	14	22.1

Como Park Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	35	2	17.5
Kindergarten	60	4	15.0
Grade 1	75	4	18.8
Grade 2	72	3.5	20.6
Grade 3	70	3.5	20.0
Grade 4	57	3	19.0
Grade 5	77	3	25.7
Grade 6	81	3	27.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	432	20	21.6

Many students from Como Special Programs/Hartzell participate in some class with the Como Park Elementary students, making classes larger for part of the day.

Crossroads Montessori School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	90	see below	
Kindergarten	79	see below	
Grade 1-3	142	5	28.4
Grade 4-6	86	3	28.7
Grade 1 – 6 total	228	8	28.5

Note: This is a Montessori school. Multi-age classes are an essential part of the Montessori model.

There are six Children's House classrooms at Crossroads Montessori, combining pre-kindergarten students who attend half-days and kindergarten students who attend all day. The classes are arranged so that the average number of students in a Children's House classroom at any given time is between 20 and 24.

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Crossroads Science Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	50	2	25.0
Kindergarten	53	2	26.5
Grade 1	52	2	26.0
Grade 2	53	2	26.5
Grade 3	55	2	27.5
Grade 4	56	2	28.0
Grade 5	49	1.6	30.6
Grade 6	39	1.4	27.9
Grade 1 – 6 total	304	11	28.7

Daytons Bluff Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	37	2	18.5
Kindergarten	50	4	12.5
Grade 1	61	4	15.3
Grade 2	56	3	18.7
Grade 3	40	2	20.0
Grade 4	45	2	22.5
Grade 5	40	2	20.0
Grade 6	49	2	24.5
Grade 1 – 6 total	291	15	19.4

Eastern Heights Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten*	21	1.2	17.5
Kindergarten	48	2	24.0
Grade 1	49	3	16.3
Grade 2	43	2	21.5
Grade 3	32	2	16.0
Grade 4	39	2	19.5
Grade 5	44	2	22.0
Grade 6	32	2	16.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	239	13	18.4

* There are also several three-year-olds in the pre-kindergarten classrooms. They are not included in this report. Teacher time has been prorated to reflect this.

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L'Etoile du Nord French Immersion Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	81	3	27.0
Grade 1	83	3	27.7
Grade 2	72	3	24.0
Grade 3	63	3	21.0
Grade 4	56	2	28.0
Grade 5	57	2	28.5
Grade 6	37	2	18.5
Grade 1 – 6 total	368	15	24.5

Expo Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	20	1	20.0
Kindergarten	112	5	22.4
Grade 1	98	4	24.5
Grade 2	104	4	26.0
Grade 3-4	173	7	24.7
Grade 5-6	179	6	29.8
Grade 1 – 6 total	540	21	26.4

Note: Multi-age classes are a fundamental part of the program at Expo Elementary School.

Farnsworth Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	42	2	21.0
Kindergarten	84	3	28.0
Grade 1	88	3	29.3
Grade 2	81	3	27.0
Grade 3	78	3	26.0
Grade 4	85	3	28.3
Grade 5	88	3	29.3
Grade 6	86	3	28.7
Grade 1 – 6 total	506	18	28.1

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Four Seasons Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	40	2	20.0
Kindergarten	46	2	23.0
Grade 1	48	2	24.0
Grade 2	48	2	24.0
Grade 3	47	2	23.5
Grade 4	48	2	24.0
Grade 5	42	1.7	24.7
Grade 6	32	1.3	24.6
Grade 1 – 6 total	265	11	24.1

Franklin Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	51	3	17.0
Grade 1	55	3	18.3
Grade 2	57	3	19.0
Grade 3	56	3	18.7
Grade 4	58	3	19.3
Grade 5	60	2	30.0
Grade 6	60	2	30.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	346	16	21.6

Frost Lake Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	69	3	23.0
Grade 1	84	4	21.0
Grade 2	84	4	21.0
Grade 3	80	3	26.7
Grade 4	82	3	27.3
Grade 5	78	3	26.0
Grade 6	74	3	24.7
Grade 1 – 6 total	482	20	24.1

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Galtier Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	47	2	23.5
Grade 1	49	2	24.5
Grade 2	47	2	23.5
Grade 3	46	2	23.0
Grade 4	47	2	23.5
Grade 5	42	2	21.0
Grade 6	50	2	25.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	269	12	23.4

Groveland Park Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	60	3	20.0
Grade 1	77	3	25.7
Grade 2	64	3	21.3
Grade 3	67	3	22.3
Grade 4	53	2	26.5
Grade 5	45	2	22.5
Grade 6	47	2	23.5
Grade 1 – 6 total	353	15	23.5

