

The University of the State of New York  
**The State Education Department**



**ANALYSES BY STUDENT SUBGROUP OF SCHOOL  
PERFORMANCE IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS  
AND MATHEMATICS**

**for  
White Plains Middle School  
in  
White Plains City School District**

Historically, on State assessments the average performance of Black, Hispanic, and Native American students has been lower than that of White and Asian students. Similarly, students from low-income families have not performed as well as those from higher income families. A high priority of the Board of Regents is to eliminate these gaps in student performance. In addition, Title 1 of the federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act includes explicit requirements "to ensure that students served by Title 1 are given the same opportunity to achieve to high standards and are held to the same high expectations as all students in each State." Beginning with this school report card, New York State will report performance data by gender, disability status, racial/ethnic group, English proficiency status, migrant status, and income level. Only high schools that received Title 1 funding have reports showing performance data by gender, racial/ethnic group, migrant status, and income level.

The purpose of the analyses on the following pages is to determine if students who perform below the standards in this school tend to fall into particular groups, such as minority students, English language learners, or economically disadvantaged students. If these analyses provide evidence that students in one of the groups achieve at a lower level than other students, the school and community should examine the reasons for this lower performance and make necessary changes in curriculum, instruction and student support services to remedy these performance gaps.

It is important that programmatic changes be based on valid and reliable data. If a school does not have 20 students in a group in a given year, the school should evaluate results for students in this group over a period of years to make programmatic decisions. To protect the privacy of students, the Department's policy is never to publish data for groups with fewer than five students, nor to publish data that would allow readers to easily determine the performance of a group smaller than five. If the number of students in small group racial/ethnic groups exceeds four, the aggregate performance of students in these groups is shown in the last row (Small Group Totals) of Results by Race/Ethnicity.

# Middle-Level English Language Arts

A description of the performance levels and summary results for all general-education students and all students with disabilities can be found in the *Overview* of the New York State Report Card.

Student Subgroup	Counts of Students								Percentages of Tested Students	
	Not Tested			Tested					Level 2-4	Level 3-4
	ALT	ELL	No Valid Score	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4	Total		
<b>Results by Race/Ethnicity</b>										
American Indian/Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%	0%
Black	4	1	1	21	58	34	6	119	82%	34%
Hispanic	3	36	3	19	69	44	8	140	86%	37%
Asian or Pacific Islander	1	2	0	0	3	2	11	16	100%	81%
White	2	2	1	1	52	90	62	205	100%	74%
Total	10	41	5	41	182	170	87	480	91%	54%
Small Group Totals (s)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%	0%
<b>Results by Gender</b>										
Female	4	18	3	17	79	77	62	235	93%	59%
Male	6	23	2	24	103	93	25	245	90%	48%
Total	10	41	5	41	182	170	87	480	91%	54%
<b>Results by English Proficiency Status</b>										
English Proficient	9	0	5	s	s	s	s	476	s	s
Limited English Proficient	1	41	0	s	s	s	s	4	s	s
Total	10	41	5	41	182	170	87	480	91%	54%
<b>Results by Income Level</b>										
Economically Disadvantaged	5	34	5	30	90	50	8	178	83%	33%
Not Disadvantaged	5	7	0	11	92	120	79	302	96%	66%
Total	10	41	5	41	182	170	87	480	91%	54%
<b>Results by Migrant Status</b>										
Migrant Family	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%	0%
Not Migrant Family	10	41	5	41	182	170	87	480	91%	54%
Total	10	41	5	41	182	170	87	480	91%	54%

**Note.** ALT designates severely disabled students eligible for the New York State Alternate Assessment; ELL designates English language learners eligible for an alternative assessment of proficiency in reading English; and No Valid Score designates students who did not receive a valid test score because of absence from all or part of the test or because the test was administered under nonstandard conditions.

# Middle-Level Mathematics

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Student Subgroup	Counts of Students								Percentages of Tested Students	
	Not Tested			Tested					Level 2-4	Level 3-4
	ALT	ELL	No Valid Score	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4	Total		
<b>Results by Race/Ethnicity</b>										
American Indian/Alaskan Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%	0%
Black	4	0	0	40	54	28	0	122	67%	23%
Hispanic	3	0	2	54	72	48	3	177	69%	29%
Asian or Pacific Islander	1	2	0	1	2	7	6	16	94%	81%
White	2	2	1	9	39	109	48	205	96%	77%
Total	10	4	3	104	167	192	57	520	80%	48%
Small Group Totals (s)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%	0%
<b>Results by Gender</b>										
Female	4	2	3	42	90	92	28	252	83%	48%
Male	6	2	0	62	77	100	29	268	77%	48%
Total	10	4	3	104	167	192	57	520	80%	48%
<b>Results by English Proficiency Status</b>										
English Proficient	9	0	3	74	157	191	57	479	85%	52%
Limited English Proficient	1	4	0	30	10	1	0	41	27%	2%
Total	10	4	3	104	167	192	57	520	80%	48%
<b>Results by Income Level</b>										
Economically Disadvantaged	5	2	2	72	87	53	1	213	66%	25%
Not Disadvantaged	5	2	1	32	80	139	56	307	90%	64%
Total	10	4	3	104	167	192	57	520	80%	48%
<b>Results by Migrant Status</b>										
Migrant Family	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%	0%
Not Migrant Family	10	4	3	104	167	192	57	520	80%	48%
Total	10	4	3	104	167	192	57	520	80%	48%

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