



The New York State District Report Card

Accountability and Overview Report 2010 – 11

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL
DISTRICT**

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Grades **PK-12, UE, 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.

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 View School Accountability Status.**
This section lists all schools in your district by 2011–12 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.

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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

	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Pre-K	414	412	410
Kindergarten	582	542	536
Grade 1	558	577	577
Grade 2	533	531	532
Grade 3	483	527	523
Grade 4	508	452	523
Grade 5	480	506	460
Grade 6	475	481	500
Ungraded Elementary	26	27	26
Grade 7	560	504	512
Grade 8	619	580	479
Grade 9	580	616	613
Grade 10	559	541	585
Grade 11	557	497	505
Grade 12	496	512	496
Ungraded Secondary	20	31	29
Total K-12	7036	6924	6896

Average Class Size

	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Common Branch	20	21	22
Grade 8			
English	21	21	19
Mathematics	21	21	19
Science	21	21	20
Social Studies	21	21	19
Grade 10			
English	25	24	22
Mathematics	20	23	24
Science	22	23	25
Social Studies	23	26	27

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

	2008-09		2009-10		2010-11	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Eligible for Free Lunch	3912	56%	3499	51%	3879	56%
Reduced-Price Lunch	868	12%	737	11%	647	9%
Student Stability*		N/A		N/A		N/A
Limited English Proficient	87	1%	74	1%	87	1%
Racial/Ethnic Origin						
American Indian or Alaska Native	266	4%	284	4%	279	4%
Black or African American	2559	36%	2478	36%	2448	35%
Hispanic or Latino	195	3%	199	3%	224	3%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	109	2%	111	2%	111	2%
White	3888	55%	3785	55%	3685	53%
Multiracial	19	0%	67	1%	149	2%

* Available only at the school level.

Attendance and Suspensions

	2007-08		2008-09		2009-10	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Annual Attendance Rate		92%		92%		91%
Student Suspensions	1188	16%	927	13%	1078	16%

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

	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Total Number of Teachers	489	478	463
Percent with No Valid Teaching Certificate	0%	0%	0%
Percent Teaching Out of Certification	0%	0%	0%
Percent with Fewer Than Three Years of Experience	1%	2%	2%
Percentage with Master's Degree Plus 30 Hours or Doctorate	93%	94%	92%
Total Number of Core Classes	1076	1037	1002
Percent Not Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers in This District	1%	0%	0%
Percent Not Taught by Highly Qualified in High-Poverty Schools Statewide	8%	6%	5%
Percent Not Taught by Highly Qualified in Low-Poverty Schools Statewide	1%	1%	0%
Total Number of Classes	1282	1269	1250
Percent Taught by Teachers Without Appropriate Certification	1%	0%	0%

Teacher Turnover Rate

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10
Turnover Rate of Teachers with Fewer than Five Years of Experience	25%	38%	50%
Turnover Rate of All Teachers	11%	11%	14%

Staff Counts

	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Total Other Professional Staff	112	112	103
Total Paraprofessionals*	293	307	300
Assistant Principals	12	11	11
Principals	15	14	13

* 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. A teacher who taught one class outside of the certification area(s) is counted as Highly Qualified provided that 1) the teacher had been determined by the school or district through the HOUSSE process or other state-accepted methods to have demonstrated acceptable subject knowledge and teaching skills and 2) the class in question was not the sole assignment reported. Credit for incidental teaching does not extend beyond a single assignment. Independent of Highly Qualified Teacher status, any assignment for which a teacher did not hold a valid certificate still registers as teaching out of certification. High-poverty and low-poverty schools are those schools in the upper and lower quartiles, respectively, for percentage of students eligible for a free or reduced-price lunch.

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 2010–11, 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.p12.nysed.gov/irs/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 2010–11 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 2007 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 2006 graduation-rate total cohort in the All Students group earning a local or Regents diploma by August 31, 2010 must equal or exceed the Graduation-Rate Standard (80%) or the Graduation-Rate Progress Target.

Qualifying for Safe Harbor in Secondary-Level ELA and Math: To qualify, the percent of the 2006 graduation-rate total cohort earning a local or Regents diploma by August 31, 2010 must equal or exceed the Graduation-Rate Standard (80%) or the Graduation-Rate Progress Target for that group.

Useful Terms for Understanding Accountability

12th Graders

The count of 12th graders enrolled during the 2010–11 school year used to determine the Percentage Tested for the Participation part of the AYP determination for secondary-level ELA and mathematics. These are the first numbers in the parentheses after the subgroup label on the secondary-level ELA and mathematics pages.

2007 Cohort

The count of students in the 2007 accountability cohort used to determine the Performance Index for the Test Performance part of the AYP determination for secondary-level ELA and mathematics. These are the second numbers in the parentheses after the subgroup label on the secondary-level ELA and mathematics pages.

Accountability Cohort for English and Mathematics

The accountability cohort is used to determine if a school or district met the performance criterion in secondary-level ELA and mathematics. The 2007 school accountability cohort consists of all students who first entered Grade 9 anywhere in the 2007–08 school year, and all ungraded students with disabilities who reached their seventeenth birthday in the 2007–08 school year, who were enrolled on October 6, 2010 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, 2011, are not included in the 2007 school accountability cohort. The 2007 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 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.)

Continuous Enrollment

The count of continuously enrolled tested students used to determine the Performance Index for the Test Performance part of the AYP determination for elementary/middle-level ELA, mathematics, and science. These are the second numbers in the parentheses after the subgroup label on the elementary/middle-level ELA, mathematics, and science pages.

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 is the Performance Index (PI) value that each accountability group within a school or district is expected to achieve to make 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.p12.nysed.gov/irs.

Graduation Rate

The Graduation Rate on the Graduation Rate page is the percentage of the 2006 cohort that earned a local or Regents diploma by August 31, 2010.

Graduation-Rate Total Cohort

The Graduation-Rate Total Cohort, shown on the Graduation Rate page, is used to determine if a school or district made AYP in graduation rate. For the 2010–11 school year, this cohort is the 2006 graduation-rate total cohort. The 2006 total cohort consists of all students who first entered Grade 9 anywhere in the 2006–07 school year, and all ungraded students with disabilities who reached their seventeenth birthday in the 2006–07 school year, and who were enrolled in the school/district for five months or longer or who were enrolled in the school/district for less than five months but were previously enrolled in the same school/district for five months or longer between the date they first entered Grade 9 and the date they last ended enrollment. A more detailed definition of graduation-rate cohort can be found in the *SIRS Manual* at www.p12.nysed.gov/irs.

For districts and schools with fewer than 30 graduation-rate total cohort members in the All Students group in 2010–11, data for 2009–10 and 2010–11 for accountability groups were combined to determine counts and graduation rates. Groups with fewer than 30 students in the graduation-rate total cohort are not required to meet the graduation-rate criterion.

Limited English Proficient

For all accountability measures, if the count of LEP students is equal to or greater than 30, former LEP students are also included in the performance calculations.

Non-Accountability Groups

Female, Male, and Migrant groups are not part of the AYP determination for any measure.

Useful Terms for Understanding Accountability (continued)

Participation

Accountability groups with fewer than 40 students enrolled during the test administration period (for elementary/middle-level ELA, math, and science) or fewer than 40 12th graders (for secondary-level ELA and mathematics) are not required to meet the participation criterion. If the Percentage Tested for an accountability group fell below 95 percent for ELA and math or 80 percent for science in 2010–11, the participation enrollment (“Total” or “12th Graders”) shown in the tables is the sum of 2009–10 and 2010–11 participation enrollments and the “Percentage Tested” shown is the weighted average of the participation rates over those two years.

Performance Index (PI)

A 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.p12.nysed.gov/irs.

Progress Targets

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

Science: The current year’s Science Progress Target is calculated by adding one point to the previous year’s Performance Index (PI). Example: The 2010–11 Science Progress Target is calculated by adding one point to the 2009–10 PI.

Graduation Rate: The Graduation-rate Progress Target is calculated by determining a 20% gap reduction between the rate of the previous year’s graduation-rate cohort and the state standard. Example: The 2010–11 Graduation-Rate Progress Target = $[(80 - \text{percentage of the 2005 cohort earning a local or Regents diploma by August 31, 2009}) \times 0.20] + \text{percentage of the 2005 cohort earning a local or Regents diploma by August 31, 2009}$.

Progress Targets are provided for groups whose PI (for science) or graduation rate (for graduation rate) is below the State Standard.

Safe Harbor Targets

Safe Harbor provides an alternate means to demonstrate AYP for accountability groups that do not achieve their EAMOs in English or mathematics. The 2010–11 safe harbor targets are calculated using the following equation:
2009–10 PI + (200 – the 2009–10 PI) × 0.10

Safe Harbor Targets are provided for groups whose PI is less than the EAMO.

Safe Harbor Qualification (*)

On the science page, if the group met both the participation and the performance criteria for science, the Safe Harbor Qualification column will show “Qualified.” If the group did not meet one or more criteria, the column will show “Did not qualify.” A “*” symbol after the 2010–11 Safe Harbor Target on the elementary/middle- or secondary-level ELA or mathematics page indicates that the student group did not make AYP in science (elementary/middle level) or graduation rate (secondary level) and; therefore, the group did not qualify for Safe Harbor in ELA or mathematics.

