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SOUTHWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
(23-3845-150)
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School Contact Info

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Type	Contact Information
County	MIDDLESEX
District	OLD BRIDGE TWP
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Website	https://www.oldbridgeadmin.org/Southwood
Twitter	https://twitter.com/PrincipalFoley

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Enrollment Trends by Grade

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

Grade	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
PK	153	147	144
KG	53	45	50
1	48	47	48
2	56	55	49
3	53	59	59
4	53	53	59
5	48	51	55
Total	464	457	464

Enrollment Trends by Student Group

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

Student Group	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Female	37.1%	39.4%	39.0%
Male	62.9%	60.6%	61.0%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	22.8%	22.3%	21.1%
Students with Disabilities	46.3%	42.5%	42.2%
English Learners	0.0%	0.0%	0.9%
Homeless Students		0.0%	0.0%
Students in Foster Care		0.7%	0.2%
Military-Connected Students		0.0%	0.0%
Migrant Students		0.0%	0.0%

Enrollment by Racial and Ethnic Group

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

Racial and Ethnic Group	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
White	70.9%	69.8%	70.0%
Hispanic	12.3%	13.1%	14.9%
Black or African American	7.3%	7.0%	5.4%
Asian	8.8%	8.3%	7.8%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%
Two or More Races	0.2%	1.3%	1.5%

Enrollment Trends by Full/Half Day PK and KG

This table shows number of students in full day and half day Pre-Kindergarten (PK) and Kindergarten (KG) for the past three school years.

Grade	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
PK - Half Day	130	119	114
PK - Full Day	23	28	30
KG - Half Day	0	0	0
KG - Full Day	53	45	50

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	90.9%
Spanish	1.9%
Urdu	1.3%
Bengali	1.1%
Other Languages	4.7%

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

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

Student Growth

This table shows the median Student Growth Percentile (mSGP) for both English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA) and Mathematics both overall and for each student group with comparisons to the district and the state. This table also shows whether each mSGP Met Standard (40-59.5) as required by ESSA accountability.

Student Group	ELA: School Median	ELA: District Median	ELA: Statewide Median	ELA: Met Standard (40-59.5)	Math: School Median	Math: District Median	Math: Statewide Median	Math: Met Standard (40-59.5)
Schoolwide	60	43	50	Exceeds Standard	52	46	50	Met Standard
White	61	40	50	Exceeds Standard	49	45	51	Met Standard
Hispanic	54	41	49	Met Standard	61.5	44.5	48	Exceeds Standard
Black or African American	*	45	44	**	*	47.5	44	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	83	56	61	**	52.5	52	61	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	52	**	*	*	53	**
Two or More Races	N	41	49	**	N	55	51	**
Economically Disadvantaged	47	40	48	Met Standard	52	44	47	Met Standard
Students with Disabilities	39	43	41	**	39	39	43	**
English Learners	N	52	54	**	N	51.5	51	**

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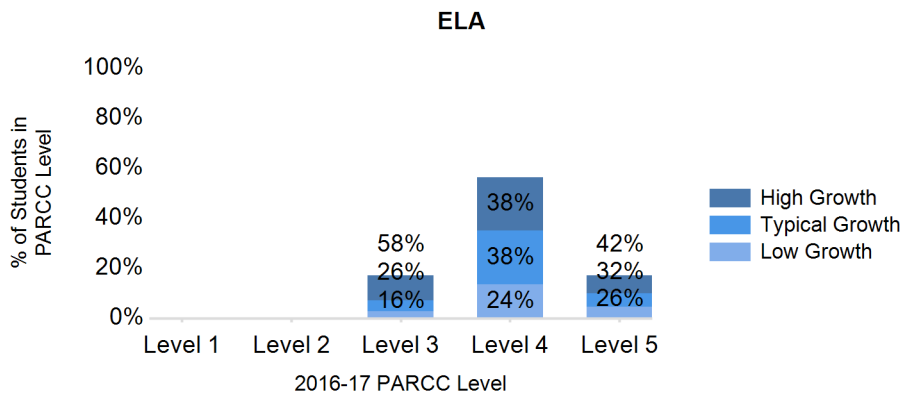
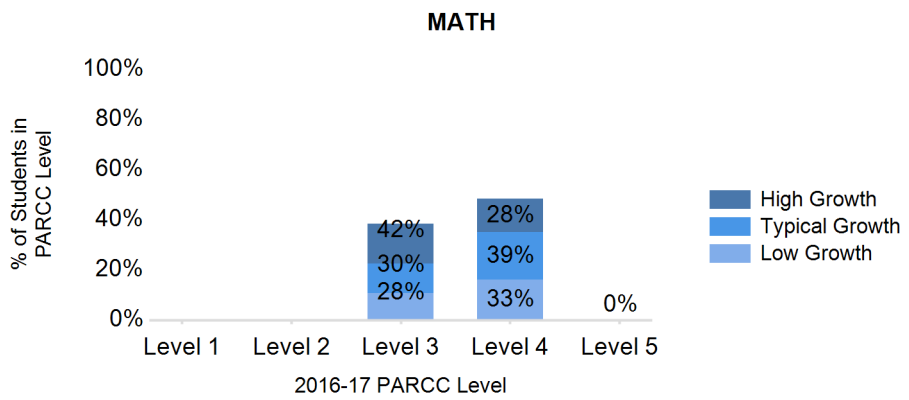
Student Growth by Performance Level

