

The New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) is pleased to present these annual reports of School Performance. These reports are designed to inform parents, educators and communities about how well a school is performing and preparing its students for college and careers.

In particular, the School Performance Reports seek to:

- **Focus** attention on metrics that are indicative of college and career readiness.
- **Benchmark** a school's performance against other peer schools that are educating similar students, against statewide outcomes, and against state targets to illuminate and build upon a school's strengths and identify areas for improvement.
- **Improve** educational outcomes for students by providing both longitudinal and growth data so that progress can be measured as part of an individual school's efforts to engage in continuous improvement.

While the New Jersey School Performance Reports seek to bring more information to educators and stakeholders about the performance of schools, they do not seek to distill the performance of schools into a single metric, a single score, or a simplified conclusion. Instead, the intention is that educators and stakeholders will engage in deep, lengthy conversations about the full range of the data presented. As educators know well, measuring school performance is both an art and a science. While the School Performance Report brings attention to important student outcomes, NJDOE does not collect data about other essential elements of a school, such as the provision of opportunities to participate and excel in extracurricular activities; the development of non-cognitive skills like time management and perseverance; the pervasiveness of a positive school culture or climate; or the attainment of other employability and technical skills, as many of these data are beyond both the capacity and resources of schools to measure and collect well.

To learn more about New Jersey's school accountability system, please visit: <http://www.nj.gov/education/educators/>.

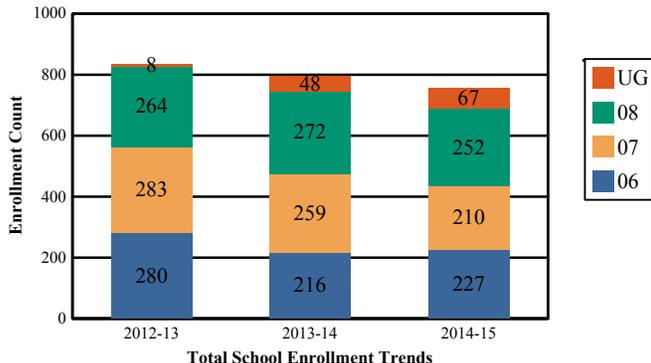
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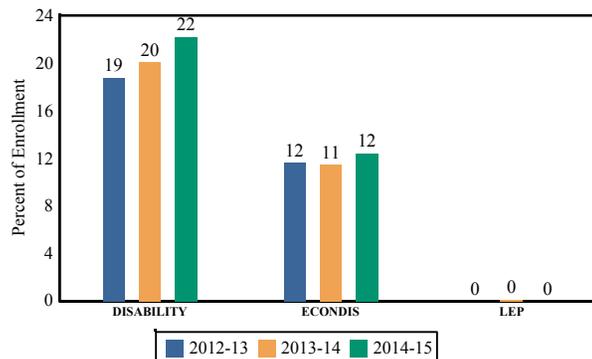
**Enrollment by Grade**

This graph presents the count of students who were 'on roll' by grade in October of each school year.



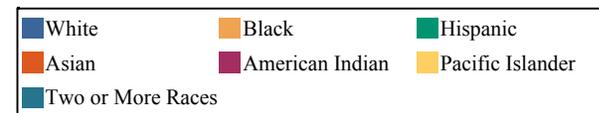
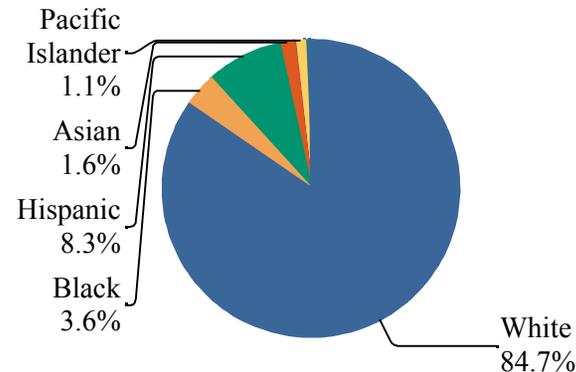
**Enrollment Trends by Program Participation**

This graph presents the percentages of students by program participation who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



**Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup**

This graph presents the percentages of enrollment for each subgroup defined by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001.

