

**OVERVIEW**

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This school's academic performance is **very high when compared** to schools across the state. Additionally, its academic performance is **about average when compared** to its peers. This school's college and career readiness is **very high when compared** to schools across the state. Additionally, its college and career readiness is **high when compared** to its peers. This school's student growth performance is **very high when compared** to schools across the state. Additionally, its student growth performance is **high when compared** to its peers.

Performance Areas	Peer Rank (Percentile)	Statewide Rank (Percentile)	Percent of Targets Met
Academic Achievement	53	91	100%
College and Career Readiness	65	80	100%
Student Growth	76	90	100%

**Improvement Status**

N/A

**Rationale**

N/A

- 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 **91%** of schools statewide as noted by its statewide percentile ranking and **53%** 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 **100%** 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 **80%** of schools statewide as noted by its statewide percentile ranking and **65%** 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 **100%** 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 **90%** of schools statewide as noted by its statewide percentile ranking and **76%** 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.

**DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION**

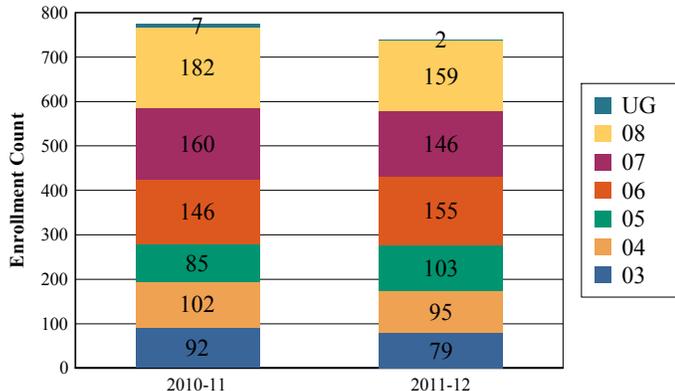
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**Enrollment by Grade**

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

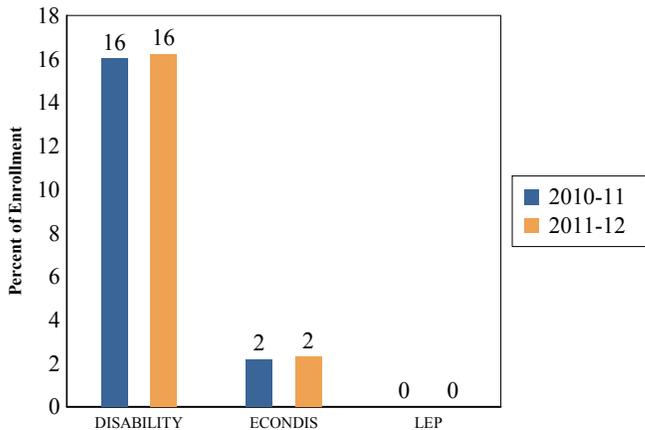


Total School Enrollment Trends

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	774
2011-12	739

**Enrollment Trends by Program Participation**



**Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation**

2011-2012	Count of Students	% of Enrollment
Students with Disability	120	16%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	17	2.3%
Limited English Proficient Students	0	0.0%

