

New Jersey Biology Competency Test Performance By Demographic Group



Statewide

Demographic Group	Number ¹ Processed	APA Students	Not Present	Voids ²	Valid Scale Scores	Performance Data for Students with Valid Scale Scores ³			
						% Partially Proficient	% Proficient	% Advanced Proficient	Scale Score Mean
Total Students ⁴	104,967	226	2,335	317	102,089	41.9	42.2	15.9	208.5
General Education ⁵	85,343	0	1,602	173	83,568	33.5	47.6	18.9	215.5
Special Education	15,479	226	616	130	14,507	76.8	20.5	2.7	180.1
Exempt From Taking (APA) ⁶	226	226	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Limited English Proficient ⁷	5,050	7	142	18	4,883	85.2	13.4	1.5	170.8
Current LEP	4,236	7	121	14	4,094	89.8	9.3	0.8	166.5
Former LEP	814	0	21	4	789	60.8	34.5	4.7	193.1
Gender ⁸									
Female	50,994	63	983	114	49,834	39.2	45.4	15.4	210.2
Male	53,621	155	1,337	199	51,930	44.3	39.3	16.4	207.0
Migrant Status									
Migrant	100	0	4	0	96	58.3	34.4	7.3	192.7
Non-Migrant	104,867	226	2,331	317	101,993	41.9	42.2	15.9	208.5
Ethnicity									
White	48,819	84	630	96	48,009	30.2	50.2	19.6	217.7
Black or African American	15,761	45	788	100	14,828	65.3	30.3	4.3	187.4
Asian	10,083	14	35	17	10,017	15.8	42.5	41.6	239.3
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	246	1	3	0	242	24.8	52.1	23.1	220.0
Hispanic or Latino ⁹	26,403	75	814	86	25,428	60.5	34.0	5.6	191.5
American Indian or Alaska Native	117	0	5	0	112	44.6	42.9	12.5	207.2
Other ¹⁰	3,538	7	60	18	3,453	43.3	42.3	14.5	206.6
Economic Status									
Economically Disadvantaged	35,418	115	1,326	143	33,834	63.3	31.8	4.9	189.1
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	69,549	111	1,009	174	68,255	31.3	47.4	21.3	218.1

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Non Special Needs

Demographic Group	Number ¹ Processed	APA Students	Not Present	Voids ²	Valid Scale Scores	Performance Data for Students with Valid Scale Scores ³			
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Total Students ⁴	87,617	172	1,324	243	85,878	36.5	45.4	18.1	213.3
General Education ⁵	73,038	0	898	138	72,002	29.2	49.8	21.0	219.3
Special Education	12,744	172	400	99	12,073	73.4	23.4	3.2	183.5
Exempt From Taking (APA) ⁶	172	172	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Limited English Proficient ⁷	2,364	6	34	9	2,315	76.4	20.8	2.9	180.2
Current LEP	1,879	6	27	6	1,840	82.8	15.3	1.8	175.0
Former LEP	485	0	7	3	475	51.4	41.9	6.7	200.4
Gender ⁸									
Female	42,952	55	581	78	42,238	34.0	48.6	17.4	214.7
Male	44,424	113	734	162	43,415	39.0	42.3	18.8	212.1
Migrant Status									
Migrant	83	0	1	0	82	57.3	34.1	8.5	193.8
Non-Migrant	87,534	172	1,323	243	85,796	36.5	45.4	18.1	213.3
Ethnicity									
White	46,752	75	584	90	46,003	29.2	50.7	20.1	218.6
Black or African American	10,835	24	341	69	10,401	60.6	34.4	5.1	191.4
Asian	9,548	11	32	10	9,495	14.3	42.8	42.9	241.0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	215	0	3	0	212	22.2	51.9	25.9	222.9
Hispanic or Latino ⁹	16,846	55	305	58	16,428	53.9	39.3	6.8	197.2
American Indian or Alaska Native	103	0	5	0	98	41.8	43.9	14.3	208.8
Other ¹⁰	3,318	7	54	16	3,241	41.0	43.7	15.3	208.6
Economic Status									
Economically Disadvantaged	22,736	76	604	99	21,957	58.3	36.0	5.7	193.6
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	64,881	96	720	144	63,921	29.1	48.6	22.3	220.1

