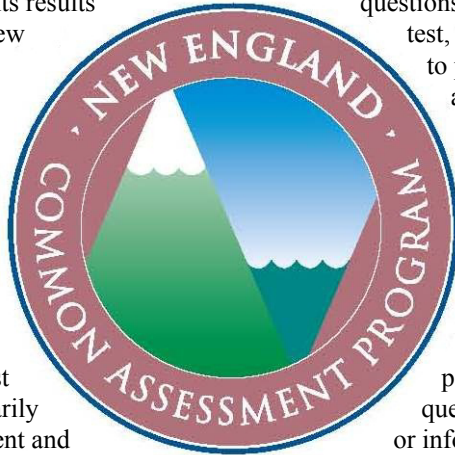


# About The New England Common Assessment Program



This report highlights results from the Fall 2013 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 2013 Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests

Grade 11 Students in 2013-2014

## School Results

**School:** Ponaganset High School

**District:** Foster-Glocester

**Code:** 99-99102



# Fall 2013 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests

## Grade 11 Students in 2013-2014

# Grade Level Summary Report

<b>School:</b>	Ponaganset High School
<b>District:</b>	Foster-Glocester
<b>State:</b>	Rhode Island
<b>Code:</b>	99-99102

PARTICIPATION in NECAP	Number									Percentage								
	School			District			State			School			District			State		
<b>Students enrolled on or after October 1</b>	<b>160</b>			<b>160</b>			<b>10,934</b>			<b>100</b>			<b>100</b>			<b>100</b>		
<b>Students tested</b>	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing
Students tested	158	158	158	158	158	158	10,318	10,460	10,263	99	99	99	99	99	99	94	96	94
With an approved accommodation	34	95	13	34	95	13	2,250	3,025	1,608	22	60	8	22	60	8	22	29	16
Current LEP Students	0	0	0	0	0	0	377	408	358	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	3
With an approved accommodation	0	0	0	0	0	0	110	159	100				29	39	28			
IEP Students	12	12	12	12	12	12	1,490	1,515	1,472	8	8	8	8	8	8	14	14	14
With an approved accommodation	12	12	11	12	12	11	923	948	903	100	100	92	100	100	92	62	63	61
<b>Students not tested in NECAP</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>616</b>	<b>474</b>	<b>671</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>
State Approved	1	1	1	1	1	1	206	173	203	50	50	50	50	50	50	33	36	30
Alternate Assessment	1	1	1	1	1	1	96	96	96	100	100	100	100	100	100	47	55	47
First Year LEP	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	0	60	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	0	30
Withdrew After October 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	62	68	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	39	20
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	7	7	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	4	3
Other	1	1	1	1	1	1	410	301	468	50	50	50	50	50	50	67	64	70

### 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	%	%	%	%	
<b>READING</b>	160	1	1	158	80	51	62	39	14	9	2	1	1154	158	51	39	9	1	1154	10,318	43	38	11	7	1151
<b>MATH</b>	160	1	1	158	8	5	75	47	57	36	18	11	1140	158	5	47	36	11	1140	10,460	3	32	28	36	1136
<b>WRITING</b>	160	1	1	158	13	8	100	63	43	27	2	1	7.3	158	8	63	27	1	7.3	10,263	11	55	32	2	7.3

**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 2013 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests

## Grade 11 Students in 2013-2014

### Reading Results

School: Ponaganset High School  
 District: Foster-Glocester  
 State: Rhode Island  
 Code: 99-99102

