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### **School Contact Info**

This table contains contact information including principal name, address, phone number, email address, and social media information, if provided.

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Туре	Contact Information
County	CHARTERS
District	UNIVERSITY ACADEMY CS
Principal Name	MR. LUGO
Address	275 WEST SIDE AVENUE JERSEY CITY, NJ 07305
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Email Address	ELUGO@NJCU.EDU
Website	http://www.uachs.org



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### **Enrollment Trends by Grade**

This table shows the number of students enrolled by grade for the past three school years.

17-18
117
108
100
103
428

### **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	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Female	51.8%	49.4%	50.9%
Male	48.2%	50.6%	49.1%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	80.1%	71.4%	75.9%
Students with Disabilities	16.8%	16.2%	18.0%
English Learners	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Homeless Students		0.0%	0.0%
Students in Foster Care		0.0%	0.0%
Military-Connected Students		0.0%	0.0%
Migrant Students		0.0%	0.0%

### **Enrollment by Racial and Ethnic Group**

This table shows the percentage of students by racial and ethnic group for the past three school years.

Racial and Ethnic Group	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
White	2.6%	3.1%	3.5%
Hispanic	32.4%	31.0%	29.4%
Black or African American	53.0%	54.7%	57.9%
Asian	12.0%	11.2%	9.1%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Two or More Races	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%

### Enrollment Trends by Full and Shared Time Status

This table shows the number of full and shared time students for the last three years. The full time equivalent is the number of full time students plus half the number of shared time students.

Enrollment Status	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Full Time Students	417	419	428
Shared Time Students	0	0	0
Full Time Equivalent	417	419	428

### 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, and students with other home languages are included in the Other Languages total.

Home Language	% of Students
English	84.8%
Spanish	10.5%
Tagalog	2.1%
Other Languages	2.6%



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### English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Participation and Performance

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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	2017-18 Annual Target	Met 2017-18 Annual Target
Schoolwide	221	99.6	19.4	19.4	56.7	19.4	30.3	Not Met
White	*	*	*	*	65.6	*	**	**
Hispanic	64	98.5	23.5	23.5	42.5	23.5	28.6	Met Target†
Black or African American	135	100.0	12.6	12.6	37.3	12.6	25	Not Met
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	82.3	*	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	52.7	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N	63.4	N	**	**
Female	120	100.0	22.5	22.5	64.5	22.5		
Male	101	99.0	15.9	15.9	49.4	15.9		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	167	99.4	18.6	18.6	38.5	18.6	31	Not Met
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	54	100.0	22.2	22.2	67.5	22.2		
Students with Disabilities	40	100.0	*	*	21.6	*	4	Not Met
Students without Disabilities	181	99.5	*	*	63.9	*		
English Learners	N	N	N	N	27.3	N	**	**
Non-English Learners	221	99.6	19.4	19.4	59.4	19.4		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N	27.7	N		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	N	26.3	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	57.4	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	30.1	N		

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### English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 9

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 both overall and by student group the number of valid test scores and a summary of performance including mean scale scores, percentages of students scoring in each performance level, and the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5).

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	117	729	729	752	16%	25%	37%	*	*	22%	55%
White	*	*	*	760	*	*	*	*	*	*	64%
Hispanic	35	733	733	735	*	*	46%	*	*	23%	38%
Black or African American	70	723	723	734	19%	33%	33%	*	*	16%	34%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	782	*	*	*	*	*	*	83%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	752	N	N	N	N	N	N	51%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	760	N	N	N	N	N	N	63%
Female	67	733	733	759	*	27%	36%	*	*	25%	63%
Male	50	725	725	744	*	22%	38%	*	*	18%	46%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	88	731	731	733	*	*	*	*	*	23%	34%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	29	723	723	761	*	*	*	*	*	21%	65%
Students with Disabilities	21	694	694	716	*	*	*	*	*	*	15%
Students without Disabilities	96	737	737	758	*	*	*	*	*	*	62%
English Learners	N	N	N	691	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	117	729	729	755	16%	25%	37%	*	*	22%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	720	N	N	N	N	N	N	22%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	719	N	N	N	N	N	N	20%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	749	N	N	N	N	N	N	54%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	696	N	N	N	N	N	N	10%



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### English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 10

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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	105	714	714	749	34%	30%	20%	*	*	16%	51%
White	*	*	*	756	*	*	*	*	*	*	58%
Hispanic	29	717	717	733	*	34%	*	*	*	24%	38%
Black or African American	65	707	707	728	*	*	*	*	*	*	32%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	782	*	*	*	*	*	*	78%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	744	N	N	N	N	N	N	50%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	753	N	N	N	N	N	N	55%
Female	53	721	721	759	25%	38%	19%	*	*	19%	60%
Male	52	707	707	739	44%	21%	21%	*	*	13%	42%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	80	710	710	730	*	*	*	*	*	14%	34%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	25	725	725	758	*	*	*	*	*	24%	59%
Students with Disabilities	19	689	689	707	*	*	*	*	*	*	15%
Students without Disabilities	86	719	719	756	*	*	*	*	*	*	57%
English Learners	N	N	N	684	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	105	714	714	752	34%	30%	20%	*	*	16%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	707	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	748	N	N	N	N	N	N	48%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	706	N	N	N	N	N	N	18%



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### English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 11

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Note: Grade 11 students who take the AP/IB English exam are exempt from taking the PARCC ELA exam and their performance may not be reflected in the PARCC ELA Grade 11 results.

