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

In particular, the School Performance Reports seek to:

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

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

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

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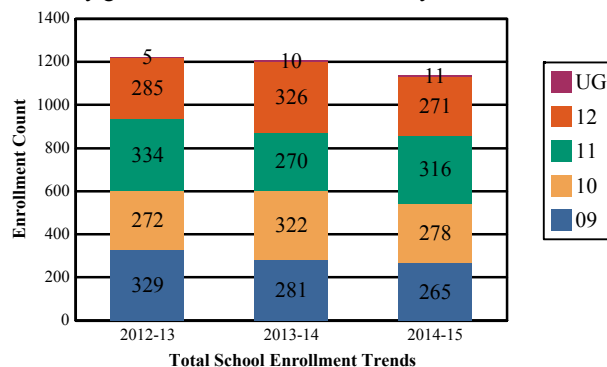
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Enrollment by Grade

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

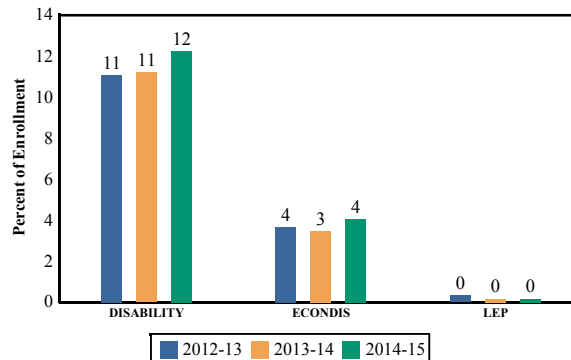


Total School Enrollment Trends

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

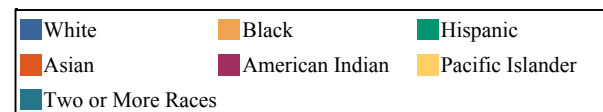
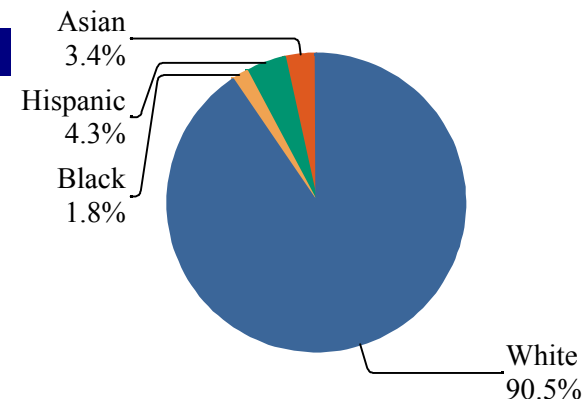
Enrollment Trends by Program Participation

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



Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup

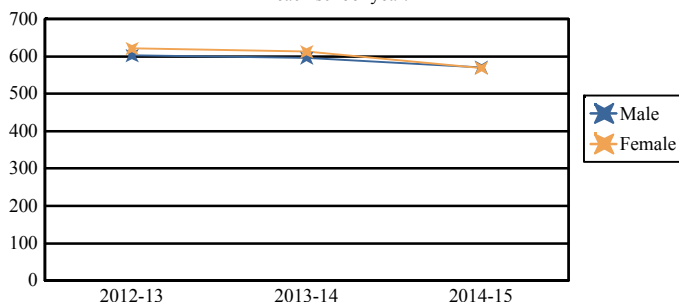
This graph presents the percentages of enrollment for each subgroup defined by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001.



Total School Enrollment	
2012-13	1,224
2013-14	1,209
2014-15	1,140

Enrollment by Gender

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



	Male	Female
2012-13	603	622
2013-14	596	613
2014-15	571	569

Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation

2014-15	Count of Students	% of Enrollment
Students with Disability	140	12%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	46	4.0%
English Language Learners	2	0.2%

Language Diversity

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

2014-15	Percent
English	93.4%
Polish	0.9%
Portuguese	0.8%
Spanish	0.7%
Greek, Modern (1453-)	0.4%
Italian	0.4%
Other	3.5%

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

Academic Achievement	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	State Percentile
HS English Language Arts/Literacy Met or Exceeded Expectation	38%	13	52
Math Met or Exceeded Expectation	15%		

ESEA Waiver - English Language Arts/Literacy

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

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	445	38.4%	95%	86.5%	NO
White	405	38.8%	95%	86.4%	NO
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	65	13.8%	95%	82.7%	NO
English Learner Students	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

YES* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

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

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ESEA Waiver - Math

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

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	395	15.2%	95%	84.2%	NO
White	358	15%	95%	83.7%	NO
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	-	-	--	--	--
English Learner Students	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

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Proficiency Outcomes - Biology

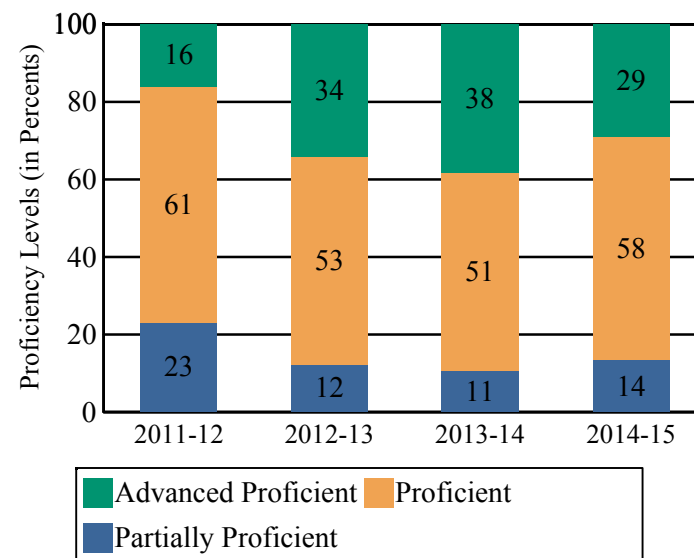
This table presents the percentage of students who scored in the Advanced Proficient, Proficient and Partially Proficient categories of the New Jersey Biology Competency Test (NJBCT) in the latest school year.

Subgroups	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	29%	58%	14%
White	29%	59%	12%
African American	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	13%	32%	55%
English Language Learners	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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Proficiency Trends - Biology

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



PARCC Performance Level

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

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

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

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 09

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

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	213	745	739	9%	22%	28%	31%	10%	41%	41%
White	190	746	746	8%	22%	29%	31%	10%	41%	47%
African American	-	-	723	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%
Hispanic	11	726	725	9%	36%	36%	18%	0%	18%	26%
American Indian	-	-	732	-	-	-	-	-	-	33%
Asian	-	-	765	-	-	-	-	-	-	68%
Two or More Races	-	-	731	-	-	-	-	-	-	36%
Students with Disability	-	-	706	-	-	-	-	-	-	9%
English Language Learners	-	-	693	-	-	-	-	-	-	5%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	14	740	724	7%	36%	7%	43%	7%	50%	24%

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 10

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

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	232	737	735	20%	21%	23%	26%	10%	36%	38%
White	215	737	741	21%	19%	23%	26%	11%	37%	43%
African American	-	-	717	-	-	-	-	-	-	22%
Hispanic	-	-	720	-	-	-	-	-	-	24%
American Indian	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	27%
Asian	-	-	763	-	-	-	-	-	-	62%
Two or More Races	-	-	729	-	-	-	-	-	-	34%
Students with Disability	30	716	698	27%	43%	10%	17%	3%	20%	8%
English Language Learners	-	-	685	-	-	-	-	-	-	4%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%

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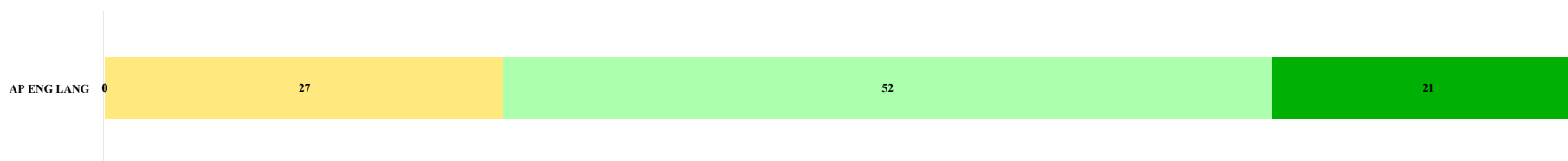
PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 11

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

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	194	722	741	32%	22%	20%	20%	6%	25%	42%
White	171	722	745	33%	23%	18%	20%	6%	26%	46%
African American	-	-	727	-	-	-	-	-	-	27%
Hispanic	-	-	731	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%
American Indian	-	-	745	-	-	-	-	-	-	38%
Asian	-	-	765	-	-	-	-	-	-	64%
Two or More Races	-	-	738	-	-	-	-	-	-	38%
Students with Disability	29	727	712	21%	24%	28%	21%	7%	28%	16%
English Language Learners	-	-	703	-	-	-	-	-	-	6%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	30%

Advanced Placement/International Baccalaureate English Performance Distribution

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



Subject	Valid Scores	% Eligible for College Credit	Average Score Earned in the School	Average Score Earned in the State
AP ENG LANG	52	100.0%	3.94	3.36

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

PARCC ALGEBRA I - Performance Distribution

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

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

PARCC GEOMETRY - Performance Distribution

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

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

PARCC ALGEBRA II - Performance Distribution

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

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	202	717	721	34%	25%	18%	21%	1%	22%	24%
White	186	716	725	35%	26%	17%	20%	2%	22%	27%
African American	-	-	701	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%
Hispanic	-	-	706	-	-	-	-	-	-	10%
American Indian	-	-	720	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%
Asian	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	53%
Two or More Races	-	-	716	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
Students with Disability	15	722	691	33%	20%	27%	20%	0%	20%	4%
English Language Learners	-	-	694	-	-	-	-	-	-	6%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	705	-	-	-	-	-	-	9%

