

**SOARING HEIGHTS CHARTER SCHOOL**

(80-7830-980)

Grades Offered: KG-08

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## School Contact Info

This table contains contact information including principal name, address, phone number, email address, and social media information, if provided.

Type	Contact Information
County	CHARTERS
District	SOARING HEIGHTS CS
Principal Name	MRS. ZUORICK
Address	1 ROMAR AVENUE JERSEY CITY, NJ 07305
Phone Number	(201)434-4800
Email Address	<a href="mailto:SOARINGHEIGHTS07302@YAHOO.COM">SOARINGHEIGHTS07302@YAHOO.COM</a>
Website	<a href="http://www.shcsjc.org">http://www.shcsjc.org</a>
Facebook	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/SoaringHeightsCharterSchool/">https://www.facebook.com/SoaringHeightsCharterSchool/</a>
Twitter	<a href="https://twitter.com/shcs_jc">https://twitter.com/shcs_jc</a>



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### Enrollment Trends by Grade

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

Grade	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
KG	23	24	23
1	46	24	24
2	23	48	24
3	24	24	48
4	24	24	24
5	22	25	25
6	24	24	24
7	24	24	24
8	23	21	24
Total	233	238	240

### Enrollment Trends by Student Group

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

Student Group	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Female	45.9%	49.6%	50.4%
Male	54.1%	50.4%	49.6%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	56.7%	47.1%	56.3%
Students with Disabilities	5.6%	6.7%	7.9%
English Learners	0.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Homeless Students		0.0%	0.0%
Students in Foster Care		0.8%	0.0%
Military-Connected Students		0.0%	0.0%
Migrant Students		0.0%	0.0%

### Enrollment by Racial and Ethnic Group

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

Racial and Ethnic Group	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
White	5.6%	5.9%	7.1%
Hispanic	15.0%	19.3%	19.6%
Black or African American	26.2%	25.2%	26.7%
Asian	53.2%	49.6%	46.7%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Two or More Races	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%

### Enrollment Trends by Full/Half Day PK and KG

This table shows number of students in full day and half day Pre-Kindergarten (PK) and Kindergarten (KG) for the past three school years.

Grade	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
KG - Half Day	0	0	0
KG - Full Day	23	24	23

### Enrollment by Home Language

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

Home Language	% of Students
English	77.9%
Spanish	5.0%
Tagalog	3.8%
Vietnamese	2.5%
Panjabi	2.5%
Other Languages	8.3%



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

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

## Student Growth

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

Student Group	ELA: School Median	ELA: District Median	ELA: Statewide Median	ELA: Met Standard (40-59.5)	Math: School Median	Math: District Median	Math: Statewide Median	Math: Met Standard (40-59.5)
Schoolwide	64	64	50	Exceeds Standard	71	71	50	Exceeds Standard
White	*	*	50	**	*	*	51	**
Hispanic	64	64	49	Exceeds Standard	57	57	48	Met Standard
Black or African American	58	58	44	Met Standard	72.5	72.5	44	Exceeds Standard
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	67.5	67.5	61	Exceeds Standard	75	75	61	Exceeds Standard
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	52	**	N	N	53	**
Two or More Races	N	N	49	**	N	N	51	**
Economically Disadvantaged	57	57	48	Met Standard	70	70	47	Exceeds Standard
Students with Disabilities	78	78	41	**	*	*	43	**
English Learners	N	N	54	**	N	N	51	**



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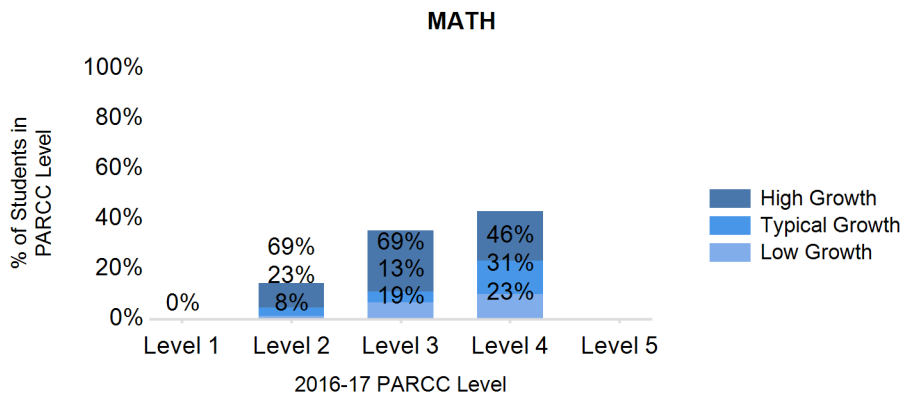
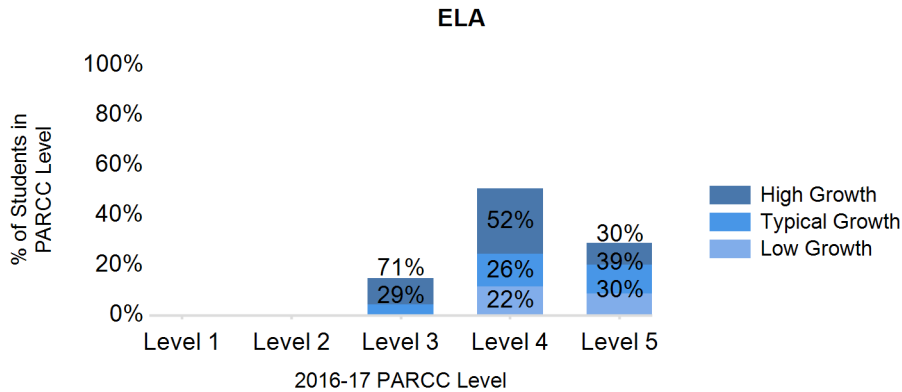
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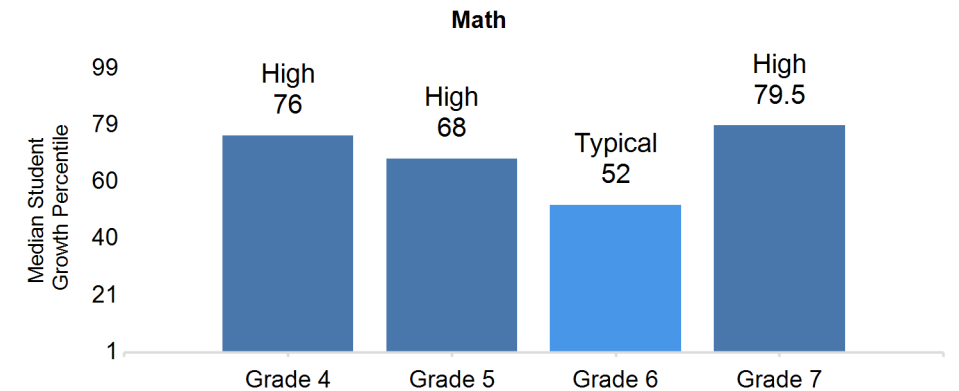
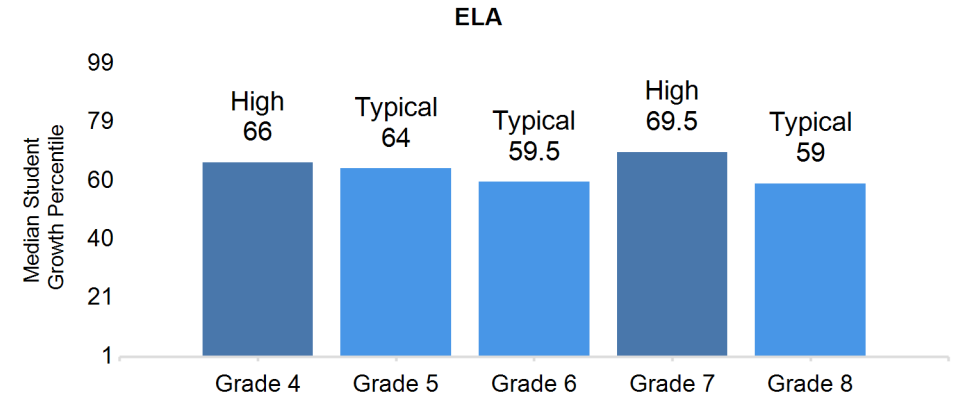
**Student Growth by Performance Level**

