



The New York State District Report Card

**Accountability
and Overview Report
2007 – 08**

District **BALLSTON SPA CENTRAL SCHOOL
DISTRICT**

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Grades **K-12, US**

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.

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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 districts in need of improvement and subject to interventions under the federal No Child Left Behind Act as well as districts requiring academic progress and subject to interventions under Commissioner's Regulations.

3 View School Accountability Status.

This section lists all schools in your district by 2008–09 accountability status.

4 Review an Overview of District Performance.

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

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

	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Pre-K	0	0	0
Kindergarten	314	304	273
Grade 1	290	318	311
Grade 2	347	290	329
Grade 3	317	363	295
Grade 4	332	316	353
Grade 5	345	334	317
Grade 6	362	351	356
Ungraded Elementary	0	0	0
Grade 7	379	365	357
Grade 8	375	357	356
Grade 9	398	413	398
Grade 10	375	364	392
Grade 11	314	340	321
Grade 12	299	314	349
Ungraded Secondary	0	2	2
Total K-12	4447	4431	4409

Average Class Size

	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Common Branch	19	19	20
Grade 8			
English	24	23	23
Mathematics	24	23	23
Science	24	23	23
Social Studies	24	23	22
Grade 10			
English	20	20	24
Mathematics	22	20	21
Science	19	25	15
Social Studies	20	20	25

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

	2005-06		2006-07		2007-08	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Eligible for Free Lunch	489	11%	509	11%	500	11%
Reduced-Price Lunch	221	5%	233	5%	235	5%
Student Stability*	N/A		N/A		N/A	
Limited English Proficient	5	0%	3	0%	2	0%
Racial/Ethnic Origin						
American Indian or Alaska Native	3	0%	4	0%	3	0%
Black or African American	88	2%	96	2%	107	2%
Hispanic or Latino	70	2%	75	2%	84	2%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	41	1%	47	1%	41	1%
White	4245	95%	4209	95%	4174	95%
Multiracial**	N/A	N/A	0	0%	0	0%

* Available only at the school level.

** Multiracial enrollment data were not collected statewide in the 2005-06 school year.

Attendance and Suspensions

	2004-05		2005-06		2006-07	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Annual Attendance Rate	95%		95%		94%	
Student Suspensions	283	6%	277	6%	302	7%

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.

Teacher Qualifications

	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Total Number of Teachers	347	332	349
Percent with No Valid Teaching Certificate	0%	0%	0%
Percent Teaching Out of Certification	1%	1%	2%
Percent with Fewer Than Three Years of Experience	8%	8%	7%
Percentage with Master's Degree Plus 30 Hours or Doctorate	20%	21%	21%
Total Number of Core Classes	1181	800	819
Percent Not Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers	1%	2%	2%
Total Number of Classes	1179	1203	1114
Percent Taught by Teachers Without Appropriate Certification	1%	1%	2%

Teacher Turnover Rate

	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
Turnover Rate of Teachers with Fewer than Five Years of Experience	13%	16%	19%
Turnover Rate of All Teachers	8%	12%	14%

Staff Counts

	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Total Other Professional Staff	46	42	30
Total Paraprofessionals*	137	122	112
Assistant Principals	4	4	7
Principals	5	5	5

* 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. The number of K-6 common branch core classes is multiplied by five so that these core class counts are weighted the same as counts for middle- and secondary-level teachers who report five classes per day. 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 2007–08, 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: www.emsc.nysed.gov/irts/accountability/home.shtml.



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 2007–08 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 2004 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 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 PI must equal or exceed the State Science Standard or the Science Progress Target in elementary/middle-level science for that group.

Secondary-Level Graduation Rate: For a school to make AYP in graduation rate, the percent of students in the 2003 graduation-rate total cohort in the All Students group earning a high school diploma by August 31, 2007 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 2003 graduation-rate total cohort earning a local diploma by August 31, 2007 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 2004 school accountability cohort consists of all students who first entered Grade 9 anywhere in the 2004–05 school year, and all ungraded students with disabilities who reached their seventeenth birthday in the 2004–05 school year, who were enrolled on October 3, 2007 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, 2008, are not included in the 2004 school accountability cohort. The 2004 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 AMO's 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:

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

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

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

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 2007–08 safe harbor targets were calculated using the following equation:

$$2006-07 \text{ PI} + (200 - \text{the } 2006-07 \text{ PI}) \times 0.10$$

Science Progress Target

The elementary/middle-level 2007–08 Science Progress Target is calculated by adding one point to the 2006–07 PI. The 2008–09 Science Progress Target is calculated by adding one point to the 2007–08 PI. The 2007–08 target is provided for groups whose PI was below the State Science Standard in 2007–08.

Science Standard

The criterion value that represents a minimally satisfactory performance in science. In 2007–08, 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: www.emsc.nysed.gov/irts/school-accountability/about.shtml.

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 (2008–09)

Good Standing

ELA	Good Standing	Science	Good Standing
Math	Good Standing	Graduation Rate	Good Standing

Title I Part A Funding

Years the District Received Title I Part A Funding

2006–07	2007–08	2008–09
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 Language Arts	Mathematics	Science	English 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						
Economically Disadvantaged						
Student groups making AYP in each subject	✗ 4 of 5	✓ 5 of 5	✓ 1 of 1	✗ 2 of 3	✗ 2 of 3	✓ 1 of 1

AYP Status

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

Accountability Status Levels

Federal	State
Good Standing	Good Standing
Improvement (Year 1)	Requiring Academic Progress (Year 1)
Improvement (Year 2)	Requiring Academic Progress (Year 2)
Improvement (Year 3)	Requiring Academic Progress (Year 3)
Improvement (Year 4)	Requiring Academic Progress (Year 4)
Improvement (Year 5 & Above)	Requiring Academic Progress (Year 5 & Above)
Pending – Requires Special Evaluation	

Elementary/Middle-Level English Language Arts

Accountability Status for This Subject (2008–09)



Good Standing

Accountability Measures

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Student groups making AYP in English language arts



Did not make AYP

Prospective Status

A district that fails to make AYP in English language arts at the elementary/middle and secondary levels for two consecutive years is placed in improvement status. If this district fails to make AYP at both the elementary/middle and secondary levels in 2008-09, the district will be District In Need of Improvement (Year 1) in 2009-10. If this district makes AYP at either the elementary/middle or secondary level in 2008-09, the district will be in good standing in 2009-10. [202]

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 2007–08	2008–09
All Students (2042:2008)	✓	✓	100%	✓	171	131		
Ethnicity								
American Indian or Alaska Native (2:2)	–	–	–	–	–	–		–
Black or African American (42:40)	✓	✓	100%	✓	133	118		
Hispanic or Latino (31:31)	✓	–	–	✓	155	116		
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (18:18)	–	–	–	–	–	–		–
White (1949:1917)	✓	✓	100%	✓	172	131		
Multiracial (0:0)								
Other Groups								
Students with Disabilities ⁴ (270:259)	✗	✓	98%	✗	97	126	101	107
Limited English Proficient ⁵ (0:0)								
Economically Disadvantaged (0:0)								
Final AYP Determination	✗ 4 of 5							

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 2007–08, the enrollment shown is the sum of 2006–07 and 2007–08 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 2007–08, data for 2006–07 and 2007–08 were combined to determine counts and PIs. For districts with 30 or more continuously enrolled students in the All Students group in 2007–08, 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 for This Subject (2008–09)



Good Standing

Accountability Measures

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Student groups making AYP in mathematics



Made AYP

Prospective Status

This district will be in good standing in 2009-10. [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 2007–08 2008–09
All Students (2030:1984)	✓	✓	100%	✓	182	100	
Ethnicity							
American Indian or Alaska Native (2:2)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Black or African American (39:36)	✓	—	—	✓	164	86	
Hispanic or Latino (31:31)	✓	—	—	✓	187	85	
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (18:18)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
White (1940:1897)	✓	✓	100%	✓	182	99	
Multiracial (0:0)							
Other Groups							
Students with Disabilities ⁴ (269:254)	✓	✓	99%	✓	117	95	
Limited English Proficient ⁵ (0:0)							
Economically Disadvantaged (0:0)							
Final AYP Determination	✓ 5 of 5						

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 2007–08, the enrollment shown is the sum of 2006–07 and 2007–08 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 2007–08, data for 2006–07 and 2007–08 were combined to determine counts and PIs. For districts with 30 or more continuously enrolled students in the All Students group in 2007–08, student groups with fewer than 30 continuously enrolled tested students are not required to meet the performance criterion.

