



The New York State District Report Card

**Accountability
and Overview Report
2008 – 09**

District **AMSTERDAM CITY SCHOOL
DISTRICT**

District ID **27-01-00-01-0000**

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Grades **PK-12, UE**

This District's Report Card

The New York State District Report Card is an important part of the Board of Regents' effort to raise learning standards for all students. It provides information to the public on the district's status and the status of schools within the district under the State and federal accountability systems, on student performance, and on other measures of school and district performance. Knowledge gained from the report card on a school district's strengths and weaknesses can be used to improve instruction and services to students.

State assessments are designed to help ensure that all students reach high learning standards. They show whether students are getting the knowledge and skills they need to succeed at the elementary, middle, and commencement levels and beyond. The State requires that students who are not making appropriate progress toward the standards receive academic intervention services.

Use this report to:

1 Get District Profile information.

This section shows comprehensive data relevant to this district's learning environment.

2 Review District Accountability Status.

This section indicates whether a district made adequate yearly progress (AYP) and identifies the district's accountability status.

3 Review an Overview of District Performance.

This section has information about the district's performance on state assessments in English, mathematics, and science.

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District **AMSTERDAM CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**District ID **27-01-00-01-0000**

District Profile

This section shows comprehensive data relevant to this school district's learning environment, including information about enrollment, average class size, and teacher qualifications.

Enrollment

	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
Pre-K	65	86	163
Kindergarten	295	254	274
Grade 1	264	285	260
Grade 2	269	236	287
Grade 3	270	263	235
Grade 4	278	259	262
Grade 5	269	268	268
Grade 6	281	255	274
Ungraded Elementary	0	42	52
Grade 7	289	286	269
Grade 8	298	271	274
Grade 9	368	365	359
Grade 10	313	320	330
Grade 11	297	273	276
Grade 12	253	255	236
Ungraded Secondary	10	9	0
Total K-12	3754	3641	3656

Average Class Size

	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
Common Branch	24	22	22
Grade 8			
English	21	17	18
Mathematics	17	18	17
Science	21	18	18
Social Studies	21	18	20
Grade 10			
English	22	22	18
Mathematics	17	13	15
Science	21		21
Social Studies	19	18	18

Enrollment Information

Enrollment counts are as of Basic Educational Data System (BEDS) day, which is typically the first Wednesday of October of the school year. Students who attend BOCES programs on a part-time basis are included in a district's enrollment. Students who attend BOCES on a full-time basis or who are placed full time by the district in an out-of-district placement are not included in a district's enrollment. Students classified by districts as "pre-first" are included in first grade counts.

Average Class Size Information

Average Class Size is the total registration in specified classes divided by the number of those classes with registration. *Common Branch* refers to self-contained classes in Grades 1-6.

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Demographic Factors

	2006-07		2007-08		2008-09	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Eligible for Free Lunch	1134	30%	1262	35%	1137	31%
Reduced-Price Lunch	190	5%	201	6%	176	5%
Student Stability*		N/A		N/A		N/A
Limited English Proficient	194	5%	162	4%	143	4%
Racial/Ethnic Origin						
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Black or African American	152	4%	143	4%	163	4%
Hispanic or Latino	1167	31%	1183	32%	1207	33%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	33	1%	32	1%	28	1%
White	2396	64%	2247	62%	2257	62%
Multiracial	6	0%	36	1%	1	0%

* Available only at the school level.

Attendance and Suspensions

	2005-06		2006-07		2007-08	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Annual Attendance Rate		92%		91%		91%
Student Suspensions	341	9%	360	10%	540	15%

Demographic Factors Information

Eligible for Free Lunch and Reduced-Price Lunch percentages are determined by dividing the number of approved lunch applicants by the Basic Educational Data System (BEDS) enrollment in full-day Kindergarten through Grade 12. *Eligible for Free Lunch and Limited English Proficient* counts are used to determine *Similar Schools* groupings within a *Need/Resource Capacity* category.

Attendance and Suspensions Information

Annual Attendance Rate is determined by dividing the school district's total actual attendance by the total possible attendance for a school year. A district's actual attendance is the sum of the number of students in attendance on each day the district's schools were open during the school year. Possible attendance is the sum of the number of enrolled students who should have been in attendance on each day schools were open during the school year. *Student Suspension* rate is determined by dividing the number of students who were suspended from school (not including in-school suspensions) for one full day or longer anytime during the school year by the Basic Educational Data System (BEDS) day enrollments for that school year. A student is counted only once, regardless of whether the student was suspended one or more times during the school year.

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Teacher Qualifications

	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
Total Number of Teachers	271	308	302
Percent with No Valid Teaching Certificate	1%	1%	0%
Percent Teaching Out of Certification	1%	3%	0%
Percent with Fewer Than Three Years of Experience	4%	13%	12%
Percentage with Master's Degree Plus 30 Hours or Doctorate	11%	11%	10%
Total Number of Core Classes	827	918	902
Percent Not Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers	2%	3%	1%
Total Number of Classes	1092	1164	1139
Percent Taught by Teachers Without Appropriate Certification	2%	3%	1%

Teacher Turnover Rate

	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Turnover Rate of Teachers with Fewer than Five Years of Experience	23%	21%	15%
Turnover Rate of All Teachers	15%	16%	11%

Staff Counts

	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
Total Other Professional Staff	30	21	42
Total Paraprofessionals*	83	68	80
Assistant Principals	3	3	3
Principals	6	6	6

* Not available at the school level.

Teacher Qualifications Information

The *Percent Teaching Out of Certification* is the percent doing so more than on an incidental basis; that is, the percent teaching for more than five periods per week outside certification.

Core Classes are primarily K-6 common branch, English, mathematics, science, social studies, art, music, and foreign languages. To be *Highly Qualified*, a teacher must have at least a Bachelor's degree, be certified to teach in the subject area, and show subject matter competency.

Teacher Turnover Rate Information

Teacher Turnover Rate for a specified school year is the number of teachers in that school year who were not teaching in the following school year divided by the number of teachers in the specified school year, expressed as a percentage.

Staff Counts Information

Other Professionals includes administrators, guidance counselors, school nurses, psychologists, and other professionals who devote more than half of their time to non-teaching duties. Teachers who are shared between buildings within a district are reported on the district report only.

Understanding How Accountability Works in New York State

The federal No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Act requires that states develop and report on measures of student proficiency in 1) English language arts (ELA), in 2) mathematics, and on 3) a third indicator. In New York State in 2008–09, the third indicator is science at the elementary/middle level and graduation rate at the secondary level. Schools or districts that meet predefined goals on these measures are making Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP).

For more information about accountability in New York State, visit: <http://www.emsc.nysed.gov/irts/accountability/>.



1 English Language Arts (ELA)

To make AYP in ELA, every accountability group must make AYP. For a group to make AYP, it must meet the participation *and* the performance criteria.

A Participation Criterion

At the elementary/middle level, 95 percent of Grades 3–8 students enrolled during the test administration period in each group with 40 or more students must be tested on the New York State Testing Program (NYSTP) in ELA or, if appropriate, the New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT), or the New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA) in ELA. At the secondary level, 95 percent of seniors in 2008–09 in each accountability group with 40 or more students must have taken an English examination that meets the students' graduation requirement.

B Performance Criterion

At the elementary/middle level, the Performance Index (PI) of each group with 30 or more continuously enrolled tested students must equal or exceed its Effective Annual Measurable Objective (AMO) or the group must make Safe Harbor. (NYSESLAT is used only for participation.) At the secondary level, the PI of each group in the 2005 cohort with 30 or more members must equal or exceed its Effective AMO or the group must make Safe Harbor. To make Safe Harbor, the PI of the group must equal or exceed its Safe Harbor Target and the group must qualify for Safe Harbor using the third indicator, science or graduation rate.

2 Mathematics

The same criteria for making AYP in ELA apply to mathematics. At the elementary/middle level, the measures used to determine AYP are the NYSTP and the NYSAA in mathematics. At the secondary level, the measures are mathematics examinations that meet the students' graduation requirement.

3 Third Indicator

In addition to English language arts and mathematics, the school must also make AYP in a third area of achievement. This means meeting the criteria in science at the elementary/middle level and the criteria in graduation rate at the secondary level.

Elementary/Middle-Level Science: To make AYP, the All Students group must meet the participation criterion *and* the performance criterion.

A Participation Criterion

Eighty percent of students in Grades 4 and/or 8 enrolled during the test administration period in the All Students group, if it has 40 or more students, must be tested on an accountability measure. In Grade 4, the measures are the Grade 4 elementary-level science test and the Grade 4 NYSAA in science. In Grade 8 science, the measures are the Grade 8 middle-level science test, Regents science examinations, and the Grade 8 NYSAA in science.

B Performance Criterion

The PI of the All Students group, if it has 30 or more students, must equal or exceed the State Science Standard (100) or the Science Progress Target.

Qualifying for Safe Harbor in Elementary/Middle-Level ELA and Math: To qualify, the group must meet both the participation criterion and the performance criterion in science.

Secondary-Level Graduation Rate: For a school to make AYP in graduation rate, the percent of students in the 2004 graduation-rate total cohort in the All Students group earning a local or Regents diploma by August 31, 2008 must equal or exceed the Graduation-Rate Standard (55%) or the Graduation-Rate Progress Target.

Qualifying for Safe Harbor in Secondary-Level ELA and Math: To qualify, the percent of the 2004 graduation-rate total cohort earning a local or Regents diploma by August 31, 2008 must equal or exceed the Graduation-Rate Standard (55%) or the Graduation-Rate Progress Target for that group.

Useful Terms for Understanding Accountability

Accountability Cohort for English and Mathematics

The 2005 school accountability cohort consists of all students who first entered Grade 9 anywhere in the 2005–06 school year, and all ungraded students with disabilities who reached their seventeenth birthday in the 2005–06 school year, who were enrolled on October 1, 2008 and did not transfer to a diploma granting program. Students who earned a high school equivalency diploma or were enrolled in an approved high school equivalency preparation program on June 30, 2009, are not included in the 2005 school accountability cohort. The 2005 district accountability cohort consists of all students in each school accountability cohort plus students who transferred within the district after BEDS day plus students who were placed outside the district by the Committee on Special Education or district administrators and who met the other requirements for cohort membership. Cohort is defined in Section 100.2 (p) (16) of the Commissioner's Regulations.

Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP)

Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) indicates satisfactory progress by a district or a school toward the goal of proficiency for all students.

Annual Measurable Objective (AMO)

The Annual Measurable Objective (AMO) is the Performance Index (PI) value that signifies that an accountability group is making satisfactory progress toward the goal that 100 percent of students will be proficient in the State's learning standards for English language arts and mathematics by 2013–14. The AMOs for each grade level will be increased as specified in CR100.2(p) (14) and will reach 200 in 2013–14. (See Effective AMO for further information.)

