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**SHERMAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**
(39-4550-090)
Grades Offered: PK-05
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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 | UNION |
| District | ROSELLE PARK BORO |
| Principal Name | MRS. LECHNER |
| Address | 375 E GRANT AVE ROSELLE PARK, NJ 07204 |
| Phone Number | (908)245-1886 |
| Email Address | TLECHNER@RPSD.ORG |
| Website | http://rpsdsherman.sharpschool.net |

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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 |
|---|---|---|---|
| PK | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| KG | 48 | 49 | 49 |
| 1 | 51 | 57 | 62 |
| 2 | 60 | 59 | 61 |
| 3 | 66 | 62 | 68 |
| 4 | 58 | 66 | 63 |
| 5 | 65 | 64 | 76 |
| Total | 348 | 357 | 386 |

## 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 | 50.3% | 50.1% | 46.9% |
| Male | 49.7% | 49.9% | 53.1% |
| Economically Disadvantaged Students | 27.9% | 29.1% | 29.3% |
| Students with Disabilities | 12.1% | 11.8% | 16.6% |
| English Learners | 14.9% | 11.2% | 10.9% |
| Homeless Students | | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Students in Foster Care | | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Military-Connected Students | | 0.6% | 1.0% |
| 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 | 35.3% | 34.7% | 33.7% |
| Hispanic | 46.6% | 47.9% | 48.2% |
| Black or African American | 6.9% | 7.3% | 7.5% |
| Asian | 8.0% | 6.7% | 7.0% |
| Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander | 0.0% | 0.3% | 0.5% |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 0.0% | 0.6% | 0.5% |
| Two or More Races | 3.2% | 2.5% | 2.6% |

## 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 |
|---|---|---|---|
| PK - Half Day | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| PK - Full Day | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| KG - Half Day | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KG - Full Day | 48 | 49 | 49 |

## 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 | 80.3% |
| Spanish | 15.0% |
| Hindi | 1.6% |
| Chinese | 1.0% |
| Other Languages | 2.1% |

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

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

## Student Growth

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

| Student Group | ELA: School Median | ELA: District Median | ELA: Statewide Median | ELA: Met Standard (40-59.5) | Math: School Median | Math: District Median | Math: Statewide Median | Math: Met Standard (40-59.5) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Schoolwide | 40.5 | 41 | 50 | Met Standard | 67.5 | 57 | 50 | Exceeds Standard |
| White | 42 | 40 | 50 | Met Standard | 68 | 57 | 51 | Exceeds Standard |
| Hispanic | 40.5 | 40 | 49 | Met Standard | 66.5 | 56 | 48 | Exceeds Standard |
| Black or African American | 29.5 | 32 | 44 | ** | 61 | 50 | 44 | ** |
| Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander | 43 | 56 | 61 | ** | 82 | 70 | 61 | ** |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | N | N | 52 | ** | N | N | 53 | ** |
| Two or More Races | * | 44.5 | 49 | ** | * | 36 | 51 | ** |
| Economically Disadvantaged | 37 | 38 | 48 | Not Met | 66 | 58 | 47 | Exceeds Standard |
| Students with Disabilities | 37 | 37 | 41 | ** | 54 | 49 | 43 | ** |
| English Learners | 49 | 36 | 54 | Met Standard | 66 | 56 | 51 | Exceeds Standard |

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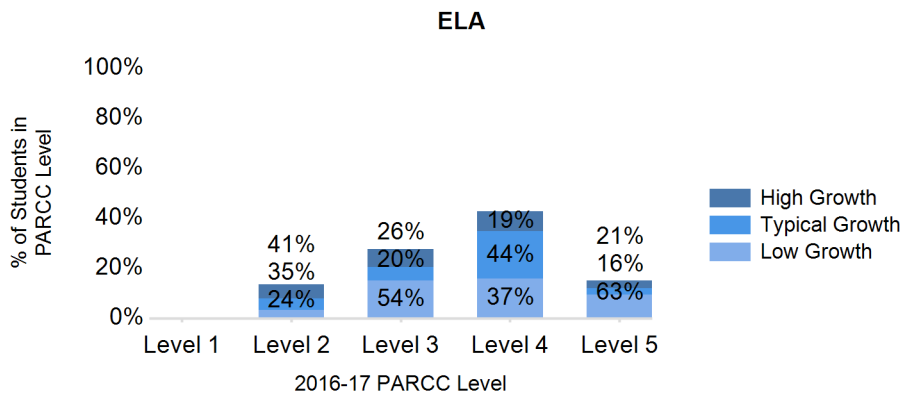
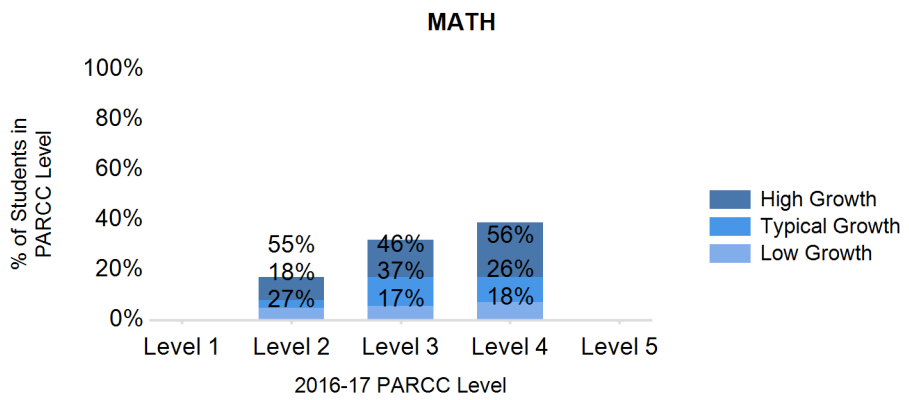
## Student Growth by Performance Level