**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)

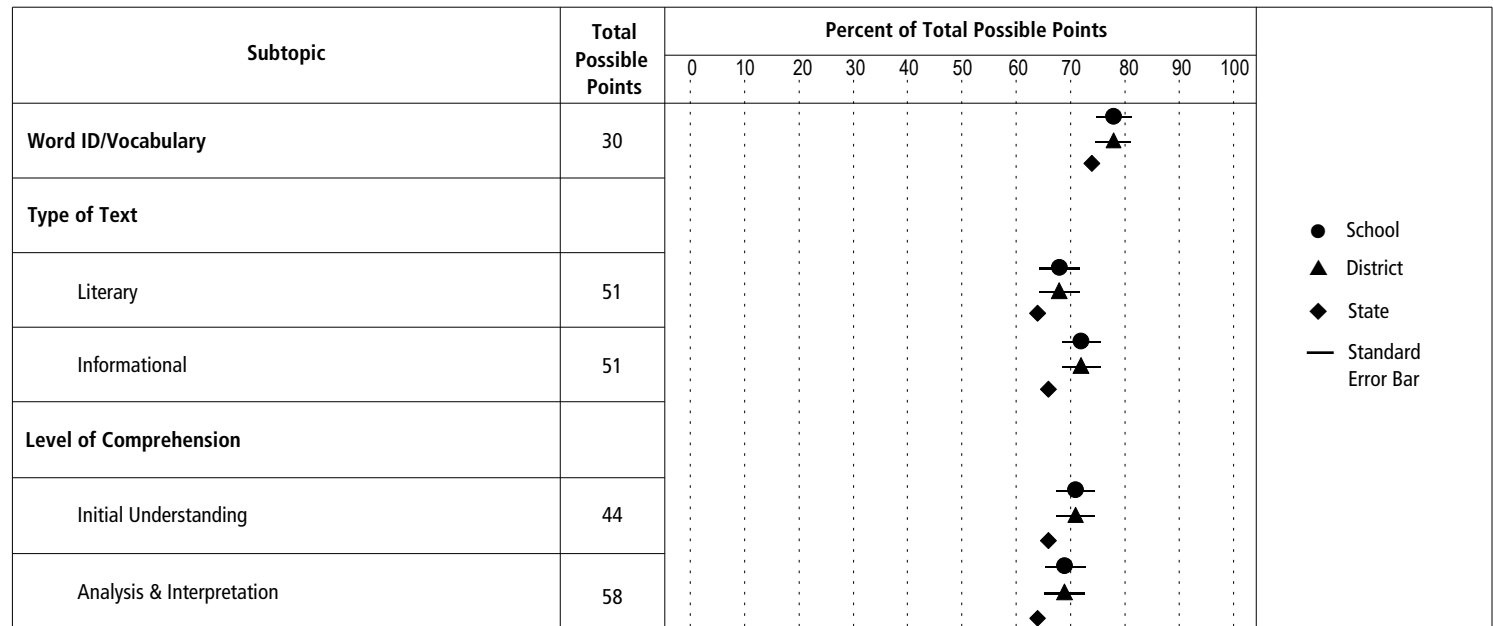
**Partially Proficient (Level 2)**  
 Student's performance demonstrates an inconsistent ability to read and comprehend grade-appropriate text. Student attempts to analyze and interpret literary and informational text. Student may make and/or support assertions by referencing text. Student's vocabulary 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	%			
<b>School</b>															
2011-12	196		2	9	185	73	39	72	39	34	18	6	3	1150	
2012-13	183		3	6	174	79	45	83	48	12	7	0	0	1154	
2013-14	160		1	1	158	80	51	62	39	14	9	2	1	1154	
Cumulative Total	539		6	16	517	232	45	217	42	60	12	8	2	1153	
<b>District</b>															
2011-12	197		2	9	186	73	39	72	39	35	19	6	3	1149	
2012-13	183		3	6	174	79	45	83	48	12	7	0	0	1154	
2013-14	160		1	1	158	80	51	62	39	14	9	2	1	1154	
Cumulative Total	540		6	16	518	232	45	217	42	61	12	8	2	1152	
<b>State</b>															
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	
2013-14	10,934		206	410	10,318	4,449	43	3,960	38	1,176	11	733	7	1151	
Cumulative Total	33,096		547	1,304	31,245	11,160	36	13,483	43	4,179	13	2,423	8	1149	





# Fall 2013 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests

## Grade 11 Students in 2013-2014

# Disaggregated Reading Results

<b>School:</b>	Ponaganset High School
<b>District:</b>	Foster-Glocester
<b>State:</b>	Rhode Island
<b>Code:</b>	99-99102

