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School Contact Info

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Type	Contact Information
County	ESSEX
District	WEST ESSEX REGIONAL
Principal Name	MR. POPAT
Address	65 WEST GREENBROOK RD NORTH CALDWELL, NJ 07006
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Email Address	VPOPAT@WESTEX.ORG
Website	https://ms.westex.org
Facebook	https://www.facebook.com/west-essex-regional-school-district-168876806510129/
Twitter	https://twitter.com/westessexms

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Enrollment Trends by Grade

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

Grade	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
7	294	278	276
8	290	293	281
Total	584	571	557

Enrollment Trends by Student Group

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

Student Group	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Female	49.5%	50.3%	50.1%
Male	50.5%	49.7%	49.9%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	2.9%	3.0%	3.1%
Students with Disabilities	16.3%	15.4%	15.3%
English Learners	0.2%	0.5%	0.7%
Homeless Students		0.0%	0.0%
Students in Foster Care		0.0%	0.0%
Military-Connected Students		0.0%	0.0%
Migrant Students		0.0%	0.0%

Enrollment by Racial and Ethnic Group

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

Racial and Ethnic Group	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
White	83.6%	84.4%	85.5%
Hispanic	8.0%	7.2%	6.8%
Black or African American	1.9%	1.4%	0.7%
Asian	4.5%	4.9%	5.0%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%
Two or More Races	2.1%	2.1%	1.8%

Enrollment by Home Language

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

Home Language	% of Students
English	94.8%
Arabic	1.1%
Other Languages	4.1%

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

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

Student Growth

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

Student Group	ELA: School Median	ELA: District Median	ELA: Statewide Median	ELA: Met Standard (40-59.5)	Math: School Median	Math: District Median	Math: Statewide Median	Math: Met Standard (40-59.5)
Schoolwide	42	42	50	Met Standard	38	38	50	Not Met
White	42	42	50	Met Standard	38	38	51	Not Met
Hispanic	31	31	49	Not Met	44	44	48	**
Black or African American	*	*	44	**	*	*	44	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	47	47	61	Met Standard	25.5	25.5	61	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	52	**	*	*	53	**
Two or More Races	*	*	49	**	*	*	51	**
Economically Disadvantaged	34	34	48	**	*	*	47	**
Students with Disabilities	33.5	33.5	41	Not Met	17	17	43	Not Met
English Learners	*	*	54	**	*	*	51	**

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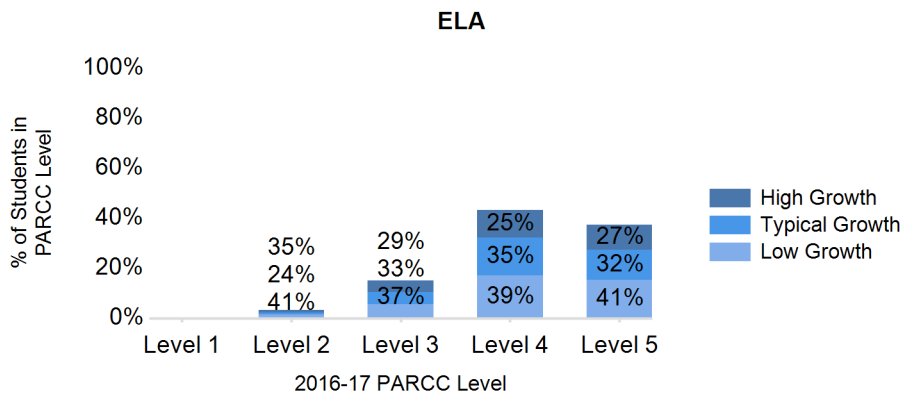
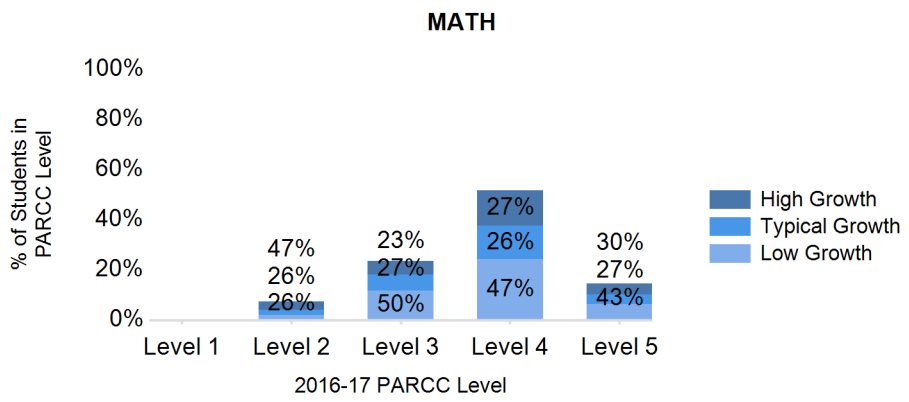
Student Growth by Performance Level

