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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
PK	49	46	43
KG	64	59	57
1	73	54	55
2	66	72	58
3	73	68	72
4	75	71	60
Ungraded	12	8	4
Total	412	378	349

Enrollment Trends by Student Group

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

Student Group	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
Female	51%	48%	48%
Male	49%	52%	52%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	49%	52%	48%
Students with Disabilities	12%	16%	18%
English Learners	3%	6%	7%
Homeless Students			0%
Students in Foster Care			2%
Military-Connected Students			3%
Migrant Students			0%

Enrollment by Racial and Ethnic Group

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

Racial and Ethnic Group	% of Students
White	69.3%
Hispanic	14.6%
Asian	10.6%
Black or African American	5.4%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%
Two or More Races	0.0%

PreK and K - Full Day and Half Day

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

Grade	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
PK - Half Day	43	46	43
PK - Full Day	0	0	0
KG - Half Day	0	0	0
KG - Full Day	64	59	57

Enrollment by Home Language

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

Home Language	% of Students
English	85.1%
Spanish	6.6%
Urdu	2.3%
Bengali	1.7%
Chinese	1.1%
Other	3.2%



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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Participation and Performance

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Student Group	Valid Scores	% of students Taking Test	School: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	District: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	State: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	2016-17 Annual Target	Met 2016-17 Annual Target
Schoolwide	125	92.6	43.20	45.70	54.90	42.1	41.4	Met Target
White	85	91.4	48.20	49.20	63.90	46.4	48.4	Met Target†
Hispanic	18	100.0	33.30	37.70	39.80	33.3	**	**
Black or African American	10	100.0	10.00	17.20	35.20	10	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	12	85.7	50.00	58.60	80.70	45.1	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	53.70	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N	54.90	N	**	**
Female	56	91.8	50.00	58.10	62.20	48.3		
Male	69	93.2	37.70	33.50	48.10	37		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	62	93.9	37.10	34.90	36.20	*	25.9	Met Target
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	63	91.3	49.20	54.90	65.80	*		
Students with Disabilities	16	76.2	37.50	19.60	20.50	30	13.5	Met Target
Students without Disabilities	109	95.6	44.00	50.00	61.90	44		
English Learners	*	*	*	*	25.20	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	*	57.40	*		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	*	26.40	N		
Students In Foster Care	*	*	*	*	24.80	*		
Military-Connected Students	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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Schoolwide	71	740	740	749	*	23%	23%	42%	*	42%	50%
White	45	747	747	759	*	*	27%	49%	0%	49%	61%
Hispanic	*	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	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	28	747	747	754	*	*	*	50%	*	50%	55%
Male	43	735	735	745	*	*	*	37%	*	37%	46%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	37	733	733	731	*	*	*	38%	0%	38%	31%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	34	747	747	762	*	*	*	47%	0%	47%	63%
Students with Disabilities	10	732	732	720	*	*	*	*	*	40%	24%
Students without Disabilities	61	741	741	755	*	*	*	*	*	43%	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	*	*	*	721	*	*	*	*	*	*	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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Schoolwide	54	741	741	753	*	22%	28%	44%	*	44%	56%
White	40	742	742	762	*	*	30%	48%	0%	48%	67%
Hispanic	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	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	28	745	745	758	*	*	*	50%	0%	50%	61%
Male	26	736	736	749	*	*	*	39%	0%	39%	51%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	25	730	730	737	*	*	*	*	*	36%	36%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	29	750	750	764	*	*	*	*	*	52%	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	*	*	*	728	*	*	*	*	*	*	31%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	755	N	N	N	N	N	N	60%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	726	N	N	N	N	N	N	36%

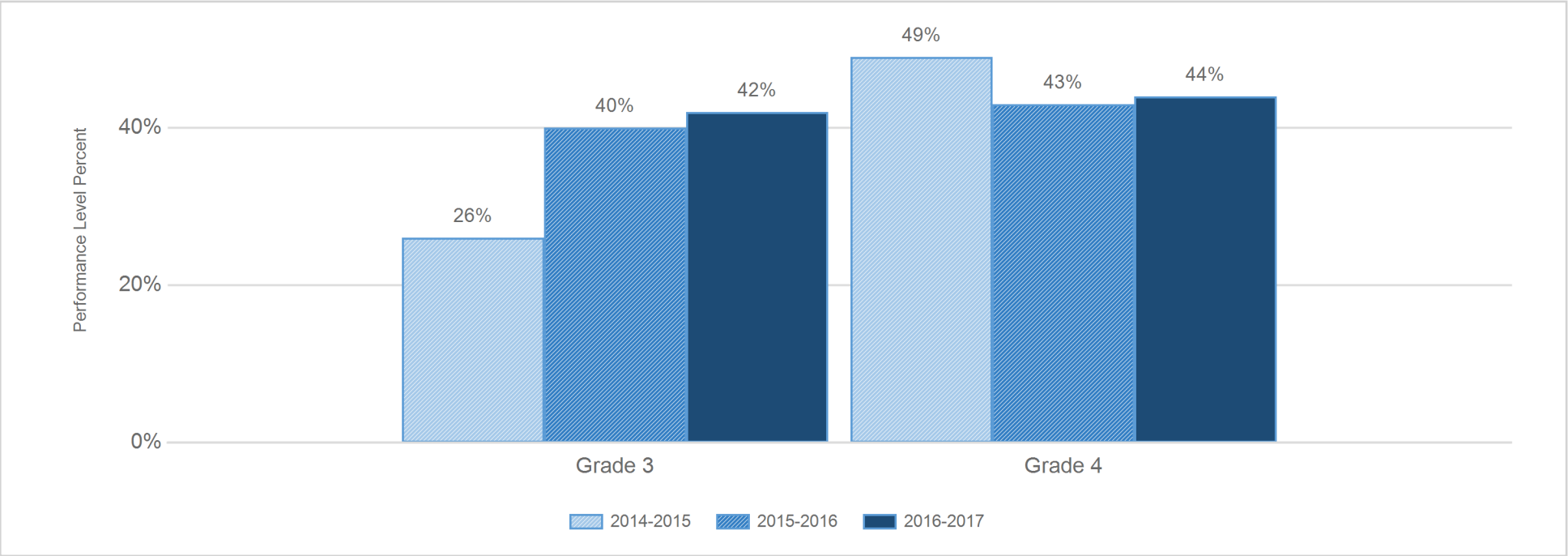


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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance Trends

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





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Schoolwide	124	91.9	45.20	32.90	43.50	43.6	37.6	Met Target
White	85	91.4	43.50	33.70	52.40	41.9	40.1	Met Target
Hispanic	17	94.4	47.10	23.00	27.60	46.7	**	**
Black or African American	10	100.0	30.00	17.20	21.70	30	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	12	85.7	66.70	58.60	75.60	60.1	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	42.50	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N	44.90	N	**	**
Female	55	90.2	41.80	37.20	44.10	39.6		
Male	69	93.2	47.80	28.60	42.90	47		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	61	92.4	39.40	23.60	25.10	*	27.5	Met Target
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	63	91.3	50.80	40.70	54.30	*		
Students with Disabilities	15	71.4	33.30	*	16.50	25	13.5	Met Target
Students without Disabilities	109	95.6	46.80	*	48.80	46.8		
English Learners	*	*	*	*	23.30	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	*	45.20	*		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	*	16.40	N		
Students In Foster Care	*	*	*	*	15.10	*		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	*	39.90	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	18.20	N		

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Schoolwide	70	755	755	751	*	*	30%	40%	19%	59%	53%
White	45	756	756	759	*	*	31%	40%	*	60%	63%
Hispanic	*	*	*	738	*	*	*	*	*	*	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	754	754	751	*	*	*	37%	*	56%	52%
Male	43	755	755	751	*	*	*	42%	*	61%	53%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	36	749	749	736	*	*	*	39%	*	50%	34%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	34	761	761	761	*	*	*	41%	*	68%	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	*	*	*	727	*	*	*	*	*	*	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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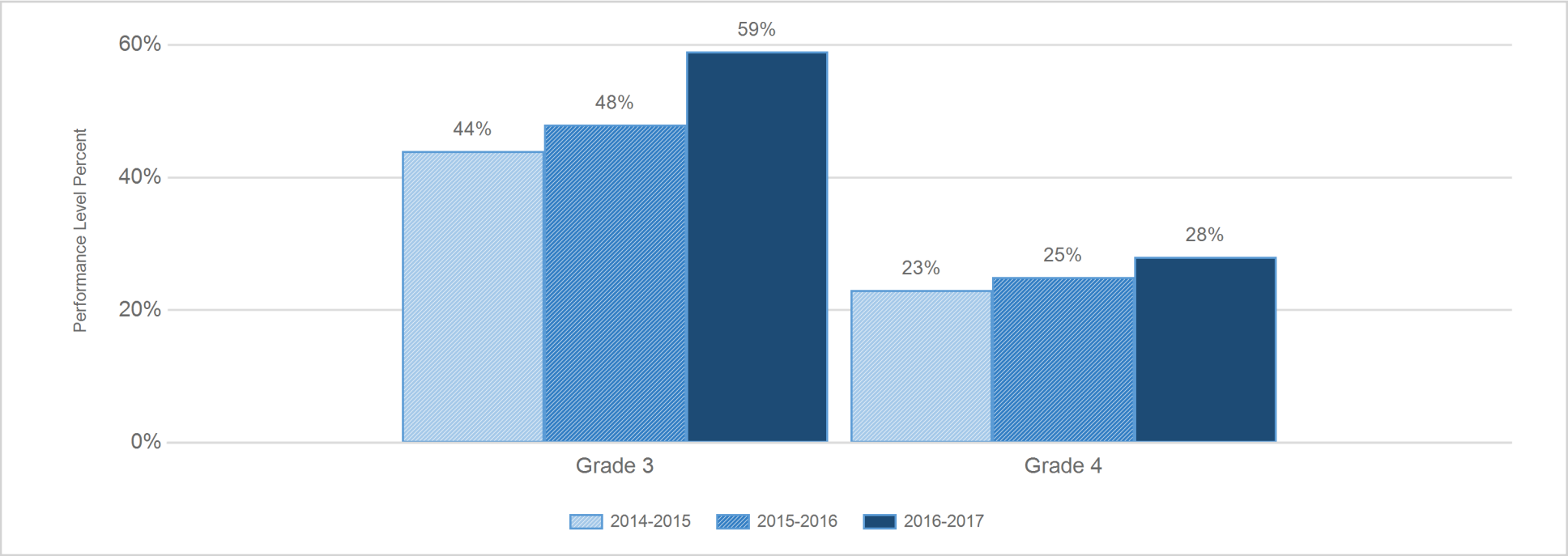
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Schoolwide	54	734	734	747	*	32%	35%	28%	*	28%	47%
White	40	735	735	755	*	30%	40%	25%	*	25%	59%
Hispanic	*	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Black or African American	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	25%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	774	*	*	*	*	*	*	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	28	738	738	747	*	*	*	*	0%	29%	47%
Male	26	730	730	747	*	*	*	*	0%	27%	48%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	25	728	728	732	*	*	*	*	0%	24%	27%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	29	739	739	757	*	*	*	*	0%	31%	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	*	*	*	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	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%

