

# Passages Elem Charter School

## Chicago, ILLINOIS



# ILLINOIS SCHOOL REPORT CARD

## GRADES : PK K 1 2 3 4 5

State and federal laws require public school districts to release report cards to the public each year.

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## STUDENTS

### RACIAL/ETHNIC BACKGROUND AND OTHER INFORMATION

	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian/ Pacific Islander	Native American	Multi racial /Ethnic	Low- Income Rate	Limited- English- Proficient Rate	High Sch. Dropout Rate	Chronic Truancy Rate	Mobility Rate	Attendance Rate	Total Enrollment
<b>School</b>	12.7	38.9	18.8	26.2	0.0	3.5	86.5	27.1		0.0	17.4	95.6	229
<b>State</b>	54.0	19.2	19.9	3.9	0.2	2.7	41.1	7.5		2.5	14.9	93.3	2,074,167

**Low-income** students come from families receiving public aid; live in institutions for neglected or delinquent children; are supported in foster homes with public funds; or are eligible to receive free or reduced-price lunches.

**Limited-English-proficient** students are those students eligible for transitional bilingual programs.

**Mobility rate** is based on the number of times students enroll in or leave a school during the school year.

**Chronic truants** are students who are absent from school without valid cause for 18 or more of the last 180 school days.

## INSTRUCTIONAL SETTING

PARENTAL CONTACT*		STUDENT-TO-STAFF RATIOS			
	Percent	Pupil- Teacher Elementary	Pupil- Teacher Secondary	Pupil- Certified Staff	Pupil- Administrator
<b>School</b>	100.0	17.2		14.3	114.5
<b>State</b>	96.8	18.3		13.5	211.6

\* Parental contact includes parent-teacher conferences, parental visits to school, school visits to home, telephone conversations, and written correspondence.

### AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (as of the first school day in May)

Grades	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9 - 12
<b>School</b>	22.5	20.0	15.0	17.5	19.0	25.0				
<b>State</b>	20.5	21.0	21.1	21.7	22.3	22.7				