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	%	N	N	%	%	%	%	N	N	%	%	%	%	N
<b>All Students</b>	160	1	1	158	80	51	62	39	14	9	2	1	1154	158	51	39	9	1	1154	10,318	43	38	11	7	1151
<b>Gender</b>																									
Male	94	1	0	93	38	41	44	47	9	10	2	2	1151	93	41	47	10	2	1151	5,159	37	42	12	9	1149
Female	66	0	1	65	42	65	18	28	5	8	0	0	1157	65	65	28	8	0	1157	5,128	49	35	10	5	1153
Not Reported	0	0	0	0										0						31	13	16	39	32	1137
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>																									
Hispanic or Latino	1	0	0	1										1						2,158	23	44	18	15	1144
Not Hispanic or Latino																									
American Indian or Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0										0						70	26	41	14	19	1145
Asian	0	0	0	0										0						319	48	34	12	7	1152
Black or African American	1	0	0	1										1						882	23	42	21	14	1144
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0										0						42	38	48	12	2	1149
White	158	1	1	156	79	51	62	40	14	9	1	1	1154	156	51	40	9	1	1154	6,546	53	36	8	3	1154
Two or more races	0	0	0	0										0						270	39	41	13	7	1149
No Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0										0						31	13	16	39	32	1137
<b>LEP Status</b>																									
Current LEP student	0	0	0	0										0						377	2	13	31	54	1130
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	0	0	0	0										0						61	13	49	25	13	1142
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	0	0	0	0										0						26	8	81	8	4	1146
All Other Students	160	1	1	158	80	51	62	39	14	9	2	1	1154	158	51	39	9	1	1154	9,854	45	39	11	5	1152
<b>IEP</b>																									
Students with an IEP	13	1	0	12	0	0	6	50	5	42	1	8	1139	12	0	50	42	8	1139	1,490	8	37	28	26	1138
All Other Students	147	0	1	146	80	55	56	38	9	6	1	1	1155	146	55	38	6	1	1155	8,828	49	39	9	4	1153
<b>SES</b>																									
Economically Disadvantaged Students	35	1	1	33	14	42	12	36	7	21	0	0	1151	33	42	36	21	0	1151	4,274	27	44	17	11	1146
All Other Students	125	0	0	125	66	53	50	40	7	6	2	2	1154	125	53	40	6	2	1154	6,044	54	34	7	4	1154
<b>Migrant</b>																									
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0										0						0					
All Other Students	160	1	1	158	80	51	62	39	14	9	2	1	1154	158	51	39	9	1	1154	10,318	43	38	11	7	1151
<b>Title I</b>																									
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0										0						2,238	22	42	19	16	1144
All Other Students	160	1	1	158	80	51	62	39	14	9	2	1	1154	158	51	39	9	1	1154	8,080	49	37	9	5	1153
<b>504 Plan</b>																									
Students with a 504 Plan	0	0	0	0										0						255	48	42	7	4	1152
All Other Students	160	1	1	158	80	51	62	39	14	9	2	1	1154	158	51	39	9	1	1154	10,063	43	38	12	7	1151

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# Fall 2013 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests

## Grade 11 Students in 2013-2014

### Mathematics Results

School: Ponaganset High School  
 District: Foster-Glocester  
 State: Rhode Island  
 Code: 99-99102

#### 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.

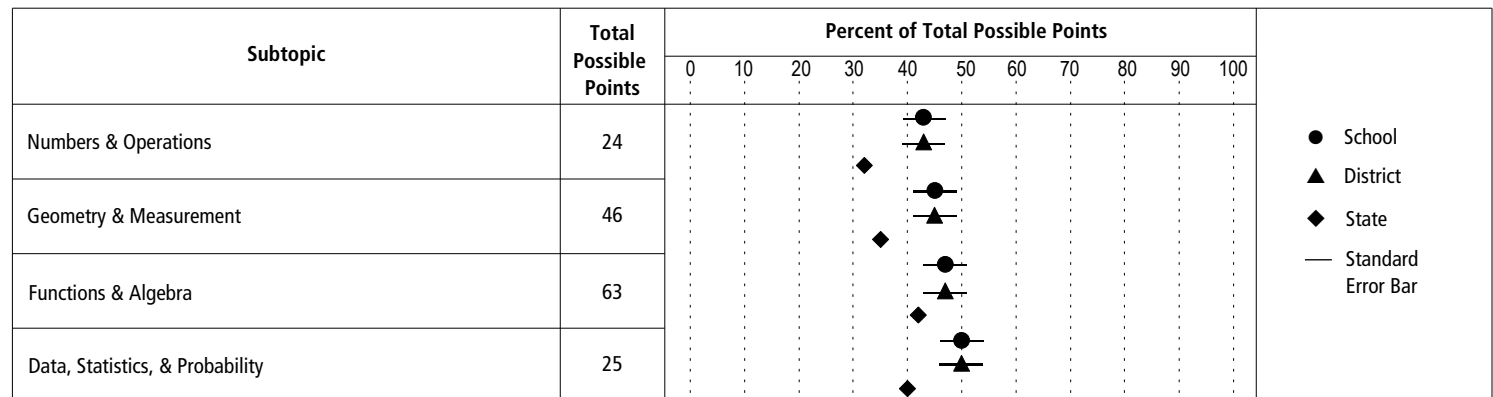
(Scaled Score 1134–1139)

