



School Report



Assessments of Reading, Writing and Mathematics
Primary Division (Grades 1–3) and Junior Division (Grades 4–6), 2012–2013

School: Our Lady of Sorrows Sep S (748382)
Board: Toronto Catholic District School Board (67059)

On behalf of EQAO, I am pleased to provide you with the results of the 2012–2013 Assessments of Reading, Writing and Mathematics for the primary division (Grades 1–3) and junior division (Grades 4–6).

This report provides the 2013 school and board results as well as results for previous years, so you can track progress over time. You'll also find demographic and attitudinal information about schools, which provides context for a deeper analysis of the achievement results.

By assessing all students in our education system at key stages in their schooling, EQAO is able to provide reliable and objective data at the individual student, school and board levels. EQAO data continue to inform board improvement planning strategies and provide important evidence of learning at the local school level. This evidence helps educators and parents engage in meaningful conversations about student achievement. The data also allow school communities to identify strengths and opportunities for improvement so they can continue to make evidence-based decisions in their planning.

We continue to advocate the use of EQAO data in combination with classroom-generated results and other information sources to develop strategies and action plans that will make a measurable difference in learning outcomes.

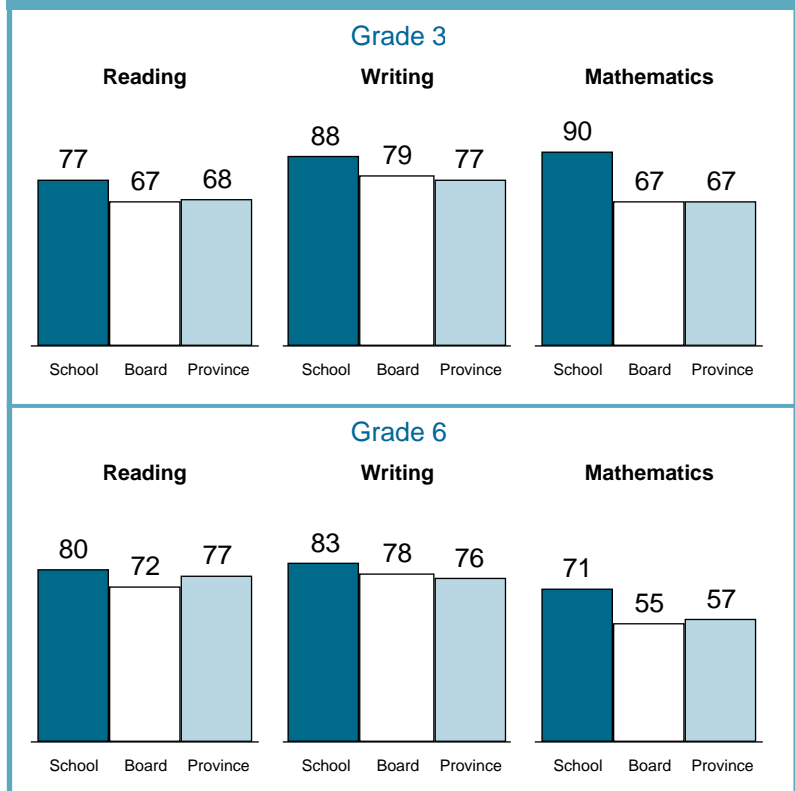
At EQAO, we are pleased to continue our partnership with you as you help students reach their full potential. I trust you will continue to find our reports to be a rich source of information as you turn knowledge into action for the benefit of your students and community.

Sincerely,

Bruce Rodrigues
 Chief Executive Officer
 Education Quality and Accountability Office

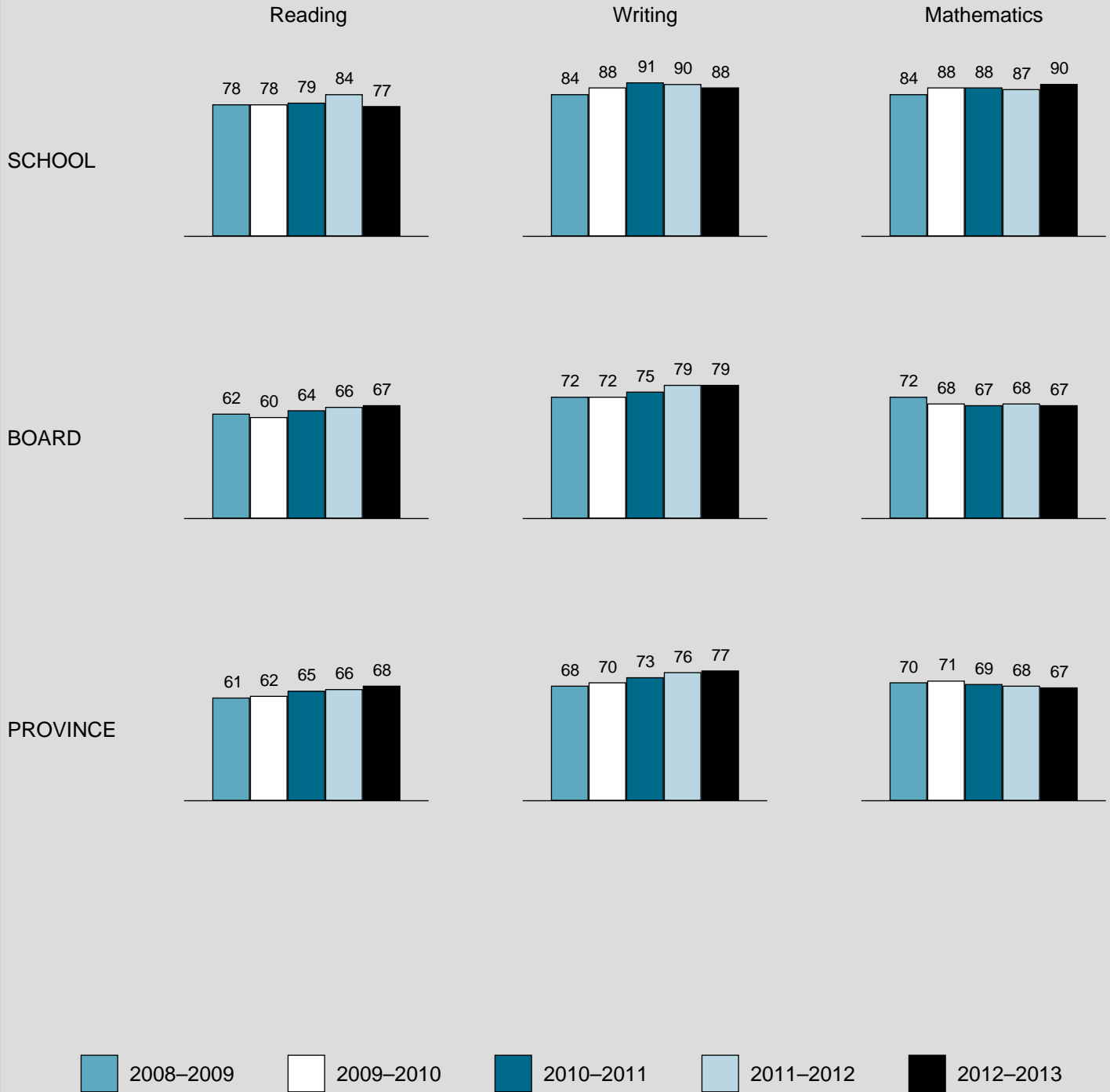
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PERCENTAGE OF ALL STUDENTS AT OR ABOVE THE PROVINCIAL STANDARD (LEVELS 3 AND 4), 2012–2013



