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School Contact Info

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Type	Contact Information
County	UNION
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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
5	210	229	243
6	229	209	227
7	238	233	208
8	240	243	234
Total	917	914	912

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	48.9%	49.6%	52.4%
Male	51.1%	50.4%	47.6%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	6.3%	6.9%	8.3%
Students with Disabilities	15.6%	15.2%	14.7%
English Learners	0.9%	1.0%	1.1%
Homeless Students		0.0%	0.4%
Students in Foster Care		0.1%	0.2%
Military-Connected Students		0.0%	0.0%
Migrant Students		0.0%	0.2%

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	67.3%	65.8%	63.4%
Hispanic	9.2%	10.6%	14.0%
Black or African American	9.2%	8.5%	8.4%
Asian	10.0%	10.4%	9.8%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.2%	0.3%	0.2%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.3%	0.3%	0.1%
Two or More Races	3.8%	4.0%	4.1%

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	92.1%
Spanish	2.2%
Chinese	1.0%
Arabic	1.0%
Other Languages	3.7%

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

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

Student Growth

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

Student Group	ELA: School Median	ELA: District Median	ELA: Statewide Median	ELA: Met Standard (40-59.5)	Math: School Median	Math: District Median	Math: Statewide Median	Math: Met Standard (40-59.5)
Schoolwide	56	55	50	Met Standard	54	54	50	Met Standard
White	54.5	53	50	Met Standard	54	53	51	Met Standard
Hispanic	56	50	49	Met Standard	49	53.5	48	Met Standard
Black or African American	45	53	44	Met Standard	54	52	44	Met Standard
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	68	68	61	Exceeds Standard	56	56.5	61	Met Standard
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	52	**	N	N	53	**
Two or More Races	59	53	49	Met Standard	52	53	51	Met Standard
Economically Disadvantaged	57.5	52	48	Met Standard	45	46	47	Met Standard
Students with Disabilities	55	48	41	Met Standard	35	38	43	Not Met
English Learners	*	68.5	54	**	*	64	51	**

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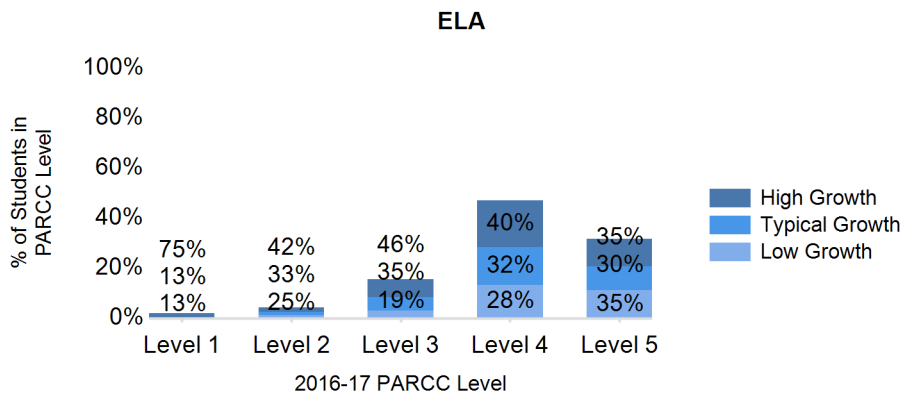
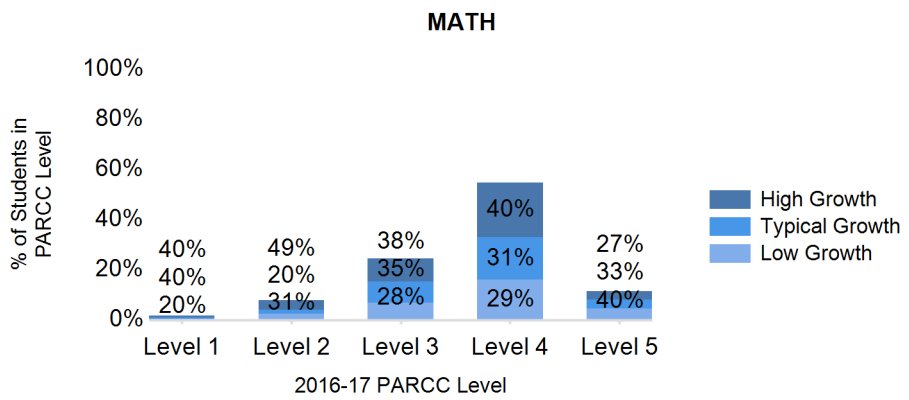
Student Growth by Performance Level

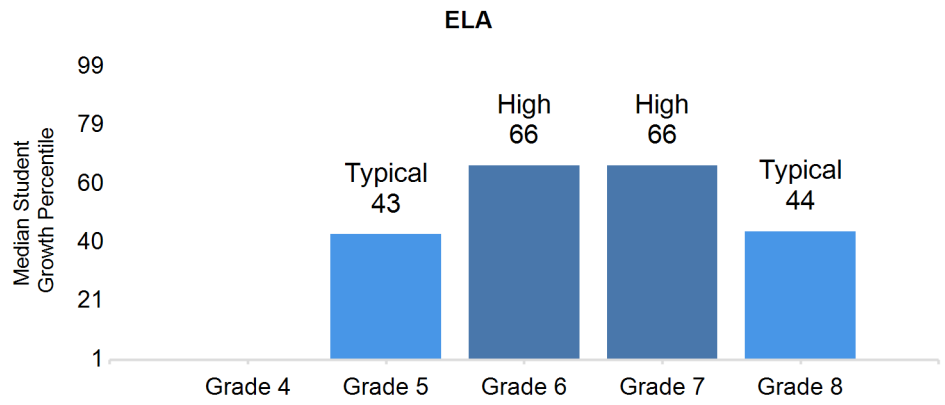
These graphs show the percentage of students by 2016-17 PARCC performance level that fall into each of the three levels of growth based on their 2017-18 test scores.

