

OVERVIEW

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This school's academic performance **significantly lags in comparison** to schools across the state. Additionally, its academic performance **lags in comparison** to its peers. This school's college and career readiness **significantly lags in comparison** to schools across the state. Additionally, its college and career readiness **significantly lags in comparison** to its peers. This school's student growth performance **lags in comparison** to schools across the state. Additionally, its student growth performance **lags in comparison** to its peers.

Performance Areas	Peer Rank (Percentile)	Statewide Rank (Percentile)	Percent of Targets Met
Academic Achievement	24	10	40%
College and Career Readiness	16	8	0%
Student Growth	29	25	100%

Improvement Status

Focus

Rationale

Lowest Subgroup Performance

Very High Performance is defined as being equal to or above the 80.0th percentile.

High Performance is defined as being between the 60.0th and 79.9th percentiles.

Average Performance is defined as being between the 40.0th and 59.9th percentiles.

Lagging Performance is defined as being between the 20.0th and 39.9th percentiles.

Significantly Lagging Performance is defined as being equal to or below the 19.9th percentile.

Peer Schools are schools that have similar grade levels and students with similar demographic characteristics, such as the percentage of students qualifying for Free/Reduced Lunch, Limited English Proficiency programs or Special Education programs.

Academic Achievement

This school outperforms **10%** of schools statewide as noted by its statewide percentile ranking and **24%** of schools educating students with similar demographic characteristics as noted in its peer school percentile ranking in the performance area of Academic Achievement. Additionally, this school is meeting **40%** of its performance targets in the area of Academic Achievement.



Academic Achievement measures the content knowledge students have in language arts literacy and math. For elementary and middle schools, this includes measures of the school's proficiency rate on both the Language Arts Literacy and Math sections of the New Jersey Assessment of Skills and Knowledge (NJ ASK). A proficiency rate is calculated by summing the count of students who scored either proficient or advanced proficient on the assessment and dividing by the count of valid test scores.

College and Career Readiness

This school outperforms **8%** of schools statewide as noted by its statewide percentile ranking and **16%** of schools educating students with similar demographic characteristics as noted in its peer school percentile ranking in the performance area of College and Career Readiness. Additionally, this school is meeting **0%** of its performance targets in the area of College and Career Readiness.



College and Career readiness measures the degree to which students are demonstrating behaviors that are indicative of future attendance and/or success in college and careers. For all elementary and middle schools, this includes a measurement of how many students are chronically absent. For schools with middle school grades, it also includes a measurement of how many students take Algebra I in either seventh or eighth grade.

Student Growth

This school outperforms **25%** of schools statewide as noted by its statewide percentile ranking and **29%** of schools educating students with similar demographic characteristics as noted in its peer school percentile ranking in the performance area of Student Growth. Additionally, this school is meeting **100%** percentage of its performance targets in the area of Student Growth.



Student Growth measures the performance of students from one year to the next on the New Jersey Assessment of Skills and Knowledge (NJ ASK) in Language Arts Literacy and Math when compared to students with a similar history of performance on NJ-ASK.

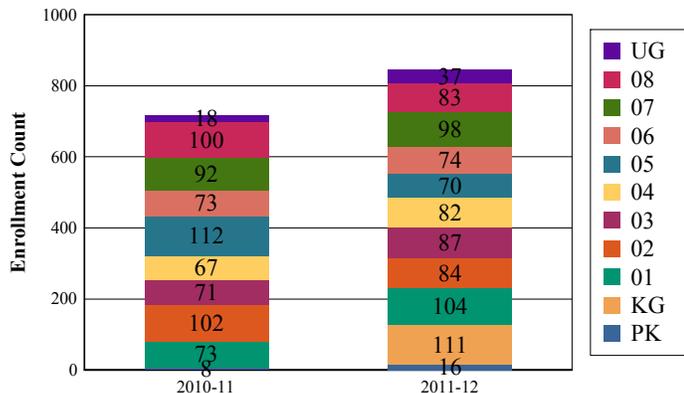
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Enrollment by Grade

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

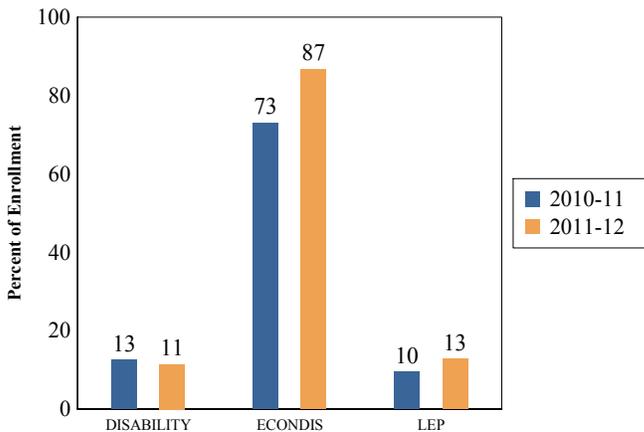


Total School Enrollment Trends

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	
2010-11	716
2011-12	846

Enrollment Trends by Program Participation



Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation

2011-2012	Count of Students	% of Enrollment
Students with Disability	97	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	734	86.8%
Limited English Proficient Students	108	12.8%