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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 for This Subject (2008–09)



Good Standing

Accountability Measures

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Student groups making AYP in science



Made AYP

Prospective Status

This district will be in good standing in 2009-10. [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 2007–08 2008–09
All Students (718:692)	✓	Qualified	✓	99%	✓	189	100	
Ethnicity								
American Indian or Alaska Native (1:1)		–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Black or African American (14:14)		–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hispanic or Latino (9:9)		–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (6:6)		–	–	–	–	–	–	–
White (688:662)		Qualified	✓	99%	✓	190	100	
Multiracial (0:0)								
Other Groups								
Students with Disabilities (106:97)		Qualified	✓	98%	✓	148	100	
Limited English Proficient ⁴ (0:0)								
Economically Disadvantaged (0:0)								
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 2007–08, the enrollment shown is the sum of 2006–07 and 2007–08 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 2007–08, data for 2006–07 and 2007–08 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 (2008–09)



Good Standing

Accountability Measures

2 of 3

Student groups making AYP in English language arts



Did not make AYP

Prospective Status

A district that fails to make AYP in English language arts at the elementary/middle and secondary levels for two consecutive years is placed in improvement status. If this district fails to make AYP at both the elementary/middle and secondary levels in 2008-09, the district will be District In Need of Improvement (Year 1) in 2009-10. If this district makes AYP at either the elementary/middle or secondary level in 2008-09, the district will be in good standing in 2009-10. [202]

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

Student Group (12th Graders: 2004 Cohort) ¹	AYP	Participation ²		Test Performance ³		Performance Objectives	
	Status	Met Criterion	Percentage Tested	Met Criterion	Performance Index	Effective AMO	Safe Harbor Target 2007–08 2008–09
All Students (329:345)	✓	✓	99%	✓	180	159	
Ethnicity							
American Indian or Alaska Native (0:0)							
Black or African American (5:6)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hispanic or Latino (6:7)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (5:4)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
White (313:328)	✓	✓	99%	✓	181	159	
Multiracial (0:0)							
Other Groups							
Students with Disabilities (29:48)	✗	–	–	✗	104	151	124# 114
Limited English Proficient ⁴ (0:0)							
Economically Disadvantaged (0:0)							
Final AYP Determination	✗ 2 of 3						

NOTES

¹ These data show the count of 12th graders in 2007–08 (used for Participation) followed by the count of students in the 2004 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 2007–08, the enrollment shown is the sum of 2006–07 and 2007–08 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 2004 cohort, data for 2003 and 2004 cohort members were combined to determine counts and PIs. For districts with 30 or more students in the 2004 cohort in the All Students group, groups with fewer than 30 students in the 2004 cohort are not required to meet the performance criterion.

⁴ 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 for This Subject (2008–09)



Good Standing

Accountability Measures

2 of 3

Student groups making AYP in mathematics



Did not make AYP

Prospective Status

This district will be in good standing in 2009-10. [201]

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

Student Group (12th Graders: 2004 Cohort) ¹	AYP	Participation ²		Test Performance ³		Performance Objectives	
	Status	Met Criterion	Percentage Tested	Met Criterion	Performance Index	Effective AMO	Safe Harbor Target 2007–08 2008–09
All Students (329:345)	✓	✓	100%	✓	187	153	
Ethnicity							
American Indian or Alaska Native (0:0)							
Black or African American (5:6)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hispanic or Latino (6:7)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (5:4)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
White (313:328)	✓	✓	100%	✓	188	153	
Multiracial (0:0)							
Other Groups							
Students with Disabilities (29:48)	✗	–	–	✗	125	145	145 [‡] 133
Limited English Proficient ⁴ (0:0)							
Economically Disadvantaged (0:0)							
Final AYP Determination	✗ 2 of 3						

NOTES

¹ These data show the count of 12th graders in 2007–08 (used for Participation) followed by the count of students in the 2004 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 2007–08, the enrollment shown is the sum of 2006–07 and 2007–08 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 2004 cohort, data for 2003 and 2004 cohort members were combined to determine counts and PIs. For districts with 30 or more students in the 2004 cohort in the All Students group, groups with fewer than 30 students in the 2004 cohort are not required to meet the performance criterion.

⁴ 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
(2008–09)

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

Prospective Status This district will be in good standing in 2009-10. [201]

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

Student Group (Cohort Count) ¹	Graduation		Objectives		
	AYP	Met Criterion	Graduation Rate ²	State Standard	Progress Target 2007–08 2008–09
All Students (295)			79%	55%	
Ethnicity					
American Indian or Alaska Native (1)		–	–	–	
Black or African American (4)		–	–	–	
Hispanic or Latino (2)		–	–	–	
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (2)		–	–	–	
White (286)			80%	55%	
Multiracial (0)					
Other Groups					
Students with Disabilities (47)			51%	55%	55% 52%
Limited English Proficient ³ (0)					
Economically Disadvantaged (39)			51%	55%	55% 52%
Final AYP Determination		1 of 1			

NOTES

¹ Graduation-rate total cohort differs from the accountability cohort in that the graduation-rate total cohort includes students who left school prior to BEDS day of the fourth year after first entering grade 9 and students who enrolled after BEDS day of the fourth year after first entering grade 9.

² Percentage of the 2003 cohort that earned a local or Regents diploma by August 31, 2007.

³ 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 2003 graduation-rate total cohort members earning a local or Regents diploma by August 31, 2007 for the “All Students” group must equal or exceed the Graduation-Rate Standard or the Graduation-Rate Progress Target for 2007–08.

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 2003 cohort is 55 percent. The Commissioner may raise the Graduation-Rate Standard at his discretion in future years.

The 2007–08 Graduation-Rate Progress Target is calculated by adding one point to the percentage of the 2002 cohort earning a local or Regents diploma by August 31, 2006. 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. This target is provided for each group whose percentage earning a local or Regents diploma by August 31, 2007 is below the Graduation-Rate Standard in 2007–08 (55%). Groups with fewer than 30 cohort members are not subject to this criterion.

3 School Accountability Status

District **BALLSTON SPA CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **52-13-01-06-0000**

2008–09 Accountability Status of Schools in Your District

This section lists all schools in your district by 2008–09 accountability status.

Federal Title I Status

Good Standing

2 schools identified 40% of total

BALLSTON SPA MIDDLE SCHOOL
WOOD ROAD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

New York State Status

Good Standing

3 schools identified 60% of total

BALLSTON SPA SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
MALTA AVENUE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
MILTON TERRACE SOUTH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

District **BALLSTON SPA CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**District ID **52-13-01-06-0000**

Summary of 2007–08 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.

English Language Arts	Percentage of students that scored at or above Level 3			Total Tested
	0%	50%	100%	
Grade 3	69%			284
Grade 4	73%			350
Grade 5	81%			315
Grade 6	68%			355
Grade 7	84%			353
Grade 8	68%			357

Mathematics

Grade 3	90%		281
Grade 4	79%		348
Grade 5	82%		316
Grade 6	85%		351
Grade 7	92%		350
Grade 8	82%		356

Science

Grade 4	88%		348
Grade 8	90%		282

Secondary Level	Percentage of students that scored at or above Level 3			2004 Total Cohort
	0%	50%	100%	
English	82%			370
Mathematics	86%			370

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.

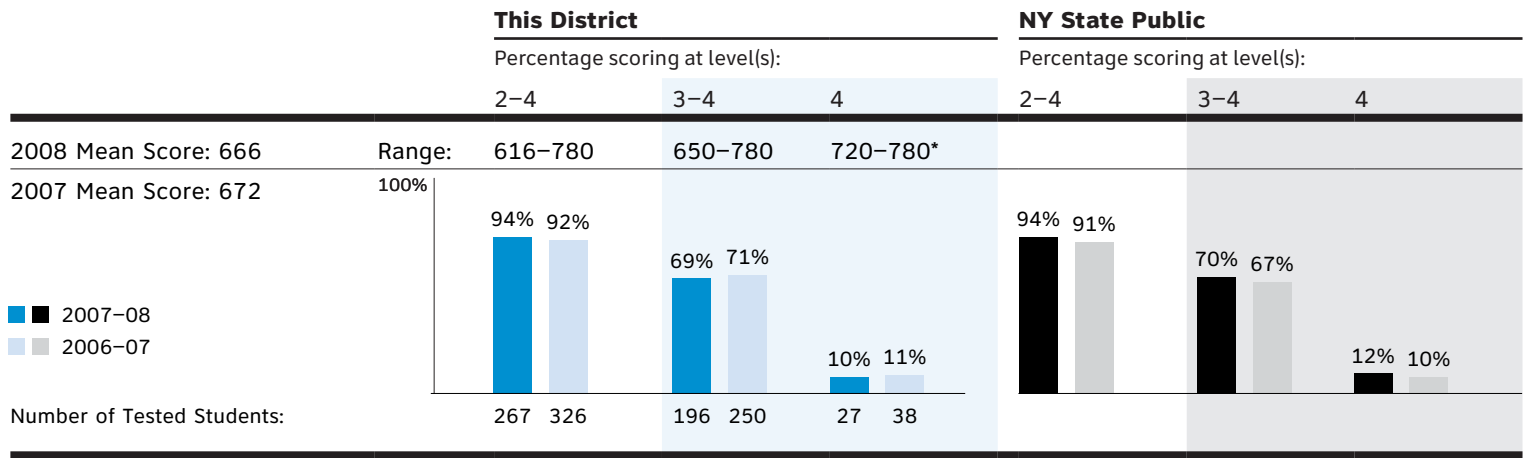
In this section, this district's performance is compared with that of public schools statewide.

