

County: Morris

## Chester Township School District (27-0820)

2023-2024

Superintendent: Dr. Christina VanWoert

**District Website** 

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50 North Road

Building 4 Chester, NJ 07930

District: Chester Township School District

1,037 **Total Students** 



**PK-08 Grades Offered** 

## Overview & Resources

The School Performance Reports reflect the New Jersey Department of Education's (NJDOE) commitment to providing parents, students, and school communities with a large variety of information about each school and district. These reports can be used as a tool to help evaluate whether all students have equitable access to high quality education. We encourage you to use these reports to:

- . Learn more about the school and the district
- Start conversations with school community members and ask questions
- Engage with school communities to identify where schools are doing well and where they can improve

Important Note for 2023-24 Reports: The NJDOE recommends caution in comparing data from year to year over the last several years.

School Performance Report Resources: The NJDOE has several resource documents that can help you understand and use the School Performance Reports, which can also be found under the "Resource Documents" link at the top of the page:

- . One-page guides to help start conversations for school board members, administrators, educators, elementary, and middle and high school families
- Reference Guide with details on all the data in these reports
- Frequently Asked Questions
- Understanding Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rates
- Understanding Student Growth Percentiles
- Data Privacy Rules (why you see \*'s and N's in the reports)

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**Schools in this District** 

Click on a school name below to access the detailed school-level report for each school.

School Name	Grades Offered
Black River Middle School Bragg Elementary School	06-08
Bragg Elementary School	03-05
Dickerson Elementary School	PK-02



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# Demographics

Enrollment data reflects enrollment reported at the end of the school year and only includes students attending the school. Students who attend programs outside of the district are not included in enrollment counts and percentages.

### **Enrollment Trends by Grade**

This table shows the number of students enrolled by grade for the past three school years. Any students enrolled outside of the grades offered will be included in the total enrollment.

Grade	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
PK	73	64	61
KG	78	97	117
1	89	97	104
2	99	94	96
3	117	104	98
4	96	123	104
5	127	96	126
6	104	127	98
7	115	105	127
8	144	110	106
Total	1,042	1,017	1,037

### **Enrollment Trends by Student Group**

This table shows the percentage of students by student group for the past three school years. To protect student and staff privacy, gender percentages may show a range, depending on the overall school population size.

Student Group	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Female	49.0%	48.0%	47.0%
Male	51.0%	52.0%	53.0%
Non-Binary/Undesignated Gender	≤1%	≤1%	≤1%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	4.5%	6.0%	5.5%
Students with Disabilities	21.1%	21.4%	21.1%
Multilingual Learners	3.9%	3.8%	4.0%
Students Experiencing Homelessness	0.2%	0.2%	0.1%
Students in Foster Care	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Military-Connected Students	0.0%	0.1%	0.4%
Migrant Students	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%

## **Enrollment by Racial and Ethnic Group**

This table shows the percentage of students by racial and ethnic group for the past three school years.

Racial And Ethnic Group	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
White	75.6%	72.8%	70.4%
Hispanic	14.2%	15.0%	16.5%
Black or African American	1.3%	1.6%	1.6%
Asian	5.6%	7.1%	7.6%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Two Or More Races	3.0%	3.2%	3.7%



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## Enrollment Trends by Full / Half Day PK and KG

This table shows number of students in full day and half day Pre-Kindergarten (PK) and Kindergarten (KG) for the past three school years.

Grade	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
PK - Half Day	36	24	28
PK - Full Day	37	40	33
KG - Half Day	0	0	0
KG - Half Day KG - Full Day	78	97	117



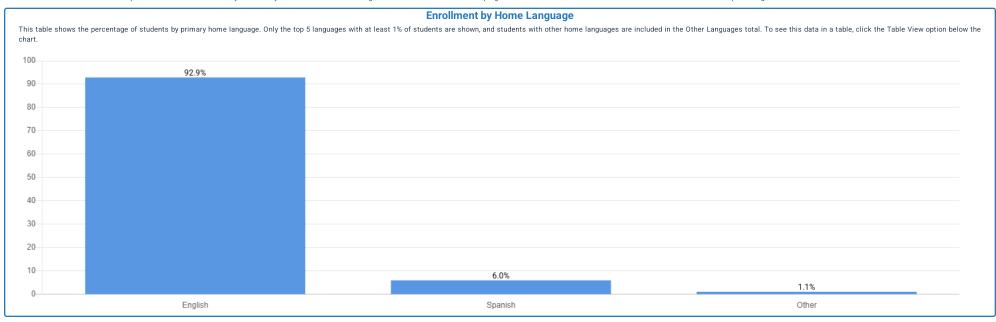
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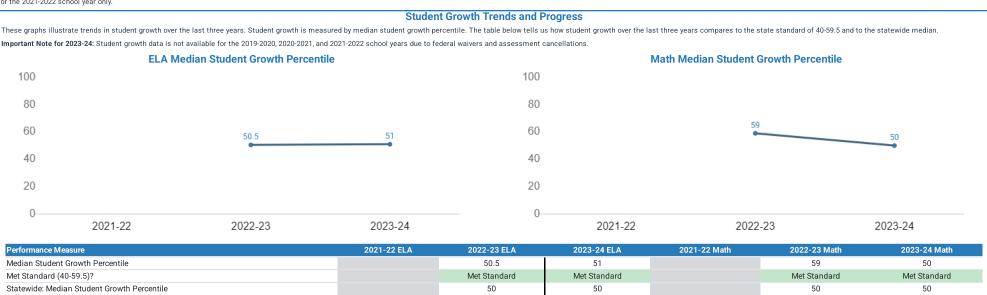
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A student's SGP falls between 1 and 99 and can be grouped into three levels. An SGP below 35 indicates low growth, an SGP between 35 and 65 indicates typical growth, and an SGP greater than 65 indicates high growth. If the SGPs for all students are ordered from smallest to largest, the mSGP is the percentile in the middle of the list.

The NJDOE Student Growth page has more information about SGPs and mSGPs, including a video that explains how both SGPs and mSGPs are calculated.

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#### **Student Growth**

This table shows the **median Student Growth Percentile (mSGP)** for both English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics both overall and for each student group with comparisons to the state. This table also shows whether each mSGP Met Standard (40-59.5) as required by ESSA accountability.

Student Group	ELA: District Median	ELA: Statewide Median	ELA: Met Standard (40-59.5)	Math: District Median	Math: Statewide Median	Math: Met Standard (40-59.5)
Districtwide	51	50	Met Standard	50	50	Met Standard
White	51	50	Met Standard	51	51	Met Standard
Hispanic	44.5	49	Met Standard	47.5	48	Met Standard
Black or African American	55.5	47	**	*	46	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	52	59	Met Standard	45	60	Met Standard
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	50	**	N	50	**
Two or More Races	47	50	**	*	51	**
Female	53	52		49	50	
Male	46.5	48		52	50	
Non-Binary/Undesignated Gender	N	44		N	45.5	
Economically Disadvantaged Students	47	48	Met Standard	48	48	Met Standard
Students with Disabilities	42	43	Met Standard	52.5	44	Met Standard
Multilingual Learners	39	50	Not Met	50	50	Met Standard
Students Experiencing Homelessness	N	43		N	45	
Students in Foster Care	N	40		N	47	
Military-Connected Students	N	47.5		N	51	
Migrant Students	N	53		N	44	



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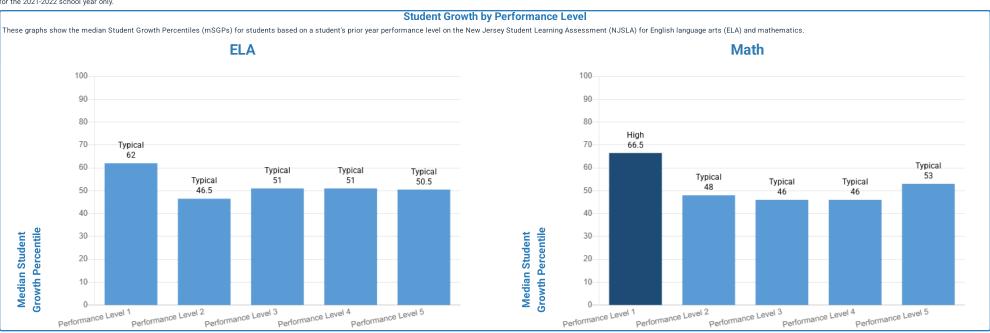
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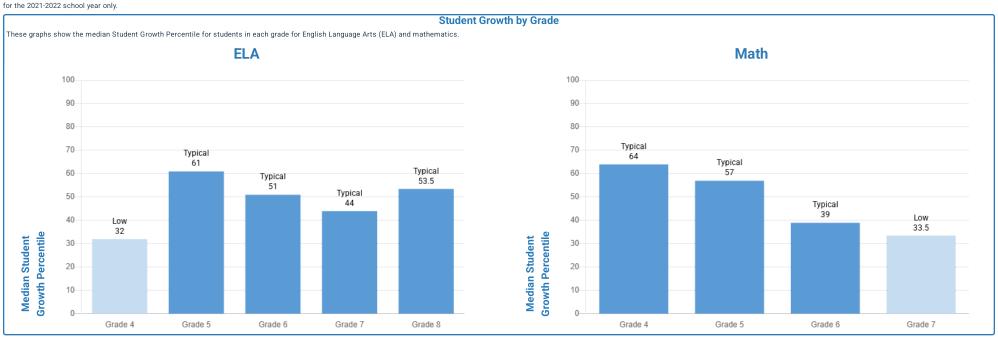
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#### **English Language Arts and Mathematics Performance Trends**

These graphs show trends in the Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability over the last three years. The data includes the results of students taking both the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA) and the DLM alternate assessment for English language arts (ELA) and mathematics. The Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability measures the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations on the assessments (NJSLA or DLM) with an adjustment made if the participation rate is below 95% to ensure reporting on at least 95% of students. Students who were enrolled for less than half a school year are excluded from performance results. The table below provides participation rates, proficiency rates, annual targets and status in meeting the targets, and statewide proficiency rates.





