About The New England Common Assessment Program

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This report highlights results from the Fall 2011 New England Common Assessment Program (NECAP) tests. The NECAP tests are administered to students in New MMO Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont as part of each state's statewide assessment program. NECAP test results are used primarily for school improvement and

accountability. Achievement level results are used in the state accountability system required under No Child Left Behind (NCLB). More detailed school and district results are used by schools to help improve curriculum and instruction. Individual student results are used to support information gathered through classroom instruction and assessments.

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NECAP tests in reading and mathematics are administered to students in grades 3 through 8 and 11 and writing tests are administered to students in grades 5, 8, and 11. The NECAP grade 11 tests are designed to measure student performance on grade span expectations (GSE) developed and adopted by the three states. Specifically, the results, schools and districts will also tests are designed to measure the content and skills that students are expected to have as they begin the school year in their current data files containing NECAP results. grade — in other words, the content and skills which students have learned through the end of the previous grade.

Each test contains a mix of multiplechoice and constructed-response questions. Constructed-response questions require students to develop their own answers to

questions. On the mathematics test, students may be required to provide the correct answer to a computation or word problem, draw or interpret a chart RAM or graph, or explain how they solved a problem. On the reading test, students may be required to make a list or write a few paragraphs to answer a question related to a literary or informational passage. On

the writing test, students are required to provide two extended responses of 1-3 pages.

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This report contains a variety of schooland/or district-, and state-level assessment results for the NECAP tests administered at a grade level. Achievement level distributions and mean scaled scores are provided for all students tested as well as for subgroups of students classified by demographics or program participation. The report also contains comparative information on school and district performance on subtopics within each content area tested.

In addition to this report of grade 11 receive Item Analysis Reports, Released Item support materials, and student-level Together, these reports and data constitute a rich source of information to support local decisions in curriculum, instruction, assessment, and professional development. Over time, this information can also strengthen school's and district's evaluation of their ongoing improvement efforts.



Fall 2011 **Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP** Tests

Grade 11 Students in 2011-2012

School Results

School:	NEL/CPS Construction Career
District:	Cranston
Code:	07-07135



Fall 2011 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2011-2012 Grade Level Summary Report

School:NEL/CPS Construction CareerDistrict:CranstonState:Rhode IslandCode:07-07135

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PARTICIPATION in NECAP		School			District			State			School			District			State	
Students enrolled on or after October 1		74			879			11,119			100			100			100	
	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing
Students tested	49	49	49	828	829	826	10,537	10,578	10,508	66	66	66	94	94	94	95	95	95
With an approved accommodation	22	28	22	90	99	94	1,630	2,051	1,323	45	57	45	11	12	11	15	19	13
Current LEP Students	0	0	0	23	25	23	349	380	345	0	0	0	3	3	3	3	4	3
With an approved accommodation	0	0	0	0	0	0	73	65	54			r 	0	0	0	21	17	16
IEP Students	18	18	18	120	120	120	1,634	1,634	1,619	37	37	37	14	14	15	16	15	15
With an approved accommodation	10	12	11	70	75	75	864	915	867	56	67	61	58	63	63	53	56	54
Students not tested in NECAP	25	25	25	51	50	53	582	541	611	34	34	34	6	6	6	5	5	5
State Approved	1	1	1	5	4	5	116	119	116	4	4	4	10	8	9	20	22	19
Alternate Assessment	0	0	0	2	2	2	98	98	98	0	0	0	40	50	40	84	82	84
First Year LEP	0	0	0	1	0	: 1	3	0	3	0	0	0	20	0	20	3	0	3
Withdrew After October 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	6	3
Enrolled After October 1	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	20	25	20	1	2	1
Special Consideration	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	12	11	100	100	100	20	25	20	9	10	9
Other	24	24	24	46	46	48	466	422	495	96	96	96	90	92	91	80	78	81

