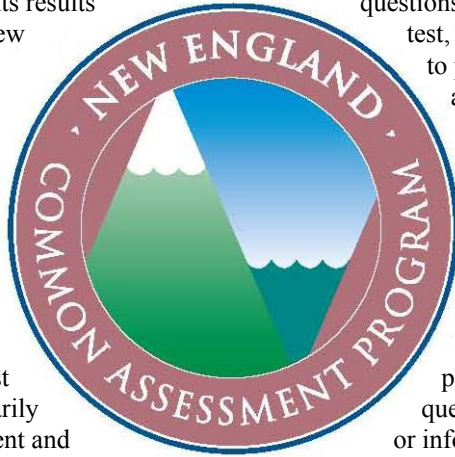


About The New England Common Assessment Program



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 tests are designed to measure the content and skills that students are expected to have as they begin the school year in their current 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 multiple-choice 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 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.

This report contains a variety of school- and/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 results, schools and districts will also receive Item Analysis Reports, Released Item support materials, and student-level data files containing NECAP results. 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 NECAP Tests

Grade 11 Students in 2012-2013

School Results

School: Portsmouth High School

District: Portsmouth

Code: 27-27106



Fall 2012 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests

Grade 11 Students in 2012-2013

Grade Level Summary Report

School:	Portsmouth High School
District:	Portsmouth
State:	Rhode Island
Code:	27-27106

PARTICIPATION in NECAP	Number									Percentage								
	School			District			State			School			District			State		
Students enrolled on or after October 1	281			283			11,043			100			100			100		
Students tested	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing
With an approved accommodation	278	278	280	279	279	281	10,390	10,438	10,366	99	99	100	99	99	99	94	95	94
Current LEP Students	22	22	22	23	23	23	1,967	2,729	1,275	8	8	8	8	8	8	19	26	12
With an approved accommodation	0	0	0	0	0	0	365	416	361	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	3
IEP Students	0	0	0	0	0	0	97	131	88							27	31	24
With an approved accommodation	47	47	48	48	48	49	1,476	1,464	1,463	17	17	17	17	17	17	14	14	14
Other	19	19	19	20	20	20	860	885	848	40	40	40	42	42	41	58	60	58
Students not tested in NECAP	3	3	1	4	4	2	653	605	677	1	1	<1	1	1	1	6	5	6
State Approved	3	3	1	3	3	1	225	181	216	100	100	100	75	75	50	34	30	32
Alternate Assessment	0	0	0	0	0	0	125	125	125	0	0	0	0	0	0	56	69	58
First Year LEP	0	0	0	0	0	0	54	0	52	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	0	24
Withdrew After October 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	31	36	28	0	0	0	0	0	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	3	3	1	3	3	1	14	18	10	100	100	100	100	100	100	6	10	5
Other	0	0	0	1	1	1	428	424	461	0	0	0	25	25	50	66	70	68

NECAP RESULTS

	School												District					State							
	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Level 4		Level 3		Level 2		Level 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	281	3	0	278	138	50	108	39	26	9	6	2	1153	279	49	39	9	2	1153	10,390	33	46	14	8	1149
MATH	281	3	0	278	22	8	135	49	67	24	54	19	1141	279	8	48	24	20	1141	10,438	2	32	26	40	1135
WRITING	281	1	0	280	21	8	143	51	108	39	8	3	7.0	281	7	51	38	3	7.0	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.

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Fall 2012 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests

Grade 11 Students in 2012-2013

Reading Results

School: Portsmouth High School
 District: Portsmouth
 State: Rhode Island
 Code: 27-27106

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.