Hancock/Hamline Collaborative Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	74	3	24.7
Grade 1	75	3	25.0
Grade 2	76	3	25.3
Grade 3	95	3	31.7
Grade 4	74	3	24.7
Grade 5	82	3	27.3
Grade 6	79	3	26.3
Grade 1 – 6 total	495	18	26.7

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Hayden Heights Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	35	2	17.5
Kindergarten	64	3	21.3
Grade 1	56	3	18.7
Grade 2	52	3	17.3
Grade 3	50	2	25.0
Grade 4	51	2	25.5
Grade 5	52	3	17.3
Grade 6	48	2	24.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	309	17	20.6

Highland Park Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	72	3	24.0
Grade 1	71	3	23.7
Grade 2	66	3	22.0
Grade 3	56	2	28.0
Grade 4	55	2	27.5
Grade 5-6	86	3	28.7
Grade 1 – 6 total	334	13	25.7

Highwood Hills Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size	
Pre-kindergarten*	19	1.2	15.8	* There are also several three-year-olds in the pre-kindergarten classrooms. They are not included in this report. Teacher time has been prorated to reflect this.
Kindergarten	58	3	19.3	
Grade 1	53	3	17.7	
Grade 2	52	3	17.3	
Grade 3	44	2	22.0	
Grade 4	33	1.5	22.0	
Grade 5	39	1.8	21.7	
Grade 6	43	1.7	25.3	
Grade 1 – 6 total	252	13	20.3	

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J. J. Hill Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	92	see below	
Kindergarten	77	see below	
Grades 1-3	177	7	25.3
Grade 4-6	127	5	25.4
Grade 1 – 6 total	304	12	25.3

Note: This is a Montessori school. Multi-age classes are an essential part of the Montessori model.

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Homecroft Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	32	2	16.0
Grade 1	34	2	17.0
Grade 2	33	2	16.5
Grade 3	45	2	22.5
Grade 4	34	2	17.0
Grade 5	43	2	21.5
Grade 6	31	2	15.5
Grade 1 – 6 total	225	12	18.3

Note: These figures include students in the Latino Consent Decree program

Jackson Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	78	4	19.5
Grade 1	74	3	24.7
Grade 2	70	3	23.3
Grade 3	72	3	24.0
Grade 4	58	2	29.0
Grade 5	64	2	32.0
Grade 6	58	2	29.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	405	15	26.4

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John A. Johnson Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	49	2	24.5
Grade 1	49	2.5	19.6
Grade 2	48	2.5	19.2
Grade 3	35	2	17.5
Grade 4	49	2	24.5
Grade 5	35	2	17.5
Grade 6	35	2	17.5
Grade 1 – 6 total	251	13	19.3

Linwood Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	52	2	26.0
Grade 1	49	2	24.5
Grade 2	54	2	27.0
Grade 3	51	2	25.5
Grade 4	58	2	29.0
Grade 5	57	2	28.5
Grade 6	48	2	24.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	315	12	26.4

Longfellow Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	19	1	19.0
Kindergarten	34	2	17.0
Grade 1	50	3	16.7
Grade 2	46	3	15.3
Grade 3	34	2	17.0
Grade 4	30	2	15.0
Grade 5	27	1	27.0
Grade 6	26	1	26.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	213	12	17.8

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Horace Mann Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	48	2	24.0
Grade 1	54	2	27.0
Grade 2	52	2	26.0
Grade 3	47	2	23.5
Grade 4	51	2	25.5
Grade 5	45	2	22.5
Grade 6	32	1	32.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	271	11	25.5

Maxfield Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	32	2	16.0
Kindergarten	42	3	14.0
Grade 1	56	3	18.7
Grade 2	61	3	20.3
Grade 3	40	2	20.0
Grade 4	42	2	21.0
Grade 5	43	2	21.5
Grade 6	33	2	16.5
Grade 1 – 6 total	275	14	19.6

Benjamin E. Mays Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	49	2	24.5
Grade 1	59	3	19.7
Grade 2	50	2	25.0
Grade 3	54	2	27.0
Grade 4	47	2	23.5
Grade 5	48	2	24.0
Grade 6	48	2	24.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	289	13	23.5

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Mississippi Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	74	3	24.7
Grade 1	70	3	23.3
Grade 2	77	3	25.7
Grade 3	77	3.5	22.0
Grade 4	86	3.5	24.6
Grade 5	72	3	24.0
Grade 6	65	3	21.7
Grade 1 – 6 total	447	19	23.5

Monroe Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	38	2	19.0
Grade 1	39	2	19.5
Grade 2	44	2	22.0
Grade 3	41	2	20.5
Grade 4	37	2	18.5
Grade 5	44	2	22.0
Grade 6	52	2	26.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	235	12	21.4

Note: Monroe also enrolls students in Grades 7 and 8.

