About The New England Common Assessment Program

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This report highlights results from the Fall 2008 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 2008 Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests

Grade 11 Students in 2008-2009

School Results

School: Cranston High School West

District: Cranston

Code: 07-07126



Grade Level Summary Report

School: Cranston High School West

District: Cranston **State:** Rhode Island

Code: 07-07126

Schools and districts administered all NECAP tests to every enrolled student with the following exceptions: students who participated in the alternate assessment for the 2007-08 school year, first year LEP students, students who withdrew from the school after October 1, 2008, students who enrolled

in the school after October 1, 2008, 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).

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PARTICIPATION in NECAP		School			District			State			School			District			State	
Students enrolled on or after October 1		423			885			11,203			100			100			100	
	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing
Students tested	398	398	398	825	824	823	10,684	10,699	10,669	94	94	94	93	93	93	95	96	95
Students not tested in NECAP																		
State Approved	3	3	3	11	11	11	179	161	156	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1
Alternate Assessment	2	2	2	7	7	7	76	76	76	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
First Year LEP	0	0	0	1	0	1	23	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Withdrew After October 1	0	0	0	1	1	1	46	52	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled After October 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Special Consideration	1	1	1	2	3	2	25	26	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	22	22	22	49	50	51	340	343	378	5	5	5	6	6	6	3	3	3

NECAP RESULTS

						School										Dis	trict					Sta	ate		
	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Lev	rel 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	423	3	22	398	63	16	229	58	76	19	30	8	1145	825	12	56	21	11	1144	10,684	18	51	20	11	1145
МАТН	423	3	22	398	2	1	117	29	112	28	167	42	1135	824	0	21	28	50	1133	10,699	1	26	28	45	1134
WRITING	423	3	22	398	9	2	153	38	218	55	18	5	6.2	823	2	35	55	8	6.0	10,669	4	38	50	9	6.1



Reading Results

School: Cranston High School West

District: Cranston **State:** Rhode Island

Code: 07-07126

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.

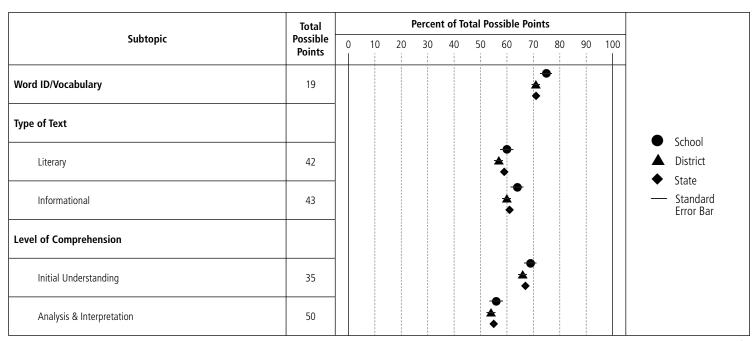
Partially Proficient (Level 2)

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 2008-09	459 423	2 3	1 22	456 398	66 63	14 16	228 229	50 58	111 76	24 19	51 30	11 8	1143 1145
Cumulative Total	882	5	23	854	129	15	457	54	187	22	81	9	1144
DISTRICT 2007-08 2008-09	903 885	6 11	20 49	877 825	91 103	10 12	403 459	46 56	252 171	29 21	131 92	15 11	1141 1144
Cumulative Total	1788	17	69	1,702	194	11	862	51	423	25	223	13	1142
STATE 2007-08 2008-09	11661 11203	192 179	324 340	11,145 10,684	1,827 1,909	16 18	5,056 5,498	45 51	2,726 2,125	24 20	1,536 1,152	14 11	1143 1145
Cumulative Total	22864	371	664	21,829	3,736	17	10,554	48	4,851	22	2,688	12	1144