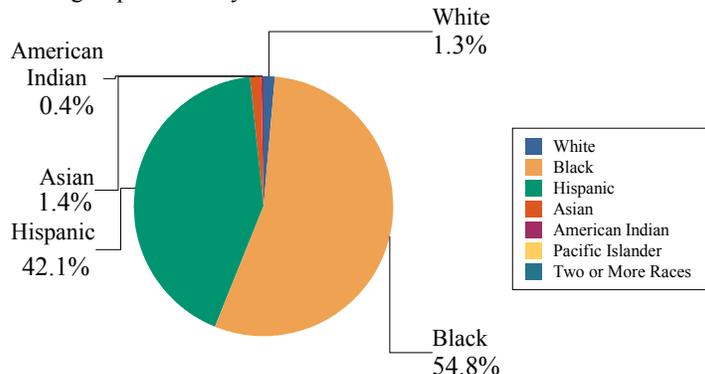
Language Diversity

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

2011-12	Percent
English	83.3%
Spanish	13.7%
Basa	1.1%
Creoles and pidgins, French-based	0.5%
Chinese	0.4%
French	0.2%
Other	0.8%

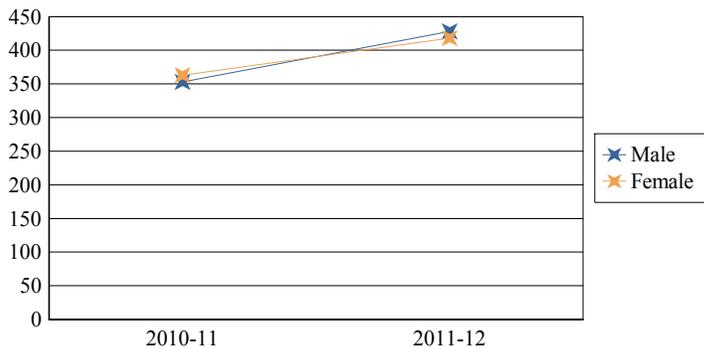
Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup

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



Enrollment by Gender

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



	Male	Female
2010-11	353	363
2011-12	428	418

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Academic Achievement measures the content knowledge students have in language arts literacy and math. In elementary and middle school, this includes the outcomes of the New Jersey Assessment of Skills and Knowledge (NJASK). The first column - Schoolwide Performance - in the table below includes measures of the total schoolwide proficiency rate in both language arts literacy and math across multiple administrations of the assessment. The second column - Peer School Percentile Rank - indicates where the school's proficiency rate compares to its group of peer schools. For example, a school that has a peer school percentile rank of 65 has a proficiency rate that is higher than 65% of its peer schools. The third column - Statewide Percentile Rank - indicates where the school's proficiency rate compares to schools across the state. For example, a school that has a statewide percentile rank of 30 has a proficiency rate that is higher than 30% of all schools with HSPA scores statewide. The last column - Percent of Targets Met - presents the percentage of progress targets met as defined by the NJDOE's NCLB waiver.

The Summary row presents the averages of the peer school percentile ranks, the average of statewide percentile ranks and the percentage of statewide targets met.

Academic Achievement Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Rank (Percentile)	State Rank (Percentile)	Percent of Targets Met
NJASK Language Arts Proficiency and above	31%	19	9	0%
NJASK Math Proficiency and above	45%	29	11	80%
SUMMARY - Academic Achievement		24	10	40%

NCLB Progress Targets - Language Arts Literacy

This table presents the Progress Targets as uniquely calculated for each subgroup in each school under NJDOE's NCLB waiver. The methodology - as defined by the United States Department of Education - is calculated so that each subgroup will halve the gap between their 2011 proficiency rate and 100% proficiency by 2017.

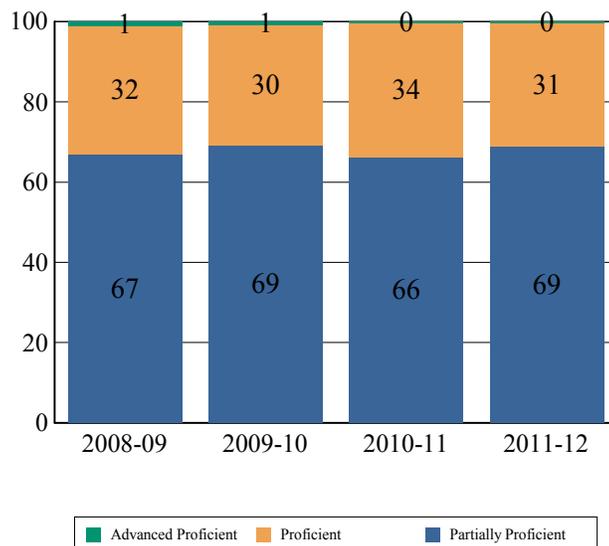
Subgroups	Total Valid Scores	Pass Rate	Target	Met Target?
Schoolwide	533	31	39.3	NO
White	-	-		--
Black	271	24.7	35	NO
Hispanic	239	38	44.6	NO
American Indian	-	-		--
Asian	-	-		--
Two or More Races	-	-		--
Students with Disability	-	-	21.3	--
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-		--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	422	32.7	41	NO

YES* = Met Progress Target(Confidence Interval Applied)

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

Proficiency Trends - Language Arts Literacy

This graph presents the percentage of students who scored in the Advanced Proficient, Proficient and Partially Proficient categories of the statewide Language Arts Literacy assessment over the prior four years.



