




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

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- **Ask questions:** These reports can help start a conversation, but they cannot answer all the questions you might have about schools in your community. Use the contact information provided to engage with faculty and administrators at your schools to ask about the data you see in these reports.
- **Get involved:** Schools need help from parents and communities to help students succeed. Contact your school to find out about school board meetings or parent and community groups.

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Footnotes

1. An "*" indicates that data is not displayed to protect student privacy; "N" indicates no data is available to display.
2. ** ESSA accountability targets are only included if data is available for at least 20 students.

Note: Additional footnotes may exist within the reports specific to certain data tables. In those instances, the footnotes will be displayed below the applicable table.



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Enrollment Trends by Grade

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

Grade	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
KG	0	0	61
1	0	0	61
2	0	0	58
3	0	0	60
4	0	0	60
5	0	0	60
Ungraded	0	0	0
Total	0	0	360

Enrollment Trends by Student Group

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

Student Group	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
Female	0%	0%	51%
Male	0%	0%	49%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0%	0%	60%
Students with Disabilities	0%	0%	8%
English Learners	0%	0%	5%
Homeless Students			0%
Students in Foster Care			0%
Military-Connected Students			0%
Migrant Students			0%

Enrollment by Racial and Ethnic Group

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

Racial and Ethnic Group	% of Students
Hispanic	66.4%
White	24.4%
Black or African American	4.7%
Asian	3.9%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%
Two or More Races	0.6%

PreK and K - Full Day and Half Day

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

Grade	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
KG - Half Day	0	0	0
KG - Full Day	0	0	61

Enrollment by Home Language

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

Home Language	% of Students
Spanish	51.1%
English	26.4%
Portuguese	14.2%
Arabic	1.9%
Creoles and pidgins, French-based	1.1%
Other	5.7%



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Student Group	Valid Scores	% of students Taking Test	School: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	District: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	State: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	2016-17 Annual Target	Met 2016-17 Annual Target
Schoolwide	117	98.9	47.00	47.00	54.90	47	N	N
White	37	98.0	40.50	40.50	63.90	40.5	N	N
Hispanic	73	99.1	48.00	48.00	39.80	48	N	N
Black or African American	*	*	*	*	35.20	*	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	80.70	*	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	53.70	N	**	**
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*	54.90	*	**	**
Female	59	100.0	56.00	56.00	62.20	56		
Male	58	97.5	37.90	37.90	48.10	37.9		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	71	99.1	47.90	47.90	36.20	47.9	N	N
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	46	98.5	45.60	45.60	65.80	45.6		
Students with Disabilities	17	95.7	17.60	17.60	20.50	17.6	N	N
Students without Disabilities	100	99.3	52.00	52.00	61.90	52		
English Learners	*	*	*	*	25.20	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	*	57.40	*		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N	26.40	N		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	N	24.80	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	53.50	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	23.00	N		

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

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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	58	748	748	749	*	*	22%	52%	*	53%	50%
White	22	747	747	759	*	*	*	46%	*	50%	61%
Hispanic	32	745	745	734	*	*	*	50%	0%	50%	35%
Black or African American	*	*	*	731	*	*	*	*	*	*	32%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	775	*	*	*	*	*	*	76%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	747	N	N	N	N	N	N	46%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	751	N	N	N	N	N	N	52%
Female	27	749	749	754	*	*	*	56%	*	59%	55%
Male	31	746	746	745	*	*	*	48%	*	48%	46%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	33	743	743	731	*	*	*	49%	*	52%	31%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	25	754	754	762	*	*	*	56%	*	56%	63%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	720	*	*	*	*	*	*	24%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	755	*	*	*	*	*	*	55%
English Learners	*	*	*	709	*	*	*	*	*	*	11%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	752	*	*	*	*	*	*	53%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	720	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	26%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	750	N	N	N	N	N	N	49%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	734	N	N	N	N	N	N	29%



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

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Schoolwide	59	757	757	753	*	*	25%	41%	17%	58%	56%
White	*	*	*	762	*	*	*	*	*	*	67%
Hispanic	42	757	757	740	*	*	29%	33%	*	52%	40%
Black or African American	*	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	36%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	777	*	*	*	*	*	*	82%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	750	N	N	N	N	N	N	56%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	755	N	N	N	N	N	N	56%
Female	34	770	770	758	*	*	*	38%	29%	68%	61%
Male	25	740	740	749	*	*	*	44%	0%	44%	51%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	36	755	755	737	*	*	*	39%	*	56%	36%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	23	761	761	764	*	*	*	44%	*	61%	69%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	25%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	759	*	*	*	*	*	*	62%
English Learners	*	*	*	711	*	*	*	*	*	*	10%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	755	*	*	*	*	*	*	58%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	728	N	N	N	N	N	N	31%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	755	N	N	N	N	N	N	60%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	726	N	N	N	N	N	N	36%



