



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

**How to use this report:**

- **Learn more** about this school by exploring all sections of this report
- **Start conversations** with school community members and ask questions
- **Engage** with your school communities to identify where schools are doing well and where they can improve

**Navigating through the reports:**

- Save or print this report by clicking the disk icon at the top of the page to download a PDF
- Search for specific text or words in the report by using the search box at the top left of the page
- Use the menu bar along the top of the page or the table of contents on the left of the page to move between sections of the report
- Click the Next and Previous buttons at the bottom of the page or the arrows as the top left of the screen to move between pages of the report

**Other Resources:**

- Review the [Summary Report](#) or the [district-level report](#) for this school
- Read the [Reference Guide](#), [Frequently Asked Questions](#), or [Data Privacy Rules](#) for more detailed information about the data in the report
- [Download the data](#) in the reports for all schools in the state
- Provide feedback on the reports by taking our [feedback survey](#)
- Contact us at [reportcard@doe.nj.gov](mailto:reportcard@doe.nj.gov) with any questions about the reports

**Notes from the New Jersey Department of Education:**



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

### School Contact Information

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

Type	Contact Information
County	Charters
District	LEAD Charter School
Principal Name	Mr. Mark Comesañas
Address	201 Bergen Street Newark, NJ 07103-2402
Phone Number	862-772-1724
Email Address	<a href="mailto:leadcharterschool@gmail.com">leadcharterschool@gmail.com</a>
Website	<a href="http://leadcharterschool.org/">http://leadcharterschool.org/</a>
Facebook	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/LeadCharterSchoolNewark/">https://www.facebook.com/LeadCharterSchoolNewark/</a>



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

Enrollment data reflects enrollment reported at the end of the school year and only includes students attending the school. Students that attend programs at other schools or outside of the district are not included in enrollment counts and percentages.

### Enrollment Trends by Grade

This table shows the number of students enrolled by grade for the past three school years. Any students enrolled outside of the grades offered will be included in the total enrollment.

Grade	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
9	0	60	18
10	0	22	49
11	0	35	86
12	0	11	59
<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>212</b>

### Enrollment Trends by Student Group

This table shows the percentage of students by student group for the past three school years.

Student Group	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Female	N	44.5%	46.7%
Male	N	55.5%	53.3%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	51.6%	80.2%
Students with Disabilities	N	7.0%	11.8%
English Learners	N	0.0%	0.0%
Homeless Students	N	0.0%	0.0%
Students in Foster Care	N	2.3%	0.5%
Military-Connected Students	N	0.0%	0.0%
Migrant Students	N	0.0%	0.0%

### Enrollment by Racial and Ethnic Group

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

Racial and Ethnic Group	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
White	N	0.8%	0.0%
Hispanic	N	11.7%	19.8%
Black or African American	N	87.5%	80.2%
Asian	N	0.0%	0.0%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N	0.0%	0.0%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	0.0%	0.0%
Two or More Races	N	0.0%	0.0%

### Enrollment Trends by Full and Shared Time Status

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

Enrollment Status	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Full Time Students	N	128	212
Shared Time Students	N	0	0
Full Time Equivalent	N	128	212

### Enrollment by Home Language

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

Home Language	% of Students
English	100.0%



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

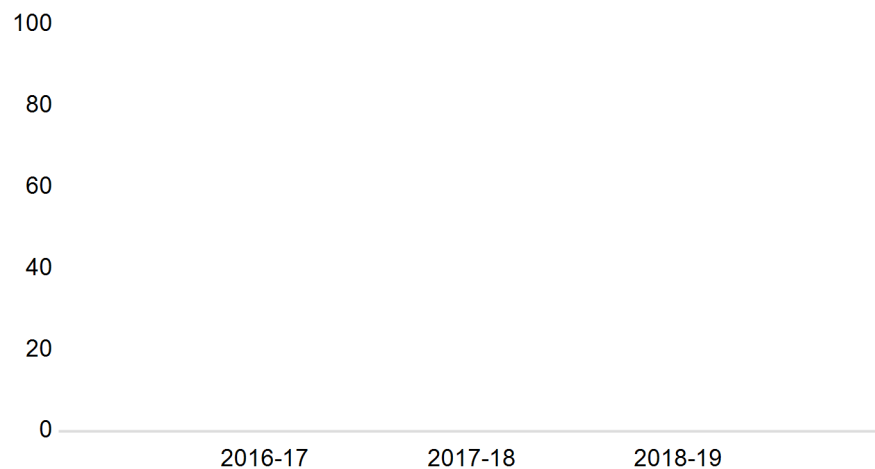
**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

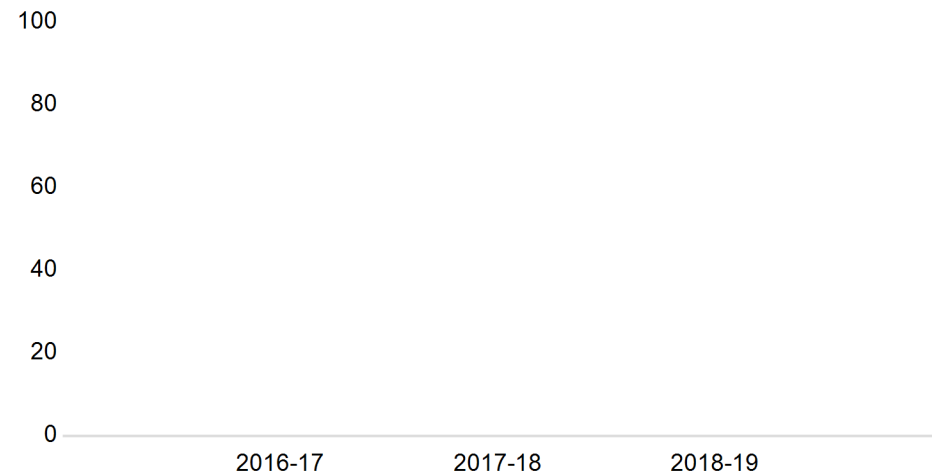
## English Language Arts and Mathematics Performance Trends

These graphs show trends in the Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability over the last three years. The data includes the results of students taking both the statewide assessment (NJSLA for 2018-19 and PARCC for 2016-17 and 2017-18) and the DLM alternate assessment. The Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability measures the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations on the assessments (NJSLA/PARCC or DLM) with an adjustment made if the participation rate is below 95% to ensure reporting on at least 95% of students. NJSLA/PARCC results include only students in grades 3 through 10. Students that were enrolled for less than half a school year are excluded from performance results. The table below provides participation rates, proficiency rates, annual targets and status in meeting the targets, and statewide proficiency rates.

### ELA Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability



### Math Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability



Performance Measure	2016-17 ELA	2017-18 ELA	2018-19 ELA	2016-17 Math	2017-18 Math	2018-19 Math
Participation Rate	N	N	65.9%	N	48.7%	78.4%
Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	N	N	*	N	*	*
Annual Target	N	N	N	N	N	4.0%
Met Annual Target?			N		N	Not Met
Statewide Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	54.9%	56.7%	57.9%	43.5%	45.0%	44.5%

† Target was met within a confidence interval.



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

## English Language Arts Assessment - Participation and Performance

This table shows performance on statewide assessments for English Language Arts both overall and by student group. It includes the results of students taking both the NJSLA and DLM assessments. NJSLA results include only students in grades 3 through 10. Students that were enrolled for less than half a school year are excluded from performance results. A student is considered to have met or exceeded expectations if he/she scores at Level 4 or 5 on the NJSLA assessment or at Level 3 or 4 on the DLM assessment.

This table shows both the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations and a proficiency rate used for federal accountability. The proficiency rate for federal accountability will be lower if the participation rate is below 95%. This table also shows progress towards meeting the state's long term goal of 80% proficiency by 2030. Annual targets are specific to each subgroup, school, and district and represent the expected proficiency needed to stay on track to meet the state's long term goal. Student groups where the annual target fields are grayed out are not required to meet annual targets under ESSA accountability. For more details on New Jersey's accountability system, see our [accountability resources](#).

Student Group	Valid Scores	% of students Taking Test	School: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	District: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	State: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	2018-19 Annual Target	Met 2018-19 Annual Target
Schoolwide	16	65.9	*	*	57.9	*	N	N
White	N	N	N	N	66.9	N	**	**
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	43.9	*	**	**
Black or African American	*	*	*	*	38.5	*	N	N
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	N	82.9	N	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	56.0	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N	64.4	N	**	**
Female	*	*	*	*	64.8	*		
Male	*	*	*	*	51.3	*		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*	40.0	*	N	N
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*	67.9	*		
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	*	22.7	*	**	**
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	*	65.1	*		
English Learners	N	N	N	N	29.3	N	**	**
Non-English Learners	16	65.9	*	*	60.6	*		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N	29.1	N		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	N	27.6	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	57.8	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	30.4	N		

† Target was met within a confidence interval.