NECAP RESULTS

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	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Leve	el 4	Lev	el 3	Lev	vel 2	Leve	l 1	Mean Score	Tested	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Mean Score	Tested	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Mean Score
	Ν	N	Ν	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		N	%	%	%	%		N	%	%	%	%	
READING	74	1	24	49	3	6	24	49	17	35	5	10	1141	828	27	51	16	7	1147	10,537	31	45	15	8	1148
MATH	74	1	24	49	0	0	3	6	11	22	35	71	1130	829	1	22	28	48	1134	10,578	2	28	26	44	1135
WRITING	74	1	24	49	0	0	11	22	36	73	2	4	5.4	826	4	44	48	4	6.4	10,508	5	46	43	7	6.4

Level 4 = Proficient with Distinction; Level 3 = Proficient; Level 2 = Partially Proficient; Level 1 = Substantially Below Proficient Note: Throughout this report, percentages may not total 100 since each percentage is rounded to the nearest whole number. Note: Some numbers may have been left blank because fewer than ten (10) students were tested.



Fall 2011 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2011-2012 Reading Results

School:NEL/CPS Construction CareerDistrict:CranstonState:Rhode IslandCode:07-07135

Proficient with Distinction (Level 4)

Student's performance demonstrates an ability to read and comprehend grade-appropriate text. Student is able to analyze and interpret literary and informational text. Student offers insightful observations/assertions that are well supported by references to the text. Student uses range of vocabulary strategies and breadth of vocabulary knowledge to read and comprehend a wide variety of texts.

(Scaled Score 1154–1180)

Proficient (Level 3)

Student's performance demonstrates an ability to read and comprehend grade-appropriate text. Student is able to analyze and interpret literary and informational text. Student makes and supports relevant assertions by referencing text. Student uses vocabulary strategies and breadth of vocabulary knowledge to read and comprehend text. (Scaled Score 1140–1153)

Partially Proficient (Level 2)

Student's performance demonstrates an inconsistent ability to read and comprehend grade-appropriate text. Student attempts to analyze and interpret literary and informational text. Student may make and/or support assertions by referencing text. Student's vocabulary knowledge and use of strategies may be limited and may impact the ability to read and comprehend text. (Scaled Score 1130–1139)

Substantially Below Proficient (Level 1)

Student's performance demonstrates minimal ability to derive/construct meaning from grade-appropriate text. Student may be able to recognize story elements and text features. Student's limited vocabulary knowledge and use of strategies impacts the ability to read and comprehend text.

(Scaled Score 1100-1129)

[Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Lev	el 4	Leve	el 3	Lev	el 2	Lev	el 1	Mean
	Ν	N	Ν	N	N	%	N	%	Ν	%	N	%	Scaled Score
School													
2009-10	59	2	4	53	0	0	25	47	22	42	6	11	1139
2010-11	85	: 1 :	22	62	2	3	33 :	53	20	32	7 :	11	1140
2011-12	74	1	24	49	3	6	24	49	17	35	5	10	1141
Cumulative Total	218	4	50	164	5	3	82	50	59	36	18	11	1140
District													
2009-10	823	13	6	804	146	18	459	57	142	18	57	7	1146
2010-11	905	13	31	861	201	23	479	56	135	16	46	5	1147
2011-12	879	5	46	828	224	27	420	51	129	16	55	7	1147
Cumulative Total	2,607	31	83	2,493	571	23	1,358	54	406	16	158	6	1147
State													
2009-10	11,189	223	224	10,742	2,466	23	5,416	50	1,875	17	985	9	1146
2010-11	11,164	195	341	10,628	2,964	28	5,126	48	1,688	16	850	8	1147
2011-12	11,119	116	466	10,537	3,289	31	4,782	45	1,571	15	895	8	1148
Cumulative Total	33,472	534	1,031	31,907	8,719	27	15,324	48	5,134	16	2,730	9	1147

Culture in	Total			I	Percen	t of To	otal Po	ossible	Point	S			
Subtopic	Possible Points	0	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	
Word ID/Vocabulary	20							•	- 				
Type of Text													 School
Literary	42					•		.: ★					DistrictState
Informational	42					•							Standard Error Bar
Level of Comprehension													
Initial Understanding	32							7	•				
Analysis & Interpretation	52				-	•	-	•					