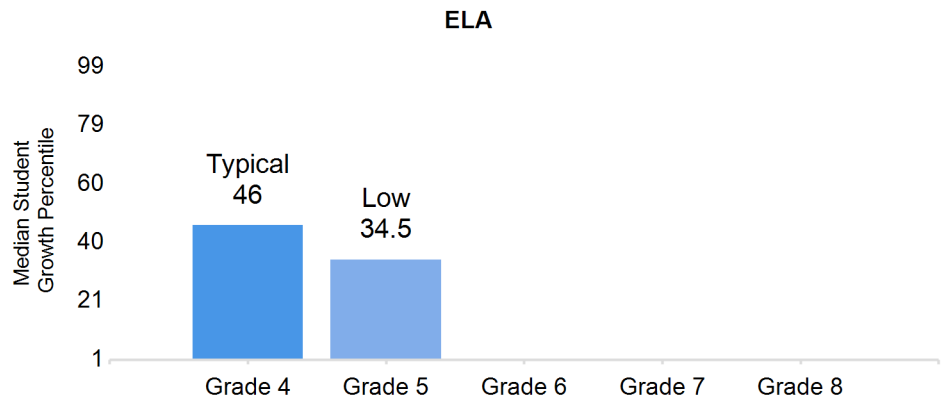
These graphs show the percentage of students by 2016-17 PARCC performance level that fall into each of the three levels of growth based on their 2017-18 test scores.

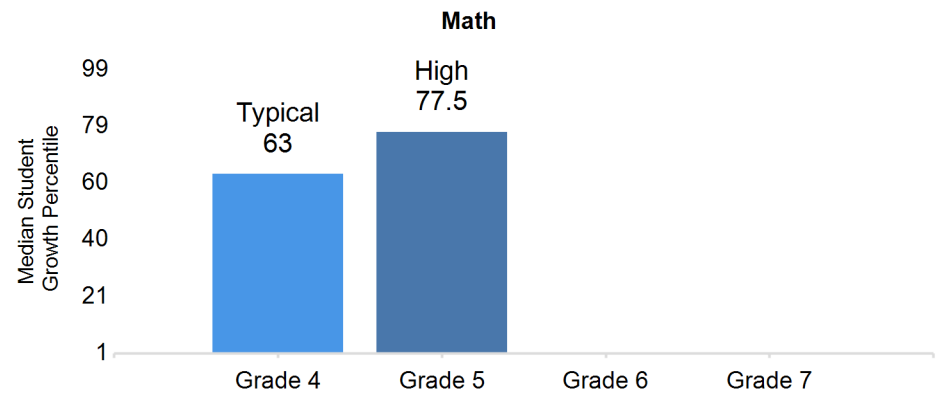



## Student Growth by Grade

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



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

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| Student Group | Valid Scores | % of students Taking Test | School: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations | District: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations | State: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations | Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability | 2017-18 Annual Target | Met 2017-18 Annual Target |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Schoolwide | 202 | 99.5 | 57.9 | 52.1 | 56.7 | 57.9 | 66.3 | Not Met |
| White | 67 | 100.0 | 56.7 | 57.8 | 65.6 | 56.7 | 69.9 | Not Met |
| Hispanic | 94 | 99.0 | 52.1 | 45.8 | 42.5 | 52.1 | 59.1 | Met Target† |
| Black or African American | 16 | 100.0 | 68.8 | * | 37.3 | 68.8 | ** | ** |
| Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander | 18 | 100.0 | 72.2 | 73.8 | 82.3 | 72.2 | ** | ** |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | * | * | * | * | 52.7 | * | ** | ** |
| Two or More Races | * | * | * | * | 63.4 | * | ** | ** |
| Female | 107 | 99.1 | 68.2 | 62.2 | 64.5 | 68.2 | | |
| Male | 95 | 100.0 | 46.3 | 42.1 | 49.4 | 46.3 | | |
| Economically Disadvantaged Students | 58 | 98.3 | 48.3 | 40.9 | 38.5 | 48.3 | 49.1 | Met Target† |
| Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students | 144 | 100.0 | 61.8 | 58.4 | 67.5 | 61.8 | | |
| Students with Disabilities | 30 | 100.0 | 30.0 | * | 21.6 | 30.0 | 26.7 | Met Target |
| Students without Disabilities | 172 | 99.4 | 62.8 | * | 63.9 | 62.8 | | |
| English Learners | 31 | 100.0 | 38.7 | 29.6 | 27.3 | 38.7 | 44 | Met Target† |
| Non-English Learners | 171 | 99.4 | 61.4 | 56.4 | 59.4 | 61.4 | | |
| Homeless Students | N | N | N | N | 27.7 | N | | |
| Students In Foster Care | N | N | N | * | 26.3 | N | | |
| Military-Connected Students | * | * | * | 61.1 | 57.4 | * | | |
| Migrant Students | N | N | N | N | 30.1 | N | | |

