

School Performance Reports

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2015-2016 School Performance Reports

The New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) presents the 2015-16 School Performance Reports. These reports are designed to inform parents, educators and communities about how well a school is performing and preparing its students for college and careers. In particular, the School Performance Reports seek to:

- **Focus** attention on metrics that are indicative of college and career readiness.
- **Benchmark** a school's performance against other schools that are educating similar students, against district and state-wide outcomes, and against state targets to illuminate and build upon a school's strengths and identify areas for improvement.
- **Improve** educational outcomes for students by providing both longitudinal and growth data so that progress can be measured as part of an individual school's efforts to engage in continuous improvement.

While the New Jersey School Performance Reports seek to bring more information to educators and stakeholders about the performance of schools, they do not seek to distill the performance of schools into a single metric, a single score, or a simplified conclusion. Instead, the intention is that educators and stakeholders will engage in meaningful conversations about the full range of the data presented. While the School Performance Reports bring attention to important student outcomes, the NJDOE does not collect data about other essential elements of a school, such as the provision of opportunities to participate and excel in extracurricular activities; the development of non-cognitive skills; the pervasiveness of a positive school culture or climate; or the attainment of other employability and technical skills, as many of these data are beyond both the capacity and resources of schools to measure.

NJDOE welcomes feedback on the school performance reports: [Survey](#)
If you have any questions regarding Performance Reports, please contact njsmart@pcgus.com



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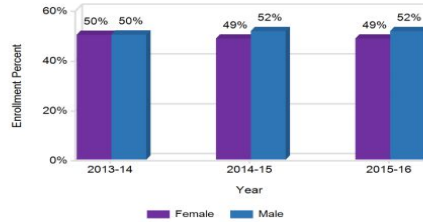
Enrollment by Grade

This table presents the enrollment count of students by grade for the past three school years. Note: "UG" represents the count of student who were 'on roll' but are educated in ungraded classrooms.

	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16
Grade 09	321	303	302
Grade 10	300	318	309
Grade 11	305	302	323
Grade 12	319	302	300
UG	14	16	10
Total	1259	1241	1244

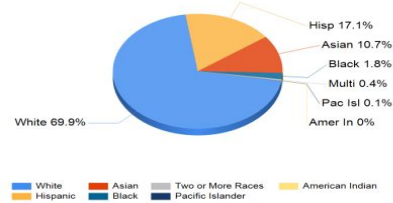
Enrollment by Gender

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



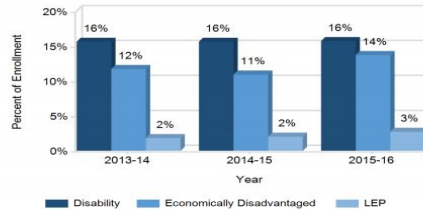
Enrollment by Ethnic/ Racial Subgroup

This graph displays the percentages of students by ethnic/racial subgroup defined by the ESEA Waiver.



Enrollment Trends by Special Population

This graph displays the percentages of students by special population (Students with Disabilities, Economically Disadvantaged, and English Language Learners) for the past three school years.



Language Diversity

This table presents the main languages primarily spoken by students in their home.

2015-2016	Percent
English	79.3%
Spanish	8.4%
Tagalog	1.8%
Gujarati	1.4%
Italian	1.2%
Other	8.1%

* 2013-2014 and 2014-2015 enrollment data reflects students who were 'on roll' in October of each school year. 2015-2016 enrollment data reflects students who were 'on roll' at the end of the school year.

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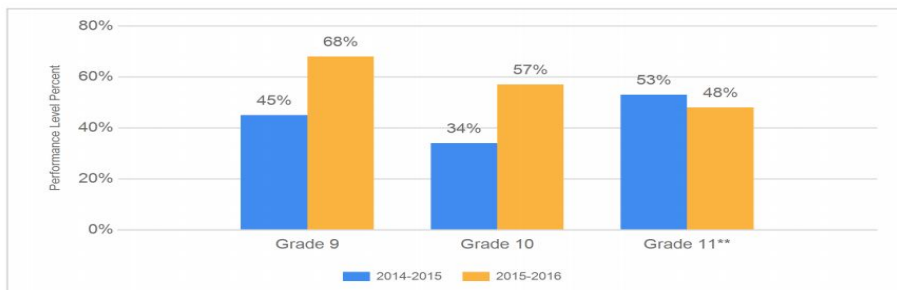
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PARCC ELA Performance Trends

This graph presents the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations for the past two years.



**Grade 11 students who take AP/IB English are exempt from taking the PARCC ELA exam and their performance may not be reflected in the results.