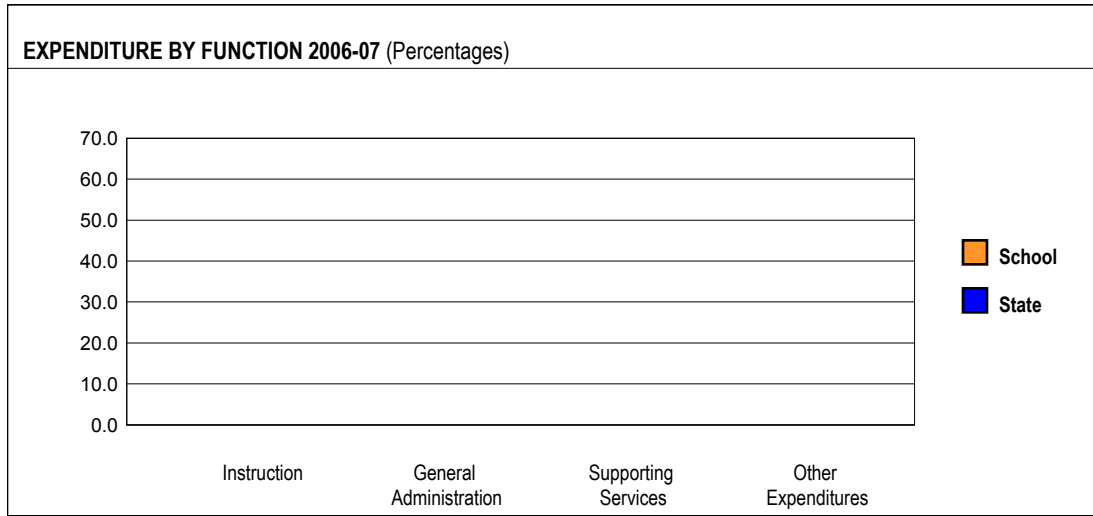
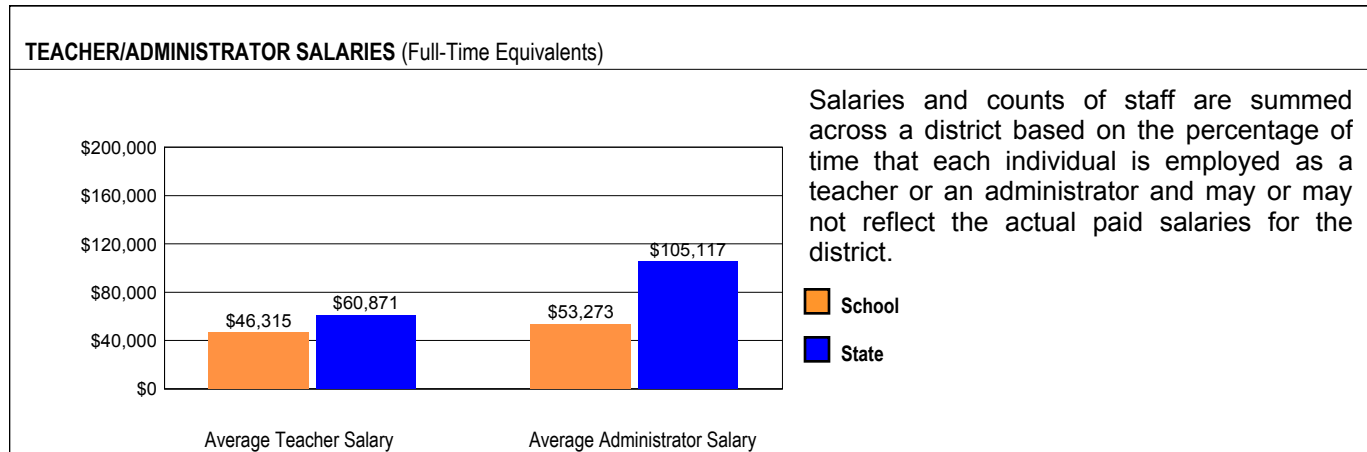
### TIME DEVOTED TO TEACHING CORE SUBJECTS (Minutes Per Day)

Grades	Mathematics			Science			English/Language Arts			Social Science		
	3	6	8	3	6	8	3	6	8	3	6	8
<b>School</b>	48			24			144			28		
<b>State</b>	58			30			145			30		

TEACHER INFORMATION (Full-Time Equivalents)								
	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian/ Pacific Islander	Native American	Male	Female	Total Number
School	71.4	7.1	0.0	21.4	0.0	14.3	85.7	14
State	84.9	8.7	4.9	1.3	0.2	22.9	77.1	131,488

TEACHER INFORMATION (Continued)					
	Average Teaching Experience (Years)	% of Teachers with Bachelor's Degrees	% of Teachers with Master's & Above	% of Teachers with Emergency or Provisional Credentials	% of Classes Not Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers
School	3.1	35.7	64.3	0.0	0.0
State	12.4	46.7	53.2	0.7	0.7

**SCHOOL DISTRICT FINANCES**



REVENUE BY SOURCE 2006-07			
	School	School %	State %
Local Property Taxes			
Other Local Funding			
General State Aid			
Other State Funding			
Federal Funding			
TOTAL			

EXPENDITURE BY FUND 2006-07			
	School	School %	State %
Education			
Operations & Maintenance			
Transportation			
Bond and Interest			
Rent			
Municipal Retirement/ Social Security			
Fire Prevention & Safety			
Site & Construction/ Capital Improvement			
TOTAL			

OTHER FINANCIAL INDICATORS		
	2006-07 Instructional Expenditure per Pupil	2006-07 Operating Expenditure per Pupil
School		
State		

Instructional expenditure per pupil includes the direct costs of teaching pupils or the interaction between teachers and pupils.