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NCLB Progress Targets - Math

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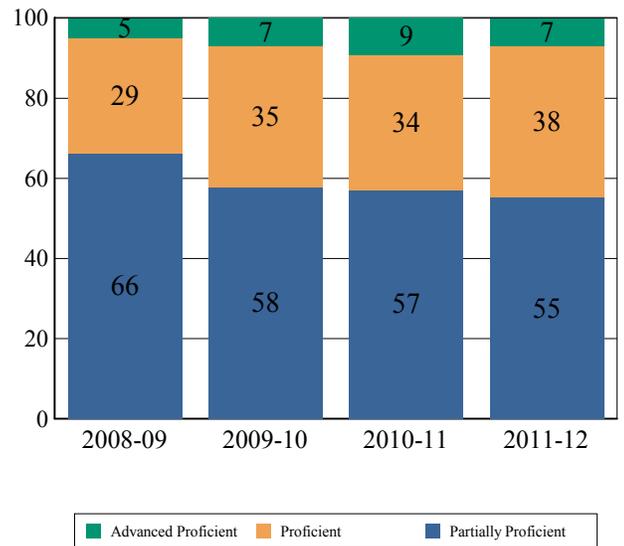
Subgroups	Total Valid Scores	Pass Rate	Target	Met Target?
Schoolwide	533	44.8	47.7	YES*
White	-	-		--
Black	271	39.5	44.2	YES*
Hispanic	239	49.4	52.2	YES*
American Indian	-	-		--
Asian	-	-		--
Two or More Races	-	-		--
Students with Disability	118	10.1	24.2	NO
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-		--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	422	47.4	50.2	YES*

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Proficiency Trends - Math

This graph presents the percentage of students who scored in the Advanced Proficient, Proficient and Partially Proficient categories of the statewide Math assessment over the prior four years.



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NJASK Results - Language Arts Literacy Grade Level - 03

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	0%	30%	70%
White	-	-	-
Black	0%	21%	79%
Hispanic	0%	42%	58%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	0%	25%	75%
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0%	30%	70%

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NJASK Results - Language Arts Literacy Grade Level - 04

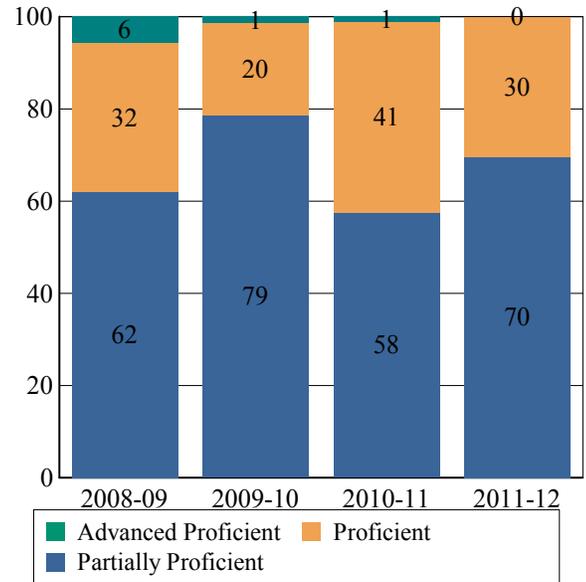
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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	0%	30%	70%
White	-	-	-
Black	0%	26%	74%
Hispanic	0%	30%	70%
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient Students	N/A	N/A	N/A
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0%	32%	68%

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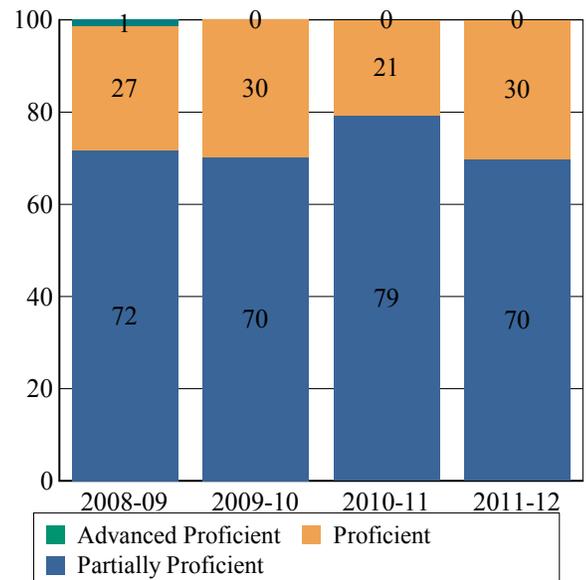
NJASK Proficiency Trends - Language Arts Literacy - Grade Level - 03

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NJASK Results - Language Arts Literacy Grade Level - 05

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	0%	23%	77%
White	-	-	-
Black	0%	13%	88%
Hispanic	0%	32%	68%
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	0%	13%	87%
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0%	22%	78%

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NJASK Results - Language Arts Literacy Grade Level - 06

