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Enrollment Trends by Grade

This table shows the number of students enrolled by grade for the past three school years. Ungraded students are students who are "on roll" but are educated in ungraded classrooms.

Grade	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
5	46	41	41
6	45	40	41
7	56	42	41
8	49	53	41
Ungraded	0	0	0
Total	196	176	164

Enrollment Trends by Student Group

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

Student Group	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
Female	51%	49%	48%
Male	50%	51%	52%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0%	10%	9%
Students with Disabilities	10%	12%	15%
English Learners	0%	0%	1%
Homeless Students			1%
Students in Foster Care			0%
Military-Connected Students			0%
Migrant Students			0%

Enrollment by Racial and Ethnic Group

This table shows the percentage of students by racial and ethnic group.

Racial and Ethnic Group	% of Students
White	90.9%
Hispanic	3.0%
Black or African American	1.2%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.6%
Asian	0.6%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%
Two or More Races	3.7%

Enrollment by Home Language

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

Home Language	% of Students
English	98.8%
Spanish	1.2%



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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Participation and Performance

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Student Group	Valid Scores	% of students Taking Test	School: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	District: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	State: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	2016-17 Annual Target	Met 2016-17 Annual Target
Schoolwide	157	97.6	84.10	82.00	54.90	84.1	80	Met Goal
White	145	97.4	86.20	84.60	63.90	86.2	80	Met Goal
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	39.80	*	**	**
Black or African American	N	N	N	N	35.20	N	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	80.70	*	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	53.70	*	**	**
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*	54.90	*	**	**
Female	77	98.8	87.10	82.90	62.20	87.1		
Male	80	96.4	81.30	81.10	48.10	81.3		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	15	89.5	46.60	44.40	36.20	43.2	**	**
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	142	98.6	88.10	86.60	65.80	88.1		
Students with Disabilities	22	88.0	45.40	46.60	20.50	42	42.1	Met Target†
Students without Disabilities	135	99.3	90.40	89.40	61.90	90.4		
English Learners	*	*	*	*	25.20	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	*	57.40	*		
Homeless Students	*	*	*	*	26.40	*		
Students In Foster Care	*	*	*	*	24.80	*		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	53.50	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	23.00	N		

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

This table shows participation and performance on the English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment by grade level exam. This table shows by school and student group the number of valid test scores and the mean scale score for the school, district, and state. It also shows the percentage of students at each performance level and the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5) for the school and the state.

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	40	773	773	756	0%	*	*	58%	*	78%	59%
White	32	778	778	763	0%	*	*	63%	*	84%	69%
Hispanic	*	*	*	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	44%
Black or African American	N	N	N	740	N	N	N	N	N	N	39%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	779	N	N	N	N	N	N	84%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	756	*	*	*	*	*	*	56%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	757	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
Female	15	776	776	761	0%	*	*	*	*	73%	66%
Male	25	772	772	750	0%	*	*	*	*	80%	53%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	40%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	765	*	*	*	*	*	*	71%
Students with Disabilities	10	738	738	725	0%	*	*	*	*	30%	22%
Students without Disabilities	30	785	785	762	0%	*	*	*	*	93%	66%
English Learners	N	N	N	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%
Non-English Learners	40	773	773	757	0%	*	*	58%	*	78%	60%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	733	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	757	N	N	N	N	N	N	62%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	36%



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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 6

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Schoolwide	40	763	763	752	0%	*	28%	60%	*	70%	54%
White	39	764	764	758	0%	*	28%	59%	*	69%	63%
Hispanic	N	N	N	740	N	N	N	N	N	N	38%
Black or African American	*	*	*	736	*	*	*	*	*	*	32%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	776	N	N	N	N	N	N	81%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	749	N	N	N	N	N	N	52%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	753	N	N	N	N	N	N	56%
Female	21	768	768	758	*	*	*	57%	*	76%	61%
Male	19	758	758	746	*	*	*	63%	*	63%	46%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	34%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	761	*	*	*	*	*	*	65%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	17%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	758	*	*	*	*	*	*	61%
English Learners	N	N	N	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	40	763	763	753	0%	*	28%	60%	*	70%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	22%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	751	N	N	N	N	N	N	55%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	20%



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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 7

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	39	792	792	756	*	*	*	*	67%	87%	59%
White	35	795	795	764	0%	*	*	*	69%	91%	69%
Hispanic	*	*	*	742	*	*	*	*	*	*	44%
Black or African American	*	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	38%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	784	*	*	*	*	*	*	85%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	755	N	N	N	N	N	N	59%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	757	*	*	*	*	*	*	59%
Female	18	795	795	764	*	*	*	*	72%	89%	68%
Male	21	790	790	749	*	*	*	*	62%	86%	51%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	739	*	*	*	*	*	*	40%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	766	*	*	*	*	*	*	70%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	719	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	763	*	*	*	*	*	*	67%
English Learners	N	N	N	701	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	39	792	792	758	*	*	*	*	67%	87%	*
Homeless Students	*	*	*	731	*	*	*	*	*	*	31%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	27%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	64%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	15%



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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 8

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Schoolwide	42	805	805	757	0%	0%	0%	33%	67%	100%	59%
White	41	805	805	764	0%	0%	0%	34%	66%	100%	68%
Hispanic	N	N	N	742	N	N	N	N	N	N	44%
Black or African American	N	N	N	738	N	N	N	N	N	N	39%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	786	N	N	N	N	N	N	86%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	751	N	N	N	N	N	N	52%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	758	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
Female	26	807	807	766	*	*	*	*	62%	100%	68%
Male	16	803	803	749	*	*	*	*	75%	100%	50%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	739	*	*	*	*	*	*	40%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	766	*	*	*	*	*	*	69%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	718	*	*	*	*	*	*	18%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	764	*	*	*	*	*	*	67%
English Learners	N	N	N	701	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	42	805	805	759	0%	0%	0%	33%	67%	100%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	28%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	61%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%

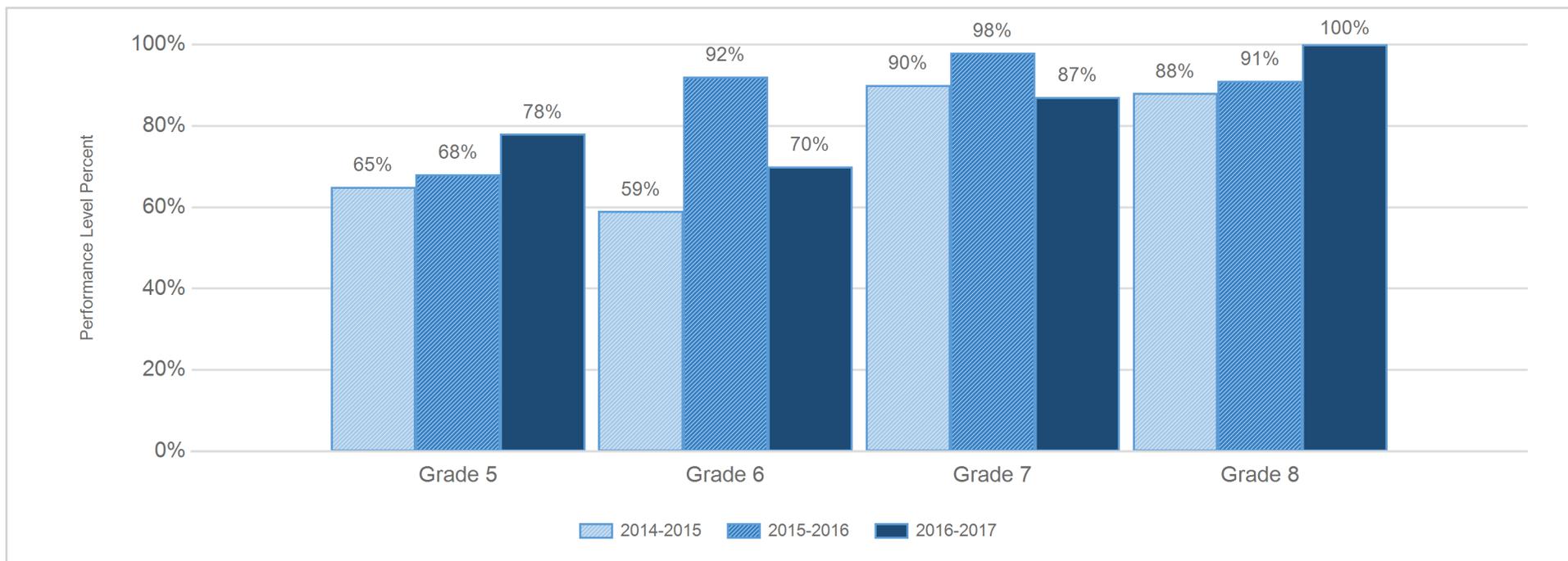


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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance Trends

This graph shows the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations for the past three years.





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Mathematics Assessment - Participation and Performance

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Schoolwide	156	97.6	79.50	77.10	43.50	79.5	77.8	Met Target
White	144	97.3	80.50	78.30	52.40	80.5	79.6	Met Goal
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	27.60	*	**	**
Black or African American	N	N	N	N	21.70	N	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	75.60	*	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	42.50	*	**	**
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*	44.90	*	**	**
Female	77	98.8	80.50	75.60	44.10	80.5		
Male	79	96.4	78.50	78.60	42.90	78.5		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	15	90.0	33.30	33.30	25.10	30.8	N	N
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	141	98.6	84.40	82.50	54.30	84.4		
Students with Disabilities	22	88.0	31.80	41.90	16.50	29.4	23.1	Met Target
Students without Disabilities	134	99.3	87.30	84.50	48.80	87.3		
English Learners	*	*	*	*	23.30	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	*	45.20	*		
Homeless Students	*	*	*	*	16.40	*		
Students In Foster Care	*	*	*	*	15.10	*		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	39.90	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	18.20	N		

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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 5

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Schoolwide	40	766	766	747	*	*	*	53%	25%	78%	46%
White	32	768	768	754	*	*	*	56%	*	81%	57%
Hispanic	*	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Black or African American	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	22%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	774	N	N	N	N	N	N	79%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	745	*	*	*	*	*	*	51%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	747	*	*	*	*	*	*	47%
Female	15	757	757	747	*	*	*	*	*	67%	47%
Male	25	772	772	746	*	*	*	*	*	84%	46%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	732	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	756	*	*	*	*	*	*	59%
Students with Disabilities	10	734	734	725	*	*	*	*	0%	30%	19%
Students without Disabilities	30	777	777	751	*	*	*	*	33%	93%	52%
English Learners	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%
Non-English Learners	40	766	766	748	*	*	*	53%	25%	78%	48%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	724	N	N	N	N	N	N	18%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	748	N	N	N	N	N	N	48%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	716	N	N	N	N	N	N	18%



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 6**

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Schoolwide	40	757	757	743	*	*	25%	60%	*	68%	44%
White	38	759	759	751	*	*	*	63%	*	71%	54%
Hispanic	*	*	*	731	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Black or African American	*	*	*	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	20%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	771	N	N	N	N	N	N	77%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	744	N	N	N	N	N	N	42%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	745	N	N	N	N	N	N	46%
Female	21	760	760	745	*	*	*	67%	*	76%	45%
Male	19	752	752	742	*	*	*	53%	*	58%	43%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	728	*	*	*	*	*	*	24%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	752	*	*	*	*	*	*	56%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	717	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	50%
English Learners	*	*	*	710	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	745	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	719	N	N	N	N	N	N	14%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	14%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	743	N	N	N	N	N	N	40%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%