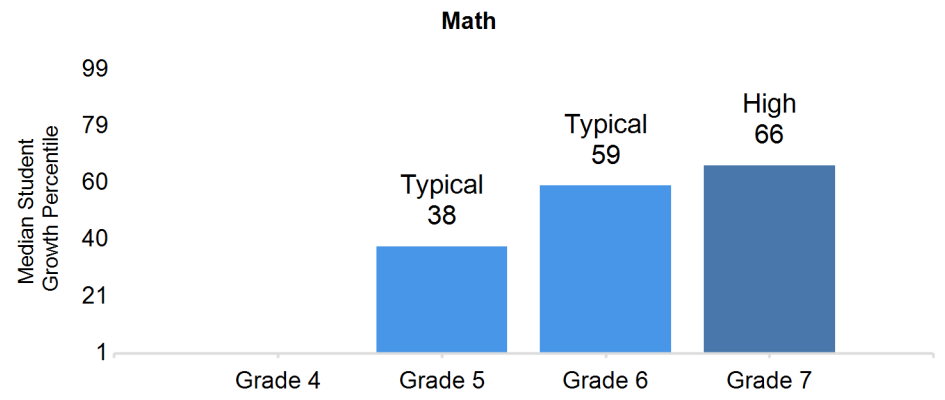




Student Growth by Grade

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	898	98.9	81.0	77.1	56.7	81.0	77.4	Met Goal
White	570	98.4	83.1	78.2	65.6	83.1	79.5	Met Goal
Hispanic	128	100.0	78.9	70.6	42.5	78.9	66.7	Met Target
Black or African American	80	100.0	50.0	57.1	37.3	50.0	57.5	Met Target†
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	82	98.9	92.7	89.0	82.3	92.7	80	Met Goal
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	52.7	*	**	**
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*	63.4	*	80	Met Goal
Female	468	99.2	87.4	83.9	64.5	87.4		
Male	430	98.6	74.0	70.4	49.4	74.0		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	68	100.0	58.8	56.9	38.5	58.8	68	Met Target†
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	830	98.8	82.7	78.3	67.5	82.7		
Students with Disabilities	138	96.5	33.3	36.7	21.6	33.3	43.1	Not Met
Students without Disabilities	760	99.4	89.6	85.1	63.9	89.6		
English Learners	11	100.0	54.6	51.3	27.3	54.6	**	**
Non-English Learners	887	98.9	81.3	77.4	59.4	81.3		
Homeless Students	*	*	*	*	27.7	*		
Students In Foster Care	*	*	*	*	26.3	*		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	*	57.4	N		
Migrant Students	*	*	*	*	30.1	*		

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

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	236	772	771	755	*	*	14%	66%	16%	81%	58%
White	154	775	773	763	*	*	12%	64%	19%	83%	68%
Hispanic	33	765	763	743	0%	*	*	82%	0%	82%	43%
Black or African American	18	751	*	738	*	*	*	*	*	50%	38%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	19	774	773	780	0%	0%	*	*	*	89%	84%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	752	N	N	N	N	N	N	53%
Two or More Races	12	784	*	763	0%	0%	*	*	*	92%	65%
Female	124	775	777	762	*	*	12%	*	*	83%	66%
Male	112	769	764	749	*	*	16%	*	*	79%	51%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	24	751	*	739	*	*	*	63%	0%	63%	39%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	212	774	*	766	*	*	*	66%	17%	83%	71%
Students with Disabilities	31	739	740	724	*	*	39%	35%	0%	35%	22%
Students without Disabilities	205	777	777	762	*	*	10%	70%	18%	88%	65%
English Learners	*	*	*	712	*	*	*	*	*	*	11%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	757	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	728	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	*	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	59%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	732	N	N	N	N	N	N	33%

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

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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	223	776	775	754	*	*	17%	50%	30%	80%	56%
White	135	778	776	761	0%	*	*	53%	32%	84%	66%
Hispanic	38	773	774	742	0%	*	*	45%	32%	76%	42%
Black or African American	*	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	35%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	22	787	790	779	0%	0%	*	*	*	86%	83%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	751	N	N	N	N	N	N	49%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	761	*	*	*	*	*	*	64%
Female	127	782	781	761	*	*	*	50%	35%	85%	64%
Male	96	768	768	748	*	*	*	50%	23%	73%	48%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	14	757	753	739	*	*	*	*	*	57%	37%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	209	777	777	764	*	*	*	*	*	81%	68%
Students with Disabilities	29	735	740	723	*	*	*	*	*	17%	18%
Students without Disabilities	194	782	781	760	*	*	*	*	*	89%	63%
English Learners	N	N	N	712	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	223	776	775	755	*	*	17%	50%	30%	80%	*
Homeless Students	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	26%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	26%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	752	N	N	N	N	N	N	55%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	732	N	N	N	N	N	N	36%

