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The **2016-17 School Performance Reports** are designed to share school and district information collected by the New Jersey Department of Education directly with parents, educators, and communities. The Department believes that the greatest potential to improve school performance and student outcomes is through parents, educators, and community members working together. These reports seek to make that process easier by providing information that can help people to:

- **Learn more:** The School Performance Reports contain a wealth of data, going far beyond a school's test scores to include information about the staff working in a school, student discipline rates, and the sports and clubs offered.
- **Ask questions:** These reports can help start a conversation, but they cannot answer all the questions you might have about schools in your community. Use the contact information provided to engage with faculty and administrators at your schools to ask about the data you see in these reports.
- **Get involved:** Schools need help from parents and communities to help students succeed. Contact your school to find out about school board meetings or parent and community groups.

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Footnotes

1. An "*" indicates that data is not displayed to protect student privacy; "N" indicates no data is available to display.
2. ** ESSA accountability targets are only included if data is available for at least 20 students.

Note: Additional footnotes may exist within the reports specific to certain data tables. In those instances, the footnotes will be displayed below the applicable table.



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Enrollment Trends by Grade

This table shows the number of students enrolled by grade for the past three school years. Ungraded students are students who are "on roll" but are educated in ungraded classrooms.

Grade	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
9	59	97	92
10	131	89	131
11	150	61	84
12	96	84	116
Ungraded	33	31	30
Total	469	362	453

Enrollment Trends by Student Group

This table shows the percentage of students by student group for the past three school years. Data for some student groups was not available before 2016-17.

Student Group	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
Female	42%	41%	44%
Male	58%	59%	56%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	68%	62%	66%
Students with Disabilities	17%	14%	15%
English Learners	18%	33%	35%
Homeless Students			0%
Students in Foster Care			1%
Military-Connected Students			0%
Migrant Students			0%

Enrollment by Racial and Ethnic Group

This table shows the percentage of students by racial and ethnic group.

Racial and Ethnic Group	% of Students
Hispanic	54.6%
Black or African American	44.7%
White	0.4%
Asian	0.2%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%
Two or More Races	0.0%

Enrollment Trends by Full and Shared Time

This table shows the number of full and shared time students. The full time equivalent is the number of full time students plus half the number of shared time students.

Enrollment Status	2016-17
Full Time Students	451
Shared Time Students	2
Full Time Equivalent	452

Enrollment by Home Language

This table shows the percentage of students by primary home language. Only the top 5 languages with at least 1% of students are shown. All other students are included in Other Languages.

Home Language	% of Students
English	57.5%
Spanish	40.5%
Haitian	1.5%
Other	0.4%



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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Participation and Performance

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Student Group	Valid Scores	% of students Taking Test	School: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	District: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	State: % of Testers Met/Exceeded Expectations	Proficiency Rate for Federal Accountability	2016-17 Annual Target	Met 2016-17 Annual Target
Schoolwide	115	73.4	*	19.60	54.90	*	6.1	Not Met
White	N	N	N	23.20	63.90	N	**	**
Hispanic	57	76.8	*	21.50	39.80	*	5	Not Met
Black or African American	58	70.2	*	17.60	35.20	*	7.4	Not Met
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	53.80	80.70	N	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	20.00	53.70	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	N	N	26.70	54.90	N	**	**
Female	49	74.3	*	24.00	62.20	*		
Male	66	72.7	*	15.60	48.10	*		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	95	73.0	*	19.80	36.20	*	8.1	Not Met
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	20	75.0	*	18.80	65.80	*		
Students with Disabilities	20	74.1	*	*	20.50	*	9.9	Met Target†
Students without Disabilities	95	73.2	*	*	61.90	*		
English Learners	34	79.4	*	12.20	25.20	*	N	N
Non-English Learners	81	69.8	*	21.80	57.40	*		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	*	26.40	N		
Students In Foster Care	*	*	*	*	24.80	*		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	53.50	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	*	23.00	N		

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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 9

This table shows participation and performance on the English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) section of the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment by grade level exam. This table shows by school and student group the number of valid test scores and the mean scale score for the school, district, and state. It also shows the percentage of students at each performance level and the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations (Level 4 or 5) for the school and the state.

Student Group	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	District Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations	% Level 2: Partially Met Expectations	% Level 3: Approached Expectations	% Level 4: Met Expectations	% Level 5: Exceeded Expectations	% of Testers Met/ Exceeded Expectations	State % of Testers Met / Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	75	681	712	749	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
White	N	N	N	757	N	N	N	N	N	N	62%
Hispanic	59	679	706	733	*	*	*	*	*	*	35%
Black or African American	16	688	719	730	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	777	N	N	N	N	N	N	80%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	745	N	N	N	N	N	N	49%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	746	N	N	N	N	N	N	48%
Female	28	685	720	756	*	*	*	*	*	*	60%
Male	47	679	704	741	*	*	*	*	*	*	43%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	58	681	712	731	*	*	*	*	*	*	32%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	17	681	709	758	*	*	*	*	*	*	62%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	714	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	754	*	*	*	*	*	*	58%
English Learners	53	678	*	690	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-English Learners	22	690	*	752	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	719	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	718	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	746	N	N	N	N	N	N	45%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	705	N	N	N	N	N	N	*



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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 10

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Schoolwide	57	680	713	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	46%
White	N	N	N	749	N	N	N	N	N	N	52%
Hispanic	15	696	727	728	*	*	*	*	*	*	34%
Black or African American	42	675	703	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	31%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	774	N	N	N	N	N	N	74%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	740	N	N	N	N	N	N	42%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	737	N	N	N	N	N	N	42%
Female	24	682	719	752	*	*	*	*	*	*	54%
Male	33	679	707	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	47	681	711	726	*	*	*	*	*	*	32%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	10	675	717	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	54%
Students with Disabilities	10	663	683	704	*	*	*	*	*	*	12%
Students without Disabilities	47	684	723	749	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
English Learners	*	*	*	681	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	745	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	715	N	N	N	N	N	N	21%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	710	*	*	*	*	*	*	20%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	733	N	N	N	N	N	N	35%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	694	N	N	N	N	N	N	*



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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance by Grade: Grade 11**

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Schoolwide	31	691	717	736	*	*	*	*	*	*	38%
White	N	N	N	738	N	N	N	N	N	N	40%
Hispanic	11	701	726	731	*	*	*	*	*	*	34%
Black or African American	20	686	710	728	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	756	N	N	N	N	N	N	58%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	731	N	N	N	N	N	N	36%
Female	14	683	722	744	*	*	*	*	*	*	46%
Male	17	698	712	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	31%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	16	687	717	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	32%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	15	697	717	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	42%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	709	*	*	*	*	*	*	12%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	741	*	*	*	*	*	*	43%
English Learners	*	*	*	699	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	737	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	722	N	N	N	N	N	N	24%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	713	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	723	N	N	N	N	N	N	24%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	713	N	N	N	N	N	N	26%