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### **English Language Arts Assessment - Participation and Performance**

This table shows performance on statewide assessments for English language arts (ELA) both overall and by student group. It includes the results of students taking both the NJSLA and DLM. NJSLA results for ELA include only students in grades 3 through 9. Students who were enrolled for less than half a school year are excluded from performance results. Student are considered to have met or exceeded expectations if they score at Level 4 or 5 on the NJSLA or at Level 3 or 4 on the DLM.

This table shows both the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations and a proficiency rate used for federal accountability. The proficiency rate for federal accountability will be lower if the participation rate is below 95%. This table also shows status in meeting annual targets. Annual targets are specific to each student group, school, and district and represent the expected proficiency needed to stay on track to meet long-term goals. Student groups where the annual target fields are grayed out are not required to meet annual targets under ESSA accountability. For more details on New Jersey's accountability system, see the <a href="MJDDE Accountability page">MJDDE Accountability page</a>. More information and additional data can also be found on the <a href="MJDDE Academic Achievement page">MJDDE Accountability page</a>.

Student Group	Valid Scores	% of students taking test	District: % of testers met/exceeded expectations	State: % of testers met/exceeded expectations	Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	Annual Target	Met Annual Target
Districtwide	649	99.2%	68.1%	52.2%	68.1%	70%	Met Target†
White	466	98.9%	71%	61.8%	71%	73.5%	Met Target†
Hispanic	101	100%	50.5%	38%	50.5%	50.1%	Met Target
Black or African American	*	100%	72.7%	35.9%	72.7%	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	53	100%	71.7%	79.9%	71.7%	70.2%	Met Target
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	51.2%	*	**	**
Two or More Races	18	100%	77.8%	59.4%	77.8%	**	**
Female	*	99.3%	73.4%	57.7%	73.4%		
Male	*	99.1%	63.5%	47%	63.5%		
Non-binary/undesignated gender	*	*	*	69.6%	*		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	35	97.2%	31.4%	34.6%	31.4%	25.9%	Met Target
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	614	99.4%	70.2%	62.8%	70.2%		
Students with Disabilities	116	97.5%	34.5%	19.8%	34.5%	43.4%	Not Met
Students without Disabilities	533	99.6%	75.4%	59.4%	75.4%		
Multilingual Learners	38	100%	18.4%	23.1%	18.4%	25.1%	Met Target†
Non-Multilingual Learners	611	99.2%	71.2%	56.2%	71.2%		
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*	*	21.9%	*		
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	19.3%	*		
Military-Connected Students	*	*	*	48.2%	*		
Migrant Students	*	*	*	13.3%	*		
† Target was met within a confidence interval.							



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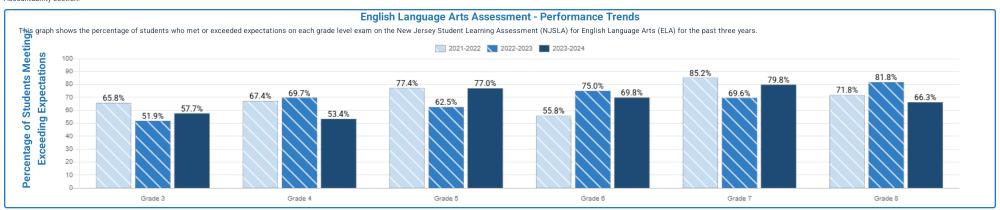
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## **English Language Arts Assessment - Performance By Grade: Grade 3**

Student Group	Valid	District Mean	State Mean	% Level 1: Did not yet meet	% Level 2: Partially met	% Level 3: Approached	% Level 4: Met	% Level 5: Exceeded	% of testers met or exceeded	State: % of testers met or exceeded
Student Group	Scores	Scale Score	Scale Score	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations
Districtwide	97	755	741	8%	6%	28%	53%	5%	58%	44%
White	66	758	751	6%	5%	32%	52%	6%	58%	53%
Hispanic	19	741	724	16%	16%	21%	47%	0%	47%	29%
Black or African American	*	*	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	29%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	770	*	*	*	*	*	*	70%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	46%
Two or More Races	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
Female	*	757	746	9%	7%	29%	51%	4%	56%	48%
Male	*	754	736	8%	6%	27%	54%	6%	60%	39%
Non-binary/undesignated gender	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	26%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	757	753	8%	5%	27%	54%	5%	60%	55%
Students with Disabilities	22	724	710	27%	18%	23%	32%	0%	32%	18%
Students without Disabilities	75	765	747	3%	3%	29%	59%	7%	65%	49%
Multilingual Learners	*	*	704	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
Non-Multilingual Learners	*	759	746	7%	3%	29%	55%	5%	61%	48%
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*	707	*	*	*	*	*	*	18%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	711	*	*	*	*	*	*	18%
Military-Connected Students	*	*	739	*	*	*	*	*	*	41%
Migrant Students	*	*	688	*	*	*	*	*	*	*



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Student Group	Valid	District Mean	State Mean	% Level 1: Did not yet meet	% Level 2: Partially met	% Level 3: Approached	% Level 4: Met	% Level 5: Exceeded	% of testers met or exceeded	State: % of testers met or exceede
Student Group	Scores	Scale Score	Scale Score	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations
Districtwide	103	752	749	5%	15%	27%	44%	10%	53%	51%
White	72	755	758	3%	13%	29%	42%	14%	56%	61%
Hispanic	20	741	734	15%	10%	30%	45%	0%	45%	35%
Black or African American	*	*	733	*	*	*	*	*	*	34%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	776	*	*	*	*	*	*	78%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	51%
Two or More Races	*	*	757	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
Female	*	750	752	7%	16%	21%	47%	9%	56%	54%
Male	*	753	745	3%	13%	32%	42%	10%	52%	48%
Non-binary/undesignated gender	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	731	*	*	*	*	*	*	32%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	753	760	4%	13%	27%	45%	10%	56%	63%
Students with Disabilities	22	734	720	18%	9%	41%	32%	0%	32%	21%
Students without Disabilities	81	756	755	1%	16%	23%	47%	12%	59%	57%
Multilingual Learners	*	*	711	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
Non-Multilingual Learners	*	754	753	3%	14%	26%	47%	10%	57%	55%
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*	719	*	*	*	*	*	*	20%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	718	*	*	*	*	*	*	15%
Military-Connected Students	*	*	747	*	*	*	*	*	*	49%
Migrant Students	*	*	713	*	*	*	*	*	*	23%



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Student Group	Valid	District Mean	State Mean	% Level 1: Did not yet meet		% Level 3: Approached	% Level 4: Met	% Level 5: Exceeded		State: % of testers met or exceede
Student Group	Scores	Scale Score	Scale Score	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations
Districtwide	126	771	750	2%	2%	19%	61%	16%	77%	52%
White	88	775	760	1%	2%	13%	68%	16%	84%	63%
Hispanic	22	755	736	5%	5%	36%	45%	9%	55%	37%
Black or African American	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	35%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	778	*	*	*	*	*	*	80%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	754	*	*	*	*	*	*	53%
Two or More Races	*	*	757	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
Female	*	772	755	2%	2%	18%	61%	18%	79%	57%
Male	*	771	745	2%	3%	20%	62%	14%	75%	48%
Non-binary/undesignated gender	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Economically Disadvantaged Students	11	741	732	9%	18%	36%	36%	0%	36%	33%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	115	774	761	1%	1%	17%	63%	17%	81%	64%
Students with Disabilities	25	763	719	4%	0%	36%	44%	16%	60%	20%
Students without Disabilities	101	774	756	1%	3%	15%	65%	16%	81%	59%
Multilingual Learners	*	*	705	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Multilingual Learners	*	775	754	1%	1%	17%	64%	17%	81%	57%
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*	718	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	721	*	*	*	*	*	*	20%
Military-Connected Students	*	*	747	*	*	*	*	*	*	48%
Migrant Students	*	*	721	*	*	*	*	*	*	20%



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## English Language Arts Assessment - Performance By Grade: Grade 6

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Student Group	Scores	Scale Score	Scale Score	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations
Districtwide	96	762	751	5%	6%	19%	53%	17%	70%	53%
White	68	764	760	1%	6%	15%	62%	16%	78%	63%
Hispanic	13	750	738	15%	8%	38%	15%	23%	38%	39%
Black or African American	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	35%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	10	759	778	20%	0%	20%	40%	20%	60%	82%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	49%
Two or More Races	*	*	758	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
Female	*	770	756	4%	2%	17%	54%	23%	77%	59%
Male	*	754	746	6%	10%	21%	52%	10%	63%	48%
Non-binary/undesignated gender	*	*	753	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	35%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	762	761	4%	5%	19%	55%	16%	71%	65%
Students with Disabilities	17	731	719	18%	24%	35%	24%	0%	24%	17%
Students without Disabilities	79	768	758	3%	3%	15%	59%	20%	80%	60%
Multilingual Learners	*	*	707	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Multilingual Learners	*	763	754	3%	6%	19%	54%	17%	71%	57%
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	23%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Military-Connected Students	*	*	754	*	*	*	*	*	*	55%
Migrant Students	*	*	712	*	*	*	*	*	*	29%