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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	205	791	789	760	*	*	8%	35%	54%	89%	63%
White	112	789	790	768	*	*	*	38%	51%	89%	72%
Hispanic	37	784	780	746	0%	0%	*	*	*	84%	49%
Black or African American	*	*	773	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	42%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	29	809	807	790	0%	0%	*	*	*	97%	87%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	57%
Two or More Races	*	*	792	767	*	*	*	*	*	*	68%
Female	109	803	801	769	*	*	*	*	*	97%	72%
Male	96	777	777	752	*	*	*	*	*	79%	54%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	14	777	*	742	*	*	*	*	*	79%	44%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	191	792	*	771	*	*	*	*	*	90%	73%
Students with Disabilities	22	749	747	721	*	*	*	*	*	55%	22%
Students without Disabilities	183	796	796	768	*	*	*	*	*	93%	71%
English Learners	N	N	N	705	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%
Non-English Learners	205	791	789	762	*	*	8%	35%	54%	89%	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	*	*	*	716	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%

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

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Schoolwide	227	779	782	759	*	*	14%	43%	35%	78%	60%
White	164	779	780	767	*	*	13%	43%	37%	80%	70%
Hispanic	18	774	780	744	0%	*	*	*	*	78%	45%
Black or African American	19	752	761	739	*	*	*	*	*	42%	39%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	17	802	811	789	0%	0%	0%	*	*	100%	86%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	759	*	*	*	*	*	*	59%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	766	*	*	*	*	*	*	66%
Female	109	789	791	768	*	*	11%	41%	44%	85%	69%
Male	118	769	774	751	*	*	17%	45%	27%	72%	52%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	18	751	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	50%	42%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	209	781	*	769	*	*	*	*	*	81%	71%
Students with Disabilities	43	741	744	719	*	*	40%	*	*	35%	19%
Students without Disabilities	184	788	791	766	*	*	8%	*	*	89%	68%
English Learners	*	*	*	703	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	761	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	*	*	*	727	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	726	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	760	N	N	N	N	N	N	61%
Migrant Students	*	*	*	718	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%

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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance Trends

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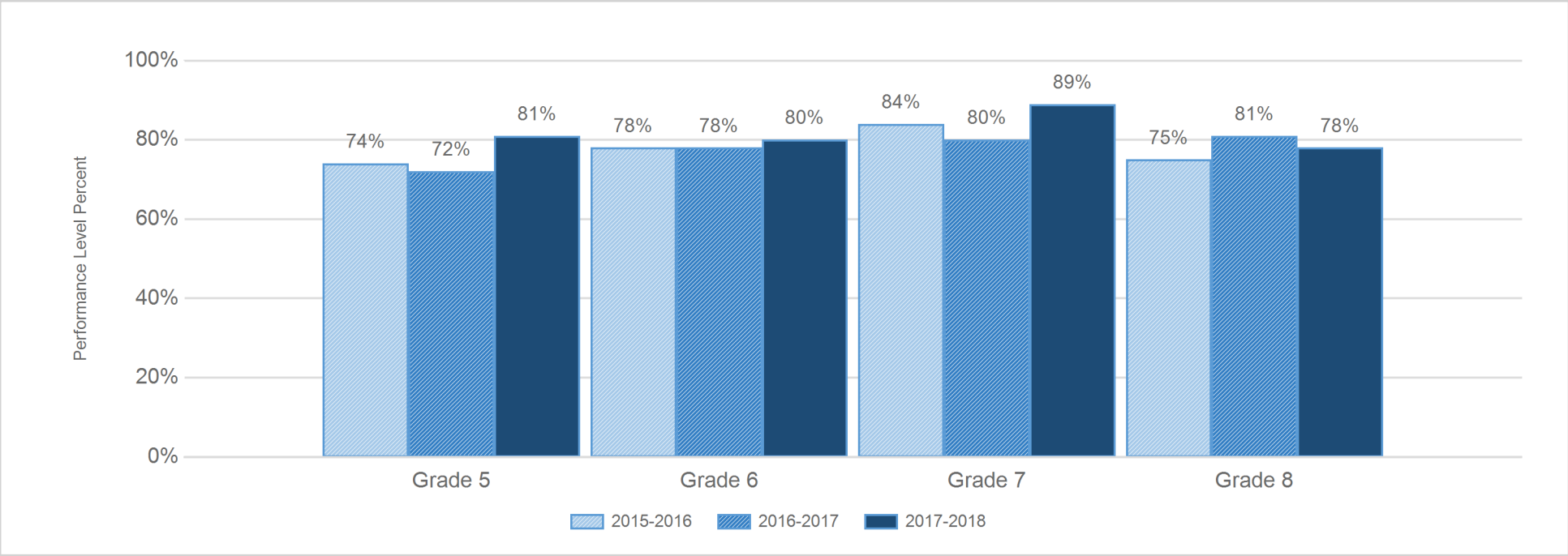

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Student Group	Valid Scores	% of students Taking Test	School: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	District: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	State: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	2017-18 Annual Target	Met 2017-18 Annual Target
Schoolwide	903	99.1	67.9	66.9	45.0	67.9	66.6	Met Target
White	572	98.6	71.5	68.6	54.1	71.5	67.6	Met Target
Hispanic	129	100.0	58.9	57.3	29.2	58.9	55	Met Target
Black or African American	80	100.0	37.6	41.7	23.4	37.6	44	Met Target†
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	84	100.0	78.5	82.2	77.0	78.5	80	Met Target†
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	42.5	*	**	**
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*	53.0	*	76.8	Met Goal
Female	469	99.2	71.0	68.6	46.0	71.0		
Male	434	99.1	64.6	65.1	43.9	64.6		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	70	100.0	40.0	39.8	26.6	40.0	58.5	Not Met
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	833	99.1	70.2	68.4	55.9	70.2		
Students with Disabilities	138	96.5	23.9	31.3	17.1	23.9	29.1	Met Target†
Students without Disabilities	765	99.6	75.8	73.8	50.5	75.8		
English Learners	14	100.0	42.9	51.2	24.6	42.9	**	**
Non-English Learners	889	99.1	68.3	67.0	46.9	68.3		
Homeless Students	*	*	*	*	17.3	*		
Students In Foster Care	*	*	*	*	16.2	*		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	*	45.8	N		
Migrant Students	*	*	*	*	23.7	*		

† Target was met within a confidence interval.