State Standard

The criterion value that represents minimally satisfactory performance (for science) or a minimally satisfactory percentage of cohort members earning a local or Regents diploma (for graduation rate). In 2010–11, the State Science Standard is a Performance Index of 100; the State Graduation-Rate Standard is 80%. The Commissioner may raise the State Standard at his discretion in future years.

Students with Disabilities

For all measures, if the count of students with disabilities is equal to or greater than 30, former students with disabilities are also included in the performance calculations.

Test Performance

For districts and schools with fewer than 30 continuously enrolled tested students (for elementary/middle-level ELA, math, and science) or fewer than 30 students in the 2007 cohort (for secondary-level ELA and mathematics) in the All Students group in 2010–11, data for 2009–10 and 2010–11 for accountability groups were combined to determine counts and Performance Indices. For districts and schools with 30 or more continuously enrolled students/2007 cohort members in the All Students group in 2010–11, student groups with fewer than 30 members are not required to meet the performance criterion. This is indicated by a “—” in the Test Performance column in the table.

Total

The count of students enrolled during the test administration period used to determine the Percentage Tested for the Participation part of the AYP determination for elementary/middle-level ELA, mathematics, and science. These are the first numbers in the parentheses after the subgroup label on the elementary/middle-level ELA, mathematics, and science pages. For accountability calculations, students who were excused from testing for medical reasons in accordance with federal NCLB guidance are not included in the count.

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.p12.nysed.gov/irs/accountability/>.

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 (2011–12)

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

2009–10	2010–11	2011–12
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	✓	✓		–	–	
Economically Disadvantaged	✓	✓		✓	✓	
Student groups making AYP in each subject	✗ 8 of 10	✗ 9 of 10	✓ 1 of 1	✗ 3 of 5	✗ 4 of 5	✗ 0 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  Improvement (Year 3)
for This Subject
(2011–12)

Accountability Measures 8 of 10 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 2011-12, the district will be In Need of Improvement (Year 4) in 2012-13. If this district makes AYP at either the elementary/middle or secondary level in 2011-12, the district will remain In Need of Improvement (Year 3) in 2012-13. [208]

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

Student Group (Total: Continuous Enrollment)	AYP Status	Participation		Test Performance		Performance Objectives		
		Met Criterion	Percentage Tested	Met Criterion	Performance Index	Effective AMO	Safe Harbor Target 2010–11 2011–12	
Accountability Groups								
All Students (3075:2915)			99%		134	120		
Ethnicity								
American Indian or Alaska Native (124:120)			99%		118	113		
Black or African American (1150:1087)			99%		116	119	119	124
Hispanic or Latino (110:90)			98%		120	112		
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (41:38)			95%		166	106		
White (1606:1547)			99%		147	119		
Multiracial (44:33)			98%		133	105		
Other Groups								
Students with Disabilities (577:571)			98%		90	117	97	101
Limited English Proficient (39:47)		—	—		111	108		
Economically Disadvantaged (2141:2014)			99%		123	120		
Final AYP Determination	 8 of 10							
Non-Accountability Groups								
Female (1461:1394)			99%		142	119		
Male (1614:1521)			99%		126	119		
Migrant (0:0)								


Symbols

-  Made AYP
-  Made AYP Using Safe Harbor Target
-  Did not make AYP
- Fewer Than 40 Total/Fewer Than 30 Continuous Enrollment
- ‡ Did not qualify for Safe Harbor

NOTE: See *Useful Terms for Understanding Accountability* for explanations and definitions of terms and table labels used on this page.

Elementary/Middle-Level Mathematics































Accountability Status  Good Standing
for This Subject
(2011–12)

Accountability Measures 9 of 10 Student groups making AYP in mathematics
 Did not make AYP

Prospective Status

A district that fails to make AYP in mathematics 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 2011-12, the district will be District In Need of Improvement (Year 1) in 2012-13. If this district makes AYP at either the elementary/middle or secondary level in 2011-12, the district will be in good standing in 2012-13. [202]

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

Student Group (Total: Continuous Enrollment)	AYP	Participation		Test Performance		Performance Objectives	
	Status	Met Criterion	Percentage Tested	Met Criterion	Performance Index	Effective AMO	Safe Harbor Target 2010–11 2011–12
Accountability Groups							
All Students (3075:2916)			99%		154	135	
Ethnicity							
American Indian or Alaska Native (124:119)			98%		155	127	
Black or African American (1150:1087)			99%		135	134	
Hispanic or Latino (110:90)			98%		150	127	
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (41:39)			100%		179	121	
White (1606:1547)			100%		167	134	
Multiracial (44:34)			100%		138	120	
Other Groups							
Students with Disabilities (577:572)			98%		123	132	127 131
Limited English Proficient (39:48)		—	—		138	123	
Economically Disadvantaged (2141:2015)			99%		146	135	
Final AYP Determination	 9 of 10						
Non-Accountability Groups							
Female (1461:1396)			99%		154	134	
Male (1614:1520)			99%		153	134	
Migrant (0:0)							

Symbols

-  Made AYP
-  Made AYP Using Safe Harbor Target
-  Did not make AYP
- Fewer Than 40 Total/Fewer Than 30 Continuous Enrollment
- ‡ Did not qualify for Safe Harbor

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Elementary/Middle-Level Science

Accountability Status  Good Standing
for This Subject
(2011–12)

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

Prospective Status This district will be in good standing in 2012-13. [201]

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

Student Group (Total: Continuous Enrollment)	AYP		Participation		Test Performance		Performance Objectives		
	Status	Safe Harbor Qualification	Met Criterion	Percentage Tested	Met Criterion	Performance Index	State Standard	Progress Target 2010–11	2011–12
Accountability Groups									
All Students (1030:972)		Qualified		98%		183	100		
Ethnicity									
American Indian or Alaska Native (35:32)		Qualified	–	–		184	100		
Black or African American (402:375)		Qualified		97%		171	100		
Hispanic or Latino (43:37)		Qualified		98%		173	100		
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (11:10)		–	–	–	–	–	–		–
White (528:509)		Qualified		99%		191	100		
Multiracial (11:9)		–	–	–	–	–	–		–
Other Groups									
Students with Disabilities (191:191)		Qualified		96%		173	100		
Limited English Proficient (16:14)		–	–	–	–	–	–		–
Economically Disadvantaged (696:653)		Qualified		98%		180	100		
Final AYP Determination		1 of 1							
Non-Accountability Groups									
Female (490:464)				98%		182	100		
Male (540:508)				98%		183	100		
Migrant (0:0)									


Symbols

-  Made AYP
-  Did not make AYP
- Fewer Than 40 Total/Fewer Than 30 Continuous Enrollment

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Secondary-Level English Language Arts

















Accountability Status  Improvement (Year 3)
for This Subject
(2011–12)

Accountability Measures 3 of 5 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 2011-12, the district will be In Need of Improvement (Year 4) in 2012-13. If this district makes AYP at either the elementary/middle or secondary level in 2011-12, the district will remain In Need of Improvement (Year 3) in 2012-13. [208]

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

Student Group (12th Graders: 2007 Cohort)	AYP	Participation		Test Performance		Performance Objectives		
	Status	Met Criterion	Percentage Tested	Met Criterion	Performance Index	Effective AMO	Safe Harbor Target	
						2010–11	2011–12	
Accountability Groups								
All Students (483:490)			99%		181	178		
Ethnicity								
American Indian or Alaska Native (15:12)	–	–	–	–	–	–		–
Black or African American (171:170)			99%		168	175	175‡	171
Hispanic or Latino (10:13)	–	–	–	–	–	–		–
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (12:13)	–	–	–	–	–	–		–
White (275:282)			99%		190	177		
Multiracial (0:0)								
Other Groups								
Students with Disabilities (75:96)			95%		144	173	141‡	150
Limited English Proficient (3:6)	–	–	–	–	–	–		–
Economically Disadvantaged (203:213)			99%		185	175		
Final AYP Determination		3 of 5						
Non-Accountability Groups								
Female (242:237)			99%		186	176		
Male (241:253)			98%		176	176		
Migrant (0:0)								


Symbols

-  Made AYP
-  Made AYP Using Safe Harbor Target
-  Did not make AYP
- Fewer Than 40 12th Graders/Fewer Than 30 Cohort
- ‡ Did not qualify for Safe Harbor

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Secondary-Level Mathematics

















Accountability Status  Good Standing
for This Subject
(2011–12)

Accountability Measures 4 of 5 Student groups making AYP in mathematics
 Did not make AYP

Prospective Status

A district that fails to make AYP in mathematics 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 2011-12, the district will be District In Need of Improvement (Year 1) in 2012-13. If this district makes AYP at either the elementary/middle or secondary level in 2011-12, the district will be in good standing in 2012-13. [202]