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Special Needs

Demographic Group	Number ¹ Processed	APA Students	Not Present	Voids ²	Valid Scale Scores	Performance Data for Students with Valid Scale Scores ³			
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Total Students ⁴	17,350	54	1,011	74	16,211	70.2	25.5	4.3	183.2
General Education ⁵	12,305	0	704	35	11,566	60.6	33.5	5.9	191.8
Special Education	2,735	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Exempt From Taking (APA) ⁶	54	54	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Limited English Proficient ⁷	2,686	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Current LEP	2,357	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Former LEP	329	0	14	1	314	75.2	23.2	1.6	182.1
Gender ⁸									
Female	8,042	8	402	36	7,596	68.4	27.5	4.1	185.5
Male	9,197	42	603	37	8,515	71.7	23.9	4.4	181.4
Migrant Status									
Migrant	17	0	3	0	14	64.3	35.7	0.0	186.4
Non-Migrant	17,333	54	1,008	74	16,197	70.3	25.5	4.3	183.2
Ethnicity									
White	2,067	9	46	6	2,006	52.6	38.3	9.1	197.5
Black or African American	4,926	21	447	31	4,427	76.5	20.8	2.6	178.2
Asian	535	3	3	7	522	43.9	37.7	18.4	208.4
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	31	1	0	0	30	43.3	53.3	3.3	199.4
Hispanic or Latino ⁹	9,557	20	509	28	9,000	72.6	24.2	3.2	181.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	14	0	0	0	14	64.3	35.7	0.0	195.7
Other ¹⁰	220	0	6	2	212	77.4	20.3	2.4	176.5
Economic Status									
Economically Disadvantaged	12,682	39	722	44	11,877	72.7	24.0	3.3	181.0
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	4,668	15	289	30	4,334	63.5	29.7	6.9	189.2

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Demographic Group	Number ¹ Processed	APA Students	Not Present	Voids ²	Valid Scale Scores	Performance Data for Students with Valid Scale Scores ³			
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Total Students ⁴	14,074	36	922	60	13,056	71.3	25.0	3.7	181.7
General Education ⁵	9,949	0	643	35	9,271	61.9	32.9	5.2	190.0
Special Education	2,226	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Exempt From Taking (APA) ⁶	36	36	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Limited English Proficient ⁷	2,257	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Current LEP	1,937	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Former LEP	320	0	14	2	304	75.3	23.0	1.6	182.1
Gender ⁸									
Female	6,547	7	360	23	6,157	69.2	27.3	3.5	184.2
Male	7,429	28	556	36	6,809	72.9	23.1	4.0	179.8
Migrant Status									
Migrant	18	0	3	0	15	66.7	33.3	0.0	185.5
Non-Migrant	14,056	36	919	60	13,041	71.3	25.0	3.7	181.7
Ethnicity									
White	1,199	5	29	3	1,162	54.8	37.3	7.9	194.7
Black or African American	4,002	15	399	27	3,561	77.1	20.5	2.4	177.2
Asian	310	1	3	2	304	45.1	41.4	13.5	202.1
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	14	0	0	0	14	28.6	35.7	35.7	222.6
Hispanic or Latino ⁹	8,349	15	487	26	7,821	72.0	24.7	3.3	181.2
American Indian or Alaska Native	8	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other ¹⁰	192	0	4	2	186	80.6	18.3	1.1	173.3
Economic Status									
Economically Disadvantaged	10,602	23	664	41	9,874	72.9	23.9	3.2	180.4
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	3,472	13	258	19	3,182	66.4	28.3	5.3	186.0