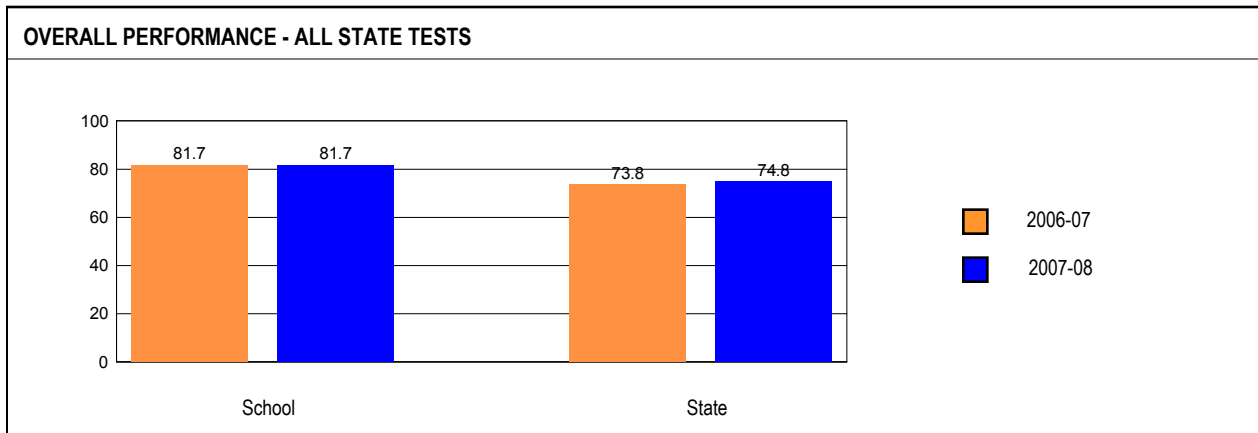
Operating expenditure per pupil includes the gross operating cost of a school district excluding summer school, adult education, bond principal retired, and capital expenditures.

## ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE

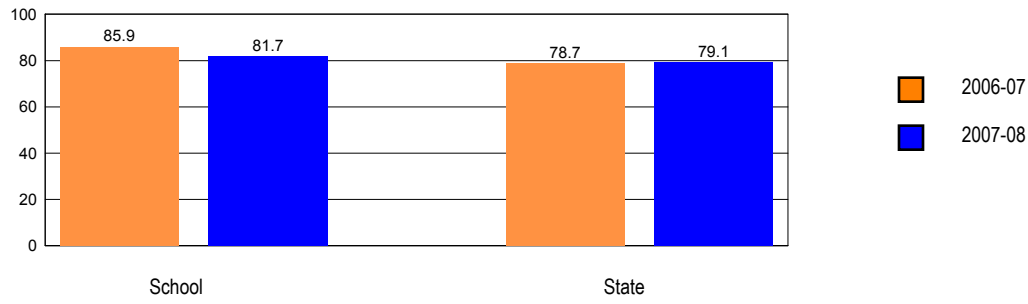
### OVERALL STUDENT PERFORMANCE

These charts present the overall percentages of state test scores categorized as meeting or exceeding the Illinois Learning Standards for your school and state. They represent your school's performance in reading, mathematics, and science.