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



**Student Growth by Grade**

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





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## English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Participation and Performance

This table shows information about the English Language Arts/Literacy section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment both overall and by student group. The PARCC assessment has five performance levels, and students scoring a Level 4 or 5 (Met or Exceeded Expectations) have demonstrated readiness for the next grade level 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 proficiency rate used for federal accountability, the annual target, and whether the target was met, as required by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) accountability. Student group rows where the annual target fields are 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	2017-18 Annual Target	Met 2017-18 Annual Target
Schoolwide	163	98.2	87.1	87.1	56.7	87.1	80	Met Goal
White	*	*	*	*	65.6	*	**	**
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	42.5	*	75.5	Met Goal
Black or African American	43	97.8	83.7	83.7	37.3	83.7	80	Met Goal
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	79	100.0	91.1	91.1	82.3	91.1	80	Met Goal
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	52.7	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N	63.4	N	**	**
Female	88	97.8	90.9	90.9	64.5	90.9		
Male	75	98.7	82.7	82.7	49.4	82.7		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	91	98.9	84.6	84.6	38.5	84.6	79.7	Met Goal
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	72	97.3	90.2	90.2	67.5	90.2		
Students with Disabilities	11	100.0	63.6	63.6	21.6	63.6	**	**
Students without Disabilities	152	98.1	88.8	88.8	63.9	88.8		
English Learners	N	N	N	N	27.3	N	**	**
Non-English Learners	163	98.2	87.1	87.1	59.4	87.1		
Homeless Students	*	*	*	*	27.7	*		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	N	26.3	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	57.4	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	30.1	N		

† Target was met within a confidence interval.



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

This table shows participation and performance on the English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment by grade level exam. This table shows both overall and by student group the number of valid test scores and a summary of performance including mean scale scores, percentages of students scoring in each performance level, and the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5).

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
<b>Schoolwide</b>	47	780	780	750	*	*	*	60%	21%	81%	52%
White	*	*	*	759	*	*	*	*	*	*	61%
Hispanic	*	*	*	736	*	*	*	*	*	*	38%
Black or African American	13	776	776	733	*	0%	*	*	*	85%	35%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	27	780	780	777	0%	*	*	*	*	78%	77%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	743	N	N	N	N	N	N	46%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	758	N	N	N	N	N	N	58%
Female	23	794	794	756	*	*	*	*	*	96%	57%
Male	24	766	766	744	*	*	*	*	*	67%	46%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	23	776	776	733	*	*	*	*	*	74%	34%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	24	783	783	762	*	*	*	*	*	88%	64%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	719	*	*	*	*	*	*	24%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	756	*	*	*	*	*	*	57%
English Learners	N	N	N	712	N	N	N	N	N	N	15%
Non-English Learners	47	780	780	753	*	*	*	60%	21%	81%	55%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	720	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	751	N	N	N	N	N	N	52%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	741	N	N	N	N	N	N	48%



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

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
<b>Schoolwide</b>	23	774	774	756	0%	0%	*	*	*	96%	58%
White	N	N	N	764	N	N	N	N	N	N	68%
Hispanic	*	*	*	744	*	*	*	*	*	*	44%
Black or African American	*	*	*	739	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	12	770	770	782	0%	0%	0%	*	*	100%	83%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	758	N	N	N	N	N	N	60%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	763	N	N	N	N	N	N	63%
Female	*	*	*	762	*	*	*	*	*	*	63%
Male	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	53%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	40%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	767	*	*	*	*	*	*	70%
Students with Disabilities	N	N	N	726	N	N	N	N	N	N	25%
Students without Disabilities	23	774	774	762	0%	0%	*	*	*	96%	64%
English Learners	N	N	N	720	N	N	N	N	N	N	17%
Non-English Learners	23	774	774	759	0%	0%	*	*	*	96%	61%
Homeless Students	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	28%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	26%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	757	N	N	N	N	N	N	57%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	732	N	N	N	N	N	N	33%



