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School Contact Information

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

Type	Contact Information
County	Hunterdon
District	Union Township School District
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Facebook	https://www.facebook.com/UnionTownshipHC/
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Enrollment data reflects enrollment reported at the end of the school year and only includes students attending the school. Students that attend programs at other schools or outside of the district are not included in enrollment counts and percentages.

Enrollment Trends by Grade

This table shows the number of students enrolled by grade for the past three school years. Any students enrolled outside of the grades offered will be included in the total enrollment.

Grade	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
PK	2	23	23
KG	30	31	31
1	42	31	35
2	37	47	32
3	49	40	47
4	47	51	37
Total	207	223	205

Enrollment Trends by Student Group

This table shows the percentage of students by student group for the past three school years.

Student Group	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Female	47.3%	46.6%	45.9%
Male	52.7%	53.4%	54.1%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	3.4%	2.7%	3.9%
Students with Disabilities	19.3%	14.8%	24.9%
English Learners	1.0%	0.9%	1.5%
Homeless Students	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Students in Foster Care	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%
Military-Connected Students	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%
Migrant Students	0.5%	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	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
White	89.4%	89.2%	87.3%
Hispanic	4.8%	4.5%	4.9%
Black or African American	0.0%	0.9%	1.5%
Asian	5.3%	4.0%	4.4%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.4%	0.5%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Two or More Races	0.5%	0.9%	1.5%

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	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
PK - Half Day	2	22	23
PK - Full Day	0	1	0
KG - Half Day	4	0	0
KG - Full Day	26	31	31

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	97.6%
Spanish	1.5%
Other Languages	1.0%

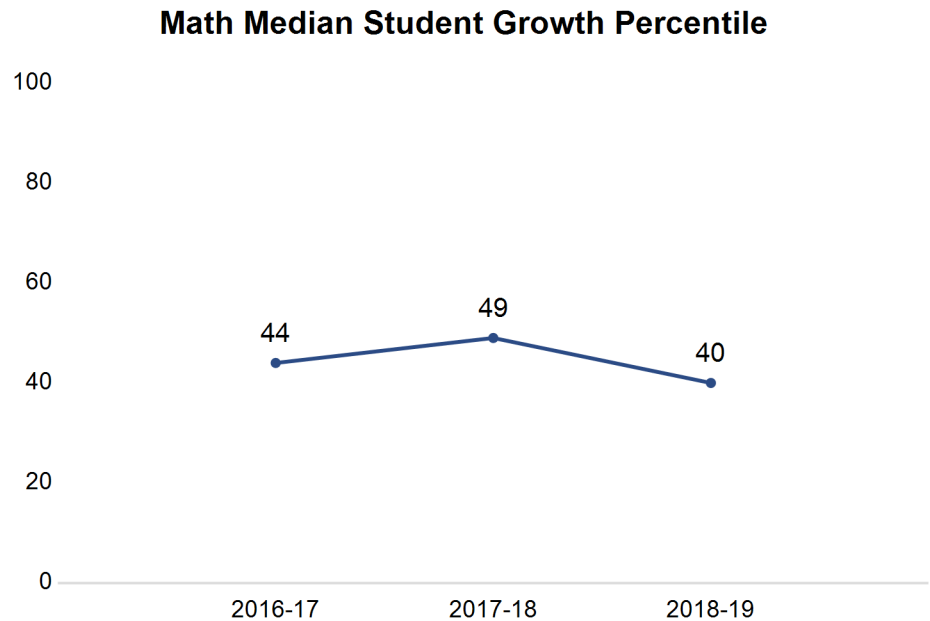
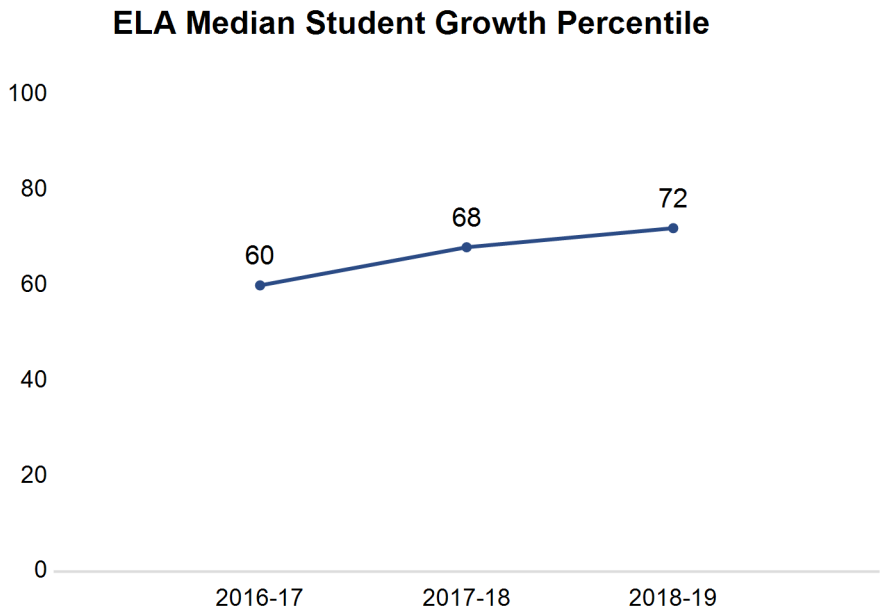


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Student Growth Trends and Progress

These graphs illustrate trends in student growth over the last three years. Student growth is measured by median student growth percentile. The table below tells us how student growth over the last three years compares to the state standard of 40-59.5 and to the statewide median.



Performance Measure	2016-17 ELA	2017-18 ELA	2018-19 ELA	2016-17 Math	2017-18 Math	2018-19 Math
Median Student Growth Percentile	60	68	72	44	49	40
Met Standard (40-59.5)?	Exceeds Standard	Exceeds Standard	Exceeds Standard	Met Standard	Met Standard	Met Standard
Statewide: Median Student Growth Percentile	50	50	50	50	50	50



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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 (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	72	57	50	Exceeds Standard	40	40	50	Met Standard
White	69	56.5	50	Exceeds Standard	30	35	52	Not Met
Hispanic	*	67.5	49	**	*	*	47	**
Black or African American	N	*	45	**	N	*	43	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	62	59	**	*	61	60	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	56	**	N	N	51.5	**
Two or More Races	N	*	49	**	N	*	52	**
Female	69	60	53	N	24	34.5	50	N
Male	72	53	47	N	44	44	51	N
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	60	48	**	*	*	46	**
Students with Disabilities	*	43.5	43	**	*	40	45	**
English Learners	N	N	52	**	N	N	50	**
Homeless Students	N	N	43	N	N	N	44	N
Students in Foster Care	N	*	42	N	N	*	44	N
Military-Connected Students	N	*	49	N	N	*	51	N
Migrant Students	N	N	47	N	N	N	51	N



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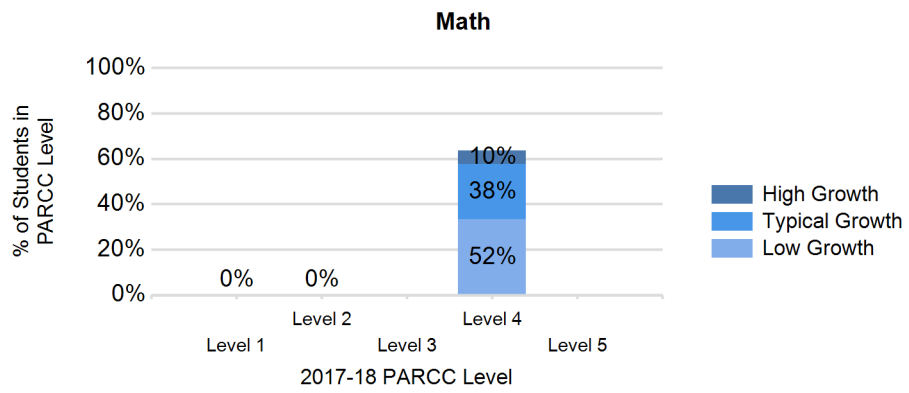
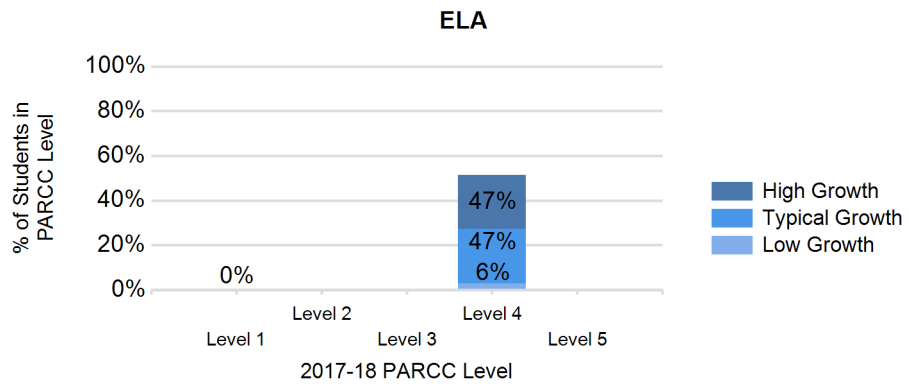
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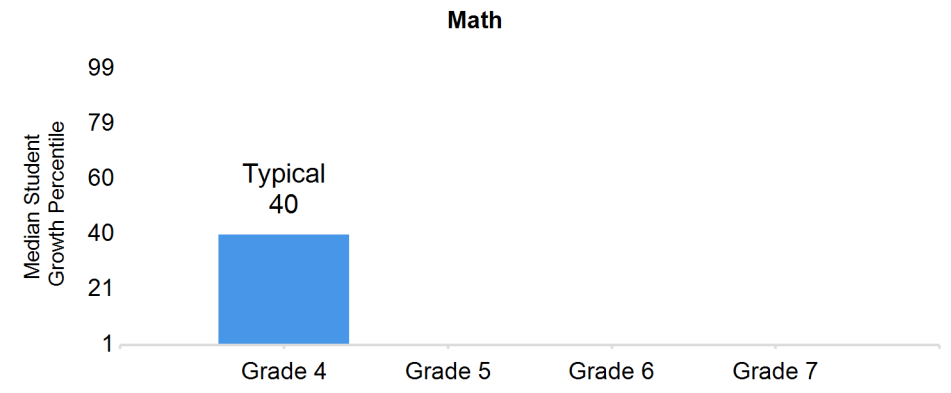
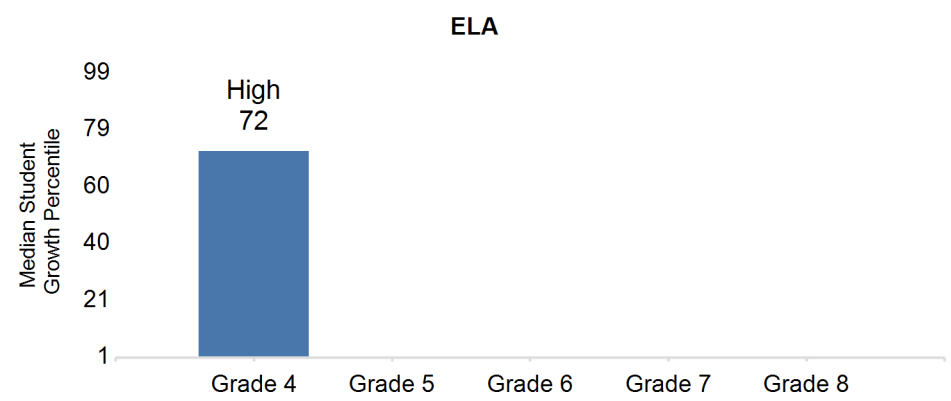
Student Growth by Performance Level

These graphs show the percentage of students by 2017-18 statewide assessment performance level that fall into each of the three levels of growth based on their 2018-19 statewide assessment growth.