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## English Language Arts Assessment - Performance By Grade: Grade 7

Student Group	Valid	District Mean	State Mean	% Level 1: Did not yet meet	% Level 2: Partially met	% Level 3: Approached	% Level 4: Met	% Level 5: Exceeded	% of testers met or exceeded	State: % of testers met or exceeded
Student Group	Scores	Scale Score	Scale Score	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations
Districtwide	124	772	752	6%	5%	10%	47%	33%	80%	54%
White	94	771	761	6%	5%	9%	48%	32%	80%	64%
Hispanic	16	750	737	6%	6%	25%	56%	6%	63%	39%
Black or African American	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	37%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	10	806	785	0%	0%	0%	20%	80%	100%	84%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	747	*	*	*	*	*	*	51%
Two or More Races	*	*	759	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
Female	*	782	758	4%	0%	5%	51%	40%	91%	60%
Male	*	764	746	7%	9%	13%	43%	28%	71%	48%
Non-binary/undesignated gender	*	*	754	*	*	*	*	*	*	53%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	36%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	773	762	6%	4%	9%	47%	34%	81%	64%
Students with Disabilities	17	722	715	35%	18%	24%	18%	6%	24%	18%
Students without Disabilities	107	779	759	1%	3%	7%	51%	37%	89%	61%
Multilingual Learners	*	*	700	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Multilingual Learners	*	773	756	5%	5%	9%	48%	34%	81%	58%
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*	717	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	712	*	*	*	*	*	*	17%
Military-Connected Students	*	*	747	*	*	*	*	*	*	50%
Migrant Students	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*



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## **English Language Arts Assessment - Performance By Grade: Grade 8**

Church and Craum	Valid	District Mean	State Mean	% Level 1: Did not yet meet	% Level 2: Partially met	% Level 3: Approached	% Level 4: Met	% Level 5: Exceeded	% of testers met or exceeded	State: % of testers met or exceeded
Student Group	Scores	Scale Score	Scale Score	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations
Districtwide	104	765	751	6%	13%	14%	38%	28%	66%	53%
White	79	765	760	6%	13%	15%	41%	25%	66%	62%
Hispanic	11	753	736	0%	27%	18%	36%	18%	55%	39%
Black or African American	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	37%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	783	*	*	*	*	*	*	82%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	754	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
Two or More Races	*	*	757	*	*	*	*	*	*	59%
Female	*	773	759	2%	8%	15%	40%	35%	75%	60%
Male	*	757	743	10%	19%	13%	37%	21%	58%	46%
Non-binary/undesignated gender	*	*	766	*	*	*	*	*	*	63%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	36%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	766	761	6%	12%	14%	39%	28%	68%	63%
Students with Disabilities	13	726	713	15%	38%	23%	23%	0%	23%	16%
Students without Disabilities	91	770	758	4%	10%	13%	41%	32%	73%	60%
Multilingual Learners	*	*	701	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Multilingual Learners	*	766	755	5%	14%	14%	39%	28%	68%	56%
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*	719	*	*	*	*	*	*	23%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	708	*	*	*	*	*	*	14%
Military-Connected Students	*	*	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	43%
Migrant Students	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*



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### **Mathematics Assessment - Participation and Performance**

This table shows performance on statewide assessments for mathematics both overall and by student group. It includes the results of students taking both the NJSLA and DLM. NJSLA results include students taking end-of-grade assessments in grades 3 through 8, as well as end-ofcourse assessments (Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II) in middle school and high school and high school and who are enrolled in their first high school mathematics course that corresponds to an end-of-course assessment. Students who were enrolled for less than half a school year are excluded from performance results. Student are considered to have met or exceeded expectations if they score at Level 4 or 5 on the NJSLA or at Level 3 or 4 on the DLM assessment.

This table shows both the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations and a proficiency rate used for federal accountability. The proficiency rate for federal accountability will be lower if the participation rate is below 95%. This table also shows status in meeting annual targets. Annual targets are specific to each student group, school, and district and represent the expected proficiency needed to stay on track to meet long-term goals. Student groups where the annual target fields are grayed out are not required to meet annual targets under ESSA accountability. For more details on New Jersey's accountability system, see the NJDOE Accountability page. More information and additional data can also be found on the NJDOE Academic Achievement page.

Student Group	Valid Scores	% of students taking test	District: % of testers met/exceeded expectations	State: % of testers met/exceeded expectations	Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	Annual Target	Met Annual Target
Districtwide	651	99.1%	67.4%	40.2%	67.4%	68.6%	Met Target†
White	465	98.7%	69.7%	51.1%	69.7%	71.7%	Met Target†
Hispanic	103	100%	51.5%	24.2%	51.5%	48.1%	Met Target
Black or African American	*	100%	54.5%	20.1%	54.5%	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	54	100%	75.9%	74.4%	75.9%	74%	Met Target
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	42%	*	**	**
Two or More Races	18	100%	83.3%	48.9%	83.3%	**	**
Female	*	99%	63.9%	38.4%	63.9%		
Male	*	99.1%	70.5%	42%	70.5%		
Non-binary/undesignated gender	*	*	*	47.3%	*		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	37	97.4%	32.4%	21.7%	32.4%	40.7%	Met Target†
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	614	99.2%	69.5%	51.5%	69.5%		
Students with Disabilities	116	97.5%	33.6%	16.6%	33.6%	39.1%	Met Target†
Students without Disabilities	535	99.4%	74.8%	45.4%	74.8%		
Multilingual Learners	41	100%	26.8%	18.7%	26.8%	31.7%	Met Target†
Non-Multilingual Learners	610	99%	70.2%	43.5%	70.2%		
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*	*	12.9%	*		
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	12.4%	*		
Military-Connected Students	*	*	*	38.8%	*		
Migrant Students	*	*	*	<10%	*		
† Target was met within a confidence interval.							



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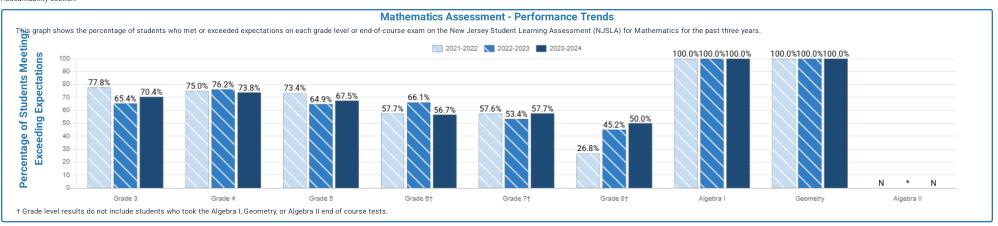
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## **Mathematics Assessment - Performance By Grade: Grade 3**

Student Group	Valid Scores	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did not yet meet expectations	% Level 2: Partially met expectations	% Level 3: Approached expectations	% Level 4: Met expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded expectations	% of testers met or exceeded expectations	State: % of testers met or exceeded expectations
Districtwide	98	761	747	7%	8%	14%	50%	20%	70%	48%
White	66	766	757	6%	5%	15%	52%	23%	74%	60%
Hispanic	20	745	732	10%	25%	10%	45%	10%	55%	31%
Black or African American	*	*	728	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	776	*	*	*	*	*	*	79%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	753	*	*	*	*	*	*	51%
Two or More Races	*	*	755	*	*	*	*	*	*	56%
Female	*	753	744	9%	13%	17%	46%	15%	61%	45%
Male	*	768	749	6%	4%	12%	54%	25%	79%	50%
Non-binary/undesignated gender	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	28%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	763	758	7%	7%	13%	52%	22%	74%	60%
Students with Disabilities	22	733	725	27%	14%	14%	41%	5%	45%	25%
Students without Disabilities	76	769	751	1%	7%	14%	53%	25%	78%	52%
Multilingual Learners	*	*	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	20%
Non-Multilingual Learners	*	764	751	5%	7%	13%	53%	22%	75%	52%
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*	717	*	*	*	*	*	*	17%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	719	*	*	*	*	*	*	18%
Military-Connected Students	*	*	746	*	*	*	*	*	*	47%
Migrant Students	*	*	727	*	*	*	*	*	*	12%



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## **Mathematics Assessment - Performance By Grade: Grade 4**

Student Group	Valid	District Mean	State Mean	% Level 1: Did not yet meet		% Level 3: Approached	% Level 4: Met	% Level 5: Exceeded		State: % of testers met or exceeded
Statent Group	Scores	Scale Score	Scale Score	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations
Districtwide	103	762	744	1%	10%	16%	60%	14%	74%	45%
White	72	766	754	0%	8%	10%	67%	15%	82%	57%
Hispanic	20	755	730	5%	10%	30%	45%	10%	55%	28%
Black or African American	*	*	726	*	*	*	*	*	*	24%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	773	*	*	*	*	*	*	77%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	746	*	*	*	*	*	*	50%
Two or More Races	*	*	752	*	*	*	*	*	*	54%
Female	*	760	743	0%	14%	12%	65%	9%	74%	43%
Male	*	764	746	2%	7%	18%	57%	17%	73%	47%
Non-binary/undesignated gender	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	727	*	*	*	*	*	*	25%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	764	755	1%	8%	14%	63%	13%	76%	58%
Students with Disabilities	22	744	722	5%	32%	23%	32%	9%	41%	21%
Students without Disabilities	81	768	749	0%	4%	14%	68%	15%	83%	50%
Multilingual Learners	*	*	718	*	*	*	*	*	*	14%
Non-Multilingual Learners	*	765	748	0%	8%	14%	64%	15%	78%	49%
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*	716	*	*	*	*	*	*	15%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	716	*	*	*	*	*	*	15%
Military-Connected Students	*	*	744	*	*	*	*	*	*	43%
Migrant Students	*	*	721	*	*	*	*	*	*	17%