**Grade 6 does not include students who took the Algebra I, Geometry, or Algebra II end of course tests.



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 7**

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	38	765	765	741	0%	*	*	61%	*	79%	40%
White	34	766	766	748	0%	*	*	65%	*	82%	49%
Hispanic	*	*	*	730	*	*	*	*	*	*	23%
Black or African American	*	*	*	726	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	764	*	*	*	*	*	*	72%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	741	N	N	N	N	N	N	45%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Female	17	762	762	743	0%	*	*	77%	*	82%	41%
Male	21	767	767	740	0%	*	*	48%	*	76%	38%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	749	*	*	*	*	*	*	50%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	716	*	*	*	*	*	*	11%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	746	*	*	*	*	*	*	45%
English Learners	N	N	N	712	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	38	765	765	742	0%	*	*	61%	*	79%	*
Homeless Students	*	*	*	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	15%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	15%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	743	N	N	N	N	N	N	43%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	*

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	24	771	771	728	0%	*	*	71%	*	79%	28%
White	24	771	771	736	0%	*	*	71%	*	79%	35%
Hispanic	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%
Black or African American	N	N	N	715	N	N	N	N	N	N	15%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	747	N	N	N	N	N	N	51%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	728	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	726	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Female	*	*	*	730	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Male	*	*	*	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	26%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	719	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	34%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	705	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
English Learners	N	N	N	703	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	24	771	771	729	0%	*	*	71%	*	79%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	705	*	*	*	*	*	*	12%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	733	N	N	N	N	N	N	35%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	713	N	N	N	N	N	N	*

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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Test: Algebra I

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	18	812	812	743	*	*	*	*	61%	100%	42%
White	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
Hispanic	N	N	N	728	N	N	N	N	N	N	24%
Black or African American	N	N	N	724	N	N	N	N	N	N	19%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	774	N	N	N	N	N	N	76%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	736	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	741	*	*	*	*	*	*	41%
Female	*	*	*	744	*	*	*	*	*	*	43%
Male	*	*	*	741	*	*	*	*	*	*	40%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	18	812	812	751	*	*	*	*	61%	100%	52%
Students with Disabilities	N	N	N	714	N	N	N	N	N	N	10%
Students without Disabilities	18	812	812	747	*	*	*	*	61%	100%	47%
English Learners	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	18	812	812	745	*	*	*	*	61%	100%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	711	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	742	N	N	N	N	N	N	37%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	715	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Test: Geometry

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	*	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
White	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	38%
Hispanic	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	14%
Black or African American	N	N	N	719	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	758	N	N	N	N	N	N	65%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	730	N	N	N	N	N	N	29%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	733	N	N	N	N	N	N	32%
Female	*	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	31%
Male	N	N	N	733	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Students with Disabilities	N	N	N	711	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	738	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
English Learners	N	N	N	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	713	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	15%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	704	N	N	N	N	N	N	*

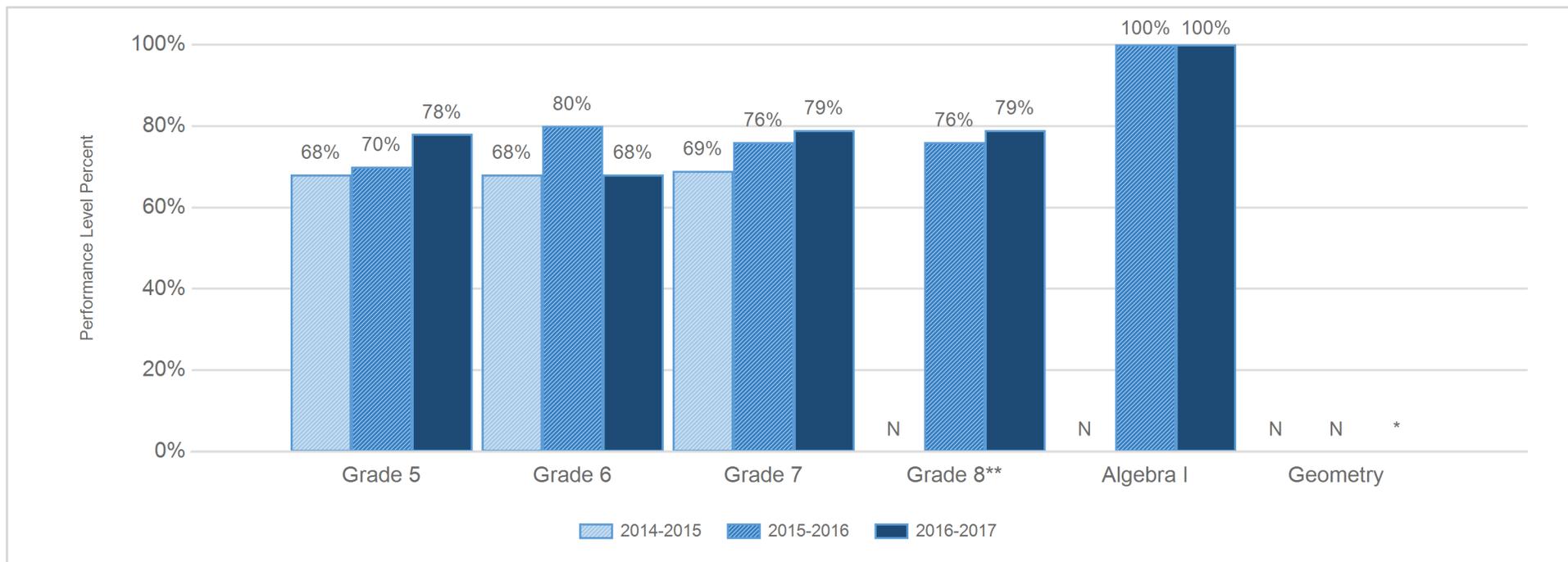


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Mathematics Assessment – Performance Trends

This graph shows the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations for the past three years.



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Alternate Assessments - Participation

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

Grade	ELA: # Students Tested	Math: # Students Tested
5	*	*
6	N	N
7	*	*
8	N	N

English Language Proficiency Test - Participation and Performance

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

Years in District	# Students Tested	% Students with Overall Score Below 4.5	% Students with Overall Score of 4.5 and above
1	*	*	*
2	N	N	N
3	N	N	N
4	N	N	N
5+	N	N	N



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This section shows performance on the NJASK science test which measures students' ability to recall information and to solve problems by applying science concepts. The assessment is given to students in grades 4 and 8 and has three proficiency categories. Students performing at "Proficient" and "Advanced Proficient" have demonstrated readiness for the next grade-level/course.

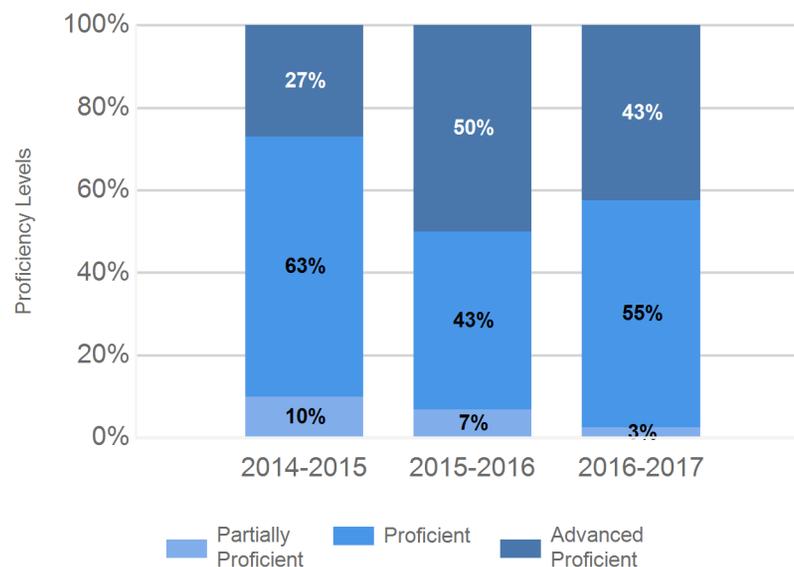
NJASK Science Assessment Performance: Grade 8

This table shows the percentage of students in each proficiency category for the NJASK science test for the school and each student group and also provides a comparison to the statewide percentages.

Student Group	% Advanced Proficient	% Proficient	% Partially Proficient
Statewide	27%	47%	27%
Schoolwide	43%	55%	3%
White	*	*	3%
Hispanic	N	N	N
Black or African American	N	N	N
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N
Two or More Races	*	*	N
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	*	N
Students with Disabilities	*	*	N
English Learners	N	N	N

NJASK Science Assessment Performance Trends: Grade 8

This graph shows the percentage of students by proficiency category for the past three school years.





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This section of the performance report shows information on student growth which measures how much students are learning each year. Each student receives a **Student Growth Percentile (SGP)** for English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA) in grades 4 through 8 and for Mathematics in grades 4 through 7 that explains their progress compared to students who had the same test scores in the prior year.

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

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

<http://www.state.nj.us/education/njsmart/performance/>

Student Growth

This table shows the **median Student Growth Percentile (mSGP)** for both English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA) and Mathematics for the school and each student group with comparisons to the district and the state. This table also shows whether the school and each student group met the *ESSA* accountability target of 40 for the 2016-17 school year.

Student Group	ELA: School Median	ELA: District Median	ELA: Statewide Median	ELA: Met Target of 40	Math: School Median	Math: District Median	Math: Statewide Median	Math: Met Target of 40
Schoolwide	67	66	50	Exceeds Target	69	62	50	Exceeds Target
White	68	*	50	Exceeds Target	69	*	52	Exceeds Target
Hispanic	*	*	49	**	*	*	47	**
Black or African American	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	60	**	*	*	59	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	51	**	*	*	51	**
Two or More Races	*	*	51	**	*	*	52	**
Economically Disadvantaged	43	*	47	**	63	*	46	**
Students with Disabilities	48.5	*	41	Met Target	38.5	*	43	**
English Learners	*	*	53	**	*	*	51	**

