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Footnotes

1. An "" indicates that data is not displayed to protect student privacy; "N" indicates no data is available to display.
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Enrollment Trends by Grade

This table shows the number of students enrolled by grade for the past three school years. Ungraded students are students who are "on roll" but are educated in ungraded classrooms.

Grade	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
PK	25	16	18
KG	51	56	64
1	54	58	63
2	93	59	65
3	71	92	63
4	67	72	93
Ungraded	2	1	1
Total	363	354	367

Enrollment Trends by Student Group

This table shows the percentage of students by student group for the past three school years. Data for some student groups was not available before 2016-17.

Student Group	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
Female	49%	48%	46%
Male	51%	52%	54%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	2%	2%	2%
Students with Disabilities	13%	21%	17%
English Learners	1%	1%	3%
Homeless Students			0%
Students in Foster Care			0%
Military-Connected Students			0%
Migrant Students			0%

Enrollment by Racial and Ethnic Group

This table shows the percentage of students by racial and ethnic group.

Racial and Ethnic Group	% of Students
White	55.9%
Asian	25.1%
Hispanic	9.0%
Black or African American	6.0%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.5%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.3%
Two or More Races	3.3%

PreK and K - Full Day and Half Day

This table shows the full day and half day enrollment for Pre-Kindergarten (PK) and Kindergarten (KG) students in this school.

Grade	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
PK - Half Day	12	16	18
PK - Full Day	0	0	0
KG - Half Day	0	0	0
KG - Full Day	57	56	64

Enrollment by Home Language

This table shows the percentage of students by primary home language. Only the top 5 languages with at least 1% of students are shown. All other students are included in Other Languages.

Home Language	% of Students
English	96.5%
Chinese	1.1%
Other	2.4%



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Schoolwide	146	100.0	84.30	75.20	54.90	84.3	74.5	Met Goal
White	92	100.0	82.60	74.70	63.90	82.6	73.1	Met Goal
Hispanic	15	100.0	80.00	61.10	39.80	80	**	**
Black or African American	*	*	*	*	35.20	*	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	29	100.0	100.00	95.30	80.70	100	80	Met Goal
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	*	53.70	N	**	**
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*	54.90	*	**	**
Female	71	100.0	80.30	77.60	62.20	80.3		
Male	75	100.0	88.00	73.10	48.10	88		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*	36.20	*	**	**
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*	65.80	*		
Students with Disabilities	22	100.0	72.70	37.40	20.50	72.7	73.4	Met Target†
Students without Disabilities	124	100.0	86.30	85.60	61.90	86.3		
English Learners	*	*	*	*	25.20	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	*	57.40	*		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N	26.40	N		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	*	24.80	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	53.50	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	23.00	N		

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Schoolwide	62	776	776	749	*	*	21%	57%	18%	74%	50%
White	35	772	772	759	0%	*	*	60%	*	71%	61%
Hispanic	*	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	35%
Black or African American	*	*	*	731	*	*	*	*	*	*	32%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	15	794	794	775	0%	0%	*	*	*	87%	76%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	747	N	N	N	N	N	N	46%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
Female	27	773	773	754	0%	*	*	52%	*	67%	55%
Male	35	777	777	745	0%	*	*	60%	*	80%	46%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	31%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	62	776	776	762	*	*	21%	57%	18%	74%	63%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	720	*	*	*	*	*	*	24%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	755	*	*	*	*	*	*	55%
English Learners	*	*	*	709	*	*	*	*	*	*	11%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	752	*	*	*	*	*	*	53%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	720	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	26%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	750	N	N	N	N	N	N	49%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	734	N	N	N	N	N	N	29%



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Schoolwide	91	781	781	753	0%	*	*	53%	36%	89%	56%
White	58	780	780	762	*	*	*	55%	33%	88%	67%
Hispanic	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	40%
Black or African American	*	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	36%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	18	794	794	777	0%	0%	0%	*	*	100%	82%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	750	N	N	N	N	N	N	56%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	755	N	N	N	N	N	N	56%
Female	46	785	785	758	*	*	*	44%	44%	87%	61%
Male	45	778	778	749	*	*	*	62%	29%	91%	51%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	36%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	764	*	*	*	*	*	*	69%
Students with Disabilities	15	761	761	725	*	*	*	*	*	67%	25%
Students without Disabilities	76	785	785	759	*	*	*	*	*	93%	62%
English Learners	*	*	*	711	*	*	*	*	*	*	10%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	755	*	*	*	*	*	*	58%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	728	N	N	N	N	N	N	31%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	755	N	N	N	N	N	N	60%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	726	N	N	N	N	N	N	36%

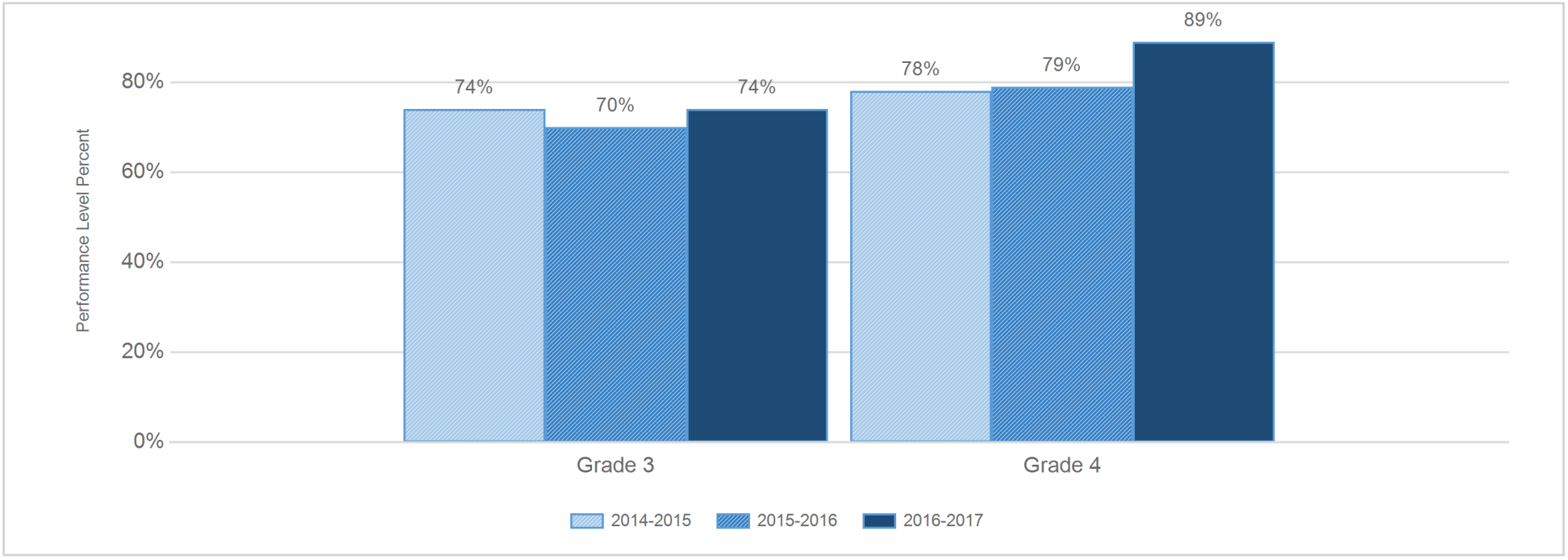


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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance Trends

This graph shows the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations for the past three years.





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Schoolwide	147	100.0	68.70	62.80	43.50	68.7	65	Met Target
White	92	100.0	66.30	61.90	52.40	66.3	61.6	Met Target
Hispanic	15	100.0	66.70	38.90	27.60	66.7	**	**
Black or African American	*	*	*	*	21.70	*	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	29	100.0	93.10	90.60	75.60	93.1	80	Met Goal
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	*	42.50	N	**	**
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*	44.90	*	**	**
Female	72	100.0	59.70	57.30	44.10	59.7		
Male	75	100.0	77.30	67.80	42.90	77.3		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*	25.10	*	**	**
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*	54.30	*		
Students with Disabilities	22	100.0	31.80	26.20	16.50	31.8	44.2	Met Target†
Students without Disabilities	125	100.0	75.20	72.70	48.80	75.2		
English Learners	*	*	*	*	23.30	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	*	45.20	*		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N	16.40	N		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	*	15.10	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	39.90	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	18.20	N		

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Schoolwide	62	769	769	751	*	*	18%	48%	27%	76%	53%
White	35	773	773	759	0%	*	*	49%	31%	80%	63%
Hispanic	*	*	*	738	*	*	*	*	*	*	37%
Black or African American	*	*	*	733	*	*	*	*	*	*	32%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	15	777	777	779	0%	0%	*	*	*	80%	82%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	750	N	N	N	N	N	N	51%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	53%
Female	27	764	764	751	0%	*	*	44%	*	67%	52%
Male	35	773	773	751	0%	*	*	51%	*	83%	53%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	736	N	N	N	N	N	N	34%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	62	769	769	761	*	*	18%	48%	27%	76%	65%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	29%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	755	*	*	*	*	*	*	57%
English Learners	*	*	*	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	753	*	*	*	*	*	*	55%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	724	N	N	N	N	N	N	22%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	27%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	750	N	N	N	N	N	N	51%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	726	N	N	N	N	N	N	35%



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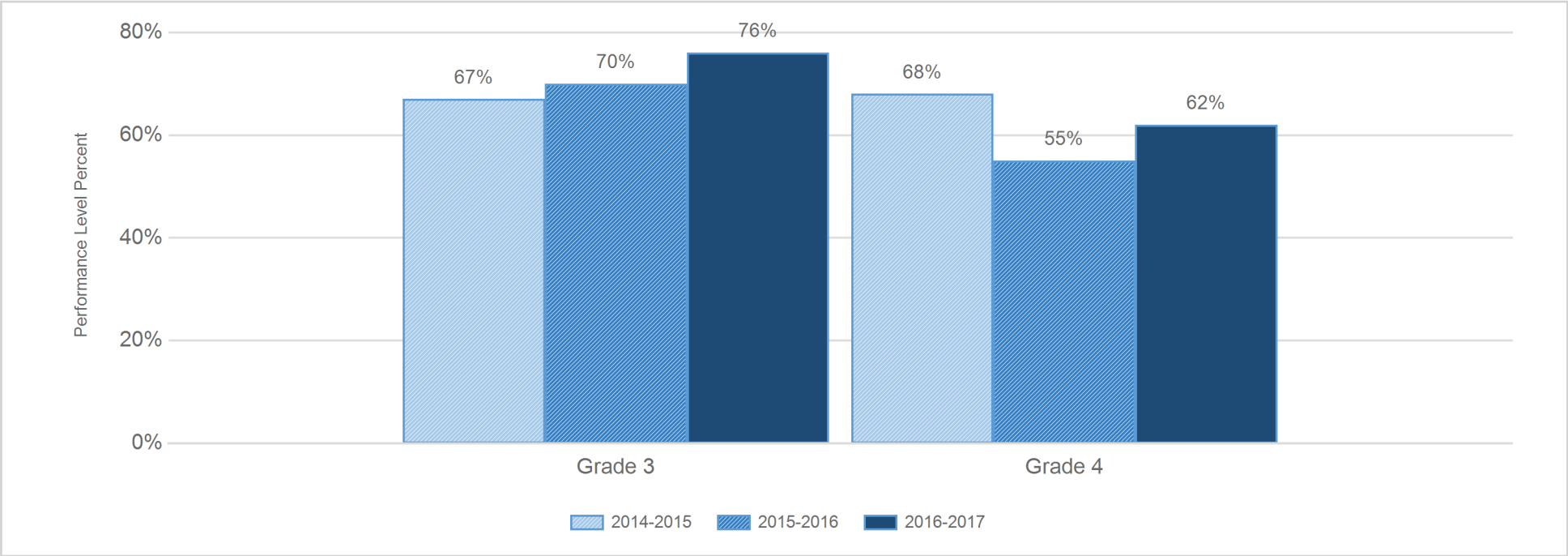
Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 4

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Schoolwide	92	758	758	747	0%	*	29%	55%	*	62%	47%
White	58	755	755	755	0%	*	35%	53%	*	57%	59%
Hispanic	*	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Black or African American	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	25%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	18	781	781	774	0%	0%	*	72%	*	94%	79%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	743	N	N	N	N	N	N	42%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	747	*	*	*	*	*	*	48%
Female	47	756	756	747	0%	*	36%	51%	*	55%	47%
Male	45	760	760	747	0%	*	22%	60%	*	69%	48%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	732	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	757	*	*	*	*	*	*	61%
Students with Disabilities	15	732	732	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Students without Disabilities	77	763	763	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
English Learners	*	*	*	716	*	*	*	*	*	*	12%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	749	*	*	*	*	*	*	49%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	723	N	N	N	N	N	N	18%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	18%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	749	N	N	N	N	N	N	50%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	713	N	N	N	N	N	N	22%

Mathematics Assessment – Performance Trends

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Alternate Assessments - Participation

This table shows the number of students taking the Dynamic Learning Maps Alternate Assessment, which tests academic progress in English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics for students with different types of significant cognitive disabilities.