Mathematics Assessment – Performance Trends

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Alternate Assessments - Participation

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

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

English Language Proficiency Test - Participation and Performance

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

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



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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.

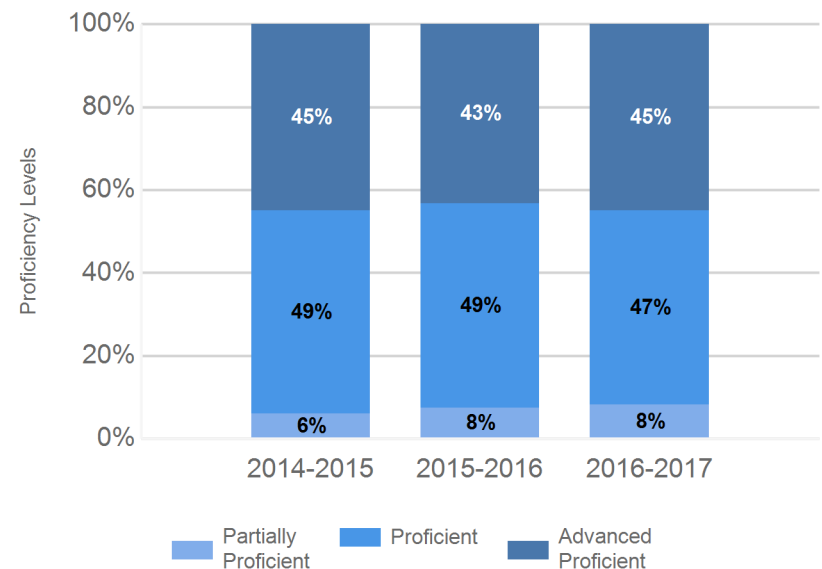
NJASK Science Assessment Performance: Grade 4

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	45%	47%	8%
White	48%	46%	7%
Hispanic	*	*	*
Black or African American	*	*	N
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N
Two or More Races	N	N	N
Economically Disadvantaged Students	26%	65%	10%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	N
English Learners	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	35	40	50	Not Met	25	43	50	Not Met
White	33	40	50	Not Met	23	41	52	Not Met
Hispanic	*	*	49	**	*	*	47	**
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	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Economically Disadvantaged	24.5	39	47	Not Met	29	43	46	Not Met
Students with Disabilities	*	*	41	**	*	*	43	**
English Learners	*	*	53	**	*	*	51	**

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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:

