About The New England Common Assessment Program

ASSESSMENT

This report highlights results from the Fall 2012 New **England Common** Assessment Program (NECAP) tests. The NECAP tests are administered to students in New 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.

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 ENGLAN test, students may be required to provide the correct

answer to a computation or word problem, draw or interpret a chart 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

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 2012 **Beginning of Grade 11 NFCAP Tests**

Grade 11 Students in 2012-2013

School Results

School: William E. Tolman High

District: Pawtucket

Code: 26-26105



Fall 2012 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests **Grade 11 Students in 2012-2013 Grade Level Summary Report**

School: William E. Tolman High

District: Pawtucket State: **Rhode Island** Code: 26-26105

DADTICIDATION : NECAD					Number	•							Pe	ercenta	ge			
PARTICIPATION in NECAP		School			District			State			School			District	t		State	
Students enrolled on or after October 1		248			526			11,043			100			100			100	
	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing
Students tested	234	233	233	501	501	501	10,390	10,438	10,366	94	94	94	95	95	95	94	95	94
With an approved accommodation	38	38	38	119	163	102	1,967	2,729	1,275	16	16	16	24	33	20	19	26	12
Current LEP Students	2	2	2	62	64	62	365	416	361	1	1	1	12	13	12	4	4	3
With an approved accommodation	1	1	1	28	47	27	97	131	88	50	50	50	45	73	44	27	31	24
IEP Students	40	40	40	77	77	78	1,476	1,464	1,463	17	17	17	15	15	16	14	14	14
With an approved accommodation	38	38	38	69	70	68	860	885	848	95	95	95	90	91	87	58	60	58
Students not tested in NECAP	14	15	15	25	25	25	653	605	677	6	6	6	5	5	5	6	5	6
State Approved	4	5	4	8	7	6	225	181	216	29	33	27	32	28	24	34	30	32
Alternate Assessment	4	4	4	4	4	4	125	125	125	100	80	100	50	57	67	56	69	58
First Year LEP	0	0	0	2	0	2	54	0	52	0	0	0	25	0	33	24	0	24
Withdrew After October 1	0	1	0	2	3	0	31	36	28	0	20	0	25	43	0	14	20	13
Enrolled After October 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	<1	1	<1
Special Consideration	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	18	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	10	5
Other	10	10	11	17	18	19	428	424	461	71	67	73	68	72	76	66	70	68

NECAD RESULTS

						Schoo	ol									Dist	trict					Sta	ite		
	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Lev	vel 4	Lev	el 3	Lev	rel 2	Leve	el 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
	N	N	N	N	N	%	N		N	%	N			N	%	%	%	%		N	%	%	%	%	
READING	248	4	10	234	31	13	114	49	55	24	34	15	1142	501	14	44	25	17	1142	10,390	33	46	14	8	1149
МАТН	248	5	10	233	0	0	32	14	59	25	142	61	1131	501	0	15	22	63	1131	10,438	2	32	26	40	1135
WRITING	248	4	11	233	2	1	54	23	154	66	23	10	5.5	501	1	24	63	12	5.4	10,366	4	46	44	6	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 2012 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2012-2013

Reading Results

School: William E. Tolman High

District: Pawtucket **State**: Rhode Island **Code**: 26-26105

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
	N	N	N	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Scaled Score
School													
2010-11	299	10	10	279	24	9	152	54	77	28	26	9	1142
2011-12	287	7	21	259	32	12	137	53	64	25	26	10	1143
2012-13	248	4	10	234	31	13	114	49	55	24	34	15	1142
Cumulative Total	834	21	41	772	87	11	403	52	196	25	86	11	1142
District		:											
2010-11	566	15	14	537	55	10	265	49	148	28	69	13	1142
2011-12	580	11	51	518	63	12	250	48	136	26	69	13	1142
2012-13	526	8	17	501	70	14	220	44	125	25	86	17	1142
Cumulative Total	1,672	34	82	1,556	188	12	735	47	409	26	224	14	1142
State		:											
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
2012-13	11,043	225	428	10,390	3,422	33	4,741	46	1,432	14	795	8	1149
Cumulative Total	33,326	536	1,235	31,555	9,675	31	14,649	46	4,691	15	2,540	8	1148