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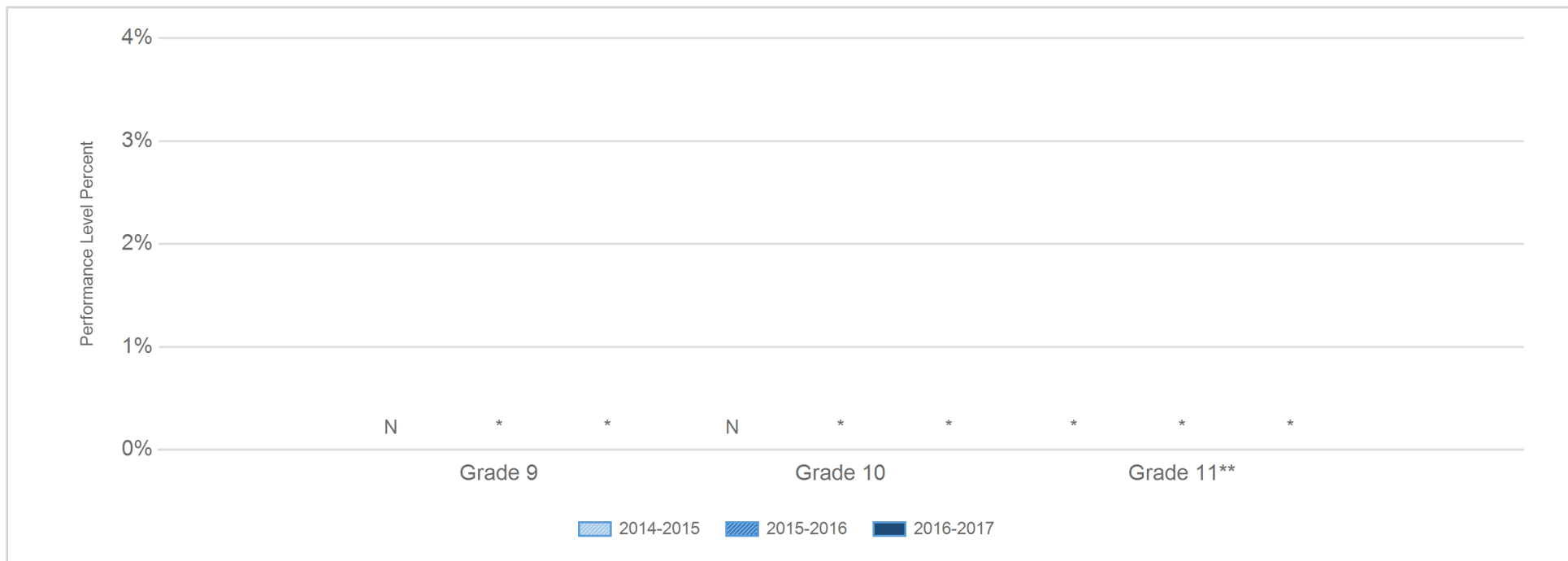


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English Language Arts/Literacy Assessment - Performance Trends

This graph shows the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations for the past three years.



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Schoolwide	90	63.5	*	*	43.50	*	N	N
White	N	N	N	10.00	52.40	N	**	**
Hispanic	40	58.0	*	11.00	27.60	*	N	N
Black or African American	50	69.3	*	*	21.70	*	N	N
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	31.20	75.60	N	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	16.70	42.50	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	N	N	*	44.90	N	**	**
Female	37	66.7	*	*	44.10	*		
Male	53	61.5	*	*	42.90	*		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	68	64.0	*	*	25.10	*	N	N
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	22	61.9	*	*	54.30	*		
Students with Disabilities	16	66.7	*	*	16.50	*	N	N
Students without Disabilities	74	62.9	*	*	48.80	*		
English Learners	25	60.0	*	*	23.30	*	N	N
Non-English Learners	65	65.3	*	*	45.20	*		
Homeless Students	N	N	N	*	16.40	N		
Students In Foster Care	*	*	*	*	15.10	*		
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	N	39.90	N		
Migrant Students	N	N	N	*	18.20	N		

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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Test: Algebra I

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Schoolwide	88	691	711	743	*	*	*	*	*	*	42%
White	N	N	N	751	N	N	N	N	N	N	52%
Hispanic	52	692	711	728	*	*	*	*	*	*	24%
Black or African American	36	689	*	724	*	*	*	*	*	*	19%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	774	N	N	N	N	N	N	76%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	736	N	N	N	N	N	N	30%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	741	N	N	N	N	N	N	41%
Female	36	689	*	744	*	*	*	*	*	*	43%
Male	52	692	*	741	*	*	*	*	*	*	40%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	60	691	711	727	*	*	*	*	*	*	23%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	28	689	709	751	*	*	*	*	*	*	52%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	714	*	*	*	*	*	*	10%
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	747	*	*	*	*	*	*	47%
English Learners	43	692	697	708	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-English Learners	45	689	714	745	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	13%
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	711	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	742	N	N	N	N	N	N	37%
Migrant Students	*	*	*	715	*	*	*	*	*	*	21%



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Test: Geometry

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Schoolwide	38	697	709	734	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
White	N	N	N	740	N	N	N	N	N	N	38%
Hispanic	13	703	708	722	*	*	*	*	*	*	14%
Black or African American	25	694	708	719	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	758	N	N	N	N	N	N	65%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	730	N	N	N	N	N	N	29%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	733	N	N	N	N	N	N	32%
Female	17	691	710	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	31%
Male	21	702	707	733	*	*	*	*	*	*	30%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	23	697	708	721	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	15	698	710	740	*	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	711	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	738	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
English Learners	*	*	*	710	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	735	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	717	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Students in Foster Care	*	*	*	713	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	727	N	N	N	N	N	N	15%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	704	N	N	N	N	N	N	*



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Mathematics Assessment - Performance by Test: Algebra II

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Schoolwide	32	681	693	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	28%
White	*	*	*	731	*	*	*	*	*	*	33%
Hispanic	13	678	695	710	*	*	*	*	*	*	14%
Black or African American	18	681	690	703	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	761	N	N	N	N	N	N	62%
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	715	N	N	N	N	N	N	20%
Two or More Races	N	N	N	718	N	N	N	N	N	N	25%
Female	10	683	691	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	27%
Male	22	680	694	725	*	*	*	*	*	*	29%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	708	*	*	*	*	*	*	13%
Non-Economically Disadvantaged Students	*	*	*	733	*	*	*	*	*	*	35%
Students with Disabilities	*	*	*	692	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Students without Disabilities	*	*	*	729	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
English Learners	*	*	*	692	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-English Learners	*	*	*	726	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Homeless Students	N	N	N	702	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Students in Foster Care	N	N	N	692	N	N	N	N	N	N	*
Military-Connected Students	N	N	N	710	N	N	N	N	N	N	14%
Migrant Students	N	N	N	702	N	N	N	N	N	N	14%

