About The New England **Common Assessment Program**

This report highlights results ENGLAN from the Fall 2008 New England Common Assessment Program (NECAP) tests. The NECAP tests are administered to \square students in New MMO Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont as part of each state's Ó statewide assessment 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.

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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

District Results

District: Middletown

Code: 19



Fall 2008 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2008-2009 Grade Level Summary Report

District:MiddletownState:Rhode IslandCode:19

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).

					Number								Pe	ercentag	je			
PARTICIPATION in NECAP		School			District			State			School			District			State	
Students enrolled on or after October 1		Reading Math Writing			142			11,203						100			100	
	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing	Reading	Math	Writing
Students tested				140	138	136	10,684	10,699	10,669				99	97	96	95	96	95
Students not tested in NECAP																		
State Approved				1	1	1	179	161	156				1	1	1	2	1	1
Alternate Assessment				1	1	1	76	76	76				1	1	1	1	1	1
First Year LEP				0	0	0	23	0	23				0	0	0	0	0	0
Withdrew After October 1				0	0	0	46	52	37				0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled After October 1				0	0	0	9	7	7				0	0	0	0	0	0
Special Consideration				0	0	0	25	26	13				0	0	0	0	0	0
Other				1	3	5	340	343	378				1	2	4	3	3	3

NECAP RESULTS

					I	District	:									Sta	ate								
	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	Ν	Ν	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score
READING	142	1	1	140	38	27	73	52	22	16	7	5	1148	10,684	18	51	20	11	1145						
MATH	142	1	3	138	6	4	54	39	48	35	30	22	1139	10,699	1	26	28	45	1134						
WRITING	142	1	5	136	8	6	58	43	63	46	7	5	6.3	10,669	4	38	50	9	6.1						

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.



Fall 2008 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2008-2009

Reading Results

District:MiddletownState:Rhode IslandCode:19

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 gradeappropriate 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
	Ν	N	Ν	N	N	%	N	%	Ν	%	N	%	Score
SCHOOL 2007-08 2008-09													
Cumulative Total													
DISTRICT 2007-08 2008-09	156 142	5 1	6 1	145 140	39 38	27 27	74 73	51 52	23 22	16 16	9 7	6 5	1148 1148
Cumulative Total	298	6	7	285	77	27	147	52	45	16	16	6	1148
STATE 2007-08 2008-09 Cumulative	11661 11203 22864	192 179 371	324 340 664	11,145 10,684 21,829	1,827 1,909 3,736	16 18 17	5,056 5,498 10,554	45 51 48	2,726 2,125 4,851	24 20 22	1,536 1,152 2,688	14 11 12	1143 1145 1144
Cumulative Total	22864	371	664	21,829	3,736	17	10,554	48	4,851	22	2,688	12	1144

	Total			F	Percen	t of To	otal Po	ssible	Point	s				
Subtopic	Possible Points	0	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100 		
Word ID/Vocabulary	19								•					
Type of Text														School
Literary	42							•	►					
Informational	43							•					-	
Level of Comprehension														
Initial Understanding	35								•	F				
Analysis & Interpretation	50							•	-					



Fall 2008 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2008-2009 Disaggregated Reading Results

District:MiddletownState:Rhode IslandCode:19

					I	Distri	ict									Sta	te								
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	Mean Score
	N	N	Ν	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		N	%	%	%	%		N	%	%	%	%	-
All Students	142	1	1	140	38	27	73	52	22	16	7	5	1148	10,684	18	51	20	11	1145						
Gender Male Female Not Reported	74 68 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	72 68 0	17 21	24 31	34 39	47 57	16 6	22 9	5 2	7 3	1147 1150	5,347 5,336 1	13 23	52 51	21 19	14 8	1143 1146						
Primary Race/Ethnicity American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian Black or African American Hispanic or Latino Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	2 6 7 8 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	2 6 7 8 0										63 328 932 1,617 0	13 20 7 7	46 52 43 43	24 19 31 28	17 10 19 21	1142 1146 1139 1139						
White (non-Hispanic) No Primary Race/Ethnicity Reported	119 0	1 0	1 0	117 0	32	27	64	55	14	12	7	6	1149	7,739 5	21	54	17	8	1147						
LEP Status Currently receiving LEP services Former LEP student - monitoring year 1 Former LEP student - monitoring year 2 All Other Students	2 0 0 140	0 0 0 1	0 0 0 1	2 0 0 138	38	28	73	53	20	14	7	5	1149	214 45 73 10,352	0 0 4 18	7 24 22 53	26 42 49 19	66 33 25 9	1126 1135 1136 1145						
IEP Students with an IEP All Other Students	23 119	1 0	1 0	21 119	1 37	5 31	4 69	19 58	10 12	48 10	6 1	29 1	1133 1151	1,609 9,075	2 21	27 56	34 17	36 6	1133 1147						
SES Economically Disadvantaged Students All Other Students	22 120	0 1	0 1	22 118	2 36	9 31	13 60	59 51	6 16	27 14	1 6	5 5	1144 1149	3,225 7,459	8 22	45 54	28 16	19 7	1140 1147						
Migrant Migrant Students All Other Students	0 142	0 1	0 1	0 140	38	27	73	52	22	16	7	5	1148	0 10,684	18	51	20	11	1145						
Title I Students Receiving Title I Services All Other Students	0 142	0 1	0 1	0 140	38	27	73	52	22	16	7	5	1148	2,224 8,460	10 20	47 53	25 19	19 9	1141 1146						
504 Plan Students with a 504 Plan All Other Students	4 138	0 1	0 1	4 136	38	28	69	51	22	16	7	5	1148	248 10,436	20 18	60 51	17 20	4 11	1147 1145						