	Total				Percen	nt of T	otal Po	ossible	Point	s			
Subtopic	Possible Points	0	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	
Word ID/Vocabulary	19							*	•				
ype of Text													School
Literary	42						-	-	•				▲ District◆ State
Informational	43						→	•					— Standa Error B
Level of Comprehension													
Initial Understanding	38						-	◆	•				
Analysis & Interpretation	47						*						



Fall 2012 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2012-2013 Disaggregated Reading Results

School: William E. Tolman High

District: Pawtucket **State**: Rhode Island **Code**: 26-26105

						Scho	ol									Dist	trict					Sta	ate		
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	Mear		Level 4	Level	Level 2	Level	Mean Scaled
	N	N	N	N	N	: %	N	: %	N	: %	N	%	Score	N	%	%	: %	%	Score		%	%	: %	%	Score
All Students	248	4	10	234	31	13	114	49	55	24	34	15	1142	501	14	44	25	17	1142	10,390	33	46	14	8	1149
Gender												! !						1				1			
Male	137	3	7	127	9	7	61	48	34	27	23	18	1140	267	9	42	29	21	1139	5,251	27	48	16	10	1147
Female	111	1	3	107	22	21	53	50	21	20	11	10	1145	234	20	46	21	13	1144	5,136	39	44	12	6	1150
Not Reported	0	0	0	0		1		:		:				0				1		3			1		
Race/Ethnicity												!					1	1				1	1		
Hispanic or Latino	88	2	3	83	10	; 12	40	; 48	21	; 25	12	14	1142	165	10	48	25	16	1141	2,042	16	43	; 23	18	1142
Not Hispanic or Latino						1		1		:												1	:	:	
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1	0	0	1		1								2						42	31	50	; 19	0	1149
Asian	5	0	0	5	_	1				:	_			11	36	45	; 18	0	1152	279	37	37	; 16	10	1148
Black or African American	37	1	2	34	4	; 12	10	; 29	13	; 38	7	; 21	1138	143	13	32	; 29	26	1139	852	16	44	; 24	16	1142
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	1	0	0	1					4.0		42			1 1	4.0	40	,	1 42	4443	32	19	53	; 22	6	1146
White	102	0	5 0	96	14	15	54	; 56 · 50	16	17	12	13	1144	152	16 19	49	; 22 · 15	13	1143	6,930	40	47	10	4	1151
Two or more races No Race/Ethnicity Reported	14 0	0	0	14 0	2	14	'	; 50	3	21	2	14	1144	27 0	19	56	15	11	1144	187 26	28 8	50 15	17	6 62	1148 1128
LEP Status																						1	-		
Current LEP student	2	0	0	2		1		1						62	2	5	29	65	1127	365	1	. 8	24	67	1126
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	3	0	1	2				1						10	0	60	40	. 0	1141	46	0	48	41	11	1138
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	3	0	Ö	3		1								6			. 40	;	''	17	0	41	53	6	1139
All Other Students	240	4	9	227	31	14	112	49	52	23	32	14	1143	423	16	49	24	11	1144	9,962	34	47	13	5	1149
IEP						:		:		:								1 1 1				1			
Students with an IEP	45	4	1	40	0	. 0	8	20	11	28	21	53	1130	77	1	18	31	49	1130	1,476	4	34	33	29	1136
All Other Students	203	0	9	194	31	16	106	55	44	23	13	7	1145	424	16	49	24	11	1144	8,914	38	48	11	4	1151
SES																									
Economically Disadvantaged Students	152	3	5	144	13	9	70	49	37	26	24	17	1141	371	11	42	27	20	1140	3,967	18	47	22	12	1144
All Other Students	96	1	5	90	18	20	44	49	18	20	10	11	1145	130	22	49	19	9	1146	6,423	42	45	8	5	1151
Migrant						1		:				: :						1				1	-		
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0		1		:		:				0			:	:		0		1	1	:	
All Other Students	248	4	10	234	31	13	114	49	55	24	34	15	1142	501	14	44	25	17	1142	10,390	33	46	14	8	1149
Title I								1									1	1				1	1		
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0		1								0				1	1	2,305	19	43	22	16	1143
All Other Students	248	4	10	234	31	13	114	49	55	24	34	15	1142	501	14	44	25	17	1142	8,085	37	46	11	5	1150
504 Plan												:													
Students with a 504 Plan	0	0	0	0		1								1					1	245	30	58	10	2	1150
All Other Students	248	4	10	234	31	13	114	49	55	24	34	15	1142	500	14	44	25	17	1142	10,145	33	45	14	8	1148
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Fall 2012 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2012-2013