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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance 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	57	740	740	756	*	21%	26%	39%	*	42%	59%
White	*	*	*	763	*	*	*	*	*	*	69%
Hispanic	35	737	737	743	*	*	31%	31%	*	37%	44%
Black or African American	N	N	N	740	N	N	N	N	N	N	39%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	779	*	*	*	*	*	*	84%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	56%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	757	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
Female	34	740	740	761	*	*	*	35%	*	41%	66%
Male	23	741	741	750	*	*	*	44%	*	44%	53%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	39	741	741	740	*	*	*	*	*	44%	40%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	18	739	739	765	*	*	*	*	*	39%	71%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	762	*	*	*	*	*	*	66%
English Learners	*	*	*	710	*	*	*	*	*	*	12%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	757	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	733	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	757	N	N	N	N	N	N	62%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	36%

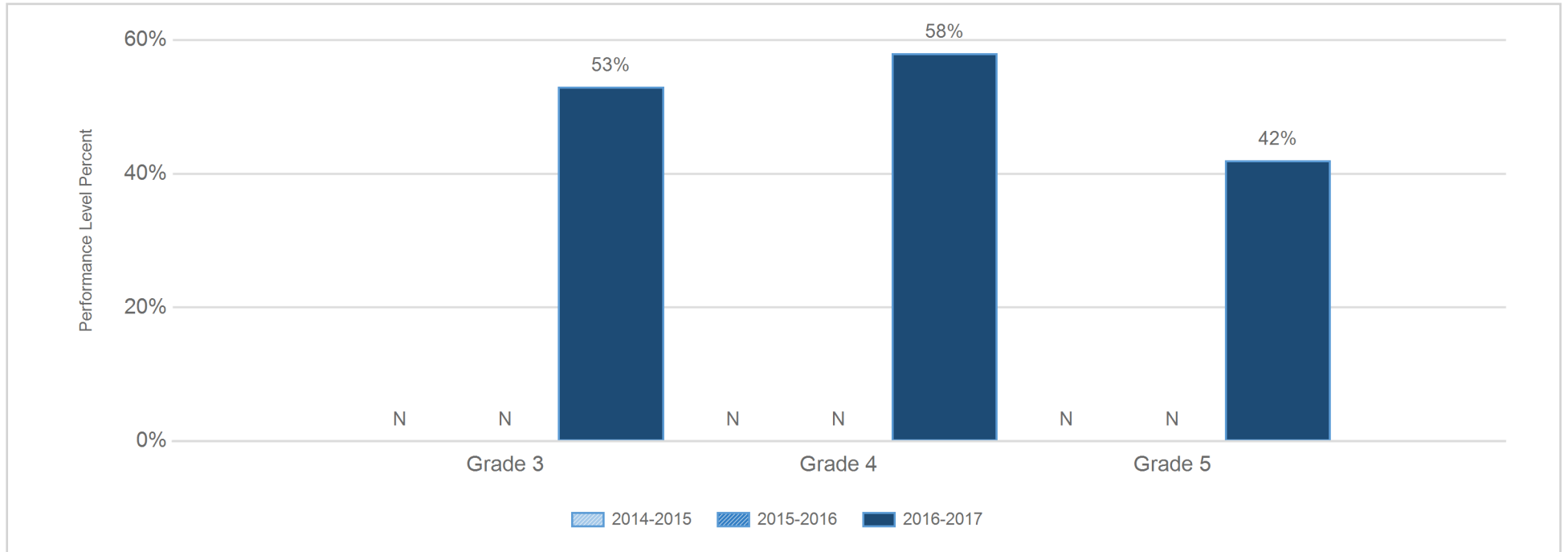


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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance Trends

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





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Schoolwide	118	99.4	51.70	51.70	43.50	51.7	N	N
White	37	100.0	59.40	59.40	52.40	59.4	N	N
Hispanic	74	99.1	46.00	46.00	27.60	46	N	N
Black or African American	*	*	*	*	21.70	*	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	75.60	*	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	42.50	N	**	**
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*	44.90	*	**	**
Female	60	100.0	55.00	55.00	44.10	55		
Male	58	98.8	48.30	48.30	42.90	48.3		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	72	99.1	44.40	44.40	25.10	44.4	N	N
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	46	100.0	63.00	63.00	54.30	63		
Students with Disabilities	17	95.7	23.60	23.60	16.50	23.6	N	N
Students without Disabilities	101	100.0	56.40	56.40	48.80	56.4		
English Learners	*	*	*	*	23.30	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	*	45.20	*		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N	16.40	N		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	N	15.10	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	39.90	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	18.20	N		