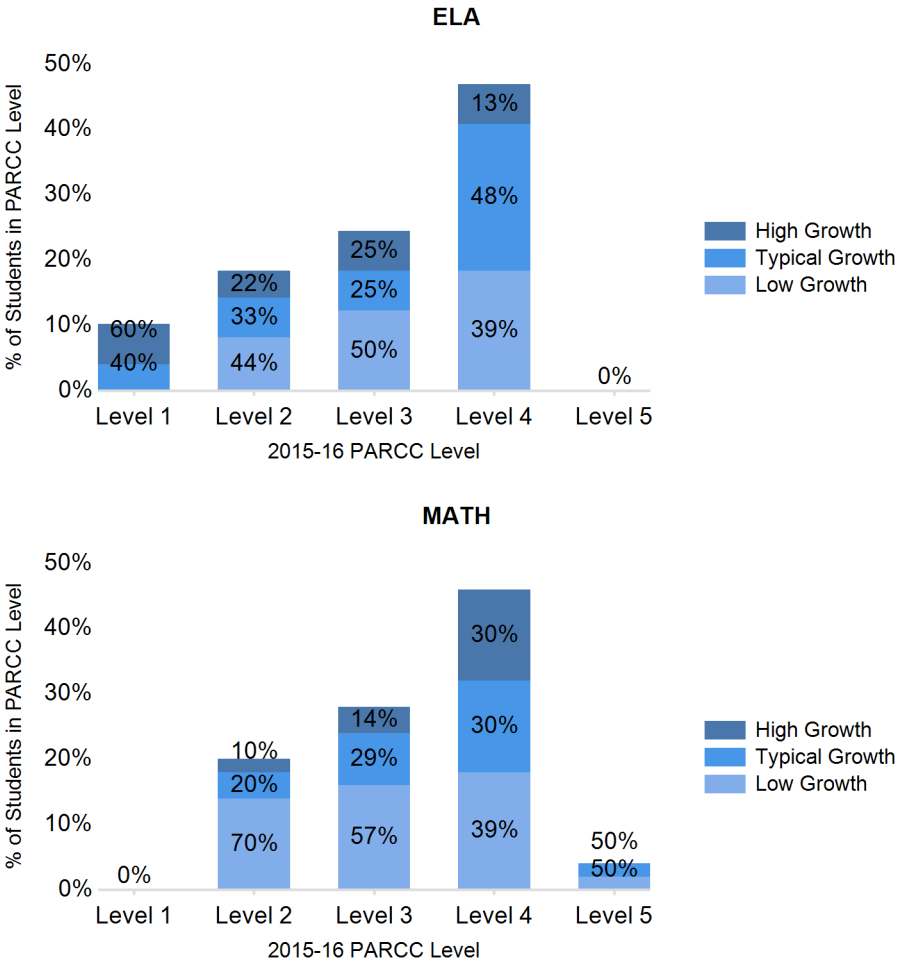
Low Growth: Less than 35

Typical Growth: Between 35 and 65

High Growth: Greater than 65

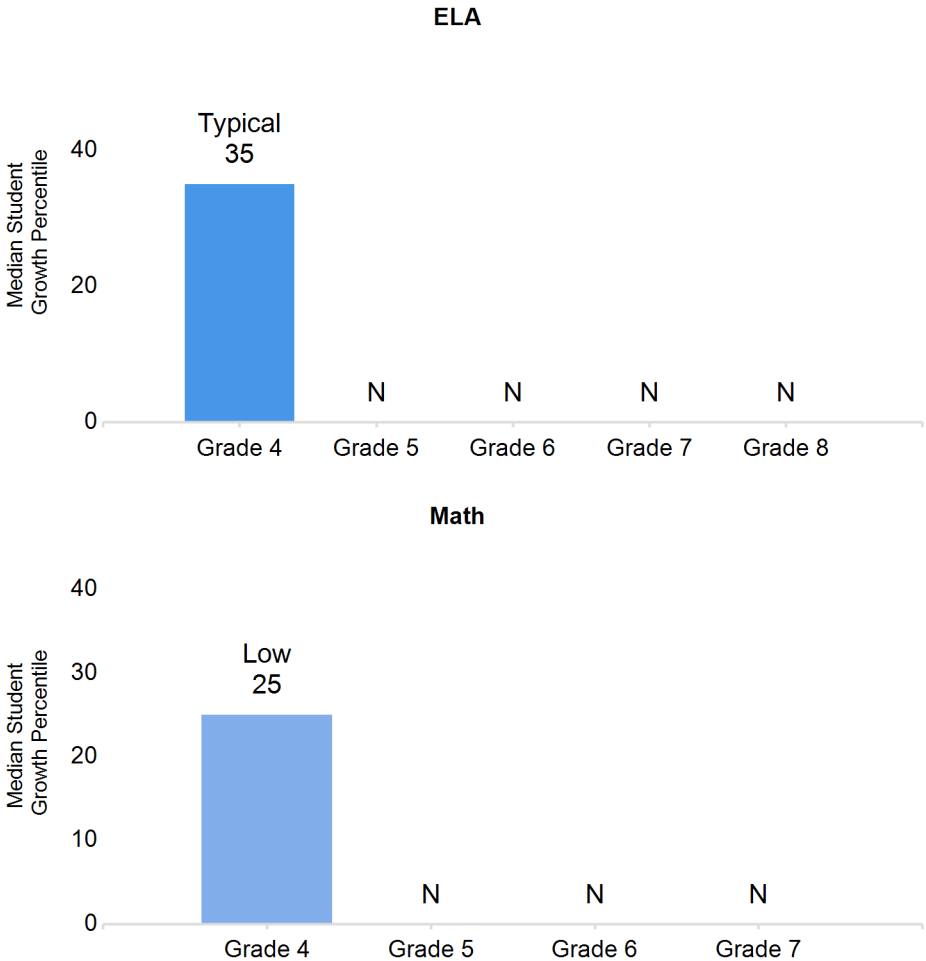
Student Growth by Performance Level

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

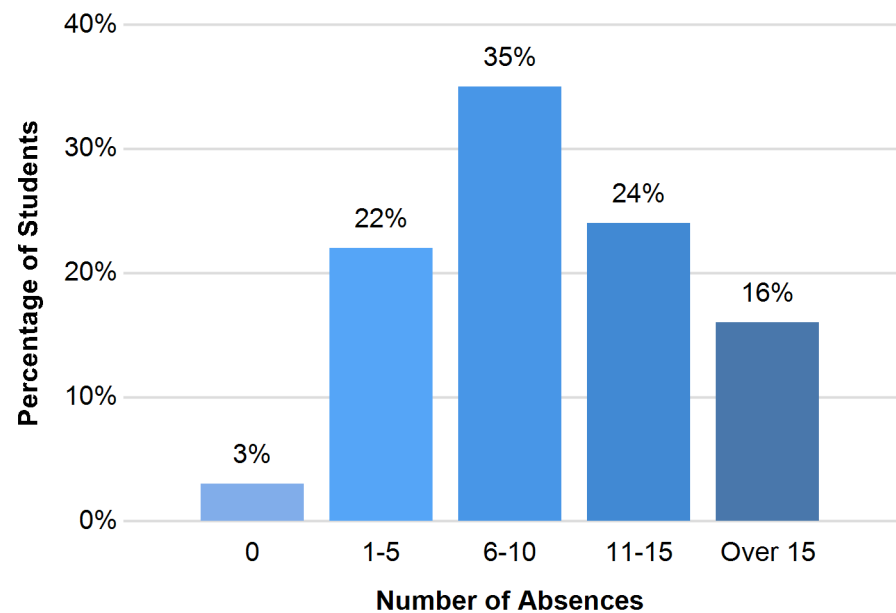
This table shows the percentage of students in grades K-12 in the school and each student group who were chronically absent. This table also shows whether the school and each student group met the *ESSA* accountability targets for 2016-17.

Student Group	% Chronically Absent	2016-17 Target	Met 2016-17 Target
Schoolwide	13.00	8.70	Not Met
White	15.30	8.70	Not Met
Hispanic	9.30	8.70	Not Met
Black or African American	N	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	9.70	8.70	Not Met
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	**	**
Economically Disadvantaged Students	16.80	8.70	Not Met
Students with Disabilities	23.10	8.70	Not Met
English Learners	0	8.70	Met Target

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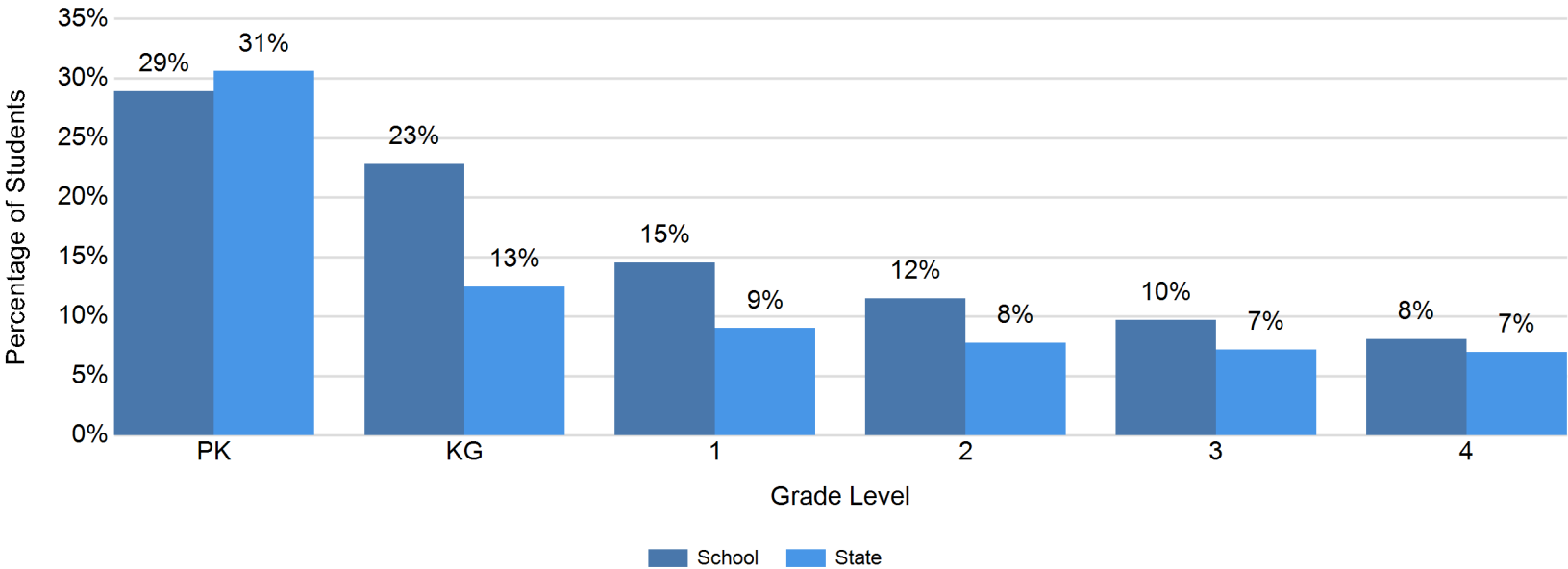
Days Absent

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.



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	9:00AM
Typical End Time	3:15PM
Length of School Day	6 Hrs 15 Mins
Full Time - Instructional Time	5 Hrs. 30 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)	1
Total Unique Incidents	1
Incidents Per 100 Students Enrolled	0.29

Student Suspension Rate

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

Suspension Types	% of Students
In-School Suspensions	0.0%
Out-of-School Suspensions	0.3%
Any Suspension	0.3%

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	1.3:1	164.2 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	\$819	\$19,517	\$20,336



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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 and Certifications

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

Category	Teachers in Schools	Teachers in State
Total Number of teachers	37	121,048
Average years experience in public schools	19.9	11.8
Average years experience in district	19.9	10.5
Teachers in district for 4 or more years	97%	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	4	9,533
Average years experience in public schools	13.0	15.9
Average years experience in district	9.8	11.6
Administrators in district for 4 or more years	50%	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	9:1	9:1
Administrators	349:1	152:1
Librarian/Media Specialists		N
Nurses		305:1
Counselors		305:1
Child Study Team		152:1



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Teachers and Administrators - Level of Education

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

Bachelor's Degree



Master's Degree



Doctoral Degree



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

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

Job Type	District	State
2015-16 Teachers: Same district 2016-17	96%	89%
2015-16 Administrators: Same district 2016-17	67%	88%

Faculty Attendance

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

School Year	% Days Present
2016-17	93%



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Accountability Indicator Scores and Summative Rating

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

Accountability Indicator	Indicator Score	Indicator Weight
English Language Arts Proficiency	27.2	17.5%
Mathematics Proficiency	44.4	17.5%
English Language Arts Growth	3.0	25.0%
Mathematics Growth	1.4	25.0%
Chronic Absenteeism	15.7	15.0%
Progress Towards English Language Proficiency (coming 2018)	N/A	N/A
Summative Score: Sum of all indicator scores multiplied by indicator weights		16.0
Summative Rating: Percentile rank of Summative Score		6.4
Requires Comprehensive Support: Summative Rating is less than or equal to 5th percentile		No

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



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Accountability Summary by Student Group

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

Student Group	Summative Score	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	N/A	Targeted	Met Target	Met Target	Not Met	Not Met	Not Met	No
White	6.6	Targeted	Met Target†	Met Target	Not Met	Not Met	Not Met	No
Hispanic	**	No	**	**	Not Met	**	**	No
Black or African American	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	**	No	**	**	Not Met	**	**	No
American Indian or Alaska Native	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Two or More Races	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Economically Disadvantaged Students	27.3	No	Met Target	Met Target	Not Met	Not Met	Not Met	No
Students with Disabilities	**	No	Met Target	Met Target	Not Met	**	**	No
English Learners	**	No	**	**	Met Target	**	**	No

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† Target was met within a confidence interval.



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School Narrative

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

 Highlights:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Curriculum: Balanced literacy with Writer's Workshop & leveled reading. Math/science are inquiry-based & tech infused. • Arts Night is the culmination of a year-long study that fosters a love of the arts while teaching cultural diversity. • A positive future-ready learning environment & strong community connections foster a whole-child approach to success.
 Mission, Vision, Theme:	The Brigantine School District mission is to create world-class public schools that nurture the development of productive citizens who will be prepared to take their places as contributing members of 21st Century society with the skills and knowledge necessary to perpetuate and support the principles of American democracy. At Brigantine Elementary School we enable all students to capitalize on their unique abilities and succeed in becoming independent thinkers and creative problem-solvers.
 Awards, Recognition, Accomplishments:	Our positive future-ready learning environment, strong connections to the community at-large, and supportive Board of Education along with a committed PTA have fostered the continued excellence of our schools. We have been recognized with New Jersey Schools' Best Practice Awards, National School of Character Recognition, Governor's School of Excellence, and as a New Jersey Star School.