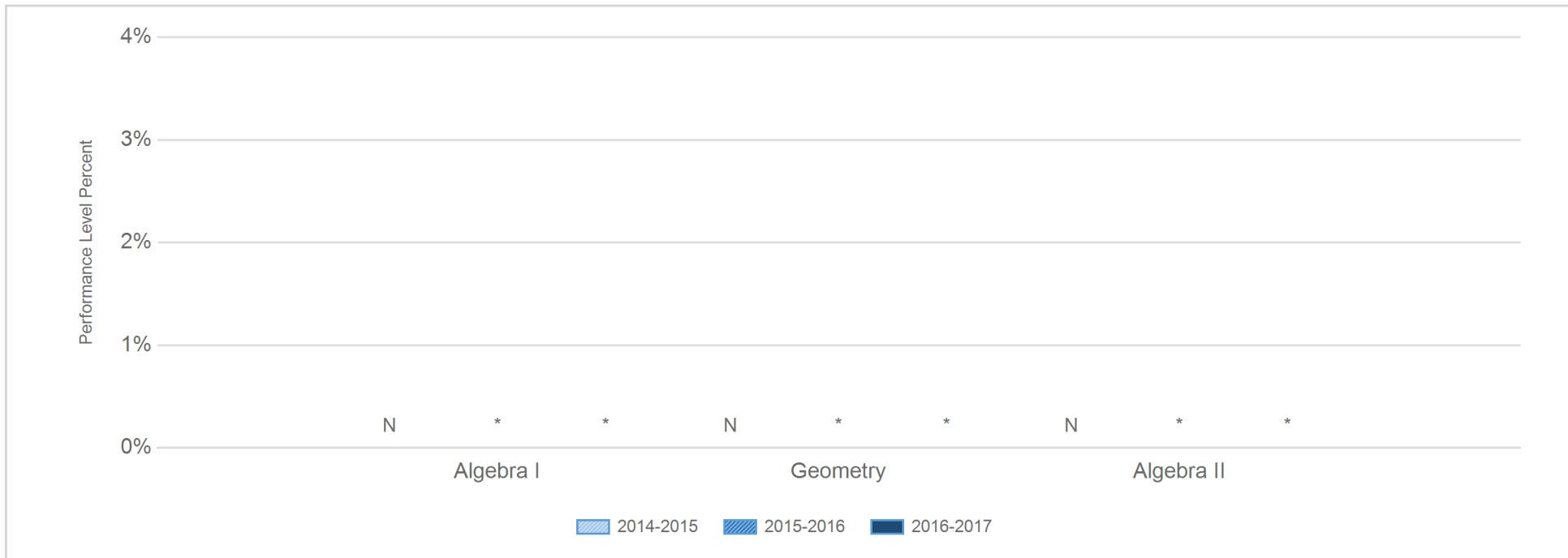


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Mathematics Assessment – Performance Trends

This graph shows the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations for the past three years.





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Alternate Assessments - Participation

This table shows the number of students taking the Dynamic Learning Maps Alternate Assessment, which tests academic progress in English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics for students with different types of significant cognitive disabilities.

Grade	ELA: # Students Tested	Math: # Students Tested
9	N	N
10	N	N
11	*	*

English Language Proficiency Test - Participation and Performance

This table shows, by years in district, the number of English learner students taking the ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 Assessment for English language proficiency. The table also shows the percentage of students tested that received an overall score of 4.5 or above. Students must receive a score of 4.5 or higher to be considered for proficient status.

Years in District	# Students Tested	% Students with Overall Score Below 4.5	% Students with Overall Score of 4.5 and above
1	71	*	*
2	27	*	*
3	26	*	*
4	10	*	*
5+	*	*	*



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This section shows whether students have gained the knowledge and skills identified in the Biology section of the Science Core Curriculum Standards as measured by the End of Course Biology test. The assessment has three proficiency categories. Students performing at "Proficient" and "Advanced Proficient" have demonstrated readiness for the next grade-level/course.

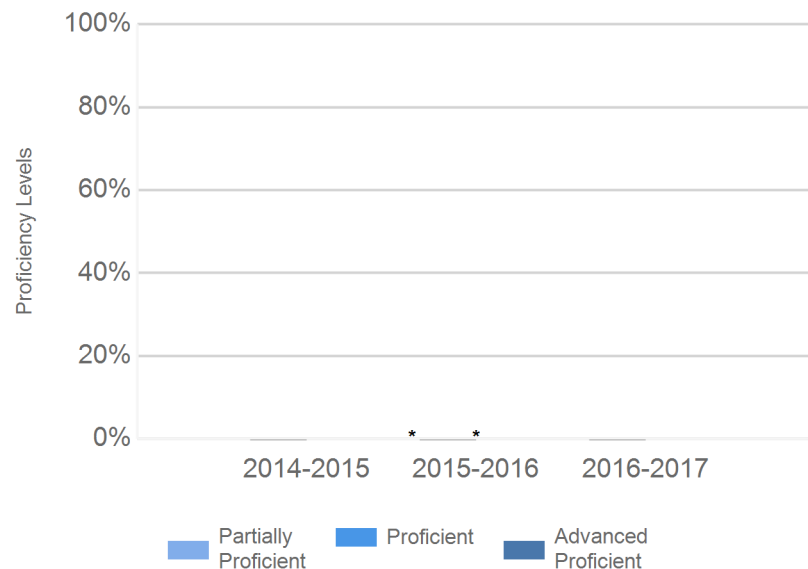
Biology Assessment - Performance

This table shows the percentage of students in each proficiency category for the school and each student group and also provides a comparison to the statewide percentages.

Student Group	% Advanced Proficient	% Proficient	% Partially Proficient
Statewide	16%	42%	42%
Schoolwide	N	N	*
White	N	N	N
Hispanic	N	N	*
Black or African American	N	N	*
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N
Two or More Races	N	N	N
Economically Disadvantaged Students	N	N	*
Students with Disabilities	N	N	*
English Learners	N	N	*

Biology Assessment - Proficiency Trends

This graph displays the percentage of students by proficiency category for the past three school years.





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This section contains information about participation and performance on college entrance examinations. For more information about how participation and performance on the PSAT, SAT, and ACT tests are calculated and how these calculations account for recent changes to the SAT test, please see our [Reference Guide](#).

PSAT/SAT/ACT - Participation

This table shows the percentage of 10th and 11th graders that took the PSAT 10 or PSAT NMSQT exams in 2016-17. This table also shows the percentage of 12th graders that have taken the SAT or ACT this year or in prior years.

Test	% of Students in School	% of Students in State
Percentage of students taking the PSAT	21.0%	89.4%
Percentage of students taking the SAT	*	70.0%
Percentage of students taking the ACT	*	28.3%

PSAT/SAT/ACT - Performance

This table shows the average test score, based on highest scoring test, for the PSAT, SAT, and ACT tests by subject area for students in the school and across the state. This table also shows the percentage of students at or above College Readiness Benchmarks for each test. Students that score at or above these benchmarks have a high chance of success in credit-bearing college courses.