#### 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	%	
<b>School</b>													
2011-12	196	2	9	185	2	1	61	33	49	26	73	39	1136
2012-13	183	3	6	174	9	5	74	43	54	31	37	21	1140
<b>2013-14</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1140</b>
Cumulative Total	539	6	16	517	19	4	210	41	160	31	128	25	1139
<b>District</b>													
2011-12	197	2	9	186	2	1	61	33	49	26	74	40	1136
2012-13	183	3	6	174	9	5	74	43	54	31	37	21	1140
<b>2013-14</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1140</b>
Cumulative Total	540	6	16	518	19	4	210	41	160	31	129	25	1139
<b>State</b>													
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
<b>2013-14</b>	<b>10,934</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>301</b>	<b>10,460</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3,374</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>2,952</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>3,775</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>1136</b>
Cumulative Total	33,096	473	1,147	31,476	835	3	9,613	31	8,438	27	12,590	40	1135





# Fall 2013 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests

## Grade 11 Students in 2013-2014

# Disaggregated Mathematics Results

**School:** Ponaganset High School  
**District:** Foster-Glocester  
**State:** Rhode Island  
**Code:** 99-99102

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	%													
<b>All Students</b>	160	1	1	158	8	5	75	47	57	36	18	11	1140	158	5	47	36	11	1140	10,460	3	32	28	36	1136
<b>Gender</b>																									
Male	94	1	0	93	5	5	46	49	31	33	11	12	1140	93	5	49	33	12	1140	5,229	4	33	28	36	1136
Female	66	0	1	65	3	5	29	45	26	40	7	11	1140	65	5	45	40	11	1140	5,195	3	32	29	36	1136
Not Reported	0	0	0	0										0						36	0	6	14	81	1124
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>																									
Hispanic or Latino	1	0	0	1										1						2,203	1	16	27	57	1131
Not Hispanic or Latino																									
American Indian or Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0										0						70	0	23	30	47	1132
Asian	0	0	0	0										0						322	8	39	23	30	1139
Black or African American	1	0	0	1										1						901	<1	13	26	61	1129
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0										0						42	0	31	40	29	1136
White	158	1	1	156	8	5	75	48	56	36	17	11	1140	156	5	48	36	11	1140	6,614	5	40	29	25	1138
Two or more races	0	0	0	0										0						272	3	29	27	42	1135
No Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0										0						36	0	6	14	81	1124
<b>LEP Status</b>																									
Current LEP student	0	0	0	0										0						408	<1	3	6	91	1122
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	0	0	0	0										0						61	0	13	26	61	1132
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	0	0	0	0										0						27	0	11	48	41	1133
All Other Students	160	1	1	158	8	5	75	47	57	36	18	11	1140	158	5	47	36	11	1140	9,964	4	34	29	34	1136
<b>IEP</b>																									
Students with an IEP	13	1	0	12	0	0	2	17	3	25	7	58	1128	12	0	17	25	58	1128	1,515	<1	5	16	79	1125
All Other Students	147	0	1	146	8	5	73	50	54	37	11	8	1141	146	5	50	37	8	1141	8,945	4	37	30	29	1137
<b>SES</b>																									
Economically Disadvantaged Students	35	1	1	33	0	0	13	39	13	39	7	21	1136	33	0	39	39	21	1136	4,344	1	19	29	51	1132
All Other Students	125	0	0	125	8	6	62	50	44	35	11	9	1141	125	6	50	35	9	1141	6,116	5	42	27	25	1138
<b>Migrant</b>																									
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0										0						0					
All Other Students	160	1	1	158	8	5	75	47	57	36	18	11	1140	158	5	47	36	11	1140	10,460	3	32	28	36	1136
<b>Title I</b>																									
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0										0						2,283	1	15	25	59	1130
All Other Students	160	1	1	158	8	5	75	47	57	36	18	11	1140	158	5	47	36	11	1140	8,177	4	37	29	30	1137
<b>504 Plan</b>																									
Students with a 504 Plan	0	0	0	0										0						260	1	33	34	32	1137
All Other Students	160	1	1	158	8	5	75	47	57	36	18	11	1140	158	5	47	36	11	1140	10,200	4	32	28	36	1136