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Fall 2008 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2008-2009 Mathematics Results

District:MiddletownState:Rhode IslandCode:19

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
	Ν	N	N	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	Ν	%	Score
SCHOOL 2007-08 2008-09													
Cumulative Total													
DISTRICT 2007-08 2008-09	156 142	1 1	5 3	150 138	0 6	0 4	49 54	33 39	49 48	33 35	52 30	35 22	1136 1139
Cumulative Total	298	2	8	288	6	2	103	36	97	34	82	28	1137
STATE 2007-08 2008-09 Cumulative	11661 11203 22864	147 161 308	340 343 683	11,174 10,699 21,873	123 155 278	1 1 1	2,340 2,739 5,079	21 26 23	3,032 3,007 6,039	27 28 28	5,679 4,798 10,477	51 45 48	1132 1134 1133
Total													

	Total			I	Percer	nt of To	otal Po	ossible	Point	s				
Subtopic	Possible Points	0	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100		
Numbers and Operations	21			٠	-								•	School District
Geometry and Measurement	41				♦ 7	•							•	State
Functions and Algebra	55						-	_						Error Bar
Data, Statistics, and Probability	19				٠	-	-							



Fall 2008 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2008-2009

Disaggregated Mathematics Results

District:MiddletownState:Rhode IslandCode:19

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REPORTING CATEGORIES	Enrolled	NT Approved	NT Other	Tested	Lev	vel 4	Lev	vel 3	Lev	vel 2	Lev	rel 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	%	%	%	%		Ν	%	%	%	%	
All Students	142	1	3	138	6	4	54	39	48	35	30	22	1139	10,699	1	26	28	45	1134						
Gender Male Female Not Reported	74 68 0	1 0 0	3 0 0	70 68 0	4 2	6 3	29 25	41 37	19 29	27 43	18 12	26 18	1139 1139	5,357 5,341 1	2 1	28 24	27 29	44 46	1134 1133						
Primary Race/Ethnicity American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian Black or African American Hispanic or Latino Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander White (non-Hispanic) No Primary Race/Ethnicity Reported	2 6 7 8 0 119 0	0 0 0 0 0 1 0	1 0 0 0 2 0	1 6 7 8 0 116 0	5	4	50	43	38	33	23	20	1139	62 330 928 1,631 0 7,742 6	0 4 0 0 2	11 28 7 9 31	21 31 19 21 31	68 36 73 70 36	1130 1136 1127 1128 1136						
LEP Status Currently receiving LEP services Former LEP student - monitoring year 1 Former LEP student - monitoring year 2 All Other Students	2 0 0 140	0 0 0 1	0 0 0 3	2 0 0 136	6	4	54	40	46	34	30	22	1139	237 45 73 10,344	0 0 0 1	2 4 3 26	9 24 16 29	89 71 81 43	1121 1126 1127 1134						
IEP Students with an IEP All Other Students	23 119	1 0	2 1	20 118	0 6	0 5	2 52	10 44	5 43	25 36	13 17	65 14	1132 1140	1,607 9,092	0 2	5 29	14 31	81 39	1125 1135						
SES Economically Disadvantaged Students All Other Students	22 120	0 1	1 2	21 117	1 5	5 4	4 50	19 43	10 38	48 32	6 24	29 21	1135 1139	3,237 7,462	0 2	12 32	22 31	66 36	1129 1136						
Migrant Migrant Students All Other Students	0 142	0 1	0 3	0 138	6	4	54	39	48	35	30	22	1139	0 10,699	1	26	28	45	1134						
Title I Students Receiving Title I Services All Other Students	0 142	0 1	0 3	0 138	6	4	54	39	48	35	30	22	1139	2,238 8,461	0 2	13 29	22 30	64 40	1129 1135						
504 Plan Students with a 504 Plan All Other Students	4 138	0 1	0 3	4 134	6	4	54	40	45	34	29	22	1139	249 10,450	2 1	28 26	35 28	35 45	1136 1134						