Test	School Average Score	State Average Score	College Readiness Benchmarks	School - % of Students scoring at or above Benchmark	State - % of Students scoring at or above Benchmark
PSAT - Reading and Writing	369	481	Varies By Grade	21%	67%
PSAT - Math	368	483	Varies By Grade	*	49%
SAT - Reading and Writing	*	551	480	*	77%
SAT - Math	*	552	530	*	58%
ACT - Reading	*	24	22	*	65%
ACT - English	*	24	18	*	79%
ACT - Math	*	24	22	*	65%
ACT - Science	*	23	23	*	54%



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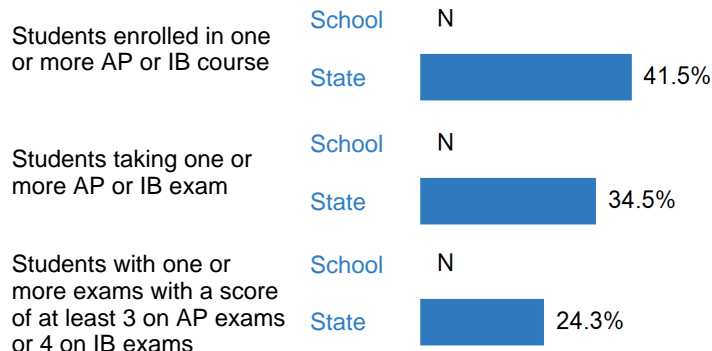
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Students in high schools begin to demonstrate college readiness behaviors long before they actually graduate from high school. Among those behaviors are participating in advanced course work such as **Advanced Placement (AP)** or **International Baccalaureate (IB)** courses and exams and **dual enrollment** courses where high school students can enroll in college courses for credit.

AP/IB Coursework – Participation and Performance

This chart shows the percentage of students out of all 11th and 12th grade students in the school and across the state, who enrolled in one or more AP or IB course, the percentage that took one or more AP or IB exam, and the percentage of students taking one or more exams who received at least one score of at least 3 on AP exams or 4 on IB exams.



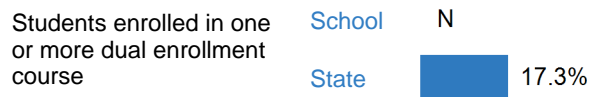
AP/ IB Courses Offered

This table shows the students enrolled in AP/IB courses and the corresponding exams that were taken. Students do not need to take a course to take the exam and not all students enrolled in a course take the exam. The last two rows show the total number of exams taken and the number of exams with scores of at least 3 on AP exams or 4 on IB exams. In the last two rows, students taking multiple exams are counted more than once.

AP/IB Course	Students Enrolled	Students Tested
N	0	0

Dual Enrollment Coursework - Participation

This graph shows the percentage students enrolled in at least one **dual enrollment** course in the school and across the state. **Dual enrollment** courses allow high school students to enroll in college courses for credit prior to their high school graduation.





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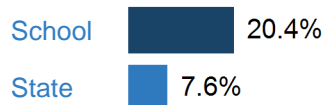
This section contains information about participation in approved **Career and Technical Education (CTE)** programs and **Structured Learning Experiences**. For more information about CTE in New Jersey, please visit <http://www.nj.gov/education/cte/>.

Career and Technical Education Participation

The chart below shows the percentage of students within the school and state who were enrolled in courses in approved Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs. Students enrolled in shared-time CTE programs in a county vocational school district are included in both the county vocational school and their sending school.

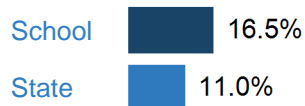
CTE Participants

(completed only one course in an approved CTE program)



CTE Concentrators

(completed two or more courses in a single approved CTE program and/or completed the entire CTE program)



Structured Learning Experiences Participation

The graph below displays the percentage of students within the school and state who participated in Structured Learning Experiences (SLEs). SLEs can include work-based learning programs, internships, apprenticeships, and service learning experiences and can be paid or unpaid.

Structured Learning Experiences



Industry-Valued Credentials Earned

This table shows the number of students that earned at least one industry-valued credential and the number of credentials earned in each Career Cluster® and overall for the 2016-17 school year. Students earning credentials in more than one Career Cluster are counted in multiple rows. Students earning multiple credentials in one Career Cluster are counted more than once in the Industry credentials total.

Career Cluster	Students with at least one credential earned	Industry credentials earned
Total non-duplicated number of students**	0	
Total number of credentials earned in all clusters		0

**Students may earn credentials in more than one Career Cluster



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This section shows the types of courses that students were enrolled in by grade level for the 2016-17 school year. You can find more information about [New Jersey Student Learning Standards](#) on our website and more details about the data in this section in our [Reference Guide](#). English course participation is not included because students are required to take four years of English in high school.

Mathematics - Course Participation

This table shows the number of students by grade that were enrolled in **Mathematics** courses by subject area. Students are counted more than once if they are enrolled in more than one math course. The bottom row of the table shows the number of students that enrolled in at least one Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) math course by subject area.

Grade	Algebra I	Geometry	Algebra II	Pre-Calculus	Calculus	Statistics	Other Math
9	47	2	0	0	0	0	10
10	50	24	7	0	0	0	9
11	23	19	20	0	0	0	2
12	27	29	50	0	0	0	7
Schoolwide	147	74	77	0	0	0	28
Enrolled in AP/IB Course					N	N	N

Science - Course Participation

This table shows the number of students by grade that were enrolled in **Science** courses by subject area. Students are counted more than once if they are enrolled in more than one science course. The bottom row of the table shows the number of students that enrolled in at least one Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) science course by subject area.

Grade	Biology	Chemistry	Earth and Space Science	Environmental Science	Physics	Other Science
9	7	2	10	0	11	14
10	15	9	5	0	27	32
11	11	16	2	1	6	17
12	25	41	7	4	6	13
Schoolwide	58	68	24	5	50	76
Enrolled in AP/IB Course	N	N		N	N	N



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Social Studies and History - Course Participation

This table shows the number of students by grade that were enrolled in **Social Studies** and **History** courses by subject area. Students are counted more than once if they are enrolled in more than one social studies or history course. The bottom row of the table shows the number of students that enrolled in at least one Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) social studies or history course by subject area.

Grade	World History	US History I & II	Economics	Psychology	Sociology	Other Social Studies or History
9	19	15	0	0	0	10
10	30	42	0	0	0	4
11	13	53	0	0	0	0
12	15	61	0	0	0	0
Schoolwide	77	171	0	0	0	14
Enrolled in AP/IB Course	N	N	N	N	N	N

World Languages - Course Participation

This table shows the number of students by grade that were enrolled in **World Languages** courses by language. Students are counted more than once if they are enrolled in more than one language course. The bottom rows of the table show students enrolled in at least one Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) language course, students enrolled in a level 3 or higher language course (such as French III or IV), and the number of students that earned a Seal of Biliteracy by language.