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Total Students ⁴	9,745	20	129	29	9,567	61.1	33.4	5.6	191.7
General Education ⁵	7,434	0	87	11	7,336	52.1	40.8	7.1	199.0
Special Education	1,449	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Exempt From Taking (APA) ⁶	20	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Limited English Proficient ⁷	978	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Current LEP	878	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Former LEP	100	0	0	0	100	63.0	37.0	0.0	191.1
Gender ⁸									
Female	4,631	1	51	17	4,562	58.9	35.6	5.5	193.6
Male	5,071	16	77	12	4,966	63.0	31.4	5.6	190.0
Migrant Status									
Migrant	1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Migrant	9,744	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity									
White	3,046	6	26	5	3,009	48.7	43.1	8.2	200.7
Black or African American	1,828	6	38	6	1,778	75.8	22.0	2.2	180.5
Asian	506	2	0	5	499	39.7	43.5	16.8	212.9
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	41	1	1	0	39	43.6	53.8	2.6	201.4
Hispanic or Latino ⁹	3,899	5	63	11	3,820	68.5	28.5	3.0	185.7
American Indian or Alaska Native	20	0	0	0	20	50.0	45.0	5.0	194.8
Other ¹⁰	405	0	1	2	402	46.8	42.0	11.2	203.0
Economic Status									
Economically Disadvantaged	5,500	16	81	8	5,395	68.1	28.4	3.5	186.1
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	4,245	4	48	21	4,172	52.0	39.9	8.1	198.8

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Total Students ⁴	8,140	66	292	28	7,754	51.5	41.3	7.2	198.1
General Education ⁵	6,550	0	188	13	6,349	43.9	47.6	8.6	203.8
Special Education	1,278	66	99	12	1,101	86.1	13.1	0.8	172.3
Exempt From Taking (APA) ⁶	66	66	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Limited English Proficient ⁷	411	4	8	3	396	79.5	17.9	2.5	177.7
Current LEP	320	4	5	3	308	84.7	13.0	2.3	173.8
Former LEP	91	0	3	0	88	61.4	35.2	3.4	191.5
Gender ⁸									
Female	3,933	22	127	14	3,770	48.9	44.4	6.8	199.8
Male	4,188	44	163	14	3,967	53.8	38.5	7.7	196.6
Migrant Status									
Migrant	4	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Migrant	8,136	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity									
White	3,307	26	72	7	3,202	42.7	48.2	9.1	204.5
Black or African American	1,594	8	120	8	1,458	63.5	33.3	3.2	187.5
Asian	533	3	3	0	527	28.3	51.0	20.7	219.7
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	9	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic or Latino ⁹	2,561	29	86	13	2,433	61.0	34.6	4.4	191.5
American Indian or Alaska Native	11	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other ¹⁰	125	0	10	0	115	47.8	48.7	3.5	196.0
Economic Status									
Economically Disadvantaged	3,778	36	182	18	3,542	59.5	35.6	4.8	191.5
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	4,362	30	110	10	4,212	44.7	46.1	9.2	203.7