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	102	726	726	736	28%	16%	24%	*	*	32%	39%
White	*	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	41%
Hispanic	28	727	727	731	*	*	39%	*	*	21%	35%
Black or African American	61	721	721	729	33%	18%	16%	*	*	33%	31%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	759	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	730	N	N	N	N	N	N	25%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	737	N	N	N	N	N	N	39%
Female	50	738	738	745	*	*	*	*	*	42%	48%
Male	52	715	715	728	*	*	*	*	*	23%	31%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	85	724	724	730	*	*	*	*	*	33%	33%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	17	733	733	739	*	*	*	*	*	29%	42%
Students with Disabilities	20	691	691	708	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
Students without Disabilities	82	734	734	742	*	*	*	*	*	*	44%
English Learners	N	N	N	702	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	102	726	726	738	28%	16%	24%	*	*	32%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	22%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	19%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	31%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	707	N	N	N	N	N	N	*



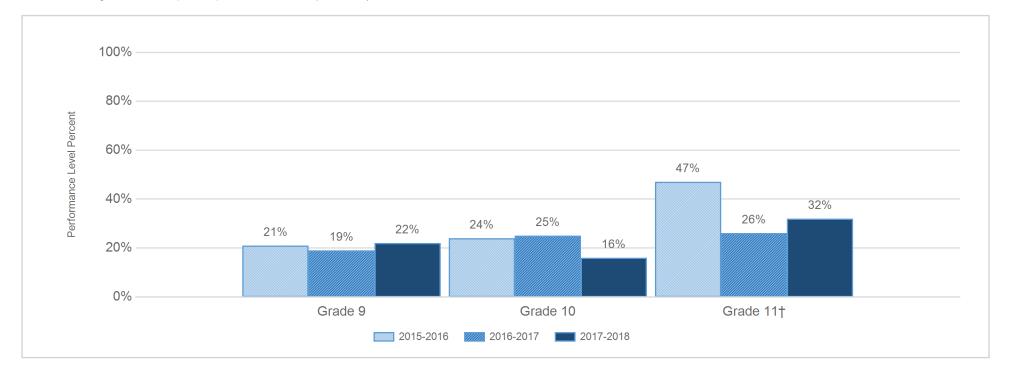
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### English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance Trends

This graph shows the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations on each grade level exam on the English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment for the past three years.



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Schoolwide	225	99.6	*	*	45.0	*	17.6	Not Met
White	*	*	*	*	54.1	*	**	**
Hispanic	67	100.0	11.9	11.9	29.2	11.9	23.4	Not Met
Black or African American	136	99.3	*	*	23.4	*	11.2	Not Met
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	38.5	38.5	77.0	38.5	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	42.5	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N	53.0	N	**	**
Female	121	100.0	*	*	46.0	*		
Male	104	99.1	*	*	43.9	*		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	169	99.4	*	*	26.6	*	15.2	Not Met
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	56	100.0	*	*	55.9	*		
Students with Disabilities	41	97.6	*	*	17.1	*	4	Met Target
Students without Disabilities	184	100.0	*	*	50.5	*		
English Learners	N	N	N	N	24.6	N	**	**
Non-English Learners	225	99.6	*	*	46.9	*		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N	17.3	N		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	N	16.2	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	45.8	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	23.7	N		

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### Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Test: Algebra I

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Schoolwide	122	723	723	746	23%	31%	32%	*	*	14%	46%
White	*	*	*	755	*	*	*	*	*	*	57%
Hispanic	37	726	726	730	*	35%	27%	*	*	19%	27%
Black or African American	73	716	716	727	*	*	*	*	*	*	23%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	779	*	*	*	*	*	*	79%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	746	N	N	N	N	N	N	49%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	755	N	N	N	N	N	N	54%
Female	69	721	721	748	26%	28%	32%	*	*	14%	48%
Male	53	725	725	745	19%	36%	32%	*	*	13%	44%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	93	724	724	729	*	28%	*	*	*	15%	25%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	29	719	719	756	*	41%	*	*	*	10%	57%
Students with Disabilities	22	706	706	716	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
Students without Disabilities	100	727	727	752	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
English Learners	N	N	N	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	122	723	723	749	23%	31%	32%	*	*	14%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	16%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	712	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	752	N	N	N	N	N	N	49%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	720	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%



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Schoolwide	88	706	706	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
White	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	37%
Hispanic	26	708	708	723	*	*	*	*	*	*	14%
Black or African American	57	704	704	719	*	*	*	*	*	*	11%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	760	*	*	*	*	*	*	65%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	734	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	741	N	N	N	N	N	N	39%
Female	42	704	704	736	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Male	46	708	708	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	29%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	69	706	706	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	19	705	705	741	*	*	*	*	*	*	38%
Students with Disabilities	21	700	700	713	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Students without Disabilities	67	707	707	738	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
English Learners	N	N	N	711	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	88	706	706	736	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	711	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	24%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	709	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%



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## Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Test: Algebra II

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Schoolwide	93	700	700	727	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
White	*	*	*	733	*	*	*	*	*	*	35%
Hispanic	23	697	697	710	*	*	*	*	*	*	14%
Black or African American	57	698	698	705	*	*	*	*	*	*	11%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	766	*	*	*	*	*	*	66%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	736	N	N	N	N	N	N	37%
Female	44	703	703	728	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Male	49	698	698	727	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	72	698	698	709	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	21	706	706	736	*	*	*	*	*	*	37%
Students with Disabilities	18	682	682	693	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Students without Disabilities	75	705	705	732	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
English Learners	N	N	N	691	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	93	700	700	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	703	N	N	N	N	N	N	10%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	693	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	20%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	15%



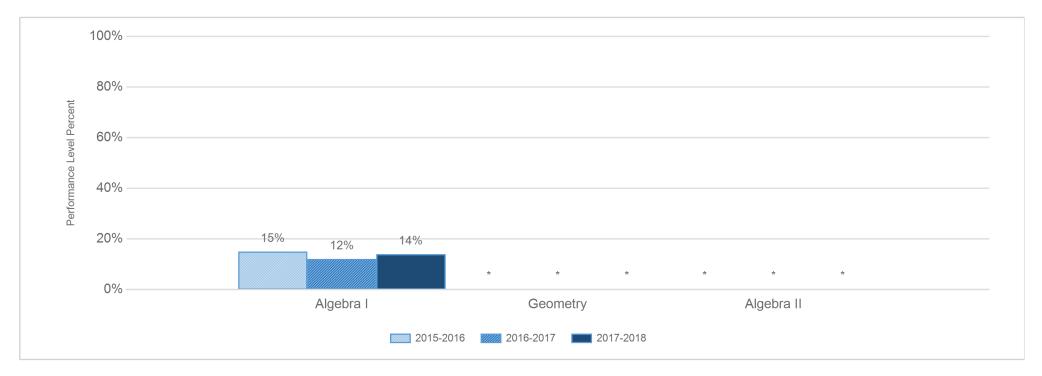
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### Mathematics Assessment – Performance Trends

This graph shows the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations on each grade level or end of course exam on the Mathematics section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment for the past three years.



<sup>†</sup> Grade level results do not include students who took the Algebra I, Geometry, or Algebra II end of course tests.