RESULTS FOR ALL STUDENTS AT OR ABOVE THE PROVINCIAL STANDARD (LEVELS 3 AND 4) OVER TIME

Percentage of Students: Grade 3

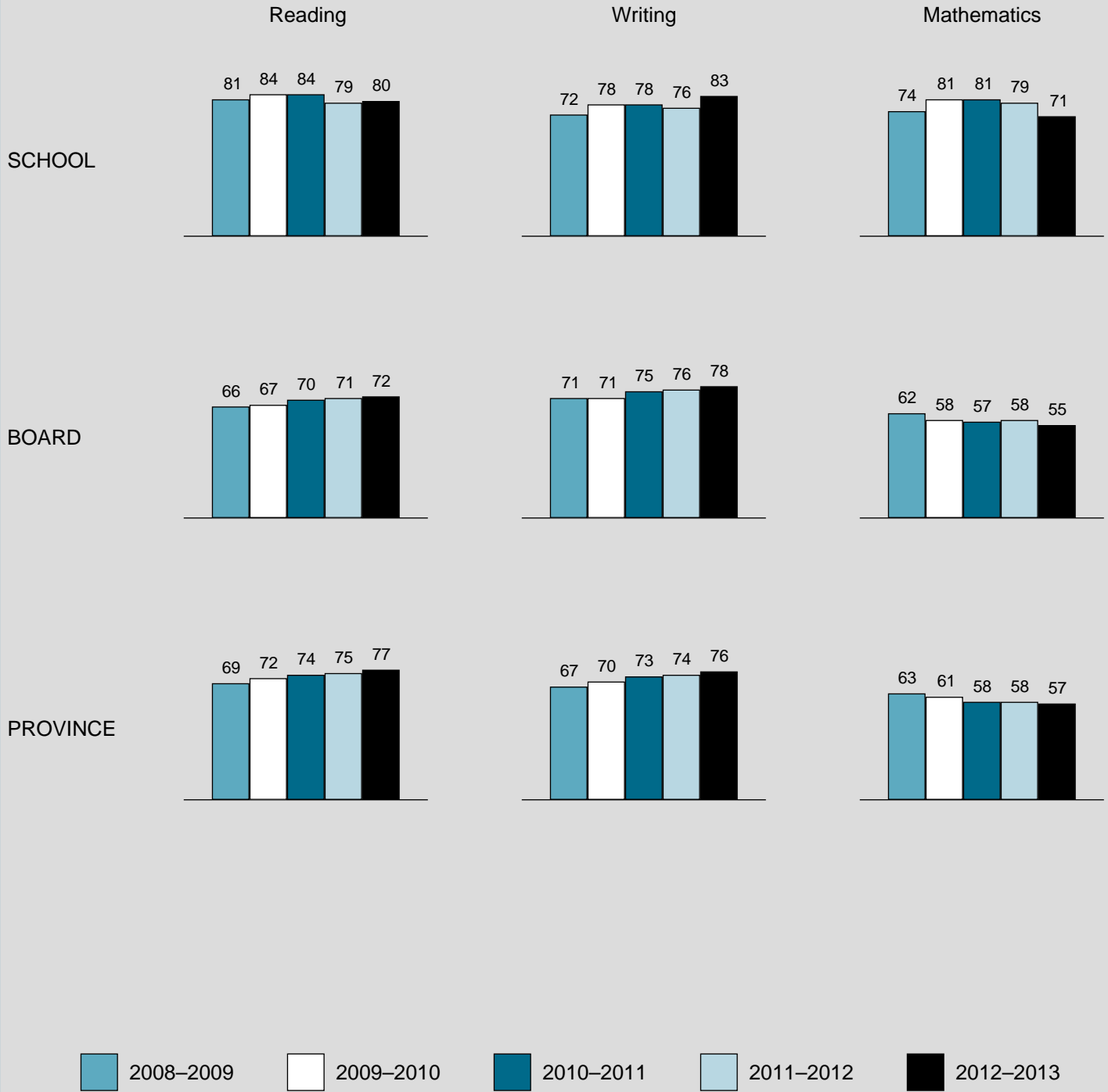


Total Number of Grade 3 Students

	<u>2008-2009</u>	<u>2009-2010</u>	<u>2010-2011</u>	<u>2011-2012</u>	<u>2012-2013</u>
School	68	64	66	82	69
Board	5 960	6 293	5 857	6 063	5 903
Province	125 481	127 789	124 117	126 455	127 645

RESULTS FOR ALL STUDENTS AT OR ABOVE THE PROVINCIAL STANDARD (LEVELS 3 AND 4) OVER TIME

Percentage of Students: Grade 6



Total Number of Grade 6 Students

	<u>2008-2009</u>	<u>2009-2010</u>	<u>2010-2011</u>	<u>2011-2012</u>	<u>2012-2013</u>
School	78	73	80	78	76
Board	6 756	6 507	6 654	6 384	6 523
Province	136 076	134 294	132 308	129 477	131 589

TIPS

Each school or board is unique. To appreciate the distinctive character of a school or board, look at the contextual information to understand the features and characteristics of the community it serves.



Every assessment captures the performance of students at one point in time each year. Consider the results along with other information about students' achievement in reading, writing and mathematics.



Exercise caution when interpreting results for small schools or boards. Results may vary considerably from year to year, and differences may look exaggerated. For example, in a school of 20 students, a difference of 10% represents only two students.



Trends may be difficult to identify or to interpret. This is especially true in small schools or boards, or in schools where there is a high turnover in the student population.



EQAO values students' privacy. Results are not reported publicly for schools where fewer than 10 students fully participated in 2012-2013, or fewer than 15 students fully participated prior to 2012-2013 because it might be possible to identify individual students.

ABOUT THIS SCHOOL OR BOARD REPORT

This report shows how well students have met curriculum expectations to the end of the Primary Division and the end of the Junior Division. Students complete a set of test booklets that allow them to show what they have learned in reading, writing and mathematics. The assessments are based on *The Ontario Curriculum*.

This report includes

- ◆ results for this year
- ◆ a comparison of results of the current and previous administrations to aid in monitoring improvement
- ◆ information about the characteristics of the students who participated
- ◆ summary graphs showing the percentage of students achieving the provincial standard in reading, writing and mathematics
- ◆ detailed tables and graphs showing results for all levels of achievement, results for gender and participation information
- ◆ student questionnaire results
- ◆ an explanation of all terms used in this report.

