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: South Kingstown High

District: South Kingstown

Code: 32-32108



Grade Level Summary Report

School: South Kingstown High

District: South Kingstown **State:** Rhode Island

Code: 32-32108

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).

PARTICIPATION in NECAP					Number	r							Pe	ercentag	ge			
PARTICIPATION IN NECAP		School			District			State			School			District			State	
Students enrolled on or after October 1		303			307			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	293	293	294	296	296	297	10,684	10,699	10,669	97	97	97	96	96	97	95	96	95
Students not tested in NECAP																	 	
State Approved	3	1	1	4	2	2	179	161	156	1	0	0	1	1	1	2	1	1
Alternate Assessment	0	0	0	1	1	1	76	76	76	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1
First Year LEP	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Withdrew After October 1	1	1	1	1	1	1	46	52	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled After October 1	2	0	0	2	0	0	9	7	7	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Special Consideration	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	26	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	7	9	8	7	9	8	340	343	378	2	3	3	2	3	3	3	3	3

NECAP RESULTS

						School										Dis	trict					Sta	ate		
	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Lev	rel 4	Lev	el 3	Le	vel 2	Lev	el 1	Mean	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	303	3	7	293	103	35	150	51	28	10	12	4	1151	296	35	51	9	4	1151	10,684	18	51	20	11	1145
МАТН	303	1	9	293	14	5	129	44	81	28	69	24	1139	296	5	44	27	24	1139	10,699	1	26	28	45	1134
WRITING	303	1	8	294	33	11	160	54	93	32	8	3	7.2	297	11	54	32	3	7.2	10,669	4	38	50	9	6.1



Reading Results

School: South Kingstown High

District: South 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.

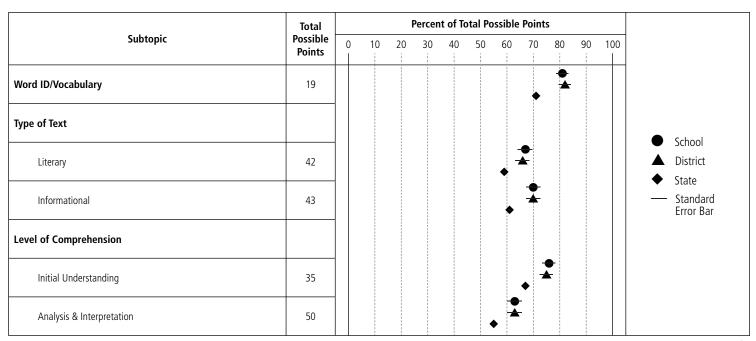
Partially Proficient (Level 2)

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 2008-09	323 303	5 3	12 7	306 293	92 103	30 35	158 150	52 51	34 28	11 10	22 12	7 4	1148 1151
Cumulative Total	626	8	19	599	195	33	308	51	62	10	34	6	1149
DISTRICT 2007-08 2008-09	330 307	5 4	16 7	309 296	92 103	30 35	158 152	51 51	35 28	11 9	24 13	8 4	1148 1151
Cumulative Total	637	9	23	605	195	32	310	51	63	10	37	6	1149
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: South Kingstown High