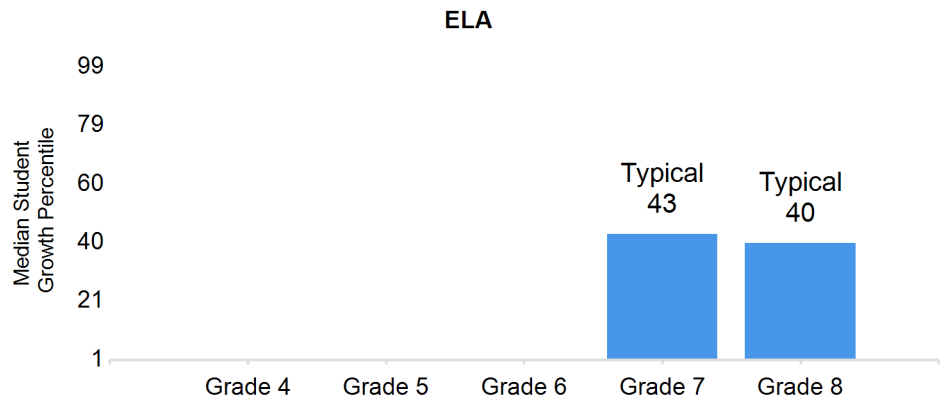
These graphs show the percentage of students by 2016-17 PARCC performance level that fall into each of the three levels of growth based on their 2017-18 test scores.

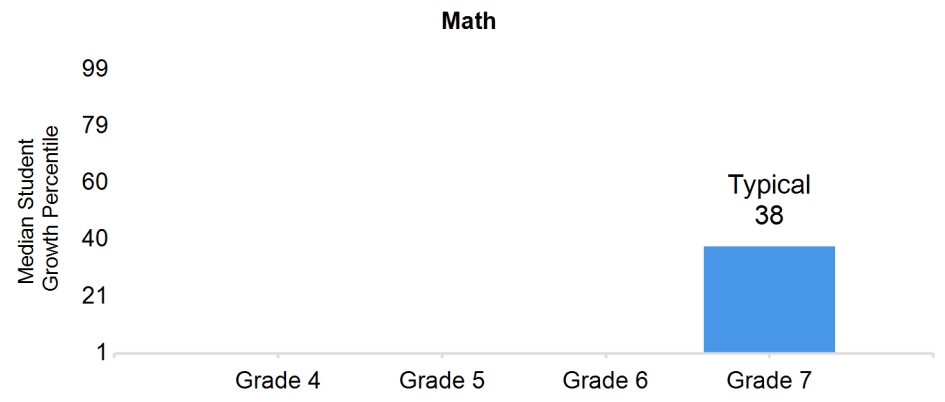




Student Growth by Grade

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





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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	2017-18 Annual Target	Met 2017-18 Annual Target
Schoolwide	546	98.2	80.6	72.5	56.7	80.6	61.3	Met Goal
White	468	97.9	81.0	72.5	65.6	81.0	62.3	Met Goal
Hispanic	35	100.0	65.7	60.3	42.5	65.7	39.3	Met Target
Black or African American	*	*	*	*	37.3	*	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	28	100.0	92.9	91.0	82.3	92.9	80	Met Goal
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	52.7	*	**	**
Two or More Races	10	100.0	90.0	*	63.4	90.0	**	**
Female	274	99.3	89.0	81.5	64.5	89.0		
Male	272	97.1	72.0	63.1	49.4	72.0		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	15	100.0	66.7	57.1	38.5	66.7	**	**
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	531	98.2	81.0	72.9	67.5	81.0		
Students with Disabilities	83	96.5	36.1	29.4	21.6	36.1	23	Met Target
Students without Disabilities	463	98.5	88.6	80.9	63.9	88.6		
English Learners	*	*	*	*	27.3	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	*	59.4	*		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N	27.7	N		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	N	26.3	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	57.4	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	30.1	N		

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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	272	782	782	760	*	*	8%	35%	49%	84%	63%
White	231	782	782	768	*	*	8%	37%	47%	84%	72%
Hispanic	19	772	772	746	*	*	*	*	*	74%	49%
Black or African American	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	42%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	14	807	807	790	0%	0%	*	*	*	93%	87%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	756	*	*	*	*	*	*	57%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	767	*	*	*	*	*	*	68%
Female	141	792	792	769	*	*	*	30%	62%	92%	72%
Male	131	771	771	752	*	*	*	40%	35%	75%	54%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	742	*	*	*	*	*	*	44%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	771	*	*	*	*	*	*	73%
Students with Disabilities	37	735	735	721	*	*	27%	*	*	35%	22%
Students without Disabilities	235	789	789	768	*	*	5%	*	*	91%	71%
English Learners	*	*	*	705	*	*	*	*	*	*	11%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	762	*	*	*	*	*	*	64%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	32%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	725	N	N	N	N	N	N	25%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	758	N	N	N	N	N	N	64%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	716	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%

