## About The New England Common Assessment Program

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This report highlights results from the Fall 2007 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 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 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 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 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 2007 Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests

**Grade 11 Students in 2007-2008** 

## **District Results**

**District:** North Kingstown

**Code:** 23



# Fall 2007 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2007-2008 Grade Level Summary Report

**District:** North Kingstown **State:** Rhode Island

**Code:** 23

Schools and districts administered all NECAP tests to every enrolled student with the following exceptions: students who participated in the alternate assessment for the 2006-07 school year, first year LEP students, students who withdrew from the school after October 1, 2007, students who enrolled

in the school after October 1, 2007, students for whom a special consideration was granted through the state Department of Education, and other students for reasons not approved. On this page, and throughout this report, results are only reported for groups of students that are larger than nine (9).

DARTICIDATION :- NECAD					Number	•							Pe	ercentag	je			
PARTICIPATION in NECAP		School			District			State			School			District			State	
Students enrolled on or after October 1					415			11,661						100			100	
	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing
Students tested				400	400	402	11,145	11,174	11,131				96	96	97	96	96	95
Students not tested in NECAP																		
State Approved				7	7	4	192	147	165				2	2	1	2	1	1
Alternate Assessment				3	4	3	58	61	58				1	1	1	0	1	0
First Year LEP				1	0	1	53	0	53				0	0	0	0	0	0
Withdrew After October 1				0	0	0	57	59	42				0	0	0	0	1	0
Enrolled After October 1				0	0	0	4	4	5				0	0	0	0	0	0
Special Consideration				3	3	0	20	23	7				1	1	0	0	0	0
Other				8	8	9	324	340	365				2	2	2	3	3	3

#### **NECAP RESULTS**

					ı	District	t									Sta	ate								
	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Lev	el 4	Lev	el 3	Lev	vel 2	Lev	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	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score
READING	415	7	8	400	139	35	190	48	50	13	21	5	1149	11145	16	45	24	14	1143						
МАТН	415	7	8	400	10	3	160	40	128	32	102	26	1138	11174	1	21	27	51	1132						
WRITING	415	4	9	402	32	8	200	50	149	37	21	5	6.8	11131	3	34	49	14	5.7						



## **Reading Results**

**District:** North Kingstown **State:** Rhode Island

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### **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.

## 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.

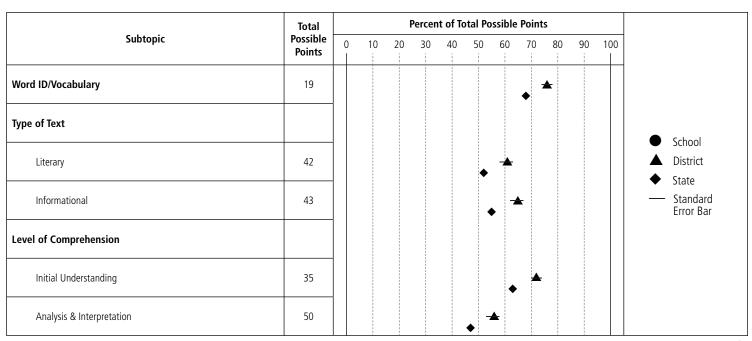
#### Partially Proficient (Level 2)

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.

#### **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.

	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	%	Score
SCHOOL 2007-08													
DISTRICT 2007-08	415	7	8	400	139	35	190	48	50	13	21	5	1149
STATE 2007-08	11661	192	324	11145	1827	16	5056	45	2726	24	1536	14	1143