HOW TO USE THIS REPORT

- ◆ Examine the contextual information to understand the similarities and differences between the school, the board and the province; the board and the province. Consider the challenges that any differences might present.
- ◆ Examine the results for reading, writing and mathematics.
 - Are these results consistent with what you would expect?
 - How do the school results compare to the board and the province; the board results compare to the province?
 - How do these results compare over time?
 - What influence might students' attitudes have on student performance (refer to the questionnaire results)?
- ◆ Speak to school or board staff about the goals for school improvement related to reading, writing and mathematics.

The Education Quality and Accountability Office is an independent agency that gathers information about student achievement through province-wide assessments. Each year, all Grade 3 and Grade 6 students across Ontario take part in these assessments of reading, writing and mathematics. Individual results are reported to students and to parents and guardians. School, board and provincial results are released publicly.

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Assessments of Reading, Writing and Mathematics, Primary and Junior Divisions, 2012–2013

Contextual Information: Grade 3*

This information provides a context for interpreting the school's results.

Demographic Information	School		Board		Province	
Enrolment						
Number of Grade 3 students	69		5 903		127 645	
Number of classes with Grade 3 students	6		459		9 556	
Number of schools with Grade 3 classes	Not applicable		168		3 340	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Gender						
Female	37	54%	2 845	48%	61 888	48%
Male	32	46%	3 058	52%	65 757	52%
Gender not specified	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Student Status						
English language learners**	1	1%	584	10%	16 093	13%
Students with special education needs (excluding gifted)**	6	9%	1 042	18%	21 452	17%
Place of Birth						
Born in Canada	57	83%	4 874	83%	114 431	90%
Born outside Canada	12	17%	1 022	17%	13 081	10%
In Canada less than one year	0	0%	35	1%	786	1%
In Canada one year or more but less than three years	0	0%	281	5%	2 941	2%
In Canada three years or more	12	17%	705	12%	8 601	7%
Language						
First language learned at home was other than English	8	12%	1 813	31%	28 595	22%
Year Student Entered Current School						
Year of the assessment	1	1%	590	10%	17 108	13%
Year prior to the assessment	5	7%	549	9%	13 749	11%
2 years prior to the assessment	14	20%	730	12%	18 818	15%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	49	71%	4 031	68%	77 892	61%
Data not available	0	0%	3	<1%	78	<1%
Year Student Entered Current Board						
Year of the assessment	0	0%	321	5%	8 038	6%
Year prior to the assessment	3	4%	348	6%	7 422	6%
2 years prior to the assessment	12	17%	516	9%	11 069	9%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	54	78%	4 703	80%	98 569	77%
Data not available	0	0%	15	<1%	2 547	2%

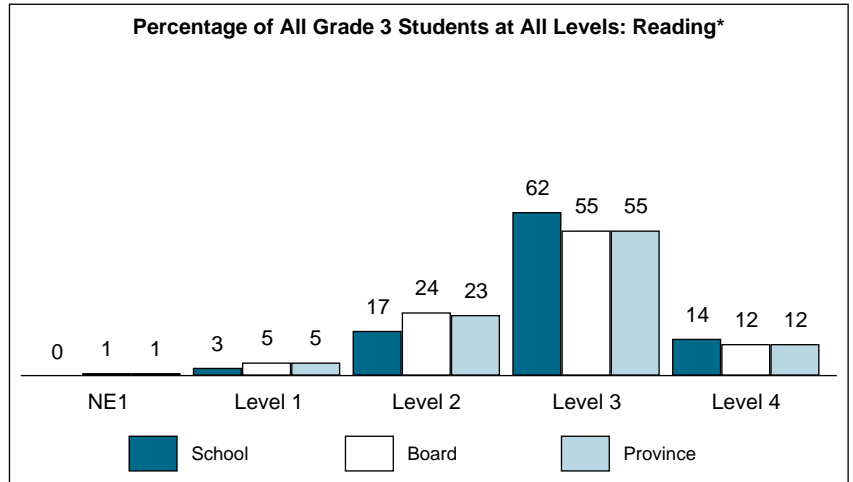
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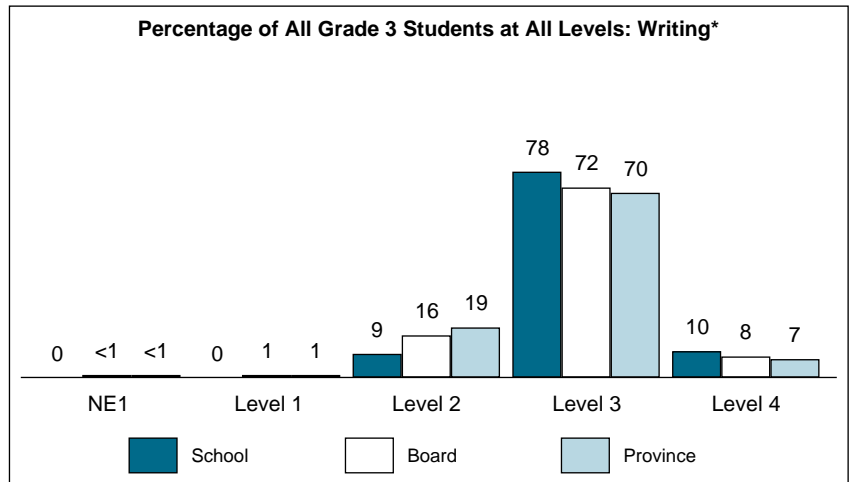
Results in Reading, Writing and Mathematics, 2012–2013

Grade 3: All Students^{††}

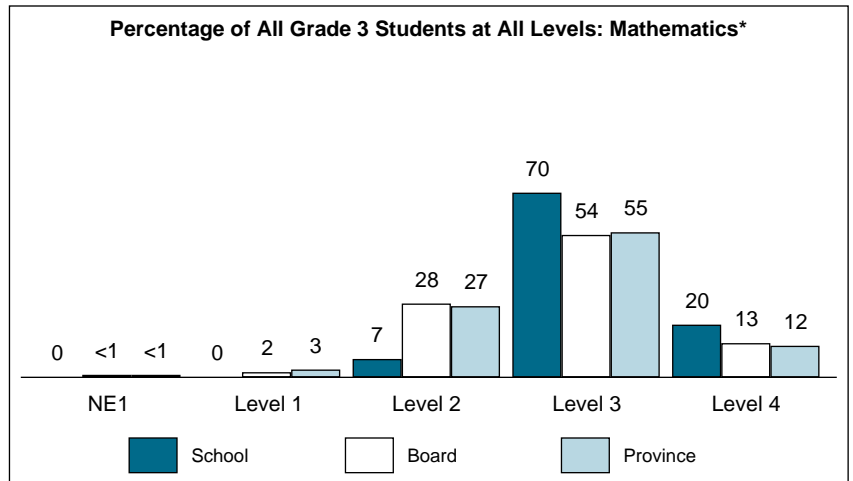
Grade 3: Reading*				
Number of Students	School 69		Board 5 692	Province 122 450
	#	%	%	%
Level 4	10	14%	12%	12%
Level 3	43	62%	55%	55%
Level 2	12	17%	24%	23%
Level 1	2	3%	5%	5%
NE1**	0	0%	1%	1%
Participating Students	67	97%	96%	97%
No Data	0	0%	<1%	1%
Exempt	2	3%	3%	3%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) †		77%	67%	68%