Continuously Enrolled Students

At the elementary/middle level, continuously enrolled students are those enrolled in the school or district on BEDS day (usually the first Wednesday in October) of the school year until the test administration period. At the secondary level, all students who meet the criteria for inclusion in the accountability cohort are considered to be continuously enrolled.

Effective Annual Measurable Objective (Effective AMO)

The Effective Annual Measurable Objective (Effective AMO) is the Performance Index (PI) value that each accountability group within a school or district is expected to achieve to make Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP). The Effective AMO is the lowest PI that an accountability group of a given size can achieve in a subject for the group's PI not to be considered significantly different from the AMO for that subject. If an accountability group's PI equals or exceeds the Effective AMO, it is considered to have made AYP. A more complete definition of Effective AMO and a table showing the PI values that each group size must equal or exceed to make AYP are available at www.emsc.nysed.gov/irts.

Graduation-Rate Total Cohort

This term is defined on the graduation-rate accountability page.

Performance Index (PI)

Performance Index is a value from 0 to 200 that is assigned to an accountability group, indicating how that group performed on a required State test (or approved alternative) in English language arts, mathematics, or science. Student scores on the tests are converted to four performance levels, from Level 1 to Level 4. (See performance level definitions on the Overview Summary page.) At the elementary/middle level, the PI is calculated using the following equation:

$$100 \times \left[\frac{\text{Count of Continuously Enrolled Tested Students Performing at Levels 2, 3, and 4} + \text{Count at Levels 3 and 4}}{\text{Count of All Continuously Enrolled Tested Students}} \right]$$

At the secondary level, the PI is calculated using the following equation:

$$100 \times \left[\frac{\text{Count of Cohort Members Performing at Levels 2, 3, and 4} + \text{Count at Levels 3 and 4}}{\text{Count of All Cohort Members}} \right]$$

A list of tests used to measure student performance for accountability is available at www.emsc.nysed.gov/irts.

Progress Target

For accountability groups below the State Standard in science or graduation rate, the Progress Target is an alternate method for making Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) or qualifying for Safe Harbor in English language arts and mathematics based on improvement over the previous year's performance.

Safe Harbor

Safe Harbor provides an alternate means to demonstrate Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) for accountability groups that do not achieve their Effective Annual Measurable Objectives (AMOs) in English or mathematics.

Safe Harbor Targets

The 2008–09 safe harbor targets were calculated using the following equation:

$$2007\text{--}08 \text{ PI} + (200 - \text{the } 2007\text{--}08 \text{ PI}) \times 0.10$$

Science Progress Target

The elementary/middle-level 2008–09 Science Progress Target is calculated by adding one point to the 2007–08 PI. The 2009–10 Science Progress Target is calculated by adding one point to the 2008–09 PI. The 2008–09 target is provided for groups whose PI was below the State Science Standard in 2008–09.

Science Standard

The criterion value that represents a minimally satisfactory performance in science. In 2008–09, the State Science Standard at the elementary/middle level is a Performance Index (PI) of 100. The Commissioner may raise the State Science Standard at his discretion in future years.

Understanding Your District Accountability Status

The list below defines the district status categories applied to each accountability measure under New York State's district accountability system, which is divided into a Federal Title I component and a State component. Accountability measures for districts are English language arts (ELA), mathematics, elementary/middle-level science, and graduation rate. A district may be assigned a different status for different accountability measures. The overall status of a district is the status assigned to the district for the accountability measure with the most advanced designation in the hierarchy. If the district receives Title I funds, it is the most advanced designation in the Title I hierarchy, unless the district is in good standing under Title I but identified as DRAP under the State hierarchy. A district that does not receive Title I funding in a school year does not have a federal status in that year; however, all districts receive a state status even if they do not receive Title I funding. Consequences for districts not in good standing can be found at: <http://www.emsc.nysed.gov/irts/accountability/>.

For the 2009–10 accountability status of component schools in your district, see <http://www.emsc.nysed.gov/irts/accountability/designations/>.

Federal Title I Status

(Applies to all New York State districts receiving Title I funds)

▲ District in Good Standing

- A district is considered to be in good standing if it has not been identified as a District in Need of Improvement or a District Requiring Academic Progress.

▲ District in Need of Improvement (Year 1)

A district that has not made AYP for two consecutive years on the same accountability measure is considered a District in Need of Improvement (Year 1) for the following year, if it continues to receive Title I funds.

▲ District in Need of Improvement (Year 2)

A District in Need of Improvement (Year 1) that does not make AYP on the accountability measure for which it was identified is considered a District in Need of Improvement (Year 2) for the following year, if it continues to receive Title I funds.

▲ District in Need of Improvement (Year 3)

A District in Need of Improvement (Year 2) that does not make AYP on the accountability measure for which it was identified is considered a District in Need of Improvement (Year 3) for the following year, if it continues to receive Title I funds.

▲ District in Need of Improvement (Year 4)

A District in Need of Improvement (Year 3) that does not make AYP on the accountability measure for which it was identified is considered a District in Need of Improvement (Year 4) for the following year, if it continues to receive Title I funds.

▲ District in Need of Improvement (Year 5 and above)

A District in Need of Improvement (Year 4 and above) that does not make AYP on the accountability measure for which it was identified is considered a District in Need of Improvement (Year 5 and above) for the following year, if it continues to receive Title I funds.

New York State Status

(Applies to New York State districts)

■ District Requiring Academic Progress (Year 1)

A district that has not made AYP on the same accountability measure for two consecutive years is considered a District Requiring Academic Progress (Year 1) for the following year.

■ District Requiring Academic Progress (Year 2)

A District Requiring Academic Progress (Year 1) that does not make AYP on the accountability measure for which it was identified is considered a District Requiring Academic Progress (Year 2) for the following year.

■ District Requiring Academic Progress (Year 3)

A District Requiring Academic Progress (Year 2) that does not make AYP on the accountability measure for which it was identified is considered a District Requiring Academic Progress (Year 3) for the following year.

■ District Requiring Academic Progress (Year 4)

A District Requiring Academic Progress (Year 3) that does not make AYP on the accountability measure for which it was identified is considered a District Requiring Academic Progress (Year 4) for the following year.

■ District Requiring Academic Progress (Year 5 and above)

A District Requiring Academic Progress (Year 4 and above) that does not make AYP on the accountability measure for which it was identified is considered a District Requiring Academic Progress (Year 5 and above) for the following year.

Pending – A district's status is "Pending" if the district requires special evaluation procedures and they have not yet been completed.

Summary

Overall Accountability Status (2009–10)

Improvement (Year 3)

ELA	Improvement (Year 3)	Science	Good Standing
Math	Good Standing	Graduation Rate	Good Standing

Title I Part A Funding

Years the District Received Title I Part A Funding

2007–08	2008–09	2009–10
YES	YES	YES

On which accountability measures did this district make Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) and which groups made AYP on each measure?

Student Groups	Elementary/Middle Level			Secondary Level		
	English			English		
	Language Arts	Mathematics	Science	Language Arts	Mathematics	Graduation Rate
All Students	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Ethnicity						
American Indian or Alaska Native						
Black or African American	✓	✓		–	–	
Hispanic or Latino	✓	✓		✗	✗	
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	–	–		–	–	
White	✓	✓		✓	✓	
Multiracial						
Other Groups						
Students with Disabilities	✗	✓		–	–	
Limited English Proficient	✗	✓ ^{SH}		–	–	
Economically Disadvantaged	✓	✓		✗	✗	
Student groups making AYP in each subject	✗ 5 of 7	✓ 7 of 7	✓ 1 of 1	✗ 2 of 4	✗ 2 of 4	✓ 1 of 1

Accountability Status Levels

AYP Status

- ✓ Made AYP
- ✓^{SH} Made AYP Using Safe Harbor Target
- ✗ Did Not Make AYP
- Insufficient Number of Students to Determine AYP Status

Federal


- Good Standing ✓
- Improvement (Year 1) ✓
- Improvement (Year 2) ✓
- Improvement (Year 3) ✓
- Improvement (Year 4) ✓
- Improvement (Year 5 & Above) ✓
- Pending – Requires Special Evaluation

State

- Good Standing ■
- Requiring Academic Progress (Year 1) ■
- Requiring Academic Progress (Year 2) ■
- Requiring Academic Progress (Year 3) ■
- Requiring Academic Progress (Year 4) ■
- Requiring Academic Progress (Year 5 & Above) ■

Elementary/Middle-Level English Language Arts























Accountability Status  Improvement (Year 3)
for This Subject
(2009–10)

Accountability Measures 5 of 7 Student groups making AYP in English language arts
 Did not make AYP

Prospective Status

To be removed from improvement status in English Language Arts, this district must make AYP in this measure at the elementary/middle or secondary level for two consecutive years. If this district fails to make AYP at both the elementary/middle and secondary levels in 2009-10, the district will be In Need of Improvement (Year 4) in 2010-11. If this district makes AYP at either the elementary/middle or secondary level in 2009-10, the district will remain In Need of Improvement (Year 3) in 2010-11. [208]

How did students in each accountability group perform on elementary/middle-level English language arts accountability measures?

Student Group (Total: Continuous Enrollment) ¹	AYP	Participation ²		Test Performance ³		Performance Objectives	
	Status	Met Criterion	Percentage Tested	Met Criterion	Performance Index	Effective AMO	Safe Harbor Target 2008–09 2009–10
All Students (1629:1563)			99%		161	141	
Ethnicity							
American Indian or Alaska Native (0:0)							
Black or African American (88:85)			100%		158	133	
Hispanic or Latino (566:530)			99%		141	139	
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (16:12)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
White (959:936)			100%		172	140	
Multiracial (0:0)							
Other Groups							
Students with Disabilities ⁴ (333:317)			99%		104	138	109 114
Limited English Proficient ⁵ (77:74)			100%		96	133	99 106
Economically Disadvantaged (797:754)			99%		144	140	
Final AYP Determination	 5 of 7						

NOTES

¹ These data show the count of students enrolled during the test administration period (used for Participation) followed by the count of continuously enrolled tested students (used for Performance). For accountability calculations, students who were excused from testing for medical reasons are not included in the enrollment count.

² Groups with fewer than 40 students enrolled during the test administration period are not required to meet the participation criterion. If the participation rate of a group fell below 95 percent in 2008–09, the enrollment shown is the sum of 2007–08 and 2008–09 enrollments and the percent tested is the weighted average of the participation rates over those two years.




³ For districts with fewer than 30 continuously enrolled tested students in the All Students group in 2008–09, data for 2007–08 and 2008–09 were combined to determine counts and PIs. For districts with 30 or more continuously enrolled students in the All Students group in 2008–09, student groups with fewer than 30 continuously enrolled tested students are not required to meet the performance criterion.