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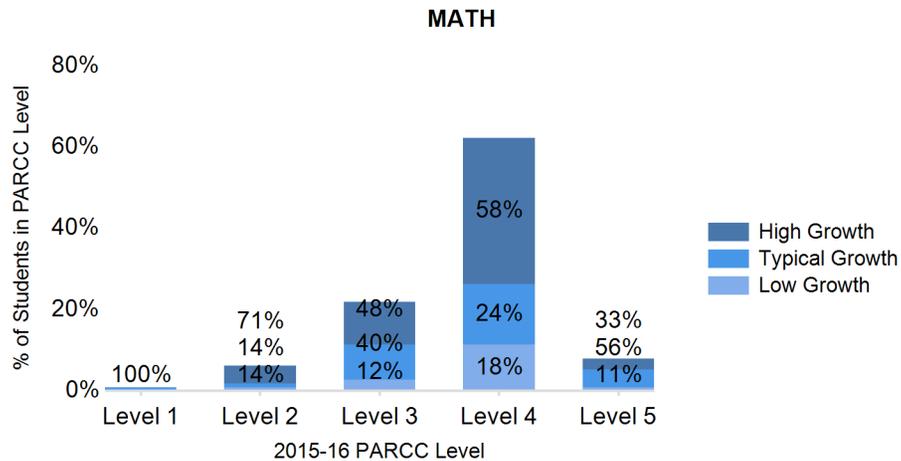
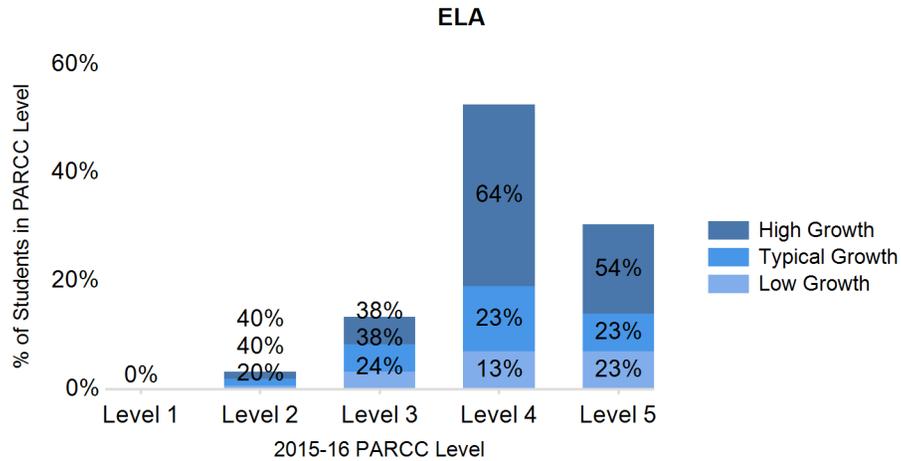
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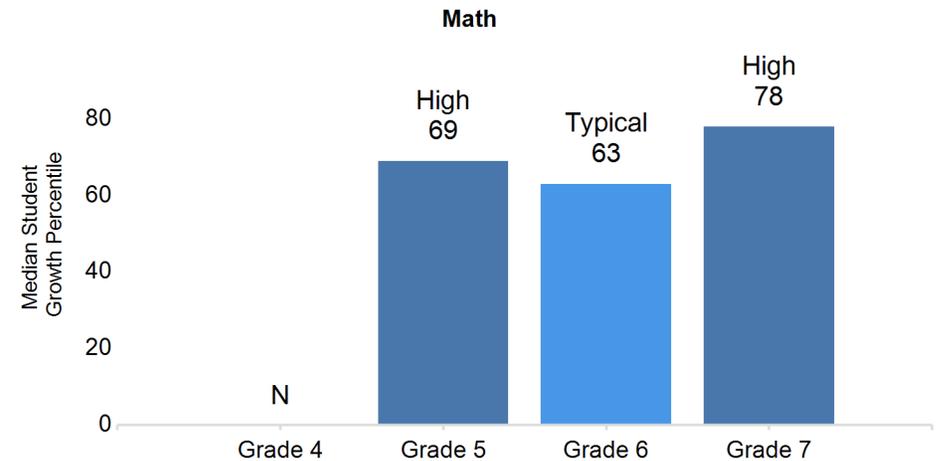
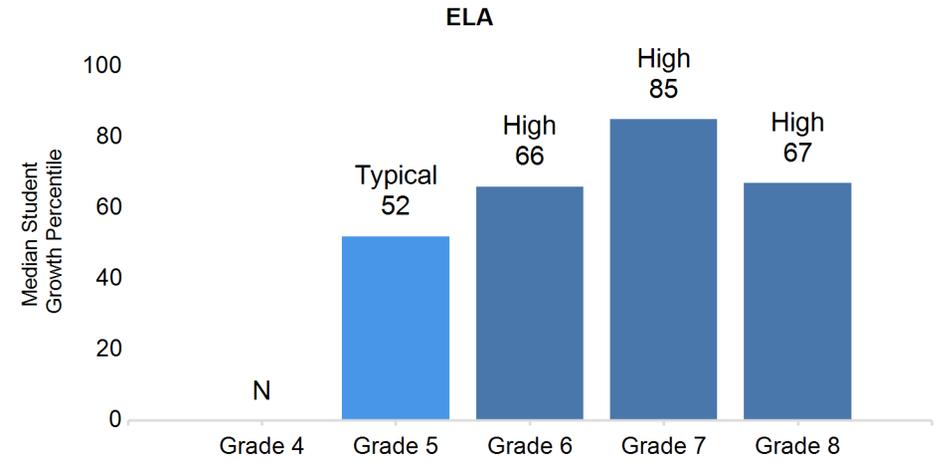
Student Growth by Performance Level

These graphs show the percentage of students by 2015-16 PARCC performance level that fall into each of the three levels of growth based on their 2016-17 test scores.



Student Growth by Grade

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





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This section shows the types of courses that students were enrolled in by grade level for the 2016-17 school year. You can find more information about [New Jersey Student Learning Standards](#) on our website and more details about the data in this section in our [Reference Guide](#).

Mathematics - Course Participation

This table shows the number of students by grade that were enrolled in **Mathematics** courses by subject area. Students are counted more than once if they are enrolled in more than one math course. Students counted in the other math category may be enrolled in grade level math courses, intervention courses, or other advanced math courses.

Grade	Algebra I	Geometry	Grade Level and Other Math
6	0	0	44
7	1	0	40
8	17	1	23
Schoolwide	18	1	107

World Languages - Course Participation

This table shows the number of students by grade that were enrolled in **World Languages** courses by language. Students are counted more than once if they are enrolled in more than one language course. The bottom row of the table shows students enrolled in a level 3 or higher language course (such as French III or IV).

Grade	Spanish	French	Italian	Latin	German	Chinese	Other Languages
6	42	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	33	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	41	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schoolwide	116	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled in Level 3 or Higher	N	N	N	N	N	N	N



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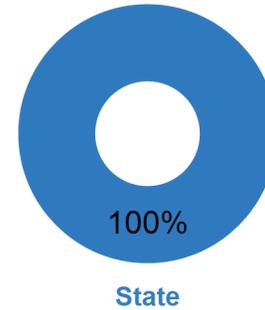
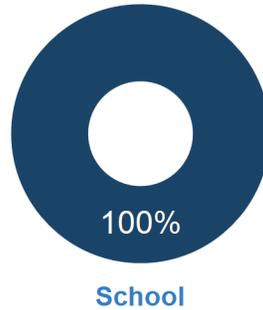
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Visual and Performing Arts – Course Participation

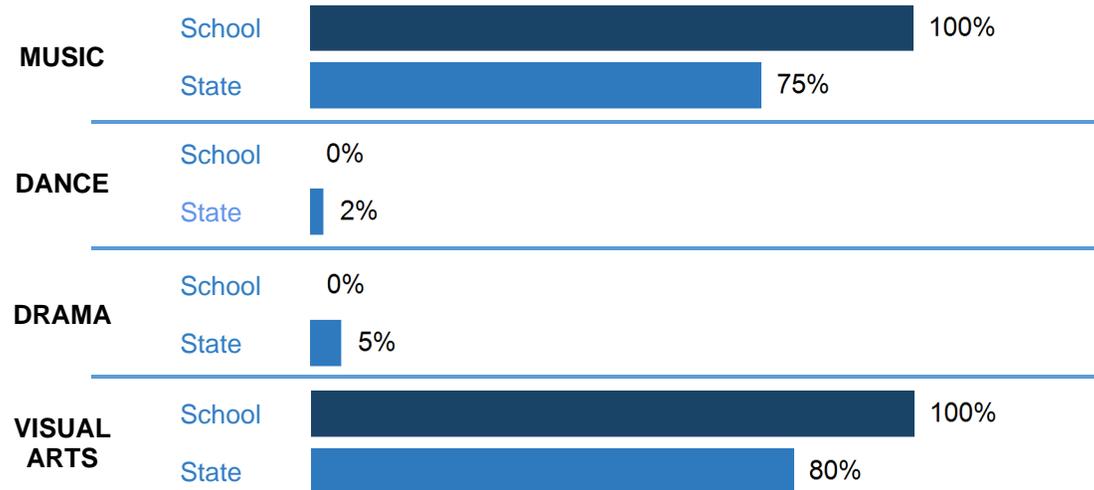
The top graphs below show the percentages of students that were enrolled in any **Visual and Performing Arts** classes within the school and across the state. The graphs at the bottom of the page show the percentages of students enrolled in at least one course within each of the four arts disciplines within the school and across the state.

Grades 6-8:

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



Students enrolled in one or more classes by discipline:





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This section shows information about student absences which provides important information about a school's culture and climate. In addition, research shows that student absences impact a child's ability to succeed in school. The New Jersey Department of Education selected chronic absenteeism as its measure of school quality and student success for the *ESSA* accountability plan. **Chronic absenteeism** is defined as being absent for 10% or more of the days enrolled during the school year. A student who is not present for any reason, excused, unexcused or for disciplinary action, is considered absent unless permitted by statute or regulation.

Chronic Absenteeism

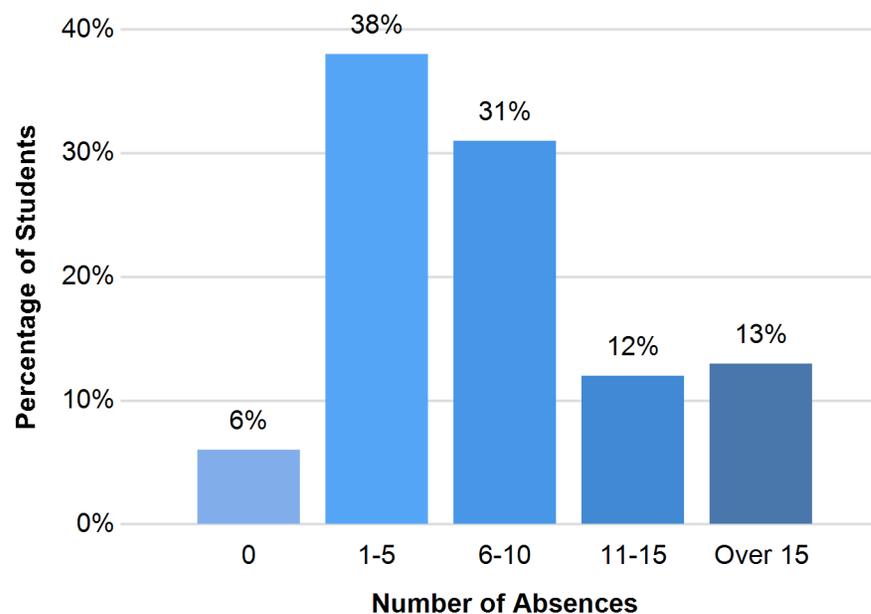
This table shows the percentage of students in grades K-12 in the school and each student group who were chronically absent. This table also shows whether the school and each student group met the *ESSA* accountability targets for 2016-17.

Student Group	% Chronically Absent	2016-17 Target	Met 2016-17 Target
Schoolwide	10.40	8.30	Not Met
White	10.70	8.30	Not Met
Hispanic	N	**	**
Black or African American	N	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	**	**
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	**	**
Students with Disabilities	29.20	8.30	Not Met
English Learners	N	**	**

** *ESSA* accountability targets are only included if data is available for at least 20 students.

Days Absent

The graph displays the percentage of K-12 students schoolwide by the number of days they were absent during the school year. An absence is defined as being 'not present' and includes both excused and unexcused absences.