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Schoolwide	60	764	764	751	*	*	22%	38%	28%	67%	53%
White	22	767	767	759	0%	*	*	*	*	68%	63%
Hispanic	34	760	760	738	0%	*	*	41%	*	62%	37%
Black or African American	*	*	*	733	*	*	*	*	*	*	32%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	779	*	*	*	*	*	*	82%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	750	N	N	N	N	N	N	51%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	751	N	N	N	N	N	N	53%
Female	27	766	766	751	0%	*	*	48%	*	74%	52%
Male	33	763	763	751	0%	*	*	30%	*	61%	53%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	35	756	756	736	0%	*	*	37%	*	57%	34%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	25	775	775	761	0%	*	*	40%	*	80%	65%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	29%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	755	*	*	*	*	*	*	57%
English Learners	*	*	*	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	753	*	*	*	*	*	*	55%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	724	N	N	N	N	N	N	22%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	27%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	750	N	N	N	N	N	N	51%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	726	N	N	N	N	N	N	35%



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 4

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Schoolwide	60	756	756	747	0%	*	30%	53%	*	60%	47%
White	*	*	*	755	*	*	*	*	*	*	59%
Hispanic	42	756	756	734	0%	*	33%	48%	*	57%	30%
Black or African American	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	25%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	774	*	*	*	*	*	*	79%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	743	N	N	N	N	N	N	42%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	747	N	N	N	N	N	N	48%
Female	34	761	761	747	0%	*	*	56%	*	68%	47%
Male	26	748	748	747	0%	*	*	50%	*	50%	48%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	36	755	755	732	0%	*	*	47%	*	56%	27%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	24	757	757	757	0%	*	*	63%	*	67%	61%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
English Learners	*	*	*	716	*	*	*	*	*	*	12%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	749	*	*	*	*	*	*	49%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	723	N	N	N	N	N	N	18%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	18%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	749	N	N	N	N	N	N	50%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	713	N	N	N	N	N	N	22%



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 5

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Schoolwide	59	739	739	747	*	25%	34%	27%	*	31%	46%
White	*	*	*	754	*	*	*	*	*	*	57%
Hispanic	37	732	732	735	*	27%	41%	*	0%	19%	30%
Black or African American	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	22%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	774	*	*	*	*	*	*	79%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	745	N	N	N	N	N	N	51%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	747	*	*	*	*	*	*	47%
Female	36	733	733	747	*	*	*	*	*	25%	47%
Male	23	747	747	746	*	*	*	*	*	39%	46%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	41	732	732	732	*	*	*	*	*	24%	27%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	18	754	754	756	*	*	*	*	*	44%	59%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
English Learners	*	*	*	717	*	*	*	*	*	*	12%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	48%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	724	N	N	N	N	N	N	18%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	748	N	N	N	N	N	N	48%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	716	N	N	N	N	N	N	18%