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### **DLM Alternate Assessment - 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
9	N	N
10	N	N
11	N	N

### English Language Progress to Proficiency

This table shows the percentage of English Learners who demonstrated the expected amount of growth on the ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 Assessment for English Language proficiency. Expected growth is based on the student's initial level of English Language Proficiency during the 2016-17 school year and the number of years the student has been enrolled in the district. This table also shows the school's 2017-18 ESSA accountability target and whether the target was met.

Student Group	Percent of English Learners Making Expected Growth to Proficiency	2017-18 Target	Met Target?
Schoolwide/English Learners	N	Ν	N

<sup>†</sup> Target was met within one standard deviation

### 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 and 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	
0-2	N	N	N	
3-4	N	N	N	
5 or more	N	N	N	



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The New Jersey Student Learning Assessment for Science (NJSLA-S) measures student proficiency with the New Jersey Student Learning Standards for Science. All students in grade 5, grade 8, and grade 11 were administered the NJSLA-Science field test in 2017-18.

### NJASK Science Assessment Information

New Jersey transitioned from the NJASK to NJSLA-S in 2017-18 to align to new science standards. Results of field tests in 2017-18 will not be reported, but results of NJSLA-S will be added to the performance reports in 2018-19.

### **Biology Assessment Information**

New Jersey transitioned from the Biology Assessment to NJSLA-S in 2017-18 to align to new science standards. Results of field tests in 2017-18 will not be reported, but results of NJSLA-S will be added to the performance reports in 2018-19.



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Information about participation and performance on the PSAT, SAT, and ACT exams comes directly from College Board and ACT.

### PSAT, SAT, & ACT - Participation

This table shows information about participation on the PSAT, SAT, and ACT exams. PSAT participation is the percentage of 10th and 11th graders that took the PSAT 10 or PSAT NMSQT exam in 2017-18. SAT and ACT participation rates show the percentage of 12th graders that have taken the SAT or ACT this year or in prior years.

Participation Type	School Participation Rate	State Participation Rate
10th and 11th graders taking PSAT 10/NMSQT in 2017-18	51.0%	85.0%
12th graders taking SAT in 2017-18 or prior years	97.1%	72.2%
12th graders taking ACT in 2017-18 or prior years	*	24.6%

### PSAT, SAT, & ACT - Performance

This table shows how students performed on the PSAT, SAT, and ACT tests by subject area. The table includes average test scores, college readiness benchmarks, and the percentage of students that scored at or above these benchmarks. Benchmarks were defined by College Board and ACT and students that score at or above these benchmarks have a high chance of success in credit-bearing college courses.

Participation Type	School Average Score	State Average Score	College Readiness Benchmarks	School - Students Scores at or above Benchmark	State - Students Scores at or above Benchmark
PSAT 10/NMSQT - Reading and Writing	410	478	Grade 10: 430 Grade 11: 460	25%	62%
PSAT 10/NMSQT - Math	426	478	Grade 10: 480 Grade 11: 510	13%	42%
SAT - Reading and Writing	463	542	480	43%	72%
SAT - Math	459	543	530	23%	54%
ACT - Reading	*	24	22	*	62%
ACT - English	*	24	18	*	78%
ACT - Math	*	24	22	*	62%
ACT - Science	*	23	23	*	53%



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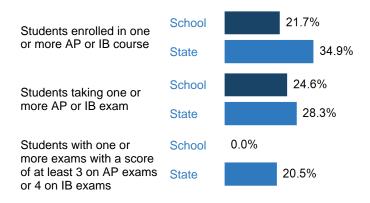
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Students in high schools begin to demonstrate college readiness behaviors long before they actually graduate from high school. These include participating in advanced course work such as **Advanced Placement (AP)** or **International Baccalaureate (IB)** courses and exams and **dual enrollment** courses where high school students can enroll in college courses for credit.

### AP/IB Coursework - Participation and Performance

This chart shows the percentage of 11th and 12th graders who enrolled in one or more AP or IB courses, who took one or more AP or IB exams, and who had one or more exams with an AP score of 3 or higher or IB score of 4 or higher.



# Dual Enrollment Coursework - Participation

This graph shows the percentage students enrolled in at least one dual enrollment course during the school year. Dual enrollment courses allow high school students to enroll in college courses for credit prior to their high school graduation.

Students enrolled in one	School	10.3%
or more dual enrollment course	State	13.3%

#### AP/ IB Courses Offered

This table shows the list of AP/IB Courses that were offered by the school or for which students took the corresponding AP/IB exam along with the number of students enrolled and the number of students taking the exam. Students do not need to take a course to take the exam and not all students enrolled in a course take the exam. The last two rows show the total number of exams taken and the number of exams with AP scores of 3 or higher or IB scores of 4 or higher. Students who take multiple examples are counted more than once in the last two rows.

AP/IB Course	Students Enrolled	Students Tested
AP Calculus AB	11	11
AP English Language and Composition	21	41
AP English Literature and Composition	20	0
AP Human Geography	0	18
Total Exams taken		70
Exams with scores of at least 3 on AP exams or 4 on IB exams		0



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This section contains information about participation in approved Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs and Structured Learning Experiences and students earning Industry-Valued Credentials. For more information about Career and Technical Education in New Jersey, please visit the <a href="NJDOE's Career and Technical Education">NJDOE's Career and Technical Education</a> website.

### Career and Technical Education Participation

The graphs below show the percentage of students who were enrolled in courses in approved Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs. Students enrolled in shared-time Career and Technical Education programs in a county vocational school district are included in the percentages for both the county vocational school and their sending school.

#### **CTE Participants**

(completed only one course in an approved CTE program)

School 0.0%

State



#### **CTE Concentrators**

(completed two or more courses in a single approved CTE program and/or completed the entire CTE program)

School 0.0%

State



### Structured Learning Experiences Participation

The graph below shows the percentage of students who participated in Structured Learning Experiences during the school year. Structured Learning Experiences can include work-based learning programs, internships, apprenticeships, and service learning experiences and can be paid or unpaid.

### Structured Learning Experiences

School 0.0%

State 3.3%



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### **Industry-Valued Credentials**

The graph below shows the percentage of students in grades 9 through 12 who earned one or more Industry-Valued Credential during the school year.