⁴ If the district failed to make AYP solely because of the performance of students with disabilities, met the 95% participation requirement for this group, and would meet or exceed the AMO for this subject if 34 points were added to the PI, then the district is considered to have made AYP for students with disabilities.

⁵ If the count of LEP students is equal to or greater than 30, former LEP students are also included in the performance calculations.


‡ This student group did not make AYP in science; therefore, it did not qualify for Safe Harbor.

AYP Status

-  Made AYP
-  Made AYP Using Safe Harbor Target
-  Did Not Make AYP
- Insufficient Number of Students to Determine AYP Status























Elementary/Middle-Level Mathematics

Accountability Status  Good Standing
for This Subject
(2009–10)

Accountability Measures 7 of 7 Student groups making AYP in mathematics
 Made AYP

Prospective Status This district will be in good standing in 2010-11. [201]

How did students in each accountability group perform on elementary/middle-level mathematics accountability measures?

Student Group (Total: Continuous Enrollment) ¹	AYP	Participation ²		Test Performance ³		Performance Objectives	
	Status	Met Criterion	Percentage Tested	Met Criterion	Performance Index	Effective AMO	Safe Harbor Target 2008–09 2009–10
All Students (1632:1566)			100%		167	116	
Ethnicity							
American Indian or Alaska Native (0:0)							
Black or African American (90:85)			100%		159	108	
Hispanic or Latino (566:536)			100%		149	114	
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (16:14)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
White (960:931)			100%		179	115	
Multiracial (0:0)							
Other Groups							
Students with Disabilities ⁴ (333:318)			99%		113	113	
Limited English Proficient ⁵ (80:85)			100%		104	108	97 114
Economically Disadvantaged (791:751)			100%		154	115	
Final AYP Determination	 7 of 7						

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¹ These data show the count of students enrolled during the test administration period (used for Participation) followed by the count of continuously enrolled tested students (used for Performance). For accountability calculations, students who were excused from testing for medical reasons are not included in the enrollment count.

² Groups with fewer than 40 students enrolled during the test administration period are not required to meet the participation criterion. If the participation rate of a group fell below 95 percent in 2008–09, the enrollment shown is the sum of 2007–08 and 2008–09 enrollments and the percent tested is the weighted average of the participation rates over those two years.

³ For districts with fewer than 30 continuously enrolled tested students in the All Students group in 2008–09, data for 2007–08 and 2008–09 were combined to determine counts and PIs. For districts with 30 or more continuously enrolled students in the All Students group in 2008–09, student groups with fewer than 30 continuously enrolled tested students are not required to meet the performance criterion.

⁴ If the district failed to make AYP solely because of the performance of students with disabilities, met the 95% participation requirement for this group, and would meet or exceed the AMO for this subject if 34 points were added to the PI, then the district is considered to have made AYP for students with disabilities.

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AYP Status

-  Made AYP
-  Made AYP Using Safe Harbor Target
-  Did Not Make AYP
- Insufficient Number of Students to Determine AYP Status













Elementary/Middle-Level Science

Accountability Status  Good Standing
for This Subject
(2009–10)

Accountability Measures 1 of 1 Student groups making AYP in science
 Made AYP

Prospective Status This district will be in good standing in 2010-11. [201]

How did students in each accountability group perform on elementary/middle-level science accountability measures?

Student Group (Total: Continuous Enrollment) ¹	AYP		Participation ²		Test Performance ³		Performance Objectives	
	Status	Safe Harbor Qualification	Met Criterion	Percentage Tested	Met Criterion	Performance Index	State Standard	Progress Target 2008–09 2009–10
All Students (548:528)		Qualified		100%		169	100	
Ethnicity								
American Indian or Alaska Native (0:0)								
Black or African American (27:25)	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hispanic or Latino (193:184)		Qualified		99%		148	100	
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (6:6)	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
White (322:313)		Qualified		100%		182	100	
Multiracial (0:0)								
Other Groups								
Students with Disabilities (113:111)		Qualified		100%		123	100	
Limited English Proficient ⁴ (28:26)	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Economically Disadvantaged (260:248)		Qualified		100%		157	100	
Final AYP Determination		1 of 1						

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² Groups with fewer than 40 students enrolled during the test administration period are not required to meet the participation criterion. If the participation rate of a group fell below 80 percent in 2008–09, the enrollment shown is the sum of 2007–08 and 2008–09 enrollments and the percent tested is the weighted average of the participation rates over those two years.

³ Groups with fewer than 30 continuously enrolled tested students are not required to meet the performance criterion. For districts with fewer than 30 continuously enrolled tested students in 2008–09, data for 2007–08 and 2008–09 were combined to determine counts and performance indices.


⁴ If the count of LEP students is equal to or greater than 30, former LEP students are also included in the performance calculations.

AYP Status

-  Made AYP
-  Made AYP Using Safe Harbor Target
-  Did Not Make AYP
- Insufficient Number of Students to Determine AYP Status

Secondary-Level English Language Arts














Accountability Status for This Subject (2009–10)  Improvement (Year 3)

Accountability Measures 2 of 4 Student groups making AYP in English language arts
 Did not make AYP

Prospective Status

To be removed from improvement status in English Language Arts, this district must make AYP in this measure at the elementary/middle or secondary level for two consecutive years. If this district fails to make AYP at both the elementary/middle and secondary levels in 2009-10, the district will be In Need of Improvement (Year 4) in 2010-11. If this district makes AYP at either the elementary/middle or secondary level in 2009-10, the district will remain In Need of Improvement (Year 3) in 2010-11. [208]




How did students in each accountability group perform on secondary-level English language arts accountability measures?

Student Group	AYP	Participation ²		Test Performance ³		Performance Objectives	
	Status	Met Criterion	Percentage Tested	Met Criterion	Performance Index	Effective AMO	Safe Harbor Target 2008–09 2009–10
(12th Graders: 2005 Cohort) ¹							
All Students (225:211)			98%		166	163	
Ethnicity							
American Indian or Alaska Native (0:0)							
Black or African American (6:6)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hispanic or Latino (46:46)			98%		115	157	110 [‡] 124
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (0:1)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
White (173:158)			99%		186	163	
Multiracial (0:0)							
Other Groups							
Students with Disabilities ⁴ (20:29)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Limited English Proficient ⁵ (1:5)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Economically Disadvantaged (47:55)			96%		118	158	119 [‡] 126
Final AYP Determination	 2 of 4						

NOTES


- ¹ These data show the count of 12th graders in 2008–09 (used for Participation) followed by the count of students in the 2005 cohort (used for Performance).
 - ² Groups with fewer than 40 students in the 12th grade are not required to meet the participation criterion. If the participation rate of a group fell below 95 percent in 2008–09, the enrollment shown is the sum of 2007–08 and 2008–09 Grade 12 enrollments and the percent tested is the weighted average of the participation rates over those two years.
 - ³ For districts with fewer than 30 students in the 2005 cohort, data for 2004 and 2005 cohort members were combined to determine counts and PIs. For districts with 30 or more students in the 2005 cohort in the All Students group, groups with fewer than 30 students in the 2005 cohort are not required to meet the performance criterion.
 - ⁴ If the district failed to make AYP solely because of the performance of students with disabilities, met the 95% participation requirement for this group, and would meet or exceed the AMO for this subject if 34 points were added to the PI, then the district is considered to have made AYP for students with disabilities.
 - ⁵ If the count of LEP students is equal to or greater than 30, former LEP students are also included in the performance calculations.
- [‡] This student group did not make AYP in graduation rate; therefore, it did not qualify for Safe Harbor.

AYP Status

-  Made AYP
-  Made AYP Using Safe Harbor Target
-  Did Not Make AYP
- Insufficient Number of Students to Determine AYP Status














Secondary-Level Mathematics

Accountability Status  Good Standing
for This Subject
(2009–10)

Accountability Measures 2 of 4 Student groups making AYP in mathematics
 Did not make AYP

Prospective Status This district will be in good standing in 2010-11. [201]

How did students in each accountability group perform on secondary-level mathematics accountability measures?

Student Group (12th Graders: 2005 Cohort) ¹	AYP	Participation ²		Test Performance ³		Performance Objectives	
	Status	Met Criterion	Percentage Tested	Met Criterion	Performance Index	Effective AMO	Safe Harbor Target 2008–09 2009–10
All Students (225:211)			98%		172	158	
Ethnicity							
American Indian or Alaska Native (0:0)							
Black or African American (6:6)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hispanic or Latino (46:46)			98%		135	152	126 [‡] 142
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (0:1)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
White (173:158)			99%		187	158	
Multiracial (0:0)							
Other Groups							
Students with Disabilities ⁴ (20:29)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Limited English Proficient ⁵ (1:5)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Economically Disadvantaged (91:55)			97%		140	153	133 [‡] 146
Final AYP Determination	 2 of 4						

NOTES

¹ These data show the count of 12th graders in 2008–09 (used for Participation) followed by the count of students in the 2005 cohort (used for Performance).

² Groups with fewer than 40 students in the 12th grade are not required to meet the participation criterion. If the participation rate of a group fell below 95 percent in 2008–09, the enrollment shown is the sum of 2007–08 and 2008–09 Grade 12 enrollments and the percent tested is the weighted average of the participation rates over those two years.




³ For districts with fewer than 30 students in the 2005 cohort, data for 2004 and 2005 cohort members were combined to determine counts and PIs. For districts with 30 or more students in the 2005 cohort in the All Students group, groups with fewer than 30 students in the 2005 cohort are not required to meet the performance criterion.

⁴ If the district failed to make AYP solely because of the performance of students with disabilities, met the 95% participation requirement for this group, and would meet or exceed the AMO for this subject if 34 points were added to the PI, then the district is considered to have made AYP for students with disabilities.

⁵ If the count of LEP students is equal to or greater than 30, former LEP students are also included in the performance calculations.

[‡] This student group did not make AYP in graduation rate; therefore, it did not qualify for Safe Harbor.

AYP Status

-  Made AYP
-  Made AYP Using Safe Harbor Target
-  Did Not Make AYP
- Insufficient Number of Students to Determine AYP Status








Graduation Rate

Accountability Status  Good Standing
for This Indicator
(2009–10)

Accountability Measures 1 of 1 Student groups making AYP in graduation rate
 Made AYP

Prospective Status This district will be in good standing in 2010-11. [201]

How did students in each accountability group perform on graduation rate accountability measures?

Student Group (Cohort Count)	Graduation		Graduation Rate ¹	Objectives		
	AYP	Met Criterion		State Standard	Progress Target 2008–09 2009–10	
All Students (325)			58%	55%		
Ethnicity						
American Indian or Alaska Native (0)						
Black or African American (5)		–	–	–		
Hispanic or Latino (93)			35%	55%	43%	36%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (2)		–	–	–		
White (225)			68%	55%		
Multiracial (0)						
Other Groups						
Students with Disabilities (55)			18%	55%	26%	19%
Limited English Proficient ² (5)		–	–	–		
Economically Disadvantaged (86)			37%	55%	47%	38%
Final AYP Determination		1 of 1				

NOTES

¹ Percentage of the 2004 cohort that earned a local or Regents diploma by August 31, 2008.