Fall 2011 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2011-2012 Disaggregated Reading Results

School:NEL/CPS Construction CareerDistrict:CranstonState:Rhode IslandCode:07-07135

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REPORTING CATEGORIES	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Lev	vel 4	Lev	el 3	Lev	rel 2	Lev	rel 1	Mean Scaled	Tested	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Mean Scaled	Tested	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Mean Scaled
	N	N	N	N	Ν	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score
All Students	74	1	24	49	3	6	24	49	17	35	5	10	1141	828	27	51	16	7	1147	10,537	31	45	15	8	1148
Gender																						- - - -			
Male	47	0	10	37	2	5	15	41	16	43	4	11	1140	416	19	52	20	10	1145	5,336	25	46	18	11	1146
Female	27	1	14	12	1	8	9	75	1	8	1	8	1144	412	36	49	11	4	1150	5,187	38	45	12	6	1150
Not Reported	0	0	0	0		;								0						14	7	43	21	29	1138
Race/Ethnicity																									
Hispanic or Latino	6	0	1	5		-		-						129	18	52	17	13	1143	1,934	13	46	23	18	1141
Not Hispanic or Latino						-		-														1			
American Indian or Alaskan Native	2	0	0	2										4						51	25	31	27	16	1143
Asian	3	0	0	3										69	36	41	¹ 16	7	1148	288	36	44	14	7	1149
Black or African American	3	0	1	2										27	11	67	19	4	1145	875	12	44	26	18	1141
Native Hawaijan or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0		1								0						19	21	58	11	11	1146
White	58	1	21	36	3	8	16	: 44	14	39	3	8	1141	591	29	51	15	5	1148	7,175	39	45	11	5	1151
Two or more races	2	0	1	1	J		10	. 44	14			. 0	1141	8	25		. 15		1140	173	24	49	15	- 13	1146
No Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0		0		:		1						ů			1			22	9	36	18	36	1138
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LEP Status												, , ,										¦			
Current LEP student	0	0	0	0				1						23	0	9	39	52	1129	349	1	; 11	34	54	1129
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	0	0	0	0		1		1						0						24	0	54	42	4	1140
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	0	0	0	0				1						0			1			34	12	59	24	6	1144
All Other Students	74	1	24	49	3	6	24	49	17	35	5	10	1141	805	28	52	15	5	1148	10,130	32	47	14	7	1148
IEP																									
Students with an IEP	23	1	4	18	1	6	7	39	7	39	3	17	1139	120	6	40	31	23	1138	1,634	4	34	33	29	1136
All Other Students	51	0	20	31	2	6	17	55	10	32	2	6	1142	708	31	53	13	4	1149	8,903	36	47	12	5	1150
SES																									
	26	0		77	1		12	40				15	1140	267	15	50	. 20	17	1144	2.010	15	47		15	1147
Economically Disadvantaged Students All Other Students	36 38	0	9 15	27 22	1 2	4 9	13	48 50	9 8	33 36	4	15 5	1140 1143	267 561	15 33	52 50	20 13	13 4	1144 1149	3,816 6,721	15 40	47 44	22	15 5	1142
Migrant																						;			
Migrant Migrant Students																						i.			
Migrant Students	0 74	0	0	0 49	2	. 6	24	. 10	17		-	10	1144	0 828	27		10		1147	0 10.537	31	. 45	15		1148
All Other Students	/4		24	49	3	0	24	49	17	35	5	10	1141	828	21	51	16	7	114/	10,537	31	45	15	8	1148
Title I								1 1 1				: :					- - -	1 1 1				1 1 1	1 1	1 1	
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0										4						2,680	15	45	23	17	1142
All Other Students	74	1	24	49	3	6	24	49	17	35	5	10	1141	824	27	51	16	7	1147	7,857	37	45	12	6	1150
504 Plan																						- - -			
Students with a 504 Plan	1	0	1	0										9						238	29	49	19	3	1148
All Other Students	73	1	23	49	3	6	24	49	17	35	5	10	1141	819	27	51	15	7	1147	10,299	31	45	15	9	1148
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Fall 2011 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2011-2012 Mathematics Results

School:NEL/CPS Construction CareerDistrict:CranstonState:Rhode IslandCode:07-07135

Proficient with Distinction (Level 4)

Student's problem solving demonstrates logical reasoning with strong explanations that include both words and proper mathematical notation. Student's work exhibits a high level of accuracy, effective use of a variety of strategies, and an understanding of mathematical concepts within and across grade level expectations. Student demonstrates the ability to move from concrete to abstract representations.