Grade	Spanish	French	Italian	Latin	German	Chinese	Other Languages
9	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	38	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	25	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	21	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schoolwide	104	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled in AP/IB Course	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Enrolled in Level 3 or Higher	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Earned Seal of Biliteracy	N	N	N	N	N	N	N



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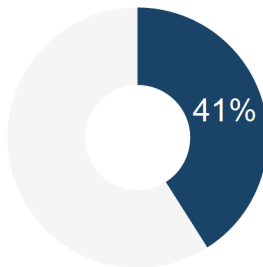
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Visual and Performing Arts – Course Participation

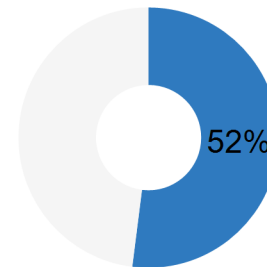
The top graphs below show the percentages of students that were enrolled in any **Visual and Performing Arts** classes within the school and across the state. The graphs at the bottom of the page show the percentages of students enrolled in at least one course within each of the four arts disciplines within the school and across the state.

Grades 9-12:

Students enrolled in one or more **visual and performing arts** classes

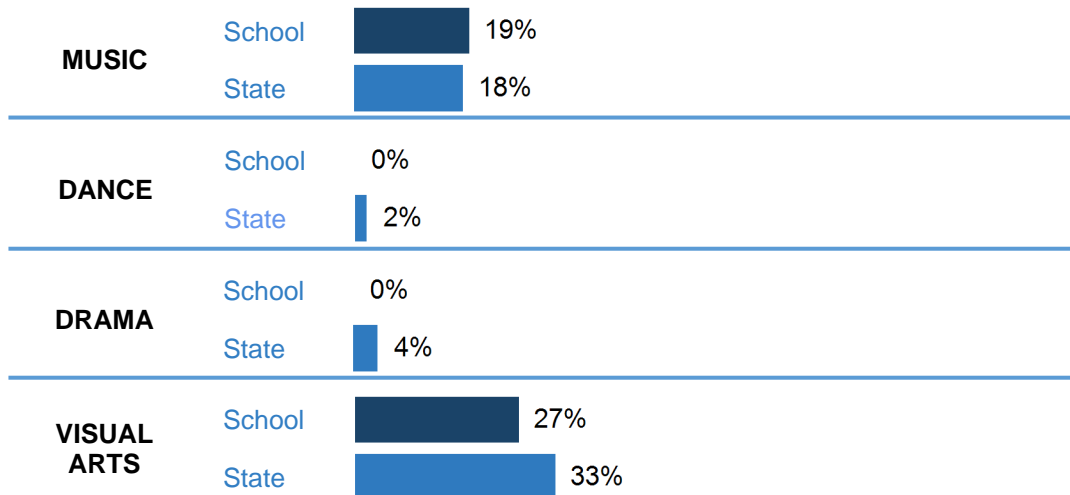


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Students enrolled in one or more classes by discipline:





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This section contains information about graduation rates and dropout rates for students in grades 9-12. Graduation rates are calculated based on the adjusted cohort graduation rate calculation. You can find more about how these rates are calculated [here](#).

Graduation Rates

This table shows 4-year and 5-year Graduation Rates for the school and each student group with comparisons to statewide rates. Annual ESSA accountability targets for the Class of 2016 4-year rate and the Class of 2015 5-year rates are included with a flag for whether the school and each student group met those targets.

Student Group	School - Class of 2017: 4 Year Rate	State - Class of 2017: 4 Year Rate	School - Class of 2016: 5 Year Rate	State - Class of 2016: 5 Year Rate	Class of 2016: 4 Year Rate	Class of 2016: 4 Year Target	Met Target?	Class of 2015: 5 Year Rate	Class of 2015: 5 Year Target	Met Target?
Schoolwide	34.4%	*	34.7%	*	27.3%	32.4%	Not Met	34.4%	31.0%	Met Target
White	*	94.5%	*	95.1%	*	**	**	*	**	**
Hispanic	29.0%	84.3%	*	86.3%	*	27.7%	Not Met	*	27.2%	Met Target
Black or African American	39.8%	83.4%	36.7%	85.3%	30.8%	34.3%	Not Met	36.8%	32.3%	Met Target
Asian, Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N	96.6%	N	97.5%	N	N	N	N	N	N
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	92.3%	N	86.6%	N	N	N	N	N	N
Two or More Races	*	91.9%	N	93.7%	N	N	N	N	N	N
Economically Disadvantaged Students	38.1%	83.9%	35.3%	85.6%	27.1%	28.5%	Not Met	35.6%	35.2%	Met Target
Students with Disabilities	52.9%	78.8%	37.5%	82.1%	30.3%	27.7%	Met Target	23.0%	39.4%	Not Met
English Learners	32.5%	76.1%	21.1%	79.7%	11.1%	**	**	36.8%	**	**
Homeless Students	*	73.2%	*	74.4%	*	*	N	*		

Graduation Rate Trends

This table shows the 4-year and 5-year graduation rates by graduating class.

Class of	4-Year Rate	5-Year Rate
2017	34.4%	-
2016	27.3%	34.7%
2015	29.1%	34.4%

Dropout Rate Trends

This table shows the percentage of students in grades 9-12 that dropped out during each of the last three school years for the school and the state.

School Year	School Rate	State Rate
2016-2017	31%	1.1%
2015-2016	47.7%	1.1%
2014-2015	49.6%	1.1%

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This section contains information about students enrolling in colleges and universities after graduation from high school. Postsecondary enrollment information is collected from the National Student Clearinghouse, which collects data from at least 95% of higher education institutions nationwide.

Postsecondary Enrollment Rates: Fall

This table shows the enrollment rates of Class of 2017 high school graduates into 2-year or 4-year institutions the fall after high school graduation. The following columns show the percentage of these enrolled students by 2-year or 4-year institution.

Student Group	% Enrolled in Any Institution	% Enrolled in 2-Year Institution	% Enrolled in 4-Year Institution
Statewide	71.1%	29.5%	70.5%
Schoolwide	8.6%	100%	0%
White	0%	0%	0%
Hispanic	3.9%	100%	0%
Black or African American	11.6%	100%	0%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N
Two or More Races	N	N	N
Economically Disadvantaged Students	10.3%	100%	0%
Students with Disabilities	5.3%	100%	0%
English Learners	0%	0%	0%

Postsecondary Enrollment Rates: 16 month

This table shows the enrollment rates of Class of 2016 high school graduates into 2-year or 4-year institutions 16 months after high school graduation for the school and each student group. The following columns show the percentage of these enrolled students by 2-year or 4-year institution, public or private institution, or in-state or out-of-state institution.