Mathematics Results

School: William E. Tolman High

District: Pawtucket **State**: Rhode Island **Code**: 26-26105

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	Lev	el 3	Lev	el 2	Lev	el 1	Mean
	N	N	N	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Scaled Score
School													
2010-11	299	10	11	278	3	1	42	15	74	27	159	57	1132
2011-12	287	; 7 :	24	256	2	1	34	13	46	18	174	68	1130
2012-13	248	5	10	233	0	0	32	14	59	25	142	61	1131
Cumulative Total	834	22	45	767	5	1	108	14	179	23	475	62	1131
District													
2010-11	566	13	18	535	3	1	87	16	148	28	297	56	1132
2011-12	580	11	55	514	3	1	68	13	91	18	352	68	1130
2012-13	526	7	18	501	0	0	74	15	110	22	317	63	1131
Cumulative Total	1,672	31	91	1,550	6	<1	229	15	349	23	966	62	1131
State		:											
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
2012-13	11,043	181	424	10,438	250	2	3,298	32	2,731	26	4,159	40	1135
Cumulative Total	33,326	456	1,182	31,688	748	2	9,463	30	8,580	27	12,897	41	1135

-1.	Total				Perce	nt of T	otal P	ossible	Point	s			
Subtopic	Possible Points	0	10	20	30	40	50 :	60	70	80	90	100	
Numbers & Operations	21	:			. :								School
Geometry & Measurement	41			•	<u>.</u>								▲ District◆ State
Functions & Algebra	53				→	-							— StandardError Bar
Data, Statistics, & Probability	21			•	- : r	•							



Fall 2012 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2012-2013 Disaggregated Mathematics Results