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

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# Fall 2013 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests

## Grade 11 Students in 2013-2014

# Writing Results

<b>School:</b>	Ponaganset High School
<b>District:</b>	Foster-Glocester
<b>State:</b>	Rhode Island
<b>Code:</b>	99-99102

**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	%	
<b>School</b>													
2011-12	196	2	9	185	8	4	82	44	85	46	10	5	6.3
2012-13	183	3	6	174	7	4	97	56	67	39	3	2	6.8
<b>2013-14</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7.3</b>
Cumulative Total	539	6	16	517	28	5	279	54	195	38	15	3	6.8
<b>District</b>													
2011-12	197	2	9	186	8	4	82	44	85	46	11	6	6.3
2012-13	183	3	6	174	7	4	97	56	67	39	3	2	6.8
<b>2013-14</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7.3</b>
Cumulative Total	540	6	16	518	28	5	279	54	195	38	16	3	6.8
<b>State</b>													
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
<b>2013-14</b>	<b>10,934</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>468</b>	<b>10,263</b>	<b>1,094</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>5,679</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>3,242</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7.3</b>
Cumulative Total	33,096	535	1,424	31,137	1,935	6	15,303	49	12,342	40	1,557	5	6.7

Types of Writing Reported in the Results Above	
2011-12	<b>Persuasive Essay</b> 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	<b>Response to Literary Text</b> 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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# Writing Results

**School:** Ponaganset High School  
**District:** Foster-Glocester  
**State:** Rhode Island  
**Code:** 99-99102

### Average Score Comparison by Type of Writing<sup>§</sup>

Type of Writing	Tested	School					District					State				
		Number Scored	Mean Score	0	7	12	Number Scored	Mean Score	0	7	12	Number Scored	Mean Score	0	7	12
<b>Response to Informational Text</b> 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.	2013-14 (C)	158	7.3		●		158	7.3		●		10,263	7.3		●	
	2012-13	30	7.2		▲		30	7.2		▲		1,705	6.4		▲	
<b>Response to Literary Text</b> 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.	2013-14	39	6.4		●		39	6.4		●		2,543	6.4		●	
	2012-13 (C)	174	6.8		▲		174	6.8		▲		10,366	6.4		▲	
<b>Reflective Essay</b> A form of writing in which the writer explores and shares the meaning of a personal experience, belief, or idea.	2013-14	38	7.0		●		38	7.0		●		2,568	7.4		●	
	2012-13	30	7.3		▲		30	7.3		▲		1,732	7.1		▲	
<b>Report (Not assessed in 2013)</b> Writing that results from gathering, investigating, and organizing facts and thoughts on a focused topic.	2013-14															
	2012-13	14	7.5		▲		14	7.5		▲		881	6.8		▲	
<b>Persuasive Essay</b> 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.	2013-14	40	6.5		●		40	6.5		●		2,558	6.8		●	
	2012-13	29	7.8		▲		29	7.8		▲		1,726	6.7		▲	
<b>Procedure</b> 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.	2013-14	41	7.6		●		41	7.6		●		2,593	7.0		●	
	2012-13	29	7.7		▲		29	7.7		▲		1,700	6.7		▲	

(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.