This District's N/RC Category:

Average Need Districts

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

This District's Results in Grade 3 English Language Arts



Results by Student Group

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	284	94%	69%	10%	353	92%	71%	11%
Female	144	94%	66%	10%	166	97%	78%	12%
Male	140	94%	72%	9%	187	88%	65%	10%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	6	—	—	—	10	80%	70%	0%
Hispanic or Latino	2	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other								
Pacific Islander	1	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
White	275	95%	70%	10%	338	93%	71%	11%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	9	78%	44%	0%	5	100%	60%	0%
General-Education Students	247	98%	77%	11%	319	98%	76%	12%
Students with Disabilities	37	65%	19%	3%	34	41%	18%	0%
English Proficient	284	94%	69%	10%	353	92%	71%	11%
Limited English Proficient								
Economically Disadvantaged					83	86%	51%	1%
Not Disadvantaged	284	94%	69%	10%	270	94%	77%	14%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	284	94%	69%	10%	353	92%	71%	11%

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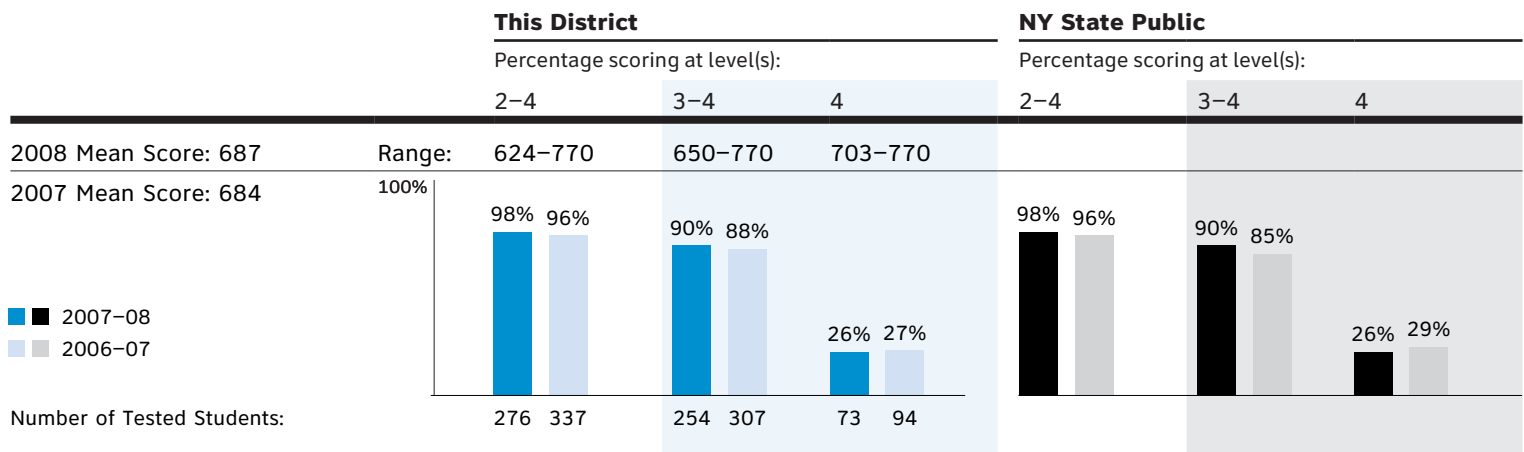
* Level 4 range is for 2007-08 only. The 2006-07 range is 730-780.

Other Assessments

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	5	5	5	4	6	6	6	4
New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT): Grade 3	0	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 3 Mathematics



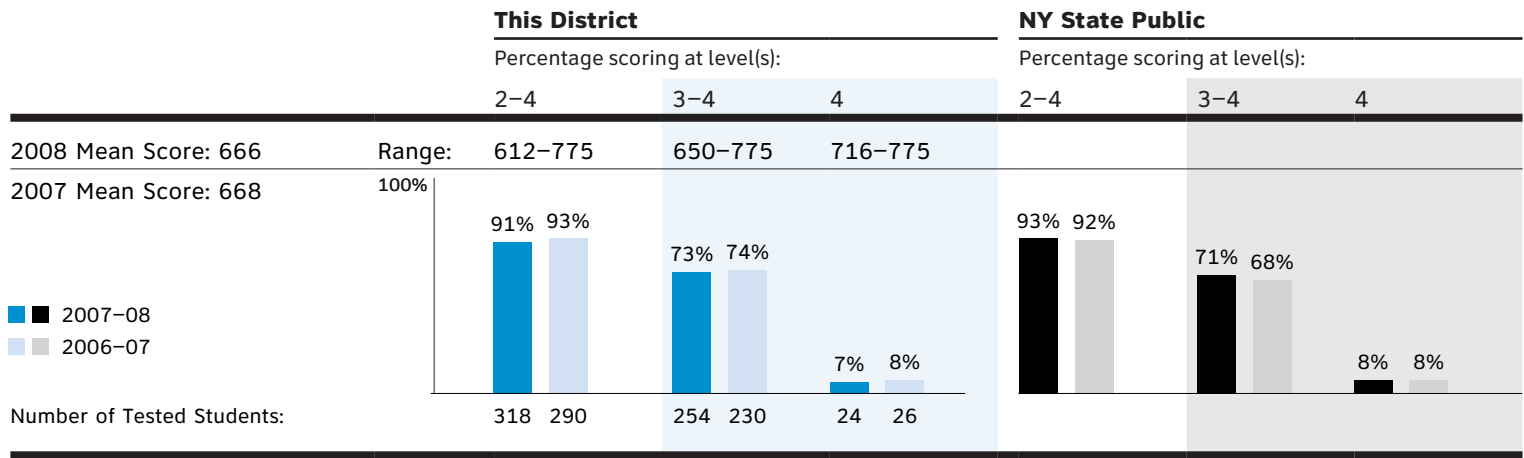
Results by Student Group	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	281	98%	90%	26%	350	96%	88%	27%
Female	143	98%	91%	27%	164	97%	88%	29%
Male	138	99%	90%	25%	186	96%	87%	25%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	6	—	—	—	10	90%	90%	0%
Hispanic or Latino	2	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other								
Pacific Islander	1	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
White	272	98%	90%	26%	335	96%	87%	28%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	9	100%	100%	11%	5	100%	100%	0%
General-Education Students	246	100%	96%	30%	313	100%	93%	30%
Students with Disabilities	35	89%	54%	0%	37	68%	46%	0%
English Proficient	281	98%	90%	26%	350	96%	88%	27%
Limited English Proficient								
Economically Disadvantaged					82	93%	76%	10%
Not Disadvantaged	281	98%	90%	26%	268	97%	91%	32%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	281	98%	90%	26%	350	96%	88%	27%

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Other Assessments	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	5	5	4	3	6	6	5	3

This District's Results in Grade 4 English Language Arts



Results by Student Group

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	350	91%	73%	7%	311	93%	74%	8%
Female	165	96%	82%	12%	145	96%	80%	8%
Male	185	86%	64%	2%	166	91%	69%	8%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	10	—	—	—	5	100%	60%	0%
Hispanic or Latino	1	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other								
Pacific Islander	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
White	336	91%	74%	7%	300	93%	74%	9%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	14	86%	43%	0%	6	100%	100%	0%
General-Education Students	306	98%	81%	8%	271	98%	82%	10%
Students with Disabilities	44	41%	11%	0%	40	60%	20%	0%
English Proficient	350	91%	73%	7%	311	93%	74%	8%
Limited English Proficient								
Economically Disadvantaged					84	90%	61%	1%
Not Disadvantaged	350	91%	73%	7%	227	94%	79%	11%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	350	91%	73%	7%	311	93%	74%	8%