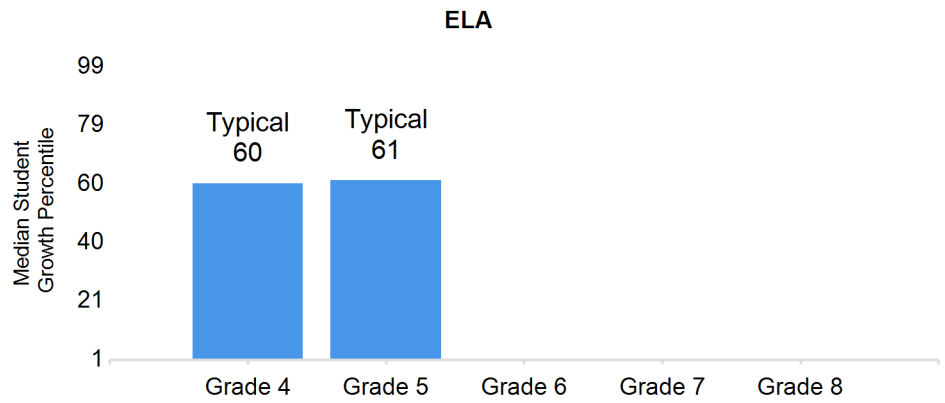
These graphs show the percentage of students by 2016-17 PARCC performance level that fall into each of the three levels of growth based on their 2017-18 test scores.

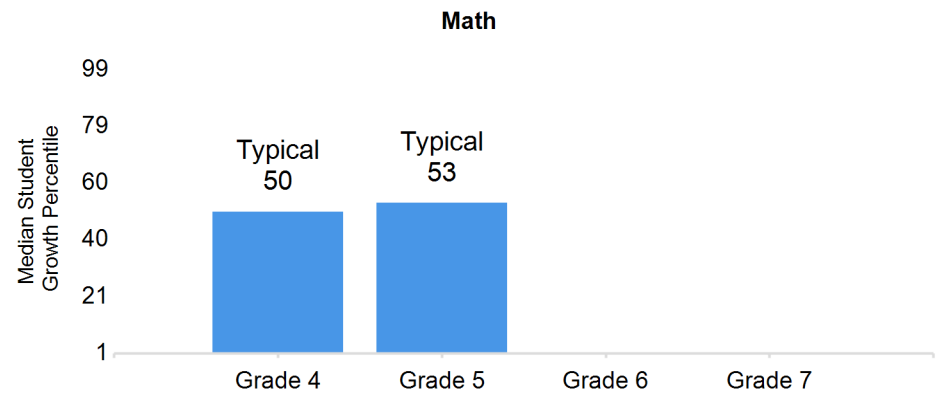




Student Growth by Grade

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





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Student Group	Valid Scores	% of students Taking Test	School: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	District: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	State: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	2017-18 Annual Target	Met 2017-18 Annual Target
Schoolwide	169	98.8	76.3	58.5	56.7	76.3	66.4	Met Target
White	115	98.3	77.4	57.7	65.6	77.4	69.3	Met Target
Hispanic	32	100.0	65.6	45.5	42.5	65.6	54.8	Met Target
Black or African American	*	*	*	49.1	37.3	*	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	12	100.0	91.7	75.2	82.3	91.7	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	52.7	*	**	**
Two or More Races	N	N	N	*	63.4	N	**	**
Female	77	100.0	85.7	66.9	64.5	85.7		
Male	92	97.9	68.5	50.6	49.4	68.5		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	40	100.0	65.0	*	38.5	65.0	56.5	Met Target
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	129	98.5	79.9	*	67.5	79.9		
Students with Disabilities	27	96.6	37.0	18.6	21.6	37.0	41.7	Met Target†
Students without Disabilities	142	99.3	83.8	66.3	63.9	83.8		
English Learners	*	*	*	42.0	27.3	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	59.4	59.4	*		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	64.3	27.7	N		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	*	26.3	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	*	57.4	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	*	30.1	N		

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	57	753	763	750	*	*	21%	*	*	63%	52%
White	40	760	763	759	*	*	*	*	*	68%	61%
Hispanic	13	735	746	736	*	*	*	*	*	46%	38%
Black or African American	*	*	753	733	*	*	*	*	*	*	35%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	779	777	*	*	*	*	*	*	77%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	*	743	N	N	N	N	N	N	46%
Two or More Races	N	N	*	758	N	N	N	N	N	N	58%
Female	23	763	769	756	*	*	*	*	*	70%	57%
Male	34	746	758	744	*	*	*	*	*	59%	46%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	11	736	748	733	*	*	*	*	*	36%	34%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	46	757	767	762	*	*	*	*	*	70%	64%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	722	719	*	*	*	*	*	*	24%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	771	756	*	*	*	*	*	*	57%
English Learners	N	N	732	712	N	N	N	N	N	N	15%
Non-English Learners	57	753	764	753	*	*	21%	*	*	63%	55%
Homeless Students	N	N	*	720	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	751	N	N	N	N	N	N	52%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	741	N	N	N	N	N	N	48%