Museum Magnet School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	44	2	22.0
Grade 1	46	2	23.0
Grade 2	51	2	25.5
Grade 3	50	2	25.0
Grade 4	47	2	23.5
Grade 5	55	2	27.5
Grade 6	46	2	23.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	295	12	24.6

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Nokomis Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	63	see below	
Kindergarten	72	see below	
Grades 1-3	176	7	25.1
Grades 4-6	145	5	29.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	321	12	26.8

Note: This is a Montessori school. Multi-age classes are an essential part of the Montessori model.

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North End Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	48	2	24.0
Grade 1	44	3	14.7
Grade 2	56	3	18.7
Grade 3	43	2	21.5
Grade 4	47	2	23.5
Grade 5	37	2	18.5
Grade 6	49	3	16.3
Grade 1 – 6 total	344	15	18.4

St. Paul Open School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	19	1	19.0
Grade 1	19	1	19.0
Grade 2	24	1	24.0
Grade 3	26	1	26.0
Grade 4	16	1	16.0
Grade 5	23	1	23.0
Grade 6	31	1	31.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	139	6	23.2

Note: Open School also enrolls students in Grades 7 through 12.

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Phalen Lake Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	64	3	21.3
Grade 1	77	4	19.3
Grade 2	69	4	17.3
Grade 3	84	4	21.0
Grade 4	75	4	18.8
Grade 5	79	4	19.8
Grade 6	80	4	20.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	464	24	19.3

Prosperity Heights Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	39	2	19.5
Kindergarten	66	3	22.0
Grade 1	51	2	20.5
Grade 2	42	2	21.0
Grade 3	45	2	22.5
Grade 4	45	2	22.5
Grade 5	39	2	19.5
Grade 6	44	2	22.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	266	12	22.2

Randolph Heights Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	40	2	20.0
Kindergarten	51	2	25.5
Grade 1	58	2	29.0
Grade 2	56	2	28.0
Grade 3	55	2	27.5
Grade 4	46	2	23.0
Grade 5	53	2	26.5
Grade 6	53	2	26.5
Grade 1 – 6 total	321	12	26.8

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Riverview Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	35	2	17.5
Grade 1	50	2	25.0
Grade 2	47	2	23.5
Grade 3	41	2	20.5
Grade 4	24	1	24.0
Grade 5	26	1	26.0
Grade 1 – 5 total	188	8	23.5

Roosevelt Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	87	5	19.5
Grade 1	104	4	25.3
Grade 2	126	5	27.0
Grade 3	89	4	25.7
Grade 4	94	4	27.5
Grade 5	61	2.3	25.5
Grade 6	17	0.7	28.3
Grade 1 – 4 total	436	20	26.5

Saint Anthony Park Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	78	4	19.5
Grade 1	76	3	25.3
Grade 2	54	2	27.0
Grade 3	77	3	25.7
Grade 4	55	2	27.5
Grade 5	51	2	25.5
Grade 6	85	3	28.3
Grade 1 – 6 total	398	14	26.5

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Sheridan Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	43	2	21.5
Grade 1	44	2	22.0
Grade 2	45	2	22.5
Grade 3	39	1.4	27.9
Grade 4	44	1.6	27.5
Grade 5	45	1.6	28.1
Grade 6	41	1.4	29.3
Grade 1 – 6 total	258	10	25.8

Bruce Vento Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	82	3	27.3
Grade 1	70	3	23.3
Grade 2	78	3.7	21.1
Grade 3	61	3.3	18.5
Grade 4	55	2	27.5
Grade 5	57	2	28.5
Grade 6	51	2	25.5
Grade 1 – 6 total	372	16	23.3

Webster Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Kindergarten	89	5	17.8
Grade 1	107	5	21.4
Grade 2	111	5	22.2
Grade 3	92	5	18.4
Grade 4	112	5	22.4
Grade 5	106	5	21.2
Grade 6	112	5	22.4
Grade 1 – 6 total	640	30	21.3

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Paul and Sheila Wellstone Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	29	2	14.5
Kindergarten	68	3	22.7
Grade 1	71	3	23.7
Grade 2	64	3	21.3
Grade 3	62	3	20.7
Grade 4	73	3	24.3
Grade 5	73	3	24.3
Grade 6	65	3	21.7
Grade 1 – 6 total	408	18	22.7

World Cultures Elementary School

Grade Level	Number of Students	Number of Classes	Average Class Size
Pre-kindergarten	19	1	19.0
Kindergarten	46	2	23.0
Grade 1	44	2	22.0
Grade 2	43	2	21.5
Grade 3	43	2	21.5
Grade 4	43	2	21.5
Grade 5	47	2	23.5
Grade 6	50	2	25.0
Grade 1 – 6 total	270	12	22.5