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## **Mathematics Assessment - Performance By Grade: Grade 5**

Student Group	Valid	District Mean	State Mean	% Level 1: Did not yet meet		% Level 3: Approached	% Level 4: Met	% Level 5: Exceeded		State: % of testers met or exceeded
	Scores	Scale Score	Scale Score	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations
Districtwide	126	766	741	0%	10%	23%	45%	22%	67%	40%
White	88	769	751	0%	6%	22%	50%	23%	73%	53%
Hispanic	22	747	726	0%	27%	32%	32%	9%	41%	23%
Black or African American	*	*	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	772	*	*	*	*	*	*	76%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	745	*	*	*	*	*	*	47%
Two or More Races	*	*	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	49%
Female	*	760	739	0%	10%	26%	52%	11%	64%	38%
Male	*	772	742	0%	9%	20%	38%	32%	71%	42%
Non-binary/undesignated gender	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Economically Disadvantaged Students	11	744	724	0%	27%	45%	18%	9%	27%	20%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	115	769	752	0%	8%	21%	48%	23%	71%	53%
Students with Disabilities	25	750	717	0%	20%	36%	32%	12%	44%	16%
Students without Disabilities	101	770	746	0%	7%	20%	49%	25%	73%	45%
Multilingual Learners	*	*	711	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Multilingual Learners	*	769	744	0%	7%	22%	47%	24%	71%	44%
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*	712	*	*	*	*	*	*	12%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	714	*	*	*	*	*	*	10%
Military-Connected Students	*	*	741	*	*	*	*	*	*	40%
Migrant Students	*	*	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%



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### Mathematics Assessment - Performance By Grade: Grade 6

This table shows performance on the mathematics section of the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA). The performance results in this table include all students who took the NJSLA, which includes students who were enrolled less than half a year.

Students in sixth grade who were enrolled in an Algebra I or Geometry course were required to take both the corresponding end-of-course assessment (Algebra I or Geometry) and the Grade 6 mathematics assessment. The results of the Grade 6 mathematics assessment are included in this data. The Algebra I or Geometry results will be used when the student is in grade 9.

Student Group	Valid	District Mean	State Mean	% Level 1: Did not yet meet	% Level 2: Partially met	% Level 3: Approached	% Level 4: Met	% Level 5: Exceeded	% of testers met or exceeded	State: % of testers met or exceede
Student Group	Scores	Scale Score	Scale Score	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations
Districtwide	97	754	737	3%	10%	30%	43%	13%	57%	36%
White	68	756	746	3%	6%	34%	43%	15%	57%	47%
Hispanic	13	746	723	8%	15%	31%	31%	15%	46%	20%
Black or African American	*	*	718	*	*	*	*	*	*	15%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	11	753	768	0%	27%	9%	55%	9%	64%	73%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	33%
Two or More Races	*	*	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	45%
Female	*	755	736	2%	10%	33%	38%	17%	54%	34%
Male	*	753	738	4%	10%	27%	49%	10%	59%	38%
Non-binary/undesignated gender	*	*	733	*	*	*	*	*	*	36%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	721	*	*	*	*	*	*	17%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	755	747	3%	9%	30%	43%	14%	58%	48%
Students with Disabilities	17	725	714	12%	41%	29%	12%	6%	18%	12%
Students without Disabilities	80	760	741	1%	4%	30%	50%	15%	65%	41%
Multilingual Learners	*	*	707	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Multilingual Learners	*	755	740	3%	9%	31%	44%	14%	57%	39%
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*	711	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Students in Foster Care	*	*	711	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Military-Connected Students	*	*	739	*	*	*	*	*	*	37%
Migrant Students	*	*	704	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%



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## **Mathematics Assessment - Performance By Grade: Grade 7**

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Student Group	Valid Scores	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did not yet meet expectations	% Level 2: Partially met expectations	% Level 3: Approached expectations	% Level 4: Met expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded expectations	% of testers met or exceeded expectations	State: % of testers met or exceeded expectations
Districtwide	97	750	739	5%	8%	29%	53%	5%	58%	37%
White	77	751	748	5%	9%	27%	52%	6%	58%	50%
Hispanic	15	742	728	7%	7%	40%	47%	0%	47%	23%
Black or African American	*	*	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	18%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	764	*	*	*	*	*	*	72%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	33%
Two or More Races	*	*	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	44%
Female	*	750	738	4%	7%	30%	57%	2%	59%	36%
Male	*	750	739	6%	10%	27%	49%	8%	57%	39%
Non-binary/undesignated gender	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	38%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	726	*	*	*	*	*	*	20%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	750	747	5%	9%	28%	53%	5%	59%	48%
Students with Disabilities	16	721	716	31%	31%	25%	13%	0%	13%	12%
Students without Disabilities	81	756	743	0%	4%	30%	60%	6%	67%	43%
Multilingual Learners	*	*	714	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Multilingual Learners	*	751	741	4%	7%	29%	54%	5%	59%	40%
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*	716	*	*	*	*	*	*	11%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	711	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Military-Connected Students	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Migrant Students	*	*	708	*	*	*	*	*	*	*



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## **Mathematics Assessment - Performance By Grade: Grade 8**

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Student Group	Valid Scores	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did not yet meet expectations	% Level 2: Partially met expectations	% Level 3: Approached expectations	% Level 4: Met expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded expectations	% of testers met or exceeded expectations	State: % of testers met or exceeded expectations
Districtwide	64	748	719	6%	20%	23%	44%	6%	50%	19%
White	48	745	729	6%	27%	21%	40%	6%	46%	27%
Hispanic	10	751	713	10%	0%	30%	60%	0%	60%	13%
Black or African American	*	*	707	*	*	*	*	*	*	10%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	40%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%
Two or More Races	*	*	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Female	*	747	719	8%	11%	30%	49%	3%	51%	19%
Male	*	749	719	4%	33%	15%	37%	11%	48%	20%
Non-binary/undesignated gender	*	*	732	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	711	*	*	*	*	*	*	12%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	748	725	5%	22%	22%	43%	7%	50%	25%
Students with Disabilities	13	722	702	23%	31%	23%	23%	0%	23%	*
Students without Disabilities	51	755	724	2%	18%	24%	49%	8%	57%	23%
Multilingual Learners	*	*	701	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Multilingual Learners	*	749	721	5%	20%	25%	44%	7%	51%	21%
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*	704	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Students in Foster Care	*	*	696	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Military-Connected Students	*	*	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Migrant Students	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*



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## Mathematics Assessment - Performance By Test: Algebra I

This table shows performance on the NJSLA Algebra I end-of-course assessment. The performance results in this table include all students who took the NJSLA, it does not exclude students who were enrolled less than half a year.

This includes any students who were enrolled in an Algebra I course and took the Algebra I assessment in grades 7 through 12. Students in sixth grade who were enrolled in Algebra I course were required to take both the Algebra I and Grade 6 mathematics assessment. The results of their Algebra I assessment are not included in these results but will be reported when the student in in grade 9.

Student Group	Valid	District Mean	State Mean	% Level 1: Did not yet meet		% Level 3: Approached	% Level 4: Met	% Level 5: Exceeded		State: % of testers met or exceede
	Scores	Scale Score	Scale Score	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations
Districtwide	51	795	738	0%	0%	0%	76%	24%	100%	40%
White	36	792	748	0%	0%	0%	81%	19%	100%	51%
Hispanic	*	*	723	*	*	*	*	*	*	23%
Black or African American	*	*	719	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	11	805	773	0%	0%	0%	55%	45%	100%	77%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	38%
Two or More Races	*	*	746	*	*	*	*	*	*	49%
Female	*	793	737	0%	0%	0%	85%	15%	100%	39%
Male	*	796	739	0%	0%	0%	71%	29%	100%	41%
lon-binary/undesignated lender	*	*	738	*	*	*	*	*	*	45%
conomically Disadvantaged tudents	*	*	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	22%
Ion-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	795	747	0%	0%	0%	76%	24%	100%	50%
tudents with Disabilities	*	*	710	*	*	*	*	*	*	11%
tudents without Disabilities	*	794	743	0%	0%	0%	78%	22%	100%	45%
Multilingual Learners	*	*	705	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ion-Multilingual Learners	*	795	741	0%	0%	0%	76%	24%	100%	43%
tudents Experiencing omelessness	*	*	712	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
tudents in Foster Care	*	*	703	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
lilitary-Connected Students	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	31%
Migrant Students	*	*	696	*	*	*	*	*	*	*



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### **Mathematics Assessment - Performance By Test: Geometry**

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Student Group	Valid	District Mean	State Mean	% Level 1: Did not yet meet	% Level 2: Partially met	% Level 3: Approached	% Level 4: Met	% Level 5: Exceeded	% of testers met or exceeded	State: % of testers met or exceede
Student Group	Scores	Scale Score	Scale Score	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations	expectations
Districtwide	16	779	750	0%	0%	0%	56%	44%	100%	53%
White	11	779	752	0%	0%	0%	55%	45%	100%	57%
Hispanic	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	29%
Black or African American	*	*	733	*	*	*	*	*	*	26%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	765	*	*	*	*	*	*	77%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	753	*	*	*	*	*	*	66%
Two or More Races	*	*	756	*	*	*	*	*	*	63%
Female	*	*	748	*	*	*	*	*	*	50%
Male	*	780	752	0%	0%	0%	58%	42%	100%	57%
Non-binary/undesignated gender	*	*	752	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	28%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	779	754	0%	0%	0%	56%	44%	100%	60%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	727	*	*	*	*	*	*	24%
Students without Disabilities	*	779	751	0%	0%	0%	56%	44%	100%	54%
Multilingual Learners	*	*	716	*	*	*	*	*	*	11%
Non-Multilingual Learners	*	779	751	0%	0%	0%	56%	44%	100%	55%
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*	727	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Military-Connected Students	*	*	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	44%
Migrant Students	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*



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## **DLM Alternate Assessment - Participation**

This table shows the number and percentage of students taking the Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM) alternate assessment, which tests academic progress in English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics for students with the most significant intellectual disabilities.