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

Student Group (12th Graders: 2007 Cohort)	AYP	Participation		Test Performance		Performance Objectives	
	Status	Met Criterion	Percentage Tested	Met Criterion	Performance Index	Effective AMO	Safe Harbor Target 2010–11 2011–12
Accountability Groups							
All Students (483:490)			99%		183	175	
Ethnicity							
American Indian or Alaska Native (15:12)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Black or African American (171:170)			98%		174	172	
Hispanic or Latino (10:13)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (12:13)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
White (275:282)			99%		188	174	
Multiracial (0:0)							
Other Groups							
Students with Disabilities (75:96)			97%		141	170	149 [‡] 147
Limited English Proficient (3:6)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Economically Disadvantaged (203:213)			100%		183	172	
Final AYP Determination	 4 of 5						
Non-Accountability Groups							
Female (242:237)			99%		185	173	
Male (241:253)			99%		180	173	
Migrant (0:0)							


Symbols

-  Made AYP
-  Made AYP Using Safe Harbor Target
-  Did not make AYP
- Fewer Than 40 12th Graders/Fewer Than 30 Cohort
- ‡ Did not qualify for Safe Harbor

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Graduation Rate

Accountability Status for This Indicator (2011–12)  Good Standing

Accountability Measures 0 of 1 Student groups making AYP in graduation rate
 Did not make AYP

Prospective Status A district that fails to make AYP in graduation rate for two consecutive years is placed in improvement status. If this district fails to make AYP in 2011-12, the district will be District In Need of Improvement (Year 1) in 2012-13. If this district makes AYP in 2011-12, the district will be in good standing in 2012-13. [203]

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

Student Group (2006 Graduation-Rate Total Cohort)	Graduation			Objectives	
	AYP	Met Criterion	Graduation Rate	State Standard	Progress Target 2010–11
Accountability Groups					
All Students (644)			73%	80%	75%
Ethnicity					
American Indian or Alaska Native (20)		—	—	—	
Black or African American (232)			67%	80%	70%
Hispanic or Latino (15)		—	—	—	
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (12)		—	—	—	
White (363)			76%	80%	79%
Multiracial (2)		—	—	—	
Other Groups					
Students with Disabilities (110)			54%	80%	62%
Limited English Proficient (2)		—	—	—	
Economically Disadvantaged (283)			70%	80%	75%
Final AYP Determination	 0 of 1				
Non-Accountability Groups					
Female (324)			75%	80%	
Male (320)			70%	80%	
Migrant (0)					

Symbols

-  Made AYP
-  Did not make AYP
- Fewer than 30 Graduation-Rate Total Cohort

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Aspirational Goal

The Board of Regents has set an aspirational goal that 95% of students in each public school and school district will graduate within five years of first entry into grade 9. The graduation rate for the 2006 total cohort through June 2011 (after 5 years) for this district is **75%** and, therefore, this district **did not** meet this goal. The aspirational goal does not impact accountability.

2011–12 Accountability Status of Schools in Your District

This section lists all schools in your district by 2011–12 accountability status.

In Good Standing

7 schools identified 64% of total

CATARACT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
GERALDINE J MANN SCHOOL
HARRY F ABATE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
HENRY J KALFAS MAGNET SCHOOL
LASALLE PREPARATORY SCHOOL
MAPLE AVENUE SCHOOL
SEVENTY NINTH STREET SCHOOL

Improvement (year 1) Basic

1 school identified 9% of total

HYDE PARK SCHOOL

Improvement (year 1) Focused

3 schools identified 27% of total

GASKILL PREPARATORY SCHOOL
NIAGARA FALLS HIGH SCHOOL
NIAGARA STREET SCHOOL

4 Overview of District Performance

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **40-08-00-01-0000**

Summary of 2010–11 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	38%			521
Grade 4	43%			520
Grade 5	50%			459
Grade 6	52%			506
Grade 7	30%			506
Grade 8	40%			474

Mathematics	Percentage of students that scored at or above Level 3			Total Tested
	0%	50%	100%	
Grade 3	45%			521
Grade 4	60%			522
Grade 5	67%			460
Grade 6	66%			506
Grade 7	60%			506
Grade 8	49%			473

Science	Percentage of students that scored at or above Level 3			Total Tested
	0%	50%	100%	
Grade 4	93%			518
Grade 8	65%			333

Secondary Level	Percentage of students that scored at or above Level 3			2007 Total Cohort
	0%	50%	100%	
English	71%			605
Mathematics	75%			605

About the Performance Level Descriptors

English Language Arts

Level 1: Below Standard

Student performance does not demonstrate an understanding of the English language arts knowledge and skills expected at this grade level.

Level 2: Meets Basic Standard

Student performance demonstrates a partial understanding of the English language arts knowledge and skills expected at this grade level.

Level 3: Meets Proficiency Standard

Student performance demonstrates an understanding of the English language arts knowledge and skills expected at this grade level.

Level 4: Exceeds Proficiency Standard

Student performance demonstrates a thorough understanding of the English language arts knowledge and skills expected at this grade level.

Mathematics

Level 1: Below Standard

Student performance does not demonstrate an understanding of the mathematics content expected at this grade level.

Level 2: Meets Basic Standard

Student performance demonstrates a partial understanding of the mathematics content expected at this grade level.

Level 3: Meets Proficiency Standard

Student performance demonstrates an understanding of the mathematics content expected at this grade level.

Level 4: Exceeds Proficiency Standard

Student performance demonstrates a thorough understanding of the mathematics content expected at this 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.p12.nysed.gov/irs.

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

This District's N/RC Category:

High Need/Resource Urban-Suburban Districts

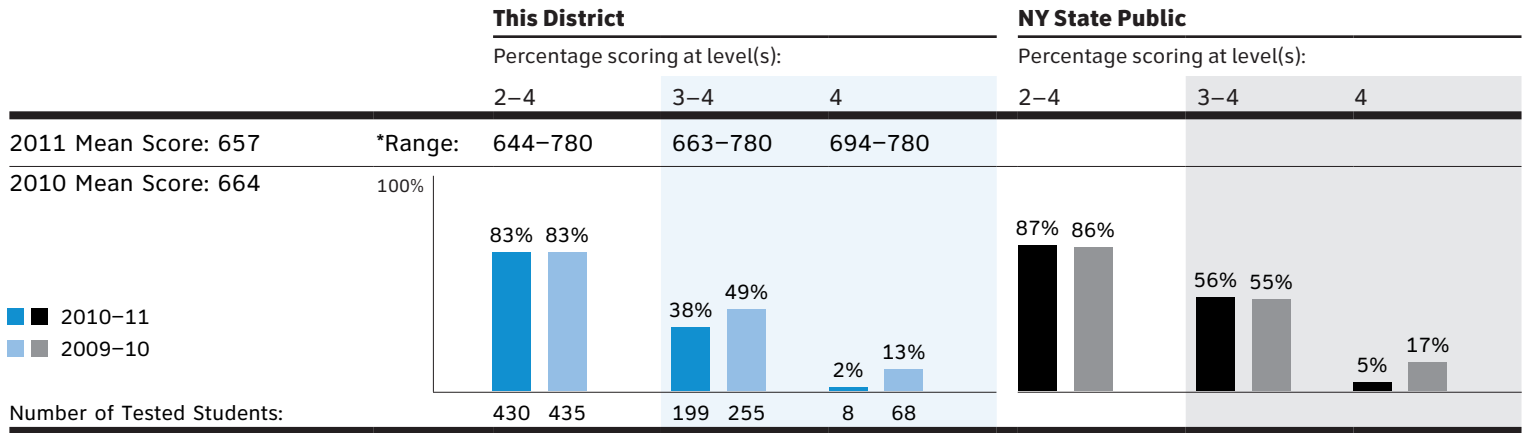
This is an urban or suburban school district with high student needs in relation to district resource capacity.

4 Overview of District Performance

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **40-08-00-01-0000**

This District's Results in Grade 3 English Language Arts



Results by Student Group

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	521	83%	38%	2%	522	83%	49%	13%
Female	238	89%	45%	2%	249	87%	53%	14%
Male	283	77%	33%	1%	273	80%	45%	12%
American Indian or Alaska Native	29	90%	34%	0%	29	72%	38%	3%
Black or African American	187	75%	25%	1%	186	80%	39%	9%
Hispanic or Latino	24	71%	21%	4%	24	63%	21%	4%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	8	88%	50%	0%	1	-	-	-
White	257	88%	50%	2%	274	88%	59%	18%
Multiracial	16	81%	31%	6%	8	-	-	-
Small Group Totals					9	100%	44%	11%
General-Education Students	429	90%	45%	2%	432	91%	55%	15%
Students with Disabilities	92	48%	8%	0%	90	44%	18%	2%
English Proficient	513	83%	39%	2%	516	84%	49%	13%
Limited English Proficient	8	50%	13%	0%	6	17%	0%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	395	80%	31%	1%	393	81%	43%	10%
Not Disadvantaged	126	90%	62%	5%	129	91%	66%	22%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	521	83%	38%	2%	522	83%	49%	13%

NOTES

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Other Assessments

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	12	12	11	11	7	7	7	7
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
Total					Total			
Recently Arrived LEP Students NOT Tested on the ELA NYSTP: Grade 3	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	N/A