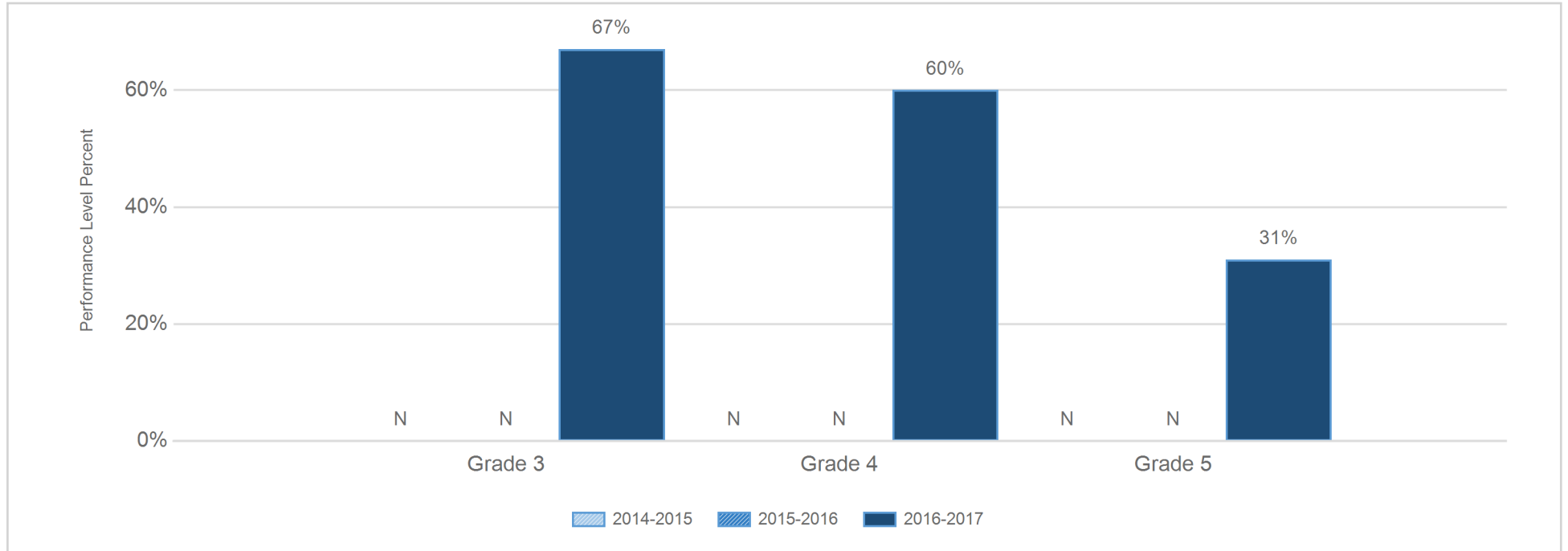


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Mathematics Assessment – Performance Trends

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





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Alternate Assessments - Participation

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

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

English Language Proficiency Test - Participation and Performance

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

Years in District	# Students Tested	% Students with Overall Score Below 4.5	% Students with Overall Score of 4.5 and above
1	*	*	*
2	14	85.7%	14.3%
3	N	N	N
4	N	N	N
5+	N	N	N



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

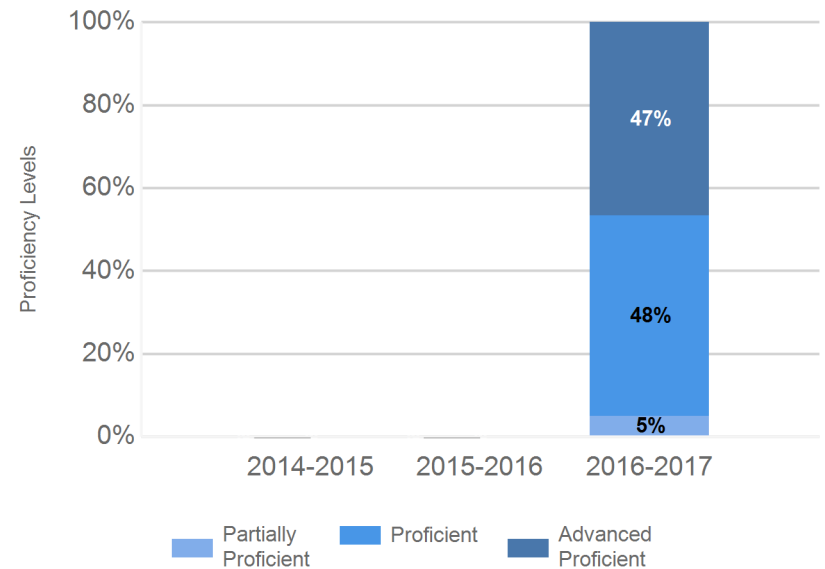
NJASK Science Assessment Performance: Grade 4

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

Student Group	% Advanced Proficient	% Proficient	% Partially Proficient
Statewide	45%	40%	14%
Schoolwide	47%	48%	5%
White	55%	36%	*
Hispanic	43%	55%	3%
Black or African American	*	*	*
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	N
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N
Two or More Races	N	N	N
Economically Disadvantaged Students	44%	53%	3%
Students with Disabilities	N	*	*
English Learners	N	N	N

NJASK Science Assessment Performance Trends: Grade 4

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





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

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

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

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

Student Growth

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

Student Group	ELA: School Median	ELA: District Median	ELA: Statewide Median	ELA: Met Target of 40	Math: School Median	Math: District Median	Math: Statewide Median	Math: Met Target of 40
Schoolwide	37	37	50	Not Met	49	49	50	Met Target
White	27	27	50	**	49	49	52	**
Hispanic	44	44	49	Met Target	50	50	47	Met Target
Black or African American	*	*	45	**	*	*	43	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	60	**	*	*	59	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Two or More Races	*	*	51	**	*	*	52	**
Economically Disadvantaged	35	35	47	Not Met	44	44	46	Met Target
Students with Disabilities	28.5	28.5	41	**	29.5	29.5	43	**
English Learners	*	*	53	**	*	*	51	**