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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 5

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	238	759	759	748	*	*	24%	58%	9%	67%	49%
White	154	760	758	756	*	*	23%	60%	8%	68%	60%
Hispanic	33	752	752	736	0%	*	*	58%	0%	58%	32%
Black or African American	18	752	*	730	*	*	*	*	*	50%	26%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	21	774	773	777	0%	*	*	*	*	81%	82%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	745	N	N	N	N	N	N	42%
Two or More Races	12	762	*	754	0%	0%	*	*	*	75%	55%
Female	125	757	759	749	*	*	24%	*	*	66%	50%
Male	113	762	758	747	*	*	24%	*	*	68%	48%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	24	746	*	733	*	*	*	46%	0%	46%	29%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	214	761	*	758	*	*	*	59%	10%	69%	62%
Students with Disabilities	31	730	729	726	*	*	39%	*	*	23%	20%
Students without Disabilities	207	764	764	752	*	*	22%	*	*	73%	55%
English Learners	*	*	*	718	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	750	*	*	*	*	*	*	51%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	17%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	20%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	*	749	N	N	N	N	N	N	52%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	728	N	N	N	N	N	N	29%

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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 6

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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	225	756	758	744	*	*	25%	52%	11%	62%	44%
White	136	759	759	751	*	*	22%	59%	10%	69%	54%
Hispanic	39	756	757	731	0%	*	31%	*	*	59%	27%
Black or African American	*	*	*	726	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	22	764	773	771	*	*	*	*	*	68%	78%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	744	N	N	N	N	N	N	48%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	749	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
Female	128	757	759	745	*	*	24%	*	*	65%	45%
Male	97	755	757	742	*	*	27%	*	*	59%	42%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	16	733	730	729	*	*	*	*	*	25%	24%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	209	757	759	753	*	*	*	*	*	65%	56%
Students with Disabilities	29	719	725	717	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
Students without Disabilities	196	761	763	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	49%
English Learners	*	*	*	713	*	*	*	*	*	*	11%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	745	*	*	*	*	*	*	45%
Homeless Students	*	*	*	718	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	745	N	N	N	N	N	N	45%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	18%

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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 7

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Note: Students that took the Algebra I, Geometry, or Algebra II end of course tests are not included in grade level results.

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	207	764	763	743	*	*	20%	57%	17%	74%	43%
White	114	764	763	750	*	*	18%	61%	17%	77%	54%
Hispanic	37	757	754	732	*	*	27%	*	*	65%	27%
Black or African American	*	*	751	727	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	29	776	777	767	0%	*	*	38%	38%	76%	75%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	742	N	N	N	N	N	N	39%
Two or More Races	*	*	772	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	51%
Female	109	768	766	745	*	*	19%	56%	22%	78%	45%
Male	98	759	760	741	*	*	21%	57%	12%	69%	42%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	15	750	*	730	*	*	*	*	*	53%	24%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	192	765	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	76%	55%
Students with Disabilities	22	734	735	717	*	*	*	*	*	32%	12%
Students without Disabilities	185	767	767	748	*	*	*	*	*	79%	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	*	*	*	718	*	*	*	*	*	*	11%

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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 8

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Note: Students that took the Algebra I, Geometry, or Algebra II end of course tests are not included in grade level results.

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	700	701	728	*	*	*	*	*	*	28%
White	10	697	698	736	*	*	*	*	*	10%	36%
Hispanic	*	*	*	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	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	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Female	*	*	700	731	*	*	*	*	*	*	31%
Male	*	*	701	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	26%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	719	*	*	*	*	*	*	20%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	35%
Students with Disabilities	18	700	701	705	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Students without Disabilities	N	N	N	735	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
English Learners	N	N	N	705	N	N	N	N	N	N	10%
Non-English Learners	18	700	701	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

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 both overall and by student group the number of valid test scores and a summary of performance including mean scale scores, percentages of students scoring in each performance level, and the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5).

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	211	773	770	746	*	*	18%	63%	15%	77%	46%
White	155	772	769	755	*	*	17%	63%	15%	78%	57%
Hispanic	17	763	764	730	0%	0%	*	*	*	59%	27%
Black or African American	13	761	752	727	0%	0%	*	*	*	62%	23%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	17	789	*	779	0%	*	0%	*	*	94%	79%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	746	*	*	*	*	*	*	49%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	755	*	*	*	*	*	*	54%
Female	100	777	770	748	*	*	15%	66%	17%	83%	48%
Male	111	769	770	745	*	*	22%	59%	13%	72%	44%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	16	747	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	44%	25%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	195	775	*	756	*	*	*	*	*	80%	57%
Students with Disabilities	25	757	749	716	*	*	*	*	*	56%	13%
Students without Disabilities	186	775	774	752	*	*	*	*	*	80%	52%
English Learners	*	*	*	710	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	749	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	*	*	*	718	*	*	*	*	*	*	16%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	712	*	*	*	*	*	*	12%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	752	N	N	N	N	N	N	49%
Migrant Students	*	*	*	720	*	*	*	*	*	*	11%

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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Test: Geometry

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 both overall and by student group the number of valid test scores and a summary of performance including mean scale scores, percentages of students scoring in each performance level, and the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5).

