NEW JERSEY ASSESSMENT OF THIRD GRADE STUDENTS (2004-2007) ¹ LANGUAGE ARTS ²											
Year	Total Students	Number of	%Partially	%	%Advanced		Scale Score				
	Enrolled	Valid Scale Scores	Proficient	Proficient	Proficient	Mean	SD**				
2007	102812	100877	16.6	75.2	8.2	218.0	23.5				
2006	102583	100680	17.5	79.0	3.4	218.3	22.7				
2005	102727	100931	16.7	78.8	4.4	218.0	22.1				
2004	104962	103414	20.7	75.6	3.8	215.5	23.2				
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¹New Jersey Assessment of Skills and Knowledge (NJ ASK3), 2004-2007.

²For Language Arts Literacy, 2004 was the standard setting year for the NJ ASK3.

**Standard Deviation of Scale Scores

Source: Office of State Assessments, New Jersey Department of Education (November 2007)

NEW JERSEY ASSESSMENT OF THIRD GRADE STUDENTS (2004-2007) ¹ MATHEMATICS ²											
Year	Total Students Enrolled	Number of Valid Scale Scores	%Partially Proficient	% Proficient	%Advanced Proficient	Scale Score Mean SD**					
2007	102812	101800	12.7	55.0	32.3	232.3	30.6				
2006	102583	101602	13.1	55.7	31.1	231.6	31.6				
2005	102727	101683	17.5	53.7	28.8	227.9	31.1				
2004	104962	103559	23.4	53.8	22.8	222.2	32.9				

¹New Jersey Assessment of Skills and Knowledge (NJ ASK3), 2004-2007.

²For Mathematics, 2004 was the standard setting year for the NJ ASK3.

**Standard Deviation of Scale Scores

Source: Office of State Assessments, New Jersey Department of Education (November 2007)