



State of New Jersey
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The New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) is pleased to present these annual reports of School Performance. These reports are designed to inform parents, educators and communities about how well a school is performing and preparing its students for college and careers.

In particular, the School Performance Reports seek to:

- **Focus** attention on metrics that are indicative of college and career readiness.
- **Benchmark** a school's performance against other peer schools that are educating similar students, against statewide outcomes, and against state targets to illuminate and build upon a school's strengths and identify areas for improvement.
- **Improve** educational outcomes for students by providing both longitudinal and growth data so that progress can be measured as part of an individual school's efforts to engage in continuous improvement.

While the New Jersey School Performance Reports seek to bring more information to educators and stakeholders about the performance of schools, they do not seek to distill the performance of schools into a single metric, a single score, or a simplified conclusion. Instead, the intention is that educators and stakeholders will engage in deep, lengthy conversations about the full range of the data presented. As educators know well, measuring school performance is both an art and a science. While the School Performance Report brings attention to important student outcomes, NJDOE does not collect data about other essential elements of a school, such as the provision of opportunities to participate and excel in extracurricular activities; the development of non-cognitive skills like time management and perseverance; the pervasiveness of a positive school culture or climate; or the attainment of other employability and technical skills, as many of these data are beyond both the capacity and resources of schools to measure and collect well.

To learn more about New Jersey's school accountability system, please visit: <http://www.nj.gov/education/educators/>.

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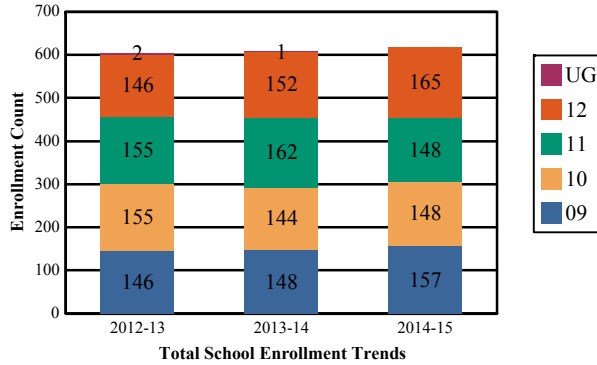
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Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup

Enrollment by Grade

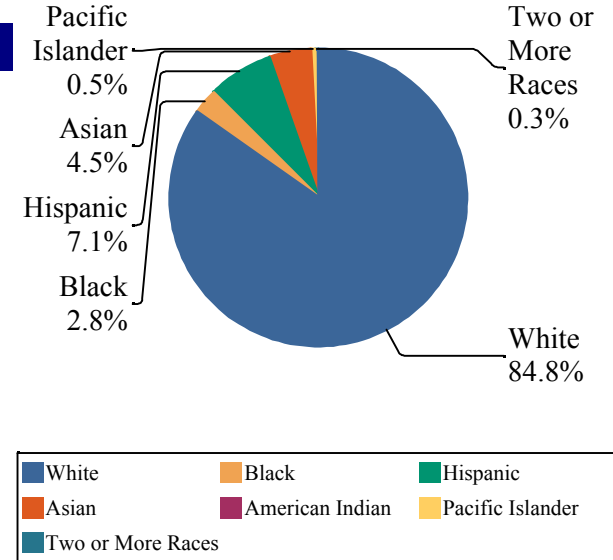
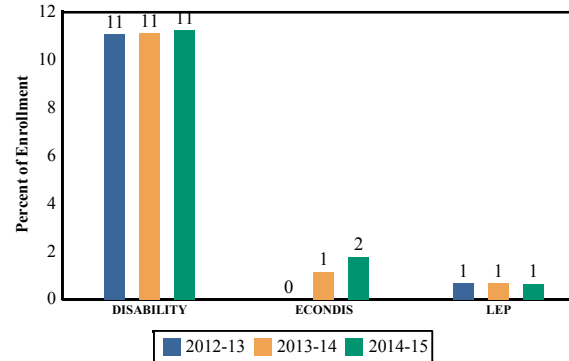
This graph presents the count of students who were 'on roll' by grade in October of each school year.



This graph presents the percentages of enrollment for each subgroup defined by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001.

Enrollment Trends by Program Participation

This graph presents the percentages of students by program participation who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.

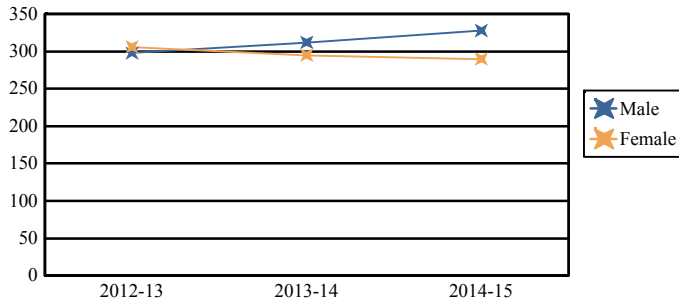


Note: "UG" represents the count of students who are 'on roll' in this school but who are educated in ungraded classrooms, meaning that the classrooms may contain students from multiple grade levels.

Total School Enrollment	
2012-13	604
2013-14	607
2014-15	618

Enrollment by Gender

This graph presents the count of students by gender who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



	Male	Female
2012-13	298	306
2013-14	312	295
2014-15	328	290

Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation

2014-15	Count of Students	% of Enrollment
Students with Disability	70	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	11	1.8%
English Language Learners	4	0.7%

Language Diversity

This table presents the percentage of students who primarily speak each language in their home.

2014-15	Percent
English	98.1%
Spanish	0.7%
Chinese	0.3%
Arabic	0.3%
Russian	0.2%
Italian	0.2%
Other	0.3%

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The Academic Achievement section measures the content knowledge that students have in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L), Mathematics and Biology as demonstrated in 2014-2015 *Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC)* assessments and the End-of-Course Biology assessment. The below chart consist of three columns with measures. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - below includes the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations in ELA/L or Math. The middle column - Peer School Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compare to its group of peer schools. The last column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compare to schools across the state in ELA/L.

Academic Achievement	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	State Percentile
HS English Language Arts/Literacy Met or Exceeded Expectation	57%	55	83
Math Met or Exceeded Expectation	31%		

ESEA Waiver - English Language Arts/Literacy

This table presents, for each subgroup in the school, the total number of valid test scores, the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations, the assessment participation goal, and the participation rate. The participation goal is established as 95% by the United States Department of Education.

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	202	56.9%	95%	67.2%	NO
White	174	56.9%	95%	67.3%	NO
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	-	-	--	--	--
English Learner Students	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

YES* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under ESEA Waiver suppression rules.

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ESEA Waiver - Math

This table presents, for each subgroup in the school, the total number of valid test scores, the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations, the assessment participation goal, and the participation rate. The participation goal is established as 95% by the United States Department of Education.

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	185	31.3%	95%	66.9%	NO
White	162	32.1%	95%	67.9%	NO
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	-	-	--	--	--
English Learner Students	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

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Proficiency Outcomes - Biology

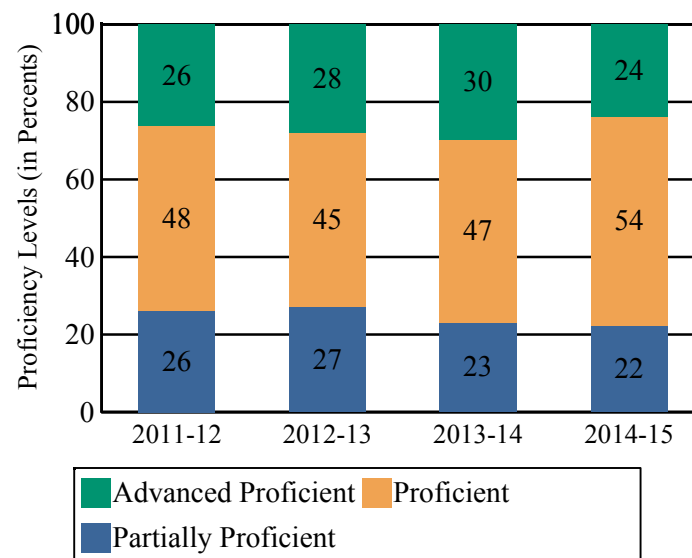
This table presents the percentage of students who scored in the Advanced Proficient, Proficient and Partially Proficient categories of the New Jersey Biology Competency Test (NJBCT) in the latest school year.

Subgroups	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	24%	54%	22%
White	24%	55%	21%
African American	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	-	-	-
English Language Learners	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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Proficiency Trends - Biology

This graph presents the percentage of students who scored in the Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories of the Biology Competency Test over the last four years.



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PARCC Performance Level

The PARCC assesses how well students have learned grade-level material in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) and Math. The tests include questions that measure students' fundamental skills and knowledge, and require them to think critically, solve problems and support or explain their answers.

The PARCC reports students' overall scale scores that range from 650 to 850. To determine whether students have met academic expectations for their grade level/course in ELA/L and Math, students' overall scale scores are categorized into five Performance Levels. Students performing at levels 4 and 5 (met or exceeded expectations) have demonstrated readiness for the next grade level/course, and are on track for college and careers.

Five Performance Levels				
Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations <i>(Min. 650)</i>	Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	Level 3: Approached Expectations	Level 4: Met Expectations	Level 5: Exceeded Expectations <i>(Max. 850)</i>

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 09

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	96	768	739	2%	8%	20%	42%	28%	70%	41%
White	84	768	746	2%	8%	21%	39%	29%	68%	47%
African American	-	-	723	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%
Hispanic	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
American Indian	-	-	732	-	-	-	-	-	-	33%
Asian	-	-	765	-	-	-	-	-	-	68%
Two or More Races	-	-	731	-	-	-	-	-	-	36%
Students with Disability	11	729	706	18%	18%	36%	27%	0%	27%	9%
English Language Learners	-	-	693	-	-	-	-	-	-	5%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	24%

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 10

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	105	742	735	17%	14%	23%	36%	10%	46%	38%
White	90	741	741	19%	16%	19%	38%	9%	47%	43%
African American	-	-	717	-	-	-	-	-	-	22%
Hispanic	-	-	720	-	-	-	-	-	-	24%
American Indian	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	27%
Asian	-	-	763	-	-	-	-	-	-	62%
Two or More Races	-	-	729	-	-	-	-	-	-	34%
Students with Disability	-	-	698	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%
English Language Learners	-	-	685	-	-	-	-	-	-	4%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 11

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	56	750	741	11%	13%	32%	25%	20%	45%	42%
White	48	751	745	10%	15%	29%	23%	23%	46%	46%
African American	-	-	727	-	-	-	-	-	-	27%
Hispanic	-	-	731	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%
American Indian	-	-	745	-	-	-	-	-	-	38%
Asian	-	-	765	-	-	-	-	-	-	64%
Two or More Races	-	-	738	-	-	-	-	-	-	38%
Students with Disability	-	-	712	-	-	-	-	-	-	16%
English Language Learners	-	-	703	-	-	-	-	-	-	6%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	30%

Advanced Placement/International Baccalaureate English Performance Distribution

This graph presents the percentage of students in this school scoring in each performance level of the AP/IB English assessment. Students who score AP >= 3 or score IB >= 4 may earn college credit. Shown below the graph is a table that presents the percentage of students who achieved a score that could potentially earn college credit and the average score earned in the school.



Subject	Valid Scores	% Eligible for College Credit	Average Score Earned in the School	Average Score Earned in the State
AP ENG LANG	26	96.2%	3.62	3.36

- Data is suppressed to protect the confidentiality of the students.

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PARCC ALGEBRA I - Performance Distribution

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	48	729	740	10%	29%	38%	23%	0%	23%	40%
White	44	729	746	11%	30%	34%	25%	0%	25%	47%
African American	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	20%
Hispanic	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
American Indian	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	73%
Two or More Races	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
Students with Disability	-	-	710	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%
English Language Learners	-	-	710	-	-	-	-	-	-	7%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%

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PARCC GEOMETRY - Performance Distribution

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	92	735	728	3%	32%	37%	27%	1%	28%	21%
White	77	735	731	3%	32%	36%	27%	1%	29%	24%
African American	-	-	716	-	-	-	-	-	-	7%
Hispanic	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%
American Indian	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	12%
Asian	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	54%
Two or More Races	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	20%
Students with Disability	-	-	709	-	-	-	-	-	-	4%
English Language Learners	-	-	710	-	-	-	-	-	-	6%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%

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PARCC ALGEBRA II - Performance Distribution

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	79	729	721	22%	24%	24%	30%	0%	30%	24%
White	71	728	725	24%	21%	24%	31%	0%	31%	27%
African American	-	-	701	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%
Hispanic	-	-	706	-	-	-	-	-	-	10%
American Indian	-	-	720	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%
Asian	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	53%
Two or More Races	-	-	716	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
Students with Disability	-	-	691	-	-	-	-	-	-	4%
English Language Learners	-	-	694	-	-	-	-	-	-	6%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	705	-	-	-	-	-	-	9%

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Students in high schools begin to demonstrate college readiness behaviors long before they actually graduate from high school. Among those behaviors are taking college entrance exams and challenging themselves with rigorous course work. The table below presents five such indicators: the percentage of students enrolled in the 12th grade who took the SAT or ACT, the percentage of 10th and 11th graders who took the PSAT, the percentage of students who scored above the SAT benchmark of 1550, the percentage of 11th and 12th graders who took at least one AP or IB test in English, math, social studies or science, and the percentage of those AP or IB tests that were scored a 3 or higher.

The below chart consist of five columns with measures. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - represents the outcomes for these particular indicators in the school. The second column - Peer School Percentile - indicates how the school's performance compares to its group of peer schools. The third column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how the school's performance compares to schools across the state. The fourth column - Statewide Target - provides the statewide targets for each of these indicators. The last column - Met Target? - indicates whether the School Performance met or exceeded the statewide target. The Summary row presents the averages of the peer school percentiles, the average of statewide percentiles and the percentage of statewide targets met.

College and Career Readiness Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Statewide Target	Met Target?
Percent of Students Participating in SAT or ACT	93%	10	68	80%	YES
Percent of Students Participating in PSAT or PLAN	98%	94	76	60%	YES
Percent of Students Scoring Above 1550 on SAT	51%	6	69	40%	YES
Percent of Students Taking at least one AP Test or IB Test in English, Math, Social Studies or Science	47%	65	90	35%	YES
Percent of AP Tests ≥ 3 or IB Test ≥ 4 in English, Math, Social Studies or Science	68%	6	55	75%	NO
Summary		36	72		80%

College Readiness Test Participation

The first column of the table below presents the percentage of students enrolled in the 12th grade who took the SAT or ACT and the percentage of students enrolled in 10th and 11th grade who took the PSAT. The second column provides the average across the school's peer group for these two metrics.

2014-15 Percent of Students	School	Peer Avg.	State Avg.
Participating in SAT	86.1%	89.4%	79.1%
Participating in ACT	46.1%		25.2%
Participating in PSAT or PLAN	98.3%	76.7%	79.6%
Participating in Dual Enrollment	58.8%		14.9%

AP/IB Participation - 'Unique' Students

The table below presents the proportion of 'unique' students enrolled in at least 11th and 12th grade i.e., each student is counted once regardless of how many AP or IB courses he/she may take. The table also presents the proportion of how many 'unique' students took at least one AP or IB test to the school's enrollment in 11th and 12th grade.

2014-15 Percent of Students Taking	School	Peer Avg.	State Avg.
One or More Course	60.1%	58.7%	36.3%
One or More Test	59.4%	53.9%	30.7%
At least one AP or IB Test in English, Math, Social Studies or Science	46.6%	44.0%	25.3%

Note: Students who are enrolled in AP/IB coursework or take AP/IB tests in grades other than 11th and 12th are included in the numerator of this calculation.

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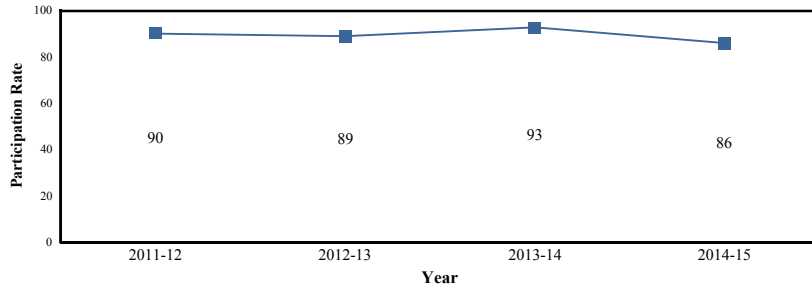
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Participation Trends - SAT Testing

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This graph presents the participation rate in the SAT over the last four years.



AP /IB Test Results

This table presents the percentage of all AP/IB tests taken by students enrolled in the school that were scored AP ≥ 3 and scored IB ≥ 4 .

2014-15	School	Peer Avg.	State Avg.
Percent of AP Tests ≥ 3 or IB Test ≥ 4	63.4%	84.2%	72.4%
Percent of Scores in AP ≥ 3 or IB ≥ 4 in English, Math, Social Studies or Science	68.5%	83.2%	69.7%

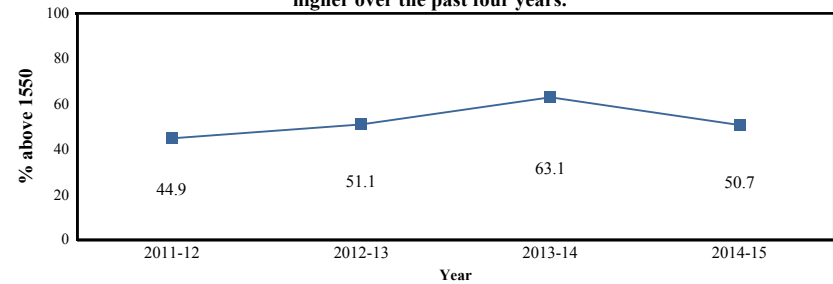
Scholastic Assessment Test (SAT) Results

This table presents the percentage of students who achieved a composite SAT score of 1550 or higher. The SAT benchmark score of 1550 (Critical Reading, Mathematics and Writing Score combined) indicates a 65 percent likelihood of achieving a B- average or higher during the first year of college, which in turn has been found by the College Board's research to be indicative of a high likelihood of college success and completion.

2014-15	School	Peer Avg.	State Avg.
Percent of Students Scoring Above 1550 on SAT	50.7%	67.8%	43.8%

SAT Benchmark Trends

This chart presents the percentage of students who achieved a composite SAT score of 1550 or higher over the past four years.



Composite SAT Score

This chart presents the average composite SAT score from the last academic year for students enrolled in this school as well as the average scores achieved in Critical Reading, Mathematics and Writing. The averages from this school's peer group are also presented.

2014-15	School	Peer Avg.	State Avg.
Composite SAT Score	1,577	1,689	1,508
Critical Reading	523	552	496
Mathematics	536	577	518
Writing	518	560	494

Composite SAT Score

This chart presents the scores achieved in Critical Reading, Mathematics and Writing by the students at the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile and the 75th percentile of the school's distribution of SAT scores.