Disaggregated Reading Results

School: Cranston High School West

District: Cranston **State:** Rhode Island **Code:** 07-07126

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REPORTING CATEGORIES	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Lev	el 4	Lev	el 3	Lev	rel 2	Lev	vel 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	%	1	N	%	%	%	%	1	N	%	%	%	%	1
All Students	423	3	22	398	63	16	229	58	76	19	30	8	1145	825	12	56	21	11	1144	10,684	18	51	20	11	1145
Gender																									
Male	211	1	16	194	20	10	113	58	44	23	17	9	1144	409	8	56	23	13	1142	5,347	13	52	21	14	1143
Female	212	2	6	204	43	21	116	57	32	16	13	6	1147	416	17	56	18	9	1145	5,336	23	51	19	8	1146
Not Reported	0	0	0	0										0						1					
Primary Race/Ethnicity																									
American Indian or Alaskan Native	2	0	0	2										4			İ	İ		63	13	46	24	17	1142
Asian	14	0	1	13	1	8	6	46	3	23	3	23	1142	48	8	48	23	21	1141	328	20	52	19	10	1146
Black or African American	9	0	0	9										43	14	53	26	7	1143	932	7	43	31	19	1139
Hispanic or Latino	16	0	2	14	0	0	7	50	3	21	4	29	1139	98	5	46	30	19	1140	1,617	7	43	28	21	1139
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0										0						0					
White (non-Hispanic)	382	3	19	360	61	17	212	59	67	19	20	6	1146	632	14	58	19	9	1145	7,739	21	54	17	8	1147
No Primary Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0										0						5					
LEP Status																									
Currently receiving LEP services	0	0	0	0										19	0	37	16	47	1133	214	0	7	26	66	1126
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	1	0	0	1										3						45	0	24	42	33	1135
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	1	0	0	1										7				i		73	4	22	49	25	1136
All Other Students	421	3	22	396	63	16	229	58	75	19	29	7	1145	796	13	57	20	10	1144	10,352	18	53	19	9	1145
IEP																									
Students with an IEP	59	3	5	51	0	0	17	33	17	33	17	33	1135	120	1	33	31	35	1134	1,609	2	27	34	36	1133
All Other Students	364	0	17	347	63	18	212	61	59	17	13	4	1147	705	14	59	19	7	1145	9,075	21	56	17	6	1147
SES																									
Economically Disadvantaged Students	37	1	3	33	3	9	15	45	10	30	5	15	1141	202	7	44	29	21	1139	3,225	8	45	28	19	1140
All Other Students	386	2	19	365	60	16	214	59	66	18	25	7	1146	623	14	60	18	8	1145	7,459	22	54	16	7	1147
Minner																									
Migrant Migrant Students	0	0	0	0										0						0					
All Other Students	423	3	22	398	63	16	229	58	76	19	30	8	1145	825	12	56	21	11	1144	10,684	18	51	20	11	1145
Title I																									
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0										0						2,224	10	47	25	19	1141
All Other Students	423	3	22	398	63	16	229	58	76	19	30	8	1145	825	12	56	21	11	1144	8,460	20	53	19	9	1146
504 Plan																									
Students with a 504 Plan	5	1 1	0	4										5						248	20	60	17	4	1147
All Other Students	418	2	22	394	62	16	226	57	76	19	30	8	1145	820	12	55	21	11	1144	10,436	18	51	20	11	1145

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



Mathematics Results

School: Cranston High School West

District: Cranston **State:** Rhode Island

Code: 07-07126

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.

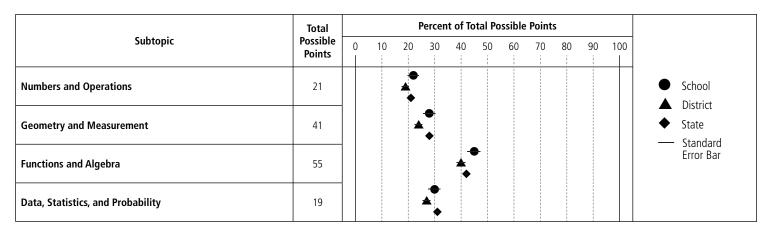
Partially Proficient (Level 2)

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 2008-09	459 423	2 3	1 22	456 398	5 2	1 1	98 117	21 29	127 112	28 28	226 167	50 42	1133 1135
Cumulative Total	882	5	23	854	7	1	215	25	239	28	393	46	1134
DISTRICT 2007-08 2008-09	903 885	7 11	20 50	876 824	6 4	1 0	148 177	17 21	227 230	26 28	495 413	57 50	1131 1133
Cumulative Total	1788	18	70	1,700	10	1	325	19	457	27	908	53	1132
STATE 2007-08 2008-09	11661 11203	147 161	340 343	11,174 10,699	123 155	1 1	2,340 2,739	21 26	3,032 3,007	27 28	5,679 4,798	51 45	1132 1134
Cumulative Total	22864	308	683	21,873	278	1	5,079	23	6,039	28	10,477	48	1133