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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 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Schoolwide** | 66 | 760 | 754 | 750 | * | * | 36% | * | * | 55% | 52% |
| White | 21 | 754 | 758 | 759 | * | * | 48% | * | * | 43% | 61% |
| Hispanic | 35 | 761 | 751 | 736 | 0% | * | 37% | * | * | 54% | 38% |
| Black or African American | * | * | 742 | 733 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 35% |
| Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander | * | * | * | 777 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 77% |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | * | * | * | 743 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 46% |
| Two or More Races | N | N | * | 758 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 58% |
| Female | 39 | 764 | 758 | 756 | * | * | * | * | * | 59% | 57% |
| Male | 27 | 753 | 749 | 744 | * | * | * | * | * | 48% | 46% |
| Economically Disadvantaged Students | 21 | 760 | 745 | 733 | * | * | * | * | * | 52% | 34% |
| Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students | 45 | 760 | 759 | 762 | * | * | * | * | * | 56% | 64% |
| Students with Disabilities | 11 | 746 | * | 719 | * | * | * | * | * | 36% | 24% |
| Students without Disabilities | 55 | 763 | * | 756 | * | * | * | * | * | 58% | 57% |
| English Learners | * | * | 730 | 712 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 15% |
| Non-English Learners | * | * | 756 | 753 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 55% |
| Homeless Students | N | N | N | 720 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 21% |
| Students in Foster Care | N | N | * | 722 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 23% |
| Military-Connected Students | * | * | * | 751 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 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 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Schoolwide** | 63 | 757 | 755 | 756 | 0% | 16% | 25% | * | * | 59% | 58% |
| White | 23 | 756 | 764 | 764 | 0% | * | * | * | * | 65% | 68% |
| Hispanic | 25 | 750 | 746 | 744 | 0% | * | * | * | * | 52% | 44% |
| Black or African American | * | * | * | 739 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 39% |
| Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander | * | * | * | 782 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 83% |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | N | N | N | 758 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 60% |
| Two or More Races | * | * | * | 763 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 63% |
| Female | 31 | 767 | 763 | 762 | 0% | * | * | * | * | 74% | 63% |
| Male | 32 | 746 | 747 | 751 | 0% | * | * | * | * | 44% | 53% |
| Economically Disadvantaged Students | 12 | 734 | 741 | 740 | 0% | * | * | * | * | 17% | 40% |
| Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students | 51 | 762 | 762 | 767 | 0% | * | * | * | * | 69% | 70% |
| Students with Disabilities | * | * | 728 | 726 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 25% |
| Students without Disabilities | * | * | 759 | 762 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 64% |
| English Learners | 10 | 736 | 728 | 720 | 0% | * | * | * | * | 30% | 17% |
| Non-English Learners | 53 | 761 | 760 | 759 | 0% | * | * | * | * | 64% | 61% |
| Homeless Students | N | N | N | 729 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 28% |
| Students in Foster Care | N | N | N | 729 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 26% |
| Military-Connected Students | * | * | * | 757 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 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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| 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** | 75 | 759 | 755 | 755 | * | * | 31% | * | * | 60% | 58% |
| White | 23 | 758 | 758 | 763 | 0% | * | * | * | * | 61% | 68% |
| Hispanic | 35 | 751 | 748 | 743 | * | * | 37% | 51% | 0% | 51% | 43% |
| Black or African American | * | * | * | 738 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 38% |
| Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander | 10 | 786 | 777 | 780 | 0% | 0% | * | * | * | 80% | 84% |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | N | N | N | 752 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 53% |
| Two or More Races | * | * | * | 763 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 65% |
| Female | 38 | 765 | 762 | 762 | * | * | * | * | * | 74% | 66% |
| Male | 37 | 753 | 748 | 749 | * | * | * | * | * | 46% | 51% |
| Economically Disadvantaged Students | 24 | 756 | 749 | 739 | * | * | * | * | * | 58% | 39% |
| Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students | 51 | 761 | 758 | 766 | * | * | * | * | * | 61% | 71% |
| Students with Disabilities | * | * | 724 | 724 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 22% |
| Students without Disabilities | * | * | 761 | 762 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 65% |
| English Learners | * | * | * | 712 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 11% |
| Non-English Learners | * | * | * | 757 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 60% |
| Homeless Students | N | N | N | 731 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 30% |
| Students in Foster Care | N | N | N | 728 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 27% |
| Military-Connected Students | * | * | * | 756 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 59% |
| Migrant Students | N | N | N | 732 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 33% |

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## English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance Trends

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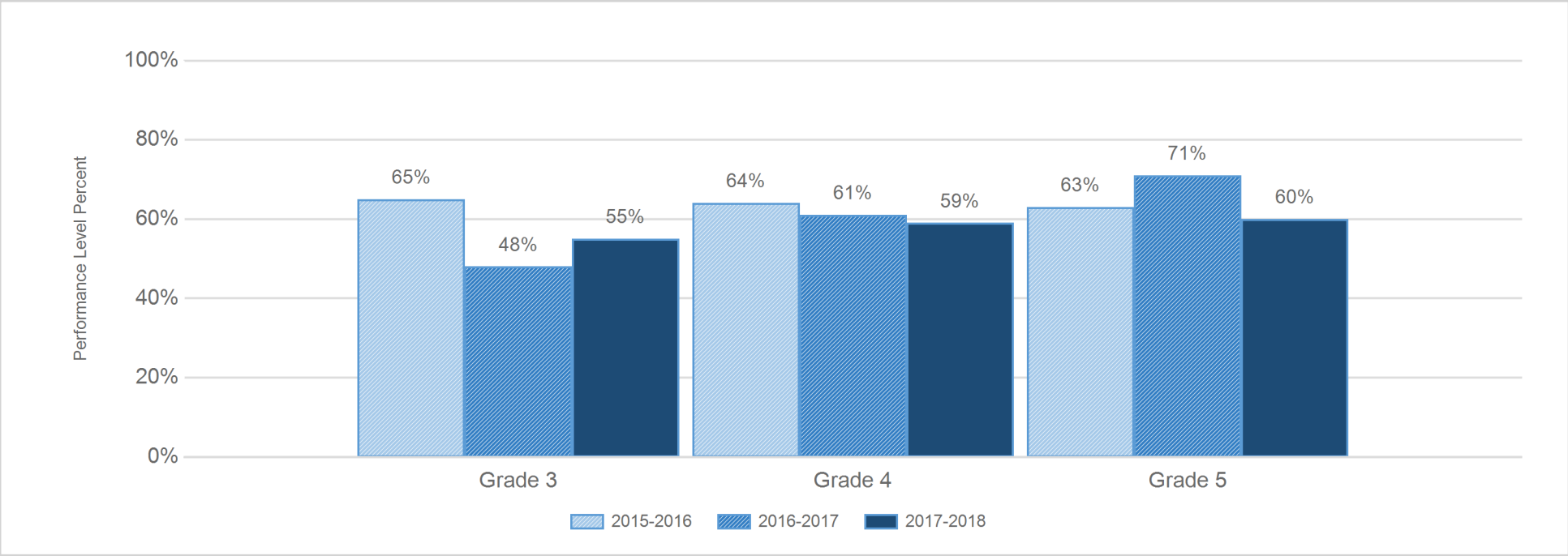