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Total Students ⁴	13,490	19	277	40	13,154	44.7	44.8	10.5	204.5
General Education ⁵	11,214	0	188	23	11,003	37.4	50.2	12.3	209.8
Special Education	2,040	19	86	17	1,918	81.8	16.9	1.4	177.5
Exempt From Taking (APA) ⁶	19	19	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Limited English Proficient ⁷	305	0	5	0	300	77.7	20.7	1.7	181.5
Current LEP	240	0	4	0	236	82.6	16.1	1.3	178.3
Former LEP	65	0	1	0	64	59.4	37.5	3.1	193.3
Gender ⁸									
Female	6,426	8	117	10	6,291	41.0	49.1	9.9	206.5
Male	7,045	11	160	30	6,844	48.1	40.8	11.1	202.7
Migrant Status									
Migrant	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Non-Migrant	13,490	19	277	40	13,154	44.7	44.8	10.5	204.5
Ethnicity									
White	7,888	7	166	16	7,699	39.7	48.7	11.6	208.0
Black or African American	1,927	6	59	11	1,851	62.7	32.5	4.8	190.5
Asian	941	0	5	1	935	22.9	52.3	24.8	225.1
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	41	0	0	0	41	22.0	53.7	24.4	222.2
Hispanic or Latino ⁹	2,451	5	41	8	2,397	54.7	39.5	5.8	196.5
American Indian or Alaska Native	10	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other ¹⁰	232	1	6	4	221	57.0	33.9	9.0	196.2
Economic Status									
Economically Disadvantaged	3,860	10	124	10	3,716	58.4	36.1	5.5	194.0
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	9,630	9	153	30	9,438	39.3	48.2	12.5	208.6

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Total Students ⁴	11,085	30	198	33	10,824	36.8	49.3	14.0	210.9
General Education ⁵	9,346	0	136	21	9,189	29.7	54.2	16.2	216.3
Special Education	1,549	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Exempt From Taking (APA) ⁶	30	30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Limited English Proficient ⁷	241	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Current LEP	191	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Former LEP	50	0	0	0	50	48.0	46.0	6.0	202.5
Gender ⁸									
Female	5,409	10	86	9	5,304	34.4	52.2	13.4	212.4
Male	5,631	16	108	24	5,483	39.1	46.4	14.5	209.5
Migrant Status									
Migrant	5	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Migrant	11,080	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity									
White	6,275	14	92	14	6,155	31.8	52.9	15.3	214.7
Black or African American	1,020	1	40	6	973	59.9	35.1	4.9	192.1
Asian	958	1	3	2	952	21.8	51.7	26.5	226.1
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	45	0	1	0	44	20.5	54.5	25.0	223.5
Hispanic or Latino ⁹	1,706	9	44	5	1,648	53.1	41.3	5.6	197.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	14	0	3	0	11	54.5	27.3	18.2	207.3
Other ¹⁰	1,067	5	15	6	1,041	33.0	51.4	15.6	214.0
Economic Status									
Economically Disadvantaged	2,263	13	67	5	2,178	55.3	38.6	6.1	196.2
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	8,822	17	131	28	8,646	32.1	52.0	15.9	214.6

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Total Students ⁴	18,193	28	209	21	17,935	30.8	48.8	20.4	218.0
General Education ⁵	15,156	0	143	10	15,003	22.8	53.5	23.7	224.4
Special Education	2,765	28	62	11	2,664	70.8	25.4	3.8	186.2
Exempt From Taking (APA) ⁶	28	28	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Limited English Proficient ⁷	362	0	5	0	357	73.4	24.4	2.2	181.9
Current LEP	280	0	4	0	276	82.2	17.0	0.7	175.4
Former LEP	82	0	1	0	81	43.2	49.4	7.4	204.2
Gender ⁸									
Female	8,876	10	100	9	8,757	28.5	51.8	19.7	219.2
Male	9,306	18	108	12	9,168	33.0	45.9	21.1	216.8
Migrant Status									
Migrant	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Non-Migrant	18,193	28	209	21	17,935	30.8	48.8	20.4	218.0
Ethnicity									
White	11,105	15	128	11	10,951	27.1	52.8	20.1	219.8
Black or African American	1,717	3	34	6	1,674	52.4	40.3	7.3	197.7
Asian	2,538	3	9	2	2,524	14.4	43.8	41.8	239.6
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	41	0	1	0	40	20.0	57.5	22.5	223.4
Hispanic or Latino ⁹	2,490	7	29	2	2,452	48.7	42.3	9.1	202.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	19	0	0	0	19	26.3	47.4	26.3	222.3
Other ¹⁰	283	0	8	0	275	40.4	41.1	18.5	211.3
Economic Status									
Economically Disadvantaged	2,995	10	67	7	2,911	52.4	39.0	8.6	198.9
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	15,198	18	142	14	15,024	26.6	50.7	22.7	221.7