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

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<b>Schoolwide</b>	24	779	779	755	0%	0%	*	*	*	88%	58%
White	*	*	*	763	*	*	*	*	*	*	68%
Hispanic	*	*	*	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	43%
Black or African American	*	*	*	738	*	*	*	*	*	*	38%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	780	*	*	*	*	*	*	84%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	752	N	N	N	N	N	N	53%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	763	N	N	N	N	N	N	65%
Female	12	781	781	762	0%	0%	*	*	*	83%	66%
Male	12	777	777	749	0%	0%	*	*	*	92%	51%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	13	778	778	739	0%	0%	*	*	*	85%	39%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	11	781	781	766	0%	0%	*	*	*	91%	71%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	762	*	*	*	*	*	*	65%
English Learners	N	N	N	712	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%
Non-English Learners	24	779	779	757	0%	0%	*	*	*	88%	60%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	728	N	N	N	N	N	N	27%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	59%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	732	N	N	N	N	N	N	33%



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<b>Schoolwide</b>	24	765	765	754	0%	*	*	*	*	75%	56%
White	*	*	*	761	*	*	*	*	*	*	66%
Hispanic	*	*	*	742	*	*	*	*	*	*	42%
Black or African American	*	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	35%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	10	784	784	779	0%	0%	0%	*	*	100%	83%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	751	N	N	N	N	N	N	49%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	761	N	N	N	N	N	N	64%
Female	*	*	*	761	*	*	*	*	*	*	64%
Male	*	*	*	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	48%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	13	751	751	739	0%	*	*	*	*	69%	37%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	11	781	781	764	0%	*	*	*	*	82%	68%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	723	*	*	*	*	*	*	18%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	760	*	*	*	*	*	*	63%
English Learners	N	N	N	712	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	24	765	765	755	0%	*	*	*	*	75%	*
Homeless Students	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	26%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	26%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	752	N	N	N	N	N	N	55%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	732	N	N	N	N	N	N	36%



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

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<b>Schoolwide</b>	24	788	788	760	0%	*	*	*	*	92%	63%
White	N	N	N	768	N	N	N	N	N	N	72%
Hispanic	*	*	*	746	*	*	*	*	*	*	49%
Black or African American	11	788	788	740	0%	0%	*	*	*	91%	42%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	790	*	*	*	*	*	*	87%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	57%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	767	N	N	N	N	N	N	68%
Female	*	*	*	769	*	*	*	*	*	*	72%
Male	*	*	*	752	*	*	*	*	*	*	54%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	742	*	*	*	*	*	*	44%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	771	*	*	*	*	*	*	73%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	721	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	768	*	*	*	*	*	*	71%
English Learners	N	N	N	705	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%
Non-English Learners	24	788	788	762	0%	*	*	*	*	92%	64%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	32%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	725	N	N	N	N	N	N	25%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	758	N	N	N	N	N	N	64%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	716	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%



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

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
<b>Schoolwide</b>	24	796	796	759	0%	0%	0%	50%	50%	100%	60%
White	*	*	*	767	*	*	*	*	*	*	70%
Hispanic	*	*	*	744	*	*	*	*	*	*	45%
Black or African American	*	*	*	739	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	13	798	798	789	0%	0%	0%	*	*	100%	86%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	759	N	N	N	N	N	N	59%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	766	N	N	N	N	N	N	66%
Female	*	*	*	768	*	*	*	*	*	*	69%
Male	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	11	796	796	740	0%	0%	0%	*	*	100%	42%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	13	795	795	769	0%	0%	0%	*	*	100%	71%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	719	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	766	*	*	*	*	*	*	68%
English Learners	N	N	N	703	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	24	796	796	761	0%	0%	0%	50%	50%	100%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	27%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	726	N	N	N	N	N	N	27%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	760	N	N	N	N	N	N	61%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%



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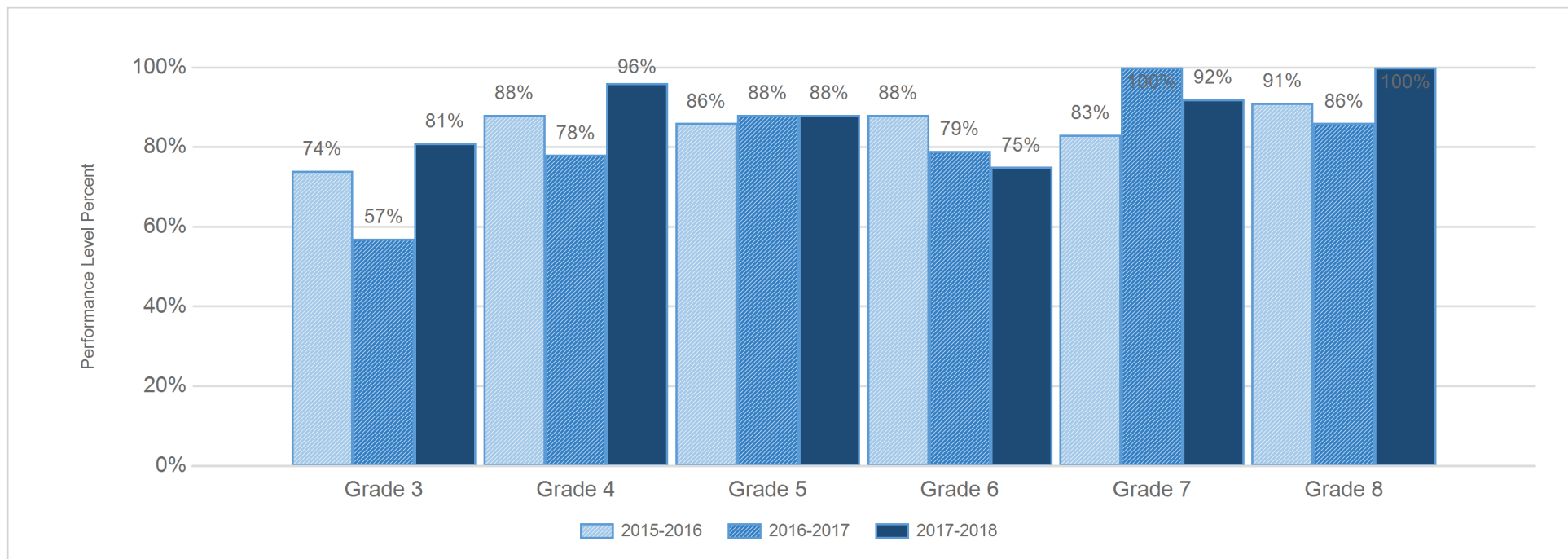
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## English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance Trends