Grade	ELA: # Students Tested	Math: # Students Tested
3	N	N
4	*	*

English Language Proficiency Test - Participation and Performance

This table shows, by years in district, the number of English learner students taking the ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 Assessment for English language proficiency. The table also shows the percentage of students tested that received an overall score of 4.5 or above. Students must receive a score of 4.5 or higher to be considered for proficient status.

Years in District	# Students Tested	% Students with Overall Score Below 4.5	% Students with Overall Score of 4.5 and above
1	*	*	*
2	*	*	*
3	*	*	*
4	N	N	N
5+	N	N	N



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This section shows performance on the NJASK science test which measures students' ability to recall information and to solve problems by applying science concepts. The assessment is given to students in grades 4 and 8 and has three proficiency categories. Students performing at "Proficient" and "Advanced Proficient" have demonstrated readiness for the next grade-level/course.

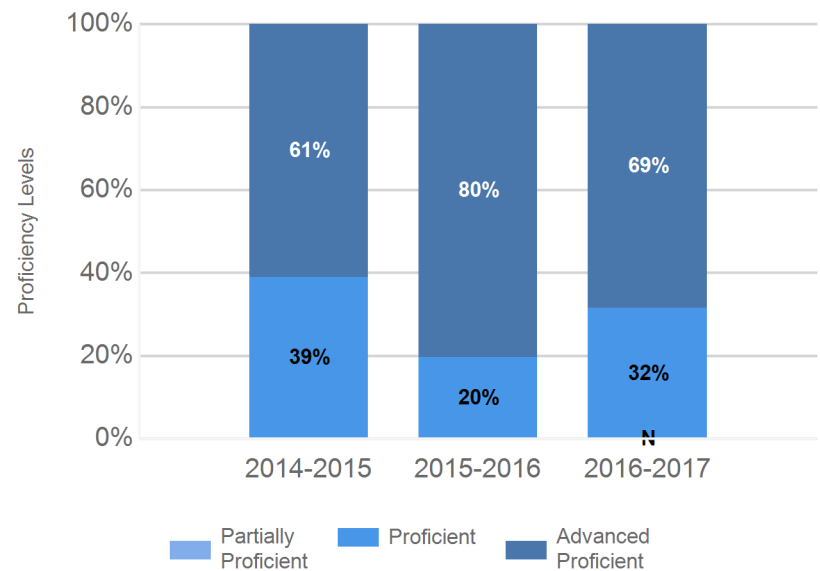
NJASK Science Assessment Performance: Grade 4

This table shows the percentage of students in each proficiency category for the NJASK science test for the school and each student group and also provides a comparison to the statewide percentages.

Student Group	% Advanced Proficient	% Proficient	% Partially Proficient
Statewide	45%	40%	14%
Schoolwide	69%	32%	N
White	71%	29%	N
Hispanic	*	*	N
Black or African American	*	*	N
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	83%	17%	N
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N
Two or More Races	N	*	N
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	N	N
Students with Disabilities	47%	53%	N
English Learners	*	N	N

NJASK Science Assessment Performance Trends: Grade 4

This graph shows the percentage of students by proficiency category for the past three school years.





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This section of the performance report shows information on student growth which measures how much students are learning each year. Each student receives a **Student Growth Percentile (SGP)** for English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA) in grades 4 through 8 and for Mathematics in grades 4 through 7 that explains their progress compared to students who had the same test scores in the prior year.

A student's **SGP** falls between 1 and 99 and can be grouped into three levels:

Low Growth: Less than 35

Typical Growth: Between 35 and 65

High Growth: Greater than 65

If the student growth percentiles for all students in the school are ordered from smallest to largest, the **median student growth percentile (mSGP)** is the percentile in the middle of that list. Watch a short video that explains how **median Student Growth Percentile (mSGP)** is calculated here:

<http://www.state.nj.us/education/njsmart/performance/>

Student Growth

This table shows the **median Student Growth Percentile (mSGP)** for both English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA) and Mathematics for the school and each student group with comparisons to the district and the state. This table also shows whether the school and each student group met the *ESSA* accountability target of 40 for the 2016-17 school year.

Student Group	ELA: School Median	ELA: District Median	ELA: Statewide Median	ELA: Met Target of 40	Math: School Median	Math: District Median	Math: Statewide Median	Math: Met Target of 40
Schoolwide	69	46	50	Exceeds Target	37.5	41	50	Not Met
White	70	45	50	Exceeds Target	37	43	52	Not Met
Hispanic	*	*	49	**	*	*	47	**
Black or African American	*	*	45	**	*	*	43	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	72	48	60	**	41	48	59	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Economically Disadvantaged	*	*	47	**	*	*	46	**
Students with Disabilities	51	36	41	**	35	33	43	**
English Learners	*	*	53	**	*	*	51	**

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Each student receives a **Student Growth Percentile (SGP)** for English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA) in grades 4 through 8 and for Mathematics in grades 4 through 7 that explains their progress compared to students who had the same test scores in the prior year.

A student's **SGP** falls between 1 and 99 and can be grouped into three levels:

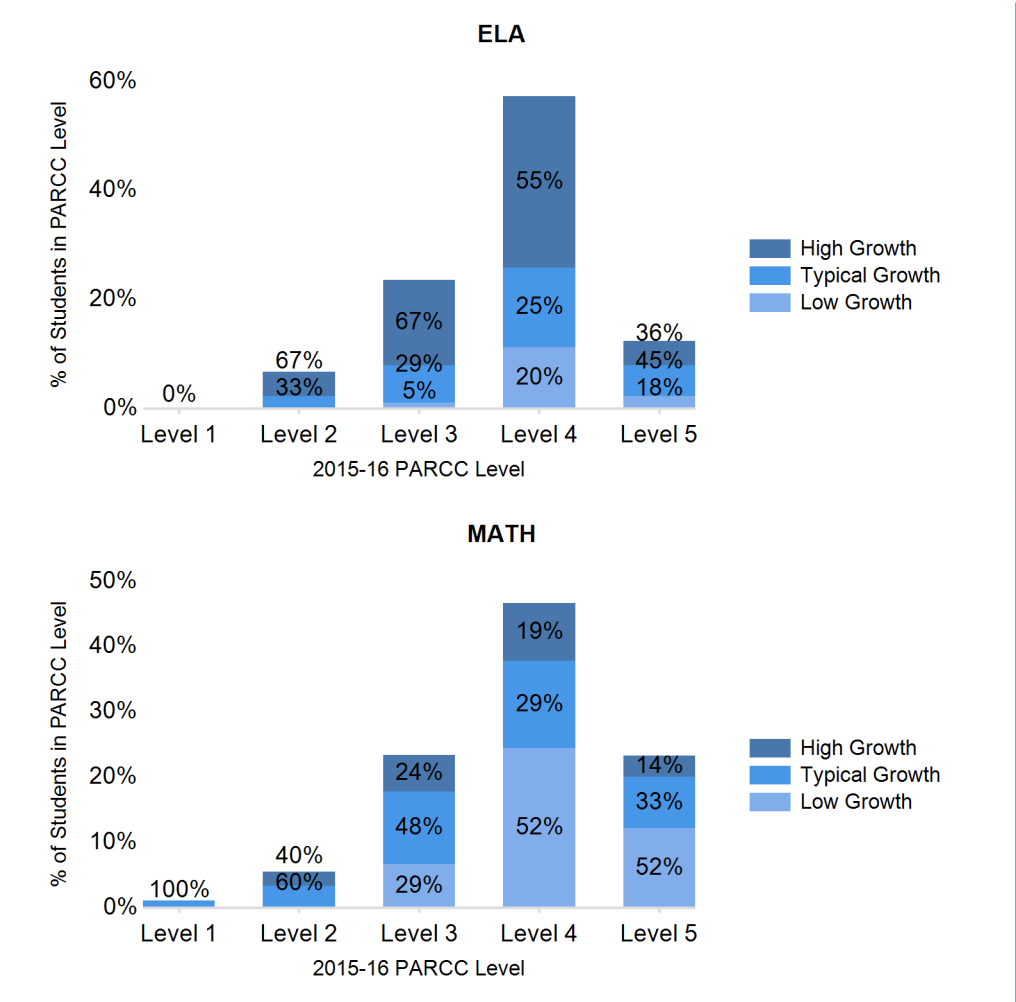
Low Growth: Less than 35

Typical Growth: Between 35 and 65

High Growth: Greater than 65

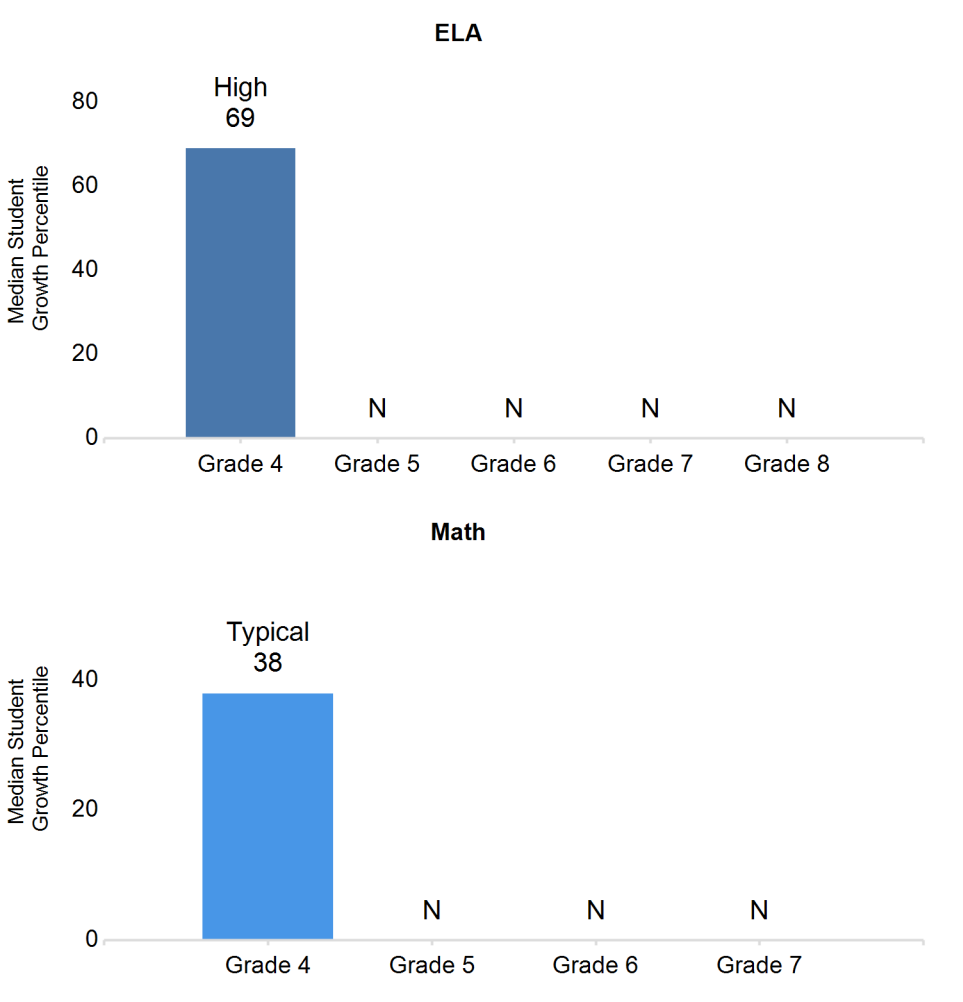
Student Growth by Performance Level

These graphs show the percentage of students by 2015-16 PARCC performance level that fall into each of the three levels of growth based on their 2016-17 test scores.



Student Growth by Grade

These graphs show the median Student Growth Percentile for students in each grade.