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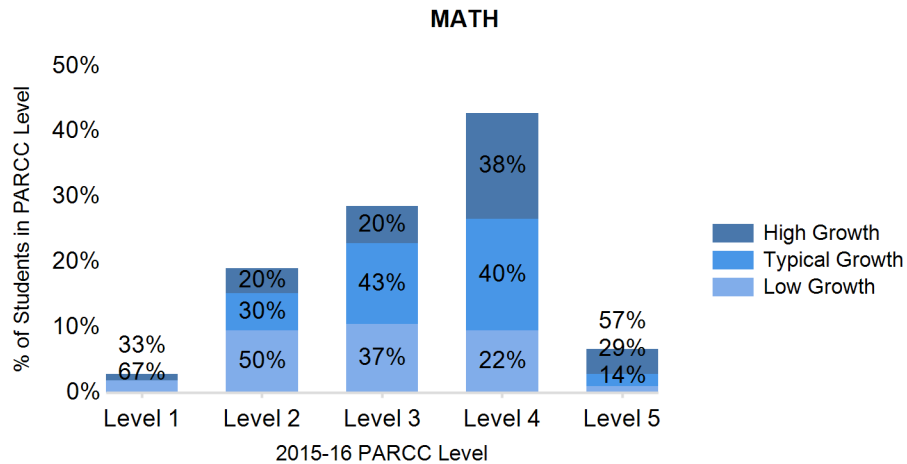
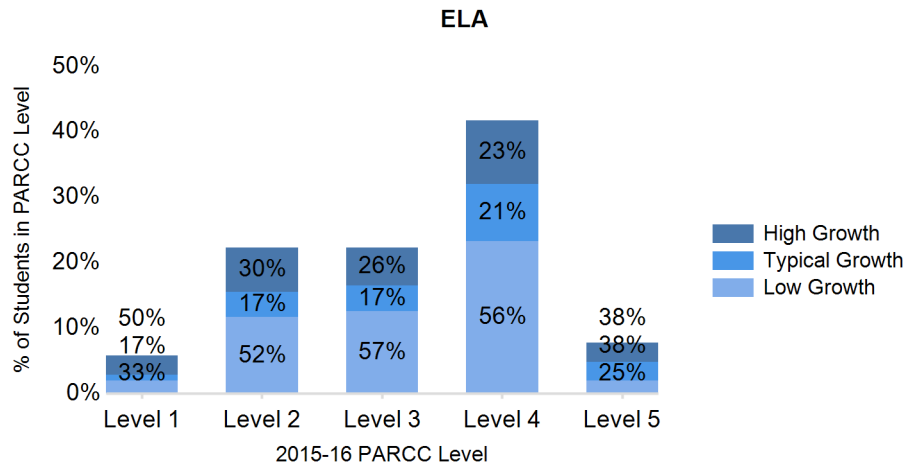
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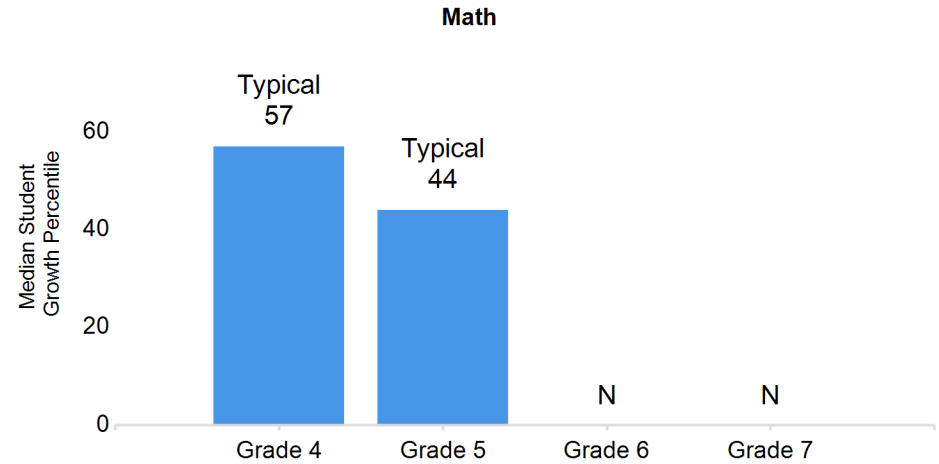
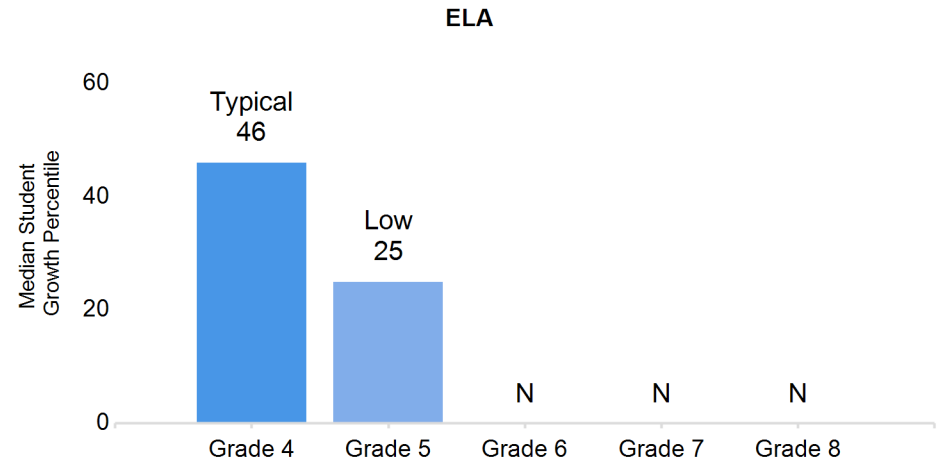
Student Growth by Performance Level