Disaggregated Mathematics Results

School: Cranston High School West

District: Cranston **State:** Rhode Island

Code: 07-07126

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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	%	%	%	%	1
All Students	423	3	22	398	2	1	117	29	112	28	167	42	1135	824	0	21	28	50	1133	10,699	1	26	28	45	1134
Gender																									
Male	211	1	16	194	0	0	68	35	48	25	78	40	1136	408	0	23	28	49	1133	5,357	2	28	27	44	1134
Female	212	2	6	204	2	1	49	24	64	31	89	44	1135	416	1	20	28	51	1133	5,341	1	24	29	46	1133
Not Reported	0	0	0	0										0						1					
Primary Race/Ethnicity																									
American Indian or Alaskan Native	2	0	0	2										4						62	0	11	21	68	1130
Asian	14	0	1	13	0	0	7	54	2	15	4	31	1139	48	0	23	33	44	1134	330	4	28	31	36	1136
Black or African American	9	0	0	9										43	0	5	28	67	1129	928	0	7	19	73	1127
Hispanic or Latino	16	0	2	14	0	0	2	14	4	29	8	57	1132	98	0	8	20	71	1128	1,631	0	9	21	70	1128
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0				1						0						0					
White (non-Hispanic)	382	3	19	360	2	1	106	29	104	29	148	41	1135	631	1	25	29	46	1134	7,742	2	31	31	36	1136
No Primary Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0										0						6					
LEP Status																									
Currently receiving LEP services	0	0	0	0										19	0	0	16	84	1125	237	0	2	9	89	1121
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	1	0	0	1		1								3						45	0	4	24	71	1126
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	1	0	0	1										7						73	0	3	16	81	1127
All Other Students	421	3	22	396	2	1	117	30	112	28	165	42	1135	795	1	22	28	49	1133	10,344	1	26	29	43	1134
IEP																									
Students with an IEP	59	3	5	51	0	0	3	6	11	22	37	73	1127	119	0	4	16	80	1126	1,607	0	5	14	81	1125
All Other Students	364	0	17	347	2	1	114	33	101	29	130	37	1136	705	1	24	30	45	1134	9,092	2	29	31	39	1135
SES																									
Economically Disadvantaged Students	37	1	3	33	0	0	4	12	8	24	21	64	1131	201	0	8	24	68	1129	3,237	0	12	22	66	1129
All Other Students	386	2	19	365	2	1	113	31	104	28	146	40	1135	623	1	26	29	44	1134	7,462	2	32	31	36	1136
Migrant																									
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0										0						0					
All Other Students	423	3	22	398	2	1	117	29	112	28	167	42	1135	824	0	21	28	50	1133	10,699	1	26	28	45	1134
Title I																									
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0										0						2,238	0	13	22	64	1129
All Other Students	423	3	22	398	2	1	117	29	112	28	167	42	1135	824	0	21	28	50	1133	8,461	2	29	30	40	1135
504 Plan																									
Students with a 504 Plan	5	1	0	4										5						249	2	28	35	35	1136
All Other Students	418	2	22	394	2	1	116	29	110	28	166	42	1135	819	0	21	28	50	1133	10,450	1	26	28	45	1134
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Writing Results

School: Cranston High School West

District: Cranston **State:** Rhode Island **Code:** 07-07126

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 2008-09	459 423	0 3	1 22	458 398	10 9	2 2	141 153	31 38	245 218	53 55	62 18	14 5	5.6 6.2
Cumulative Total	882	3	23	856	19	2	294	34	463	54	80	9	5.9
DISTRICT 2007-08 2008-09	903 885	4 11	20 51	879 823	13 20	1 2	222 291	25 35	471 449	54 55	173 63	20 8	5.2 6.0
Cumulative Total	1788	15	71	1,702	33	2	513	30	920	54	236	14	5.6
STATE 2007-08 2008-09	11661 11203	165 156	365 378	11,131 10,669	357 403	3 4	3,744 4,023	34 38	5,495 5,322	49 50	1,535 921	14 9	5.7 6.1
Cumulative Total	22864	321	743	21,800	760	3	7,767	36	10,817	50	2,456	11	5.9