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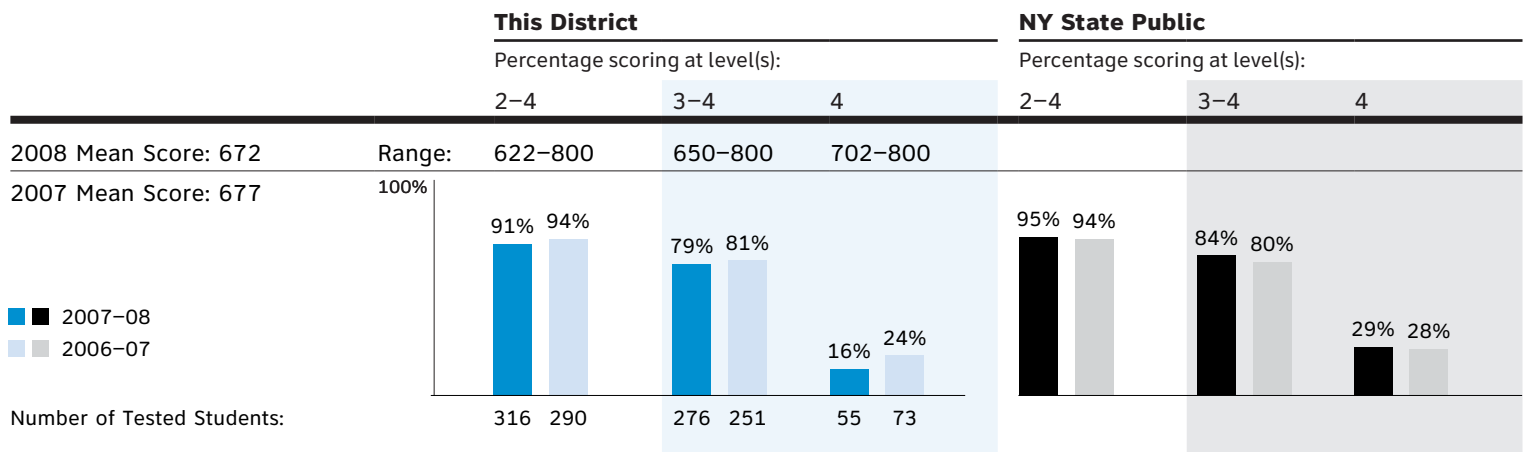
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Other Assessments

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	6	6	5	1	1	—	—	—
New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT)†: Grade 4	0	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 4 Mathematics



Results by Student Group

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	348	91%	79%	16%	310	94%	81%	24%
Female	164	93%	82%	13%	144	96%	84%	19%
Male	184	89%	77%	18%	166	92%	78%	27%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	9	-	-	-	4	-	-	-
Hispanic or Latino	1	-	-	-	4	-	-	-
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other								
Pacific Islander	3	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
White	335	91%	80%	16%	299	93%	81%	24%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	13	77%	62%	8%	11	100%	82%	9%
General-Education Students	304	97%	87%	18%	271	99%	89%	27%
Students with Disabilities	44	48%	30%	2%	39	54%	26%	0%
English Proficient	348	91%	79%	16%	310	94%	81%	24%
Limited English Proficient								
Economically Disadvantaged					82	89%	73%	9%
Not Disadvantaged	348	91%	79%	16%	228	95%	84%	29%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	348	91%	79%	16%	310	94%	81%	24%

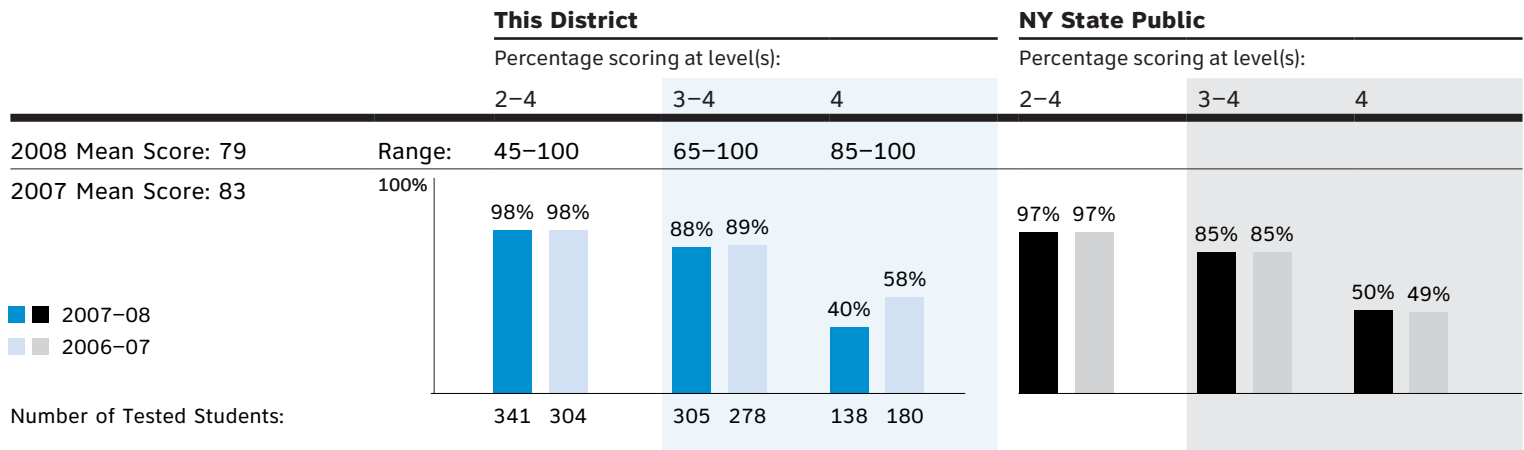
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Other Assessments

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	6	6	4	1	1	-	-	-

This District's Results in Grade 4 Science



Results by Student Group

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	348	98%	88%	40%	311	98%	89%	58%
Female	165	98%	90%	35%	146	98%	90%	59%
Male	183	98%	85%	44%	165	98%	88%	57%
American Indian or Alaska Native								
Black or African American	9	—	—	—	4	—	—	—
Hispanic or Latino	1	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other								
Pacific Islander	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
White	335	98%	88%	41%	301	98%	89%	58%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	13	100%	69%	8%	10	100%	90%	50%
General-Education Students	305	99%	93%	44%	272	99%	95%	64%
Students with Disabilities	43	88%	47%	7%	39	87%	51%	13%
English Proficient	348	98%	88%	40%	311	98%	89%	58%
Limited English Proficient								
Economically Disadvantaged					82	96%	84%	43%
Not Disadvantaged	348	98%	88%	40%	229	98%	91%	63%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	348	98%	88%	40%	311	98%	89%	58%

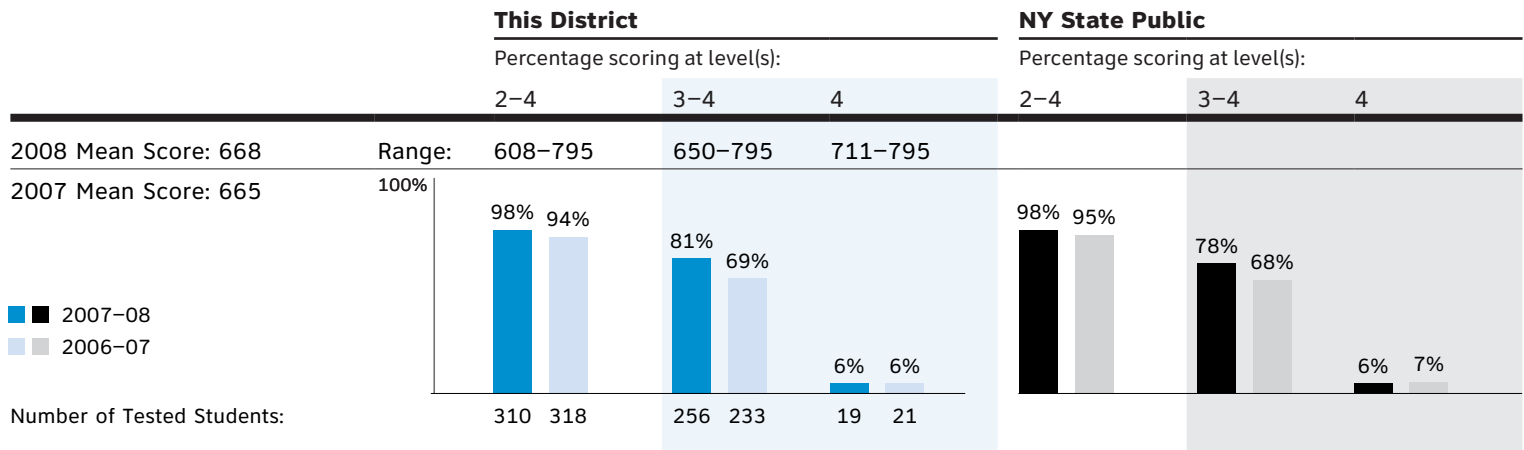
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Other Assessments