District: South 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	%	%	%	%	1
All Students	303	3	7	293	103	35	150	51	28	10	12	4	1151	296	35	51	9	4	1151	10,684	18	51	20	11	1145
Gender																									
Male	148	2	3	143	32	22	85	59	18	13	8	6	1148	144	22	59	13	6	1148	5,347	13	52	21	14	1143
Female	155	1	4	150	71	47	65	43	10	7	4	3	1153	152	47	44	7	3	1153	5,336	23	51	19	8	1146
Not Reported	0	0	0	0										0						1					
Primary Race/Ethnicity																									
American Indian or Alaskan Native	9	0	3	6						İ				6						63	13	46	24	17	1142
Asian	6	0	0	6				1						6						328	20	52	19	10	1146
Black or African American	12	0	1	11	2	18	3	27	3	27	3	27	1140	11	18	27	27	27	1140	932	7	43	31	19	1139
Hispanic or Latino	5	0	0	5										6						1,617	7	43	28	21	1139
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0						İ				0						0			į		
White (non-Hispanic)	271	3	3	265	97	37	141	53	21	8	6	2	1152	267	36	53	8	3	1152	7,739	21	54	17	8	1147
No Primary Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0	"	,							1152	0	30	55				5		J.			
LEP Status																									
Currently receiving LEP services	0	0	0	0										0						214	0	7	26	66	1126
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	0	0	0	0						1				0						45	0	24	42	33	1135
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	0	0	0	0										0						73	4	22	49	25	1136
All Other Students	303	3	7	293	103	35	150	51	28	10	12	4	1151	296	35	51	9	4	1151	10,352	18	53	19	9	1145
IEP																									
Students with an IEP	48	3	3	42	0	0	13	31	21	50	8	19	1137	45	0	33	47	20	1137	1,609	2	27	34	36	1133
All Other Students	255	0	4	251	103	41	137	55	7	3	4	2	1153	251	41	55	3	2	1153	9,075	21	56	17	6	1147
SES																									
Economically Disadvantaged Students	40	2	4	34	6	18	13	38	11	32	4	12	1143	34	18	38	32	12	1143	3,225	8	45	28	19	1140
All Other Students	263	1	3	259	97	37	137	53	17	7	8	3	1152	262	37	53	6	3	1152	7,459	22	54	16	7	1147
Migrant																									
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0				1						0						0					
All Other Students	303	3	7	293	103	35	150	51	28	10	12	4	1151	296	35	51	9	4	1151	10,684	18	51	20	11	1145
Title I																									
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0				1						0						2,224	10	47	25	19	1141
All Other Students	303	3	7	293	103	35	150	51	28	10	12	4	1151	296	35	51	9	4	1151	8,460	20	53	19	9	1146
504 Plan																									
Students with a 504 Plan	27	0	0	27	10	37	17	63	0	0	0	0	1154	27	37	63	0	0	1154	248	20	60	17	4	1147
All Other Students	276	3	7	266	93	35	133	50	28	11	12	5	1151	269	35	50	10	5	1151	10,436	18	51	20	11	1145
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Level 4 = Proficient with Distinction; Level 3 = Proficient; Level 2 = Partially Proficient; Level 1 = Substantially Below Proficient



Mathematics Results

School: South Kingstown High

District: South Kingstown **State:** Rhode Island

Code: 32-32108

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.

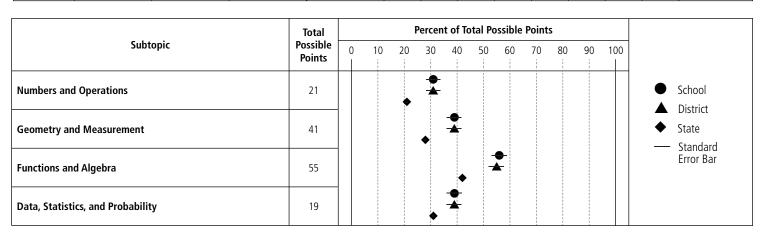
Partially Proficient (Level 2)

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	323	3	11	309	10	3	122	39	99	32	78	25	1138
2008-09	303	1	9	293	14	5	129	44	81	28	69	24	1139
Cumulative Total	626	4	20	602	24	4	251	42	180	30	147	24	1138
DISTRICT 2007-08 2008-09	330 307	3 2	15 9	312 296	10 14	3 5	122 129	39 44	100 81	32 27	80 72	26 24	1137 1139
Cumulative Total	637	5	24	608	24	4	251	41	181	30	152	25	1138
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: South Kingstown High