2014-15	Critical Reading	Mathematics	Writing
75th Percentile	580	610	580
50th Percentile	515	550	500
25th Percentile	460	460	450

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AP/IB Courses Offered

This table presents the count of students enrolled in each AP/IB course offered in this school in the first column. The second column presents the count of tests taken in each AP/IB course. The numbers may not match as some students do not take the test in the same year as they take the course and some students may take the course without taking the test or vice versa.

AP/IB Course Name	Students Enrolled	Students Tested
AP Statistics	48	47
AP Environmental Science	43	43
AP English Literature and Composition	41	41
AP Computer Science A	39	40
AP U.S. History	39	39
AP Calculus AB	30	29
AP English Language and Composition	26	26
AP Biology	25	24
AP Calculus BC	18	18
AP Spanish Language	16	15
AP U.S. Government and Politics	14	14
AP European History	13	13
AP Physics C	11	
AP Chemistry	9	9
AP Chinese Language and Culture	9	9
AP French Language	7	7
AP Music Theory	4	4
AP Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism		11

AP/IB Course Name	Students Enrolled	Students Tested
AP Physics C: Mechanics		11
AP Psychology		2

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Visual and Performing Arts

The chart below contains the percentage of students who were enrolled in at least one Dance, Drama/Theater, Music or Visual Arts class in this school. The last row shows the percentage of students who were enrolled in any Visual and Performing Arts classes in the school.

Percent of Students Enrolled	School	State
Dance	N/R	2.1%
Drama/Theater	5.5%	3.8%
Music	21.4%	17.8%
Visual Arts	38.0%	31.7%
Total: All Visual and Performing Arts	56.5%	49.9%

N/R - Data Not Reported

Participation in Career Readiness

The chart below contains percentage of students who were participants in an approved Career and Technical Education Program in this school as well as across the State of New Jersey.

Percent of Students Enrolled	School	State
Participating in CTE	0.3%	18.3%
Structured Learning Experience	3.8%	7.0%

N/R - Data Not Reported

GRADUATION AND POSTSECONDARY

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This section of the performance report presents data about graduation, dropout and post-secondary attendance. The graduation rate is calculated according to the ESEA Cohort methodology as required by the United States Department of Education. Dropout rates are calculated from student-level data submitted by districts for students officially classified as dropouts. The dropout rate is the count of students who dropout in an academic year divided by the school's total enrollment.

The below chart consist of five columns with measures. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - represents the outcomes for these particular indicators in this school. The second column - Peer School Percentile - indicates how the school's performance compares to its group of peer schools. The third column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how the school's performance compares to schools across the state.. The fourth column - Statewide Target - provides the statewide targets for each of these indicators. The Statewide Target for Graduation Rate was established pursuant to NJDOE's ESEA Accountability Workbook. The last column - Met Target - indicates whether the School Performance met or exceeded the statewide target. The Summary row presents the averages of the peer school percentile, the average of statewide percentile and the percentage of statewide targets met.

Graduation & Post Secondary Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Statewide Targets	Met Target
Overall Graduation Rate	100%	100	100	78%	YES
Dropout Rate	0 %	100	100	2%	YES
SUMMARY - Graduation & Post-Secondary		100	100		100%

Graduation Rate by Subgroup

This table presents for all NCLB-identified subgroups the "4-year Adjusted Graduation Rate." This rate calculates the percentage of students who are awarded a regular, high school diploma within four years of becoming a first-time ninth grader. The rate is adjusted to account for students who 'transfer-in' and for students who are verified as 'transfers-out'.

	School	State Target
Schoolwide	100%	78%
White	100%	
African American	-	
Hispanic	-	
American Indian	-	
Asian	-	
Native Hawaiian	-	
Two or More Races	-	
Students with Disability	-	
English Language Learners	-	
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	

Dropout Rate by Subgroup

This table presents for all NCLB-identified subgroups the Dropout rate. This rate calculates the percentage of students who are classified as dropouts divided by the school's total enrollment and by each subgroup enrollment.

	School	State Target
Schoolwide	0%	2%
White	0%	
African American	-	
Hispanic	0%	
American Indian	-	
Asian	-	
Native Hawaiian	-	
Two or More Races	-	
Students with Disability	0%	
English Language Learners	-	
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	

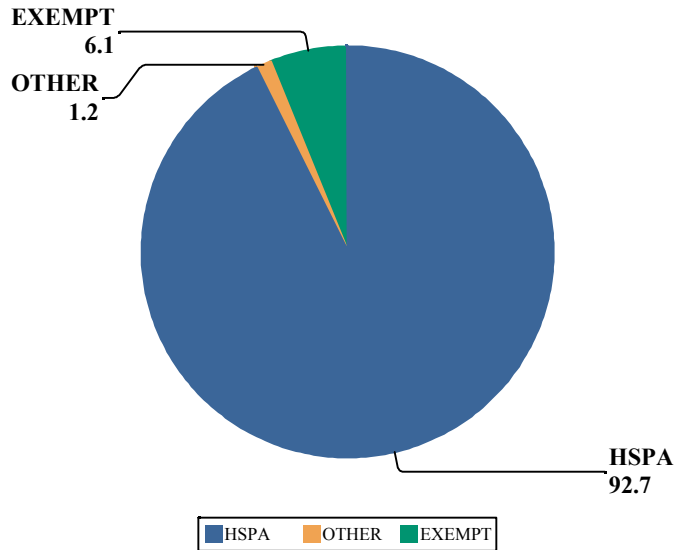
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Graduation Pathway Rates

This chart presents the percentage of high school graduates who graduated by passing both sections of the HSPA, who were exempt from passing the HSPA, or who demonstrated proficiency through an alternative pathway such as through the Alternative High School Assessment, achievement of the 'Just Proficient Mean' or an appeal process.



Extended Year Graduation Rate

The chart below presents the 4-year and 5-year graduation rate for the prior school year's cohort in addition to the 4-year graduation rate for last year's cohort.

Class of	4-year Rate	5-year Rate
2012	95%	98%
2013	99%	98%
2014	99%	99%
2015	100%	

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Postsecondary Enrollment Rates

This chart presents the enrollment rates of this school's high school graduates, 16-months after high school graduation. The data is from the National Student Clearinghouse which reports that it collects student-level enrollment data from 95% of Institutions of Higher Education nationwide.

The last columns indicate, for the schoolwide total and each subgroup, the percentage of postsecondary enrollees that were enrolled in either a 2 year or a 4 year institution.

	Percent Enrolled	Percent in 2 Year	Percent in 4 Year
Statewide	78.5%	34.3%	64.7%
Schoolwide	86%	9%	91%
White	88.1%	8.5%	91.5%
African American	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
American Indian	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	-	-	-
English Language Learners	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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This section of the performance report presents data about the achievement gap that exists within a school - as measured by the difference between the students' scale scores at the 25th and 75th percentile in the school, the Interquartile Range (IQR). Taken together with an understanding of the overall and average achievement levels in the school, the IQR furthers an understanding of the range of student outcomes that exist in a school. A school gap smaller than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is narrower than the state's while a school gap broader than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is larger than the state's.

Grade Level - 09

PARCC English Language Arts/Literacy 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	833	850
75th	794	766
50th	769	739
25th	741	710
0th	688	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	53	56

PARCC ALG-1 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	780	821
75th	746	762
50th	730	735
25th	713	711
0th	655	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	33	51

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Grade Level - 10

PARCC English Language Arts/Literacy 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	809	850
75th	772	766
50th	743	733
25th	712	699
0th	650	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	60	67

Grade Level - 11

PARCC English Language Arts/Literacy 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	822	850
75th	769	768
50th	746	740
25th	725	711
0th	663	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	44	57

PARCC GEO 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	781	793
75th	752	747
50th	733	726
25th	720	710
0th	650	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	32	37

PARCC ALG-2 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	786	813
75th	752	748
50th	727	718
25th	708	692
0th	655	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	44	56

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Length of School Day

This table presents the amount of time a school is in session for a typical student on a normal school day.

	School
2014-15	6 Hrs. 45 Mins.

Student Suspension Rate

This table presents the percentage of students who were suspended one or more times during the school year.

	School
2014-15	2.1%

Instructional Time

This table presents the amount of time that a typical student is engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher.

2014-15	School
Full Time	6 Hrs. 0 Mins.
Shared Time	0 Hrs. 0 Mins.

Student Expulsions

This table presents the number of students who were expelled from the school and district during the school year.

	School
2014-15	0

Student to Staff Ratio

This table presents the count of students per faculty member or administrator in the school. All staff are counted in full-time equivalents.

2014-15	School
Faculty	13
Administrators	309

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This table presents the list of peer schools in alphabetical order by county name that was created specifically for this school (highlighted in yellow). Peer schools are drawn from across the state and represent schools that have similar grade configurations and that are educating students of similar demographic characteristics, as measured by enrollment in Free/Reduced Lunch Programs, Limited English Proficiency or Special Education Programs.

<u>COUNTY NAME</u>	<u>DISTRICT NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL NAME</u>	<u>CDS CODE</u>	<u>GRADES PAN</u>	<u>ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED</u>	<u>ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNER</u>	<u>SPECIAL EDUCATION</u>
BERGEN	GLEN ROCK BORO	GLEN ROCK HIGH SCHOOL	03-1760-050	09-12	0.5%	0.9%	17.1%
BERGEN	NORTHERN HIGHLANDS REG	NORTHERN HIGHLANDS REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL	03-3700-050	09-12	0.4%	0%	11.6%
BERGEN	NORTHERN VALLEY REGIONAL	NORTHER VALLEY REG OLD TAPPEN HIGH SCHOO	03-3710-060	09-12	1.1%	0.4%	14.4%
BERGEN	NORTHERN VALLEY REGIONAL	NORTHERN VALLEY REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AT DEMAREST	03-3710-050	09-12	1.5%	0.9%	21.4%
BERGEN	PASCACK VALLEY REGIONAL	PASCACK HILLS HIGH SCHOOL	03-3960-040	09-12	1.6%	0.1%	16.4%
BERGEN	RAMAPO-INDIAN HILL REG	INDIAN HILLS HIGH SCHOOL	03-4300-030	09-12	2.3%	0%	17.1%
BERGEN	RAMAPO-INDIAN HILL REG	RAMAPO HIGH SCHOOL	03-4300-050	09-12	1.4%	0%	11.3%
BERGEN	RIDGEWOOD VILLAGE	RIDGEWOOD HIGH SCHOOL	03-4390-050	09-12	1.3%	0.6%	13.7%
BERGEN	RIVER DELL REGIONAL	RIVER DELL REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL	03-4405-050	09-12	1.2%	0.6%	15.2%
BERGEN	RUTHERFORD BORO	RUTHERFORD HIGH SCHOOL	03-4600-050	09-12	3.5%	0.5%	9.4%
CAMDEN	HADDONFIELD BORO	HADDONFIELD MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL	07-1900-050	09-12	2.1%	0.4%	15.6%
ESSEX	GLEN RIDGE BORO	GLEN RIDGE HIGH SCHOOL	13-1750-050	07-12	0%	0%	13.6%
ESSEX	LIVINGSTON TWP	LIVINGSTON HIGH SCHOOL	13-2730-050	09-12	1.6%	1%	12.4%
ESSEX	VERONA BORO	VERONA HIGH SCHOOL	13-5370-050	09-12	1.8%	0.6%	11%
ESSEX	WEST ESSEX REGIONAL	WEST ESSEX HIGH SCHOOL	13-5630-050	09-12	3.6%	0.4%	13.9%
HUNTERDON	N HUNT/VOORHEES REGIONAL	NORTH HUNTERDON HIGH SCHOOL	19-3660-050	09-12	3.2%	0.1%	14.9%
MERCER	HOPEWELL VALLEY REGIONAL	HOPEWELL VALLEY CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL	21-2280-030	09-12	2.5%	0.1%	10%
MONMOUTH	FREEHOLD REGIONAL	MARLBORO HIGH SCHOOL	25-1650-080	09-12	4.3%	0%	12.2%
MONMOUTH	RUMSON-FAIR HAVEN REG	RUMSON-FAIR HAVEN REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL	25-4580-050	09-12	0.1%	0%	12%
MORRIS	HANOVER PARK REGIONAL	HANOVER PARK HIGH SCHOOL	27-1990-050	09-12	3.4%	0.2%	12%
MORRIS	HANOVER PARK REGIONAL	WHIPPANY PARK HIGH SCHOOL	27-1990-070	09-12	2%	0.7%	12.4%
MORRIS	KINNELON BORO	KINNELON HIGH SCHOOL	27-2460-050	09-12	3.4%	0.2%	18.1%

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MORRIS	MOUNTAIN LAKES BORO	MOUNTAIN LAKES HIGH SCHOOL	27-3460-050	09-12	1.2%	0.1%	15.8%	
MORRIS	SCH DIST OF THE CHATHAMS	CHATHAM HIGH SCHOOL	27-0785-010	09-12	2.2%	0.7%	13.9%	
MORRIS	WEST MORRIS REGIONAL	WEST MORRIS CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL	27-5660-030	09-12	1.2%	0.2%	16.7%	
MORRIS	WEST MORRIS REGIONAL	WEST MORRIS MENDHAM HIGH SCHOOL	27-5660-050	09-12	1.2%	0.4%	14.9%	
SOMERSET	BERNARDS TWP	RIDGE HIGH SCHOOL	35-0350-050	09-12	2.3%	0.3%	14%	
SOMERSET	WATCHUNG HILLS REGIONAL	WATCHUNG HILLS REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL	35-5550-050	09-12	2.3%	0.5%	14.2%	
SUSSEX	SPARTA TWP	SPARTA HIGH SCHOOL	37-4960-050	09-12	4%	0.2%	12.1%	
UNION	BERKELEY HEIGHTS TWP	GOVERNOR LIVINGSTON HIGH SCHOOL	39-0310-005	09-12	1.8%	0.5%	11.8%	
UNION	WESTFIELD TOWN	WESTFIELD SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	39-5730-050	09-12	3.1%	0.2%	16.3%	



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The New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) is pleased to present these annual reports of School Performance. These reports are designed to inform parents, educators and communities about how well a school is performing and preparing its students for college and careers.

In particular, the School Performance Reports seek to:

- **Focus** attention on metrics that are indicative of college and career readiness.
- **Benchmark** a school's performance against other peer schools that are educating similar students, against statewide outcomes, and against state targets to illuminate and build upon a school's strengths and identify areas for improvement.
- **Improve** educational outcomes for students by providing both longitudinal and growth data so that progress can be measured as part of an individual school's efforts to engage in continuous improvement.

While the New Jersey School Performance Reports seek to bring more information to educators and stakeholders about the performance of schools, they do not seek to distill the performance of schools into a single metric, a single score, or a simplified conclusion. Instead, the intention is that educators and stakeholders will engage in deep, lengthy conversations about the full range of the data presented. As educators know well, measuring school performance is both an art and a science. While the School Performance Report brings attention to important student outcomes, NJDOE does not collect data about other essential elements of a school, such as the provision of opportunities to participate and excel in extracurricular activities; the development of non-cognitive skills like time management and perseverance; the pervasiveness of a positive school culture or climate; or the attainment of other employability and technical skills, as many of these data are beyond both the capacity and resources of schools to measure and collect well.

To learn more about New Jersey's school accountability system, please visit: <http://www.nj.gov/education/educators/>.

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

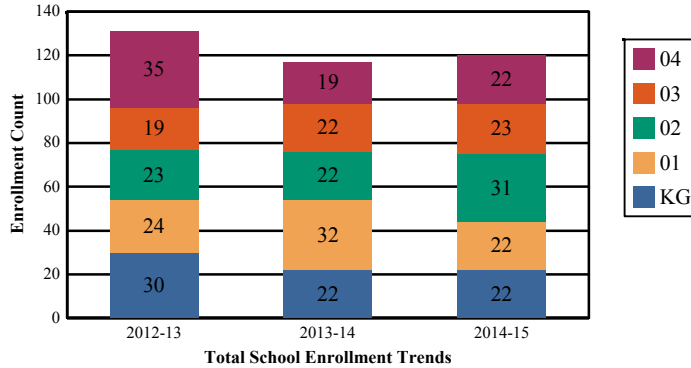
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Enrollment by Grade

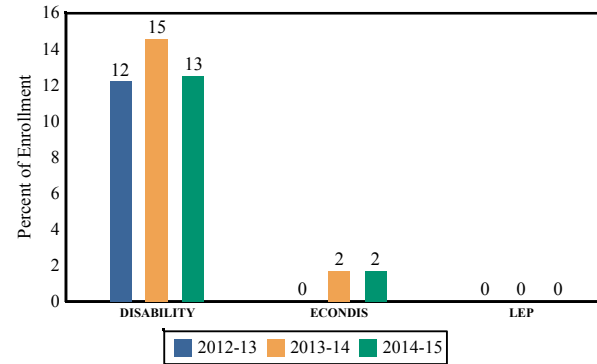
This graph presents the count of students who were 'on roll' by grade in October of each school year.



Note: "UG" represents the count of students who are 'on roll' in this school but who are educated in ungraded classrooms, meaning that the classrooms may contain students from multiple grade levels.

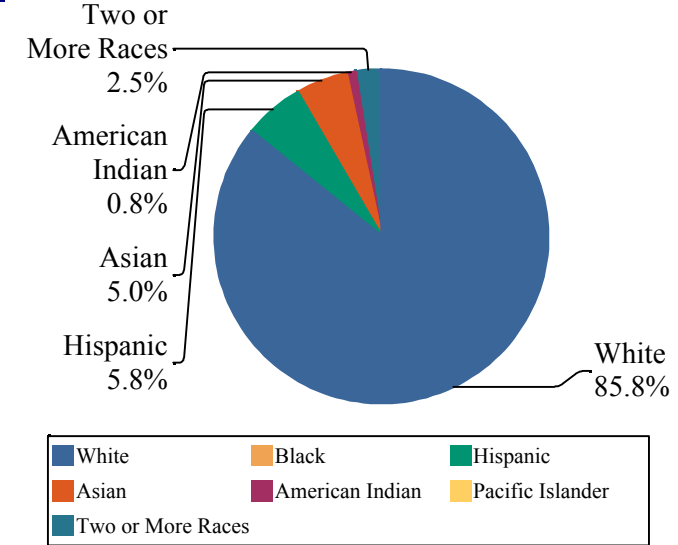
Enrollment Trends by Program Participation

This graph presents the percentages of students by program participation who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup

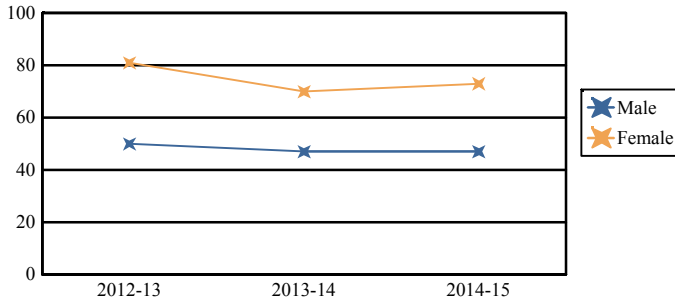
This graph presents the percentages of enrollment for each subgroup defined by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001.