## **Disaggregated Reading Results**

**District:** North Kingstown

**State:** Rhode Island

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REPORTING CATEGORIES	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Lev	el 4	Lev	rel 3	Lev	el 2	Lev	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	%	%	%	%	N	N	%	%	%	%	N
All Students	415	7	8	400	139	35	190	48	50	13	21	5	1149	11145	16	45	24	14	1143						
Gender																									
Male	217	6	7	204	55	27	95	47	36	18	18	9	1146	5561	12	43	27	18	1141				İ		
Female	198	1	1	196	84	43	95	48	14	7	3	2	1152	5583	20	48	22	9	1145			1	1		
Not Reported	0	0	0	0										1											
Primary Race/Ethnicity																									
American Indian or Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0										66	6	32	36	26	1136				İ		
Asian	1	0	0	1										302	21	46	20	14	1143				-		
Black or African American	5	0	0	5										920	5	36	33	26	1137						
Hispanic or Latino	2	0	0	2										1681	4	36	37	22	1137						
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0										0			į	İ				İ	İ		
White (non-Hispanic)	407	7	8	392	138	35	188	48	47	12	19	5	1149	8172	20	48	21	11	1145				1		
No Primary Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0					"					4											
LEP Status																									
Currently receiving LEP services	1	0	0	1										246	0	6	35	59	1128						
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	0	0	0	0										81	1	19	48	32	1133						
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	0	0	0	0						1				42	2	33	40	24	1136				1		
All Other Students	414	7	8	399	139	35	190	48	50	13	20	5	1149	10776	17	47	24	13	1143						
IEP																									
Students with an IEP	67	4	2	61	5	8	20	33	21	34	15	25	1138	1804	2	22	34	42	1132						
All Other Students	348	3	6	339	134	40	170	50	29	9	6	2	1151	9341	19	50	23	8	1145						
SES																									
Economically Disadvantaged Students	44	3	0	41	4	10	11	27	17	41	9	22	1138	3155	6	38	34	22	1138				İ		
All Other Students	371	4	8	359	135	38	179	50	33	9	12	3	1150	7990	21	48	21	10	1145						
Migrant																									
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0										0						I					
All Other Students	415	7	8	400	139	35	190	48	50	13	21	5	1149	11145	16	45	24	14	1143						
Title I																									
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0				1		1		:		742	3	38	39	20	1138			1			
All Other Students	415	7	8	400	139	35	190	48	50	13	21	5	1149	10403	17	46	23	13	1143						
504 Plan																									
Students with a 504 Plan	22	0	1	21	4	19	11	52	5	24	1	5	1144	246	17	53	23	6	1145	I					
All Other Students	393	7	7	379	135	36	179	47	45	12	20	5	1149	10899	16	45	24	14	1143						
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Level 4 = Proficient with Distinction; Level 3 = Proficient; Level 2 = Partially Proficient; Level 1 = Substantially Below Proficient



## **Mathematics Results**

**District:** North Kingstown **State:** Rhode Island

**Code:** 23

### **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.

### 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.

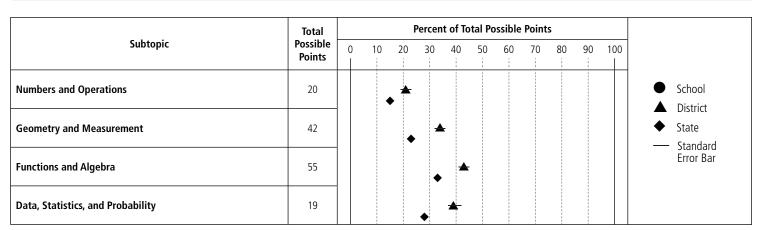
#### **Partially Proficient (Level 2)**

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.

#### **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.

	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	%	Score
SCHOOL 2007-08													
DISTRICT 2007-08	415	7	8	400	10	3	160	40	128	32	102	26	1138
STATE 2007-08	11661	147	340	11174	123	1	2340	21	3032	27	5679	51	1132





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Disaggregated	Mat	hematic	cs Resu	ts

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REPORTING CATEGORIES	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Lev	vel 4	Lev	vel 3	Lev	el 2	Lev	el 1	Mean Score	Tested	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Mean Score	Tested	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Mea Sco
	N	N	N	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	N	%	%	%	%	N	N	%	%	%	%	N
All Students	415	7	8	400	10	3	160	40	128	32	102	26	1138	11174	1	21	27	51	1132						
Gender																									
Male	217	7	7	203	7	3	86	42	50	25	60	30	1137	5579	1	22	24	52	1132				İ		
Female	198	0	1	197	3	2	74	38	78	40	42	21	1138	5594	1	19	30	50	1132			1	1		
Not Reported	0	0	0	0										1											
Primary Race/Ethnicity																									
American Indian or Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0										65	0	14	25	62	1128						
Asian	1	0	0	1										308	4	28	27	41	1135						
Black or African American	5	0	0	5										923	0	6	18	76	1126				1		
Hispanic or Latino	2	0	0	2										1716	0	6	19	75	1126						
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0										0											
White (non-Hispanic)	407	7	8	392	10	3	159	41	125	32	98	25	1138	8158	1	26	30	43	1134				1	1	
No Primary Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0										4											
LEP Status																									
Currently receiving LEP services	1	0	0	1										295	0	3	6	92	1120						
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	0	0	0	0						İ				81	0	2	10	88	1124				İ		
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	0	0	0	0				1						42	0	7	17	76	1126			1			
All Other Students	414	7	8	399	10	3	160	40	127	32	102	26	1138	10756	1	22	28	49	1133						
IEP																									
Students with an IEP	67	4	3	60	0	0	5	8	12	20	43	72	1127	1796	0	3	10	87	1123			1			
All Other Students	348	3	5	340	10	3	155	46	116	34	59	17	1139	9378	1	24	30	44	1134						
SES																									
Economically Disadvantaged Students	44	3	0	41	0	0	8	20	8	20	25	61	1131	3187	0	9	21	71	1128						
All Other Students	371	4	8	359	10	3	152	42	120	33	77	21	1138	7987	1	26	30	43	1134						
Migrant																									
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0										0											
All Other Students	415	7	8	400	10	3	160	40	128	32	102	26	1138	11174	1	21	27	51	1132						
Title I																									
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0										752	0	6	23	71	1128			1		1	
All Other Students	415	7	8	400	10	3	160	40	128	32	102	26	1138	10422	1	22	27	49	1132						
504 Plan																									
Students with a 504 Plan	22	0	2	20	0	0	6	30	7	35	7	35	1137	243	0	26	28	46	1134					1	
All Other Students	393	7	6	380	10	3	154	41	121	32	95	25	1138	10931	1	21	27	51	1132						
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## **Writing Results**