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This section shows information about student absences which provides important information about a school's culture and climate. In addition, research shows that student absences impact a child's ability to succeed in school. The New Jersey Department of Education selected chronic absenteeism as its measure of school quality and student success for the *ESSA* accountability plan. **Chronic absenteeism** is defined as being absent for 10% or more of the days enrolled during the school year. A student who is not present for any reason, excused, unexcused or for disciplinary action, is considered absent unless permitted by statute or regulation.

Chronic Absenteeism

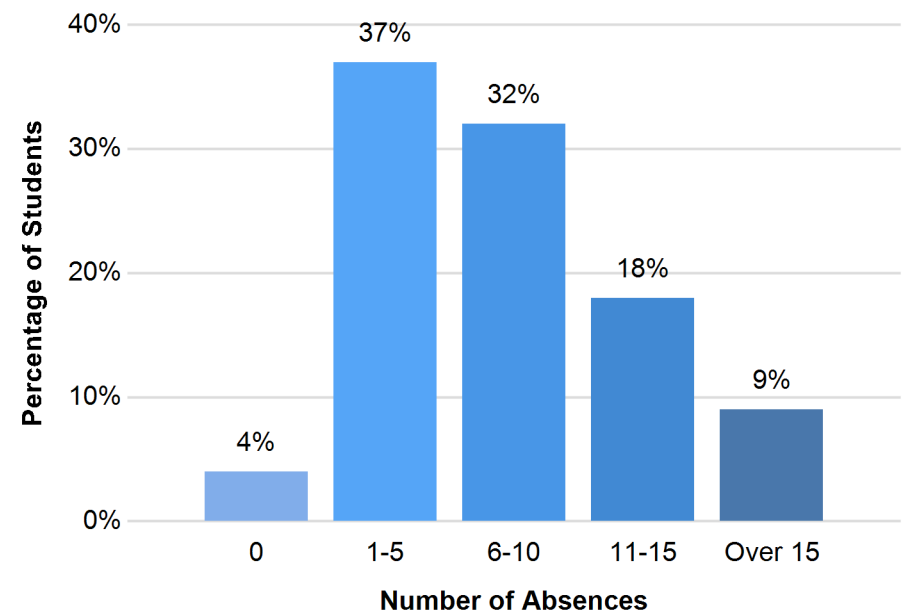
This table shows the percentage of students in grades K-12 in the school and each student group who were chronically absent. This table also shows whether the school and each student group met the *ESSA* accountability targets for 2016-17.

Student Group	% Chronically Absent	2016-17 Target	Met 2016-17 Target
Schoolwide	5.40	8.70	Met Target
White	3.00	8.70	Met Target
Hispanic	15.60	8.70	Not Met
Black or African American	0	8.70	Met Target
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	7.00	8.70	Met Target
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	**	**
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	**	**
Students with Disabilities	10.90	8.70	Not Met
English Learners	N	**	**

** ESSA accountability targets are only included if data is available for at least 20 students.

Days Absent

The graph displays the percentage of K-12 students schoolwide by the number of days they were absent during the school year. An absence is defined as being 'not present' and includes both excused and unexcused absences.





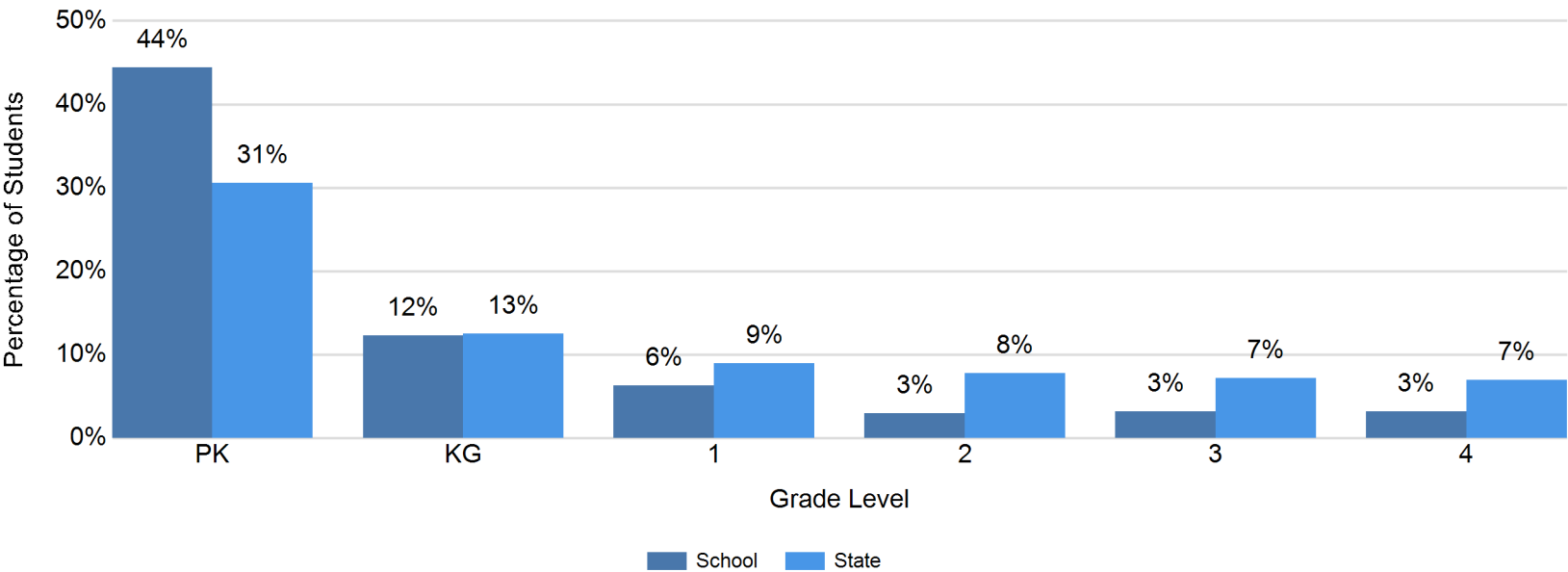
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Chronic Absenteeism by Grade

This graph shows the percentage of students in the school and across the state who were chronically absent for each grade level. **Chronic absenteeism** is defined as being absent for 10% or more of the days enrolled during the school year. A student who is not present for any reason, excused, unexcused or for disciplinary action, is considered absent unless permitted by statute or regulation.





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School Day

This table shows the start and end times and length of school day for a typical student at this school. **Instructional time** is the amount of time that a typical student was engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher.

Category	School
Typical Start Time	8:45AM
Typical End Time	3:25PM
Length of School Day	6 Hrs 40 Mins
Full Time - Instructional Time	6 Hrs. 0 Mins.
Shared Time - Instructional Time	*

Violence, Vandalism, HIB, and Substance Offenses

This table shows the number of incidents reported by type. A single incident may be counted under multiple incident types. The total unique incidents provides a non-duplicated count of incidents. The final row shows a rate of incidents for every 100 students enrolled in the school.

Incident Type	Number of Incidents
Violence	3
Vandalism	0
Weapons	0
Substances	0
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	1
Total Unique Incidents	4
Incidents Per 100 Students Enrolled	1.09

Student Suspension Rate

This table shows the percentage of students who received one or more in-school suspensions, one or more out-of-school suspensions, and one or more suspensions of any type during the school year. Students receiving both in-school and out-of-school suspensions will be counted in all rows of the table. Students who received more than one suspension are counted only one time in each category below.

Suspension Types	% of Students
In-School Suspensions	0.0%
Out-of-School Suspensions	0.0%
Any Suspension	0.0%

Student Expulsions

This table shows the number of students who were expelled from the school during the school year. An expulsion is when a student is removed from a school and does not receive any further educational services during the school year.

Category	Number of Students
Expulsions	0



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Technology Readiness

This table shows information that was collected through the optional NJTRAx survey to determine a school's technology readiness. The student to device ratio shows the number of students for every computer or tablet in the school. The internet speed is the internet bandwidth per 1000 students enrolled in the district measured in megabits per second. The connectivity between schools is a school's LAN network architecture. The NJTRAx survey is optional for schools, so data may not be available for all schools. Additionally, schools that have adopted a Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) policy may have appear to have a very low Student to Device ratio due to this policy decision.

School Year	Student to Device Ratio	Internet Speed	Recommended Internet Speed	Met Recommended Speed?	Connectivity between Schools	Recommended Connectivity	Met Recommended Connectivity?
2016-17	1:1	141.4 kbps	100 kbps	Yes	N	Fiber	N

Per-Pupil Expenditures (District Level)

This table shows the total current expenses for regular and special education students taught within the district's schools. It includes expenditures for instruction, support services, administration, operations and maintenance, extra-curricular activities, and community service. More information about district and charter school spending can be found using districts' [User Friendly Budgets](#), or the NJDOE Finance [District Report Search](#) of the Comprehensive Annual Financial Reports (CAFRs) and Auditor's Management Reports (AMRs).

Per-Pupil Expenditures	Federal	State/ Local	Total
District Total (2015-2016)	\$280	\$15,399	\$15,679



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This section contains information about staff that are assigned to the school and district. Here is an explanation of some of the **key terms used in the staff section**:

Faculty: All classroom teachers and educational support services personnel (such as Librarians, Nurses, Counselors, and Child Study Team members)

Teachers: All classroom teachers

Administrators: Principals, assistant principals, supervisors, coordinators, directors, and other central-office administrators, as well as superintendents and other district-level administrators

Full-Time Equivalent: In calculations, staff members are weighted based on the percentage of their time that they are assigned to a school or district. For example – a teacher assigned to a school half time would be weighted 50% in calculations, but a teacher assigned to a school full time would be weighted 100% in calculations.

Teachers – Experience

This table shows information about experience for teachers assigned to this school and across the state.

Category	Teachers in School	Teachers in State
Total Number of teachers	30	120,724
Average years experience in public schools	9.8	11.8
Average years experience in district	9.4	10.5
Teachers in district for 4 or more years	87%	74%

Administrators – Experience (District Level)

This table shows information about experience for administrators assigned to this district and across the state.

Category	Admin. in District	Admin. in State
Total Number of administrators	4	9,506
Average years experience in public schools	14.8	15.9
Average years experience in district	14.8	11.6
Administrators in district for 4 or more years	75%	74%

Student to Staff Ratios

This table shows the number of students per staff member in the school and district. Ratios for librarians, nurses, counselors, and child study team members are only reported at the district level because many staff in these jobs are assigned only to the district and not to individual schools.

Staff Type	School Students: Staff	District Students: Staff
Teachers	12:1	12:1
Administrators	367:1	177:1
Librarian/Media Specialists		354:1
Nurses		354:1
Counselors		354:1
Child Study Team		354:1



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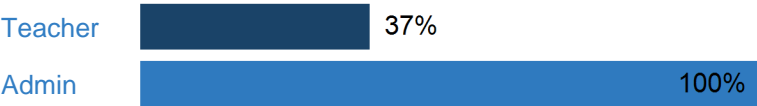
Teachers and Administrators - Level of Education

This chart shows the highest level of education attained by the teachers and administrators at this school. The Bachelor's category may include other degrees/certificates such as a Specialist's degree. Administrators are required to have a Master's degree or higher.

Bachelor's Degree



Master's Degree



Doctoral Degree



Teachers and Administrators - One-Year Retention (District Level)

This table shows the percentage of teachers and administrators assigned to the district in 2015-16 that were still assigned to the district in 2016-17. Staff who are not retained may have changed districts or no longer work for the state (including retirements).

Job Type	District	State
2015-16 Teachers: Same district 2016-17	88%	89%
2015-16 Administrators: Same district 2016-17	75%	88%

Faculty Attendance

This table shows the percentage of days that school faculty members were present during the school year. Approved professional days, personal days, staff training days, bereavement days, jury duty, and absences due to extended illness are not counted against days present, and faculty members on long-term leave or disability are excluded from this calculation.

School Year	% Days Present
2016-17	98%



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Accountability Indicator Scores and Summative Rating

New Jersey has developed a school accountability system as required by the *Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)* to identify schools that are in need of comprehensive support. This table shows the indicator scores for each indicator included in the accountability system and the weights that each indicator receives when calculating the overall Summative Score. The Summative Rating is the percentile rank of the Summative Score as compared to other schools across the state. Schools with a summative rating below the 5th percentile or high schools with a 4-year graduation rate that is less than or equal to 67% are identified for Comprehensive Support. For more information about New Jersey’s accountability system and how these indicator scores were calculated, see these [accountability resources](#).