Grade 3: Writing*				
Number of Students	School 69		Board 5 693	Province 122 447
	#	%	%	%
Level 4	7	10%	8%	7%
Level 3	54	78%	72%	70%
Level 2	6	9%	16%	19%
Level 1	0	0%	1%	1%
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%
Participating Students	67	97%	97%	97%
No Data	0	0%	1%	1%
Exempt	2	3%	3%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) †		88%	79%	77%



Grade 3: Mathematics*				
Number of Students	School 69		Board 5 903	Province 127 633
	#	%	%	%
Level 4	14	20%	13%	12%
Level 3	48	70%	54%	55%
Level 2	5	7%	28%	27%
Level 1	0	0%	2%	3%
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%
Participating Students	67	97%	97%	97%
No Data	0	0%	1%	1%
Exempt	2	3%	3%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) †		90%	67%	67%



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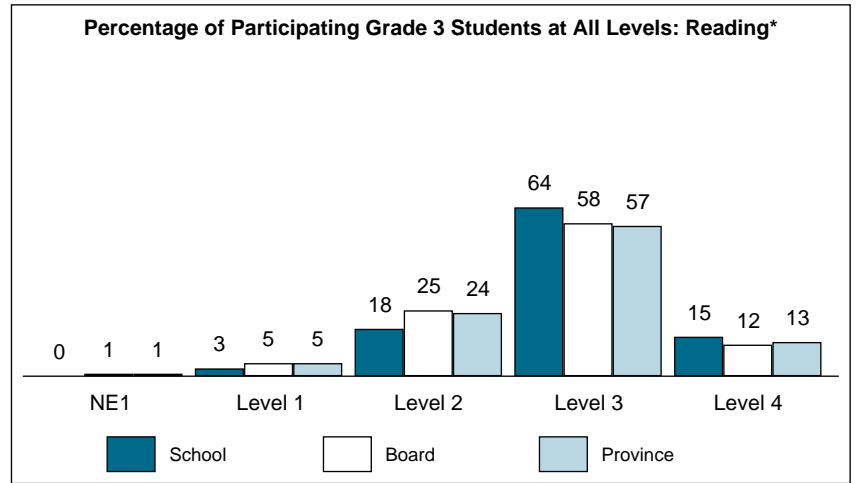
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†† Some French Immersion students do not write all components of the assessment in Grade 3; the numbers shown reflect those students who were expected to write each component as determined by the French Immersion participation option selected by boards.

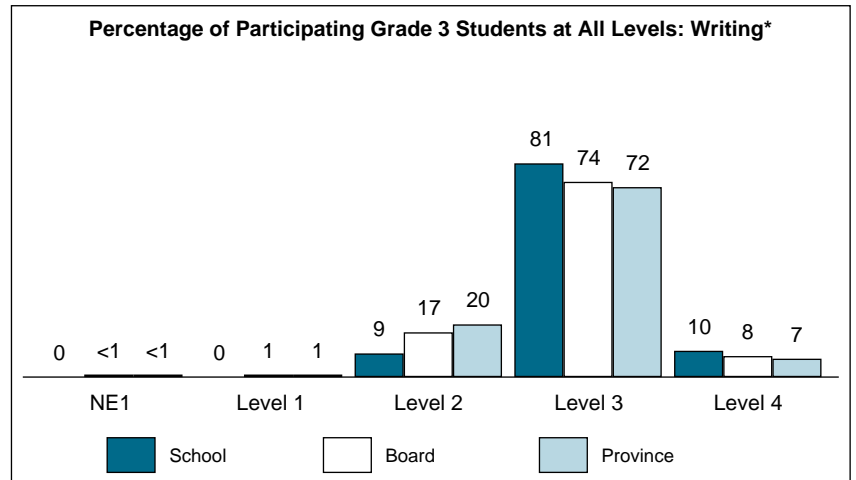
Results in Reading, Writing and Mathematics, 2012–2013

Grade 3: Participating Students (excludes “no data” and “exempt” categories)

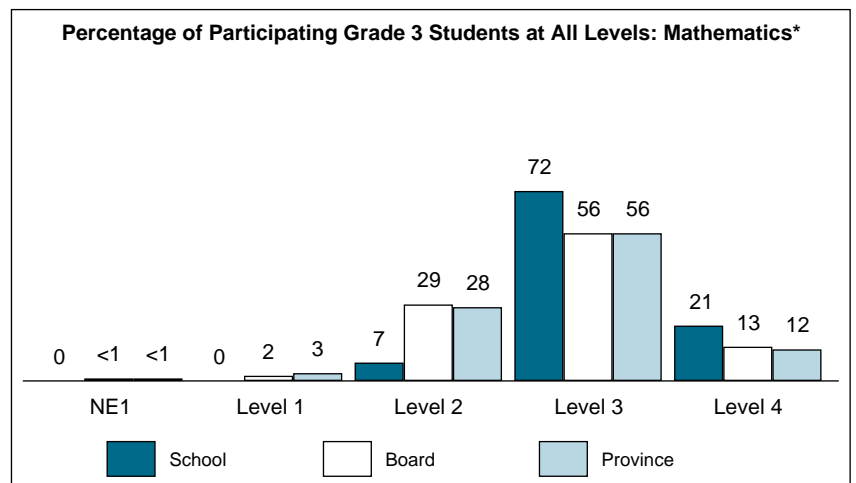
Grade 3: Reading*				
Number of Students	School 67		Board 5 488	Province 118 539
	#	%	%	%
Level 4	10	15%	12%	13%
Level 3	43	64%	58%	57%
Level 2	12	18%	25%	24%
Level 1	2	3%	5%	5%
NE1**	0	0%	1%	1%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4)†		79%	70%	70%



Grade 3: Writing*				
Number of Students	School 67		Board 5 502	Province 118 844
	#	%	%	%
Level 4	7	10%	8%	7%
Level 3	54	81%	74%	72%
Level 2	6	9%	17%	20%
Level 1	0	0%	1%	1%
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4)†		91%	82%	79%



Grade 3: Mathematics*				
Number of Students	School 67		Board 5 713	Province 123 907
	#	%	%	%
Level 4	14	21%	13%	12%
Level 3	48	72%	56%	56%
Level 2	5	7%	29%	28%
Level 1	0	0%	2%	3%
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4)†		93%	69%	69%