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Schoolwide	274	779	779	759	*	*	16%	42%	36%	78%	60%
White	236	779	779	767	*	*	17%	43%	35%	78%	70%
Hispanic	16	764	764	744	*	*	*	*	*	63%	45%
Black or African American	*	*	*	739	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	14	792	792	789	*	0%	0%	*	*	93%	86%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	759	N	N	N	N	N	N	59%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	766	*	*	*	*	*	*	66%
Female	133	788	788	768	*	*	10%	41%	47%	87%	69%
Male	141	770	770	751	*	*	23%	43%	26%	70%	52%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	10	751	751	740	*	*	*	*	*	60%	42%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	264	780	780	769	*	*	*	*	*	79%	71%
Students with Disabilities	44	741	741	719	*	*	*	*	*	39%	19%
Students without Disabilities	230	786	786	766	*	*	*	*	*	86%	68%
English Learners	*	*	*	703	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	761	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	27%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	726	N	N	N	N	N	N	27%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	760	N	N	N	N	N	N	61%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%

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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance Trends

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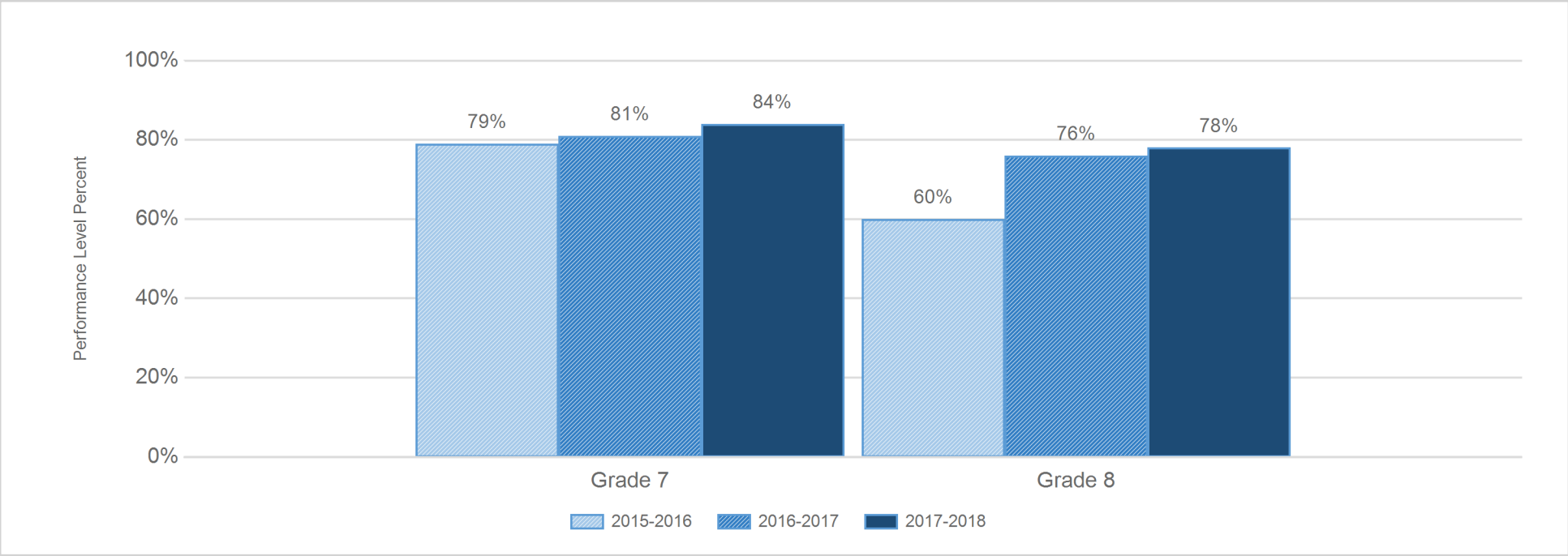

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White	469	97.9	63.7	58.7	54.1	63.7	61.9	Met Target
Hispanic	34	97.2	47.1	44.9	29.2	47.1	35.4	Met Target
Black or African American	*	*	*	*	23.4	*	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	29	100.0	89.7	85.4	77.0	89.7	80	Met Goal
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	42.5	*	**	**
Two or More Races	10	100.0	80.0	*	53.0	80.0	**	**
Female	274	98.6	67.2	63.6	46.0	67.2		
Male	273	97.5	61.2	54.4	43.9	61.2		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	16	100.0	37.5	34.4	26.6	37.5	**	**
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	531	98.0	64.9	59.7	55.9	64.9		
Students with Disabilities	84	97.7	15.5	15.1	17.1	15.5	18	Met Target†
Students without Disabilities	463	98.1	73.0	67.5	50.5	73.0		
English Learners	*	*	*	40.0	24.6	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	59.3	46.9	*		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N	17.3	N		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	N	16.2	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	45.8	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	23.7	N		

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Schoolwide	272	757	757	743	*	*	27%	47%	15%	62%	43%
White	231	757	757	750	*	*	26%	49%	13%	62%	54%
Hispanic	18	747	747	732	*	*	*	*	*	39%	27%
Black or African American	*	*	*	727	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	15	779	779	767	0%	0%	*	*	*	87%	75%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	742	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	51%
Female	141	761	761	745	*	*	27%	52%	15%	67%	45%
Male	131	754	754	741	*	*	27%	42%	15%	56%	42%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	730	*	*	*	*	*	*	24%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	55%
Students with Disabilities	37	728	728	717	*	*	32%	*	*	19%	12%
Students without Disabilities	235	762	762	748	*	*	26%	*	*	69%	50%
English Learners	*	*	*	716	*	*	*	*	*	*	10%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	744	*	*	*	*	*	*	45%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	720	N	N	N	N	N	N	14%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	743	N	N	N	N	N	N	42%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%