² If the count of LEP students is equal to or greater than 30, former LEP students are also included in the performance calculations.

Graduation Rate Information

For a school or a district to make AYP in graduation rate, the percentage of 2004 graduation-rate total cohort members earning a local or Regents diploma by August 31, 2008 for the “All Students” group must equal or exceed the Graduation-Rate Standard or the Graduation-Rate Progress Target for 2008–09.

The Graduation Rate Standard is the criterion value that represents a minimally satisfactory percentage of cohort members earning a local diploma. The State Graduation-Rate Standard for the 2004 cohort is 55 percent. The Commissioner may raise the Graduation-Rate Standard at his discretion in future years.

The 2008–09 Graduation-Rate Progress Target is calculated by adding one point to the percentage of the 2003 cohort earning a local or Regents diploma by August 31, 2007. The 2009–10 Graduation-Rate Progress Target is calculated by adding one point to the percentage of the 2004 cohort earning a local or Regents diploma by August 31, 2008. This target is provided for each group whose percentage earning a local or Regents diploma by August 31, 2008 is below the Graduation-Rate Standard in 2008–09 (55%). Groups with fewer than 30 cohort members are not subject to this criterion.

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Summary of 2008–09 District Performance

Performance on the State assessments in English language arts, mathematics, and science at the elementary and middle levels is reported in terms of mean scores and the percentage of tested students scoring at or above Level 2, Level 3, and Level 4. Performance on the State assessments in ELA and mathematics at the secondary level is reported in terms of the percentage of students in a cohort scoring at these levels.

	Percentage of students that scored at or above Level 3			Total Tested
	0%	50%	100%	
English Language Arts				
Grade 3	67%			255
Grade 4	59%			269
Grade 5	74%			256
Grade 6	65%			274
Grade 7	70%			261
Grade 8	53%			267
Mathematics				
Grade 3	82%			259
Grade 4	72%			275
Grade 5	70%			257
Grade 6	64%			278
Grade 7	82%			268
Grade 8	67%			270
Science				
Grade 4	79%			274
Grade 8	68%			268

Secondary Level	Percentage of students that scored at or above Level 3			2005 Total Cohort
	0%	50%	100%	
English	63%			284
Mathematics	68%			284

About the Performance Level Descriptors

Level 1: Not Meeting Learning Standards.

Student performance does not demonstrate an understanding of the content expected in the subject and grade level.

Level 2: Partially Meeting Learning Standards.

Student performance demonstrates a partial understanding of the content expected in the subject and grade level.

Level 3: Meeting Learning Standards.

Student performance demonstrates an understanding of the content expected in the subject and grade level.

Level 4: Meeting Learning Standards with Distinction.

Student performance demonstrates a thorough understanding of the content expected in the subject and grade level.

How are Need/Resource Capacity (N/RC) categories determined?

Districts are divided into high, average, and low need categories based on their ability to meet the special needs of their students with local resources. Districts in the high need category are subdivided into four categories based on enrollment size and, in some cases, number of students per square mile. More information about the categories can be found in the *Report to the Governor and the Legislature on the Educational Status of the State's Schools* at www.emsc.nysed.gov/irts.

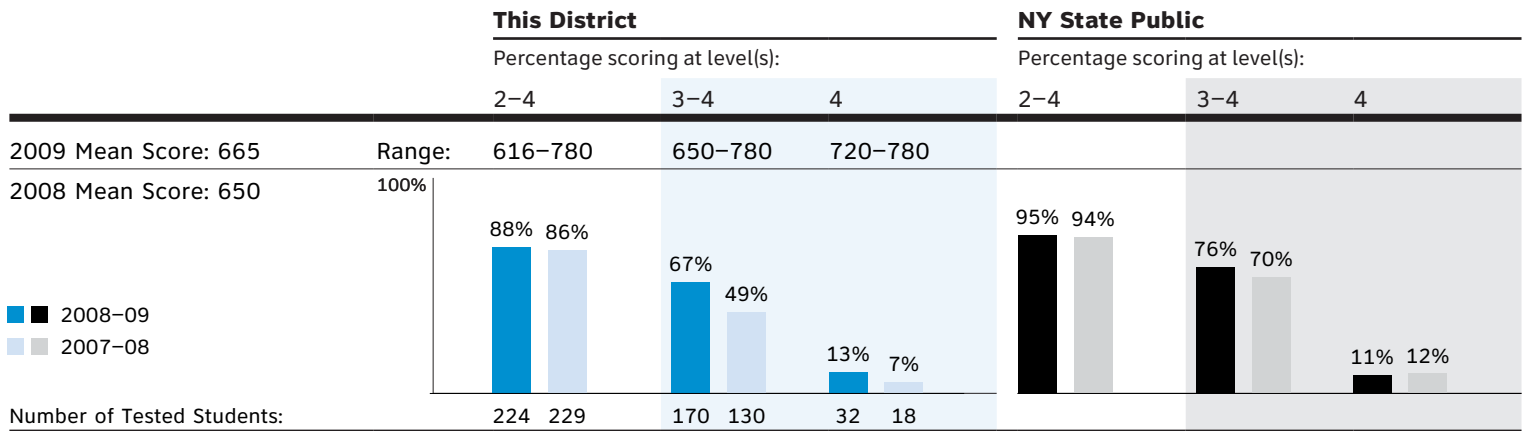
In this section, this district's performance is compared with that of public schools statewide.

This District's N/RC Category:

High Need/Resource Rural Districts

This is a rural school district with high student needs in relation to district resource capacity.

This District's Results in Grade 3 English Language Arts



Results by Student Group

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	255	88%	67%	13%	267	86%	49%	7%
Female	133	90%	68%	14%	146	91%	48%	3%
Male	122	85%	66%	11%	121	79%	50%	11%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	15	-	-	-	12	-	-	-
Hispanic or Latino	95	86%	57%	8%	90	82%	37%	4%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
White	142	87%	72%	16%	164	87%	55%	9%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	18	100%	78%	6%	13	100%	54%	0%
General-Education Students	217	96%	76%	14%	236	93%	54%	8%
Students with Disabilities	38	42%	13%	3%	31	29%	10%	0%
English Proficient	244	89%	69%	13%	255	88%	51%	7%
Limited English Proficient	11	55%	18%	0%	12	42%	0%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	134	81%	53%	6%	167	81%	38%	4%
Not Disadvantaged	121	96%	82%	20%	100	94%	67%	12%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	255	88%	67%	13%	267	86%	49%	7%

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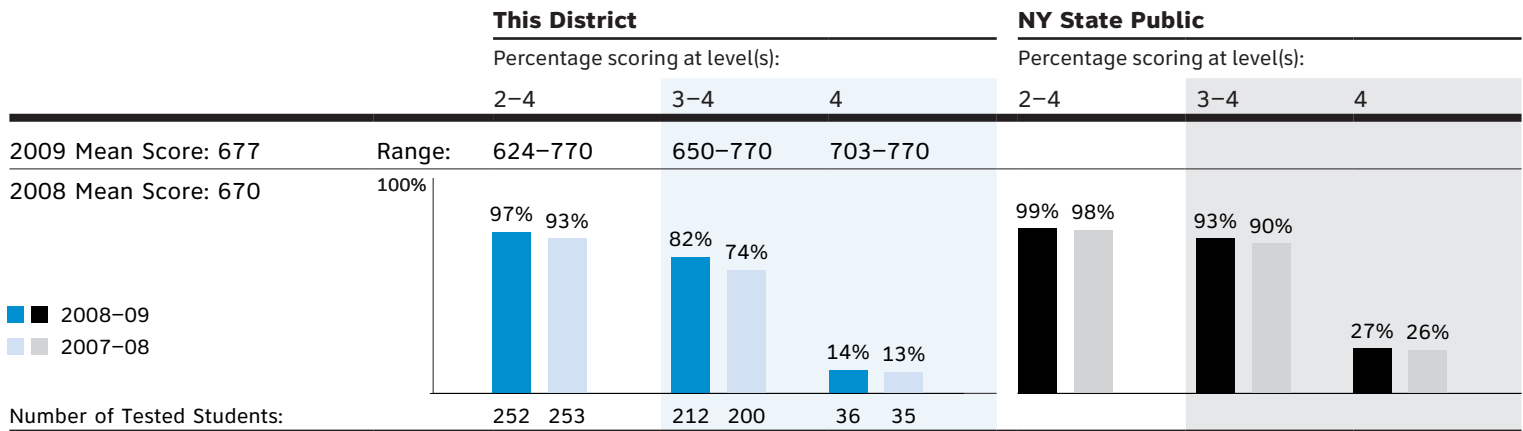
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Other Assessments

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 3 Equivalent	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT)†: Grade 3	2	N/A	N/A	N/A	4	N/A	N/A	N/A

† These counts represent recently arrived LEP students who used the NYSESLAT to fulfill the English language arts participation requirement.