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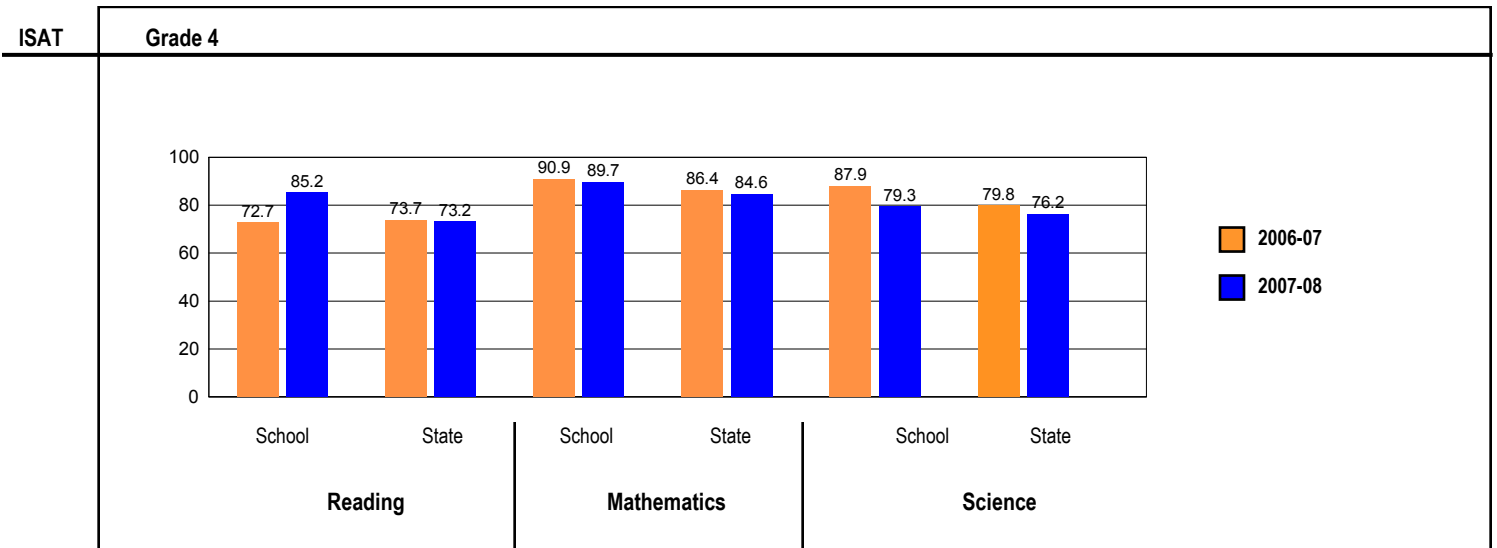
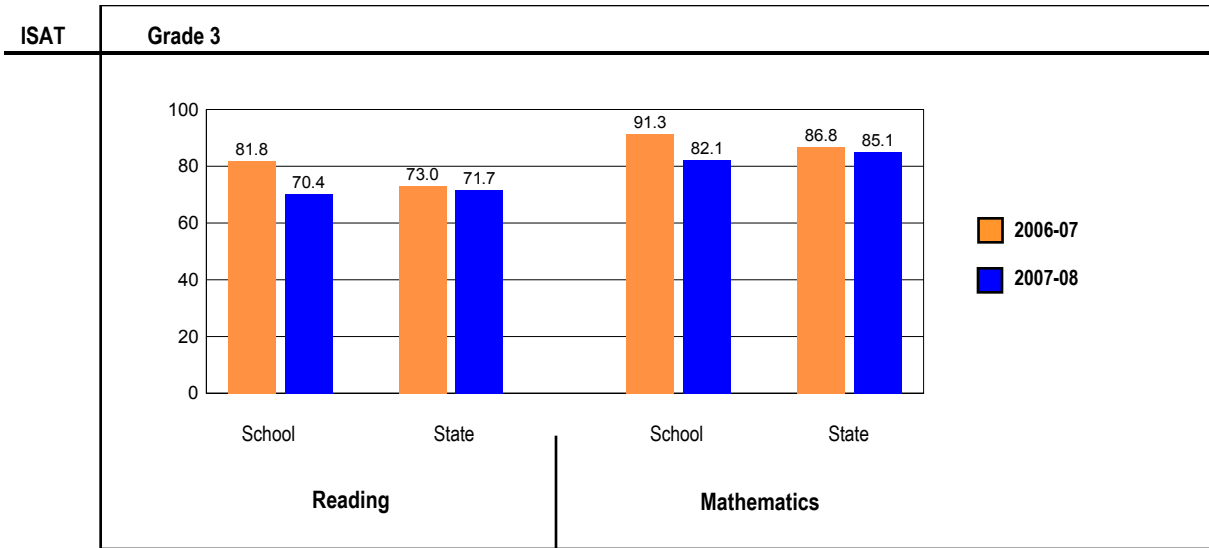