Total School Enrollment	
2012-13	131
2013-14	117
2014-15	120

Enrollment by Gender

This graph presents the count of students by gender who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



	Male	Female
2012-13	50	81
2013-14	47	70
2014-15	47	73

Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation		
2014-15	Count of Students	% of Enrollment
Students with Disability	15	13%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	2	1.7%
English Language Learners	0	0.0%

Language Diversity

This table presents the percentage of students who primarily speak each language in their home.

2014-15	Percent
English	95.1%
Bengali	1.6%
Japanese	1.6%
Spanish	0.8%
French	0.8%

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The Academic Achievement section measures the content knowledge that students have in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) and Math as demonstrated in the 2014-2015 *Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers* (PARCC) assessments. The below chart consist of three columns. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - includes the percentage of students in ELA/L and Math who met or exceeded grade level expectations. The middle column - Peer School Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compared to its peers. The last column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compared to schools across the state.

Academic Achievement Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	State Percentile
English Language Arts/Literacy Met or Exceeded Expectation	65%	17	73
Math Met or Exceeded Expectation	30%		

ESEA Waiver - English Language Arts/Literacy

This table presents, for each subgroup in the school, the total number of valid test scores, the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations, the assessment participation goal, and the participation rate. The participation goal is established as 95% by the United States Department of Education.

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	40	65%	95%	91.1%	YES*
White	35	65.7%	95%	92.3%	-
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	-	-	--	--	--
English Language Learners	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

YES* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under ESEA Waiver suppression rules.

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ESEA Waiver - Math

This table presents, for each subgroup in the school, the total number of valid test scores, the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations, the assessment participation goal, and the participation rate. The participation goal is established as 95% by the United States Department of Education.

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	40	30%	95%	91.1%	YES*
White	35	28.6%	95%	92.3%	-
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	-	-	--	--	--
English Learner Students	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

YES* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

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PARCC Performance Level

The PARCC assesses how well students have learned grade-level material in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) and Math. The tests include questions that measure students' fundamental skills and knowledge, and require them to think critically, solve problems and support or explain their answers.

The PARCC reports students' overall scale scores that range from 650 to 850. To determine whether students have met academic expectations for their grade level/course in ELA/L and Math, students' overall scale scores are categorized into five Performance Levels. Students performing at levels 4 and 5 (met or exceeded expectations) have demonstrated readiness for the next grade level/course, and are on track for college and careers.

Five Performance Levels				
Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations <i>(Min. 650)</i>	Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	Level 3: Approached Expectations	Level 4: Met Expectations	Level 5: Exceeded Expectations <i>(Max. 850)</i>

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 03

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	21	757	744	0%	14%	24%	57%	5%	62%	44%
White	19	754	753	0%	16%	26%	58%	0%	58%	55%
African American	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
Hispanic	-	-	727	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
American Indian	-	-	738	-	-	-	-	-	-	40%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	70%
Two or More Races	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	53%
Students with Disability	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	24%
English Language Learners	-	-	709	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	24%

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 04

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	19	767	751	0%	0%	32%	53%	16%	68%	52%
White	16	770	758	0%	0%	25%	56%	19%	75%	63%
African American	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	30%
Hispanic	-	-	737	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
American Indian	-	-	746	-	-	-	-	-	-	52%
Asian	-	-	773	-	-	-	-	-	-	78%
Two or More Races	-	-	760	-	-	-	-	-	-	62%
Students with Disability	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	25%
English Language Learners	-	-	717	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%

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PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 03

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	21	744	746	5%	24%	33%	33%	5%	38%	46%
White	19	742	752	5%	21%	37%	37%	0%	37%	56%
African American	-	-	728	-	-	-	-	-	-	25%
Hispanic	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	28%
American Indian	-	-	742	-	-	-	-	-	-	41%
Asian	-	-	772	-	-	-	-	-	-	77%
Two or More Races	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	54%
Students with Disability	-	-	727	-	-	-	-	-	-	27%
English Language Learners	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%

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PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 04

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	19	739	744	0%	21%	58%	21%	0%	21%	42%
White	16	738	749	0%	25%	56%	19%	0%	19%	50%
African American	-	-	727	-	-	-	-	-	-	20%
Hispanic	-	-	732	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
American Indian	-	-	740	-	-	-	-	-	-	40%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	75%
Two or More Races	-	-	750	-	-	-	-	-	-	52%
Students with Disability	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
English Language Learners	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%

2015 National Assessment Educational Progress (NAEP)

The National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) is the largest national assessment of what our nation's students know and can do. NAEP assesses fourth-, eighth-, and twelfth-grade students in subjects such as reading, mathematics, science, and writing. The reporting of NAEP scores on state report cards is a federal mandate. The results of NAEP are also published as the Nation's Report Card, and are available for the nation, states, and, in some cases, urban districts. The NAEP scores on the report card include grades four and eight 2015 reading and math scores for New Jersey which are the last scores published.

For subgroup outcomes, visit:

- Reading Grade 4 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep4read.html>
- Reading Grade 8 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep8read.html>
- Math Grade 4 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep4math.html>
- Math Grade 8 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep8math.html>

For more information, visit <http://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/>

Proficiency Percentages

Subject	Grade	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
Reading	Grade 4	State (NJ)	25	33	31	12
	Grade 4	Nation	31	33	27	9
	Grade 8	State (NJ)	20	39	35	6
	Grade 8	Nation	24	42	31	4
Math	Grade 4	State (NJ)	14	39	38	9
	Grade 4	Nation	18	42	33	7
	Grade 8	State (NJ)	21	32	30	16
	Grade 8	Nation	29	38	25	8

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NJASK Results - Science Grade Level - 04

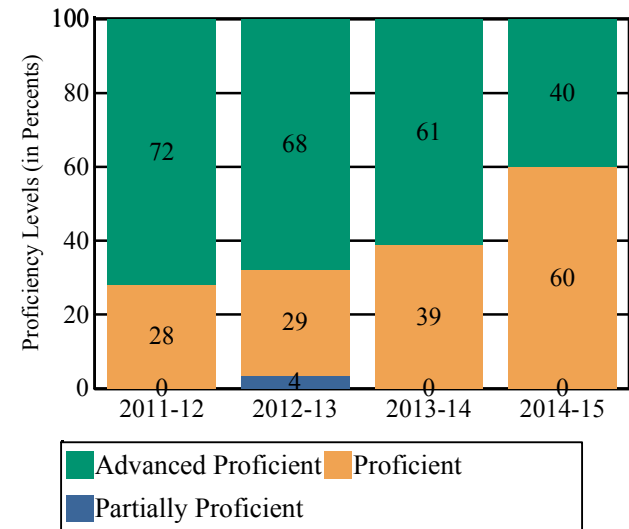
This table presents the grade level proficiency results, as measured by NJASK, in Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories for all appropriate subgroups.

Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	40%	60%	0%
White	41%	59%	0%
African American	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	-	-	-
English Language Learners	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under ESEA Waiver suppression rules.

NJASK Proficiency Trends - Science - Grade Level - 04

This graph presents the grade level outcomes in the categories of Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient over the last four years.



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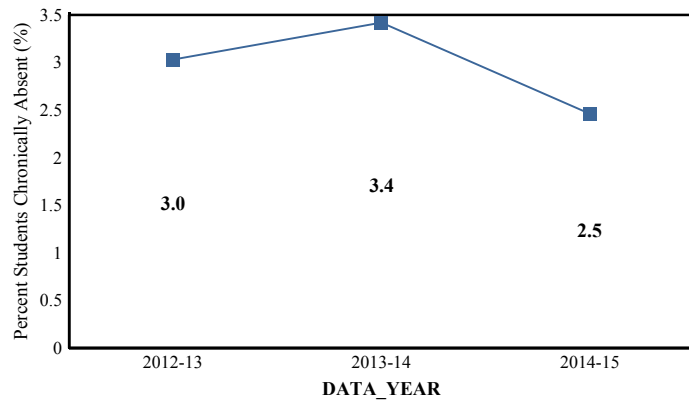
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Students in both elementary and middle schools begin to demonstrate college readiness behaviors long before they even enter high school. Among the behaviors that research has shown to be indicative of successfully graduating high school is regularly attending school. For all elementary schools, this includes the percentage of students that are chronically absent each year, defined as missing more than 10% of possible school days.

Chronic Absenteeism Trend

This graph presents the percentage of the enrolled students who were chronically absent for the past three years.

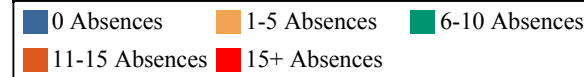
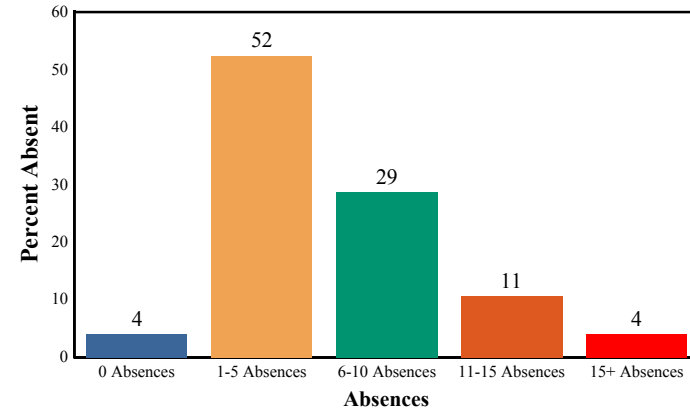


Chronic Absenteeism for 2014-15

2.46%

Absenteeism

The chart below presents the percentage of students who were absent in each category of absence: 0 absences, 1- 5 absences, 6 - 10 absences, 11 - 15 absences, and more than 15 absences. An absence is defined as being ‘not present’ and includes the days missed regardless of whether they were determined to be excused or unexcused by the school.



STUDENT GROWTH

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This section of the performance report presents data about student growth, utilizing the Student Growth Percentile Methodology (SGP). SGP creates a measure of how students progressed in grades 4 through 8 in Language Arts Literacy and in grades 4 through 7 in Math when compared to other students with a similar test score history. A short video explaining the methodology can be found here: <http://www.state.nj.us/education/njsmart/performance/>

The below chart consist of five columns with measures. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - presents the schoolwide median growth score in either English Language Arts/Literacy or Mathematics for all students in the school. The second column - Peer Percentile - indicates how the school's growth performance compares to its group of peer schools. The third column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how a school compares to schools across the state. The last column - Met Target? - indicates whether the school's performance met or exceeded the statewide target, which was set to 35.

The fourth row presents the averages of the peer school percentiles, the averages of statewide percentiles, the percentage of statewide targets met.

Student Growth Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Statewide Target	Met Target?
Student Growth on Language Arts	N/A	N/A	N/A	35	-
Student Growth on Math	N/A	N/A	N/A	35	-
		N/A	N/A		0%

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This section of the performance report presents data about the achievement gap that exists within a school - as measured by the difference between the students' scale scores at the 25th and 75th percentile in the school, the Interquartile Range (IQR). Taken together with an understanding of the overall and average achievement levels in the school, the IQR furthers an understanding of the range of student outcomes that exist in a school. A school gap smaller than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is narrower than the state's while a school gap larger than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is broader than the state's.

Grade Level - 03

PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	831	850
75th	770	770
50th	755	743
25th	744	715
0th	706	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	26	55

Grade Level - 03

PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	793	850
75th	759	767
50th	745	745
25th	724	722
0th	694	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	35	45

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Grade Level - 04

PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	816	850
75th	778	773
50th	762	750
25th	748	728
0th	730	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	30	45

Grade Level - 04

PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	783	850
75th	745	764
50th	732	742
25th	726	721
0th	712	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	19	43

SCHOOL CLIMATE

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Length of School Day

This table presents the amount of time a school is in session for a typical student on a normal school day.

	School
2014-15	6 Hrs. 15 Mins.

Student Suspension Rate

This table presents the percentage of students who were suspended one or more times during the school year.

	School
2014-15	0.0%

Instructional Time

This table presents the amount of time that a typical student is engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher.

2014-15	School
Full Time	5 Hrs. 45 Mins.
Shared Time	0 Hrs. 0 Mins.

Student Expulsions

This table presents the number of students who were expelled from the school and district during the school year.

	School
2014-15	0

Student to Staff Ratio

This table presents the count of students per faculty member or administrator in the school. All staff are counted in full-time equivalents.

2014-15	School
Faculty	13
Administrators	120

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This table presents the list of peer schools in alphabetical order by county name that was created specifically for this school (highlighted in yellow). Peer schools are drawn from across the state and represent schools that have similar grade configurations and that are educating students of similar demographic characteristics, as measured by enrollment in Free/Reduced Lunch Programs, Limited English Proficiency or Special Education Programs.

<u>COUNTY NAME</u>	<u>DISTRICT NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL NAME</u>	<u>CDS CODE</u>	<u>GRADES PAN</u>	<u>ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED</u>	<u>ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS</u>	<u>SPECIAL EDUCATION</u>
BERGEN	WALDWICK BORO	JULIA A TRAPHAGEN SCHOOL	03-5410-050	PK-05	1.6%	0%	13.7%
CAMDEN	HADDONFIELD BORO	CENTRAL SCHOOL	07-1900-060	PK-05	1.7%	0%	16.4%
CAMDEN	HADDONFIELD BORO	J. FITHIAN TATEM SCHOOL	07-1900-090	PK-05	1.5%	0%	17.8%
ESSEX	CEDAR GROVE TWP	NORTH END ELEMENTARY	13-0760-060	KG-04	4.2%	4.2%	13%
ESSEX	CEDAR GROVE TWP	SOUTH END ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-0760-090	KG-04	2.3%	1%	12.3%
ESSEX	LIVINGSTON TWP	MOUNT PLEASANT MIDDLE SCHOOL	13-2730-060	06	2.6%	0.6%	15.5%
ESSEX	MILLBURN TWP	SOUTH MOUNTAIN SCHOOL	13-3190-100	PK-05	2.9%	2.3%	11.6%
ESSEX	NUTLEY TOWN	SPRING GARDEN SCHOOL	13-3750-090	PK-06	2.9%	1.8%	11.7%
ESSEX	VERONA BORO	BROOKDALE AVENUE SCHOOL	13-5370-070	KG-04	1.7%	0%	12.5%
ESSEX	VERONA BORO	FREDERIC N. BROWN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-5370-080	KG-04	4.9%	4.4%	13.2%
GLOUCESTER	WENONAH BORO	WENONAH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	15-5590-050	KG-06	1.4%	0%	8.6%
HUNTERDON	CLINTON TWP	ROUND VALLEY	19-0920-040	04-06	2.4%	0.2%	20%
MERCER	HOPEWELL VALLEY REGIONAL	HOPEWELL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	21-2280-055	PK-05	2.4%	0.5%	13.9%
MERCER	HOPEWELL VALLEY REGIONAL	TOLL GATE GRAMMAR SCHOOL	21-2280-040	KG-05	1.7%	0%	14.9%
MERCER	W WINDSOR-PLAINSBORO REG	MAURICE HAWK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	21-5715-040	KG-03	4.3%	3.8%	5.3%
MIDDLESEX	SOUTH BRUNSWICK TWP	MONMOUTH JUNCTION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	23-4860-110	KG-05	2.1%	0.6%	6.7%
MONMOUTH	COLTS NECK TWP	CONOVER ROAD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	25-0945-050	03-05	3.4%	1.9%	16.2%
MONMOUTH	HOLMDEL TWP	VILLAGE SCHOOL	25-2230-080	PK-03	2.8%	1.5%	11.1%
MONMOUTH	LITTLE SILVER BORO	POINT ROAD SCHOOL	25-2720-060	PK-04	1.3%	0%	12%
MONMOUTH	MARLBORO TWP	ASHER HOLMES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	25-3030-070	01-05	4.4%	3.7%	15.9%
MONMOUTH	MARLBORO TWP	MARLBORO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	25-3030-045	01-05	3.1%	2.4%	17.7%
MORRIS	MENDHAM BORO	HILLTOP SCHOOL	27-3090-050	PK-04	2.3%	0.3%	12.2%
MORRIS	MONTVILLE TWP	CEDAR HILL SCHOOL	27-3340-025	KG-05	3.9%	3%	20.2%



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MORRIS	MONTVILLE TWP	WILLIAM MASON SCHOOL	27-3340-065	KG-05	1.9%	0%	17.9%
MORRIS	SCH DIST OF THE CHATHAMS	LAFAYETTE AVENUS SCHOOL	27-0785-050	04-05	2.1%	0.6%	18.8%
SOMERSET	HILLSBOROUGH TWP	AMSTERDAM ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	35-2170-033	KG-04	3.1%	2.2%	12.5%
SOMERSET	HILLSBOROUGH TWP	TRIANGLE ELEMENTARY SHCOOL	35-2170-070	PK-04	8.6%	10.5%	25.4%
SOMERSET	HILLSBOROUGH TWP	WOODS ROAD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	35-2170-085	PK-04	3.6%	3%	15%
SUSSEX	SPARTA TWP	MOHAWK AVENUE SCHOOL	37-4960-300	03	3.2%	2.3%	15.5%
UNION	BERKELEY HEIGHTS TWP	WILLIAM WOODRUFF SCHOOL	39-0310-050	02-05	2.4%	1.4%	12.7%
UNION	SUMMIT CITY	FRANKLIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	39-5090-080	01-05	2.5%	1.4%	12%



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The New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) is pleased to present these annual reports of School Performance. These reports are designed to inform parents, educators and communities about how well a school is performing and preparing its students for college and careers.

In particular, the School Performance Reports seek to:

- **Focus** attention on metrics that are indicative of college and career readiness.
- **Benchmark** a school's performance against other peer schools that are educating similar students, against statewide outcomes, and against state targets to illuminate and build upon a school's strengths and identify areas for improvement.
- **Improve** educational outcomes for students by providing both longitudinal and growth data so that progress can be measured as part of an individual school's efforts to engage in continuous improvement.

While the New Jersey School Performance Reports seek to bring more information to educators and stakeholders about the performance of schools, they do not seek to distill the performance of schools into a single metric, a single score, or a simplified conclusion. Instead, the intention is that educators and stakeholders will engage in deep, lengthy conversations about the full range of the data presented. As educators know well, measuring school performance is both an art and a science. While the School Performance Report brings attention to important student outcomes, NJDOE does not collect data about other essential elements of a school, such as the provision of opportunities to participate and excel in extracurricular activities; the development of non-cognitive skills like time management and perseverance; the pervasiveness of a positive school culture or climate; or the attainment of other employability and technical skills, as many of these data are beyond both the capacity and resources of schools to measure and collect well.

To learn more about New Jersey's school accountability system, please visit: <http://www.nj.gov/education/educators/>.