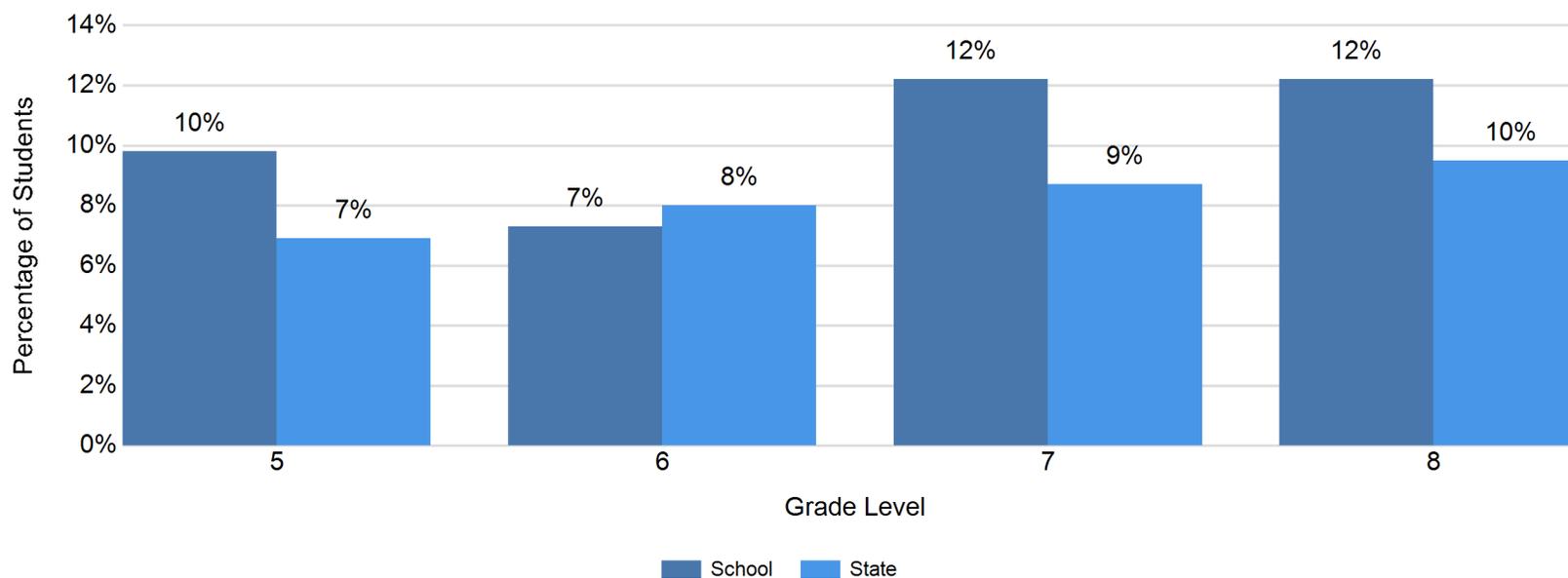
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Chronic Absenteeism by Grade

This graph shows the percentage of students in the school and across the state who were chronically absent for each grade level. **Chronic absenteeism** is defined as being absent for 10% or more of the days enrolled during the school year. A student who is not present for any reason, excused, unexcused or for disciplinary action, is considered absent unless permitted by statute or regulation.





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School Day

This table shows the start and end times and length of school day for a typical student at this school. **Instructional time** is the amount of time that a typical student was engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher.

Category	School
Typical Start Time	8:15AM
Typical End Time	3:00PM
Length of School Day	6 Hrs 45 Mins
Full Time - Instructional Time	5 Hrs. 55 Mins.
Shared Time - Instructional Time	*

Violence, Vandalism, HIB, and Substance Offenses

This table shows the number of incidents reported by type. A single incident may be counted under multiple incident types. The total unique incidents provides a non-duplicated count of incidents. The final row shows a rate of incidents for every 100 students enrolled in the school.

Incident Type	Number of Incidents
Violence	0
Vandalism	0
Weapons	0
Substances	0
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	0
Total Unique Incidents	0
Incidents Per 100 Students Enrolled	0.00

Student Suspension Rate

This table shows the percentage of students who received one or more in-school suspensions, one or more out-of-school suspensions, and one or more suspensions of any type during the school year. Students receiving both in-school and out-of-school suspensions will be counted in all rows of the table. Students who received more than one suspension are counted only one time in each category below.

Suspension Types	% of Students
In-School Suspensions	0.0%
Out-of-School Suspensions	0.0%
Any Suspension	0.0%

Student Expulsions

This table shows the number of students who were expelled from the school during the school year. An expulsion is when a student is removed from a school and does not receive any further educational services during the school year.

Category	Number of Students
Expulsions	0



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Technology Readiness

This table shows information that was collected through the optional NJTRAx survey to determine a school's technology readiness. The student to device ratio shows the number of students for every computer or tablet in the school. The internet speed is the internet bandwidth per 1000 students enrolled in the district measured in megabits per second. The connectivity between schools is a school's LAN network architecture. The NJTRAx survey is optional for schools, so data may not be available for all schools. Additionally, schools that have adopted a Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) policy may have appear to have a very low Student to Device ratio due to this policy decision.

School Year	Student to Device Ratio	Internet Speed	Recommended Internet Speed	Met Recommended Speed?	Connectivity between Schools	Recommended Connectivity	Met Recommended Connectivity?
2016-17	1:1	686.8 kbps	100 kbps	Yes	Fiber	Fiber	Yes

Per-Pupil Expenditures (District Level)

This table shows the total current expenses for regular and special education students taught within the district's schools. It includes expenditures for instruction, support services, administration, operations and maintenance, extra-curricular activities, and community service. More information about district and charter school spending can be found using districts' [User Friendly Budgets](#), or the NJDOE Finance [District Report Search](#) of the Comprehensive Annual Financial Reports (CAFRs) and Auditor's Management Reports (AMRs).

Per-Pupil Expenditures	Federal	State/Local	Total
District Total	\$607	\$24,768	\$25,375



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Teachers: All classroom teachers

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Full-Time Equivalent: In calculations, staff members are weighted based on the percentage of their time that they are assigned to a school or district. For example – a teacher assigned to a school half time would be weighted 50% in calculations, but a teacher assigned to a school full time would be weighted 100% in calculations.

Teachers – Experience

This table shows information about experience for teachers assigned to this school and across the state.

Category	Teachers in School	Teachers in State
Total Number of teachers	25	120,724
Average years experience in public schools	14.1	11.8
Average years experience in district	12.5	10.5
Teachers in district for 4 or more years	80%	74%

Administrators – Experience (District Level)

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

Category	Admin. in District	Admin. in State
Total Number of administrators	5	9,506
Average years experience in public schools	19.6	15.9
Average years experience in district	18.6	11.6
Administrators in district for 4 or more years	100%	74%

Student to Staff Ratios

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

Staff Type	School Students: Staff	District Students: Staff
Teachers	7:1	7:1
Administrators	82:1	73:1
Librarian/Media Specialists		364:1
Nurses		182:1
Counselors		N
Child Study Team		121:1



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Teachers and Administrators - Level of Education

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

Bachelor's Degree



Master's Degree



Doctoral Degree



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

This table shows the percentage of teachers and administrators assigned to the district in 2015-16 that were still assigned to the district in 2016-17. Staff who are not retained may have changed districts or no longer work for the state (including retirements).

Job Type	District	State
2015-16 Teachers: Same district 2016-17	92%	89%
2015-16 Administrators: Same district 2016-17	80%	88%

Faculty Attendance

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

School Year	% Days Present
2016-17	93%



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Accountability Indicator Scores and Summative Rating

New Jersey has developed a school accountability system as required by the *Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)* to identify schools that are in need of comprehensive support. This table shows the indicator scores for each indicator included in the accountability system and the weights that each indicator receives when calculating the overall Summative Score. The Summative Rating is the percentile rank of the Summative Score as compared to other schools across the state. Schools with a summative rating below the 5th percentile or high schools with a 4-year graduation rate that is less than or equal to 67% are identified for Comprehensive Support. For more information about New Jersey's accountability system and how these indicator scores were calculated, see these [accountability resources](#).

Accountability Indicator	Indicator Score	Indicator Weight
English Language Arts Proficiency	94.1	17.5%
Mathematics Proficiency	88.8	17.5%
English Language Arts Growth	91.2	25.0%
Mathematics Growth	94.0	25.0%
Chronic Absenteeism	12.9	15.0%
Progress Towards English Language Proficiency (coming 2018)	N/A	N/A
Summative Score: Sum of all indicator scores multiplied by indicator weights		80.2
Summative Rating: Percentile rank of Summative Score		90.9
Requires Comprehensive Support: Summative Rating is less than or equal to 5th percentile		No

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Accountability Summary by Student Group

New Jersey has developed a school accountability system as required by the *Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)* to identify schools that are in need of Targeted Support. Any student group where the summative score would be in the bottom 5% of schools (see previous page) is identified for Targeted Support for a Low-Performing Student Group. If any student group is identified for Targeted Support, this will be noted in the Schoolwide row in the table. Schools in which one or more student groups miss annual targets for all indicators two years in a row are identified for Targeted Support for a Consistently Underperforming Student Group. In the table below, schools in which one or more student groups miss annual targets for all indicators are noted to be At Risk for being identified for Targeted Support for the 2017-18 school year. Annual targets for proficiency and graduation rate are set based on a school or student group's performance in 2015-16. The target for chronic absenteeism is the statewide average for all students. For more details on accountability targets, see these [accountability resources](#).

Student Group	Summative Score	Cut-off Score for Targeted Support and Improvement	Requires Targeted Support and Improvement for 2016-17	English Language Arts Proficiency	Mathematics Proficiency	Chronic Absenteeism	English Language Arts Student Growth	Mathematics Student Growth	At Risk for Consistently Underperforming Student Group
Schoolwide	80.2	11.9	No	Met Goal	Met Target	Not Met	Exceeds Target	Exceeds Target	No
White	82.3	11.9	No	Met Goal	Met Goal	Not Met	Exceeds Target	Exceeds Target	No
Hispanic	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Black or African American	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
American Indian or Alaska Native	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Two or More Races	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Economically Disadvantaged Students	**	**	No	**	N	**	**	**	No
Students with Disabilities	68.0	11.9	No	Met Target†	Met Target	Not Met	Met Target	**	No
English Learners	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No

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School General Info

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Phone:	(609)822-2353		

School Narrative

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

 <p>Highlights:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A 2017 National Blue Ribbon School recognized for Exemplary High Performance • Rigorous standards-based curriculum including accelerated math courses and technology integration in all classes • An exceptional array of clubs, athletics, and extracurricular activities to meet the many interests of our students
 <p>Mission, Vision, Theme:</p>	<p>Eugene A. Tighe Middle School is a place where all individuals are valued and respected. This point of view allows us to deliver learning opportunities, academic challenges, and a multitude of programs all within an environment that fosters awareness of each person's dignity and esteem.</p>
 <p>Awards, Recognition, Accomplishments:</p>	<p>Following our 2016 PARCC results, our school was nominated by the NJDOE for the National Blue Ribbon School program for Exemplary High Performance. We were honored to achieve this designation in the fall of 2017 based on student achievement, school programming, and community support.</p>



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 <p>Courses, Curriculum, Instruction:</p>	<p>A typical student day includes a challenging curriculum in the core areas of mathematics, ELA, science, and social studies. Students also explore the areas of multimedia technology, Spanish, health, physical education, visual and performing arts. Differentiated assignments within the content areas both challenge the high achiever and scaffold learning to provide success for struggling students. Instructional technology can be found in every classroom and embedded in a multitude of activities.</p>
 <p>Sports and Athletics:</p>	<p>Sports Offered: Basketball (Boys & Girls), Cross-Country (Boys & Girls), Field Hockey (Girls), Soccer (Co-ed), Tennis (Co-ed), Volleyball (Co-ed)</p> <p>Our interscholastic athletic teams have a long history of championship seasons that provide a competitive outlet for our student athletes. Many of our graduates go on to compete at the varsity level in high school and beyond, thanks to the foundational opportunities provided at Tighe Middle School.</p>
 <p>Clubs and Activities:</p>	<p>Along with academic endeavors, Eugene A. Tighe Middle School attends to the social, emotional, and academic growth of each student. Every student interest is addressed and supported extracurricularly from community improvement organizations like Student Council, Surfriders, and NJHS, to academic talents such as musical performance, art club, coding club, and the student newspaper.</p>
 <p>Before and After School Programs:</p>	<p>Every day during the recess period, the media center is available for students that want to complete schoolwork. A Peer Tutoring program offered twice a week in each grade pairs up struggling students with peers that are strong in certain subject areas. Our after school Homework Club provides a quiet, orderly environment to study, complete work, use the computers, or receive instruction from the teacher supervisors.</p>



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 <p>Staff and Professional Learning:</p>	<p>We utilize a highly developed model of professional collaboration, communication, and development to encourage instructional leadership and contemporary teaching approaches. The staff constantly strives to enhance their pedagogy as educators, which in turn improves the learning experiences of our students. A well-balanced and multifaceted professional development approach is essential to maintain cogent instruction, activities, and outcomes in all classrooms school wide.</p>
 <p>Student Supports and Services:</p>	<p>We provide many layers of support for struggling or remedial students. Beyond co-taught English and math classes, students receive intensive individual support and monitoring through our Child Study Team, our Intervention and Referral Services team, our 504 team, our ELL specialist, and our Gifted team.</p>
 <p>Student Health and Wellness:</p>	<p>Due to the high performance demands and social pressures facing many young adults, student wellness and health has become a critical component of our middle school environment. In addition to a comprehensive positive school climate program delivered by our entire staff, we have designed a physical education and health curriculum that meets the physical, mental, and emotional needs of our students.</p>
 <p>Parent and Community Involvement:</p>	<p>We benefit from a supportive and active local community that includes our parent Educational Foundation, Municipal Drug Alliance, Police and Fire Departments, and local businesses. Parents and local organizations are invited to participate in many of our school functions. We believe that this setting of inclusion and respect for others builds character and social responsibility in the children during their middle school years.</p>



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Facilities:

We benefit from advanced instructional technology in all our classrooms, as well as multiple computer labs and a large media center to facilitate research and project-based learning. Our state of the art Performing Arts Center is used for assemblies, performances, and special ceremonies throughout the year.