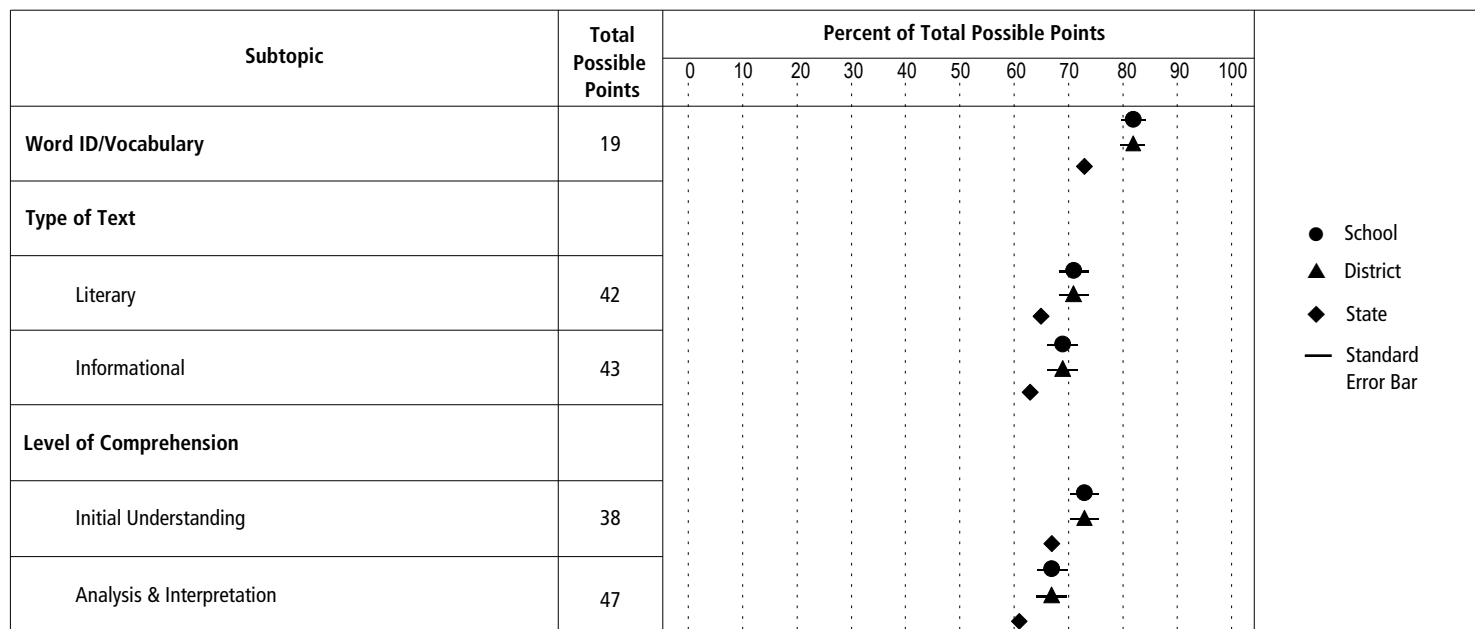
(Scaled Score 1130–1139)

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	Level 4		Level 3		Level 2		Level 1		Mean Scaled Score
	N	N	N	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
School													
2010-11	258	1	1	256	96	38	135	53	21	8	4	2	1151
2011-12	240	0	8	232	93	40	117	50	17	7	5	2	1153
2012-13	281	3	0	278	138	50	108	39	26	9	6	2	1153
Cumulative Total	779	4	9	766	327	43	360	47	64	8	15	2	1152
District													
2010-11	262	1	4	257	96	37	135	53	21	8	5	2	1151
2011-12	246	0	9	237	93	39	120	51	19	8	5	2	1152
2012-13	283	3	1	279	138	49	109	39	26	9	6	2	1153
Cumulative Total	791	4	14	773	327	42	364	47	66	9	16	2	1152
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





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

School: Portsmouth High School
District: Portsmouth
State: Rhode Island
Code: 27-27106