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Fall 2008 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2008-2009 Writing Results

District:MiddletownState:Rhode IslandCode:19

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
	Ν	N	N	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Score
SCHOOL 2007-08 2008-09													
Cumulative Total													
DISTRICT 2007-08 2008-09	156 142	6 1	5 5	145 136	11 8	8 6	69 58	48 43	53 63	37 46	12 7	8 5	6.6 6.3
Cumulative Total	298	7	10	281	19	7	127	45	116	41	19	7	6.5
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			I	Percen	t of To	otal Po	ossible	Point	S			Number	I	Distr			Scor romp		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				-		•						2	School District State	3 1	24 11	27 29	15 32	24 19	6 6	000
Informational Writing • Report • Procedure • Persuasive Essay	18						•						3	School District State	2 1	4 6	19 22	38 39	30 25	7 7	1 0
Expressive Writing • Reflective Essay	6				_	•							1	School District State	0 4	13 14	27 32	40 33	13 14	7 4	0



Fall 2008 - Beginning of Grade 11 NECAP Tests Grade 11 Students in 2008-2009 Disaggregated Writing Results

District:MiddletownState:Rhode IslandCode:19

REPORTING						Distri	ICT									Sta	ite								
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	%	1	N	%	%	%	%	1	N	%	%	%	%	1
All Students	142	1	5	136	8	6	58	43	63	46	7	5	6.3	10,669	4	38	50	9	6.1						
Gender																									
Male	74	1	5	68	3	4	25	37	34	50	6	9	6.0	5,334	3	32	53	12	5.8						
Female	68	0	Ő	68	5	7	33	49	29	43	1	1	6.7	5,334	4	43	47	5	6.4						
Not Reported	0	0	0	0		,	55	.5		.5				1	·	.5									
Primary Race/Ethnicity																									
American Indian or Alaskan Native	2	0	0	2										63	0	30	62	8	5.7						
Asian	6	0	Ő	6										327	6	39	45	10	6.3						
Black or African American	7	0	1	6										933	1	26	58	16	5.3						
Hispanic or Latino	8	0	1	7										1,618	1	25	59	15	5.3						
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0 0	ŏ	0	, 0										0		25			5.5						
White (non-Hispanic)	119	1	3	115	7	6	48	42	54	47	6	5	6.3	7,723	5	42	47	6	6.3						
No Primary Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0	0	0	'	0	40	42	54	47	0	,	0.5	5	5	42	47	0	0.5						
EP Status																									
Currently receiving LEP services	2	0	0	2										210	0	8	45	47	3.7						
Former LEP student - monitoring year 1	0	0	0	0										45	Ö	9	71	20	4.5			1			
Former LEP student - monitoring year 2	0	0	0	0										74	0	14	69	18	4.9						
All Other Students	140	1	5	134	8	6	57	43	63	47	6	4	6.3	10,340	4	39	50	8	6.2						
EP																									
Students with an IEP	23	1	5	17	0	0	3	18	12	71	2	12	4.9	1,593	1	12	59	28	4.5						
All Other Students	119	0	0	119	8	7	55	46	51	43	5	4	6.5	9,076	4	42	48	20 5	6.4						
ies																									
Economically Disadvantaged Students	22	0	1	21	0	0	8	38	13	62	0	0	6.0	3,216	1	26	59	14	5.4						
All Other Students	120	1	4	115	8	7	50	43	50	43	7	6	6.4	7,453	5	43	46	6	6.4						
Aigrant																									
Migrant Students	0	0	0	0										0											
All Other Students	142	1	5	136	8	6	58	43	63	46	7	5	6.3	10,669	4	38	50	9	6.1						
itle I																									
Students Receiving Title I Services	0	0	0	0										2,223	1	27	58	14	5.5						
All Other Students	142	1	5	136	8	6	58	43	63	46	7	5	6.3	8,446	4	41	48	7	6.3						
i04 Plan																									
Students with a 504 Plan	4	0	0	4										248	3	47	47	4	6.5				1		
All Other Students	138	1	5	132	8	6	56	42	61	46	7	5	6.3	10,421	4	47 37	47 50	9	6.1						

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