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Other Information:

Our staff is dedicated to providing every child a robust learning environment that supports or challenges them based on their individual needs. In order to meet this goal, the entire school community bands together to continually improve the experiences of our young learners; this community includes the faculty, parents, local volunteers, and student leaders. Our staff contemplates the requisite academic, social, and emotional condition desired for a child to successfully transition from elementary school to high school, and determines the best programs and local resources to achieve this mission. It may sound cliché to claim that a school subscribes to the precept “No Child Left Behind”, but in the case of Eugene A. Tighe Middle School that assertion is what fundamentally sets us apart from other schools. The staff endeavors to truly know each child, both as a learner and as a person. We team together to plan ways to help all students meet their academic potential, while likewise valuing them for strong character traits and guiding them with healthy decision making tools. High standards, critical thinking, effective communication skills, and a strong work ethic are without doubt the foundation of our instruction in all content areas. Yet our school community never forgets that we are working with children that require a safe and supportive socio-emotional environment to best mature into healthy and prosperous young men and women. Our school is unique and special due to the staff, families, and students that create a setting that incorporates learning, kindness, and respect into the foundation of all practices. By knowing each child as an individual, and by providing a safe, engaging, and challenging environment for each student, we strive to prepare the Whole Child for future achievement and happiness.



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The **2016-17 School Performance Reports** are designed to share school and district information collected by the New Jersey Department of Education directly with parents, educators, and communities. The Department believes that the greatest potential to improve school performance and student outcomes is through parents, educators, and community members working together. These reports seek to make that process easier by providing information that can help people to:

- **Learn more:** The School Performance Reports contain a wealth of data, going far beyond a school’s test scores to include information about the staff working in a school, student discipline rates, and the sports and clubs offered.
- **Ask questions:** These reports can help start a conversation, but they cannot answer all the questions you might have about schools in your community. Use the contact information provided to engage with faculty and administrators at your schools to ask about the data you see in these reports.
- **Get involved:** Schools need help from parents and communities to help students succeed. Contact your school to find out about school board meetings or parent and community groups.

Navigating through the reports:

- Download this report to a PDF by clicking the  icon at the top of the page.
- Search for specific text or words in these reports by using the search box at the top of the page.
- The menu bar at the top of the page or the table of contents at the left of the screen can be used to move between sections of the report.
- The arrow buttons at the top left of the screen can be used to move between pages of the report.

Other Resources:

- Review the [Parent Summary Report](#) for this school.
- For more detailed information about the data in these reports, where it comes from, and how to use it: [Reference Guide](#) or [Interpretive Video](#).
- Want to give us feedback? Take our feedback survey: [surveylink](#)
- Questions about the reports? Contact us at reportcard@doe.state.nj.us



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Enrollment Trends by Grade

Enrollment Trends by Student Group

Enrollment by Racial and Ethnic Group

This table shows the number of students enrolled by grade for the past three school years. Ungraded students are students who are "on roll" but are educated in ungraded classrooms.

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

This table shows the percentage of students by racial and ethnic group.

Grade	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
PK	1	0	2
KG	44	28	29
1	47	42	29
2	45	51	43
3	44	42	51
4	46	40	46
Ungraded	1	2	0
Total	228	205	200

Student Group	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
Female	47%	44%	48%
Male	54%	56%	52%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	10%	13%	10%
Students with Disabilities	15%	24%	23%
English Learners	0%	1%	2%
Homeless Students			1%
Students in Foster Care			1%
Military-Connected Students			0%
Migrant Students			0%

Racial and Ethnic Group	% of Students
White	90.5%
Hispanic	5.5%
Asian	2.0%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.5%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.5%
Black or African American	0.0%
Two or More Races	1.0%

PreK and K - Full Day and Half Day

This table shows the full day and half day enrollment for Pre-Kindergarten (PK) and Kindergarten (KG) students in this school.

Enrollment by Home Language

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

Grade	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
PK - Half Day	2	0	2
PK - Full Day	0	0	0
KG - Half Day	0	0	0
KG - Full Day	45	28	29

Home Language	% of Students
English	98.5%
Spanish	1.0%
Other	0.5%



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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Participation and Performance

This table shows information about the English Language Arts/Literacy section of the *Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers* (PARCC) assessment for the school and each student group. The PARCC assessment has five performance levels, where levels 4 and 5 (met or exceeded expectations) indicate students have demonstrated readiness for the next grade level/course and are on track for college and careers. This table shows the number of valid test scores, the percentage of students that took the test, and the percentage of testers that met or exceeded expectations in the school, the district, and across the state. The last three columns of the table show the accountability proficiency rate, the annual target, and whether the school or student group met its annual target as required by the *Every Student Succeeds Act* (ESSA) accountability. Student groups with the annual target section grayed out are not required to meet annual targets under ESSA accountability. For more details on New Jersey's accountability system, see these [accountability resources](#).

Student Group	Valid Scores	% of students Taking Test	School: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	District: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	State: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	2016-17 Annual Target	Met 2016-17 Annual Target
Schoolwide	93	99.0	78.50	82.00	54.90	78.5	79.8	Met Target†
White	82	98.8	81.80	84.60	63.90	81.8	80	Met Goal
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	39.80	*	**	**
Black or African American	N	N	N	N	35.20	N	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	80.70	*	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	53.70	*	**	**
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*	54.90	*	**	**
Female	46	100.0	76.00	82.90	62.20	76		
Male	47	98.0	80.90	81.10	48.10	80.9		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	12	100.0	41.70	44.40	36.20	41.7	**	**
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	81	98.8	83.90	86.60	65.80	83.9		
Students with Disabilities	21	100.0	47.70	46.60	20.50	47.7	N	N
Students without Disabilities	72	98.6	87.50	89.40	61.90	87.5		
English Learners	*	*	*	*	25.20	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	*	57.40	*		
Homeless Students	*	*	*	*	26.40	*		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	*	24.80	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	53.50	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	23.00	N		

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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 3

This table shows participation and performance on the English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment by grade level exam. This table shows by school and student group the number of valid test scores and the mean scale score for the school, district, and state. It also shows the percentage of students at each performance level and the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5) for the school and the state.

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	49	771	771	749	*	*	*	69%	*	78%	50%
White	39	775	775	759	0%	0%	*	74%	*	85%	61%
Hispanic	*	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	35%
Black or African American	N	N	N	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	32%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	775	*	*	*	*	*	*	76%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	747	N	N	N	N	N	N	46%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
Female	24	774	774	754	*	*	*	83%	*	88%	55%
Male	25	767	767	745	*	*	*	56%	*	68%	46%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	10	747	747	731	*	*	*	*	*	40%	31%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	39	777	777	762	*	*	*	*	*	87%	63%
Students with Disabilities	14	747	747	720	*	*	*	*	*	57%	24%
Students without Disabilities	35	780	780	755	*	*	*	*	*	86%	55%
English Learners	N	N	N	709	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%
Non-English Learners	49	771	771	752	*	*	*	69%	*	78%	53%
Homeless Students	*	*	*	720	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	26%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	750	N	N	N	N	N	N	49%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	734	N	N	N	N	N	N	29%



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

This table shows participation and performance on the English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment by grade level exam. This table shows by school and student group the number of valid test scores and the mean scale score for the school, district, and state. It also shows the percentage of students at each performance level and the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5) for the school and the state.

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	46	774	774	753	0%	*	*	61%	*	80%	56%
White	45	774	774	762	0%	*	*	60%	*	80%	67%
Hispanic	N	N	N	740	N	N	N	N	N	N	40%
Black or African American	N	N	N	737	N	N	N	N	N	N	36%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	777	N	N	N	N	N	N	82%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	750	*	*	*	*	*	*	56%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	755	N	N	N	N	N	N	56%
Female	23	771	771	758	0%	*	*	44%	*	65%	61%
Male	23	777	777	749	0%	*	*	78%	*	96%	51%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	36%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	764	*	*	*	*	*	*	69%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	25%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	759	*	*	*	*	*	*	62%
English Learners	*	*	*	711	*	*	*	*	*	*	10%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	755	*	*	*	*	*	*	58%
Homeless Students	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	728	N	N	N	N	N	N	31%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	755	N	N	N	N	N	N	60%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	726	N	N	N	N	N	N	36%

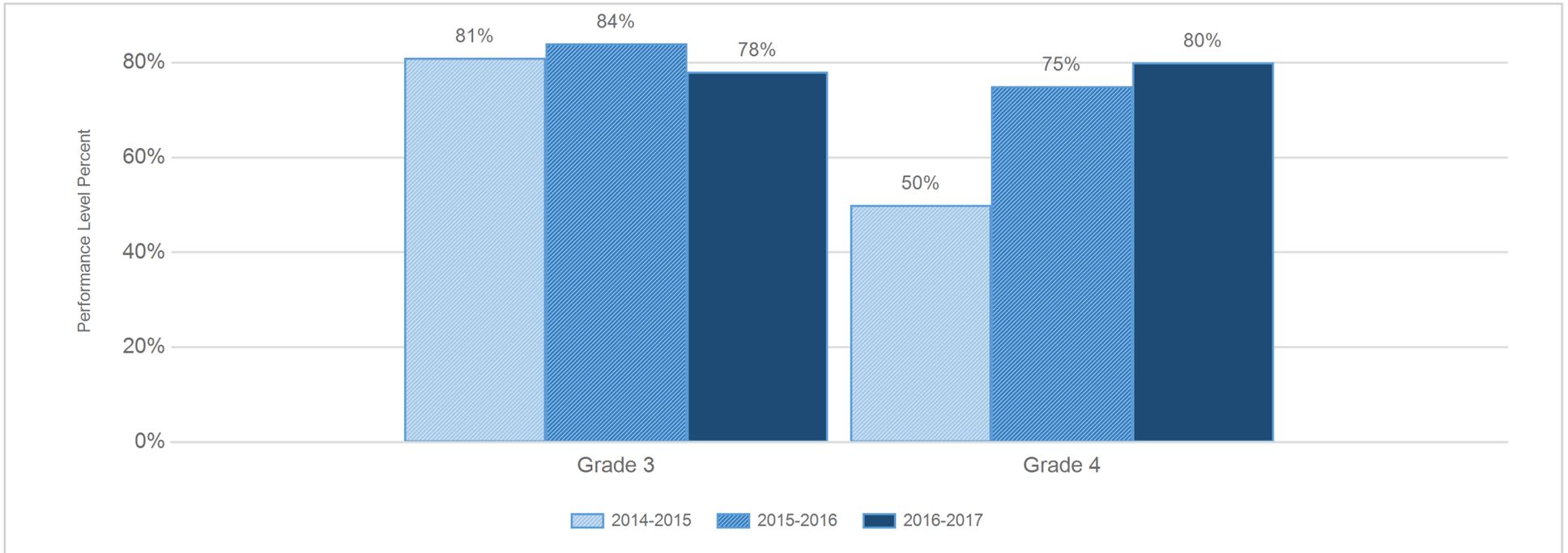


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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance Trends

This graph shows the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations for the past three years.