This graph shows the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations on each grade level exam on the English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment 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 both overall and by student group. The PARCC assessment has five performance levels, and students scoring a Level 4 or 5 (Met or Exceeded Expectations) have demonstrated readiness for the next grade level 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 proficiency rate used for federal accountability, the annual target, and whether the target was met, as required by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) accountability. Student group rows where the annual target fields are 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	2017-18 Annual Target	Met 2017-18 Annual Target
Schoolwide	163	98.2	61.4	61.4	45.0	61.4	59	Met Target
White	*	*	*	*	54.1	*	**	**
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	29.2	*	44	Met Target
Black or African American	43	97.8	48.8	48.8	23.4	48.8	47.7	Met Target
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	79	100.0	72.2	72.2	77.0	72.2	70.7	Met Target
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	42.5	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N	53.0	N	**	**
Female	88	97.8	64.8	64.8	46.0	64.8		
Male	75	98.7	57.3	57.3	43.9	57.3		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	91	98.9	58.2	58.2	26.6	58.2	49.3	Met Target
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	72	97.3	65.3	65.3	55.9	65.3		
Students with Disabilities	11	100.0	*	*	17.1	*	**	**
Students without Disabilities	152	98.1	*	*	50.5	*		
English Learners	N	N	N	N	24.6	N	**	**
Non-English Learners	163	98.2	61.4	61.4	46.9	61.4		
Homeless Students	*	*	*	*	17.3	*		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	N	16.2	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	45.8	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	23.7	N		

† Target was met within a confidence interval.



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## Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 3

This table shows participation and performance on the Mathematics section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment by grade level exam. This table shows both overall and by student group the number of valid test scores and a summary of performance including mean scale scores, percentages of students scoring in each performance level, and the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5).

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	47	758	758	752	0%	*	38%	*	*	57%	53%
White	*	*	*	760	*	*	*	*	*	*	64%
Hispanic	*	*	*	739	*	*	*	*	*	*	38%
Black or African American	13	751	751	734	0%	*	*	*	*	46%	32%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	27	761	761	780	0%	*	*	*	*	70%	83%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	747	N	N	N	N	N	N	49%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	757	N	N	N	N	N	N	59%
Female	23	763	763	752	0%	*	*	*	*	74%	53%
Male	24	753	753	751	0%	*	*	*	*	42%	53%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	23	759	759	736	0%	*	*	*	*	52%	35%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	24	756	756	762	0%	*	*	*	*	63%	66%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	730	*	*	*	*	*	*	29%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	756	*	*	*	*	*	*	57%
English Learners	N	N	N	726	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Non-English Learners	47	758	758	754	0%	*	38%	*	*	57%	56%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	723	N	N	N	N	N	N	20%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	725	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	753	N	N	N	N	N	N	55%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	737	N	N	N	N	N	N	46%



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## Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 4

This table shows participation and performance on the Mathematics section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment by grade level exam. This table shows both overall and by student group the number of valid test scores and a summary of performance including mean scale scores, percentages of students scoring in each performance level, and the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5).

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	23	759	759	748	0%	*	*	*	*	78%	49%
White	N	N	N	755	N	N	N	N	N	N	60%
Hispanic	*	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	34%
Black or African American	*	*	*	730	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	12	760	760	774	0%	0%	*	*	*	75%	80%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	748	N	N	N	N	N	N	46%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	752	N	N	N	N	N	N	55%
Female	*	*	*	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	50%
Male	*	*	*	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	49%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	733	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	758	*	*	*	*	*	*	62%
Students with Disabilities	N	N	N	725	N	N	N	N	N	N	22%
Students without Disabilities	23	759	759	753	0%	*	*	*	*	78%	55%
English Learners	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	16%
Non-English Learners	23	759	759	750	0%	*	*	*	*	78%	52%
Homeless Students	*	*	*	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	18%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	723	N	N	N	N	N	N	16%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	748	N	N	N	N	N	N	49%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	32%



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## Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 5

This table shows participation and performance on the Mathematics section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment by grade level exam. This table shows both overall and by student group the number of valid test scores and a summary of performance including mean scale scores, percentages of students scoring in each performance level, and the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5).

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	24	760	760	748	0%	*	46%	*	*	50%	49%
White	*	*	*	756	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
Hispanic	*	*	*	736	*	*	*	*	*	*	32%
Black or African American	*	*	*	730	*	*	*	*	*	*	26%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	777	*	*	*	*	*	*	82%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	745	N	N	N	N	N	N	42%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	754	N	N	N	N	N	N	55%
Female	12	762	762	749	0%	*	*	*	*	58%	50%
Male	12	757	757	747	0%	*	*	*	*	42%	48%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	13	761	761	733	0%	*	*	*	*	54%	29%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	11	758	758	758	0%	*	*	*	*	45%	62%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	726	*	*	*	*	*	*	20%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	752	*	*	*	*	*	*	55%
English Learners	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Non-English Learners	24	760	760	750	0%	*	46%	*	*	50%	51%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	17%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	20%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	749	N	N	N	N	N	N	52%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	728	N	N	N	N	N	N	29%



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## Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 6

This table shows participation and performance on the Mathematics section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment by grade level exam. This table shows both overall and by student group the number of valid test scores and a summary of performance including mean scale scores, percentages of students scoring in each performance level, and the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5).

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Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	24	739	739	744	0%	*	*	*	*	38%	44%
White	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	54%
Hispanic	*	*	*	731	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Black or African American	*	*	*	726	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	10	746	746	771	0%	*	*	*	*	40%	78%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	744	N	N	N	N	N	N	48%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	749	N	N	N	N	N	N	52%
Female	*	*	*	745	*	*	*	*	*	*	45%
Male	*	*	*	742	*	*	*	*	*	*	42%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	13	735	735	729	0%	*	*	*	*	23%	24%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	11	745	745	753	0%	*	*	*	*	55%	56%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	717	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	49%
English Learners	N	N	N	713	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%
Non-English Learners	24	739	739	745	0%	*	*	*	*	38%	45%
Homeless Students	*	*	*	718	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	745	N	N	N	N	N	N	45%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	18%



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## Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 7

This table shows participation and performance on the Mathematics section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment by grade level exam. This table shows both overall and by student group the number of valid test scores and a summary of performance including mean scale scores, percentages of students scoring in each performance level, and the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5).