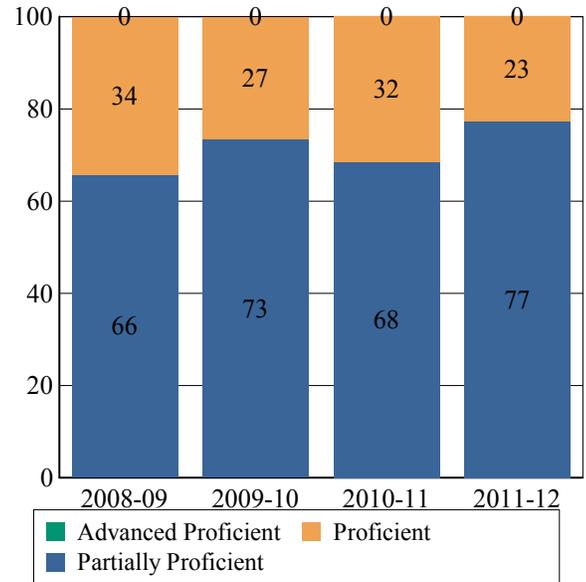
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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	0%	29%	71%
White	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black	0%	24%	76%
Hispanic	0%	35%	65%
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0%	27%	73%

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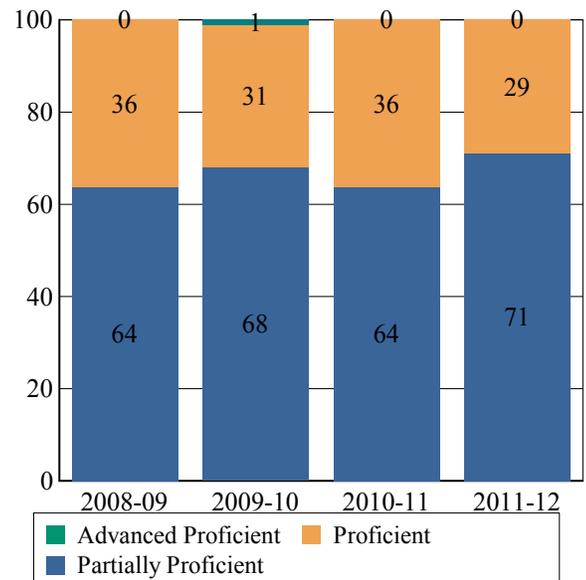
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NJASK Results - Language Arts Literacy Grade Level - 07

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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	0%	23%	77%
White	-	-	-
Black	0%	18%	82%
Hispanic	0%	29%	71%
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0%	28%	73%

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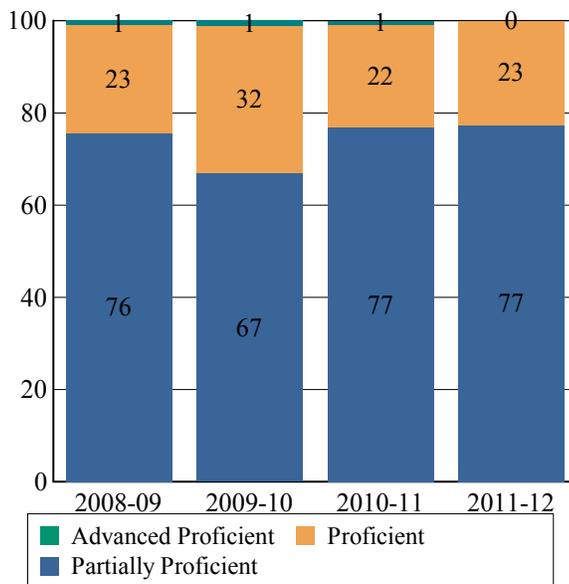
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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	2%	49%	49%
White	-	-	-
Black	0%	48%	52%
Hispanic	5%	53%	42%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	3%	55%	42%

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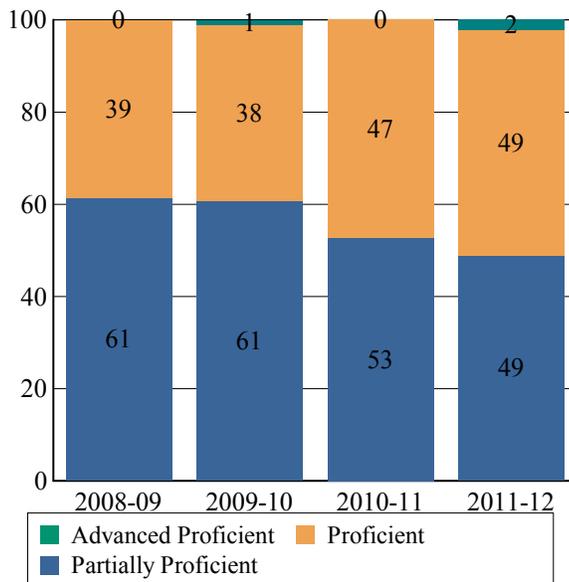
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Proficiency Percentages

Grade 4 Reading	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
All Students	State (NJ)	21.9	34.2	32.5	11.4
All Students	Nation	33.8	33.8	24.9	7.5

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Proficiency Percentages

Grade 8 Reading	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
All Students	State (NJ)	15.8	39.5	38.6	6.2
All Students	Nation	25.3	43.0	28.6	3.0