District: South Kingstown **State:** Rhode Island

Code: 32-32108

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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	303	1	9	293	14	5	129	44	81	28	69	24	1139	296	5	44	27	24	1139	10,699	1	26	28	45	1134
Gender																									
Male	148	0	4	144	9	6	60	42	40	28	35	24	1139	145	6	41	28	25	1139	5,357	2	28	27	44	1134
Female	155	1	5	149	5	3	69	46	41	28	34	23	1139	151	3	46	27	24	1138	5,341	1	24	29	46	1133
Not Reported	0	0	0	0										0						1					
Primary Race/Ethnicity																									
American Indian or Alaskan Native	9	0	3	6										6						62	0	11	21	68	1130
Asian	6	0	0	6										6						330	4	28	31	36	1136
Black or African American	12	0	1	11	0	0	1	9	2	18	8	73	1127	11	0	9	18	73	1127	928	0	7	19	73	1127
Hispanic or Latino	5	0	0	5										6			1			1,631	0	9	21	70	1128
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0										0						0					
White (non-Hispanic)	271	1	5	265	14	5	123	46	75	28	53	20	1140	267	5	46	28	21	1140	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		İ		į		İ		İ		0				İ		237	0	2	9	89	1121
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	0	0	0	0										0						45	0	4	24	71	1126
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	0	0	0	0		İ		İ		İ		İ		0				1		73	0	3	16	81	1127
All Other Students	303	1	9	293	14	5	129	44	81	28	69	24	1139	296	5	44	27	24	1139	10,344	1	26	29	43	1134
IEP																									
Students with an IEP	48	1	3	44	0	0	0	0	9	20	35	80	1127	47	0	0	19	81	1126	1,607	0	5	14	81	1125
All Other Students	255	0	6	249	14	6	129	52	72	29	34	14	1141	249	6	52	29	14	1141	9,092	2	29	31	39	1135
SES																									
Economically Disadvantaged Students	40	1	4	35	1	3	3	9	7	20	24	69	1130	35	3	9	20	69	1130	3,237	0	12	22	66	1129
All Other Students	263	0	5	258	13	5	126	49	74	29	45	17	1140	261	5	48	28	18	1140	7,462	2	32	31	36	1136
Migrant																									
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0										0				İ		0					
All Other Students	303	1	9	293	14	5	129	44	81	28	69	24	1139	296	5	44	27	24	1139	10,699	1	26	28	45	1134
Title I																									
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0				-						0			}	1		2,238	0	13	22	64	1129
All Other Students	303	1	9	293	14	5	129	44	81	28	69	24	1139	296	5	44	27	24	1139	8,461	2	29	30	40	1135
504 Plan																									
Students with a 504 Plan	27	0	0	27	0	0	11	/11	11	41	5	19	1138	27	0	41	41	19	1138	249	2	28	35	35	1136
All Other Students	276	1	9	266	14	5	118	41 44	70	26	64	24	1138	269	5	41	26	25	1138	10,450	2	26	28	45	1134
All Other students	2/0	'	ا ع	200	'4		110	44	'0	20	04	24	1139	1 209	5	44	20	25	1139	10,430	'	20	. 20	45	1134
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Writing Results

School: South Kingstown High

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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.

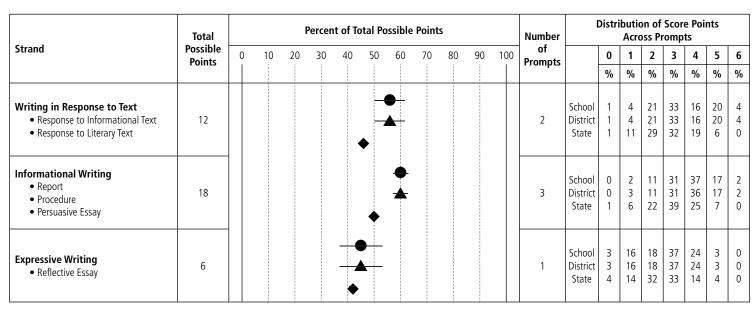
Partially Proficient (Level 2)