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	N	N	756	735	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
White	N	N	758	740	N	N	N	N	N	N	37%
Hispanic	N	N	751	723	N	N	N	N	N	N	14%
Black or African American	N	N	734	719	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	768	760	N	N	N	N	N	N	65%
American Indian or Alaska Native	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	756	736	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
Male	N	N	756	734	N	N	N	N	N	N	29%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	730	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	757	741	N	N	N	N	N	N	38%
Students with Disabilities	N	N	729	713	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Students without Disabilities	N	N	760	738	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
English Learners	N	N	*	711	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	N	N	*	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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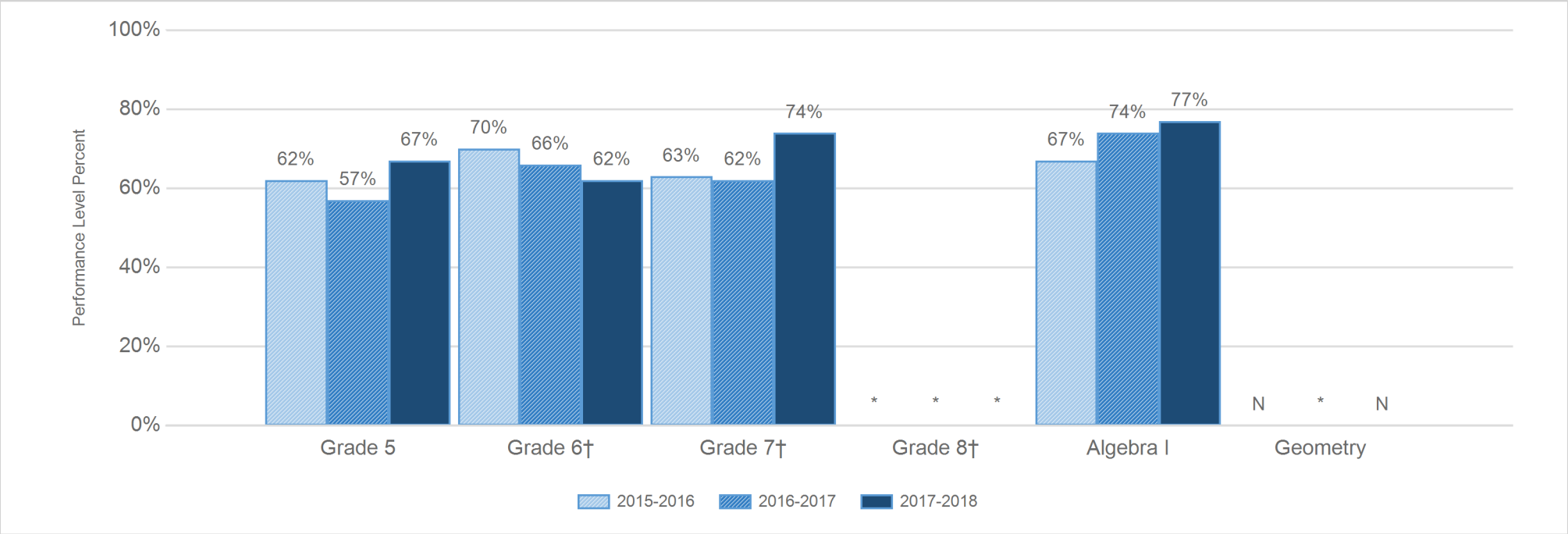
Mathematics Assessment – Performance Trends

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
5	*	*
6	*	*
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	*	*	*
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
6	0	0	227
7	0	0	208
8	214	0	234
Total	214	0	669

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
6	117	25	85	0	0	0	0
7	82	22	100	0	0	0	0
8	120	26	84	0	0	0	0
Total	319	73	269	0	0	0	0

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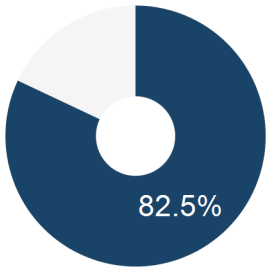
Visual and Performing Arts – Course Participation

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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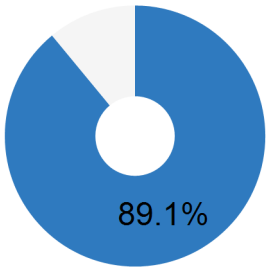