An "*" indicates that data is not displayed to protect student privacy; "N" indicates no data is available to display



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Mathematics Assessment - Participation and Performance

This table shows information about the Mathematics section of the *Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers* (PARCC) assessment for the school and each student group. The PARCC assessment has five performance levels, where levels 4 and 5 (met or exceeded expectations) indicate students have demonstrated readiness for the next grade level/course and are on track for college and careers. This table shows the number of valid test scores, the percentage of students that took the test, and the percentage of testers that met or exceeded expectations in the school, the district, and across the state. The last three columns of the table show the accountability proficiency rate, the annual target, and whether the school or student group met its annual target as required by the *Every Student Succeeds Act* (ESSA) accountability. Student groups with the annual target section grayed out are not required to meet annual targets under ESSA accountability. For more details on New Jersey's accountability system, see these [accountability resources](#).

Student Group	Valid Scores	% of students Taking Test	School: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	District: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	State: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	2016-17 Annual Target	Met 2016-17 Annual Target
Schoolwide	93	99.0	73.20	77.10	43.50	73.2	80	Met Target†
White	82	98.8	74.40	78.30	52.40	74.4	80	Met Target†
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	27.60	*	**	**
Black or African American	N	N	N	N	21.70	N	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	75.60	*	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	42.50	*	**	**
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*	44.90	*	**	**
Female	46	100.0	67.40	75.60	44.10	67.4		
Male	47	98.0	78.70	78.60	42.90	78.7		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	12	100.0	33.30	33.30	25.10	33.3	**	**
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	81	98.8	79.00	82.50	54.30	79		
Students with Disabilities	21	100.0	52.40	41.90	16.50	52.4	N	N
Students without Disabilities	72	98.7	79.20	84.50	48.80	79.2		
English Learners	*	*	*	*	23.30	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	*	45.20	*		
Homeless Students	*	*	*	*	16.40	*		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	*	15.10	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	39.90	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	18.20	N		

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† Target was met within a confidence interval.



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 3

This table shows participation and performance on the Mathematics section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment by end of course exam. This table shows by school and student group the number of valid test scores and the mean scale score for the school, district, and state. It also shows the percentage of students at each performance level and the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5) for the school and the state.

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	50	770	770	751	0%	*	*	46%	28%	74%	53%
White	39	775	775	759	0%	*	*	44%	33%	77%	63%
Hispanic	*	*	*	738	*	*	*	*	*	*	37%
Black or African American	N	N	N	733	N	N	N	N	N	N	32%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	779	*	*	*	*	*	*	82%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	750	N	N	N	N	N	N	51%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	53%
Female	25	765	765	751	0%	*	*	52%	*	72%	52%
Male	25	775	775	751	0%	*	*	40%	*	76%	53%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	11	742	742	736	*	*	*	*	*	46%	34%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	39	778	778	761	*	*	*	*	*	82%	65%
Students with Disabilities	14	752	752	729	*	*	*	*	*	57%	29%
Students without Disabilities	36	778	778	755	*	*	*	*	*	81%	57%
English Learners	*	*	*	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	753	*	*	*	*	*	*	55%
Homeless Students	*	*	*	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	27%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	750	N	N	N	N	N	N	51%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	726	N	N	N	N	N	N	35%



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 4

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	46	765	765	747	0%	0%	26%	74%	0%	74%	47%
White	45	764	764	755	0%	0%	27%	73%	0%	73%	59%
Hispanic	N	N	N	734	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
Black or African American	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	25%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	774	N	N	N	N	N	N	79%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	42%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	747	N	N	N	N	N	N	48%
Female	23	761	761	747	*	*	*	65%	*	65%	47%
Male	23	768	768	747	*	*	*	83%	*	83%	48%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	732	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	757	*	*	*	*	*	*	61%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
English Learners	*	*	*	716	*	*	*	*	*	*	12%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	749	*	*	*	*	*	*	49%
Homeless Students	*	*	*	723	*	*	*	*	*	*	18%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	18%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	749	N	N	N	N	N	N	50%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	713	N	N	N	N	N	N	22%

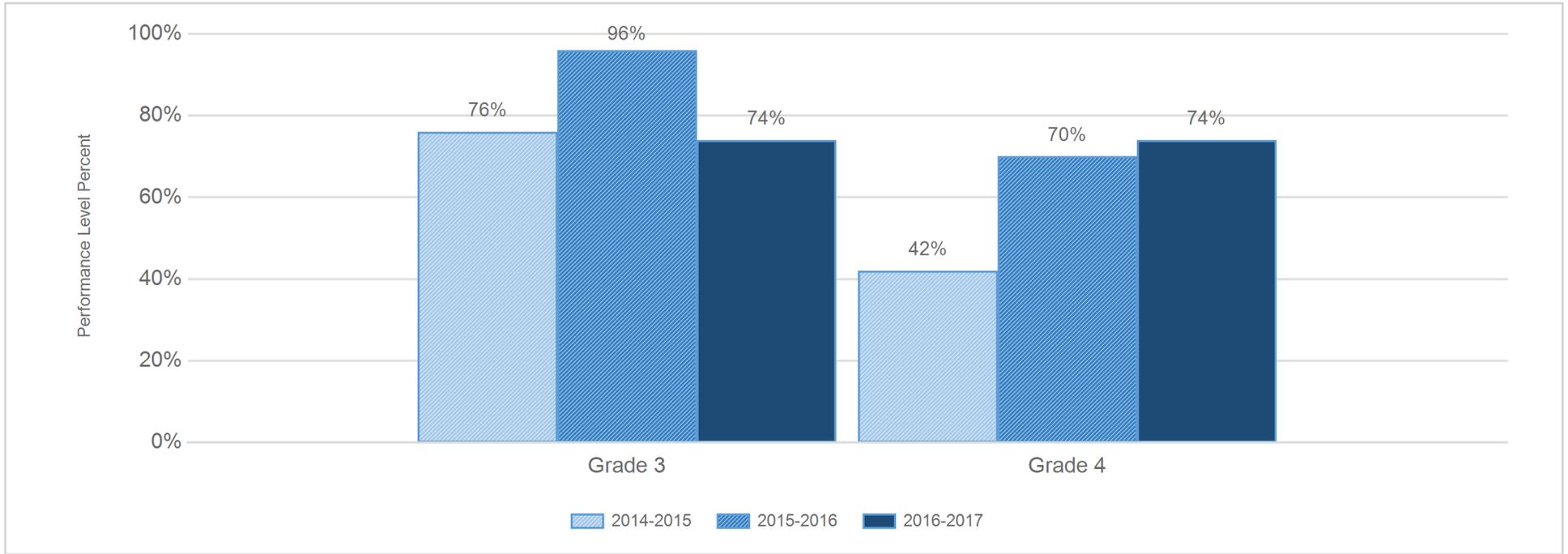


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Mathematics Assessment – Performance Trends

This graph shows the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations for the past three years.





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Alternate Assessments - Participation

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

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

English Language Proficiency Test - Participation and Performance

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

Years in District	# Students Tested	% Students with Overall Score Below 4.5	% Students with Overall Score of 4.5 and above
1	*	*	*
2	*	*	*
3	N	N	N
4	N	N	N
5+	N	N	N



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This section shows performance on the NJASK science test which measures students' ability to recall information and to solve problems by applying science concepts. The assessment is given to students in grades 4 and 8 and has three proficiency categories. Students performing at "Proficient" and "Advanced Proficient" have demonstrated readiness for the next grade-level/course.

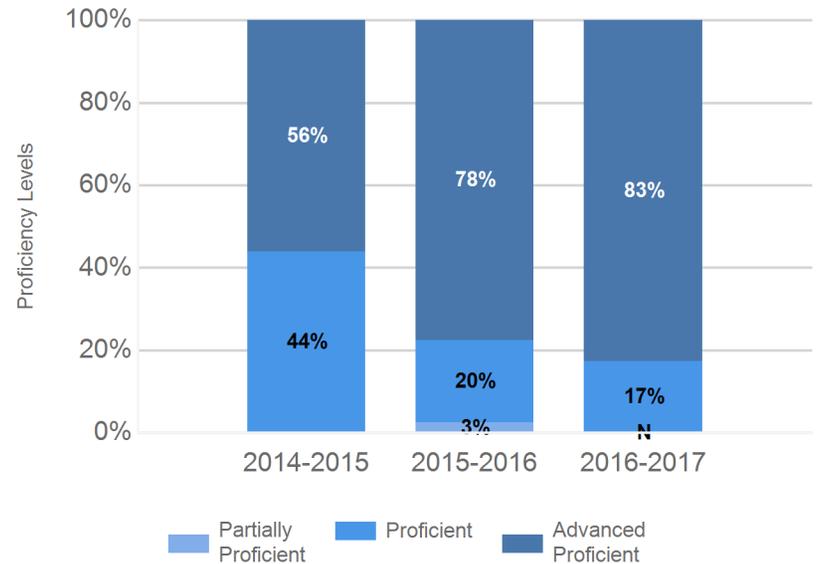
NJASK Science Assessment Performance: Grade 4

This table shows the percentage of students in each proficiency category for the NJASK science test for the school and each student group and also provides a comparison to the statewide percentages.

Student Group	% Advanced Proficient	% Proficient	% Partially Proficient
Statewide	45%	40%	14%
Schoolwide	83%	17%	N
White	84%	*	N
Hispanic	N	N	N
Black or African American	N	N	N
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	N	N
Two or More Races	*	*	N
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	N
Students with Disabilities	*	*	N
English Learners	N	*	N

NJASK Science Assessment Performance Trends: Grade 4

This graph shows the percentage of students by proficiency category for the past three school years.





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This section of the performance report shows information on student growth which measures how much students are learning each year. Each student receives a **Student Growth Percentile (SGP)** for English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA) in grades 4 through 8 and for Mathematics in grades 4 through 7 that explains their progress compared to students who had the same test scores in the prior year.

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

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

<http://www.state.nj.us/education/njsmart/performance/>

Student Growth

This table shows the **median Student Growth Percentile (mSGP)** for both English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA) and Mathematics for the school and each student group with comparisons to the district and the state. This table also shows whether the school and each student group met the *ESSA* accountability target of 40 for the 2016-17 school year.