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Schoolwide | 203 | 99.5 | 57.1 | 42.4 | 45.0 | 57.1 | 51.1 | Met Target |
| White | 67 | 100.0 | 59.7 | 46.2 | 54.1 | 59.7 | 55.8 | Met Target |
| Hispanic | 94 | 99.0 | 46.8 | 36.4 | 29.2 | 46.8 | 43.3 | Met Target |
| Black or African American | 16 | 100.0 | 75.1 | * | 23.4 | 75.1 | ** | ** |
| Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander | 19 | 100.0 | 84.2 | 63.9 | 77.0 | 84.2 | ** | ** |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | * | * | * | * | 42.5 | * | ** | ** |
| Two or More Races | * | * | * | * | 53.0 | * | ** | ** |
| Female | 108 | 99.1 | 63.0 | 44.9 | 46.0 | 63.0 | | |
| Male | 95 | 100.0 | 50.5 | 39.9 | 43.9 | 50.5 | | |
| Economically Disadvantaged Students | 58 | 98.3 | 43.1 | 32.5 | 26.6 | 43.1 | 37.3 | Met Target |
| Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students | 145 | 100.0 | 62.8 | 47.7 | 55.9 | 62.8 | | |
| Students with Disabilities | 30 | 100.0 | 33.3 | * | 17.1 | 33.3 | 26.7 | Met Target |
| Students without Disabilities | 173 | 99.4 | 61.3 | * | 50.5 | 61.3 | | |
| English Learners | 32 | 100.0 | 37.5 | * | 24.6 | 37.5 | 35 | Met Target |
| Non-English Learners | 171 | 99.4 | 60.8 | * | 46.9 | 60.8 | | |
| Homeless Students | N | N | N | N | 17.3 | N | | |
| Students In Foster Care | N | N | N | * | 16.2 | N | | |
| Military-Connected Students | * | * | * | 35.3 | 45.8 | * | | |
| 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

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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** | 68 | 762 | 759 | 752 | * | * | 24% | * | * | 71% | 53% |
| White | 21 | 758 | 758 | 760 | * | 0% | * | * | * | 67% | 64% |
| Hispanic | 36 | 759 | 757 | 739 | 0% | * | 28% | * | * | 64% | 38% |
| Black or African American | * | * | 758 | 734 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 32% |
| Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander | * | * | * | 780 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 83% |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | * | * | * | 747 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 49% |
| Two or More Races | N | N | * | 757 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 59% |
| Female | 41 | 764 | 761 | 752 | * | * | * | * | * | 76% | 53% |
| Male | 27 | 758 | 756 | 751 | * | * | * | * | * | 63% | 53% |
| Economically Disadvantaged Students | 21 | 757 | 752 | 736 | * | * | * | * | * | 67% | 35% |
| Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students | 47 | 764 | 762 | 762 | * | * | * | * | * | 72% | 66% |
| Students with Disabilities | 11 | 758 | * | 730 | * | * | * | * | * | 64% | 29% |
| Students without Disabilities | 57 | 763 | * | 756 | * | * | * | * | * | 72% | 57% |
| English Learners | * | * | 744 | 726 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 23% |
| Non-English Learners | * | * | 760 | 754 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 56% |
| Homeless Students | N | N | N | 723 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 20% |
| Students in Foster Care | N | N | * | 725 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 23% |
| Military-Connected Students | * | * | * | 753 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 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

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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** | 63 | 746 | 747 | 748 | * | 17% | 35% | * | * | 44% | 49% |
| White | 23 | 748 | 755 | 755 | 0% | * | * | * | * | 52% | 60% |
| Hispanic | 25 | 742 | 740 | 737 | * | * | 44% | * | * | 32% | 34% |
| Black or African American | * | * | * | 730 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 27% |
| Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander | * | * | * | 774 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 80% |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | N | N | N | 748 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 46% |
| Two or More Races | * | * | * | 752 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 55% |
| Female | 31 | 746 | 749 | 748 | * | * | 32% | * | * | 48% | 50% |
| Male | 32 | 746 | 745 | 748 | * | * | 38% | * | * | 41% | 49% |
| Economically Disadvantaged Students | 12 | 724 | 734 | 733 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 30% |
| Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students | 51 | 751 | 754 | 758 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 62% |
| Students with Disabilities | * | * | 727 | 725 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 22% |
| Students without Disabilities | * | * | 750 | 753 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 55% |
| English Learners | 10 | 728 | 726 | 722 | * | * | * | * | * | 30% | 16% |
| Non-English Learners | 53 | 749 | 751 | 750 | * | * | * | * | * | 47% | 52% |
| Homeless Students | N | N | N | 722 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 18% |
| Students in Foster Care | N | N | N | 723 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 16% |
| Military-Connected Students | * | * | * | 748 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 49% |
| Migrant Students | N | N | N | 731 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 32% |