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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 4

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	59	773	765	756	*	*	*	64%	20%	85%	58%
White	40	771	763	764	0%	*	*	*	*	83%	68%
Hispanic	*	*	757	744	*	*	*	*	*	*	44%
Black or African American	*	*	761	739	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	780	782	*	*	*	*	*	*	83%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	758	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
Two or More Races	N	N	*	763	N	N	N	N	N	N	63%
Female	28	782	774	762	*	*	*	*	*	89%	63%
Male	31	764	756	751	*	*	*	*	*	81%	53%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	13	761	753	740	*	*	*	*	*	92%	40%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	46	776	769	767	*	*	*	*	*	83%	70%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	733	726	*	*	*	*	*	*	25%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	773	762	*	*	*	*	*	*	64%
English Learners	N	N	725	720	N	N	N	N	N	N	17%
Non-English Learners	59	773	766	759	*	*	*	64%	20%	85%	61%
Homeless Students	N	N	*	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	26%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	757	N	N	N	N	N	N	57%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	732	N	N	N	N	N	N	33%

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

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	55	771	766	755	*	*	*	*	*	80%	58%
White	35	774	765	763	*	*	*	*	*	83%	68%
Hispanic	12	762	757	743	0%	*	*	*	*	75%	43%
Black or African American	*	*	*	738	*	*	*	*	*	*	38%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	779	780	*	*	*	*	*	*	84%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	752	N	N	N	N	N	N	53%
Two or More Races	N	N	*	763	N	N	N	N	N	N	65%
Female	27	777	770	762	*	*	*	*	*	93%	66%
Male	28	765	762	749	*	*	*	*	*	68%	51%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	18	753	754	739	*	*	*	*	*	61%	39%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	37	780	769	766	*	*	*	*	*	89%	71%
Students with Disabilities	12	739	738	724	*	*	*	*	*	42%	22%
Students without Disabilities	43	780	772	762	*	*	*	*	*	91%	65%
English Learners	N	N	*	712	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%
Non-English Learners	55	771	*	757	*	*	*	*	*	80%	60%
Homeless Students	N	N	*	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	*	728	N	N	N	N	N	N	27%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	59%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	732	N	N	N	N	N	N	33%

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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance Trends

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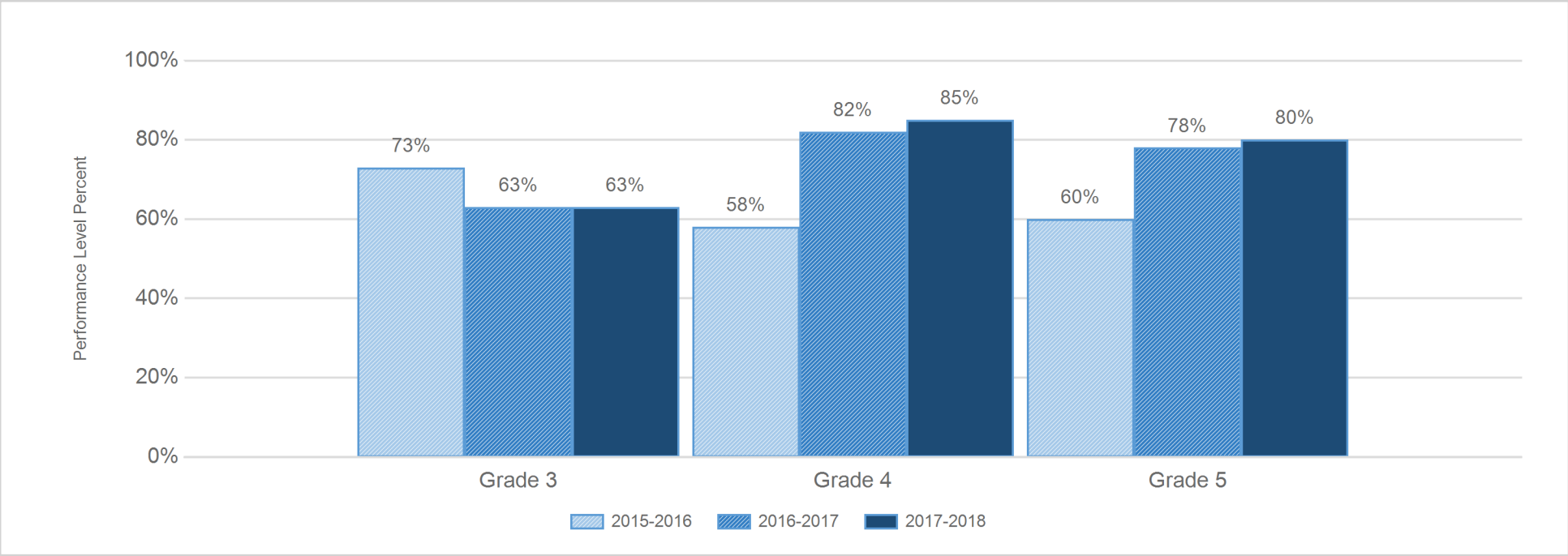