Grade	ELA: # Students Tested	ELA: Participation Rate	Math: # Students Tested	Math: Participation Rate
3	N	N	N	N
4	N	N	N	N
5	N	N	N	N
6	N	N	N	N
7	N	N	N	N
8	N	N	N	N



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## **English Language Proficiency Test - Participation and Performance**

This table shows, by years in district, the number of multilingual learner students taking the ACCESS for ELLs Assessment for English language proficiency and the number and percentage of students tested who received an overall score of 4.5 or above. Students must receive a score of 4.5 or higher to be considered for proficient status.

Years in District	# Students Tested	# Students with Overall Score Below 4.5	% Students with Overall Score Below 4.5	# Students with Overall Score of 4.5 or Above	% Students with Overall Score 4.5 or Above
0-2	19	*	>90%	*	<10%
3-4	*	*	*	*	*
5 or more	15	9	60%	6	40%

#### **English Language Progress to Proficiency**

This table shows the percentage of multilingual learners who demonstrated the expected amount of growth on the ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 Assessment for English Language proficiency. A student's expected growth is based on the student's initial year proficiency level and student growth expectations are increased by equal intervals each year so that the student meets the proficiency cut score of 4.5 within five years. The table shows the annual target for the percentage of students making expected growth and whether that target was met.

Student Group	Percent of English learners making expected growth to proficiency	Annual Target	Met Target?	
Schoolwide/Multilingual Learners	43.8%	22.7%	Met Goal	
† Target was met within a confidence interval				



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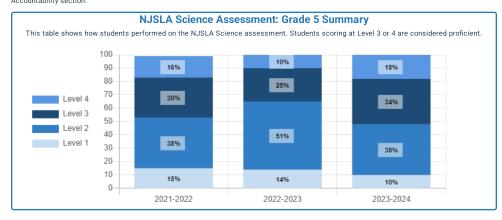
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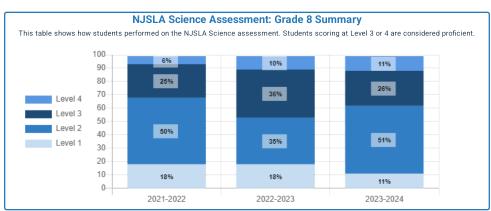
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### **NJSLA Science Assessment: Grade 5**

This table shows how students performed on the NJSLA Science assessment for the school year, both overall and by student group. Students scoring at level 3 or 4 are considered proficient.

Student Group	District % Level 1	District % Level 2	District % Level 3	District % Level 4	State % Level 1	State % Level 2	State % Level 3	State % Level 4
Districtwide	10%	38%	34%	18%	35%	37%	21%	6%
White	8%	32%	39%	21%	22%	42%	28%	8%
Hispanic	22%	57%	22%	0%	51%	36%	12%	2%
Black or African American	*	*	*	*	54%	34%	10%	2%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	12%	30%	38%	20%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	36%	31%	23%	10%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*	27%	36%	27%	10%
Female	11%	41%	31%	16%	35%	39%	20%	6%
Male	8%	35%	37%	20%	35%	35%	22%	7%
Non-binary/undesignated gender	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Economically Disadvantaged Students	46%	31%	23%	0%	54%	35%	10%	1%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	5%	39%	35%	20%	24%	39%	28%	10%
Students with Disabilities	22%	52%	13%	13%	64%	27%	8%	2%
Students without Disabilities	7%	35%	39%	19%	30%	39%	24%	7%
Multilingual Learners	*	*	*	*	78%	20%	2%	0%
Non-Multilingual Learners	7%	38%	36%	19%	30%	39%	23%	7%
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*	*	*	68%	25%	6%	1%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	*	67%	28%	3%	1%
Military-Connected Students	*	*	*	*	30%	42%	23%	5%
Migrant Students	*	*	*	*	73%	27%	0%	0%



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### **NJSLA Science Assessment: Grade 8**

This table shows how students performed on the NJSLA Science assessment for the school year, both overall and by student group. Students scoring at level 3 or 4 are considered proficient.

Student Group	District % Level 1	District % Level 2	District % Level 3	District % Level 4	State % Level 1	State % Level 2	State % Level 3	State % Level 4
Districtwide	11%	51%	26%	11%	36%	45%	14%	5%
White	14%	46%	29%	11%	23%	52%	19%	6%
Hispanic	8%	83%	8%	0%	51%	42%	6%	1%
Black or African American	*	*	*	*	56%	38%	6%	1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	11%	42%	29%	18%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	44%	37%	16%	4%
Two or More Races	*	*	*	*	27%	46%	19%	8%
Female	8%	62%	26%	4%	35%	47%	13%	4%
Male	15%	40%	25%	19%	37%	43%	14%	6%
Non-binary/undesignated gender	*	*	*	*	19%	44%	25%	12%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	*	53%	40%	5%	1%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	11%	49%	27%	12%	26%	48%	19%	7%
Students with Disabilities	54%	38%	8%	0%	67%	29%	3%	1%
Students without Disabilities	5%	53%	28%	13%	30%	48%	16%	6%
Multilingual Learners	*	*	*	*	75%	24%	1%	0%
Non-Multilingual Learners	11%	50%	27%	12%	32%	47%	15%	5%
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*	*	*	66%	32%	2%	0%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	*	80%	19%	1%	0%
Military-Connected Students	*	*	*	*	40%	47%	10%	3%
Migrant Students	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*



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# College and Career Readiness

Information about New Jersey Student Learning Standards can be found on the NJDOE website.

## **Mathematics - Course Participation**

This table shows the number of students who were enrolled in Mathematics courses by grade and subject area. Students are counted more than once if they were enrolled in courses across multiple subject areas.

Grade	Algebra I	Geometry	Grade Level and Other Math
6	0	0	97
7	63	0	64
8	26	16	64
Total	89	16	225



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## **World Languages - Course Participation**

This table shows the number of students who were enrolled in World Languages courses by grade and language. Students are counted more than once if they were enrolled in courses across multiple languages.

Grade	Spanish	French	Italian	Latin	German	Chinese	Other Languages
6	72	19	0	0	0	6	0
7	89	23	0	0	0	12	0
8	72	26	0	0	0	6	0
Total	233	68	0	0	0	24	0



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## **Computer Science - Course Participation**

This table shows the number of students who were enrolled in Computer Science and Information Technology (IT) courses by grade and subject area. Students are counted more than once if they were enrolled in courses across multiple subject areas.

Grade	Computer Programming	Principles of Computer Science	Computing Systems	Other Computer Science	Networking	Information Systems	Other IT
KG	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
1	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
2	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
3	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
4	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
5	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
6	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
7	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
8	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



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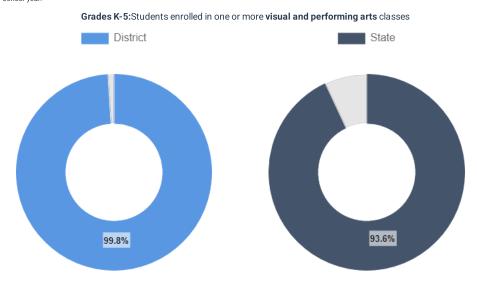
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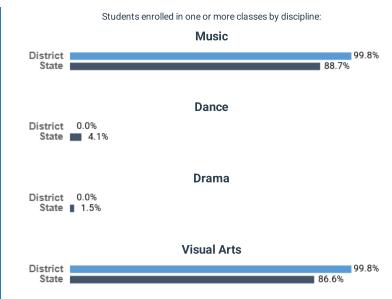
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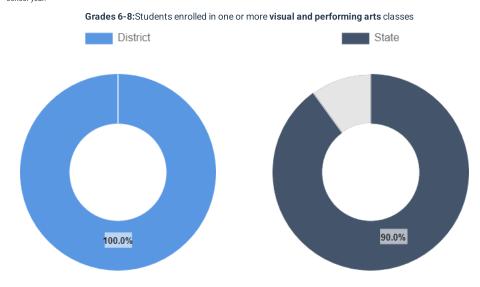
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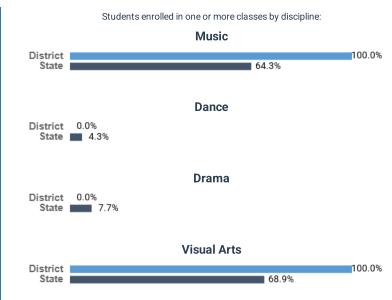
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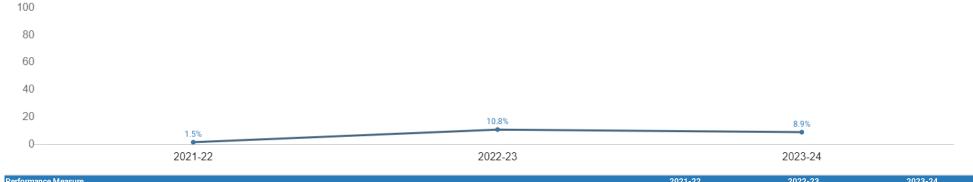
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### Chronic Absenteeism Trends

This table shows the number and percentage of students in grades K-12 both overall and by student group who were chronically absent during the school year. The ESSA Target: State Average for Grades Served column is the target used for ESSA accountability purposes. It reflects the statewide average for students in the grades offered by the district. Each student group has the same target based on all students, so the same ESSA Target will appear for all student groups. The last column shows whether the rate for each student group was above the state average ("Not Met") or less than or equal to the state average ("Met").