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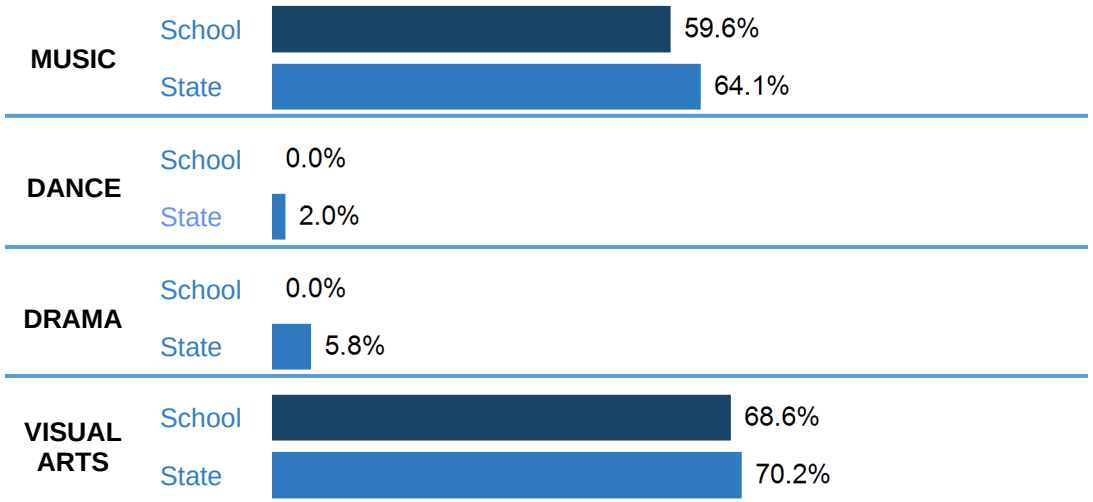

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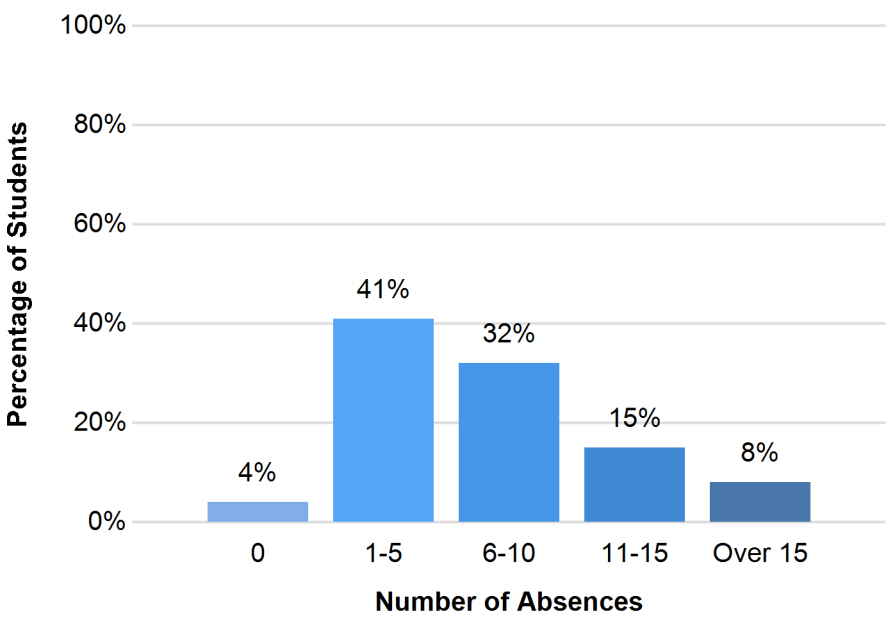
Chronic Absenteeism

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	42	4.6	9.1	Met
White	28	4.8	9.1	Met
Hispanic	6	4.7	9.1	Met
Black or African American	5	6.3	9.1	Met
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	2	2.2	9.1	Met
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	**	**
Two or More Races	*	*	9.1	Met
Economically Disadvantaged Students	11	14.1	9.1	Not Met
Students with Disabilities	10	6.9	9.1	Met
English Learners	1	10.0	**	**

Days Absent

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



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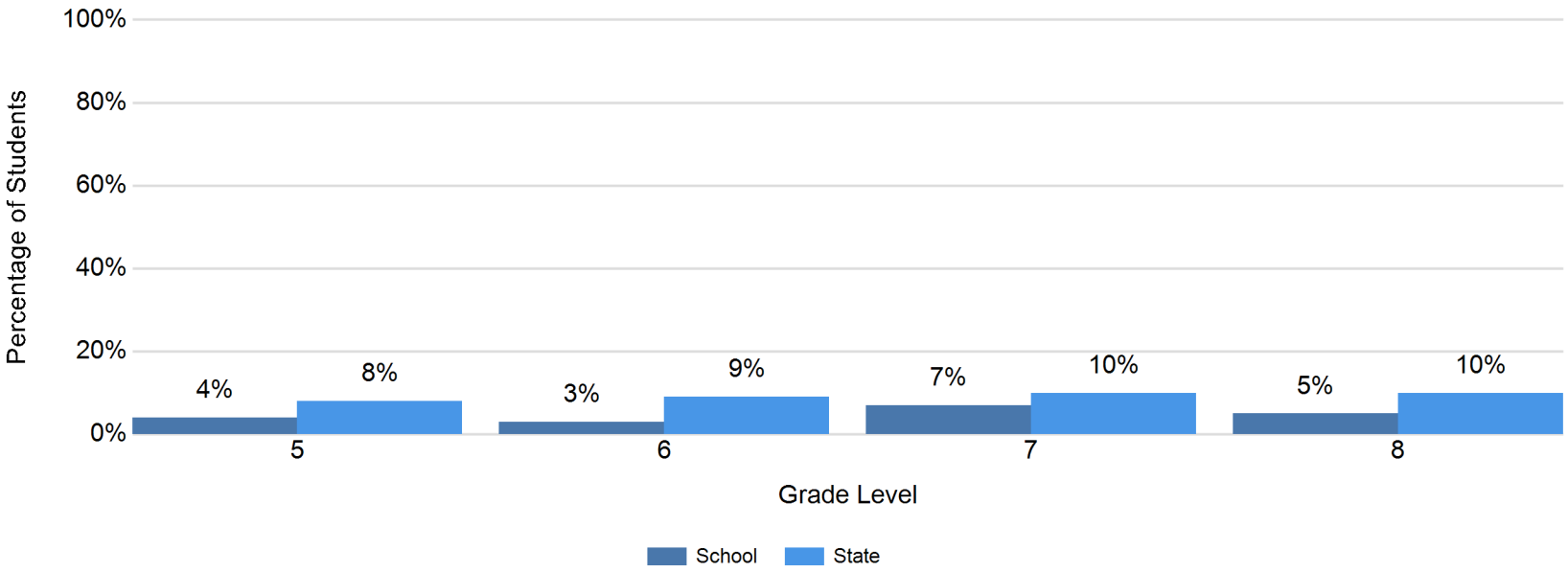
Chronic Absenteeism by Grade