This District's Results in Grade 3 Mathematics



Results by Student Group

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	259	97%	82%	14%	272	93%	74%	13%
Female	133	96%	79%	15%	148	95%	76%	10%
Male	126	98%	85%	13%	124	91%	70%	16%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	15	-	-	-	12	-	-	-
Hispanic or Latino	96	96%	75%	11%	94	88%	61%	5%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
White	144	98%	85%	17%	165	95%	80%	18%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	19	100%	89%	5%	13	100%	85%	0%
General-Education Students	219	100%	89%	16%	243	97%	80%	14%
Students with Disabilities	40	83%	43%	0%	29	59%	21%	0%
English Proficient	245	98%	85%	15%	257	94%	77%	14%
Limited English Proficient	14	79%	21%	0%	15	80%	13%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	135	96%	78%	10%	170	90%	65%	6%
Not Disadvantaged	124	99%	86%	19%	102	98%	87%	25%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	259	97%	82%	14%	272	93%	74%	13%

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Other Assessments

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 3 Equivalent	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-

This District's Results in Grade 4 English Language Arts

	This District			NY State Public								
	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Percentage scoring at level(s):								
	2-4	3-4	4	2-4	3-4	4						
2009 Mean Score: 653	Range: 612-775			650-775			716-775					
2008 Mean Score: 647												
Number of Tested Students:	244	214	158	136	7	5	244	214	158	136	7	5

Results by Student Group

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	269	91%	59%	3%	255	84%	53%	2%
Female	142	94%	61%	4%	140	88%	54%	1%
Male	127	87%	56%	2%	115	79%	52%	3%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	15	-	-	-	15	-	-	-
Hispanic or Latino	97	84%	46%	0%	85	75%	34%	0%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
White	156	95%	67%	4%	154	89%	64%	3%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	16	94%	50%	0%	16	81%	56%	0%
General-Education Students	228	97%	67%	3%	215	91%	61%	2%
Students with Disabilities	41	56%	12%	0%	40	48%	13%	0%
English Proficient	256	93%	61%	3%	236	87%	58%	2%
Limited English Proficient	13	54%	8%	0%	19	42%	0%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	147	85%	46%	0%	139	74%	38%	0%
Not Disadvantaged	122	98%	74%	6%	116	96%	72%	4%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	269	91%	59%	3%	255	84%	53%	2%

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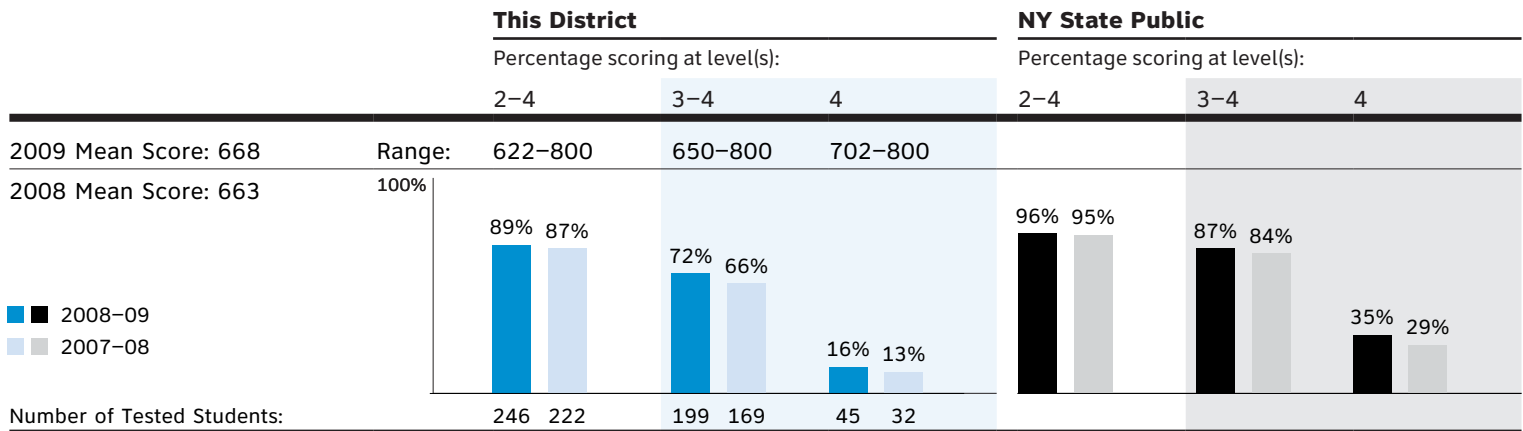
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Other Assessments

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 4 Equivalent	2	-	-	-	4	-	-	-
New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT)†: Grade 4	4	N/A	N/A	N/A	2	N/A	N/A	N/A

† These counts represent recently arrived LEP students who used the NYSESLAT to fulfill the English language arts participation requirement.

This District's Results in Grade 4 Mathematics



Results by Student Group

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	275	89%	72%	16%	256	87%	66%	13%
Female	143	91%	70%	13%	142	87%	65%	9%
Male	132	88%	75%	20%	114	86%	68%	17%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	16	-	-	-	15	-	-	-
Hispanic or Latino	102	80%	58%	13%	86	74%	50%	3%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
White	155	95%	83%	19%	154	94%	75%	18%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	18	94%	67%	17%	16	88%	69%	6%
General-Education Students	234	95%	79%	19%	215	93%	75%	15%
Students with Disabilities	41	56%	32%	2%	41	56%	20%	0%
English Proficient	257	92%	76%	17%	235	91%	71%	13%
Limited English Proficient	18	56%	17%	6%	21	43%	14%	5%
Economically Disadvantaged	150	85%	61%	9%	139	80%	54%	7%
Not Disadvantaged	125	94%	86%	25%	117	95%	80%	19%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	275	89%	72%	16%	256	87%	66%	13%

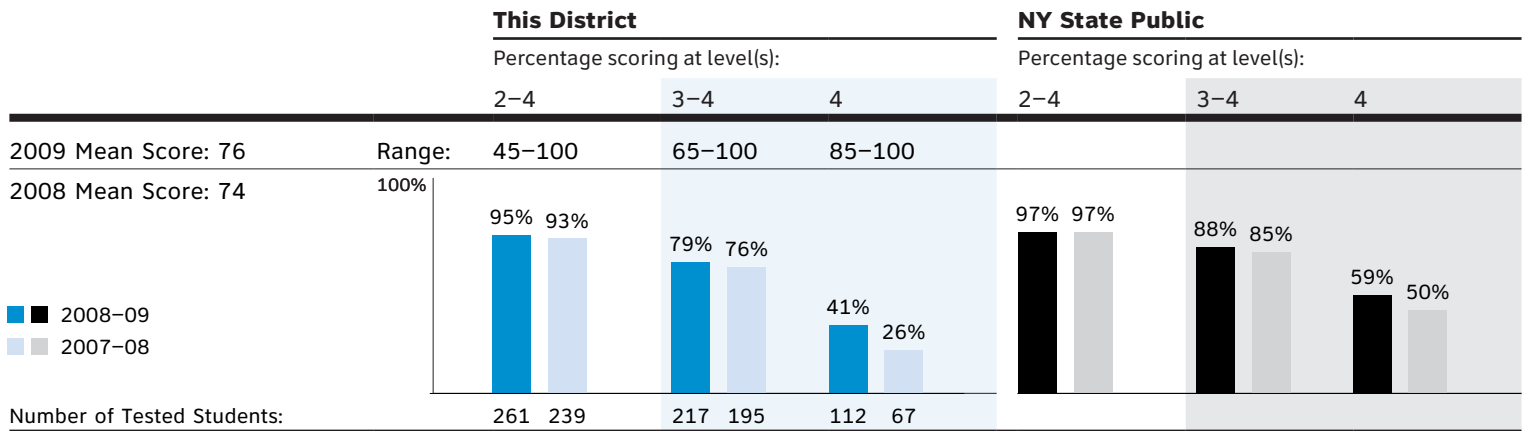
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Other Assessments

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 4 Equivalent	2	-	-	-	4	-	-	-

This District's Results in Grade 4 Science



Results by Student Group

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	274	95%	79%	41%	258	93%	76%	26%
Female	143	95%	76%	36%	142	94%	75%	20%
Male	131	95%	83%	47%	116	91%	77%	34%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	15	-	-	-	15	-	-	-
Hispanic or Latino	102	94%	67%	30%	86	84%	60%	16%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
White	155	96%	87%	49%	156	97%	83%	31%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	17	94%	82%	29%	16	94%	88%	25%
General-Education Students	233	96%	82%	46%	217	94%	79%	31%
Students with Disabilities	41	90%	61%	10%	41	83%	59%	0%
English Proficient	257	97%	83%	44%	237	95%	79%	28%
Limited English Proficient	17	71%	24%	0%	21	67%	33%	5%
Economically Disadvantaged	150	93%	72%	31%	138	88%	67%	19%
Not Disadvantaged	124	98%	88%	52%	120	98%	85%	34%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	274	95%	79%	41%	258	93%	76%	26%

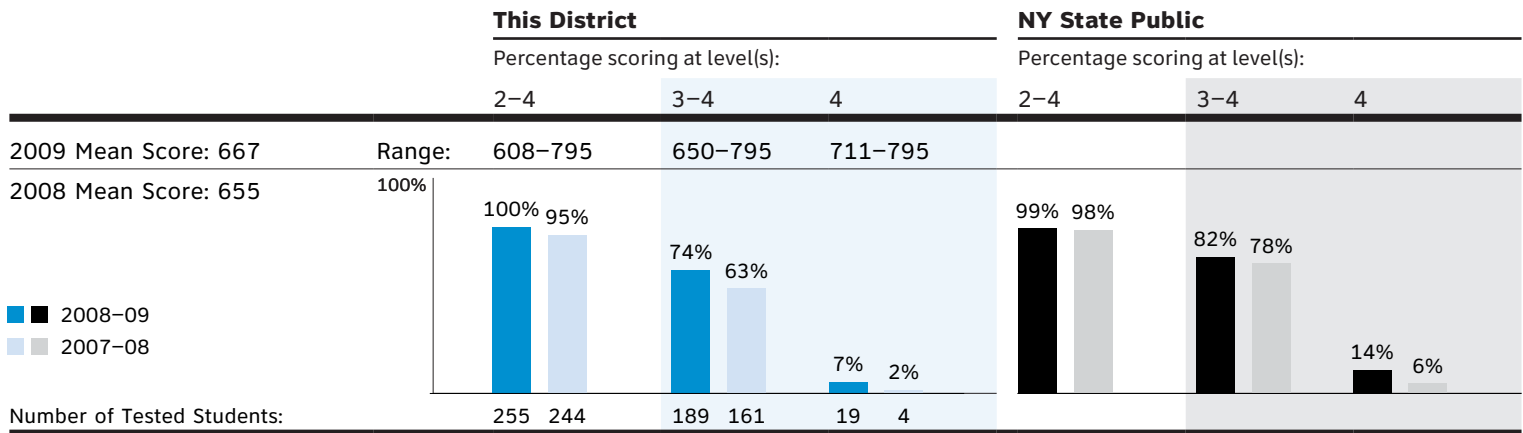
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Other Assessments

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 4 Equivalent	2	-	-	-	4	-	-	-

This District's Results in Grade 5 English Language Arts



Results by Student Group

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	256	100%	74%	7%	256	95%	63%	2%
Female	143	100%	78%	4%	130	95%	65%	2%
Male	113	99%	69%	12%	126	95%	60%	2%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	17	-	-	-	15	-	-	-
Hispanic or Latino	84	99%	58%	1%	95	91%	40%	2%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
White	153	100%	81%	11%	145	98%	78%	1%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	19	100%	84%	5%	16	100%	63%	0%
General-Education Students	209	100%	85%	9%	210	98%	73%	2%
Students with Disabilities	47	98%	23%	0%	46	85%	17%	0%
English Proficient	240	100%	78%	8%	247	96%	65%	2%
Limited English Proficient	16	94%	13%	0%	9	78%	0%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	130	99%	60%	2%	152	94%	49%	1%
Not Disadvantaged	126	100%	88%	13%	104	97%	84%	3%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	256	100%	74%	7%	256	95%	63%	2%