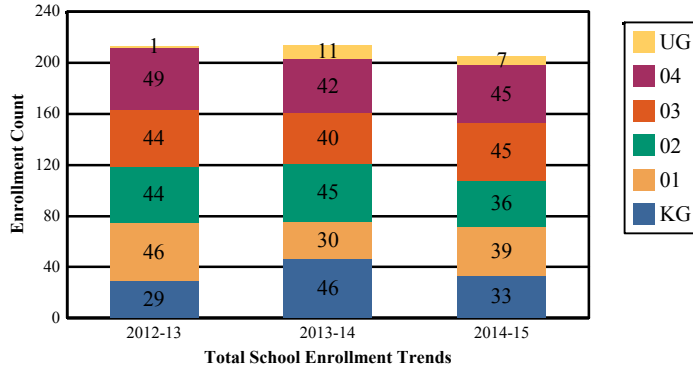
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Enrollment by Grade

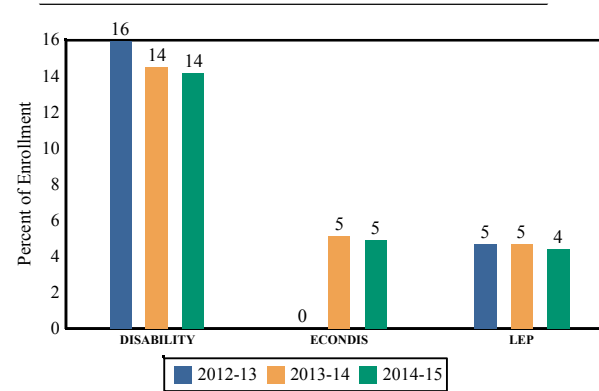
This graph presents the count of students who were 'on roll' by grade in October of each school year.



Note: "UG" represents the count of students who are 'on roll' in this school but who are educated in ungraded classrooms, meaning that the classrooms may contain students from multiple grade levels.

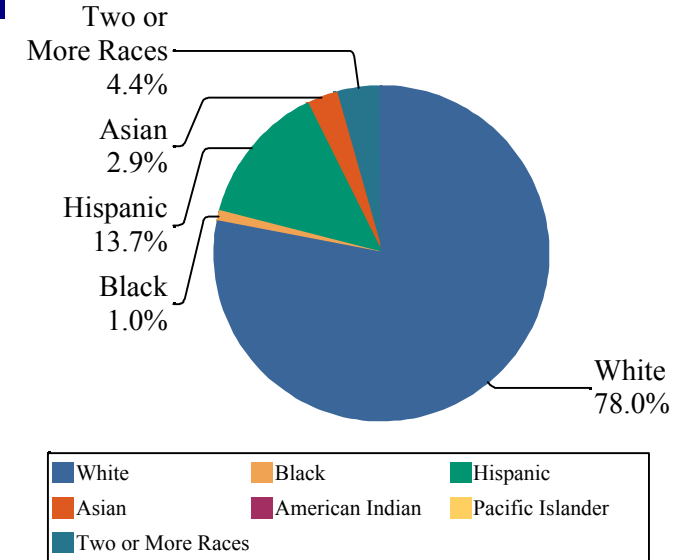
Enrollment Trends by Program Participation

This graph presents the percentages of students by program participation who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup

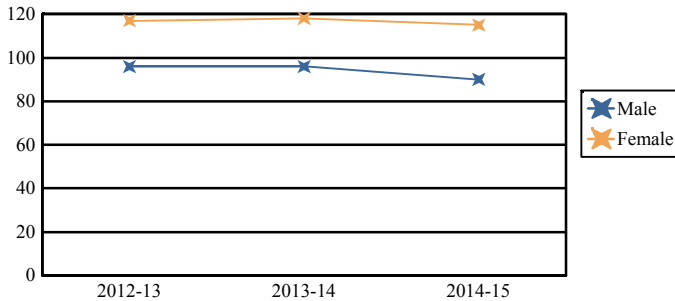
This graph presents the percentages of enrollment for each subgroup defined by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001.



Total School Enrollment	
2012-13	213
2013-14	214
2014-15	205

Enrollment by Gender

This graph presents the count of students by gender who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



	Male	Female
2012-13	96	117
2013-14	96	118
2014-15	90	115

Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation		
2014-15	Count of Students	% of Enrollment
Students with Disability	29	14%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	10	4.9%
English Language Learners	9	4.4%

Language Diversity

This table presents the percentage of students who primarily speak each language in their home.

2014-15	Percent
English	78.3%
Spanish	8.5%
Arabic	1.9%
Chinese	1.9%
Italian	1.9%
Russian	1.4%
Other	6.1%

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The Academic Achievement section measures the content knowledge that students have in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) and Math as demonstrated in the 2014-2015 *Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers* (PARCC) assessments. The below chart consist of three columns. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - includes the percentage of students in ELA/L and Math who met or exceeded grade level expectations. The middle column - Peer School Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compared to its peers. The last column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compared to schools across the state.

Academic Achievement Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	State Percentile
English Language Arts/Literacy Met or Exceeded Expectation	61%	7	64
Math Met or Exceeded Expectation	35%		

ESEA Waiver - English Language Arts/Literacy

This table presents, for each subgroup in the school, the total number of valid test scores, the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations, the assessment participation goal, and the participation rate. The participation goal is established as 95% by the United States Department of Education.

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	71	60.5%	95%	80.6%	NO
White	58	60.3%	95%	78.4%	NO
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	-	-	--	--	--
English Language Learners	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

YES* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under ESEA Waiver suppression rules.

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ESEA Waiver - Math

This table presents, for each subgroup in the school, the total number of valid test scores, the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations, the assessment participation goal, and the participation rate. The participation goal is established as 95% by the United States Department of Education.

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	71	35.2%	95%	81.1%	NO
White	58	34.5%	95%	78.9%	NO
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	-	-	--	--	--
English Learner Students	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

YES* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

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PARCC Performance Level

The PARCC assesses how well students have learned grade-level material in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) and Math. The tests include questions that measure students' fundamental skills and knowledge, and require them to think critically, solve problems and support or explain their answers.

The PARCC reports students' overall scale scores that range from 650 to 850. To determine whether students have met academic expectations for their grade level/course in ELA/L and Math, students' overall scale scores are categorized into five Performance Levels. Students performing at levels 4 and 5 (met or exceeded expectations) have demonstrated readiness for the next grade level/course, and are on track for college and careers.

Five Performance Levels				
Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations <i>(Min. 650)</i>	Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	Level 3: Approached Expectations	Level 4: Met Expectations	Level 5: Exceeded Expectations <i>(Max. 850)</i>

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 03

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	33	759	744	6%	12%	18%	58%	6%	64%	44%
White	25	756	753	8%	12%	20%	56%	4%	60%	55%
African American	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
Hispanic	-	-	727	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
American Indian	-	-	738	-	-	-	-	-	-	40%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	70%
Two or More Races	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	53%
Students with Disability	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	24%
English Language Learners	-	-	709	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	24%

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 04

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	38	754	751	3%	11%	29%	50%	8%	58%	52%
White	33	756	758	3%	6%	30%	52%	9%	61%	63%
African American	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	30%
Hispanic	-	-	737	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
American Indian	-	-	746	-	-	-	-	-	-	52%
Asian	-	-	773	-	-	-	-	-	-	78%
Two or More Races	-	-	760	-	-	-	-	-	-	62%
Students with Disability	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	25%
English Language Learners	-	-	717	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%

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PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 03

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	33	746	746	3%	15%	30%	52%	0%	52%	46%
White	25	745	752	4%	12%	36%	48%	0%	48%	56%
African American	-	-	728	-	-	-	-	-	-	25%
Hispanic	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	28%
American Indian	-	-	742	-	-	-	-	-	-	41%
Asian	-	-	772	-	-	-	-	-	-	77%
Two or More Races	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	54%
Students with Disability	-	-	727	-	-	-	-	-	-	27%
English Language Learners	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	38	732	744	5%	32%	42%	18%	3%	21%	42%
White	33	735	749	3%	30%	42%	21%	3%	24%	50%
African American	-	-	727	-	-	-	-	-	-	20%
Hispanic	-	-	732	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
American Indian	-	-	740	-	-	-	-	-	-	40%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	75%
Two or More Races	-	-	750	-	-	-	-	-	-	52%
Students with Disability	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
English Language Learners	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%

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2015 National Assessment Educational Progress (NAEP)

The National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) is the largest national assessment of what our nation's students know and can do. NAEP assesses fourth-, eighth-, and twelfth-grade students in subjects such as reading, mathematics, science, and writing. The reporting of NAEP scores on state report cards is a federal mandate. The results of NAEP are also published as the Nation's Report Card, and are available for the nation, states, and, in some cases, urban districts. The NAEP scores on the report card include grades four and eight 2015 reading and math scores for New Jersey which are the last scores published.

For subgroup outcomes, visit:

- Reading Grade 4 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep4read.html>
- Reading Grade 8 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep8read.html>
- Math Grade 4 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep4math.html>
- Math Grade 8 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep8math.html>

For more information, visit <http://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/>

Proficiency Percentages

Subject	Grade	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
Reading	Grade 4	State (NJ)	25	33	31	12
	Grade 4	Nation	31	33	27	9
	Grade 8	State (NJ)	20	39	35	6
	Grade 8	Nation	24	42	31	4
Math	Grade 4	State (NJ)	14	39	38	9
	Grade 4	Nation	18	42	33	7
	Grade 8	State (NJ)	21	32	30	16
	Grade 8	Nation	29	38	25	8

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NJASK Results - Science Grade Level - 04

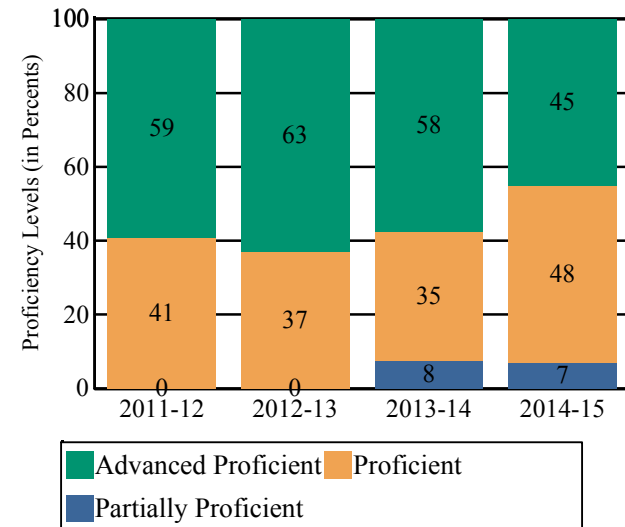
This table presents the grade level proficiency results, as measured by NJASK, in Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories for all appropriate subgroups.

Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	45%	48%	7%
White	49%	43%	8%
African American	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	-	-	-
English Language Learners	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under ESEA Waiver suppression rules.

NJASK Proficiency Trends - Science - Grade Level - 04

This graph presents the grade level outcomes in the categories of Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient over the last four years.



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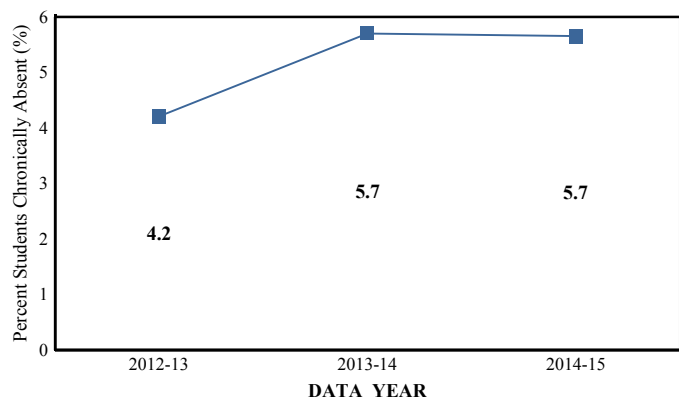
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Students in both elementary and middle schools begin to demonstrate college readiness behaviors long before they even enter high school. Among the behaviors that research has shown to be indicative of successfully graduating high school is regularly attending school. For all elementary schools, this includes the percentage of students that are chronically absent each year, defined as missing more than 10% of possible school days.

Chronic Absenteeism Trend

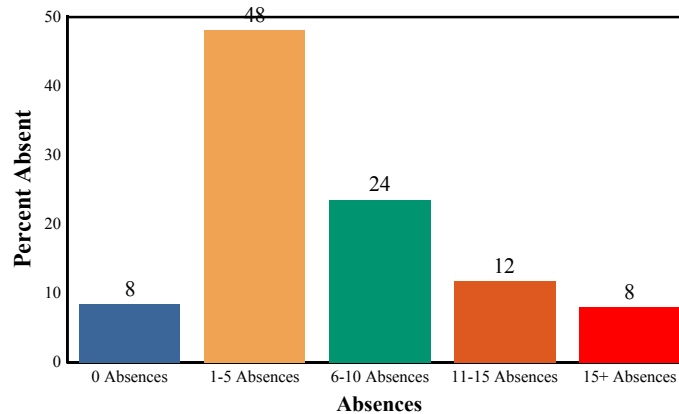
This graph presents the percentage of the enrolled students who were chronically absent for the past three years.



Chronic Absenteeism for 2014-15	5.66%
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Absenteeism

The chart below presents the percentage of students who were absent in each category of absence: 0 absences, 1- 5 absences, 6 - 10 absences, 11 - 15 absences, and more than 15 absences. An absence is defined as being ‘not present’ and includes the days missed regardless of whether they were determined to be excused or unexcused by the school.



0 Absences	1-5 Absences	6-10 Absences
11-15 Absences	15+ Absences	

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This section of the performance report presents data about student growth, utilizing the Student Growth Percentile Methodology (SGP). SGP creates a measure of how students progressed in grades 4 through 8 in Language Arts Literacy and in grades 4 through 7 in Math when compared to other students with a similar test score history. A short video explaining the methodology can be found here: <http://www.state.nj.us/education/njsmart/performance/>

The below chart consist of five columns with measures. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - presents the schoolwide median growth score in either English Language Arts/Literacy or Mathematics for all students in the school. The second column - Peer Percentile - indicates how the school's growth performance compares to its group of peer schools. The third column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how a school compares to schools across the state. The last column - Met Target? - indicates whether the school's performance met or exceeded the statewide target, which was set to 35.

The fourth row presents the averages of the peer school percentiles, the averages of statewide percentiles, the percentage of statewide targets met.

Student Growth Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Statewide Target	Met Target?
Student Growth on Language Arts	45	8	29	35	YES
Student Growth on Math	31	8	5	35	NO
		8	17		50%

Student Growth

This table presents for all students with growth scores the interaction between their performance on PARCC and their growth scores. For example, in the top left cell the percentage of students who are both in Level 1 - Did not yet meet expectations AND also demonstrating low growth is displayed.

Language Arts

(Expectations)	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet	3%	0%	0%
Partially Met	10%	3%	0%
Approached	10%	10%	8%
Met	15%	15%	18%
Exceeded	0%	0%	8%

Math

(Expectations)	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet	5%	0%	0%
Partially Met	23%	10%	0%
Approached	18%	21%	5%
Met	8%	3%	8%
Exceeded	0%	0%	0%

Low Growth is defined as an **Student Growth Percentile** score less than 35.

Typical Growth is defined as an **Student Growth Percentile** score between 35 and 65.

High Growth is defined as a **Student Growth Percentile** score higher than 65.

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This section of the performance report presents data about the achievement gap that exists within a school - as measured by the difference between the students' scale scores at the 25th and 75th percentile in the school, the Interquartile Range (IQR). Taken together with an understanding of the overall and average achievement levels in the school, the IQR furthers an understanding of the range of student outcomes that exist in a school. A school gap smaller than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is narrower than the state's while a school gap larger than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is broader than the state's.

Grade Level - 03

PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	830	850
75th	779	770
50th	763	743
25th	737	715
0th	684	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	42	55

Grade Level - 03

PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	783	850
75th	766	767
50th	758	745
25th	733	722
0th	698	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	33	45

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Grade Level - 04

PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	812	850
75th	770	773
50th	755	750
25th	737	728
0th	670	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	33	45

Grade Level - 04

PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	780	850
75th	742	764
50th	734	742
25th	714	721
0th	681	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	28	43

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Length of School Day

This table presents the amount of time a school is in session for a typical student on a normal school day.

	School
2014-15	6 Hrs. 15 Mins.

Student Suspension Rate

This table presents the percentage of students who were suspended one or more times during the school year.

	School
2014-15	0.5%

Instructional Time

This table presents the amount of time that a typical student is engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher.

2014-15	School
Full Time	5 Hrs. 30 Mins.
Shared Time	0 Hrs. 0 Mins.

Student Expulsions

This table presents the number of students who were expelled from the school and district during the school year.

	School
2014-15	0

Student to Staff Ratio

This table presents the count of students per faculty member or administrator in the school. All staff are counted in full-time equivalents.

2014-15	School
Faculty	13
Administrators	205

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This table presents the list of peer schools in alphabetical order by county name that was created specifically for this school (highlighted in yellow). Peer schools are drawn from across the state and represent schools that have similar grade configurations and that are educating students of similar demographic characteristics, as measured by enrollment in Free/Reduced Lunch Programs, Limited English Proficiency or Special Education Programs.

<u>COUNTY NAME</u>	<u>DISTRICT NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL NAME</u>	<u>CDS CODE</u>	<u>GRADES PAN</u>	<u>ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED</u>	<u>ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS</u>	<u>SPECIAL EDUCATION</u>
BERGEN	RIDGEWOOD VILLAGE	ORCHARD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-4390-120	KG-05	3.5%	2.2%	9.9%
BERGEN	WALDWICK BORO	JULIA A TRAPHAGEN SCHOOL	03-5410-050	PK-05	1.6%	0%	13.7%
CAMDEN	HADDONFIELD BORO	CENTRAL SCHOOL	07-1900-060	PK-05	1.7%	0%	16.4%
ESSEX	CEDAR GROVE TWP	SOUTH END ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-0760-090	KG-04	2.3%	1%	12.3%
ESSEX	LIVINGSTON TWP	MOUNT PLEASANT MIDDLE SCHOOL	13-2730-060	06	2.6%	0.6%	15.5%
ESSEX	NUTLEY TOWN	SPRING GARDEN SCHOOL	13-3750-090	PK-06	2.9%	1.8%	11.7%
ESSEX	NUTLEY TOWN	YANTACAW SCHOOL	13-3750-110	KG-06	2.9%	1%	12.1%
ESSEX	VERONA BORO	BROOKDALE AVENUE SCHOOL	13-5370-070	KG-04	1.7%	0%	12.5%
ESSEX	VERONA BORO	FREDERIC N. BROWN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-5370-080	KG-04	4.9%	4.4%	13.2%
HUNTERDON	CLINTON TWP	ROUND VALLEY	19-0920-040	04-06	2.4%	0.2%	20%
HUNTERDON	FLEMINGTON-RARITAN REG	BARLEY SHEAF ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	19-1510-030	KG-04	2.3%	0%	13%
MERCER	HOPEWELL VALLEY REGIONAL	HOPEWELL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	21-2280-055	PK-05	2.4%	0.5%	13.9%
MERCER	HOPEWELL VALLEY REGIONAL	TOLL GATE GRAMMAR SCHOOL	21-2280-040	KG-05	1.7%	0%	14.9%
MERCER	W WINDSOR-PLAINSBORO REG	MAURICE HAWK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	21-5715-040	KG-03	4.3%	3.8%	5.3%
MIDDLESEX	SOUTH BRUNSWICK TWP	MONMOUTH JUNCTION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	23-4860-110	KG-05	2.1%	0.6%	6.7%
MONMOUTH	COLTS NECK TWP	CONOVER ROAD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	25-0945-050	03-05	3.4%	1.9%	16.2%
MONMOUTH	HOLMDEL TWP	VILLAGE SCHOOL	25-2230-080	PK-03	2.8%	1.5%	11.1%
MONMOUTH	MARLBORO TWP	ASHER HOLMES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	25-3030-070	01-05	4.4%	3.7%	15.9%
MONMOUTH	MARLBORO TWP	FRANK J. DUGAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	25-3030-040	01-05	4.1%	2.6%	19.8%
MONMOUTH	MIDDLETOWN TWP	LINCROFT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	25-3160-120	KG-05	2.2%	0%	9.6%
MORRIS	MENDHAM BORO	HILLTOP SCHOOL	27-3090-050	PK-04	2.3%	0.3%	12.2%
MORRIS	MONTVILLE TWP	CEDAR HILL SCHOOL	27-3340-025	KG-05	3.9%	3%	20.2%

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MORRIS	MONTVILLE TWP	HILDALE SCHOOL	27-3340-050	KG-05	3%	1.4%	8.8%
MORRIS	MONTVILLE TWP	WILLIAM MASON SCHOOL	27-3340-065	KG-05	1.9%	0%	17.9%
SOMERSET	BERNARDS TWP	CEDAR HILL SCHOOL	35-0350-070	KG-05	2.6%	0.3%	14.6%
SOMERSET	BERNARDS TWP	LIBERTY CORNER SCHOOL	35-0350-080	PK-05	2.3%	0.2%	14.8%
SOMERSET	HILLSBOROUGH TWP	AMSTERDAM ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	35-2170-033	KG-04	3.1%	2.2%	12.5%
SOMERSET	HILLSBOROUGH TWP	WOODS ROAD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	35-2170-085	PK-04	3.6%	3%	15%
SUSSEX	SPARTA TWP	MOHAWK AVENUE SCHOOL	37-4960-300	03	3.2%	2.3%	15.5%
UNION	CRANFORD TWP	BROOKSIDE PLACE SCHOOL	39-0980-050	KG-05	2.2%	0%	14.9%
UNION	SUMMIT CITY	FRANKLIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	39-5090-080	01-05	2.5%	1.4%	12%



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The New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) is pleased to present these annual reports of School Performance. These reports are designed to inform parents, educators and communities about how well a school is performing and preparing its students for college and careers.