REPORTING CATEGORIES	School												District					State							
	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Level 4		Level 3		Level 2		Level 1		Mean Scaled Score	Tested	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Mean Scaled Score	Tested	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Mean Scaled Score
	N	N	N	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score
All Students	281	3	0	278	138	50	108	39	26	9	6	2	1153	279	49	39	9	2	1153	10,390	33	46	14	8	1149
Gender																									
Male	160	2	0	158	70	44	63	40	20	13	5	3	1152	159	44	40	13	3	1152	5,251	27	48	16	10	1147
Female	121	1	0	120	68	57	45	38	6	5	1	1	1156	120	57	38	5	1	1156	5,136	39	44	12	6	1150
Not Reported	0	0	0	0										0						3					
Race/Ethnicity																									
Hispanic or Latino	6	0	0	6										6						2,042	16	43	23	18	1142
Not Hispanic or Latino																									
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1	0	0	1										1						42	31	50	19	0	1149
Asian	7	0	0	7										7						279	37	37	16	10	1148
Black or African American	10	0	0	10	3	30	5	50	2	20	0	0	1149	10	30	50	20	0	1149	852	16	44	24	16	1142
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0										0						32	19	53	22	6	1146
White	256	3	0	253	126	50	99	39	23	9	5	2	1153	254	50	39	9	2	1153	6,930	40	47	10	4	1151
Two or more races	1	0	0	1										1						187	28	50	17	6	1148
No Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0										0						26	8	15	15	62	1128
LEP Status																									
Current LEP student	0	0	0	0										0						365	1	8	24	67	1126
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	0	0	0	0										0						46	0	48	41	11	1138
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	0	0	0	0										0						17	0	41	53	6	1139
All Other Students	281	3	0	278	138	50	108	39	26	9	6	2	1153	279	49	39	9	2	1153	9,962	34	47	13	5	1149
IEP																									
Students with an IEP	48	1	0	47	3	6	20	43	19	40	5	11	1140	48	6	44	40	10	1140	1,476	4	34	33	29	1136
All Other Students	233	2	0	231	135	58	88	38	7	3	1	<1	1156	231	58	38	3	<1	1156	8,914	38	48	11	4	1151
SES																									
Economically Disadvantaged Students	37	1	0	36	8	22	19	53	8	22	1	3	1148	37	22	54	22	3	1148	3,967	18	47	22	12	1144
All Other Students	244	2	0	242	130	54	89	37	18	7	5	2	1154	242	54	37	7	2	1154	6,423	42	45	8	5	1151
Migrant																									
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0										0						0					
All Other Students	281	3	0	278	138	50	108	39	26	9	6	2	1153	279	49	39	9	2	1153	10,390	33	46	14	8	1149
Title I																									
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0										0						2,305	19	43	22	16	1143
All Other Students	281	3	0	278	138	50	108	39	26	9	6	2	1153	279	49	39	9	2	1153	8,085	37	46	11	5	1150
504 Plan																									
Students with a 504 Plan	4	0	0	4										4						245	30	58	10	2	1150
All Other Students	277	3	0	274	137	50	106	39	25	9	6	2	1153	275	50	39	9	2	1153	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: Portsmouth High School
 District: Portsmouth
 State: Rhode Island
 Code: 27-27106

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.