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New Jersey Biology Competency Test Performance By Demographic Group



DFG I

Demographic Group	Number ¹ Processed	APA Students	Not Present	Voids ²	Valid Scale Scores	Performance Data for Students with Valid Scale Scores ³			
						% Partially Proficient	% Proficient	% Advanced Proficient	Scale Score Mean
Total Students ⁴	15,481	18	138	44	15,281	20.0	49.9	30.0	229.5
General Education ⁵	13,025	0	86	21	12,918	13.1	52.5	34.4	235.8
Special Education	2,283	18	49	23	2,193	57.3	36.5	6.2	195.9
Exempt From Taking (APA) ⁶	18	18	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Limited English Proficient ⁷	233	1	3	1	228	57.5	33.3	9.2	195.2
Current LEP	180	1	3	0	176	65.9	27.3	6.8	188.0
Former LEP	53	0	0	1	52	28.8	53.8	17.3	219.6
Gender ⁸									
Female	7,635	2	63	13	7,557	18.0	53.1	28.9	230.0
Male	7,796	16	74	31	7,675	21.8	46.9	31.3	229.3
Migrant Status									
Migrant	3	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Migrant	15,478	18	138	44	15,278	20.0	49.9	30.0	229.5
Ethnicity									
White	10,527	10	79	27	10,411	18.5	52.7	28.8	229.3
Black or African American	856	3	25	4	824	47.1	43.8	9.1	202.5
Asian	2,276	4	6	3	2,263	8.0	39.7	52.3	250.6
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	18	0	0	0	18	5.6	44.4	50.0	243.6
Hispanic or Latino ⁹	1,158	1	21	7	1,129	35.1	50.8	14.2	212.2
American Indian or Alaska Native	18	0	0	0	18	33.3	55.6	11.1	219.5
Other ¹⁰	628	0	7	3	618	26.1	47.7	26.2	224.3
Economic Status									
Economically Disadvantaged	1,014	1	25	6	982	48.4	40.7	10.9	203.1
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	14,467	17	113	38	14,299	18.1	50.5	31.4	231.4

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New Jersey Biology Competency Test Performance By Demographic Group



DFG J

Demographic Group	Number ¹ Processed	APA Students	Not Present	Voids ²	Valid Scale Scores	Performance Data for Students with Valid Scale Scores ³			
						% Partially Proficient	% Proficient	% Advanced Proficient	Scale Score Mean
Total Students ⁴	3,884	0	29	5	3,850	12.2	44.5	43.3	242.0
General Education ⁵	3,345	0	23	3	3,319	7.0	44.5	48.5	247.9
Special Education	502	0	6	2	494	46.0	43.3	10.7	204.5
Exempt From Taking (APA) ⁶	0	0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Limited English Proficient ⁷	51	0	0	0	51	27.5	45.1	27.5	225.0
Current LEP	38	0	0	0	38	31.6	52.6	15.8	217.2
Former LEP	13	0	0	0	13	15.4	23.1	61.5	247.8
Gender ⁸									
Female	1,924	0	13	2	1,909	10.3	48.4	41.3	241.8
Male	1,959	0	16	3	1,940	14.1	40.6	45.3	242.2
Migrant Status									
Migrant	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Non-Migrant	3,884	0	29	5	3,850	12.2	44.5	43.3	242.0
Ethnicity									
White	2,480	0	21	4	2,455	13.0	48.1	38.9	238.8
Black or African American	100	0	2	0	98	39.8	42.9	17.3	210.4
Asian	1,038	0	4	0	1,034	5.7	35.0	59.3	255.4
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	3	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic or Latino ⁹	184	0	2	1	181	22.7	48.1	29.3	226.5
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other ¹⁰	78	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Economic Status									
Economically Disadvantaged	88	0	4	0	84	44.0	44.0	11.9	206.3
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	3,796	0	25	5	3,766	11.5	44.5	44.0	242.8