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 <p>Courses, Curriculum, Instruction:</p>	<p>Instructional programs include balanced literacy with writer’s workshop and leveled reading. Math activities are aligned to standards and include hands-on experiences, technology integration, and small group work. Science activities focus on inquiry and real-world applications. Social Studies supports an understanding of the community and students’ role within all levels of our society. The specials curriculum are designed to showcase skills in technology, athletics, and the arts</p>
 <p>Clubs and Activities:</p>	<p>Student Council, Computer Club, Before and After School Academic Enrichment, Guitar Club, Ukulele Club, Morning Get Yourself Moving GYM Program, Safety Patrol</p>







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 Staff and Professional Learning:	<p>Our professional development goals provide for excellence in teaching and leadership strategies and supports the areas identified through a comprehensive needs assessment. Initiatives are developed and professional development helps to insure successful implementation. Summer workshops and curriculum development enhance teachers' work. Common planning allows for growth focused on improved instruction. Teachers attend workshops aligned with their individual professional development plans.</p>
 Student Supports and Services:	<p>The Brigantine Elementary School continues to offer programs to meet the needs of our student population. Special education services, gifted and talented offerings, English Language Learner, as well as a schoolwide Title I program enable us to provide targeted interventions for all our learners. The Intervention and Referral Services Committee meets to provide teachers support in meeting students' needs.</p>
 Student Health and Wellness:	<p>Students receive varied opportunities to engage in activities that promote health and wellness. School lunch and before and after the bell breakfast program offer students access to balanced meals. Recess, physical education, as well as daily brain breaks capitalize on the benefits of physical activity. A partnership with AtlantiCare has helped us bring farm to table food and a yoga/mindfulness program to students. Community connections and community service projects promote citizenship.</p>
 Parent and Community Involvement:	<p>Strong connections to the community at-large, supportive Board of Education, along with a committed PTA have fostered the continued excellence of our schools. The parent portal, website and social media outlets help us to provide families with information about the school and their child's progress. Arts Night, the Environmental Fair and many PTA sponsored events offer opportunities for parent and community involvement.</p>





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 <div>Climate Surveys:</div>	<p>Is a Climate Survey Used: Yes; Who is surveyed: Students, Parents, Administrators, Teachers</p> <p>Brigantine Elementary School annually surveys staff, students and parents with the NJ School Climate Survey. The School Safety Team and the staff as a whole reviews the results in order to drive future programming. Olweus Bully Prevention Character Education, and Strengthening Families are all Programs that contribute to a positive school climate. Our schoolwide theme, TRY, celebrates positive behaviors while we teach students about a growth mindset.</p>
 <div>Facilities:</div>	<p>The Schools' facilities remain an area of pride within the school community. Rehabilitation of existing spaces through flooring upgrades, new HVAC installation, building control systems, plumbing projects and updating of alarm systems have extended the life-span of our buildings. We continue to rely on the Long Range Facilities Plan to map out our efforts to sustain the campus and buildings while staying committed to student, staff, and community safety and security.</p>



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Other Information:

The Brigantine Elementary School is a comprehensive, Preschool-Grade 4 public school with an enrollment of approximately 330 students serving the island community Brigantine, New Jersey. Brigantine is a barrier island located just north of Atlantic City on the New Jersey Coast. Our community prides itself on the passion for teaching and learning within our schools. There are many factors that can showcase a school district’s effectiveness. For the Brigantine Public Schools, our focus is on children and creating for them an educational experience that prepares them for their future. With a whole-child approach and a supportive focus on positive climate and culture, our school offers a wide variety of educational, social and emotional, and physical learning opportunities. Curriculum and instruction is developed and carried out to insure that we meet each student at their level and then foster growth within academic, social, and emotional domains. Choice, authentic experiences, and an integrated learning design enable students to take ownership of their learning. Staff members are committed to their own professional growth and continually add strategies and skills to their repertoire. Students receive varied opportunities to engage in activities that promote citizenship and becoming supportive active members of society. These include, community connections with local organizations, fundraising for local, state, and national drives, school and community service projects, and more. The implementation of Google Apps for Education coupled with our Chromebook initiative has cemented our commitment to student learning and access to technology. Supported with the installation of 68 wireless access points throughout the District, our school has untethered students and teachers with technological application opportunities throughout the campus.




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

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

Navigating through the reports:

- Download this report to a PDF by clicking the  icon at the top of the page.
- Search for specific text or words in these reports by using the search box at the top of the page.
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Other Resources:

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

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

Grade	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
5	64	74	65
6	61	64	74
7	78	60	55
8	62	74	60
Ungraded	10	12	6
Total	275	284	260

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	52%	54%	52%
Male	48%	46%	48%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	49%	50%	46%
Students with Disabilities	17%	16%	14%
English Learners	1%	0%	1%
Homeless Students			0%
Students in Foster Care			1%
Military-Connected Students			0%
Migrant Students			0%

Enrollment by Racial and Ethnic Group

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

Racial and Ethnic Group	% of Students
White	72.3%
Hispanic	14.2%
Asian	6.9%
Black or African American	6.5%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%
Two or More Races	0.0%

Enrollment by Home Language

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

Home Language	% of Students
English	88.5%
Spanish	6.2%
Arabic	1.2%
Pashto	1.2%
Urdu	1.2%
Other	2.0%



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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Participation and Performance

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

Student Group	Valid Scores	% of students Taking Test	School: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	District: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	State: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	2016-17 Annual Target	Met 2016-17 Annual Target
Schoolwide	234	89.7	47.00	45.70	54.90	44.3	37.7	Met Target
White	163	86.7	49.60	49.20	63.90	45.4	38.3	Met Target
Hispanic	35	97.3	40.00	37.70	39.80	40	28.4	Met Target
Black or African American	19	100.0	21.10	17.20	35.20	21.1	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	17	94.4	64.70	58.60	80.70	64.3	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	53.70	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N	54.90	N	**	**
Female	121	88.4	61.90	58.10	62.20	57.6		
Male	113	91.2	31.00	33.50	48.10	29.7		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	104	93.7	33.60	34.90	36.20	*	29	Met Target
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	130	86.8	57.70	54.90	65.80	*		
Students with Disabilities	35	87.5	11.40	19.60	20.50	10.5	16.5	Met Target†
Students without Disabilities	199	90.1	53.20	50.00	61.90	50.4		
English Learners	*	*	*	*	25.20	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	*	57.40	*		
Homeless Students	*	*	*	*	26.40	*		
Students In Foster Care	*	*	*	*	24.80	*		
Military-Connected Students	*	*	*	*	53.50	*		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	23.00	N		

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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	66	745	745	756	*	15%	36%	42%	*	44%	59%
White	49	750	750	763	*	*	33%	51%	*	53%	69%
Hispanic	*	*	*	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	44%
Black or African American	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	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	33	751	751	761	*	*	30%	55%	*	58%	66%
Male	33	738	738	750	*	*	42%	30%	*	30%	53%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	27	736	736	740	*	*	41%	*	*	30%	40%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	39	751	751	765	*	*	33%	*	*	54%	71%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	762	*	*	*	*	*	*	66%
English Learners	*	*	*	710	*	*	*	*	*	*	12%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	757	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
Homeless Students	*	*	*	733	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	757	N	N	N	N	N	N	62%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	36%



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

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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	72	745	745	752	*	19%	31%	46%	*	47%	54%
White	48	744	744	758	*	*	35%	42%	*	44%	63%
Hispanic	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	38%
Black or African American	*	*	*	736	*	*	*	*	*	*	32%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	776	*	*	*	*	*	*	81%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	749	N	N	N	N	N	N	52%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	753	N	N	N	N	N	N	56%
Female	39	751	751	758	*	*	*	59%	*	62%	61%
Male	33	738	738	746	*	*	*	30%	*	30%	46%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	34	739	739	737	*	*	*	35%	*	35%	34%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	38	751	751	761	*	*	*	55%	*	58%	65%
Students with Disabilities	13	724	724	722	*	*	*	*	*	15%	17%
Students without Disabilities	59	750	750	758	*	*	*	*	*	54%	61%
English Learners	N	N	N	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	72	745	745	753	*	19%	31%	46%	*	47%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	22%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Military-Connected Students	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	55%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	20%



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

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Schoolwide	57	754	754	756	*	*	26%	30%	23%	53%	59%
White	39	756	756	764	*	*	*	36%	*	59%	69%
Hispanic	12	734	734	742	*	*	*	*	*	33%	44%
Black or African American	*	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	38%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	784	*	*	*	*	*	*	85%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	755	N	N	N	N	N	N	59%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	757	N	N	N	N	N	N	59%
Female	32	765	765	764	*	*	*	*	*	69%	68%
Male	25	739	739	749	*	*	*	*	*	32%	51%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	22	741	741	739	*	*	*	*	*	41%	40%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	35	761	761	766	*	*	*	*	*	60%	70%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	719	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	763	*	*	*	*	*	*	67%
English Learners	N	N	N	701	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	57	754	754	758	*	*	26%	30%	23%	53%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	31%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	727	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	64%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	15%