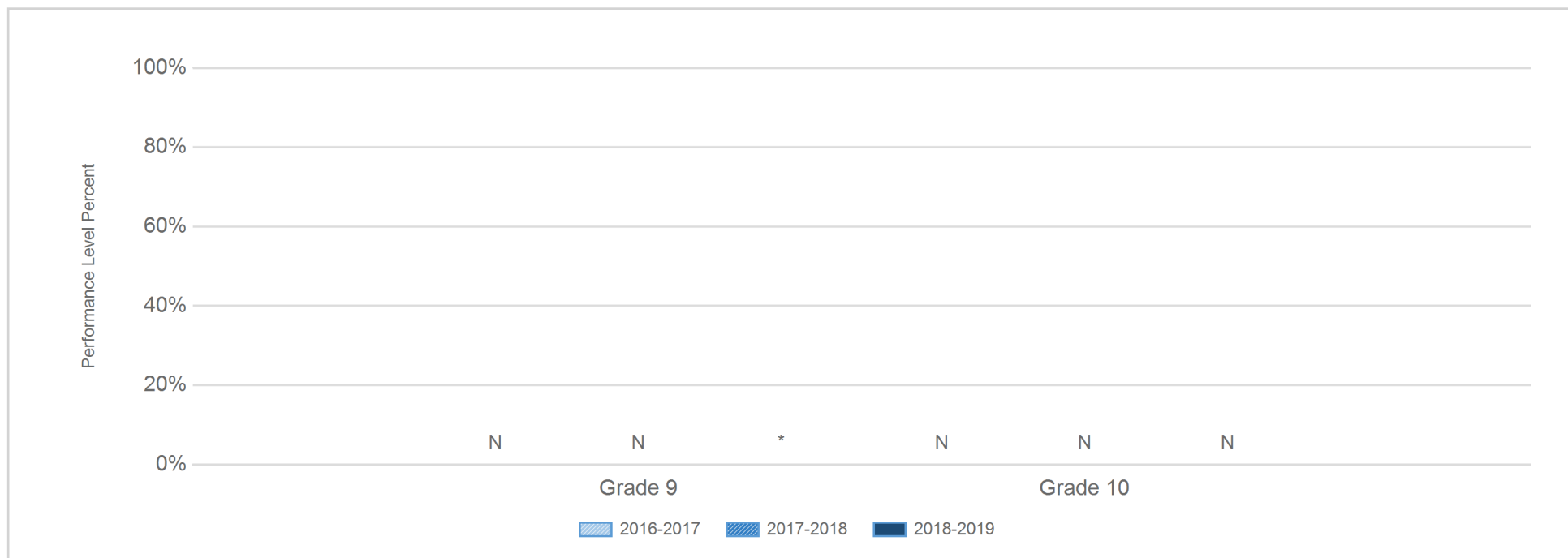
**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

## English Language Arts Assessment - Performance Trends

This graph shows the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations on each grade level exam on the statewide assessment for English Language Arts (ELA) for the past three years. 2018-19 data is from the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA) and 2016-17 and 2017-18 data is from the PARCC assessment.





**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

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

This table shows performance on the English Language Arts (ELA) section of the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA). The performance results in this table include all students that took the NJSLA assessment, which includes students that were enrolled less than half a year.

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
<b>Schoolwide</b>	27	694	694	753	*	*	*	*	*	*	56%
White	N	N	N	762	N	N	N	N	N	N	65%
Hispanic	*	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	40%
Black or African American	*	*	*	732	*	*	*	*	*	*	33%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	783	N	N	N	N	N	N	84%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	754	N	N	N	N	N	N	57%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	761	N	N	N	N	N	N	63%
Female	10	713	713	760	*	*	*	*	*	*	63%
Male	17	683	683	746	*	*	*	*	*	*	49%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	36%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	762	*	*	*	*	*	*	65%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	717	*	*	*	*	*	*	17%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	760	*	*	*	*	*	*	63%
English Learners	N	N	N	693	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	27	694	694	755	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	720	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	22%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	755	N	N	N	N	N	N	56%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	715	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

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

This table shows performance on the English Language Arts (ELA) section of the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA). The performance results in this table include all students that took the NJSLA assessment, which includes students that were enrolled less than half a year.

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
<b>Schoolwide</b>	N	N	N	757	N	N	N	N	N	N	58%
White	N	N	N	767	N	N	N	N	N	N	67%
Hispanic	N	N	N	738	N	N	N	N	N	N	43%
Black or African American	N	N	N	733	N	N	N	N	N	N	38%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	792	N	N	N	N	N	N	84%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	754	N	N	N	N	N	N	56%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	766	N	N	N	N	N	N	65%
Female	N	N	N	766	N	N	N	N	N	N	66%
Male	N	N	N	749	N	N	N	N	N	N	51%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	735	N	N	N	N	N	N	40%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	767	N	N	N	N	N	N	67%
Students with Disabilities	N	N	N	711	N	N	N	N	N	N	19%
Students without Disabilities	N	N	N	765	N	N	N	N	N	N	65%
English Learners	N	N	N	687	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	N	N	N	760	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	723	N	N	N	N	N	N	32%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	22%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	754	N	N	N	N	N	N	56%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	10%



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

## Mathematics Assessment - Participation and Performance

This table shows performance on statewide assessments for Mathematics both overall and by student group. It includes the results of students taking both the NJSLA and DLM assessments. NJSLA results include only students in grades 3 through 10. Students that were enrolled for less than half a school year are excluded from performance results. A student is considered to have met or exceeded expectations if he/she scores at Level 4 or 5 on the NJSLA assessment or at Level 3 or 4 on the DLM assessment.

This table shows both the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations and a proficiency rate used for federal accountability. The proficiency rate for federal accountability will be lower if the participation rate is below 95%. This table also shows progress towards meeting the state's long term goal of 80% proficiency by 2030. Annual targets are specific to each subgroup, school, and district and represent the expected proficiency needed to stay on track to meet the state's long term goal. Student groups where the annual target fields are grayed out are not required to meet annual targets under ESSA accountability. For more details on New Jersey's accountability system, see our [accountability resources](#).

Student Group	Valid Scores	% of students Taking Test	School: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	District: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	State: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	2018-19 Annual Target	Met 2018-19 Annual Target
Schoolwide	45	78.4	*	*	44.5	*	4	Not Met
White	N	N	N	N	54.1	N	**	**
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	28.8	*	**	**
Black or African American	*	*	*	*	23.0	*	4	Not Met
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	N	76.5	N	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	42.7	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N	53.3	N	**	**
Female	18	78.1	*	*	44.9	*		
Male	27	78.6	*	*	44.2	*		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*	26.3	*	4	Not Met
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*	54.9	*		
Students with Disabilities	16	81.8	*	*	17.4	*	N	N
Students without Disabilities	29	76.9	*	*	50.0	*		
English Learners	N	N	N	N	25.0	N	**	**
Non-English Learners	45	78.4	*	*	46.5	*		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N	17.1	N		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	N	17.1	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	46.4	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	23.3	N		

† Target was met within a confidence interval.



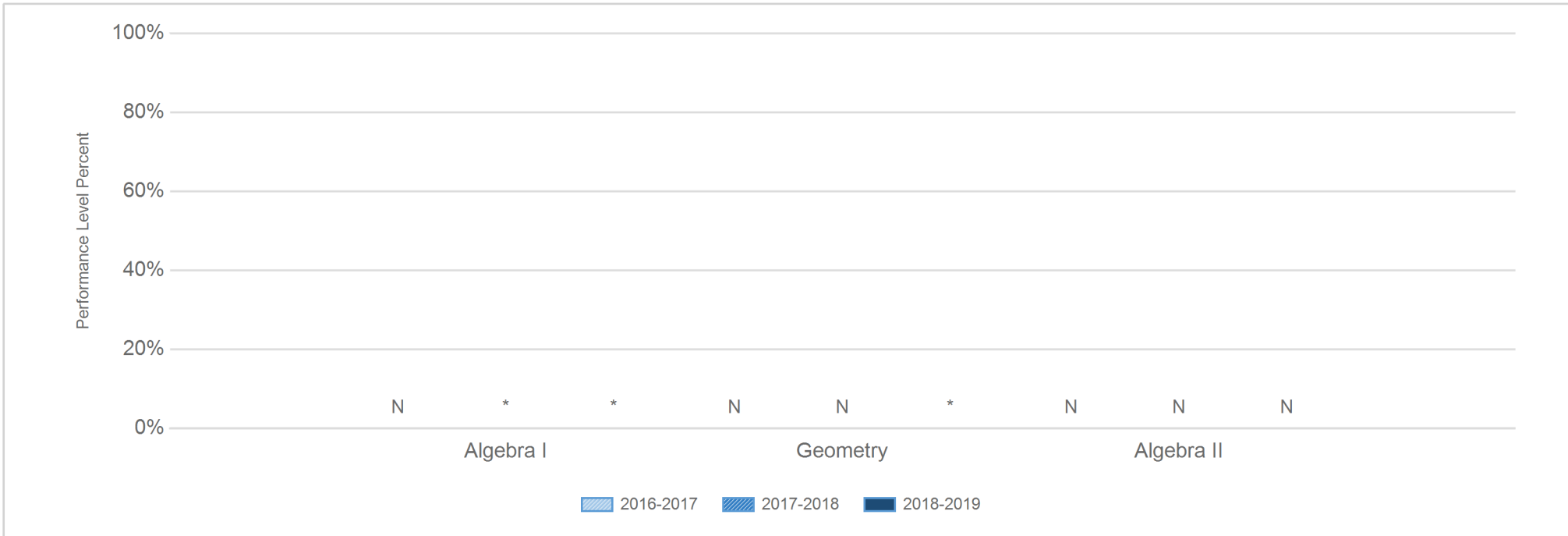
**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

### Mathematics Assessment – Performance Trends

This graph shows the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations on each grade level or end-of-course exam on the statewide assessment for Mathematics for the past three years. 2018-19 data is from the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA) and 2016-17 and 2017-18 data is from the PARCC assessment.



† 2018-19 results for Algebra I, Geometry, and Algebra II do not include students in grade 11, but 2016-17 and 2017-18 results do include students in grade 11. Therefore, trend data for these assessments may not be comparable.



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

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

This table shows performance on the Mathematics section of the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA). The performance results in this table include all students that took the NJSLA assessment, it does not exclude students that were enrolled less than half a year.