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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
<b>Schoolwide</b>	24	757	757	743	*	*	*	*	*	75%	43%
White	N	N	N	750	N	N	N	N	N	N	54%
Hispanic	*	*	*	732	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Black or African American	11	754	754	727	*	0%	*	*	*	73%	21%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	767	*	*	*	*	*	*	75%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	742	N	N	N	N	N	N	39%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	748	N	N	N	N	N	N	51%
Female	*	*	*	745	*	*	*	*	*	*	45%
Male	*	*	*	741	*	*	*	*	*	*	42%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	730	*	*	*	*	*	*	24%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	55%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	717	*	*	*	*	*	*	12%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	50%
English Learners	N	N	N	716	N	N	N	N	N	N	10%
Non-English Learners	24	757	757	744	*	*	*	*	*	75%	45%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	720	N	N	N	N	N	N	14%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	743	N	N	N	N	N	N	42%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%



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## Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 8

This table shows participation and performance on the Mathematics section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment by grade level exam. This table shows both overall and by student group the number of valid test scores and a summary of performance including mean scale scores, percentages of students scoring in each performance level, and the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5).

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

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
<b>Schoolwide</b>	24	769	769	728	0%	*	*	*	*	79%	28%
White	*	*	*	736	*	*	*	*	*	*	36%
Hispanic	*	*	*	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Black or African American	*	*	*	715	*	*	*	*	*	*	15%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	13	775	775	747	0%	*	*	*	*	85%	51%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Female	*	*	*	731	*	*	*	*	*	*	31%
Male	*	*	*	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	26%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	11	765	765	719	0%	*	*	*	*	73%	20%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	13	773	773	735	0%	*	*	*	*	85%	35%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	705	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
English Learners	N	N	N	705	N	N	N	N	N	N	10%
Non-English Learners	24	769	769	729	0%	*	*	*	*	79%	29%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	734	N	N	N	N	N	N	31%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	703	N	N	N	N	N	N	10%



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## Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Test: Algebra I

This table shows participation and performance on the Mathematics section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment by end of course exam. This table shows both overall and by student group the number of valid test scores and a summary of performance including mean scale scores, percentages of students scoring in each performance level, and the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5).

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	N	N	N	746	N	N	N	N	N	N	46%
White	N	N	N	755	N	N	N	N	N	N	57%
Hispanic	N	N	N	730	N	N	N	N	N	N	27%
Black or African American	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	779	N	N	N	N	N	N	79%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	746	N	N	N	N	N	N	49%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	755	N	N	N	N	N	N	54%
Female	N	N	N	748	N	N	N	N	N	N	48%
Male	N	N	N	745	N	N	N	N	N	N	44%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	25%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	57%
Students with Disabilities	N	N	N	716	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Students without Disabilities	N	N	N	752	N	N	N	N	N	N	52%
English Learners	N	N	N	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	N	N	N	749	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	16%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	712	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	752	N	N	N	N	N	N	49%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	720	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%



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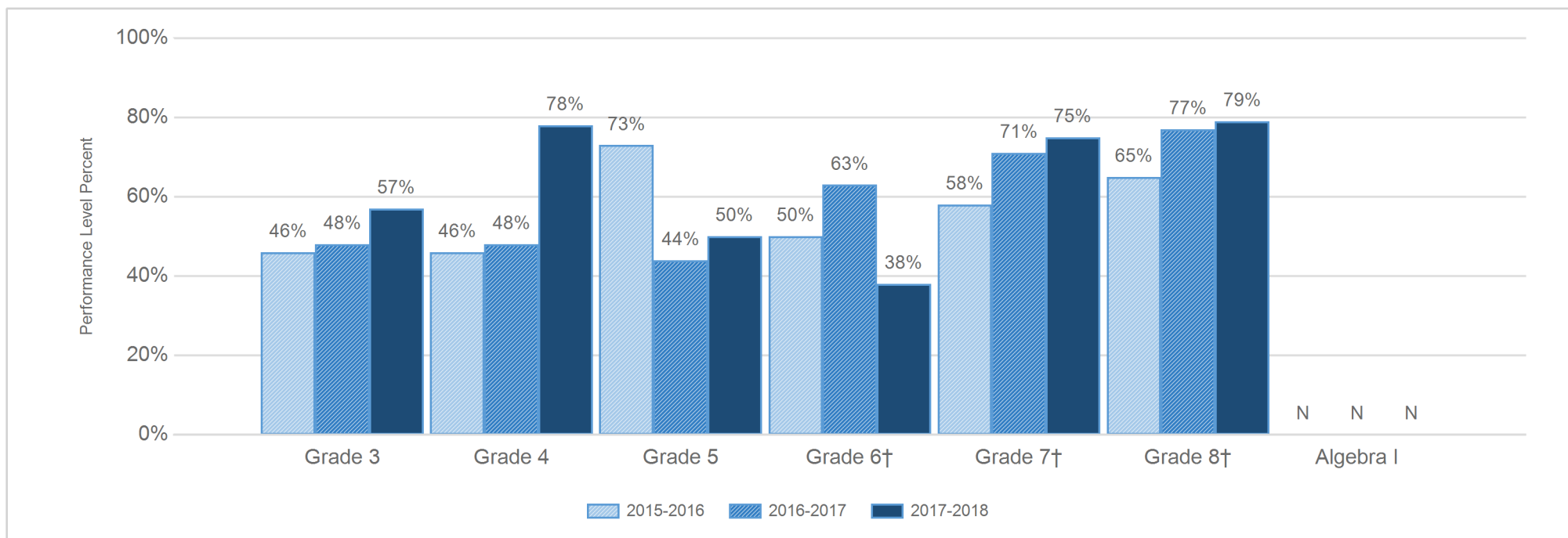
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### Mathematics Assessment – Performance Trends

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



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



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## DLM Alternate Assessment - Participation

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

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

## English Language Progress to Proficiency

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

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

† Target was met within one standard deviation

## English Language Proficiency Test - Participation and Performance

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

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



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### NJASK Science Assessment Information

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



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Information about [New Jersey Student Learning Standards](#) can be found on the NJDOE website.