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Schoolwide	169	98.8	50.9	47.2	45.0	50.9	51.5	Met Target†
White	115	98.3	50.4	46.7	54.1	50.4	51.6	Met Target†
Hispanic	32	100.0	40.7	31.8	29.2	40.7	44	Met Target†
Black or African American	*	*	*	36.8	23.4	*	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	12	100.0	83.3	66.3	77.0	83.3	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	42.5	*	**	**
Two or More Races	N	N	N	*	53.0	N	**	**
Female	77	100.0	54.5	50.1	46.0	54.5		
Male	92	97.9	47.8	44.7	43.9	47.8		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	40	100.0	55.0	*	26.6	55.0	49.8	Met Target
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	129	98.5	49.6	*	55.9	49.6		
Students with Disabilities	27	96.6	33.3	16.5	17.1	33.3	50.7	Not Met
Students without Disabilities	142	99.3	54.2	53.3	50.5	54.2		
English Learners	*	*	*	37.2	24.6	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	47.9	46.9	*		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	35.7	17.3	N		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	*	16.2	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	*	45.8	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	*	23.7	N		

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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 3

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	57	736	760	752	*	23%	30%	*	*	35%	53%
White	40	740	761	760	*	*	28%	*	*	40%	64%
Hispanic	13	728	743	739	*	*	*	*	*	15%	38%
Black or African American	*	*	749	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	32%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	776	780	*	*	*	*	*	*	83%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	*	747	N	N	N	N	N	N	49%
Two or More Races	N	N	*	757	N	N	N	N	N	N	59%
Female	23	737	760	752	*	*	*	*	*	43%	53%
Male	34	735	761	751	*	*	*	*	*	29%	53%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	11	725	747	736	*	*	*	*	*	18%	35%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	46	739	764	762	*	*	*	*	*	39%	66%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	730	730	*	*	*	*	*	*	29%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	766	756	*	*	*	*	*	*	57%
English Learners	N	N	738	726	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Non-English Learners	57	736	761	754	*	23%	30%	*	*	35%	56%
Homeless Students	N	N	*	723	N	N	N	N	N	N	20%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	*	725	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	753	N	N	N	N	N	N	55%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	737	N	N	N	N	N	N	46%

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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 4

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Schoolwide	59	747	751	748	0%	*	*	46%	0%	46%	49%
White	40	745	749	755	0%	*	43%	*	*	40%	60%
Hispanic	*	*	740	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	34%
Black or African American	*	*	745	730	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	768	774	*	*	*	*	*	*	80%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	46%
Two or More Races	N	N	*	752	N	N	N	N	N	N	55%
Female	28	750	754	748	0%	*	*	*	*	50%	50%
Male	31	744	747	748	0%	*	*	*	*	42%	49%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	13	745	741	733	0%	*	*	*	*	54%	30%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	46	747	754	758	0%	*	*	*	*	43%	62%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	727	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	756	753	*	*	*	*	*	*	55%
English Learners	N	N	723	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	16%
Non-English Learners	59	747	752	750	0%	*	*	46%	0%	46%	52%
Homeless Students	N	N	*	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	18%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	723	N	N	N	N	N	N	16%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	748	N	N	N	N	N	N	49%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	32%

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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 5

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Schoolwide	55	756	755	748	*	*	22%	*	*	71%	49%
White	35	755	754	756	*	*	*	74%	0%	74%	60%
Hispanic	12	758	746	736	0%	0%	*	*	*	67%	32%
Black or African American	*	*	*	730	*	*	*	*	*	*	26%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	769	777	*	*	*	*	*	*	82%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	745	N	N	N	N	N	N	42%
Two or More Races	N	N	*	754	N	N	N	N	N	N	55%
Female	27	754	754	749	*	*	*	*	*	67%	50%
Male	28	757	756	747	*	*	*	*	*	75%	48%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	18	754	744	733	*	*	*	*	*	72%	29%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	37	757	758	758	*	*	*	*	*	70%	62%
Students with Disabilities	12	750	735	726	*	*	*	*	*	50%	20%
Students without Disabilities	43	757	759	752	*	*	*	*	*	77%	55%
English Learners	N	N	727	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Non-English Learners	55	756	755	750	*	*	22%	*	*	71%	51%
Homeless Students	N	N	*	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	17%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	*	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	20%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	749	N	N	N	N	N	N	52%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	728	N	N	N	N	N	N	29%