Note: 2018-19 results do not include students in grade 11, therefore results may not be comparable to prior years when students in grade 11 were included.

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
<b>Schoolwide</b>	51	701	701	744	*	*	*	*	*	*	42%
White	N	N	N	752	N	N	N	N	N	N	53%
Hispanic	*	*	*	728	*	*	*	*	*	*	24%
Black or African American	*	*	*	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	20%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	775	N	N	N	N	N	N	76%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	744	N	N	N	N	N	N	42%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	752	N	N	N	N	N	N	51%
Female	23	699	699	745	*	*	*	*	*	*	44%
Male	28	702	702	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	41%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	39	700	700	727	*	*	*	*	*	*	23%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	12	704	704	752	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
Students with Disabilities	18	693	693	717	*	*	*	*	*	*	12%
Students without Disabilities	33	705	705	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	47%
English Learners	N	N	N	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	51	701	701	745	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	14%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	744	N	N	N	N	N	N	43%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	707	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

### Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Test: Geometry

This table shows performance on the Mathematics section of the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA). The performance results in this table include all students that took the NJSLA assessment, it does not exclude students that were enrolled less than half a year.

Note: 2018-19 results do not include students in grade 11, therefore results may not be comparable to prior years when students in grade 11 were included.

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
<b>Schoolwide</b>	*	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	35%
White	N	N	N	743	N	N	N	N	N	N	43%
Hispanic	N	N	N	724	N	N	N	N	N	N	17%
Black or African American	*	*	*	720	*	*	*	*	*	*	14%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	762	N	N	N	N	N	N	70%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	736	N	N	N	N	N	N	37%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	745	N	N	N	N	N	N	46%
Female	*	*	*	738	*	*	*	*	*	*	36%
Male	*	*	*	736	*	*	*	*	*	*	34%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	16%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	43%
Students with Disabilities	N	N	N	712	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	741	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
English Learners	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	738	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	713	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	739	N	N	N	N	N	N	35%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	711	N	N	N	N	N	N	19%



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

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

This table shows performance on the Mathematics section of the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA). The performance results in this table include all students that took the NJSLA assessment, it does not exclude students that were enrolled less than half a year.

Note: 2018-19 results do not include students in grade 11, therefore results may not be comparable to prior years when students in grade 11 were included.

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
<b>Schoolwide</b>	N	N	N	755	N	N	N	N	N	N	58%
White	N	N	N	758	N	N	N	N	N	N	62%
Hispanic	N	N	N	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	34%
Black or African American	N	N	N	725	N	N	N	N	N	N	27%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	777	N	N	N	N	N	N	80%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	753	N	N	N	N	N	N	55%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	761	N	N	N	N	N	N	65%
Female	N	N	N	752	N	N	N	N	N	N	55%
Male	N	N	N	758	N	N	N	N	N	N	62%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	32%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	761	N	N	N	N	N	N	65%
Students with Disabilities	N	N	N	715	N	N	N	N	N	N	25%
Students without Disabilities	N	N	N	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	60%
English Learners	N	N	N	696	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%
Non-English Learners	N	N	N	755	N	N	N	N	N	N	59%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	715	N	N	N	N	N	N	14%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	742	N	N	N	N	N	N	39%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	*	N	N	N	N	N	N	*



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

## DLM Alternate Assessment - Participation

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

Grade	ELA: # Students Tested	Math: # Students Tested
9	N	N
10	N	N
11	N	N

## English Language Progress to Proficiency

This table shows the percentage of English Learners who demonstrated the expected amount of growth on the ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 Assessment for English Language proficiency. A student's expected growth is based on the student's initial year proficiency level and student growth expectations are increased by equal intervals each year so that the student meets the proficiency cut score of 4.5 within five years. The table shows the annual target for the percentage of students making expected growth and whether that target was met.

Student Group	Percent of English Learners Making Expected Growth to Proficiency	2018-19 Target	Met Target?
Schoolwide/English Learners	N	N	N

† Target was met within one standard deviation

## English Language Proficiency Test - Participation and Performance

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

Years in District	# Students Tested	% Students with Overall Score Below 4.5	% Students with Overall Score of 4.5 and above
0-2	N	N	N
3-4	N	N	N
5 or more	N	N	N



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

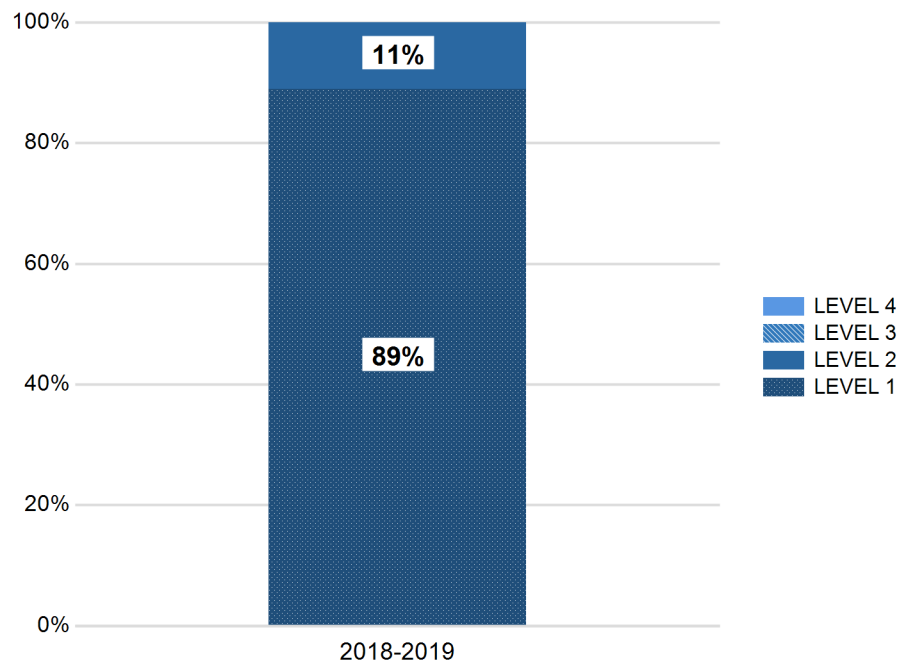
**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

The New Jersey Student Learning Assessment for Science (NJSLA-S) measures student proficiency with the New Jersey Student Learning Standards for Science. All students in grades 5, 8, and 11 will take the NJSLA-Science assessment. Students receive a score of Level 1, 2, 3, or 4 where levels 3 and 4 represent proficiency. Visit the [NJSLA-Science website](#) for more information about NJSLA-S. These results do not include students that took the Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM) Science assessment, visit the [assessment reports page](#) for DLM results.

### NJSLA Science Assessment: Grade 11 Summary

This table shows how students performed this year on the NJSLA Science assessment. Students scoring at Level 3 or 4 are considered proficient.



### NJSLA Science Assessment: Grade 11

This table shows how students performed this year on the NJSLA Science assessment, both overall and by student group. Students scoring at Level 3 or 4 are considered proficient.

Student Group	% Level 1	% Level 2	% Level 3	% Level 4
<b>Schoolwide</b>	89	11	0	0
White	N	N	N	N
Hispanic	*	*	*	*
Black or African American	*	*	*	*
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	N
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N
Female	*	*	*	*
Male	*	*	*	*
Economically Disadvantaged Students	89	11	0	0
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	N
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	*
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	*
English Learners	N	N	N	N
Non-English Learners	89	11	0	0
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	N
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

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

### PSAT, SAT, & ACT - Participation

This table shows information about participation on the PSAT, SAT, and ACT exams. PSAT participation is the percentage of 10th and 11th graders that took the PSAT 10 or PSAT NMSQT exam in 2018-19. SAT and ACT participation rates show the percentage of 12th graders that have taken the SAT or ACT this year or in prior years.

Participation Type	School Participation Rate	State Participation Rate
10th and 11th graders taking PSAT 10/NMSQT in 2018-19	N	84.5%
12th graders taking SAT in 2018-19 or prior years	23.7%	72.1%
12th graders taking ACT in 2018-19 or prior years	N	19.6%

### PSAT, SAT, & ACT - Performance

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

Participation Type	School Average Score	State Average Score	College Readiness Benchmarks	School - Students Scores at or above Benchmark	State - Students Scores at or above Benchmark
PSAT 10/NMSQT - Reading and Writing	N	476	N	N	61%
PSAT 10/NMSQT - Math	N	477	N	N	43%
SAT - Reading and Writing	414	539	480	21%	70%
SAT - Math	428	541	530	14%	53%
ACT - Reading	N	25	N	N	66%
ACT - English	N	24	N	N	81%
ACT - Math	N	24	N	N	65%
ACT - Science	N	24	N	N	57%



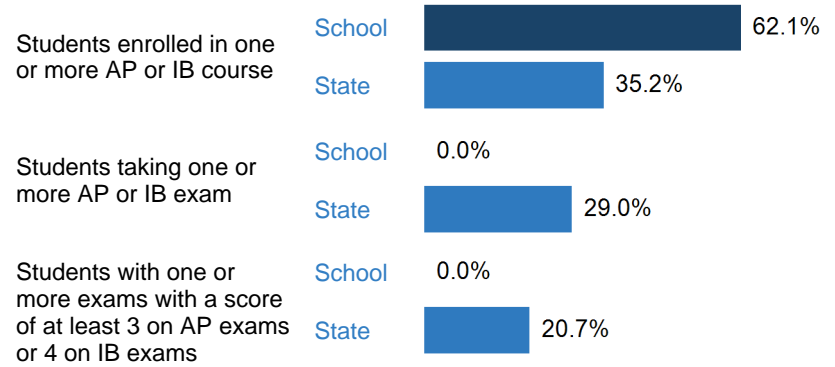
**LEAD Charter School**  
 (80-6109-953)  
 Grades Offered: 09-12  
 2018-2019

**Report Key:**  
 \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy  
 \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students  
 N No Data is available to display  
 † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

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

**AP/IB Coursework – Participation and Performance**

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



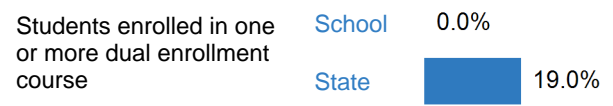
**AP/ IB Courses Offered**

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

AP/IB Course	Students Enrolled	Students Tested
AP Research	97	0
AP Seminar	135	0
Total Exams taken		0
Exams with scores of at least 3 on AP exams or 4 on IB exams		0

**Dual Enrollment Coursework - Participation**

This graph shows the percentage of 11th and 12th graders who were enrolled in at least one dual enrollment course during the school year. Dual enrollment courses allow high school students to enroll in college courses for credit prior to their high school graduation.