### Mathematics - Course Participation

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

Grade	Algebra I	Geometry	Grade Level and Other Math
6	0	0	24
7	0	0	24
8	0	0	24
Total	0	0	72

### World Languages - Course Participation

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

Grade	Spanish	French	Italian	Latin	German	Chinese	Other Languages
6	24	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	24	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	24	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	72	0	0	0	0	0	0



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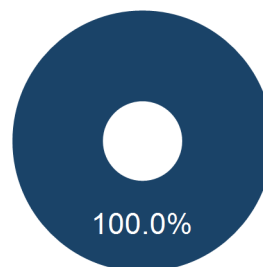
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## Visual and Performing Arts – Course Participation

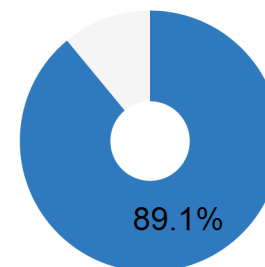
The first set of graphs below show the percentages of students who were enrolled in any Visual and Performing Arts classes during the school year. The graphs at the bottom of the page show the percentages of students enrolled in at least one course within each of the four arts disciplines during the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

### Grades 6-8:

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

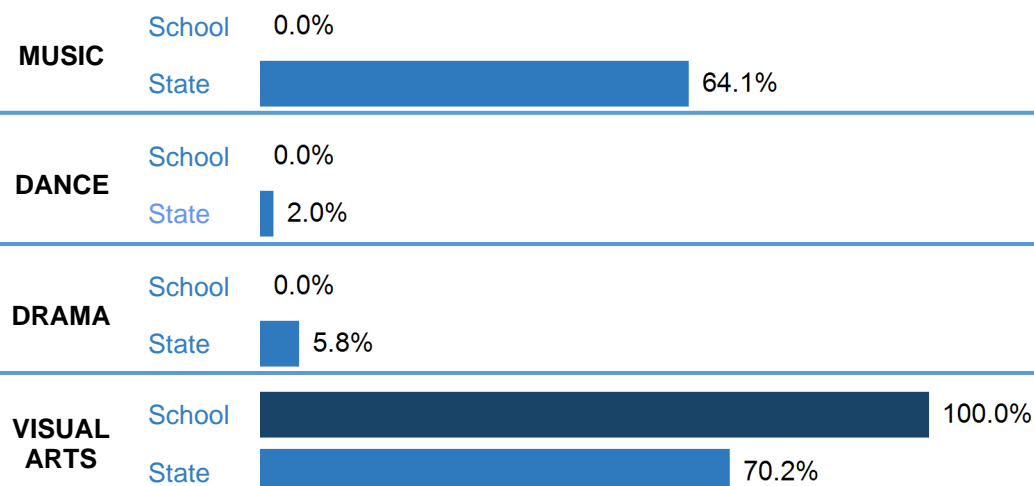


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Students enrolled in one or more classes by discipline:





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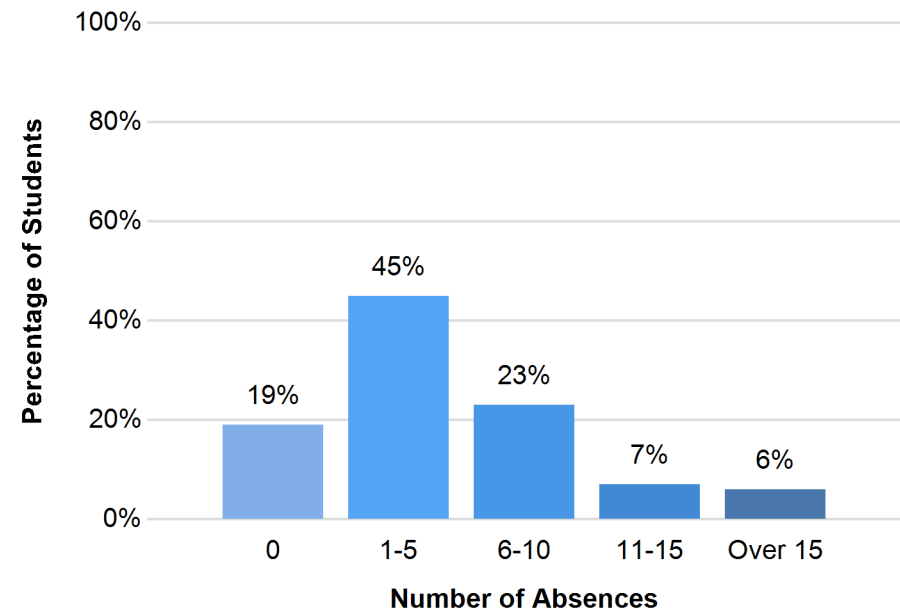
## Chronic Absenteeism

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

Student Group	Number of students chronically absent	Percent of students chronically absent	State Average	Met State Average
Schoolwide	9	3.8	9.1	Met
White	2	11.8	**	**
Hispanic	2	4.3	9.1	Met
Black or African American	0	0	9.1	Met
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	5	4.5	9.1	Met
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N
Economically Disadvantaged Students	7	5.2	9.1	Met
Students with Disabilities	0	0	**	**
English Learners	N	N	N	N