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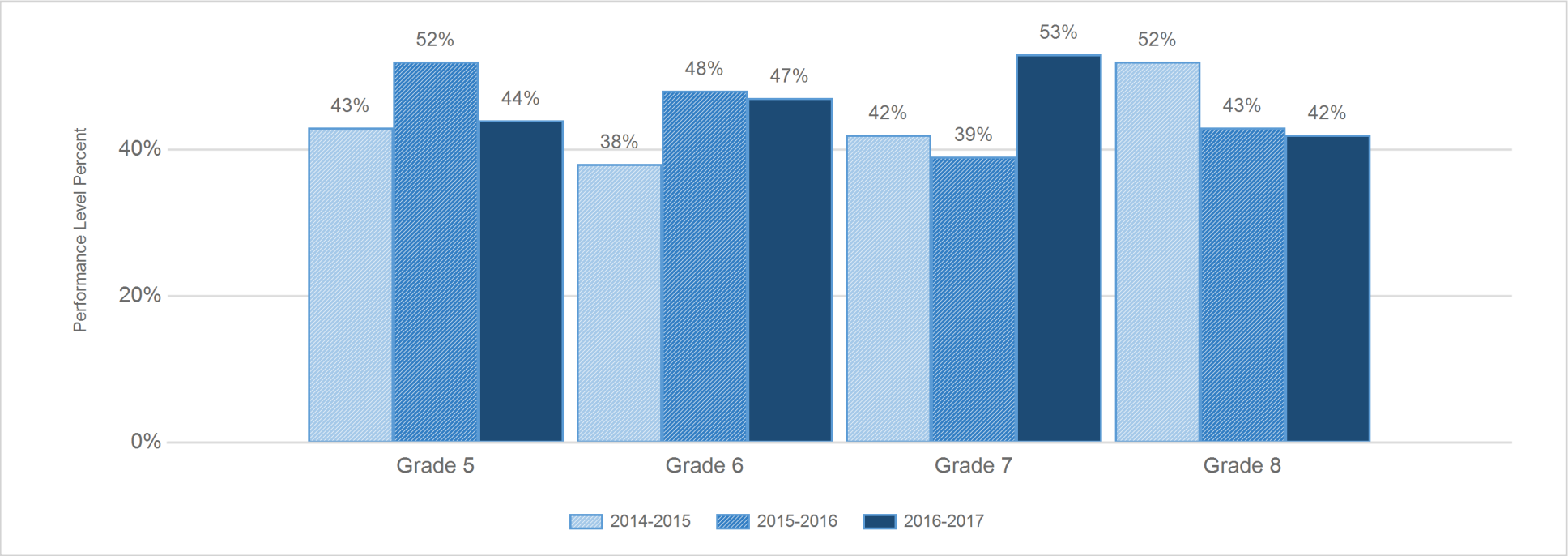
English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 8

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

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Schoolwide	41	738	738	757	*	*	24%	42%	0%	42%	59%
White	27	736	736	764	*	*	*	41%	0%	41%	68%
Hispanic	*	*	*	742	*	*	*	*	*	*	44%
Black or African American	*	*	*	738	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	786	*	*	*	*	*	*	86%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	751	N	N	N	N	N	N	52%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	758	N	N	N	N	N	N	60%
Female	18	747	747	766	*	*	*	*	0%	56%	68%
Male	23	731	731	749	*	*	*	*	0%	30%	50%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	22	732	732	739	*	*	*	*	0%	27%	40%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	19	745	745	766	*	*	*	*	0%	58%	69%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	718	*	*	*	*	*	*	18%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	764	*	*	*	*	*	*	67%
English Learners	N	N	N	701	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	41	738	738	759	*	*	24%	42%	0%	42%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	61%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%

English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance Trends

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





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Mathematics Assessment - Participation and Performance

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

Student Group	Valid Scores	% of students Taking Test	School: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	District: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	State: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	2016-17 Annual Target	Met 2016-17 Annual Target
Schoolwide	235	89.8	26.40	32.90	43.50	24.9	20.6	Met Target
White	164	86.8	28.60	33.70	52.40	26.2	21.7	Met Target
Hispanic	35	97.3	11.50	23.00	27.60	11.5	8.8	Met Target
Black or African American	19	100.0	10.50	17.20	21.70	10.5	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	17	94.4	53.00	58.60	75.60	52.6	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	42.50	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N	44.90	N	**	**
Female	122	88.5	35.20	37.20	44.10	32.8		
Male	113	91.3	16.80	28.60	42.90	16.1		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	104	93.8	14.40	23.60	25.10	*	13.1	Met Target
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	131	86.8	35.80	40.70	54.30	*		
Students with Disabilities	35	87.5	*	*	16.50	*	8.2	Not Met
Students without Disabilities	200	90.2	*	*	48.80	*		
English Learners	*	*	*	*	23.30	*	**	**
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	*	45.20	*		
Homeless Students	*	*	*	*	16.40	*		
Students In Foster Care	*	*	*	*	15.10	*		
Military-Connected Students	*	*	*	*	39.90	*		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	18.20	N		

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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 5

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Schoolwide	66	728	728	747	*	33%	49%	15%	*	15%	46%
White	49	731	731	754	0%	37%	43%	20%	0%	20%	57%
Hispanic	*	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Black or African American	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	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	33	732	732	747	*	*	*	*	*	*	47%
Male	33	724	724	746	*	*	*	*	*	*	46%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	27	722	722	732	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	39	732	732	756	*	*	*	*	*	*	59%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
English Learners	*	*	*	717	*	*	*	*	*	*	12%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	48%
Homeless Students	*	*	*	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	18%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	748	N	N	N	N	N	N	48%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	716	N	N	N	N	N	N	18%



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 6**

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Schoolwide	73	738	738	743	*	19%	47%	25%	*	29%	44%
White	49	737	737	751	*	*	47%	22%	*	27%	54%
Hispanic	*	*	*	731	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Black or African American	*	*	*	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	20%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	771	*	*	*	*	*	*	77%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	744	N	N	N	N	N	N	42%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	745	N	N	N	N	N	N	46%
Female	39	742	742	745	*	*	41%	*	*	39%	45%
Male	34	733	733	742	*	*	53%	*	*	18%	43%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	35	733	733	728	*	*	46%	*	*	23%	24%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	38	743	743	752	*	*	47%	*	*	34%	56%
Students with Disabilities	13	724	724	717	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
Students without Disabilities	60	741	741	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	50%
English Learners	*	*	*	710	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	745	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	719	N	N	N	N	N	N	14%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	14%
Military-Connected Students	*	*	*	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	40%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%

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



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 7**

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Schoolwide	57	744	744	741	*	18%	46%	26%	*	33%	40%
White	39	748	748	748	0%	*	46%	33%	*	41%	49%
Hispanic	12	725	725	730	*	*	*	*	*	*	23%
Black or African American	*	*	*	726	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	764	*	*	*	*	*	*	72%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	741	N	N	N	N	N	N	45%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	740	N	N	N	N	N	N	39%
Female	32	747	747	743	*	*	31%	*	*	47%	41%
Male	25	739	739	740	*	*	64%	*	*	16%	38%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	22	732	732	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	35	751	751	749	*	*	*	*	*	*	50%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	716	*	*	*	*	*	*	11%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	746	*	*	*	*	*	*	45%
English Learners	N	N	N	712	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	57	744	744	742	*	18%	46%	26%	*	33%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	15%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	718	*	*	*	*	*	*	15%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	743	N	N	N	N	N	N	43%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	*

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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 8**

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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	28	707	707	728	*	*	*	*	*	*	28%
White	18	704	704	736	*	*	*	*	*	*	35%
Hispanic	*	*	*	721	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%
Black or African American	*	*	*	715	*	*	*	*	*	*	15%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	747	N	N	N	N	N	N	51%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	728	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	726	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Female	12	707	707	730	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Male	16	708	708	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	26%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	16	707	707	719	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	12	708	708	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	34%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	705	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
English Learners	*	*	*	703	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	705	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	733	N	N	N	N	N	N	35%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	713	N	N	N	N	N	N	*

**Grade 8 does not include students who took the Algebra I, Geometry, or Algebra II end of course tests.



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by 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 by school and student group the number of valid test scores and the mean scale score for the school, district, and state. It also shows the percentage of students at each performance level and the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5) for the school and the state.

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	14	757	757	743	0%	*	*	79%	0%	79%	42%
White	10	758	758	751	0%	*	*	*	0%	80%	52%
Hispanic	*	*	*	728	*	*	*	*	*	*	24%
Black or African American	N	N	N	724	N	N	N	N	N	N	19%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	774	*	*	*	*	*	*	76%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	736	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	741	N	N	N	N	N	N	41%
Female	*	*	*	744	*	*	*	*	*	*	43%
Male	*	*	*	741	*	*	*	*	*	*	40%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	727	*	*	*	*	*	*	23%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
Students with Disabilities	N	N	N	714	N	N	N	N	N	N	10%
Students without Disabilities	14	757	757	747	0%	*	*	79%	0%	79%	47%
English Learners	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	14	757	757	745	0%	*	*	79%	0%	79%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	711	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	742	N	N	N	N	N	N	37%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	715	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%