Student Growth by Grade

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





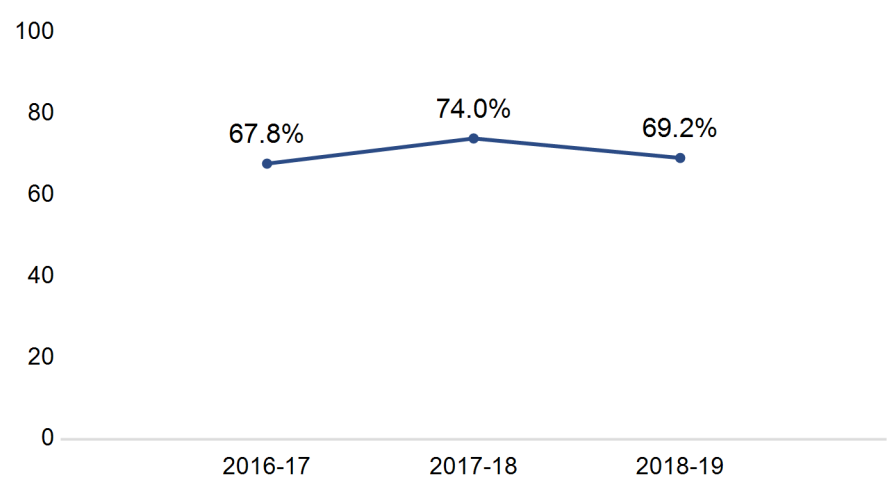
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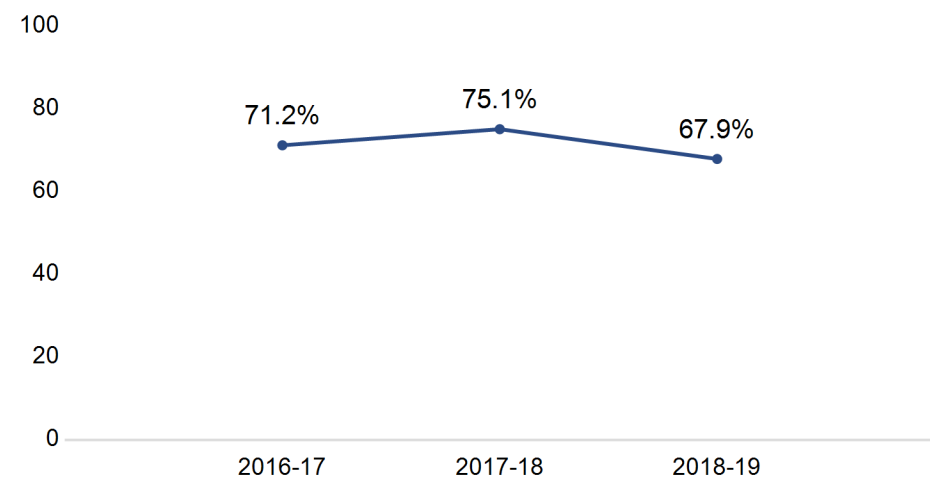
English Language Arts and Mathematics Performance Trends

These graphs show trends in the Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability over the last three years. The data includes the results of students taking both the statewide assessment (NJSLA for 2018-19 and PARCC for 2016-17 and 2017-18) and the DLM alternate assessment. The Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability measures the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations on the assessments (NJSLA/PARCC or DLM) with an adjustment made if the participation rate is below 95% to ensure reporting on at least 95% of students. NJSLA/PARCC results include only students in grades 3 through 10. Students that were enrolled for less than half a school year are excluded from performance results. The table below provides participation rates, proficiency rates, annual targets and status in meeting the targets, and statewide proficiency rates.

ELA Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability



Math Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability



Performance Measure	2016-17 ELA	2017-18 ELA	2018-19 ELA	2016-17 Math	2017-18 Math	2018-19 Math
Participation Rate	94.7%	93.6%	96.4%	94.7%	93.6%	96.4%
Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	67.8%	74.0%	69.2%	71.2%	75.1%	67.9%
Annual Target	63.8%	64.6%	65.5%	68.1%	68.8%	69.4%
Met Annual Target?	Met Target	Met Target	Met Target	Met Target	Met Target	Met Target†
Statewide Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	54.9%	56.7%	57.9%	43.5%	45.0%	44.5%

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English Language Arts Assessment - Participation and Performance

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This table shows both the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations and a proficiency rate used for federal accountability. The proficiency rate for federal accountability will be lower if the participation rate is below 95%. This table also shows progress towards meeting the state's long term goal of 80% proficiency by 2030. Annual targets are specific to each subgroup, school, and district and represent the expected proficiency needed to stay on track to meet the state's long term goal. Student groups 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 our [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	2018-19 Annual Target	Met 2018-19 Annual Target
Schoolwide	78	96.4	69.2	75.3	57.9	69.2	65.5	Met Target
White	73	96.2	69.9	75.1	66.9	69.9	65.7	Met Target
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	43.9	*	**	**
Black or African American	*	*	*	*	38.5	*	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	82.9	*	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	56.0	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	N	N	*	64.4	N	**	**
Female	42	97.7	69.0	80.7	64.8	69.0		
Male	36	95.1	69.4	70.2	51.3	69.4		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*	40.0	*	**	**
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*	67.9	*		
Students with Disabilities	25	92.9	36.0	37.2	22.7	35.0	24.8	Met Target
Students without Disabilities	53	98.2	84.9	89.2	65.1	84.9		
English Learners	N	N	N	N	29.3	N	**	**
Non-English Learners	78	96.4	69.2	75.3	60.6	69.2		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N	29.1	N		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	*	27.6	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	*	57.8	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	30.4	N		

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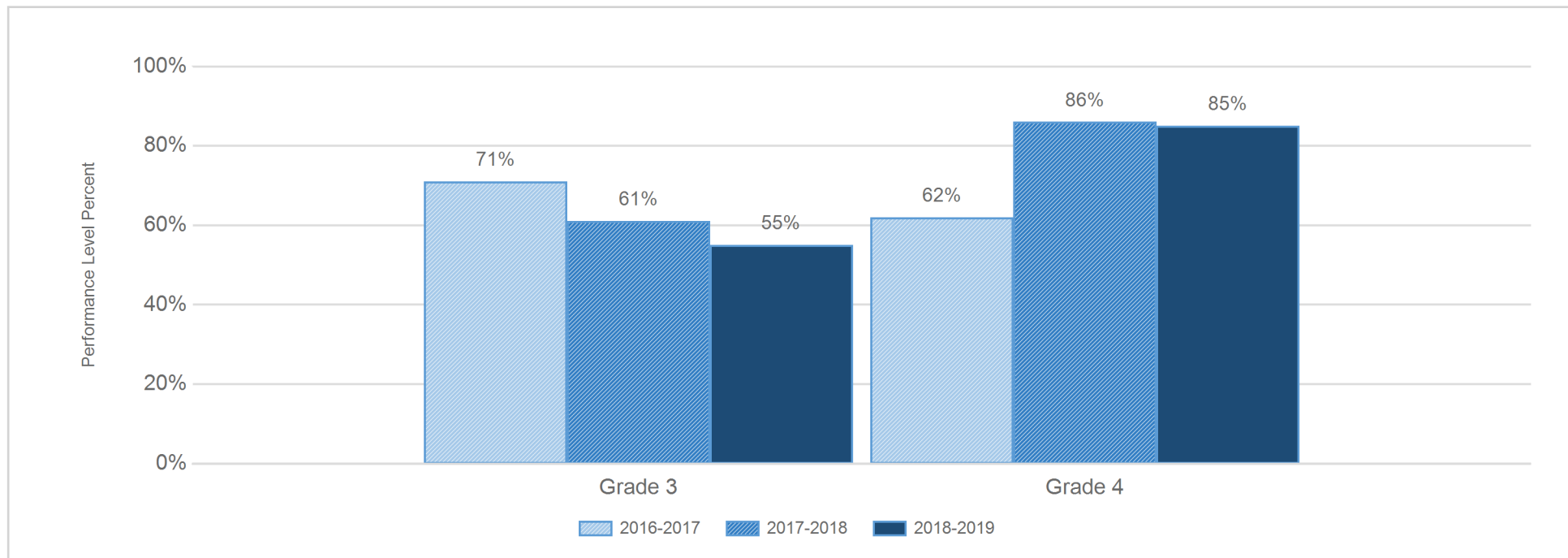
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English Language Arts Assessment - Performance Trends

This graph shows the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations on each grade level exam on the statewide assessment for English Language Arts (ELA) for the past three years. 2018-19 data is from the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA) and 2016-17 and 2017-18 data is from the PARCC assessment.





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English Language Arts Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 3

This table shows performance on the English Language Arts (ELA) section of the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA). The performance results in this table include all students that took the NJSLA assessment, which includes students that were enrolled less than half a year.

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	756	756	748	*	*	28%	*	*	55%	50%
White	45	756	756	757	*	*	27%	*	*	56%	60%
Hispanic	*	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	36%
Black or African American	*	*	*	731	*	*	*	*	*	*	33%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	773	N	N	N	N	N	N	75%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	746	N	N	N	N	N	N	46%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	58%
Female	27	758	758	753	*	*	*	*	*	59%	55%
Male	20	754	754	743	*	*	*	*	*	50%	46%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	731	*	*	*	*	*	*	33%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	759	*	*	*	*	*	*	61%
Students with Disabilities	20	741	741	719	*	*	*	*	*	35%	24%
Students without Disabilities	27	767	767	754	*	*	*	*	*	70%	56%
English Learners	*	*	*	713	*	*	*	*	*	*	17%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	54%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	720	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	720	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	752	N	N	N	N	N	N	55%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	24%



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English Language Arts Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 4

This table shows performance on the English Language Arts (ELA) section of the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA). The performance results in this table include all students that took the NJSLA assessment, which includes students that were enrolled less than half a year.

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	34	771	771	755	*	*	*	*	*	85%	57%
White	30	771	771	763	*	*	*	*	*	87%	67%
Hispanic	*	*	*	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	44%
Black or African American	*	*	*	739	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	779	*	*	*	*	*	*	82%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	749	N	N	N	N	N	N	53%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	762	N	N	N	N	N	N	64%
Female	15	771	771	760	*	*	*	*	*	87%	62%
Male	19	772	772	750	*	*	*	*	*	84%	53%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	40%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	765	*	*	*	*	*	*	69%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	25%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	761	*	*	*	*	*	*	64%
English Learners	N	N	N	720	N	N	N	N	N	N	17%
Non-English Learners	34	771	771	758	*	*	*	*	*	85%	60%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	730	N	N	N	N	N	N	29%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	757	N	N	N	N	N	N	58%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	25%



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Mathematics Assessment - Participation and Performance

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White	73	96.2	68.5	57.5	54.1	68.5	69	Met Target†
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	28.8	*	**	**
Black or African American	*	*	*	*	23.0	*	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	76.5	*	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	42.7	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	N	N	*	53.3	N	**	**
Female	42	97.7	66.7	59.3	44.9	66.7		
Male	36	95.1	69.4	55.9	44.2	69.4		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*	26.3	*	**	**
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*	54.9	*		
Students with Disabilities	25	92.9	44.0	30.8	17.4	42.8	41.8	Met Target
Students without Disabilities	53	98.2	79.2	67.3	50.0	79.2		
English Learners	N	N	N	N	25.0	N	**	**
Non-English Learners	78	96.4	67.9	57.5	46.5	67.9		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N	17.1	N		
Students In Foster Care	N	N	N	*	17.1	N		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	*	46.4	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	23.3	N		

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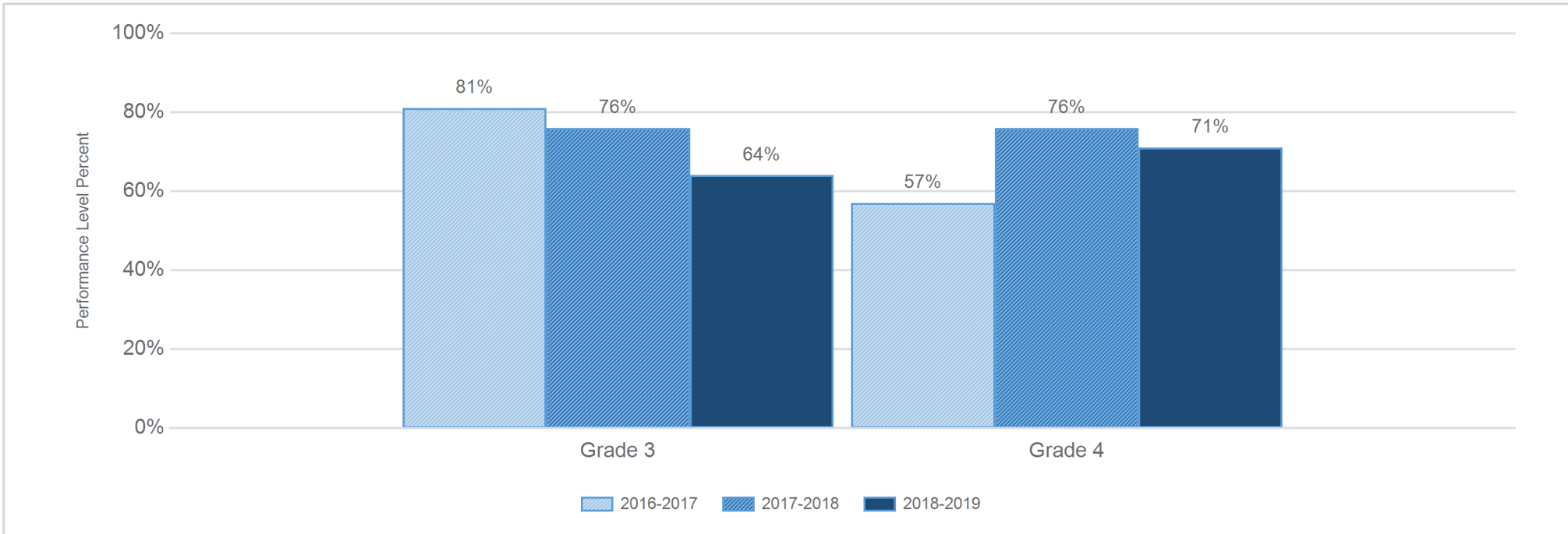
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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 3

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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	47	760	760	752	*	*	*	*	*	64%	55%
White	45	760	760	760	*	*	*	*	*	67%	66%
Hispanic	*	*	*	739	*	*	*	*	*	*	40%
Black or African American	*	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	35%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	778	N	N	N	N	N	N	83%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	749	N	N	N	N	N	N	51%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	758	N	N	N	N	N	N	62%
Female	27	761	761	751	*	*	*	*	*	67%	54%
Male	20	758	758	752	*	*	*	*	*	60%	56%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	37%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	761	*	*	*	*	*	*	67%
Students with Disabilities	20	747	747	731	*	*	*	*	*	45%	31%
Students without Disabilities	27	769	769	756	*	*	*	*	*	78%	60%
English Learners	*	*	*	728	*	*	*	*	*	*	26%
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	754	*	*	*	*	*	*	58%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	724	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	725	N	N	N	N	N	N	27%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	754	N	N	N	N	N	N	56%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	728	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%



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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	34	758	758	749	*	0%	*	*	*	71%	51%
White	30	756	756	757	*	0%	*	*	*	70%	62%
Hispanic	*	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	36%
Black or African American	*	*	*	731	*	*	*	*	*	*	29%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	776	*	*	*	*	*	*	82%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	747	N	N	N	N	N	N	46%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	754	N	N	N	N	N	N	58%
Female	15	753	753	749	*	0%	*	*	*	67%	50%
Male	19	762	762	749	*	0%	*	*	*	74%	52%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	32%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	759	*	*	*	*	*	*	63%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	726	*	*	*	*	*	*	25%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	754	*	*	*	*	*	*	56%
English Learners	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	18%
Non-English Learners	34	758	758	751	*	0%	*	*	*	71%	54%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	19%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	724	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	753	N	N	N	N	N	N	56%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	16%



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DLM Alternate Assessment - Participation

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

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

English Language 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. A student's expected growth is based on the student's initial year proficiency level and student growth expectations are increased by equal intervals each year so that the student meets the proficiency cut score of 4.5 within five years. The table shows the annual target for the percentage of students making expected growth and whether that target was met.