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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	187	749	749	728	*	10%	34%	*	*	51%	28%
White	166	749	749	736	*	10%	35%	*	*	51%	36%
Hispanic	11	740	740	722	*	*	*	*	*	36%	22%
Black or African American	*	*	*	715	*	*	*	*	*	*	15%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	747	*	*	*	*	*	*	51%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	28%
Female	88	751	751	731	*	*	38%	*	*	51%	31%
Male	99	747	747	725	*	*	31%	*	*	52%	26%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	719	*	*	*	*	*	*	20%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	35%
Students with Disabilities	43	725	725	705	*	*	47%	*	*	12%	*
Students without Disabilities	144	756	756	735	*	*	31%	*	*	63%	*
English Learners	*	*	*	705	*	*	*	*	*	*	10%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	29%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	734	N	N	N	N	N	N	31%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	703	N	N	N	N	N	N	10%

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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Test: Algebra I

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Schoolwide	87	794	765	746	0%	0%	0%	74%	26%	100%	46%
White	70	792	765	755	0%	0%	0%	77%	23%	100%	57%
Hispanic	*	*	*	730	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Black or African American	N	N	*	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	797	779	*	*	*	*	*	*	79%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	746	N	N	N	N	N	N	49%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	755	*	*	*	*	*	*	54%
Female	45	794	768	748	0%	0%	0%	71%	29%	100%	48%
Male	42	794	762	745	0%	0%	0%	76%	24%	100%	44%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	25%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	756	*	*	*	*	*	*	57%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	716	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	752	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
English Learners	N	N	*	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	87	794	*	749	0%	0%	0%	74%	26%	100%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	16%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	712	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	752	N	N	N	N	N	N	49%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	720	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%

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Schoolwide	N	N	745	735	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
White	N	N	744	740	N	N	N	N	N	N	37%
Hispanic	N	N	741	723	N	N	N	N	N	N	14%
Black or African American	N	N	*	719	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	761	760	N	N	N	N	N	N	65%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	734	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Two or More Races	N	N	*	741	N	N	N	N	N	N	39%
Female	N	N	749	736	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
Male	N	N	740	734	N	N	N	N	N	N	29%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	*	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	*	741	N	N	N	N	N	N	38%
Students with Disabilities	N	N	720	713	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Students without Disabilities	N	N	750	738	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
English Learners	N	N	N	711	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	N	N	745	736	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	711	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	24%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	709	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%

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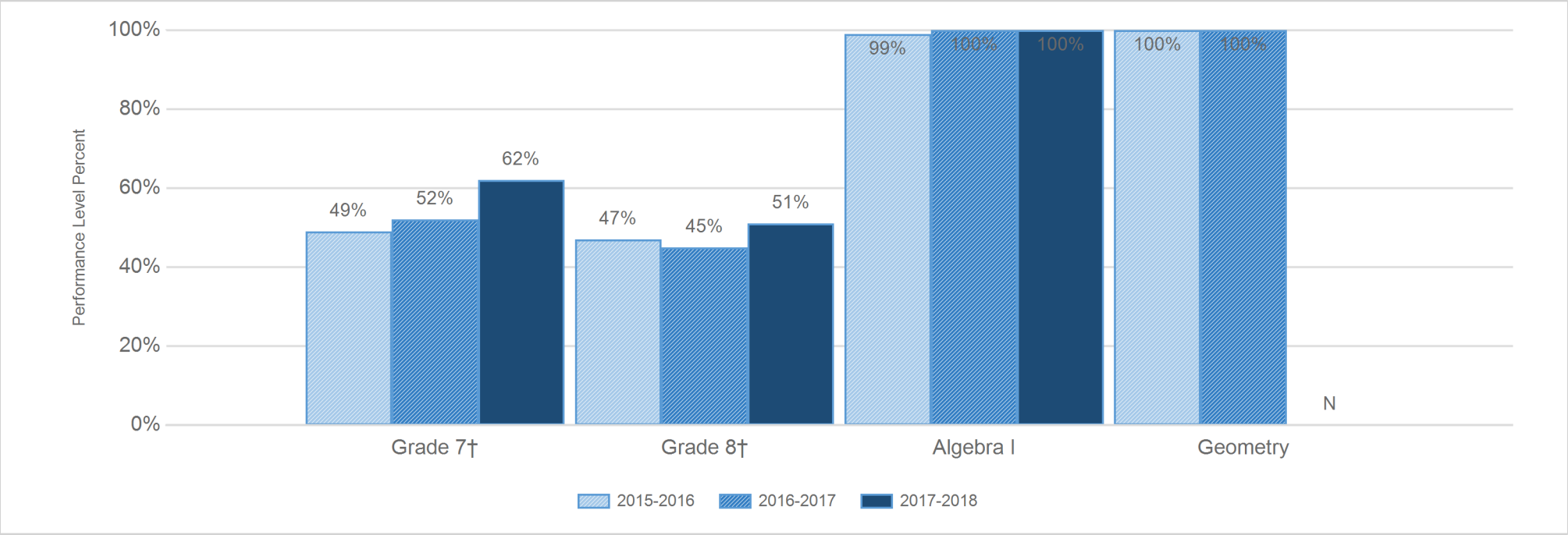
Mathematics Assessment – Performance Trends