School: William E. Tolman High

District: Pawtucket **State:** Rhode Island **Code:** 26-26105

						Scho	ool									Dist	rict					Sta	ate		
REPORTING CATEGORIES	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Lev	el 4	Lev	rel 3	Lev	vel 2	Lev	el 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	248	5	10	233	0	0	32	14	59	25	142	61	1131	501	0	15	22	63	1131	10,438	2	32	26	40	1135
Gender																									
Male	137	3	6	128	0	. 0	17	¹ 13	34	27	77	60	1131	267	0	13	21	65	1130	5,271	3	33	24	39	1136
Female	111	2	4	105	0	. 0	15	14	25	24	65	62	1131	234	0	16	23	61	1131	5,162	2	30	28	40	1135
Not Reported	0	0	0	0	ŭ			1		: -:				0						5	_				55
Race/Ethnicity						:												1 1						1 1	
Hispanic or Latino	88	2	2	84	0	. 0	10	12	25	. 30	49	58	1131	167	0	11	27	62	1131	2,082	<1	13	23	64	1130
Not Hispanic or Latino		_									"				_										
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1	0	0	1			İ	1					İ	2						42	2	26	26	45	1136
Asian	5	0	0	5		:	İ	:		:	İ	:	İ	l 11	0	73	0	27	1139	286	6	34	27	34	1137
Black or African American	37	1 1	2	34	0	. 0	3	. g	3		28	82	1127	144	0	13	15	72	1128	858	0	14	21	64	1130
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	1	0	0	1				1					İ	l 1						31	0	19	35	45	1136
White	102	2	6	94	0	. 0	14	15	26	. 28	54	57	1132	149	0	16	24	60	1132	6,926	3	40	28	29	1138
Two or more races	14	0	0	14	0	0	2	14	5	36	7	50	1132	27	0	19	30	52	1133	187	4	24	20	52	1135
No Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0			_							0						26	0	0	15	85	1123
LEP Status						:		1		:															
Current LEP student	2	0	0	2		:		:		:				64	0	. 0	5	95	1122	416	<1	3	6	90	1122
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	3	0	0	3		:		:		:				11	0	9	18	73	1131	47	0	9	23	68	1130
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	3	0	0	3		:		:		:	İ			6	_					17	0	6	24	71	1129
All Other Students	240	5	10	225	0	0	31	14	59	26	135	60	1131	420	0	17	25	58	1132	9,958	3	33	27	38	1136
IEP								1										1				1		1	
Students with an IEP	45	4	1	40	0	. 0	0	. 0	3	8	37	93	1122	77	0	. 0	6	94	1122	1,464	<1	5	12	83	1125
All Other Students	203	1	9	193	0	0	32	17	56	29	105	54	1133	424	0	17	25	58	1132	8,974	3	36	28	33	1137
SES																		1				1		1	
Economically Disadvantaged Students	152	3	5	144	0	. 0	19	13	37	. 26	88	61	1131	372	0	13	20	66	1130	4,001	<1	17	24	58	1131
All Other Students	96	2	5	89	0	. 0	13	15	22	25	54	61	1132	129	0	19	26	54	1133	6,437	4	41	27	28	1138
All Other Students	90	2)	09	U	. 0	13	. 13	22	. 23	34	. 01	1132	129	0	19	20	. 34	1133	0,437	4	41	. 21	. 20	1130
Migrant										:												1	:		
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0										0						0			1		
All Other Students	248	5	10	233	0	0	32	14	59	25	142	61	1131	501	0	15	22	63	1131	10,438	2	32	26	40	1135
Title I								i																	
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0				:		:				0						2,348	1	17	22	61	1131
All Other Students	248	5	10	233	0	0	32	14	59	25	142	61	1131	501	0	15	22	63	1131	8,090	3	36	27	34	1137
504 Plan						:		1										1				1		1	
Students with a 504 Plan	0	0	0	0				1						1				1		245	3	28	33	36	1137
All Other Students	248	5	10	233	0	. 0	32	. 14	59	. 25	142	61	1131	500	0	15	22	63	1131	10,193	2	32	26	40	1137
All Other Students	240	'	10	233	U		32	. 14	33	. 23	142	. 01	1131	1 300	"	. 13	. 22	. 05	1151	10,193			. 20		1133

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Fall 2012 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2012-2013

Writing Results

School: William E. Tolman High

District: Pawtucket **State**: Rhode Island **Code**: 26-26105

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)

(Raw Score 4-6)

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.

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	Lev	el 4	Leve	el 3	Lev	el 2	Lev	el 1	Mean
	N	N	N	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Score
School													
2010-11	299	10	9	280	0	0	86	31	173	62	21	8	5.9
2011-12	287	7 :	22	258	2	1	75	29	162	63	19	7	5.5
2012-13	248	4	11	233	2	1	54	23	154	66	23	10	5.5
Cumulative Total	834	21	42	771	4	1	215	28	489	63	63	8	5.6
District							1 :						
2010-11	566	15	16	535	3	1	172	32	309	58	51	10	5.8
2011-12	580	11	51	518	4	1	153	30	303	58	58	11	5.5
2012-13	526	6	19	501	4	1	121	24	316	63	60	12	5.4
Cumulative Total	1,672	32	86	1,554	11	1	446	29	928	60	169	11	5.6
State													
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
2012-13	11,043	216	461	10,366	363	4	4,794	46	4,601	44	608	6	6.4
Cumulative Total	33,326	521	1,337	31,468	960	3	14,893	47	13,780	44	1,835	6	6.4

	Types of Writing Reported in the Results Above
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.
2012-13	Response to Literary Text Writing in which the writer analyzes plot/ideas/concepts, making inferences about content, characters, philosophy, theme, author's craft, or other elements within a piece of literature or informational text.