(Scaled Score 1152–1180)

Proficient (Level 3)

Student's problem solving demonstrates logical reasoning with appropriate explanations that include both words and proper mathematical notation. Student uses a variety of strategies that are often systematic. Computational errors do not interfere with communicating understanding. Student demonstrates conceptual understanding of most aspects of the grade level expectations. **(Scaled Score 1140–1151)**

Partially Proficient (Level 2)

Student's problem solving demonstrates logical reasoning and conceptual understanding in some, but not all, aspects of the grade level expectations. Many problems are started correctly, but computational errors may get in the way of completing some aspects of the problem. Student uses some effective strategies. Student's work demonstrates that he or she is generally stronger with concrete than abstract situations. (Scaled Score 1134–1139)

Substantially Below Proficient (Level 1)

Student's problem solving is often incomplete, lacks logical reasoning and accuracy, and shows little conceptual understanding in most aspects of the grade level expectations. Student is able to start some problems but computational errors and lack of conceptual understanding interfere with solving problems successfully. (Scaled Score 1100–1133)

	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Lev	el 4	Leve	el 3	Lev	el 2	Lev	el 1	Mean
	Ν	N	Ν	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Scaled Score
School													
2009-10	59	2	4	53	0	0	1	2	9	17	43	81	1128
2010-11	85	2	22	61	0	0	2	3	13	21	46	75	1128
2011-12	74	1	24	49	0	0	3	6	11	22	35	71	1130
Cumulative Total	218	5	50	163	0	0	6	4	33	20	124	76	1129
District													
2009-10	823	13	7	803	9	1	176	22	217	27	401	50	1134
2010-11	905	14	27	864	16	2	205	24	286	33	357	41	1134
2011-12	879	4	46	829	10	1	186	22	236	28	397	48	1134
Cumulative Total	2,607	31	80	2,496	35	1	567	23	739	30	1,155	46	1134
State													
2009-10	11,189	195	278	10,716	181	2	2,748	26	2,958	28	4,829	45	1134
2010-11	11,164	156	336	10,672	272	3	3,224	30	3,094	29	4,082	38	1135
2011-12	11,119	119	422	10,578	226	2	2,941	28	2,755	26	4,656	44	1135
Cumulative Total	33,472	470	1,036	31,966	679	2	8,913	28	8,807	28	13,567	42	1135

	Total				Percei	nt of T	otal Po	ossible	e Point	s			
Subtopic	Possible Points	0	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	
Numbers & Operations	19			•	*								 School District
Geometry & Measurement	43		-	•	*								 State
Functions & Algebra	52				•	*							— Standard Error Bar
Data, Statistics, & Probability	22			•		•							



Fall 2011 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2011-2012 Disaggregated Mathematics Results

School:NEL/CPS Construction CareerDistrict:CranstonState:Rhode IslandCode:07-07135