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	6	6	6	2	1	—	—	—

This District's Results in Grade 5 English Language Arts



Results by Student Group

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	315	98%	81%	6%	338	94%	69%	6%
Female	148	99%	86%	5%	158	96%	71%	8%
Male	167	98%	77%	7%	180	92%	67%	4%
American Indian or Alaska Native					1	—	—	—
Black or African American	4	—	—	—	8	88%	25%	0%
Hispanic or Latino	3	—	—	—	10	80%	60%	0%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other								
Pacific Islander	3	—	—	—	4	—	—	—
White	305	98%	81%	6%	315	95%	70%	6%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	10	100%	80%	0%	5	100%	60%	40%
General-Education Students	275	100%	91%	7%	295	99%	77%	7%
Students with Disabilities	40	88%	18%	0%	43	63%	16%	0%
English Proficient	315	98%	81%	6%	338	94%	69%	6%
Limited English Proficient								
Economically Disadvantaged					84	85%	40%	1%
Not Disadvantaged	315	98%	81%	6%	254	97%	78%	8%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	315	98%	81%	6%	338	94%	69%	6%

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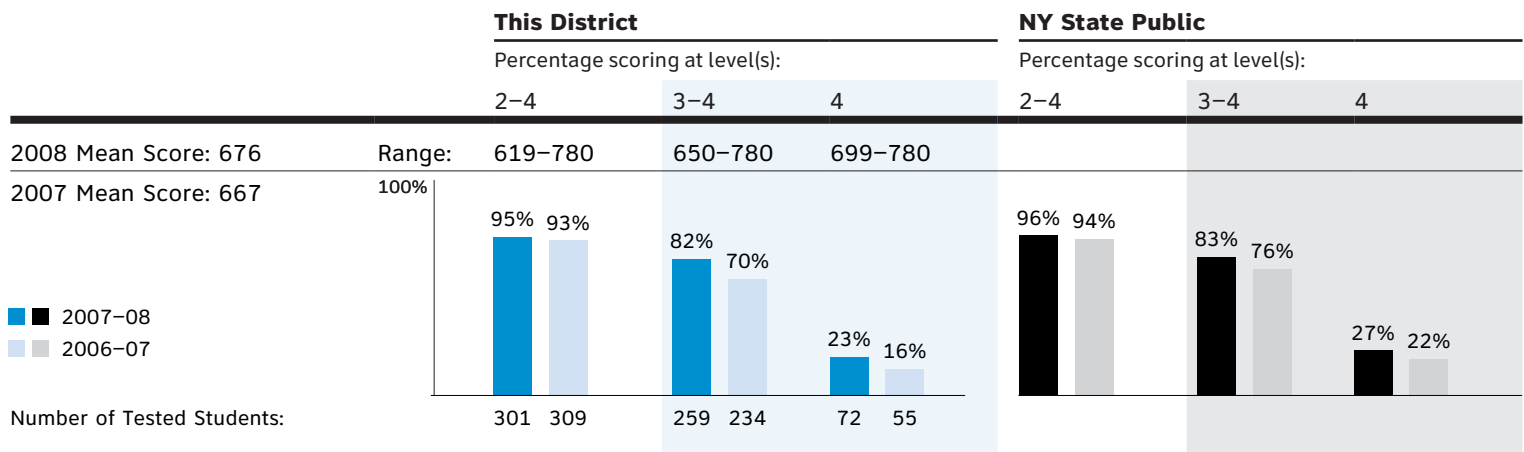
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Other Assessments

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT)†: Grade 5	0	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

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	316	95%	82%	23%	334	93%	70%	16%
Female	149	96%	84%	20%	156	92%	68%	17%
Male	167	95%	80%	25%	178	93%	72%	16%
American Indian or Alaska Native					1	-	-	-
Black or African American	4	-	-	-	9	89%	33%	0%
Hispanic or Latino	3	-	-	-	11	82%	45%	0%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other								
Pacific Islander	3	-	-	-	4	-	-	-
White	306	95%	81%	23%	309	93%	72%	17%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	10	100%	100%	30%	5	80%	80%	20%
General-Education Students	276	99%	89%	26%	294	96%	75%	18%
Students with Disabilities	40	70%	30%	0%	40	70%	33%	5%
English Proficient	316	95%	82%	23%	333	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient					1	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged					84	82%	48%	6%
Not Disadvantaged	316	95%	82%	23%	250	96%	78%	20%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	316	95%	82%	23%	334	93%	70%	16%

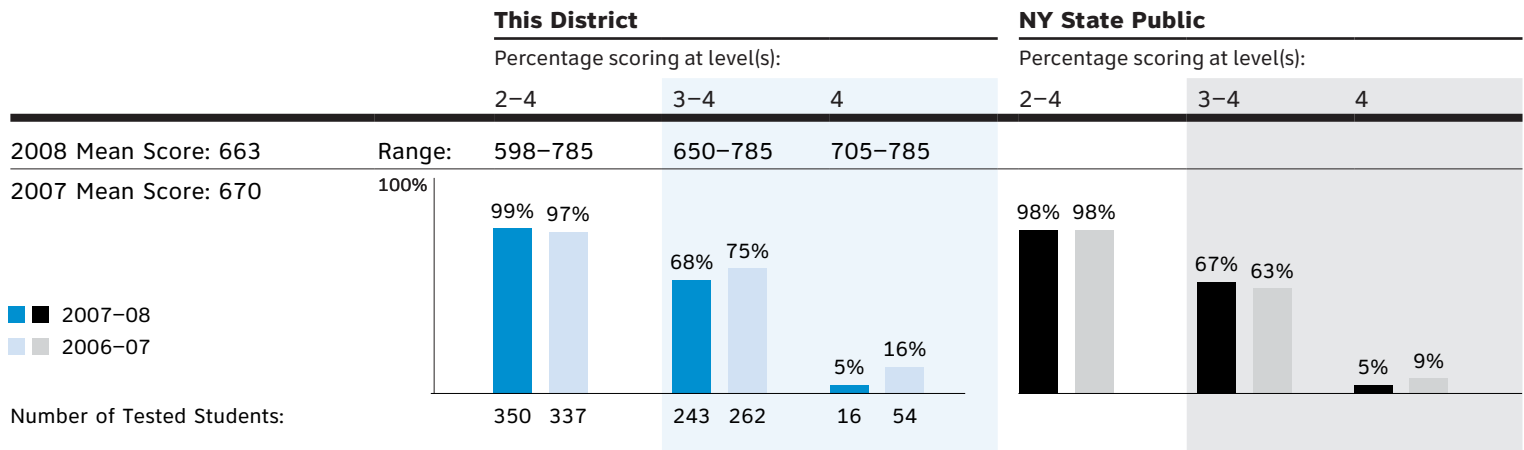
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Other Assessments

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-

This District's Results in Grade 6 English Language Arts



Results by Student Group

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	355	99%	68%	5%	348	97%	75%	16%
Female	167	100%	75%	8%	170	99%	80%	21%
Male	188	97%	62%	2%	178	95%	71%	11%
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	—	—	—				
Black or African American	11	—	—	—	6	100%	33%	0%
Hispanic or Latino	11	100%	45%	0%	4	—	—	—
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other								
Pacific Islander	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
White	329	99%	70%	5%	335	97%	76%	16%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	15	93%	47%	7%	7	100%	57%	14%
General-Education Students	315	100%	76%	5%	316	99%	81%	17%
Students with Disabilities	40	90%	13%	0%	32	72%	16%	0%
English Proficient	355	99%	68%	5%	347	—	—	—
Limited English Proficient					1	—	—	—
Economically Disadvantaged					59	86%	34%	3%
Not Disadvantaged	355	99%	68%	5%	289	99%	84%	18%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	355	99%	68%	5%	348	97%	75%	16%