#### **Students Earning Industry-Valued Credentials**

0.0% School

State

0.9%

### Industry-Valued Credentials by Career Cluster

This table shows by Career Cluster the number of students enrolled in approved Career and Technical Education programs, the number of students that earned one or more industry-valued credential, and the total number of credentials earned. Students are only enrolled in one career cluster, but they may earn credentials in multiple clusters or earn multiple credentials within one cluster. Career Clusters without approved credentials are grayed out. Career Cluster rows will be hidden if no students were enrolled and no credentials were earned. The last row provides unique counts of students enrolled and students earning one or more credentials across all clusters.

Career Cluster	Students Enrolled in Program	Students Earning at least one Credential	
Total (All Clusters)	0	0	0



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### Mathematics - Course Participation

This table shows the number of students who were enrolled in Mathematics courses by grade and subject area. Students are counted more than once if they were enrolled in courses across multiple subject areas. The last two rows show the number of students enrolled in Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) courses and Dual Enrollment courses by subject area. Subject areas where AP/IB courses are not offered are grayed out.

Grade	Algebra I	Geometry	Algebra II	Pre-Calculus	Calculus	Statistics	Other Math
9	116	1	1	0	0	0	0
10	5	100	24	0	0	0	0
11	0	8	67	20	0	0	2
12	0	1	26	7	11	0	53
Total	121	110	118	27	11	0	55
Enrolled in AP/IB Course					11	0	0
Enrolled in Dual Enrollment Course	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### Science - Course Participation

This table shows the number of students who were enrolled in Science courses by grade and subject area. Students are counted more than once if they were enrolled in courses across multiple subject areas. The last two rows show the number of students enrolled in Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) courses and Dual Enrollment courses by subject area. Subject areas where AP/IB courses are not offered are grayed out.

Grade	Biology	Chemistry	Earth and Space Science	Environmental Science	Physics	Other Science
9	11	0	0	0	91	0
10	93	1	0	0	14	0
11	6	88	0	0	7	0
12	0	11	0	0	16	38
Total	110	100	0	0	128	38
Enrolled in AP/IB Course	0	0		0	0	0
Enrolled in Dual Enrollment Course	0	0	0	0	0	0



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### Social Studies and History - Course Participation

This table shows the number of students who were enrolled in Social Studies and History courses by grade and subject area. Students are counted more than once if they were enrolled in courses across multiple subject areas. The last two rows show the number of students enrolled in Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) courses and Dual Enrollment courses by subject area. Subject areas where AP/IB courses are not offered are grayed out.

Grade	World History	US History I & II	Economics	Psychology	Sociology	Other Social Studies or History
9	0	0	1	0	0	104
10	0	9	7	0	0	100
11	1	97	83	0	18	3
12	91	2	23	0	41	0
Total	92	108	114	0	59	207
Enrolled in AP/IB Course	0	0	0	0		0
Enrolled in Dual Enrollment Course	0	0	0	0	0	0

### World Languages - Course Participation

This table shows the number of students who were enrolled in World Languages courses by grade and language. Students are counted more than once if they were enrolled in courses across multiple languages. The last three rows show the number of students enrolled in level 3 or higher courses (such as French II or IV), Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) courses, and Dual Enrollment courses by language.

Grade	Spanish	French	Italian	Latin	German	Chinese	Other Languages
9	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	89	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	19	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	119	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled in AP/IB Course	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled in Dual Enrollment Course	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled in Level 3 or Higher	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



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### Seal of Biliteracy

This table shows the number of Seals of Biliteracy earned by language. The New Jersey Department of Education State Seal of Biliteracy identifies graduating high school students who are able to demonstrate proficiency in English in addition to one or more languages. Students may be counted more than once if they earned Seals across more than one language. Visit the <a href="NJDOE Seal of Biliteracy website">NJDOE Seal of Biliteracy website</a> for more information.

Language	Students Earning a Seal of Biliteracy
Total	0



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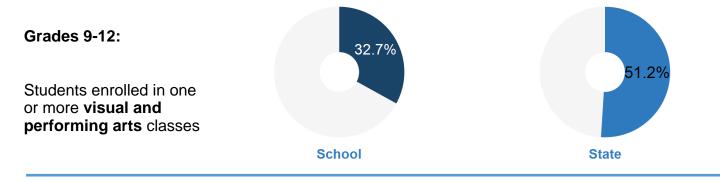
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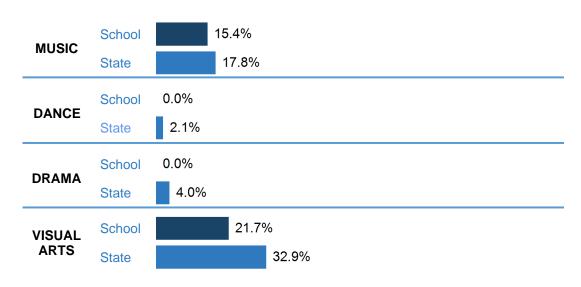
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### Visual and Performing Arts – Course Participation

The first set of graphs below show the percentages of students who were enrolled in any Visual and Performing Arts classes during the school year. 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 during the school year.



Students enrolled in one or more classes by discipline:





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### **Graduation Rates**

This table shows 4-year and 5-year graduation rates both overall and by student group. Annual ESSA accountability targets for the Class of 2017 4-year rate and the Class of 2016 5-year rates are included with a flag for whether the annual targets were met. Student group rows where the annual target fields are 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	School - Class of 2018: 4 Year Rate	State - Class of 2018: 4 Year Rate	School - Class of 2017: 5 Year Rate	State - Class of 2017: 5 Year Rate	Class of 2017: 4 Year Rate	Class of 2017: 4 Year Target	Class of 2017: Met Target	Class of 2016: 5 Year Rate	Class of 2016: 5 Year Target	Class of 2016: Met Target
Schoolwide	97.1%	90.9%	94.0%	92.4%	88.2%	88.7%	Not Met	87.4%	93.9%	Not Met
White	*	95.0%	*	95.7%	*	**	**	N	N	N
Hispanic	100.0%	84.8%	97.4%	87.3%	92.5%	89.5%	Met Target	85.2%	96.0%	Not Met
Black or African American	98.0%	84.2%	91.5%	86.8%	87.2%	89.7%	Not Met	87.5%	91.1%	Not Met
Asian, Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	*	97.0%	*	97.7%	*	**	**	*	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	86.5%	N	94.1%	N	N	N	N	N	N
Two or More Races	N	92.0%	N	93.9%	N	N	N	*	**	**
Economically Disadvantaged Students	96.1%	84.6%	92.7%	87.0%	86.7%	88.7%	Not Met	85.3%	93.8%	Not Met
Students with Disabilities	90.0%	80.1%	92.9%	83.5%	78.6%	**	**	72.7%	**	**
English Learners	*	75.8%	N	81.8%	N	N	N	N	N	N
Homeless Students	N	72.6%	N	79.1%	N			N		
Students in Foster Care	N	62.6%	N	64.9%						



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### **Graduation Pathways**

This table shows the percentage of Class of 2018 graduates that met high school graduation requirements through each type of graduation pathway for both English Language Arts (ELA) and Math.