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



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Violence, Vandalism, HIB, and Substance Offenses

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

Incident Type	Number of Incidents
Violence	8
Weapons	0
Vandalism	1
Substances	3
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	2
Total Unique Incidents	14
Incidents Per 100 Students Enrolled	1.54

Police Notifications

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

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

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Harassment, Intimidation, and Bullying (HIB) Investigations

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

HIB Nature (Protected Category)	HIB Alleged	HIB Confirmed	Total HIB Investigations
Race	0	1	1
Religion	0	0	0
Ancestry	0	1	1
Gender	1	0	1
Sexual Orientation	0	0	0
Disability	1	0	1
Other	6	1	7
No Identified Nature	0		0

Student Disciplinary Removals

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

Removal Type	Number of Students	Percent of Students
In-School Suspensions	16	1.8%
Out-of-School Suspensions	*	*
Any Suspension	19	2.1%
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
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School Day

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

Category	School
Typical Start Time	8:10 AM
Typical End Time	2:40 PM
Length of School Day	6 Hrs 30 Mins
Full Time - Instructional Time	5 Hrs 41 Mins
Shared Time - Instructional Time	N

Device Ratios

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

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

Per-Pupil Expenditures (District Level)

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

Per-Pupil Expenditures	Federal	State/ Local	Total
District Total (2016-2017)	$295	$13,470	$13,765

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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	86	117,464
Average years experience in public schools	8.9	12.0
Average years experience in district	8.3	10.7
Teachers in district for 4 or more years	73.3%	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	29	9,374
Average years experience in public schools	13.9	16.0
Average years experience in district	8.7	12.0
Administrators in district for 4 or more years	75.9%	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	11:1	12:1
Students to Administrators	456:1	190:1
Teachers to Administrators	43:1	15:1
Students to Librarians/Media Specialists		688:1
Students to Nurses		501:1
Students to Counselors		501:1
Students to Child Study Team		393:1

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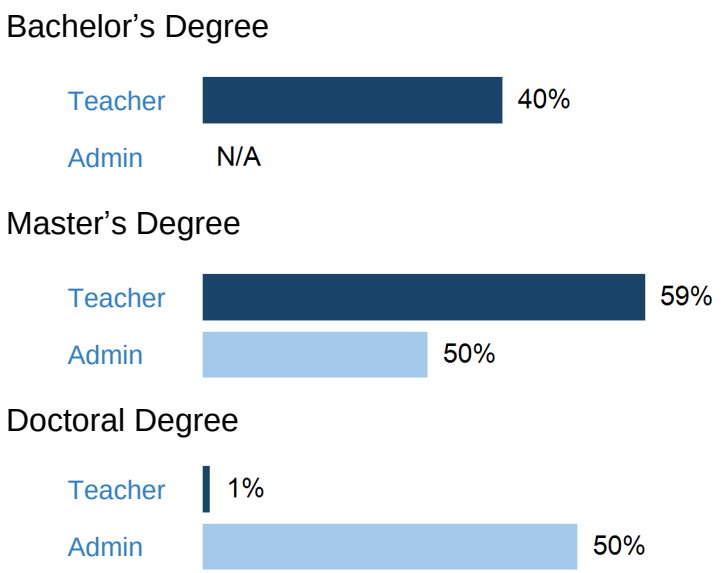
Teachers and Administrators - Level of Education

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	91.0%	90.2%
2016-17 Administrators: Same district 2017-18	92.9%	86.2%

Faculty Attendance

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

School Year	% Days Present
2017-18	97.1%

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Teachers and Administrators – Demographics

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

Category	Teachers	Administrators
Female	82.6%	100.0%
Male	17.4%	0.0%
White	90.7%	100.0%
Hispanic	4.7%	0.0%
Black or African American	1.2%	0.0%
Asian	3.5%	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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Comprehensive Status

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

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

Targeted Status

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

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

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

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Accountability Indicator	Score	Weight
English Language Arts Proficiency	88.80	17.5%
Mathematics Proficiency	79.09	17.5%
English Language Arts Growth	72.57	25.0%
Mathematics Growth	55.01	25.0%
Progress Towards English Language Proficiency	**	**
Chronic Absenteeism	74.22	15.0%
Summative Score: Sum of all indicator scores multiplied by indicator weights	72.41	n/a
Summative Rating: Percentile Rank of Summative Score	82.58	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