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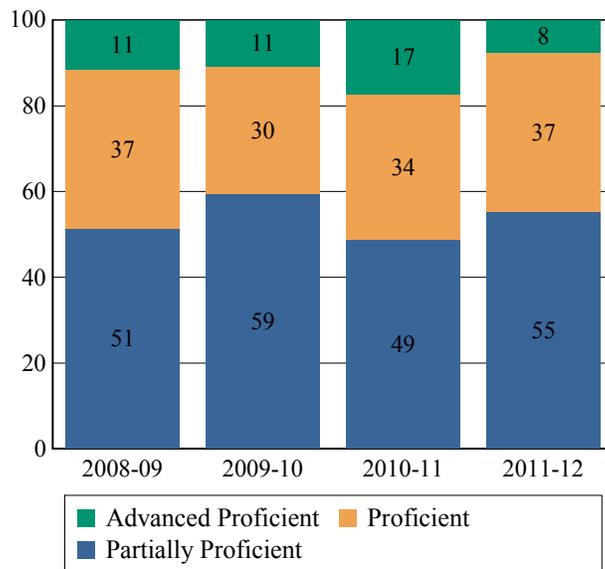
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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	8%	37%	55%
White	-	-	-
Black	7%	30%	63%
Hispanic	9%	40%	51%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	0%	19%	81%
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	7%	39%	54%



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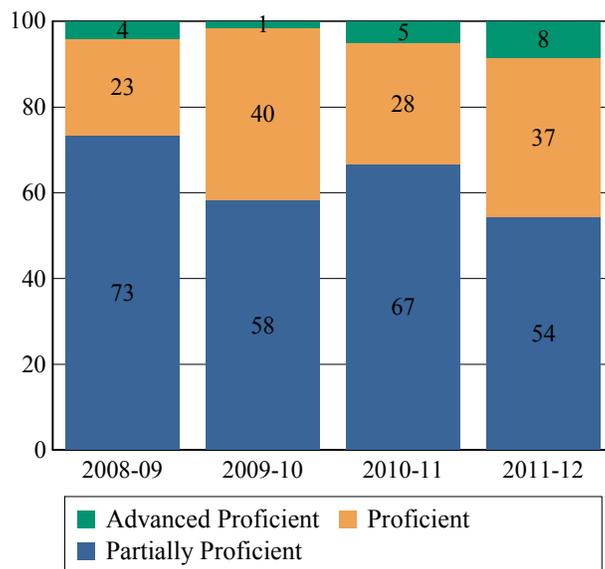
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Schoolwide	8%	37%	54%
White	-	-	-
Black	8%	32%	61%
Hispanic	8%	40%	53%
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	0%	21%	79%
Limited English Proficient Students	N/A	N/A	N/A
Economically Disadvantaged Students	10%	38%	52%



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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	5%	46%	49%
White	-	-	-
Black	3%	38%	60%
Hispanic	9%	47%	44%
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	0%	13%	87%
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	6%	48%	46%

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NJASK Results - Math Grade Level - 06

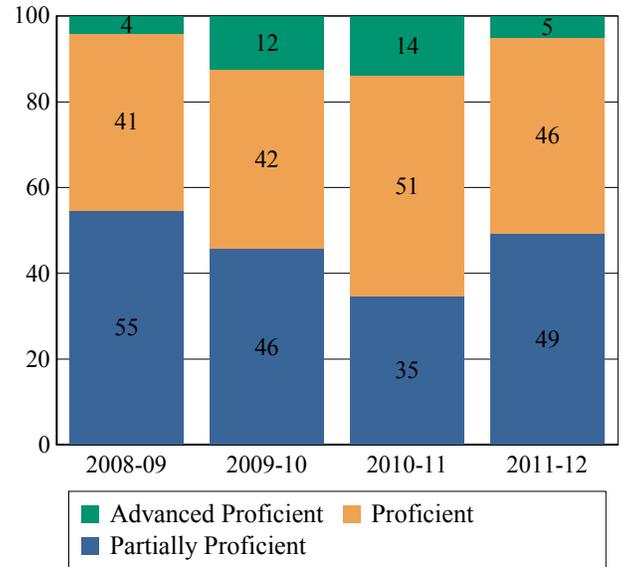
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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	11%	53%	37%
White	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black	9%	51%	40%
Hispanic	13%	55%	32%
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	12%	54%	34%

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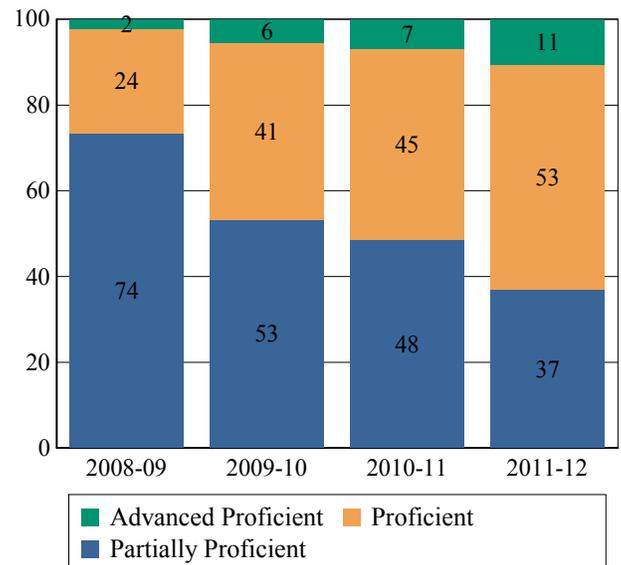
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Schoolwide	4%	23%	74%
White	-	-	-
Black	0%	25%	75%
Hispanic	8%	21%	71%
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	5%	20%	75%

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NJASK Results - Math Grade Level - 08