Graduation Pathway	ELA Graduation Pathway	Math Graduation Pathway
PARCC Assessment	56.6%	29.3%
Substitute Competency Test	21.2%	39.4%
Portfolio Appeals Process	13.1%	20.2%
Alternate Requirements specified in IEP	9.1%	11.1%
Unknown	0.0%	0.0%

### **Graduation Rate Trends**

This table shows the 4-year and 5-year graduation rates by graduating class.

Class of	4-Year Rate	5-Year Rate
2018	97.1%	-
2017	88.2%	94.0%
2016	84.9%	87.4%

### **Dropout Rate Trends**

This table shows the percentage of students in grades 9-12 that dropped out during each of the past three school years.

School Year	School Rate	State Rate
2017-2018	0.5%	1.2%
2016-2017	0.5%	1.1%
2015-2016	1.4%	1.2%



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Information about students enrolling in colleges and universities after graduation is collected from the National Student Clearinghouse, which collects data from at least 95% of higher education institutions nationwide.

### Postsecondary Enrollment Rates: Fall

This table shows information about Class of 2018 high school graduates enrolled in postsecondary institutions by the fall of 2018. The first column shows the percentage of graduates enrolled in any postsecondary institution, and the next two columns show the percentage of those enrolled students in 2-year and 4-year institutions.

Student Group	% Enrolled in Any Institution	% Enrolled in 2-Year Institution	% Enrolled in 4-Year Institution
Statewide	72.8%	27.6%	72.4%
Schoolwide	74.7%	25.7%	74.3%
White	*	*	*
Hispanic	75%	16.7%	83.3%
Black or African American	73.5%	36.1%	63.9%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N
Two or More Races	N	N	N
Economically Disadvantaged Students	75%	25.5%	74.5%
Students with Disabilities	46.2%	50%	50%
English Learners	N	N	N

### Postsecondary Enrollment Rates: 16 month

This table shows information about Class of 2017 high school graduates enrolled in postsecondary institutions by the fall of 2018. The first column shows the percentage of graduates enrolled in any postsecondary institution, and the following sets of columns show the percentage of those enrolled students in 2-year and 4-year institutions, public or private institutions, and in-state and out-of-state institutions.

% Enrolled in Any Institution	% Enrolled in 2-Year Institution	% Enrolled in 4-Year Institution	% Enrolled in Public Institution	% Enrolled in Private Institution	% Enrolled in In-State Institution	% Enrolled in Out-of- State Institution
77.9%	31.9%	68.1%	72.5%	27.5%	64.9%	35.1%
80%	41.7%	58.3%	88.9%	11.1%	90.3%	9.7%
*	*	*	*	*	*	*
75.7%	39.3%	60.7%	85.7%	14.3%	92.9%	7.1%
77.5%	41.9%	58.1%	90.3%	9.7%	83.9%	16.1%
*	*	*	*	*	*	*
N	N	N	N	N	N	N
N	N	N	N	N	N	N
79.4%	42%	58%	88%	12%	92%	8%
71.4%	50%	50%	100%	0%	100%	0%
N	N	N	N	N	N	N
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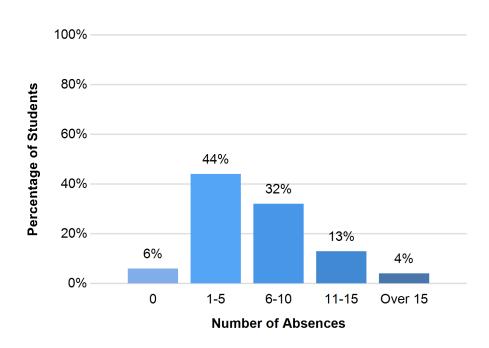
### Chronic Absenteeism

This table shows the number and percentage of students in grades K-12 both overall and by student group who were chronically absent during the school year. The last two columns show the chronic absenteeism state average for students in the grades offered and whether the rate for each student group was above the state average ("Not Met") or less than or equal to the state average ("Met").

Student Group	Number of students chronically absent	Percent of students chronically absent	State Average	Met State Average
Schoolwide	7	1.6	14.9	Met
White	1	6.7	**	**
Hispanic	1	0.8	14.9	Met
Black or African American	4	1.6	14.9	Met
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	1	2.5	14.9	Met
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N
Two or More Races	N	N	Ν	N
Economically Disadvantaged Students	6	1.8	14.9	Met
Students with Disabilities	2	2.5	14.9	Met
English Learners	N	N	N	N

### Days Absent

This graph shows the percentage of K-12 students by the number of days they were absent during the school year.





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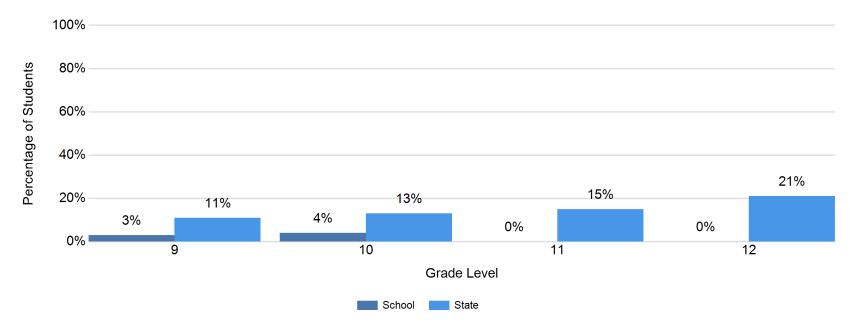
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### Chronic Absenteeism by Grade

This graph shows the percentage of students by grade level who were chronically absent during the school year.