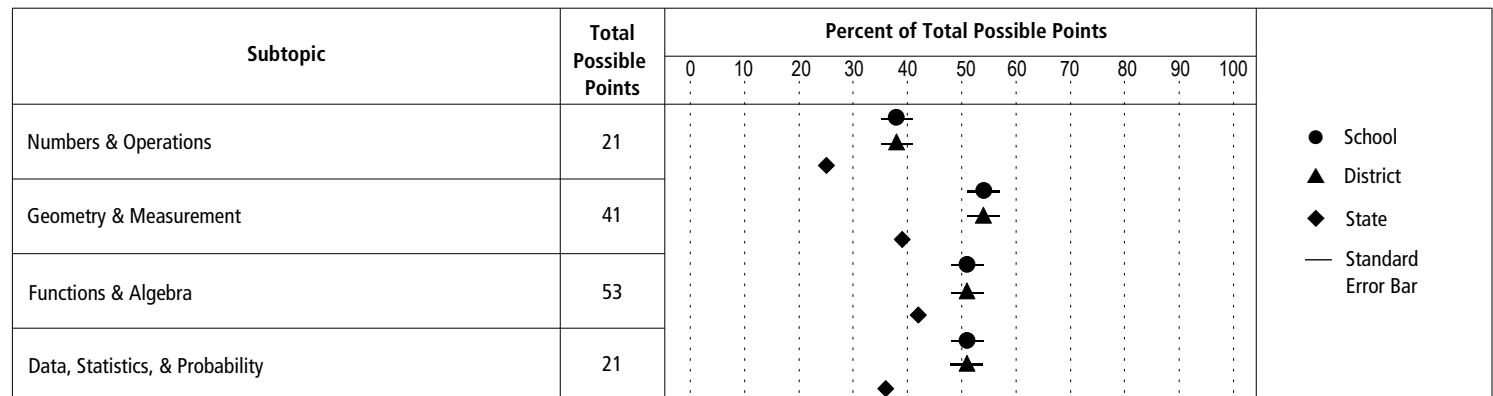
(Scaled Score 1134–1139)

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	Level 4		Level 3		Level 2		Level 1		Mean Scaled Score
	N	N	N	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
School													
2010-11	258	1	1	256	19	7	127	50	72	28	38	15	1141
2011-12	240	1	5	234	15	6	108	46	64	27	47	20	1141
2012-13	281	3	0	278	22	8	135	49	67	24	54	19	1141
Cumulative Total	779	5	6	768	56	7	370	48	203	26	139	18	1141
District													
2010-11	262	1	4	257	19	7	127	49	72	28	39	15	1140
2011-12	246	1	6	239	15	6	108	45	65	27	51	21	1140
2012-13	283	3	1	279	22	8	135	48	67	24	55	20	1141
Cumulative Total	791	5	11	775	56	7	370	48	204	26	145	19	1140
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





Fall 2012 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests

Grade 11 Students in 2012-2013

Disaggregated Mathematics Results

School:	Portsmouth High School
District:	Portsmouth
State:	Rhode Island
Code:	27-27106

REPORTING CATEGORIES	School												District						State						
	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Level 4		Level 3		Level 2		Level 1		Mean Scaled Score	Tested	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Mean Scaled Score	Tested	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Mean Scaled Score
	N	N	N	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score
All Students	281	3	0	278	22	8	135	49	67	24	54	19	1141	279	8	48	24	20	1141	10,438	2	32	26	40	1135
Gender																									
Male	160	2	0	158	16	10	73	46	32	20	37	23	1141	159	10	46	20	24	1141	5,271	3	33	24	39	1136
Female	121	1	0	120	6	5	62	52	35	29	17	14	1141	120	5	52	29	14	1141	5,162	2	30	28	40	1135
Not Reported	0	0	0	0										0						5					
Race/Ethnicity																									
Hispanic or Latino	6	0	0	6										6						2,082	<1	13	23	64	1130
Not Hispanic or Latino																									
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1	0	0	1										1						42	2	26	26	45	1136
Asian	7	0	0	7										7						286	6	34	27	34	1137
Black or African American	10	0	0	10	0	0	4	40	2	20	4	40	1135	10	0	40	20	40	1135	858	0	14	21	64	1130
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0										0						31	0	19	35	45	1136
White	256	3	0	253	19	8	125	49	62	25	47	19	1141	254	7	49	24	19	1141	6,926	3	40	28	29	1138
Two or more races	1	0	0	1										1						187	4	24	20	52	1135
No Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0										0						26	0	0	15	85	1123
LEP Status																									
Current LEP student	0	0	0	0										0						416	<1	3	6	90	1122
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	0	0	0	0										0						47	0	9	23	68	1130
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	0	0	0	0										0						17	0	6	24	71	1129
All Other Students	281	3	0	278	22	8	135	49	67	24	54	19	1141	279	8	48	24	20	1141	9,958	3	33	27	38	1136
IEP																									
Students with an IEP	48	1	0	47	1	2	5	11	12	26	29	62	1131	48	2	10	25	63	1131	1,464	<1	5	12	83	1125
All Other Students	233	2	0	231	21	9	130	56	55	24	25	11	1143	231	9	56	24	11	1143	8,974	3	36	28	33	1137
SES																									
Economically Disadvantaged Students	37	1	0	36	2	6	15	42	6	17	13	36	1137	37	5	41	16	38	1137	4,001	<1	17	24	58	1131
All Other Students	244	2	0	242	20	8	120	50	61	25	41	17	1141	242	8	50	25	17	1141	6,437	4	41	27	28	1138
Migrant																									
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0										0						0					
All Other Students	281	3	0	278	22	8	135	49	67	24	54	19	1141	279	8	48	24	20	1141	10,438	2	32	26	40	1135
Title I																									
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0										0						2,348	1	17	22	61	1131
All Other Students	281	3	0	278	22	8	135	49	67	24	54	19	1141	279	8	48	24	20	1141	8,090	3	36	27	34	1137
504 Plan																									
Students with a 504 Plan	4	0	0	4										4						245	3	28	33	36	1137
All Other Students	277	3	0	274	22	8	134	49	65	24	53	19	1141	275	8	49	24	20	1141	10,193	2	32	26	40	1135

