

Another Look at the Data:

Bergen County District Factor Group and State Comparison of Spring 2022 NJSLA Data



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Bergen County Comparison Districts

(Based on Previous Designation as an "I" District)

- Allendale (K-8)
- Alpine (K-8)
- Cresskill (K-12)
- Closter (K-8)
- Demarest (K-8)
- Englewood Cliffs (K-8)
- Franklin Lakes (K-8)
- Harrington Park (K-8)
- Haworth (K-8)
- Mahwah (K-12)
- Montvale (K-8)
- Norwood (K-8)
- Oakland (K-8)
- Old Tappan (K-8)
- Oradell (K-6)
- Park Ridge (K-12)
- Ramsey (K-12)
- River Edge (K-6)
- River Vale (K-8)
- Tenafly (K-12)
- Wyckoff (K-8)

There are 21 Districts in our comparison group comprised of 38 schools with 3rd grades, 35 schools with 4th and 5th grades and 23 schools with 6th grade.

Cohort Growth Report

As a District, we typically look at how a cohort performed across time. However, since the NJSLA was not administered for two years, we only have prior data for last year's 6th graders.

Language Arts

RANK BY DISTRICT PASSING RATE

	<i>2018-2019</i>	<i>2019-2020</i>	<i>2020-2021</i>	<i>2021-2022</i>
<i>Class of 2022</i> (Current 7th Graders)	12th out of 21 Districts	No Test Administered	No Test Administered	5th out of 21 Districts

Mathematics

RANK BY DISTRICT PASSING RATE

	<i>2018-2019</i>	<i>2019-2020</i>	<i>2020-2021</i>	<i>2021-2022</i>
<i>Class of 2022</i> (Current 7th Graders)	19th out of 21 Districts	No Test Administered	No Test Administered	8th out of 21 Districts

*Passing on the NJSLA requires that a student has attained either a Level 4 (Met Expectations) or a Level 5 (Exceeded Expectations).

All Students

Performance Compared to Similar Bergen County Districts

Based on Percent Passing

	Mathematics	Language Arts	Science
3rd Grade <i>(Current 4th Graders)</i>	5th <i>out of 21 Districts</i>	8th <i>out of 21 Districts</i>	NA
4th Grade <i>(Current 5th Graders)</i>	9th <i>out of 21 Districts</i>	7th <i>out of 21 Districts</i>	NA
5th Grade <i>(Current 6th Graders)</i>	7th <i>out of 21 Districts</i>	7th <i>out of 21 Districts</i>	4th <i>out of 21 Districts</i>
6th Grade <i>(Current 7th Graders)</i>	8th <i>out of 21 Districts</i>	5th <i>out of 21 Districts</i>	NA

Students with Disabilities

Performance Compared to Similar Bergen County Districts

Based on Percent Passing

	Mathematics	Language Arts	Science
3rd Grade <i>(Current 4th Graders)</i>	3rd <i>out of 13 Districts</i>	3rd <i>out of 13 Districts</i>	NA
4th Grade <i>(Current 5th Graders)</i>	4th <i>out of 17 Districts</i>	3rd <i>out of 17 Districts</i>	NA
5th Grade <i>(Current 6th Graders)</i>	1st <i>out of 16 Districts</i>	5th <i>out of 16 Districts</i>	2nd <i>out of 17 Districts</i>
6th Grade <i>(Current 7th Graders)</i>	3rd <i>out of 17 Districts</i>	3rd <i>out of 17 Districts</i>	NA

Performance Compared to Similar Bergen County Districts And the State as a Whole

Scale scores on the ELA/Math assessments go from 650 - 850 with passing being a 750.
On the Science assessment, passing is a 200 with the scale score going from 100 - 300.

Based on Scale Score

	Mathematics		Language Arts		Science	
	<i>Compared to Bergen County Districts</i>	<i>Compared to Districts Across the State</i>	<i>Compared to Bergen County Districts</i>	<i>Compared to Districts Across the State</i>	<i>Compared to Bergen County Districts</i>	<i>Compared to Districts Across the State</i>
3rd Grade <i>(Current 4th Graders)</i>	6th <i>out of 21</i>	26th <i>out of 561</i>	6th <i>out of 21</i>	32nd <i>out of 561</i>	NA	NA
4th Grade <i>(Current 5th Graders)</i>	8th <i>out of 21</i>	31st <i>out of 564</i>	10th <i>out of 21</i>	40th <i>out of 564</i>	NA	NA
5th Grade <i>(Current 6th Graders)</i>	5th <i>out of 21</i>	16th <i>out of 560</i>	2nd <i>out of 21</i>	10th <i>out of 558</i>	4th <i>out of 21</i>	9th <i>out of 559</i>
6th Grade <i>(Current 7th Graders)</i>	7th <i>out of 21</i>	29th <i>out of 551</i>	3rd <i>out of 21</i>	9th <i>out of 551</i>	NA	NA

*When comparing to districts across the state, tie scores were not taken into account. Ranking was done using the order from this [chart](#) from nj.com.

Notable Achievements and Next Steps

- We are showing consistently strong performance across subject areas and grade levels, ranking in the top half of our Bergen County comparison group.
- Our scale scores confirm that overall we are doing well and that many of our students who are not passing are close.
- We will continue to use data to inform instruction and design programming to meet identified needs.
- We will celebrate where we are and continue to strive to be a little bit better each day.