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



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

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DLM Alternate Assessment - Participation

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

Grade	ELA: # Students Tested	Math: # Students Tested
7	*	*
8	*	*

English Language Progress to Proficiency

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

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

† Target was met within one standard deviation

English Language Proficiency Test - Participation and Performance

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

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

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

NJASK Science Assessment Information

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

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Information about New Jersey Student Learning Standards can be found on the NJDOE website.

Mathematics - Course Participation

This table shows the number of students who were enrolled in Mathematics courses by grade and subject area. Students are counted more than once if they were enrolled in courses across multiple subject areas.

Grade	Algebra I	Geometry	Grade Level and Other Math
7	0	0	278
8	89	0	194
Total	89	0	472

World Languages - Course Participation

This table shows the number of students who were enrolled in World Languages courses by grade and language. Students are counted more than once if they were enrolled in courses across multiple languages.

Grade	Spanish	French	Italian	Latin	German	Chinese	Other Languages
7	135	31	93	0	0	0	0
8	138	31	84	0	0	0	0
Total	273	62	177	0	0	0	0

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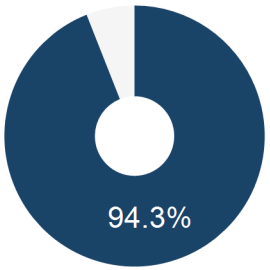
Visual and Performing Arts – Course Participation

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

Grades 6-8:

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



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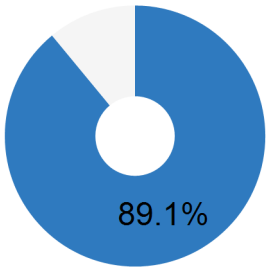

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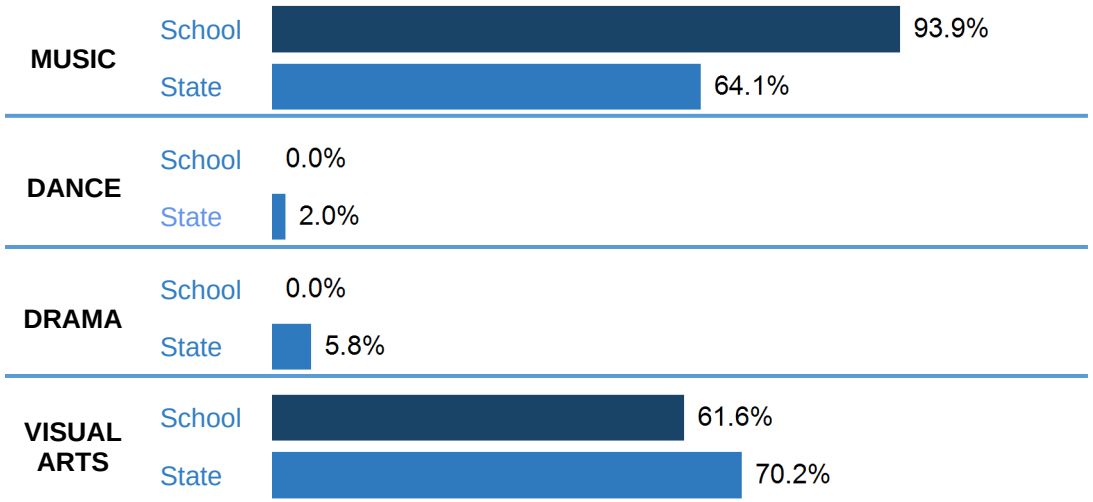

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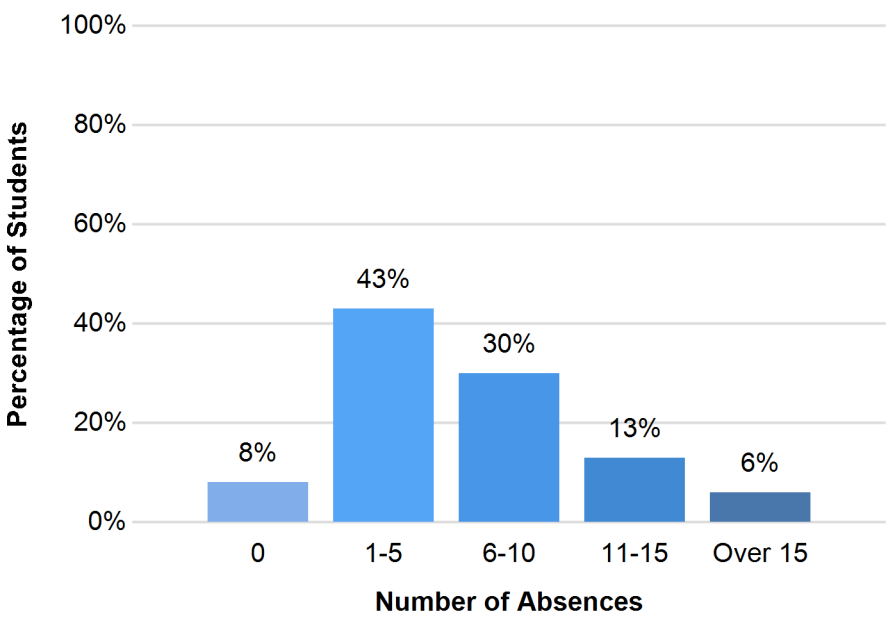
Chronic Absenteeism