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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** | 76 | 756 | 751 | 748 | * | * | 33% | 34% | 17% | 51% | 49% |
| White | 23 | 757 | 754 | 756 | 0% | * | * | * | * | 61% | 60% |
| Hispanic | 36 | 742 | 743 | 736 | * | * | 44% | * | * | 33% | 32% |
| Black or African American | * | * | * | 730 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 26% |
| Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander | 10 | 801 | 789 | 777 | 0% | 0% | * | * | * | 90% | 82% |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | N | N | N | 745 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 42% |
| Two or More Races | * | * | * | 754 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 55% |
| Female | 38 | 761 | 755 | 749 | * | * | 29% | * | * | 58% | 50% |
| Male | 38 | 751 | 748 | 747 | * | * | 37% | * | * | 45% | 48% |
| Economically Disadvantaged Students | 24 | 745 | 745 | 733 | * | * | * | * | * | 38% | 29% |
| Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students | 52 | 761 | 755 | 758 | * | * | * | * | * | 58% | 62% |
| Students with Disabilities | * | * | 725 | 726 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 20% |
| Students without Disabilities | * | * | 757 | 752 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 55% |
| English Learners | * | * | * | 718 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 13% |
| Non-English Learners | * | * | * | 750 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 51% |
| Homeless Students | N | N | N | 722 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 17% |
| Students in Foster Care | N | N | N | 722 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 20% |
| Military-Connected Students | * | * | * | 749 | * | * | * | * | * | * | 52% |
| Migrant Students | N | N | N | 728 | N | N | N | N | N | N | 29% |

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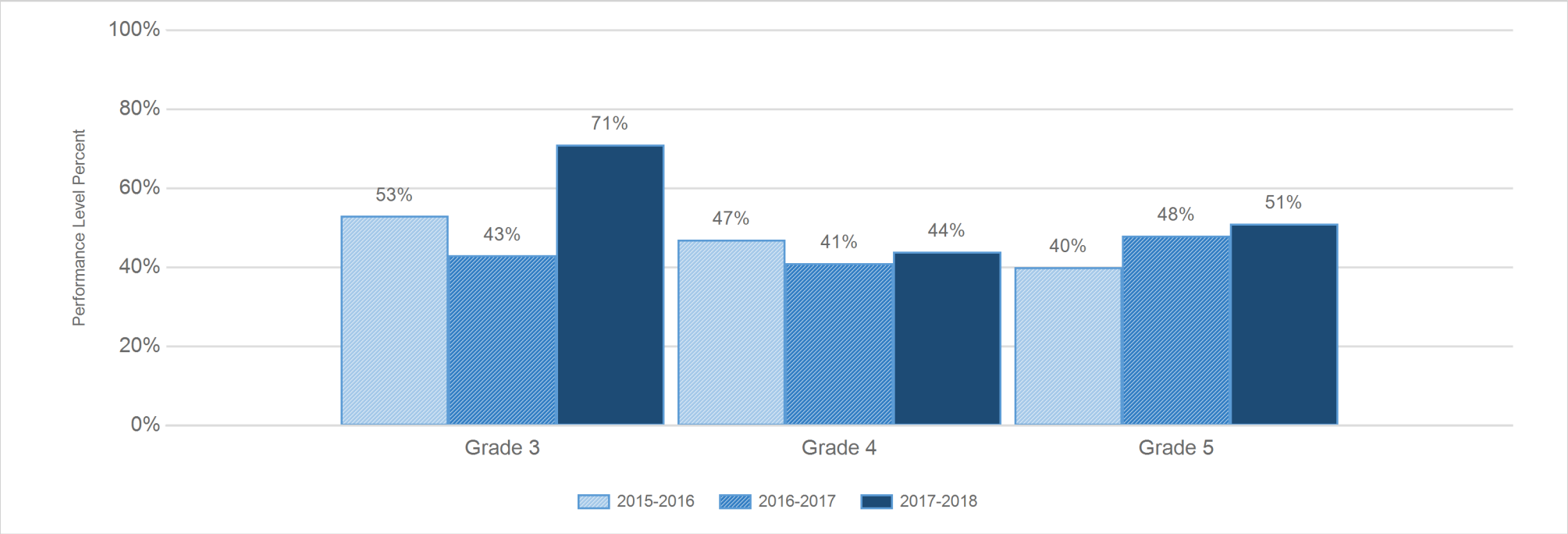
## Mathematics Assessment – Performance Trends

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 | * | * |

## 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 | 71.9% | 60.7% | Met Target |

† 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 | 26 | 69.2% | 30.8% |
| 3-4 | 11 | 72.7% | 27.3% |
| 5 or more | * | * | * |