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

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

College and Career Readiness Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Statewide Target	Met Target?
Percent of Students Participating in SAT or ACT	94%	29	69	80%	YES
Percent of Students Participating in PSAT or PLAN	94%	71	65	60%	YES
Percent of Students Scoring Above 1550 on SAT	57%	26	77	40%	YES
Percent of Students Taking at least one AP Test or IB Test in English, Math, Social Studies or Science	33%	35	75	35%	NO
Percent of AP Tests ≥ 3 or IB Test ≥ 4 in English, Math, Social Studies or Science	87%	55	86	75%	YES
Summary		43	74		80%

College Readiness Test Participation

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

2014-15 Percent of Students	School	Peer Avg.	State Avg
Participating in SAT	91.1%	89.5%	79.1%
Participating in ACT	48.0%		25.2%
Participating in PSAT or PLAN	94.1%	78.3%	79.6%
Participating in Dual Enrollment	0.0%		14.9%

AP/IB Participation - 'Unique' Students

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

2014-15 Percent of Students Taking	School	Peer Avg.	State Avg.
One or More Course	42.6%	57.0%	36.3%
One or More Test	40.4%	50.1%	30.7%
At least one AP or IB Test in English, Math, Social Studies or Science	32.6%	40.8%	25.3%

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

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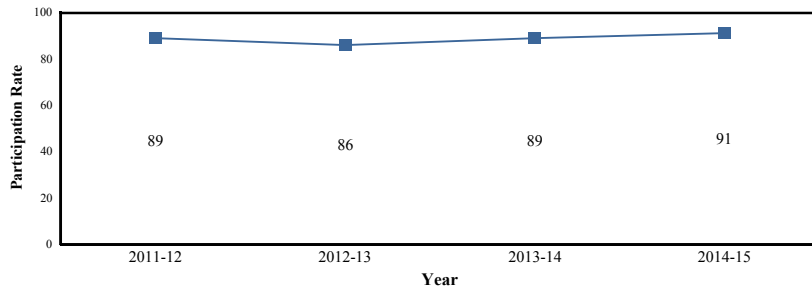
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Participation Trends - SAT Testing

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



Scholastic Assessment Test (SAT) Results

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

2014-15	School	Peer Avg.	State Avg.
Percent of Students Scoring Above 1550 on SAT	56.7%	64.7%	43.8%

Composite SAT Score

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

2014-15	School	Peer Avg.	State Avg.
Composite SAT Score	1,591	1,686	1,508
Critical Reading	531	552	496
Mathematics	535	577	518
Writing	525	558	494

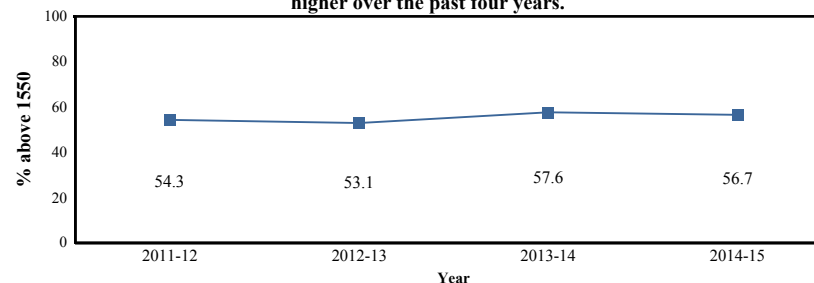
AP /IB Test Results

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

2014-15	School	Peer Avg.	State Avg.
Percent of AP Tests ≥ 3 or IB Test ≥ 4	81.0%	84.7%	72.4%
Percent of Scores in AP ≥ 3 or IB ≥ 4 in English, Math, Social Studies or Science	87.4%	84.4%	69.7%

SAT Benchmark Trends

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



Composite SAT Score

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

2014-15	Critical Reading	Mathematics	Writing
75th Percentile	590	610	590
50th Percentile	530	530	520
25th Percentile	470	470	470

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AP/IB Courses Offered

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

AP/IB Course Name	Students Enrolled	Students Tested
AP English Language and Composition	76	53
AP Biology	52	54
AP Chemistry	50	46
AP Psychology	43	40
AP European History	42	37
AP Statistics	38	29
AP English Literature and Composition	30	28
AP Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism	28	27
AP Calculus AB	23	18
AP Computer Science A	20	17
AP German Language	18	17
AP Art/History of Art	15	10
AP Spanish Language	11	10
AP Calculus BC	10	12
AP French Language	9	8
AP Music Theory	7	7
AP U.S. History		58
AP Physics C: Mechanics		26

AP/IB Course Name	Students Enrolled	Students Tested
AP Studio Art/Drawing Portfolio		4
AP Chinese Language and Culture		3
AP Studio Art/Three-Dimensional		3
AP Studio Art/Two-Dimensional		3
AP Italian Language and Culture		1
AP Macroeconomics		1
AP Microeconomics		1
AP U.S. Government and Politics		1

Visual and Performing Arts

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

Percent of Students Enrolled	School	State
Dance	N/R	2.1%
Drama/Theater	3.9%	3.8%
Music	40.6%	17.8%
Visual Arts	24.1%	31.7%
Total: All Visual and Performing Arts	57.8%	49.9%

N/R - Data Not Reported

Participation in Career Readiness

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

Percent of Students Enrolled	School	State
Participating in CTE	40.6%	18.3%
Structured Learning Experience	3.2%	7.0%

N/R - Data Not Reported

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

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

Graduation & Post Secondary Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Statewide Targets	Met Target
Overall Graduation Rate	96%	13	69	78%	YES
Dropout Rate	0 %	100	100	2%	YES
SUMMARY - Graduation & Post-Secondary		57	85		100%

Graduation Rate by Subgroup

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

	School	State Target
Schoolwide	96%	78%
White	97%	
African American	-	
Hispanic	-	
American Indian	-	
Asian	-	
Native Hawaiian	-	
Two or More Races	-	
Students with Disability	-	
English Language Learners	-	
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	

Dropout Rate by Subgroup

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

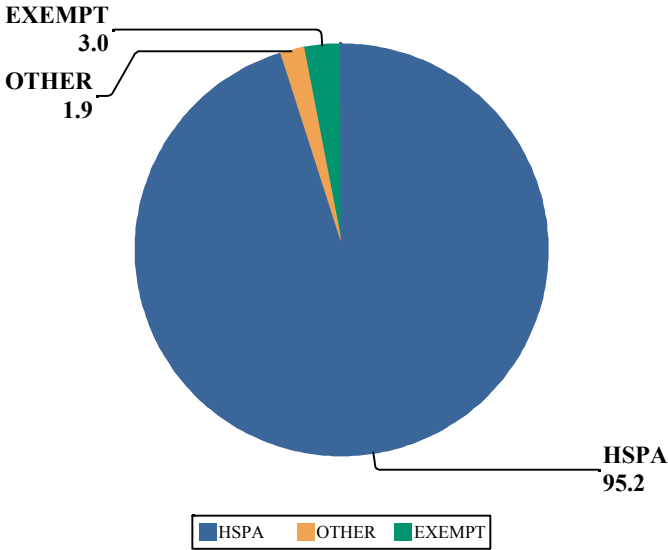
	School	State Target
Schoolwide	0%	2%
White	0%	
African American	-	
Hispanic	0%	
American Indian	-	
Asian	0%	
Native Hawaiian	-	
Two or More Races	-	
Students with Disability	0%	
English Language Learners	-	
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0%	

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Graduation Pathway Rates

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



Extended Year Graduation Rate

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

Class of	4-year Rate	5-year Rate
2012	97%	97%
2013	97%	97%
2014	98%	98%
2015	96%	

Postsecondary Enrollment Rates

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

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

	Percent Enrolled	Percent in 2 Year	Percent in 4 Year
Statewide	78.5%	34.3%	64.7%
Schoolwide	93%	19.7%	80.3%
White	93.2%	20.2%	79.8%
African American	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
American Indian	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	-	-	-
English Language Learners	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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

Grade Level - 09

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

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	833	850
75th	766	766
50th	743	739
25th	721	710
0th	662	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	45	56

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

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	N/A	821
75th	N/A	762
50th	N/A	735
25th	N/A	711
0th	N/A	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	N/A	51

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Grade Level - 10

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

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	842	850
75th	764	766
50th	735	733
25th	706	699
0th	650	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	58	67

Grade Level - 11

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

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	806	850
75th	749	768
50th	718	740
25th	689	711
0th	650	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	60	57

PARCC GEO 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	N/A	793
75th	N/A	747
50th	N/A	726
25th	N/A	710
0th	N/A	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	N/A	37

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

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	810	813
75th	746	748
50th	714	718
25th	691	692
0th	650	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	55	56

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Length of School Day

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

	School
2014-15	6 Hrs. 59 Mins.

Student Suspension Rate

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

	School
2014-15	3.6%

Instructional Time

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

2014-15	School
Full Time	5 Hrs. 36 Mins.
Shared Time	2 Hrs. 48 Mins.