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Average Score Comparison by Type of Writing§

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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
Response to Literary Text Writing in which the writer analyzes plot/ideas/concepts, making inferences about content, characters, philosophy, theme, author's	2012-13 (C)	233	5.5		-	•	501	5.4		-		10,366	6.4		-	
craft, or other elements within a piece of literature or informational text.	2011-12	32	5.6				65	5.1				1,304	6.4			
Response to Informational Text Writing in which the writer analyzes plot/ideas/concepts, making inferences about content, characters, philosophy, theme, author's	2012-13	42	5.5		-		85	5.5		-		1,705	6.4		-	ı
craft, or other elements within a piece of literature or informational text.	2011-12	37	5.4				76	5.1				1,330	6.0			
Reflective Essay A form of writing in which the writer explores and shares the meaning of a personal experience, belief, or idea.	2012-13	42	6.2		-		88	6.0		-	•	1,732	7.1		-	-
	2011-12	36	6.2		-		71	5.7		4		1,317	6.7			
Report Writing that results from gathering, investigating, and organizing facts and thoughts on a focused topic.	2012-13	17	5.8		-		40	6.0		-	•	881	6.8		-	•
	2011-12	30	6.4		-		60	5.9			.	1,317	6.7		4	-
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	2012-13	38	5.9		-		82	5.8		-	•	1,726	6.7		-	
certain way. A persuasive essay is a form of writing in which a writer supports an opinion and tries to persuade an audience.	2011-12 (C)	258	5.5				518	5.5				10,508	6.4			ı
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	2012-13	39	6.3		-	_	82	6.2		-	-	1,700	6.7		-	•
of the process in a clear, logical, easy-to-follow manner; includes all necessary steps; and defines any terms the audience may not know.	2011-12	26	6.0		_		58	5.3				1,300	6.6		4	

(C) This type of writing was administered to all students.

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.

Note: Some numbers may have been left blank because fewer than ten (10) students were tested.



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			Score Dis	stribution			
Total	Score	Score	Sch	ool	Dis	trict	State
Score	1	2	N	%	N	%	%
12	6	6	0	0	0	0	<1
11	6	5	0	0	0	0	<1
10	5	5	2	1	4	1	3
9	5	4	6	3	9	2	7
8	4	4	18	8	50	10	21
7	4	3	30	13	62	12	18
6	3	3	82	35	154	31	25
5	3	2	23	10	66	13	10
4	2	2	49	21	96	19	10
3	2	1	9	4	25	5	2
2	1	1	11	5	28	6	3

	Scoring Rubric
6	• 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 • distinctive voice, tone, and style enhance meaning • consistent application of the rules of grade-level grammar, usage, and mechanics
5	• purpose is clear; focus/controlling idea is maintained throughout • well-organized and coherent throughout • details are relevant and support purpose; details are sufficiently elaborated • strong command of sentence structure; uses language to enhance meaning • consistent application of the rules of grade-level grammar, usage, and mechanics
4	purpose is evident; focus/controlling idea may not be maintained • generally organized and coherent details are relevant and mostly support purpose • well-constructed sentences; uses language well may show inconsistent control of grade-level grammar, usage, and mechanics
3	writing has a general purpose • some sense of organization; may have lapses in coherence 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
2	* attempted or vague purpose; stays on topic * little evidence of organization; lapses in coherence * generalizes or lists details * lacks sentence control; uses language poorly * errors in grammar, usage, and mechanics are distracting
1	• lack 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, and mechanics throughout
0	Response is totally incorrect or irrelevant.