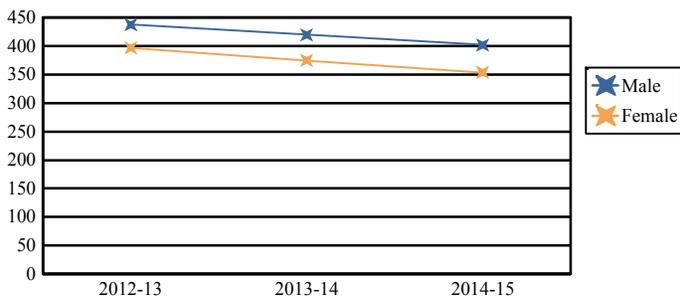


Note: "UG" represents the count of students who are 'on roll' in this school but who are educated in ungraded classrooms, meaning that the classrooms may contain students from multiple grade levels.

Total School Enrollment	
2012-13	835
2013-14	795
2014-15	756

**Enrollment by Gender**

This graph presents the count of students by gender who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



	Male	Female
2012-13	438	397
2013-14	420	375
2014-15	402	354

**Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation**

2014-15	Count of Students	% of Enrollment
Students with Disability	168	22%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	94	12.4%
English Language Learners	0	0.0%

**Language Diversity**

This table presents the percentage of students who primarily speak each language in their home.

2014-15	Percent
English	96.1%
Spanish	1.7%
Tagalog	0.4%
Gujarati	0.3%
French	0.3%
Philippine languages	0.1%
Other	1.1%

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The Academic Achievement section measures the content knowledge that students have in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) and Math as demonstrated in the 2014-2015 *Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers* (PARCC) assessments. The below chart consist of three columns. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - includes the percentage of students in ELA/L and Math who met or exceeded grade level expectations. The middle column - Peer School Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compared to its peers. The last column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compared to schools across the state.

Academic Achievement Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	State Percentile
English Language Arts/Literacy Met or Exceeded Expectation	59%	62	67
Math Met or Exceeded Expectation	48%		

**ESEA Waiver - English Language Arts/Literacy**

This table presents, for each subgroup in the school, the total number of valid test scores, the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations, the assessment participation goal, and the participation rate. The participation goal is established as 95% by the United States Department of Education.

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	614	58.6%	95%	83.9%	YES*
White	519	57.2%	95%	83.4%	YES*
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	51	66.7%	95%	89.8%	YES*
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	124	19.3%	95%	78.5%	NO
English Language Learners	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	65	40%	95%	78.7%	NO

**YES\* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)**

Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under ESEA Waiver suppression rules.

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**ESEA Waiver - Math**

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Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	613	48.1%	95%	83.7%	YES*
White	518	47.9%	95%	83.2%	NO
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	51	49.1%	95%	89.8%	YES*
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	124	12.1%	95%	78.5%	NO
English Learner Students	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	64	29.7%	95%	77.5%	NO

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**PARCC Performance Level**

The PARCC assesses how well students have learned grade-level material in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) and Math. The tests include questions that measure students' fundamental skills and knowledge, and require them to think critically, solve problems and support or explain their answers.

The PARCC reports students' overall scale scores that range from 650 to 850. To determine whether students have met academic expectations for their grade level/course in ELA/L and Math, students' overall scale scores are categorized into five Performance Levels. Students performing at levels 4 and 5 (met or exceeded expectations) have demonstrated readiness for the next grade level/course, and are on track for college and careers.

Five Performance Levels				
<b>Level 1:</b> Did Not Yet Meet Expectations <i>(Min. 650)</i>	<b>Level 2:</b> Partially Met Expectations	<b>Level 3:</b> Approached Expectations	<b>Level 4:</b> Met Expectations	<b>Level 5:</b> Exceeded Expectations <i>(Max. 850)</i>

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**PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 06**

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	209	758	749	3%	8%	25%	54%	11%	65%	50%
White	176	759	755	3%	7%	27%	51%	11%	63%	59%
African American	-	-	732	-	-	-	-	-	-	29%
Hispanic	19	756	736	0%	11%	11%	79%	0%	79%	34%
American Indian	-	-	743	-	-	-	-	-	-	39%
Asian	-	-	770	-	-	-	-	-	-	77%
Two or More Races	-	-	753	-	-	-	-	-	-	57%
Students with Disability	34	725	718	18%	32%	32%	15%	3%	18%	17%
English Language Learners	-	-	711	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	21	742	733	5%	19%	33%	33%	10%	43%	30%