Student Expulsions

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

	School
2014-15	0

Student to Staff Ratio

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

2014-15	School
Faculty	12
Administrators	285

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

<u>COUNTY NAME</u>	<u>DISTRICT NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL NAME</u>	<u>CDS CODE</u>	<u>GRADES PAN</u>	<u>ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED</u>	<u>ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNER</u>	<u>SPECIAL EDUCATION</u>
BERGEN	NORTHERN VALLEY REGIONAL	NORTHERN VALLEY REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AT DEMAREST	03-3710-050	09-12	1.5%	0.9%	21.4%
BERGEN	PARK RIDGE BORO	PARK RIDGE HIGH SCHOOL	03-3940-050	07-12	5%	0%	14%
BERGEN	PASCACK VALLEY REGIONAL	PASCACK VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL	03-3960-050	09-12	3.6%	0.4%	16%
BERGEN	RAMAPO-INDIAN HILL REG	INDIAN HILLS HIGH SCHOOL	03-4300-030	09-12	2.3%	0%	17.1%
BERGEN	RAMSEY BORO	RAMSEY HIGH SCHOOL	03-4310-050	09-12	3.7%	0.4%	13.7%
BERGEN	RUTHERFORD BORO	RUTHERFORD HIGH SCHOOL	03-4600-050	09-12	3.5%	0.5%	9.4%
BERGEN	WALDWICK BORO	WALDWICK HIGH SCHOOL	03-5410-030	09-12	0.9%	2.8%	12.7%
CAMDEN	HADDONFIELD BORO	HADDONFIELD MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL	07-1900-050	09-12	2.1%	0.4%	15.6%
ESSEX	CEDAR GROVE TWP	CEDAR GROVE HIGH SCHOOL	13-0760-050	09-12	4.1%	1.3%	10.4%
ESSEX	LIVINGSTON TWP	LIVINGSTON HIGH SCHOOL	13-2730-050	09-12	1.6%	1%	12.4%
ESSEX	MILLBURN TWP	MILLBURN HIGH SCHOOL	13-3190-050	09-12	2.9%	0.9%	13.7%
ESSEX	VERONA BORO	VERONA HIGH SCHOOL	13-5370-050	09-12	1.8%	0.6%	11%
ESSEX	WEST ESSEX REGIONAL	WEST ESSEX HIGH SCHOOL	13-5630-050	09-12	3.6%	0.4%	13.9%
HUNTERDON	N HUNT/VOORHEES REGIONAL	NORTH HUNTERDON HIGH SCHOOL	19-3660-050	09-12	3.2%	0.1%	14.9%
MERCER	ROBBINSVILLE TWP	ROBBINSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL	21-5510-030	09-12	4.5%	0.3%	11.2%
MERCER	W WINDSOR-PLAINSBORO REG	WEST WINDSOR-PLAINSBORO HIGH SCHOOL NORTH	21-5715-025	09-12	4.9%	0.1%	11.8%
MONMOUTH	FREEHOLD REGIONAL	MARLBORO HIGH SCHOOL	25-1650-080	09-12	4.3%	0%	12.2%
MONMOUTH	HOLMDEL TWP	HOLMDEL HIGH SCHOOL	25-2230-020	09-12	3.8%	0.5%	12.6%
MONMOUTH	SHORE REGIONAL	SHORE REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL	25-4760-050	09-12	3.5%	0.5%	14.8%
MORRIS	HANOVER PARK REGIONAL	HANOVER PARK HIGH SCHOOL	27-1990-050	09-12	3.4%	0.2%	12%
MORRIS	HANOVER PARK REGIONAL	WHIPPANY PARK HIGH SCHOOL	27-1990-070	09-12	2%	0.7%	12.4%
MORRIS	KINNELON BORO	KINNELON HIGH SCHOOL	27-2460-050	09-12	3.4%	0.2%	18.1%
MORRIS	PEQUANNOCK TWP	PEQUANNOCK TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL	27-4080-050	09-12	5.8%	0.1%	12.6%

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MORRIS	SCH DIST OF THE CHATHAMS	CHATHAM HIGH SCHOOL	27-0785-010	09-12	2.2%	0.7%	13.9%
SOMERSET	BERNARDS TWP	RIDGE HIGH SCHOOL	35-0350-050	09-12	2.3%	0.3%	14%
SOMERSET	MONTGOMERY TWP	MONTGOMERY HIGH SCHOOL	35-3320-030	09-12	3.9%	0.9%	10.2%
SOMERSET	WATCHUNG HILLS REGIONAL	WATCHUNG HILLS REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL	35-5550-050	09-12	2.3%	0.5%	14.2%
SUSSEX	SPARTA TWP	SPARTA HIGH SCHOOL	37-4960-050	09-12	4%	0.2%	12.1%
UNION	CRANFORD TWP	CRANFORD HIGH SCHOOL	39-0980-030	09-12	4.2%	0.2%	17.7%
UNION	NEW PROVIDENCE BORO	NEW PROVIDENCE HIGH SCHOOL	39-3560-050	09-12	4.9%	0.4%	10.3%
UNION	WESTFIELD TOWN	WESTFIELD SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	39-5730-050	09-12	3.1%	0.2%	16.3%



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

In particular, the School Performance Reports seek to:

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

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

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

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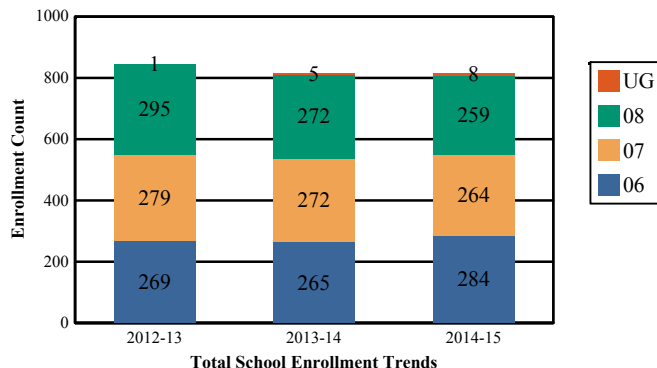
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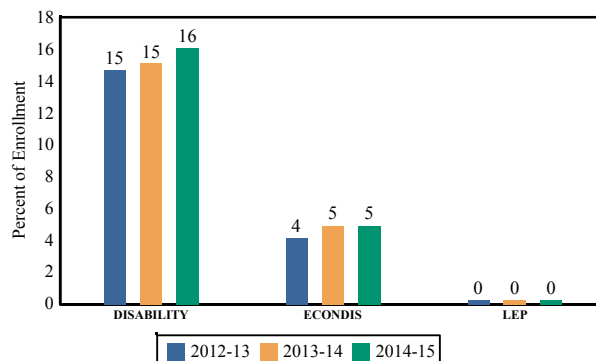
Enrollment by Grade

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



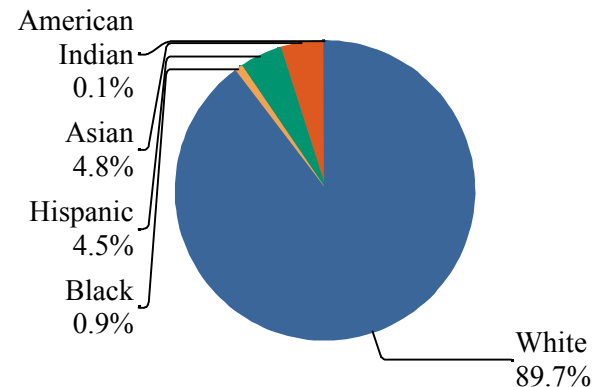
Enrollment Trends by Program Participation

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



Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup

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

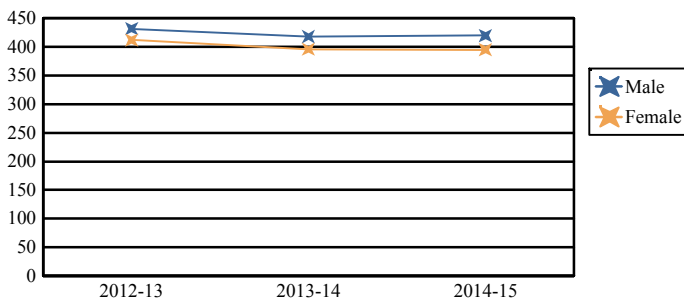


Note: "UG" represents the count of students who are 'on roll' in this school but who are educated in ungraded classrooms, meaning that the classrooms may contain students from multiple grade levels.

Total School Enrollment	
2012-13	844
2013-14	814
2014-15	815

Enrollment by Gender

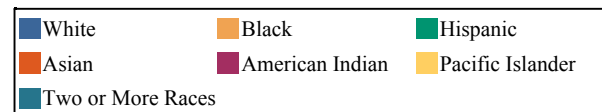
This graph presents the count of students by gender who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



	Male	Female
2012-13	432	412
2013-14	418	396
2014-15	420	395

Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation

2014-15	Count of Students	% of Enrollment
Students with Disability	131	16%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	40	4.9%
English Language Learners	2	0.3%



Language Diversity

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

2014-15	Percent
English	95.1%
Portuguese	1.0%
Spanish	0.6%
Russian	0.5%
Korean	0.4%
Polish	0.4%
Other	2.1%

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

Academic Achievement Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	State Percentile
English Language Arts/Literacy Met or Exceeded Expectation	64%	26	75
Math Met or Exceeded Expectation	54%		

ESEA Waiver - English Language Arts/Literacy

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

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	738	64%	95%	92.4%	YES*
White	659	64.6%	95%	91.9%	YES*
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	31	45.2%	95%	92.1%	-
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	38	76.3%	95%	100%	YES
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	118	20.3%	95%	86.5%	YES*
English Language Learners	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	32	31.3%	95%	86.8%	-

YES* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

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

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ESEA Waiver - Math

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

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	735	54.3%	95%	91.9%	YES*
White	656	54.6%	95%	91.5%	YES*
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	31	38.8%	95%	89.5%	-
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	38	73.7%	95%	100%	YES
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	116	18.9%	95%	85.1%	NO
English Learner Students	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	33	27.3%	95%	89.5%	-

YES* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

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

PARCC Performance Level

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

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

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

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 06

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

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	257	754	749	3%	9%	29%	51%	9%	60%	50%
White	229	754	755	3%	8%	29%	52%	8%	59%	59%
African American	-	-	732	-	-	-	-	-	-	29%
Hispanic	12	754	736	0%	17%	17%	58%	8%	67%	34%
American Indian	-	-	743	-	-	-	-	-	-	39%
Asian	14	768	770	0%	7%	29%	43%	21%	64%	77%
Two or More Races	-	-	753	-	-	-	-	-	-	57%
Students with Disability	49	725	718	10%	29%	43%	16%	2%	18%	17%
English Language Learners	-	-	711	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	30%

PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 07

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

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	240	759	750	2%	7%	24%	50%	17%	68%	53%
White	214	759	757	2%	7%	22%	52%	17%	69%	61%
African American	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%
Hispanic	-	-	736	-	-	-	-	-	-	36%
American Indian	-	-	746	-	-	-	-	-	-	49%
Asian	-	-	777	-	-	-	-	-	-	80%
Two or More Races	-	-	756	-	-	-	-	-	-	58%
Students with Disability	38	726	713	11%	32%	39%	13%	5%	18%	18%
English Language Learners	-	-	703	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	12	746	733	0%	8%	58%	33%	0%	33%	33%

PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 08

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

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	241	759	750	4%	12%	20%	52%	13%	65%	53%
White	216	759	757	4%	12%	19%	53%	13%	66%	61%
African American	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%
Hispanic	-	-	735	-	-	-	-	-	-	37%
American Indian	-	-	741	-	-	-	-	-	-	49%
Asian	14	776	778	0%	7%	14%	50%	29%	79%	80%
Two or More Races	-	-	753	-	-	-	-	-	-	55%
Students with Disability	31	730	713	13%	39%	23%	26%	0%	26%	16%
English Language Learners	-	-	701	-	-	-	-	-	-	9%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	732	-	-	-	-	-	-	34%

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PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 06

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

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	250	755	743	3%	10%	29%	45%	12%	57%	42%
White	223	755	749	4%	10%	28%	46%	12%	58%	50%
African American	-	-	726	-	-	-	-	-	-	19%
Hispanic	12	752	731	0%	17%	33%	50%	0%	50%	25%
American Indian	-	-	740	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
Asian	13	767	768	0%	0%	38%	31%	31%	62%	75%
Two or More Races	-	-	745	-	-	-	-	-	-	44%
Students with Disability	47	729	718	17%	26%	34%	21%	2%	23%	15%
English Language Learners	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	14%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	729	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%

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PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 07

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

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	219	749	740	0%	12%	37%	48%	3%	51%	38%
White	198	750	745	1%	12%	36%	48%	3%	52%	46%
African American	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%
Hispanic	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%
American Indian	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	32%
Asian	-	-	760	-	-	-	-	-	-	68%
Two or More Races	-	-	742	-	-	-	-	-	-	43%
Students with Disability	37	727	715	3%	46%	41%	11%	0%	11%	11%
English Language Learners	-	-	717	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	12	735	728	0%	17%	67%	17%	0%	17%	21%

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PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 08

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

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	85	725	726	16%	32%	33%	19%	0%	19%	24%
White	77	726	732	18%	27%	34%	21%	0%	21%	29%
African American	-	-	715	-	-	-	-	-	-	14%
Hispanic	-	-	721	-	-	-	-	-	-	19%
American Indian	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Asian	-	-	744	-	-	-	-	-	-	46%
Two or More Races	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	24%
Students with Disability	-	-	705	-	-	-	-	-	-	9%
English Language Learners	-	-	706	-	-	-	-	-	-	10%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	719	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%

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PARCC ALGEBRA I - Performance Distribution

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	140	759	740	0%	6%	30%	61%	3%	64%	40%
White	123	758	746	0%	7%	30%	63%	1%	63%	47%
African American	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	20%
Hispanic	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
American Indian	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	73%
Two or More Races	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
Students with Disability	-	-	710	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%
English Language Learners	-	-	710	-	-	-	-	-	-	7%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%

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PARCC GEOMETRY - Performance Distribution

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

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	41	770	728	0%	0%	5%	83%	12%	95%	21%
White	35	768	731	0%	0%	6%	86%	9%	94%	24%
African American	-	-	716	-	-	-	-	-	-	7%
Hispanic	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%
American Indian	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	12%
Asian	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	54%
Two or More Races	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	20%
Students with Disability	-	-	709	-	-	-	-	-	-	4%
English Language Learners	-	-	710	-	-	-	-	-	-	6%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%

2015 National Assessment Educational Progress (NAEP)

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

For subgroup outcomes, visit:

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

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

Proficiency Percentages

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

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NJASK Results - Science Grade Level - 08

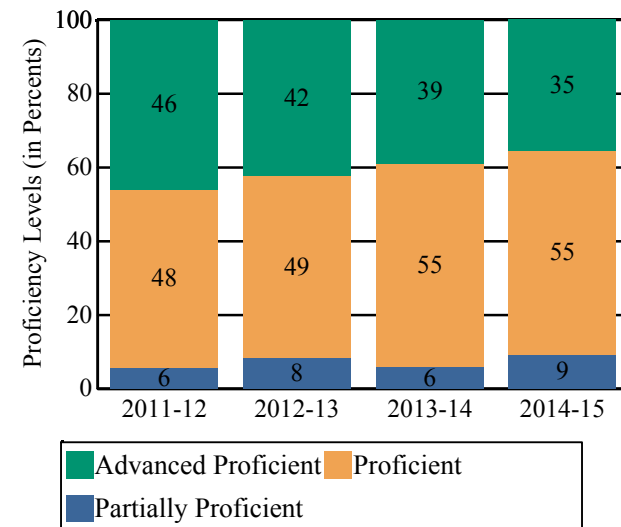
This table presents the grade level proficiency results, as measured by NJASK, in Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories for all appropriate subgroups.

Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	35%	55%	9%
White	35%	57%	9%
African American	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	57%	36%	7%
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	14%	62%	24%
English Language Learners	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	8%	75%	17%

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

NJASK Proficiency Trends - Science - Grade Level - 08

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



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

Algebra I Course Enrollment

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

Algebra I Enrollment Count	Algebra I PARCC Test Count
-	144

Algebra I Test Taking

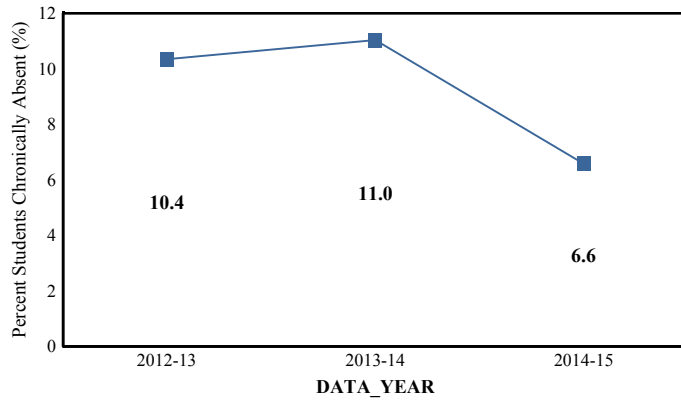
This table presents the percentage of students, as reported in NJSMART, who earned a C or higher in their Algebra I course and the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectation on the Algebra I test of PARCC.

Algebra I Percent C or Better	Algebra I PARCC Percent Met or Exceeded Expectation
-	64.6%

- Data Suppressed to protect the confidentiality of students

Chronic Absenteeism Trend

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

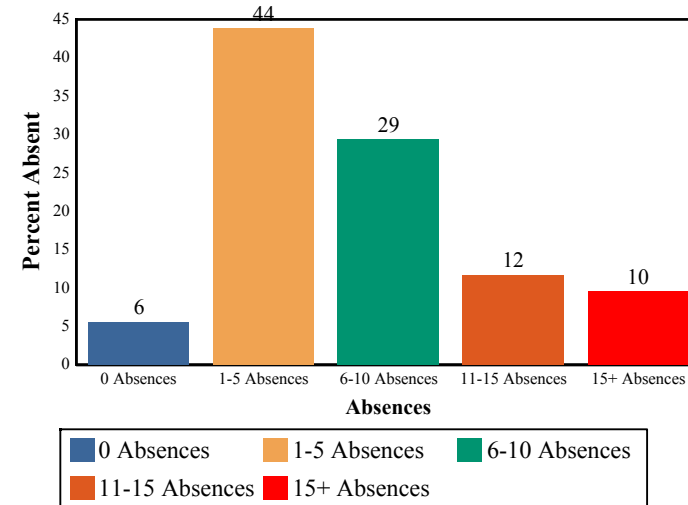


Chronic Absenteeism for 2014-15

6.58%

Absenteeism

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



Visual and Performing Arts

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

Percent of Students Enrolled	School	State
Dance	N/R	1.6%
Drama/Theater	N/R	3.9%
Music	87.4%	66.0%
Visual Arts	53.9%	71.1%
Total: All Visual and Performing Arts	96.2%	89.8%

N/R - Data Not Reported

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

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

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

Student Growth Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Statewide Target	Met Target?
Student Growth on Language Arts	50	55	52	35	YES
Student Growth on Math	53	59	66	35	YES
		57	59		100%

Student Growth

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

Language Arts

(Expectations)	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet	3%	0%	0%
Partially Met	6%	2%	1%
Approached	12%	9%	3%
Met	12%	21%	19%
Exceeded	1%	3%	8%

Math

(Expectations)	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet	3%	1%	0%
Partially Met	9%	4%	2%
Approached	11%	11%	10%
Met	9%	13%	21%
Exceeded	0%	1%	5%

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

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

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

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

Grade Level - 06

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

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	815	850
75th	771	770
50th	756	749
25th	735	726
0th	668	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	36	44

Grade Level - 06

PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	821	850
75th	776	763
50th	756	742
25th	737	721
0th	663	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	39	42

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Grade Level - 07

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

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	820	850
75th	778	776
50th	759	751
25th	740	724
0th	674	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	38	52

Grade Level - 08

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

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	828	850
75th	781	777
50th	761	751
25th	738	723
0th	666	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	43	54

Grade Level - 07

PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	790	850
75th	764	759
50th	750	740
25th	732	720
0th	689	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	32	39

Grade Level - 08

PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	768	850
75th	740	748
50th	725	726
25th	712	704
0th	666	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	28	44

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Length of School Day

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

	School
2014-15	7 Hrs. 0 Mins.

Student Suspension Rate

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

	School
2014-15	2.9%

Instructional Time

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

2014-15	School
Full Time	5 Hrs. 58 Mins.
Shared Time	0 Hrs. 0 Mins.