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REPORTING CATEGORIES	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Lev	vel 4	Lev	rel 3	Lev	vel 2	Lev	vel 1	Mean Scaled	Tested	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Mean Scaled	Tested	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Mean Scaled
	N	N	N	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score
All Students	74	1	24	49	0	0	3	6	11	22	35	71	1130	829	1	22	28	48	1134	10,578	2	28	26	44	1135
Gender																									
Male	47	0	10	37	0	; 0	3	; 8	7	19	27	73	1130	417	1	22	29	47	1134	5,351	3	29	26	43	1135
Female	27	1	14	12	0	; 0	0	; 0	4	33	8	67	1129	412	1	23	27	49	1134	5,208	2	27	26	45	1134
Not Reported	0	0	0	0				i.						0						19	0	5	42	53	1129
Race/Ethnicity				5		1				1		1		120					1120	1.055			10	. 70	1129
Hispanic or Latino Not Hispanic or Latino	6	0	1	5		i.		i.						129	0	4	29	67	1130	1,955	<1	11	19	70	1129
American Indian or Alaskan Native	2	0	0	2		:		1		:		:		4			:	1		51	0	6	25	69	1130
Asian	3	0	0	3		:		1						69	1	41	25	33	1137	291	5	40	23	32	1130
Black or African American	3	0	1	2		:		1				1		27	0	4	25	70	1130	868	0	9	24	70	1129
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0		1		1				1		0			20		1150	18	0	17	39	44	1135
White	58	1	21	36	0	: 0	3	8	9	25	24	67	1130	592	2	26	29	44	1135	7,193	3	35	29	34	1137
Two or more races	2	0	1	1	Ŭ	:		: 0		25	27	: 07	1150	8	-	. 20	25		1155	174	3	20	26	51	1133
No Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0		-		1						0				1 1 1		28	4	4	36	57	1129
						:		i.															-		
LEP Status Current LEP student	0	0	0	0		1		i.						25	0	12	12	76	1126	380	-1	3	6	90	1123
	0	0	0	0				i.						0	0	12	12	70	1120	24	<1 0	13		90 75	1123
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1 Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	0	0	0	0				1						0				1		24 34	0	6	13	82	1128
All Other Students	74	1	24	49	0	0			11		25	71	1120		1		20	47	1124		2	29	27	42	1130
All Other Students	/4		24	49	0	. 0	3	6	11	22	35	71	1130	804	1	23	29	47	1134	10,140	2	29	21	42	1135
IEP												1 1 1					- - -	1 1 1				1 1 1	-	1 1 1	
Students with an IEP	23	1	4	18	0	; 0	0	; 0	4	22	14	; 78	1129	120	0	3	; 13	83	1126	1,634	<1	4	; 12	84	1125
All Other Students	51	0	20	31	0	: 0	3	; 10	7	23	21	68	1131	709	1	26	31	42	1135	8,944	2	32	29	37	1136
SES								-														1			
Economically Disadvantaged Students	36	0	9	27	0	0	0	0	6	22	21	78	1129	266	1	12	25	62	1132	3,829	<1	14	22	64	1131
All Other Students	38	1	15	22	0	0	3	14	5	23	14	64	1132	563	1	28	30	41	1135	6,749	3	36	28	33	1137
Migrant						i.		i.																	
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0		1		1				1		0			1	1		0		:	1		
All Other Students	74	1	24	49	0	0	3	6	11	22	35	71	1130	829	1	22	28	48	1134	10,578	2	28	26	44	1135
Title I						1		i i															1		
Title I Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0				1						4				1		2,688	1	13	20	66	1130
All Other Students	74	1	24	49	0	0	3	6	11	22	35	71	1130	4 825	1	22	29	48	1134	2,688 7,890	3	33	20	37	1130
504.01						-																			
504 Plan						;		1									1	1 1		226					1125
Students with a 504 Plan	1	0		0							25	. 74	1120	9				40	1174	236	2	29	32	37	1136
All Other Students	73	1	23	49	0	; 0	3	; 6	11	22	35	; 71	1130	820	1	22	28	48	1134	10,342	2	28	26	44	1135

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Fall 2011 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2011-2012 Writing Results

School:NEL/CPS Construction CareerDistrict:CranstonState:Rhode IslandCode:07-07135

Proficient with Distinction (Level 4)

Student's writing demonstrates an ability to respond to prompt/task with clarity and insight. Focus is well developed and maintained throughout response. Response demonstrates use of strong organizational structures. A variety of elaboration strategies is evident. Sentence structures and language choices are varied and used effectively. Response demonstrates control of conventions; minor errors may occur. (Raw Score 10–12)

Proficient (Level 3)

Student's writing demonstrates an ability to respond to prompt/task. Focus is clear and maintained throughout the response. Response is organized with a beginning, middle, and end with appropriate transitions. Details are sufficiently elaborated to support focus. Sentence structures and language use are varied. Response demonstrates control of conventions; errors may occur but do not interfere with meaning.