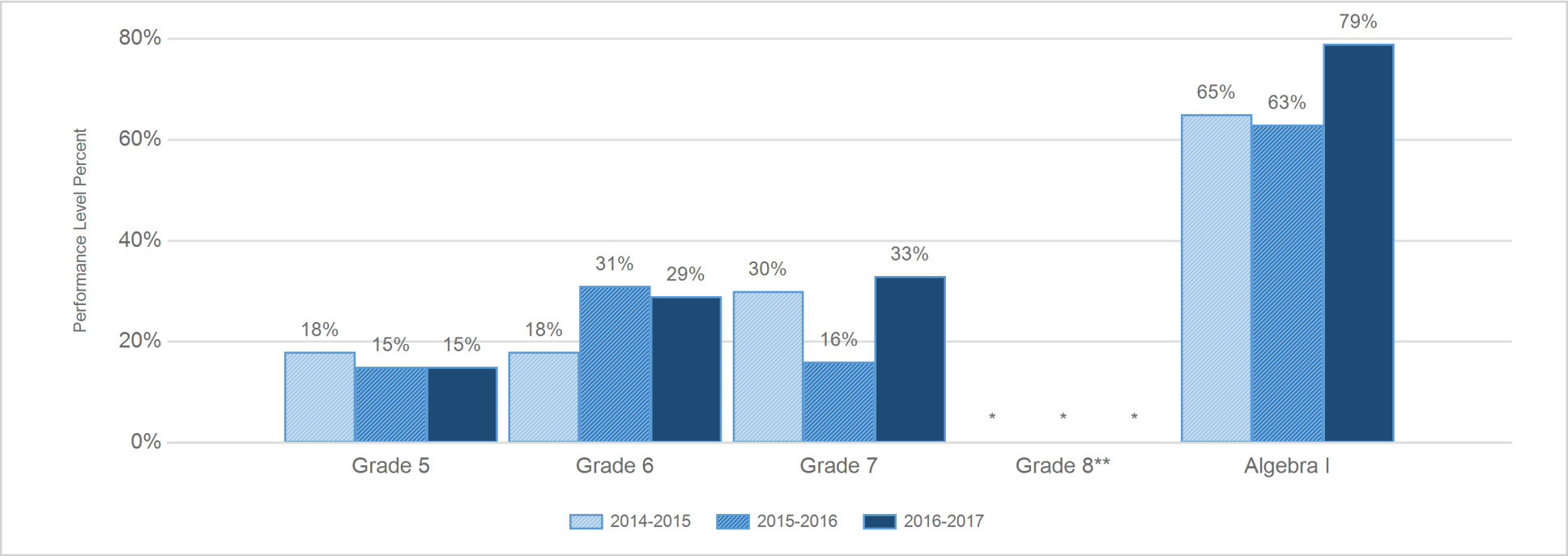


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Mathematics Assessment – Performance Trends

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



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Alternate Assessments - Participation

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

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

English Language Proficiency Test - Participation and Performance

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

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



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

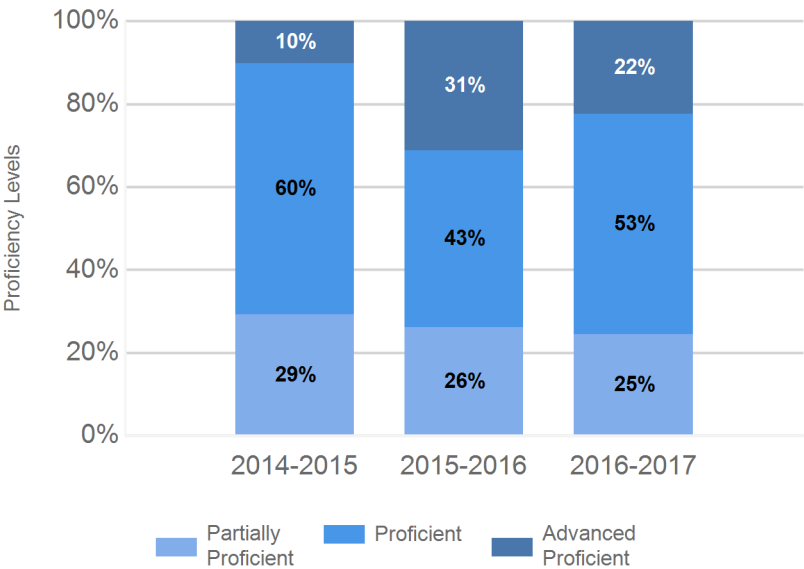
NJASK Science Assessment Performance: Grade 8

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

Student Group	% Advanced Proficient	% Proficient	% Partially Proficient
Statewide	27%	47%	27%
Schoolwide	22%	53%	25%
White	26%	49%	26%
Hispanic	N	*	*
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	20%	48%	32%
Students with Disabilities	N	*	*
English Learners	N	N	*

NJASK Science Assessment Performance Trends: Grade 8

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





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

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

If the student growth percentiles for all students in the school are ordered from smallest to largest, the **median student growth percentile (mSGP)** is the percentile in the middle of that list. Watch a short video that explains how **median Student Growth Percentile (mSGP)** is calculated here:
<http://www.state.nj.us/education/njsmart/performance/>

Student Growth

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

Student Group	ELA: School Median	ELA: District Median	ELA: Statewide Median	ELA: Met Target of 40	Math: School Median	Math: District Median	Math: Statewide Median	Math: Met Target of 40
Schoolwide	43	40	50	Met Target	54	43	50	Met Target
White	44	40	50	Met Target	51	41	52	Met Target
Hispanic	40	*	49	Met Target	40.5	*	47	Met Target
Black or African American	35	*	45	**	65	*	43	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	62	*	60	**	73	*	59	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Economically Disadvantaged	42	39	47	Met Target	54	43	46	Met Target
Students with Disabilities	40	*	41	Met Target	61.5	*	43	Exceeds Target
English Learners	*	*	53	**	*	*	51	**

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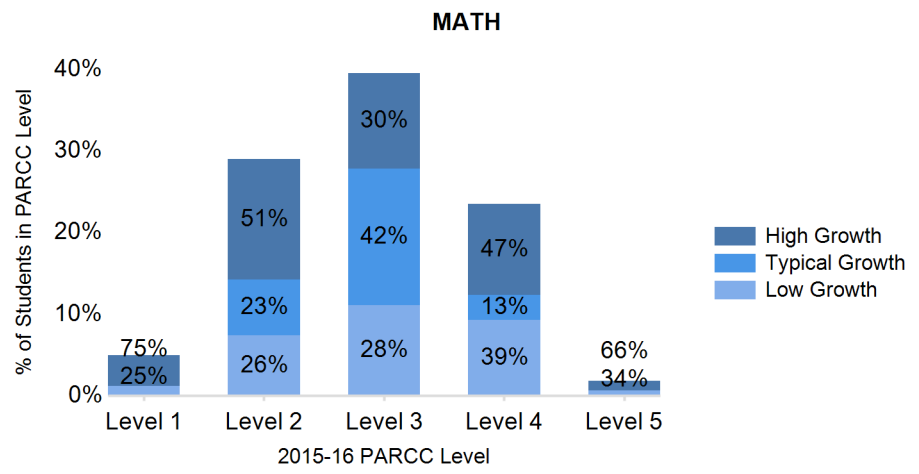
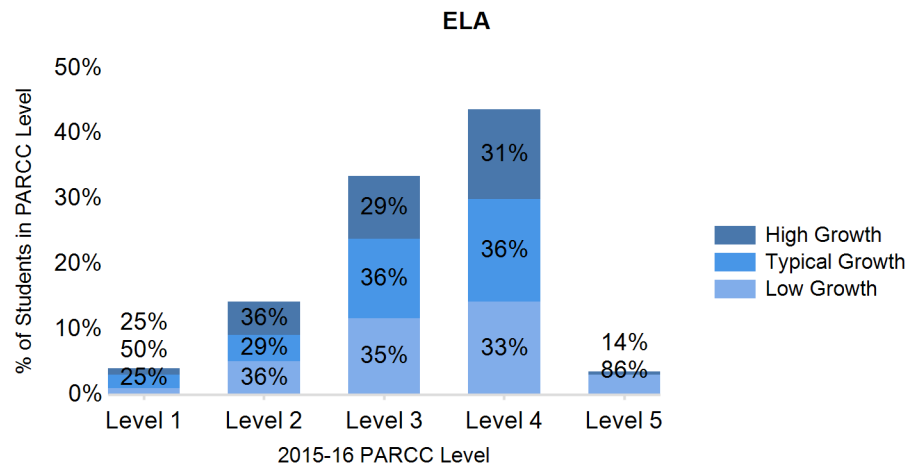
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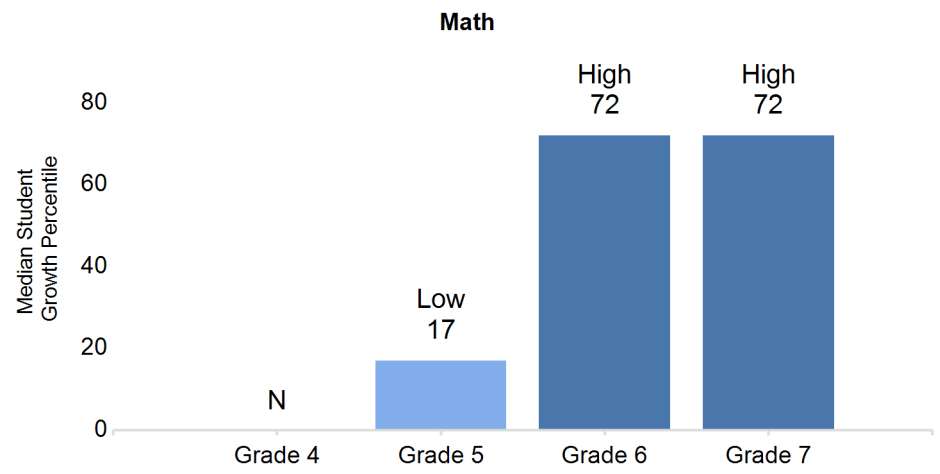
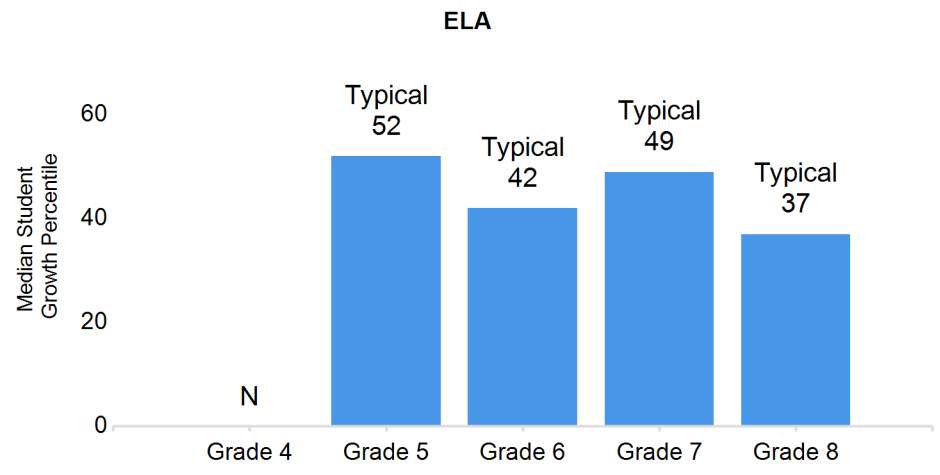
Student Growth by Performance Level