Student Group	Percent of English Learners Making Expected Growth to Proficiency	2018-19 Target	Met Target?
Schoolwide/English Learners	*	*	*

† Target was met within one standard deviation

English Language Proficiency Test - Participation and Performance

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

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



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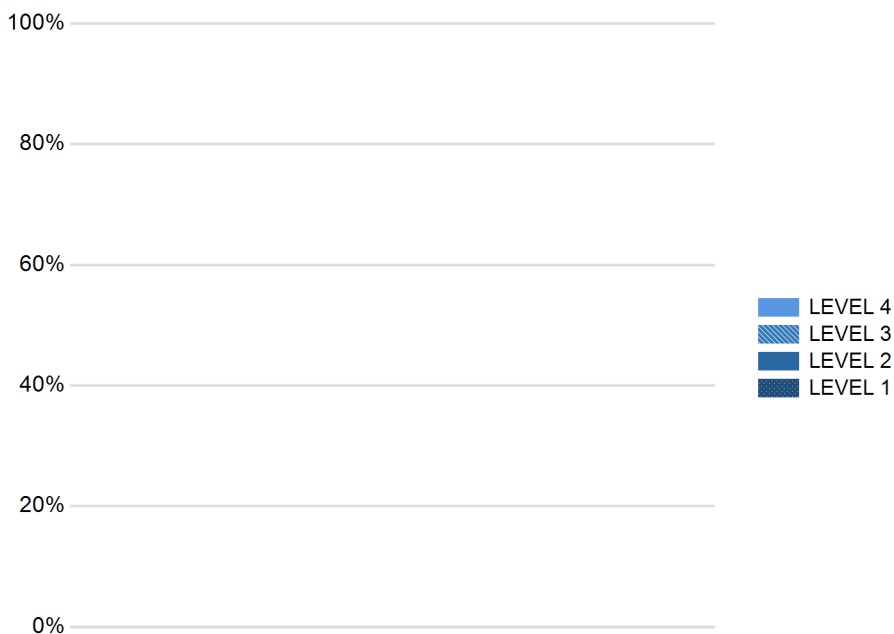
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NJSLA Science Assessment: Grade Summary

This table shows how students performed this year on the NJSLA Science assessment. Students scoring at Level 3 or 4 are considered proficient.



NJSLA Science Assessment: Grade

This table shows how students performed this year on the NJSLA Science assessment, both overall and by student group. Students scoring at Level 3 or 4 are considered proficient.

Student Group	% Level 1	% Level 2	% Level 3	% Level 4



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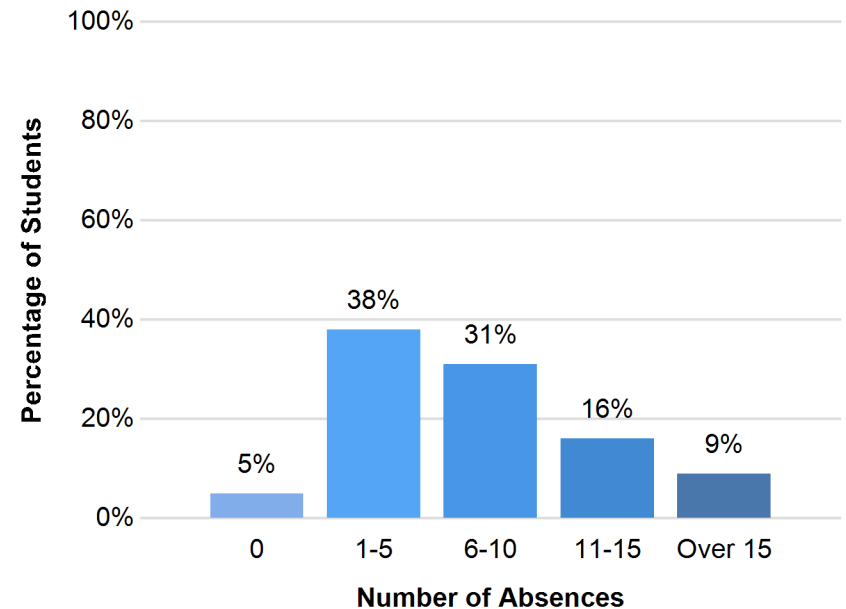
Chronic Absenteeism

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	12	6.6	9.2	Met
White	9	5.7	9.2	Met
Hispanic	*	*	**	**
Black or African American	*	*	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific	2	18.2	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N
Two or More Races	*	*	**	**
Female	8	9.3		
Male	4	4.2		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	**	**
Students with Disabilities	5	10.6	9.2	Not Met
English Learners	*	*	**	**
Homeless Students	N	N		
Students in Foster Care	*	*		
Military-Connected Students	*	*		
Migrant Students	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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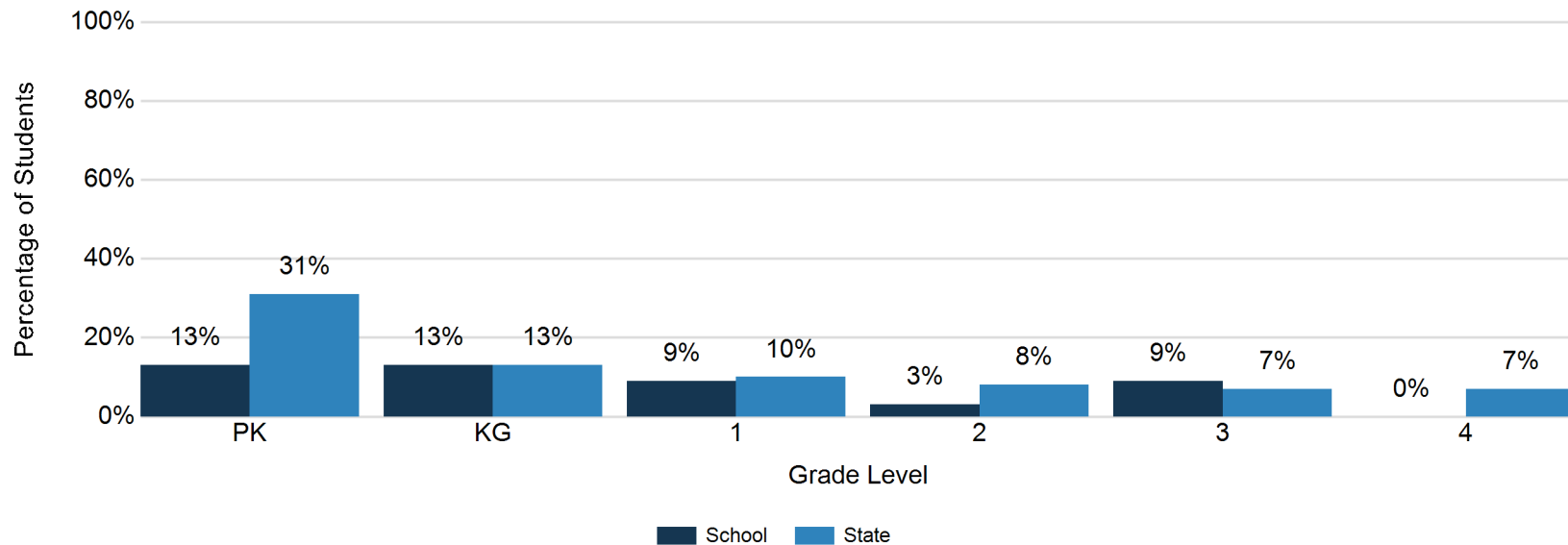
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Chronic Absenteeism by Grade

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	0
Weapons	0
Vandalism	0
Substances	0
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	2
Total Unique Incidents	2
Incidents Per 100 Students Enrolled	0.98

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

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	0	0
Religion	0	0	0
Ancestry	0	0	0
Gender	0	1	1
Sexual Orientation	0	0	0
Disability	1	0	1
Other	1	1	2
No Identified Nature	1		1

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%

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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	8:45 AM
Typical End Time	3:20 PM
Length of School Day	6 Hrs 35 Mins
Full Time - Instructional Time	4 Hrs 52 Mins
Shared Time - Instructional Time	4 Hrs. 52 Mins.

Device Ratios

This table shows the student to device ratio, which is the number of students in tested grades 3 through 10 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 through 10. 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
2018-19	1:1



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Key terms for staff data:

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Teachers – Experience

This table shows information about the experience of teachers assigned to this school and across the state. No teachers in New Jersey are teaching under emergency or provisional credentials as defined the United States Department of Education.

Category	Teachers in School	Teachers in State
Total Number of teachers	21	118,214
Average years experience in public schools	10.1	12.1
Average years experience in district	9.0	10.8
Percentage of Teachers with 4 or more years experience in the district	66.7%	75.3%

Administrators – Experience (District Level)

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

Category	Admin. in District	Admin. in State
Total Number of administrators	5	9,530
Average years experience in public schools	10.4	16.0
Average years experience in district	8.0	12.0
Percentage of Administrators with 4 or more years experience in the district	40.0%	76.9%

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	10:1	9:1
Students to Administrators	205:1	86:1
Teachers to Administrators	21:1	9:1
Students to Librarians/Media Specialists		432:1
Students to Nurses		216:1
Students to Counselors		216:1
Students to Child Study Team Members		144:1



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Teachers and Administrators – Demographics

This table compares the percentage of students, teachers, and administrators by gender and by racial and ethnic group.

Category	Students in School	Teachers in School	Administrators in School	Students in State	Teachers in State	Administrators in State
Female	45.9%	85.7%	100.0%	48.4%	77.1%	54.9%
Male	54.1%	14.3%	0.0%	51.6%	22.9%	45.1%
White	87.3%	100.0%	0.0%	42.4%	83.6%	77.4%
Hispanic	4.9%	0.0%	0.0%	29.9%	7.3%	7.2%
Black or African American	1.5%	0.0%	100.0%	15.0%	6.6%	13.9%
Asian	4.4%	0.0%	0.0%	10.2%	2.0%	1.1%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%
Two or More Races	1.5%	0.0%	0.0%	2.1%	0.2%	0.2%



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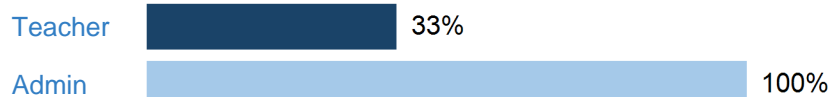
Teachers and Administrators - Level of Education

This chart shows the highest level of education attained by 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 2017-18 that were still assigned to this district in 2018-19. Staff who were not retained may have changed districts or no longer work for the state (including retirements).

Job Type	District	State
2017-18 Teachers: Same district 2018-19	86.4%	90.5%
2017-18 Administrators: Same district 2018-19	100.0%	87.9%

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
2018-19	96.3%



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Per-Pupil Expenditures by Source

The link below produces a table summarizing the most recently available expenses for regular and special education students taught at schools in the district. The amounts shown include expenditures for instruction, support services, administration, operations and maintenance, and extra-curricular activities.

For more information regarding this table please refer to the guidance for school level reporting, which is available on the [NJDOE webpage ESSA School Level Reporting Information](#). More in-depth information about district and charter school spending can be found in the [User Friendly Budget](#) and the [Comprehensive Annual Financial Report \(CAFR\) and Auditor Management Reports \(AMRs\)](#).

Please be aware that the total district expenditures represented in these reports are taken from audited district financial data, but the subsequent allocation of these resources to specific schools is not audited or otherwise verified by the New Jersey Department of Education. If you have specific questions about the assignment (or lack of assignment) of school-level amounts, please contact the district for additional information.

[Link to District Summary of 2018-19 School-Level Per Pupil Expenditures by Source.](#)

An option to [download all school-level summaries by district](#) in one spreadsheet is also available. However, because districts have flexibility in how certain costs are allocated to individual schools, school-level costs should not be compared between schools in different districts.