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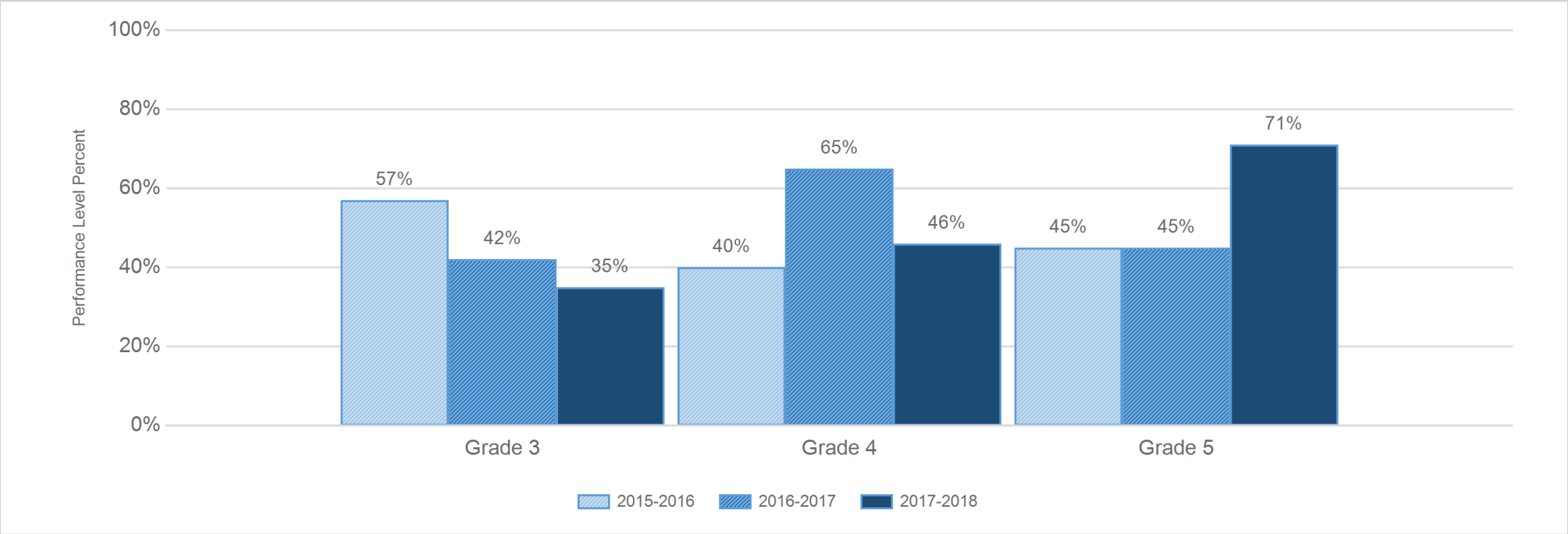
Mathematics Assessment – Performance Trends

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



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

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DLM Alternate Assessment - Participation

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

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

English Language Progress to Proficiency

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

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

† 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	*	*	*
3-4	N	N	N
5 or more	N	N	N

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

NJASK Science Assessment Information

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

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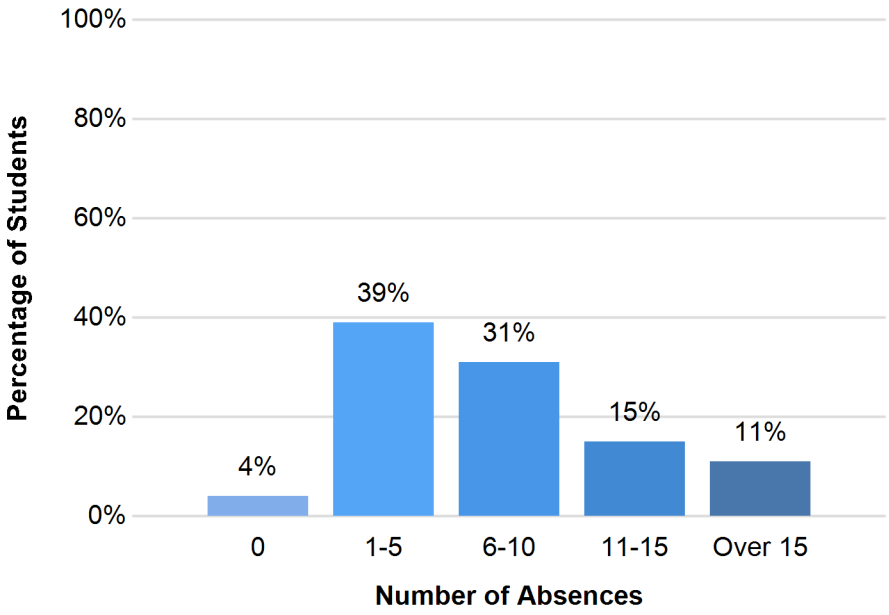
Chronic Absenteeism

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

Student Group	Number of students chronically absent	Percent of students chronically absent	State Average	Met State Average
Schoolwide	21	6.6	8.9	Met
White	15	6.5	8.9	Met
Hispanic	4	7.7	8.9	Met
Black or African American	2	15.4	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	0	0	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	**	**
Two or More Races	*	*	**	**
Economically Disadvantaged Students	7	10.0	8.9	Not Met
Students with Disabilities	6	11.5	8.9	Not Met
English Learners	*	*	**	**