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

## NJASK Science Assessment Information

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

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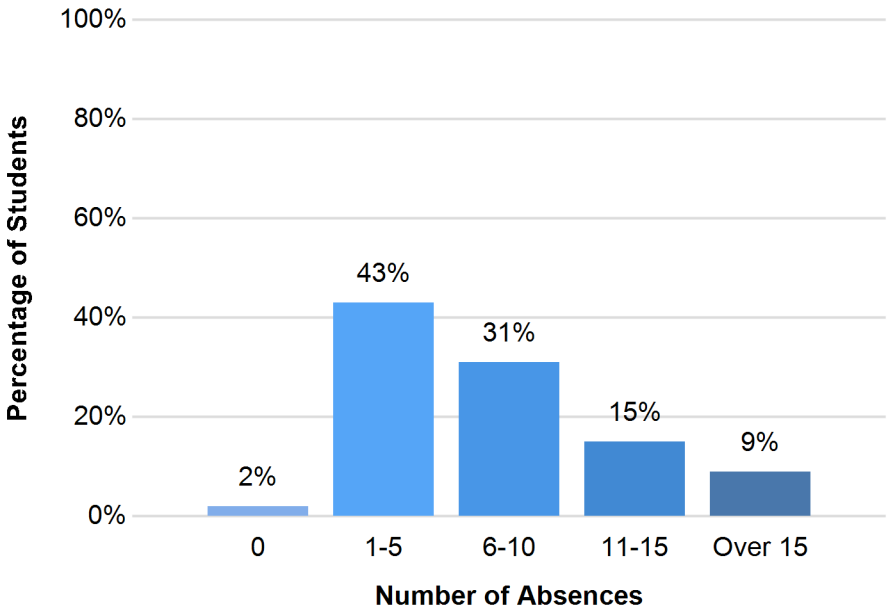
## Chronic Absenteeism

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 | 24 | 6.3 | 8.9 | Met |
| White | 9 | 7.0 | 8.9 | Met |
| Hispanic | 11 | 6.0 | 8.9 | Met |
| Black or African American | 1 | 3.6 | 8.9 | Met |
| Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander | 2 | 6.9 | 8.9 | Met |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | * | * | ** | ** |
| Two or More Races | * | * | ** | ** |
| Economically Disadvantaged Students | 13 | 11.7 | 8.9 | Not Met |
| Students with Disabilities | 10 | 16.9 | 8.9 | Not Met |
| English Learners | 2 | 4.8 | 8.9 | Met |

## Days Absent

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



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## Chronic Absenteeism by Grade

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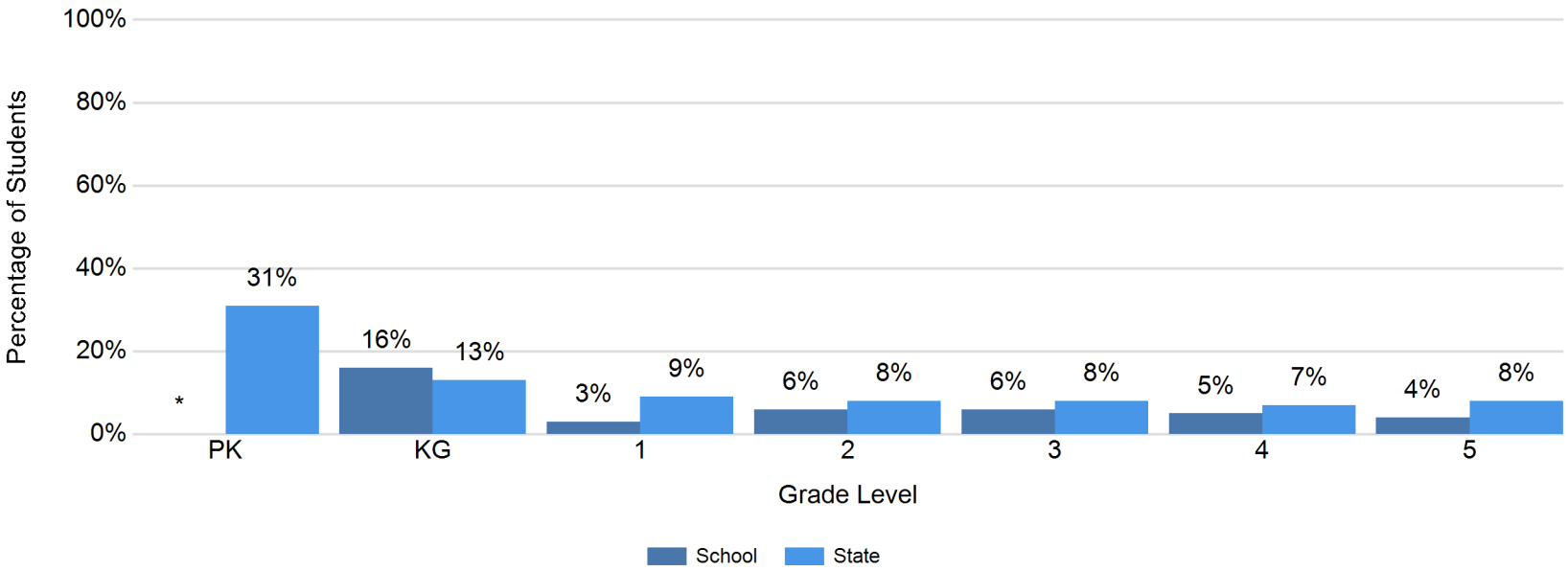

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The New Jersey Department of Education migrated to a new reporting system, the Student Safety Data System (SSDS), which includes improved definitions, new reporting fields, and updated guidance for reporting incidents. As such, comparing this year's report to previous years' data can lead to inaccurate conclusions in many reporting categories. As such, the 2017-18 report should be considered a baseline year.

## 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 | 0 |
| Weapons | 0 |
| Vandalism | 0 |
| Substances | 0 |
| Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB) | 4 |
| Total Unique Incidents | 4 |
| Incidents Per 100 Students Enrolled | 1.04 |

## 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 Bulling (HIB) investigations. The nature of an incident is based on the protected categories listed below, and the nature of a single HIB investigation may include multiple categories. All confirmed incidents must have an identified nature.