In particular, the School Performance Reports seek to:

- **Focus** attention on metrics that are indicative of college and career readiness.
- **Benchmark** a school's performance against other peer schools that are educating similar students, against statewide outcomes, and against state targets to illuminate and build upon a school's strengths and identify areas for improvement.
- **Improve** educational outcomes for students by providing both longitudinal and growth data so that progress can be measured as part of an individual school's efforts to engage in continuous improvement.

While the New Jersey School Performance Reports seek to bring more information to educators and stakeholders about the performance of schools, they do not seek to distill the performance of schools into a single metric, a single score, or a simplified conclusion. Instead, the intention is that educators and stakeholders will engage in deep, lengthy conversations about the full range of the data presented. As educators know well, measuring school performance is both an art and a science. While the School Performance Report brings attention to important student outcomes, NJDOE does not collect data about other essential elements of a school, such as the provision of opportunities to participate and excel in extracurricular activities; the development of non-cognitive skills like time management and perseverance; the pervasiveness of a positive school culture or climate; or the attainment of other employability and technical skills, as many of these data are beyond both the capacity and resources of schools to measure and collect well.

To learn more about New Jersey's school accountability system, please visit: <http://www.nj.gov/education/educators/>.

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

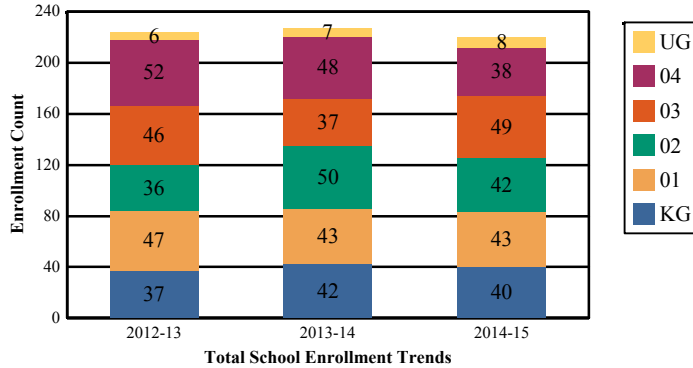
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Enrollment by Grade

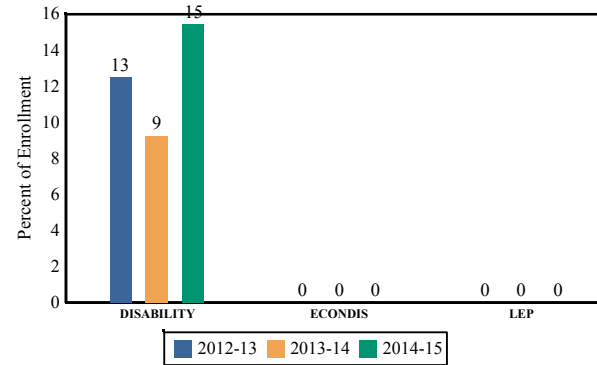
This graph presents the count of students who were 'on roll' by grade in October of each school year.



Note: "UG" represents the count of students who are 'on roll' in this school but who are educated in ungraded classrooms, meaning that the classrooms may contain students from multiple grade levels.

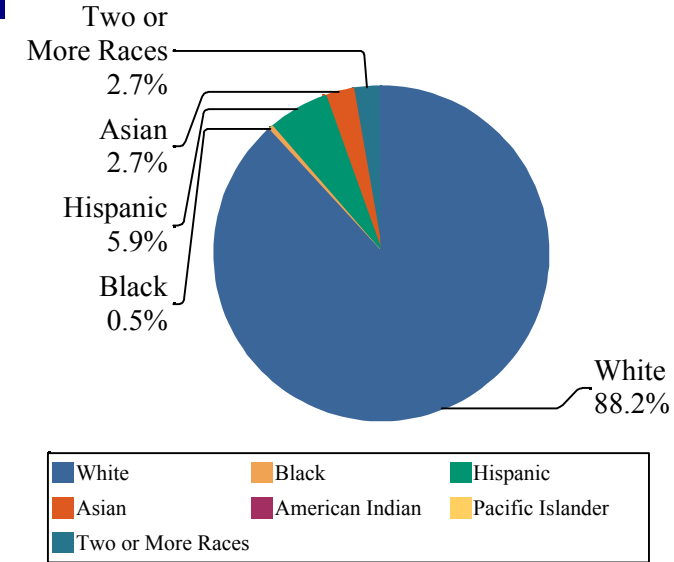
Enrollment Trends by Program Participation

This graph presents the percentages of students by program participation who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup

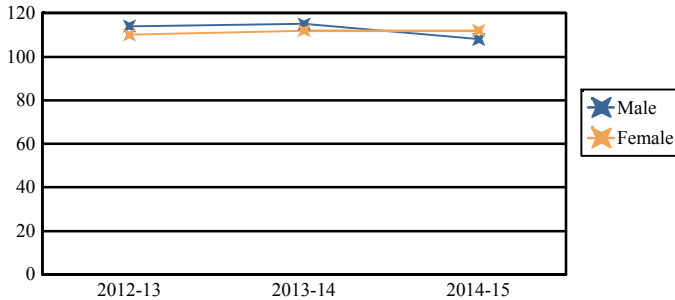
This graph presents the percentages of enrollment for each subgroup defined by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001.



Total School Enrollment	
2012-13	224
2013-14	227
2014-15	220

Enrollment by Gender

This graph presents the count of students by gender who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



	Male	Female
2012-13	114	110
2013-14	115	112
2014-15	108	112

Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation		
2014-15	Count of Students	% of Enrollment
Students with Disability	34	15%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0	0.0%
English Language Learners	0	0.0%

Language Diversity

This table presents the percentage of students who primarily speak each language in their home.

2014-15	Percent
English	90.1%
Spanish	3.2%
Chinese	2.7%
German	1.4%
Macedo-Romanian	0.5%
Portuguese	0.5%
Other	1.8%

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The Academic Achievement section measures the content knowledge that students have in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) and Math as demonstrated in the 2014-2015 *Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers* (PARCC) assessments. The below chart consist of three columns. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - includes the percentage of students in ELA/L and Math who met or exceeded grade level expectations. The middle column - Peer School Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compared to its peers. The last column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compared to schools across the state.

Academic Achievement Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	State Percentile
English Language Arts/Literacy Met or Exceeded Expectation	62%	10	67
Math Met or Exceeded Expectation	53%		

ESEA Waiver - English Language Arts/Literacy

This table presents, for each subgroup in the school, the total number of valid test scores, the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations, the assessment participation goal, and the participation rate. The participation goal is established as 95% by the United States Department of Education.

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	85	62.3%	95%	90.6%	YES*
White	73	63%	95%	90.4%	YES*
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	-	-	--	--	--
English Language Learners	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

YES* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

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ESEA Waiver - Math

This table presents, for each subgroup in the school, the total number of valid test scores, the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations, the assessment participation goal, and the participation rate. The participation goal is established as 95% by the United States Department of Education.

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	85	52.9%	95%	90.6%	YES*
White	73	56.2%	95%	90.4%	YES*
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	-	-	--	--	--
English Learner Students	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

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PARCC Performance Level

The PARCC assesses how well students have learned grade-level material in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) and Math. The tests include questions that measure students' fundamental skills and knowledge, and require them to think critically, solve problems and support or explain their answers.

The PARCC reports students' overall scale scores that range from 650 to 850. To determine whether students have met academic expectations for their grade level/course in ELA/L and Math, students' overall scale scores are categorized into five Performance Levels. Students performing at levels 4 and 5 (met or exceeded expectations) have demonstrated readiness for the next grade level/course, and are on track for college and careers.

Five Performance Levels				
Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations <i>(Min. 650)</i>	Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	Level 3: Approached Expectations	Level 4: Met Expectations	Level 5: Exceeded Expectations <i>(Max. 850)</i>

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 03

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	51	756	744	12%	6%	20%	55%	8%	63%	44%
White	47	756	753	13%	4%	21%	53%	9%	62%	55%
African American	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
Hispanic	-	-	727	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
American Indian	-	-	738	-	-	-	-	-	-	40%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	70%
Two or More Races	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	53%
Students with Disability	14	724	718	36%	14%	21%	29%	0%	29%	24%
English Language Learners	-	-	709	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	24%

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 04

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	34	757	751	6%	3%	29%	53%	9%	62%	52%
White	26	761	758	4%	4%	27%	54%	12%	65%	63%
African American	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	30%
Hispanic	-	-	737	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
American Indian	-	-	746	-	-	-	-	-	-	52%
Asian	-	-	773	-	-	-	-	-	-	78%
Two or More Races	-	-	760	-	-	-	-	-	-	62%
Students with Disability	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	25%
English Language Learners	-	-	717	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%

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PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 03

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	51	747	746	8%	14%	24%	49%	6%	55%	46%
White	47	748	752	9%	11%	23%	51%	6%	57%	56%
African American	-	-	728	-	-	-	-	-	-	25%
Hispanic	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	28%
American Indian	-	-	742	-	-	-	-	-	-	41%
Asian	-	-	772	-	-	-	-	-	-	77%
Two or More Races	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	54%
Students with Disability	14	719	727	29%	21%	29%	21%	0%	21%	27%
English Language Learners	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%

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PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 04

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	34	749	744	6%	6%	38%	47%	3%	50%	42%
White	26	751	749	4%	8%	35%	50%	4%	54%	50%
African American	-	-	727	-	-	-	-	-	-	20%
Hispanic	-	-	732	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
American Indian	-	-	740	-	-	-	-	-	-	40%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	75%
Two or More Races	-	-	750	-	-	-	-	-	-	52%
Students with Disability	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
English Language Learners	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%

2015 National Assessment Educational Progress (NAEP)

The National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) is the largest national assessment of what our nation's students know and can do. NAEP assesses fourth-, eighth-, and twelfth-grade students in subjects such as reading, mathematics, science, and writing. The reporting of NAEP scores on state report cards is a federal mandate. The results of NAEP are also published as the Nation's Report Card, and are available for the nation, states, and, in some cases, urban districts. The NAEP scores on the report card include grades four and eight 2015 reading and math scores for New Jersey which are the last scores published.

For subgroup outcomes, visit:

- Reading Grade 4 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep4read.html>
- Reading Grade 8 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep8read.html>
- Math Grade 4 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep4math.html>
- Math Grade 8 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep8math.html>

For more information, visit <http://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/>

Proficiency Percentages

Subject	Grade	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
Reading	Grade 4	State (NJ)	25	33	31	12
	Grade 4	Nation	31	33	27	9
	Grade 8	State (NJ)	20	39	35	6
	Grade 8	Nation	24	42	31	4
Math	Grade 4	State (NJ)	14	39	38	9
	Grade 4	Nation	18	42	33	7
	Grade 8	State (NJ)	21	32	30	16
	Grade 8	Nation	29	38	25	8

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NJASK Results - Science Grade Level - 04

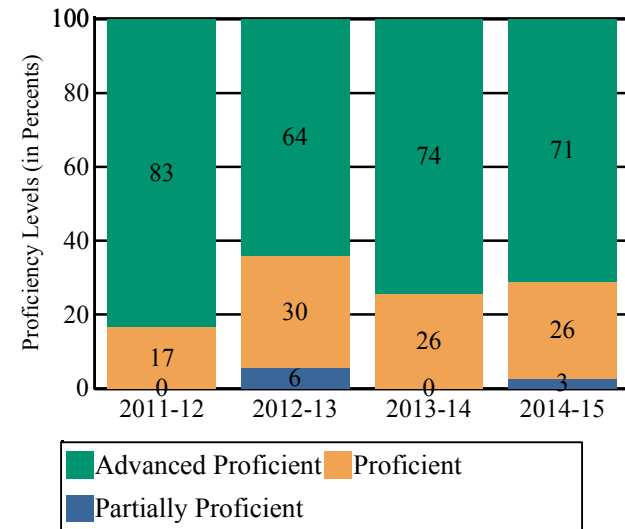
This table presents the grade level proficiency results, as measured by NJASK, in Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories for all appropriate subgroups.

Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	71%	26%	3%
White	70%	27%	3%
African American	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	58%	33%	8%
English Language Learners	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under ESEA Waiver suppression rules.

NJASK Proficiency Trends - Science - Grade Level - 04

This graph presents the grade level outcomes in the categories of Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient over the last four years.



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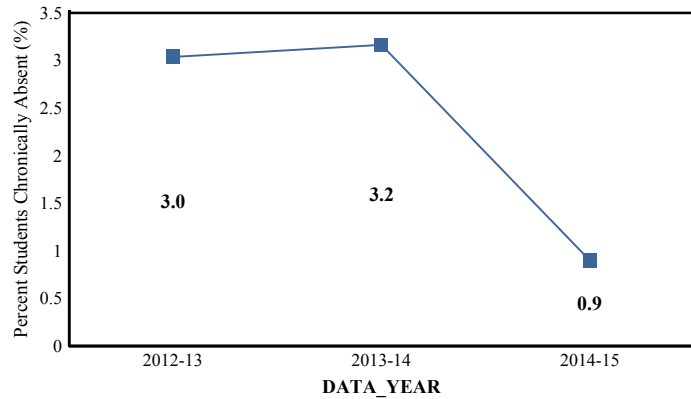
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Students in both elementary and middle schools begin to demonstrate college readiness behaviors long before they even enter high school. Among the behaviors that research has shown to be indicative of successfully graduating high school is regularly attending school. For all elementary schools, this includes the percentage of students that are chronically absent each year, defined as missing more than 10% of possible school days.

Chronic Absenteeism Trend

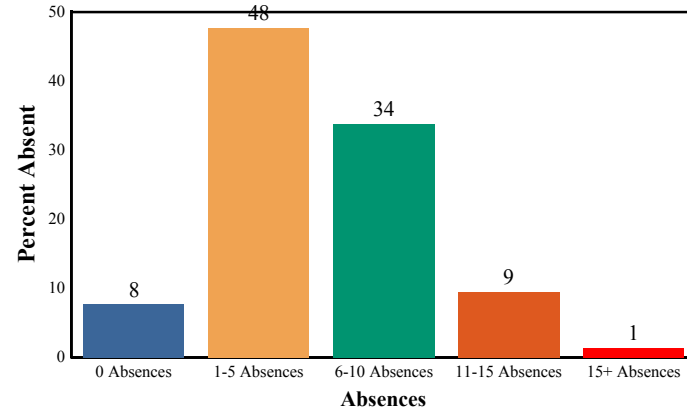
This graph presents the percentage of the enrolled students who were chronically absent for the past three years.



Chronic Absenteeism for 2014-15	0.90%
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Absenteeism

The chart below presents the percentage of students who were absent in each category of absence: 0 absences, 1- 5 absences, 6 - 10 absences, 11 - 15 absences, and more than 15 absences. An absence is defined as being ‘not present’ and includes the days missed regardless of whether they were determined to be excused or unexcused by the school.



0 Absences	1-5 Absences	6-10 Absences
11-15 Absences	15+ Absences	

STUDENT GROWTH

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This section of the performance report presents data about student growth, utilizing the Student Growth Percentile Methodology (SGP). SGP creates a measure of how students progressed in grades 4 through 8 in Language Arts Literacy and in grades 4 through 7 in Math when compared to other students with a similar test score history. A short video explaining the methodology can be found here: <http://www.state.nj.us/education/njsmart/performance/>

The below chart consist of five columns with measures. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - presents the schoolwide median growth score in either English Language Arts/Literacy or Mathematics for all students in the school. The second column - Peer Percentile - indicates how the school's growth performance compares to its group of peer schools. The third column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how a school compares to schools across the state. The last column - Met Target? - indicates whether the school's performance met or exceeded the statewide target, which was set to 35.

The fourth row presents the averages of the peer school percentiles, the averages of statewide percentiles, the percentage of statewide targets met.

Student Growth Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Statewide Target	Met Target?
Student Growth on Language Arts	53	35	56	35	YES
Student Growth on Math	74	93	96	35	YES
		64	76		100%

Student Growth

This table presents for all students with growth scores the interaction between their performance on PARCC and their growth scores. For example, in the top left cell the percentage of students who are both in Level 1 - Did not yet meet expectations AND also demonstrating low growth is displayed.

Language Arts

(Expectations)	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet	3%	3%	0%
Partially Met	3%	0%	0%
Approached	17%	6%	6%
Met	11%	20%	23%
Exceeded	0%	3%	6%

Math

(Expectations)	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet	6%	0%	0%
Partially Met	3%	3%	0%
Approached	6%	6%	26%
Met	3%	14%	31%
Exceeded	0%	0%	3%

Low Growth is defined as an **Student Growth Percentile** score less than 35.

Typical Growth is defined as an **Student Growth Percentile** score between 35 and 65.

High Growth is defined as a **Student Growth Percentile** score higher than 65.

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This section of the performance report presents data about the achievement gap that exists within a school - as measured by the difference between the students' scale scores at the 25th and 75th percentile in the school, the Interquartile Range (IQR). Taken together with an understanding of the overall and average achievement levels in the school, the IQR furthers an understanding of the range of student outcomes that exist in a school. A school gap smaller than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is narrower than the state's while a school gap larger than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is broader than the state's.