## Days Absent

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





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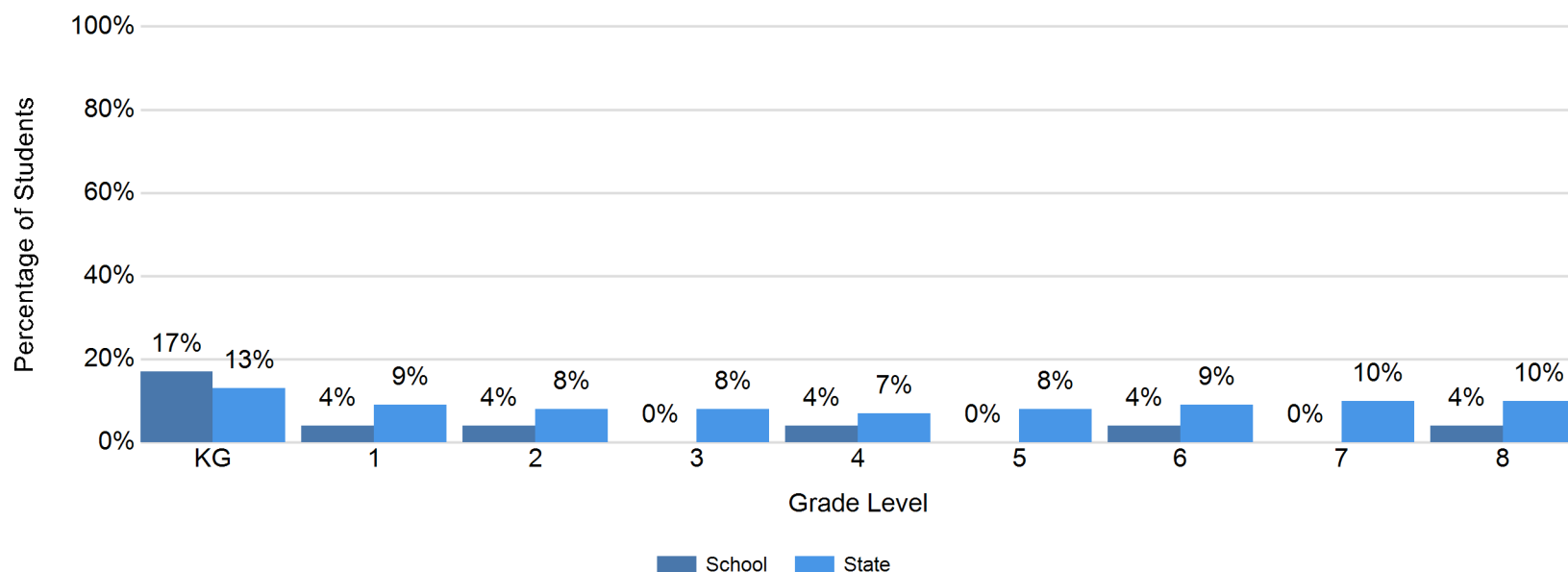
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### Chronic Absenteeism by Grade

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





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### Violence, Vandalism, HIB, and Substance Offenses

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

Incident Type	Number of Incidents
Violence	2
Weapons	0
Vandalism	0
Substances	0
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	3
Total Unique Incidents	5
Incidents Per 100 Students Enrolled	2.08

### Police Notifications

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

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



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### Harassment, Intimidation, and Bullying (HIB) Investigations

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

HIB Nature (Protected Category)	HIB Alleged	HIB Confirmed	Total HIB Investigations
Race	0	1	1
Religion	0	0	0
Ancestry	0	0	0
Gender	0	0	0
Sexual Orientation	1	0	1
Disability	0	0	0
Other	1	2	3
No Identified Nature	4		4

### Student Disciplinary Removals

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

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

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

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### School Day

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

Category	School
Typical Start Time	8:30 AM
Typical End Time	2:45 PM
Length of School Day	6 Hrs 15 Mins
Full Time - Instructional Time	5 Hrs 30 Mins
Shared Time - Instructional Time	N

### Device Ratios

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

School Year	Student to Device Ratio
2017-18	1.6:1

### Per-Pupil Expenditures (District Level)

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

Per-Pupil Expenditures	Federal	State/Local	Total
District Total (2016-2017)	\$794	\$11,146	\$11,940



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### 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	13	117,464
Average years experience in public schools	16.8	12.0
Average years experience in district	16.8	10.7
Teachers in district for 4 or more years	100.0%	75.5%

### Administrators – Experience (District Level)

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

Category	Admin. in District	Admin. in State
Total Number of administrators	1	9,374
Average years experience in public schools	56.0	16.0
Average years experience in district	56.0	12.0
Administrators in district for 4 or more years	100.0%	76.2%

### Student and Staff Ratios

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

Ratio	School Ratio	District Ratio
Students to Teachers	18:1	18:1
Students to Administrators	240:1	240:1
Teachers to Administrators	13:1	13:1
Students to Librarians/Media Specialists		N
Students to Nurses		240:1
Students to Counselors		120:1
Students to Child Study Team		N



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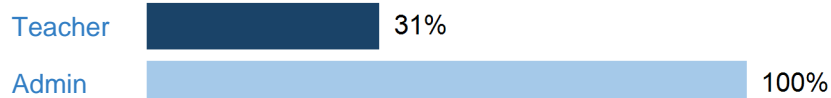
### Teachers and Administrators - Level of Education

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

Job Type	District	State
2016-17 Teachers: Same district 2017-18	86.7%	90.2%
2016-17 Administrators: Same district 2017-18	100.0%	86.2%

### Faculty Attendance

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

School Year	% Days Present
2017-18	93.1%



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### Teachers and Administrators – Demographics

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

Category	Teachers	Administrators
Female	92.3%	100.0%
Male	7.7%	0.0%
White	84.6%	100.0%
Hispanic	7.7%	0.0%
Black or African American	0.0%	0.0%
Asian	7.7%	0.0%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%	0.0%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%
Two or More Races	0.0%	0.0%



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### Comprehensive Status

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

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

### Targeted Status

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

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



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

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Accountability Indicator	Score	Weight
English Language Arts Proficiency	98.58	17.5%
Mathematics Proficiency	77.31	17.5%
English Language Arts Growth	88.15	25.0%
Mathematics Growth	96.50	25.0%
Progress Towards English Language Proficiency	**	**
Chronic Absenteeism	85.55	15.0%
<b>Summative Score:</b> Sum of all indicator scores multiplied by indicator weights	89.78	n/a
<b>Summative Rating:</b> Percentile Rank of Summative Score	97.75	n/a
<b>Requires Comprehensive Support:</b> Summative Rating is less than or equal to 5 <sup>th</sup> percentile	No	n/a

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### Accountability Summary by Student Group - 2017-18 School Year