	Total			ı	Percen	t of To	otal Po	ssible	Point	s			Number	ı	Distr			Scor	e Poi ts	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					4	-						2	School District State	1 1 1	14 13 11	30 35 29	34 30 32	14 15 19	7 6 6	0 0 0
Informational Writing • Report • Procedure • Persuasive Essay	18						• • •						3	School District State	0 0 1	4 5 6	22 25 22	42 40 39	26 23 25	5 6 7	0 0 0
Expressive Writing • Reflective Essay	6					◆	_						1	School District State	6 3 4	8 12 14	34 32 32	38 39 33	12 10 14	2 4 4	0 0 0



Disaggregated Writing Results

School: Cranston High School West

District: Cranston **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	%	%	%	%	1
All Students	423	3	22	398	9	2	153	38	218	55	18	5	6.2	823	2	35	55	8	6.0	10,669	4	38	50	9	6.1
Gender																									
Male	211	1	16	194	3	2	56	29	120	62	15	8	5.8	408	2	27	59	12	5.6	5,334	3	32	53	12	5.8
Female	212	2	6	204	6	3	97	48	98	48	3	1	6.5	415	3	43	50	4	6.4	5,334	4	43	47	5	6.4
Not Reported	0	0	0	0										0						1					
Primary Race/Ethnicity																									
American Indian or Alaskan Native	2	0	0	2		İ								4			į	İ		63	0	30	62	8	5.7
Asian	14	0	1	13	0	0	4	31	7	54	2	15	5.5	48	4	27	56	13	5.7	327	6	39	45	10	6.3
Black or African American	9	0	0	9										43	2	26	60	12	5.5	933	1	26	58	16	5.3
Hispanic or Latino	16	0	2	14	0	0	5	36	8	57	1	7	5.7	98	0	32	57	11	5.5	1,618	1	25	59	15	5.3
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0										0			İ			0					
White (non-Hispanic)	382	3	19	360	9	3	141	39	196	54	14	4	6.2	630	3	37	54	6	6.1	7,723	5	42	47	6	6.3
No Primary Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0										0						5					
LEP Status																									
Currently receiving LEP services	0	0	0	0										19	0	32	37	32	5.1	210	0	8	45	47	3.7
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	1	0	0	1										3						45	0	9	71	20	4.5
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	1 1	0	0	1						1				7			ļ			74	0	14	69	18	4.9
All Other Students	421	3	22	396	9	2	153	39	216	55	18	5	6.2	794	3	36	55	7	6.0	10,340	4	39	50	8	6.2
IEP																									
Students with an IEP	59	3	5	51	0	0	4	8	40	78	7	14	4.7	119	0	10	69	21	4.6	1,593	1	12	59	28	4.5
All Other Students	364	0	17	347	9	3	149	43	178	51	11	3	6.4	704	3	40	52	5	6.2	9,076	4	42	48	5	6.4
SES																									
Economically Disadvantaged Students	37	1	3	33	0	0	12	36	19	58	2	6	5.7	200	1	27	60	13	5.4	3,216	1	26	59	14	5.4
All Other Students	386	2	19	365	9	2	141	39	199	55	16	4	6.2	623	3	38	53	6	6.2	7,453	5	43	46	6	6.4
Migrant																									
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0				1		1		:		0						0					
All Other Students	423	3	22	398	9	2	153	38	218	55	18	5	6.2	823	2	35	55	8	6.0	10,669	4	38	50	9	6.1
Title I																									
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0										0			İ			2,223	1	27	58	14	5.5
All Other Students	423	3	22	398	9	2	153	38	218	55	18	5	6.2	823	2	35	55	8	6.0	8,446	4	41	48	7	6.3
504 Plan																									
Students with a 504 Plan	5	1	0	4										5						248	3	47	47	4	6.5
All Other Students	418	2	22	394	9	2	151	38	217	55	17	4	6.2	818	2	35	55	8	6.0	10,421	4	37	50	9	6.1
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Level 4 = Proficient with Distinction; Level 3 = Proficient; Level 2 = Partially Proficient; Level 1 = Substantially Below Proficient