Student Group	% Enrolled in Any Institution	% Enrolled in 2-Year Institution	% Enrolled in 4-Year Institution	% Enrolled in Public Institution	% Enrolled in Private Institution	% Enrolled in In-State Institution	% Enrolled in Out-of-State Institution
Statewide	76.1%	33.6%	66.5%	73.6%	26.4%	65.5%	34.6%
Schoolwide	22.6%	85.7%	14.3%	92.9%	7.1%	92.9%	7.1%
White	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Hispanic	11.1%	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%
Black or African American	27.3%	83.3%	16.7%	91.7%	8.3%	91.7%	8.3%
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Two or More Races	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Economically Disadvantaged Students	29%	81.8%	18.2%	90.9%	9.1%	90.9%	9.1%
Students with Disabilities	14.3%	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%
English Learners	*	*	*	*	*	*	*



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This section shows information about student absences which provides important information about a school’s culture and climate. In addition, research shows that student absences impact a child’s ability to succeed in school. The New Jersey Department of Education selected chronic absenteeism as its measure of school quality and student success for the *ESSA* accountability plan. **Chronic absenteeism** is defined as being absent for 10% or more of the days enrolled during the school year. A student who is not present for any reason, excused, unexcused or for disciplinary action, is considered absent unless permitted by statute or regulation.

Chronic Absenteeism

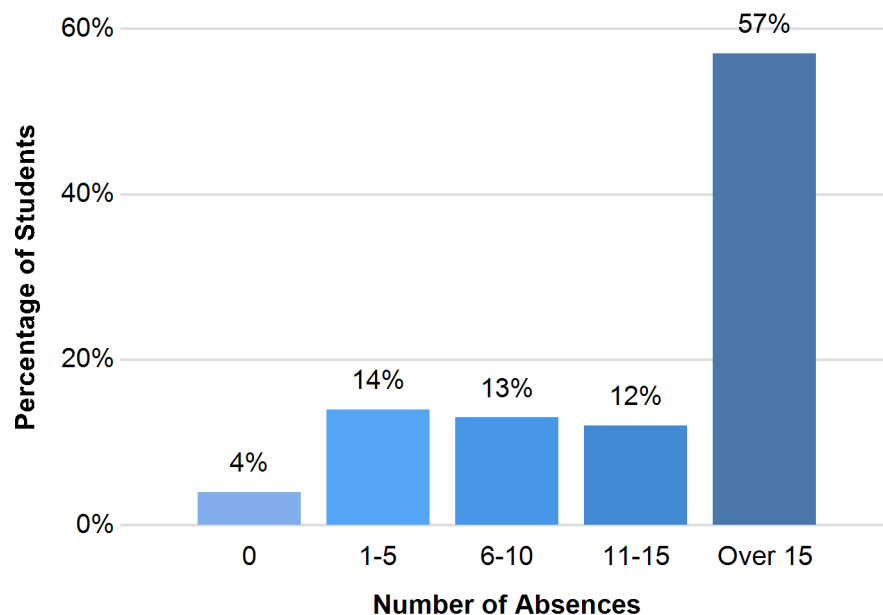
This table shows the percentage of students in grades K-12 in the school and each student group who were chronically absent. This table also shows whether the school and each student group met the *ESSA* accountability targets for 2016-17.

Student Group	% Chronically Absent	2016-17 Target	Met 2016-17 Target
Schoolwide	54.70	14.30	Not Met
White	N	**	**
Hispanic	50.00	14.30	Not Met
Black or African American	58.50	14.30	Not Met
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	N	**	**
American Indian or Alaska Native	N	**	**
Two or More Races	N	**	**
Economically Disadvantaged Students	58.70	14.30	Not Met
Students with Disabilities	43.50	14.30	Not Met
English Learners	40.80	14.30	Not Met

** *ESSA* accountability targets are only included if data is available for at least 20 students.

Days Absent

The graph displays the percentage of K-12 students schoolwide by the number of days they were absent during the school year. An absence is defined as being 'not present' and includes both excused and unexcused absences.



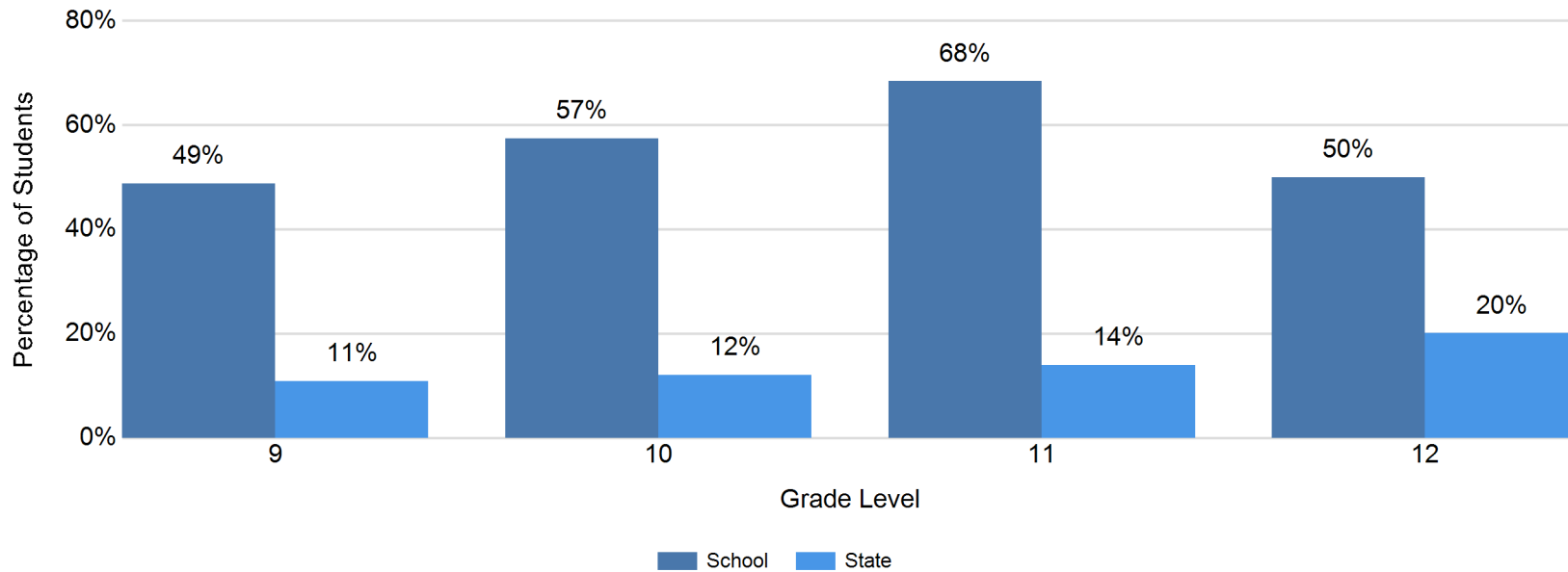


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Chronic Absenteeism by Grade

This graph shows the percentage of students in the school and across the state who were chronically absent for each grade level. **Chronic absenteeism** is defined as being absent for 10% or more of the days enrolled during the school year. A student who is not present for any reason, excused, unexcused or for disciplinary action, is considered absent unless permitted by statute or regulation.