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





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<b>Code:</b>	99-99102

Score Distribution							
Total Score	Score 1	Score 2	School		District		State
			N	%	N	%	
12	6	6	0	0	0	0	<1
11	6	5	1	1	1	1	1
10	5	5	12	8	12	8	10
9	5	4	14	9	14	9	13
8	4	4	48	30	48	30	28
7	4	3	38	24	38	24	14
6	3	3	31	20	31	20	20
5	3	2	7	4	7	4	6
4	2	2	5	3	5	3	6
3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<1

Scoring Rubric	
6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• purpose is clear throughout; strong focus/controlling idea OR strongly stated purpose focuses the writing</li> <li>• intentionally organized for effect • fully developed details; rich and/or insightful elaboration supports purpose</li> <li>• distinctive voice, tone, and style enhance meaning • consistent application of the rules of grade-level grammar, usage, and mechanics</li> </ul>
5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• purpose is clear; focus/controlling idea is maintained throughout • well-organized and coherent throughout</li> <li>• 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</li> </ul>
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• purpose is evident; focus/controlling idea may not be maintained • generally organized and coherent</li> <li>• details are relevant and mostly support purpose • well-constructed sentences; uses language well</li> <li>• may show inconsistent control of grade-level grammar, usage, and mechanics</li> </ul>
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• writing has a general purpose • some sense of organization; may have lapses in coherence</li> <li>• 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</li> </ul>
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• attempted or vague purpose; stays on topic • little evidence of organization; lapses in coherence</li> <li>• generalizes or lists details • lacks sentence control; uses language poorly • errors in grammar, usage, and mechanics are distracting</li> </ul>
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 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</li> </ul>
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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<b>Code:</b>	99-99102

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	%	%	%	%	
<b>All Students</b>	160	1	1	158	13	8	100	63	43	27	2	1	7.3	158	8	63	27	1	7.3	10,263	11	55	32	2	7.3
<b>Gender</b>																									
Male	94	1	0	93	2	2	59	63	30	32	2	2	6.9	93	2	63	32	2	6.9	5,135	8	51	37	3	7.0
Female	66	0	1	65	11	17	41	63	13	20	0	0	7.9	65	17	63	20	0	7.9	5,100	13	60	26	1	7.6
Not Reported	0	0	0	0										0						28	0	7	64	29	4.6
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>																									
Hispanic or Latino	1	0	0	1										1						2,139	5	46	45	4	6.6
Not Hispanic or Latino																									
American Indian or Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0										0						68	10	38	49	3	6.7
Asian	0	0	0	0										0						315	17	57	25	1	7.7
Black or African American	1	0	0	1										1						868	4	46	45	5	6.5
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0										0						42	5	69	26	0	7.4
White	158	1	1	156	13	8	99	63	42	27	2	1	7.3	156	8	63	27	1	7.3	6,536	13	60	26	1	7.6
Two or more races	0	0	0	0										0						267	11	53	34	2	7.2
No Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0										0						28	0	7	64	29	4.6
<b>LEP Status</b>																									
Current LEP student	0	0	0	0										0						358	0	15	68	17	4.9
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	0	0	0	0										0						61	2	57	41	0	6.9
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	0	0	0	0										0						26	4	54	42	0	7.0
All Other Students	160	1	1	158	13	8	100	63	43	27	2	1	7.3	158	8	63	27	1	7.3	9,818	11	57	30	2	7.4
<b>IEP</b>																									
Students with an IEP	13	1	0	12	0	0	2	17	8	67	2	17	5.0	12	0	17	67	17	5.0	1,472	1	26	62	10	5.6
All Other Students	147	0	1	146	13	9	98	67	35	24	0	0	7.5	146	9	67	24	0	7.5	8,791	12	60	27	1	7.6
<b>SES</b>																									
Economically Disadvantaged Students	35	1	1	33	2	6	19	58	12	36	0	0	7.0	33	6	58	36	0	7.0	4,251	5	50	41	4	6.8
All Other Students	125	0	0	125	11	9	81	65	31	25	2	2	7.4	125	9	65	25	2	7.4	6,012	15	59	25	2	7.6
<b>Migrant</b>																									
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0										0						0					
All Other Students	160	1	1	158	13	8	100	63	43	27	2	1	7.3	158	8	63	27	1	7.3	10,263	11	55	32	2	7.3
<b>Title I</b>																									
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0										0						2,223	6	46	44	5	6.6
All Other Students	160	1	1	158	13	8	100	63	43	27	2	1	7.3	158	8	63	27	1	7.3	8,040	12	58	28	2	7.4
<b>504 Plan</b>																									
Students with a 504 Plan	0	0	0	0										0						256	7	61	31	1	7.3
All Other Students	160	1	1	158	13	8	100	63	43	27	2	1	7.3	158	8	63	27	1	7.3	10,007	11	55	32	2	7.3

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

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