Days Absent

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



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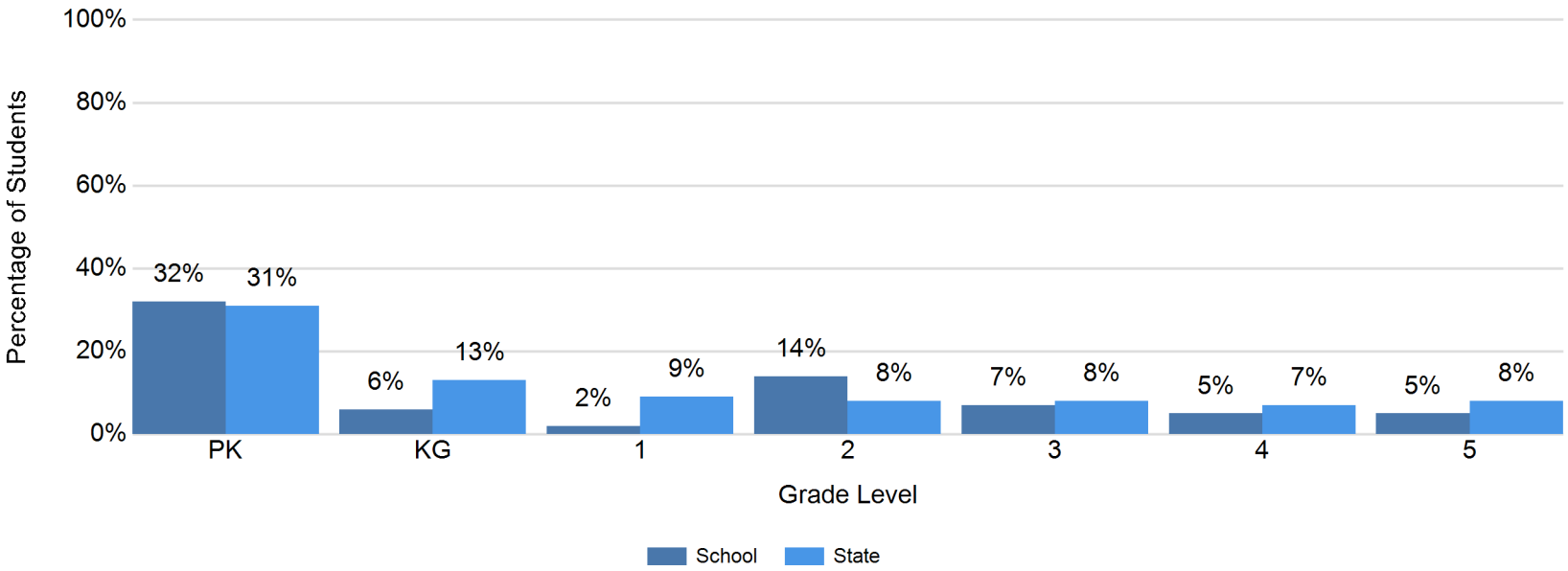
Chronic Absenteeism by Grade

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



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Violence, Vandalism, HIB, and Substance Offenses

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

Incident Type	Number of Incidents
Violence	0
Weapons	0
Vandalism	0
Substances	0
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	1
Total Unique Incidents	1
Incidents Per 100 Students Enrolled	0.22

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	0
Weapons	0
Vandalism	0
Substances	0
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	0
Other Incidents Leading to Removal	0

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Harassment, Intimidation, and Bullying (HIB) Investigations

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

HIB Nature (Protected Category)	HIB Alleged	HIB Confirmed	Total HIB Investigations
Race	0	0	0
Religion	0	0	0
Ancestry	0	0	0
Gender	0	0	0
Sexual Orientation	0	0	0
Disability	0	1	1
Other	2	0	2
No Identified Nature	0		0

Student Disciplinary Removals

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

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

School Days Missed due to Out-of-School Suspensions
0

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School Day

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

Category	School
Typical Start Time	8:55 AM
Typical End Time	3:20 PM
Length of School Day	6 Hrs 25 Mins
Full Time - Instructional Time	5 Hrs 25 Mins
Shared Time - Instructional Time	N

Device Ratios

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

School Year	Student to Device Ratio
2017-18	1.0:1

Per-Pupil Expenditures (District Level)

This table shows the total current expenses for regular and special education students taught within the district's schools. It includes expenditures for instruction, support services, administration, operations and maintenance, extra-curricular activities, and community service. More information about district and charter school spending can be found using districts' User Friendly Budgets, or the NJDOE Finance District Report Search of the Comprehensive Annual Financial Reports (CAFRs) and Auditor's Management Reports (AMRs). NJDOE will be collecting school-level per-pupil expenditures data for the 2018-19 school year, and that data will be included in future reports.

Per-Pupil Expenditures	Federal	State/ Local	Total
District Total (2016-2017)	$385	$14,524	$14,909

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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 experience for teachers assigned to this school and across the state.