(Raw Score 7–9)

Partially Proficient (Level 2)

Student's writing demonstrates an attempt to respond to prompt/task. Focus may be present but not maintained. Organizational structure is inconsistent with limited use of transitions. Details may be listed and lack elaboration. Sentence structures and language use are unsophisticated and may be repetitive. Response demonstrates inconsistent control of conventions. (Raw Score 4–6)

Substantially Below Proficient (Level 1)

Student's writing demonstrates a minimal response to prompt/task. Focus is unclear or lacking. Little or no organizational structure is evident. Details are minimal and/or random. Sentence structures and language use are minimal or absent. Frequent errors in conventions may interfere with meaning. (Raw Score 2–3)

	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Leve	el 4	Leve	el 3	Leve	el 2	Lev	el 1	Mean
	Ν	N	Ν	N	N	%	N	%	Ν	%	N	%	Score
School													
2009-10	59	2	4	53	0	0	22	42	29	55	2	4	6.2
2010-11	85	1	22	62	0	0	5	8	56	90	1	2	5.5
2011-12	74	1	24	49	0	0	11	22	36	73	2	4	5.4
Cumulative Total	218	4	50	164	0	0	38	23	121	74	5	3	5.7
District													
2009-10	823	12	7	804	57	7	369	46	340	42	38	5	6.6
2010-11	905	13	32	860	5	1	413	48	414	48	28	3	6.5
2011-12	879	5	48	826	29	4	366	44	396	48	35	4	6.4
Cumulative Total	2,607	30	87	2,490	91	4	1,148	46	1,150	46	101	4	6.5
State													
2009-10	11,189	221	289	10,679	742	7	5,124	48	4,253	40	560	5	6.7
2010-11	11,164	189	381	10,594	119	1	5,269	50	4,680	44	526	5	6.4
2011-12	11,119	116	495	10,508	478	5	4,830	46	4,499	43	701	7	6.4
Cumulative Total	33,472	526	1,165	31,781	1,339	4	15,223	48	13,432	42	1,787	6	6.5

	Types of Writing Reported in the Results Above
2009-10	Procedure Writing a procedure is writing to explain a process or to inform an audience of how to do something. A procedure piece presents the steps of the process in a clear, logical, easy-to-follow manner; includes all necessary steps; and defines any terms the audience may not know.
2010-11	Reflective Essay A form of writing in which the writer explores and shares the meaning of a personal experience, belief, or idea.
2011-12	Persuasive Essay Persuasive writing is writing that aims at convincing people to accept a point of view, to change their minds about something or to act in a certain way. A persuasive essay is a form of writing in which a writer supports an opinion and tries to persuade an audience.



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	A	/erage	e Scoi	re C	ompari	ison b	у Туре	of Wr	iting [§]							
T () M () ()				Sch	ool			l	Distric	t				State		
Type of Writing	Tested	Number Tested	Mean Score	0		7 12	Number Tested	Mean Score	0	7	12	Number Tested	Mean Score	0	7	12
Persuasive Essay Persuasive writing is writing that aims at convincing people to accept a point of view, to change their minds about something or to act in a	2011-12 (C)	49	5.4		-		826	6.4		-		10,508	6.4			
certain way. A persuasive essay is a form of writing in which a writer supports an opinion and tries to persuade an audience.	2010-11	8					105	6.7				1,340	6.6			
Response to Literary Text Writing in which the writer analyzes plot/ideas/concepts, making inferences about content, characters, philosophy, theme, author's	2011-12	4					99	6.3				1,304	6.4			
craft, or other elements within a piece of literature or informational text.	2010-11	7					110	6.4		-		1,327	6.2			
Response to Informational Text Writing in which the writer analyzes plot/ideas/concepts, making	2011-12	8					109	5.7		-		1,330	6.0		-	
inferences about content, characters, philosophy, theme, author's craft, or other elements within a piece of literature or informational text.	2010-11	10	5.3		-		110	6.2				1,313	6.3			
Reflective Essay A form of writing in which the writer explores and shares the meaning	2011-12	5					101	6.7		-		1,317	6.7		-	
of a personal experience, belief, or idea.	2010-11 (C)	62	5.5		-		860	6.5				10,594	6.4			
Report Writing that results from gathering, investigating, and organizing facts and thoughts on a focused topic.	2011-12	8					108	6.9		-		1,317	6.7			
	2010-11	9					112	6.7		-		1,328	6.6			
Procedure Writing a procedure is writing to explain a process or to inform an audience of how to do something. A procedure piece presents the steps	2011-12	6					99	6.3		-		1,300	6.6		-	
of the process in a clear, logical, easy-to-follow manner; includes all necessary steps; and defines any terms the audience may not know.	2010-11 (NA)															