Accountability Indicator	Indicator Score	Indicator Weight
English Language Arts Proficiency	98.1	17.5%
Mathematics Proficiency	82.3	17.5%
English Language Arts Growth	96.4	25.0%
Mathematics Growth	8.7	25.0%
Chronic Absenteeism	55.9	15.0%
Progress Towards English Language Proficiency (coming 2018)	N/A	N/A
Summative Score: Sum of all indicator scores multiplied by indicator weights		66.3
Summative Rating: Percentile rank of Summative Score		75.1
Requires Comprehensive Support: Summative Rating is less than or equal to 5th percentile		No

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Accountability Summary by Student Group

New Jersey has developed a school accountability system as required by the *Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)* to identify schools that are in need of Targeted Support. Any student group where the summative score would be in the bottom 5% of schools (see previous page) is identified for Targeted Support for a Low-Performing Student Group. If any student group is identified for Targeted Support, this will be noted in the Schoolwide row in the table. Schools in which one or more student groups miss annual targets for all indicators two years in a row are identified for Targeted Support for a Consistently Underperforming Student Group. In the table below, schools in which one or more student groups miss annual targets for all indicators are noted to be At Risk for being identified for Targeted Support for the 2017-18 school year. Annual targets for proficiency and graduation rate are set based on a school or student group's performance in 2015-16. The target for chronic absenteeism is the statewide average for all students. For more details on accountability targets, see these [accountability resources](#).

Student Group	Summative Score	Cut-off Score for Targeted Support and Improvement	Requires Targeted Support and Improvement for 2016-17	English Language Arts Proficiency	Mathematics Proficiency	Chronic Absenteeism	English Language Arts Student Growth	Mathematics Student Growth	At Risk for Consistently Underperforming Student Group
Schoolwide	66.3	11.9	No	Met Goal	Met Target	Met Target	Exceeds Target	Not Met	No
White	67.6	11.9	No	Met Goal	Met Target	Met Target	Exceeds Target	Not Met	No
Hispanic	**	**	No	**	**	Not Met	**	**	No
Black or African American	**	**	No	**	**	Met Target	**	**	No
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	**	**	No	Met Goal	Met Goal	Met Target	**	**	No
American Indian or Alaska Native	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Two or More Races	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Economically Disadvantaged Students	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Students with Disabilities	**	**	No	Met Target†	Met Target†	Not Met	**	**	No
English Learners	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No

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School Narrative

This section allows schools and districts to share highlights, achievements, and other important information about programs, activities, and services that are offered in their own words. If there are questions about the information provided in the narrative section, please contact your school directly.

 Highlights:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students in grades 2-4 have a 1:1 Chromebook; classroom sets of iPads in grades K-1. • Lucy Calkins' Writing and Reading workshop models for grades K-4. • Character education is integrated into all aspects of school life.
 Mission, Vision, Theme:	<p>The mission of Bayberry School is to introduce the young child to formal learning by building a foundation of knowledge and skills (NJSLS) within a nurturing environment that promotes self-confidence, encourages love of learning, and celebrates the uniqueness of each child.</p>
 Awards, Recognition, Accomplishments:	<p>Bayberry School competes in the annual Somerset County Scripps Spelling Bee. Each year several students attain the Presidential Fitness Club Award. Grade 4 students participate in the Outstanding Academic of Excellence Award Program.</p>

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 <div> <div>Courses, Curriculum, Instruction:</div> </div>	<p>The curricula focus on the NJSLs for Language Arts and Mathematics. The Lucy Calkins workshop model is used for both writing and reading. The NGSS provide an inquiry-centered approach to science which supports the way children learn and is easily integrated with other areas of the curriculum. Our SOAR program is available to challenge academically gifted students. The "Bayberry Lunch Time" program offers additional enriching programs such as chess, poetry, and cartooning, just to name a few.</p>
 <div> <div>Clubs and Activities:</div> </div>	<p>Students are involved in extra-curricular activities such as Girls on the Run and Peer Mediators. Additional after school club opportunities include Arts & Crafts, Environmental Club, Community Service Club, Sports Club, and Glee Club. Family STEM night and Fourth Grade Family Fun Night are held in the evening so all parents have an opportunity to participate with their children.</p>
 <div> <div>Before and After School Programs:</div> </div>	<p>Best Time LLC operates a before and afterschool option for grades K-4. Morning care begins at 7:00 am and bridges the gap until 8:20 am when regular parent drop off begins for all students. Afterschool care is available until 6:30 pm, and offers a quiet area for homework, as well as many fun activities for students. Students in grades 5-8 are bused to Bayberry from Valley View afterschool.</p>







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 <p>Staff and Professional Learning:</p>	<p>Bayberry's outstanding teachers are a highly professional group of life long learners who constantly strive to improve the art and craft of their teaching. All teachers are involved in Professional Learning Communities. The collaborative team is the engine that drives the school. A teacher liaison at each grade level coordinates weekly grade level meetings. In-service days are held during the school year to present models, exemplars, and strategies to enhance our curriculum and teaching.</p>
 <p>Student Supports and Services:</p>	<p>Our Child Study Team consists of highly skilled professionals including a Social Worker, a School Psychologist, and a Consultant Learning Disabilities Teacher-Consultant. A Speech and Language Specialist is a member of the team for evaluations of students, preschool - grade 4, where there is a concern in the area of language development. Occupational and Physical Therapy is also available. A Basic Skills program is in place for at-risk students.</p>
 <p>Student Health and Wellness:</p>	<p>Bayberry School received a grant from Project Fit in the fall of 2015. This has been incorporated into the Physical Education program. A freestanding structure of seven work out areas are permanently installed outdoors on our school grounds addressing upper body, lower body, abdominal strength, cardiovascular endurance and flexibility.</p>
 <p>Parent and Community Involvement:</p>	<p>The active PTO is continually planning fundraisers and activities to support the educational program. They provided the funds for Chromebooks, and the conversion of the new STEM lab, as well as individual grants to classroom teachers. The Watchung Educational Foundation helps to fund additional programs and activities for our students and teachers. Grants have been awarded for the Learner-Active, Technology-Infused Classroom, and Science and STEM Initiatives.</p>

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 <div>Climate Surveys:</div>	<div>Is a Climate Survey Used: Yes; Who is surveyed: Students</div> <div>A school climate survey was given to students in grades 3 through 8 in June 2017. The results will be reviewed in the fall by the School Safety Committee creating an action plan for the 2017-18 school year. The majority of our students feel safe in our school and confident that our teachers and support staff respond to their needs.</div>
 <div>Facilities:</div>	<div>The last major renovation/upgrade to Bayberry School was an expansion of facilities in 2003 to provide more classroom and common space. Recent upgrades include a renovation of the foyer and main office for increased security measures, as well as a new STEM lab.</div>




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<div>Other Information:</div>	<p>Bayberry School will continue to provide exceptional educational opportunities for all its students. Parents are viewed as our partners in education and assist during the school day in classrooms, our library and in our lunchroom. Community groups, police and fire departments, the mayor, members of the borough council and state government, visit our school annually and work with our students. Our school family of students, teachers, parents, and community support our mission to introduce the young child to formal learning by building a foundation of knowledge and skills within a nurturing environment that promotes self-confidence, encourages love of learning and celebrates the uniqueness of each child.</p>
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The **2016-17 School Performance Reports** are designed to share school and district information collected by the New Jersey Department of Education directly with parents, educators, and communities. The Department believes that the greatest potential to improve school performance and student outcomes is through parents, educators, and community members working together. These reports seek to make that process easier by providing information that can help people to:

- **Learn more:** The School Performance Reports contain a wealth of data, going far beyond a school's test scores to include information about the staff working in a school, student discipline rates, and the sports and clubs offered.
- **Ask questions:** These reports can help start a conversation, but they cannot answer all the questions you might have about schools in your community. Use the contact information provided to engage with faculty and administrators at your schools to ask about the data you see in these reports.
- **Get involved:** Schools need help from parents and communities to help students succeed. Contact your school to find out about school board meetings or parent and community groups.

Navigating through the reports:

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Other Resources:

- Review the [Parent Summary Report](#) or the [district-level report](#) for this school.
- For more detailed information about the data in these reports, where it comes from, and how to use it: [Reference Guide](#) or [Interpretive Video](#).
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Footnotes

1. An "*" indicates that data is not displayed to protect student privacy; "N" indicates no data is available to display.
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Enrollment Trends by Grade

This table shows the number of students enrolled by grade for the past three school years. Ungraded students are students who are "on roll" but are educated in ungraded classrooms.

Grade	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
5	94	75	72
6	85	100	78
7	75	85	102
8	73	73	88
Ungraded	0	0	0
Total	327	333	340

Enrollment Trends by Student Group

This table shows the percentage of students by student group for the past three school years. Data for some student groups was not available before 2016-17.

Student Group	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
Female	52%	49%	49%
Male	48%	51%	52%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0%	0%	0%
Students with Disabilities	18%	21%	23%
English Learners	0%	1%	1%
Homeless Students			0%
Students in Foster Care			0%
Military-Connected Students			0%
Migrant Students			0%

Enrollment by Racial and Ethnic Group

This table shows the percentage of students by racial and ethnic group.

Racial and Ethnic Group	% of Students
White	66.2%
Asian	18.5%
Hispanic	7.4%
Black or African American	5.9%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%
Two or More Races	2.1%

Enrollment by Home Language

This table shows the percentage of students by primary home language. Only the top 5 languages with at least 1% of students are shown. All other students are included in Other Languages.

Home Language	% of Students
English	95.6%
Spanish	1.2%
Other	3.3%



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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Participation and Performance

This table shows information about the English Language Arts/Literacy section of the *Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers* (PARCC) assessment for the school and each student group. The PARCC assessment has five performance levels, where levels 4 and 5 (met or exceeded expectations) indicate students have demonstrated readiness for the next grade level/course and are on track for college and careers. This table shows the number of valid test scores, the percentage of students that took the test, and the percentage of testers that met or exceeded expectations in the school, the district, and across the state. The last three columns of the table show the accountability proficiency rate, the annual target, and whether the school or student group met its annual target as required by the *Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)* accountability. Student groups with the annual target section grayed out are not required to meet annual targets under ESSA accountability. For more details on New Jersey's accountability system, see these [accountability resources](#).

Student Group	Valid Scores	% of students Taking Test	School: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	District: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	State: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	2016-17 Annual Target	Met 2016-17 Annual Target
Schoolwide	315	95.6	71.10	75.20	54.90	71.1	72.7	Met Target†
White	212	96.0	71.20	74.70	63.90	71.2	70	Met Target
Hispanic	21	100.0	47.60	61.10	39.80	47.6	N	N
Black or African American	20	95.5	30.00	*	35.20	30	N	N
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	56	93.7	92.90	95.30	80.70	92.7	80	Met Goal
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	53.70	N	**	**
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*	54.90	*	**	**
Female	148	94.0	76.40	77.60	62.20	76.4		
Male	167	97.1	66.50	73.10	48.10	66.5		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*	36.20	*	**	**
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*	65.80	*		
Students with Disabilities	77	97.5	27.30	37.40	20.50	27.3	21.6	Met Target
Students without Disabilities	238	95.0	85.30	85.60	61.90	85.3		
English Learners	*	*	*	*	25.20	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	*	57.40	*		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N	26.40	N		
Students In Foster Care	*	*	*	*	24.80	*		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	53.50	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	23.00	N		

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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 5

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	69	767	767	756	*	*	20%	59%	15%	74%	59%
White	45	770	770	763	0%	*	*	64%	*	78%	69%
Hispanic	*	*	*	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	44%
Black or African American	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	14	769	769	779	0%	*	*	*	*	86%	84%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	56%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	757	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
Female	30	773	773	761	0%	*	*	53%	*	77%	66%
Male	39	762	762	750	0%	*	*	64%	*	72%	53%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	740	N	N	N	N	N	N	40%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	69	767	767	765	*	*	20%	59%	15%	74%	71%
Students with Disabilities	15	750	750	725	0%	*	*	*	0%	53%	22%
Students without Disabilities	54	772	772	762	0%	*	*	*	19%	80%	66%
English Learners	N	N	N	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%
Non-English Learners	69	767	767	757	*	*	20%	59%	15%	74%	60%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	733	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	757	N	N	N	N	N	N	62%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	36%