**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

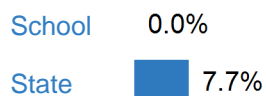
This section contains information about participation in approved Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs and Structured Learning Experiences and students earning Industry-Valued Credentials. For more information about Career and Technical Education in New Jersey, please visit the [NJDOE's Career and Technical Education website](#).

### Career and Technical Education Participation

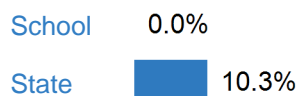
The graphs below show the percentage of students in grades 9 through 12 who were enrolled in courses in approved Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs. Students enrolled in shared-time Career and Technical Education programs in a county vocational school district are included in the percentages for both the county vocational school and their sending school.

**CTE Participants**

(completed only one course in an approved CTE program)

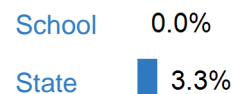
**CTE Concentrators**

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



### Structured Learning Experiences Participation

The graph below shows the percentage of students in grades 9 through 12 who participated in Structured Learning Experiences during the school year. Structured Learning Experiences can include work-based learning programs, internships, apprenticeships, and service learning experiences and can be paid or unpaid.

**Structured Learning Experiences**



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

This section contains information about participation in approved Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs and Structured Learning Experiences and students earning Industry-Valued Credentials. For more information about Career and Technical Education in New Jersey, please visit the [NJDOE's Career and Technical Education website](#).

### Career and Technical Education Participation by Student Group

This table shows the percentage of students, both overall and by student group, in grades 9 through 12 who were enrolled in courses in approved Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs. CTE participants have completed only one course in an approved CTE program. CTE concentrators have completed two or more courses in a single approved CTE program and/or have completed the entire CTE program. Students enrolled in shared-time CTE programs in a county vocational school district are included in the percentages for both the county vocational school and their sending high school.

Student Group	School: % CTE Participants	School: % CTE Concentrators	State: % CTE Participants	State: % CTE Concentrators
Schoolwide	0.0%	0.0%	7.7%	10.3%
White	N	N	6.1%	9.6%
Hispanic	0.0%	0.0%	10.3%	11.3%
Black or African American	0.0%	0.0%	9.0%	11.2%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	5.8%	9.3%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	10.3%	12.7%
Two or More Races	N	N	6.8%	12.1%
Female	0.0%	0.0%	7.3%	10.6%
Male	0.0%	0.0%	8.0%	10.1%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0.0%	0.0%	10.4%	11.8%
Students with Disabilities	0.0%	0.0%	6.6%	9.2%
English Learners	N	N	8.7%	3.2%
Homeless Students	N	N	8.1%	6.6%
Students In Foster Care	*	*	6.4%	5.0%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	9.7%	13.3%
Migrant Students	N	N	10.4%	*



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

This section contains information about participation in approved Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs and Structured Learning Experiences and students earning Industry-Valued Credentials. For more information about Career and Technical Education in New Jersey, please visit the [NJDOE's Career and Technical Education website](#).

### Industry-Valued Credentials

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

#### Students Earning Industry-Valued Credentials

School	0.0%
State	0.9%

### Industry-Valued Credentials by Career Cluster

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

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



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

Information about [New Jersey Student Learning Standards](#) can be found on the NJDOE website. An English course participation table is not included below because students are required to take four years of English in high school. Detailed information about students enrolled in AP/IB courses in English Language Arts and other subject areas is available in the AP/IB Courses Offered table in the College and Career Readiness Section of this report.

### Mathematics - Course Participation

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

Grade	Algebra I	Geometry	Algebra II	Pre-Calculus	Calculus	Statistics	Other Math
9	11	7	0	0	0	0	2
10	16	19	0	0	0	0	15
11	23	21	0	0	0	0	23
12	13	17	0	0	0	0	28
Total	63	64	0	0	0	0	68
Enrolled in AP/IB Course					0	0	0
Enrolled in Dual Enrollment Course	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### Science - Course Participation

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

Grade	Biology	Chemistry	Earth and Space Science	Environmental Science	Physics	Other Science
9	10	6	0	0	4	0
10	18	13	0	0	20	0
11	26	19	0	0	26	0
12	18	26	0	0	31	0
Total	72	64	0	0	81	0
Enrolled in AP/IB Course	0	0		0	0	0
Enrolled in Dual Enrollment Course	0	0	0	0	0	0



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

Information about [New Jersey Student Learning Standards](#) can be found on the NJDOE website. An English course participation table is not included below because students are required to take four years of English in high school. Detailed information about students enrolled in AP/IB courses in English Language Arts and other subject areas is available in the AP/IB Courses Offered table in the College and Career Readiness Section of this report.

### Social Studies and History - Course Participation

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

Grade	World History	US History I & II	Economics	Psychology	Sociology	Other Social Studies or History
9	12	6	0	0	0	4
10	15	16	0	0	0	16
11	23	29	0	0	0	17
12	16	17	0	0	0	38
Total	66	68	0	0	0	75
Enrolled in AP/IB Course	0	0	0	0		0
Enrolled in Dual Enrollment Course	0	0	0	0	0	0

### World Languages - Course Participation

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

Grade	Spanish	French	Italian	Latin	German	Chinese	Other Languages
9	12	0	0	0	0	0	16
10	26	0	0	0	0	0	33
11	37	0	0	0	0	0	51
12	34	0	0	0	0	0	43
Total	109	0	0	0	0	0	143
Enrolled in AP/IB Course	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled in Dual Enrollment Course	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled in Level 3 or Higher	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

Information about [New Jersey Student Learning Standards](#) can be found on the NJDOE website. An English course participation table is not included below because students are required to take four years of English in high school. Detailed information about students enrolled in AP/IB courses in English Language Arts and other subject areas is available in the AP/IB Courses Offered table in the College and Career Readiness Section of this report.

### Computer Science and Information Technology – Course Participation

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

Grade	Computer Programming	Computing Systems	Other Computer Science	Networking	Information Systems	Other IT
9	0	6	0	0	0	0
10	0	11	0	0	0	0
11	0	18	0	0	0	0
12	0	22	0	0	0	0
Total	0	57	0	0	0	0
Enrolled in AP/IB Course	0		0			0
Enrolled in Dual Enrollment Course	0	0	0	0	0	0

**LEAD Charter School**

(80-6109-953)

Grades Offered: 09-12

2018-2019

**Report Key:**

\* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy

\*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students

**N** No Data is available to display

† This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

## Seal of Biliteracy

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

Language	Students Earning a Seal of Biliteracy
Total	0



**LEAD Charter School**  
 (80-6109-953)  
 Grades Offered: 09-12  
 2018-2019

**Report Key:**

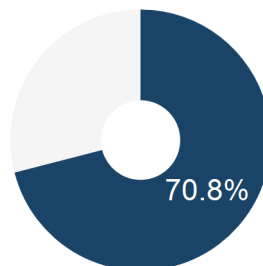
- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

Visual and Performing Arts – Course Participation

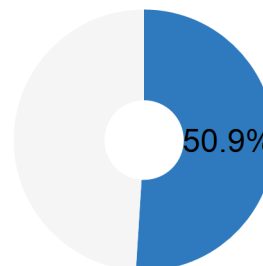
The first set of graphs below show the percentages of students who were enrolled in any Visual and Performing Arts classes during the school year. The graphs at the bottom of the page show the percentages of students enrolled in at least one course within each of the four arts disciplines during the school year.