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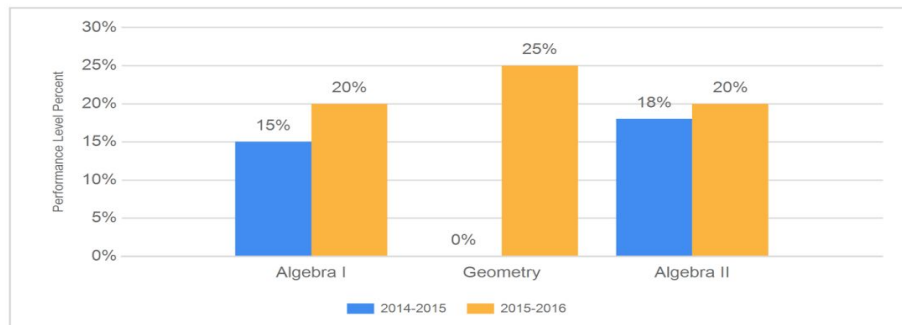
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PARCC Math Performance Trends

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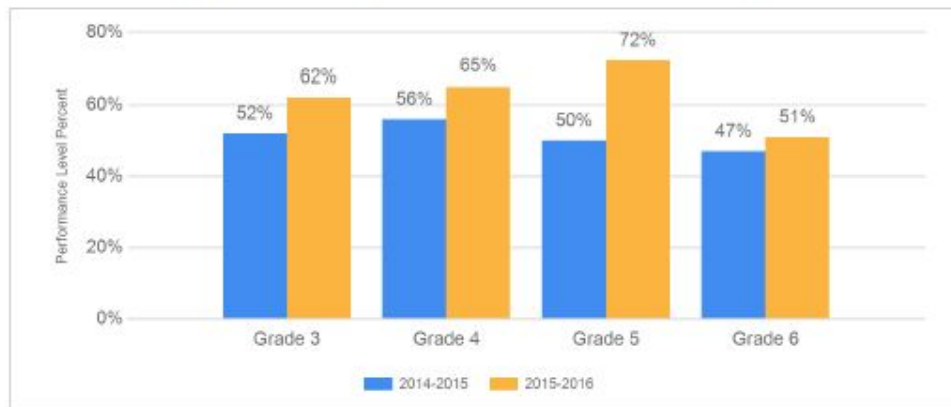
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The Academic Achievement section also measures the content knowledge that students have in science as demonstrated in NJASK Science assessment. The assessment has three proficiency categories. Students performing at "Proficient" and "Advanced Proficient" have demonstrated readiness for the next grade-level/course.

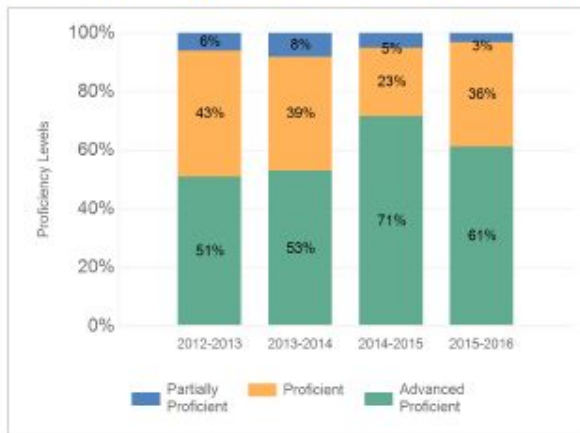
NJASK Results Science - Grade Level 04

This table presents the percentage of students in each proficiency category, as measured by NJASK, for the school and state and by ethnic/racial subgroup and special population.

	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Statewide	49%	41%	10%
Schoolwide	61%	36%	3%
White	64%	32%	5%
African American	S	S	S
Hispanic	S	S	S
American Indian	N	N	N
Asian	S	S	S
Two or More Races	N	N	N
Students with Disability	S	S	S
English Language Learners	N	N	N
Economically Disadvantaged Students	S	S	S

NJASK Proficiency Trends Science - Grade Level 04

This graph displays the percentage of students who scored in each category for the past three school years.



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This section of the performance report presents data about student growth, utilizing the Student Growth Percentile Methodology (SGP). SGP creates a measure of how students progressed in grades 4 through 8 in Language Arts Literacy and in grades 4 through 7 in Math when compared to other students with a similar test score history. Low Growth is defined as a Student Growth Percentile of less than 35, Typical Growth between 35-65 and High Growth is a score higher than 65. A short video explaining the methodology can be found here: <http://www.state.nj.us/education/njsmart/performance/>

Met/ Exceeded Expectations

This table presents the schoolwide median growth score for all students in the school as well as the median for the district and the state.

School Growth Indicators	School Median	District Median	Statewide Median
Student Growth on Language Arts	59	54	50
Student Growth on Math	63	52	50

Student Growth ELA

This table presents the interaction between student performance as demonstrated on PARCC and their growth scores.

(Expectations)	Growth		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet (L1)	3%	1%	0%
Partially Met (L2)	2%	2%	2%
Approached (L3)	12%	4%	3%
Met (L4)	13%	20%	32%
Exceeded (L5)	0%	1%	7%

Student Growth Math

This table presents the interaction between student performance as demonstrated on PARCC and their growth scores.

(Expectations)	Growth		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet (L1)	2%	0%	0%
Partially Met (L2)	2%	2%	2%
Approached (L3)	7%	12%	10%
Met (L4)	8%	19%	31%
Exceeded (L5)	0%	1%	4%



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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 taking college entrance exams and challenging themselves with rigorous course work.