**District:** North Kingstown **State:** Rhode Island

**Code:** 23

### **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.

#### 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.

#### 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.

	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	%	Score
SCHOOL 2007-08													
DISTRICT 2007-08	415	4	9	402	32	8	200	50	149	37	21	5	6.8
STATE 2007-08	11661	165	365	11131	357	3	3744	34	5495	49	1535	14	5.7

	Total				Perce	nt of T	otal Po	ssible	Point	is			Number	ı	Distr	ibutio Acro	on of oss Pi			nts	
Strand	Possible Points	0	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	of Prompts		0	1	2	3	4	5	6
															%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Writing in Response to Text  • Response to Informational Text  • Response to Literary Text	12						<b>4</b>						2	School District State	1	4 11	17 26	31 34	34 22	12 6	2 0
Informational Writing	18						•	<b></b>					3	School District State	0 2	5 11	17 24	28 34	36 24	12 6	1 0
Expressive Writing • Reflective Essay	6					*							1	School District State	6 7	6 18	16 29	29 31	27 14	16 2	0



**Disaggregated Writing Results** 

**District:** North Kingstown

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REPORTING CATEGORIES	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Lev	el 4	Lev	vel 3	Lev	el 2	Lev	el 1	Mean Score	Tested	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Mean Score	Tested	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Mea Scoi
	N	N	N	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	N	%	%	%	%	N	N	%	%	%	%	N
All Students	415	4	9	402	32	8	200	50	149	37	21	5	6.8	11131	3	34	49	14	5.7						
Gender																									
Male	217	3	8	206	6	3	89	43	90	44	21	10	6.1	5555	2	27	50	20	5.3						
Female	198	1	1	196	26	13	111	57	59	30	0	0	7.5	5575	4	40	48	7	6.2						
Not Reported	0	0	0	0										1											
Primary Race/Ethnicity																	İ								
American Indian or Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0										68	3	19	57	21	5.0						
Asian	1	0	0	1										301	5	37	45	13	6.0						
Black or African American	5	0	0	5										914	1	21	55	23	4.9						
Hispanic or Latino	2	0	0	2		İ								1679	0	21	60	19	5.0			İ	İ		
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0										0											
White (non-Hispanic)	407	4	9	394	32	8	199	51	143	36	20	5	6.8	8165	4	38	47	12	6.0			İ	İ		
No Primary Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0										4											
LEP Status																									
Currently receiving LEP services	1	0	0	1										245	0	3	44	53	3.5						
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	0	0	0	0										80	0	6	79	15	4.6						
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	0	0	0	0										42	0	19	76	5	5.4						
All Other Students	414	4	9	401	32	8	200	50	148	37	21	5	6.8	10764	3	35	49	13	5.8						
IEP																									
Students with an IEP	67	3	3	61	0	0	11	18	35	57	15	25	4.8	1802	0	8	51	40	3.9						
All Other Students	348	1	6	341	32	9	189	55	114	33	6	2	7.1	9329	4	39	49	9	6.1			İ	İ		
All Other Students	340		"	311	32		103	33	114	33		-	/.1	3323	*	33	49		0.1						
SES																									
Economically Disadvantaged Students	44	2	0	42	2	5	7	17	28	67	5	12	5.2	3152	1	22	57	20	5.0						
All Other Students	371	2	9	360	30	8	193	54	121	34	16	4	7.0	7979	4	38	46	11	6.0						
Migrant																									
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0										0											
All Other Students	415	4	9	402	32	8	200	50	149	37	21	5	6.8	11131	3	34	49	14	5.7						
Title I	_	_	_	0		İ		1				İ		740	_	10	63	10							
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0 4	0	402	22	8	200	50	140	37	21	5		740 10391	0	19 35	62 48	19 13	5.0						
All Other Students	415	4	9	402	32	0	200	30	149	31	21	٥	6.8	10391	3	20	48	13	5.8						
504 Plan																									
Students with a 504 Plan	22	0	1	21	1	5	7	33	10	48	3	14	5.8	245	3	31	58	9	5.9						
All Other Students	393	4	8	381	31	8	193	51	139	36	18	5	6.8	10886	3	34	49	14	5.7						
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Level 4 = Proficient with Distinction; Level 3 = Proficient; Level 2 = Partially Proficient; Level 1 = Substantially Below Proficient