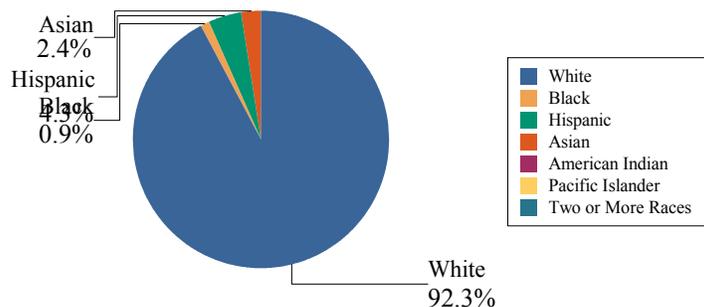
**Language Diversity**

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

2011-12	Percent
English	99.3%
Spanish	0.3%
Korean	0.1%
Polish	0.1%
Italian	0.1%

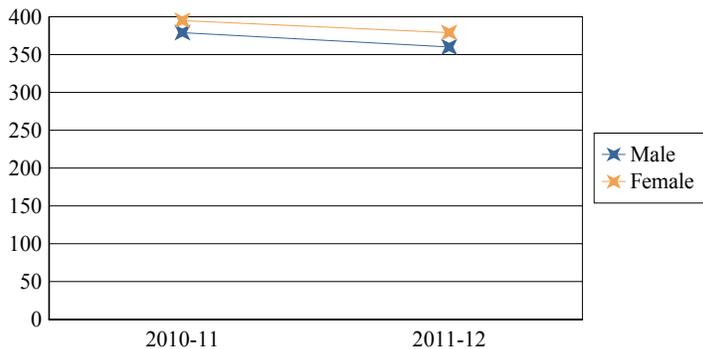
**Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup**

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	379	395
2011-12	360	379

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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	87%	43	88	100%
NJASK Math Proficiency and above	92%	63	94	100%
<b>SUMMARY - Academic Achievement</b>		<b>53</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>100%</b>

**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.

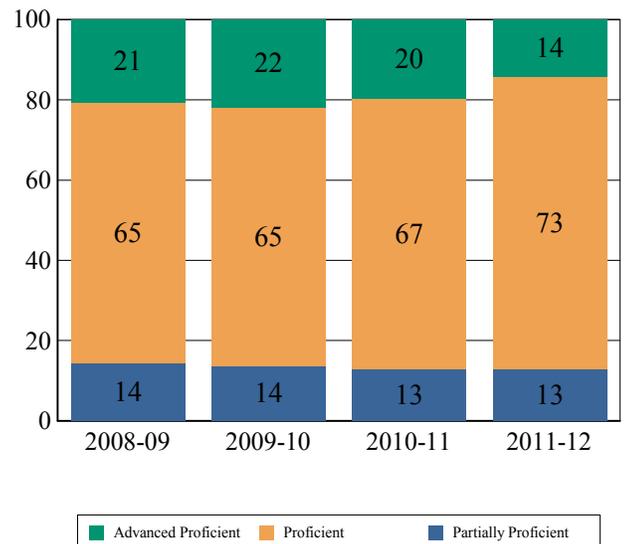
Subgroups	Total Valid Scores	Pass Rate	Target	Met Target?
Schoolwide	727	87.2	88.3	YES*
White	676	87.1	88.8	YES*
Black	-	-	-	--
Hispanic	-	-	-	--
American Indian	-	-	-	--
Asian	-	-	-	--
Two or More Races	-	-	-	--
Students with Disability	123	60.2	63.8	YES*
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-	--

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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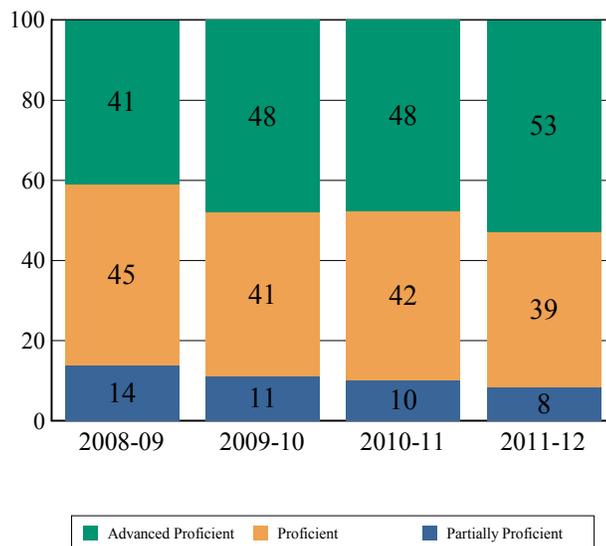
Subgroups	Total Valid Scores	Pass Rate	Target	Met Target?
Schoolwide	726	91.7	90	YES
White	675	91.7	90	YES
Black	-	-		--
Hispanic	-	-		--
American Indian	-	-		--
Asian	-	-		--
Two or More Races	-	-		--
Students with Disability	122	68.8	68.9	YES*
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-		--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-		--

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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	3%	79%	18%
White	3%	79%	18%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	-	-	-
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	5%	50%	45%
Limited English Proficient Students	N/A	N/A	N/A
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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**NJASK Results - Language Arts Literacy Grade Level - 04**