**Grades 9-12:**

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

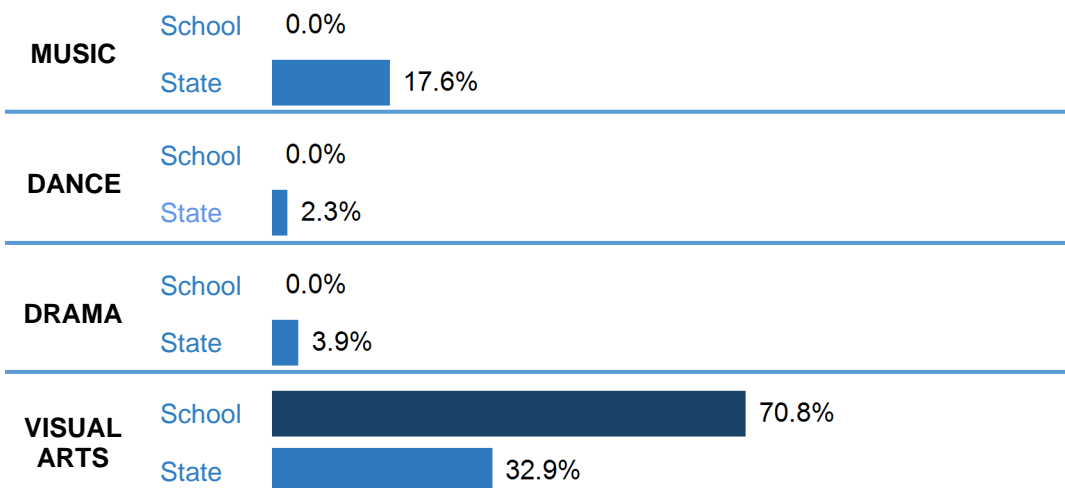


School



State

Students enrolled in one or more classes by discipline:





**LEAD Charter School**  
 (80-6109-953)  
 Grades Offered: 09-12  
 2018-2019

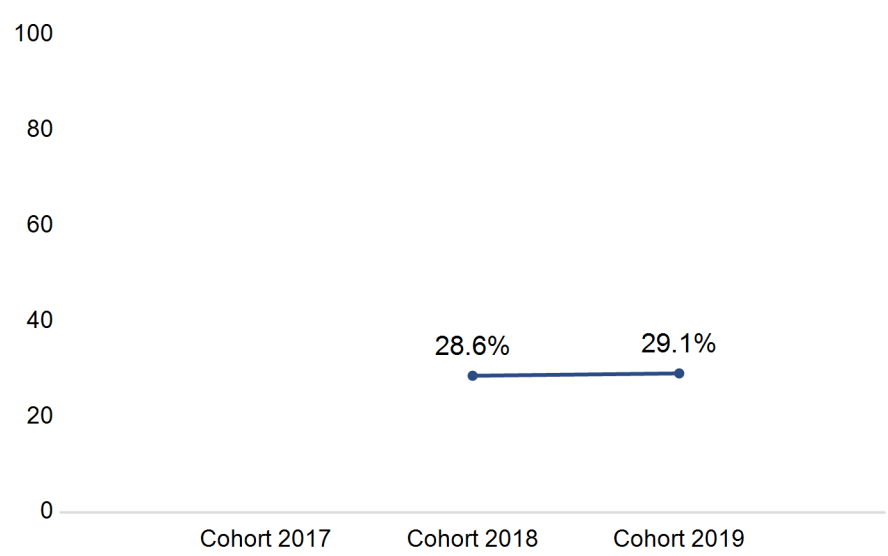
**Report Key:**  
 \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy  
 \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students  
 N No Data is available to display  
 † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

Graduation rates are calculated based on the adjusted cohort graduation rate calculation. More information can be found on the [NJDOE Graduation Rate page](#).

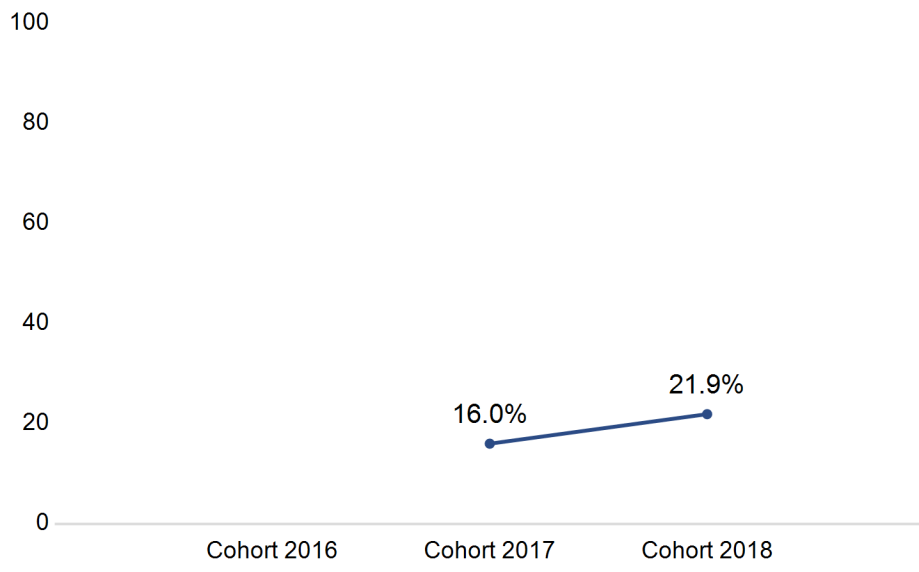
**Graduation Rate Trends and Progress**

These graphs show the 4-year and 5-year adjusted cohort graduation rates for the most recent three cohorts of students. The table below shows whether annual targets were met for each cohort. Note that for accountability and annual targets, graduation data from the prior year is used, so annual target status for Cohort 2019 4-Year and Cohort 2018 5-Year are not provided.

**4-Year Graduation Rate Trends**



**5-Year Graduation Rate Trends**



Performance Measure	Cohort 2017 4-Year Rate	Cohort 2018 4-Year Rate	Cohort 2019 4-Year Rate	Cohort 2016 5-Year Rate	Cohort 2017 5-Year Rate	Cohort 2018 5-Year Rate
Graduation Rate	N	28.6%	29.1%	N	16.0%	21.9%
Annual Target	*	N		*	N	
Met Annual Target?	*	N		*	N	
Statewide Graduation Rate	90.5%	90.9%	90.6%	91.8%	92.4%	92.5%



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

Graduation rates are calculated based on the adjusted cohort graduation rate calculation. More information can be found on the [NJDOE Graduation Rate page](#).

### Graduation Rates

This table shows 4-year and 5-year graduation rates both overall and by student group. Annual ESSA accountability targets for the Class of 2018 4-year rate and the Class of 2017 5-year rates are included with a flag for whether the annual targets were met. Student group rows where the annual target fields are grayed out are not required to meet annual targets under ESSA accountability. For more details on New Jersey's accountability system, see these [accountability resources](#).

Student Group	School - Class of 2019: 4 Year Rate	State - Class of 2019: 4 Year Rate	School - Class of 2018: 5 Year Rate	State - Class of 2018: 5 Year Rate	Class of 2018: 4 Year Rate	Class of 2018: 4 Year Target	Class of 2018: Met Target	Class of 2017: 5 Year Rate	Class of 2017: 5 Year Target	Class of 2017: Met Target
Schoolwide	29.1%	90.6%	21.9%	92.5%	28.6%	N	N	16.0%	N	N
White	N	94.9%	*	95.9%	*	**	**	N	N	N
Hispanic	10.5%	84.5%	*	87.3%	*	**	**	*	**	**
Black or African American	32.7%	83.3%	25.0%	87.1%	31.7%	N	N	*	N	N
Asian, Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N	96.9%	N	97.8%	N	N	N	N	N	N
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	92.2%	N	88.9%	N	N	N	N	N	N
Two or More Races	N	91.4%	N	94.2%	N	N	N	N	N	N
Female	38.9%	92.8%	25.6%	94.4%	37.5%			15.4%		
Male	20.6%	88.5%	17.6%	90.8%	20.0%			16.7%		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	27.1%	84.0%	16.7%	87.3%	25.8%	N	N	15.0%	N	N
Students with Disabilities	13.3%	79.2%	30.8%	83.8%	*	**	**	*	**	**
English Learners	N	75.4%	N	80.1%	N	N	N	N	N	N
Homeless Students	N	74.6%	N	78.3%	N			N		
Students in Foster Care	N	57.6%	*	82.5%	N			N		
Migrant Students	N	83.3%	N	85.0%	N			N		



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

### Graduation Pathways

This table shows the percentage of Cohort 2019 graduates that met high school graduation requirements through each type of graduation pathway for both English Language Arts (ELA) and Math.

Graduation Pathway	ELA Graduation Pathway	Math Graduation Pathway
Statewide Assessment	0.0%	0.0%
Substitute Competency Test	0.0%	0.0%
Portfolio Appeals Process	100.0%	100.0%
Alternate Requirements specified in IEP	0.0%	0.0%
Unknown	0.0%	0.0%

### Dropout Rate Trends

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

School Year	School Rate	State Rate
2018-2019	1.9%	1.2%
2017-2018	0.8%	1.2%
2016-2017	0.0%	1.1%



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

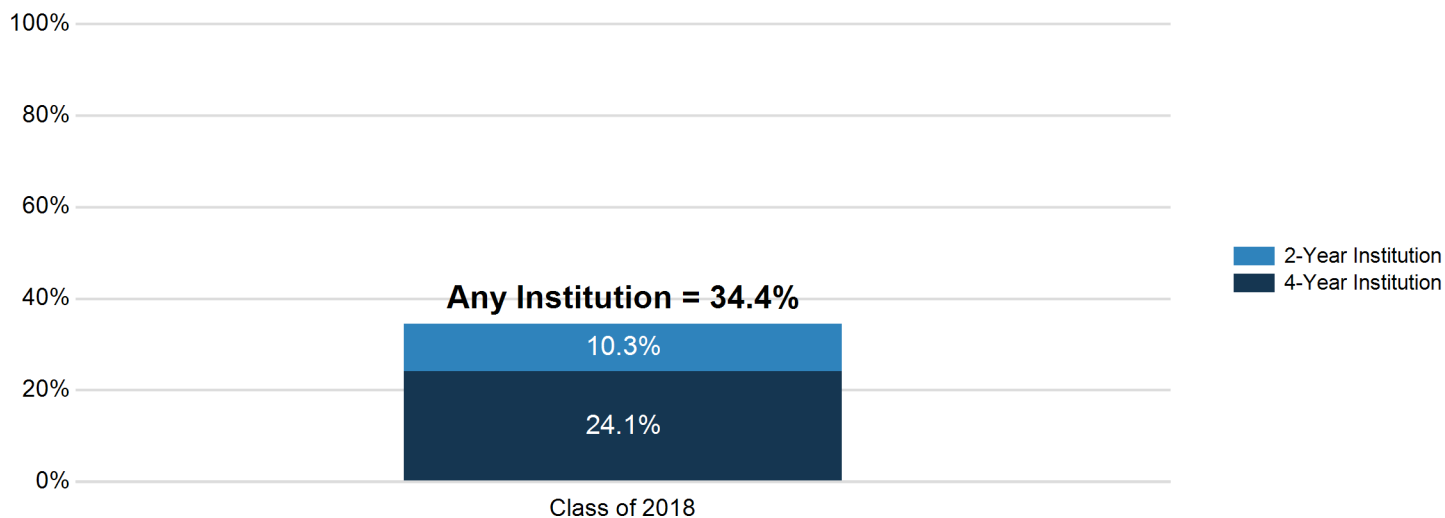
- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

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

### Postsecondary Enrollment Rate Summary

The graphs and tables below show the percentage of graduates that have enrolled in 2-year and 4-year institutions within 16 months of graduating from high school.