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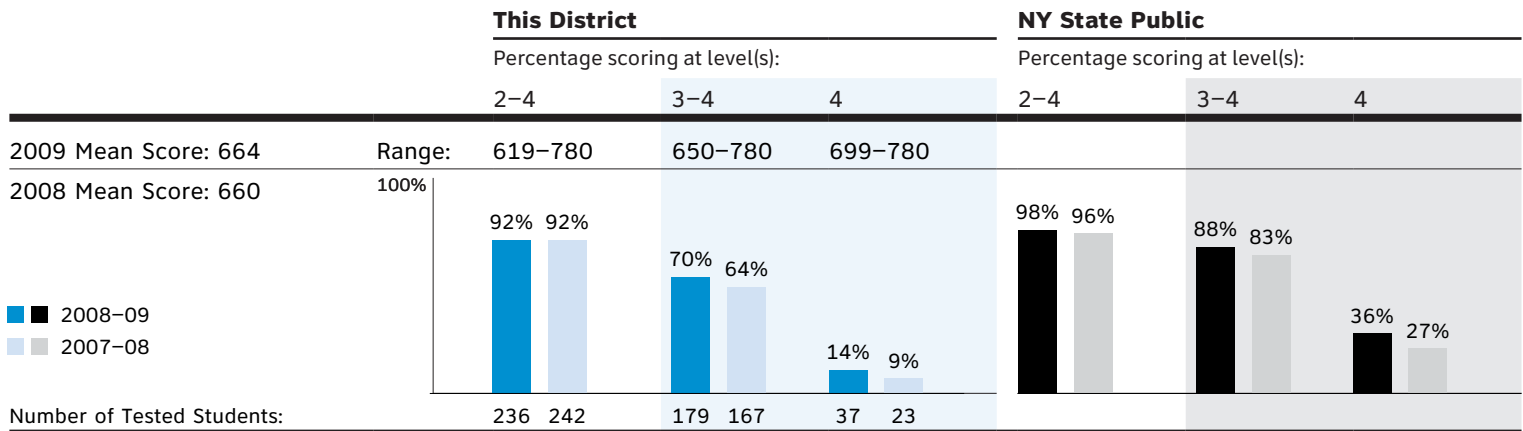
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Other Assessments

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 5 Equivalent	4	-	-	-	4	-	-	-
New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT)†: Grade 5	1	N/A	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	N/A

† These counts represent recently arrived LEP students who used the NYSESLAT to fulfill the English language arts participation requirement.

This District's Results in Grade 5 Mathematics



Results by Student Group

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	257	92%	70%	14%	262	92%	64%	9%
Female	142	94%	70%	11%	134	93%	60%	4%
Male	115	90%	70%	19%	128	92%	68%	14%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	17	-	-	-	15	-	-	-
Hispanic or Latino	84	86%	56%	5%	98	88%	47%	5%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
White	154	94%	77%	20%	148	95%	76%	11%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	19	100%	68%	11%	16	94%	50%	6%
General-Education Students	208	98%	79%	18%	214	97%	73%	10%
Students with Disabilities	49	65%	29%	0%	48	73%	23%	2%
English Proficient	240	93%	73%	15%	253	92%	66%	9%
Limited English Proficient	17	82%	18%	0%	9	89%	0%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	132	90%	58%	8%	157	89%	52%	5%
Not Disadvantaged	125	94%	82%	22%	105	97%	81%	14%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	257	92%	70%	14%	262	92%	64%	9%

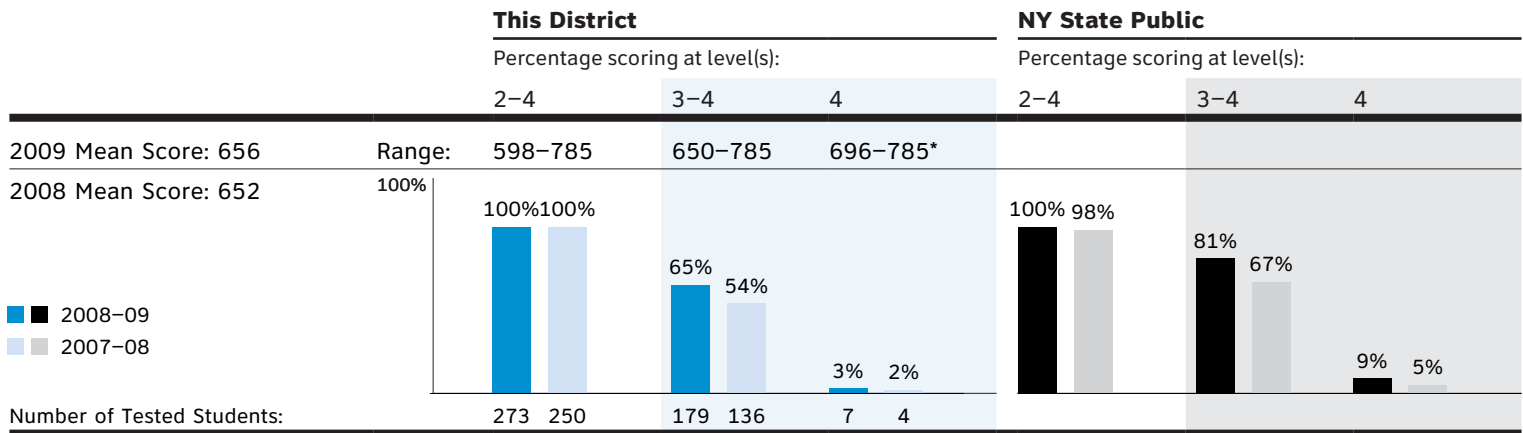
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Other Assessments

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 5 Equivalent	4	-	-	-	4	-	-	-

This District's Results in Grade 6 English Language Arts



Results by Student Group

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	274	100%	65%	3%	250	100%	54%	2%
Female	150	100%	71%	1%	122	100%	58%	3%
Male	124	99%	58%	5%	128	100%	51%	0%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	14	-	-	-	14	-	-	-
Hispanic or Latino	100	99%	48%	2%	74	100%	31%	0%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
White	159	100%	77%	3%	161	100%	66%	2%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	15	100%	60%	0%	15	100%	47%	0%
General-Education Students	219	100%	77%	3%	199	100%	64%	2%
Students with Disabilities	55	98%	18%	0%	51	100%	16%	0%
English Proficient	267	100%	66%	3%	243	100%	56%	2%
Limited English Proficient	7	100%	29%	0%	7	100%	14%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	137	99%	51%	1%	135	100%	40%	1%
Not Disadvantaged	137	100%	80%	4%	115	100%	71%	3%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	274	100%	65%	3%	250	100%	54%	2%

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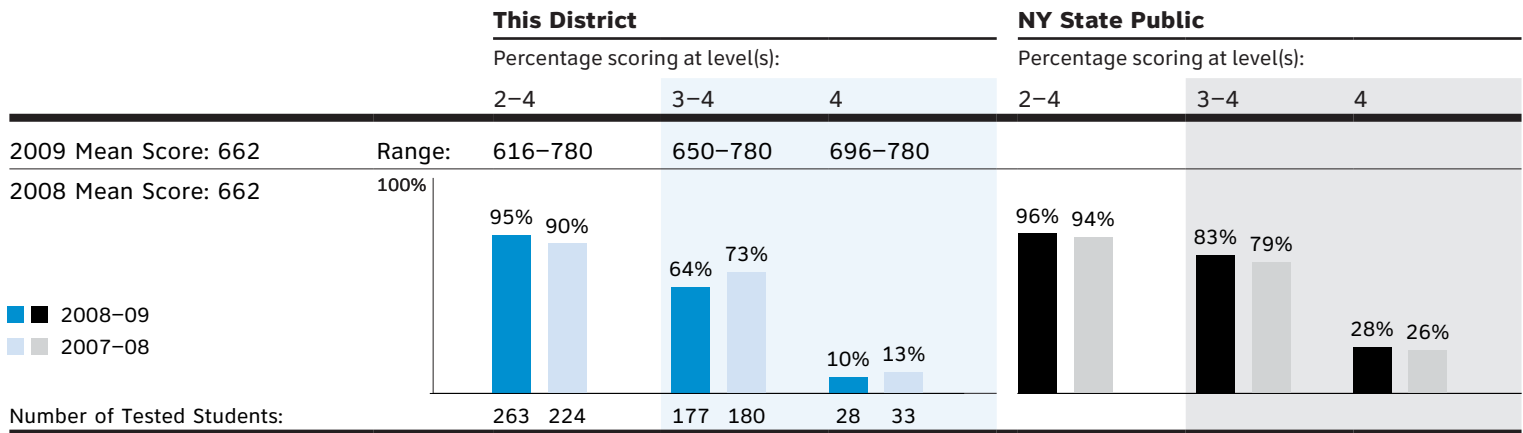
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Other Assessments

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 6 Equivalent	4	-	-	-	6	6	5	3
New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT)†: Grade 6	3	N/A	N/A	N/A	1	N/A	N/A	N/A

† These counts represent recently arrived LEP students who used the NYSESLAT to fulfill the English language arts participation requirement.

This District's Results in Grade 6 Mathematics



Results by Student Group

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	278	95%	64%	10%	248	90%	73%	13%
Female	151	95%	64%	7%	121	91%	70%	14%
Male	127	94%	63%	14%	127	90%	75%	13%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	15	-	-	-	14	-	-	-
Hispanic or Latino	103	90%	45%	6%	71	85%	62%	8%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
White	158	97%	76%	13%	162	95%	78%	15%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	17	94%	65%	6%	15	67%	60%	13%
General-Education Students	222	98%	77%	13%	197	97%	86%	16%
Students with Disabilities	56	80%	13%	0%	51	63%	22%	2%
English Proficient	267	96%	66%	10%	239	91%	74%	14%
Limited English Proficient	11	64%	18%	0%	9	67%	44%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	137	91%	49%	6%	132	83%	60%	7%
Not Disadvantaged	141	99%	78%	14%	116	98%	87%	21%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	278	95%	64%	10%	248	90%	73%	13%