PSAT/SAT/ACT Participation

This table presents the schoolwide and statewide participation rates from the last academic year as indicated in PSAT and SAT and from the last cohort as indicated in ACT.

College and Career Readiness Indicators	Schoolwide Participation	Statewide Participation
Percent of Students Participating in PSAT	49.4%	79.8%
Percent of Students Participating in SAT	59.9%	50.9%
Percent of Students Participating in ACT	34.0%	27.6%

PSAT/SAT/ACT Performance

This table presents the school and state mean scores.

2015-16	School Mean	State Mean
PSAT	1012	950
SAT	-	-
Reading and Writing	542	537
Math	548	538
ACT	-	-
Reading	22	23
English	21	22
Math	23	23
Science	22	22

PSAT/SAT/ACT Benchmarks

This table presents the percentage of students scoring at or above College Readiness Benchmarks.

2015-16	Benchmark	Schoolwide	Statewide
PSAT	N	N	N
SAT	-	-	-
Reading and Writing	480	78%	71%
Math	530	60%	53%
ACT	-	-	-
Reading	22	50%	58%
English	18	75%	74%
Math	22	64%	61%
Science	23	41%	49%

PSAT/SAT/ACT Performance by Percentile

This table presents the student scores broken down by percentile based upon the school's distribution of scores.

2015-16	75 Percentile	50 Percentile	25 Percentile
PSAT	1188	905	623
SAT	-	-	-
Reading and Writing	663	545	428
Math	648	515	383
ACT	-	-	-
Reading	30	24	18
English	29	22	15
Math	30	24	19
Science	29	22	15



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Visual and Performing Arts

This graph on the left displays the percentages of students who were enrolled in at least one of the four arts disciplines within the school and across the state. The graphs on the right show the percentage of students who were enrolled in any Visual and Performing Arts classes within the school and across the state.

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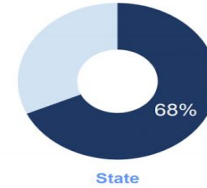
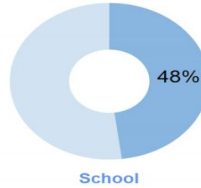
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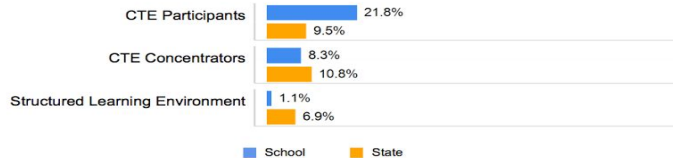


Any Visual and Performing Arts



Career and Technical Education Participation

The graph below displays the percentage of students within the school and across the State who were in approved Career and Technical Education (CTE). CTE participants are students who have completed only one course and CTE concentrators are students who have completed at least two courses. The graph also shows the percentage of students who completed a course in Structured Learning Experiences.



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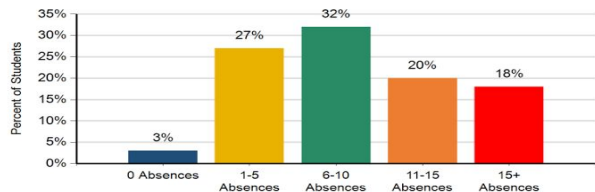
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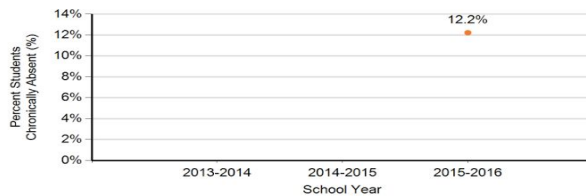
Absenteeism

The graph displays the percentage of students by five ranges of absences. An absence is defined as being 'not present' and includes both excused and unexcused absences.



Chronic Absenteeism Trend

This graph presents the percentage of the enrolled students who were chronically absent for the past three years at the school.



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Length of School Day

This table presents the amount of time a school is in session for a typical student on a normal school day.

	School
2015-16	6 Hrs. 50 Mins.

Instructional Time

This table presents the amount of time that a typical student is engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher. Shared Time students are educated elsewhere than at the school (Ex. vocational schools).

2015-16	School
Full Time	5 Hrs. 50 Mins.
Shared Time	0 Hrs. 0 Mins.

Student to Staff Ratio

This table presents the count of students per faculty member or administrator in the school. All staff are counted in full-time equivalents.

2015-16	School
Faculty	12:1
Administrator	460:1

Student Suspension Rate

This table presents the percentage of students who were suspended one or more times during the school year.

	School
2015-16	0.7%

Student Expulsions

This table presents the number of students who were expelled from the school during the school year.

	School
2015-16	0

Faculty Attendance

This table presents the percentage of days the school faculty were present during the school year.

	School
2015-16	96%



Next Steps:

- Letter to parents/community explaining reports and how to access, with [link to tutorial](#).
- [Links to reports](#) and tutorial on district website.



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