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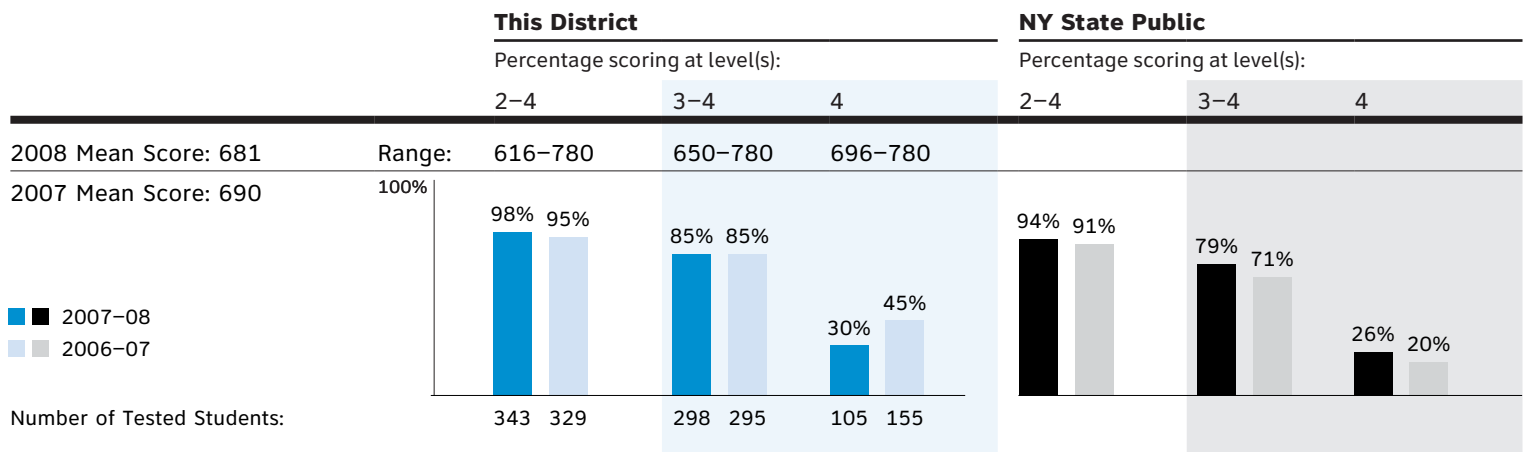
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Other Assessments

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT)†: Grade 6	0	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 6 Mathematics



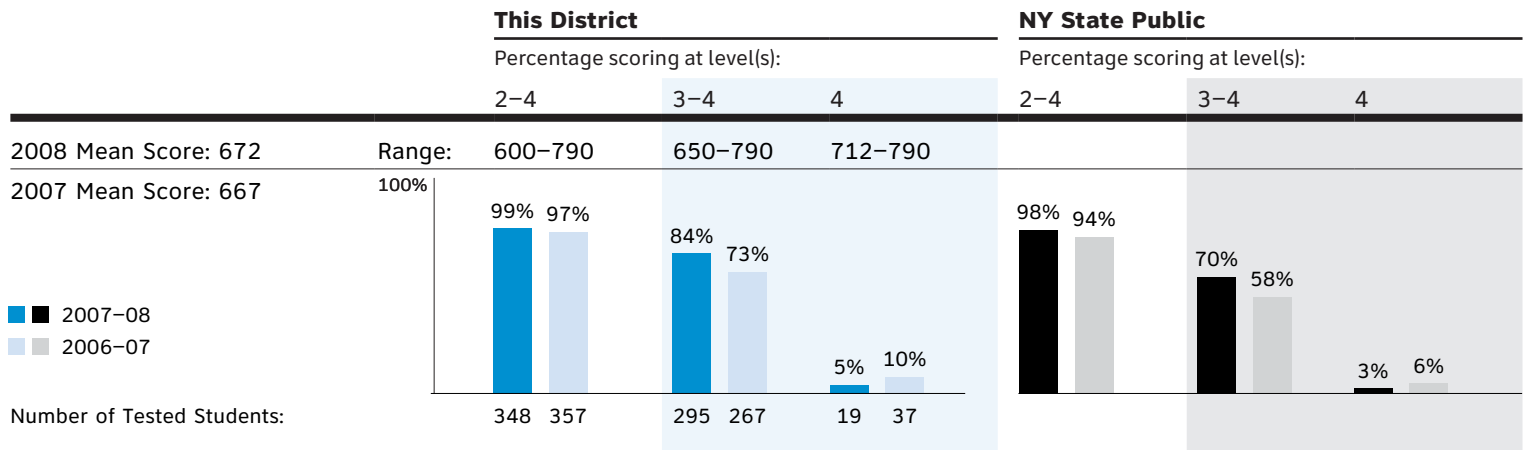
Results by Student Group	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	351	98%	85%	30%	346	95%	85%	45%
Female	165	99%	90%	29%	169	97%	85%	43%
Male	186	96%	80%	31%	177	93%	85%	47%
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	—	—	—				
Black or African American	8	—	—	—	6	100%	67%	17%
Hispanic or Latino	11	100%	82%	0%	4	—	—	—
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other								
Pacific Islander	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
White	328	98%	86%	32%	333	95%	86%	46%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	12	100%	67%	0%	7	100%	86%	29%
General-Education Students	311	100%	91%	33%	315	99%	91%	49%
Students with Disabilities	40	83%	38%	5%	31	55%	23%	3%
English Proficient	351	98%	85%	30%	345	—	—	—
Limited English Proficient					1	—	—	—
Economically Disadvantaged					58	84%	62%	12%
Not Disadvantaged	351	98%	85%	30%	288	97%	90%	51%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	351	98%	85%	30%	346	95%	85%	45%

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Other Assessments	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—

This District's Results in Grade 7 English Language Arts



Results by Student Group

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	353	99%	84%	5%	368	97%	73%	10%
Female	173	99%	90%	6%	169	98%	75%	11%
Male	180	98%	77%	4%	199	96%	71%	10%
American Indian or Alaska Native					1	—	—	—
Black or African American	6	100%	33%	0%	5	80%	60%	0%
Hispanic or Latino	6	100%	33%	17%	10	100%	50%	0%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	5	100%	80%	0%	4	—	—	—
White	336	99%	85%	5%	348	97%	74%	11%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals					5	80%	60%	0%
General-Education Students	318	100%	91%	6%	318	99%	80%	12%
Students with Disabilities	35	86%	17%	0%	50	82%	24%	0%
English Proficient	353	99%	84%	5%	368	97%	73%	10%
Limited English Proficient								
Economically Disadvantaged					74	91%	49%	3%
Not Disadvantaged	353	99%	84%	5%	294	99%	79%	12%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	353	99%	84%	5%	368	97%	73%	10%

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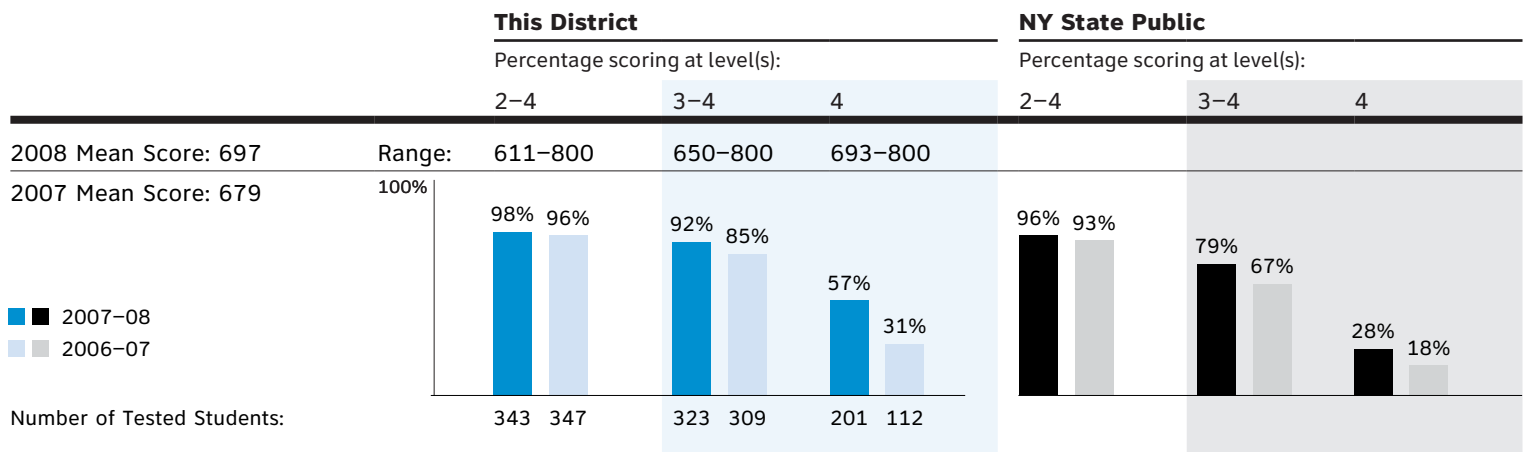
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Other Assessments

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	2	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT): Grade 7	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	N/A

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This District's Results in Grade 7 Mathematics