(C) This type of writing was administered to all students. (NA) This type of writing was not administered to students in 2010-11

The • shows this year's score and the black bar (_____) shows the range where most students in this sample scored.

The A shows last year's score and the gray bar () shows the range where most students in this sample scored.

§ The range of 0 to 12 on the graphic display represents the possible score range for the writing prompt. The range of 0 to 12 is a result of adding the two scores assigned to the student's response from the 6-point scoring rubric.

The score of 7 represents the score required to be proficient.



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			Score Di	stribution	Ì		Scoring Rubric									
Total	Score	Score	Sch	ool	Dis	trict	State		purpose is clear throughout; strong focus/controlling idea OR strongly stated purpose focuses the writing intentionally organized for effect • fully developed details; rich and/or insightful elaboration supports purpose							
Score	1	2	Ν	%	N	%	%	6	 distinctive voice, tone, and style enhance meaning • consistent application of the rules of grade-level grammar, usage, and mechanics 							
12	6	6	0	0	1	<1	<1		• purpose is clear; focus/controlling idea is maintained throughout • well-organized and coherent throughout							
11	6	5	0	0	4	<1	1	5	 details are relevant and support purpose; details are sufficiently elaborated • strong command of sent structure; uses language to enhance meaning • consistent application of the rules of grade-level grammusage, and mechanics 							
10	5	5	0	0	24	3	4		purpose is evident; focus/controlling idea may not be maintained • generally organized and coherent							
9	5	4	1	2	51	6	8	4	details are relevant and mostly support purpose • well-constructed sentences; uses language well may show inconsistent control of grade-level grammar, usage, and mechanics							
8	4	4	3	6	181	22	21		• writing has a general purpose • some sense of organization; may have lapses in coherence							
7	4	3	7	14	134	16	17	3	some relevant details support purpose • uses language adequately; may show little variety of sentence structures • may contain some serious errors in grammar, usage, and mechanics							
6	3	3	12	24	186	23	21		tempted or vague purpose; stays on topic • little evidence of organization; lapses in coherence							
5	3	2	8	16	82	10	9	2	generalizes or lists details lacks sentence control; uses language poorly errors in grammar, usage, and mechanics are distracting							
4	2	2	16	33	128	15	13	1	Iack of evident purpose; topic may not be clear • incoherent or underdeveloped organization • random information • rudimentary or deficient use of language • serious and persistent errors in grammar, usage.							
3	2	1	2	4	21	3	3	I	and mechanics throughout							
2	1	1	0	0	11	1	3	0	Response is totally incorrect or irrelevant.							
0	0	0	0	0	3	<1	1	U								

Score 1 and Score 2 represent two independent scores assigned to a student's response to the common writing prompt. The two scores added together equal the student's total score on the common writing prompt. If the two scores differ by more than one point, the student's response is scored a third time to resolve the difference.