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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	75	762	762	752	*	*	16%	61%	*	73%	54%
White	48	765	765	758	0%	*	21%	65%	*	75%	63%
Hispanic	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	38%
Black or African American	*	*	*	736	*	*	*	*	*	*	32%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	15	774	774	776	0%	*	*	*	*	87%	81%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	749	N	N	N	N	N	N	52%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	753	*	*	*	*	*	*	56%
Female	38	765	765	758	*	*	*	61%	*	76%	61%
Male	37	759	759	746	*	*	*	62%	*	70%	46%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	737	N	N	N	N	N	N	34%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	75	762	762	761	*	*	16%	61%	*	73%	65%
Students with Disabilities	18	736	736	722	*	*	*	*	*	28%	17%
Students without Disabilities	57	771	771	758	*	*	*	*	*	88%	61%
English Learners	*	*	*	710	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	753	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	22%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	727	*	*	*	*	*	*	23%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	751	N	N	N	N	N	N	55%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	20%



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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 7

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	97	762	762	756	*	*	19%	41%	26%	67%	59%
White	67	763	763	764	*	*	22%	43%	24%	67%	69%
Hispanic	*	*	*	742	*	*	*	*	*	*	44%
Black or African American	*	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	38%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	13	791	791	784	0%	0%	0%	*	*	100%	85%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	755	N	N	N	N	N	N	59%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	757	*	*	*	*	*	*	59%
Female	47	767	767	764	*	*	*	43%	32%	75%	68%
Male	50	757	757	749	*	*	*	40%	20%	60%	51%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	739	N	N	N	N	N	N	40%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	97	762	762	766	*	*	19%	41%	26%	67%	70%
Students with Disabilities	23	719	719	719	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Students without Disabilities	74	775	775	763	*	*	*	*	*	*	67%
English Learners	N	N	N	701	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	97	762	762	758	*	*	19%	41%	26%	67%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	31%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	27%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	64%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	15%



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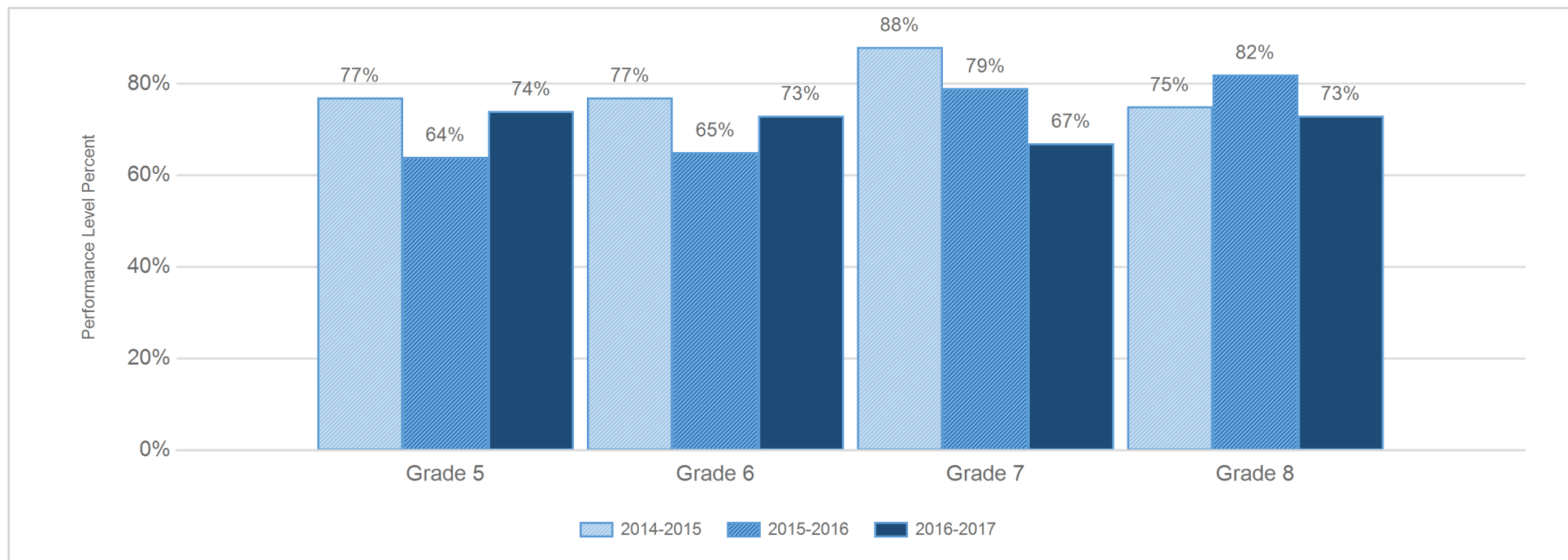
English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 8

This table shows participation and performance on the English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment by grade level exam. This table shows by school and student group the number of valid test scores and the mean scale score for the school, district, and state. It also shows the percentage of students at each performance level and the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5) for the school and the state.

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	82	773	773	757	*	*	16%	40%	33%	73%	59%
White	56	769	769	764	*	*	20%	43%	27%	70%	68%
Hispanic	*	*	*	742	*	*	*	*	*	*	44%
Black or African American	*	*	*	738	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	17	797	797	786	*	*	*	*	59%	100%	86%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	751	N	N	N	N	N	N	52%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	758	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
Female	40	780	780	766	*	*	*	43%	38%	80%	68%
Male	42	766	766	749	*	*	*	38%	29%	67%	50%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	739	N	N	N	N	N	N	40%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	82	773	773	766	*	*	16%	40%	33%	73%	69%
Students with Disabilities	21	734	734	718	*	*	*	*	*	24%	18%
Students without Disabilities	61	786	786	764	*	*	*	*	*	90%	67%
English Learners	*	*	*	701	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	759	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	61%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%

English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance Trends

This graph shows the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations for the past three years.





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Mathematics Assessment - Participation and Performance

This table shows information about the Mathematics section of the *Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers* (PARCC) assessment for the school and each student group. The PARCC assessment has five performance levels, where levels 4 and 5 (met or exceeded expectations) indicate students have demonstrated readiness for the next grade level/course and are on track for college and careers. This table shows the number of valid test scores, the percentage of students that took the test, and the percentage of testers that met or exceeded expectations in the school, the district, and across the state. The last three columns of the table show the accountability proficiency rate, the annual target, and whether the school or student group met its annual target as required by the *Every Student Succeeds Act* (ESSA) accountability. Student groups with the annual target section grayed out are not required to meet annual targets under ESSA accountability. For more details on New Jersey's accountability system, see these [accountability resources](#).

Student Group	Valid Scores	% of students Taking Test	School: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	District: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	State: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	2016-17 Annual Target	Met 2016-17 Annual Target
Schoolwide	315	95.6	60.00	62.80	43.50	60	64.3	Met Target†
White	212	96.0	59.90	61.90	52.40	59.9	62.3	Met Target†
Hispanic	21	100.0	19.00	38.90	27.60	19	N	N
Black or African American	20	95.5	20.00	*	21.70	20	N	N
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	56	93.7	89.30	90.60	75.60	89.1	80	Met Goal
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	42.50	N	**	**
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*	44.90	*	**	**
Female	148	94.0	56.10	57.30	44.10	56.1		
Male	167	97.2	63.50	67.80	42.90	63.5		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*	25.10	*	**	**
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*	54.30	*		
Students with Disabilities	77	97.5	24.70	26.20	16.50	24.7	18.1	Met Target
Students without Disabilities	238	95.0	71.40	72.70	48.80	71.4		
English Learners	*	*	*	*	23.30	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	*	45.20	*		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N	16.40	N		
Students In Foster Care	*	*	*	*	15.10	*		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	39.90	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	18.20	N		

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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 5

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Schoolwide	69	754	754	747	*	*	26%	54%	*	59%	46%
White	45	754	754	754	*	*	33%	53%	*	56%	57%
Hispanic	*	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Black or African American	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	14	771	771	774	0%	*	*	*	*	86%	79%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	745	N	N	N	N	N	N	51%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	747	*	*	*	*	*	*	47%
Female	30	755	755	747	*	*	*	53%	*	60%	47%
Male	39	753	753	746	*	*	*	54%	*	59%	46%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	732	N	N	N	N	N	N	27%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	69	754	754	756	*	*	26%	54%	*	59%	59%
Students with Disabilities	15	746	746	725	*	*	*	*	*	47%	19%
Students without Disabilities	54	756	756	751	*	*	*	*	*	63%	52%
English Learners	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%
Non-English Learners	69	754	754	748	*	*	26%	54%	*	59%	48%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	724	N	N	N	N	N	N	18%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	748	N	N	N	N	N	N	48%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	716	N	N	N	N	N	N	18%



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 6**

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Schoolwide	77	757	757	743	*	*	30%	46%	14%	60%	44%
White	48	758	758	751	0%	*	29%	54%	*	65%	54%
Hispanic	*	*	*	731	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Black or African American	*	*	*	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	20%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	15	779	779	771	0%	0%	*	*	*	80%	77%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	744	N	N	N	N	N	N	42%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	745	*	*	*	*	*	*	46%
Female	38	754	754	745	*	*	*	32%	*	47%	45%
Male	39	760	760	742	*	*	*	59%	*	72%	43%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	728	N	N	N	N	N	N	24%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	77	757	757	752	*	*	30%	46%	14%	60%	56%
Students with Disabilities	18	731	731	717	*	*	*	*	0%	22%	13%
Students without Disabilities	59	765	765	748	*	*	*	*	19%	71%	50%
English Learners	*	*	*	710	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	745	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	719	N	N	N	N	N	N	14%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	717	*	*	*	*	*	*	14%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	743	N	N	N	N	N	N	40%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%

**Grade 6 does not include students who took the Algebra I, Geometry, or Algebra II end of course tests.



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 7**

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	95	750	750	741	11%	11%	20%	47%	12%	59%	40%
White	67	752	752	748	*	*	21%	52%	*	61%	49%
Hispanic	*	*	*	730	*	*	*	*	*	*	23%
Black or African American	*	*	*	726	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	11	781	781	764	0%	0%	*	*	*	91%	72%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	741	N	N	N	N	N	N	45%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Female	46	750	750	743	*	*	*	48%	*	61%	41%
Male	49	750	750	740	*	*	*	47%	*	57%	38%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	22%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	95	750	750	749	11%	11%	20%	47%	12%	59%	50%
Students with Disabilities	23	711	711	716	*	*	*	*	*	*	11%
Students without Disabilities	72	763	763	746	*	*	*	*	*	*	45%
English Learners	N	N	N	712	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	95	750	750	742	11%	11%	20%	47%	12%	59%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	15%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	15%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	743	N	N	N	N	N	N	43%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	*

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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 8**

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Schoolwide	33	724	724	728	*	*	39%	*	*	21%	28%
White	23	724	724	736	*	*	*	*	0%	22%	35%
Hispanic	*	*	*	721	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%
Black or African American	*	*	*	715	*	*	*	*	*	*	15%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	747	*	*	*	*	*	*	51%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	728	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	726	*	*	*	*	*	*	28%
Female	14	727	727	730	*	*	*	*	*	14%	30%
Male	19	723	723	725	*	*	*	*	*	26%	26%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	719	N	N	N	N	N	N	19%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	33	724	724	734	*	*	39%	*	*	21%	34%
Students with Disabilities	17	706	706	705	*	*	*	*	*	12%	*
Students without Disabilities	16	745	745	734	*	*	*	*	*	31%	*
English Learners	*	*	*	703	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	705	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	733	N	N	N	N	N	N	35%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	713	N	N	N	N	N	N	*

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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Test: Algebra I

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	43	775	775	743	0%	*	*	67%	*	81%	42%
White	33	771	771	751	0%	*	*	67%	*	79%	52%
Hispanic	*	*	*	728	*	*	*	*	*	*	24%
Black or African American	N	N	N	724	N	N	N	N	N	N	19%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	774	*	*	*	*	*	*	76%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	736	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	741	N	N	N	N	N	N	41%
Female	23	761	761	744	*	*	*	61%	*	65%	43%
Male	20	792	792	741	*	*	*	75%	*	100%	40%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	43	775	775	751	0%	*	*	67%	*	81%	52%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	714	*	*	*	*	*	*	10%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	747	*	*	*	*	*	*	47%
English Learners	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	43	775	775	745	0%	*	*	67%	*	81%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	711	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	742	N	N	N	N	N	N	37%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	715	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%