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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	Met Standard	**	Met	No
White	71.56	14.08	No	Met Goal	Met Target	Met Standard	Met Standard	n/a	Met	No
Hispanic	77.57	14.08	No	Met Target	Met Target	Met Standard	Met Standard	n/a	Met	No
Black or African American	73.53	14.08	No	Met Target†	Met Target†	Met Standard	Met Standard	n/a	Met	No
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	58.42	14.08	No	Met Goal	Met Target†	Exceeds Standard	Met Standard	n/a	Met	No
American Indian or Alaska Native	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Two or More Races	77.01	14.08	No	Met Goal	Met Goal	Met Standard	Met Standard	n/a	Met	No
Economically Disadvantaged Students	66.72	14.08	No	Met Target†	Not Met	Met Standard	Met Standard	n/a	Not Met	No
Students with Disabilities	64.72	14.08	No	Not Met	Met Target†	Met Standard	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

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Highlights:	• Revisions to the Technology Education and Math Explorations curriculum units enhance and increase student exposure to STEM concepts • Arts integration in writing is a continuing focus through professional development labs with students and faculty. • Park Middle School is committed to supporting and nurturing students' social and emotional development through mindfulness, resilience and empowerment.
Mission, Vision, Theme:	Park Middle School strives to educate and empower our community of individual learners to be successful citizens of the world. We encourage every student to explore, connect and persist - explore interests and friendships, create connections to the social and academic fiber of the school and practice persistence in pursuit of personal and educational goals.
Awards, Recognition, Accomplishments:	Park received three grants: one from Union County to create a school garden and two from the Educational Enrichment Foundation of Scotch Plains-Fanwood. One grant from the EEF was to supplement our school garden and the other was to purchase sensory tools for office spaces to help students with self-regulation. Similarly, our students won various awards for PTA Reflections contest, including a National winner. Jamie Yakencheck, an English/Language Arts teacher, was awarded the New Jersey Exemplary Secondary Educator Award.

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Courses, Curriculum, Instruction:	All students in grades 5 - 8 take the following courses: language arts, writing workshop, mathematics, science, social studies and world language. Fifth, sixth and eighth grade students have an art experience; seventh grade students explore industrial technology. Students in every grade level may elect to participate in our outstanding music program through band and/or chorus.
Clubs and Activities:	Students may participate in clubs and after school activities such as Computer Club, Environmental Club, Homework Club, Jazz Band, PALS (Peer and Leadership Support), Student Council, newspaper, yearbook, Science Olympiad, math enrichment, a musical production, and select chorus.

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Before and After School Programs:	Students who have been identified as needing extra support in language arts and mathematics may participate in our iSquared Program. This after school program runs throughout the year and focuses on hands-on, collaborative projects. In addition, in partnership with the Fanwood-Scotch Plains YMCA, an after school care program is available.
Staff and Professional Learning:	All staff members participate in bi-monthly professional learning communities at their school and with their content area colleagues across the district. The district also offers optional professional development sessions on a variety of topics throughout the year. These offerings are in addition to the district-wide professional development days where teacher leaders spearhead the sessions.

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Student Supports and Services:	Experiences for academically talented children in grades five through eight are offered through the QUEST (Question, Understand, Explore, Seek, Think) Program. The district offers three distinct course placements for special education students: in-class support, resource room, and self-contained classes. Additionally, Park has an active Intervention and Referral Services Committee to identify and support students who may struggle. English Language Learners benefit from specific instruction at Park.
Student Health and Wellness:	Aside from participating in regular physical education, all students have had the opportunity to participate in Walk to School Day, co-sponsored by the Fanwood-Scotch Plains YMCA. In addition, students collaborate with food services to suggest healthy options for lunch.
Parent and Community Involvement:	Park Middle has an active PTA that helps sponsor a variety of events like our assemblies and the Book Fair. Last year, parents also had the opportunity to attend a workshop given in conjunction with the Scotch Plains Police on Cyber Safety. The district also hosts PowerSchool, which provides access to a parent portal. Park also collaborates with its Municipal Alliance and the Educational Enrichment Foundation of Scotch Plains-Fanwood, a local educational foundation that awards grants.

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Facilities:	Park Middle School was built in 1926, making the building 92 years old. Recent renovations include an upgrade to the auditorium's lighting and sound to create a state-of-the-art theater. Park's facilities include the "Field of Dreams" complex, which has five athletic fields that are jointly supported by the school district, Scotch Plains Township and Fanwood Borough.

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Other Information:	The fifth grade instructional program is primarily a self-contained environment with a strong emphasis on mathematics, language arts literacy, science, and social studies. In addition to these core subjects, students experience three world languages, fine arts and physical education/health. Understanding the importance and effectiveness of small learning communities, the departmentalized sixth, seventh, and eighth grade instructional programs are structured on a team concept. Students engage in classes in language arts, writing workshop, mathematics (Connected Math), science, social studies and world language (selecting from Spanish, French, and Italian) as well as physical education and health. Art is taught in grades six and eight and technology education takes place in grade seven. All students can elect to take band with supportive small group lessons and/or chorus. Recognizing the importance of the social and emotional growth of students, the middle school program incorporates a student-centered advisory program, entitled S.T.A.R. (Students Taking Academic Responsibility), for students in grades six through eight. In small group settings, students participate in interactive modules that afford them the opportunity to forge stronger relationships with teachers, develop stronger interpersonal skills, and expand their understanding of specific topics of interest to middle school students. Additionally, the S.T.A.R. program is designed to enhance students' citizenship, while bolstering a positive school climate through a variety of character education experiences. For the coming year, the S.T.A.R. program will focus on digital citizenship, specifically how students can be more thoughtful consumers and producers of information online. As more and more learning becomes digital, as is the case for our teachers and students using Google Classroom, we believe this to be an important focus.