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**PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 07**

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	195	754	750	6%	12%	24%	39%	19%	58%	53%
White	166	753	757	6%	13%	25%	37%	19%	56%	61%
African American	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%
Hispanic	13	757	736	0%	15%	23%	38%	23%	62%	36%
American Indian	-	-	746	-	-	-	-	-	-	49%
Asian	-	-	777	-	-	-	-	-	-	80%
Two or More Races	-	-	756	-	-	-	-	-	-	58%
Students with Disability	37	719	713	30%	11%	38%	14%	8%	22%	18%
English Language Learners	-	-	703	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	20	744	733	5%	20%	30%	25%	20%	45%	33%

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**PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 08**

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	210	750	750	10%	12%	25%	42%	11%	53%	53%
White	177	751	757	8%	12%	27%	44%	10%	53%	61%
African American	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%
Hispanic	19	744	735	11%	5%	26%	47%	11%	58%	37%
American Indian	-	-	741	-	-	-	-	-	-	49%
Asian	-	-	778	-	-	-	-	-	-	80%
Two or More Races	-	-	753	-	-	-	-	-	-	55%
Students with Disability	53	716	713	30%	17%	34%	15%	4%	19%	16%
English Language Learners	-	-	701	-	-	-	-	-	-	9%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	24	727	732	29%	13%	25%	29%	4%	33%	34%

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**PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 06**

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	209	750	743	2%	11%	33%	50%	4%	54%	42%
White	176	750	749	3%	10%	32%	51%	4%	55%	50%
African American	-	-	726	-	-	-	-	-	-	19%
Hispanic	19	746	731	0%	16%	42%	42%	0%	42%	25%
American Indian	-	-	740	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
Asian	-	-	768	-	-	-	-	-	-	75%
Two or More Races	-	-	745	-	-	-	-	-	-	44%
Students with Disability	34	725	718	15%	26%	44%	15%	0%	15%	15%
English Language Learners	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	14%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	21	734	729	0%	33%	29%	38%	0%	38%	23%

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**PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 07**

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	171	740	740	4%	18%	43%	35%	1%	36%	38%
White	146	739	745	4%	18%	44%	33%	1%	34%	46%
African American	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%
Hispanic	12	742	730	0%	25%	25%	50%	0%	50%	23%
American Indian	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	32%
Asian	-	-	760	-	-	-	-	-	-	68%
Two or More Races	-	-	742	-	-	-	-	-	-	43%
Students with Disability	36	715	715	19%	39%	31%	11%	0%	11%	11%
English Language Learners	-	-	717	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	18	734	728	6%	17%	56%	22%	0%	22%	21%

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**PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 08**

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	132	727	726	23%	15%	33%	28%	2%	30%	24%
White	110	730	732	18%	15%	36%	29%	1%	30%	29%
African American	-	-	715	-	-	-	-	-	-	14%
Hispanic	14	724	721	36%	0%	21%	36%	7%	43%	19%
American Indian	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Asian	-	-	744	-	-	-	-	-	-	46%
Two or More Races	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	24%
Students with Disability	52	701	705	54%	19%	17%	6%	4%	10%	9%
English Language Learners	-	-	706	-	-	-	-	-	-	10%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	21	706	719	52%	10%	19%	19%	0%	19%	17%

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**PARCC ALGEBRA I - Performance Distribution**

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	82	764	740	1%	2%	17%	74%	5%	79%	40%
White	72	763	746	1%	3%	19%	71%	6%	76%	47%
African American	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	20%
Hispanic	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
American Indian	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	73%
Two or More Races	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
Students with Disability	-	-	710	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%
English Language Learners	-	-	710	-	-	-	-	-	-	7%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%

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**PARCC GEOMETRY - Performance Distribution**

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	19	774	728	0%	0%	5%	74%	21%	95%	21%
White	14	774	731	0%	0%	0%	79%	21%	100%	24%
African American	-	-	716	-	-	-	-	-	-	7%
Hispanic	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%
American Indian	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	12%
Asian	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	54%
Two or More Races	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	20%
Students with Disability	-	-	709	-	-	-	-	-	-	4%
English Language Learners	-	-	710	-	-	-	-	-	-	6%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%