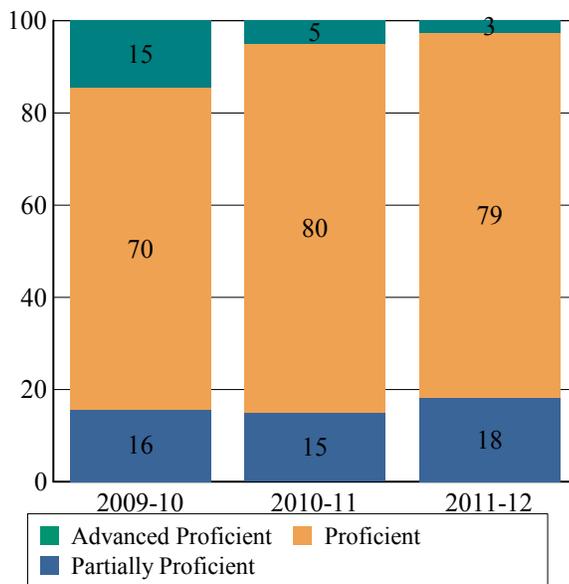
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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	5%	73%	22%
White	4%	75%	21%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	0%	50%	50%
Limited English Proficient Students	N/A	N/A	N/A
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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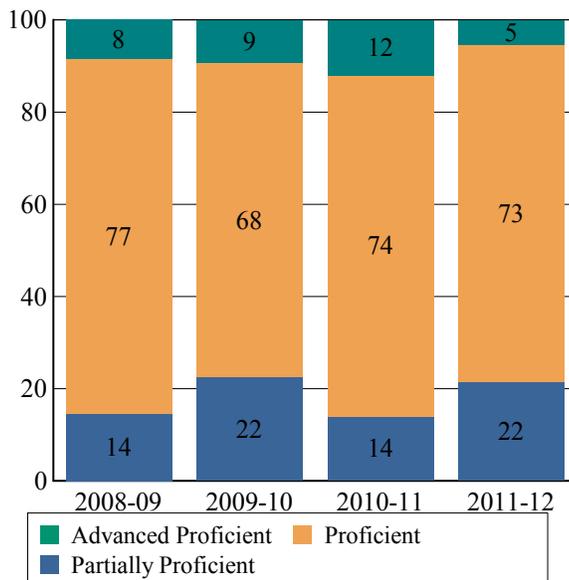
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**NJASK Results - Language Arts Literacy Grade Level - 05**

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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	10%	77%	13%
White	9%	78%	13%
Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
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	6%	56%	39%
Limited English Proficient Students	N/A	N/A	N/A
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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**NJASK Results - Language Arts Literacy Grade Level - 06**

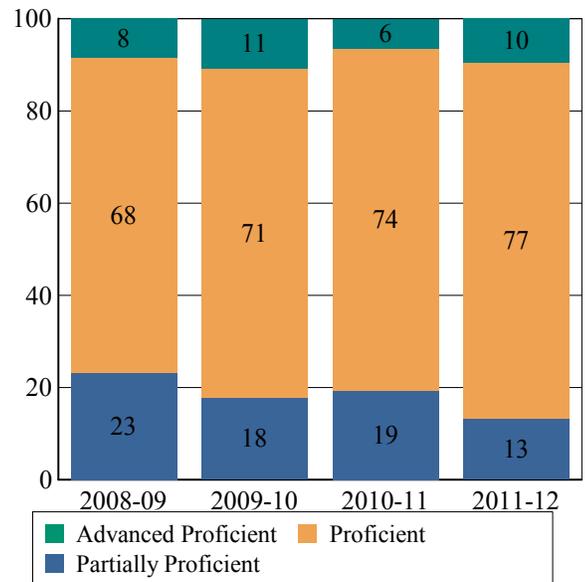
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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	5%	84%	10%
White	5%	85%	10%
Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	10%	62%	29%
Limited English Proficient Students	N/A	N/A	N/A
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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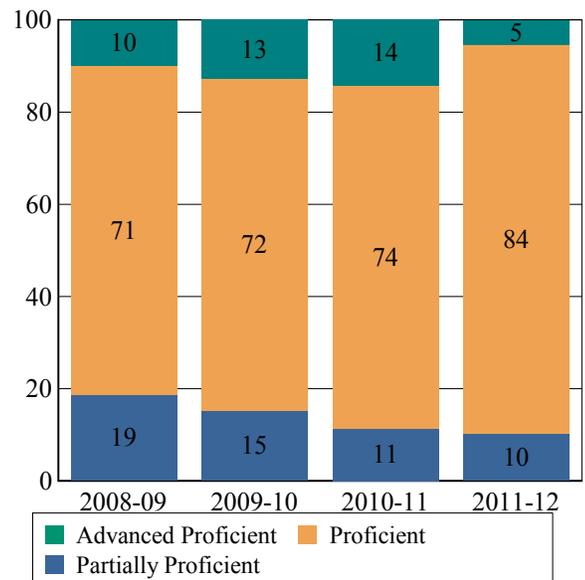
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**NJASK Results - Language Arts Literacy Grade Level - 07**