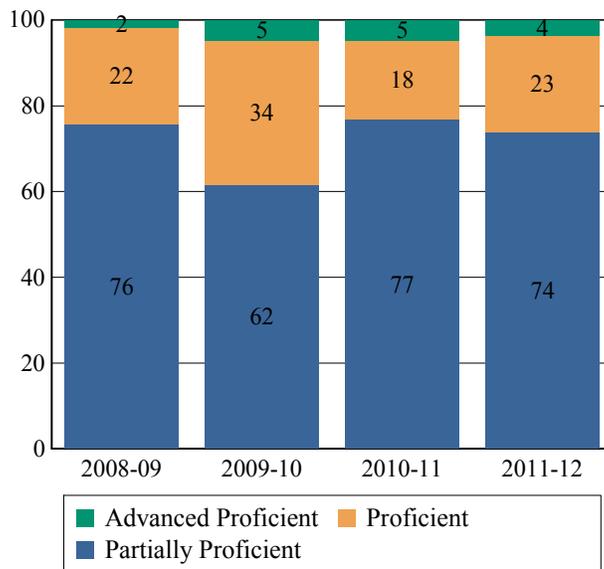
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Schoolwide	8%	39%	53%
White	-	-	-
Black	5%	36%	59%
Hispanic	9%	47%	44%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	9%	43%	48%

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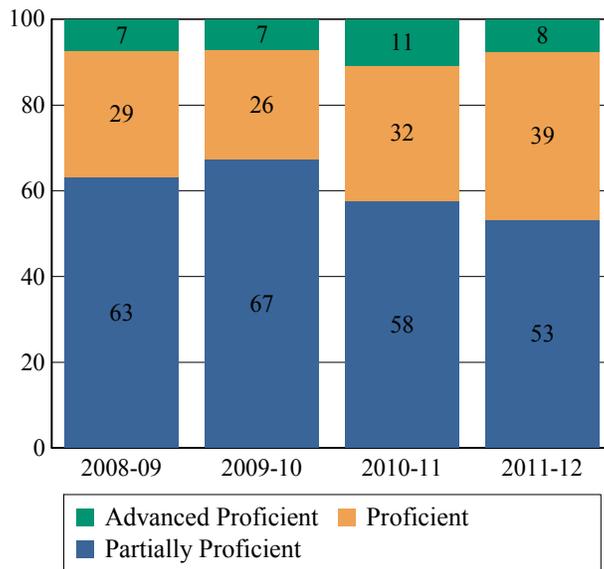
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Proficiency Percentages

Grade 4 Math	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
All Students	State (NJ)	11.0	38.3	40.9	9.8
All Students	Nation	18.1	42.3	33.2	6.5

2011 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 2011 reading and math scores for New Jersey which are the last scores published. For subgroup outcomes, visit :

<http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/2013/naep/naep8math.html>

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

Proficiency Percentages

Grade 8 Math	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
All Students	State (NJ)	17.8	35.3	33.2	13.6
All Students	Nation	27.7	38.8	25.7	7.8

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NJASK Results - Science Grade Level - 04

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	22%	43%	35%
White	-	-	-
Black	24%	34%	42%
Hispanic	20%	50%	30%
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	0%	47%	53%
Limited English Proficient Students	N/A	N/A	N/A
Economically Disadvantaged Students	23%	42%	34%

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

NJASK Results - Science Grade Level - 08

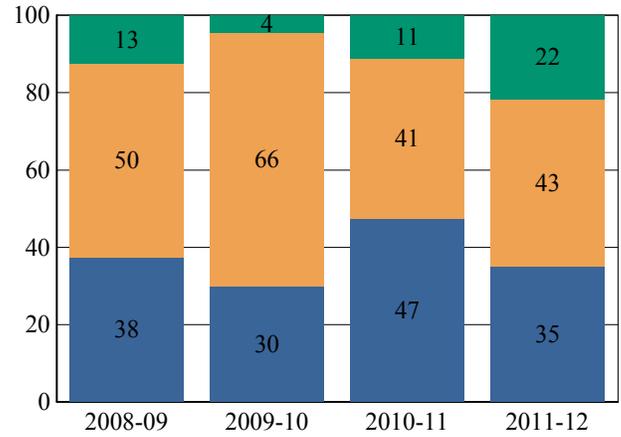
This table presents the grade level proficiency results, as measured by NJASK, in Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories for all appropriate subgroups.

Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	3%	53%	43%
White	-	-	-
Black	0%	55%	45%
Hispanic	7%	56%	37%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	5%	21%	74%
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	3%	57%	40%

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NJASK Proficiency Trends - Science - Grade Level - 04

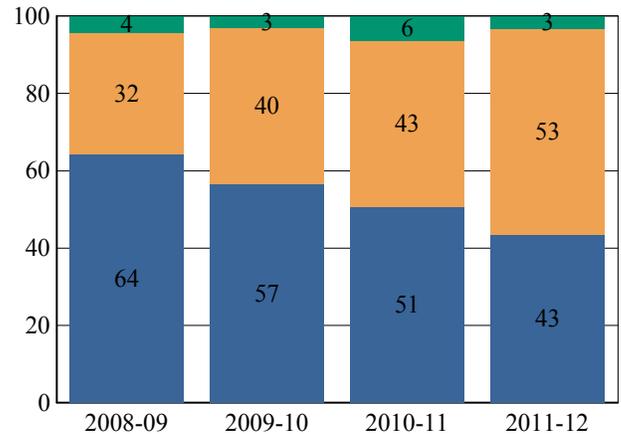
This graph presents the grade level outcomes in the categories of Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient over the last four years.