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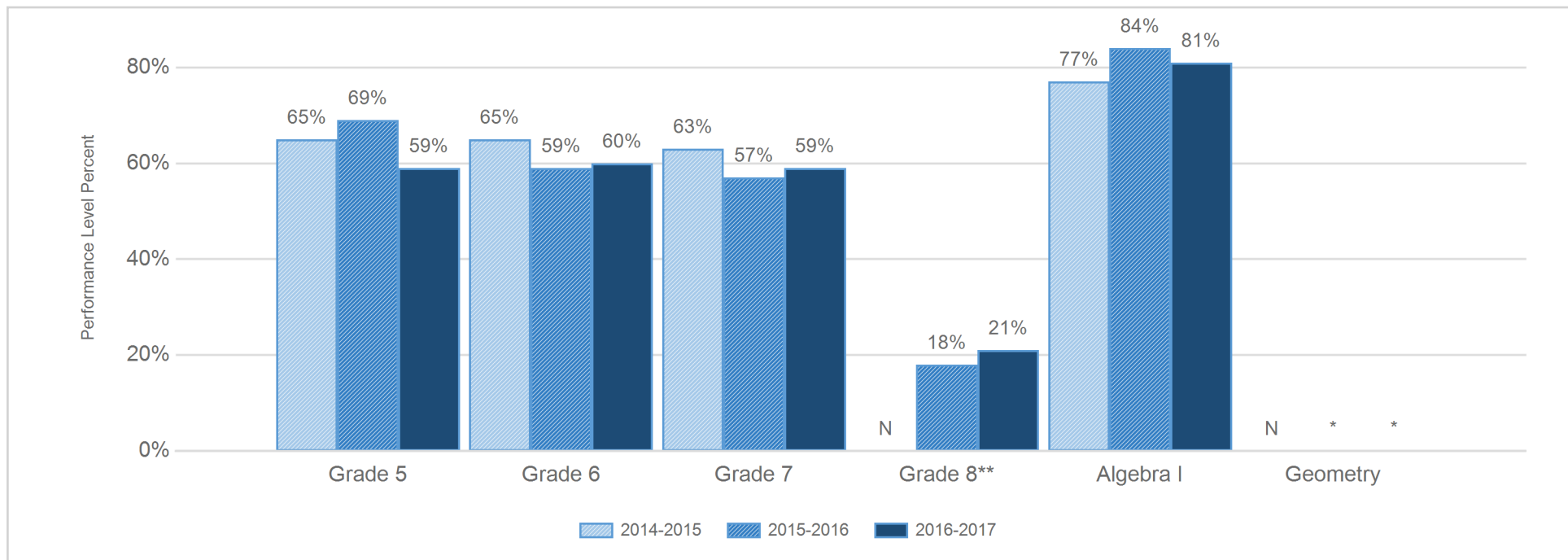
Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Test: Geometry

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Schoolwide	*	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
White	N	N	N	740	N	N	N	N	N	N	38%
Hispanic	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	14%
Black or African American	N	N	N	719	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	758	*	*	*	*	*	*	65%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	730	N	N	N	N	N	N	29%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	733	N	N	N	N	N	N	32%
Female	*	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	31%
Male	*	*	*	733	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Students with Disabilities	N	N	N	711	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	738	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
English Learners	N	N	N	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	713	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	15%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	704	N	N	N	N	N	N	*

Mathematics Assessment – Performance Trends

This graph shows the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations for the past three years.



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Alternate Assessments - Participation

This table shows the number of students taking the Dynamic Learning Maps Alternate Assessment, which tests academic progress in English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics for students with different types of significant cognitive disabilities.

Grade	ELA: # Students Tested	Math: # Students Tested
5	*	*
6	N	N
7	*	*
8	N	N

English Language Proficiency Test - Participation and Performance

This table shows, by years in district, the number of English learner students taking the ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 Assessment for English language proficiency. The table also shows the percentage of students tested that received an overall score of 4.5 or above. Students must receive a score of 4.5 or higher to be considered for proficient status.

Years in District	# Students Tested	% Students with Overall Score Below 4.5	% Students with Overall Score of 4.5 and above
1	*	*	*
2	*	*	*
3	N	N	N
4	N	N	N
5+	N	N	N



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This section shows performance on the NJASK science test which measures students' ability to recall information and to solve problems by applying science concepts. The assessment is given to students in grades 4 and 8 and has three proficiency categories. Students performing at "Proficient" and "Advanced Proficient" have demonstrated readiness for the next grade-level/course.

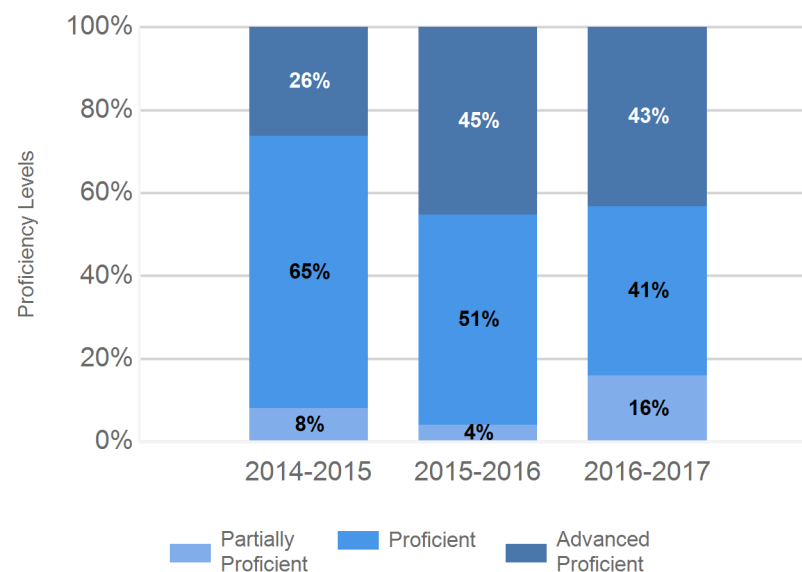
NJASK Science Assessment Performance: Grade 8

This table shows the percentage of students in each proficiency category for the NJASK science test for the school and each student group and also provides a comparison to the statewide percentages.

Student Group	% Advanced Proficient	% Proficient	% Partially Proficient
Statewide	27%	47%	27%
Schoolwide	43%	41%	16%
White	31%	53%	16%
Hispanic	*	*	*
Black or African American	N	N	*
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	84%	*	N
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N
Two or More Races	*	N	*
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N
Students with Disabilities	5%	38%	57%
English Learners	N	N	*

NJASK Science Assessment Performance Trends: Grade 8

This graph shows the percentage of students by proficiency category for the past three school years.





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This section of the performance report shows information on student growth which measures how much students are learning each year. Each student receives a **Student Growth Percentile (SGP)** for English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA) in grades 4 through 8 and for Mathematics in grades 4 through 7 that explains their progress compared to students who had the same test scores in the prior year.

A student's **SGP** falls between 1 and 99 and can be grouped into three levels: **Low Growth: Less than 35** **Typical Growth: Between 35 and 65** **High Growth: Greater than 65**

If the student growth percentiles for all students in the school are ordered from smallest to largest, the **median student growth percentile (mSGP)** is the percentile in the middle of that list. Watch a short video that explains how **median Student Growth Percentile (mSGP)** is calculated here:
<http://www.state.nj.us/education/njsmart/performance/>

Student Growth

This table shows the **median Student Growth Percentile (mSGP)** for both English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA) and Mathematics for the school and each student group with comparisons to the district and the state. This table also shows whether the school and each student group met the *ESSA* accountability target of 40 for the 2016-17 school year.

Student Group	ELA: School Median	ELA: District Median	ELA: Statewide Median	ELA: Met Target of 40	Math: School Median	Math: District Median	Math: Statewide Median	Math: Met Target of 40
Schoolwide	40	46	50	Met Target	43	41	50	Met Target
White	37.5	45	50	Not Met	46	43	52	Met Target
Hispanic	*	*	49	**	*	*	47	**
Black or African American	18.5	*	45	Not Met	24	*	43	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	43	48	60	Met Target	50.5	48	59	Met Target
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Two or More Races	*	*	51	**	*	*	52	**
Economically Disadvantaged	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Students with Disabilities	27.5	36	41	Not Met	29	33	43	Not Met
English Learners	*	*	53	**	*	*	51	**

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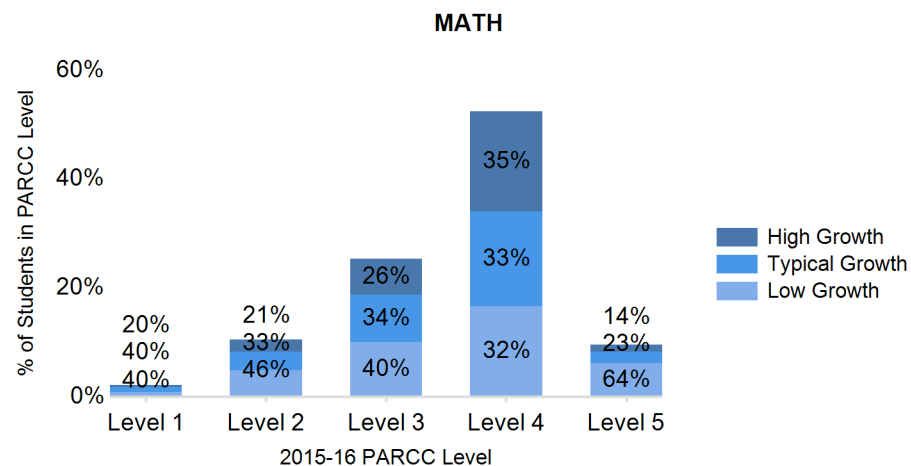
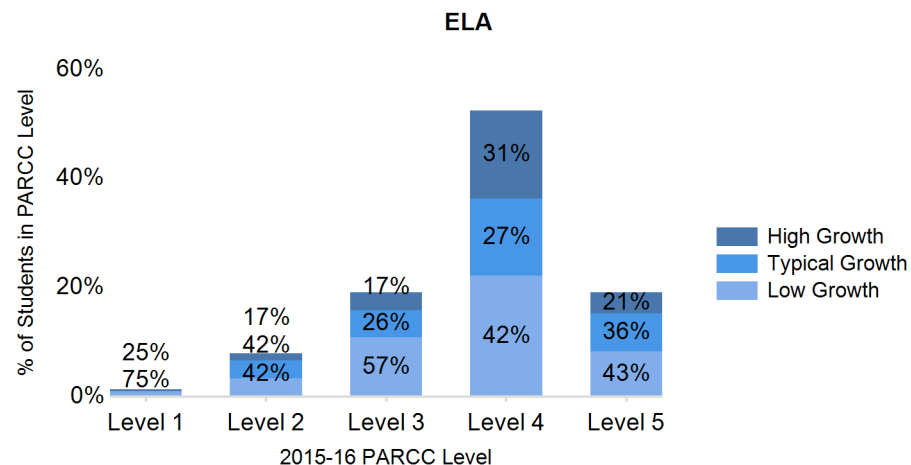
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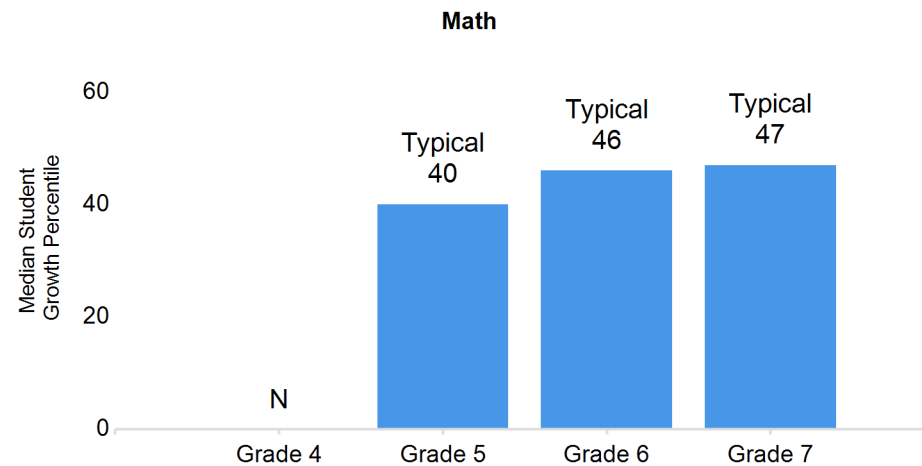
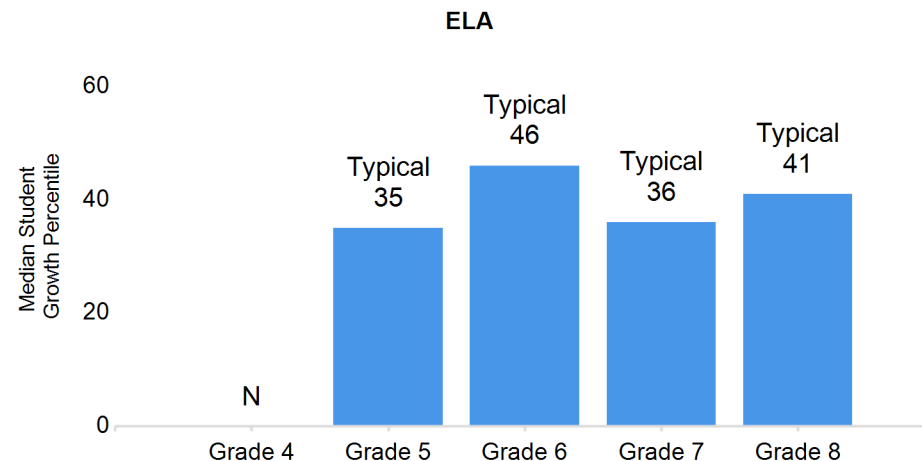
Student Growth by Performance Level

These graphs show the percentage of students by 2015-16 PARCC performance level that fall into each of the three levels of growth based on their 2016-17 test scores.