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	323 303	4 1	14 8	305 294	33 33	11 11	132 160	43 54	117 93	38 32	23 8	8 3	6.7 7.2
Cumulative Total	626	5	22	599	66	11	292	49	210	35	31	5	6.9
DISTRICT 2007-08 2008-09	330 307	4 2	18 8	308 297	33 33	11 11	132 160	43 54	119 94	39 32	24 10	8 3	6.6 7.2
Cumulative Total	637	6	26	605	66	11	292	48	213	35	34	6	6.9
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





Disaggregated Writing Results

School: South Kingstown High

District: South Kingstown **State:** Rhode Island

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REPORTING CATEGORIES	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Lev	el 4	Lev	/el 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	%	%	%	%	
All Students	303	1	8	294	33	11	160	54	93	32	8	3	7.2	297	11	54	32	3	7.2	10,669	4	38	50	9	6.1
Gender																									
Male	148	0	4	144	12	8	74	51	51	35	7	5	6.9	145	8	51	35	6	6.8	5,334	3	32	53	12	5.8
Female	155	1	4	150	21	14	86	57	42	28	1	1	7.5	152	14	57	28	1	7.5	5,334	4	43	47	5	6.4
Not Reported	0	0	0	0										0						1					
Primary Race/Ethnicity																									
American Indian or Alaskan Native	9	0	3	6		İ								6						63	0	30	62	8	5.7
Asian	6	0	0	6						1				6						327	6	39	45	10	6.3
Black or African American	12	0	1	11	1	9	2	18	6	55	2	18	5.3	11	9	18	55	18	5.3	933	1	26	58	16	5.3
Hispanic or Latino	5	0	0	5										6						1,618	1	25	59	15	5.3
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0		į								0						0				ĺ	
White (non-Hispanic)	271	1	4	266	30	11	153	58	78	29	5	2	7.3	268	11	57	29	3	7.3	7,723	5	42	47	6	6.3
No Primary Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	Ö	0	0				50	"	-			,.5	0		5.			7.5	5					0.5
LEP Status																									
Currently receiving LEP services	0	0	0	0										0						210	0	8	45	47	3.7
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	0	0	0	0										0						45	0	9	71	20	4.5
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	0	0	0	0		1				1				0						74	0	14	69	18	4.9
All Other Students	303	1	8	294	33	11	160	54	93	32	8	3	7.2	297	11	54	32	3	7.2	10,340	4	39	50	8	6.2
IEP																									
Students with an IEP	48	1	3	44	1	2	6	14	29	66	8	18	4.8	47	2	13	64	21	4.7	1,593	1	12	59	28	4.5
All Other Students	255	Ö	5	250	32	13	154	62	64	26	0	0	7.6	250	13	62	26	0	7.6	9,076	4	42	48	5	6.4
SES																									
Economically Disadvantaged Students	40	1	5	34	1	3	9	26	22	65	2	6	5.7	34	3	26	65	6	5.7	3,216	1	26	59	14	5.4
All Other Students	263	0	3	260	32	12	151	58	71	27	6	2	7.4	263	12	57	27	3	7.4	7,453	5	43	46	6	6.4
Migrant																									
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0										0						0					
All Other Students	303	1	8	294	33	11	160	54	93	32	8	3	7.2	297	11	54	32	3	7.2	10,669	4	38	50	9	6.1
Title I																									
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0										0						2,223	1	27	58	14	5.5
All Other Students	303	1	8	294	33	11	160	54	93	32	8	3	7.2	297	11	54	32	3	7.2	8,446	4	41	48	7	6.3
504 Plan																									
Students with a 504 Plan	27	0	0	27	1	4	19	70	7	26	0	0	7.5	27	4	70	26	0	7.5	248	3	47	47	4	6.5
All Other Students	276	1	8	267	32	12	141	53	86	32	8	3	7.2	270	12	52	32	4	7.1	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