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### 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 row provides an unduplicated count of incidents. The last row shows the rate of incidents for every 100 students enrolled.

Incident Type	Number of Incidents
Violence	11
Weapons	0
Vandalism	5
Substances	5
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	1
Total Unique Incidents	22
Incidents Per 100 Students Enrolled	5.14

### Police Notifications

This table shows, by incident type, the number of cases where an incident led to police notification.

Incident Type	Incidents Reported to Police
Violence	4
Weapons	0
Vandalism	4
Substances	1
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	0
Other Incidents Leading to Removal	2



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### Harassment, Intimidation, and Bullying (HIB) Investigations

This table shows, by the nature of the incident, the number of alleged and confirmed Harassment, Intimidation, and Bulling (HIB) investigations. The nature of an incident is based on the protected categories listed below, and the nature of a single HIB investigation may include multiple categories. All confirmed incidents must have an identified nature.

HIB Nature (Protected Category)	HIB Alleged	HIB Confirmed	Total HIB Investigations
Race	0	1	1
Religion	0	0	0
Ancestry	0	0	0
Gender	0	0	0
Sexual Orientation	0	0	0
Disability	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
No Identified Nature	0		0

### Student Disciplinary Removals

The first table shows, by removal type, the number and percentage of students who received disciplinary removals during the school year. Removal types include students receiving one or more in-school suspensions, one or more out-of-school suspensions, one or more suspension of any type, removal to another school or other educational program, expulsion with no further educational services, or arrest. The second table shows the total number of days missed due to out-of-school suspension for all students during the school year.

Removal Type	Number of Students	Percent of Students
In-School Suspensions	34	7.9%
Out-of-School Suspensions	28	6.5%
Any Suspension	53	12.4%
Removal to other education program	*	*
Expulsion	0	0.0%
Arrest	*	*

School Days Missed due to Out-of-School Suspensions



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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. Full time students attend this school for more than half of the school day and shared-time students attend the school for half of the school day or less.

Category	School	
Typical Start Time	8:00 AM	
Typical End Time	2:50 PM	
Length of School Day	6 Hrs 50 Mins	
Full Time - Instructional Time	5 Hrs 36 Mins	
Shared Time - Instructional Time	N	

### **Device Ratios**

This table shows the student to device ratio, which is the number of students in tested grades 3-11 per device. Devices are computers such as tablets, iPads, laptops and Chromebooks. The count includes only devices that meet nationally recommended specifications for digital learning in grades 3-11. This information comes from the elective NJTRAx survey, therefore data may not be available for all schools. Additionally, schools that have adopted a Bring Your Own Device policy may appear to have a very low Student to Device ratio due to this policy decision.

School Year	Student to Device Ratio
2017-18	1:1

### 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' <u>User Friendly Budgets</u>, or the NJDOE Finance <u>District Report Search</u> of the Comprehensive Annual Financial Reports (CAFRs) and Auditor's Management Reports (AMRs). NJDOE will be collecting school-level per-pupil expenditures data for the 2018-19 school year, and that data will be included in future reports.

Per-Pupil Expenditures	Federal	State/ Local	Total
District Total (2016-2017)	\$795	\$14,750	\$15,545



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**Teachers**: All classroom teachers

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level administrators

### 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	41	117,464
Average years experience in public schools	9.5	12.0
Average years experience in district	5.8	10.7
Teachers in district for 4 or more years	56.1%	75.5%

### 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	7	9,374
Average years experience in public schools	14.4	16.0
Average years experience in district	11.4	12.0
Administrators in district for 4 or more years	100.0%	76.2%

### Student and Staff Ratios

This table shows ratios of students and staff members 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.

Ratio	School Ratio	District Ratio
Students to Teachers	10:1	10:1
Students to Administrators	61:1	61:1
Teachers to Administrators	6:1	6:1
Students to Librarians/Media Specialists		N
Students to Nurses		428:1
Students to Counselors		214:1
Students to Child Study Team		143:1



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### Teachers and Administrators - Level of Education

This chart shows the highest level of education attained by the teachers and administrators. 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**

Teacher	2%
Admin	0%

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

This table shows the percentage of teachers and administrators assigned to this district in 2016-17 that were still assigned to this district in 2017-18. Staff who were not retained may have changed districts or no longer work for the state (including retirements).

Job Type	District	State
2016-17 Teachers: Same district 2017-18	83.3%	90.2%
2016-17 Administrators: Same district 2017-18	77.8%	86.2%

### Faculty Attendance

This table shows the percentage of days that 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
2017-18	94.5%



College and Career Readiness

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Overview

### Teachers and Administrators - Demographics

This table shows the percentage of teachers and administrators by gender and by racial and ethnic group.

Category	Teachers	Administrators
Female	51.2%	42.9%
Male	48.8%	57.1%
White	48.8%	57.1%
Hispanic	31.7%	28.6%
Black or African American	19.5%	14.3%
Asian	0.0%	0.0%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%	0.0%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%
Two or More Races	0.0%	0.0%



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### Comprehensive Status

This table shows whether this school is identified as requiring Comprehensive Support and Improvement during the 2019-20 school year and whether it will be eligible to exit comprehensive status in January 2021 or January 2022. Schools must meet exit criteria in order to exit status. Schools with a summative score in the bottom 5% of Title I schools or with a four-year graduation rate of 67% or less are identified as requiring Comprehensive Support and Improvement.

Requires Comprehensive Support during the 2019-20 School Year	Eligible to exit status in January 2021	Eligible to exit status in January 2022
No	n/a	n/a

### **Targeted Status**

This table shows whether one or more student groups in this school has been identified as requiring Targeted Support and Improvement during the 2019-20 school year and whether each student group will be eligible to exit targeted status in January 2021 or January 2022. Schools must meet exit criteria in order to exit status. Student groups with a summative score that would be in the bottom 5% of schools and student groups that miss annual targets for all indicators for two years in a row are identified as requiring Targeted Support and Improvement. Note: Schools identified as requiring comprehensive support may have student groups identified as needing targeted support below, but the date they are eligible to exit status is based on their comprehensive status.