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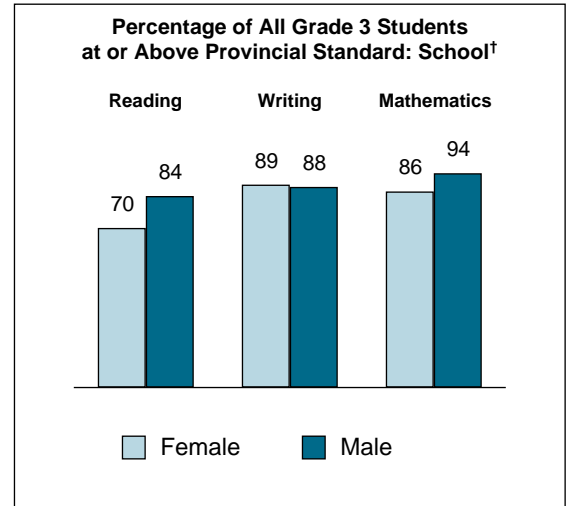
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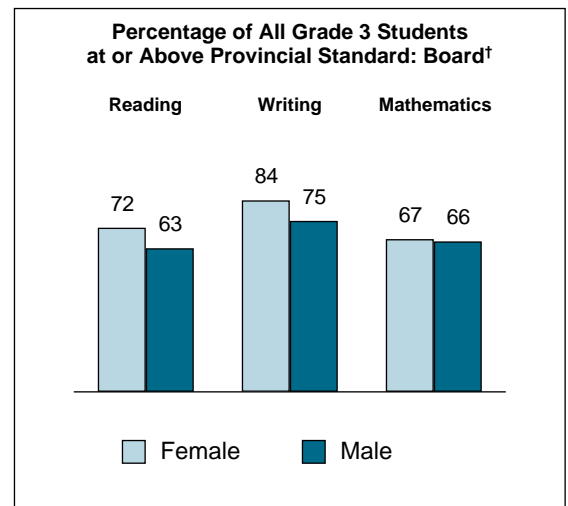
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Grade 3: Gender††

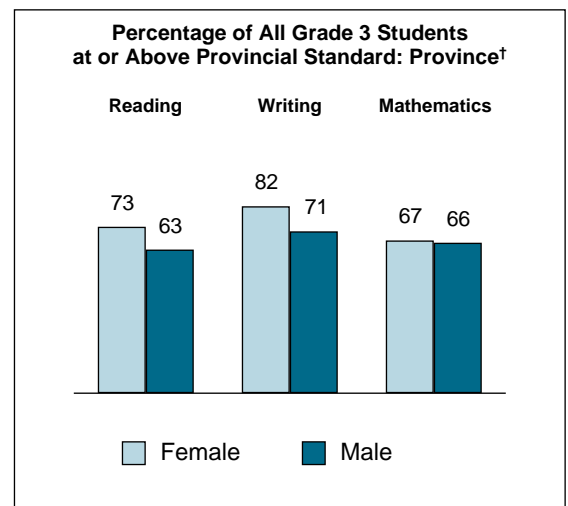
Grade 3: School*						
Number of Students	Reading		Writing		Mathematics	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
	37	32	37	32	37	32
Level 4	16%	12%	14%	6%	16%	25%
Level 3	54%	72%	76%	81%	70%	69%
Level 2	22%	12%	8%	9%	11%	3%
Level 1	5%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Participating Students	97%	97%	97%	97%	97%	97%
No Data	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Exempt	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4)†	70%	84%	89%	88%	86%	94%



Grade 3: Board*						
Number of Students	Reading		Writing		Mathematics	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
	2 735	2 957	2 735	2 958	2 845	3 058
Level 4	15%	9%	11%	5%	12%	13%
Level 3	57%	54%	73%	71%	55%	53%
Level 2	21%	27%	13%	20%	28%	28%
Level 1	4%	5%	<1%	1%	2%	2%
NE1**	<1%	1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
Participating Students	97%	96%	97%	96%	97%	96%
No Data	1%	<1%	1%	<1%	1%	<1%
Exempt	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%	3%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4)†	72%	63%	84%	75%	67%	66%



Grade 3: Province*						
Number of Students	Reading		Writing		Mathematics	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
	58 950	63 500	58 949	63 498	61 884	65 749
Level 4	16%	9%	9%	4%	12%	12%
Level 3	57%	54%	73%	67%	55%	54%
Level 2	20%	26%	15%	24%	27%	26%
Level 1	4%	6%	1%	1%	3%	3%
NE1**	1%	1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
Participating Students	98%	96%	98%	96%	98%	96%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Exempt	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4)†	73%	63%	82%	71%	67%	66%



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†† Results include only students for whom gender data were available.

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Contextual Information: Grade 6*

This information provides a context for interpreting the school's results.

Demographic Information	School		Board		Province	
Enrolment						
Number of Grade 6 students	76		6 523		131 589	
Number of classes with Grade 6 students	4		429		8 369	
Number of schools with Grade 6 classes	Not applicable		168		3 170	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Gender						
Female	31	41%	3 190	49%	64 062	49%
Male	45	59%	3 332	51%	67 518	51%
Gender not specified	0	0%	1	<1%	9	<1%
Student Status						
English language learners**	1	1%	747	11%	12 398	9%
Students with special education needs (excluding gifted)**	13	17%	1 347	21%	26 858	20%
Place of Birth						
Born in Canada	69	91%	5 076	78%	115 276	88%
Born outside Canada	7	9%	1 440	22%	16 211	12%
In Canada less than one year	0	0%	57	1%	680	1%
In Canada one year or more but less than three years	1	1%	345	5%	2 672	2%
In Canada three years or more	6	8%	1 037	16%	12 083	9%
Language						
First language learned at home was other than English	1	1%	2 312	35%	28 985	22%
Year Student Entered Current School						
Year of the assessment	6	8%	606	9%	29 049	22%
Year prior to the assessment	3	4%	549	8%	12 770	10%
2 years prior to the assessment	8	11%	506	8%	12 004	9%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	59	78%	4 853	74%	77 673	59%
Data not available	0	0%	9	<1%	93	<1%
Year Student Entered Current Board						
Year of the assessment	6	8%	335	5%	7 016	5%
Year prior to the assessment	3	4%	292	4%	6 612	5%
2 years prior to the assessment	4	5%	320	5%	6 188	5%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	63	83%	5 554	85%	107 666	82%
Data not available	0	0%	22	<1%	4 107	3%

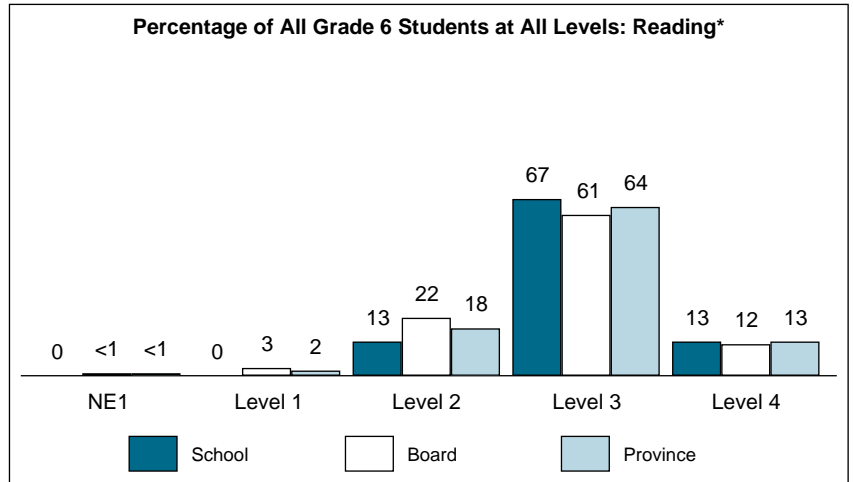
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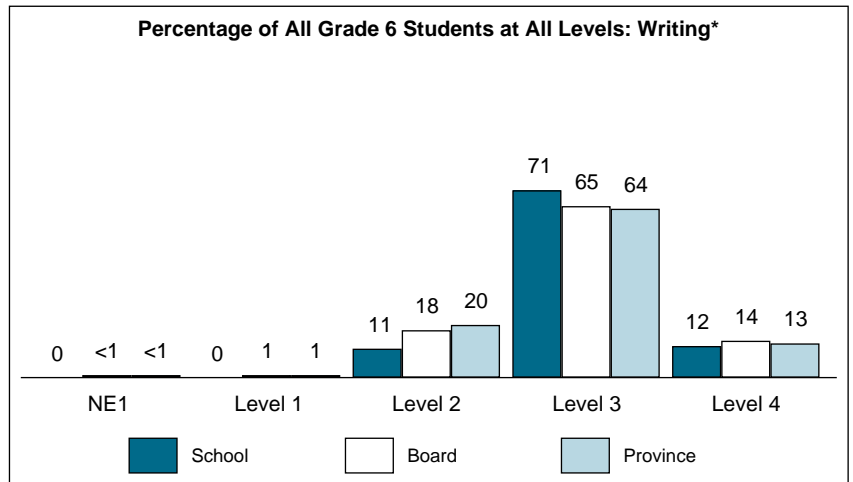
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Grade 6: All Students