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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	22%	60%	18%
White	22%	59%	19%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	0%	42%	58%
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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**NJASK Results - Language Arts Literacy Grade Level - 08**

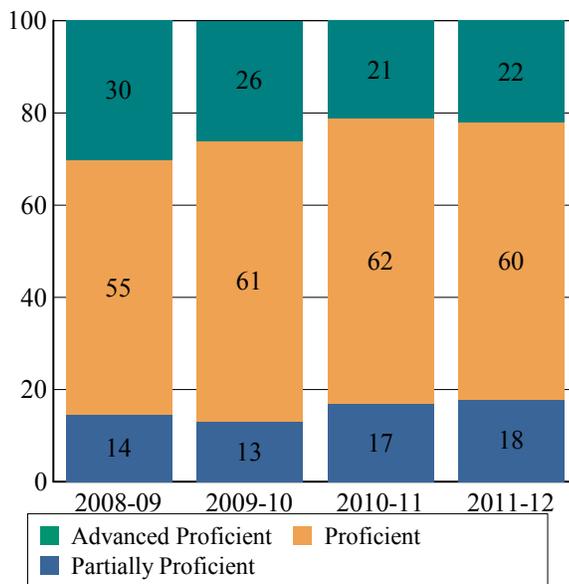
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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	30%	68%	3%
White	31%	66%	3%
Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	15%	70%	15%
Limited English Proficient Students	N/A	N/A	N/A
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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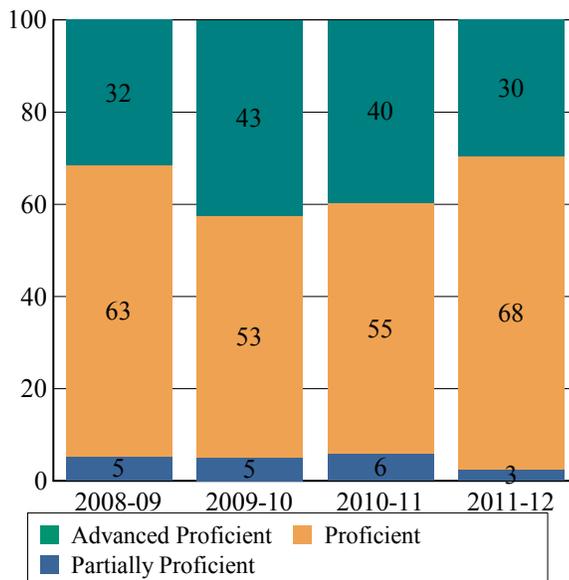
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<http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/2013/naep/naep4read.html>

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

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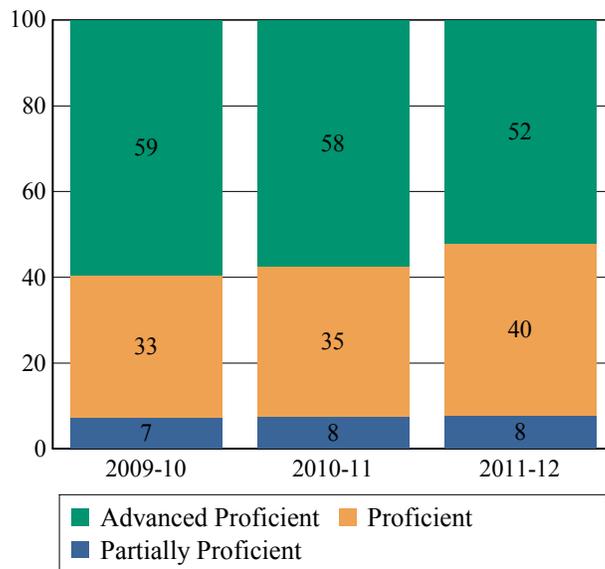
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This graph presents the grade level outcomes in the categories of Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient over the last four years.

Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	52%	40%	8%
White	54%	38%	8%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	-	-	-
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	27%	45%	27%
Limited English Proficient Students	N/A	N/A	N/A
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-



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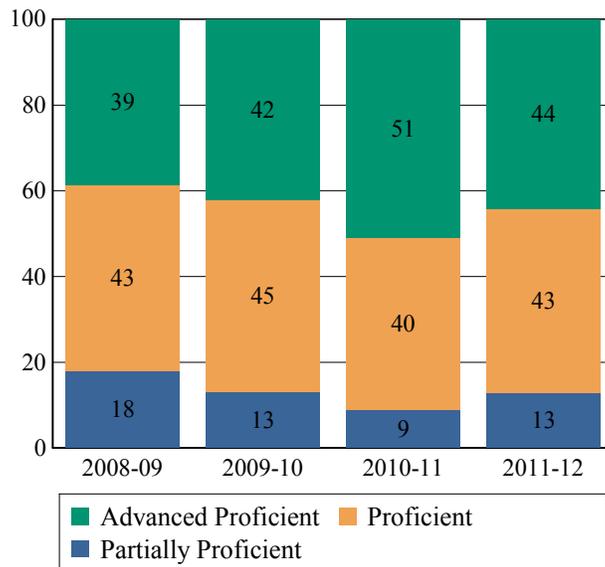
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Schoolwide	44%	43%	13%
White	45%	42%	13%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	31%	44%	25%
Limited English Proficient Students	N/A	N/A	N/A
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-



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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	66%	27%	7%
White	67%	27%	6%
Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
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	41%	24%	35%
Limited English Proficient Students	N/A	N/A	N/A
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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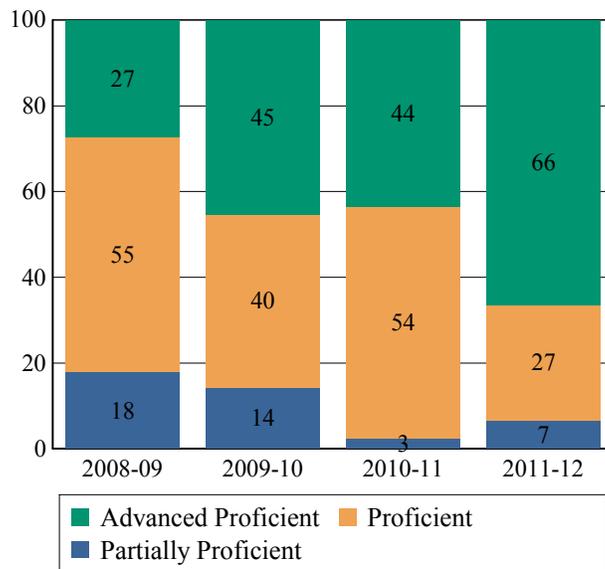
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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	57%	41%	3%
White	58%	40%	3%
Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	38%	52%	10%
Limited English Proficient Students	N/A	N/A	N/A
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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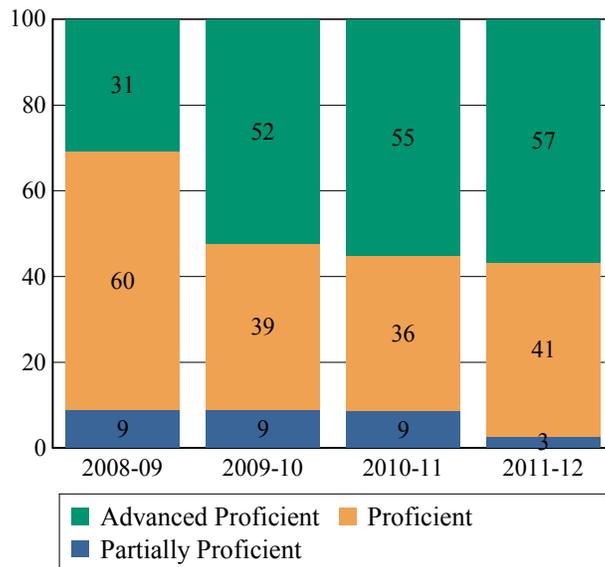
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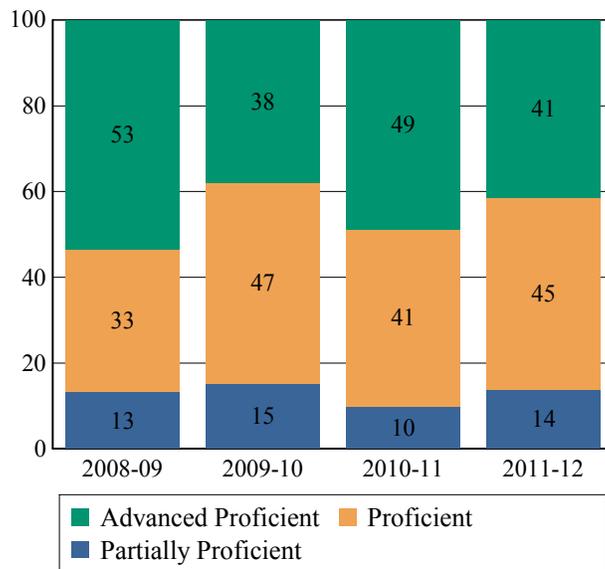
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Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	12%	35%	54%
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-