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Fall 2012 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests

Grade 11 Students in 2012-2013

Writing Results

School:	Portsmouth High School
District:	Portsmouth
State:	Rhode Island
Code:	27-27106

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	Level 4		Level 3		Level 2		Level 1		Mean Score
	N	N	N	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
School													
2010-11	258	1	1	256	1	<1	157	61	92	36	6	2	6.8
2011-12	240	0	8	232	16	7	125	54	85	37	6	3	7.0
2012-13	281	1	0	280	21	8	143	51	108	39	8	3	7.0
Cumulative Total	779	2	9	768	38	5	425	55	285	37	20	3	6.9
District													
2010-11	262	1	4	257	1	<1	157	61	92	36	7	3	6.8
2011-12	246	0	9	237	16	7	125	53	89	38	7	3	6.9
2012-13	283	1	1	281	21	7	143	51	108	38	9	3	7.0
Cumulative Total	791	2	14	775	38	5	425	55	289	37	23	3	6.9
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.



Fall 2012 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests

Grade 11 Students in 2012-2013

Writing Results

School: Portsmouth High School
 District: Portsmouth
 State: Rhode Island
 Code: 27-27106

Average Score Comparison by Type of Writing[§]

Type of Writing	Tested	School			District			State		
		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 craft, or other elements within a piece of literature or informational text.	2012-13 (C)	280	7.0		281	7.0		10,366	6.4	
	2011-12	29	7.1		29	7.1		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 craft, or other elements within a piece of literature or informational text.	2012-13	48	7.0		48	7.0		1,705	6.4	
	2011-12	25	6.9		25	6.9		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	49	7.6		49	7.6		1,732	7.1	
	2011-12	29	7.0		30	6.8		1,317	6.7	
Report Writing that results from gathering, investigating, and organizing facts and thoughts on a focused topic.	2012-13	24	7.3		24	7.3		881	6.8	
	2011-12	31	7.3		31	7.3		1,317	6.7	
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	49	7.4		49	7.4		1,726	6.7	
	2011-12 (C)	232	7.0		237	6.9		10,508	6.4	
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.	2012-13	45	7.5		45	7.5		1,700	6.7	
	2011-12	28	7.4		28	7.4		1,300	6.6	

(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 ▲ 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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Grade 11 Students in 2012-2013