Grade Level - 03

PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	823	850
75th	781	770
50th	760	743
25th	735	715
0th	674	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	46	55

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PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	800	850
75th	771	767
50th	754	745
25th	727	722
0th	666	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	44	45

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Grade Level - 04

PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	814	850
75th	774	773
50th	762	750
25th	743	728
0th	675	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	31	45

Grade Level - 04

PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	805	850
75th	766	764
50th	750	742
25th	737	721
0th	674	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	29	43

Length of School Day

This table presents the amount of time a school is in session for a typical student on a normal school day.

	School
2014-15	6 Hrs. 15 Mins.

Student Suspension Rate

This table presents the percentage of students who were suspended one or more times during the school year.

	School
2014-15	0.0%

Instructional Time

This table presents the amount of time that a typical student is engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher.

2014-15	School
Full Time	5 Hrs. 30 Mins.
Shared Time	0 Hrs. 0 Mins.

Student Expulsions

This table presents the number of students who were expelled from the school and district during the school year.

	School
2014-15	0

Student to Staff Ratio

This table presents the count of students per faculty member or administrator in the school. All staff are counted in full-time equivalents.

2014-15	School
Faculty	15
Administrators	220

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This table presents the list of peer schools in alphabetical order by county name that was created specifically for this school (highlighted in yellow). Peer schools are drawn from across the state and represent schools that have similar grade configurations and that are educating students of similar demographic characteristics, as measured by enrollment in Free/Reduced Lunch Programs, Limited English Proficiency or Special Education Programs.

<u>COUNTY NAME</u>	<u>DISTRICT NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL NAME</u>	<u>CDS CODE</u>	<u>GRADES PAN</u>	<u>ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED</u>	<u>ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS</u>	<u>SPECIAL EDUCATION</u>
BERGEN	ALLENDALE BORO	HILLSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-0040-020	PK-03	0.6%	1.1%	6.9%
BERGEN	PARAMUS BORO	MEMORIAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-3930-080	KG-04	5%	7.6%	12.4%
BERGEN	PARAMUS BORO	STONY LANE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-3930-130	KG-04	2.6%	4.2%	17.6%
BERGEN	RIDGEWOOD VILLAGE	TRAVELL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-4390-110	KG-05	1.1%	2.4%	13.8%
BERGEN	RIDGEWOOD VILLAGE	WILLARD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-4390-130	KG-05	1%	1.4%	12.9%
BERGEN	SADDLE RIVER BORO	WANDELL SCHOOL	03-4620-050	PK-05	0%	0%	15.6%
BERGEN	UPPER SADDLE RIVER BORO	EDITH A. BOGERT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-5330-060	03-05	0%	0.2%	20.3%
BERGEN	WOODCLIFF LAKE BORO	DORCHESTER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-5880-030	PK-05	0.6%	0.6%	14.4%
BERGEN	WYCKOFF TWP	SICOMAC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-5920-050	PK-05	0%	0%	20.7%
CAMDEN	HADDONFIELD BORO	ELIZABETH HADDON SCHOOL	07-1900-080	PK-05	0.3%	0%	13.8%
CAPE MAY	STONE HARBOR BORO	STONE HARBOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	09-5060-050	KG-04	0%	0%	7.4%
ESSEX	ESSEX FELS BORO	ESSEX FELS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-1400-050	PK-06	0%	0.5%	15.8%
ESSEX	GLEN RIDGE BORO	RIDGEWOOD AVENUE SCHOOL	13-1750-075	03-06	0.2%	0%	17.3%
ESSEX	LIVINGSTON TWP	HARRISON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-2730-090	KG-05	0.6%	1.8%	9.9%
ESSEX	LIVINGSTON TWP	MOUNT PLEASANT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-2730-110	KG-05	0.9%	2%	8%
ESSEX	MILLBURN TWP	HARTSHORN SCHOOL	13-3190-080	KG-05	0%	0.6%	8.4%
ESSEX	NORTH CALDWELL BORO	GOULD/MOUNTAIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-3630-050	04-06	0%	0%	19.8%
ESSEX	NORTH CALDWELL BORO	GRANDVIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-3630-060	PK-03	0%	0%	8%
ESSEX	VERONA BORO	FOREST AVENUE SCHOOL	13-5370-090	KG-04	0%	0%	14.6%
HUNTERDON	UNION TWP	UNION TOWNSHIP ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	19-5270-060	PK-04	0.4%	1.3%	16.7%
MERCER	W WINDSOR-PLAINSBORO REG	DUTCH NECK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	21-5715-030	KG-03	2.1%	4%	5.2%
MONMOUTH	FAIR HAVEN BORO	VIOLA L SICKLES SCHOOL	25-1440-060	PK-03	0%	0%	9.3%

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MONMOUTH	ROOSEVELT BORO	ROOSEVELT PUBLIC SCHOOL	25-4520-050	PK-06	0%	0%	11.4%	
MONMOUTH	RUMSON BORO	DEANE-PORTER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	25-4570-040	PK-03	0%	0.2%	10.7%	
MORRIS	LONG HILL TWP	MILLINGTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	27-4000-060	02-05	3%	4.2%	22.9%	
MORRIS	MENDHAM TWP	MENDHAM TOWNSHIP ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	27-3100-050	PK-04	0%	0.3%	14.8%	
MORRIS	MOUNTAIN LAKES BORO	WILDWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	27-3460-080	KG-05	0%	0%	13.9%	
PASSAIC	WAYNE TWP	PINES LAKE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	31-5570-120	KG-05	6%	9%	21%	
SOMERSET	WARREN TWP	CENTRAL SCHOOL	35-5470-030	KG-05	2.2%	3.2%	10.5%	
UNION	WESTFIELD TOWN	FRANKLIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	39-5730-100	01-05	0.2%	0.5%	14.8%	
UNION	WESTFIELD TOWN	WILSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	39-5730-160	01-05	0.3%	0%	22.1%	

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The New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) is pleased to present these annual reports of School Performance. These reports are designed to inform parents, educators and communities about how well a school is performing and preparing its students for college and careers.

In particular, the School Performance Reports seek to:

- **Focus** attention on metrics that are indicative of college and career readiness.
- **Benchmark** a school's performance against other peer schools that are educating similar students, against statewide outcomes, and against state targets to illuminate and build upon a school's strengths and identify areas for improvement.
- **Improve** educational outcomes for students by providing both longitudinal and growth data so that progress can be measured as part of an individual school's efforts to engage in continuous improvement.

While the New Jersey School Performance Reports seek to bring more information to educators and stakeholders about the performance of schools, they do not seek to distill the performance of schools into a single metric, a single score, or a simplified conclusion. Instead, the intention is that educators and stakeholders will engage in deep, lengthy conversations about the full range of the data presented. As educators know well, measuring school performance is both an art and a science. While the School Performance Report brings attention to important student outcomes, NJDOE does not collect data about other essential elements of a school, such as the provision of opportunities to participate and excel in extracurricular activities; the development of non-cognitive skills like time management and perseverance; the pervasiveness of a positive school culture or climate; or the attainment of other employability and technical skills, as many of these data are beyond both the capacity and resources of schools to measure and collect well.

To learn more about New Jersey's school accountability system, please visit: <http://www.nj.gov/education/educators/>.

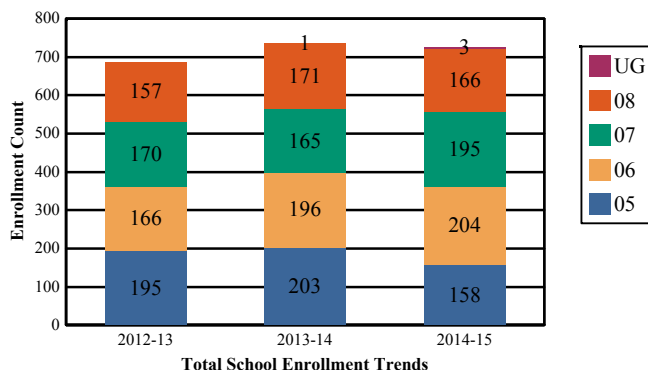
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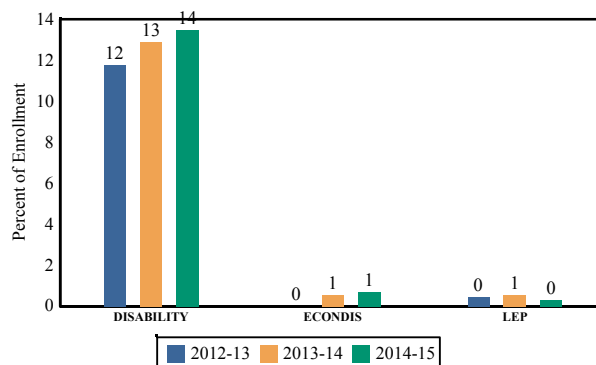
Enrollment by Grade

This graph presents the count of students who were 'on roll' by grade in October of each school year.



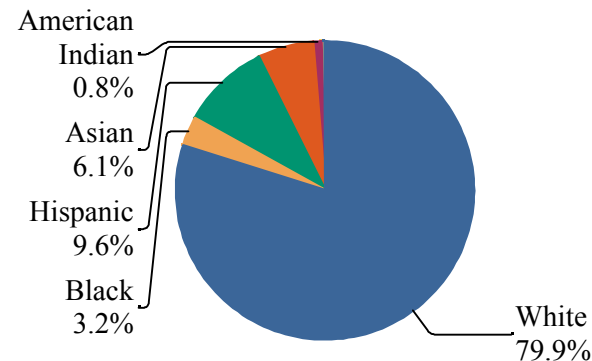
Enrollment Trends by Program Participation

This graph presents the percentages of students by program participation who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup

This graph presents the percentages of enrollment for each subgroup defined by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001.

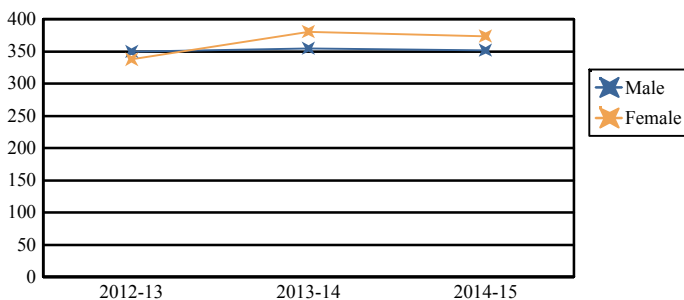


Note: "UG" represents the count of students who are 'on roll' in this school but who are educated in ungraded classrooms, meaning that the classrooms may contain students from multiple grade levels.

Total School Enrollment	
2012-13	688
2013-14	736
2014-15	726

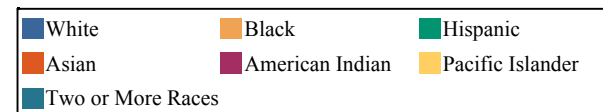
Enrollment by Gender

This graph presents the count of students by gender who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation

2014-15	Count of Students	% of Enrollment
Students with Disability	98	14%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	5	0.7%
English Language Learners	2	0.3%



Language Diversity

This table presents the percentage of students who primarily speak each language in their home.

2014-15	Percent
English	90.9%
Spanish	2.8%
Chinese	1.0%
Russian	1.0%
Italian	0.7%
Greek, Modern (1453-)	0.6%
Other	3.2%

	Male	Female
2012-13	350	338
2013-14	355	381
2014-15	352	374

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The Academic Achievement section measures the content knowledge that students have in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) and Math as demonstrated in the 2014-2015 *Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers* (PARCC) assessments. The below chart consist of three columns. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - includes the percentage of students in ELA/L and Math who met or exceeded grade level expectations. The middle column - Peer School Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compared to its peers. The last column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compared to schools across the state.

Academic Achievement Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	State Percentile
English Language Arts/Literacy Met or Exceeded Expectation	69%	17	82
Math Met or Exceeded Expectation	52%		

ESEA Waiver - English Language Arts/Literacy

This table presents, for each subgroup in the school, the total number of valid test scores, the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations, the assessment participation goal, and the participation rate. The participation goal is established as 95% by the United States Department of Education.

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	578	68.8%	95%	82.9%	NO
White	470	67.5%	95%	81.5%	NO
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	48	70.9%	95%	90.9%	YES*
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	38	86.8%	95%	91.1%	YES*
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	74	27.1%	95%	74%	NO
English Language Learners	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

YES* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

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ESEA Waiver - Math

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Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	578	51.7%	95%	82.9%	NO
White	470	50.6%	95%	81.5%	NO
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	48	43.8%	95%	90.9%	YES*
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	38	79%	95%	91.1%	YES*
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	74	16.2%	95%	74%	NO
English Learner Students	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

YES* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

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PARCC Performance Level

The PARCC assesses how well students have learned grade-level material in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) and Math. The tests include questions that measure students' fundamental skills and knowledge, and require them to think critically, solve problems and support or explain their answers.

The PARCC reports students' overall scale scores that range from 650 to 850. To determine whether students have met academic expectations for their grade level/course in ELA/L and Math, students' overall scale scores are categorized into five Performance Levels. Students performing at levels 4 and 5 (met or exceeded expectations) have demonstrated readiness for the next grade level/course, and are on track for college and careers.

Five Performance Levels				
Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations <i>(Min. 650)</i>	Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	Level 3: Approached Expectations	Level 4: Met Expectations	Level 5: Exceeded Expectations <i>(Max. 850)</i>

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 05

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	125	766	751	2%	6%	18%	67%	6%	74%	53%
White	104	765	757	1%	6%	20%	68%	5%	73%	62%
African American	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%
Hispanic	11	758	737	9%	9%	9%	73%	0%	73%	35%
American Indian	-	-	746	-	-	-	-	-	-	45%
Asian	-	-	771	-	-	-	-	-	-	77%
Two or More Races	-	-	758	-	-	-	-	-	-	61%
Students with Disability	20	738	723	10%	30%	25%	30%	5%	35%	21%
English Language Learners	-	-	717	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 06

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	166	769	749	1%	6%	17%	54%	22%	75%	50%
White	129	768	755	1%	7%	21%	53%	18%	71%	59%
African American	-	-	732	-	-	-	-	-	-	29%
Hispanic	16	764	736	6%	6%	6%	50%	31%	81%	34%
American Indian	-	-	743	-	-	-	-	-	-	39%
Asian	15	780	770	0%	0%	7%	60%	33%	93%	77%
Two or More Races	-	-	753	-	-	-	-	-	-	57%
Students with Disability	23	735	718	9%	39%	30%	22%	0%	22%	17%
English Language Learners	-	-	711	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	30%

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 07

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	163	760	750	6%	12%	18%	40%	24%	64%	53%
White	133	760	757	5%	12%	20%	39%	24%	63%	61%
African American	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%
Hispanic	11	757	736	18%	9%	0%	45%	27%	73%	36%
American Indian	-	-	746	-	-	-	-	-	-	49%
Asian	16	770	777	0%	13%	13%	50%	25%	75%	80%
Two or More Races	-	-	756	-	-	-	-	-	-	58%
Students with Disability	20	720	713	25%	30%	25%	20%	0%	20%	18%
English Language Learners	-	-	703	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	33%

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 08

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	124	754	750	11%	13%	15%	45%	16%	61%	53%
White	104	756	757	10%	13%	15%	45%	17%	63%	61%
African American	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%
Hispanic	-	-	735	-	-	-	-	-	-	37%
American Indian	-	-	741	-	-	-	-	-	-	49%
Asian	-	-	778	-	-	-	-	-	-	80%
Two or More Races	-	-	753	-	-	-	-	-	-	55%
Students with Disability	11	728	713	18%	36%	9%	36%	0%	36%	16%
English Language Learners	-	-	701	-	-	-	-	-	-	9%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	732	-	-	-	-	-	-	34%

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PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 05

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	125	757	744	2%	6%	28%	58%	6%	64%	42%
White	104	758	749	2%	5%	29%	58%	7%	64%	49%
African American	-	-	728	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
Hispanic	11	741	733	9%	18%	27%	45%	0%	45%	26%
American Indian	-	-	745	-	-	-	-	-	-	46%
Asian	-	-	768	-	-	-	-	-	-	74%
Two or More Races	-	-	749	-	-	-	-	-	-	50%
Students with Disability	20	735	724	15%	20%	40%	15%	10%	25%	19%
English Language Learners	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	731	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%

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PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 06

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	166	752	743	1%	13%	30%	51%	4%	55%	42%
White	129	751	749	1%	16%	32%	47%	5%	52%	50%
African American	-	-	726	-	-	-	-	-	-	19%
Hispanic	16	745	731	6%	13%	38%	44%	0%	44%	25%
American Indian	-	-	740	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
Asian	15	761	768	0%	0%	13%	87%	0%	87%	75%
Two or More Races	-	-	745	-	-	-	-	-	-	44%
Students with Disability	23	726	718	9%	52%	22%	17%	0%	17%	15%
English Language Learners	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	14%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	729	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%

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PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 07

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	142	742	740	4%	20%	35%	40%	1%	42%	38%
White	117	741	745	3%	21%	35%	38%	2%	40%	46%
African American	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%
Hispanic	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%
American Indian	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	32%
Asian	12	751	760	0%	8%	33%	58%	0%	58%	68%
Two or More Races	-	-	742	-	-	-	-	-	-	43%
Students with Disability	20	713	715	25%	55%	10%	10%	0%	10%	11%
English Language Learners	-	-	717	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	728	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%

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PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 08

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	76	720	726	29%	28%	26%	17%	0%	17%	24%
White	61	720	732	31%	25%	28%	16%	0%	16%	29%
African American	-	-	715	-	-	-	-	-	-	14%
Hispanic	-	-	721	-	-	-	-	-	-	19%
American Indian	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Asian	-	-	744	-	-	-	-	-	-	46%
Two or More Races	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	24%
Students with Disability	-	-	705	-	-	-	-	-	-	9%
English Language Learners	-	-	706	-	-	-	-	-	-	10%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	719	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%

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PARCC ALGEBRA I - Performance Distribution

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	54	770	740	0%	2%	13%	78%	7%	85%	40%
White	47	769	746	0%	2%	13%	79%	6%	85%	47%
African American	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	20%
Hispanic	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
American Indian	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	73%
Two or More Races	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
Students with Disability	-	-	710	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%
English Language Learners	-	-	710	-	-	-	-	-	-	7%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%

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PARCC GEOMETRY - Performance Distribution

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	15	750	728	0%	13%	27%	60%	0%	60%	21%
White	12	748	731	0%	17%	25%	58%	0%	58%	24%
African American	-	-	716	-	-	-	-	-	-	7%
Hispanic	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%
American Indian	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	12%
Asian	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	54%
Two or More Races	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	20%
Students with Disability	-	-	709	-	-	-	-	-	-	4%
English Language Learners	-	-	710	-	-	-	-	-	-	6%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%

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2015 National Assessment Educational Progress (NAEP)

The National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) is the largest national assessment of what our nation’s students know and can do. NAEP assesses fourth-, eighth-, and twelfth-grade students in subjects such as reading, mathematics, science, and writing. The reporting of NAEP scores on state report cards is a federal mandate. The results of NAEP are also published as the Nation’s Report Card, and are available for the nation, states, and, in some cases, urban districts. The NAEP scores on the report card include grades four and eight 2015 reading and math scores for New Jersey which are the last scores published.