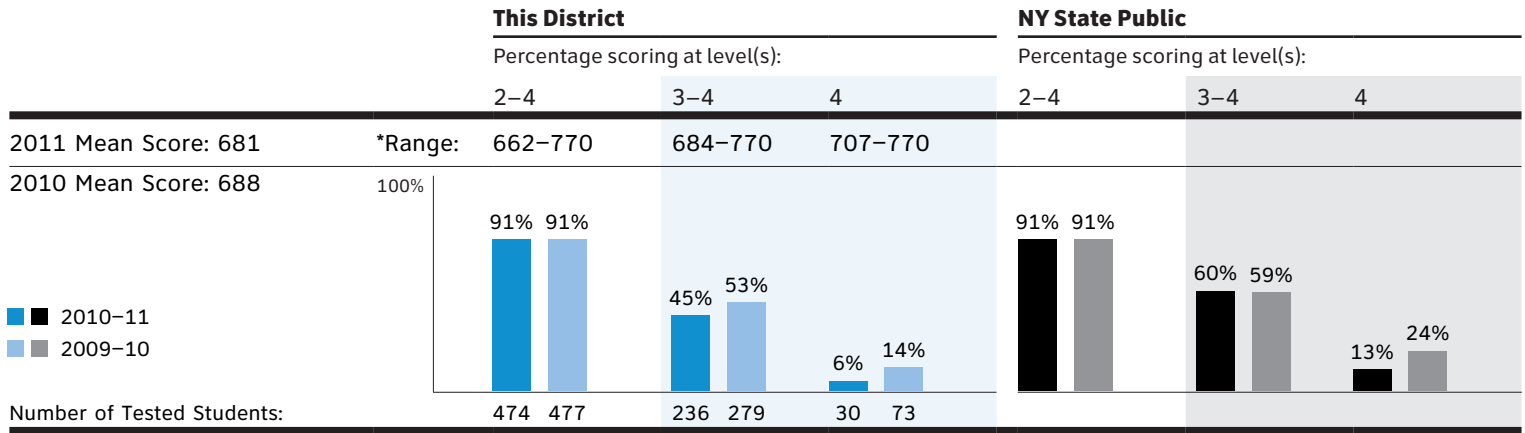
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4 Overview of District Performance

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **40-08-00-01-0000**

This District's Results in Grade 3 Mathematics



Results by Student Group

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	521	91%	45%	6%	522	91%	53%	14%
Female	239	93%	46%	5%	249	92%	50%	12%
Male	282	89%	44%	6%	273	91%	57%	15%
American Indian or Alaska Native	29	93%	55%	10%	29	79%	45%	10%
Black or African American	187	84%	28%	2%	186	87%	47%	7%
Hispanic or Latino	24	88%	46%	4%	24	88%	38%	13%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	8	100%	75%	25%	1	-	-	-
White	257	95%	57%	7%	274	96%	60%	19%
Multiracial	16	100%	25%	13%	8	-	-	-
Small Group Totals					9	100%	67%	33%
General-Education Students	429	95%	49%	7%	432	94%	59%	16%
Students with Disabilities	92	73%	27%	1%	90	79%	29%	6%
English Proficient	513	91%	46%	6%	516	92%	54%	14%
Limited English Proficient	8	88%	25%	0%	6	67%	17%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	396	90%	39%	4%	393	90%	48%	10%
Not Disadvantaged	125	95%	66%	12%	129	96%	71%	26%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	521	91%	45%	6%	522	91%	53%	14%

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Other Assessments

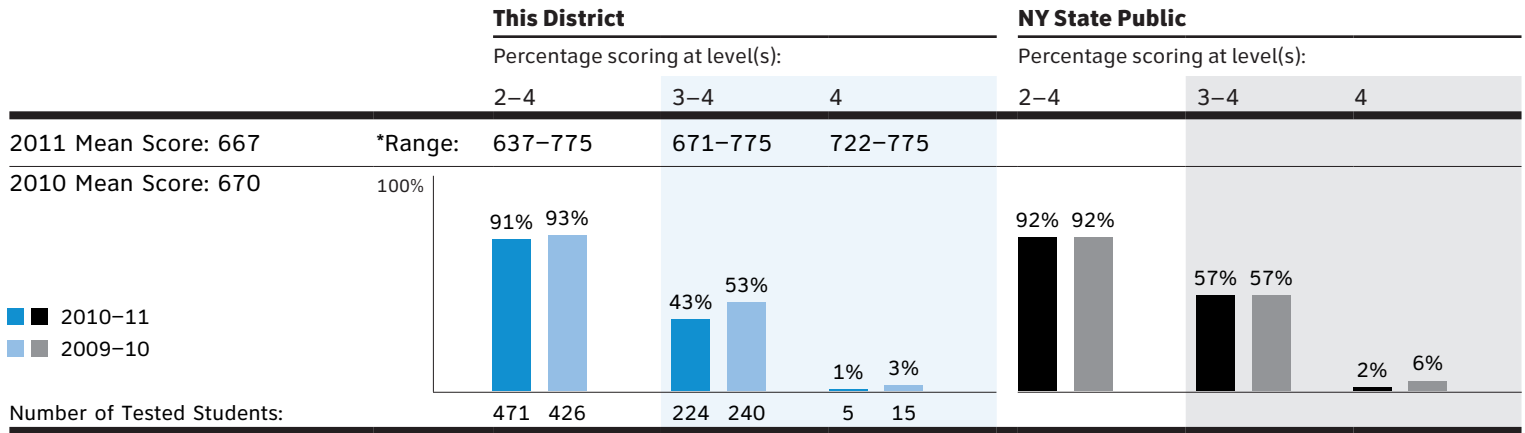
	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 3 Equivalent	12	12	11	11	7	7	7	6

4 Overview of District Performance

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **40-08-00-01-0000**

This District's Results in Grade 4 English Language Arts



Results by Student Group

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	520	91%	43%	1%	457	93%	53%	3%
Female	247	93%	47%	2%	242	96%	54%	4%
Male	273	88%	40%	0%	215	90%	51%	3%
American Indian or Alaska Native	23	87%	22%	0%	24	92%	29%	0%
Black or African American	194	90%	32%	1%	167	90%	35%	1%
Hispanic or Latino	24	83%	33%	0%	8	-	-	-
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	3	-	-	-	10	100%	70%	10%
White	267	92%	54%	1%	244	95%	66%	5%
Multiracial	9	-	-	-	4	-	-	-
Small Group Totals	12	92%	33%	0%	12	100%	58%	0%
General-Education Students	432	96%	49%	1%	382	97%	59%	4%
Students with Disabilities	88	63%	16%	0%	75	73%	21%	0%
English Proficient	512	91%	44%	1%	453	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient	8	75%	0%	0%	4	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged	386	89%	36%	1%	319	90%	42%	2%
Not Disadvantaged	134	95%	64%	2%	138	100%	76%	6%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	520	91%	43%	1%	457	93%	53%	3%

NOTES

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Other Assessments

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	10	10	10	8	6	6	6	5
New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT)†: Grade 4	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	1	N/A	N/A	N/A
Total					Total			
Recently Arrived LEP Students NOT Tested on the ELA NYSTP: Grade 4	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	1	N/A	N/A	N/A

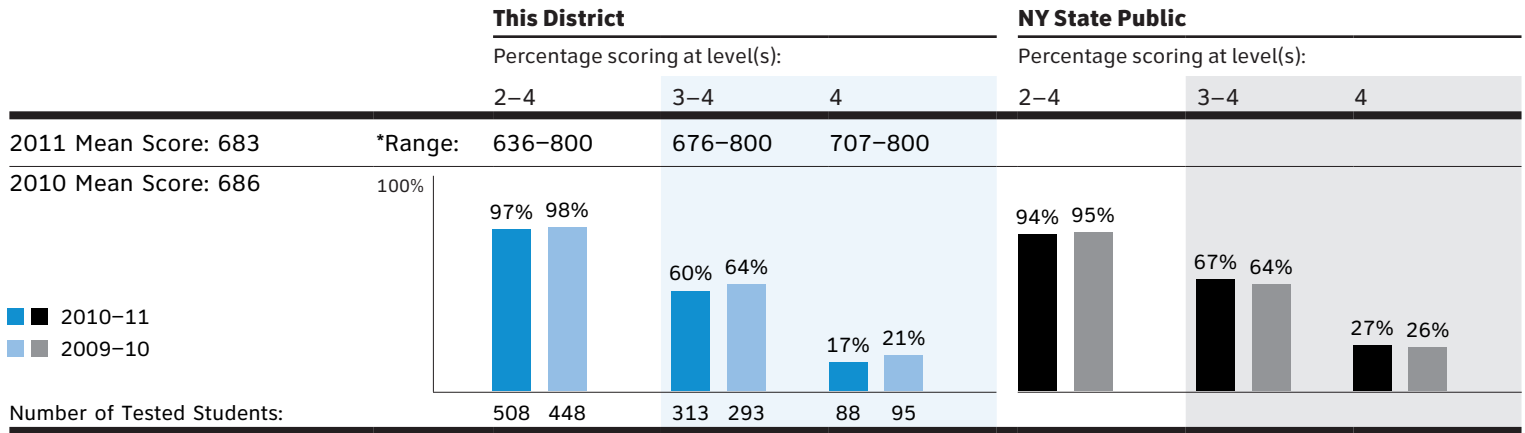
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4 Overview of District Performance