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

Student Group	Number of students chronically absent	Percent of students chronically absent	State Average	Met State Average
Schoolwide	21	3.7	10.0	Met
White	19	4.0	10.0	Met
Hispanic	2	5.4	10.0	Met
Black or African American	*	*	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	0	0	10.0	Met
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	**	**
Two or More Races	0	0	**	**
Economically Disadvantaged Students	1	5.9	**	**
Students with Disabilities	7	7.9	10.0	Met
English Learners	*	*	**	**

Days Absent

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



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Chronic Absenteeism by Grade

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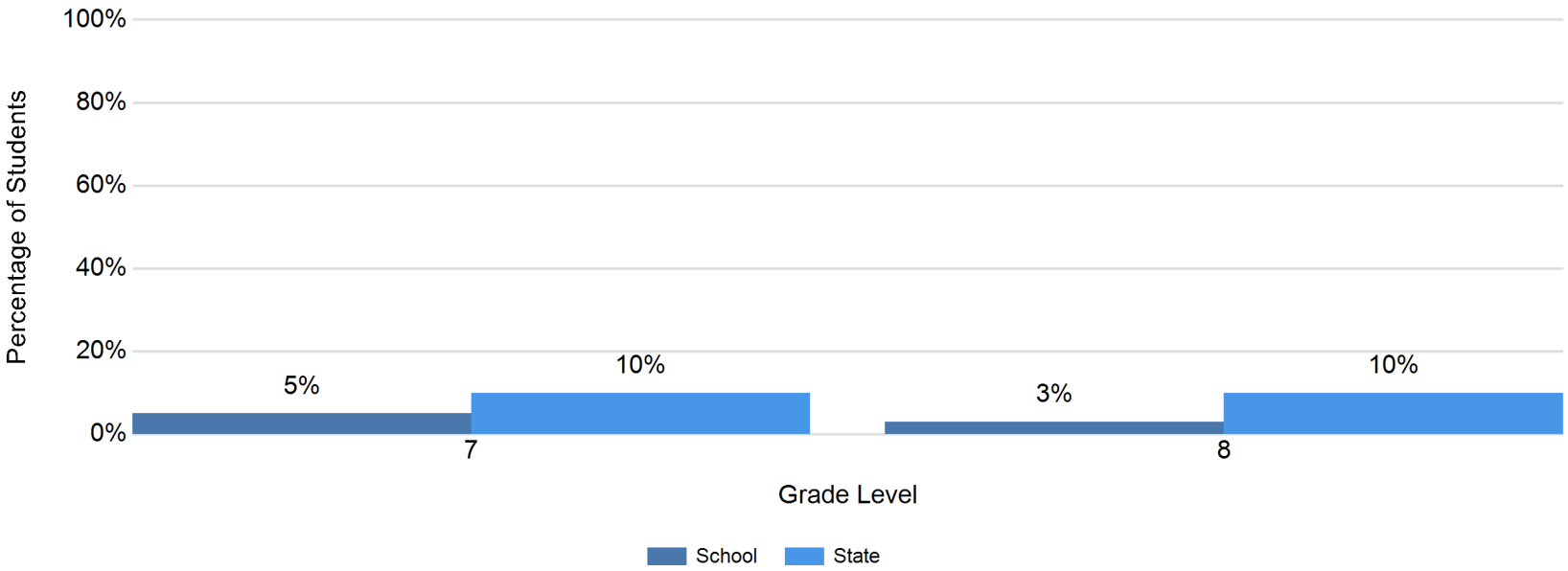

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Violence, Vandalism, HIB, and Substance Offenses

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

Incident Type	Number of Incidents
Violence	5
Weapons	1
Vandalism	2
Substances	1
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	5
Total Unique Incidents	13
Incidents Per 100 Students Enrolled	2.33

Police Notifications

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

Incident Type	Incidents Reported to Police
Violence	4
Weapons	1
Vandalism	1
Substances	0
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	4
Other Incidents Leading to Removal	1

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Harassment, Intimidation, and Bullying (HIB) Investigations

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

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

Student Disciplinary Removals

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

Removal Type	Number of Students	Percent of Students
In-School Suspensions	*	*
Out-of-School Suspensions	11	2.0%
Any Suspension	16	2.9%
Removal to other education program	0	0.0%
Expulsion	0	0.0%
Arrest	0	0.0%