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

## Student Disciplinary Removals

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

| Removal Type | Number of Students | Percent of Students |
|---|---|---|
| In-School Suspensions | 0 | 0.0% |
| Out-of-School Suspensions | 0 | 0.0% |
| Any Suspension | 0 | 0.0% |
| 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 |
|---|
| 0 |

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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 | 8:20 AM |
| Typical End Time | 2:50 PM |
| Length of School Day | 6 Hrs 30 Mins |
| Full Time - Instructional Time | 5 Hrs 40 Mins |
| Shared Time - Instructional Time | N |

## Device Ratios

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

| School Year | Student to Device Ratio |
|---|---|
| 2017-18 | 1.1:1 |

## 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) | $486 | $14,266 | $14,752 |

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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 | 28 | 117,464 |
| Average years experience in public schools | 15.3 | 12.0 |
| Average years experience in district | 14.2 | 10.7 |
| Teachers in district for 4 or more years | 89.3% | 75.5% |

## Administrators – Experience (District Level)

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

| Category | Admin. in District | Admin. in State |
|---|---|---|
| Total Number of administrators | 15 | 9,374 |
| Average years experience in public schools | 21.2 | 16.0 |
| Average years experience in district | 15.3 | 12.0 |
| Administrators in district for 4 or more years | 80.0% | 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 | 14:1 | 11:1 |
| Students to Administrators | 386:1 | 138:1 |
| Teachers to Administrators | 28:1 | 12:1 |
| Students to Librarians/Media Specialists | | 1032:1 |
| Students to Nurses | | 413:1 |
| Students to Counselors | | 295:1 |
| Students to Child Study Team | | 229:1 |

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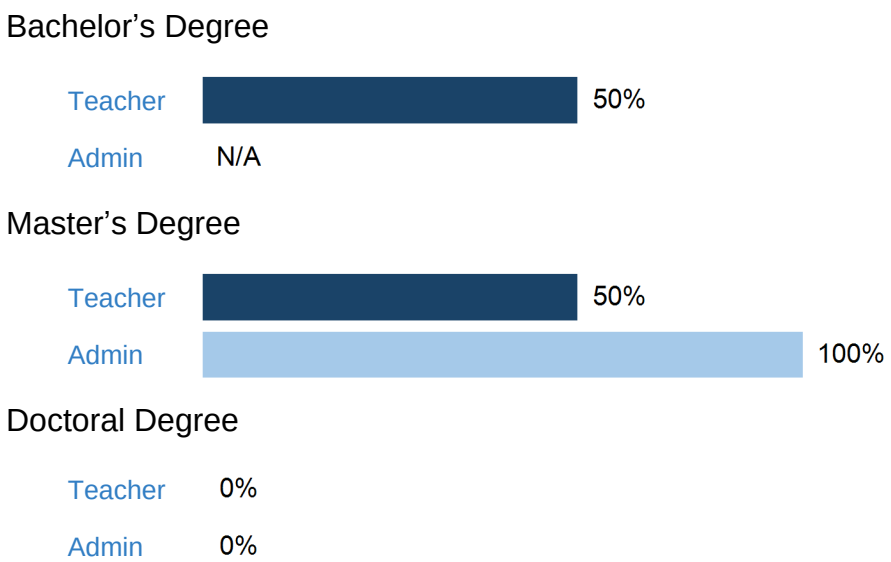
## Teachers and Administrators - Level of Education

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




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

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

| Job Type | District | State |
|---|---|---|
| 2016-17 Teachers: Same district 2017-18 | 91.8% | 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 | 96.9% |

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

## Teachers and Administrators – Demographics

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

| Category | Teachers | Administrators |
|---|---|---|
| Female | 92.9% | 100.0% |
| Male | 7.1% | 0.0% |
| White | 92.9% | 100.0% |
| Hispanic | 3.6% | 0.0% |
| Black or African American | 3.6% | 0.0% |
| Asian | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Two or More Races | 0.0% | 0.0% |

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

## Comprehensive Status

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

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

## Targeted Status

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

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

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

New Jersey has developed a school accountability system as required by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) to identify schools that are in need of Comprehensive Support and Improvement. This table shows the indicator scores for each indicator included in the accountability system and the weight that each indicator receives when calculating the overall Summative Score. The Summative Rating is the percentile rank of the Summative Score as compared to other schools across the state. Schools with a summative score in the bottom 5% of Title I schools or with a four-year graduation rate of 67% or less are identified as requiring Comprehensive Support and Improvement. For more information about New Jersey's accountability system and how these indicator scores were calculated, see these accountability resources.

| Accountability Indicator | Score | Weight |
|---|---|---|
| English Language Arts Proficiency | 51.07 | 15.0% |
| Mathematics Proficiency | 66.82 | 15.0% |
| English Language Arts Growth | 17.30 | 20.0% |
| Mathematics Growth | 94.24 | 20.0% |
| Progress Towards English Language Proficiency | 86.81 | 20.0% |
| Chronic Absenteeism | 54.62 | 10.0% |
| **Summative Score:** Sum of all indicator scores multiplied by indicator weights | 62.82 | n/a |
| **Summative Rating:** Percentile Rank of Summative Score | 71.03 | n/a |
| **Requires Comprehensive Support:** Summative Rating is less than or equal to 5th percentile | No | n/a |