Performance Measure	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Chronic Absenteeism Rate	1.5%	10.8%	8.9%
ESSA Target (State Average for Grades Served)	17.3%	16.0%	13.8%
Met ESSA Target	Met	Met	Met
Statewide Chronic Absenteeism Rate (All Grades)	18.1%	16.6%	14.9%



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Student Group	# of Students Chronically Absent	% of Students Chronically Absent	ESSA Target: State Average for Grades Served	Met ESSA Target
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Districtwide	87	8.9%	13.8%	Met
White	60	8.7%	13.8%	Met
Hispanic	15	9.2%	13.8%	Met
Black or African American	*	5.9%	**	**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	8	11.0%	13.8%	Met
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	**	**
Two or More Races	3	8.1%	13.8%	Met
Female	*	7.3%		
Male	*	10.3%		
Non-Binary/Undesignated Gender	*	*		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	9	15.8%	13.8%	Not Met
Students with Disabilities	23	11.0%	13.8%	Met
Multilingual Learners	8	19.5%	13.8%	Not Met
Students Experiencing Homelessness	*	*		
Students in Foster Care	*	*		
Military-Connected Students	*	*		
Migrant Students	*	*		



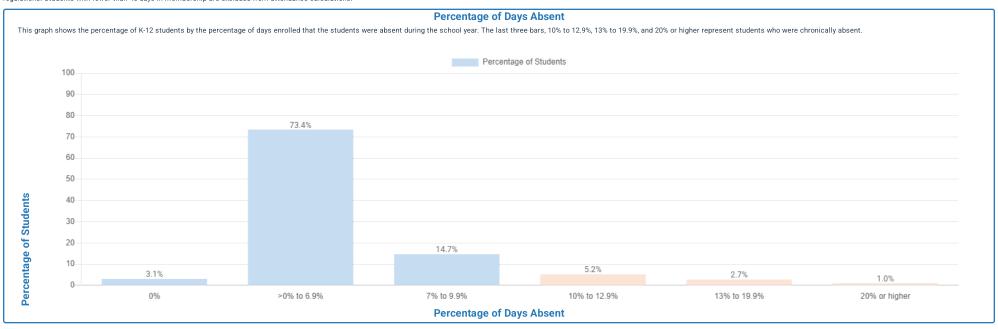
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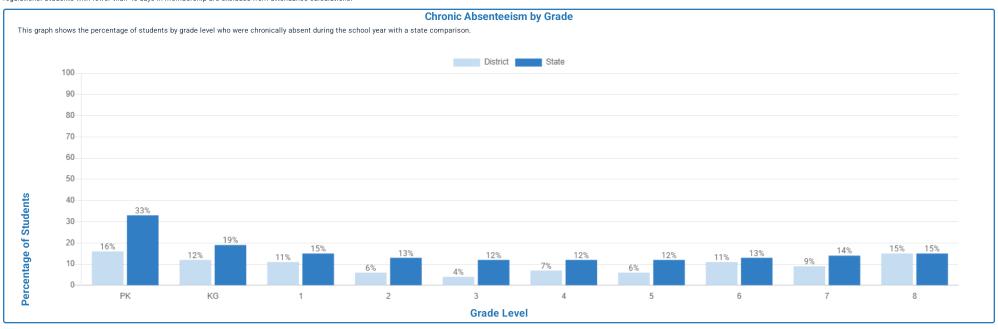
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### Violence, Vandalism, HIB, and Substance Offenses

This table shows the number of incidents reported by type. A single incident may be counted under multiple incident types. The total unique incidents row provides an unduplicated count of incidents. The last row shows the rate of incidents for every 100 students enrolled

Incident Type	Number of Incidents
Violence	6
Weapons	2
Vandalism	2
Substances	0
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	5
Total Unique Incidents	14
Incidents Per 100 Students Enrolled	1.35

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/iolence	2
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Substances	0
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	5
Other Incidents Leading to Removal	3



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## Harassment, Intimidation, and Bullying (HIB) Investigations

This table shows, by the nature of the incident, the number of alleged and confirmed Harassment, Intimidation, and Bulling (HIB) investigations. The nature of an incident is based on the protected categories listed below, and the nature of a single HIB investigation may include multiple categories. All confirmed incidents must have an identified nature.

HIB Nature (Protected Category)	HIB Alleged	HIB Confirmed	Total HIB Investigations
Race	0	3	3
Religion	0	1	1
Ancestry	0	2	2
Gender	0	1	1
Sexual Orientation	1	1	2
Disability	0	0	0
Other	5	1	6
No Identified Nature	0		0



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### **Student Disciplinary Removals: By Student Group**

This table shows the number and percentage of students who received in-school suspensions, out-of-school suspensions, removals to other educational programs, and expulsions by student group. Information on disciplinary actions is reported by schools and districts to the NJDOE through the Student Safety Data System (SSDS). Only students who attended district schools are included in the disciplined student counts. The data used to determine student demographic information, and the enrollment totals used to calculate the percentages come from the fall and end-of-year NJ SMART SID Management snapshots. In some cases, a range, such as <5, is provided for groups of 10 or more students when between 1 and 4 students districtwide received a type of disciplinary action to protect student privacy.

Student Group		% of Students with at least one In-School Suspension	# of Students with at least one Out-of-School Suspension	% of Students with at least one Out-of-School Suspension	# of Students with Any Suspension	% of Students with Any Suspension	# of Students with a Removal to other education program	% of Students with a Removal to other education program	# of Students with an Expulsion	% of Students with an Expulsion
White	4	1%	7	1%	10	1%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%
Hispanic	3	2%	2	1%	5	3%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%
Black or African American	1	6%	1	6%	1	6%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%
Asian	1	1%	2	2%	2	2%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Two or more races	1	3%	1	3%	2	5%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%
Female	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%	*	<5.00%	*	0%
Male	*	2%	*	2%	*	3%	*	<5.00%	*	0%
Non- Binary/Undesignated Gender	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0	0%	2	3%	2	3%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%
Students with disabilities	2	1%	5	2%	6	3%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%



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Grade			# of Students with at least one Out-of-School Suspension						# of Students with an Expulsion	% of Students with an Expulsion
Districtwide	10	1%	13	1%	20	2%	2	0%	0	0%
PK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%
KG	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%
1	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%
2	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%
3	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%
4	1	1%	1	1%	2	2%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%
5	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%
6	3	3%	4	4%	6	6%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%
7	2	2%	6	5%	6	5%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%
8	4	4%	2	2%	6	6%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%



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### Students Involved in Police Notifications: By Student Group

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Student Group	# of Students involved in at least one incident			involved in at	# of Students involved in at least one vandalism incident	% of Students involved in at least one vandalism incident	# of Students involved in at least one substance related incident	% of Students involved in at least one substance related incident	# of Students involved in at least one weapons related incident	% of Students involved in at least one weapons related incident	# of Students involved in at least one HIB incident	% of Students involved in at least one HIB incident	# of Students involved in at least one other incident type	% of Students involved in at least one other incident type
Districtwide	13	1%	3	0%	2	0%	0	0%	1	0%	6	1%	5	0%
White	8	1%	<5	<5.00%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	4	1%	3	0%
Hispanic	1	1%	<5	<5.00%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	1	1%	0	0%
Black or African American	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	0	0%
Asian	2	2%	<5	<5.00%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	2	2%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Two or more races	2	5%	<5	<5.00%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	1	3%	0	0%
Female	*	0%	*	<5.00%	*	<5.00%	*	0%	*	<5.00%	*	0%	*	0%
Male	*	2%	*	<5.00%	*	<5.00%	*	0%	*	<5.00%	*	1%	*	1%
Non- Binary/Undesignated Gender	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Economically Disadvantaged Students	1	1%	<5	<5.00%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	1	1%	0	0%
Students with disabilities	5	2%	<5	<5.00%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	1	0%	1	0%



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Districtwide	13	1%	3	0%	2	0%	0	0%	1	0%	6	1%	5	0%
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2	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	0	0%
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4	2	2%	<5	<5.00%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	0	0%
5	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	0	0%
6	3	3%	<5	<5.00%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	1	1%	1	1%
7	5	4%	<5	<5.00%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	2	2%	4	3%
8	3	3%	<5	<5.00%	<5	<5.00%	0	0%	<5	<5.00%	3	3%	0	0%



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### Students Arrested by Type of Incident Leading to Arrest: By Student Group

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Student Group	# of Students Arrested	Students	nvolved in at least	violent incident	# of students involved in at least one vandalism incident that led to arrest	% of students involved in a vandalism incident that led to arrest	# of students involved in at least one substance related incident that led to arrest		# of students involved in at least one weapons related incident that led to arrest	% of students involved in a weapons related incident that led to arrest	# of students involved in at least one HIB incident that led to arrest	% of students involved in an HIB incident that led to arrest	# of students involved in at least one other type of incident that led to arrest	% of students involved in an other type of incident that led to arrest
Districtwide	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
White	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Hispanic	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Black or African American	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Asian	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Two or more races	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Female	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%
Male	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%
Non- Binary/Undesignated Gender	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Students with disabilities	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%



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### Students Arrested by Type of Incident Leading to Arrest: By Grade Level

This table shows the number and percentage of students in each grade level who were involved in at least one incident that led to their arrest. Information on disciplinary actions is reported by schools and districts to the NJDOE through the Student Safety Data System (SSDS). Only students who attended district schools are included in the arrested student counts. The data used to determine student grade level, and the enrollment totals used to calculate the percentages come from the fall and end-of-year NJ SMART SID Management snapshots. In some cases, a range, such as <5, is provided for groups of 10 or more students when between 1 and 4 students districtwide were involved to protect student privacy.