Student Expulsions

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

	School
2014-15	0

Student to Staff Ratio

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

2014-15	School
Faculty	11
Administrators	272

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

<u>COUNTY NAME</u>	<u>DISTRICT NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL NAME</u>	<u>CDS CODE</u>	<u>GRADES PAN</u>	<u>ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED</u>	<u>ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS</u>	<u>SPECIAL EDUCATION</u>
BERGEN	ALLENDAL E BORO	BROOKSIDE	03-0040-010	04-08	0.7%	0.5%	10%
BERGEN	HARRINGTON PARK BORO	HARRINGTON PARK SCHOOL DISTRICT	03-2050-050	KG-08	0%	3.4%	11.8%
BERGEN	HAWORTH BORO	HAWORTH PUBLIC SCHOOL	03-2090-050	KG-08	0%	2.5%	10.8%
BERGEN	HILLSDALE BORO	GEORGE G WHITE	03-2180-020	05-08	6.4%	0.2%	19.1%
BERGEN	NORWOOD BORO	NORWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL	03-3740-020	KG-08	0.2%	2.1%	11.4%
BERGEN	PARAMUS BORO	WEST BROOK MIDDLE SCHOOL	03-3930-060	05-08	6.4%	0.3%	20.6%
BERGEN	RIDGEWOOD VILLAGE	GEORGE WASHINGTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	03-4390-070	06-08	3.7%	0.6%	14.3%
BERGEN	RUTHERFORD BORO	PIERREPONT SCHOOL	03-4600-080	04-08	3.9%	0.4%	13.4%
ESSEX	CEDAR GROVE TWP	MEMORIAL MIDDLE SCHOOL	13-0760-058	05-08	2%	0.5%	11.2%
ESSEX	MILLBURN TWP	MILLBURN MIDDLE SCHOOL	13-3190-060	06-08	3%	1.5%	14.9%
ESSEX	WEST ESSEX REGIONAL	WEST ESSEX MIDDLE SCHOOL	13-5630-070	07-08	3.6%	0%	13.6%
HUNTERDON	CALIFON BORO	CALIFON ELEMENTARY	19-0670-030	PK-08	4.6%	0%	16.3%
HUNTERDON	HOLLAND TWP	HOLLAND TOWNSHIP ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	19-2220-060	PK-08	8.4%	0.5%	22.6%
MERCER	HOPEWELL VALLEY REGIONAL	TIMBERLANE MIDDLE SCHOOL	21-2280-075	06-08	2.7%	0.2%	13.4%
MERCER	ROBBINSVILLE TWP	POND ROAD MIDDLE SCHOOL	21-5510-040	04-08	3.6%	0.2%	11.3%
MIDDLESEX	CRANBURY TWP	CRANBURY SCHOOL	23-0970-030	PK-08	3.7%	0.2%	14.1%
MIDDLESEX	MONROE TWP	MONROE TWP MIDDLE SCHOOL	23-3290-020	06-08	6.1%	0.2%	16.8%
MONMOUTH	HOLMDEL TWP	WILLIAM R. SATZ SCHOOL	25-2230-030	07-08	3.8%	1.1%	15.2%
MONMOUTH	MARLBORO TWP	MARLBORO MEMORIAL MIDDLE SCHOOL	25-3030-048	06-08	3.9%	0%	12.6%
MONMOUTH	MIDDLETOWN TWP	THOMPSON MIDDLE SCHOOL	25-3160-057	06-08	4.1%	0%	15.7%
MONMOUTH	UPPER FREEHOLD REGIONAL	STONEBRIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL	25-5310-070	05-08	7%	0.2%	20.7%
MORRIS	CHESTER TWP	BLACK RIVER MIDDLE SCHOOL	27-0820-020	06-08	4.3%	2.4%	20.3%
MORRIS	MONTVILLE TWP	ROBERT R LAZAR MIDDLE SCHOOL	27-3340-030	06-08	3.8%	1.8%	16.4%

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MORRIS	MORRIS PLAINS BORO	MORRIS PLAINS BOROUGH SCHOOL	27-3380-020	03-08	3.2%	1%	16.1%
OCEAN	BAY HEAD BORO	BAY HEAD ELEMENTARY	29-0210-020	KG-08	0%	0%	5.4%
SOMERSET	BRANCBURG TWP	BRANCBURG CENTRAL MIDDLE SCHOOL	35-0510-020	06-08	5.1%	0.9%	17.7%
SUSSEX	SPARTA TWP	SPARTA MIDDLE SCHOOL	37-4960-057	06-08	4.9%	0.2%	16.1%
UNION	BERKELEY HEIGHTS TWP	COLUMBIA MIDDLE SCHOOL	39-0310-030	06-08	2.2%	0.3%	11.7%
UNION	MOUNTAINSIDE BORO	DEERFIELD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	39-3470-030	03-08	2.7%	0.2%	10.3%
UNION	SCOTCH PLAINS-FANWOOD REG	TERRILL MIDDLE SCHOOL	39-4670-065	05-08	3.9%	0%	14.1%
UNION	WESTFIELD TOWN	THOMAS EDISON INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL	39-5730-070	06-08	4.2%	1.2%	18.4%



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

In particular, the School Performance Reports seek to:

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

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

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

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

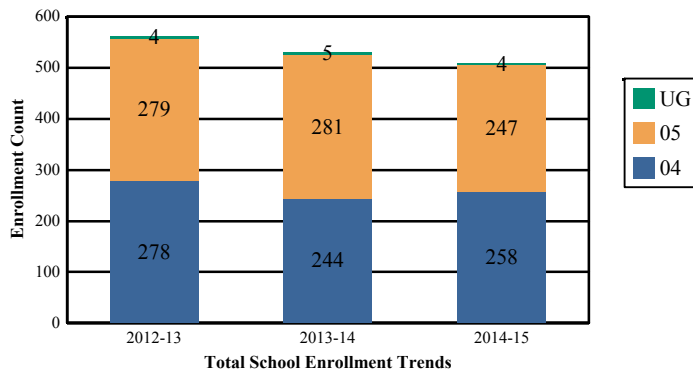
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Enrollment by Grade

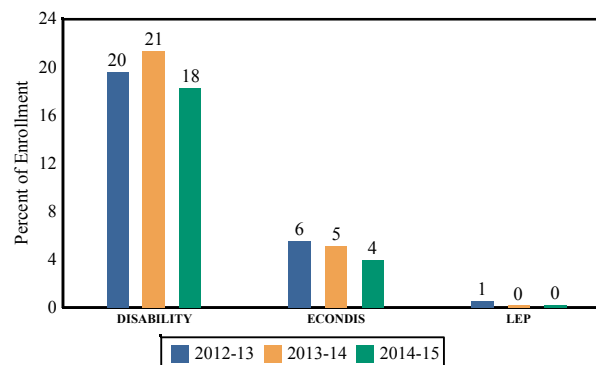
This graph presents the count of students who were 'on roll' by grade in October of each school year.



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

Enrollment Trends by Program Participation

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

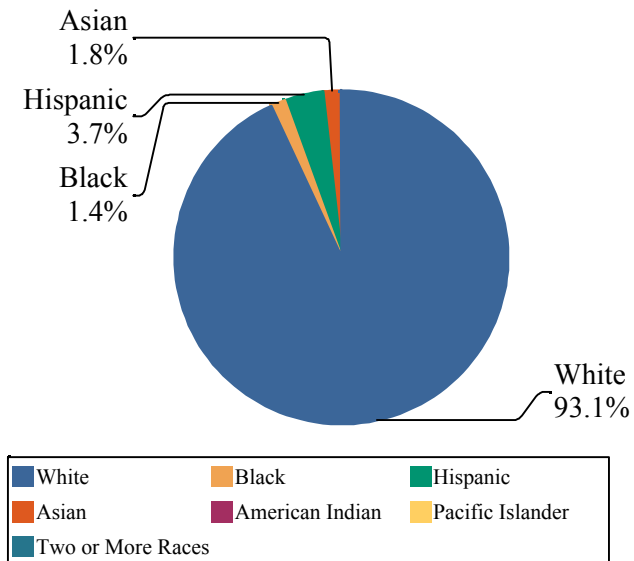


Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation

2014-15	Count of Students	% of Enrollment
Students with Disability	93	18%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	20	3.9%
English Language Learners	1	0.2%

Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup

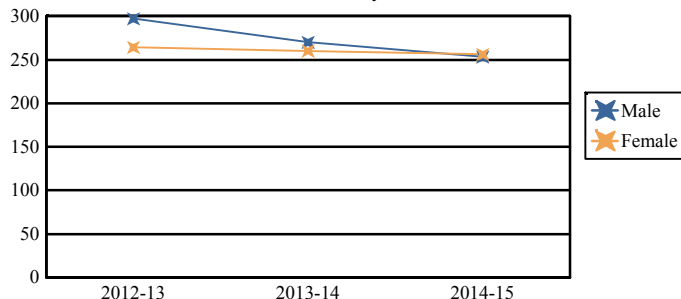
This graph presents the percentages of enrollment for each subgroup defined by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001.