#### Postsecondary Enrollment 16 months after Graduation



Performance Measure	Class of 2018
% Enrolled in 2-Year Institution	10.3%
% Enrolled in 4-Year Institution	24.1%
% Enrolled in Any Postsecondary Institution	34.5%



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

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

### Postsecondary Enrollment Rates: Fall

This table shows information about Class of 2019 high school graduates enrolled in postsecondary institutions by the fall of 2019. The first column shows the percentage of graduates enrolled in any postsecondary institution, and the next two columns show the percentage of those enrolled students that were enrolled in 2-year and 4-year institutions.

Student Group	% Enrolled in Any Institution	% Enrolled in 2-Year Institution	% Enrolled in 4-Year Institution
Statewide	72%	28.7%	71.3%
Schoolwide	22.7%	70%	30%
White	N	N	N
Hispanic	*	*	*
Black or African American	*	*	*
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N
Two or More Races	N	N	N
Economically Disadvantaged Students	21.2%	71.4%	28.6%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*
English Learners	N	N	N

### Postsecondary Enrollment Rates: 16 month

This table shows information about Class of 2018 high school graduates enrolled in postsecondary institutions by the fall of 2019. The first column shows the percentage of graduates enrolled in any postsecondary institution, and the following sets of columns show the percentage of those enrolled students that were enrolled in 2-year and 4-year institutions, public or private institutions, and in-state and out-of-state institutions.

Student Group	% Enrolled in Any Institution	% Enrolled in 2-Year Institution	% Enrolled in 4-Year Institution	% Enrolled in Public Institution	% Enrolled in Private Institution	% Enrolled in In-State Institution	% Enrolled in Out-of-State Institution
Statewide	77.8%	30.9%	69.1%	72.9%	27.1%	65.5%	34.5%
Schoolwide	34.5%	30%	70%	50%	50%	80%	20%
White	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Hispanic	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Black or African American	34.5%	30%	70%	50%	50%	80%	20%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Economically Disadvantaged Students	30.8%	25%	75%	50%	50%	75%	25%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
English Learners	N	N	N	N	N	N	N



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

Student absences provide important information about a school's culture and climate. Research shows that absences impact a student's ability to succeed in school. The New Jersey Department of Education used input from New Jersey communities to select chronic absenteeism as its measure of school quality and student success for the ESSA accountability plan. **Chronic absenteeism** is defined as being absent for 10% or more of the days enrolled during the school year. A student who is not present for any reason, whether excused, unexcused, or for disciplinary action, is considered absent unless permitted by state statute or regulations. Students with fewer than 45 days in membership are excluded from attendance calculations.

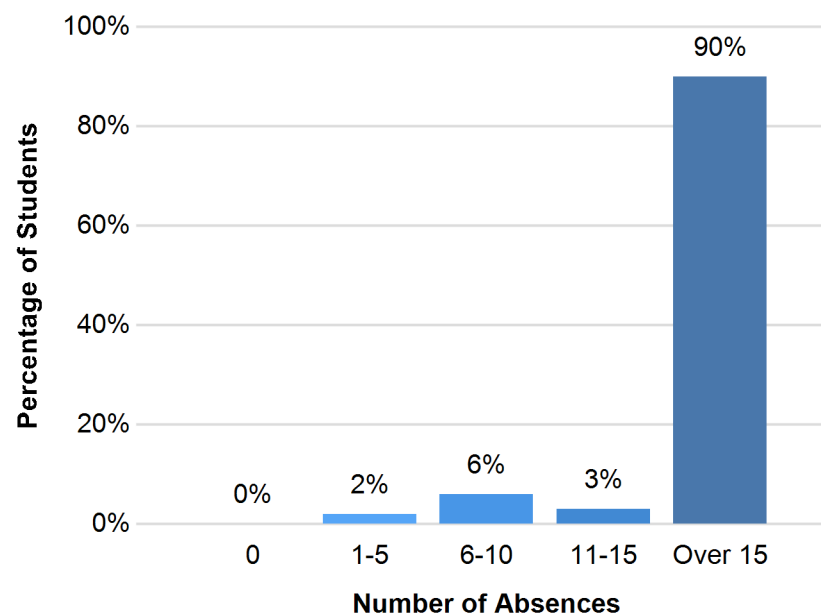
### Chronic Absenteeism

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

Student Group	Number of Students Chronically Absent	Percent of Students Chronically Absent	State Average	Met State Average?
Schoolwide	*	*	14.2	Not Met
White	N	N	N	N
Hispanic	*	*	14.2	Not Met
Black or African American	*	*	14.2	Not Met
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific	N	N	N	N
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N
Female	*	*		
Male	*	*		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	14.2	Not Met
Students with Disabilities	*	*	14.2	Not Met
English Learners	N	N	N	N
Homeless Students	N	N		
Students in Foster Care	*	*		
Military-Connected Students	N	N		
Migrant Students	N	N		

### Days Absent

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





**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

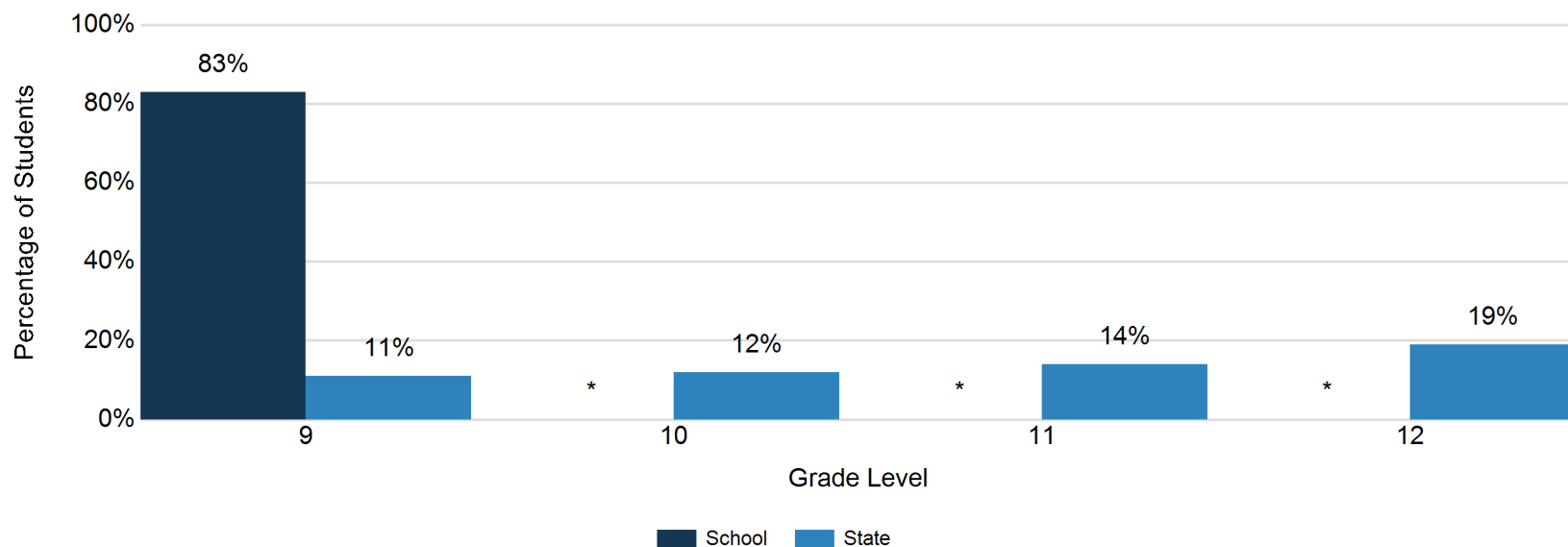
**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

Student absences provide important information about a school's culture and climate. Research shows that absences impact a student's ability to succeed in school. The New Jersey Department of Education used input from New Jersey communities to select chronic absenteeism as its measure of school quality and student success for the ESSA accountability plan. **Chronic absenteeism** is defined as being absent for 10% or more of the days enrolled during the school year. A student who is not present for any reason, whether excused, unexcused, or for disciplinary action, is considered absent unless permitted by state statute or regulations. Students with fewer than 45 days in membership are excluded from attendance calculations.

### Chronic Absenteeism by Grade

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





**LEAD Charter School**  
 (80-6109-953)  
 Grades Offered: 09-12  
 2018-2019

**Report Key:**  
 \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy  
 \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students  
**N** No Data is available to display  
 † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

The New Jersey Department of Education migrated to a new reporting system, the Student Safety Data System (SSDS), starting in 2017-18, which includes improved definitions, new reporting fields, and updated guidance for reporting incidents. Comparing current data to data from 2016-17 and earlier could lead to inaccurate conclusions in many reporting categories.