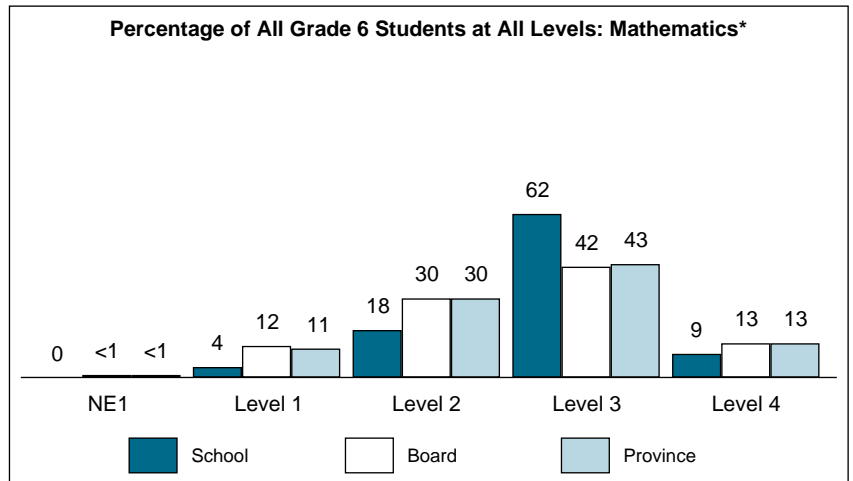
Grade 6: Reading*				
Number of Students	School 76		Board 6 519	Province 131 514
	#	%	%	%
Level 4	10	13%	12%	13%
Level 3	51	67%	61%	64%
Level 2	10	13%	22%	18%
Level 1	0	0%	3%	2%
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%
Participating Students	71	93%	97%	98%
No Data	5	7%	<1%	<1%
Exempt	0	0%	2%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) †	80%		72%	77%



Grade 6: Writing*				
Number of Students	School 76		Board 6 519	Province 131 504
	#	%	%	%
Level 4	9	12%	14%	13%
Level 3	54	71%	65%	64%
Level 2	8	11%	18%	20%
Level 1	0	0%	1%	1%
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%
Participating Students	71	93%	97%	98%
No Data	5	7%	<1%	<1%
Exempt	0	0%	2%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) †	83%		78%	76%



Grade 6: Mathematics*				
Number of Students	School 76		Board 6 521	Province 131 543
	#	%	%	%
Level 4	7	9%	13%	13%
Level 3	47	62%	42%	43%
Level 2	14	18%	30%	30%
Level 1	3	4%	12%	11%
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%
Participating Students	71	93%	97%	97%
No Data	5	7%	1%	1%
Exempt	0	0%	2%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) †	71%		55%	57%



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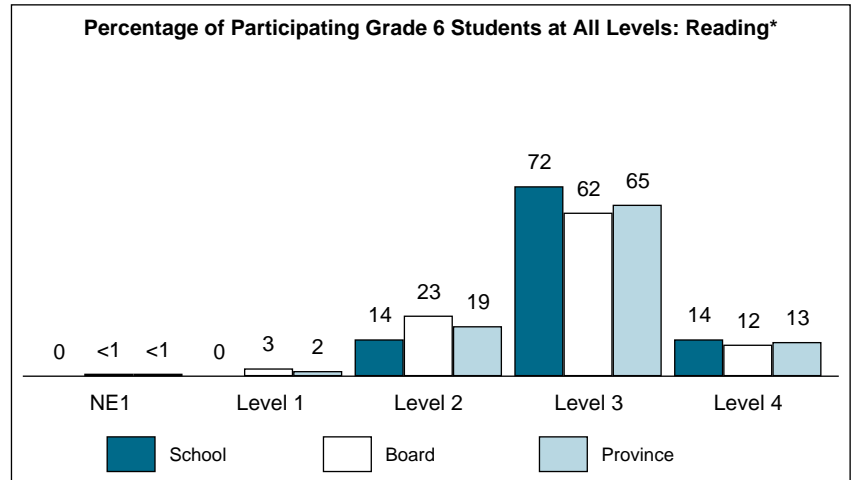
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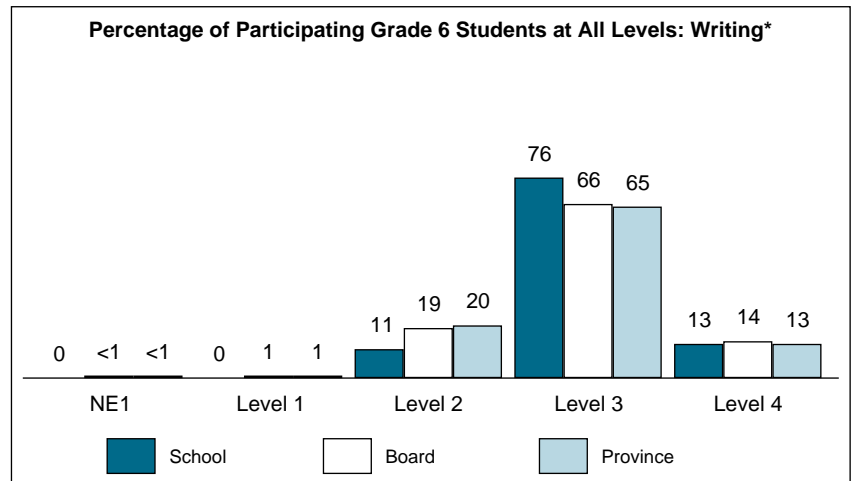
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Grade 6: Participating Students (excludes “no data” and “exempt” categories)