Student Growth by Grade

These graphs show the median Student Growth Percentile for students in each grade.





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This section shows the types of courses that students were enrolled in by grade level for the 2016-17 school year. You can find more information about [New Jersey Student Learning Standards](#) on our website and more details about the data in this section in our [Reference Guide](#).

Mathematics - Course Participation

This table shows the number of students by grade that were enrolled in **Mathematics** courses by subject area. Students are counted more than once if they are enrolled in more than one math course. Students counted in the other math category may be enrolled in grade level math courses, intervention courses, or other advanced math courses.

Grade	Algebra I	Geometry	Grade Level and Other Math
6	0	0	78
7	0	2	99
8	47	7	34
Schoolwide	47	9	211

World Languages - Course Participation

This table shows the number of students by grade that were enrolled in **World Languages** courses by language. Students are counted more than once if they are enrolled in more than one language course. The bottom row of the table shows students enrolled in a level 3 or higher language course (such as French III or IV).

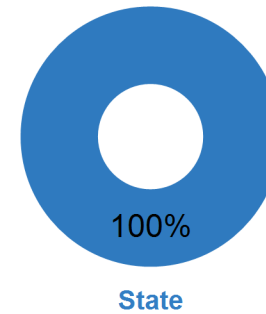
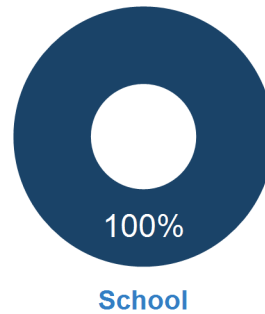
Grade	Spanish	French	Italian	Latin	German	Chinese	Other Languages
6	72	73	0	0	0	0	0
7	65	21	0	0	0	0	0
8	39	30	0	0	0	0	0
Schoolwide	176	124	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled in Level 3 or Higher	N	N	N	N	N	N	N

Visual and Performing Arts – Course Participation

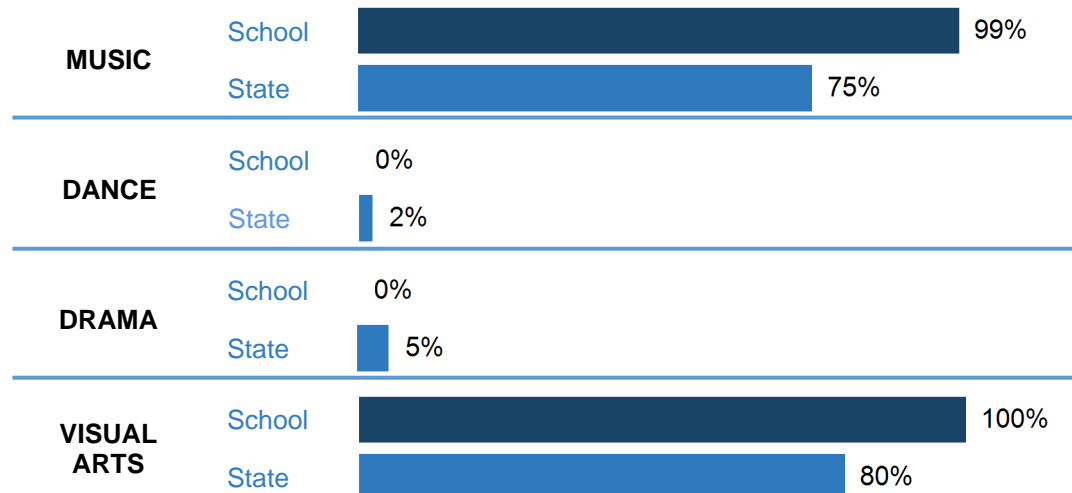
The top graphs below show the percentages of students that were enrolled in any **Visual and Performing Arts** classes within the school and across the state. The graphs at the bottom of the page show the percentages of students enrolled in at least one course within each of the four arts disciplines within the school and across the state.

Grades 6-8:

Students enrolled in one or more **visual and performing arts** classes



Students enrolled in one or more classes by discipline:





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This section shows information about student absences which provides important information about a school's culture and climate. In addition, research shows that student absences impact a child's ability to succeed in school. The New Jersey Department of Education selected chronic absenteeism as its measure of school quality and student success for the *ESSA* accountability plan. **Chronic absenteeism** is defined as being absent for 10% or more of the days enrolled during the school year. A student who is not present for any reason, excused, unexcused or for disciplinary action, is considered absent unless permitted by statute or regulation.

Chronic Absenteeism

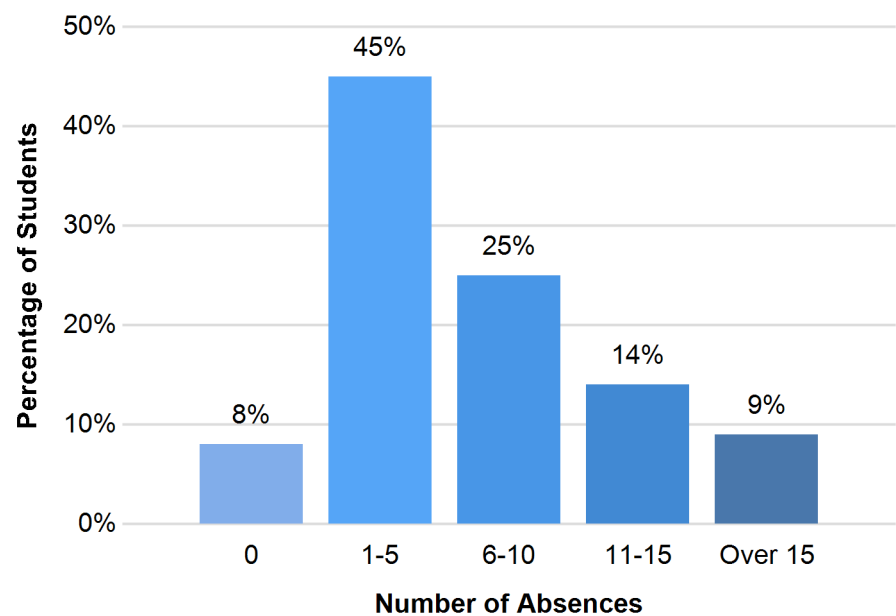
This table shows the percentage of students in grades K-12 in the school and each student group who were chronically absent. This table also shows whether the school and each student group met the *ESSA* accountability targets for 2016-17.

Student Group	% Chronically Absent	2016-17 Target	Met 2016-17 Target
Schoolwide	6.20	8.30	Met Target
White	7.10	8.30	Met Target
Hispanic	12.00	8.30	Not Met
Black or African American	10.00	8.30	Not Met
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	0	8.30	Met Target
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	**	**
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	**	**
Students with Disabilities	11.40	8.30	Not Met
English Learners	N	**	**

** ESSA accountability targets are only included if data is available for at least 20 students.

Days Absent

The graph displays the percentage of K-12 students schoolwide by the number of days they were absent during the school year. An absence is defined as being 'not present' and includes both excused and unexcused absences.



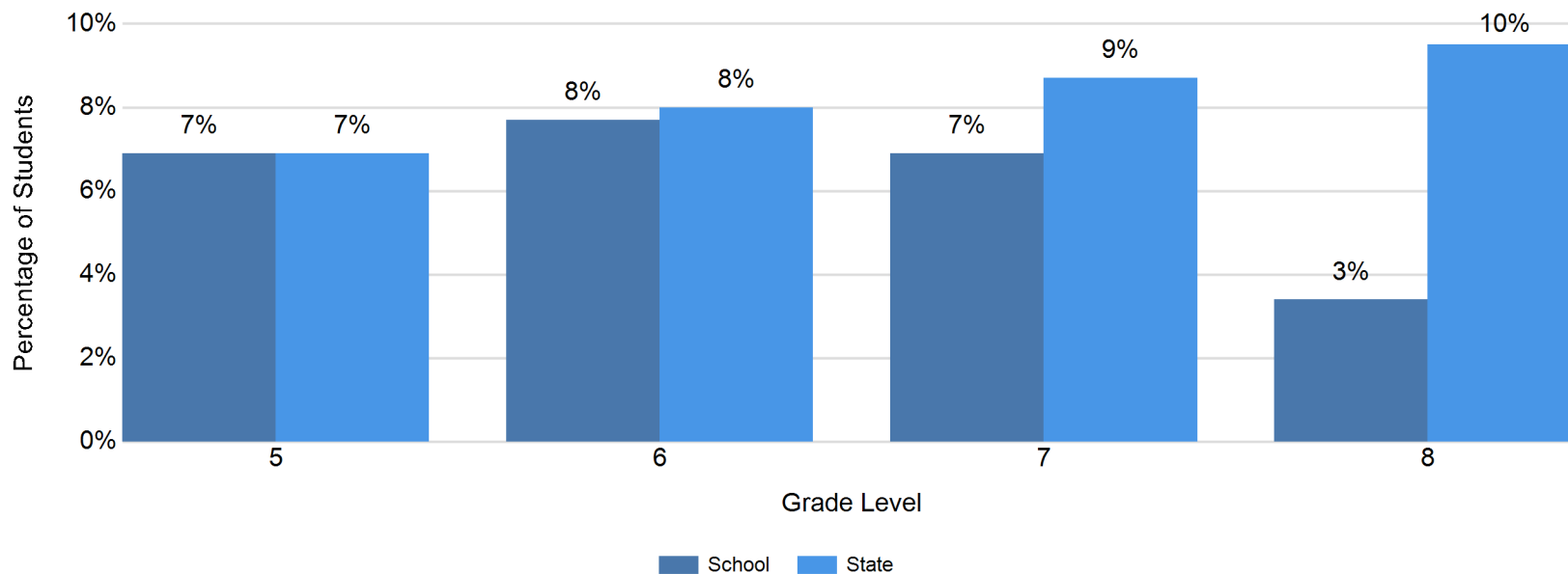


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Chronic Absenteeism by Grade

This graph shows the percentage of students in the school and across the state who were chronically absent for each grade level. **Chronic absenteeism** is defined as being absent for 10% or more of the days enrolled during the school year. A student who is not present for any reason, excused, unexcused or for disciplinary action, is considered absent unless permitted by statute or regulation.





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School Day

This table shows the start and end times and length of school day for a typical student at this school. **Instructional time** is the amount of time that a typical student was engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher.

Category	School
Typical Start Time	8:15AM
Typical End Time	2:55PM
Length of School Day	6 Hrs 40 Mins
Full Time - Instructional Time	5 Hrs. 46 Mins.
Shared Time - Instructional Time	*

Violence, Vandalism, HIB, and Substance Offenses

This table shows the number of incidents reported by type. A single incident may be counted under multiple incident types. The total unique incidents provides a non-duplicated count of incidents. The final row shows a rate of incidents for every 100 students enrolled in the school.

Incident Type	Number of Incidents
Violence	4
Vandalism	2
Weapons	0
Substances	0
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	7
Total Unique Incidents	13
Incidents Per 100 Students Enrolled	3.82

Student Suspension Rate

This table shows the percentage of students who received one or more in-school suspensions, one or more out-of-school suspensions, and one or more suspensions of any type during the school year. Students receiving both in-school and out-of-school suspensions will be counted in all rows of the table. Students who received more than one suspension are counted only one time in each category below.