		% of Students Arrested	# of Students involved in at least one violent incident that led to arrest	a violent	# of Students involved in at least one vandalism incident that led to arrest	vandalism	# of Students involved in at least one substance related incident that led to arrest	substance related	in at least one weapons	weapons related		an HIB incident that	# of Students involved in at least one other type incident that led to arrest	other type
Districtwide	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
PK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
KG	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
1	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
2	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
3	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
4	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
5	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
6	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
7	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
8	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%



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## School Days Missed due to Out-of-School Suspensions

This table shows the total number of days missed due to out-of-school suspension for all students during the school year.

School Days Missed due to Out-of-School Suspensions

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## **Student Access to Technology and Internet**

The NJDOE collects information on student device types, device owners, and internet connectivity. Reports about student access to technology and internet connectivity can be found on the NJDOE website.



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### Teachers - Experience

This table shows information about the experience and professional qualifications of teachers. Out-of-field teachers are teachers who are potentially teaching outside of their area of certification. Teachers with provisional certifications are fully certified novice teachers of record who must meet further requirements of evaluation and mentoring during their induction into the profession before being granted "standard" or permanent certification. The New Jersey Department of Education does not issue emergency instructional certificates for teachers. Additional data on the professional qualifications of teachers and administrators, broken down by schools with high or low economically disadvantaged populations, is available on the <a href="School Performance Staff">School Performance Staff</a> <a href="Page">Page</a>.

Category	Teachers in District	Teachers in State
Total Number of teachers	106	119,239
Average years experience in public schools	12.0	12.6
Average years experience in district	12.0	11.3
Number of Teachers with 4 or more years experience in the district	79	87,243
Percentage of Teachers with 4 or more years experience in the district	74.5%	73.6%
Number of out-of-field teachers	1	2,931
Percentage of out-of-field teachers	0.9%	2.5%
Number of Teachers with Provisional Credentials	1	9,065
Percentage of Teachers with Provisional Credentials	0.9%	7.6%

### Administrators - Experience

This table shows information about the experience of administrators assigned to this district and across the state.

Category	Admin. in District	Admin. in State
Total Number of administrators	9	10,170
Average years experience in public schools	9.9	16.2
Average years experience in district	9.9	12.5
Number of Administrators with 4 or more years experience in the district	6	7,734
Percentage of Administrators with 4 or more years experience in the district	66.7%	76.8%

### Staff Counts

This table shows the number of staff members assigned to the district and state across several staff categories. The staff counts in this table reflect data submitted by districts to NJ SMART and reflect any teachers assigned and are not based on full-time equivalent (FTE). Additionally, some staff members may be assigned to the district only, but work in multiple schools in the district. In these cases, the table may show 0 staff members assigned to the school, even though there are district staff members working in the school. The School Safety Specialists data is based on data submitted by districts in the CDS system.

Staff Category	District: Total Staff Members	State: Total Staff Members
Teachers	106	119,239
Administrators	9	10,170
Librarians/Media Specialists	2	1,160
Nurses	3	3,025
School Counselors	6	4,673
Child Study Team Members	9	9,654
School Psychologists	2	2,185
School Social Workers	1	2,750
Student Assistance Coordinators	N	400
School Safety Specialists	1	681



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### **Student and Staff Ratios**

This table shows ratios of students and staff members in the district. The ratios are based on data submitted by districts to NJ SMART and are not based on staff full-time equivalent (FTE). The School Safety Specialists data is based on data submitted by districts in the CDS system.

Ratio	District Ratio
Students to Teachers	10:1
Students to Administrators	115:1
Teachers to Administrators	12:1
Students to Librarians/Media Specialists †	519:1
Students to Nurses †	346:1
Students to Counselors †	173:1
Students to Child Study Team Members †,††	24:1
Students to School Psychologists †	519:1
Students to School Social Workers †	1037:1
Students to Student Assistance Coordinators †	N
Students to School Safety Specialists †	1037:1

- † In some districts, staff members in these roles who work in multiple schools may be assigned only to the district and not to individual schools. As a result, a School Ratio may show N, but there may be district assigned staff working in the school
- †† Child Study Team members include school psychologists, school social workers, and learning disabilities teacher consultants, also note that the ratio compares Students with Disabilities instead of all students.

### **Teachers and Administrators – Demographics**

This table compares the percentage of students, teachers, and administrators by gender and by racial and ethnic group. To protect student and staff privacy, gender percentages may show a range, depending on the overall school population size.

Category	Students in District	Teachers in District	Administrators in District	Students in State	Teachers in State	Administrators in State
Female	47.0%	80-85%	*	48.0%	77.0%	57.0%
Male	53.0%	15-20%	*	52.0%	23.0%	43.0%
Non-Binary/Undesignated Gender	≤1%	≤5%	*	≤1%	≤1%	≤1%
White	70.4%	97.2%	100.0%	38.2%	81.8%	74.5%
Hispanic	16.5%	0.9%	0.0%	34.0%	8.6%	8.6%
Black or African American	1.6%	0.0%	0.0%	14.2%	6.4%	14.4%
Asian	7.6%	1.9%	0.0%	10.1%	2.5%	1.6%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.4%	0.5%
Two or More Races	3.7%	0.0%	0.0%	3.1%	0.3%	0.4%



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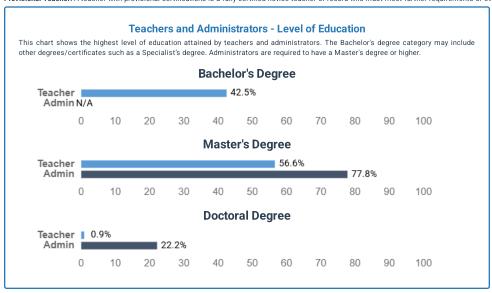
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This table shows the percentage of teachers and administrators assigned to this district in 2022-23 that were still assigned to this district in 2023-24. Staff who were not retained may have changed districts or no longer work for the state (including retirements).

Job Type	District	State
2022-23 Teachers: Same district 2023-24	89.0%	89.5%
2022-23 Administrators: Same district 2023-24	85.7%	87.9%



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### **Teachers by Subject Area**

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Subject Area	Total Number of Teachers		% e Male	% Non-binary or Undesignated Gender	% White	% Hispanic	% Black or African American	% Asian	% Native Hawaiian, Pacific Islander	% American Indian or Native American		% 4 or more years experience in the district	% Bachelor's Degree(Highest Degree)	% Master's Degree(Highest Degree)	% Doctoral Degree(Highest Degree)
Elementary (Not Subject Specific)	51	>90%	≤10%	≤10%	98.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	68.6%	47.1%	52.9%	0.0%
English/Language Arts/Literacy	4	*	*	*	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	50.0%	50.0%	0.0%
English to Speakers of Other Languages	3	*	*	*	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	66.7%	33.3%	66.7%	0.0%
Mathematics	5	*	*	*	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	80.0%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%
Science	4	*	*	*	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	75.0%	50.0%	50.0%	0.0%
Social Studies/History	4	*	*	*	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	75.0%	25.0%	0.0%
World Language	6	*	*	*	66.7%	16.7%	0.0%	16.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	83.3%	50.0%	50.0%	0.0%
Visual and Performing Arts	8	*	*	*	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	87.5%	37.5%	50.0%	12.5%
Health/Physical Education	7	*	*	*	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	85.7%	28.6%	71.4%	0.0%
Family & Consumer Sciences	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Financial Literacy	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Business	0	Ν	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Computer Science/IT	1	*	*	*	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%
Industrial Arts	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Career and Technical Education	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Special Education	11	*	*	*	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	36.4%	45.5%	54.5%	0.0%
Bilingual	2	*	*	*	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	50.0%	50.0%	0.0%



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# Per-Pupil Expenditures

## **Per-Pupil Expenditures by Source**

The table below summarizes the most recently available expenses for regular and special education students taught at schools in the district. The amounts include both actual personnel and actual non-personnel expenditures and include expenditures for instruction, support services, administration, operations and maintenance, and extra-curricular activities. An overall cost per pupil for a given school can be calculated by adding the Central Expenditures and the Expenditures Not Assigned to a School to the School Level Expenditures reported for that school. The Average Daily Enrollment (ADE\*\*) comes from the 2023-24 School Registry Summary (SRS).

For more information regarding this table please refer to the guidance for school level reporting, which is available on the NJDOE webpage ESSA School Level Reporting Information. More in-depth information about district and charter school spending can be found in the User Friendly Budget and the Annual Comprehensive Financial Report (ACFR) and Auditor Management Reports (AMRs).

Please be aware that the total district expenditures represented in these reports are taken from audited district financial data, but the subsequent allocation of these resources to specific schools is not audited or otherwise verified by the New Jersey Department of Education. If you have specific questions about the assignment (or lack of assignment) of school-level amounts, please contact the district for additional information.

### Link to District Summary of 2023-24 School-Level Per Pupil Expenditures by Source

An option to download all school-level summaries by district in one spreadsheet is also available. However, because districts have flexibility in how certain costs are allocated to individual schools, school-level costs should not be compared between schools in different districts.