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ESSA Accountability Status

The table below provides the school's federal school status for the 2020-21 school year, the category (or reason) for identification, the year the school is eligible to exit status, and, if applicable, the student groups identified for support.

Status for 2020-21 School Year	Not in Status
Category of Identification	n/a
Year Eligible to Exit Status	n/a
Student Group Status: White	
Student Group Status: Hispanic	
Student Group Status: Black or African American	
Student Group Status: Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	
Student Group Status: American Indian or Alaska Native	
Student Group Status: Two or More Races	
Student Group Status: Economically Disadvantaged Students	
Student Group Status: Students with Disabilities	
Student Group Status: English Learners	

† This flag is used if a school is identified for Comprehensive Support and Improvement, but one or more student groups met criteria for Targeted Support and Improvement.



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ESSA Accountability Progress

The table below shows performance on each of New Jersey's ESSA accountability indicators for the last three years. ELA and Math Proficiency represent the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations on statewide assessments (NJSLA/PARCC or DLM). ELA and Math Growth represent the median student growth percentile. Four- and five-year graduation rates represent the adjusted cohort graduation rates. Progress toward English Language Proficiency, which was first available in 2017-18, shows the percentage of English Learners that demonstrated the expected amount of growth on the ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 Assessment for English Language proficiency. Chronic absenteeism represents the percentage of students that were absent for 10% or more of the days enrolled during the school year.

ESSA Accountability Indicator	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
ELA Proficiency	67.8%	74.0%	69.2%
Math Proficiency	71.2%	75.1%	67.9%
ELA Growth	60	68	72
Math Growth	44	49	40
4-Year Graduation Rate†	N	N	N
5-Year Graduation Rate†	N	N	N
Progress toward English Language Proficiency		*	*
Chronic Absenteeism	2.9%	5.0%	6.6%

† This table shows 2018-19 graduation data for reference, but 2017-18 graduation data is used for accountability calculations for 2018-19.



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Comprehensive Support and Improvement - Overall Low Performing: Schools with a summative score in the bottom 5% of Title I schools.

Comprehensive Support and Improvement - Low Graduation Rate: High schools with a four-year graduation rate of 67% or less

Targeted Support and Improvement - Low Performing Student Group: Schools with one or more student group with a summative score that would be in the bottom 5% of Title I schools

Annually, NJDOE will identify schools in the following federal category:

Targeted Support and Improvement - Consistently Underperforming Student Group: Schools with one or more students group that missed annual targets or standards for all indicators for two years in a row

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](#).

Accountability Indicator Scores and Summative Ratings - 2018-19 School Year

New Jersey 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 every three years. During the three-year federal status period, schools receive additional resources and support. NJDOE will next identify schools for Comprehensive Support and Improvement in 2022.

This year accountability indicator scores and summative ratings are not used to identify schools for Comprehensive Support and Improvement, so these data are not included in the School Performance Reports. Review the previous two pages to see a school's current status, in the ESSA Accountability Status table, and to monitor a school's school progress on each accountability indicator over the last three years using the new ESSA Accountability Progress table.



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Accountability Summary by Student Group - 2018-19 School Year

This table shows whether student groups in this school met annual ESSA accountability targets and standards for each indicator. Annual targets for proficiency and graduation rate were set based on a school or student group's performance in 2015-16 or the first year data was available. The standard for student growth is a median student growth percentile of 40-59.5. The target for chronic absenteeism is the statewide chronic absenteeism rate based on students enrolled in the grades served by the school. For more details on accountability targets, see these [accountability resources](#).

The accountability system will not be used to identify schools for Targeted Support and Improvement – Low Performing Student Group for 2018-19, so student group summative scores are not included in this table this year.

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	Met Target	Met Target†	Exceeds Standard	Met Standard	**	Met	No
White	Met Target	Met Target†	Exceeds Standard	Not Met	n/a	Met	No
Hispanic	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Black or African American	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
American Indian or Alaska Native	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Two or More Races	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Economically Disadvantaged Students	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Students with Disabilities	Met Target	Met Target	**	**	n/a	Not Met	No
English Learners	**	**	**	**	**	**	No

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



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School Narrative

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Highlights:

- The Union Township Elementary School services students from Preschool through Fourth Grade.



Awards, Recognition, Accomplishments:

Participant in the Future Ready Schools - New Jersey program.



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Courses, Curriculum, Instruction:

In addition to core subjects, students take part in a “Genius Opportunity” and Character Education classes where our students receive Social / Emotional Learning (SEL) instruction. Unified Arts classes include art, technology, physical education, music, Spanish, and library. All instructional classes have a smart board. Kindergarten through Grade 2 have access to iPads, and Grades 3 and 4 have 1:1 Chromebook capability.



Clubs and Activities:

PTA Tiger Clubs



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 <p>Before and After School Programs:</p>	<p>We have a Tiger Care program available for before and after school care.</p>
 <p>Staff and Professional Learning:</p>	<p>Our staff constantly engage in professional development opportunities by attending workshops and conferences, and well as participate in Ed-Camp style learning sessions with neighboring school districts.</p>



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 <p>Student Supports and Services:</p>	<p>Our Child Study Team consists of a Director of Program, a School Psychologist, Learning Consultant, and Social Worker, and ensures that students receive the appropriate services such as: math and language arts intervention services, speech, counseling, in-class support, or out of class replacement.</p>
 <p>Student Health and Wellness:</p>	<p>Students in grades Kindergarten through Fourth receive health instruction weekly, and visiting programs and assemblies provide more succinct information such as dental health and fire safety. All students have recess daily and physical education is provided to all students. Three times a day the entire school “resets” with a movement activity.</p>
 <p>Parent and Community Involvement:</p>	<p>Our PTA is one of the best in the area! The PTA provides “minigrants” to teachers that allow for enriching programs and assemblies to be brought directly to students. Parents volunteer in the classrooms seasonally. Monthly, the school promotes a “Family Fun Night” where there is no homework so that students may spend additional time with their families dining out or participating in a PTA / school sponsored activity.</p>





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 <p>Climate Surveys:</p>	<p>A climate survey from the Stronge Evaluation program was administered to all students at the beginning of the school year, and will be re-administered in the spring.</p>
 <p>School Safety:</p>	<p>The School Safety Team meets several times a year to evaluate school climate and potential HIB occurrences. A School Resource Officer meets regularly with the Principal, and safety of the entire school community is evaluated daily.</p>



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 <p>Technology and STEM:</p>	<p>Our school incorporated a Genius Opportunity (Go Time!) which is similar to the Genius Hour concept. Students also have daily access to the Innovation Lab, as well as weekly technology education class. Students in grades 3 and 4 have 1:1 Chromebook access, and our younger students have daily access to iPads.</p>
 <p>Early Childhood Education:</p>	<p>We offer an inclusive preschool program as well as a full day Kindergarten program.</p>



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School Contact Information

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Type	Contact Information
County	Hunterdon
District	Union Township School District
Principal Name	Mr. Andrew Carfley
Address	165 PERRYVILLE ROAD HAMPTON, NJ 08827-9715
Phone Number	908-735-5511
Email Address	acarfley@uniontwpschool.org
Website	https://www.uniontwpschool.org
Facebook	https://www.facebook.com/UnionTownshipHC/
Twitter	https://twitter.com/UnionTownshipHC



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Enrollment Trends by Grade

This table shows the number of students enrolled by grade for the past three school years. Any students enrolled outside of the grades offered will be included in the total enrollment.

Grade	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
5	52	51	53
6	61	55	51
7	54	63	60
8	62	56	63
Total	229	225	227

Enrollment Trends by Student Group

This table shows the percentage of students by student group for the past three school years.

Student Group	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Female	52.0%	47.1%	46.3%
Male	48.0%	52.9%	53.7%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	3.1%	3.1%	4.8%
Students with Disabilities	21.8%	23.6%	23.8%
English Learners	0.0%	0.4%	0.0%
Homeless Students	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Students in Foster Care	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%
Military-Connected Students	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%
Migrant Students	0.0%	0.4%	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	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
White	83.4%	83.6%	83.7%
Hispanic	5.2%	5.8%	5.3%
Black or African American	1.7%	2.2%	3.1%
Asian	6.1%	6.7%	7.0%
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	3.5%	1.8%	0.9%

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	100.0%

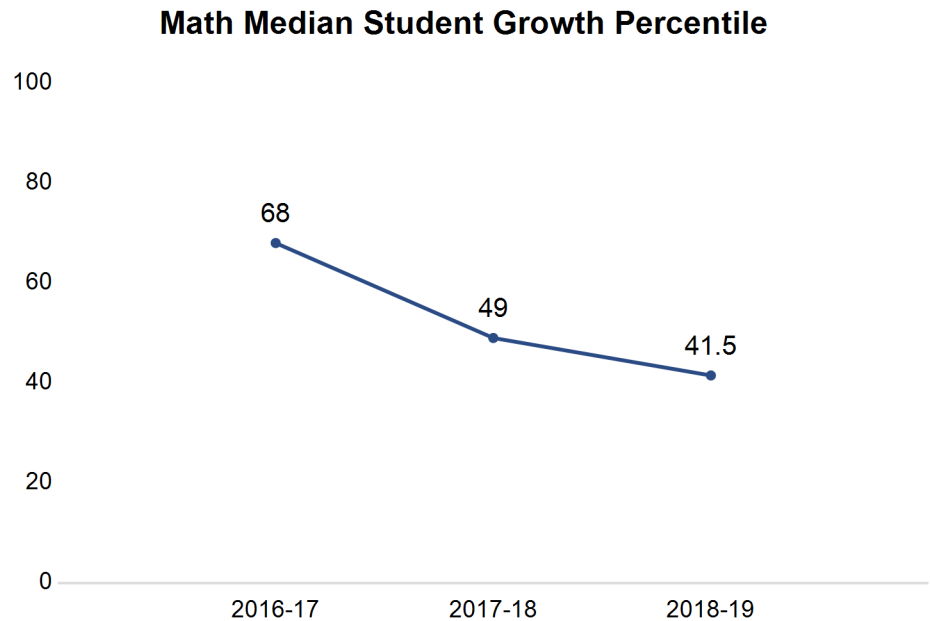
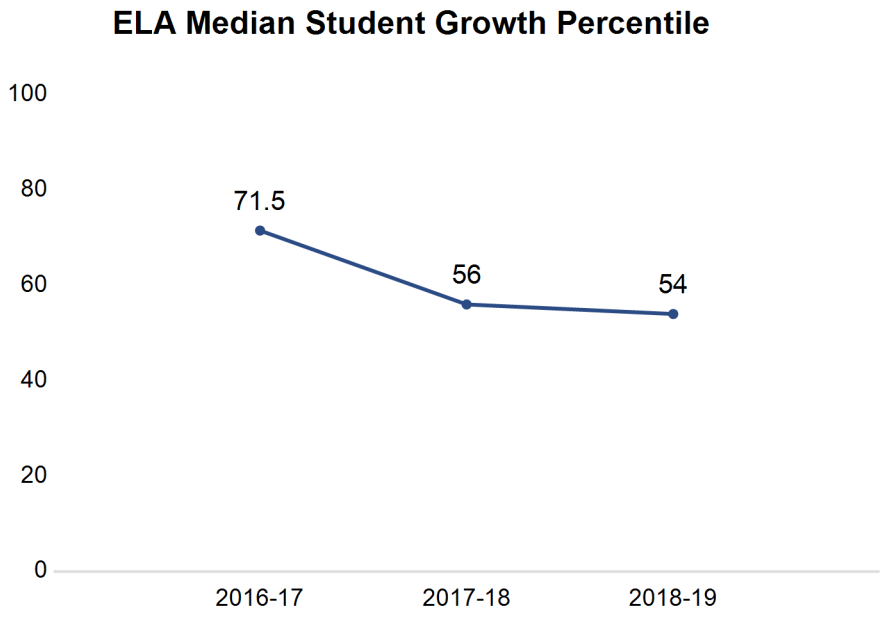


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Student Growth Trends and Progress

These graphs illustrate trends in student growth over the last three years. Student growth is measured by median student growth percentile. The table below tells us how student growth over the last three years compares to the state standard of 40-59.5 and to the statewide median.