School Days Missed due to Out-of-School Suspensions
32

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School Day

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

Category	School
Typical Start Time	7:40 AM
Typical End Time	2:35 PM
Length of School Day	6 Hrs 55 Mins
Full Time - Instructional Time	6 Hrs 0 Mins
Shared Time - Instructional Time	N

Device Ratios

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

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

Per-Pupil Expenditures (District Level)

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

Per-Pupil Expenditures	Federal	State/ Local	Total
District Total (2016-2017)	$218	$17,334	$17,552

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

Teachers – Experience

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

Category	Teachers in School	Teachers in State
Total Number of teachers	58	117,464
Average years experience in public schools	9.3	12.0
Average years experience in district	9.0	10.7
Teachers in district for 4 or more years	74.1%	75.5%

Administrators – Experience (District Level)

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

Category	Admin. in District	Admin. in State
Total Number of administrators	15	9,374
Average years experience in public schools	8.0	16.0
Average years experience in district	8.0	12.0
Administrators in district for 4 or more years	66.7%	76.2%

Student and Staff Ratios

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

Ratio	School Ratio	District Ratio
Students to Teachers	10:1	10:1
Students to Administrators	111:1	111:1
Teachers to Administrators	12:1	11:1
Students to Librarians/Media Specialists		833:1
Students to Nurses		833:1
Students to Counselors		238:1
Students to Child Study Team		278:1

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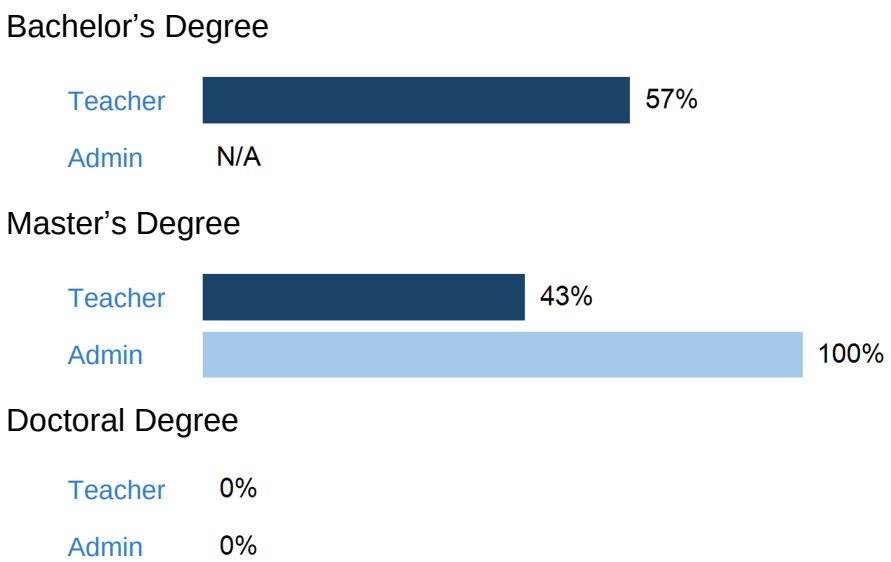
Teachers and Administrators - Level of Education

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



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

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

Job Type	District	State
2016-17 Teachers: Same district 2017-18	92.9%	90.2%
2016-17 Administrators: Same district 2017-18	81.3%	86.2%

Faculty Attendance

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

School Year	% Days Present
2017-18	95.6%

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

Teachers and Administrators – Demographics

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

Category	Teachers	Administrators
Female	75.9%	60.0%
Male	24.1%	40.0%
White	98.3%	100.0%
Hispanic	1.7%	0.0%
Black or African American	0.0%	0.0%
Asian	0.0%	0.0%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%	0.0%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%
Two or More Races	0.0%	0.0%

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New Jersey's school accountability system identifies schools that are in need of comprehensive and targeted support as required by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). For more information about New Jersey's accountability system, how indicator and summative scores were calculated, and how federal accountability status is determined, see these accountability resources.

Comprehensive Status

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

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

Targeted Status

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

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

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

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 and Improvement. This table shows the indicator scores for each indicator included in the accountability system and the weight 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 score in the bottom 5% of Title I schools or with a four-year graduation rate of 67% or less are identified as requiring Comprehensive Support and Improvement. For more information about New Jersey's accountability system and how these indicator scores were calculated, see these accountability resources.