Suspension Types	% of Students
In-School Suspensions	1.5%
Out-of-School Suspensions	0.0%
Any Suspension	1.5%

Student Expulsions

This table shows the number of students who were expelled from the school during the school year. An expulsion is when a student is removed from a school and does not receive any further educational services during the school year.

Category	Number of Students
Expulsions	0



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Technology Readiness

This table shows information that was collected through the optional NJTRAx survey to determine a school's technology readiness. The student to device ratio shows the number of students for every computer or tablet in the school. The internet speed is the internet bandwidth per 1000 students enrolled in the district measured in megabits per second. The connectivity between schools is a school's LAN network architecture. The NJTRAx survey is optional for schools, so data may not be available for all schools. Additionally, schools that have adopted a Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) policy may have appear to have a very low Student to Device ratio due to this policy decision.

School Year	Student to Device Ratio	Internet Speed	Recommended Internet Speed	Met Recommended Speed?	Connectivity between Schools	Recommended Connectivity	Met Recommended Connectivity?
2016-17	1:1	141.4 kbps	100 kbps	Yes	N	Fiber	N

Per-Pupil Expenditures (District Level)

This table shows the total current expenses for regular and special education students taught within the district's schools. It includes expenditures for instruction, support services, administration, operations and maintenance, extra-curricular activities, and community service. More information about district and charter school spending can be found using districts' [User Friendly Budgets](#), or the NJDOE Finance [District Report Search](#) of the Comprehensive Annual Financial Reports (CAFRs) and Auditor's Management Reports (AMRs).

Per-Pupil Expenditures	Federal	State/ Local	Total
District Total (2015-2016)	\$280	\$15,399	\$15,679



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Teachers – Experience

This table shows information about experience for teachers assigned to this school and across the state.

Category	Teachers in School	Teachers in State
Total Number of teachers	32	120,724
Average years experience in public schools	10.2	11.8
Average years experience in district	9.5	10.5
Teachers in district for 4 or more years	72%	74%

Administrators – Experience (District Level)

This table shows information about experience for administrators assigned to this district and across the state.

Category	Admin. in District	Admin. in State
Total Number of administrators	4	9,506
Average years experience in public schools	14.8	15.9
Average years experience in district	14.8	11.6
Administrators in district for 4 or more years	75%	74%

Student to Staff Ratios

This table shows the number of students per staff member in the school and district. Ratios for librarians, nurses, counselors, and child study team members are only reported at the district level because many staff in these jobs are assigned only to the district and not to individual schools.

Staff Type	School Students: Staff	District Students: Staff
Teachers	11:1	12:1
Administrators	340:1	177:1
Librarian/Media Specialists		354:1
Nurses		354:1
Counselors		354:1
Child Study Team		354:1



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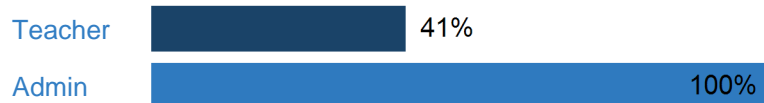
Teachers and Administrators - Level of Education

This chart shows the highest level of education attained by the teachers and administrators at this school. The Bachelor's category may include other degrees/certificates such as a Specialist's degree. Administrators are required to have a Master's degree or higher.

Bachelor's Degree



Master's Degree



Doctoral Degree



Teachers and Administrators - One-Year Retention (District Level)

This table shows the percentage of teachers and administrators assigned to the district in 2015-16 that were still assigned to the district in 2016-17. Staff who are not retained may have changed districts or no longer work for the state (including retirements).

Job Type	District	State
2015-16 Teachers: Same district 2016-17	88%	89%
2015-16 Administrators: Same district 2016-17	75%	88%

Faculty Attendance

This table shows the percentage of days that school faculty members were present during the school year. Approved professional days, personal days, staff training days, bereavement days, jury duty, and absences due to extended illness are not counted against days present, and faculty members on long-term leave or disability are excluded from this calculation.

School Year	% Days Present
2016-17	98%



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Accountability Indicator Scores and Summative Rating

New Jersey has developed a school accountability system as required by the *Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)* to identify schools that are in need of comprehensive support. This table shows the indicator scores for each indicator included in the accountability system and the weights that each indicator receives when calculating the overall Summative Score. The Summative Rating is the percentile rank of the Summative Score as compared to other schools across the state. Schools with a summative rating below the 5th percentile or high schools with a 4-year graduation rate that is less than or equal to 67% are identified for Comprehensive Support. For more information about New Jersey’s accountability system and how these indicator scores were calculated, see these [accountability resources](#).

Accountability Indicator	Indicator Score	Indicator Weight
English Language Arts Proficiency	66.9	17.5%
Mathematics Proficiency	59.3	17.5%
English Language Arts Growth	7.1	25.0%
Mathematics Growth	20.3	25.0%
Chronic Absenteeism	53.7	15.0%
Progress Towards English Language Proficiency (coming 2018)	N/A	N/A
Summative Score: Sum of all indicator scores multiplied by indicator weights		37.0
Summative Rating: Percentile rank of Summative Score		28.9
Requires Comprehensive Support: Summative Rating is less than or equal to 5th percentile		No

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† Indicator weights for this school were adjusted due to data availability.



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Accountability Summary by Student Group

New Jersey has developed a school accountability system as required by the *Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)* to identify schools that are in need of Targeted Support. Any student group where the summative score would be in the bottom 5% of schools (see previous page) is identified for Targeted Support for a Low-Performing Student Group. If any student group is identified for Targeted Support, this will be noted in the Schoolwide row in the table. Schools in which one or more student groups miss annual targets for all indicators two years in a row are identified for Targeted Support for a Consistently Underperforming Student Group. In the table below, schools in which one or more student groups miss annual targets for all indicators are noted to be At Risk for being identified for Targeted Support for the 2017-18 school year. Annual targets for proficiency and graduation rate are set based on a school or student group’s performance in 2015-16. The target for chronic absenteeism is the statewide average for all students. For more details on accountability targets, see these [accountability resources](#).

Student Group	Summative Score	Cut-off Score for Targeted Support and Improvement	Requires Targeted Support and Improvement for 2016-17	English Language Arts Proficiency	Mathematics Proficiency	Chronic Absenteeism	English Language Arts Student Growth	Mathematics Student Growth	At Risk for Consistently Underperforming Student Group
Schoolwide	37.0	11.9	No	Met Target†	Met Target†	Met Target	Met Target	Met Target	No
White	36.5	11.9	No	Met Target	Met Target†	Met Target	Not Met	Met Target	No
Hispanic	**	**	No	N	N	Not Met	**	**	No
Black or African American	28.7	11.9	No	N	N	Not Met	Not Met	**	No
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	50.0	11.9	No	Met Goal	Met Goal	Met Target	Met Target	Met Target	No
American Indian or Alaska Native	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Two or More Races	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Economically Disadvantaged Students	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Students with Disabilities	36.5	11.9	No	Met Target	Met Target	Not Met	Not Met	Not Met	No
English Learners	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No

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School Narrative

This section allows schools and districts to share highlights, achievements, and other important information about programs, activities, and services that are offered in their own words. If there are questions about the information provided in the narrative section, please contact your school directly.

 Highlights:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Technology is part of each school day with all students utilizing 1:1 Chromebooks. • Curriculum includes Advanced Math classes, Balanced Literacy Programs and NGSS. • Staff committed to student learning, meaningful engagement and academic rigor.
 Mission, Vision, Theme:	<p>The Mission of Valley View School is to enhance and further develop the academic and social competencies of every student by providing varied experiences that promote self-reliance, self-motivation, and community awareness. We accomplish this mission with our 340 students with a staff that embraces a growth mindset and the power of perseverance along with a rigorous academic program established across the content areas.</p>
 Awards, Recognition, Accomplishments:	<p>Our Valley View students compete in academics and athletics. Students in SOAR, our Gifted and Talented program have won several Future Cities competitions. Students in 7/8 Band and Chorus have achieved Gold status in yearly regional adjudications. Our girls' and boys' basketball teams have both won Central Jersey Junior Basketball League Championships.</p>







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 Courses, Curriculum, Instruction:	<p>Our curriculum is based on the NJSLs. We offer advanced math classes to eligible students in grades 5-8. Students are screened for our G&T program and meet for classes 2 times per week. Our language classes have a double period to focus on reading and writing. Our textbooks are available in class and online. Curriculum is evaluated every five years and new textbooks and resources are selected as needed. Students use an inquiry based approach to meet the performance expectations of NGSS.</p>
 Sports and Athletics:	<p>Valley View School students participate in sports and athletics. We offer girls' and boys' basketball teams, baseball, softball, volleyball and track and field. Students also participate during and after school in our Adventure Education Program. The program consists of swinging elements, rope climbing, knot tying, belaying techniques, balance beam courses, and group tasks that foster team work and communication.</p>
 Clubs and Activities:	<p>Most of our students stay at school after dismissal. TREP\$ is an entrepreneur program for students who want to start their own business. Girls on Track builds self-respect and healthy lifestyles while training for a 5K. Other favorites are the Environmental Club, Community Outreach, Peer Leaders, Student Council, Photography Club, History Club, Homework Club, and Honor and Regions Bands. Students also serve on the Watchung Youth Services Commission.</p>
 Before and After School Programs:	<p>Best Time LLC operates an afterschool option for our middle school students. Aftercare is available at Bayberry School until 6:30 p.m. Transportation is provided for Valley View students to Bayberry School for this program, which assists working parents.</p>







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 Staff and Professional Learning:	<p>Professional development is offered to teachers and administrators during the summer and throughout the school year. Cohorts of teachers have been trained during the summer in engaging students and facilitating learning and are supported by coaching throughout the year. In partnership with our surrounding districts, we provide over 90 PD workshops for our teachers to meet their professional needs. Teachers collaborate in PLCs and in our faculty book club.</p>
 Student Supports and Services:	<p>Valley View has established and implemented a system for I&RS that is designed to assist students who are experiencing learning, behavior or health difficulties. The I&RS team meets regularly to form action plans and to review the implementation and success of the interventions. ELL students are identified and supported with instructional services. Our CST evaluates and supports students with special needs. Teachers, parents and case managers collaborate on IEP goals and objectives.</p>
 Student Health and Wellness:	<p>Our students are scheduled for Phys. Ed. classes 4 times per week in grades 6-8. Students are able to go outside during the lunch period or use the gym during inclement weather for additional physical activity time. Health classes are taught by our teachers and school nurse and focus on wellness and nutrition. A Watchung DARE officer teaches our 5th graders the dangers of substance abuse.</p>
 Parent and Community Involvement:	<p>Valley View Middle School is fortunate to have an active and supportive PTO and an enthusiastic and motivated Watchung Educational Foundation. Together these two groups organize a variety of fundraisers to enrich our educational programs. They provide assemblies, workshops, and grants to enhance the curriculum. Both organizations support our Narratives of Courage Day, a biannual event that brings motivational speakers to our school to share their incredible stories of courage and resiliency.</p>



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Climate Surveys:

Is a Climate Survey Used: Yes; Who is surveyed: Students

A school climate survey was given to students in grades 3 through 8 in June 2017. The results were reviewed in the fall by the School Safety Committee creating an action plan for the 2017-18 school year. The majority of our students feel safe in our school and confident that our teachers and support staff respond to their needs. Our guidance counselor is available for all students throughout the day. Class trips are offered in grades 7 and 8 to support team building and collaboration.



Facilities:

An addition and renovations were made to Valley View School in 2003. A new gym, industrial arts room and three additional classrooms were built along with renovations to the existing structure. New heating and air conditioning was included in these renovations. In 2016, the main computer lab was transformed into a state of the art STEM classroom.



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Other Information:

Valley View School's weekly schedule begins with a Traditional Day when every class meets for a forty minute period. Each remaining day of the week, a period is dropped in the morning and afternoon. These fifty-two minute periods rotate throughout the week allowing students and teachers to experience the class at different times of the day. Technology has played an important part in communication between students and teachers and the school and family. We use PowerSchool as our SIS. Parents and students are able to login and see grades and assignments posted in a timely manner. Students and teachers utilize Google Classroom for assignments, collaboration, resources and note and test taking. Our website is an important resource for parents. There families can access a teacher webpage as well as see calendar dates and other information that pertains to their child. The district has made an effort with our Green Team to reduce the amount of paper we use and technology is assisting us to meet that goal. School safety is a priority for our school and district. Our procedures help to keep our students and staff safe while still welcoming parents and visitors to our school.