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New Jersey Biology Competency Test Performance By Demographic Group



DFG R (Charter Schools)

Demographic Group	Number ¹ Processed	APA Students	Not Present	Voids ²	Valid Scale Scores	Performance Data for Students with Valid Scale Scores ³			
						% Partially Proficient	% Proficient	% Advanced Proficient	Scale Score Mean
Total Students ⁴	2,850	3	69	24	2,754	67.1	29.3	3.6	186.2
General Education ⁵	2,449	0	57	18	2,374	62.9	33.2	4.0	189.2
Special Education	360	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Exempt From Taking (APA) ⁶	3	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Limited English Proficient ⁷	57	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Current LEP	46	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Former LEP	11	0	0	0	11	54.5	45.5	0.0	187.7
Gender ⁸									
Female	1,441	1	33	9	1,398	65.9	30.3	3.8	188.0
Male	1,347	2	36	12	1,297	68.5	28.0	3.5	184.5
Migrant Status									
Migrant	1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Migrant	2,849	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity									
White	98	0	0	2	96	45.8	45.8	8.3	202.9
Black or African American	1,433	2	60	17	1,354	70.8	26.5	2.7	184.2
Asian	96	0	0	1	95	27.4	49.5	23.2	221.2
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	8	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic or Latino ⁹	815	0	3	4	808	62.3	34.2	3.6	189.6
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other ¹⁰	399	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Economic Status									
Economically Disadvantaged	1,914	0	56	21	1,837	68.3	29.1	2.6	185.6
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	936	3	13	3	917	64.8	29.6	5.7	187.6

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New Jersey Biology Competency Test Performance By Demographic Group



DFG V (Vocational Schools)

Demographic Group	Number ¹ Processed	APA Students	Not Present	Voids ²	Valid Scale Scores	Performance Data for Students with Valid Scale Scores ³			
						% Partially Proficient	% Proficient	% Advanced Proficient	Scale Score Mean
Total Students ⁴	7,164	0	36	11	7,117	30.4	45.7	23.9	221.3
General Education ⁵	6,259	0	25	8	6,226	24.3	48.8	27.0	226.5
Special Education	849	0	11	3	835	74.1	22.8	3.1	184.9
Exempt From Taking (APA) ⁶	0	0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Limited English Proficient ⁷	76	0	0	0	76	57.9	40.8	1.3	194.3
Current LEP	56	0	0	0	56	62.5	37.5	0.0	189.6
Former LEP	20	0	0	0	20	45.0	50.0	5.0	207.5
Gender ⁸									
Female	3,867	0	21	5	3,841	29.5	48.4	22.1	220.6
Male	3,293	0	15	6	3,272	31.5	42.4	26.1	222.3
Migrant Status									
Migrant	68	0	0	0	68	50.0	39.7	10.3	200.0
Non-Migrant	7,096	0	36	11	7,049	30.2	45.7	24.1	221.6
Ethnicity									
White	2,850	0	15	5	2,830	26.2	46.1	27.7	225.7
Black or African American	1,048	0	7	3	1,038	43.6	48.5	7.9	204.5
Asian	885	0	2	1	882	6.0	28.5	65.5	261.0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	24	0	0	0	24	4.2	66.7	29.2	231.9
Hispanic or Latino ⁹	2,216	0	8	2	2,206	39.7	49.9	10.5	208.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	13	0	1	0	12	33.3	50.0	16.7	217.9
Other ¹⁰	128	0	3	0	125	29.6	53.6	16.8	217.1
Economic Status									
Economically Disadvantaged	2,554	0	20	7	2,527	43.3	48.4	8.4	205.0
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	4,610	0	16	4	4,590	23.3	44.2	32.5	230.3

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