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	School													Dist	trict		State								
REPORTING CATEGORIES	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Level 4		Level 3		Level 2		Level 1		Mean Score	Tested	Level 4		Level 2	Level 1	Mean Score	Tested	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Mean Score
	N	N	N	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		N	%	%	%	%	1	N	%	%	%	%	1
All Students	74	1	24	49	0	0	11	22	36	73	2	4	5.4	826	4	44	48	4	6.4	10,508	5	46	43	7	6.4
Gender						- - -											1 1 1	1 1 1				1 1 1			
Male	47	0	10	37	0	0	7	19	28	76	2	5	5.3	415	3	36	55	6	6.0	5,312	3	40	47	9	6.1
Female	27	1	14	12	0	0	4	33	8	67	0	0	5.8	411	4	53	40	3	6.7	5,181	6	52	38	4	6.8
Not Reported	0	0	0	0								1 1		0				1 1		15	0	7	53	40	4.0
Race/Ethnicity																									
Hispanic or Latino	6	0	1	5										128	1	40	51	9	6.0	1,921	1	33	52	14	5.6
Not Hispanic or Latino																		1							
American Indian or Alaskan Native	2	0	0	2										4			-	1		50	2	38	50	10	5.8
Asian	3	0	0	3										68	3	56	40	1	6.7	287	7	51	39	3	6.8
Black or African American	3	0	1	2										27	4	33	52	⁻ 11	6.0	870	2	29	57	12	5.5
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0										0						19	0	37	58	5	5.7
White	58	1	21	36	0	: 0	8	22	27	75	1		5.4	591	4	45	48	3	6.4	7,164	6	52	38	4	6.8
Two or more races	2	0	1	1	Ŭ		Ŭ		27		· ·		3.1	8					0.1	174	6	33	55	7	6.1
No Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0		-		1 1 1				1 1		0		-		1 • •		23	4	4	52	39	4.0
LEP Status												, ,						, , ,				1			
Current LEP student	0	0	0	0		1		1						23	0	: 9	65	26	4.0	345	0	6	54	39	3.7
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	0	0	0	0		1		1						0	U U	; ,	; 05	, 20	4.0	24	0	25		4	5.7
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	0	0	0	0										0				1		33	0	33	61	6	5.5
All Other Students	74	1	24	49	0	0	11	22	36	73	2	4	5.4	803	4	45	47	4	6.4	10,106	5	47	42	6	6.5
IEP								1										- - 				1			
Students with an IEP	23	1	4	18	0	0	3	17	14	78	1	6	5.1	120	1	15	74	10	5.1	1,619	1	15	62	22	4.7
All Other Students	51	0	20	31	0	0	8	26	1	, 78	1	. 3	5.5	706	4	49	43	3	6.6	8,889	5	52	· 39	4	6.7
All Other Students	10	U	20	51	0		8	20	22			3	5.5	706	4	49	43	3	0.0	8,889	5	52	39	4	0.7
SES						-		-								-	-	-							
Economically Disadvantaged Students	36	0	9	27	0	0	4	15	21	78	2	7	5.1	266	3	36	54	8	5.9	3,803	2	34	53	11	5.7
All Other Students	38	1	15	22	0	0	7	32	15	68	0	0	5.7	560	4	48	45	3	6.6	6,705	6	53	37	4	6.8
Migrant																									
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0		-								0		-	-	-		0					
All Other Students	74	1	24	49	0	0	11	22	36	73	2	4	5.4	826	4	44	48	4	6.4	10,508	5	46	43	7	6.4
Title I																		1				- - -			
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0										4				1		2,670	2	33	53	13	5.6
All Other Students	74	1	24	49	0	0	11	22	36	73	2	4	5.4	822	3	44	48	4	6.4	7,838	6	50	39	5	6.7
504 Plan																	1	1				1			
Students with a 504 Plan	1	0	1	0										9			:			238	2	47	44	6	6.4
All Other Students	73		23	49	0	: 0	11	22	36	73	2	4	5.4	817	4	44	48	4	6.4	10,270	5	46	43	7	6.4
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Level 4 = Proficient with Distinction; Level 3 = Proficient; Level 2 = Partially Proficient; Level 1 = Substantially Below Proficient