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School Day

This table shows the start and end times and length of school day for a typical student at this school. **Instructional time** is the amount of time that a typical student was engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher.

Category	School
Typical Start Time	7:30AM
Typical End Time	2:10PM
Length of School Day	6 Hrs 40 Mins
Full Time - Instructional Time	5 Hrs. 45 Mins.
Shared Time - Instructional Time	*

Violence, Vandalism, HIB, and Substance Offenses

This table shows the number of incidents reported by type. A single incident may be counted under multiple incident types. The total unique incidents provides a non-duplicated count of incidents. The final row shows a rate of incidents for every 100 students enrolled in the school.

Incident Type	Number of Incidents
Violence	10
Vandalism	2
Weapons	1
Substances	2
Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying (HIB)	0
Total Unique Incidents	15
Incidents Per 100 Students Enrolled	3.32

Student Suspension Rate

This table shows the percentage of students who received one or more in-school suspensions, one or more out-of-school suspensions, and one or more suspensions of any type during the school year. Students receiving both in-school and out-of-school suspensions will be counted in all rows of the table. Students who received more than one suspension are counted only one time in each category below.

Suspension Types	% of Students
In-School Suspensions	0.0%
Out-of-School Suspensions	21.0%
Any Suspension	21.0%

Student Expulsions

This table shows the number of students who were expelled from the school during the school year. An expulsion is when a student is removed from a school and does not receive any further educational services during the school year.

Category	Number of Students
Expulsions	0



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Technology Readiness

This table shows information that was collected through the optional NJTRAx survey to determine a school's technology readiness. The student to device ratio shows the number of students for every computer or tablet in the school. The internet speed is the internet bandwidth per 1000 students enrolled in the district measured in megabits per second. The connectivity between schools is a school's LAN network architecture. The NJTRAx survey is optional for schools, so data may not be available for all schools. Additionally, schools that have adopted a Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) policy may have appear to have a very low Student to Device ratio due to this policy decision.

School Year	Student to Device Ratio	Internet Speed	Recommended Internet Speed	Met Recommended Speed?	Connectivity between Schools	Recommended Connectivity	Met Recommended Connectivity?
2016-17	5.2:1	787.4 kbps	100 kbps	Yes	N	Fiber	N

Per-Pupil Expenditures (District Level)

This table shows the total current expenses for regular and special education students taught within the district's schools. It includes expenditures for instruction, support services, administration, operations and maintenance, extra-curricular activities, and community service. More information about district and charter school spending can be found using districts' [User Friendly Budgets](#), or the NJDOE Finance [District Report Search](#) of the Comprehensive Annual Financial Reports (CAFRs) and Auditor's Management Reports (AMRs).

Per-Pupil Expenditures	Federal	State/ Local	Total
District Total (2015-2016)	\$1,140	\$16,405	\$17,545



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This section contains information about staff that are assigned to the school and district. Here is an explanation of some of the **key terms used in the staff section**:

Faculty: All classroom teachers and educational support services personnel (such as Librarians, Nurses, Counselors, and Child Study Team members)

Teachers: All classroom teachers

Administrators: Principals, assistant principals, supervisors, coordinators, directors, and other central-office administrators, as well as superintendents and other district-level administrators

Full-Time Equivalent: In calculations, staff members are weighted based on the percentage of their time that they are assigned to a school or district. For example – a teacher assigned to a school half time would be weighted 50% in calculations, but a teacher assigned to a school full time would be weighted 100% in calculations.

Teachers – Experience

This table shows information about experience for teachers assigned to this school and across the state.

Category	Teachers in School	Teachers in State
Total Number of teachers	37	120,724
Average years experience in public schools	13.4	11.8
Average years experience in district	8.9	10.5
Teachers in district for 4 or more years	70%	74%

Administrators – Experience (District Level)

This table shows information about experience for administrators assigned to this district and across the state.

Category	Admin. in District	Admin. in State
Total Number of administrators	46	9,506
Average years experience in public schools	14.8	15.9
Average years experience in district	10.4	11.6
Administrators in district for 4 or more years	72%	74%

Student to Staff Ratios

This table shows the number of students per staff member in the school and district. Ratios for librarians, nurses, counselors, and child study team members are only reported at the district level because many staff in these jobs are assigned only to the district and not to individual schools.

Staff Type	School Students: Staff	District Students: Staff
Teachers	12:1	14:1
Administrators	226:1	284:1
Librarian/Media Specialists		818:1
Nurses		569:1
Counselors		422:1
Child Study Team		374:1



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This section contains information about staff that are assigned to the school and district. Here is an explanation of some of the **key terms used in the staff section**:

Faculty: All classroom teachers and educational support services personnel (such as Librarians, Nurses, Counselors, and Child Study Team members)

Teachers: All classroom teachers

Administrators: Principals, assistant principals, supervisors, coordinators, directors, and other central-office administrators, as well as superintendents and other district-level administrators

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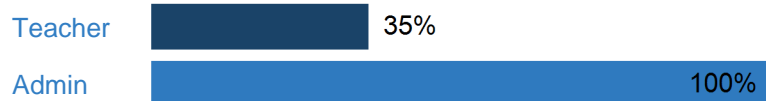
Teachers and Administrators - Level of Education

This chart shows the highest level of education attained by the teachers and administrators at this school. The Bachelor's category may include other degrees/certificates such as a Specialist's degree. Administrators are required to have a Master's degree or higher.

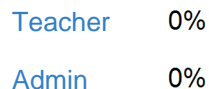
Bachelor's Degree



Master's Degree



Doctoral Degree



Teachers and Administrators - One-Year Retention (District Level)

This table shows the percentage of teachers and administrators assigned to the district in 2015-16 that were still assigned to the district in 2016-17. Staff who are not retained may have changed districts or no longer work for the state (including retirements).

Job Type	District	State
2015-16 Teachers: Same district 2016-17	88%	89%
2015-16 Administrators: Same district 2016-17	78%	88%

Faculty Attendance

This table shows the percentage of days that school faculty members were present during the school year. Approved professional days, personal days, staff training days, bereavement days, jury duty, and absences due to extended illness are not counted against days present, and faculty members on long-term leave or disability are excluded from this calculation.

School Year	% Days Present
2016-17	97%



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Accountability Indicator Scores and Summative Rating

New Jersey has developed a school accountability system as required by the *Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)* to identify schools that are in need of comprehensive support. This table shows the indicator scores for each indicator included in the accountability system and the weights that each indicator receives when calculating the overall Summative Score. The Summative Rating is the percentile rank of the Summative Score as compared to other schools across the state. Schools with a summative rating below the 5th percentile or high schools with a 4-year graduation rate that is less than or equal to 67% are identified for Comprehensive Support. For more information about New Jersey’s accountability system and how these indicator scores were calculated, see these [accountability resources](#).