Category	Teachers in School	Teachers in State
Total Number of teachers	38	117,464
Average years experience in public schools	10.3	12.0
Average years experience in district	9.4	10.7
Teachers in district for 4 or more years	86.8%	75.5%

Administrators – Experience (District Level)

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

Category	Admin. in District	Admin. in State
Total Number of administrators	40	9,374
Average years experience in public schools	16.8	16.0
Average years experience in district	13.3	12.0
Administrators in district for 4 or more years	95.0%	76.2%

Student and Staff Ratios

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

Ratio	School Ratio	District Ratio
Students to Teachers	12:1	12:1
Students to Administrators	464:1	217:1
Teachers to Administrators	38:1	18:1
Students to Librarians/Media Specialists		1738:1
Students to Nurses		668:1
Students to Counselors		362:1
Students to Child Study Team		272:1

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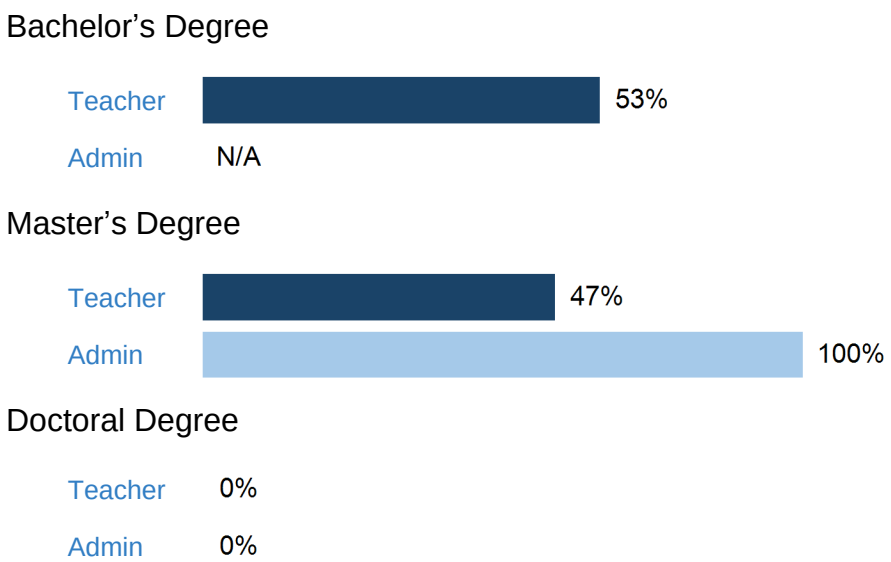
Teachers and Administrators - Level of Education

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



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

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

Job Type	District	State
2016-17 Teachers: Same district 2017-18	93.9%	90.2%
2016-17 Administrators: Same district 2017-18	92.5%	86.2%

Faculty Attendance

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

School Year	% Days Present
2017-18	97.2%

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Teachers and Administrators – Demographics

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

Category	Teachers	Administrators
Female	92.1%	100.0%
Male	7.9%	0.0%
White	92.1%	100.0%
Hispanic	5.3%	0.0%
Black or African American	2.6%	0.0%
Asian	0.0%	0.0%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%	0.0%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%
Two or More Races	0.0%	0.0%

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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). 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.

Comprehensive Status

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

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

Targeted Status

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

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

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

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Accountability Indicator	Score	Weight
English Language Arts Proficiency	84.06	17.5%
Mathematics Proficiency	61.61	17.5%
English Language Arts Growth	75.95	25.0%
Mathematics Growth	60.18	25.0%
Progress Towards English Language Proficiency	**	**
Chronic Absenteeism	56.35	15.0%
Summative Score: Sum of all indicator scores multiplied by indicator weights	67.98	n/a
Summative Rating: Percentile Rank of Summative Score	77.67	n/a
Requires Comprehensive Support: Summative Rating is less than or equal to 5th percentile	No	n/a

† Weights indicated by this symbol were adjusted due to data availability

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Accountability Summary by Student Group - 2017-18 School Year

New Jersey has developed a school accountability system as required by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) to identify schools that are in need of Targeted Support and Improvement. Any student group where the summative score would be in the bottom 5% of schools is identified for Targeted Support for a Low-Performing Student Group. Any student group that has missed annual targets for all indicators two years in a row is identified for Targeted Support for a Consistently Underperforming Student Group. In the table below, schools in which one or more student groups are identified for Targeted Sport will be noted in the Schoolwide row. Annual targets for proficiency and graduation rate were set based on a school or student group's performance in 2015-16. The target for chronic absenteeism is the state average for chronic absenteeism based on students enrolled in the grades served by the given school. For more details on accountability targets, see these accountability resources.

Student Group	Summative Score	Summative Score Cut-off for Targeted Support	Requires Targeted Support: Low Performing Student Group	ELA Proficiency: Met Annual Target	Math Proficiency: Met Annual Target	ELA Student Growth: Met Standard	Math Student Growth: Met Standard	Progress Towards English Language Proficiency: Met Annual Target	Chronic Absenteeism: Met State Average	Requires Targeted Support: Consistently Underperforming Student Group - 2017-18
Schoolwide	n/a	n/a	No	Met Target	Met Target†	Exceeds Standard	Met Standard	**	Met	No
White	57.79	14.08	No	Met Target	Met Target†	Exceeds Standard	Met Standard	n/a	Met	No
Hispanic	75.52	14.08	No	Met Target	Met Target†	Met Standard	Exceeds Standard	n/a	Met	No
Black or African American	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
American Indian or Alaska Native	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Two or More Races	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Economically Disadvantaged Students	73.07	14.08	No	Met Target	Met Target	Met Standard	Met Standard	n/a	Not Met	No
Students with Disabilities	**	**	No	Met Target†	Not Met	**	**	n/a	Not Met	No
English Learners	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	**	No