■ Advanced Proficient
 ■ Proficient
 ■ Partially Proficient

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.



■ Advanced Proficient
 ■ Proficient
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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 success and college and career readiness are regularly attending school and challenging themselves with rigorous course work. First, the table presents the percentage of students, as measured against the school's enrollment in seventh and eighth grade, who were reported via NJSMART as being enrolled in Algebra I. The table also presents the percentage of students who were chronically absent during the prior school year. A chronically absent student is a student who was not present for any reason for more than 10% of the total days possible for that individual student.

The first column - Schoolwide Performance - represents the outcomes for these particular indicators in this school. The second column - Peer School Percentile Rank - indicates how the school's performance compares to its group of peer schools. For example, a school whose peer school rank is 65 in Algebra I Enrollment has a higher Algebra I Enrollment than 65% of its peer group. The third column - Statewide Percentile Rank - indicates how the school's performance compares to schools across the state. The fourth column - Statewide Target - provides the statewide targets for each of these indicators. The last column - Met Target? - indicates whether the School Performance met or exceeded the statewide target.

The Summary row presents the averages of the peer school percentile ranks, the average of statewide percentile ranks and the percentage of statewide targets met.

College and Career Readiness Indicators	School Performance	Peer Rank (Percentile)	Statewide Rank (Percentile)	Statewide Target	Met Target?
Students taking Algebra (%)	0%	0	0	20%	NO
Chronic Absenteeism (%)	15%	32	16	6%	NO
Summary		16	8		0%

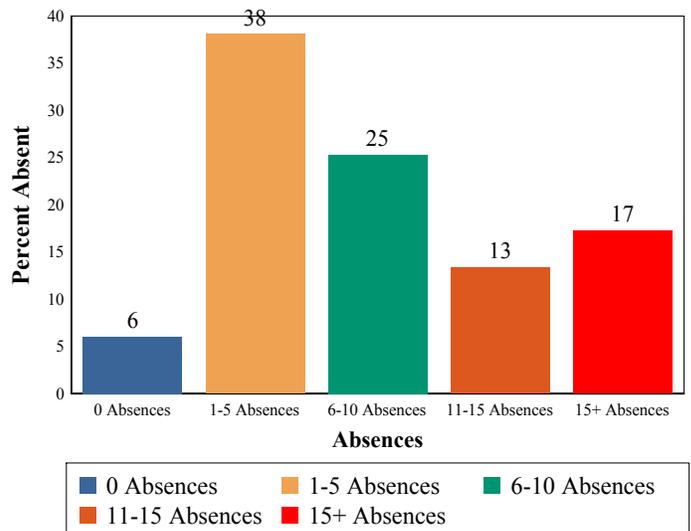
Algebra I

Absenteeism

This table presents the percentage of seventh and eighth graders who were reported in the Algebra I course code in NJSMART and the percentage of those students who earned a C or higher in the course.

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.

2011-12	School
Students taking Algebra I	0%
Algebra grade (C or better)	0%



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 NJ ASK Language Arts Literacy and Math when compared to other students with a similar NJ ASK test score history. A short video explaining the methodology can be found here: <http://www.state.nj.us/education/njsmart/performance/>

The first column - Schoolwide Performance - presents the schoolwide median growth score in either Language Arts Literacy or Math for all students in the school. The second column - Peer Rank - indicates how the school's growth performance compares to its group of peer schools. The third column - Statewide Rank - 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 target.

The summary row presents the averages of the peer school percentile ranks, the averages of statewide percentile ranks, the percentage of statewide targets met.

Student Growth Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Rank (Percentile)	Statewide Rank (Percentile)	Statewide Target	Met Target?
Student Growth on Language Arts	41	30	19	35	YES
Student Growth on Math	44	27	31	35	YES
		29	25		100%

Student Growth

This table presents for all students with growth scores the interaction between their proficiency level on NJASK and their growth scores. For example, in the top left cell the percentage of students who are both partially proficient AND also demonstrating low growth is displayed.

Language Arts

Math

	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Partially Proficient	37%	20%	11%
Proficient	8%	11%	13%
Advanced Proficient	0%	0%	0%

	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Partially Proficient	29%	15%	10%
Proficient	10%	13%	17%
Advanced Proficient	1%	2%	4%

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 so-called 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 larger than the state's.

Grade Level - 03

NJ ASK 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	Scale Score
99th	239
75th	201
50th	185
25th	172
0th	144

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	29	28

Grade Level - 03

NJ ASK 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	Scale Score
99th	285
75th	214
50th	184
25th	164
0th	110

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	50	61

Grade Level - 04

NJ ASK 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	Scale Score
99th	225
75th	200
50th	185
25th	167
0th	132

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	33	31

Grade Level - 04

NJ ASK 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	Scale Score
99th	282
75th	223
50th	192
25th	171
0th	123

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	52	56

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Grade Level - 05

NJ ASK 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	Scale Score
99th	219
75th	192
50th	170
25th	157
0th	133

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	36	38

Grade Level - 06

NJ ASK 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	Scale Score
99th	224
75th	201
50th	185
25th	174
0th	137