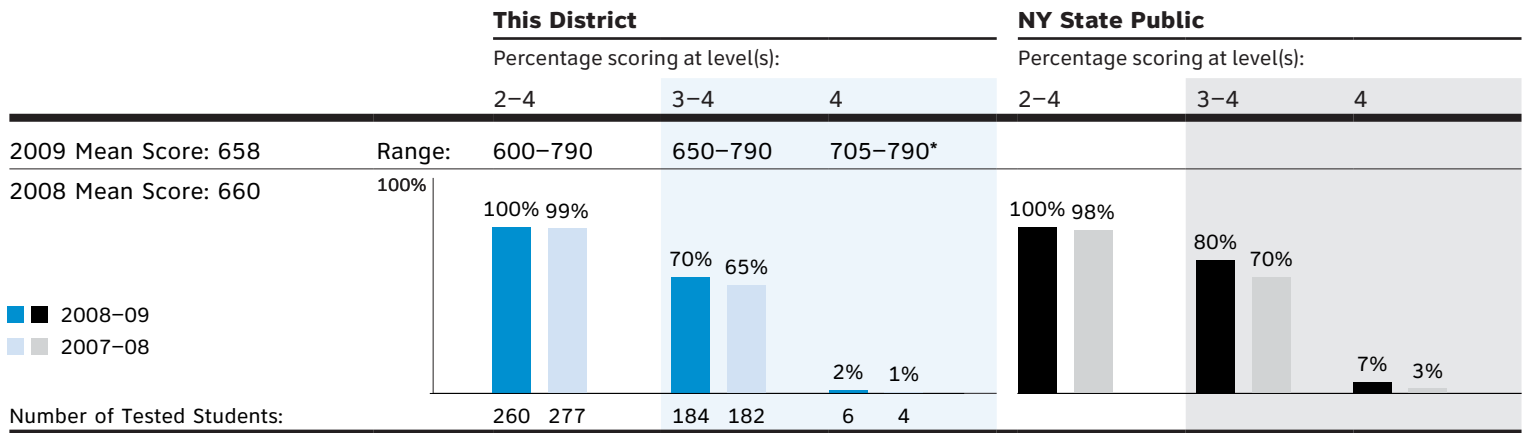
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Other Assessments

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 6 Equivalent	4	-	-	-	6	6	6	5

This District's Results in Grade 7 English Language Arts



Results by Student Group

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	261	100%	70%	2%	279	99%	65%	1%
Female	129	100%	68%	3%	123	99%	72%	2%
Male	132	99%	73%	2%	156	99%	60%	1%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	15	-	-	-	10	-	-	-
Hispanic or Latino	76	99%	53%	1%	89	98%	48%	0%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
White	168	100%	79%	2%	177	100%	76%	2%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	17	100%	65%	6%	13	100%	38%	0%
General-Education Students	203	100%	83%	3%	217	100%	77%	2%
Students with Disabilities	58	98%	26%	0%	62	97%	24%	0%
English Proficient	256	100%	71%	2%	268	99%	66%	1%
Limited English Proficient	5	80%	20%	0%	11	100%	45%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	116	99%	62%	1%	132	99%	55%	0%
Not Disadvantaged	145	100%	77%	3%	147	99%	75%	3%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	261	100%	70%	2%	279	99%	65%	1%

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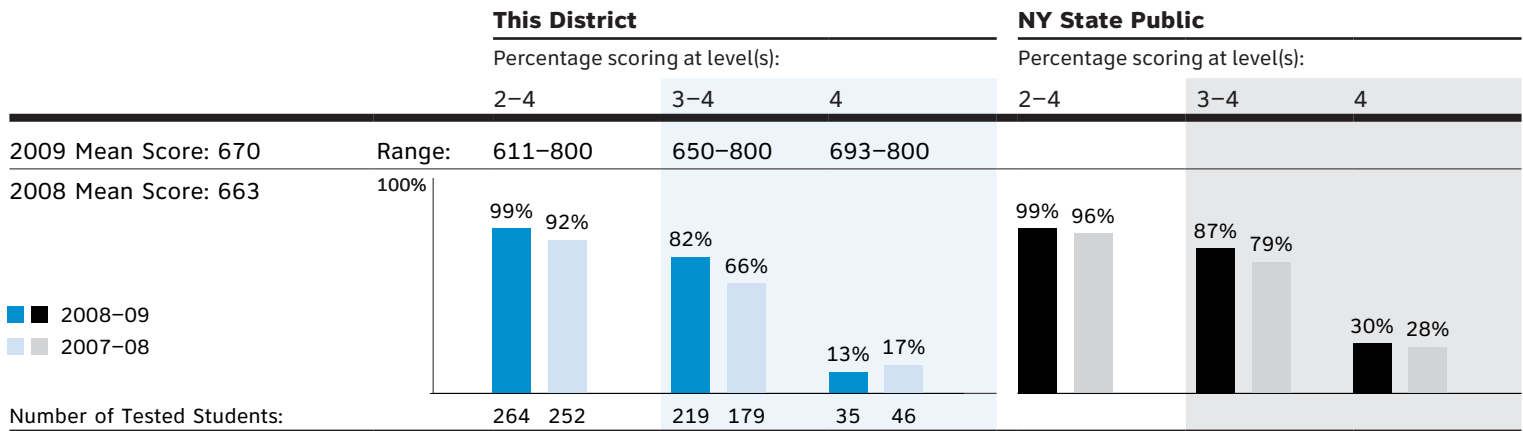
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Other Assessments

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 7 Equivalent	6	6	5	4	3	-	-	-
New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT)†: Grade 7	4	N/A	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	N/A

† These counts represent recently arrived LEP students who used the NYSESLAT to fulfill the English language arts participation requirement.

This District's Results in Grade 7 Mathematics



Results by Student Group

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	268	99%	82%	13%	273	92%	66%	17%
Female	134	97%	80%	13%	118	96%	68%	15%
Male	134	100%	84%	13%	155	90%	64%	18%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	15	-	-	-	10	-	-	-
Hispanic or Latino	82	98%	67%	6%	90	87%	43%	4%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
White	169	99%	89%	17%	170	95%	78%	25%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	17	94%	76%	12%	13	92%	54%	0%
General-Education Students	209	100%	93%	16%	210	97%	80%	22%
Students with Disabilities	59	93%	42%	2%	63	76%	19%	0%
English Proficient	259	98%	84%	14%	261	94%	68%	18%
Limited English Proficient	9	100%	22%	0%	12	50%	17%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	118	97%	71%	7%	129	91%	50%	5%
Not Disadvantaged	150	99%	90%	18%	144	94%	79%	27%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	268	99%	82%	13%	273	92%	66%	17%

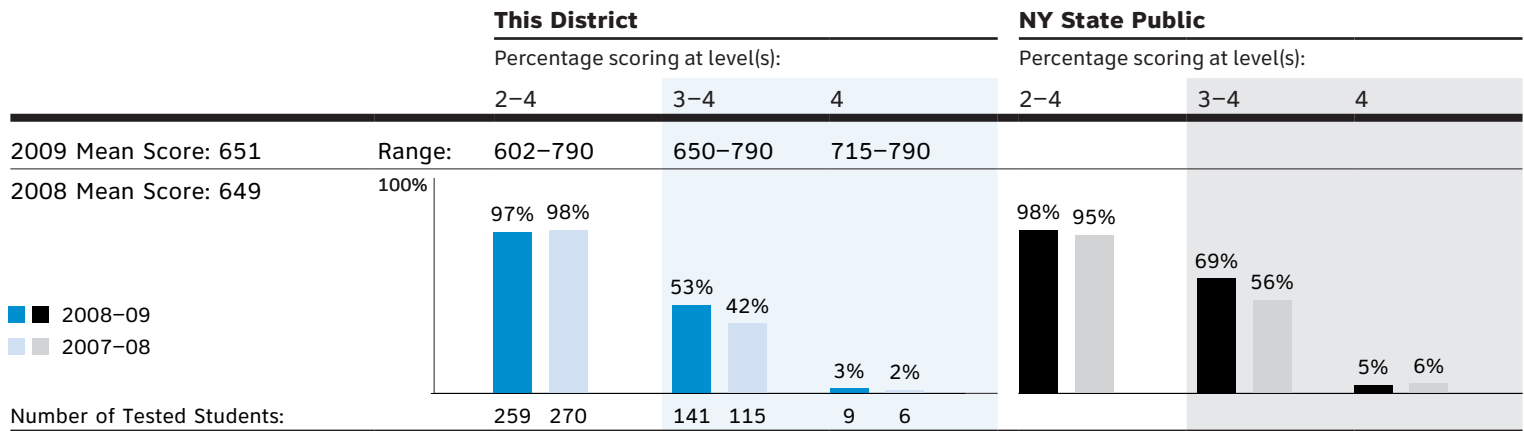
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Other Assessments

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 7 Equivalent	6	5	5	0	3	-	-	-

This District's Results in Grade 8 English Language Arts



Results by Student Group

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	267	97%	53%	3%	276	98%	42%	2%
Female	118	98%	60%	4%	132	98%	48%	3%
Male	149	96%	47%	3%	144	98%	35%	1%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	12	-	-	-	13	100%	23%	0%
Hispanic or Latino	85	93%	26%	0%	85	98%	25%	0%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	3	-	-	-				
White	167	99%	68%	5%	178	98%	51%	3%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	15	100%	40%	0%				
General-Education Students	201	100%	67%	4%	221	100%	52%	3%
Students with Disabilities	66	89%	9%	0%	55	91%	2%	0%
English Proficient	257	98%	55%	4%	265	98%	43%	2%
Limited English Proficient	10	80%	0%	0%	11	100%	0%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	108	94%	36%	0%	132	97%	26%	0%
Not Disadvantaged	159	99%	64%	6%	144	99%	56%	4%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	267	97%	53%	3%	276	98%	42%	2%

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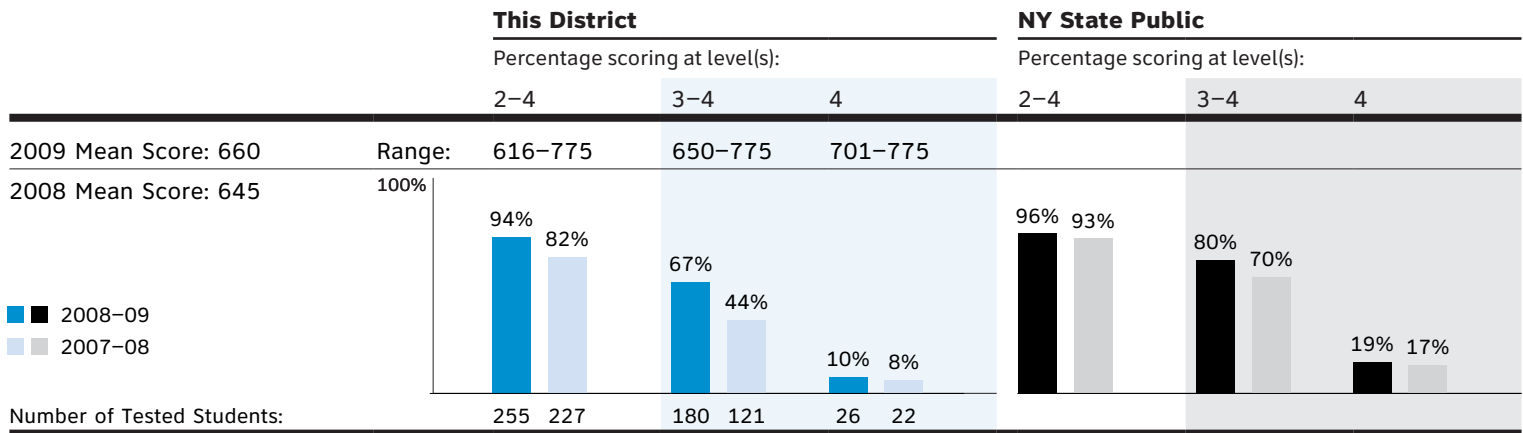
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Other Assessments

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 8 Equivalent	3	-	-	-	0			
New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT)†: Grade 8	1	N/A	N/A	N/A	1	N/A	N/A	N/A

† These counts represent recently arrived LEP students who used the NYSESLAT to fulfill the English language arts participation requirement.