Student Group	ELA: School Median	ELA: District Median	ELA: Statewide Median	ELA: Met Target of 40	Math: School Median	Math: District Median	Math: Statewide Median	Math: Met Target of 40
Schoolwide	48	66	50	Met Target	27	62	50	Not Met
White	*	*	50	Met Target	*	*	52	Not Met
Hispanic	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Black or African American	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	51	**	*	*	51	**
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Economically Disadvantaged	*	*	47	**	*	*	46	**
Students with Disabilities	*	*	41	**	*	*	43	**
English Learners	N	N	N	N	*	*	51	**

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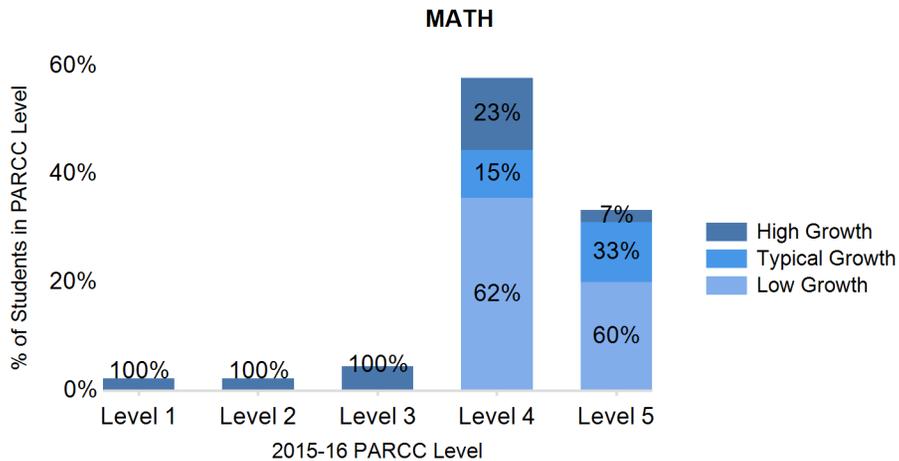
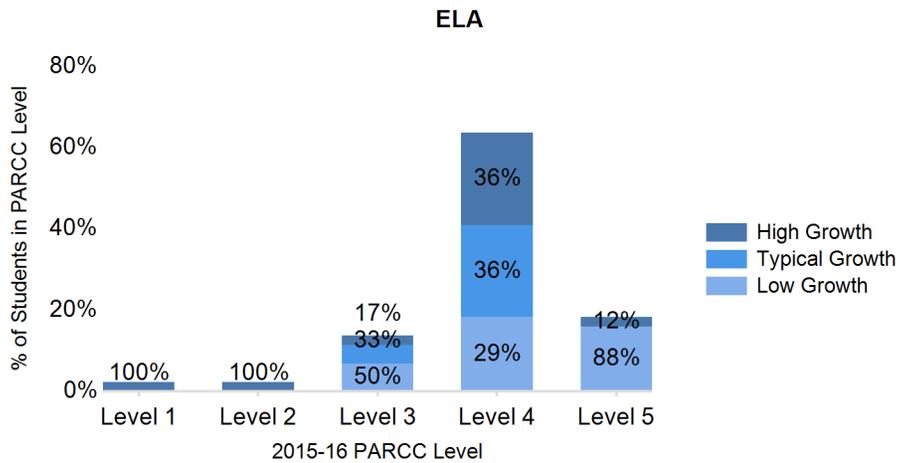
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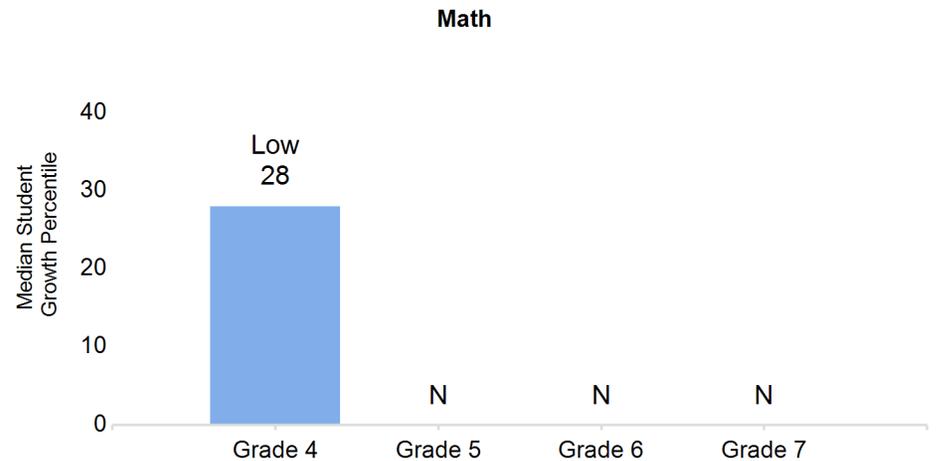
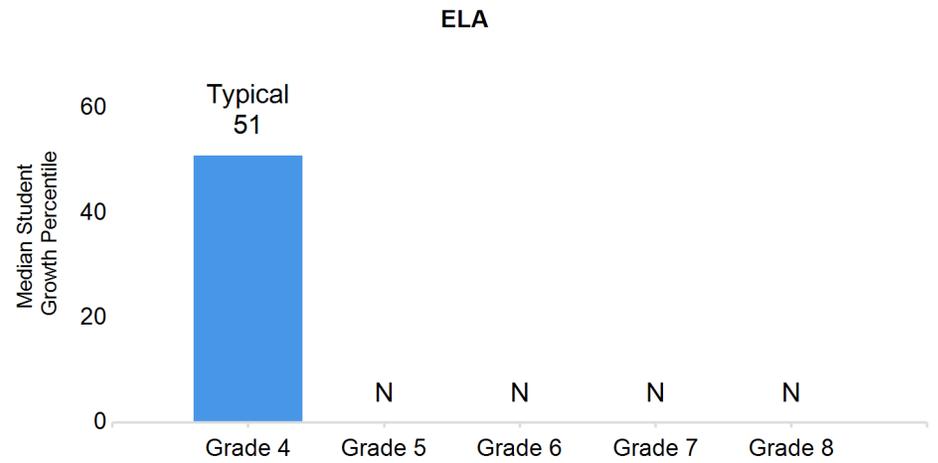
Student Growth by Performance Level

These graphs show the percentage of students by 2015-16 PARCC performance level that fall into each of the three levels of growth based on their 2016-17 test scores.



Student Growth by Grade

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





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This section shows information about student absences which provides important information about a school's culture and climate. In addition, research shows that student absences impact a child's ability to succeed in school. The New Jersey Department of Education selected chronic absenteeism as its measure of school quality and student success for the *ESSA* accountability plan. **Chronic absenteeism** is defined as being absent for 10% or more of the days enrolled during the school year. A student who is not present for any reason, excused, unexcused or for disciplinary action, is considered absent unless permitted by statute or regulation.

Chronic Absenteeism

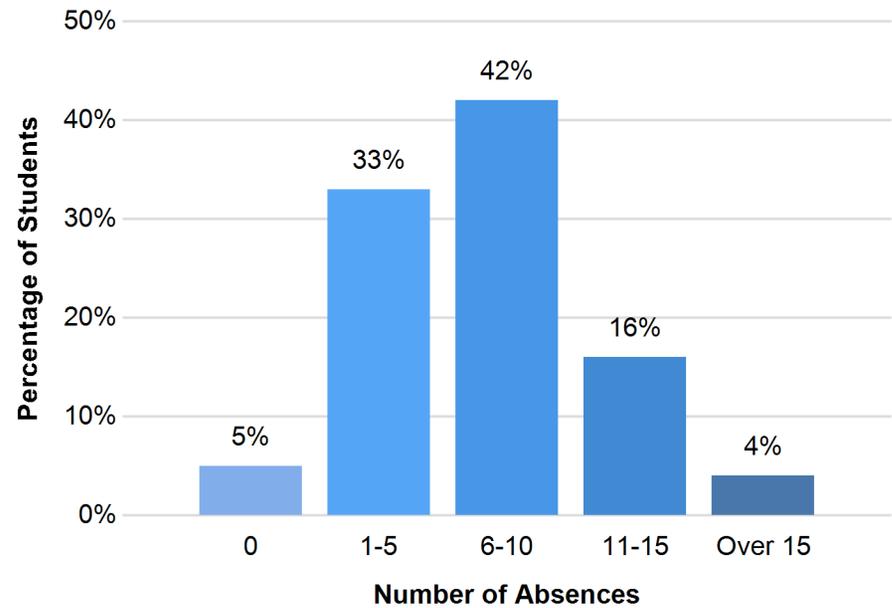
This table shows the percentage of students in grades K-12 in the school and each student group who were chronically absent. This table also shows whether the school and each student group met the *ESSA* accountability targets for 2016-17.

Student Group	% Chronically Absent	2016-17 Target	Met 2016-17 Target
Schoolwide	3.00	8.70	Met Target
White	2.80	8.70	Met Target
Hispanic	N	**	**
Black or African American	N	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	**	**
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	**	**
Students with Disabilities	9.30	8.70	Not Met
English Learners	N	**	**

** ESSA accountability targets are only included if data is available for at least 20 students.

Days Absent

The graph displays the percentage of K-12 students schoolwide by the number of days they were absent during the school year. An absence is defined as being 'not present' and includes both excused and unexcused absences.





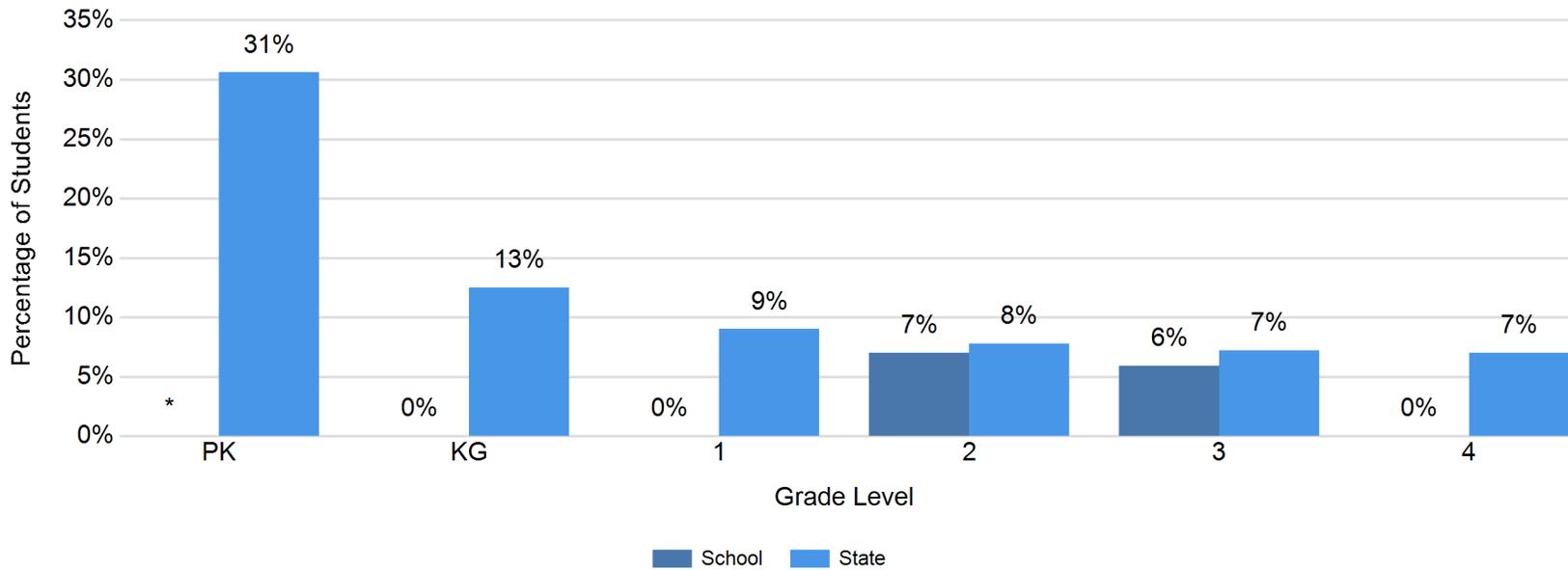
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Chronic Absenteeism by Grade

This graph shows the percentage of students in the school and across the state who were chronically absent for each grade level. **Chronic absenteeism** is defined as being absent for 10% or more of the days enrolled during the school year. A student who is not present for any reason, excused, unexcused or for disciplinary action, is considered absent unless permitted by statute or regulation.