Total School Enrollment	
2012-13	561
2013-14	530
2014-15	509

Enrollment by Gender

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



	Male	Female
2012-13	297	264
2013-14	270	260
2014-15	253	256

Language Diversity

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

2014-15	Percent
English	97.1%
Spanish	1.6%
Turkish	0.4%
Russian	0.2%
Chinese	0.2%
Latvian	0.2%
Other	0.4%

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

Academic Achievement Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	State Percentile
English Language Arts/Literacy Met or Exceeded Expectation	74%	75	88
Math Met or Exceeded Expectation	61%		

ESEA Waiver - English Language Arts/Literacy

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

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	453	74.3%	95%	91.3%	YES*
White	423	74%	95%	91.5%	YES*
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	81	35.8%	95%	84.8%	NO
English Language Learners	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

YES* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

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

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ESEA Waiver - Math

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Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	453	61.1%	95%	91.3%	YES*
White	423	61.7%	95%	91.5%	YES*
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	81	28.4%	95%	84.8%	NO
English Learner Students	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

YES* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

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PARCC Performance Level

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

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

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

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 04

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

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	240	768	751	4%	6%	15%	50%	25%	75%	52%
White	221	768	758	4%	6%	16%	48%	26%	74%	63%
African American	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	30%
Hispanic	-	-	737	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
American Indian	-	-	746	-	-	-	-	-	-	52%
Asian	-	-	773	-	-	-	-	-	-	78%
Two or More Races	-	-	760	-	-	-	-	-	-	62%
Students with Disability	46	737	725	20%	20%	20%	30%	11%	41%	25%
English Language Learners	-	-	717	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 05

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	213	766	751	2%	6%	18%	63%	11%	74%	53%
White	202	766	757	2%	6%	18%	63%	11%	74%	62%
African American	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%
Hispanic	-	-	737	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
American Indian	-	-	746	-	-	-	-	-	-	45%
Asian	-	-	771	-	-	-	-	-	-	77%
Two or More Races	-	-	758	-	-	-	-	-	-	61%
Students with Disability	35	734	723	14%	26%	31%	29%	0%	29%	21%
English Language Learners	-	-	717	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%

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PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 04

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	240	757	744	4%	9%	26%	55%	6%	61%	42%
White	221	756	749	4%	8%	27%	55%	6%	61%	50%
African American	-	-	727	-	-	-	-	-	-	20%
Hispanic	-	-	732	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
American Indian	-	-	740	-	-	-	-	-	-	40%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	75%
Two or More Races	-	-	750	-	-	-	-	-	-	52%
Students with Disability	46	731	724	17%	28%	26%	26%	2%	28%	21%
English Language Learners	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%

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PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 05

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	213	756	744	1%	12%	25%	49%	12%	61%	42%
White	202	757	749	1%	11%	25%	51%	11%	62%	49%
African American	-	-	728	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
Hispanic	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
American Indian	-	-	745	-	-	-	-	-	-	46%
Asian	-	-	768	-	-	-	-	-	-	74%
Two or More Races	-	-	749	-	-	-	-	-	-	50%
Students with Disability	35	734	724	9%	26%	37%	26%	3%	29%	19%
English Language Learners	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	731	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%

2015 National Assessment Educational Progress (NAEP)

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

For subgroup outcomes, visit:

Reading Grade 4 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep4read.html>

Reading Grade 8 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep8read.html>

Math Grade 4 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep4math.html>

Math Grade 8 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep8math.html>

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

Proficiency Percentages

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

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NJASK Results - Science Grade Level - 04

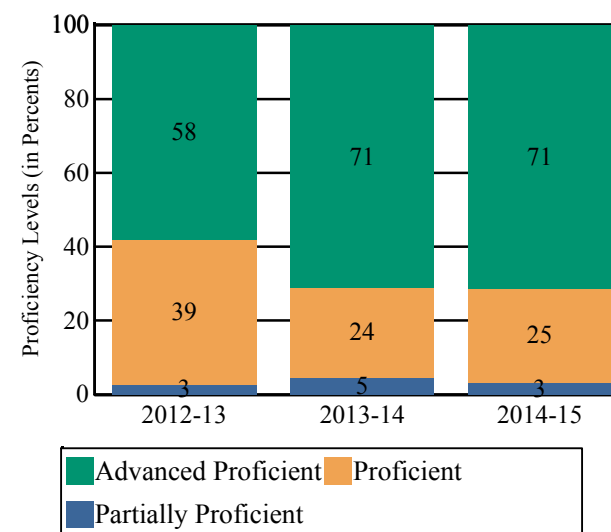
This table presents the grade level proficiency results, as measured by NJASK, in Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories for all appropriate subgroups.

Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	71%	25%	3%
White	71%	26%	4%
African American	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	43%	43%	14%
English Language Learners	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	36%	55%	9%

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

NJASK Proficiency Trends - Science - Grade Level - 04

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



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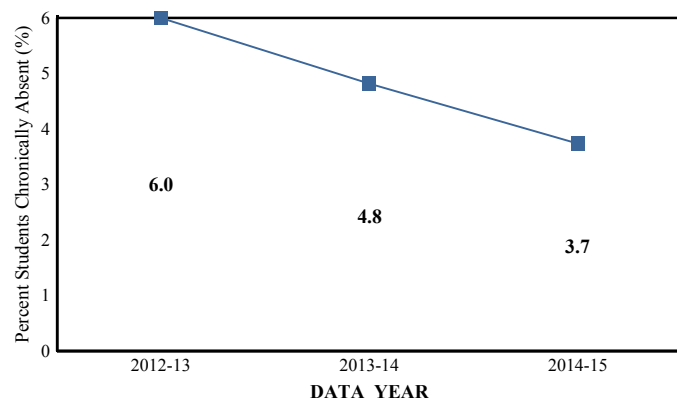
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Students in both elementary and middle schools begin to demonstrate college readiness behaviors long before they even enter high school. Among the behaviors that research has shown to be indicative of successfully graduating high school is regularly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

Chronic Absenteeism Trend

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

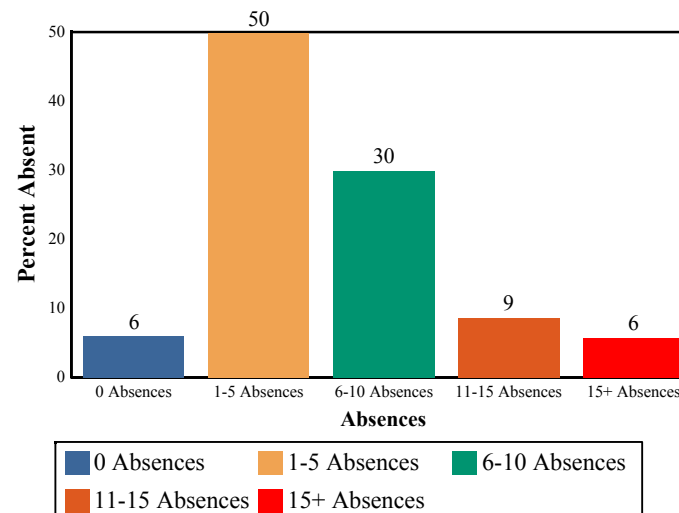


Chronic Absenteeism for 2014-15

3.74%

Absenteeism

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



STUDENT GROWTH

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

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

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

Student Growth Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Statewide Target	Met Target?
Student Growth on Language Arts	59	52	75	35	YES
Student Growth on Math	51	32	47	35	YES
		42	61		100%

Student Growth

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

Language Arts

(Expectations)	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet	3%	0%	0%
Partially Met	4%	1%	1%
Approached	9%	5%	2%
Met	9%	23%	23%
Exceeded	1%	4%	14%

Math

(Expectations)	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet	3%	0%	0%
Partially Met	8%	2%	1%
Approached	11%	10%	5%
Met	12%	22%	18%
Exceeded	0%	1%	7%

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

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

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

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

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

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	831	850
75th	791	773
50th	772	750
25th	750	728
0th	658	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	41	45

Grade Level - 04

PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	822	850
75th	777	764
50th	758	742
25th	739	721
0th	677	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	38	43

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Grade Level - 05

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

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	821	850
75th	785	773
50th	769	751
25th	748	728
0th	663	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	37	45

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Grade Level - 05

PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	813	850
75th	774	763
50th	755	743
25th	738	723
0th	669	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	36	40

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Length of School Day

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

	School
2014-15	6 Hrs. 30 Mins.

Student Suspension Rate

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

	School
2014-15	1.0%

Instructional Time

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

2014-15	School
Full Time	5 Hrs. 55 Mins.
Shared Time	0 Hrs. 0 Mins.

Student Expulsions

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

	School
2014-15	0

Student to Staff Ratio

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

2014-15	School
Faculty	13
Administrators	255

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

<u>COUNTY NAME</u>	<u>DISTRICT NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL NAME</u>	<u>CDS CODE</u>	<u>GRADES</u> <u>SPAN</u>	<u>ECONOMICALLY</u> <u>DISADVANTAGED</u>	<u>ENGLISH</u> <u>LANGUAGE</u> <u>LEARNERS</u>	<u>SPECIAL</u> <u>EDUCATION</u>
BERGEN	PARAMUS BORO	MIDLAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-3930-090	KG-04	8%	6.3%	18.9%
BERGEN	RAMSEY BORO	MARY A. HUBBARD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-4310-070	KG-03	5.2%	3.1%	5.4%
BURLINGTON	EVESHAM TWP	FRANCES DEMASI ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	05-1420-030	KG-05	7.5%	6.8%	14%
BURLINGTON	MEDFORD TWP	CRANBERRY PINES ELEMENTARY	05-3080-040	KG-05	3.7%	0%	12%
BURLINGTON	MEDFORD TWP	TAUNTON FORGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	05-3080-070	KG-05	4.1%	0.3%	14.9%
CAMDEN	HADDON HEIGHTS BORO	ATLANTIC AVE	07-1880-080	KG-06	5.2%	1.3%	16.8%
ESSEX	CALDWELL-WEST CALDWELL	WASHINGTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-0660-110	KG-05	4.9%	1.7%	12.7%
ESSEX	CALDWELL-WEST CALDWELL	WILSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-0660-120	PK-05	4.7%	1.4%	11.3%
ESSEX	FAIRFIELD TWP	CHURCHILL	13-1465-030	04-06	3.9%	0.7%	12.1%
ESSEX	NUTLEY TOWN	RADCLIFFE SCHOOL	13-3750-080	PK-06	5.4%	1.8%	17.1%
ESSEX	ROSELAND BORO	LESTER C NOECKER	13-4530-020	PK-06	4.8%	1.6%	14%
MERCER	HOPEWELL VALLEY REGIONAL	STONY BROOK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	21-2280-065	KG-05	4.1%	0.7%	15.6%
MERCER	W WINDSOR-PLAINSBORO REG	VILLAGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	21-5715-160	04-05	4.1%	0.3%	10.2%
MIDDLESEX	MONROE TWP	OAK TREE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	23-3290-060	PK-03	4.6%	1.8%	7.6%
MONMOUTH	HOLMDEL TWP	INDIAN HILL SCHOOL	25-2230-050	04-06	4.4%	0.6%	13.8%
MONMOUTH	WALL TWP	ALLENWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	25-5420-060	KG-05	3.7%	0%	21.8%
MORRIS	CHESTER TWP	BRAGG ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	27-0820-030	03-05	6.2%	4.2%	18.4%
MORRIS	DENVILLE TWP	LAKEVIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	27-1090-050	PK-05	3.6%	0.6%	14.8%
MORRIS	PARSIPPANY-TROY HILLS TWP	NORTHVAIL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	27-3950-103	KG-05	9.6%	9.9%	9.3%
MORRIS	RANDOLPH TWP	IRONIA SCHOOL	27-4330-070	KG-05	3.6%	0.7%	14.1%
MORRIS	WASHINGTON TWP	FLOCKTOWN-KOSSMANN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	27-5520-030	PK-05	4.6%	2%	14.6%
PASSAIC	WAYNE TWP	LAFAYETTE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	31-5570-090	KG-05	4.7%	1.8%	12.1%