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



Student Growth by Grade

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





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

Mathematics - Course Participation

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

Grade	Algebra I	Geometry	Grade Level and Other Math
6	0	0	76
7	0	0	61
8	19	0	40
Schoolwide	19	0	177

World Languages - Course Participation

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

Grade	Spanish	French	Italian	Latin	German	Chinese	Other Languages
6	76	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	60	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	59	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schoolwide	195	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled in Level 3 or Higher	N	N	N	N	N	N	N



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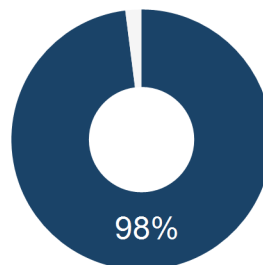
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Visual and Performing Arts – Course Participation

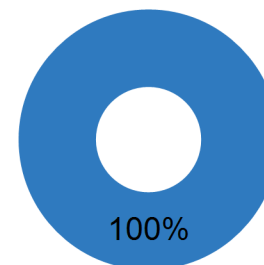
The top graphs below show the percentages of students that were enrolled in any **Visual and Performing Arts** classes within the school and across the state. The graphs at the bottom of the page show the percentages of students enrolled in at least one course within each of the four arts disciplines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

Grades 6-8:

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

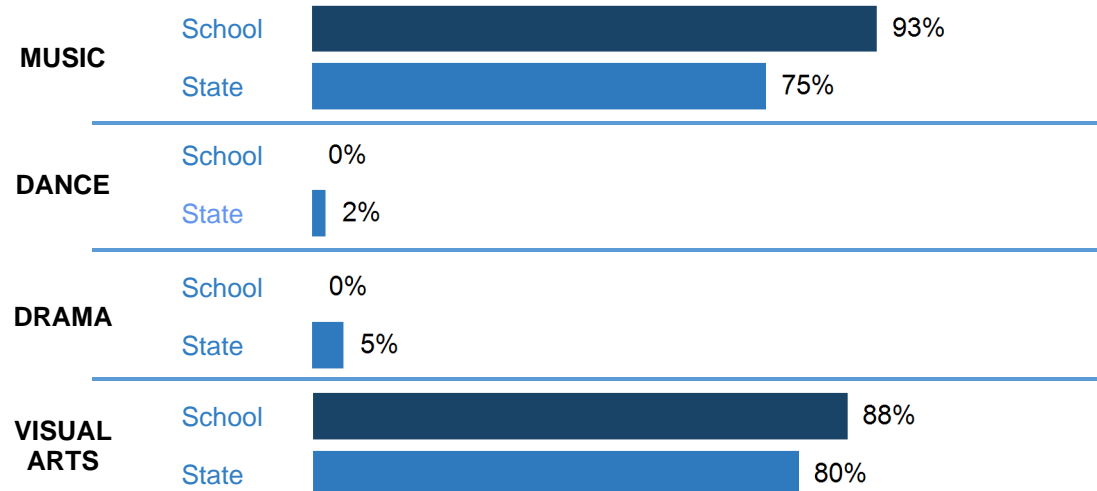


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Students enrolled in one or more classes by discipline:





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

Chronic Absenteeism

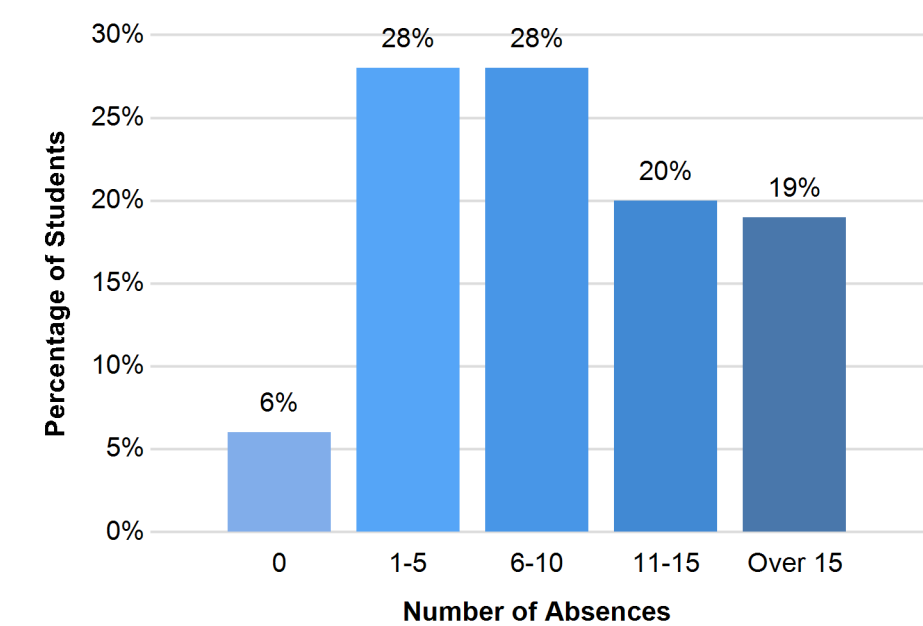
This table shows the percentage of students in grades K-12 in the school and each student group who were chronically absent. This table also shows whether the school and each student group met the *ESSA* accountability targets for 2016-17.

Student Group	% Chronically Absent	2016-17 Target	Met 2016-17 Target
Schoolwide	12.30	8.30	Not Met
White	14.20	8.30	Not Met
Hispanic	5.40	8.30	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	15.10	8.30	Not Met
Students with Disabilities	13.50	8.30	Not Met
English Learners	N	**	**

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

Days Absent

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



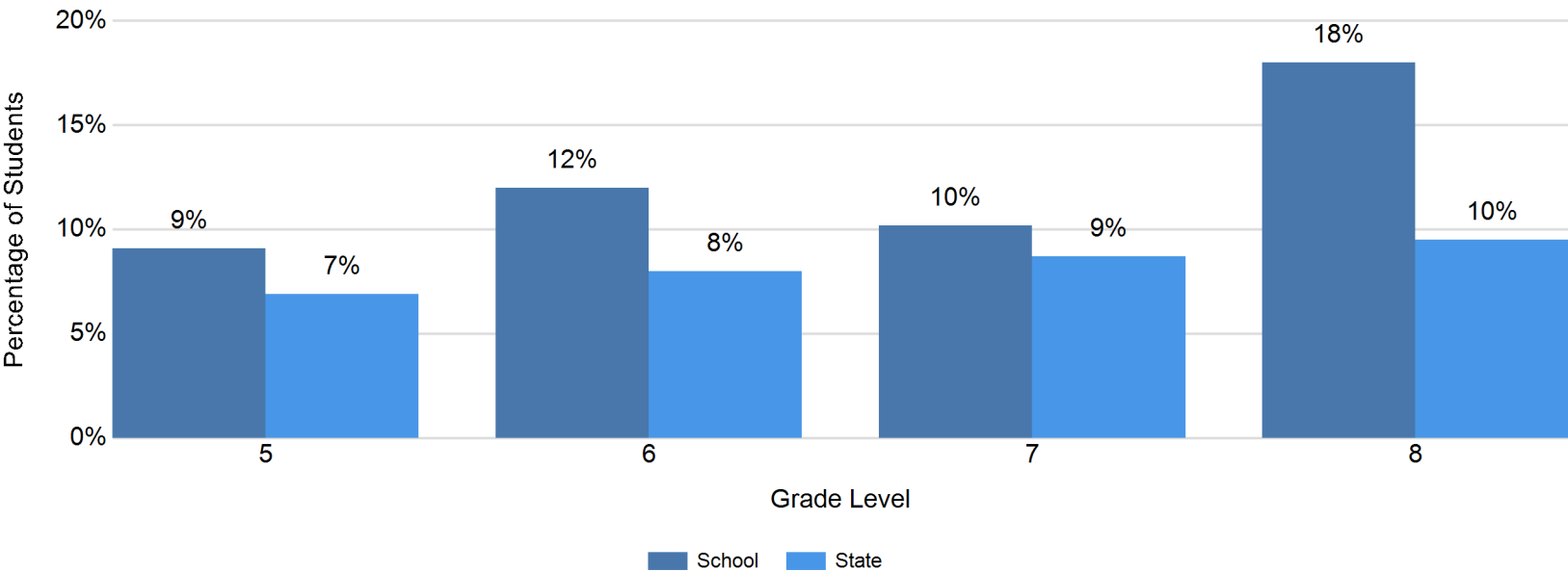


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Chronic Absenteeism by Grade