**Violence, Vandalism, HIB, and Substance Offenses**

This table shows the number of incidents reported by type. A single incident may be counted under multiple incident types. The total unique incidents row provides an unduplicated count of incidents. The last row shows the rate of incidents for every 100 students enrolled.

Incident Type	Number of Incidents
Violence	5
Weapons	0
Vandalism	0
Substances	0
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	0
Total Unique Incidents	5
Incidents Per 100 Students Enrolled	2.36

**Police Notifications**

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

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

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

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

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

**Student Disciplinary Removals**

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

Removal Type	Number of Students	Percent of Students
In-School Suspensions	0	0.0%
Out-of-School Suspensions	*	*
Any Suspension	*	*
Removal to other education program	*	*
Expulsion	0	0.0%
Arrest	0	0.0%

School Days Missed due to Out-of-School Suspensions
*



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

### School Day

This table shows the start and end times and length of school day for a typical student at this school. Instructional time is the amount of time that a typical student was engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher. Full time students attend this school for more than half of the school day and shared-time students attend the school for half of the school day or less.

Category	School
Typical Start Time	8:20 AM
Typical End Time	3:55 PM
Length of School Day	7 Hrs 35 Mins
Full Time - Instructional Time	6 Hrs 30 Mins
Shared Time - Instructional Time	6 Hrs. 30 Mins.

### Device Ratios

This table shows the student to device ratio, which is the number of students in tested grades 3 through 10 per device. Devices are computers such as tablets, iPads, laptops and Chromebooks. The count includes only devices that meet nationally recommended specifications for digital learning in grades 3 through 10. This information comes from the elective NJTRAx survey, therefore data may not be available for all schools. Additionally, schools that have adopted a Bring Your Own Device policy may appear to have a very low Student to Device ratio due to this policy decision.

School Year	Student to Device Ratio
2018-19	N



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

**Key terms for staff data:**

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

**Teachers:** All classroom teachers

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

### Teachers – Experience

This table shows information about the experience of teachers assigned to this school and across the state. No teachers in New Jersey are teaching under emergency or provisional credentials as defined the United States Department of Education.

Category	Teachers in School	Teachers in State
Total Number of teachers	11	118,214
Average years experience in public schools	9.7	12.1
Average years experience in district	1.5	10.8
Percentage of Teachers with 4 or more years experience in the district	0.0%	75.3%

### Administrators – Experience (District Level)

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

Category	Admin. in District	Admin. in State
Total Number of administrators	5	9,530
Average years experience in public schools	11.4	16.0
Average years experience in district	1.6	12.0
Percentage of Administrators with 4 or more years experience in the district	0.0%	76.9%

### Student and Staff Ratios

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

Ratio	School Ratio	District Ratio
Students to Teachers	19:1	19:1
Students to Administrators	42:1	42:1
Teachers to Administrators	2:1	2:1
Students to Librarians/Media Specialists		N
Students to Nurses		N
Students to Counselors		53:1
Students to Child Study Team Members		N



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

**Key terms for staff data:**

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

**Teachers:** All classroom teachers

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

### Teachers and Administrators – Demographics

This table compares the percentage of students, teachers, and administrators by gender and by racial and ethnic group.

Category	Students in School	Teachers in School	Administrators in School	Students in State	Teachers in State	Administrators in State
Female	46.7%	45.5%	60.0%	48.4%	77.1%	54.9%
Male	53.3%	54.5%	40.0%	51.6%	22.9%	45.1%
White	0.0%	0.0%	20.0%	42.4%	83.6%	77.4%
Hispanic	19.8%	45.5%	60.0%	29.9%	7.3%	7.2%
Black or African American	80.2%	27.3%	0.0%	15.0%	6.6%	13.9%
Asian	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	10.2%	2.0%	1.1%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%
Two or More Races	0.0%	27.3%	20.0%	2.1%	0.2%	0.2%



**LEAD Charter School**  
 (80-6109-953)  
 Grades Offered: 09-12  
 2018-2019

**Report Key:**  
 \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy  
 \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students  
 N No Data is available to display  
 † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

**Key terms for staff data:**

**Faculty:** All classroom teachers and educational support services personnel (such as Librarians, Nurses, Counselors, and Child Study Team members)  
**Teachers:** All classroom teachers  
**Administrators:** Principals, assistant principals, supervisors, coordinators, directors, and other central-office administrators, as well as superintendents and other district-level administrators

**Teachers and Administrators - Level of Education**

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

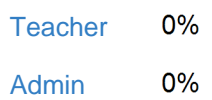
**Bachelor's Degree**



**Master's Degree**



**Doctoral Degree**



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

This table shows the percentage of teachers and administrators assigned to this district in 2017-18 that were still assigned to this district in 2018-19. Staff who were not retained may have changed districts or no longer work for the state (including retirements).

Job Type	District	State
2017-18 Teachers: Same district 2018-19	25.0%	90.5%
2017-18 Administrators: Same district 2018-19	100.0%	87.9%

**Faculty Attendance**

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

School Year	% Days Present
2018-19	95.9%



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

## Per-Pupil Expenditures by Source

The link below produces a table summarizing the most recently available expenses for regular and special education students taught at schools in the district. The amounts shown include expenditures for instruction, support services, administration, operations and maintenance, and extra-curricular activities.

For more information regarding this table please refer to the guidance for school level reporting, which is available on the [NJDOE webpage ESSA School Level Reporting Information](#). More in-depth information about district and charter school spending can be found in the [User Friendly Budget](#) and the [Comprehensive Annual Financial Report \(CAFR\) and Auditor Management Reports \(AMRs\)](#).

*Please be aware that the total district expenditures represented in these reports are taken from audited district financial data, but the subsequent allocation of these resources to specific schools is not audited or otherwise verified by the New Jersey Department of Education. If you have specific questions about the assignment (or lack of assignment) of school-level amounts, please contact the district for additional information.*

[Link to District Summary of 2018-19 School-Level Per Pupil Expenditures by Source.](#)

An option to [download all school-level summaries by district](#) in one spreadsheet is also available. However, because districts have flexibility in how certain costs are allocated to individual schools, school-level costs should not be compared between schools in different districts.



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

New Jersey's school accountability system identifies schools that are in need of comprehensive and targeted support as required by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA).

Every three years (last identification in 2019, next identification in 2022), NJDOE will identify schools in the following three federal categories:

**Comprehensive Support and Improvement - Overall Low Performing:** Schools with a summative score in the bottom 5% of Title I schools.

**Comprehensive Support and Improvement - Low Graduation Rate:** High schools with a four-year graduation rate of 67% or less

**Targeted Support and Improvement - Low Performing Student Group:** Schools with one or more student group with a summative score that would be in the bottom 5% of Title I schools

Annually, NJDOE will identify schools in the following federal category:

**Targeted Support and Improvement - Consistently Underperforming Student Group:** Schools with one or more students group that missed annual targets or standards for all indicators for two years in a row

For more information about New Jersey's accountability system, how indicator and summative scores were calculated, and how federal accountability status is determined, see these [accountability resources](#).

### ESSA Accountability Status

The table below provides the school's federal school status for the 2020-21 school year, the category (or reason) for identification, the year the school is eligible to exit status, and, if applicable, the student groups identified for support.

Status for 2020-21 School Year	Not in Status
Category of Identification	n/a
Year Eligible to Exit Status	n/a
Student Group Status: White	
Student Group Status: Hispanic	
Student Group Status: Black or African American	
Student Group Status: Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	
Student Group Status: American Indian or Alaska Native	
Student Group Status: Two or More Races	
Student Group Status: Economically Disadvantaged Students	
Student Group Status: Students with Disabilities	
Student Group Status: English Learners	

† This flag is used if a school is identified for Comprehensive Support and Improvement, but one or more student groups met criteria for Targeted Support and Improvement.



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

New Jersey's school accountability system identifies schools that are in need of comprehensive and targeted support as required by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA).

Every three years (last identification in 2019, next identification in 2022), NJDOE will identify schools in the following three federal categories:

**Comprehensive Support and Improvement - Overall Low Performing:** Schools with a summative score in the bottom 5% of Title I schools.

**Comprehensive Support and Improvement - Low Graduation Rate:** High schools with a four-year graduation rate of 67% or less

**Targeted Support and Improvement - Low Performing Student Group:** Schools with one or more student group with a summative score that would be in the bottom 5% of Title I schools

Annually, NJDOE will identify schools in the following federal category:

**Targeted Support and Improvement - Consistently Underperforming Student Group:** Schools with one or more students group that missed annual targets or standards for all indicators for two years in a row

For more information about New Jersey's accountability system, how indicator and summative scores were calculated, and how federal accountability status is determined, see these [accountability resources](#).

### ESSA Accountability Progress

The table below shows performance on each of New Jersey's ESSA accountability indicators for the last three years. ELA and Math Proficiency represent the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations on statewide assessments (NJSLA/PARCC or DLM). ELA and Math Growth represent the median student growth percentile. Four- and five-year graduation rates represent the adjusted cohort graduation rates. Progress toward English Language Proficiency, which was first available in 2017-18, shows the percentage of English Learners that demonstrated the expected amount of growth on the ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 Assessment for English Language proficiency. Chronic absenteeism represents the percentage of students that were absent for 10% or more of the days enrolled during the school year.

ESSA Accountability Indicator	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
ELA Proficiency	N	N	*
Math Proficiency	N	*	*
ELA Growth	N	N	N
Math Growth	N	N	N
4-Year Graduation Rate†	N	28.6%	29.1%
5-Year Graduation Rate†	N	16.0%	21.9%
Progress toward English Language Proficiency		N	N
Chronic Absenteeism	N	37.5%	*

† This table shows 2018-19 graduation data for reference, but 2017-18 graduation data is used for accountability calculations for 2018-19.