Chester Twp	Federal	State & Local	Total	ADE**
District Level Total Expenditures	\$336	\$21,126	\$21,462	1,023.0
District Level Central Expenditures	\$125	\$7,487	\$7,612	1,023.0
Black River Middle School	\$50	\$15,401	\$15,451	329.3
Bragg Elementary School	\$356	\$12,892	\$13,248	326.5
Dickerson Elementary School	\$145	\$12,721	\$12,866	367.2
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## Accountability

New Jersey's Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) Accountability SystemNew Jersey's school accountability system identifies schools in need of comprehensive and targeted support as required by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). Based on New Jersey's approved ESSA state plan, NJDOE will identify schools in the following four federal categories every three years:

- · Comprehensive Support and Improvement (CSI): Overall Low Performing:
  - Title I schools with a summative score in the bottom 5% of Title I schools.
- Comprehensive Support and Improvement (CSI): Low Graduation Rate:
  - All high schools with a four-year graduation rate of 67% or less
- Additional Targeted Support and Improvement: Low Performing Student Group (ATSI):
  - All schools with one or more student group with a summative score that would be in the bottom 5% of Title I schools
- · Comprehensive Support and Improvement (CSI): Chronically Low Performing:
  - Title I schools identified as Additional Targeted Support and Improvement; Low Performing Student Group (ATSI) that are identified for three or more consecutive years, i.e., ATSI schools that do not meet exit criteria.

Annually, NJDOE will identify schools in the following federal category:

- · Targeted Support and Improvement: Consistently Underperforming Student Group (TSI):
  - All schools with one or more student groups that missed annual targets or standards for all indicators for two years in a row

For purposes of ESSA accountability, only schools and student groups with data for 20 or more students are included in calculations.

The NJDOE identified schools for CSI and ATSI status in fall 2023 based on data from the 2022-2023 school year, so the NJDOE did not identify schools for CSI or ATSI status based on 2023-2024 school year data. The NJDOE only identified schools for TSI status based on data from the 2023-2024 school year.

For more information about New Jersey's accountability system, how indicator and summative scores were calculated, how federal accountability status is determined, and additional data, see the NJDOE accountability page.



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## Schools Identified as Requiring Comprehensive or Targeted Support - Districtwide

The table below provides the list of schools in the district that have been identified for either comprehensive or targeted support for the 2025-26 school year, the category (or reason) for identification, the year the school is eligible to exit status, and, if applicable, the student groups identified for support. For additional information, the <a href="NJDOE ESSA Accountability webpage">NJDOE ESSA Accountability webpage</a> includes a list of all schools requiring comprehensive or targeted support and improvement with the amount of School Improvement Aid (SIA) funds received and information on exit criteria for identified schools.

There are currently no schools identified as requiring comprehensive or targeted support during the 2025-26 school year.



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## **ESSA Accountability Progress**

The table below shows performance on each of New Jersey's ESSA accountability indicators for the last three years. **ELA and Math Proficiency**: Percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations on statewide assessments (NJSLA or DLM) **ELA and Math Growth**: For 2022-23 and 2023-24, this data reflects median student growth percentiles (mSGPs). For 2021-22, this data shows the Relative School Improvement Measure (RSIM), which was based on aggregate scale score improvement on the statewide assessments in ELA and mathematics (NJSLA), when comparing prior year performance to 2021-22 performance. **Four- and five-year graduation rates**: The federal adjusted cohort graduation rate. Prior year graduation rates are used for ESSA Accountability, so the graduation rates shown for 2023-2024 represent the Cohort 2023 4-year and Cohort 2022 5-year rates. **Progress toward English Language Proficiency**: The percentage of multilingual learners who demonstrated the expected amount of growth on the ACCESS for ELLs Assessment for English language proficiency. **Chronic absenteeism**: The percentage of K-12 students who were absent for 10% or more of the days enrolled during the school year.

Important Note for 2023-24: The growth measure used for 2021-22 was an alternate measure used because median student growth percentiles were not available for 2021-22. The NJDOE resumed using mSGPs in 2022-2023, so 2021-22 growth data should not be compared to other years.

ESSA Acountability Indicator	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
ELA Proficiency	71.0%	69.0%	68.1%
Math Proficiency	67.8%	67.5%	67.4%
ELA Growth†	73	50	51
Math Growth†	66	59	50
4-Year Graduation Rate (Prior Year)††	N	N	N
5-Year Graduation Rate (Prior Year)††	N	N	N
Progress toward English Language Proficiency	36.1%	19.4%	43.8%
Chronic Absenteeism	1.5%	10.8%	8.9%

†An alternate measure of growth was used for the 2021-2022 school year because median student growth percentiles were not available.

††The graduation rates in this table reflect the rates used for the accountability process for the given year, which are the rates from the prior school year.



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# Accountability

## Accountability Summary by Student Group - 2023-24 School Year

This table shows whether the district and each student group met annual ESSA accountability targets for each indicator.

For more information about accountability determinations, indicators, and annual targets, see the NJDOE Accountability page.

Student Group	ELA Proficiency	Math Proficiency	ELA Growth	Math Growth	4-Year Graduation Rate	5-Year Graduation Rate	Progress toward English Language Proficiency	Chronic Absenteeism
Districtwide	Met Target†	Met Target†	Met Standard	Met Standard	N	N	Met Goal	Met
White	Met Target†	Met Target†	Met Standard	Met Standard	N	N		Met
Hispanic	Met Target	Met Target	Met Standard	Met Standard	N	N		Met
Black or African American	**	**	**	**	N	N		**
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	Met Target	Met Target	Met Standard	Met Standard	N	N		Met
American Indian or Alaska Native	**	**	**	**	N	N		**
Two or More Races	**	**	**	**	N	N		Met
Economically Disadvantaged Students	Met Target	Met Target†	Met Standard	Met Standard	N	N		Not Met
Students with Disabilities	Not Met	Met Target†	Met Standard	Met Standard	N	N		Met
Multilingual Learners	Met Target†	Met Target†	Not Met	Met Standard	N	N	Met Goal	Not Met

†Target was met within a confidence interval.



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Mission, Vision, Theme:

Chester School strive to pormote a positive learning environment that fosters high academic standards and expectations for our students and staff. We seek to promote a respectful atmosphere that will empower our students and prepare them to be confident, self-aware adults. We strive to envolve parents, teachers and community to be actively involved in our student's learning to prepare them to be independent and socially responsible citizens.



Future Ready and Sustainable NJ Bronze Level Certified



Courses, Curriculum, Instruction:

Our math curriculum, Pathways to Algebra, has at its core, the completion of algebra by the end of the eighth grade complete with differentiated classes from grades four to eight to serve as support for our students on this journey. With a strong technology component, our program allows students to incorporate math into their home lives. foreign language, technology, art, music, and physical education are always being reviewed.



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We seek to teach our students with the most current and research based instructional and assessment strategies possible. We embrace professional development as a means for enhancing professional practice to the betterment of the students. The district's Professional Development Council is comprised of teachers that voluntarily meet to assess the needs of the district on a regular basis to develop programs that are directly targeted to increase student achievement, and social/emotional growth.



In each of the schools, we have special education teachers and district personnel such as an occupational therapist, speech and language specialists, paraprofessionals, a physical therapist, and a BCBA (Board Certified Behavior Analyst). In addition, each school is assigned a Child Study Team member of a school psychologist, a Learning Disabilities Teacher Consultant, and a part-time school social worker. We also have ESL teachers in all three schools.

**Student Supports and Services:** 



**Parent and Community Involvement:** 

Much of the district's commitment comes from our supportive community and can be seen in the work of our Chester PTO and our Educational Foundation of the Chesters. Many of the most successful extra-curricular opportunities given our students in the arts and athletics come directly out of the work of our PTO and Educational Foundation. They are comprised of many dynamic individuals who evidence our motto on a daily basis - Community, Caring and Commitment for the good of our children.



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Is a Climate Survey Used: Yes; Who is surveyed: Students, Parents, Administrators, Teachers. Chester Schools conduct annual school climate surveys for all stakeholders. These surveys are used to inform the decision making process. The results are carefully reviewed by various committees and used to promote the success of students.



School Vistor Management System, School Security Specialist, Camera Monitoring, Emergency Communication App



**Technology and STEM:** 

Technology and STEM courses are provided to students in grades K-8.





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Full and half day PreK is offered by way of parentpay



The Chester School District provided students with programs to support physical health and safety and to address students' mental health. These programs are: Second Steps SEL Program, 101 Virtual Tutoring, Summer Scholars Intervention Program, Linklt Benchmark Assessments and Data Dashboard and the Chester Science Fair. Remote learning during the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic. Teachers leveraged Google Meet and Google Classroom to teach and communicate with students remotely. Online platforms were utilized so that students could create content, participate in assessments, and enhance their reading, writing, and math skills.



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The Chester School District is a place in which the entire community is committed to caring for and supporting our children on the path to academic and personal excellence and astounding achievement. Comprised of approximately 1,143 students, we have three schools as follows: Dickerson Elementary School (K - 2), Bragg Intermediate School (3 - 5), and Black River Middle School (6 - 8.) Students in grades nine through twelve attend West Morris Regional High School District. Dedicated to meeting the academic and social/emotional needs of each student, our curricula are truly the foundation upon which we build the learning experiences of our children. All curriculum in our district is written with a particular emphasis on individualized instruction and personal growth and in keeping with the 2016 New Jersey Student Learning Standards. This can be seen in our language arts curriculum with our focus on balanced literacy through guided reading groups and literature circles which engages our students in producing authentic and meaningful written expression from grades K - 8.