Performance Measure	2016-17 ELA	2017-18 ELA	2018-19 ELA	2016-17 Math	2017-18 Math	2018-19 Math
Median Student Growth Percentile	71.5	56	54	68	49	41.5
Met Standard (40-59.5)?	Exceeds Standard	Met Standard	Met Standard	Exceeds Standard	Met Standard	Met Standard
Statewide: Median Student Growth Percentile	50	50	50	50	50	50



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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 (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	54	57	50	Met Standard	41.5	40	50	Met Standard
White	54	56.5	50	Met Standard	37	35	52	Not Met
Hispanic	55	67.5	49	**	*	*	47	**
Black or African American	*	*	45	**	*	*	43	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	67	62	59	**	61.5	61	60	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	56	**	N	N	51.5	**
Two or More Races	*	*	49	**	*	*	52	**
Female	58	60	53	N	35	34.5	50	N
Male	48	53	47	N	44	44	51	N
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	60	48	**	*	*	46	**
Students with Disabilities	40.5	43.5	43	Met Standard	45	40	45	Met Standard
English Learners	N	N	52	**	N	N	50	**
Homeless Students	N	N	43	N	N	N	44	N
Students in Foster Care	*	*	42	N	*	*	44	N
Military-Connected Students	*	*	49	N	*	*	51	N
Migrant Students	N	N	47	N	N	N	51	N



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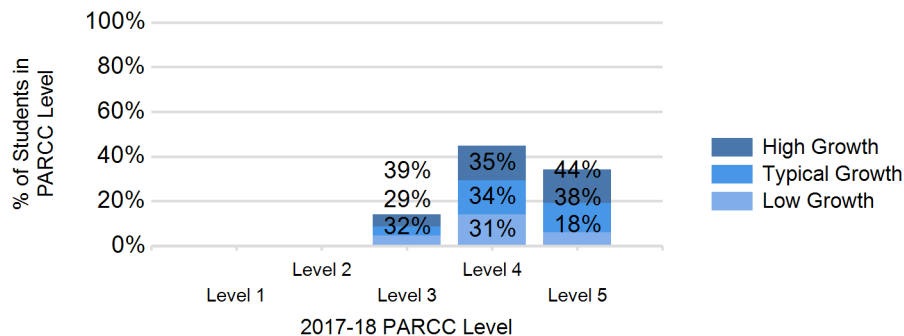
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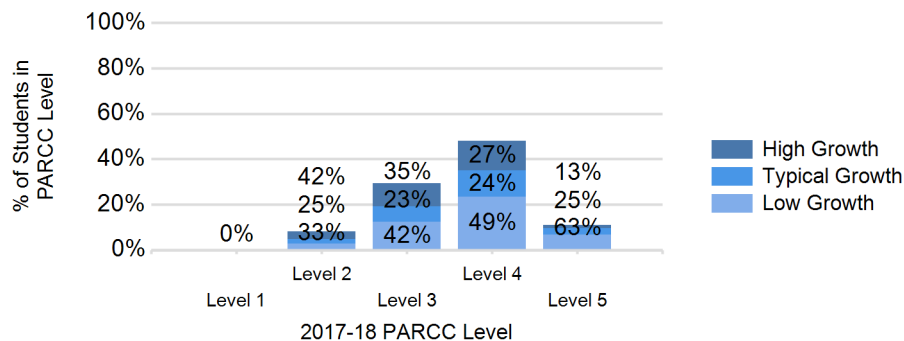
Student Growth by Performance Level

These graphs show the percentage of students by 2017-18 statewide assessment performance level that fall into each of the three levels of growth based on their 2018-19 statewide assessment growth.

ELA



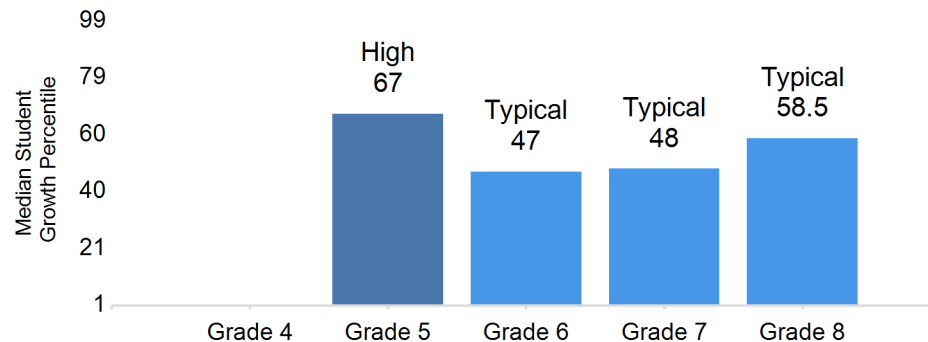
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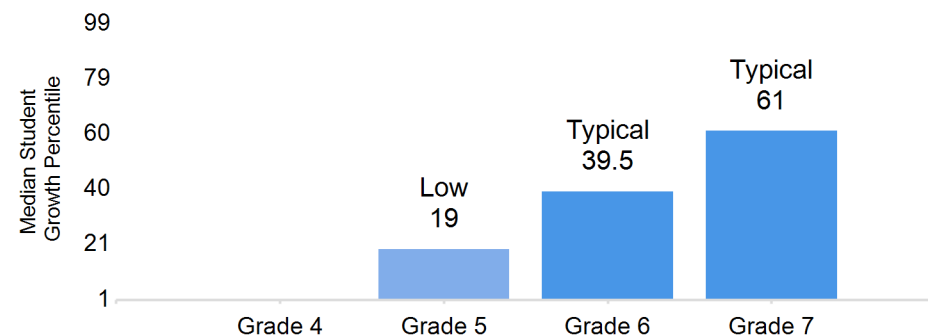
Student Growth by Grade

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

ELA



Math





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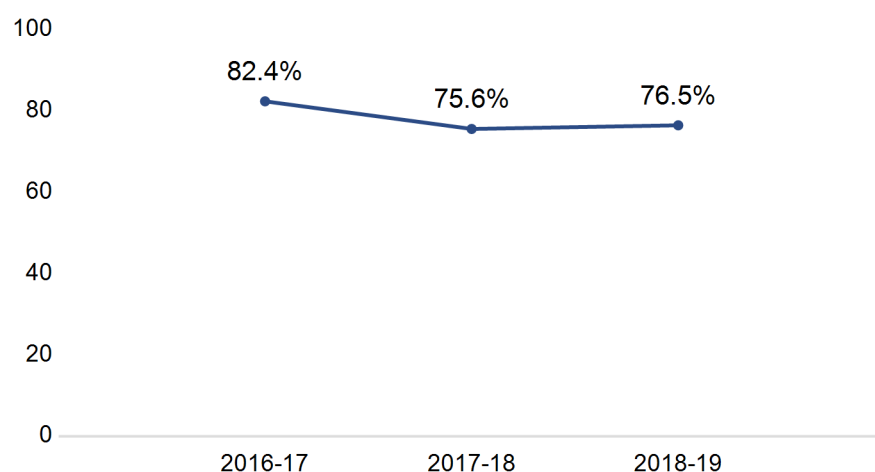
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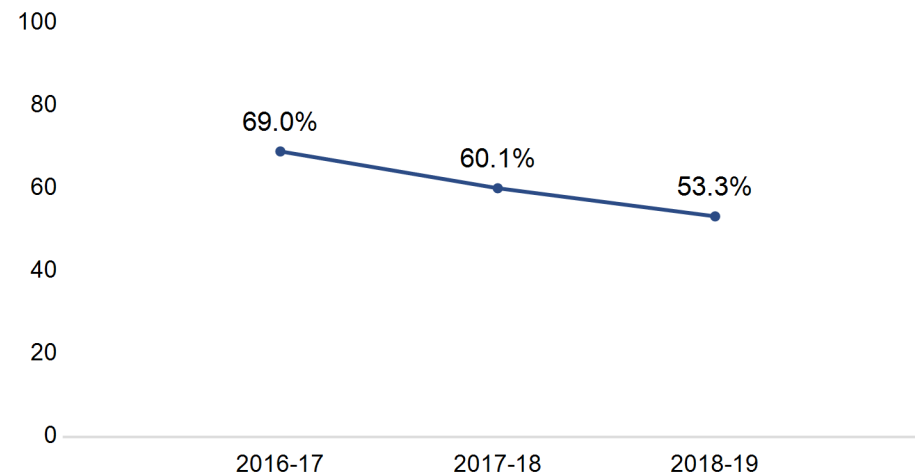
English Language Arts and Mathematics Performance Trends

These graphs show trends in the Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability over the last three years. The data includes the results of students taking both the statewide assessment (NJSLA for 2018-19 and PARCC for 2016-17 and 2017-18) and the DLM alternate assessment. The Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability measures the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations on the assessments (NJSLA/PARCC or DLM) with an adjustment made if the participation rate is below 95% to ensure reporting on at least 95% of students. NJSLA/PARCC results include only students in grades 3 through 10. Students that were enrolled for less than half a school year are excluded from performance results. The table below provides participation rates, proficiency rates, annual targets and status in meeting the targets, and statewide proficiency rates.

ELA Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability



Math Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability



Performance Measure	2016-17 ELA	2017-18 ELA	2018-19 ELA	2016-17 Math	2017-18 Math	2018-19 Math
Participation Rate	94.4%	93.1%	93.9%	94.4%	93.1%	94.4%
Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	82.4%	75.6%	76.5%	69.0%	60.1%	53.3%
Annual Target	80.0%	80.0%	80.0%	67.1%	67.8%	68.4%
Met Annual Target?	Met Goal	Met Target†	Met Target†	Met Target	Not Met	Not Met
Statewide Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	54.9%	56.7%	57.9%	43.5%	45.0%	44.5%

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English Language Arts Assessment - Participation and Performance

This table shows performance on statewide assessments for English Language Arts both overall and by student group. It includes the results of students taking both the NJSLA and DLM assessments. NJSLA results include only students in grades 3 through 10. Students that were enrolled for less than half a school year are excluded from performance results. A student is considered to have met or exceeded expectations if he/she scores at Level 4 or 5 on the NJSLA assessment or at Level 3 or 4 on the DLM assessment.

This table shows both the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations and a proficiency rate used for federal accountability. The proficiency rate for federal accountability will be lower if the participation rate is below 95%. This table also shows progress towards meeting the state's long term goal of 80% proficiency by 2030. Annual targets are specific to each subgroup, school, and district and represent the expected proficiency needed to stay on track to meet the state's long term goal. Student groups 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 our [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	2018-19 Annual Target	Met 2018-19 Annual Target
Schoolwide	213	93.9	77.5	75.3	57.9	76.5	80	Met Target†
White	180	94.8	77.2	75.1	66.9	77.0	80	Met Target†
Hispanic	11	84.6	45.5	*	43.9	40.3	**	**
Black or African American	*	*	*	*	38.5	*	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	16	100.0	100.0	*	82.9	100.0	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	56.0	N	**	**
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*	64.4	*	**	**
Female	98	94.3	85.7	80.7	64.8	85.0		
Male	115	93.6	70.4	70.2	51.3	69.3		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	10	100.0	40.0	*	40.0	*	**	**
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	203	93.7	79.3	*	67.9	*		
Students with Disabilities	53	93.0	37.7	37.2	22.7	36.9	49.3	Not Met
Students without Disabilities	160	94.3	90.6	89.2	65.1	89.8		
English Learners	N	N	N	N	29.3	N	**	**
Non-English Learners	213	93.9	77.5	75.3	60.6	76.5		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N	29.1	N		
Students In Foster Care	*	*	*	*	27.6	*		
Military-Connected Students	*	*	*	*	57.8	*		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	30.4	N		

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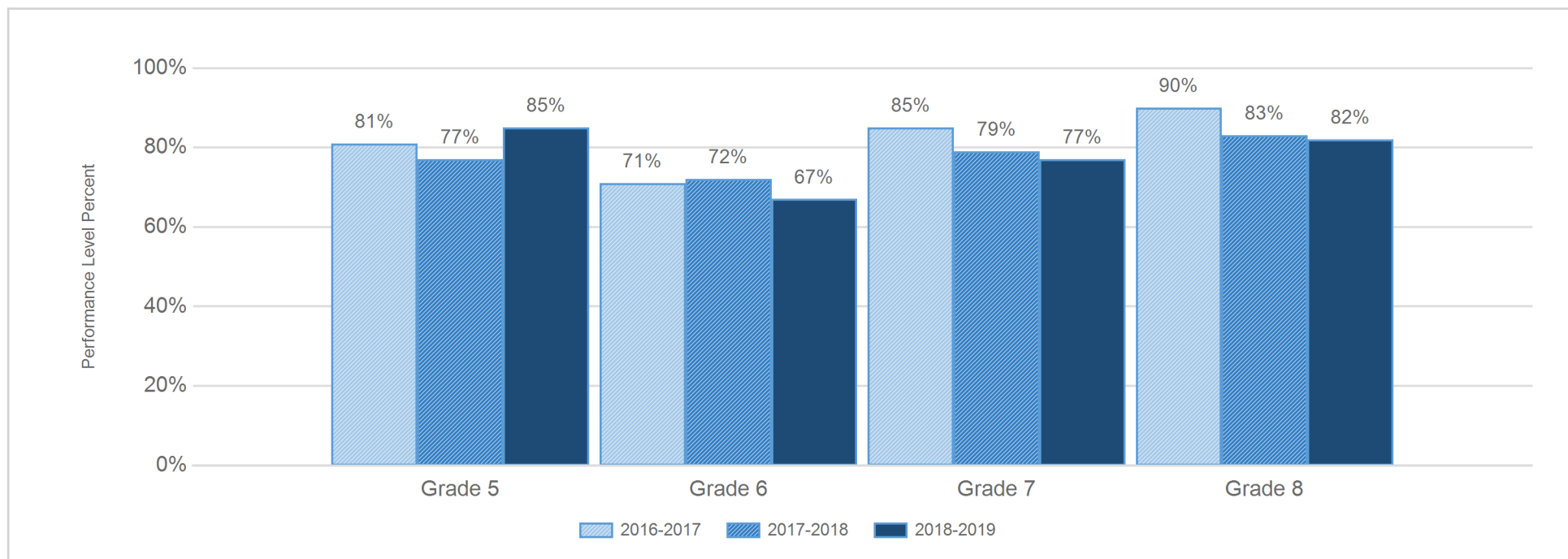
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English Language Arts Assessment - Performance Trends

This graph shows the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations on each grade level exam on the statewide assessment for English Language Arts (ELA) for the past three years. 2018-19 data is from the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA) and 2016-17 and 2017-18 data is from the PARCC assessment.