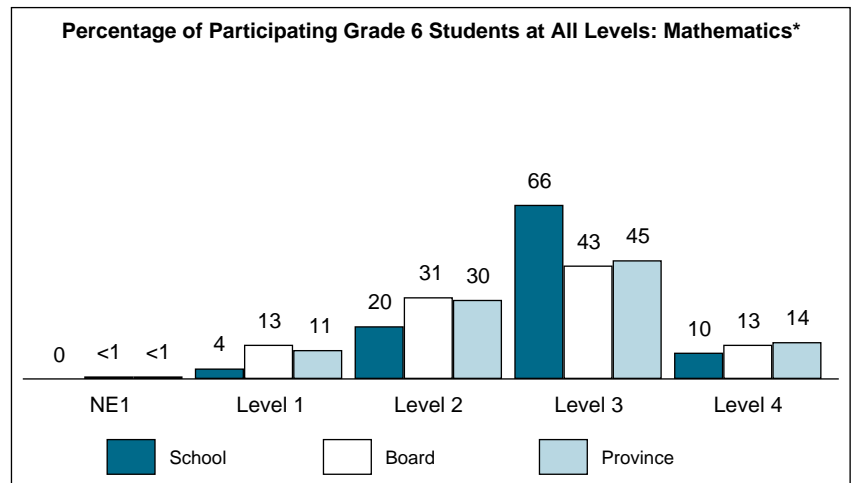
Grade 6: Reading*				
Number of Students	School 71		Board 6 350	Province 128 393
	#	%	%	%
Level 4	10	14%	12%	13%
Level 3	51	72%	62%	65%
Level 2	10	14%	23%	19%
Level 1	0	0%	3%	2%
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) †	86%		74%	79%



Grade 6: Writing*				
Number of Students	School 71		Board 6 348	Province 128 452
	#	%	%	%
Level 4	9	13%	14%	13%
Level 3	54	76%	66%	65%
Level 2	8	11%	19%	20%
Level 1	0	0%	1%	1%
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) †	89%		80%	78%



Grade 6: Mathematics*				
Number of Students	School 71		Board 6 347	Province 128 227
	#	%	%	%
Level 4	7	10%	13%	14%
Level 3	47	66%	43%	45%
Level 2	14	20%	31%	30%
Level 1	3	4%	13%	11%
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) †	76%		56%	58%



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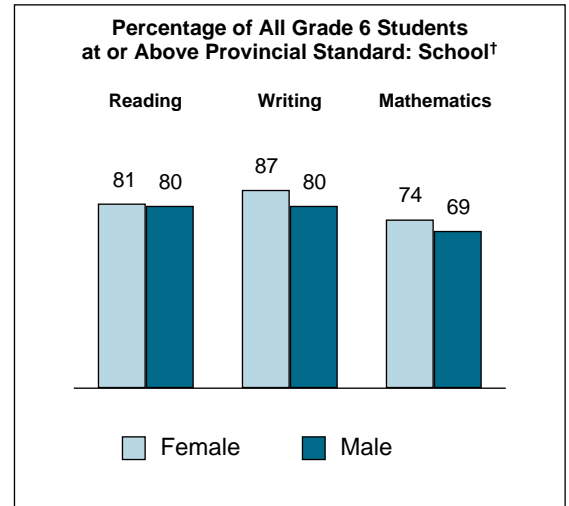
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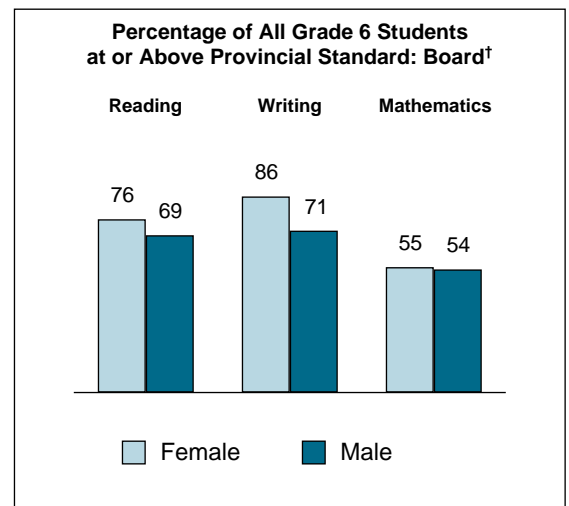
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Grade 6: Gender††

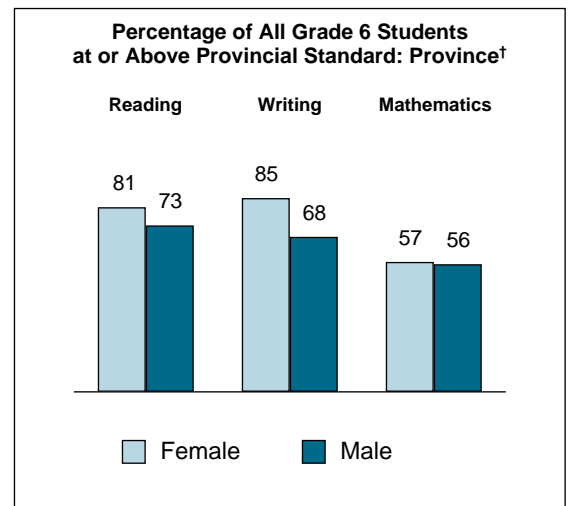
Grade 6: School*						
Number of Students	Reading		Writing		Mathematics	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
	31	45	31	45	31	45
Level 4	23%	7%	16%	9%	10%	9%
Level 3	58%	73%	71%	71%	65%	60%
Level 2	13%	13%	6%	13%	19%	18%
Level 1	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	7%
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Participating Students	94%	93%	94%	93%	94%	93%
No Data	6%	7%	6%	7%	6%	7%
Exempt	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4)†	81%	80%	87%	80%	74%	69%



Grade 6: Board*						
Number of Students	Reading		Writing		Mathematics	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
	3 189	3 329	3 189	3 329	3 188	3 332
Level 4	14%	9%	19%	8%	13%	13%
Level 3	62%	59%	67%	63%	42%	42%
Level 2	19%	24%	11%	25%	31%	29%
Level 1	2%	4%	<1%	1%	11%	13%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
Participating Students	98%	97%	98%	97%	98%	97%
No Data	<1%	<1%	1%	<1%	1%	1%
Exempt	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4)†	76%	69%	86%	71%	55%	54%



Grade 6: Province*						
Number of Students	Reading		Writing		Mathematics	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
	64 026	67 479	64 022	67 473	64 035	67 499
Level 4	17%	10%	19%	7%	13%	13%
Level 3	64%	63%	66%	61%	44%	43%
Level 2	16%	21%	13%	27%	30%	29%
Level 1	2%	3%	<1%	1%	10%	11%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	1%	<1%	<1%
Participating Students	98%	97%	98%	97%	98%	97%
No Data	<1%	1%	<1%	1%	<1%	1%
Exempt	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4)†	81%	73%	85%	68%	57%	56%



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†† Results include only students for whom gender data were available.

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Contextual Information over Time: Grade 3*

This information provides a context for interpreting the school's results of the current and previous administrations.