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**2015 National Assessment Educational Progress (NAEP)**

The National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) is the largest national assessment of what our nation’s students know and can do. NAEP assesses fourth-, eighth-, and twelfth-grade students in subjects such as reading, mathematics, science, and writing. The reporting of NAEP scores on state report cards is a federal mandate. The results of NAEP are also published as the Nation’s Report Card, and are available for the nation, states, and, in some cases, urban districts. The NAEP scores on the report card include grades four and eight 2015 reading and math scores for New Jersey which are the last scores published.

For subgroup outcomes, visit:

- Reading Grade 4 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep4read.html>
- Reading Grade 8 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep8read.html>
- Math Grade 4 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep4math.html>
- Math Grade 8 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep8math.html>

For more information, visit <http://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/>

**Proficiency Percentages**

Subject	Grade	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
Reading	Grade 4	State (NJ)	25	33	31	12
	Grade 4	Nation	31	33	27	9
	Grade 8	State (NJ)	20	39	35	6
	Grade 8	Nation	24	42	31	4
Math	Grade 4	State (NJ)	14	39	38	9
	Grade 4	Nation	18	42	33	7
	Grade 8	State (NJ)	21	32	30	16
	Grade 8	Nation	29	38	25	8

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**NJASK Results - Science Grade Level - 08**

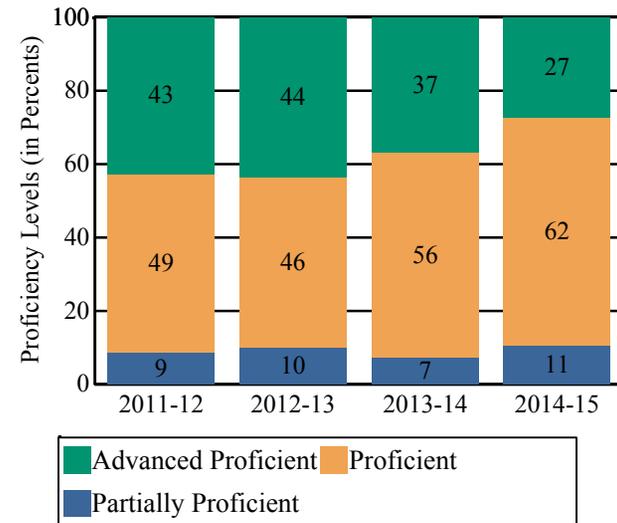
This table presents the grade level proficiency results, as measured by NJASK, in Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories for all appropriate subgroups.

Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	27%	62%	11%
White	28%	64%	8%
African American	-	-	-
Hispanic	14%	67%	19%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	3%	60%	37%
English Language Learners	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	18%	50%	32%

Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under ESEA Waiver suppression rules.

**NJASK Proficiency Trends - Science - Grade Level - 08**

This graph presents the grade level outcomes in the categories of Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient over the last four years.



**COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS**

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Students in both elementary and middle schools begin to demonstrate college readiness behaviors long before they even enter high school. Among the behaviors that research has shown to be indicative of successfully graduating high school is regularly attending school. For all elementary and middle schools, this includes the percentage of students that are chronically absent each year, defined as missing more than 10% of possible school days. Also presented is the percentage of students participating in Visual and Performing Arts coursework and Algebra I course outcomes.

**Algebra I Course Enrollment**

This table presents the count of students in this school who were reported in the Algebra I course code in NJSMART and the count of students who took the Algebra I test of PARCC.