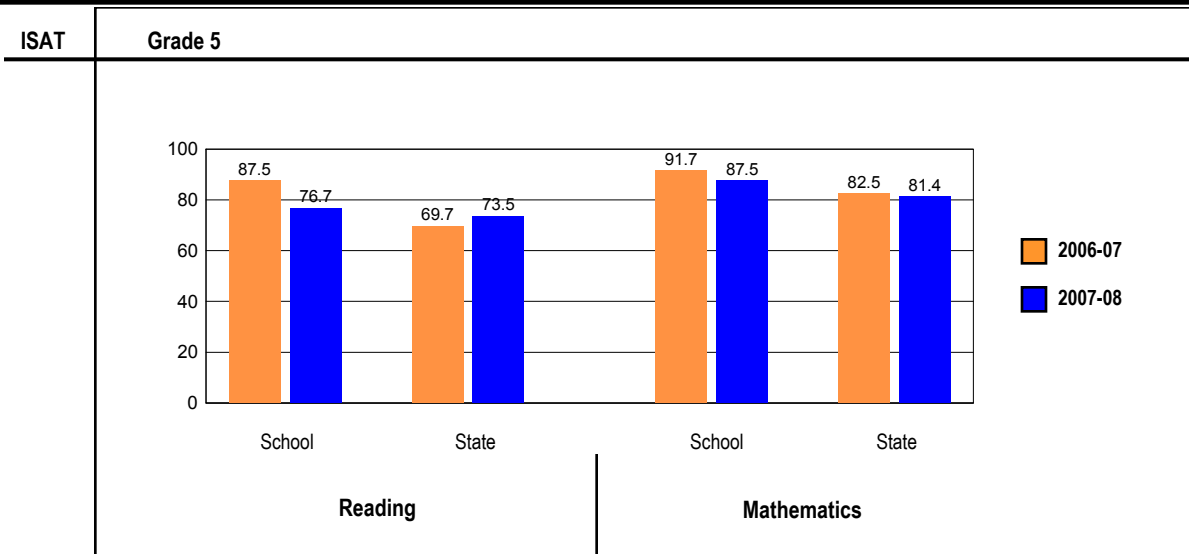
### OVERALL ILLINOIS STATE ACHIEVEMENT TEST (ISAT) PERFORMANCE



**ISAT PERFORMANCE**

These charts provide information on attainment of the Illinois Learning Standards. They show the percents of student scores meeting or exceeding Standards for the grades and subjects tested on ISAT.





### PERFORMANCE ON STATE ASSESSMENTS

Federal law requires that student achievement results for reading, mathematics, and science for schools providing Title I services be reported to the general public.

The Illinois Standards Achievement Test (ISAT) is administered to students in grades 3 through 8. The Prairie State Achievement Examination (PSAE) is administered to students in grade 11. The Illinois Alternate Assessment (IAA) is administered to students with disabilities whose Individualized Education Programs (IEPs) indicate that participation in the ISAT or PSAE would not be appropriate.

Students with disabilities have an IEP (No Child Left Behind Act). An IEP is a written plan for a child with a disability who is eligible to receive special education services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act.

Reading and Mathematics are tested in grades 3 through 8 and 11. Science is tested in grades 4, 7 and 11.

In order to protect students' identities, test data for groups of fewer than ten students are not reported.

PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS NOT TESTED IN STATE TESTING PROGRAMS FOR READING AND MATHEMATICS														
		Gender			Racial/Ethnic Background						LEP	Migrant	Students with Disabilities	Economically Disadvantaged
		All	Male	Female	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian/Pacific Islander	Native American	Multi racial /Ethnic				
School	*Enrollment	89	45	44	12	36	13	21		7	33		16	78
	Reading	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0			0.0	0.0
	Mathematics	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0			0.0	0.0
State	*Enrollment	1,080,912	552,428	528,334	584,551	209,802	211,723	42,677	1,747	28,936	71,592	349	153,444	459,352
	Reading	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.3
	Mathematics	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.3

\* Enrollment as reported during the testing windows for grades 3 - 8 and 11.

PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS NOT TESTED IN STATE TESTING PROGRAMS FOR SCIENCE ONLY														
		Gender			Racial/Ethnic Background						LEP	Migrant	Students with Disabilities	Economically Disadvantaged
		All	Male	Female	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian/Pacific Islander	Native American	Multi racial /Ethnic				
School	*Enrollment	29	14	15	4	9	6	7		3	11		8	23
	Science	0.0	0.0	0.0							0.0			0.0
State	*Enrollment	453,766	230,339	223,387	253,443	84,573	85,001	18,167	775	11,107	24,940	141	63,312	180,194
	Science	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.2	1.3	0.6	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.7	1.1	0.7

\* Enrollment as reported during the testing windows for grades 4, 7, and 11.

### ILLINOIS STANDARDS ACHIEVEMENT TEST (ISAT)

The following tables show the percentages of student scores in each of four performance levels. These levels were established with the help of Illinois educators who teach the grade levels and learning areas tested. Due to rounding, the sum of the percentages in the four performance levels may not always equal 100.

- Level 1 -- Academic Warning - Student work demonstrates limited knowledge and skills in the subject. Because of major gaps in learning, students apply knowledge and skills ineffectively.
- Level 2 -- Below Standards - Student work demonstrates basic knowledge and skills in the subject. However, because of gaps in learning, students apply knowledge and skills in limited ways.
- Level 3 -- Meets Standards - Student work demonstrates proficient knowledge and skills in the subject. Students effectively apply knowledge and skills to solve problems.
- Level 4 -- Exceeds Standards - Student work demonstrates advanced knowledge and skills in the subject. Students creatively apply knowledge and skills to solve problems and evaluate the results.

### Grade 3

#### Grade 3 - All

Levels	Reading				Mathematics			
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
School	7.4	22.2	59.3	11.1	3.6	14.3	53.6	28.6
State	6.8	21.5	47.6	24.2	3.5	11.4	44.1	41.0

#### Grade 3 - Gender

Levels	Reading				Mathematics				
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	
Male	School	12.5	25.0	56.3	6.3	5.9	23.5	41.2	29.4
	State	8.5	23.8	46.4	21.3	4.0	11.2	42.3	42.5
Female	School	0.0	18.2	63.6	18.2	0.0	0.0	72.7	27.3
	State	4.9	19.1	48.8	27.2	2.9	11.6	45.9	39.5

**Grade 3 - Racial/Ethnic Background**

Levels	Reading				Mathematics			
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
White								
School	3.1	13.4	49.6	33.9	1.0	5.4	39.1	54.5
State								
Black								
School	16.7	25.0	58.3	0.0	8.3	25.0	58.3	8.3
State	12.6	32.2	44.4	10.9	9.4	22.3	49.4	18.9
Hispanic								
School	11.4	33.5	45.4	9.8	4.6	17.4	53.5	24.6
State								
Asian/Pacific Islander								
School	2.0	10.8	46.8	40.4	0.6	3.5	28.9	67.0
State								
Native American								
School	5.5	18.9	54.2	21.4	1.7	6.3	43.9	48.1
State								
Multiracial/Ethnic								
School	5.2	19.4	49.9	25.5	2.1	10.2	47.2	40.5
State								

**Grade 3 - Limited-English-Proficient**

Levels	Reading				Mathematics			
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
School	0.0	15.4	76.9	7.7	0.0	14.3	64.3	21.4
State	15.6	41.9	37.8	4.7	6.0	21.1	52.9	19.9