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **40-08-00-01-0000**

This District's Results in Grade 4 Mathematics



Results by Student Group

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	522	97%	60%	17%	457	98%	64%	21%
Female	248	97%	57%	15%	241	98%	63%	20%
Male	274	97%	62%	19%	216	99%	65%	22%
American Indian or Alaska Native	23	96%	52%	9%	24	100%	46%	4%
Black or African American	195	96%	49%	9%	166	96%	48%	11%
Hispanic or Latino	24	92%	50%	17%	8	-	-	-
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	4	-	-	-	11	100%	82%	55%
White	267	99%	69%	24%	244	99%	76%	28%
Multiracial	9	-	-	-	4	-	-	-
Small Group Totals	13	100%	69%	0%	12	100%	58%	8%
General-Education Students	433	99%	67%	19%	383	99%	69%	23%
Students with Disabilities	89	89%	28%	6%	74	92%	41%	8%
English Proficient	513	98%	60%	17%	452	98%	65%	21%
Limited English Proficient	9	78%	44%	0%	5	100%	20%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	387	97%	53%	12%	319	97%	57%	14%
Not Disadvantaged	135	97%	79%	30%	138	100%	80%	37%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	522	97%	60%	17%	457	98%	64%	21%

NOTES

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Other Assessments

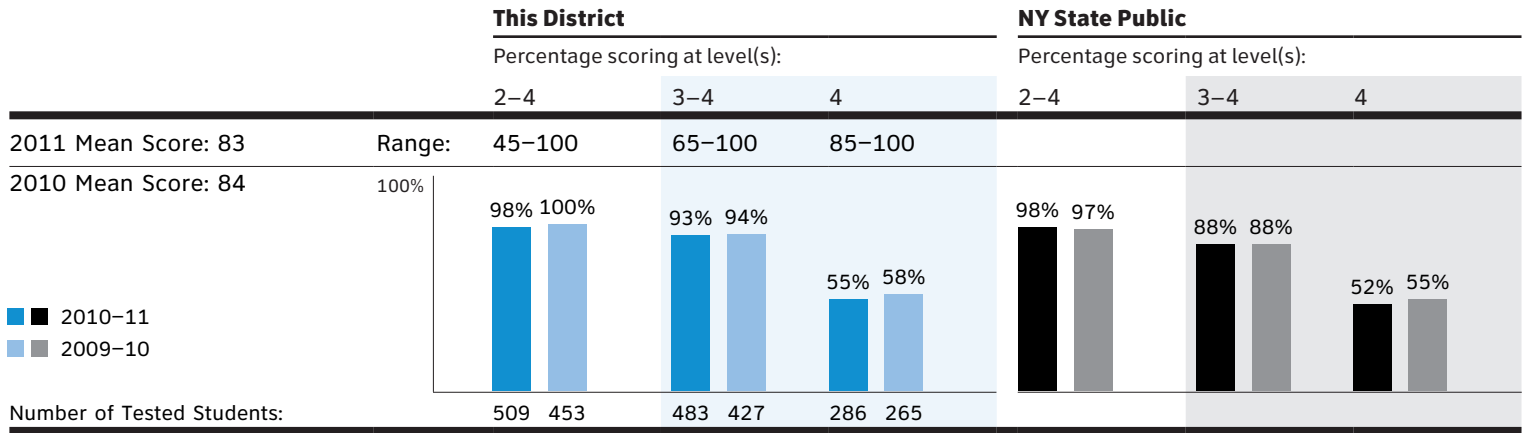
	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 4 Equivalent	10	10	10	9	6	6	5	5

4 Overview of District Performance

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **40-08-00-01-0000**

This District's Results in Grade 4 Science



Results by Student Group

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	518	98%	93%	55%	455	100%	94%	58%
Female	248	99%	94%	52%	241	100%	95%	59%
Male	270	98%	93%	58%	214	99%	93%	58%
American Indian or Alaska Native	22	91%	86%	36%	24	100%	88%	46%
Black or African American	193	97%	89%	44%	165	99%	91%	42%
Hispanic or Latino	24	100%	88%	50%	8	-	-	-
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	4	-	-	-	11	100%	100%	73%
White	266	99%	97%	65%	244	100%	96%	71%
Multiracial	9	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
Small Group Totals	13	100%	100%	62%	11	100%	91%	36%
General-Education Students	431	99%	94%	59%	381	99%	95%	61%
Students with Disabilities	87	94%	90%	36%	74	100%	88%	42%
English Proficient	509	98%	94%	55%	450	100%	94%	59%
Limited English Proficient	9	100%	67%	44%	5	100%	100%	20%
Economically Disadvantaged	386	98%	91%	48%	317	100%	92%	48%
Not Disadvantaged	132	99%	98%	75%	138	99%	98%	81%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	518	98%	93%	55%	455	100%	94%	58%

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Other Assessments

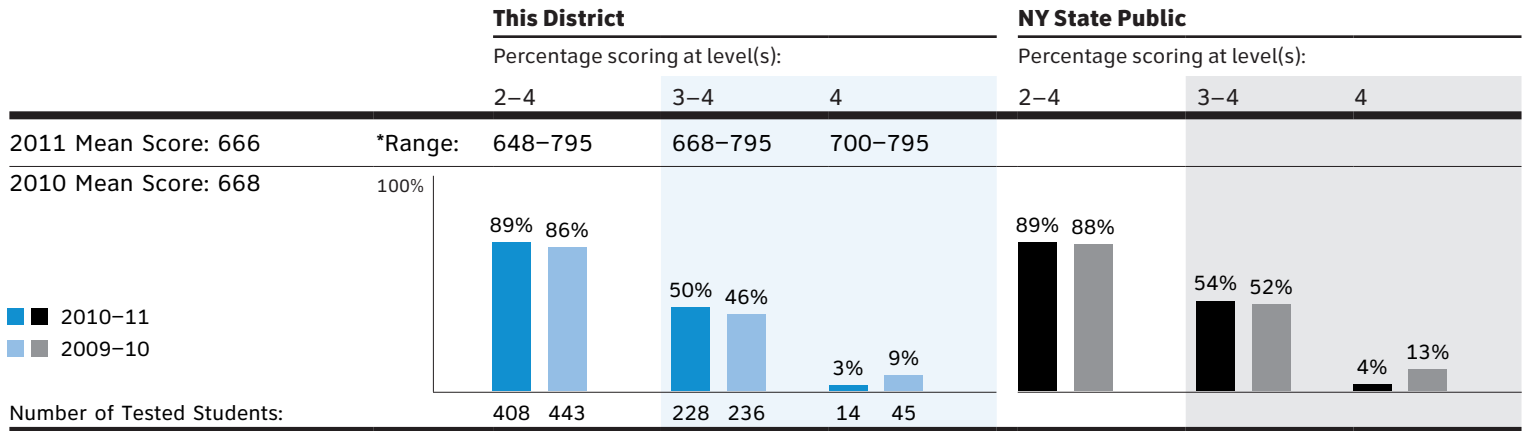
	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 4 Equivalent	10	10	10	10	6	6	6	5

4 Overview of District Performance

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **40-08-00-01-0000**

This District's Results in Grade 5 English Language Arts



Results by Student Group

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	459	89%	50%	3%	516	86%	46%	9%
Female	238	92%	55%	3%	245	90%	51%	11%
Male	221	86%	43%	3%	271	82%	41%	7%
American Indian or Alaska Native	20	80%	30%	5%	16	88%	25%	0%
Black or African American	168	85%	32%	2%	197	78%	32%	3%
Hispanic or Latino	11	-	-	-	11	73%	18%	0%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	11	100%	100%	0%	6	-	-	-
White	246	91%	62%	4%	284	92%	57%	13%
Multiracial	3	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Small Group Totals	14	100%	86%	0%	8	75%	75%	13%
General-Education Students	391	95%	55%	4%	430	93%	50%	10%
Students with Disabilities	68	53%	16%	0%	86	50%	22%	2%
English Proficient	457	-	-	-	510	86%	46%	9%
Limited English Proficient	2	-	-	-	6	83%	17%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	318	86%	40%	2%	361	83%	37%	6%
Not Disadvantaged	141	94%	72%	6%	155	93%	66%	16%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	459	89%	50%	3%	516	86%	46%	9%

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Other Assessments

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	6	6	5	3	7	7	7	7
New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT)†: Grade 5	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	1	N/A	N/A	N/A
Total					Total			
Recently Arrived LEP Students NOT Tested on the ELA NYSTP: Grade 5	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	1	N/A	N/A	N/A