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

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School Narrative

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Highlights:	• 2015-2019 National School of Character • 2017-2019 National PTA School of Excellence • Technology is embedded in school culture, as iPads and HP Streams are available for all students.
Mission, Vision, Theme:	A true neighborhood school, Southwood Elementary School serves over 350 students, including our Preschool Disabled Program and Kindergarten through Fifth Grade. One of twelve elementary schools in Old Bridge, Southwood School serves a diverse population of students and families. As a result of our commitment to character development, service learning and academic excellence, Southwood School has been recognized as a National School of Character and a National PTA School of Excellence.
Awards, Recognition, Accomplishments:	National School of Character 2016-2019, National PTA School of Excellence 2017-2019, Promising Practice Award Recipient "Parent University" 2015, Promising Practice Award Recipient "Sustainable Southwood" 2016

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Courses, Curriculum, Instruction:	Our curriculum and instruction are driven by the New Jersey Student Learning Standards which provide clear and specific benchmarks for student achievement. As we prepare our 21st century students for a global society, our focus includes: Critical Thinking and Problem Solving, Communication, Collaboration and Creativity and Innovation. We foster a love of learning by providing our students with rich experiences that include hands-on learning and technology integration.
Clubs and Activities:	Character Club consists of fifth grade students who demonstrate exemplary character and facilitate character based initiatives. Student Council coordinates school spirit related activities, such as School Spirit Day and various fundraisers. Student Sound Off is an opportunity for students to collaborate with the principal regarding ideas for quality improvement within the school. Lunch Bunch provides small group opportunities for students to develop social skills and discuss other topics.

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Before and After School Programs:	In collaboration with the Parks and Recreation Department of the Township of Old Bridge, our non-profit Before and After Program offers affordable childcare for students beginning at 7:00 am and ending at 6:00 pm. Supported by parent tuition fees only, all Southwood students are eligible to attend. Activities include 45 minutes of homework in a quiet environment, organized games, arts and crafts, as well as movies.
Staff and Professional Learning:	Our district provides a variety of modalities and opportunities for faculty to improve their practices. In addition to two in-service days that are incorporated into the calendar, our district also provides four PLC (Professional Learning Community) sessions to provide staff with innovative and collaborative ways to improve our schools. Faculty members have access to PD360 by Edivate, a digital platform which provides an additional modality for professional development.

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Student Supports and Services:	Our school provides comprehensive services to address the diverse learning needs of our students. Our Department of Special Services develops and oversees our Learning and Language Disabled Program, as well as our Resource and Preschool Disabled Programs. Our Response to Intervention Program implements evidence-based practices to address the needs of struggling learners in the general education setting.
Student Health and Wellness:	Our nursing staff conducts general health screenings, including vision, hearing and scoliosis. Immunization records are monitored and communication is consistently maintained with parents. Free breakfast and lunch are offered to eligible students. Reduced and full price meals are available for purchase. Students engage in physical education class at least once per week and all students participate in daily outdoor recess as weather permits.
Parent and Community Involvement:	As a National PTA School of Excellence, we pride ourselves on the strength of our home-school-community partnership. Our district offers a Special Education PTA to support our families with special needs. Through our service learning initiatives, all stakeholders have opportunities to participate in activities, including park/campus clean up and food drives. Our family-maintained community garden provides produce for the Old Bridge Food Bank to help neighbors in need.

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Climate Surveys:	Is a Climate Survey Used: Yes; Who is surveyed: Students, Parents, Administrators, Teachers Using the NJ Department of Education model, the School Climate Survey is administered to students, staff, faculty and administration on a bi-annual basis. The results of the SCS, coupled with HIB data, are analyzed by administration as well as the School Safety Team, which meets 2-4 times throughout the school year. The SST includes faculty, administration, and parents who collaborate regarding the strengths and challenges of the school as well as recommendations for improvement.
Facilities:	Southwood School was built in 1956 with an addition being built in 1965. Our preschool wing is equipped with climate controlled classrooms, updated bathrooms and a preschool playground. All classrooms are equipped with SmartBoards or PolyVision Boards. Our security camera system provides surveillance inside and outside of the school. A new playground for grades K-5 was installed in Fall of 2017.

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Other Information:	Southwood School promotes core ethical and performance values of Character Education based on the Six Pillars of Character: Trustworthiness, Respect, Citizenship, Caring, Responsibility and Fairness. These values are promoted at every grade level. This common language was adopted by the district and is supported throughout the curriculum. Morning announcements reinforce school wide expectations. Lesson plans and consistent language are used throughout the school to emphasize the importance of good character. All new staff are trained on character education and it is discussed collaboratively at all faculty meetings. Reflection and concrete data from the New Jersey School Climate Survey and the Character Education program effectiveness survey are used to promote continuous quality improvement. Our core values are consistently incorporated in every aspect of school life, during instructional and non-instructional time. New school rules and behavior contracts were implemented to ensure consistency regarding expectations and consequences. Overall, the importance of good character and the home-school-community partnership are essential components of school life.