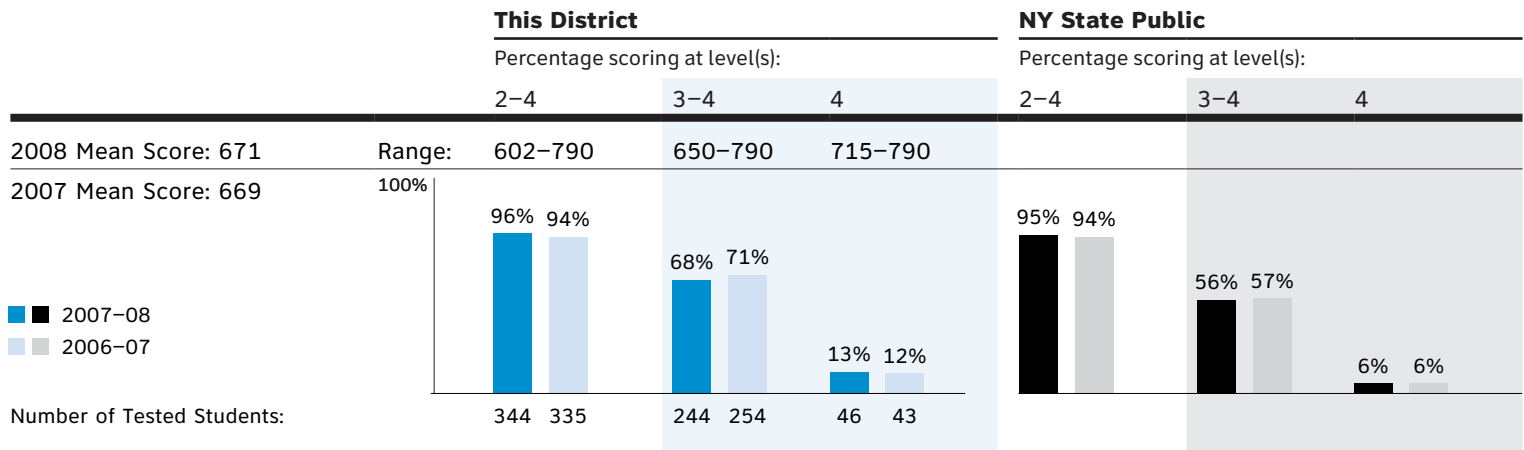
Results by Student Group	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	350	98%	92%	57%	362	96%	85%	31%
Female	171	99%	95%	61%	164	98%	87%	30%
Male	179	97%	90%	54%	198	94%	84%	31%
American Indian or Alaska Native					1	—	—	—
Black or African American	6	100%	67%	0%	5	100%	60%	20%
Hispanic or Latino	6	100%	83%	17%	10	100%	60%	20%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	5	80%	80%	40%	4	—	—	—
White	333	98%	93%	59%	342	96%	87%	31%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals					5	80%	80%	40%
General-Education Students	315	100%	98%	63%	313	99%	93%	35%
Students with Disabilities	35	83%	37%	3%	49	73%	37%	2%
English Proficient	350	98%	92%	57%	362	96%	85%	31%
Limited English Proficient								
Economically Disadvantaged					73	90%	70%	7%
Not Disadvantaged	350	98%	92%	57%	289	97%	89%	37%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	350	98%	92%	57%	362	96%	85%	31%

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Other Assessments	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	2	—	—	—	3	—	—	—

This District's Results in Grade 8 English Language Arts



Results by Student Group

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	357	96%	68%	13%	357	94%	71%	12%
Female	161	98%	79%	17%	164	97%	79%	13%
Male	196	95%	60%	9%	193	91%	65%	11%
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	—	—	—				
Black or African American	5	—	—	—	9	100%	56%	22%
Hispanic or Latino	7	100%	86%	0%	8	—	—	—
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other								
Pacific Islander	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
White	341	97%	68%	13%	339	94%	71%	12%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	9	78%	56%	0%	9	100%	89%	11%
General-Education Students	308	99%	77%	15%	309	100%	81%	14%
Students with Disabilities	49	78%	16%	0%	48	56%	8%	0%
English Proficient	357	96%	68%	13%	357	94%	71%	12%
Limited English Proficient								
Economically Disadvantaged					69	78%	41%	3%
Not Disadvantaged	357	96%	68%	13%	288	98%	78%	14%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	357	96%	68%	13%	357	94%	71%	12%

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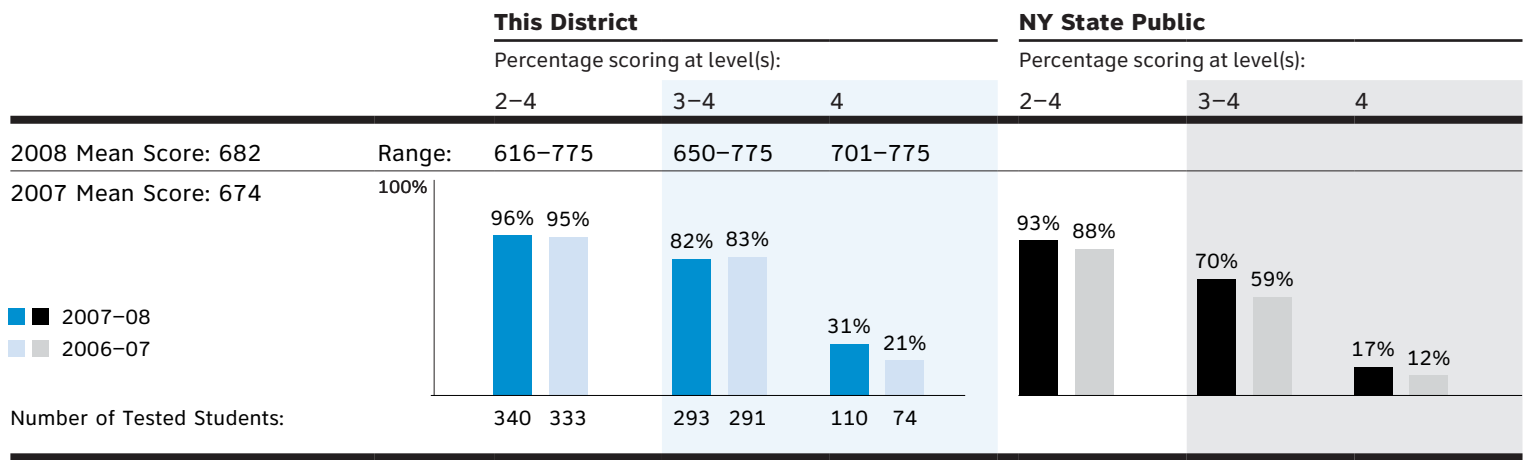
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Other Assessments

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	—	—	—	5	5	5	5
New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT)†: Grade 8	0	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 8 Mathematics



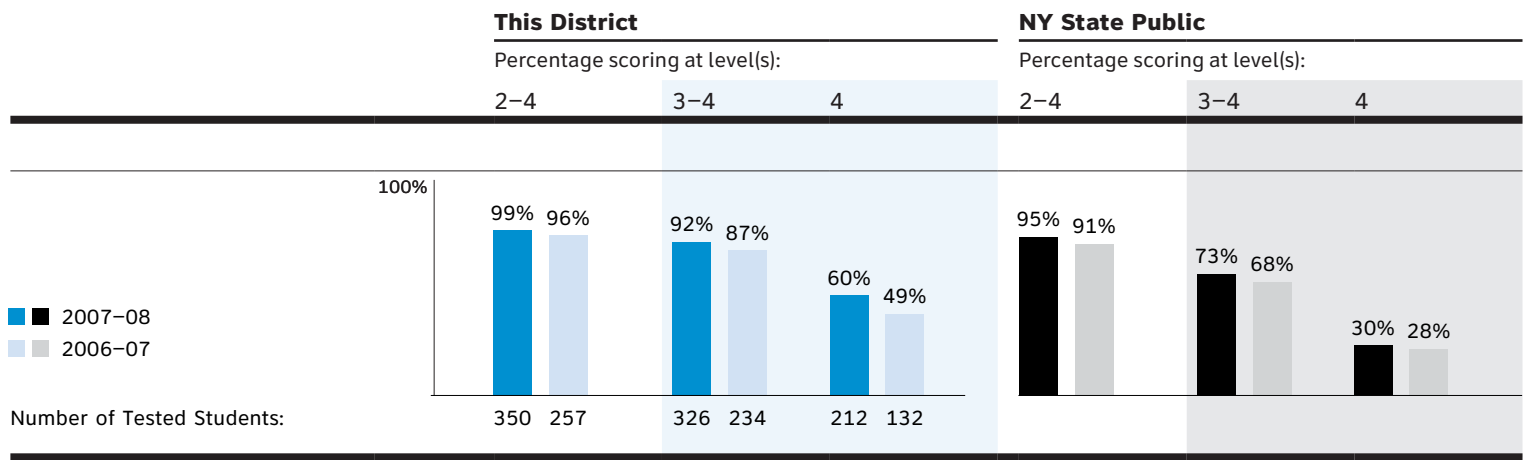
Results by Student Group	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 School Year			
	Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
All Students	356	96%	82%	31%	351	95%	83%	21%
Female	159	96%	86%	35%	162	96%	85%	21%
Male	197	95%	79%	28%	189	94%	81%	21%
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	—	—	—				
Black or African American	5	—	—	—	9	100%	67%	11%
Hispanic or Latino	7	100%	86%	43%	8	—	—	—
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
White	340	96%	83%	31%	333	95%	83%	21%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	9	89%	56%	22%	9	100%	100%	22%
General-Education Students	305	100%	91%	36%	304	100%	91%	24%
Students with Disabilities	51	71%	31%	2%	47	64%	28%	4%
English Proficient	356	96%	82%	31%	351	95%	83%	21%
Limited English Proficient								
Economically Disadvantaged					68	82%	54%	1%
Not Disadvantaged	356	96%	82%	31%	283	98%	90%	26%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	356	96%	82%	31%	351	95%	83%	21%