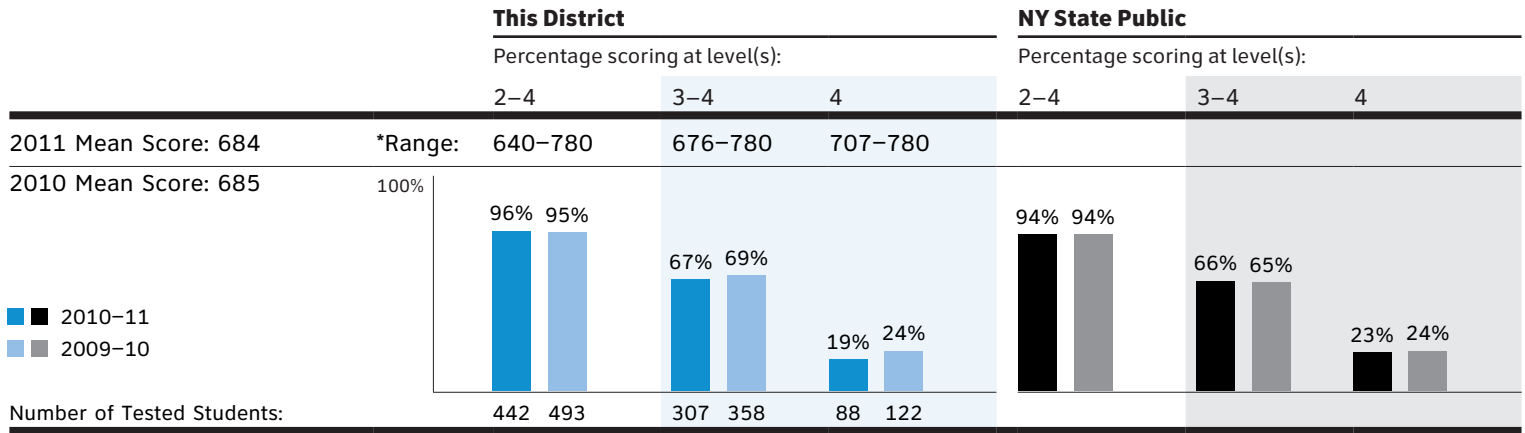
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4 Overview of District Performance

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **40-08-00-01-0000**

This District's Results in Grade 5 Mathematics



Results by Student Group

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	460	96%	67%	19%	519	95%	69%	24%
Female	239	98%	68%	18%	247	95%	71%	22%
Male	221	94%	65%	20%	272	95%	67%	25%
American Indian or Alaska Native	20	90%	60%	5%	16	94%	69%	6%
Black or African American	168	93%	48%	8%	197	93%	56%	12%
Hispanic or Latino	11	91%	82%	18%	11	82%	36%	9%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	11	-	-	-	6	-	-	-
White	246	98%	79%	25%	288	97%	79%	33%
Multiracial	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Small Group Totals	15	93%	60%	13%	7	100%	71%	29%
General-Education Students	391	98%	72%	21%	431	98%	76%	26%
Students with Disabilities	69	84%	36%	6%	88	78%	34%	11%
English Proficient	458	-	-	-	512	95%	69%	23%
Limited English Proficient	2	-	-	-	7	100%	100%	29%
Economically Disadvantaged	319	95%	59%	13%	362	95%	64%	16%
Not Disadvantaged	141	99%	84%	32%	157	94%	82%	41%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	460	96%	67%	19%	519	95%	69%	24%

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Other Assessments

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	6	6	6	4	7	7	7	6

4 Overview of District Performance

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **40-08-00-01-0000**

This District's Results in Grade 6 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
2011 Mean Score: 661	*Range: 644-785	662-785	694-785			
2010 Mean Score: 660						
Number of Tested Students:	455	423	262	215	11	9

Results by Student Group

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	506	90%	52%	2%	476	89%	45%	2%
Female	238	92%	55%	3%	231	91%	52%	3%
Male	268	88%	49%	2%	245	87%	39%	1%
American Indian or Alaska Native	13	85%	38%	0%	25	88%	40%	0%
Black or African American	195	87%	35%	1%	146	84%	29%	2%
Hispanic or Latino	12	83%	42%	0%	10	100%	30%	0%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	6	100%	83%	0%	4	-	-	-
White	272	93%	65%	4%	290	91%	54%	2%
Multiracial	8	75%	25%	0%	1	-	-	-
Small Group Totals					5	80%	20%	20%
General-Education Students	419	96%	59%	2%	383	97%	53%	2%
Students with Disabilities	87	60%	16%	2%	93	57%	12%	0%
English Proficient	501	90%	52%	2%	469	89%	46%	2%
Limited English Proficient	5	100%	60%	0%	7	57%	0%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	348	87%	43%	0%	332	87%	37%	2%
Not Disadvantaged	158	96%	72%	6%	144	94%	63%	3%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	506	90%	52%	2%	476	89%	45%	2%

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Other Assessments

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	7	7	7	6	9	9	9	9
New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT)†: Grade 6	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	1	N/A	N/A	N/A
Total					Total			
Recently Arrived LEP Students NOT Tested on the ELA NYSTP: Grade 6	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	1	N/A	N/A	N/A

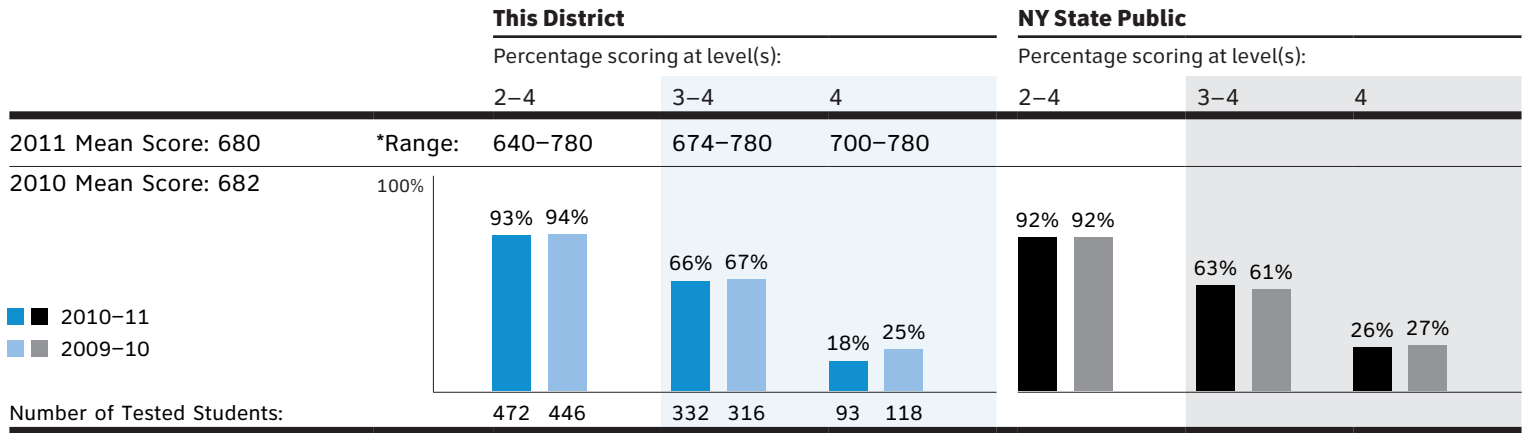
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4 Overview of District Performance

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **40-08-00-01-0000**

This District's Results in Grade 6 Mathematics



Results by Student Group

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	506	93%	66%	18%	475	94%	67%	25%
Female	238	95%	66%	17%	230	94%	67%	25%
Male	268	91%	65%	20%	245	94%	67%	24%
American Indian or Alaska Native	13	85%	62%	0%	25	100%	68%	24%
Black or African American	195	90%	54%	9%	145	89%	56%	12%
Hispanic or Latino	12	75%	42%	8%	10	90%	80%	30%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	6	100%	100%	50%	5	-	-	-
White	272	97%	75%	26%	289	96%	71%	32%
Multiracial	8	88%	38%	13%	1	-	-	-
Small Group Totals					6	100%	100%	0%
General-Education Students	419	98%	71%	19%	383	98%	73%	27%
Students with Disabilities	87	72%	41%	14%	92	75%	40%	14%
English Proficient	501	93%	65%	18%	467	94%	67%	25%
Limited English Proficient	5	100%	100%	20%	8	88%	50%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	348	91%	59%	12%	331	93%	60%	18%
Not Disadvantaged	158	97%	80%	32%	144	97%	81%	40%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	506	93%	66%	18%	475	94%	67%	25%

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Other Assessments

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	7	7	7	6	9	9	9	9

4 Overview of District Performance

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **40-08-00-01-0000**

This District's Results in Grade 7 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
2011 Mean Score: 658	*Range: 642-790	665-790	698-790			
2010 Mean Score: 661						
Number of Tested Students:	460	449	151	182	2	22

Results by Student Group

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	506	91%	30%	0%	508	88%	36%	4%
Female	236	93%	41%	0%	252	89%	37%	5%
Male	270	89%	20%	0%	256	88%	35%	4%
American Indian or Alaska Native	25	92%	20%	0%	16	88%	31%	6%
Black or African American	179	88%	20%	0%	218	83%	23%	1%
Hispanic or Latino	16	100%	13%	0%	19	84%	37%	0%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	4	-	-	-	7	-	-	-
White	279	92%	38%	1%	247	93%	47%	7%
Multiracial	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Small Group Totals	7	100%	29%	0%	8	100%	63%	13%
General-Education Students	412	96%	36%	0%	434	93%	40%	5%
Students with Disabilities	94	67%	2%	0%	74	59%	11%	0%
English Proficient	499	91%	30%	0%	500	89%	36%	4%
Limited English Proficient	7	100%	0%	0%	8	63%	0%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	356	88%	23%	0%	352	86%	31%	3%
Not Disadvantaged	150	97%	47%	1%	156	94%	47%	8%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	506	91%	30%	0%	508	88%	36%	4%