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



Student Growth by Grade

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





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

Chronic Absenteeism

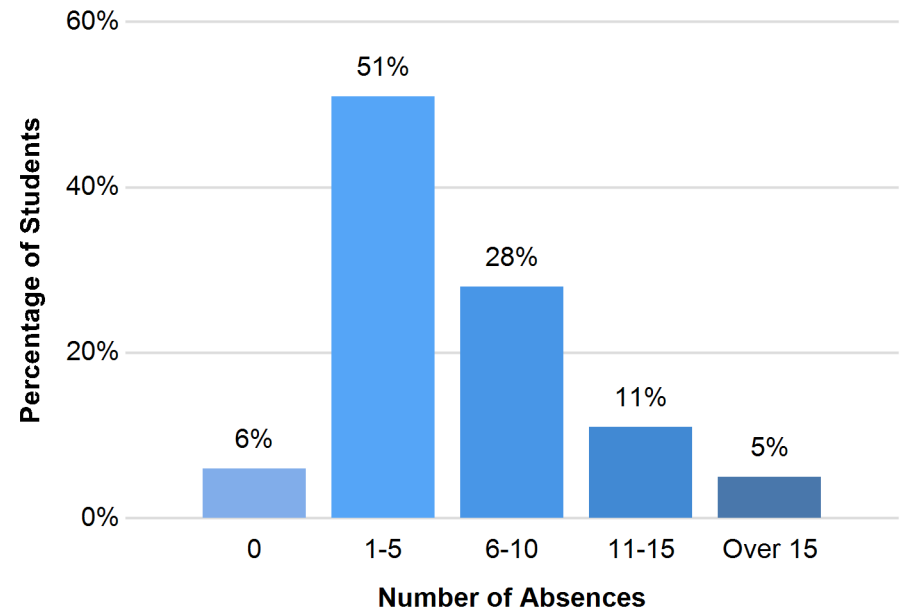
This table shows the percentage of students in grades K-12 in the school and each student group who were chronically absent. This table also shows whether the school and each student group met the ESSA accountability targets for 2016-17.

Student Group	% Chronically Absent	2016-17 Target	Met 2016-17 Target
Schoolwide	4.40	8.40	Met Target
White	4.50	8.40	Met Target
Hispanic	3.30	8.40	Met Target
Black or African American	N	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	**	**
Economically Disadvantaged Students	6.00	8.40	Met Target
Students with Disabilities	3.70	8.40	Met Target
English Learners	N	**	**