This District's Results in Grade 8 Mathematics



Results by Student Group

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	270	94%	67%	10%	277	82%	44%	8%
Female	122	97%	66%	8%	131	81%	43%	6%
Male	148	93%	68%	11%	146	83%	45%	10%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	12	-	-	-	13	85%	23%	0%
Hispanic or Latino	86	91%	48%	1%	87	64%	28%	5%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	4	-	-	-				
White	168	96%	78%	15%	177	90%	53%	10%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	16	94%	50%	0%				
General-Education Students	206	100%	78%	13%	223	90%	52%	10%
Students with Disabilities	64	78%	30%	0%	54	48%	11%	0%
English Proficient	259	95%	69%	10%	264	84%	45%	8%
Limited English Proficient	11	73%	9%	0%	13	46%	8%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	108	92%	51%	3%	131	73%	29%	3%
Not Disadvantaged	162	96%	77%	14%	146	90%	57%	12%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	270	94%	67%	10%	277	82%	44%	8%

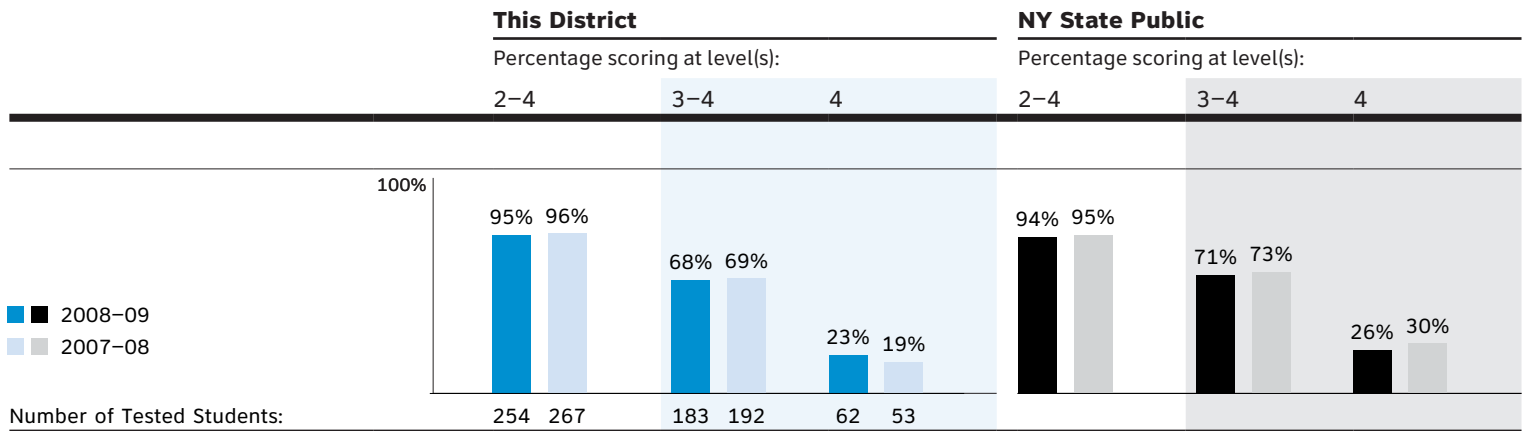
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Other Assessments

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 8 Equivalent	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	-

This District's Results in Grade 8 Science



Results by Student Group

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	268	95%	68%	23%	278	96%	69%	19%
Female	119	94%	65%	18%	129	95%	71%	16%
Male	149	95%	71%	28%	149	97%	68%	22%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	12	-	-	-	13	92%	38%	0%
Hispanic or Latino	86	91%	42%	6%	89	92%	51%	10%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	4	-	-	-				
White	166	97%	83%	34%	176	98%	81%	25%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	16	94%	63%	6%				
General-Education Students	201	100%	82%	31%	223	97%	78%	23%
Students with Disabilities	67	79%	27%	0%	55	91%	31%	2%
English Proficient	257	96%	71%	24%	265	97%	72%	20%
Limited English Proficient	11	64%	9%	0%	13	69%	15%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	106	93%	51%	8%	129	95%	55%	10%
Not Disadvantaged	162	96%	80%	33%	149	97%	81%	27%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	268	95%	68%	23%	278	96%	69%	19%

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Other Assessments

	2008-09 School Year				2007-08 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 8 Equivalent	3	-	-	-	0			
Regents Science	0				0			

This District's Total Cohort* Results in Secondary-Level English after Four Years of Instruction

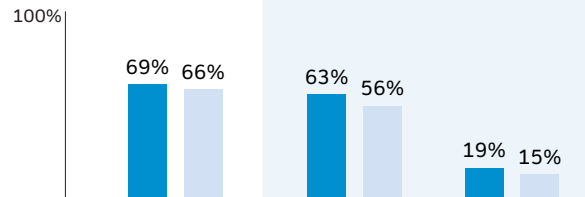
This District

Percentage scoring at level(s):

2-4

3-4

4



■ 2005 Cohort
■ 2004 Cohort

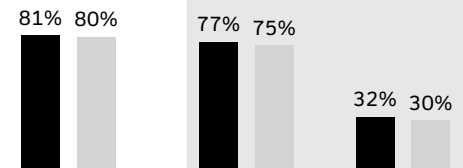
NY State Public

Percentage scoring at level(s):

2-4

3-4

4



Results by Student Group

2005 Cohort

Number of Students Percentage scoring at level(s):
2-4 3-4 4

2004 Cohort**

Number of Students Percentage scoring at level(s):
2-4 3-4 4

	2005 Cohort	2005 Cohort			2004 Cohort**	2004 Cohort**		
	Number of Students	2-4	3-4	4	Number of Students	2-4	3-4	4
All Students	284	69%	63%	19%	325	66%	56%	15%
Female	123	69%	63%	23%	156	71%	65%	19%
Male	161	68%	64%	17%	169	60%	49%	12%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	8	–	–	–	5	–	–	–
Hispanic or Latino	75	41%	33%	0%	93	43%	29%	3%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	2	–	–	–	2	–	–	–
White	199	81%	77%	28%	225	74%	67%	21%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	10	30%	20%	0%	7	86%	71%	0%
General-Education Students	241	77%	72%	23%	270	76%	67%	19%
Students with Disabilities	43	21%	14%	0%	55	16%	4%	0%
English Proficient	277	70%	65%	20%	320	66%	57%	16%
Limited English Proficient	7	0%	0%	0%	5	40%	0%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	72	51%	44%	4%	86	48%	37%	3%
Not Disadvantaged	212	75%	70%	25%	239	72%	63%	20%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	284	69%	63%	19%	325	66%	56%	15%

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Other Assessments

2005 Cohort

Number of Students Number scoring at level(s):
2-4 3-4 4

2004 Cohort

Number of Students Number scoring at level(s):
2-4 3-4 4

New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): High School Equivalent ***

* A total cohort consists of all students who first entered Grade 9 in a particular year, and all ungraded students with disabilities who reached their seventeenth birthday in that year, and were enrolled in the school/district for five months. Students are excluded from the cohort if they transferred to another school district, nonpublic school, or criminal justice facility, or left the U.S. and its territories or died before the report date. Statewide total cohort also includes students who were enrolled for fewer than five months.

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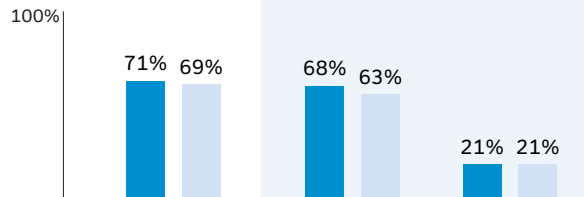
*** The majority of cohort members took an older version of the NYSAA, developed before 2007.

This District's Total Cohort* Results in Secondary-Level Mathematics after Four Years of Instruction

This District

Percentage scoring at level(s):

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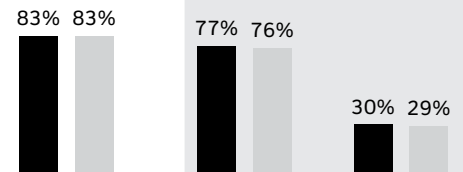


■ 2005 Cohort
■ 2004 Cohort

NY State Public

Percentage scoring at level(s):

2-4 3-4 4



Results by Student Group

2005 Cohort

Number of Students Percentage scoring at level(s):

2-4 3-4 4

2004 Cohort**

Number of Students Percentage scoring at level(s):

2-4 3-4 4

	2005 Cohort	2005 Cohort			2004 Cohort**	2004 Cohort**		
	Number of Students	2-4	3-4	4	Number of Students	2-4	3-4	4
All Students	284	71%	68%	21%	325	69%	63%	21%
Female	123	72%	68%	21%	156	74%	67%	21%
Male	161	70%	68%	20%	169	64%	59%	21%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	8	–	–	–	5	–	–	–
Hispanic or Latino	75	47%	41%	3%	93	45%	40%	8%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	2	–	–	–	2	–	–	–
White	199	82%	80%	28%	225	77%	72%	27%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	10	40%	30%	10%	7	100%	100%	14%
General-Education Students	241	80%	77%	24%	270	79%	74%	26%
Students with Disabilities	43	19%	16%	0%	55	18%	11%	0%
English Proficient	277	73%	69%	21%	320	69%	64%	22%
Limited English Proficient	7	14%	14%	0%	5	20%	20%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	72	58%	56%	10%	86	52%	47%	8%
Not Disadvantaged	212	75%	72%	25%	239	74%	69%	26%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	284	71%	68%	21%	325	69%	63%	21%

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Other Assessments

2005 Cohort

Number of Students Number scoring at level(s):

2-4 3-4 4

2004 Cohort

Number of Students Number scoring at level(s):

2-4 3-4 4

New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): High School Equivalent ***

* A total cohort consists of all students who first entered Grade 9 in a particular year, and all ungraded students with disabilities who reached their seventeenth birthday in that year, and were enrolled in the school/district for five months. Students are excluded from the cohort if they transferred to another school district, nonpublic school, or criminal justice facility, or left the U.S. and its territories or died before the report date. Statewide total cohort also includes students who were enrolled for fewer than five months.

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