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Other Assessments

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	9	9	9	8	13	13	13	10
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
Total					Total			
Recently Arrived LEP Students NOT Tested on the ELA NYSTP: Grade 7	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	N/A

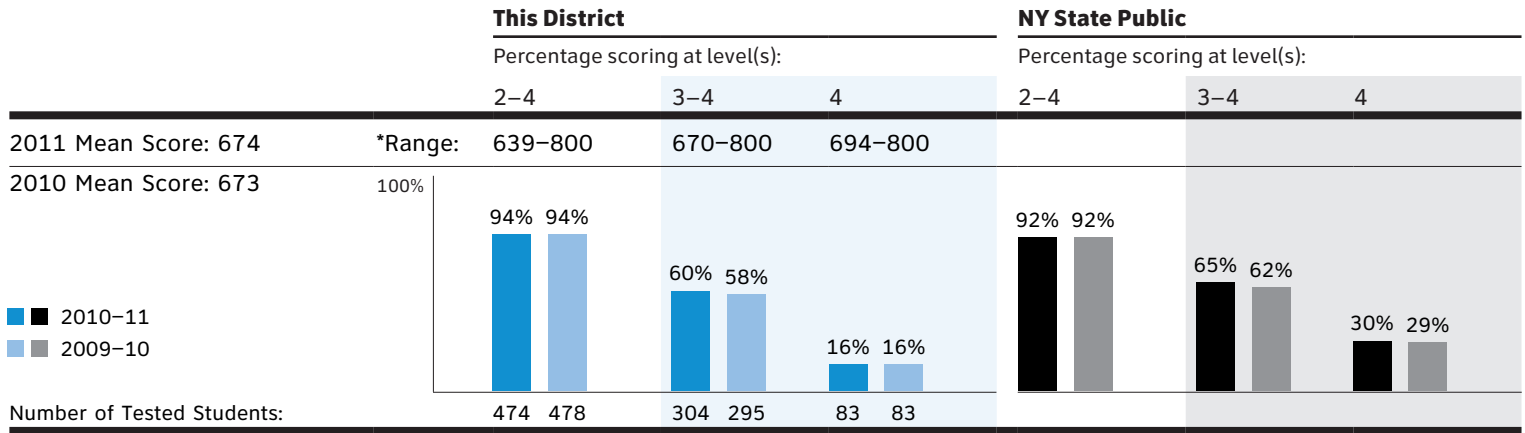
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4 Overview of District Performance

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **40-08-00-01-0000**

This District's Results in Grade 7 Mathematics



Results by Student Group

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	506	94%	60%	16%	509	94%	58%	16%
Female	236	92%	63%	16%	253	94%	55%	15%
Male	270	95%	57%	17%	256	94%	61%	18%
American Indian or Alaska Native	25	96%	68%	20%	16	100%	56%	13%
Black or African American	177	91%	45%	6%	217	91%	47%	7%
Hispanic or Latino	16	94%	75%	6%	20	90%	45%	10%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	5	-	-	-	7	-	-	-
White	280	95%	68%	23%	248	96%	68%	25%
Multiracial	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Small Group Totals	8	100%	63%	25%	8	100%	63%	25%
General-Education Students	412	97%	68%	19%	434	97%	65%	18%
Students with Disabilities	94	80%	26%	6%	75	75%	17%	4%
English Proficient	498	94%	60%	16%	501	95%	59%	17%
Limited English Proficient	8	88%	63%	13%	8	50%	13%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	356	92%	54%	10%	354	93%	55%	12%
Not Disadvantaged	150	97%	73%	31%	155	97%	65%	26%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	506	94%	60%	16%	509	94%	58%	16%

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Other Assessments

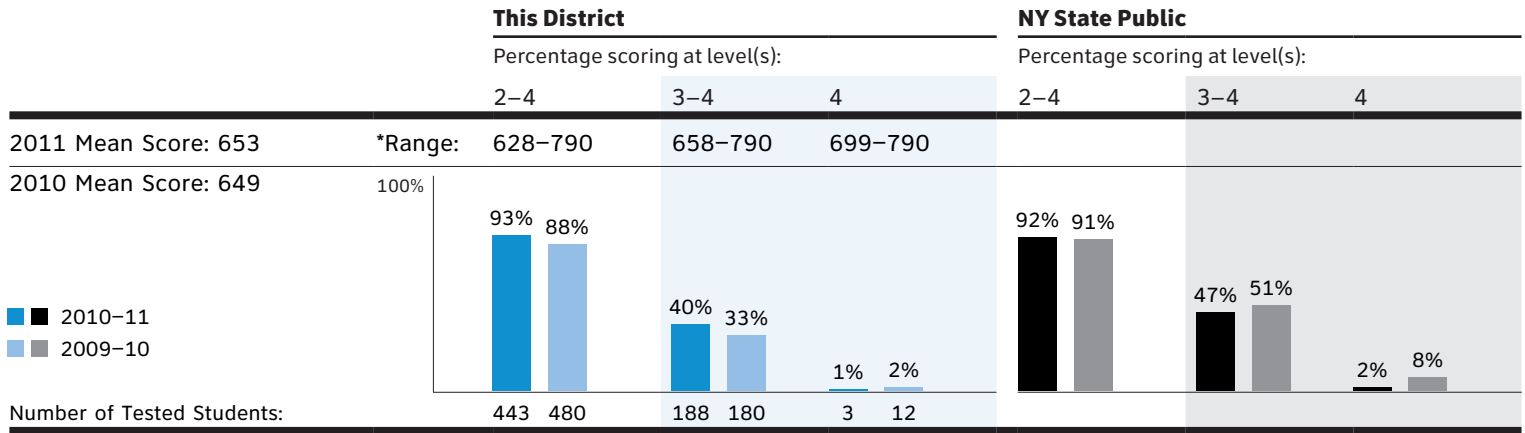
	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 School Year			
	Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):			Total Tested	Number scoring at level(s):		
		2-4	3-4	4		2-4	3-4	4
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 7 Equivalent	9	9	9	8	13	13	13	7

4 Overview of District Performance

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **40-08-00-01-0000**

This District's Results in Grade 8 English Language Arts



Results by Student Group

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	474	93%	40%	1%	544	88%	33%	2%
Female	230	94%	45%	1%	287	89%	40%	3%
Male	244	93%	34%	0%	257	88%	25%	2%
American Indian or Alaska Native	12	92%	42%	0%	26	81%	27%	0%
Black or African American	195	90%	26%	0%	221	85%	20%	0%
Hispanic or Latino	17	94%	29%	0%	14	79%	21%	0%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	6	-	-	-	11	-	-	-
White	243	96%	51%	1%	270	92%	44%	4%
Multiracial	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Small Group Totals	7	100%	57%	0%	13	100%	38%	0%
General-Education Students	401	97%	45%	1%	445	95%	40%	3%
Students with Disabilities	73	74%	10%	0%	99	59%	3%	0%
English Proficient	468	94%	40%	1%	539	89%	33%	2%
Limited English Proficient	6	83%	17%	0%	5	40%	0%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	291	91%	32%	0%	349	85%	26%	1%
Not Disadvantaged	183	97%	51%	2%	195	93%	46%	4%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	474	93%	40%	1%	544	88%	33%	2%

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Other Assessments

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	17	17	17	17	7	7	7	7
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
Total					Total			
Recently Arrived LEP Students NOT Tested on the ELA NYSTP: Grade 8	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	N/A

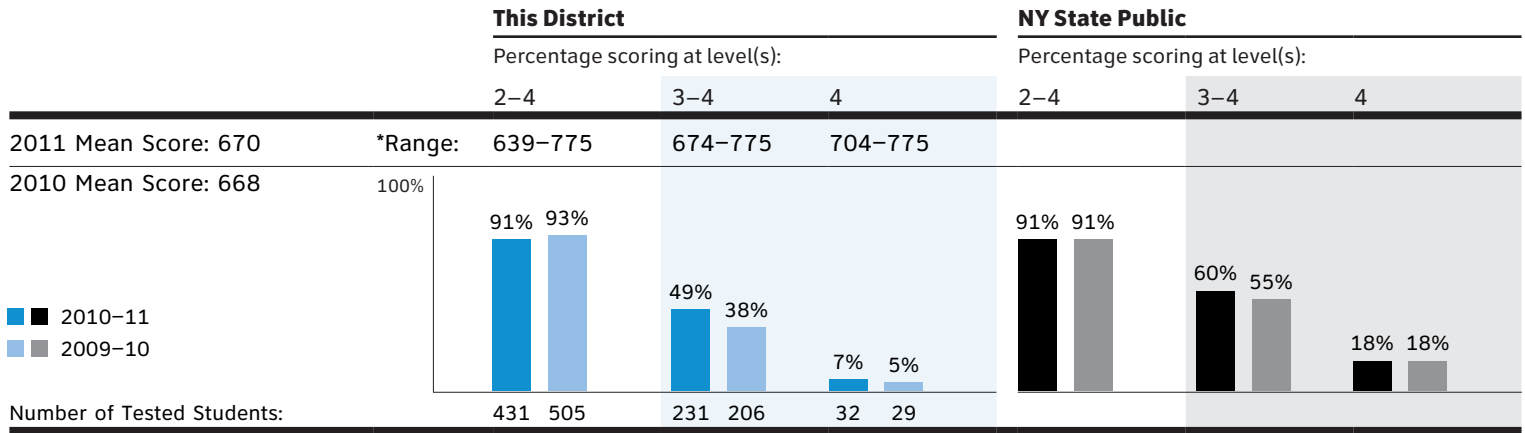
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4 Overview of District Performance