Student Group	Requires Targeted Support during the 2019-20 School Year	Eligible to exit status in January 2021	Eligible to exit status in January 2022		
Any Student Groups	No	n/a	n/a		
White	No				
Hispanic	No				
Black or African American	No				
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	No				
American Indian or Alaska Native	No				
Two or More Races	No				
Economically Disadvantaged Students	No				
Students with Disabilities	No				
English Learners	No				



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### Accountability Indicator Scores and Summative Rating - 2017-18 School Year

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Accountability Indicator	Score	Weight
English Language Arts Proficiency	7.16	17.5%
Mathematics Proficiency	16.05	17.5%
Graduation Rate - 4-Year	32.66	25.0%
Graduation Rate - 5-Year	18.68	25.0%
Progress Towards English Language Proficiency	**	**
Chronic Absenteeism	97.70	15.0%
Summative Score: Sum of all indicator scores multiplied by indicator weights	31.55	n/a
Summative Rating: Percentile Rank of Summative Score	23.50	n/a
Requires Comprehensive Support: Summative Rating is less than or equal to 5th percentile	No	n/a
Requires Comprehensive Support: 4-year Graduation Rate less than or equal to 67%	No	n/a

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### Accountability Summary by Student Group - 2017-18 School Year

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Student Group	Summative Score	Summative Score Cut- off for Targeted Support	Requires Targeted Support: Low Performing Student Group	ELA Proficiency: Met Annual Target	Math Proficiency: Met Annual Target	4-Year Graduation Rate: Met Annual Target	5-Year Graduation Rate: Met Annual Target	Progress Towards English Language Proficiency: Met Annual Target	Chronic Absenteeism: Met State Average	Requires Targeted Support: Consistently Underperforming Student Group - 2017-18
Schoolwide	n/a	n/a	No	Not Met	Not Met	Not Met	Not Met	N	Met	No
White	**	**	No	**	**	**	N	n/a	**	No
Hispanic	45.56	8.94	No	Met Target†	Not Met	Met Target	Not Met	n/a	Met	No
Black or African American	41.69	8.94	No	Not Met	Not Met	Not Met	Not Met	n/a	Met	No
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	n/a	Met	No
American Indian or Alaska Native	**	**	No	**	**	N	N	n/a	**	No
Two or More Races	**	**	No	**	**	N	**	n/a	**	No
Economically Disadvantaged Students	40.03	8.94	No	Not Met	Not Met	Not Met	Not Met	n/a	Met	No
Students with Disabilities	**	**	No	Not Met	Met Target	**	**	n/a	Met	No
English Learners	**	**	No	**	**	N	N	**	**	No

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- Curriculum emphasizes 21st-century skills and community involvement through project-based service learning.
- Data-driven instructional model offers students individualized learning plans in English and math.
- Tablets with unlimited Internet access are available for home use to any student and parent/quardian who requests one.



Mission, Vision, Theme:

The mission of University Academy Charter High School is based on the philosophy that everyone can contribute to the betterment of the world and individuals working together can make a significant difference. The school engages young people in an academic experience designed to encourage a desire for knowledge and a commitment to justice and service to others. Central to the philosophy is interaction with the city, New Jersey City University, and the community through service learning projects. Our vision is Educating Tomorrow's Leaders Today.



Awards, Recognition, Accomplishments:

University Academy held its second school-wide Day of Community Service in June 2018, during which senior citizens were invited to the school for a day of activities, while other students, faculty, and staff went out into the community to clean up parks and deliver meals to the homeless. Several students earned paid summer internships through their participation in the NJ All-Stars mentoring program. One faculty member was recognized as the New Jersey English Teacher of the Year at the National Council of Teachers of English Convention in November 2018.



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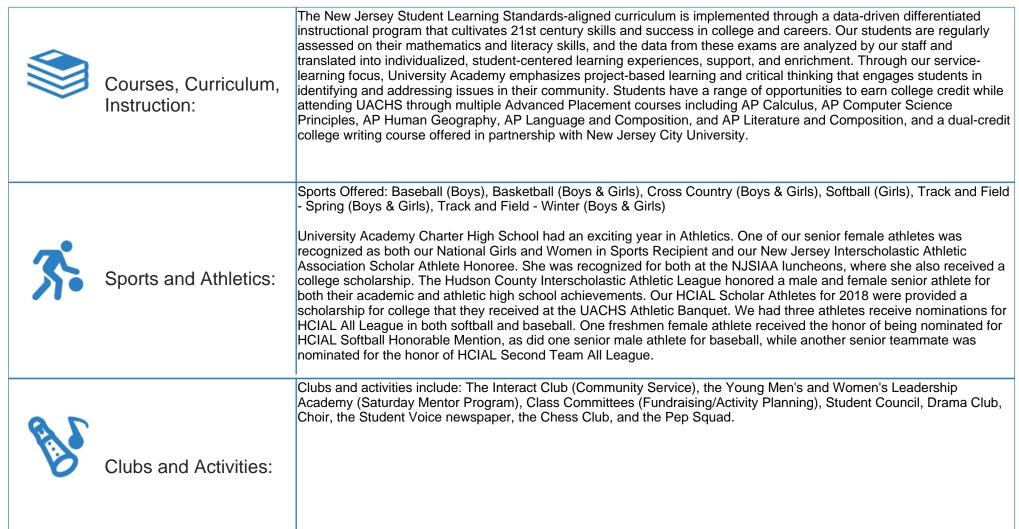
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Before and After School Programs:

Computer lab is offered before and after school hours for students to complete research and school assignments. Tutoring in all subjects is also available after school.



Staff and Professional Learning:

Faculty and staff participate in 5 professional development days each year, which include state-mandated training as well as workshops in identified areas of innovation and improvement, and are encouraged to seek out additional relevant, high-quality professional development outside the school to enhance their professional knowledge and practice. University Academy faculty and staff are also eligible to take up to 6 credits per semester under a tuition waiver at New Jersey City University. As a result, our faculty and staff are continually increasing their knowledge and improving their practice, and several faculty and staff members pursue and/or complete an advanced degree or certification at NJCU each year.



Postsecondary Information:

The class of 2018 has 94% attending a 2 or 4-yr college/university. The small percentage of students, who chose a different route, went to trade school or work. Our programs provide college/career assistance such as: information sessions held by admission counselors, college tours/fairs, one on one sessions with their counselors, an informational session offered by NJ State Aid department, SAT and application fee waivers, offering the military enlistment test, and PSAT/SAT. In addition, we now use Naviance, this tool provides in depth career and college readiness. While students apply and get accepted to many higher institutions across the country a large number of students attend in-state colleges/universities such as: New Jersey City University, Saint Peter's University, Montclair State University, Rutgers University, and Hudson County Community College.