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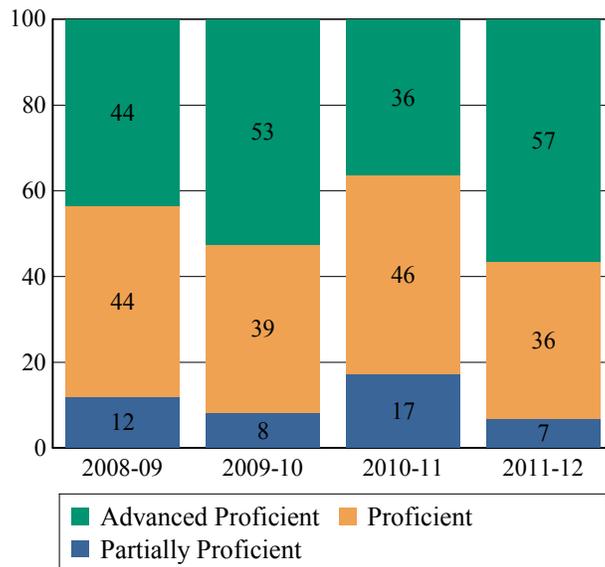
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Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
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Limited English Proficient Students	N/A	N/A	N/A
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-



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<http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/2013/naep/naep4math.html>

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

**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

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**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	68%	29%	3%
White	67%	29%	4%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	50%	31%	19%
Limited English Proficient Students	N/A	N/A	N/A
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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