Algebra I Enrollment Count	Algebra I PARCC Test Count
97	82

**Algebra I Test Taking**

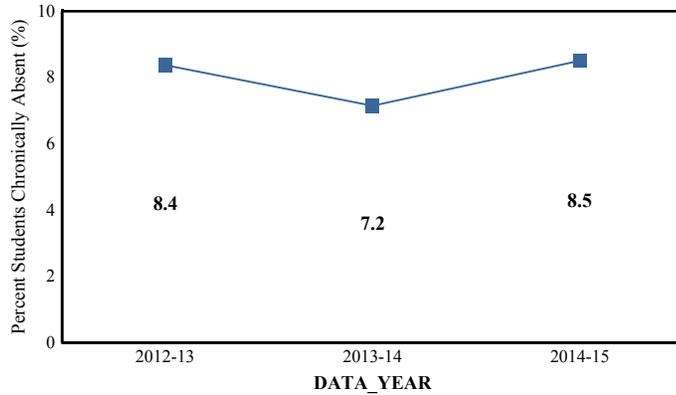
This table presents the percentage of students, as reported in NJSMART, who earned a C or higher in their Algebra I course and the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectation on the Algebra I test of PARCC.

Algebra I Percent C or Better	Algebra I PARCC Percent Met or Exceeded Expectation
95.9%	79.3%

- Data Suppressed to protect the confidentiality of students

### Chronic Absenteeism Trend

This graph presents the percentage of the enrolled students who were chronically absent for the past three years.

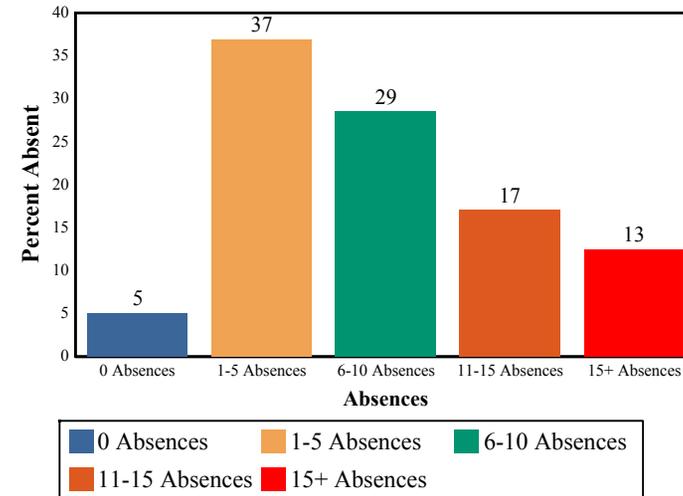


**Chronic Absenteeism for 2014-15**

**8.52%**

### Absenteeism

The chart below presents the percentage of students who were absent in each category of absence: 0 absences, 1- 5 absences, 6 - 10 absences, 11 - 15 absences, and more than 15 absences. An absence is defined as being 'not present' and includes the days missed regardless of whether they were determined to be excused or unexcused by the school.



**Visual and Performing Arts**

The chart below contains the percentage of students who were enrolled in at least one Dance, Drama/Theater, Music or Visual Arts class in this school. The last row shows the percentage of students who were enrolled in any Visual and Performing Arts classes in the school.

Percent of Students Enrolled	School	State
Dance	N/R	1.6%
Drama/Theater	N/R	3.9%
Music	80.7%	66.0%
Visual Arts	79.5%	71.1%
<b>Total: All Visual and Performing Arts</b>	97.8%	89.8%

N/R - Data Not Reported

**STUDENT GROWTH**

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This section of the performance report presents data about student growth, utilizing the Student Growth Percentile Methodology (SGP). SGP creates a measure of how students progressed in grades 4 through 8 in Language Arts Literacy and in grades 4 through 7 in Math when compared to other students with a similar test score history. A short video explaining the methodology can be found here: <http://www.state.nj.us/education/njsmart/performance/>

The below chart consist of five columns with measures. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - presents the schoolwide median growth score in either English Language Arts/Literacy or Mathematics for all students in the school. The second column - Peer Percentile - indicates how the school's growth performance compares to its group of peer schools. The third column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how a school compares to schools across the state. The last column - Met Target? - indicates whether the school's performance met or exceeded the statewide target, which was set to 35.

The fourth row presents the averages of the peer school percentiles, the averages of statewide percentiles, the percentage of statewide targets met.

Student Growth Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Statewide Target	Met Target?
Student Growth on Language Arts	45	55	37	35	YES
Student Growth on Math	47	59	43	35	YES
		57	40		100%

**Student Growth**

This table presents for all students with growth scores the interaction between their performance on PARCC and their growth scores. For example, in the top left cell the percentage of students who are both in Level 1 - Did not yet meet expectations AND also demonstrating low growth is displayed.