**Grade 3 - Economically Disadvantaged**

Levels	Reading				Mathematics			
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
Free/Reduced Price Lunch								
School	8.0	20.0	64.0	8.0	4.0	12.0	56.0	28.0
State	11.4	31.8	46.1	10.7	6.2	18.6	51.3	23.9
Not Eligible								
School	2.7	12.4	48.9	36.0	1.0	5.0	37.7	56.3
State								

**Grade 4****Grade 4 - All**

Levels	Reading				Mathematics				Science			
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
School	0.0	14.8	70.4	14.8	0.0	10.3	69.0	20.7	0.0	20.7	75.9	3.4
State	1.8	25.0	46.6	26.6	0.9	14.5	58.3	26.3	3.5	20.3	59.1	17.1

**Grade 4 - Gender**

Levels	Reading				Mathematics				Science			
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
Male												
School	0.0	15.4	61.5	23.1	0.0	14.3	64.3	21.4	0.0	14.3	78.6	7.1
State	2.4	27.9	45.6	24.0	1.0	15.0	56.3	27.7	3.9	20.0	57.1	19.0
Female												
School	0.0	14.3	78.6	7.1	0.0	6.7	73.3	20.0	0.0	26.7	73.3	0.0
State	1.2	21.9	47.7	29.3	0.7	14.0	60.4	24.9	3.1	20.6	61.2	15.1

**Grade 4 - Racial/Ethnic Background**

Levels	Reading				Mathematics				Science				
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	
White	School												
	State	0.8	15.4	47.2	36.6	0.3	7.2	56.0	36.5	0.9	9.7	63.8	25.5
Black	School												
	State	3.5	40.4	45.2	10.9	2.4	28.6	60.3	8.7	8.4	38.7	49.2	3.7
Hispanic	School												
	State	3.0	37.7	46.9	12.5	1.1	22.1	64.2	12.6	6.0	32.3	55.8	5.9
Asian/Pacific Islander	School												
	State	0.5	11.9	43.5	44.1	0.4	4.5	44.9	50.2	1.6	10.3	59.3	28.8
Native American	School												
	State	2.6	23.8	49.4	24.2	0.9	14.8	62.4	21.8	3.0	19.2	62.4	15.4
Multiracial/Ethnic	School												
	State	1.8	22.5	47.7	28.0	0.7	12.8	61.5	25.1	2.2	17.9	62.4	17.5

**Grade 4 - Limited-English-Proficient**

Levels	Reading				Mathematics				Science			
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
School	0.0	10.0	80.0	10.0	0.0	0.0	81.8	18.2	0.0	18.2	81.8	0.0
State	5.5	56.2	34.6	3.7	1.9	33.3	58.4	6.4	11.2	45.1	41.8	1.9

**Grade 4 - Economically Disadvantaged**

Levels	Reading				Mathematics				Science				
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	
Free/Reduced Price Lunch	School	0.0	18.2	63.6	18.2	0.0	8.7	69.6	21.7	0.0	21.7	73.9	4.3
	State	3.2	38.1	46.6	12.1	1.6	23.8	62.8	11.8	6.4	33.0	54.6	6.0
Not Eligible	School												
	State	0.7	14.2	46.7	38.5	0.3	6.8	54.6	38.3	1.1	9.9	62.8	26.2

**Grade 5****Grade 5 - All**

Levels	Reading				Mathematics			
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
School	0.0	23.3	43.3	33.3	0.0	12.5	75.0	12.5
State	0.5	25.9	46.3	27.3	0.5	18.1	64.2	17.1

**Grade 5 - Gender**

Levels	Reading				Mathematics				
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	
Male	School	0.0	38.5	46.2	15.4	0.0	14.3	78.6	7.1
	State	0.7	29.2	45.7	24.4	0.7	19.0	62.4	17.9
Female	School	0.0	11.8	41.2	47.1	0.0	11.1	72.2	16.7
	State	0.3	22.5	46.9	30.2	0.4	17.2	66.1	16.3