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English Language Arts Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 5

This table shows performance on the English Language Arts (ELA) section of the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA). The performance results in this table include all students that took the NJSLA assessment, which includes students that were enrolled less than half a year.

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	52	777	777	756	*	*	*	44%	40%	85%	58%
White	46	775	775	764	*	*	*	48%	37%	85%	68%
Hispanic	*	*	*	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	44%
Black or African American	N	N	N	739	N	N	N	N	N	N	38%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	781	*	*	*	*	*	*	83%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	753	N	N	N	N	N	N	52%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	762	*	*	*	*	*	*	65%
Female	24	784	784	761	*	*	*	46%	46%	92%	64%
Male	28	770	770	750	*	*	*	43%	36%	79%	52%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	766	*	*	*	*	*	*	69%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	23%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	762	*	*	*	*	*	*	65%
English Learners	N	N	N	713	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%
Non-English Learners	52	777	777	758	*	*	*	44%	40%	85%	60%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	730	N	N	N	N	N	N	29%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	28%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	62%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	723	N	N	N	N	N	N	26%



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English Language Arts Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 6

This table shows performance on the English Language Arts (ELA) section of the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA). The performance results in this table include all students that took the NJSLA assessment, which includes students that were enrolled less than half a year.

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	46	766	766	754	*	*	26%	46%	22%	67%	56%
White	39	765	765	762	*	*	26%	*	*	67%	65%
Hispanic	*	*	*	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	43%
Black or African American	N	N	N	738	N	N	N	N	N	N	36%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	780	*	*	*	*	*	*	83%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	751	N	N	N	N	N	N	53%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	760	N	N	N	N	N	N	64%
Female	22	773	773	762	*	*	*	*	*	73%	64%
Male	24	759	759	748	*	*	*	*	*	63%	48%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	763	*	*	*	*	*	*	67%
Students with Disabilities	16	743	743	722	*	*	*	*	*	31%	19%
Students without Disabilities	30	778	778	761	*	*	*	*	*	87%	64%
English Learners	N	N	N	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	46	766	766	756	*	*	26%	46%	22%	67%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	27%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	726	N	N	N	N	N	N	26%
Military-Connected Students	*	*	*	753	*	*	*	*	*	*	54%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	25%



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English Language Arts Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 7

This table shows performance on the English Language Arts (ELA) section of the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA). The performance results in this table include all students that took the NJSLA assessment, which includes students that were enrolled less than half a year.

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	62	779	779	761	*	*	*	26%	52%	77%	63%
White	51	779	779	769	*	*	*	25%	51%	76%	72%
Hispanic	*	*	*	747	*	*	*	*	*	*	50%
Black or African American	*	*	*	741	*	*	*	*	*	*	43%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	790	*	*	*	*	*	*	87%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	761	N	N	N	N	N	N	65%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	768	N	N	N	N	N	N	68%
Female	24	795	795	769	*	*	*	*	*	88%	71%
Male	38	769	769	753	*	*	*	*	*	71%	55%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	45%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	771	*	*	*	*	*	*	73%
Students with Disabilities	13	723	723	720	*	*	*	*	*	23%	22%
Students without Disabilities	49	794	794	769	*	*	*	*	*	92%	71%
English Learners	N	N	N	706	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%
Non-English Learners	62	779	779	763	*	*	*	26%	52%	77%	65%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	34%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	726	*	*	*	*	*	*	28%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	758	N	N	N	N	N	N	56%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	728	N	N	N	N	N	N	31%



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English Language Arts Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 8

This table shows performance on the English Language Arts (ELA) section of the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA). The performance results in this table include all students that took the NJSLA assessment, which includes students that were enrolled less than half a year.

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	56	785	785	762	0%	*	*	38%	45%	82%	63%
White	46	786	786	770	0%	0%	*	*	*	83%	72%
Hispanic	*	*	*	747	*	*	*	*	*	*	49%
Black or African American	*	*	*	741	*	*	*	*	*	*	43%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	794	*	*	*	*	*	*	88%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	758	N	N	N	N	N	N	60%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	769	*	*	*	*	*	*	69%
Female	30	797	797	771	0%	*	*	*	*	90%	71%
Male	26	772	772	753	0%	*	*	*	*	73%	55%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	45%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	772	*	*	*	*	*	*	72%
Students with Disabilities	14	751	751	721	0%	*	*	*	*	50%	22%
Students without Disabilities	42	797	797	770	0%	*	*	*	*	93%	71%
English Learners	N	N	N	708	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%
Non-English Learners	56	785	785	764	0%	*	*	38%	45%	82%	65%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	31%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	726	N	N	N	N	N	N	32%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	760	N	N	N	N	N	N	62%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	27%



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Mathematics Assessment - Participation and Performance

This table shows performance on statewide assessments for Mathematics both overall and by student group. It includes the results of students taking both the NJSLA and DLM assessments. NJSLA results include only students in grades 3 through 10. Students that were enrolled for less than half a school year are excluded from performance results. A student is considered to have met or exceeded expectations if he/she scores at Level 4 or 5 on the NJSLA assessment or at Level 3 or 4 on the DLM assessment.

This table shows both the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations and a proficiency rate used for federal accountability. The proficiency rate for federal accountability will be lower if the participation rate is below 95%. This table also shows progress towards meeting the state's long term goal of 80% proficiency by 2030. Annual targets are specific to each subgroup, school, and district and represent the expected proficiency needed to stay on track to meet the state's long term goal. Student groups 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 our [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	2018-19 Annual Target	Met 2018-19 Annual Target
Schoolwide	214	94.4	53.7	57.5	44.5	53.3	68.4	Not Met
White	181	95.3	53.0	57.5	54.1	53.0	66.6	Not Met
Hispanic	11	84.6	27.3	*	28.8	24.2	**	**
Black or African American	*	*	*	*	23.0	*	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	16	100.0	75.0	*	76.5	75.0	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	42.7	N	**	**
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*	53.3	*	**	**
Female	98	94.3	56.1	59.3	44.9	55.6		
Male	116	94.4	51.7	55.9	44.2	51.3		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	10	100.0	20.0	*	26.3	*	**	**
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	204	94.1	55.4	*	54.9	*		
Students with Disabilities	53	93.0	24.5	30.8	17.4	24.0	41.8	Not Met
Students without Disabilities	161	94.8	63.4	67.3	50.0	63.2		
English Learners	N	N	N	N	25.0	N	**	**
Non-English Learners	214	94.4	53.7	57.5	46.5	53.2		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N	17.1	N		
Students In Foster Care	*	*	*	*	17.1	*		
Military-Connected Students	*	*	*	*	46.4	*		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N	23.3	N		

† Target was met within a confidence interval.



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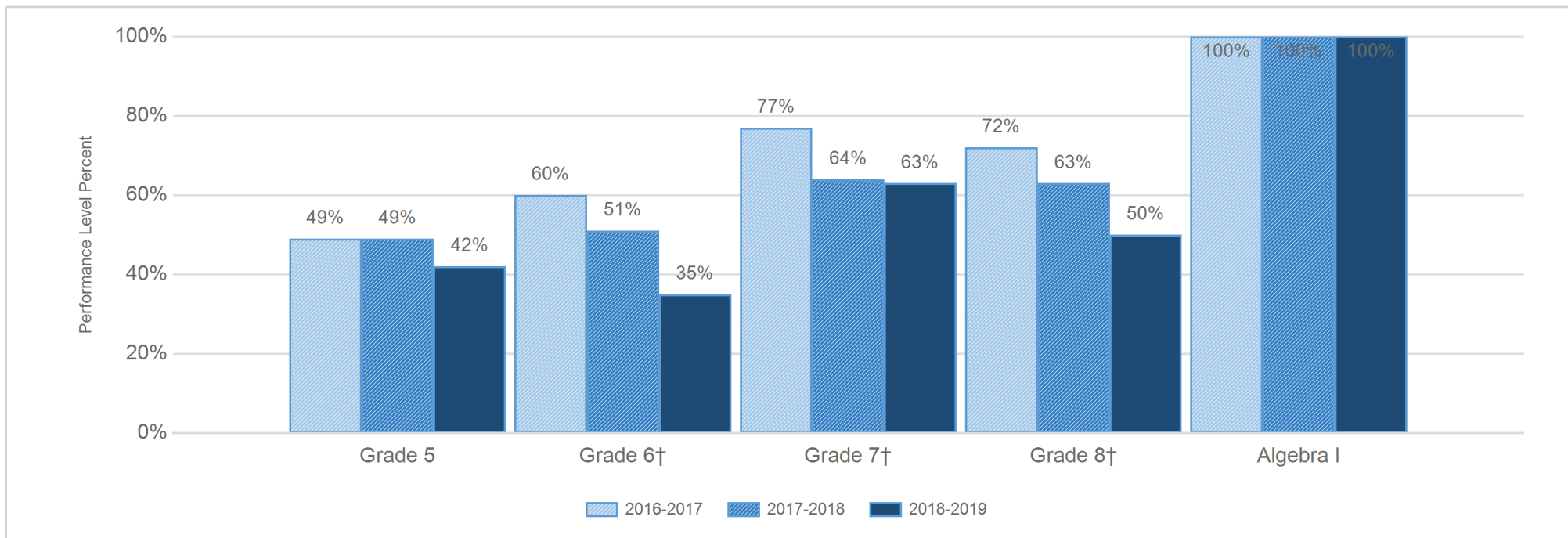
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Mathematics Assessment – Performance Trends

This graph shows the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations on each grade level or end-of-course exam on the statewide assessment for Mathematics for the past three years. 2018-19 data is from the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA) and 2016-17 and 2017-18 data is from the PARCC assessment.



† 2018-19 results for Algebra I, Geometry, and Algebra II do not include students in grade 11, but 2016-17 and 2017-18 results do include students in grade 11. Therefore, trend data for these assessments may not be comparable.



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 5

This table shows performance on the Mathematics section of the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA). The performance results in this table include all students that took the NJSLA assessment, which includes students that were enrolled less than half a year.

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	52	745	745	747	*	21%	31%	*	*	42%	47%
White	46	745	745	755	*	24%	33%	*	*	39%	58%
Hispanic	*	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Black or African American	N	N	N	729	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	775	*	*	*	*	*	*	80%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	747	N	N	N	N	N	N	42%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	753	*	*	*	*	*	*	55%
Female	24	750	750	747	*	*	*	*	*	46%	47%
Male	28	741	741	747	*	*	*	*	*	39%	47%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	732	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	757	*	*	*	*	*	*	59%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	752	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
English Learners	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%
Non-English Learners	52	745	745	749	*	21%	31%	*	*	42%	49%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	723	N	N	N	N	N	N	17%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	14%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	748	N	N	N	N	N	N	50%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	716	N	N	N	N	N	N	17%



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 6

This table shows performance on the Mathematics section of the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA). The performance results in this table include all students that took the NJSLA assessment, which includes students that were enrolled less than half a year.

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

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	46	742	742	741	*	24%	37%	*	*	35%	41%
White	39	741	741	749	*	28%	31%	*	*	36%	51%
Hispanic	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	24%
Black or African American	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	19%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	769	*	*	*	*	*	*	76%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	738	N	N	N	N	N	N	37%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	747	N	N	N	N	N	N	48%
Female	22	744	744	742	*	*	*	*	*	36%	42%
Male	24	741	741	740	*	*	*	*	*	33%	40%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	726	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	750	*	*	*	*	*	*	53%
Students with Disabilities	16	730	730	716	*	*	*	*	*	25%	12%
Students without Disabilities	30	748	748	746	*	*	*	*	*	40%	46%
English Learners	N	N	N	709	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	46	742	742	743	*	24%	37%	*	*	35%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%
Military-Connected Students	*	*	*	742	*	*	*	*	*	*	43%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	20%



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 7

This table shows performance on the Mathematics section of the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA). The performance results in this table include all students that took the NJSLA assessment, which includes students that were enrolled less than half a year.

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

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	62	754	754	744	*	*	23%	*	*	63%	42%
White	51	753	753	751	*	*	25%	*	*	61%	53%
Hispanic	*	*	*	733	*	*	*	*	*	*	26%
Black or African American	*	*	*	727	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	768	*	*	*	*	*	*	75%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	742	N	N	N	N	N	N	43%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	749	N	N	N	N	N	N	51%
Female	24	754	754	744	*	*	*	*	*	67%	42%
Male	38	754	754	743	*	*	*	*	*	61%	42%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	731	*	*	*	*	*	*	24%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	53%
Students with Disabilities	13	727	727	718	*	*	*	*	*	38%	13%
Students without Disabilities	49	761	761	749	*	*	*	*	*	69%	48%
English Learners	N	N	N	716	N	N	N	N	N	N	10%
Non-English Learners	62	754	754	745	*	*	23%	*	*	63%	44%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	721	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	720	*	*	*	*	*	*	11%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	746	N	N	N	N	N	N	44%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 8

This table shows performance on the Mathematics section of the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA). The performance results in this table include all students that took the NJSLA assessment, which includes students that were enrolled less than half a year.