Writing Results

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Score Distribution							
Total Score	Score 1	Score 2	School		District		State
			N	%	N	%	
12	6	6	2	1	2	1	<1
11	6	5	3	1	3	1	<1
10	5	5	16	6	16	6	3
9	5	4	26	9	26	9	7
8	4	4	75	27	75	27	21
7	4	3	42	15	42	15	18
6	3	3	76	27	76	27	25
5	3	2	11	4	11	4	10
4	2	2	21	8	21	7	10
3	2	1	4	1	5	2	2
2	1	1	4	1	4	1	3
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

Scoring Rubric	
6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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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Disaggregated Writing Results

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REPORTING CATEGORIES	School												District					State							
	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Level 4		Level 3		Level 2		Level 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	%	%	%	%	
All Students	281	1	0	280	21	8	143	51	108	39	8	3	7.0	281	7	51	38	3	7.0	10,366	4	46	44	6	6.4
Gender																									
Male	160	0	0	160	11	7	69	43	72	45	8	5	6.7	161	7	43	45	6	6.7	5,232	3	39	49	8	6.1
Female	121	1	0	120	10	8	74	62	36	30	0	0	7.4	120	8	62	30	0	7.4	5,131	4	53	40	3	6.8
Not Reported	0	0	0	0										0						3					
Race/Ethnicity																									
Hispanic or Latino	6	0	0	6										6						2,036	1	33	54	12	5.7
Not Hispanic or Latino																									
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1	0	0	1										1						42	2	43	52	2	6.5
Asian	7	0	0	7										7						281	5	47	42	6	6.6
Black or African American	10	0	0	10	0	0	5	50	4	40	1	10	6.3	10	0	50	40	10	6.3	848	1	33	56	10	5.8
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0										0						31	3	35	58	3	6.4
White	256	1	0	255	20	8	131	51	98	38	6	2	7.0	256	8	51	38	3	7.0	6,918	4	52	40	4	6.7
Two or more races	1	0	0	1										1						187	4	43	49	4	6.4
No Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0										0						23	0	13	17	70	3.3
LEP Status																									
Current LEP student	0	0	0	0										0						361	0	7	52	41	3.8
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	0	0	0	0										0						47	0	23	68	9	5.7
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	0	0	0	0										0						17	0	24	71	6	5.6
All Other Students	281	1	0	280	21	8	143	51	108	39	8	3	7.0	281	7	51	38	3	7.0	9,941	4	48	44	5	6.5
IEP																									
Students with an IEP	48	0	0	48	0	0	7	15	33	69	8	17	5.1	49	0	14	67	18	5.1	1,463	<1	14	64	22	4.8
All Other Students	233	1	0	232	21	9	136	59	75	32	0	0	7.4	232	9	59	32	0	7.4	8,903	4	51	41	3	6.7
SES																									
Economically Disadvantaged Students	37	0	0	37	0	0	11	30	24	65	2	5	6.2	38	0	29	63	8	6.1	3,961	1	35	55	8	5.9
All Other Students	244	1	0	243	21	9	132	54	84	35	6	2	7.1	243	9	54	35	2	7.1	6,405	5	53	38	4	6.8
Migrant																									
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0										0						0					
All Other Students	281	1	0	280	21	8	143	51	108	39	8	3	7.0	281	7	51	38	3	7.0	10,366	4	46	44	6	6.4
Title I																									
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0										0						2,297	2	37	51	10	5.9
All Other Students	281	1	0	280	21	8	143	51	108	39	8	3	7.0	281	7	51	38	3	7.0	8,069	4	49	43	5	6.6
504 Plan																									
Students with a 504 Plan	4	0	0	4										4						245	2	46	48	4	6.4
All Other Students	277	1	0	276	21	8	141	51	106	38	8	3	7.0	277	8	51	38	3	7.0	10,121	4	46	44	6	6.4

Level 4 = Proficient with Distinction; Level 3 = Proficient; Level 2 = Partially Proficient; Level 1 = Substantially Below Proficient

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