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

Days Absent

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



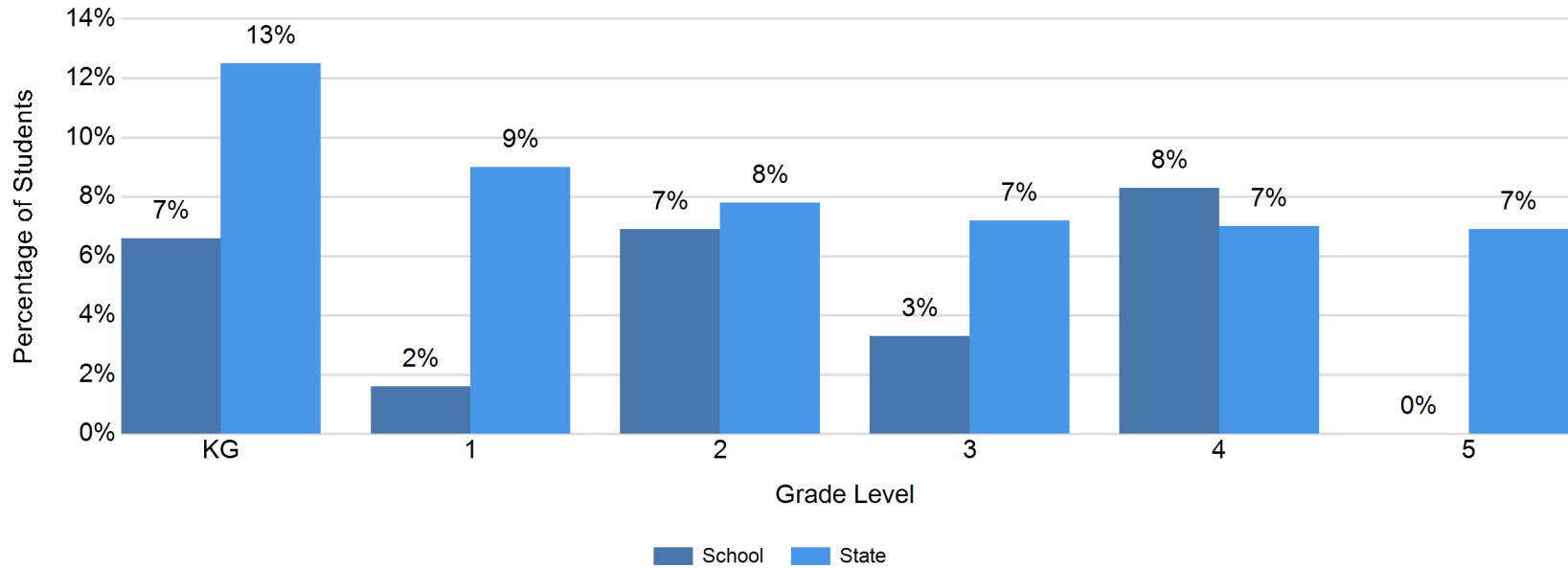


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Chronic Absenteeism by Grade

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





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School Day

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

Category	School
Typical Start Time	8:00AM
Typical End Time	4:15PM
Length of School Day	8 Hrs 15 Mins
Full Time - Instructional Time	5 Hrs. 50 Mins.
Shared Time - Instructional Time	*

Violence, Vandalism, HIB, and Substance Offenses

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

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

Student Suspension Rate

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

Suspension Types	% of Students
In-School Suspensions	0.6%
Out-of-School Suspensions	0.8%
Any Suspension	1.4%

Student Expulsions

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

Category	Number of Students
Expulsions	0



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Technology Readiness

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

School Year	Student to Device Ratio	Internet Speed	Recommended Internet Speed	Met Recommended Speed?	Connectivity between Schools	Recommended Connectivity	Met Recommended Connectivity?
2016-17	1:1	833.3 kbps	100 kbps	Yes	Fiber	Fiber	Yes

Per-Pupil Expenditures (District Level)

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

Per-Pupil Expenditures	Federal	State/ Local	Total
District Total (2015-2016)	N	N	N



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

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

Teachers: All classroom teachers

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

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

Teachers – Experience

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

Category	Teachers in School	Teachers in State
Total Number of teachers	26	120,724
Average years experience in public schools	2.8	11.8
Average years experience in district	1.0	10.5
Teachers in district for 4 or more years	0%	74%

Administrators – Experience (District Level)

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

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

Student to Staff Ratios

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

Staff Type	School Students: Staff	District Students: Staff
Teachers	14:1	14:1
Administrators	N	N
Librarian/Media Specialists		N
Nurses		360:1
Counselors		N
Child Study Team		N



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Teachers and Administrators - Level of Education

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

Bachelor's Degree



Master's Degree



Doctoral Degree



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

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

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

Faculty Attendance

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

School Year	% Days Present
2016-17	96%



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Accountability Indicator Scores and Summative Rating

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

Accountability Indicator	Indicator Score	Indicator Weight
English Language Arts Proficiency	31.9	17.5%
Mathematics Proficiency	61.9	17.5%
English Language Arts Growth	12.1	25.0%
Mathematics Growth	46.7	25.0%
Chronic Absenteeism	83.6	15.0%
Progress Towards English Language Proficiency (coming 2018)	N/A	N/A
Summative Score: Sum of all indicator scores multiplied by indicator weights		43.6
Summative Rating: Percentile rank of Summative Score		39.7
Requires Comprehensive Support: Summative Rating is less than or equal to 5th percentile		No

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Accountability Summary by Student Group