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

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	34	749	749	728	*	*	41%	50%	0%	50%	29%
White	28	751	751	737	*	*	39%	54%	0%	54%	38%
Hispanic	*	*	*	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Black or African American	*	*	*	714	*	*	*	*	*	*	15%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	747	*	*	*	*	*	*	51%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	725	N	N	N	N	N	N	29%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	730	N	N	N	N	N	N	31%
Female	17	752	752	731	*	*	*	*	*	47%	31%
Male	17	746	746	726	*	*	*	*	*	53%	27%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	719	*	*	*	*	*	*	20%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	36%
Students with Disabilities	12	727	727	707	*	*	*	*	*	*	10%
Students without Disabilities	22	761	761	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	35%
English Learners	N	N	N	706	N	N	N	N	N	N	10%
Non-English Learners	34	749	749	730	*	*	41%	50%	0%	50%	30%
Homeless Students	N	N	N	709	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	709	N	N	N	N	N	N	15%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	735	N	N	N	N	N	N	32%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	701	N	N	N	N	N	N	16%



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Test: Algebra I

This table shows performance on the Mathematics section of the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA). The performance results in this table include all students that took the NJSLA assessment, it does not exclude students that were enrolled less than half a year.

Note: 2018-19 results do not include students in grade 11, therefore results may not be comparable to prior years when students in grade 11 were included.

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	792	792	744	0%	0%	0%	*	*	100%	42%
White	19	791	791	752	0%	0%	0%	*	*	100%	53%
Hispanic	*	*	*	728	*	*	*	*	*	*	24%
Black or African American	N	N	N	725	N	N	N	N	N	N	20%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	775	*	*	*	*	*	*	76%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	744	N	N	N	N	N	N	42%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	752	*	*	*	*	*	*	51%
Female	13	791	791	745	0%	0%	0%	*	*	100%	44%
Male	10	794	794	743	0%	0%	0%	*	*	100%	41%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	23%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	23	792	792	752	0%	0%	0%	*	*	100%	52%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	717	*	*	*	*	*	*	12%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	47%
English Learners	N	N	N	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Non-English Learners	23	792	792	745	0%	0%	0%	*	*	100%	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	14%
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	11%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	744	N	N	N	N	N	N	43%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	707	N	N	N	N	N	N	12%



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DLM Alternate Assessment - Participation

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

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

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. A student's expected growth is based on the student's initial year proficiency level and student growth expectations are increased by equal intervals each year so that the student meets the proficiency cut score of 4.5 within five years. The table shows the annual target for the percentage of students making expected growth and whether that target was met.

Student Group	Percent of English Learners Making Expected Growth to Proficiency	2018-19 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	N	N	N
3-4	N	N	N
5 or more	N	N	N



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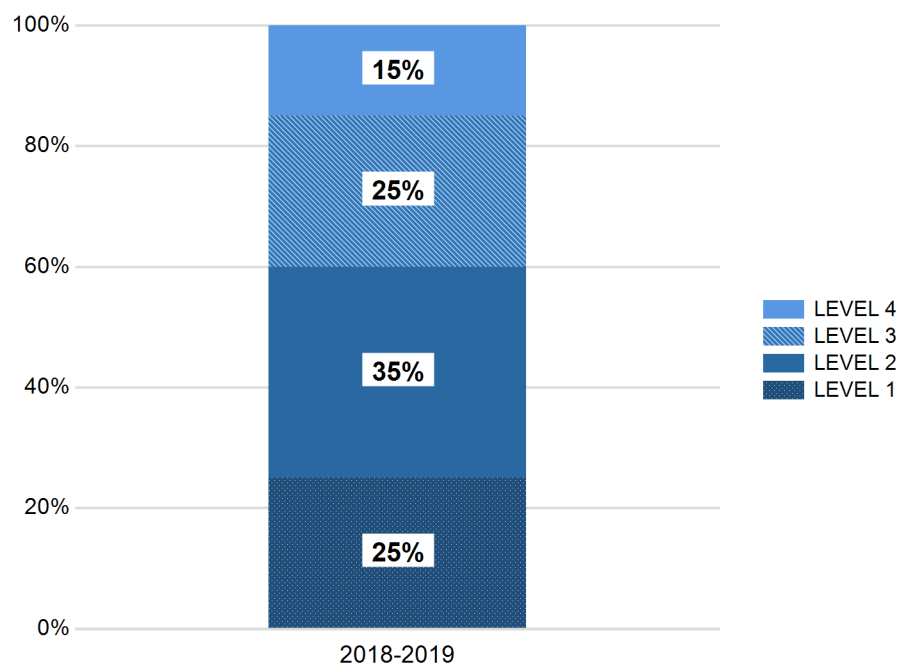
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NJSLA Science Assessment: Grade 5 Summary

This table shows how students performed this year on the NJSLA Science assessment. Students scoring at Level 3 or 4 are considered proficient.



NJSLA Science Assessment: Grade 5

This table shows how students performed this year on the NJSLA Science assessment, both overall and by student group. Students scoring at Level 3 or 4 are considered proficient.

Student Group	% Level 1	% Level 2	% Level 3	% Level 4
Schoolwide	25	35	25	15
White	26	35	22	17
Hispanic	*	*	*	*
Black or African American	N	N	N	N
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*
Female	21	29	29	21
Male	29	39	21	11
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	*
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	*
English Learners	N	N	N	N
Non-English Learners	25	35	25	15
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	N
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N



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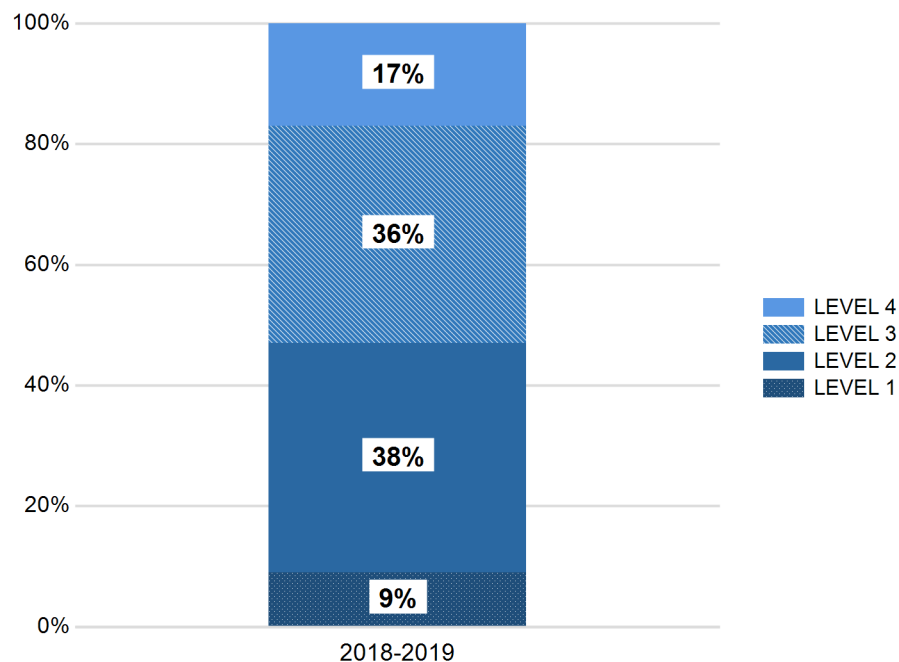
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NJSLA Science Assessment: Grade 8

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Student Group	% Level 1	% Level 2	% Level 3	% Level 4
Schoolwide	9	38	36	17
White	7	37	42	14
Hispanic	*	*	*	*
Black or African American	*	*	*	*
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*
Female	4	38	46	12
Male	15	37	26	22
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*
Students with Disabilities	17	67	8	8
Students without Disabilities	7	29	44	20
English Learners	N	N	N	N
Non-English Learners	9	38	36	17
Homeless Students	N	N	N	N
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	N
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N
Migrant Students	N	N	N	N



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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	51
7	0	0	60
8	22	0	41
Total	22	0	152

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	51	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	60	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	63	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	174	0	0	0	0	0	0



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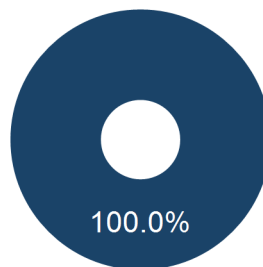
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Visual and Performing Arts – Course Participation

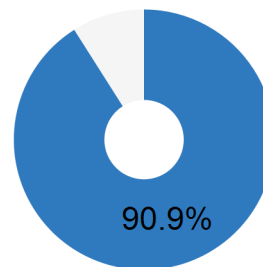
The first set of graphs below show the percentages of students who were enrolled in any Visual and Performing Arts classes during the school year. The graphs at the bottom of the page show the percentages of students enrolled in at least one course within each of the four arts disciplines during the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

Grades 6-8:

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

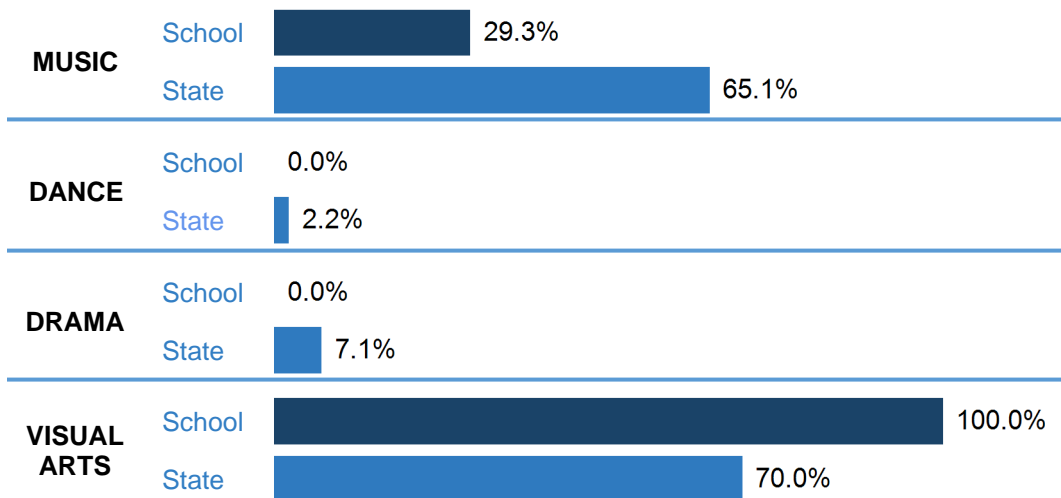


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Students enrolled in one or more classes by discipline:





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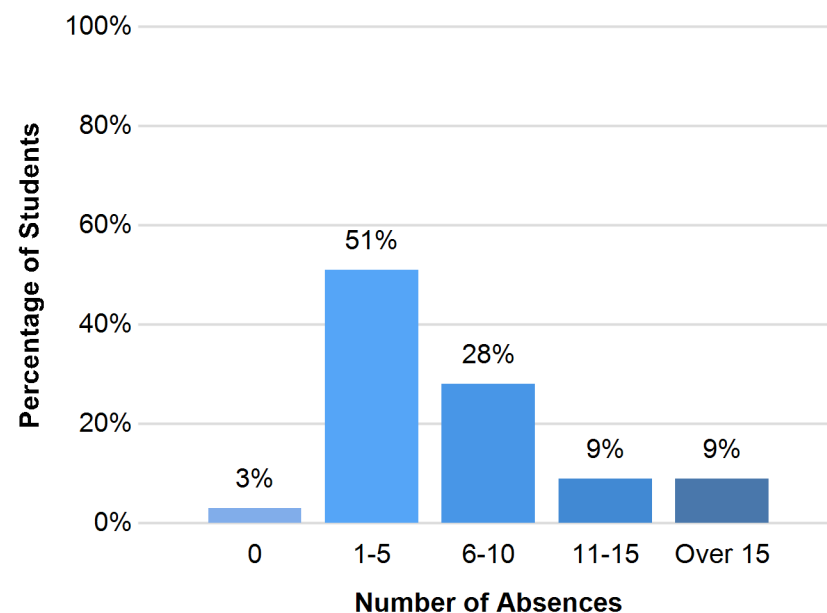
Chronic Absenteeism