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Student Supports and Services:

Our well-represented interdisciplinary CST and IR&S teams each develop the appropriate support services to meet student needs. The IR&S team provides strategies and interventions for teachers, parents and students. They offer services including: weekly tutoring schedules, meetings with social workers or school counselors, and actions plans to address any issues of learning, behavioral or health concerns. The CST team determines if a child warrants special services and the school psychologist, school social worker, and LDTC work together to identify and develop an Individualized Education Program Plan. Services may include: counseling services, tutoring, action plans, and speech therapy sessions. To assist our graduating students with disabilities our school works closely with the New Jersey Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Services, which provides transition services to those students who have chosen work or a trade after high school.



Student Health and Wellness:

Student health and wellness is an integral part of University Academy because healthy students learn more and miss less days of school. We promote health and wellness through various methods during the course of the school year. All students must have a cycle of health education in addition to three cycles of physical education as part of their class schedule. Health class provides instruction in nutrition, exercise, sexual health, mental health, and illness prevention. Through active participation in physical education class the students gain the benefits of physical activity. The school offers a full service breakfast and lunch program every day of the school year. Students receive nutritious and healthy meals, which meet all necessary state and federal guidelines for nutrition. We promote the food program with our school website, parent letters, colorful posters, and flyers.



Involvement:

University Academy Charter High School has a very active PTO. They go by their nonprofit name, Friends of UACHS, and meet one Saturday a month. The committee consists of four parents, three alumni, one administrator, and one teacher. On occasion, several more parents attend meetings. Their main mission is to support the school by planning activities that bring the home, school, and community together as well as raise money for scholarships. Friends of UACHS past events include a school supplies drive, college and career event, bake sales, fashion show, honor roll Parent and Community breakfast, teacher appreciation lunch, school dances, etc. They also partner with the Rotary Club and other community partners like the Boys and Girls Club, New Jersey City University, the All-Star Internship Project, and Starting Points Daycare. UACHS students have many opportunities to volunteer in the community. Most recently, some students volunteered at NJCU to package 10,000 meals with the group, Rise Against Hunger.



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Climate Surveys:

Is a Climate Survey Used: Yes; Who is surveyed: Students, Parents, Administrators, Teachers

University Academy prioritizes a positive climate that supports student learning and social-emotional well-being. To that end, the school surveys students on their perceptions of themselves and the school twice each year and the staff, parents, and administrators are surveyed yearly. On the 2017-2018 surveys, students said they feel very safe at the school and trust faculty, staff, and peers to help them through stressful situations. They also indicated their strong belief that they will receive the support they need from teachers, support staff, and administration to do well in school. Teachers identified student behavior and commitment, technology, and teamwork as three main positive aspects. Parents identified effective student/parent/teacher interactions, mutual respect, and widely accepted the school's student expectations.



Facilities:

Our school was built in 2002 as part of New Jersey City University's acquiring and renovation of the old Consolidated Laundries Facility here in the Greenville section of Jersey City. The school features exposed brick, hardwood floors, and urban loft feel. Our air-conditioned building has a computer lab, art room, music room, and multi-purpose room that functions as gym, cafeteria, and large group meeting space. Since opening in 2003 we have renovated the school kitchen, updated flooring, added Wi-Fi, and outfitted every classroom with enough iPads for every student. Our unique affiliation agreement with the University provides for our usage of the University science labs, library, and state of the art gymnasium for physical education classes.



School Safety:

In accordance with the New Jersey Department of Education we have appointed a School Safety Specialist Candidate in the spring of 2018. This candidate will participate in FEMA training as well as training provided by the Office of School Preparedness and Emergency Planning. This training will take place in the summer of 2018 as per the requirements of the NJDOE. A robust Emergency Response Procedures and Protocols Manual were provided to all stakeholders for implementation throughout the school year. Training was provided to the entire staff, so that they could confidently execute these procedures should there ever be a need. UACHS is in compliance with all New Jersey Security Drill Laws as well as all required training. The School Safety/Climate Team focused on creating programs that would ensure greater participation among our student body. The overall focus consistently has been to have our students play an active role in keeping our community safe.



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Technology and STEM:

UACHS prioritizes 21st-century learning by providing Internet-enabled devices for student learning on a 1-to-1 basis. Each classroom has its own cart containing 20 iPads and/or laptops, so that each student can use their own device during class. In addition, several classrooms are equipped with a smart board. Teachers utilize Schoology for distributing assignments and learning resources to students online, so they can access them both at school and at home. All students have the opportunity to receive a free tablet with unlimited Internet access to use for their schoolwork at home for the entire time they are enrolled at UACHS. Teachers post grades online via PowerSchool, so students and parents can regularly check on students' progress. The school offers courses in micro computing and web design and encourages students to learn computer coding by annually participating in the Week of Code.



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Other Information:

Because of its affiliation with New Jersey City University, UACHS is uniquely poised to offer students a high school experience with college in mind. Students who graduate with a GPA of 3.2 or greater and who are accepted to NJCU with regular full-time status are eligible to receive the NJCU Presidential Scholarship and attend the university for free. Seniors have the opportunity to take a dual-enrollment English course, through which they can earn college credit at NJCU. Our Teacher Intern Program, administered in collaboration with NJCU's College of Education, brings NJCU education students into our classes as tutors and mentors. Administrators and teachers maintain high expectations of our students, and we encourage students to meet and exceed these standards through individualized, student-centered instruction in a small school setting. Classes consist of 20 students or fewer, and instruction is designed to identify and develop students' strengths and address areas of challenge. Our school looks to foster a sense of community through our clubs, sports, and group-based discussion programs. University Academy operates with service learning as a primary theme. The goal of service learning at UACHS is to promote an understanding that our youth can contribute to the community at large. By co-creating and implementing endeavors that address community needs and issues, youth develop their core academic and collaborative skills, habits of mind, and sense of self-efficacy. Every class is responsible for a service-learning project, and our 12th grade students are required to do a service-learning capstone project. The school hosts an annual College and Career Day where alumni and community members from a variety of professions visit to inspire current students.