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	27	34

Grade Level - 05

NJ ASK 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	Scale Score
99th	279
75th	219
50th	195
25th	172
0th	100

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	47	56

Grade Level - 06

NJ ASK 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	Scale Score
99th	263
75th	231
50th	201
25th	175
0th	117

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	56	57

WITHIN SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENT GAP

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Grade Level - 07

NJ ASK 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	Scale Score
99th	235
75th	194
50th	174
25th	157
0th	119

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	37	44

Grade Level - 08

NJ ASK 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	Scale Score
99th	258
75th	216
50th	200
25th	187
0th	150

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	29	33

Grade Level - 07

NJ ASK 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	Scale Score
99th	270
75th	197
50th	173
25th	161
0th	100

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	36	61

Grade Level - 08

NJ ASK 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	Scale Score
99th	284
75th	218
50th	190
25th	163
0th	100

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	55	64

SCHOOL CLIMATE

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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
2011-12	0 Hrs 0 Mins

Student Suspension Rate

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

	School
2011-12	1.7%

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.

2011-12	School
Full Time	5 Hrs 20 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
2011-12	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.

2011-12	School
Faculty	13.4
Administrators	282.0

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</u> <u>CODE</u>	<u>GRADE</u> <u>SPAN</u>	<u>FRPL</u>	<u>LEP</u>	<u>SpED</u>
CAMDEN	CAMDEN CITY	PYNE POYNT FAMILY SCHOOL	07-0680-070	06-08	92.4%	34.4%	34.2%
CAMDEN	LAWNSIDE BORO	LAWNSIDE PUBLIC	07-2560-060	KG-08	81.9%	0.0%	14.9%
CAPE MAY	WILDWOOD CITY	WILDWOOD MIDDLE SCHOOL	09-5790-070	06-08	85.0%	12.2%	31.3%
CHARTERS	D.U.E. SEASON CS	D U E SEASON CS	80-6325-915	KG-08	84.2%	0.0%	5.5%
CHARTERS	GREAT OAKS CHARTER SCHOOL	GREAT OAKS CHARTER SCHOOL	80-6053-917	06-07	82.5%	0.0%	0.0%
CHARTERS	PRIDE ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	PRIDE ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	80-6020-985	05-08	83.2%	0.0%	14.6%
CHARTERS	VILLAGE CS	VILLAGE CS	80-8140-990	KG-08	83.4%	0.0%	9.2%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	BRAGAW AVE	13-3570-250	KG-08	82.3%	0.0%	7.4%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	LAFAYETTE ST	13-3570-480	PK-08	88.4%	14.5%	6.1%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	MAPLE AVE SCHOOL	13-3570-510	KG-08	82.0%	0.2%	9.2%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	OLIVER ST	13-3570-590	PK-08	90.6%	28.3%	9.3%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	SUSSEX AVE	13-3570-710	PK-08	87.0%	16.4%	4.2%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	WILSON AVE	13-3570-750	PK-08	85.6%	15.5%	9.0%
HUDSON	EAST NEWARK BORO	EAST NEWARK PUBLIC	17-1200-050	PK-08	87.7%	15.7%	11.4%
HUDSON	HARRISON TOWN	WASHINGTON NO 1	17-2060-070	06-08	82.7%	5.4%	20.0%
HUDSON	JERSEY CITY	FRANKLIN L WILLIAMS MS NO7	17-2390-155	06-08	85.2%	8.1%	18.2%
HUDSON	JERSEY CITY	NUMBER 24	17-2390-220	KG-08	83.0%	7.8%	11.2%
MERCER	TRENTON CITY	GRACE A DUNN MIDDLE SCH	21-5210-100	06-08	87.5%	12.0%	12.0%
MERCER	TRENTON CITY	HEDGEPEETH WILLIAMS SCH	21-5210-080	PK-08	86.9%	12.8%	11.8%
PASSAIC	PASSAIC CITY	NUMBER 19 DANIEL F RYAN	31-3970-200	PK-08	91.9%	27.9%	11.5%
PASSAIC	PATERSON CITY	NORMAN S WEIR	31-4010-325	KG-08	82.9%	2.3%	32.5%
PASSAIC	PATERSON CITY	NUMBER 13	31-4010-170	KG-08	87.2%	16.7%	6.6%
PASSAIC	PATERSON CITY	NUMBER 3	31-4010-070	KG-08	94.6%	38.4%	8.4%
PASSAIC	PATERSON CITY	NUMBER 5	31-4010-090	KG-08	90.4%	23.0%	10.8%
PASSAIC	PATERSON CITY	NUMBER 9	31-4010-130	KG-08	91.7%	27.0%	7.7%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	NO 14 A LINCOLN	39-1320-170	KG-08	87.2%	21.4%	9.1%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	NO 15 C COLUMBUS	39-1320-180	KG-08	88.5%	14.2%	5.6%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	NO 3 LACORTE PETERSTOWN	39-1320-110	KG-08	88.3%	16.5%	16.2%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	NO 7 HERENCE C REILLY ES	39-1320-030	PK-08	83.0%	1.6%	1.0%
UNION	PLAINFIELD CITY	HUBBARD	39-4160-060	06-08	87.3%	20.7%	26.9%
UNION	PLAINFIELD CITY	MAXSON	39-4160-070	06-08	88.1%	16.9%	19.7%