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

New Jersey's school accountability system identifies schools that are in need of comprehensive and targeted support as required by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA).

Every three years (last identification in 2019, next identification in 2022), NJDOE will identify schools in the following three federal categories:

**Comprehensive Support and Improvement - Overall Low Performing:** Schools with a summative score in the bottom 5% of Title I schools.

**Comprehensive Support and Improvement - Low Graduation Rate:** High schools with a four-year graduation rate of 67% or less

**Targeted Support and Improvement - Low Performing Student Group:** Schools with one or more student group with a summative score that would be in the bottom 5% of Title I schools

Annually, NJDOE will identify schools in the following federal category:

**Targeted Support and Improvement - Consistently Underperforming Student Group:** Schools with one or more students group that missed annual targets or standards for all indicators for two years in a row

For more information about New Jersey's accountability system, how indicator and summative scores were calculated, and how federal accountability status is determined, see these [accountability resources](#).

### Accountability Indicator Scores and Summative Ratings - 2018-19 School Year

New Jersey developed a school accountability system as required by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) to identify schools that are in need of Comprehensive Support and Improvement every three years. During the three-year federal status period, schools receive additional resources and support. NJDOE will next identify schools for Comprehensive Support and Improvement in 2022.

This year accountability indicator scores and summative ratings are not used to identify schools for Comprehensive Support and Improvement, so these data are not included in the School Performance Reports. Review the previous two pages to see a school's current status, in the ESSA Accountability Status table, and to monitor a school's school progress on each accountability indicator over the last three years using the new ESSA Accountability Progress table.



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

### Accountability Summary by Student Group - 2018-19 School Year

This table shows whether student groups in this school met annual ESSA accountability targets and standards for each indicator. Annual targets for proficiency and graduation rate were set based on a school or student group's performance in 2015-16 or the first year data was available. The standard for student growth is a median student growth percentile of 40-59.5. The target for chronic absenteeism is the statewide chronic absenteeism rate based on students enrolled in the grades served by the school. For more details on accountability targets, see these [accountability resources](#).

The accountability system will not be used to identify schools for Targeted Support and Improvement – Low Performing Student Group for 2018-19, so student group summative scores are not included in this table this year.

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

† Target was met within a confidence interval (Proficiency) or within one standard deviation (Progress to English Language Proficiency).



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

## School Narrative

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



### Highlights:

- To serve more young people, LEAD increased its enrollment from 92 students in 2017-2018 to 240 students in 2018-2019. This was an increase of 148 students (160%) from the prior year.
- In 2018-2019, LEAD added Allied Health and Technology as two additional Career and Technical Career pathways to complement its Construction trade program.
- In 2018-2019, LEAD launched its dual enrollment program with the support of Rutgers University to provide eligible students with the opportunity to earn college credits.



### Mission, Vision, Theme:

The mission of LEAD Charter School (LEAD) is to help students ages 16-21 in grades 9-12 to master the essential skills crucial for success in post-secondary education, career and community leadership within a global society. LEAD's key design elements support the unique academic and nonacademic needs of students who have disengaged from traditional schooling. LEAD's innovative model re-engages young people via active participation in rigorous and relevant content and standards-driven, competency-based instruction aligned with emerging market demands. Through applied learning opportunities with partner organizations and corporations, LEAD prepares students to compete in the local economy and/or transition to post-secondary opportunities.



**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

## School Narrative

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



### Courses, Curriculum, Instruction:

Course offered at LEAD include, Language Arts, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, World Language, Visual Arts, Health and Physical Education, Life Skills, Construction, Technology, Coding, and Allied Health. At LEAD, we prioritize the development of a student's cognitive skills using the Summit Learning Platform, which offers a project-based curriculum. The Summit Learning Cognitive Skills Rubric is an assessment and instruction tool that outlines the continuum of 36 interdisciplinary, higher-order thinking skills that are necessary for college and career readiness. Through Summit Learning, students practice and develop cognitive skills in every subject and in every grade level.



### Clubs and Activities:

In 2018-2019, LEAD offered numerous clubs based on student interests. These clubs included, coding, music, driver's club, life skills, martial arts, senior activities, and media.






**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

## School Narrative

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

 <p><b>Before and After School Programs:</b></p>	<p>In 2018-2019, LEAD continued to offer its breakfast before the bell program to provide students with a healthy meal to begin their day. Additionally, LEAD launched its afternoon and weekend tutoring program to supplement academic needs of students.</p>
 <p><b>Staff and Professional Learning:</b></p>	<p>During the 2018-2019, LEAD staff engaged in over 300 formal hours of professional development. During the summer months LEAD staff engaged in two weeks of professional development to prepare for the school year. During the school year full-day and half-day PDs are used to reinforce mission, vision, and model specific activities while fostering a learning community.</p>
 <p><b>Postsecondary Information:</b></p>	<p>In 2018-2019, LEAD launched its dual enrollment program with the support of Rutgers University to provide eligible students with the opportunity to earn college credits. In 2018-2019, more than nine students enrolled in Rutgers while attending LEAD, of which most student earned college credits.</p>






**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

## School Narrative

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

 <p><b>Student Supports and Services:</b></p>	<p>LEAD's student support service consists of advocate counselors, health professionals, mental health specialists, and behavioral specialists that work together to support student's social emotional development. LEAD's SEL curriculum focuses on developing students' positive perception of Self, Family, and Community.</p>
 <p><b>Student Health and Wellness:</b></p>	<p>Through the School Nurse and external services, LEAD aims to provide students with growth opportunities around preventive health care and the promotion of health education. In 2018-2019, LEAD hired a full-time School Nurse with tremendous experience. The School Nurse collaborated with teachers, the Child Study Team, support staff, and school leaders to provide expertise and oversight for the provision of school health services and the promotion of health education as a liaison between school personnel, family, community, and healthcare providers to advocate for healthcare and a healthy school environment. In 2018-2019, LEAD also offered student access to dental care service on site by partnering with local services.</p>
 <p><b>Parent and Community Involvement:</b></p>	<p>LEAD believes in an involved guardian community. While increasing parent involvement in with diverse offerings and events remains an area of focus to as LEAD enters its third year of operations, there are significant events that parents led in support of students. During the 2018-2019 school year, LEAD received support from key guardians to decorate the graduation venue to celebrate the 2019 graduating class. Additionally, during the annual senior trip guardian chaperones supported student travel and experience as the senior class traveled to Six Flags Great Adventure NJ.</p>






**LEAD Charter School**  
(80-6109-953)  
Grades Offered: 09-12  
2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

## School Narrative

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

 <p><b>Climate Surveys:</b></p>	<p>Is a Climate Survey Used: Yes; Who is surveyed: Students, Parents, Administrators, Teachers Setting and measuring school climate is an important and intentional component in LEAD Charter School. The MESH (Mindsets, Essential Skills and Habits) survey was used to assess both student and staff on the climate and culture centered around the student experience. The MESH is a social-emotional assessment that utilizes surveys to gain students' and staff perceptions on student curiosity, growth mindset, perseverance, self-awareness, self-efficacy, self-regulation and social awareness competencies. The MESH was administered three times during the school year. LEAD also administers two staff, admin, guardian, and board surveys annually gain stakeholder feedback.</p>
 <p><b>Facilities:</b></p>	<p>During the 2018-2019 school year, LEAD's main campus was located at 201 Bergen Street, Newark NJ, 07103. LEAD's facility was modernized and designed to provide each student with ample space that supports smaller classroom sizes, necessary equipment to ensure safety. A new computer lab and Allied Health classroom space were added to support additional career pathways options.</p>
 <p><b>School Safety:</b></p>	<p>In the 2018-2019 school year, LEAD established a school-wide safety plan. Within this plan, LEAD established a team and protocols to how to handle various safety and security events. The security team conducted training for all staff on these procedures and protocols as well as how to respond to an emergency, identified evacuation routes, and which staff to contact in different emergency situations. Throughout the year, LEAD performed ten (10) fire drills and ten (10) emergency drills to prepare staff and students for any safety concerns. Additionally, a school safety special was also appointed.</p>

**LEAD Charter School**

(80-6109-953)

Grades Offered: 09-12

2018-2019

**Report Key:**

\* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy

\*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students

**N** No Data is available to display

† This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

## School Narrative

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

Technology and  
STEM:

LEAD Charter School prioritizes the diffusion and active use of modern educational technologies that foster student-centered learning, promote student access to digital content, and prepare students for 21st century education and careers. During the 2018-2019 school year, LEAD Charter school re-invested in additional technologies to provide additional students with a laptop (1-to-1 environment), personal email, Google Application learning management systems, and other digital resources that support and foster learning.

**LEAD Charter School**

(80-6109-953)

Grades Offered: 09-12

2018-2019

**Report Key:**

- \* Data is not displayed in order to protect student privacy
- \*\* Accountability calculations require 20 or more students
- N** No Data is available to display
- † This indicates a table specific note, see note below table

## School Narrative

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



### Other Information

LEAD Charter School is designed to serve young people (16-21 years old) from across Newark and the surrounding area who have experienced little success in the traditional educational systems and are in need of programming that is radically different than what they have experienced. Fundamental to this experience is the expectation that young people will become LEADers in their community and carry on the principles of appreciation, love, dignity, respect, and faith. These core principles are captured within the schools philosophy which every school stakeholder is expected to memorize and know. This distinction between “memorizing” and “knowing” the philosophy is important because memorizing the philosophy simply means that you are familiar with the words and can recite them in order. Knowing the philosophy however, means that stakeholders understand what these words mean, why they are important, and what they look like in and out of school.