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	13	5.7	8.7	Met
White	12	6.3	8.7	Met
Hispanic	0	0	**	**
Black or African American	*	*	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific	1	6.3	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N
Two or More Races	*	*	**	**
Female	6	5.8		
Male	7	5.7		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	2	18.2	**	**
Students with Disabilities	7	12.5	8.7	Not Met
English Learners	N	N	N	N
Homeless Students	N	N		
Students in Foster Care	*	*		
Military-Connected Students	*	*		
Migrant Students	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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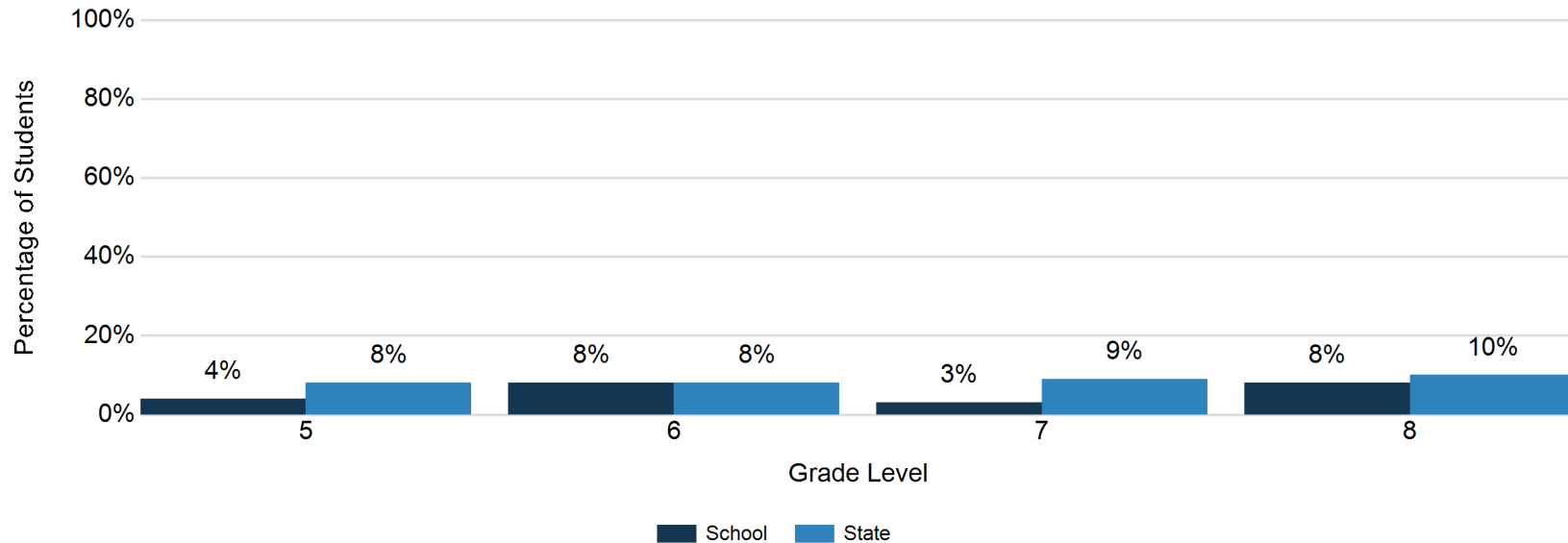
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Chronic Absenteeism by Grade

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	0
Weapons	0
Vandalism	0
Substances	0
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	4
Total Unique Incidents	4
Incidents Per 100 Students Enrolled	1.76

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

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	3	3
Religion	0	0	0
Ancestry	0	0	0
Gender	0	0	0
Sexual Orientation	1	0	1
Disability	0	1	1
Other	1	0	1
No Identified Nature	3		3

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	8:45 AM
Typical End Time	3:25 PM
Length of School Day	6 Hrs 40 Mins
Full Time - Instructional Time	5 Hrs 1 Mins
Shared Time - Instructional Time	5 Hrs. 1 Mins.

Device Ratios

This table shows the student to device ratio, which is the number of students in tested grades 3 through 10 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 through 10. 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
2018-19	1:1



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Key terms for staff data:

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Teachers – Experience

This table shows information about the experience of teachers assigned to this school and across the state. No teachers in New Jersey are teaching under emergency or provisional credentials as defined the United States Department of Education.

Category	Teachers in School	Teachers in State
Total Number of teachers	26	118,214
Average years experience in public schools	10.4	12.1
Average years experience in district	9.9	10.8
Percentage of Teachers with 4 or more years experience in the district	65.4%	75.3%

Administrators – Experience (District Level)

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

Category	Admin. in District	Admin. in State
Total Number of administrators	5	9,530
Average years experience in public schools	10.4	16.0
Average years experience in district	8.0	12.0
Percentage of Administrators with 4 or more years experience in the district	40.0%	76.9%

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	9:1	9:1
Students to Administrators	227:1	86:1
Teachers to Administrators	26:1	9:1
Students to Librarians/Media Specialists		432:1
Students to Nurses		216:1
Students to Counselors		216:1
Students to Child Study Team Members		144:1



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Teachers and Administrators – Demographics

This table compares the percentage of students, teachers, and administrators by gender and by racial and ethnic group.

Category	Students in School	Teachers in School	Administrators in School	Students in State	Teachers in State	Administrators in State
Female	46.3%	84.6%	100.0%	48.4%	77.1%	54.9%
Male	53.7%	15.4%	0.0%	51.6%	22.9%	45.1%
White	83.7%	100.0%	100.0%	42.4%	83.6%	77.4%
Hispanic	5.3%	0.0%	0.0%	29.9%	7.3%	7.2%
Black or African American	3.1%	0.0%	0.0%	15.0%	6.6%	13.9%
Asian	7.0%	0.0%	0.0%	10.2%	2.0%	1.1%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%
Two or More Races	0.9%	0.0%	0.0%	2.1%	0.2%	0.2%



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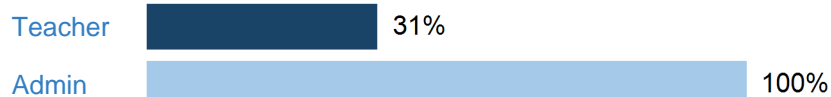
Teachers and Administrators - Level of Education

This chart shows the highest level of education attained by 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 2017-18 that were still assigned to this district in 2018-19. Staff who were not retained may have changed districts or no longer work for the state (including retirements).

Job Type	District	State
2017-18 Teachers: Same district 2018-19	86.4%	90.5%
2017-18 Administrators: Same district 2018-19	100.0%	87.9%

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
2018-19	96.3%



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Per-Pupil Expenditures by Source

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For more information regarding this table please refer to the guidance for school level reporting, which is available on the [NJDOE webpage ESSA School Level Reporting Information](#). More in-depth information about district and charter school spending can be found in the [User Friendly Budget](#) and the [Comprehensive Annual Financial Report \(CAFR\) and Auditor Management Reports \(AMRs\)](#).

Please be aware that the total district expenditures represented in these reports are taken from audited district financial data, but the subsequent allocation of these resources to specific schools is not audited or otherwise verified by the New Jersey Department of Education. If you have specific questions about the assignment (or lack of assignment) of school-level amounts, please contact the district for additional information.

[Link to District Summary of 2018-19 School-Level Per Pupil Expenditures by Source.](#)

An option to [download all school-level summaries by district](#) in one spreadsheet is also available. However, because districts have flexibility in how certain costs are allocated to individual schools, school-level costs should not be compared between schools in different districts.



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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](#).

ESSA Accountability Status

The table below provides the school's federal school status for the 2020-21 school year, the category (or reason) for identification, the year the school is eligible to exit status, and, if applicable, the student groups identified for support.

Status for 2020-21 School Year	Not in Status
Category of Identification	n/a
Year Eligible to Exit Status	n/a
Student Group Status: White	
Student Group Status: Hispanic	
Student Group Status: Black or African American	
Student Group Status: Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	
Student Group Status: American Indian or Alaska Native	
Student Group Status: Two or More Races	
Student Group Status: Economically Disadvantaged Students	
Student Group Status: Students with Disabilities	
Student Group Status: English Learners	

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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](#).

ESSA Accountability Progress

The table below shows performance on each of New Jersey's ESSA accountability indicators for the last three years. ELA and Math Proficiency represent the percentage of students that met or exceeded expectations on statewide assessments (NJSLA/PARCC or DLM). ELA and Math Growth represent the median student growth percentile. Four- and five-year graduation rates represent the adjusted cohort graduation rates. Progress toward English Language Proficiency, which was first available in 2017-18, shows the percentage of English Learners that demonstrated the expected amount of growth on the ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 Assessment for English Language proficiency. Chronic absenteeism represents the percentage of students that were absent for 10% or more of the days enrolled during the school year.

ESSA Accountability Indicator	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
ELA Proficiency	82.4%	75.6%	76.5%
Math Proficiency	69.0%	60.1%	53.3%
ELA Growth	72	56	54
Math Growth	68	49	42
4-Year Graduation Rate†	N	N	N
5-Year Graduation Rate†	N	N	N
Progress toward English Language Proficiency		*	N
Chronic Absenteeism	6.1%	7.0%	5.7%

† This table shows 2018-19 graduation data for reference, but 2017-18 graduation data is used for accountability calculations for 2018-19.



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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).

Every three years (last identification in 2019, next identification in 2022), NJDOE will identify schools in the following three federal categories:

Comprehensive Support and Improvement - Overall Low Performing: Schools with a summative score in the bottom 5% of Title I schools.

Comprehensive Support and Improvement - Low Graduation Rate: High schools with a four-year graduation rate of 67% or less

Targeted Support and Improvement - Low Performing Student Group: Schools with one or more student group with a summative score that would be in the bottom 5% of Title I schools

Annually, NJDOE will identify schools in the following federal category:

Targeted Support and Improvement - Consistently Underperforming Student Group: Schools with one or more students group that missed annual targets or standards for all indicators for two years in a row

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](#).

Accountability Indicator Scores and Summative Ratings - 2018-19 School Year

New Jersey 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 every three years. During the three-year federal status period, schools receive additional resources and support. NJDOE will next identify schools for Comprehensive Support and Improvement in 2022.

This year accountability indicator scores and summative ratings are not used to identify schools for Comprehensive Support and Improvement, so these data are not included in the School Performance Reports. Review the previous two pages to see a school's current status, in the ESSA Accountability Status table, and to monitor a school's school progress on each accountability indicator over the last three years using the new ESSA Accountability Progress table.



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Accountability Summary by Student Group - 2018-19 School Year

This table shows whether student groups in this school met annual ESSA accountability targets and standards for each indicator. Annual targets for proficiency and graduation rate were set based on a school or student group's performance in 2015-16 or the first year data was available. The standard for student growth is a median student growth percentile of 40-59.5. The target for chronic absenteeism is the statewide chronic absenteeism rate based on students enrolled in the grades served by the school. For more details on accountability targets, see these [accountability resources](#).

The accountability system will not be used to identify schools for Targeted Support and Improvement – Low Performing Student Group for 2018-19, so student group summative scores are not included in this table this year.

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	Met Target†	Not Met	Met Standard	Met Standard	N	Met	No
White	Met Target†	Not Met	Met Standard	Not Met	n/a	Met	No
Hispanic	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Black or African American	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
American Indian or Alaska Native	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Two or More Races	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Economically Disadvantaged Students	**	**	**	**	n/a	**	No
Students with Disabilities	Not Met	Not Met	Met Standard	Met Standard	n/a	Not Met	No
English Learners	**	**	**	**	**	**	No

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



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Highlights:

- The Union Township Middle School services students from Fifth Grade through Eighth Grade.



Awards, Recognition, Accomplishments:

Participant in the Future Ready Schools - New Jersey program BASF Innovation Grant



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 <p>Courses, Curriculum, Instruction:</p>	<p>In addition to core content areas, students participate in passion projects through our “Genius Opportunity”. We also provide innovation and STEM opportunities through make lab and technology classes. Unified Arts classes include art, technology, physical education, music, Spanish, and library. All instructional classes have access to Promethean Boards. All students grades 5 through 8 have access to Chromebooks and iPads, as well as access to two separate computer labs.</p>
 <p>Sports and Athletics:</p>	<p>Sports Offered: Baseball (Boys), Basketball (Boys & Girls), Cross Country (Boys & Girls), Soccer (Boys & Girls), Softball (Girls), Volleyball (Girls)</p>
 <p>Clubs and Activities:</p>	<p>Student Council, Art Club, Board Game Club, Debate Club, Digital Video/UT TV Club, DIY Club, Jazz Band, Mural Club, Newspaper, Club, Photography Club, Robotics Club, Running Club, Sports Club, Technology Club, Yearbook Club, Yoga Club</p>



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 <p>Before and After School Programs:</p>	<p>We have a Tiger Care program available for before and after school care.</p>
 <p>Staff and Professional Learning:</p>	<p>Our staff constantly engage in professional development opportunities by attending workshops and conferences, and well as participate in Ed-Camp style learning sessions with neighboring school districts.</p>



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 <p>Student Supports and Services:</p>	<p>Our Child Study Team consists of a Director of Program, a School Psychologist, Learning Consultant, and Social Worker, and ensures that students receive the appropriate services such as: math and language arts intervention services, speech, counseling, in-class support, or out of class replacement.</p>
 <p>Student Health and Wellness:</p>	<p>Students in grades Five through Eight receive health instruction weekly, and visiting programs and assemblies provide more succinct information such as vaping & drug abuse and fire safety. All students grades 5 through 8 have recess daily for 30 minutes and physical education is provided to all students.</p>
 <p>Parent and Community Involvement:</p>	<p>Our PTA is one of the best in the area! The PTA provides “minigrants” to teachers that allow for enriching programs and assemblies to be brought directly to students. Parents volunteer in the classrooms seasonally. Monthly, the school promotes a “Family Fun Night” where there is no homework so that students may spend additional time with their families dining out or participating in a PTA / school sponsored activity.</p>



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School Safety:

The School Safety Team meets several times a year to evaluate school climate and potential HIB occurrences. A School Resource Officer meets regularly with the Principal, and safety of the entire school community is evaluated daily.



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Technology and STEM:

Our school incorporated a Genius Opportunity (Go Time!) which is similar to the Genius Hour concept. Students also have daily access to the Innovation Lab, as well as weekly technology education class. All students grades 5 - 8 have daily access to Chromebooks and iPads.