For subgroup outcomes, visit:

- Reading Grade 4 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep4read.html>
- Reading Grade 8 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep8read.html>
- Math Grade 4 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep4math.html>
- Math Grade 8 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep8math.html>

For more information, visit <http://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/>

Proficiency Percentages

Subject	Grade	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
Reading	Grade 4	State (NJ)	25	33	31	12
	Grade 4	Nation	31	33	27	9
	Grade 8	State (NJ)	20	39	35	6
	Grade 8	Nation	24	42	31	4
Math	Grade 4	State (NJ)	14	39	38	9
	Grade 4	Nation	18	42	33	7
	Grade 8	State (NJ)	21	32	30	16
	Grade 8	Nation	29	38	25	8

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NJASK Results - Science Grade Level - 08

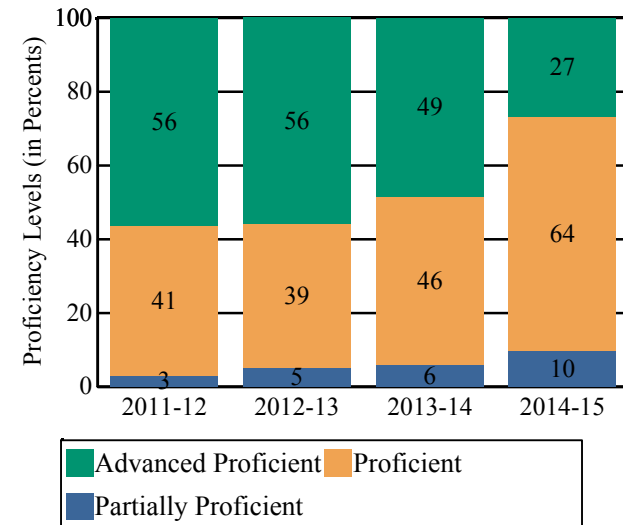
This table presents the grade level proficiency results, as measured by NJASK, in Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories for all appropriate subgroups.

Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	27%	64%	10%
White	27%	66%	7%
African American	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	5%	58%	37%
English Language Learners	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under ESEA Waiver suppression rules.

NJASK Proficiency Trends - Science - Grade Level - 08

This graph presents the grade level outcomes in the categories of Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient over the last four years.



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Students in both elementary and middle schools begin to demonstrate college readiness behaviors long before they even enter high school. Among the behaviors that research has shown to be indicative of successfully graduating high school is regularly attending school. For all elementary and middle schools, this includes the percentage of students that are chronically absent each year, defined as missing more than 10% of possible school days. Also presented is the percentage of students participating in Visual and Performing Arts coursework and Algebra I course outcomes.

Algebra I Course Enrollment

This table presents the count of students in this school who were reported in the Algebra I course code in NJSMART and the count of students who took the Algebra I test of PARCC.

Algebra I Enrollment Count	Algebra I PARCC Test Count
0	58

Algebra I Test Taking

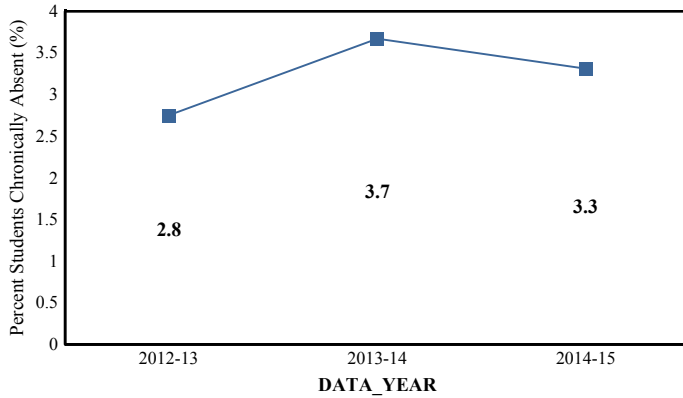
This table presents the percentage of students, as reported in NJSMART, who earned a C or higher in their Algebra I course and the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectation on the Algebra I test of PARCC.

Algebra I Percent C or Better	Algebra I PARCC Percent Met or Exceeded Expectation
0.0%	86.2%

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Chronic Absenteeism Trend

This graph presents the percentage of the enrolled students who were chronically absent for the past three years.

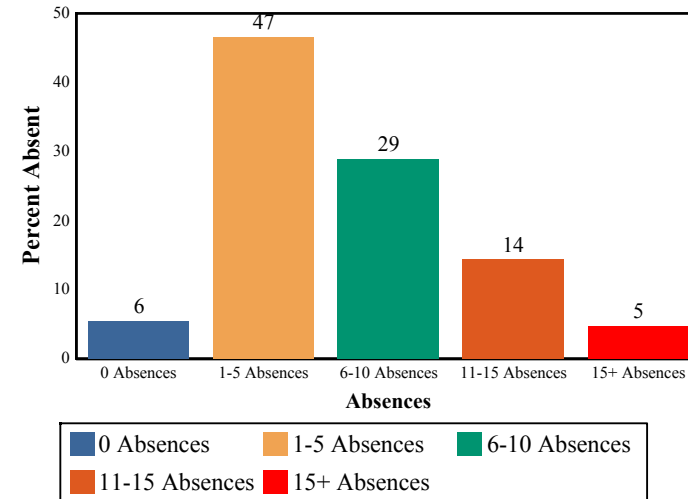


Chronic Absenteeism for 2014-15

3.31%

Absenteeism

The chart below presents the percentage of students who were absent in each category of absence: 0 absences, 1- 5 absences, 6 - 10 absences, 11 - 15 absences, and more than 15 absences. An absence is defined as being 'not present' and includes the days missed regardless of whether they were determined to be excused or unexcused by the school.



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Visual and Performing Arts

The chart below contains the percentage of students who were enrolled in at least one Dance, Drama/Theater, Music or Visual Arts class in this school. The last row shows the percentage of students who were enrolled in any Visual and Performing Arts classes in the school.

Percent of Students Enrolled	School	State
Dance	N/R	1.6%
Drama/Theater	N/R	3.9%
Music	75.6%	66.0%
Visual Arts	97.7%	71.1%
Total: All Visual and Performing Arts	98.9%	89.8%

N/R - Data Not Reported

STUDENT GROWTH

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This section of the performance report presents data about student growth, utilizing the Student Growth Percentile Methodology (SGP). SGP creates a measure of how students progressed in grades 4 through 8 in Language Arts Literacy and in grades 4 through 7 in Math when compared to other students with a similar test score history. A short video explaining the methodology can be found here: <http://www.state.nj.us/education/njsmart/performance/>

The below chart consist of five columns with measures. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - presents the schoolwide median growth score in either English Language Arts/Literacy or Mathematics for all students in the school. The second column - Peer Percentile - indicates how the school's growth performance compares to its group of peer schools. The third column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how a school compares to schools across the state. The last column - Met Target? - indicates whether the school's performance met or exceeded the statewide target, which was set to 35.

The fourth row presents the averages of the peer school percentiles, the averages of statewide percentiles, the percentage of statewide targets met.

Student Growth Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Statewide Target	Met Target?
Student Growth on Language Arts	47	30	43	35	YES
Student Growth on Math	56	52	75	35	YES
		41	59		100%

Student Growth

This table presents for all students with growth scores the interaction between their performance on PARCC and their growth scores. For example, in the top left cell the percentage of students who are both in Level 1 - Did not yet meet expectations AND also demonstrating low growth is displayed.

Language Arts

(Expectations)	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet	5%	0%	0%
Partially Met	6%	2%	1%
Approached	10%	5%	2%
Met	17%	17%	18%
Exceeded	2%	3%	13%

Math

(Expectations)	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet	6%	1%	0%
Partially Met	10%	3%	2%
Approached	10%	12%	8%
Met	8%	13%	23%
Exceeded	0%	0%	3%

Low Growth is defined as an Student Growth Percentile score less than 35.
Typical Growth is defined as an Student Growth Percentile score between 35 and 65.
High Growth is defined as a Student Growth Percentile score higher than 65.

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This section of the performance report presents data about the achievement gap that exists within a school - as measured by the difference between the students' scale scores at the 25th and 75th percentile in the school, the Interquartile Range (IQR). Taken together with an understanding of the overall and average achievement levels in the school, the IQR furthers an understanding of the range of student outcomes that exist in a school. A school gap smaller than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is narrower than the state's while a school gap larger than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is broader than the state's.

Grade Level - 05

PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	824	850
75th	782	773
50th	767	751
25th	747	728
0th	684	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	35	45

Grade Level - 05

PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	812	850
75th	774	763
50th	757	743
25th	741	723
0th	650	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	33	40

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Grade Level - 06

PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	824	850
75th	787	770
50th	773	749
25th	752	726
0th	674	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	35	44

Grade Level - 07

PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	843	850
75th	784	776
50th	764	751
25th	739	724
0th	671	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	45	52

Grade Level - 06

PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	795	850
75th	767	763
50th	755	742
25th	736	721
0th	662	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	31	42

Grade Level - 07

PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	786	850
75th	758	759
50th	746	740
25th	728	720
0th	685	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	30	39

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Grade Level - 08

PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	822	850
75th	782	777
50th	761	751
25th	726	723
0th	650	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	56	54

Grade Level - 08

PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	788	850
75th	741	748
50th	717	726
25th	697	704
0th	653	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	44	44

SCHOOL CLIMATE

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Length of School Day

This table presents the amount of time a school is in session for a typical student on a normal school day.

	School
2014-15	6 Hrs. 22 Mins.

Student Suspension Rate

This table presents the percentage of students who were suspended one or more times during the school year.

	School
2014-15	1.7%

Instructional Time

This table presents the amount of time that a typical student is engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher.

2014-15	School
Full Time	5 Hrs. 48 Mins.
Shared Time	0 Hrs. 0 Mins.

Student Expulsions

This table presents the number of students who were expelled from the school and district during the school year.

	School
2014-15	0

Student to Staff Ratio

This table presents the count of students per faculty member or administrator in the school. All staff are counted in full-time equivalents.

2014-15	School
Faculty	13
Administrators	363

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This table presents the list of peer schools in alphabetical order by county name that was created specifically for this school (highlighted in yellow). Peer schools are drawn from across the state and represent schools that have similar grade configurations and that are educating students of similar demographic characteristics, as measured by enrollment in Free/Reduced Lunch Programs, Limited English Proficiency or Special Education Programs.

<u>COUNTY NAME</u>	<u>DISTRICT NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL NAME</u>	<u>CDS CODE</u>	<u>GRADES PAN</u>	<u>ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED</u>	<u>ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS</u>	<u>SPECIAL EDUCATION</u>
ATLANTIC	MARGATE CITY	EUGENE A. TIGHE MIDDLE SCHOOL	01-3020-010	05-08	0%	0%	10.2%
BERGEN	DEMAREST BORO	DEMAREST MIDDLE SCHOOL	03-1070-040	05-08	1.6%	0.9%	15.5%
BERGEN	ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS BORO	UPPER SCHOOL	03-1380-060	03-08	1.8%	0%	14.2%
BERGEN	FRANKLIN LAKES BORO	FRANKLIN AVENUE MIDDLE SCHOOL	03-1580-015	06-08	0.2%	0.4%	16.1%
BERGEN	GLEN ROCK BORO	GLEN ROCK MIDDLE SCHOOL	03-1760-060	06-08	0.9%	0.7%	18%
BERGEN	HO HO KUS BORO	HO-HO-KUS PUBLIC SCHOOL	03-2200-050	PK-08	0.2%	0%	13.3%
BERGEN	MONTVALE BORO	FIELDSTONE MIDDLE SCHOOL	03-3330-020	05-08	0.6%	0%	13.1%
BERGEN	RIVER DELL REGIONAL	RIVER DELL MIDDLE SCHOOL	03-4405-060	07-08	0.2%	0.8%	12.2%
BERGEN	RIVER VALE TWP	HOLDRUM MIDDLE SCHOOL	03-4430-050	06-08	0.9%	1.1%	18.7%
BERGEN	WALDWICK BORO	WALDWICK MIDDLE SCHOOL	03-5410-070	06-08	0.3%	1.2%	14.4%
BERGEN	WOODCLIFF LAKE BORO	WOODCLIFF MIDDLE SCHOOL	03-5880-050	06-08	1.5%	0%	12.6%
BERGEN	WYCKOFF TWP	DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER MIDDLE SCHOOL	03-5920-025	06-08	1.4%	0.4%	14.1%
BURLINGTON	MEDFORD LAKES BORO	NEETA SCHOOL	05-3070-040	03-08	2.2%	0%	15.7%
CAMDEN	HADDONFIELD BORO	HADDONFIELD MIDDLE SCHOOL	07-1900-070	06-08	1.5%	0%	18.1%
ESSEX	LIVINGSTON TWP	HERITAGE MIDDLE SCHOOL	13-2730-055	07-08	1.2%	0.6%	15.2%
ESSEX	VERONA BORO	HENRY B. WHITEHORNE MIDDLE SCHOOL	13-5370-095	05-08	0.7%	0.3%	13.5%
HUNTERDON	BETHLEHEM TWP	ETHEL HOPPOCK MIDDLE SCHOOL	19-0370-020	06-08	1.2%	0%	16.1%
MONMOUTH	LITTLE SILVER BORO	MARKHAM PLACE	25-2720-050	05-08	0.3%	0.3%	12.2%
MONMOUTH	MONMOUTH BEACH BORO	MONMOUTH BEACH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT	25-3250-050	PK-08	0.4%	0%	13.3%
MONMOUTH	RUMSON BORO	FORRESTDALE SCHOOL	25-4570-050	04-08	0%	0%	13.2%
MONMOUTH	SEA GIRT BORO	SEA GIRT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	25-4690-050	PK-08	0%	0%	10.3%
MONMOUTH	SPRING LAKE BORO	H W MOUNTZ ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	25-4980-050	PK-08	0%	0%	13.1%
MORRIS	BOONTON TWP	ROCKAWAY VALLEY SCHOOL	27-0460-060	PK-08	2%	0%	17.9%

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MORRIS	DENVILLE TWP	VALLEYVIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL	27-1090-080	06-08	2.6%	0%	18%
MORRIS	FLORHAM PARK BORO	RIDGEDALE MIDDLE SCHOOL	27-1530-030	06-08	0.6%	0.6%	15.6%
MORRIS	LONG HILL TWP	CENTRAL MIDDLE SCHOOL	27-4000-030	06-08	1.9%	1%	15.9%
MORRIS	MENDHAM TWP	MENDHAM TOWNSHIP MIDDLE SCHOOL	27-3100-060	05-08	0.5%	0%	14.9%
MORRIS	MOUNTAIN LAKES BORO	BRIARCLIFF MIDDLE SCHOOL	27-3460-060	06-08	2.6%	0%	16.4%
MORRIS	SCH DIST OF THE CHATHAMS	CHATHAM MIDDLE SCHOOL	27-0785-030	06-08	2.4%	0.3%	15.7%
MORRIS	WASHINGTON TWP	LONG VALLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL	27-5520-035	06-08	4.2%	0.2%	19.4%
SOMERSET	WARREN TWP	WARREN MIDDLE SCHOOL	35-5470-033	06-08	0.6%	0.6%	16.6%



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The New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) is pleased to present these annual reports of School Performance. These reports are designed to inform parents, educators and communities about how well a school is performing and preparing its students for college and careers.

In particular, the School Performance Reports seek to:

- **Focus** attention on metrics that are indicative of college and career readiness.
- **Benchmark** a school's performance against other peer schools that are educating similar students, against statewide outcomes, and against state targets to illuminate and build upon a school's strengths and identify areas for improvement.
- **Improve** educational outcomes for students by providing both longitudinal and growth data so that progress can be measured as part of an individual school's efforts to engage in continuous improvement.

While the New Jersey School Performance Reports seek to bring more information to educators and stakeholders about the performance of schools, they do not seek to distill the performance of schools into a single metric, a single score, or a simplified conclusion. Instead, the intention is that educators and stakeholders will engage in deep, lengthy conversations about the full range of the data presented. As educators know well, measuring school performance is both an art and a science. While the School Performance Report brings attention to important student outcomes, NJDOE does not collect data about other essential elements of a school, such as the provision of opportunities to participate and excel in extracurricular activities; the development of non-cognitive skills like time management and perseverance; the pervasiveness of a positive school culture or climate; or the attainment of other employability and technical skills, as many of these data are beyond both the capacity and resources of schools to measure and collect well.

To learn more about New Jersey's school accountability system, please visit: <http://www.nj.gov/education/educators/>.

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

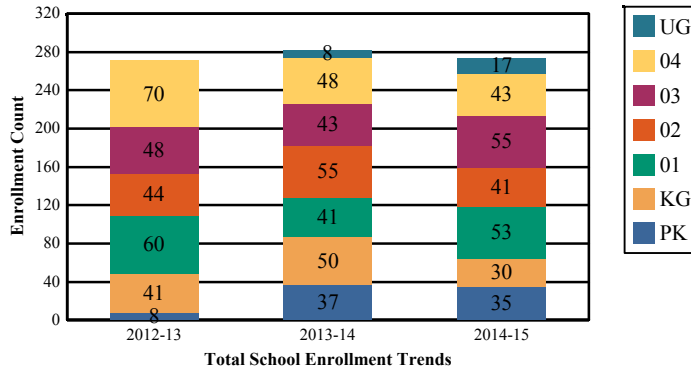
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Enrollment by Grade

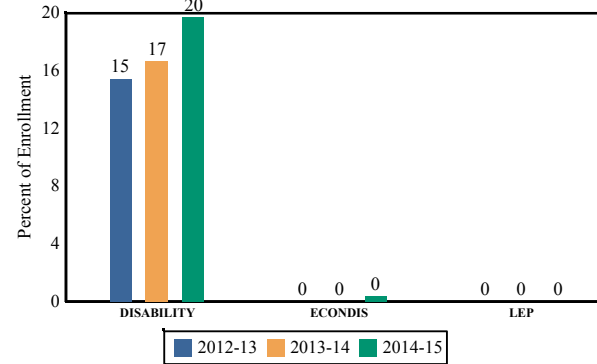
This graph presents the count of students who were 'on roll' by grade in October of each school year.



Note: "UG" represents the count of students who are 'on roll' in this school but who are educated in ungraded classrooms, meaning that the classrooms may contain students from multiple grade levels.

Enrollment Trends by Program Participation

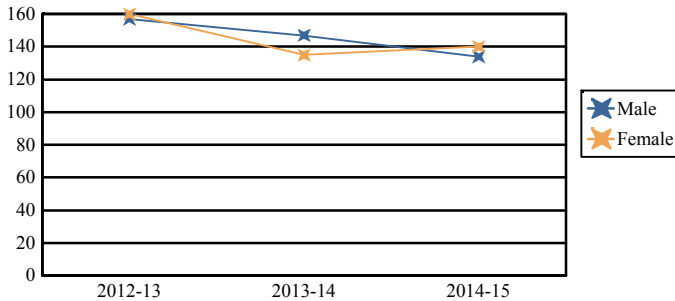
This graph presents the percentages of students by program participation who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



Total School Enrollment	
2012-13	317
2013-14	282
2014-15	274

Enrollment by Gender

This graph presents the count of students by gender who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.