Accountability Indicator	Score	Weight
English Language Arts Proficiency	85.66	17.5%
Mathematics Proficiency	69.25	17.5%
English Language Arts Growth	14.34	25.0%
Mathematics Growth	7.42	25.0%
Progress Towards English Language Proficiency	**	**
Chronic Absenteeism	84.95	15.0%
Summative Score: Sum of all indicator scores multiplied by indicator weights	45.29	n/a
Summative Rating: Percentile Rank of Summative Score	41.35	n/a
Requires Comprehensive Support: Summative Rating is less than or equal to 5th percentile	No	n/a

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

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Accountability Summary by Student Group - 2017-18 School Year

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

Student Group	Summative Score	Summative Score Cut-off for Targeted Support	Requires Targeted Support: Low Performing Student Group	ELA Proficiency: Met Annual Target	Math Proficiency: Met Annual Target	ELA Student Growth: Met Standard	Math Student Growth: Met Standard	Progress Towards English Language Proficiency: Met Annual Target	Chronic Absenteeism: Met State Average	Requires Targeted Support: Consistently Underperforming Student Group - 2017-18
Schoolwide	n/a	n/a	No	Met Goal	Met Target	Met Standard	Not Met	**	Met	No
White	45.85	14.08	No	Met Goal	Met Target	Met Standard	Not Met	n/a	Met	No
Hispanic	54.76	14.08	No	Met Target	Met Target	Not Met	**	n/a	Met	No
Black or African American	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	58.15	14.08	No	Met Goal	Met Goal	Met Standard	**	n/a	Met	No
American Indian or Alaska Native	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Two or More Races	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Economically Disadvantaged Students	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Students with Disabilities	39.86	14.08	No	Met Target	Met Target†	Not Met	Not Met	n/a	Met	No
English Learners	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	**	No

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

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School Narrative

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:	• Technology is part of each school day, with all students utilizing 1:1 personal Chromebooks • Rigorous curriculum that is fully aligned with New Jersey Student Learning Standards • Comprehensive character education program, featuring monthly advisory and guest speakers throughout the school year
Mission, Vision, Theme:	West Essex Regional Middle School, located in North Caldwell, receives students from the Essex Fells, Fairfield, North Caldwell, and Roseland elementary school districts. The Middle School currently houses approximately 560 students in grades 7 and 8. The guiding philosophy of our school is to provide a supportive learning environment as students move through a period in which biological, psychological, intellectual, and social growth and change will be evident.
Awards, Recognition, Accomplishments:	West Essex Middle School was honored by the National Middle School Forum and the New Jersey Schools to Watch program as a "Spotlight School" for 2018. The evaluation committee noted our outstanding school climate, rigorous academic program, and expansive student support initiatives as the strengths of our school. WEMS also features an award-winning Music Program that includes Band, Choir, and Orchestra. Finally, our athletics teams are extremely successful, balancing the importance of participation with competitive excellence.

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Courses, Curriculum, Instruction:	We have a comprehensive academic program that includes two distinct Language Arts classes in grades 7 and 8, Math, Social Studies, and Science. We offer multiple levels of Reading and Math in 7th Grade. 8th Grade offers an expansion of levels for all core subjects, and includes some 9th Grade Math as well. Students also take Health/Physical Education, World Language, Performing Arts electives (Band, Chorus, Orchestra), and cycle electives - Art, Music, Computer Science, and S.T.E.M.
Sports and Athletics:	Sports Offered: Baseball (Boys), Basketball (Boys & Girls), Field Hockey (Girls), Soccer (Boys & Girls), Softball (Girls), Wrestling (Boys)
Clubs and Activities:	Art Club, Book Club, Builders' Club, Dance Team, Gifted and Talented Enrichment, Glee Club, Jazz Ensemble, Knightlights Literary Magazine, The Knightly News Newspaper, Math Counts, Random Acts of Kindness, Select Choir, STEM Club, Steppingstone Yearbook Club, String Ensemble, Trep$.

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Before and After School Programs:	We offer four levels of after school academic support for our students. All teachers are available for extra help after school. West Essex High School National Honor Society Students are available for tutoring in the 5 core academic subjects. Homework Club provides a quiet, structured environment for students to complete their work. Finally, Knight Squad offers focused assistance to students who are in danger of failure in one or more classes.

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School Safety:	School safety is a top priority for West Essex Middle School. Along with constant facility upgrades and thorough examination of our procedures, WEMS began a partnership with the non-profit organization "Sandy Hook Promise (SHP)." Through SHP, we have brought in a number of programs to increase student awarness and promote and community of upstanders.

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Technology and STEM:	Students enrolled in the Cycle Elective program receive one marking period of STEM instruction and one marking period of Computer Science instruction. The STEM Cycle class presents students with engineering design challenges that foster flexible thinking and problem-solving skills. Students learn to use the equipment in the STEM room to construct projects that require higher-order thinking skills to complete. The Computer Science Cycle class introduces students to the world of Coding. Students also learn about the numerous careers that use technology as a means for solving large-scale problems such as pollution, drought, and poverty.

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Other Information:	Based upon research that indicates a direct correlation between academic excellence and parent involvement, a variety of initiatives are either continuing from past years or are being added to strengthen the partnership between the "Home Team" and the "School Team." The Middle School has added numerous day and evening programs for parents that allow the opportunity to explore areas of our Curricula, learn about social-emotional issues, and celebrate achievements of our students. All parents/guardians receive a weekly e-mail each Friday with updates on school initiatives, keeping all members of the school community in the loop regarding the activities within the halls of West Essex Middle School. We are dedicated to the further development of a school program sensitive to the significant physical, emotional, social, and intellectual changes children will experience during early adolescence.