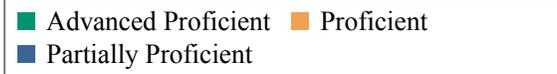
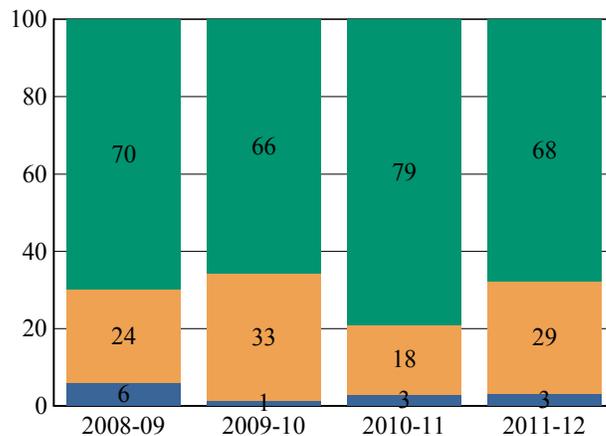
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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	56%	40%	4%
White	57%	39%	4%
Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students w/ Disability	30%	45%	25%
Limited English Proficient Students	N/A	N/A	N/A
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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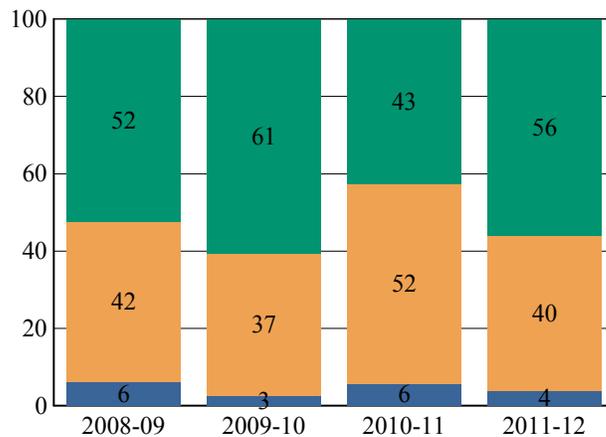
**NJASK Proficiency Trends - Science - Grade Level - 04**

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



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

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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 (%)	53%	89	91	20%	YES
Chronic Absenteeism (%)	5%	40	69	6%	YES
Summary		65	80		100%

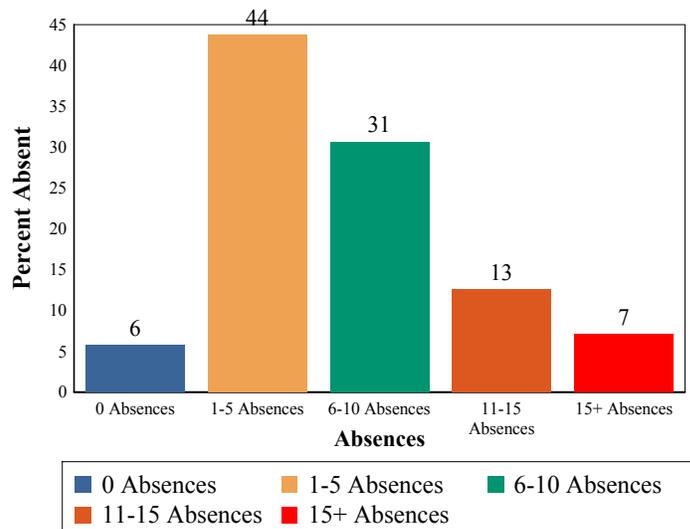
**Algebra I**

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.

2011-12	School
Students taking Algebra I	53%
Algebra grade (C or better)	99%

**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.



**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	60	76	90	35	YES
Student Growth on Math	62	76	90	35	YES
		76	90		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	7%	4%	2%
Proficient	19%	24%	30%
Advanced Proficient	0%	3%	13%

	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Partially Proficient	5%	2%	1%
Proficient	11%	15%	13%
Advanced Proficient	6%	15%	32%

**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	252
75th	227
50th	216
25th	201
0th	165

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	26	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	300
75th	267
50th	250
25th	228
0th	145

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	39	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	251
75th	226
50th	219
25th	200
0th	154

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	26	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	300
75th	269
50th	241
25th	221
0th	143

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	48	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	266
75th	236
50th	225
25th	212
0th	158

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	24	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	262
75th	232
50th	220
25th	207
0th	150

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	25	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	300
75th	287
50th	268
25th	244
0th	140

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	43	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	300
75th	269
50th	250
25th	234
0th	144

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	35	57

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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	294
75th	248
50th	221
25th	203
0th	135

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	45	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	290
75th	250
50th	235
25th	222
0th	159

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	28	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	300
75th	267
50th	237
25th	206
0th	152

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	61	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	300
75th	284
50th	250
25th	225
0th	114

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	59	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	6 Hrs 40 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	2.8%

**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 51 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	11.5
Administrators	369.5