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **40-08-00-01-0000**

This District's Results in Grade 8 Mathematics



Results by Student Group

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	473	91%	49%	7%	542	93%	38%	5%
Female	231	90%	48%	7%	286	95%	38%	6%
Male	242	92%	49%	6%	256	91%	38%	5%
American Indian or Alaska Native	10	100%	70%	30%	24	92%	38%	0%
Black or African American	196	86%	33%	2%	222	90%	26%	2%
Hispanic or Latino	17	88%	47%	0%	14	93%	29%	7%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	6	-	-	-	11	-	-	-
White	243	95%	61%	11%	269	96%	47%	8%
Multiracial	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Small Group Totals	7	100%	43%	0%	13	100%	69%	15%
General-Education Students	400	94%	55%	8%	443	96%	44%	7%
Students with Disabilities	73	75%	14%	0%	99	82%	10%	0%
English Proficient	467	91%	49%	7%	537	93%	38%	5%
Limited English Proficient	6	67%	0%	0%	5	80%	20%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	289	90%	45%	4%	347	93%	30%	2%
Not Disadvantaged	184	92%	55%	11%	195	93%	52%	11%
Migrant								
Not Migrant	473	91%	49%	7%	542	93%	38%	5%

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Other Assessments

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 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	17	17	16	16	7	7	7	5

4 Overview of District Performance

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **40-08-00-01-0000**

This District's Results in Grade 8 Science

This District

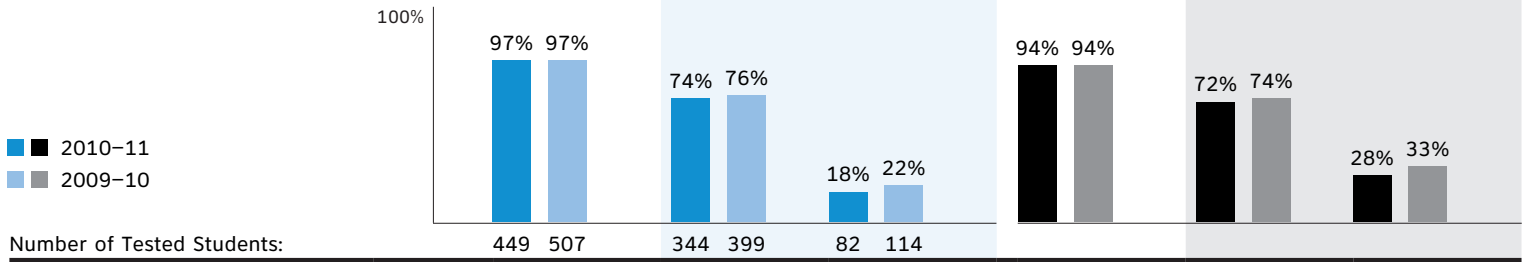
Percentage scoring at level(s):

2-4 3-4 4

NY State Public

Percentage scoring at level(s):

2-4 3-4 4



Number of Tested Students:

449 507 344 399 82 114

Results by Student Group

2010-11 School Year

Total Tested Percentage scoring at level(s):
2-4 3-4 4

2009-10 School Year

Total Tested Percentage scoring at level(s):
2-4 3-4 4

	2010-11 School Year				2009-10 School Year			
	Total Tested	2-4	3-4	4	Total Tested	2-4	3-4	4
All Students	333	95%	65%	8%	435	96%	71%	16%
Female	159	96%	60%	8%	223	95%	71%	13%
Male	174	95%	69%	7%	212	97%	72%	20%
American Indian or Alaska Native	7	-	-	-	18	100%	61%	6%
Black or African American	162	94%	54%	5%	195	94%	64%	7%
Hispanic or Latino	13	92%	46%	0%	11	82%	45%	18%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	4	-	-	-	8	-	-	-
White	147	98%	77%	12%	202	98%	80%	26%
Multiracial	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Small Group Totals	11	91%	73%	0%	9	100%	78%	11%
General-Education Students	264	97%	68%	9%	341	99%	79%	20%
Students with Disabilities	69	90%	51%	1%	94	87%	44%	2%
English Proficient	328	96%	65%	8%	430	97%	72%	17%
Limited English Proficient	5	60%	20%	0%	5	60%	0%	0%
Economically Disadvantaged	226	95%	63%	6%	303	96%	70%	14%
Not Disadvantaged	107	97%	67%	11%	132	97%	73%	21%
Migrant	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not Migrant	333	95%	65%	8%	435	96%	71%	16%

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Other Assessments

2010-11 School Year

Total Tested Number scoring at level(s):
2-4 3-4 4

2009-10 School Year

Total Tested Number scoring at level(s):
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	2010-11	2009-10
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA): Grade 8 Equivalent	17	7
Regents Science	132	90

4 Overview of District Performance

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

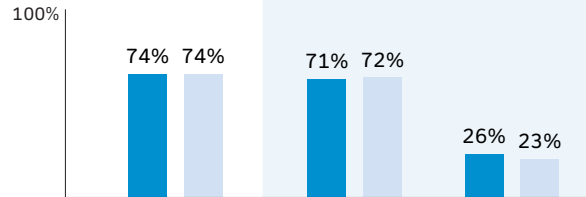
District ID **40-08-00-01-0000**

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

This District

Percentage scoring at level(s):

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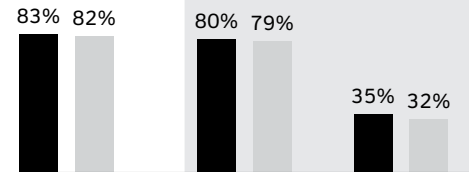


■ 2007 Cohort
■ 2006 Cohort

NY State Public

Percentage scoring at level(s):

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Results by Student Group

	2007 Cohort				2006 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	605	74%	71%	26%	653	74%	72%	23%
Female	276	80%	78%	30%	326	78%	75%	27%
Male	329	68%	65%	24%	327	70%	69%	18%
American Indian or Alaska Native	20	55%	55%	15%	20	70%	65%	25%
Black or African American	205	70%	66%	15%	234	69%	65%	12%
Hispanic or Latino	19	53%	42%	21%	16	69%	69%	0%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	14	-	-	-	12	-	-	-
White	346	77%	76%	34%	368	77%	76%	29%
Multiracial	1	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
Small Group Totals	15	80%	80%	33%	15	93%	93%	40%
General-Education Students	485	79%	77%	32%	542	81%	80%	27%
Students with Disabilities	120	51%	47%	6%	111	42%	35%	2%
English Proficient	598	74%	71%	27%	651	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient	7	71%	57%	0%	2	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged	254	78%	75%	21%	285	71%	69%	18%
Not Disadvantaged	351	71%	68%	30%	368	76%	74%	26%
Migrant								
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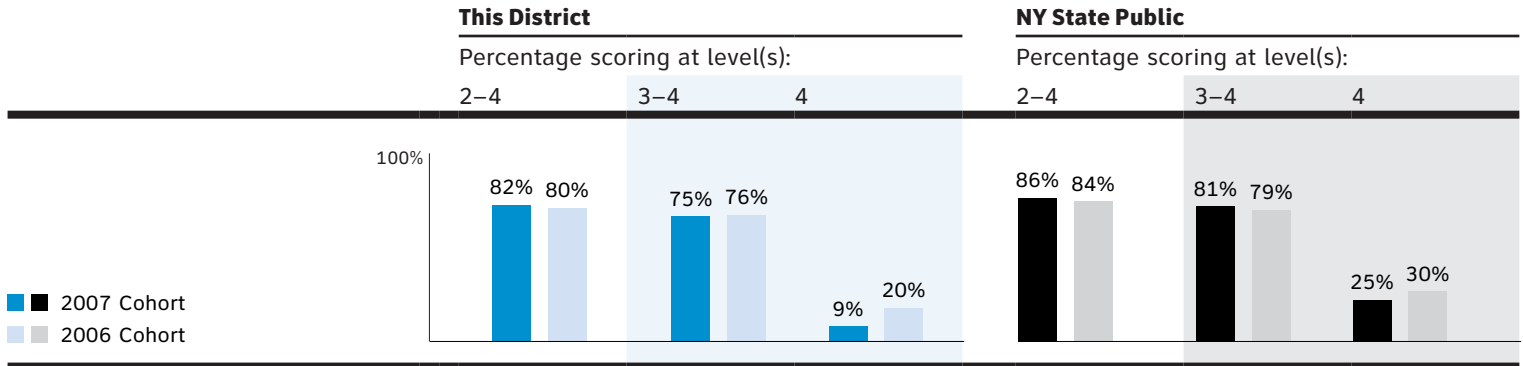
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4 Overview of District Performance

District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **40-08-00-01-0000**

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



Results by Student Group

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