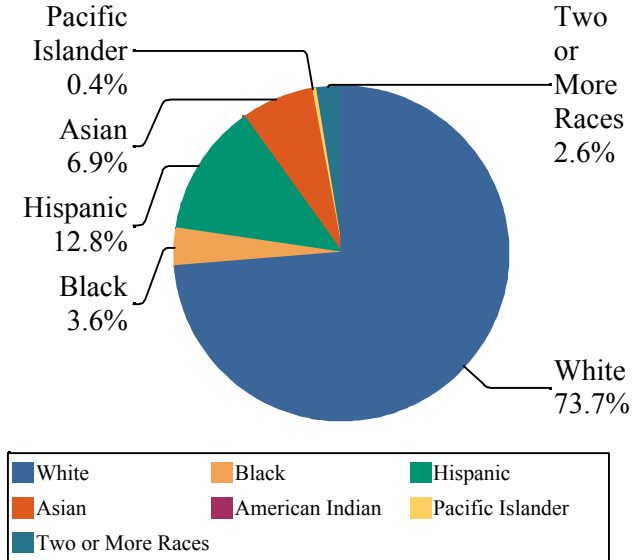


	Male	Female
2012-13	157	160
2013-14	147	135
2014-15	134	140

Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation		
2014-15	Count of Students	% of Enrollment
Students with Disability	54	20%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	1	0.4%
English Language Learners	0	0.0%

Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup

This graph presents the percentages of enrollment for each subgroup defined by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001.



Language Diversity

This table presents the percentage of students who primarily speak each language in their home.

2014-15	Percent
English	91.3%
Spanish	4.4%
Arabic	2.2%
Chinese	1.1%
Polish	0.4%
French	0.4%
Other	0.4%

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

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The Academic Achievement section measures the content knowledge that students have in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) and Math as demonstrated in the 2014-2015 *Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers* (PARCC) assessments. The below chart consist of three columns. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - includes the percentage of students in ELA/L and Math who met or exceeded grade level expectations. The middle column - Peer School Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compared to its peers. The last column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compared to schools across the state.

Academic Achievement Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	State Percentile
English Language Arts/Literacy Met or Exceeded Expectation	80%	91	95
Math Met or Exceeded Expectation	70%		

ESEA Waiver - English Language Arts/Literacy

This table presents, for each subgroup in the school, the total number of valid test scores, the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations, the assessment participation goal, and the participation rate. The participation goal is established as 95% by the United States Department of Education.

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	80	80.1%	95%	82.4%	NO
White	58	75.8%	95%	84.5%	YES*
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	-	-	--	--	--
English Language Learners	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

YES* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under ESEA Waiver suppression rules.

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ESEA Waiver - Math

This table presents, for each subgroup in the school, the total number of valid test scores, the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations, the assessment participation goal, and the participation rate. The participation goal is established as 95% by the United States Department of Education.

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	80	70.1%	95%	82.4%	NO
White	58	68.9%	95%	84.5%	YES*
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	-	-	--	--	--
English Learner Students	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

YES* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under ESEA Waiver suppression rules.

PARCC Performance Level

The PARCC assesses how well students have learned grade-level material in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) and Math. The tests include questions that measure students' fundamental skills and knowledge, and require them to think critically, solve problems and support or explain their answers.

The PARCC reports students' overall scale scores that range from 650 to 850. To determine whether students have met academic expectations for their grade level/course in ELA/L and Math, students' overall scale scores are categorized into five Performance Levels. Students performing at levels 4 and 5 (met or exceeded expectations) have demonstrated readiness for the next grade level/course, and are on track for college and careers.

Five Performance Levels				
Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations <i>(Min. 650)</i>	Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	Level 3: Approached Expectations	Level 4: Met Expectations	Level 5: Exceeded Expectations <i>(Max. 850)</i>

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 03

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	47	765	744	0%	11%	19%	64%	6%	70%	44%
White	37	761	753	0%	14%	22%	62%	3%	65%	55%
African American	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
Hispanic	-	-	727	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
American Indian	-	-	738	-	-	-	-	-	-	40%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	70%
Two or More Races	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	53%
Students with Disability	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	24%
English Language Learners	-	-	709	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	24%

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 04

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	33	775	751	0%	3%	3%	76%	18%	94%	52%
White	21	777	758	0%	0%	5%	76%	19%	95%	63%
African American	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	30%
Hispanic	-	-	737	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
American Indian	-	-	746	-	-	-	-	-	-	52%
Asian	-	-	773	-	-	-	-	-	-	78%
Two or More Races	-	-	760	-	-	-	-	-	-	62%
Students with Disability	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	25%
English Language Learners	-	-	717	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%

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PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 03

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	47	760	746	2%	11%	13%	70%	4%	74%	46%
White	37	757	752	3%	11%	14%	70%	3%	73%	56%
African American	-	-	728	-	-	-	-	-	-	25%
Hispanic	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	28%
American Indian	-	-	742	-	-	-	-	-	-	41%
Asian	-	-	772	-	-	-	-	-	-	77%
Two or More Races	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	54%
Students with Disability	-	-	727	-	-	-	-	-	-	27%
English Language Learners	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%

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PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 04

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	33	760	744	0%	9%	27%	61%	3%	64%	42%
White	21	761	749	0%	5%	33%	57%	5%	62%	50%
African American	-	-	727	-	-	-	-	-	-	20%
Hispanic	-	-	732	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
American Indian	-	-	740	-	-	-	-	-	-	40%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	75%
Two or More Races	-	-	750	-	-	-	-	-	-	52%
Students with Disability	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
English Language Learners	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%

2015 National Assessment Educational Progress (NAEP)

The National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) is the largest national assessment of what our nation's students know and can do. NAEP assesses fourth-, eighth-, and twelfth-grade students in subjects such as reading, mathematics, science, and writing. The reporting of NAEP scores on state report cards is a federal mandate. The results of NAEP are also published as the Nation's Report Card, and are available for the nation, states, and, in some cases, urban districts. The NAEP scores on the report card include grades four and eight 2015 reading and math scores for New Jersey which are the last scores published.

For subgroup outcomes, visit:

- Reading Grade 4 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep4read.html>
- Reading Grade 8 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep8read.html>
- Math Grade 4 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep4math.html>
- Math Grade 8 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep8math.html>

For more information, visit <http://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/>

Proficiency Percentages

Subject	Grade	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
Reading	Grade 4	State (NJ)	25	33	31	12
	Grade 4	Nation	31	33	27	9
	Grade 8	State (NJ)	20	39	35	6
	Grade 8	Nation	24	42	31	4
Math	Grade 4	State (NJ)	14	39	38	9
	Grade 4	Nation	18	42	33	7
	Grade 8	State (NJ)	21	32	30	16
	Grade 8	Nation	29	38	25	8

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NJASK Results - Science Grade Level - 04

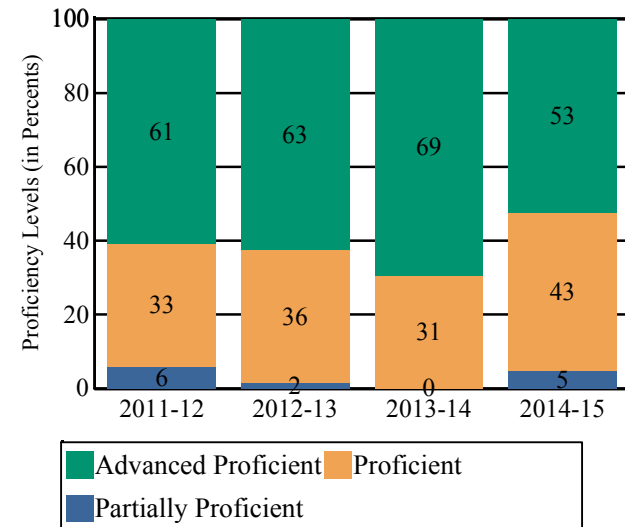
This table presents the grade level proficiency results, as measured by NJASK, in Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories for all appropriate subgroups.

Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	53%	43%	5%
White	60%	32%	8%
African American	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	-	-	-
English Language Learners	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under ESEA Waiver suppression rules.

NJASK Proficiency Trends - Science - Grade Level - 04

This graph presents the grade level outcomes in the categories of Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient over the last four years.



COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS

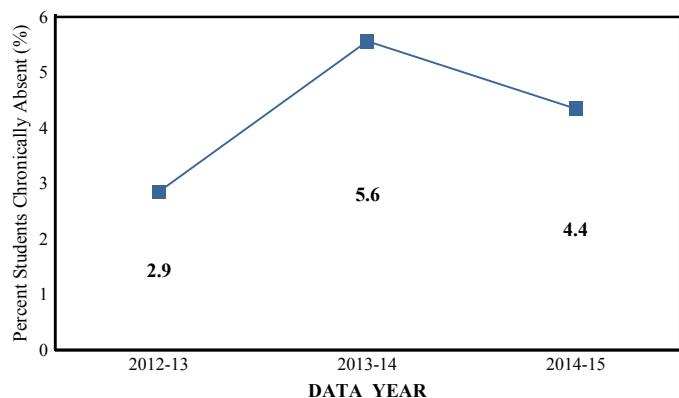
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Students in both elementary and middle schools begin to demonstrate college readiness behaviors long before they even enter high school. Among the behaviors that research has shown to be indicative of successfully graduating high school is regularly attending school. For all elementary schools, this includes the percentage of students that are chronically absent each year, defined as missing more than 10% of possible school days.

Chronic Absenteeism Trend

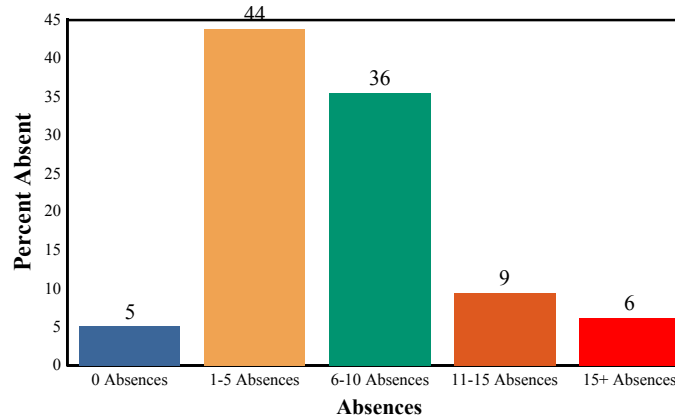
This graph presents the percentage of the enrolled students who were chronically absent for the past three years.



Chronic Absenteeism for 2014-15	4.35%
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Absenteeism

The chart below presents the percentage of students who were absent in each category of absence: 0 absences, 1- 5 absences, 6 - 10 absences, 11 - 15 absences, and more than 15 absences. An absence is defined as being ‘not present’ and includes the days missed regardless of whether they were determined to be excused or unexcused by the school.



0 Absences	1-5 Absences	6-10 Absences
11-15 Absences	15+ Absences	

STUDENT GROWTH

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This section of the performance report presents data about student growth, utilizing the Student Growth Percentile Methodology (SGP). SGP creates a measure of how students progressed in grades 4 through 8 in Language Arts Literacy and in grades 4 through 7 in Math when compared to other students with a similar test score history. A short video explaining the methodology can be found here: <http://www.state.nj.us/education/njsmart/performance/>

The below chart consist of five columns with measures. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - presents the schoolwide median growth score in either English Language Arts/Literacy or Mathematics for all students in the school. The second column - Peer Percentile - indicates how the school's growth performance compares to its group of peer schools. The third column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how a school compares to schools across the state. The last column - Met Target? - indicates whether the school's performance met or exceeded the statewide target, which was set to 35.

The fourth row presents the averages of the peer school percentiles, the averages of statewide percentiles, the percentage of statewide targets met.

Student Growth Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Statewide Target	Met Target?
Student Growth on Language Arts	61	75	80	35	YES
Student Growth on Math	68	97	91	35	YES
		86	86		100%

Student Growth

This table presents for all students with growth scores the interaction between their performance on PARCC and their growth scores. For example, in the top left cell the percentage of students who are both in Level 1 - Did not yet meet expectations AND also demonstrating low growth is displayed.

Language Arts

(Expectations)	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet	0%	0%	0%
Partially Met	3%	0%	0%
Approached	6%	0%	0%
Met	9%	31%	34%
Exceeded	0%	3%	14%

Math

(Expectations)	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet	0%	0%	0%
Partially Met	3%	6%	0%
Approached	9%	9%	14%
Met	0%	20%	37%
Exceeded	0%	0%	3%

Low Growth is defined as an **Student Growth Percentile** score less than 35.

Typical Growth is defined as an **Student Growth Percentile** score between 35 and 65.

High Growth is defined as a **Student Growth Percentile** score higher than 65.

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This section of the performance report presents data about the achievement gap that exists within a school - as measured by the difference between the students' scale scores at the 25th and 75th percentile in the school, the Interquartile Range (IQR). Taken together with an understanding of the overall and average achievement levels in the school, the IQR furthers an understanding of the range of student outcomes that exist in a school. A school gap smaller than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is narrower than the state's while a school gap larger than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is broader than the state's.

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PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

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Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	837	850
75th	784	770
50th	764	743
25th	744	715
0th	694	650

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	822	850
75th	777	767
50th	762	745
25th	746	722
0th	685	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	40	55

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	31	45

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PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	837	850
75th	785	773
50th	773	750
25th	760	728
0th	712	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	25	45

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PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	809	850
75th	773	764
50th	759	742
25th	743	721
0th	718	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	30	43

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Length of School Day

This table presents the amount of time a school is in session for a typical student on a normal school day.

	School
2014-15	6 Hrs. 15 Mins.

Student Suspension Rate

This table presents the percentage of students who were suspended one or more times during the school year.

	School
2014-15	0.0%

Instructional Time

This table presents the amount of time that a typical student is engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher.

2014-15	School
Full Time	5 Hrs. 30 Mins.
Shared Time	0 Hrs. 0 Mins.

Student Expulsions

This table presents the number of students who were expelled from the school and district during the school year.

	School
2014-15	0

Student to Staff Ratio

This table presents the count of students per faculty member or administrator in the school. All staff are counted in full-time equivalents.

2014-15	School
Faculty	14
Administrators	274

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This table presents the list of peer schools in alphabetical order by county name that was created specifically for this school (highlighted in yellow). Peer schools are drawn from across the state and represent schools that have similar grade configurations and that are educating students of similar demographic characteristics, as measured by enrollment in Free/Reduced Lunch Programs, Limited English Proficiency or Special Education Programs.

<u>COUNTY NAME</u>	<u>DISTRICT NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL NAME</u>	<u>CDS CODE</u>	<u>GRADES PAN</u>	<u>ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED</u>	<u>ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS</u>	<u>SPECIAL EDUCATION</u>
BERGEN	GLEN ROCK BORO	CENTRAL SCHOOL	03-1760-080	KG-05	0.7%	0.3%	16.2%
BERGEN	MAHWAH TWP	BETSY ROSS ELEMENTARY	03-2900-060	KG-03	3.8%	5.6%	6.8%
BERGEN	PARAMUS BORO	MEMORIAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-3930-080	KG-04	5%	7.6%	12.4%
BERGEN	PARAMUS BORO	RIDGE RANCH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-3930-110	PK-04	4.8%	6.1%	15.6%
BERGEN	RIDGEWOOD VILLAGE	RIDGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-4390-090	KG-05	1.2%	1.2%	11.8%
BERGEN	RIDGEWOOD VILLAGE	WILLARD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-4390-130	KG-05	1%	1.4%	12.9%
BERGEN	TENAFLY BORO	RALPH S MAUGHAM SCHOOL	03-5160-090	KG-05	4.3%	5.8%	16.3%
BERGEN	WOODCLIFF LAKE BORO	DORCHESTER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-5880-030	PK-05	0.6%	0.6%	14.4%
CAMDEN	HADDONFIELD BORO	ELIZABETH HADDON SCHOOL	07-1900-080	PK-05	0.3%	0%	13.8%
CAPE MAY	STONE HARBOR BORO	STONE HARBOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	09-5060-050	KG-04	0%	0%	7.4%
ESSEX	FAIRFIELD TWP	ADLAI E. STEVENSON	13-1465-005	PK-03	1.5%	1.2%	10%
ESSEX	GLEN RIDGE BORO	RIDGEWOOD AVENUE SCHOOL	13-1750-075	03-06	0.2%	0%	17.3%
ESSEX	LIVINGSTON TWP	HILLSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-2730-100	KG-05	3%	4.2%	11.8%
ESSEX	NORTH CALDWELL BORO	GRANDVIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-3630-060	PK-03	0%	0%	8%
ESSEX	VERONA BORO	LANING AVENUE SCHOOL	13-5370-100	PK-04	0.4%	0%	12.1%
HUNTERDON	TEWKSBURY TWP	TEWKSBURY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	19-5180-055	KG-04	1%	0%	13.9%
MONMOUTH	FAIR HAVEN BORO	VIOLA L SICKLES SCHOOL	25-1440-060	PK-03	0%	0%	9.3%
MONMOUTH	ROOSEVELT BORO	ROOSEVELT PUBLIC SCHOOL	25-4520-050	PK-06	0%	0%	11.4%
MORRIS	FLORHAM PARK BORO	BROOKLAKE SCHOOL	27-1530-020	03-05	1%	0.7%	12.8%
MORRIS	HANOVER TWP	MOUNTVIEW ROAD SCHOOL	27-2000-050	KG-05	2.4%	2.6%	14.1%
MORRIS	LONG HILL TWP	MILLINGTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	27-4000-060	02-05	3%	4.2%	22.9%
MORRIS	MONTVILLE TWP	WOODMONT SCHOOL	27-3340-070	KG-05	8.2%	11.2%	17.2%
MORRIS	PEQUANNOCK TWP	STEPHEN J. GERACE SCHOOL	27-4080-100	KG-05	3.3%	4.3%	8.6%

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MORRIS	RANDOLPH TWP	SHONGUM SCHOOL	27-4330-080	KG-05	0.8%	0.6%	13.5%
PASSAIC	WAYNE TWP	PINES LAKE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	31-5570-120	KG-05	6%	9%	21%
SOMERSET	WARREN TWP	CENTRAL SCHOOL	35-5470-030	KG-05	2.2%	3.2%	10.5%
UNION	BERKELEY HEIGHTS TWP	MOUNTAIN PARK SCHOOL	39-0310-040	02-05	0.4%	0%	12.8%
UNION	BERKELEY HEIGHTS TWP	THOMAS P. HUGHES SCHOOL	39-0310-020	02-05	1.2%	1.2%	9.4%
UNION	WESTFIELD TOWN	JEFFERSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	39-5730-120	01-05	0.4%	0.2%	11.8%
UNION	WESTFIELD TOWN	WASHINGTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	39-5730-150	01-05	1.2%	0.3%	13.9%
UNION	WESTFIELD TOWN	WILSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	39-5730-160	01-05	0.3%	0%	22.1%