Accountability Indicator	Indicator Score	Indicator Weight
English Language Arts Proficiency	0.90	17.5%
Mathematics Proficiency	5.90	17.5%
Graduation - 4-Year	0.30	25.0%
Graduation - 5-Year	0.00	25.0%
Chronic Absenteeism	2.50	15.0%
Progress Towards English Language Proficiency (coming 2018)	N/A	N/A
Summative Score: Sum of all indicator scores multiplied by indicator weights		1.6
Summative Rating: Percentile rank of Summative Score		0.8
Requires Comprehensive Support: Summative Rating is less than or equal to 5th percentile		Comprehensive
Requires Comprehensive Support: 4-year Graduation Rate less than or equal to 67%		Comprehensive

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† Indicator weights for this school were adjusted due to data availability.



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Accountability Summary by Student Group

New Jersey has developed a school accountability system as required by the *Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)* to identify schools that are in need of Targeted Support. Any student group where the summative score would be in the bottom 5% of schools (see previous page) is identified for Targeted Support for a Low-Performing Student Group. If any student group is identified for Targeted Support, this will be noted in the Schoolwide row in the table. Schools in which one or more student groups miss annual targets for all indicators two years in a row are identified for Targeted Support for a Consistently Underperforming Student Group. In the table below, schools in which one or more student groups miss annual targets for all indicators are noted to be At Risk for being identified for Targeted Support for the 2017-18 school year. Annual targets for proficiency and graduation rate are set based on a school or student group’s performance in 2015-16. The target for chronic absenteeism is the statewide average for all students. For more details on accountability targets, see these [accountability resources](#).

Student Group	Summative Score	Cut-off Score for Targeted Support and Improvement	Requires Targeted Support and Improvement for 2016-17	English Language Arts Proficiency	Mathematics Proficiency	Chronic Absenteeism	Graduation Rate - 4-Year	Graduation Rate - 5-Year	At Risk for Consistently Underperforming Student Group
Schoolwide	1.6	6.2	Targeted	Not Met	N	Not Met	Not Met	Met Target	No
White	**	**	No	**	**	**	**	**	No
Hispanic	1.0	6.2	Targeted	Not Met	N	Not Met	Not Met	Met Target	No
Black or African American	1.4	6.2	Targeted	Not Met	N	Not Met	Not Met	Met Target	No
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	**	**	No	**	**	**	N	N	No
American Indian or Alaska Native	**	**	No	**	**	**	N	N	No
Two or More Races	**	**	No	**	**	**	N	N	No
Economically Disadvantaged Students	1.3	6.2	Targeted	Not Met	N	Not Met	Not Met	Met Target	No
Students with Disabilities	10.6	6.2	No	Met Target†	N	Not Met	Met Target	Not Met	No
English Learners	**	**	No	N	N	Not Met	**	**	No

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School Narrative

This section allows schools and districts to share highlights, achievements, and other important information about programs, activities, and services that are offered in their own words. If there are questions about the information provided in the narrative section, please contact your school directly.

 <p>Highlights:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We Offer 4 Career-Technical Programs of Study along with our comprehensive High School program • We have a comprehensive high school "Day" and "Evening" program; each leading to a diploma • Students can earn credits through Option 2, independent study and online coursework.
 <p>Mission, Vision, Theme:</p>	<p>Daylight Twilight (DTHS) is a Trenton Public four-year comprehensive high school that serves Trenton's traditional high school students who are over-aged & under credited and/or Adult learners, in earning ninth through twelfth grade credits to attain a NJ High School Diploma. The Daylight Twilight "Alternative" approach provides Trenton residents several Alternative Educational Options to earn their High School Diploma.</p>







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 <p>Courses, Curriculum, Instruction:</p>	<p>Academically, DTHS operates on a trimester block schedule. Students can take nine courses (45 credits) a year; 3 classes each trimester. Each instructional block is 120 minutes in length. Included in the 120 credit graduation requirement are 4 courses in English, 3 courses in science, 4 courses of PE/health, 3 courses in social studies, 3 courses in math, 1 course in a world language, 1 course in visual and performing arts, 1 course in career ed., and 1 course in financial literacy.</p>
 <p>Sports and Athletics:</p>	<p>Sports Offered: Baseball (Boys), Basketball (Boys & Girls), Football (Boys), Soccer (Boys & Girls), Softball (Girls), Swimming (Boys & Girls), Tennis (Boys & Girls), Track and Field - Spring (Boys & Girls), Track and Field - Winter (Boys & Girls), Wrestling (Boys)</p> <p>Students at DTHS can participate in the Trenton Secondary Cheerleading program. Athletics teams compete in the Colonial Valley Conference, which consists of public and private high schools located Mercer, Monmouth and Middlesex Counties under the supervision of the New Jersey State Interscholastic Athletic Association (NJSIAA).</p>
 <p>Clubs and Activities:</p>	<p>Clubs and Activities at Daylight Twilight include but are not limited to: Culinary Club, TV Studio Club, Cosmetology Club, Student Government, Multicultural Club, Technology Club. Students at DTHS also participate in the Trenton Childrens Choir, Trenton Junior Chefs, Math Bowl, The Trenton Litter March and Project Seed. Students at DTHS can participate at Trenton Central High School in the Orchestra, Band, Marching Band, Color guard, or Choir.</p>
 <p>Before and After School Programs:</p>	<p>Students at DTHS are provided opportunities for academic enrichment or remediation, including tutorial services to help meet the challenging state standards, online learning opportunities and Language acquisition programs. These services and activities are offered to compliment the regular academic program when school is not in session. DTHS also offers an employment assistance program after school. Students can seek help with resume writing, mock interviews and applications.</p>






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 <p>Postsecondary Information:</p>	<p>Our Guidance Department employs two full-time counselors who meet with our students on a regular basis to help students and parents in developing career awareness and in transitioning through secondary and to post-secondary/collegiate education. Starting in January 2018 DTSH will utilize the Naviance platform to assist students in college and career planning. Naviance is a software program offering a wide range of college search tools, career assessments, and college admissions data.</p>
 <p>Student Supports and Services:</p>	<p>The staff and administration are committed to ensuring the success of every student. The school based Intervention & Referral Services team, the Guidance Team, and the Child Study Team offer support to our parents and students. DTSH utilizes a sheltered instructional approach. Sheltered instruction strategies include but are not limited to the use of visuals, collaborative learning activities, and demonstrations.</p>
 <p>Parent and Community Involvement:</p>	<p>The Daylight Twilight High School Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO) is the parent organization for the school. The PTO contributes to the total educational community promoting student success and honoring student achievements in many different ways. Parental involvement is both valued and encouraged.</p>



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Other Information:

DTHS creates alternative solutions for students to recover or earn credits not earned during previous school years. Through on-line courses, independent study and adult night school students can position themselves to graduate with a high school diploma. We are dedicated to meeting the academic, social and moral needs of our students and enhancing their ability to be productive, responsible citizens.