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PASSAIC	WAYNE TWP	THEUNIS DEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	31-5570-150	KG-05	4.1%	0%	12.2%
SOMERSET	BERNARDS TWP	OAK STREET SCHOOL	35-0350-060	KG-05	4%	0.5%	11.7%
SOMERSET	BRIDGEWATER-RARITAN REG	CRIM ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	35-0555-045	KG-04	4.1%	0%	15.7%
SOMERSET	BRIDGEWATER-RARITAN REG	VAN HOLTEN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	35-0555-105	KG-04	3.5%	0%	14.3%
SOMERSET	MONTGOMERY TWP	MONTGOMERY LOWER MIDDLE SCHOOL	35-3320-045	05-06	4.3%	1.2%	11.1%
SOMERSET	MONTGOMERY TWP	VILLAGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	35-3320-105	03-04	4.8%	1.1%	16.8%
SUSSEX	SPARTA TWP	HELEN MORGAN SCHOOL	37-4960-060	04-05	3.9%	0.2%	18.3%
UNION	CLARK TWP	FRANK K. HEHNLY	39-0850-030	KG-05	5.9%	3.2%	12.1%
UNION	NEW PROVIDENCE BORO	ALLEN W. ROBERTS SCHOOL	39-3560-055	PK-06	4%	1.4%	8.5%

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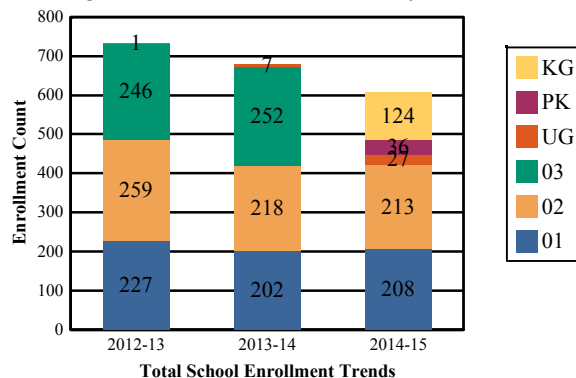
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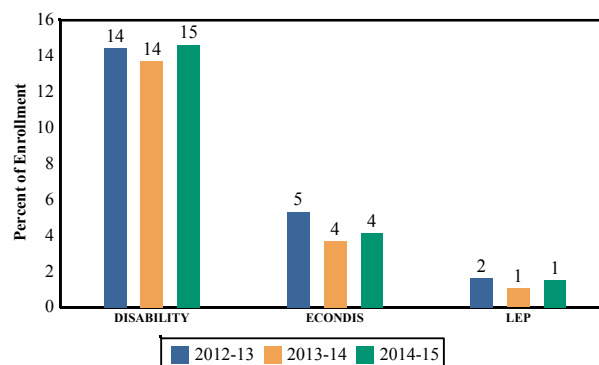
Enrollment by Grade

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



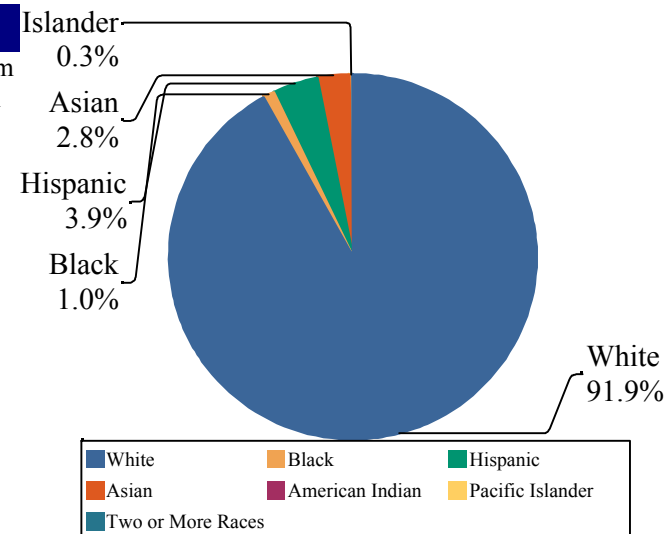
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Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup

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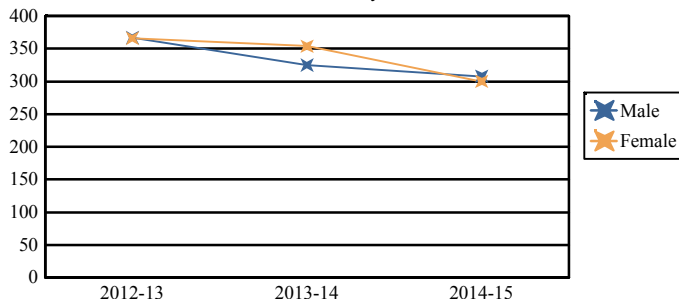
Note: "UG" represents the count of students who are 'on roll' in this school but who are educated in ungraded classrooms, meaning that the classrooms may contain students from multiple grade

Total School Enrollment

2012-13	733
2013-14	679
2014-15	608

Enrollment by Gender

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



Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation

2014-15	Count of Students	% of Enrollment
Students with Disability	89	15%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	25	4.1%
English Language Learners	9	1.5%

Language Diversity

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

2014-15	Percent
English	97.6%
Spanish	0.8%
Polish	0.5%
Chinese	0.5%
Hungarian	0.2%
Abkhazian	0.2%
Other	0.3%

	Male	Female
2012-13	367	366
2013-14	325	354
2014-15	308	300

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Length of School Day

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

	School
2014-15	6 Hrs. 35 Mins.

Student Suspension Rate

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

	School
2014-15	0.0%

Instructional Time

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

2014-15	School
Full Time	5 Hrs. 55 Mins.
Shared Time	0 Hrs. 0 Mins.

Student Expulsions

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

	School
2014-15	0

Student to Staff Ratio

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

2014-15	School
Faculty	14
Administrators	304



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

In particular, the School Performance Reports seek to:

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

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

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

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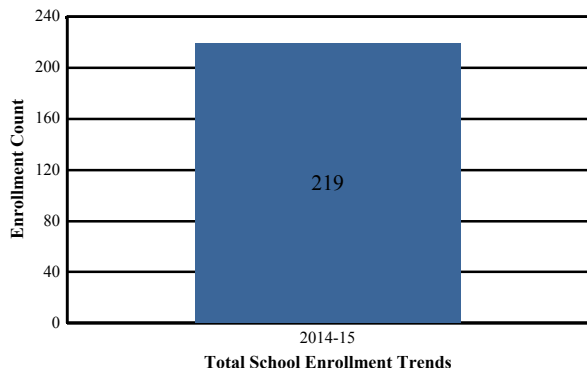
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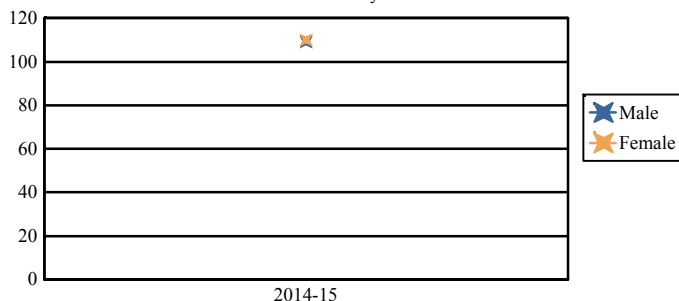


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Total School Enrollment	
2014-15	219

Enrollment by Gender

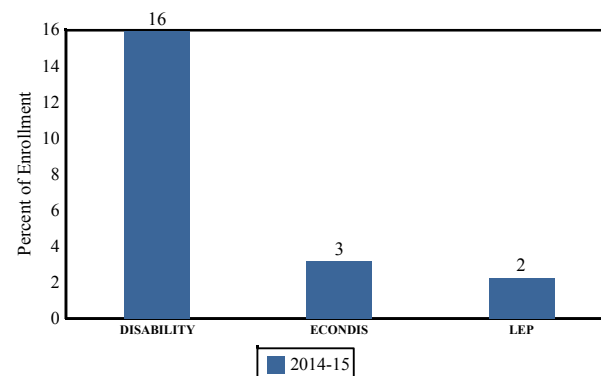
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	Male	Female
2014-15	109	110

Enrollment Trends by Program Participation

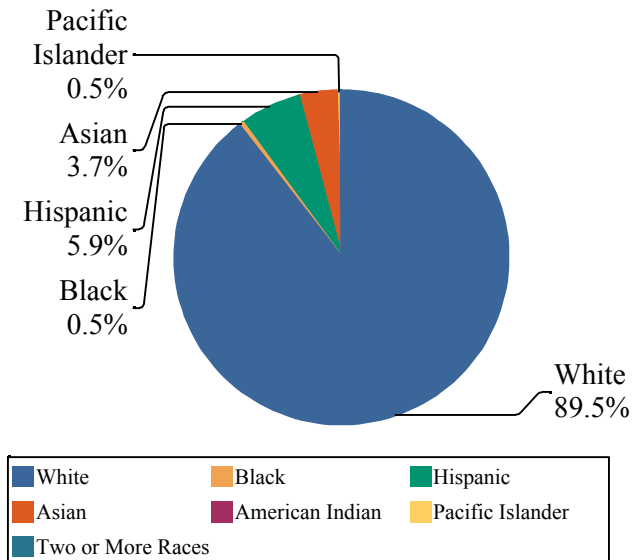
This graph presents the percentages of students by program participation who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation		
2014-15	Count of Students	% of Enrollment
Students with Disability	35	16%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	7	3.2%
English Language Learners	5	2.3%

Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup

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



Language Diversity

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

2014-15	Percent
English	96.4%
Spanish	0.9%
Georgian	0.5%
Tamil	0.5%
Hindi	0.5%
German	0.5%
Other	0.9%

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

Academic Achievement Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	State Percentile
English Language Arts/Literacy Met or Exceeded Expectation	51%	4	45
Math Met or Exceeded Expectation	52%		

ESEA Waiver - English Language Arts/Literacy

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

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	205	50.7%	95%	96.4%	YES
White	186	51%	95%	97%	YES
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	30	23.3%	95%	89.2%	-
English Language Learners	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

YES* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

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

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ESEA Waiver - Math

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

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	201	51.7%	95%	94.6%	YES
White	183	51.9%	95%	95.5%	YES
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	30	26.7%	95%	89.2%	-
English Learner Students	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

YES* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

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PARCC Performance Level

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

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

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

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PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 03

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

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	205	749	744	10%	15%	24%	46%	4%	51%	44%
White	186	749	753	10%	15%	24%	46%	5%	51%	55%
African American	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
Hispanic	-	-	727	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
American Indian	-	-	738	-	-	-	-	-	-	40%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	70%
Two or More Races	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	53%
Students with Disability	30	722	718	37%	20%	20%	23%	0%	23%	24%
English Language Learners	-	-	709	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	24%

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PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 03

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

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	201	752	746	4%	15%	29%	41%	11%	52%	46%
White	183	753	752	4%	15%	28%	41%	11%	52%	56%
African American	-	-	728	-	-	-	-	-	-	25%
Hispanic	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	28%
American Indian	-	-	742	-	-	-	-	-	-	41%
Asian	-	-	772	-	-	-	-	-	-	77%
Two or More Races	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	54%
Students with Disability	30	735	727	13%	37%	23%	17%	10%	27%	27%
English Language Learners	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%

2015 National Assessment Educational Progress (NAEP)

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

For subgroup outcomes, visit:

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

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

Proficiency Percentages

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

COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS

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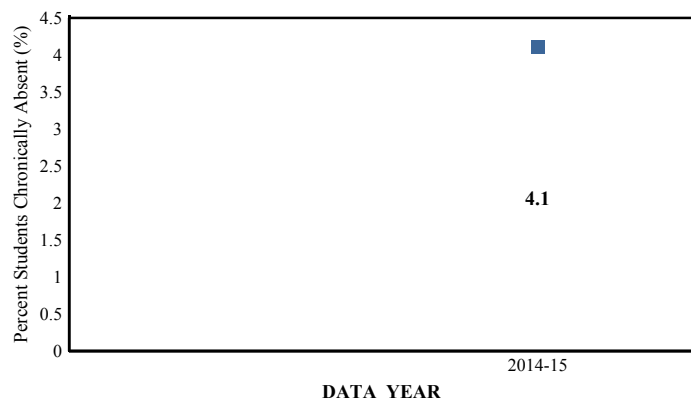
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Students in both elementary and middle schools begin to demonstrate college readiness behaviors long before they even enter high school. Among the behaviors that research has shown to be indicative of successfully graduating high school is regularly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

Chronic Absenteeism Trend

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

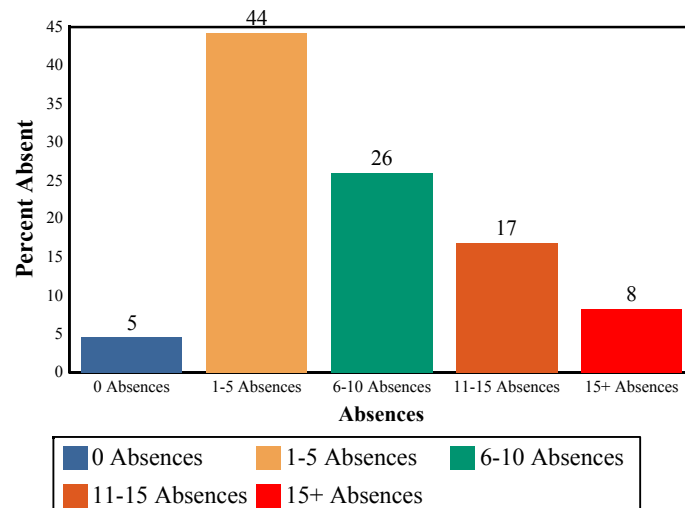


Chronic Absenteeism for 2014-15

4.11%

Absenteeism

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



WITHIN SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENT GAP

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

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

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	823	850
75th	772	770
50th	750	743
25th	723	715
0th	656	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	49	55

Grade Level - 03

PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

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

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	818	850
75th	775	767
50th	752	745
25th	730	722
0th	658	650

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

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	School
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Instructional Time

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2014-15	School
Full Time	5 Hrs. 55 Mins.
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Student Expulsions

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

	School
2014-15	0

Student to Staff Ratio

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

2014-15	School
Faculty	13
Administrators	219

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

<u>COUNTY NAME</u>	<u>DISTRICT NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL NAME</u>	<u>CDS CODE</u>	<u>GRADES</u> <u>SPAN</u>	<u>ECONOMICALLY</u> <u>DISADVANTAGED</u>	<u>ENGLISH</u> <u>LANGUAGE</u> <u>LEARNERS</u>	<u>SPECIAL</u> <u>EDUCATION</u>
BERGEN	PARK RIDGE BORO	WEST RIDGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-3940-070	PK-06	4.4%	4.7%	16.8%
BERGEN	WALDWICK BORO	JULIA A TRAPHAGEN SCHOOL	03-5410-050	PK-05	1.6%	0%	13.7%
CAMDEN	HADDONFIELD BORO	CENTRAL SCHOOL	07-1900-060	PK-05	1.7%	0%	16.4%
CAMDEN	HADDONFIELD BORO	J. FITHIAN TATEM SCHOOL	07-1900-090	PK-05	1.5%	0%	17.8%
ESSEX	CEDAR GROVE TWP	NORTH END ELEMENTARY	13-0760-060	KG-04	4.2%	4.2%	13%
ESSEX	CEDAR GROVE TWP	SOUTH END ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-0760-090	KG-04	2.3%	1%	12.3%
ESSEX	LIVINGSTON TWP	MOUNT PLEASANT MIDDLE SCHOOL	13-2730-060	06	2.6%	0.6%	15.5%
ESSEX	MILLBURN TWP	SOUTH MOUNTAIN SCHOOL	13-3190-100	PK-05	2.9%	2.3%	11.6%
ESSEX	NUTLEY TOWN	SPRING GARDEN SCHOOL	13-3750-090	PK-06	2.9%	1.8%	11.7%
ESSEX	VERONA BORO	BROOKDALE AVENUE SCHOOL	13-5370-070	KG-04	1.7%	0%	12.5%
ESSEX	VERONA BORO	FREDERIC N. BROWN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-5370-080	KG-04	4.9%	4.4%	13.2%
GLOUCESTER	WENONAH BORO	WENONAH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	15-5590-050	KG-06	1.4%	0%	8.6%
MERCER	HOPEWELL VALLEY REGIONAL	HOPEWELL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	21-2280-055	PK-05	2.4%	0.5%	13.9%
MERCER	HOPEWELL VALLEY REGIONAL	TOLL GATE GRAMMAR SCHOOL	21-2280-040	KG-05	1.7%	0%	14.9%
MERCER	W WINDSOR-PLAINSBORO REG	MAURICE HAWK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	21-5715-040	KG-03	4.3%	3.8%	5.3%
MIDDLESEX	SOUTH BRUNSWICK TWP	MONMOUTH JUNCTION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	23-4860-110	KG-05	2.1%	0.6%	6.7%
MONMOUTH	HOLMDEL TWP	VILLAGE SCHOOL	25-2230-080	PK-03	2.8%	1.5%	11.1%
MONMOUTH	LITTLE SILVER BORO	POINT ROAD SCHOOL	25-2720-060	PK-04	1.3%	0%	12%
MONMOUTH	MARLBORO TWP	ASHER HOLMES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	25-3030-070	01-05	4.4%	3.7%	15.9%
MONMOUTH	MARLBORO TWP	MARLBORO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	25-3030-045	01-05	3.1%	2.4%	17.7%
MORRIS	MENDHAM BORO	HILLTOP SCHOOL	27-3090-050	PK-04	2.3%	0.3%	12.2%
MORRIS	MONTVILLE TWP	CEDAR HILL SCHOOL	27-3340-025	KG-05	3.9%	3%	20.2%
MORRIS	MONTVILLE TWP	WILLIAM MASON SCHOOL	27-3340-065	KG-05	1.9%	0%	17.9%

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MORRIS	PEQUANNOCK TWP	NORTH BOULEVARD SCHOOL	27-4080-060	PK-05	1.3%	0%	10.7%
MORRIS	SCH DIST OF THE CHATHAMS	LAFAYETTE AVENUS SCHOOL	27-0785-050	04-05	2.1%	0.6%	18.8%
SOMERSET	HILLSBOROUGH TWP	AMSTERDAM ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	35-2170-033	KG-04	3.1%	2.2%	12.5%
SOMERSET	HILLSBOROUGH TWP	TRIANGLE ELEMENTARY SHCOOL	35-2170-070	PK-04	8.6%	10.5%	25.4%
SOMERSET	HILLSBOROUGH TWP	WOODS ROAD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	35-2170-085	PK-04	3.6%	3%	15%
SUSSEX	SPARTA TWP	MOHAWK AVENUE SCHOOL	37-4960-300	03	3.2%	2.3%	15.5%
UNION	BERKELEY HEIGHTS TWP	WILLIAM WOODRUFF SCHOOL	39-0310-050	02-05	2.4%	1.4%	12.7%
UNION	SUMMIT CITY	FRANKLIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	39-5090-080	01-05	2.5%	1.4%	12%