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School Day

This table shows the start and end times and length of school day for a typical student at this school. **Instructional time** is the amount of time that a typical student was engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher.

Category	School
Typical Start Time	8:15AM
Typical End Time	3:00PM
Length of School Day	6 Hrs 45 Mins
Full Time - Instructional Time	5 Hrs. 55 Mins.
Shared Time - Instructional Time	*

Violence, Vandalism, HIB, and Substance Offenses

This table shows the number of incidents reported by type. A single incident may be counted under multiple incident types. The total unique incidents provides a non-duplicated count of incidents. The final row shows a rate of incidents for every 100 students enrolled in the school.

Incident Type	Number of Incidents
Violence	0
Vandalism	0
Weapons	0
Substances	0
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	0
Total Unique Incidents	0
Incidents Per 100 Students Enrolled	0.00

Student Suspension Rate

This table shows the percentage of students who received one or more in-school suspensions, one or more out-of-school suspensions, and one or more suspensions of any type during the school year. Students receiving both in-school and out-of-school suspensions will be counted in all rows of the table. Students who received more than one suspension are counted only one time in each category below.

Suspension Types	% of Students
In-School Suspensions	0.0%
Out-of-School Suspensions	0.0%
Any Suspension	0.0%

Student Expulsions

This table shows the number of students who were expelled from the school during the school year. An expulsion is when a student is removed from a school and does not receive any further educational services during the school year.

Category	Number of Students
Expulsions	0



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Technology Readiness

This table shows information that was collected through the optional NJTRAx survey to determine a school’s technology readiness. The student to device ratio shows the number of students for every computer or tablet in the school. The internet speed is the internet bandwidth per 1000 students enrolled in the district measured in megabits per second. The connectivity between schools is a school’s LAN network architecture. The NJTRAx survey is optional for schools, so data may not be available for all schools. Additionally, schools that have adopted a Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) policy may have appear to have a very low Student to Device ratio due to this policy decision.

School Year	Student to Device Ratio	Internet Speed	Recommended Internet Speed	Met Recommended Speed?	Connectivity between Schools	Recommended Connectivity	Met Recommended Connectivity?
2016-17	1.4:1	686.8 kbps	100 kbps	Yes	Fiber	Fiber	Yes

Per-Pupil Expenditures (District Level)

This table shows the total current expenses for regular and special education students taught within the district’s schools. It includes expenditures for instruction, support services, administration, operations and maintenance, extra-curricular activities, and community service. More information about district and charter school spending can be found using districts’ [User Friendly Budgets](#), or the NJDOE Finance [District Report Search](#) of the Comprehensive Annual Financial Reports (CAFRs) and Auditor’s Management Reports (AMRs).

Per-Pupil Expenditures	Federal	State/ Local	Total
District Total	\$607	\$24,768	\$25,375



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This section contains information about staff that are assigned to the school and district. Here is an explanation of some of the **key terms used in the staff section**:

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

Teachers: All classroom teachers

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

Full-Time Equivalent: In calculations, staff members are weighted based on the percentage of their time that they are assigned to a school or district. For example – a teacher assigned to a school half time would be weighted 50% in calculations, but a teacher assigned to a school full time would be weighted 100% in calculations.

Teachers – Experience

This table shows information about experience for teachers assigned to this school and across the state.

Category	Teachers in School	Teachers in State
Total Number of teachers	26	120,724
Average years experience in public schools	17.0	11.8
Average years experience in district	15.9	10.5
Teachers in district for 4 or more years	77%	74%

Administrators – Experience (District Level)

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

Category	Admin. in District	Admin. in State
Total Number of administrators	5	9,506
Average years experience in public schools	19.6	15.9
Average years experience in district	18.6	11.6
Administrators in district for 4 or more years	100%	74%

Student to Staff Ratios

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

Staff Type	School Students: Staff	District Students: Staff
Teachers	8:1	7:1
Administrators	67:1	73:1
Librarian/Media Specialists		364:1
Nurses		182:1
Counselors		N
Child Study Team		121:1



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Teachers and Administrators - Level of Education

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

Bachelor's Degree



Master's Degree



Doctoral Degree



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

This table shows the percentage of teachers and administrators assigned to the district in 2015-16 that were still assigned to the district in 2016-17. Staff who are not retained may have changed districts or no longer work for the state (including retirements).

Job Type	District	State
2015-16 Teachers: Same district 2016-17	92%	89%
2015-16 Administrators: Same district 2016-17	80%	88%

Faculty Attendance

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

School Year	% Days Present
2016-17	92%



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Accountability Indicator Scores and Summative Rating

New Jersey has developed a school accountability system as required by the *Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)* to identify schools that are in need of comprehensive support. This table shows the indicator scores for each indicator included in the accountability system and the weights that each indicator receives when calculating the overall Summative Score. The Summative Rating is the percentile rank of the Summative Score as compared to other schools across the state. Schools with a summative rating below the 5th percentile or high schools with a 4-year graduation rate that is less than or equal to 67% are identified for Comprehensive Support. For more information about New Jersey’s accountability system and how these indicator scores were calculated, see these [accountability resources](#).

Accountability Indicator	Indicator Score	Indicator Weight
English Language Arts Proficiency	90.8	17.5%
Mathematics Proficiency	94.4	17.5%
English Language Arts Growth	38.1	25.0%
Mathematics Growth	1.5	25.0%
Chronic Absenteeism	84.5	15.0%
Progress Towards English Language Proficiency (coming 2018)	N/A	N/A
Summative Score: Sum of all indicator scores multiplied by indicator weights		55.0
Summative Rating: Percentile rank of Summative Score		57.2
Requires Comprehensive Support: Summative Rating is less than or equal to 5th percentile		No

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† Indicator weights for this school were adjusted due to data availability.



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Accountability Summary by Student Group

New Jersey has developed a school accountability system as required by the *Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)* to identify schools that are in need of Targeted Support. Any student group where the summative score would be in the bottom 5% of schools (see previous page) is identified for Targeted Support for a Low-Performing Student Group. If any student group is identified for Targeted Support, this will be noted in the Schoolwide row in the table. Schools in which one or more student groups miss annual targets for all indicators two years in a row are identified for Targeted Support for a Consistently Underperforming Student Group. In the table below, schools in which one or more student groups miss annual targets for all indicators are noted to be At Risk for being identified for Targeted Support for the 2017-18 school year. Annual targets for proficiency and graduation rate are set based on a school or student group’s performance in 2015-16. The target for chronic absenteeism is the statewide average for all students. For more details on accountability targets, see these [accountability resources](#).

Student Group	Summative Score	Cut-off Score for Targeted Support and Improvement	Requires Targeted Support and Improvement for 2016-17	English Language Arts Proficiency	Mathematics Proficiency	Chronic Absenteeism	English Language Arts Student Growth	Mathematics Student Growth	At Risk for Consistently Underperforming Student Group
Schoolwide	55.0	11.9	No	Met Target†	Met Target†	Met Target	Met Target	Not Met	No
White	54.6	11.9	No	Met Goal	Met Target†	Met Target	Met Target	Not Met	No
Hispanic	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Black or African American	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
American Indian or Alaska Native	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Two or More Races	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Economically Disadvantaged Students	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Students with Disabilities	**	**	No	N	N	Not Met	**	**	No
English Learners	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No

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School General Info

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School Narrative

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

Highlights:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Significantly outperformed the state in Math and English-Language Arts in both Third and Fourth Grade PARCC Assessment • Technologically-rich educational environment • Nationally recognized Elementary Jostens Renaissance Positive School Climate and Culture Program
Mission, Vision, Theme:	William H. Ross III Elementary School is a fun and exciting place to learn. Our dedicated and energetic Staffully (Staff and Faculty as one team) truly cares for children, and this can be seen throughout our building every day. Our school features small class sizes, computers in every classroom that are connected to the Internet.
Awards, Recognition, Accomplishments:	Both Ross and Tighe School students and their families work cooperatively each year on a beautiful garden at the Tighe School. Every year, they grow a variety of vegetables that are sold at a weekly farmers' market in town during the summer. The proceeds from the garden are used to purchase food for a local food bank. In the 2012-2013 school year, the garden was honored as the New Jersey Garden of the year!



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 <p>Courses, Curriculum, Instruction:</p>	<p>Technology integration in all academic areas is paramount. The ELA program allows for exploration of themes through the integration of a Balanced Literacy approach. A thematic approach is also employed in the school's social studies program. The hands-on science curriculum covers physical, life, and environmental science. An additional focus on STEM, which is cross-curricular in nature. The math program allows for concepts to be explored through the use of manipulatives and problem solving.</p>
 <p>Clubs and Activities:</p>	<p>Ross Renaissance Student Leadership (3rd and 4th Grades), Artsy Upcycle Club, Art Club (1st and 2nd), Kind Kids Club, Homework Club, Ross Renaissance Running Club, Garden Gourmet, Harvest of the Month</p>
 <p>Before and After School Programs:</p>	<p>Lucky Kids latch-key program for Kindergarten to Fourth Grade - open until 6pm daily.</p>



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 <p>Staff and Professional Learning:</p>	<p>The staff’s dedication to our children is illustrated in its professionalism. They constantly seek out new information and explore new methods through district inservice programs and attendance of outside workshops that both enhance the curriculum and improve the means of reaching all of their students.</p>
 <p>Student Supports and Services:</p>	<p>Ross School continues to address the needs of any child through the following programs: “gifted” attributes through regular assessment, English as a Second Language (ESL), Special Education, and Speech and Physical/Occupational Therapy.</p>
 <p>Student Health and Wellness:</p>	<p>Our District Wellness Council provides programming based upon student need. Groups are BFF group (about friendship), Lunch Bunch (Social Skills Group), Banana Splits (losing a parent by death or divorce).</p>
 <p>Parent and Community Involvement:</p>	<p>The Margate Educational Foundation is a community-wide, cooperative effort to identify, secure, and distribute resources to enhance the quality of education in the Margate Public Schools. They have sponsored several activities for the children including a special “Backyard Lunch” at the end of the school year featuring pizza and music. They also enlist the help of parents to coordinate alternate indoor recess activities (board games and Computer Zone) during the winter months.</p>



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 <p>Facilities:</p>	<p>Our building is also available to the entire Margate community through the many afternoon and evening programs offered by the town's recreation department. Some of these programs have included recreation basketball (for all children in the community regardless of where they attend school), music, drama, as well as various arts and crafts programs.</p>
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Other Information:

The community and parents are also encouraged to participate in their children’s education by volunteering as classroom readers, helpers, and chaperones. Parents often participate in many special events in their children’s classes. Sometimes, they may be a guest reader. They also help out at holiday parties and other celebrations. They have also shared their life and/or professional experiences with the children. Sometimes they may be introducing the children to a different culture or relating their experiences in a different part of the country or the world. The Principal also holds special gathering with parents that include Breakfast with the Principal and other events in which parents come to an informal meeting with no agenda other than their questions and concerns. Every year, senior citizens are invited by their student hosts to visit a classroom. This past year, our students have also participated in several intergenerational activities with seniors in collaboration with the Bloom Senior Center in Margate. It is our philosophy that in order to have students succeed and accomplish the academic and civic goals they need to attain, community, parents, and educational staff must all work together. We at the William H. Ross III Elementary School are constantly working for our students’ success by creating the kind of positive climate that includes the cooperation all of the aforementioned groups.