**Grade 5 - Racial/Ethnic Background**

Levels	Reading				Mathematics			
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
White School State	0.2	15.1	47.5	37.3	0.2	10.0	66.5	23.3
Black School State	0.0 1.0	28.6 43.2	42.9 43.9	28.6 11.9	0.0 1.4	20.0 35.5	60.0 57.8	20.0 5.3
Hispanic School State	0.8	41.1	45.9	12.3	0.7	25.3	66.4	7.6
Asian/Pacific Islander School State	0.2	12.2	43.7	43.9	0.2	5.4	53.8	40.7
Native American School State	0.0	26.9	47.4	25.6	0.0	19.1	68.1	12.8
Multiracial/Ethnic School State	0.7	23.1	47.6	28.5	0.5	17.7	64.8	17.0

**Grade 5 - Economically Disadvantaged**

Levels	Reading				Mathematics			
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
Free/Reduced Price Lunch School State	0.0 0.9	25.0 41.1	46.4 45.6	28.6 12.4	0.0 1.0	13.3 29.0	76.7 63.1	10.0 6.9
Not Eligible School State	0.2	13.9	46.8	39.1	0.2	9.3	65.1	25.4

## 2008 ADEQUATE YEARLY PROGRESS (AYP) INFORMATION

Is this school making Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP)?	Yes
Is this school making AYP in Reading?	Yes
Is this school making AYP in Mathematics?	Yes

Has this school been identified for School Improvement according to the AYP specifications of the federal No Child Left Behind Act?		No
2008-09 Federal Improvement Status		
2008-09 State Improvement Status		

	Percent Tested on State Tests				Percent Meeting/Exceeding Standards *						Other Indicators			
	Reading		Mathematics		Reading			Mathematics			Attendance Rate		Graduation Rate	
	%	Met AYP	%	Met AYP	%	Safe Harbor Target **	Met AYP	%	Safe Harbor Target **	Met AYP	%	Met AYP	%	Met AYP
<b>State AYP Minimum Target</b>	95.0		95.0		62.5			62.5			90.0		75.0	
<b>All</b>	100.0	Yes	100.0	Yes	77.6		Yes	92.3		Yes	95.6	Yes		
<b>White</b>														
<b>Black</b>														
<b>Hispanic</b>														
<b>Asian/Pacific Islander</b>														
<b>Native American</b>														
<b>Multiracial /Ethnic</b>														
<b>LEP</b>														
<b>Students with Disabilities</b>														
<b>Economically Disadvantaged</b>	100.0	Yes	100.0	Yes	76.5		Yes	92.9		Yes				

**Four Conditions Are Required For Making Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP):**

1. At least 95% tested in reading and mathematics for every student group. If the current year participation rate is less than 95%, this condition may be met if the average of the current and preceding year rates is at least 95%, or if the average of the current and two preceding years is at least 95%. Only actual participation rates are printed. If the participation rate printed is less than 95% and yet this school makes AYP, it means that the 95% condition was met by averaging.
2. At least 62.5% meeting/exceeding standards in reading and mathematics for every group. For any group with less than 62.5% meeting/exceeding standards, a 95% confidence interval was applied. Subgroups may meet this condition through Safe Harbor provisions. \*\*\*
3. For schools not making AYP solely because the IEP group fails to have 62.5% meeting/exceeding standards, 14% may be added to this variable in accordance with the federal 2% flexibility provision.
4. At least 90% attendance rate for non-high schools and at least 75% graduation rate for high schools.

\* Includes only students enrolled as of 05/01/2007.

\*\* Safe Harbor Targets of 62.5% or above are not printed.

\*\*\* Subgroups with fewer than 45 students are not reported. Safe Harbor only applies to subgroups of 45 or more. In order for Safe Harbor to apply, a subgroup must decrease by 10% the percentage of scores that did not meet standards from the previous year plus meet the other indicators (attendance rate for non-high schools and graduation rate for high schools) for the subgroup. For subgroups that do not meet their Safe Harbor Targets, a 75% confidence interval is applied. Safe Harbor allows schools an alternate method to meet subgroup minimum targets on achievement.