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Other Assessments	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	—	—	—	5	5	4	4

This District's Results in Grade 8 Science



Results by Student Group

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	282	98%	90%	52%	268	96%	87%	49%
Female	120	98%	90%	50%	122	97%	88%	47%
Male	162	99%	90%	54%	146	95%	87%	51%
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	—	—	—				
Black or African American	5	—	—	—	8	100%	63%	38%
Hispanic or Latino	6	100%	100%	50%	7	—	—	—
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
White	269	99%	90%	54%	252	96%	88%	49%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	7	86%	57%	14%	8	100%	100%	75%
General-Education Students	230	100%	98%	61%	225	100%	97%	58%
Students with Disabilities	52	90%	54%	15%	43	74%	37%	5%
English Proficient	282	98%	90%	52%	268	96%	87%	49%
Limited English Proficient								
Economically Disadvantaged					64	86%	66%	28%
Not Disadvantaged	282	98%	90%	52%	204	99%	94%	56%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	282	98%	90%	52%	268	96%	87%	49%

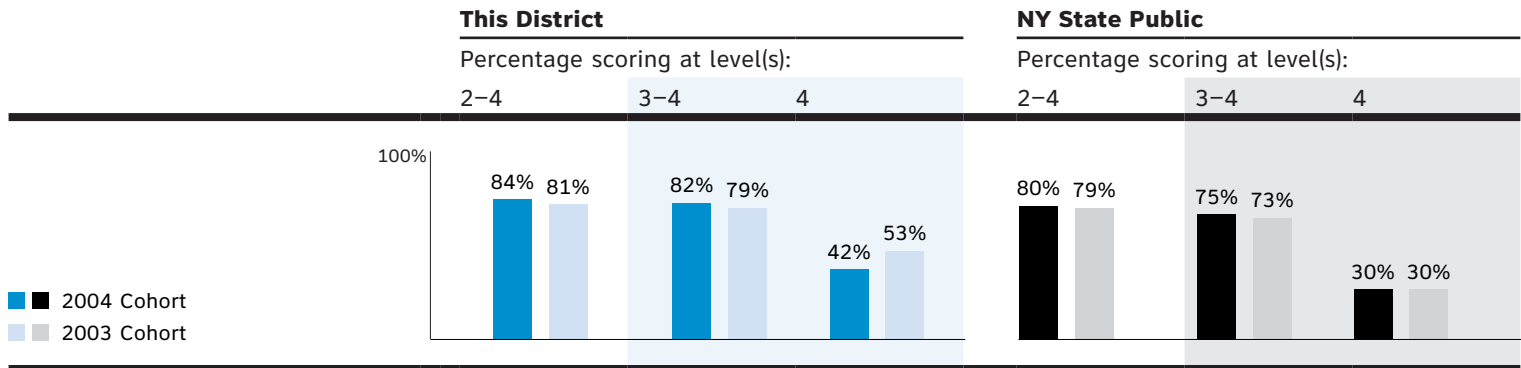
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Other Assessments

	2007-08 School Year				2006-07 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	—	—	—	5	5	5	5
Regents Science	73	73	73	64	0			

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



Results by Student Group

Results by Student Group	2004 Cohort				2003 Cohort**			
	Number of Students	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Number of Students	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2–4	3–4	4		2–4	3–4	4
All Students	370	84%	82%	42%	298	81%	79%	53%
Female	197	87%	85%	45%	156	84%	83%	54%
Male	173	81%	77%	38%	142	78%	74%	53%
American Indian or Alaska Native					1	–	–	–
Black or African American	8	50%	25%	13%	4	–	–	–
Hispanic or Latino	7	–	–	–	2	–	–	–
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	4	–	–	–	2	–	–	–
White	351	84%	83%	43%	289	82%	80%	54%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	11	100%	91%	36%	9	56%	44%	22%
General-Education Students	321	91%	89%	48%	251	88%	87%	62%
Students with Disabilities	49	41%	33%	0%	47	45%	34%	6%
English Proficient	370	84%	82%	42%	298	81%	79%	53%
Limited English Proficient								
Economically Disadvantaged	6	0%	0%	0%	42	50%	45%	17%
Not Disadvantaged	364	85%	83%	43%	256	86%	84%	59%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	370	84%	82%	42%				

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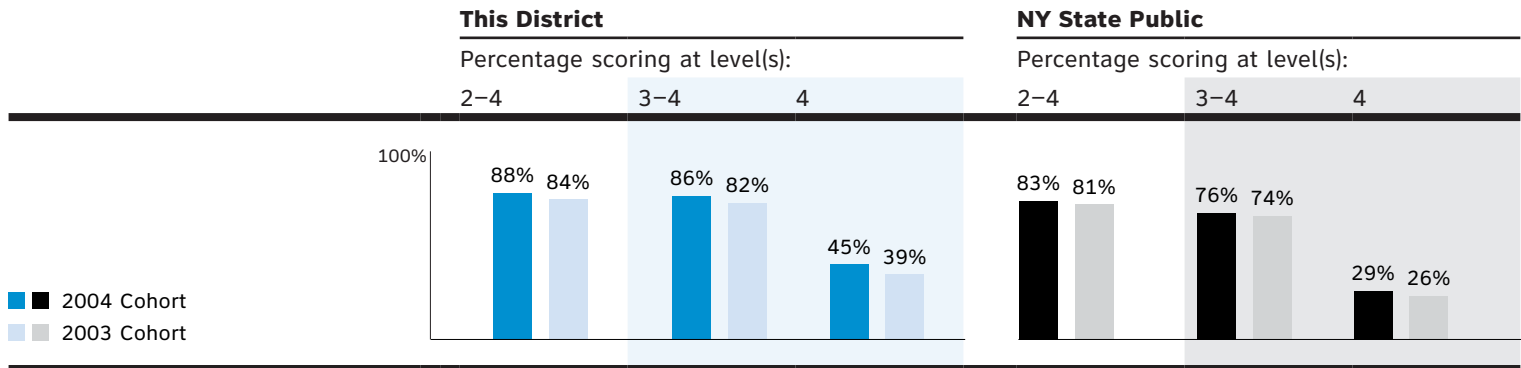
Other Assessments	2004 Cohort				2003 Cohort			
	Number of Students	Number scoring at level(s):			Number of Students	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): High School Equivalent ***	0				0			

* 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.

** 2003 cohort data are those reported in the 2006-07 Accountability and Overview Report.

*** 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



Results by Student Group

Results by Student Group	2004 Cohort				2003 Cohort**			
	Number of Students	Percentage scoring at level(s):			Number of Students	Percentage scoring at level(s):		
		2–4	3–4	4		2–4	3–4	4
All Students	370	88%	86%	45%	298	84%	82%	39%
Female	197	89%	88%	46%	156	88%	87%	38%
Male	173	86%	83%	43%	142	80%	77%	40%
American Indian or Alaska Native					1	–	–	–
Black or African American	8	63%	38%	25%	4	–	–	–
Hispanic or Latino	7	–	–	–	2	–	–	–
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	4	–	–	–	2	–	–	–
White	351	88%	86%	45%	289	84%	83%	40%
Multiracial								
Small Group Totals	11	100%	100%	36%	9	67%	56%	11%
General-Education Students	321	93%	93%	50%	251	90%	90%	46%
Students with Disabilities	49	53%	39%	6%	47	49%	40%	4%
English Proficient	370	88%	86%	45%	298	84%	82%	39%
Limited English Proficient								
Economically Disadvantaged	6	33%	33%	17%	42	55%	48%	12%
Not Disadvantaged	364	88%	87%	45%	256	89%	88%	44%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	370	88%	86%	45%				

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Other Assessments

Other Assessments	2004 Cohort				2003 Cohort			
	Number of Students	Number scoring at level(s):			Number of Students	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): High School Equivalent ***	0				0			

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