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





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School Day

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

Category	School
Typical Start Time	8:25AM
Typical End Time	2:55PM
Length of School Day	6 Hrs 30 Mins
Full Time - Instructional Time	5 Hrs. 25 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	1
Vandalism	1
Weapons	1
Substances	0
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	2
Total Unique Incidents	5
Incidents Per 100 Students Enrolled	1.92

Student Suspension Rate

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

Suspension Types	% of Students
In-School Suspensions	0.0%
Out-of-School Suspensions	3.8%
Any Suspension	3.8%

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	1.2:1	164.2 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	\$819	\$19,517	\$20,336



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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 and Certifications

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

Category	Teachers in Schools	Teachers in State
Total Number of teachers	35	121,048
Average years experience in public schools	16.1	11.8
Average years experience in district	16.1	10.5
Teachers in district for 4 or more years	91%	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	4	9,533
Average years experience in public schools	13.0	15.9
Average years experience in district	9.8	11.6
Administrators in district for 4 or more years	50%	74%

Student to Staff Ratios

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

Staff Type	School Students: Staff	District Students: Staff
Teachers	7:1	9:1
Administrators	260:1	152:1
Librarian/Media Specialists		N
Nurses		305:1
Counselors		305:1
Child Study Team		152:1



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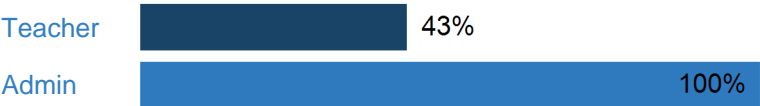
Teachers and Administrators - Level of Education

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

Bachelor's Degree



Master's Degree



Doctoral Degree



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

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

Job Type	District	State
2015-16 Teachers: Same district 2016-17	96%	89%
2015-16 Administrators: Same district 2016-17	67%	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	94%



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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	22.7	17.5%
Mathematics Proficiency	7.9	17.5%
English Language Arts Growth	22.7	25.0%
Mathematics Growth	62.6	25.0%
Chronic Absenteeism	19.6	15.0%
Progress Towards English Language Proficiency (coming 2018)	N/A	N/A
Summative Score: Sum of all indicator scores multiplied by indicator weights		29.6
Summative Rating: Percentile rank of Summative Score		19.2
Requires Comprehensive Support: Summative Rating is less than or equal to 5th percentile		No

** Indicator scores are only calculated for inclusion in ESSA accountability if data is available for at least 20 students.

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



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Accountability Summary by Student Group

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

Student Group	Summative Score	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	N/A	No	Met Target	Met Target	Not Met	Met Target	Met Target	No
White	20.4	No	Met Target	Met Target	Not Met	Met Target	Met Target	No
Hispanic	31.4	No	Met Target	Met Target	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	38.3	No	Met Target	Met Target	Not Met	Met Target	Met Target	No
Students with Disabilities	45.2	No	Met Target†	Not Met	Not Met	Met Target	Exceeds Target	No
English Learners	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No

** Indicator scores are only calculated for inclusion in ESSA accountability if data is available for at least 20 students.

† Target was met within a confidence interval.



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School Narrative

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	Highlights: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In Brigantine, school and community organizations work together to help students develop into good citizens. • Brigantine North Middle School helps every student identify and develop their unique talents. • Brigantine students are afforded a wide variety of high school options to continue their education.
	Mission, Vision, Theme: <p>Our Vision is to provide all students with the skills, abilities, and knowledge to meet the technological demands, production capabilities, career challenges, interpersonal intelligence, and leadership qualities to guide, direct, and positively influence 21st century society. It is our belief that all students possess unique gifts and we seek to help them identify and develop their gifts during middle school. At Brigantine North Middle School, EVERYONE IS SOMEONE.</p>
	Awards, Recognition, Accomplishments: <p>At BNMS, students are frequently rewarded for their hard work and self-discipline. Every year, students from BNMS are selected for the All South Jersey Choir and Band, ELKS and American Legion essay contests, the AAUW's Tech Trek STEM Camp, and the Cape-Atlantic Jr. All-Star basketball teams. Organizations from throughout our city as well as Atlantic County recognize our 8th grade graduates with over 60 different awards and scholarships.</p>







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 <p>Courses, Curriculum, Instruction:</p>	<p>The Writer's Workshop program in ELA classes enhances writing in the Middle School curriculum. Our math courses include an accelerated sequence where students complete Algebra I during their eighth grade year. NextGen Science Standards in grades 6-8 focus on the process of developing scientific thinking. Google Classroom and Google Portfolios were recently implemented to develop and communicate student learning throughout the Middle School.</p>
 <p>Sports and Athletics:</p>	<p>Sports Offered: Basketball (Boys & Girls), Cross-Country (Co-ed), Soccer (Co-ed), Volleyball (Co-ed)</p> <p>Soccer, Cross Country, Boys and Girls Basketball, and Volleyball teams afford students the opportunity to travel and compete against other local schools. Now in its 20th year, we boast the only middle school rowing program in Atlantic County. We also offer a Morning Gym program two days a week during the winter and an Intramural Sports Program for all students.</p>
 <p>Clubs and Activities:</p>	<p>Instrumental music lessons, Band, Choir, Think Day Team, Yearbook, and Art and Computer Clubs are provided to extend student learning. Student Council and National Junior Honor Society provide opportunities for students to develop their leadership skills.</p>
 <p>Before and After School Programs:</p>	<p>BNMS offers an after school Homework Club for all students. The Homework Club is administered by teaching staff members two days a week and transportation is provided to eligible students. Summer school programs for remedial work, at-risk students, and accelerated Pre-Algebra programs are also offered annually to extend student learning. One-to-one mentoring is provided to students needing extra help adjusting to the demands of middle school.</p>








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 Staff and Professional Learning:	<p>The master schedule includes time for common planning and articulation among grade level as well as content area teams. Staff members are encouraged to attend out of district workshops and turnkey the knowledge gained with other staff members. Through collaboration with the SRI-ETTC, we also provide focused, in-house workshops geared towards the direct needs of our staff.</p>
 Postsecondary Information:	<p>The skills and knowledge students gain at BNMS lead them on a path to college and career readiness. Since 2010, 37 Brigantine North Middle School alumni have graduated in the Top Ten of their respective high schools. These students are brought back and given awards annually to serve as role models for our younger students.</p>
 Student Supports and Services:	<p>The I&RS team meets regularly to discuss the needs of students and develop plans for academic, emotional, and behavioral support. Academic services for students with disabilities are provided through Inclusion Classroom environments. The Child Study Team meets regularly to determine student eligibility and programming. A guidance counselor, dedicated specifically to the Middle School, provides counseling on academic, social, and emotional issues for students.</p>
 Student Health and Wellness:	<p>The School Nurse provides nursing and wellness services to students including the management of short term and chronic health conditions. In addition to the many sports offered, Intramural Sports and a Morning Gym program are provided to give students extra physical activity during the winter months. This year, our school implemented Breakfast After the Bell to ensure all students begin the day with a healthy meal.</p>
 Parent and Community Involvement:	<p>Our District's Web site and Grade Portal allow for regular communication on student progress. Parents are sent academic updates every 5 weeks through Interim Progress Reports and Report Cards. Community organizations such as the PTA, Elks Lodge, VFW, American Legion, Fire Department, Police Department, Public Works, Green Team, Clean Communities, Historical Society, and Cultural Arts Commission team up with teachers to provide programs for students and staff.</p>



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Climate Surveys:

Is a Climate Survey Used: Yes; Who is surveyed: Students, Parents, Administrators, Teachers

A school climate survey is administered annually to students, parents, and all school staff. The survey is administered via an on-line survey tool and all students complete this survey during the school day. The survey is also shared via e-mail and our school's Web site with staff and parents. Feedback from the survey is reviewed by our School Safety Team each year. Programs for the upcoming year are then developed and assessed based on the feedback we receive in the School Climate survey.



Facilities:

Brigantine North Middle School is a fully equipped facility with dedicated spaces for a gymnasium, cafeteria, auditorium, and athletic fields including a soccer field and a two-lane track. Four computer labs and two science labs encourage the infusion of 21st century skills in our classrooms. Our STEM lab is equipped with a 3D printer, CAD software, and construction tools. Restrooms were recently renovated to ensure ADA compliance and maintain the longevity of our building.



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Other Information:

Brigantine North Middle School is a 5-8 grade environment that supports students in their transition to high school and beyond. There are currently several high school options available to students through public, charter, private, and parochial schools. School Choice programs in surrounding areas have afforded our students additional options for high school. Our guidance office works closely with students and parents to provide presentations with each school and ensure every student and family makes the best choice for them. Currently, our students attend 8 different high schools including Atlantic City High School, the Atlantic County Institute of Technology (ACIT), ChARTer Tech, Ocean City High School, Mainland Regional High School, Holy Spirit High School, St. Augustine Prep, and Our Lady of Mercy Academy.

Brigantine North Middle School is a place to call home. Located just 3 blocks from the beach, our school provides a challenging curriculum with the relaxed feel of island living. Our staff members are passionate, dedicated, and energetic. Our small class sizes allow staff members to build relationships with students and families. Students at BNMS are supported by the community at large through local civic organizations. To schedule a visit to Brigantine North Middle School and learn how our programs can benefit your child, please call the Main Office at 609.266.3603.