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>
BERGEN	ALPINE BORO	ALPINE ELEM	03-0080-010	KG-08	0.0%	1.4%	16.7%
BERGEN	FRANKLIN LAKES BORO	FRANKLIN AVE MIDDLE SCH	03-1580-015	06-08	0.0%	1.4%	16.0%
BERGEN	GLEN ROCK BORO	GLEN ROCK MIDDLE SCH	03-1760-060	06-08	1.1%	1.4%	15.8%
BERGEN	HARRINGTON PARK BORO	HARRINGTON PARK	03-2050-050	KG-08	0.0%	1.3%	14.0%
BERGEN	PARAMUS BORO	WEST BROOK MIDDLE	03-3930-060	05-08	3.2%	0.0%	20.2%
BERGEN	RIDGEWOOD VILLAGE	GEORGE WASHINGTON MIDDLE	03-4390-070	06-08	2.5%	0.6%	16.2%
BERGEN	RIVER VALE TWP	HOLDRUM	03-4430-050	06-08	0.2%	0.8%	12.1%
BERGEN	WALDWICK BORO	WALDWICK MIDDLE SCHOOL	03-5410-070	06-08	1.3%	0.5%	16.6%
BERGEN	WYCKOFF TWP	DWIGHT D EISENHOWER M S	03-5920-025	06-08	1.2%	0.6%	14.1%
BURLINGTON	MEDFORD LAKES BORO	NEETA SCHOOL	05-3070-040	03-08	0.9%	0.0%	11.2%
ESSEX	LIVINGSTON TWP	HERITAGE MIDDLE SCH	13-2730-055	07-08	1.5%	0.1%	14.7%
ESSEX	VERONA BORO	HENRY B WHITEHORNE MIDDLE	13-5370-095	05-08	0.0%	1.1%	11.7%
ESSEX	WEST ESSEX REGIONAL	WEST ESSEX MIDDLE SCHOOL	13-5630-070	07-08	3.2%	0.0%	15.7%
HUNTERDON	BETHLEHEM TWP	ETHEL HOPPOCK ELEM	19-0370-020	06-08	2.0%	0.0%	14.1%
HUNTERDON	TEWKSBURY TWP	OLD TURNPIKE SCHOOL	19-5180-030	PK-08	1.7%	0.0%	9.0%
HUNTERDON	UNION TWP	UNION TWP MIDDLE SCH	19-5270-050	05-08	2.0%	0.4%	14.3%
MONMOUTH	COLTS NECK TWP	CEDAR DRIVE	25-0945-030	06-08	2.8%	0.2%	16.6%
MONMOUTH	DEAL BORO	DEAL	25-1000-040	KG-08	0.0%	0.0%	3.8%
MONMOUTH	HOLMDEL TWP	WILLIAM SATZ INTERMEDIATE	25-2230-030	07-08	1.7%	0.2%	13.4%
MONMOUTH	LITTLE SILVER BORO	MARKHAM PLACE	25-2720-050	05-08	0.3%	0.6%	11.6%
MONMOUTH	MONMOUTH BEACH BORO	MONMOUTH BEACH ELEM	25-3250-050	KG-08	0.3%	0.0%	9.0%
MONMOUTH	SEA GIRT BORO	SEA GIRT ELEM	25-4690-050	PK-08	1.9%	0.0%	14.3%
MONMOUTH	SPRING LAKE BORO	H W MOUNTZ ELEM	25-4980-050	PK-08	1.1%	0.0%	12.3%
MORRIS	FLORHAM PARK BORO	RIDGEDALE	27-1530-030	06-08	0.9%	0.3%	7.7%
MORRIS	KINNELON BORO	PEARL R MILLER MIDDLE	27-2460-065	06-08	1.3%	0.0%	14.1%
MORRIS	MENDHAM BORO	MOUNTAIN VIEW	27-3090-060	05-08	1.9%	0.0%	9.5%
MORRIS	WASHINGTON TWP	LONG VALLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL	27-5520-035	06-08	2.7%	0.0%	17.5%
OCEAN	BAY HEAD BORO	BAY HEAD ELEM	29-0210-020	KG-08	1.5%	0.0%	9.8%
SOMERSET	BERNARDS TWP	WILLIAM ANNIN MIDDLE	35-0350-055	06-08	1.5%	0.3%	12.8%
UNION	CRANFORD TWP	ORANGE AVE SCH	39-0980-037	03-08	2.3%	0.0%	15.3%