**Language Arts**

(Expectations)	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet	4%	1%	0%
Partially Met	9%	1%	1%
Approached	13%	8%	4%
Met	11%	17%	17%
Exceeded	1%	3%	8%

**Math**

(Expectations)	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet	6%	2%	0%
Partially Met	8%	4%	2%
Approached	17%	11%	8%
Met	7%	15%	17%
Exceeded	0%	1%	1%

**Low Growth** is defined as an Student Growth Percentile score less than 35.  
**Typical Growth** is defined as an Student Growth Percentile score between 35 and 65.  
**High Growth** is defined as a Student Growth Percentile score higher than 65.

**WITHIN SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENT GAP**

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This section of the performance report presents data about the achievement gap that exists within a school - as measured by the difference between the students' scale scores at the 25th and 75th percentile in the school, the Interquartile Range (IQR). Taken together with an understanding of the overall and average achievement levels in the school, the IQR furthers an understanding of the range of student outcomes that exist in a school. A school gap smaller than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is narrower than the state's while a school gap larger than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is broader than the state's.

**Grade Level - 06**

**PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	818	850
75th	776	770
50th	760	749
25th	741	726
0th	679	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	35	44

**Grade Level - 06**

**PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	798	850
75th	765	763
50th	752	742
25th	734	721
0th	673	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	31	42

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**Grade Level - 07**

**PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	815	850
75th	777	776
50th	754	751
25th	732	724
0th	654	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	45	52

**Grade Level - 08**

**PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	819	850
75th	777	777
50th	750	751
25th	726	723
0th	650	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	51	54

**Grade Level - 07**

**PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	778	850
75th	756	759
50th	740	740
25th	728	720
0th	658	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	28	39

**Grade Level - 08**

**PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	780	850
75th	754	748
50th	734	726
25th	698	704
0th	650	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	56	44

**Length of School Day**

This table presents the amount of time a school is in session for a typical student on a normal school day.

	School
2014-15	6 Hrs. 35 Mins.

**Student Suspension Rate**

This table presents the percentage of students who were suspended one or more times during the school year.

	School
2014-15	2.9%

**Instructional Time**

This table presents the amount of time that a typical student is engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher.

2014-15	School
Full Time	5 Hrs. 38 Mins.
Shared Time	0 Hrs. 0 Mins.

**Student Expulsions**

This table presents the number of students who were expelled from the school and district during the school year.

	School
2014-15	0

**Student to Staff Ratio**

This table presents the count of students per faculty member or administrator in the school. All staff are counted in full-time equivalents.

2014-15	School
Faculty	10
Administrators	252

**SCHOOL PEER GROUP**  
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**GRADE SPAN 06-08**

This table presents the list of peer schools in alphabetical order by county name that was created specifically for this school (highlighted in yellow). Peer schools are drawn from across the state and represent schools that have similar grade configurations and that are educating students of similar demographic characteristics, as measured by enrollment in Free/Reduced Lunch Programs, Limited English Proficiency or Special Education Programs.