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Student Group	Summative Score	Cut-off Score for Targeted Support and Improvement	Requires Targeted Support and Improvement for 2016-17	English Language Arts Proficiency	Mathematics Proficiency	Chronic Absenteeism	English Language Arts Student Growth	Mathematics Student Growth	At Risk for Consistently Underperforming Student Group
Schoolwide	43.6	11.9	No	N	N	Met Target	Not Met	Met Target	No
White	**	**	No	N	N	Met Target	**	**	No
Hispanic	61.4	11.9	No	N	N	Met Target	Met Target	Met Target	No
Black or African American	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
American Indian or Alaska Native	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Two or More Races	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Economically Disadvantaged Students	54.8	11.9	No	N	N	Met Target	Not Met	Met Target	No
Students with Disabilities	**	**	No	N	N	Met Target	**	**	No
English Learners	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No

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School Narrative

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Highlights:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rigorous curriculum with digital components in core subjects, STEAM education, and Balanced Literacy in the lower grades • Technology integration into the curriculum via 1:1 iPad or chromebook implementation, Kindles, LMS, and educational apps • Achieved highest possible Tier 1 ranking by NJCSA.
Mission, Vision, Theme:	Academic achievement, digital learning, co-curricular programs, and community involvement are the four tenets that make up the mission and vision of Hudson ASCS. Through challenging, project-based learning experiences, core competencies are learned and evidenced by students. STEAM challenges students to not only learn the content standards, but also to apply this new knowledge of 21st century skills and discoveries to tackle evolving real-world challenges.
Awards, Recognition, Accomplishments:	Hudson ASCS achieved the highest possible Tier 1 ranking by NJCSA. A student won both a gold medal and silver medal at the Twin County District Wrestling Tournament. One student qualified for the Jersey Journal-Hudson County Spelling Bee.







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 <p>Courses, Curriculum, Instruction:</p>	<p>A curriculum is designed around each grade level and subject. Unit Plans and Lesson Plans are created to fit the sequence and scope of each curriculum. The big idea, essential questions, topical questions, desired outcomes, anticipated misconceptions, primary texts, supplemental resources, and performance assessment tasks are addressed purposefully in relation to the common core standards. All textbooks are made available online.</p>
 <p>Sports and Athletics:</p>	<p>As Hudson ASCS expands, its athletics program will emerge and include sports such as Volleyball, Basketball, Baseball, Softball, Track & Field, Soccer, and Cross-country</p>
 <p>Clubs and Activities:</p>	<p>The following clubs and co-curricular opportunities are offered at Hudson ASCS: Students in Action, Robotics, Science Olympiad, Math Counts, and Theatre. The school also participates in the following activities throughout the school year: school plays, dances, winter and spring concerts, Maker's Fair, and the Garden State International Heritage Festival.</p>
 <p>Before and After School Programs:</p>	<p>Tutoring services are offered in both Math and English.</p>







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 <p>Staff and Professional Learning:</p>	<p>Teachers receive ongoing support from content area coaches throughout weekly coaching sessions and Professional Learning Communities (PLCs). Professional development sessions are offered in a 2-week Summer Institute that is prepared and facilitated by program directors and content area coaches. 2 full-day professional development trainings are also offered throughout the school year. In collaboration with Rutgers, teachers moreover receive support through the School Systems Improvement Project.</p>
 <p>Student Supports and Services:</p>	<p>Hudson ASCS ensures that all learners are able to access the materials that they are being taught by providing free tutorials and support programs that are personalized to the learner’s needs. At Hudson ASCS, the learning environment considers the needs of all learners and provides adequate resources and facilities for each child that it serves. Specific personnel are in place for ELLs and students with special needs. Reading programs are offered through the integration of Kindles.</p>
 <p>Student Health and Wellness:</p>	<p>Health classes are offered to students for one marking period, with physical education classes offered during the rest of the school year. The school nurse works in collaboration with the Health teacher in preparing materials for learning. Breakfast options are available each day. A free breakfast is provided to all students on testing days. Recess is available for students in grades K-2.</p>
 <p>Parent and Community Involvement:</p>	<p>Hudson ASCS recognizes the school as an anchor in the community. With its active PTO, Hudson ASCS organizes dress down days to raise money for nonprofit organizations, Thanksgiving food drive, and parental gatherings that serve as the grounding mechanism promoting connectivity and collaboration. Hudson ASCS is also partnered with Rutgers, GCU, and FDU, as well as local organizations such as: Boys and Girls club, Jefferson Awards Foundation, and the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation.</p>




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 <p>Climate Surveys:</p>	<p>Is a Climate Survey Used: Yes; Who is surveyed: Students, Parents, Teachers</p> <p>To promote a healthy school climate and culture, carefully selected questions aligned with state guidelines are posed to obtain feedback from students, parents, and staff. Surveys are conducted twice each year in order to measure purposeful progress and to improve the school's culture, climate, and both academic and non-academic programs.</p>
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