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													District							State					
REPORTING CATEGORIES	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Level 4		Level 3		Level 2				Mean Score	Tested	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Mean Score	Tested	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Mear Score	
	N	N	N	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		N	%	: %	: %	%		N	%	%	%	%		
All Students	248	4	11	233	2	1	54	23	154	66	23	10	5.5	501	1	24	63	12	5.4	10,366	4	46	44	6	6.4	
Gender																	:	!				!				
Male	137	3	7	127	0	. 0	23	[!] 18	87	69	17	13	5.2	268	1	18	65	16	5.1	5,232	3	39	49	8	6.1	
Female	111	1	4	106	2	: 2	31	29	67	63	6	6	5.9	233	l i	32	61	7	5.8	5,131	4	53	40	3	6.8	
Not Reported	0	0	0	0	_				"				3.5	0					3.0	3		. 33			0.0	
Race/Ethnicity																		1 1 1				!				
Hispanic or Latino	88	2	1	85	1	1	20	24	58	68	6	. 7	5.6	166	1	23	68	. 8	5.5	2,036	1	33	54	12	5.7	
Not Hispanic or Latino	00		'	05	'	. '	20	. 27	30		"	. <i>'</i>	3.0	100	'	. 23	. 00	;	5.5	2,030	' '	. 55	. 54	. '2	J.,	
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1	0	0	1				1		:				2						42	2	43	52	2	6.5	
Asian	5	0	0	5										11	0	45	45	9	6.7	281	5	47	42	6	6.6	
Black or African American	37	1	3	33	0	. 0	9	27	16	48	8	24	5.2	143	1	23	61	15	5.3	848	1	33	56	10	5.8	
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	1	0	0	1		:	1	. 27	10	. 40	"	. 27	J.2	1 1	'	. 23			5.5	31	3	35	58	3	6.4	
White	102	1	7	94	1	1	18	19	68	72	7	. 7	5.5	150	1	23	63	14	5.3	6,918	4	52	40	4	6.7	
Two or more races	14	0	0	14	0	. 0	5	36	7	50	2	14	5.5	28	0	39	50	11	5.8	187	4	43	49	4	6.4	
No Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0		:		:	′	. 50	_		3.5	0			. 50		3.0	23	0	13	17	70	3.3	
LEP Status								:										, ,				I				
Current LEP student	2	0	0	2				1		:				62	0	5	65	31	4.2	361	0	7	52	41	3.8	
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	3	0	0	3				1		:				11	0	: 27	73	. 0	5.7	47	0	23	68	9	5.7	
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	3	0	0	3				1		:				6	0	. 21	, /3	; 0) 3.7	17	0	24	71	6	5.6	
All Other Students	240	4	11	225	2	1	54	24	147	65	22	10	5.5	422	1	27	62	10	5.6	9,941	4	48	44	5	6.5	
IEP																										
Students with an IEP	45	4	1	40	0	. 0	2	5	24	60	14	35	4.0	78			56	38	3.8	1,463	_1	1.4	64	22	4.8	
All Other Students	203	0	10	193	2	. 1	52	27	130	67	9	. 5	4.0 5.8	423	0	; 5 · 28	64	, 30 . 7	5.7	8,903	<1 4	14 51	41	3	6.7	
All Other Students	203		10	195	2	: '	32	. 21	130	. 67	9		5.0	423	'	. 20	. 04	. ,	3.7	0,903	4	:	. 41		0.7	
SES			_																	1			;	_		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	152	3	5	144	1	; 1	27	; 19	99	69	17	12	5.3	372	1	21	65	14	5.3	3,961	1	35	55	8	5.9	
All Other Students	96	1	6	89	1	1	27	30	55	62	6	7	5.9	129	2	33	59	6	5.9	6,405	5	53	38	4	6.8	
Migrant						:										:						! !	1			
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0										0				:		0						
All Other Students	248	4	11	233	2	1	54	23	154	66	23	10	5.5	501	1	24	63	12	5.4	10,366	4	46	44	6	6.4	
Title I						:		1								:	:									
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0				1						0		:				2,297	2	37	51	10	5.9	
All Other Students	248	4	11	233	2	1	54	. 23	154	66	23	10	5.5	501	1	. 24	63	12	5.4	8,069	4	49	43	5	6.6	
/ iii Odici Students	240	"	''	233		: '	54	. 23	'54	. 55	23	. 10).5] 301	'	. 27	. 05] 5.4	0,003	7		5		0.0	
504 Plan						:		1		:				l		:				1		! !	:			
Students with a 504 Plan	0	0	0	0				1		:				1 1						245	2	46	48	4	6.4	
All Other Students	248	4	11	233	2	. 1	54	23	154	66	23	10	5.5	500	1	24	63	12	5.4	10,121	4	46	44	6	6.4	
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Level 4 = Proficient with Distinction; Level 3 = Proficient; Level 2 = Partially Proficient; Level 1 = Substantially Below Proficient