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

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

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| Student Group | Summative Score | Summative Score Cut-off for Targeted Support | Requires Targeted Support: Low Performing Student Group | ELA Proficiency: Met Annual Target | Math Proficiency: Met Annual Target | ELA Student Growth: Met Standard | Math Student Growth: Met Standard | Progress Towards English Language Proficiency: Met Annual Target | Chronic Absenteeism: Met State Average | Requires Targeted Support: Consistently Underperforming Student Group - 2017-18 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Schoolwide | n/a | n/a | No | Not Met | Met Target | Met Standard | Exceeds Standard | Met Target | Met | No |
| White | 49.05 | 14.08 | No | Not Met | Met Target | Met Standard | Exceeds Standard | n/a | Met | No |
| Hispanic | 65.81 | 14.08 | No | Met Target† | Met Target | Met Standard | Exceeds Standard | n/a | Met | No |
| Black or African American | ** | ** | No | ** | ** | ** | ** | n/a | Met | No |
| Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander | ** | ** | No | ** | ** | ** | ** | n/a | Met | No |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | ** | ** | No | ** | ** | ** | ** | n/a | ** | No |
| Two or More Races | ** | ** | No | ** | ** | ** | ** | n/a | ** | No |
| Economically Disadvantaged Students | 63.71 | 14.08 | No | Met Target† | Met Target | Not Met | Exceeds Standard | n/a | Not Met | No |
| Students with Disabilities | ** | ** | No | Met Target | Met Target | ** | ** | n/a | Not Met | No |
| English Learners | 73.42 | 14.08 | No | Met Target† | Met Target | Met Standard | Exceeds Standard | Exceeds Standard | Met | No |

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

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| Highlights: | • Curriculum includes Balanced Literacy, technology infused Math, a Science program aligned with the Next Generation Science Standards and a hands-on Social Studies curriculum.<br>• Students receive instruction in Art, Music, Technology/STEM, World Language, and Physical Education instruction weekly.<br>• After school enrichment programs include Band, Chorus, and Art as well as Literacy and Math classes. |
| Mission, Vision, Theme: | Roselle Park's mission is to provide a quality education through shared responsibility in a safe supportive environment for all students to meet the challenges of a global society. |

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| Courses, Curriculum, Instruction: | The core curriculum includes a Balanced Literacy program including leveled reading instruction, strategy groups to target specific reading skills, and Lucy Calkins' model of writing workshop; Envision 2.0 math; Next Generation Science Standards aligned program; Talented and Gifted in grades K-5; STEAM oriented Technology instruction; Health and Physical Education; World Language instruction; and emphasis on cross curricular integration in World Language, Music, Art, and Social Studies programs. |
| Clubs and Activities: | Clubs and activities include Student Council, Homework Buddy Club, American Young Voices, and county and statewide art competitions. |

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| Before and After School Programs: | The Work Family Connection services students from Pre-K to Grade 5 in a Before and After School Care Program. |
| Staff and Professional Learning: | Roselle Park's Professional Development Program plays a significant role in the outstanding accomplishment of our district. One of the cornerstones of the program is the belief that the professional development of teachers is the key to an excellent instructional program. Professional Learning opportunities include weekly professional learning communities, monthly vertical and horizontal articulation, five days of professional development by the district, and monthly faculty meetings. |

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| Student Supports and Services: | Student supports and services include the use of small group instruction and inclusive classrooms in addition to an English language learners program, Intervention and Referral Services, Reading Recovery, Basic Skills Instruction, students with disabilities supports and services, Applied Behavior Analysis Program, occupational therapy, physical therapy and speech and language services. |
| Student Health and Wellness: | Student health and wellness programs include a breakfast program, physical education twice weekly, recess daily, brain breaks in the classroom, guidance and health lessons in the classroom, dental health programs, lunch bunch, and friendship groups. |
| Parent and Community Involvement: | Parent and Community involvement in the school is strong and includes a district wide Special Education Parent Advisory Group that meets quarterly; the English Language Learners Parent Group that meets quarterly; the Roselle Park Library Committee which meets monthly; the Parent Teacher Association that meets every other month; A visit from a “special person”yearly; the Parent Portal accessed via Genesis student information system; School Visitation Day; L.E.A.D. Law Enforcement Against Drugs; and band and choral participation in several community sponsored activities such as parades and holiday ceremonies. |

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| Climate Surveys: | Is a Climate Survey Used: No |
| Facilities: | Sherman Elementary School is a 106 year old building recently renovated to add two classrooms for instruction and an early childhood playground. All classrooms are air conditioned and there is Wi-fi throughout. There is a spacious and modern art/music room as well as a combined Gymnasium/Auditorium with stage. |
| School Safety: | Sherman School uses a variety of practices and procedures to promote the safety of students, staff, and faculty. The school is a closed school at all times, with all visitors requiring an appointment at least 15 minutes prior and approved identification upon being buzzed into the building. All staff and faculty are required to have proper identification. There is a written plan of all school safety and security measures for various scenarios. Drills in school security and fire drills are conducted at least twice monthly. |

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| Technology and STEM: | Technology is incorporated into the curriculum throughout all subjects. All classrooms are equipped with Smartboards, students in grades 3-5 have 1:1 devices and students in grade K-2 have 2:1 devices. The Talented & Gifted Program incorporates STEM into lessons at all levels. Upper elementary students have the opportunity to visit the high school makerspace and STEAM lab. |
| Early Childhood Education: | Roselle Park is committed to celebrating our diverse community, and we value family and community partnerships. The mission of the Pre-School program is to provide students a learning environment that focuses on what children can do and reflects the children's interests. Our curriculum is aligned to the Preschool Teaching and Learning Standards, is evidence-based, and comprehensive to meet the needs of all of our learners. Sherman School offers a full day preschool classroom. The program is for three and four-year olds and includes integrated speech, occupational and physical therapy. Students have access to music, Spanish, physical education or art lessons. |