<u>COUNTY NAME</u>	<u>DISTRICT NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL NAME</u>	<u>CDS CODE</u>	<u>GRADES PAN</u>	<u>ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED</u>	<u>ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS</u>	<u>SPECIAL EDUCATION</u>
BERGEN	FAIR LAWN BORO	MEMORIAL MIDDLE SCHOOL	03-1450-070	06-08	20.6%	0.2%	26.3%
BURLINGTON	EVESHAM TWP	FRANCES DEMASI MIDDLE SCHOOL	05-1420-040	06-08	11.2%	0.1%	17.5%
BURLINGTON	EVESHAM TWP	MARLTON MIDDLE	05-1420-060	06-08	14.8%	0.1%	22.5%
BURLINGTON	NORTHERN BURLINGTON REG	NORTHERN BURLINGTON COUNTY REGIONAL MIDDLE SCHOOL	05-3690-060	07-08	15.8%	0%	18.6%
BURLINGTON	SHAMONG TWP	INDIAN MILLS MEMORIAL SCHOOL	05-4740-055	05-08	10.8%	0%	16.1%
BURLINGTON	TABERNACLE TWP	KENNETH R. OLSON MIDDLE SCHOOL	05-5130-040	05-08	12.5%	0%	16.6%
BURLINGTON	WOODLAND TWP	CHATSWORTH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	05-5890-030	PK-08	19.1%	0%	19.2%
CAMDEN	HADDON TWP	WILLIAM G. ROHRER MIDDLE SCHOOL	07-1890-110	06-08	18.4%	0%	21.3%
CHARTERS	SUSSEX COUNTY CS FOR TECHNOLOGY	SUSSEX COUNTY CHARTER SCHOOL FOR TECHNOLOGY	80-7850-960	06-08	20%	0%	24%
ESSEX	MONTCLAIR TOWN	RENAISSANCE MIDDLE SCHOOL AT THE RAND BUILDING	13-3310-165	06-08	13.8%	0%	21.7%
GLOUCESTER	PITMAN BORO	PITMAN MIDDLE SCHOOL	15-4140-075	06-08	10.7%	0%	19.5%
HUNTERDON	BLOOMSBURY BORO	BLOOMSBURY SCHOOL	19-0430-020	PK-08	14.6%	0%	24.1%
HUNTERDON	FRENCHTOWN BORO	FRENCHTOWN ELEMENTARY	19-1680-050	PK-08	14.7%	0%	17.2%
HUNTERDON	HIGH BRIDGE BORO	HIGH BRIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL	19-2140-055	05-08	17.1%	0%	23%
MONMOUTH	FREEHOLD TWP	DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER SCHOOL	25-1660-024	06-08	10.5%	0%	15.3%
MONMOUTH	HOWELL TWP	HOWELL TOWNSHIP MEMORIAL MIDDLE SCHOOL	25-2290-045	06-08	11.6%	0%	17.6%
MONMOUTH	HOWELL TWP	HOWELL TOWNSHIP MIDDLE SCHOOL SOUTH	25-2290-027	06-08	12.4%	0%	22.2%
MONMOUTH	MIDDLETOWN TWP	BAYSHORE MIDDLE SCHOOL	25-3160-055	06-08	15.4%	0.2%	23.5%
MORRIS	BUTLER BORO	RICHARD BUTLER SCHOOL	27-0630-030	05-08	19.7%	1%	24%
MORRIS	JEFFERSON TWP	JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP MIDDLE SCHOOL	27-2380-045	06-08	13.5%	0%	16.3%
OCEAN	LACEY TWP	LACEY TOWNSHIO MIDDLE SCHOOL	29-2480-053	07-08	28.2%	0.3%	25.3%

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OCEAN	SOUTHERN REGIONAL	<b>SOUTHERN REGIONAL MIDDLE SCHOOL</b>	29-4950-060	07-08	24.8%	0.3%	23%
PASSAIC	RINGWOOD BORO	<b>MARTIN J. RYERSON SCHOOL</b>	31-4400-053	06-08	12.1%	0.2%	18.5%
PASSAIC	WEST MILFORD TWP	<b>MACOPIN MIDDLE SCHOOL</b>	31-5650-055	07-08	14.2%	0.5%	23.3%
SUSSEX	HAMBURG BORO	<b>HAMBURG SCHOOL</b>	37-1930-060	PK-08	23.7%	0%	21.4%
SUSSEX	HARDYSTON TWP	<b>HARDYSTON TOWNSHIP MIDDLE SCHOOL</b>	37-2030-030	05-08	10.1%	0%	22%
SUSSEX	HOPATCONG	<b>HOPATCONG MIDDLE SCHOOL</b>	37-2240-040	06-08	29.8%	0%	25.6%
SUSSEX	SUSSEX-WANTAGE REGIONAL	<b>SUSSEX MIDDLE SCHOOL</b>	37-5100-060	06-08	22.8%	0%	22.8%
SUSSEX	VERNON TWP	<b>GLEN MEADOW MIDDLE SCHOOL</b>	37-5360-025	07-08	18.6%	0%	18.4%
UNION	WINFIELD TWP	<b>WINFIELD TOWNSHIP</b>	39-5810-060	PK-08	16.3%	0%	18.8%
WARREN	BELVIDERE TOWN	<b>OXFORD STREET ELEMENTARY SCHOOL</b>	41-0280-030	04-08	17.3%	0%	19.4%