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Student Group	Summative Score	Summative Score Cut-off for Targeted Support	Requires Targeted Support: Low Performing Student Group	ELA Proficiency: Met Annual Target	Math Proficiency: Met Annual Target	ELA Student Growth: Met Standard	Math Student Growth: Met Standard	Progress Towards English Language Proficiency: Met Annual Target	Chronic Absenteeism: Met State Average	Requires Targeted Support: Consistently Underperforming Student Group - 2017-18
Schoolwide	n/a	n/a	No	Met Goal	Met Target	Exceeds Standard	Exceeds Standard	N	Met	No
White	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Hispanic	87.48	14.08	No	Met Goal	Met Target	Exceeds Standard	Met Standard	n/a	Met	No
Black or African American	96.16	14.08	No	Met Goal	Met Target	Met Standard	Exceeds Standard	n/a	Met	No
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	63.16	14.08	No	Met Goal	Met Target	Exceeds Standard	Exceeds Standard	n/a	Met	No
American Indian or Alaska Native	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Two or More Races	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Economically Disadvantaged Students	92.99	14.08	No	Met Goal	Met Target	Met Standard	Exceeds Standard	n/a	Met	No
Students with Disabilities	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
English Learners	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	**	No

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



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## School Narrative

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 <p>Highlights:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Soaring Heights Charter School was named 2018-19 National ESEA Distinguished School.</li> <li>• Soaring Heights Charter School was named Best Practices for Shared Leadership by NJDOE Office of Charter and Renaissance Schools.</li> <li>• Soaring Heights Charter School was named the #1 Best Public Elementary and Middle School in Hudson County by Niche.com.</li> </ul>
 <p>Mission, Vision, Theme:</p>	<p>The mission of Soaring Heights Charter School is to prepare a growing number of students for a lifetime of learning as productive citizens in the technological age by training them how to communicate and listen effectively, think critically, solve problems, act responsibly, value their accomplishments, and achieve a high level of academic excellence.</p>
 <p>Awards, Recognition, Accomplishments:</p>	<p>Soaring Heights received prestigious awards including National ESEA Distinguished School and Best Practices for Shared Leadership. For the past two years, Soaring Heights was named the #1 Best Public Elementary and Middle School in Hudson County by Niche.com.</p>



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#### Courses, Curriculum, Instruction:

Soaring Heights Charter School implements curriculum aligned to the New Jersey Student Learning Standards. Textbooks used at the school are: ELA – Ready Gen K-2, Novel based approach 3-8. Math – K-8 Big Ideas Math. Science: Pearson Interactive Science K-4, 5-6 McGraw Hill, 7-8 Glencoe. Social Studies: K-4 McGraw Hill, 5-8 Glencoe. Health and Spanish: McGraw Hill. Homework is assigned daily in all grades.



#### Clubs and Activities:

An enrichment program was offered to grades 2-5, three days a week after school. A Summer enrichment program was also offered for students in grades 5-8 for three weeks. Confucius Institute at NJCU conducted an after school program in Chinese Culture for grades 2-4 for 6 weeks.



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#### Before and After School Programs:

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#### Staff and Professional Learning:

Teachers are engaged in weekly on-going communication training focused on developing increased active listening and reflective speaking. Teachers also have the opportunity to collaborate with one another at meetings scheduled before, during, and after school. ELA coaches work with the staff throughout the year.



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### Student Supports and Services:

The school has procedures in place governing interventions for students in the general ed population such as Intervention and Referral Services. Both Math and Reading Early Intervention are offered daily to struggling students as well as tutoring once a week for two eight week periods. If these interventions are not successful they are referred to the Child Study Team. The school offers in-class support and pull-out services as well as Speech/Language Therapy and O.T.



### Student Health and Wellness:

All students receive 90 minutes of Physical Education per week in addition to 20 minutes of recess per day. The school participates in the National Lunch and Breakfast Program. The school practices Mindfulness activities throughout the day.



### Parent and Community Involvement:

Soaring Heights Charter School holds Adult Guild meetings throughout the year. Other events offered to involve parents and the community are as follows: Welcome Back BBQ, High School Night, Book Fair, Holiday Breakfast, Potluck Dinner, Spring Concert, Symphony Jazz Concert, National Honor Society Induction, Spring Auction, Report Card Distribution Conferences, and Director's Breakfast. Parents can access their child's grades through OnCourseConnect.com.



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 <p>Climate Surveys:</p>	<p>Is a Climate Survey Used: Yes; Who is surveyed: Parents, Administrators, Teachers</p> <p>A survey is administered annually to the staff at Soaring Heights. Results are reviewed throughout the summer and discussed with the staff at large. The highlights from last year's survey are as follows: teachers report an increased ability to think about the impact of their words upon others and an ability to serve as a better role model for the children by being more relaxed and having a greater sense of confidence.</p>
 <p>Facilities:</p>	<p>Soaring Heights Charter School moved to its newly renovated building in February, 2004. The school is equipped with both heat and air conditioning.</p>
 <p>School Safety:</p>	<p>The school is equipped with cameras in every classroom, hallway, and the perimeter of the building. School safety drills and fire drills are conducted each month.</p>



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#### Technology and STEM:

The school provides 120 laptops and 20 iPads for student use. Each classroom is equipped with a computer, printer, SMARTboard, Television, DVD player, VHS player, and a telephone. Soaring Heights implemented a weekly STEM class for grades K-8.



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Other Information:

The school follows a uniform dress code policy that is distributed annually at registration to both parents and children and is included in the student planners. School begins at 8:30 a.m. and continues through 2:55 p.m. The length of the school year totals 180 days. The school communicates with parents through monthly calendars highlighting special events, by sending letters, emails, One Call Now announcements, Homework Hotline, and the school's website, Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram. The school's application for admission can be accessed through the website in addition to being available in the school's main office. In December, a notice is sent home requesting the names of siblings who will be five years old by September 30th and who plans to attend the school. Also in December, a paid advertisement is placed in the Jersey Journal announcing the date, time, and location of the lottery and inviting families in the community to submit applications. The lottery is the first Monday evening in January and determines the new placement for the waiting list in grades K-8 and/or acceptance for the upcoming kindergarten class.