Grade 3	2008–2009	2009–2010	2010–2011	2011–2012	2012–2013
Enrolment					
Number of students	68	64	66	82	69
Participation in the Assessment					
Reading [†]	94%	97%	95%	98%	97%
Writing [†]	94%	97%	95%	98%	97%
Mathematics [†]	94%	97%	95%	99%	97%
Gender					
Female	49%	38%	53%	59%	54%
Male	51%	62%	47%	41%	46%
Student Status					
English language learners**	7%	0%	3%	2%	1%
Students with special education needs (excluding gifted)**	12%	11%	6%	9%	9%
Place of Birth					
Born in Canada	90%	94%	89%	95%	83%
Born outside Canada	10%	6%	11%	5%	17%
In Canada less than one year	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%
In Canada one year or more but less than three years	4%	0%	3%	1%	0%
In Canada three years or more	6%	6%	6%	4%	17%
Language					
First language learned at home was other than English	10%	3%	3%	9%	12%
Year Student Entered Current School					
Year of the assessment	3%	3%	15%	9%	1%
Year prior to the assessment	10%	5%	8%	5%	7%
2 years prior to the assessment	18%	23%	8%	20%	20%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	69%	69%	70%	67%	71%
Data not available	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

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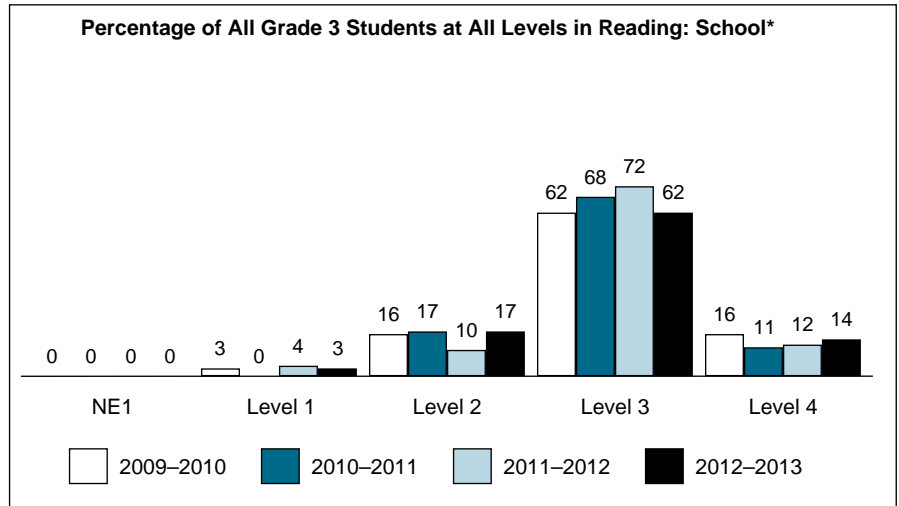
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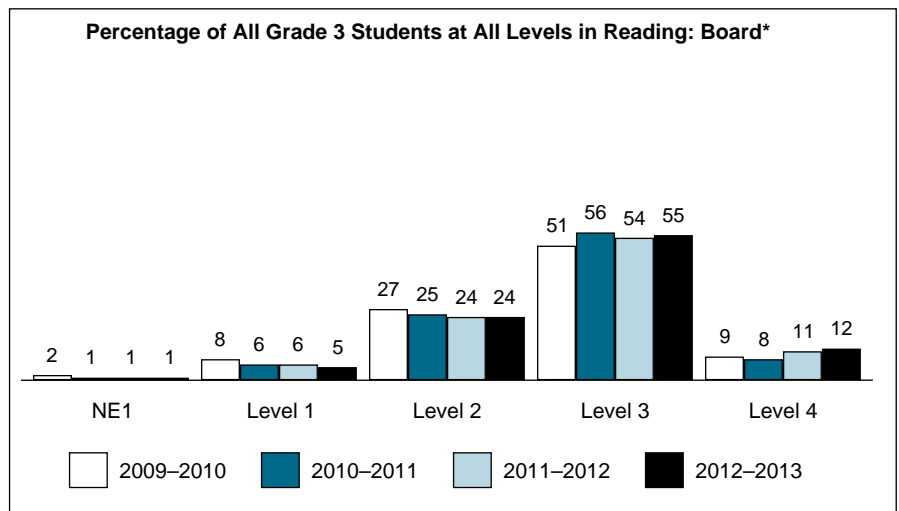
Results over Time, 2009–2010 to 2012–2013*

Grade 3: Reading

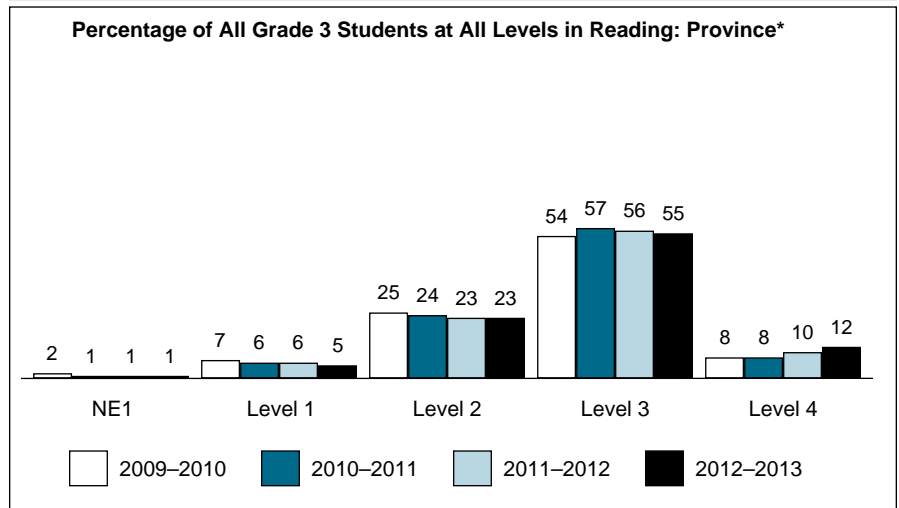
Grade 3 Reading: School*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	64	66	82	69
Level 4	16%	11%	12%	14%
Level 3	62%	68%	72%	62%
Level 2	16%	17%	10%	17%
Level 1	3%	0%	4%	3%
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%
<i>Participating Students</i>	97%	95%	98%	97%
No Data	0%	0%	0%	0%
Exempt	3%	5%	2%	3%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	78%	79%	84%	77%



Grade 3 Reading: Board*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	6 100	5 693	5 863	5 692
Level 4	9%	8%	11%	12%
Level 3	51%	56%	54%	55%
Level 2	27%	25%	24%	24%
Level 1	8%	6%	6%	5%
NE1**	2%	1%	1%	1%
<i>Participating Students</i>	96%	96%	97%	96%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	<1%
Exempt	3%	3%	3%	3%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	60%	64%	66%	67%



Grade 3 Reading: Province*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	123 813	119 914	121 727	122 450
Level 4	8%	8%	10%	12%
Level 3	54%	57%	56%	55%
Level 2	25%	24%	23%	23%
Level 1	7%	6%	6%	5%
NE1**	2%	1%	1%	1%
<i>Participating Students</i>	96%	97%	97%	97%
No Data	1%	1%	<1%	1%
Exempt	3%	3%	3%	3%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	62%	65%	66%	68%



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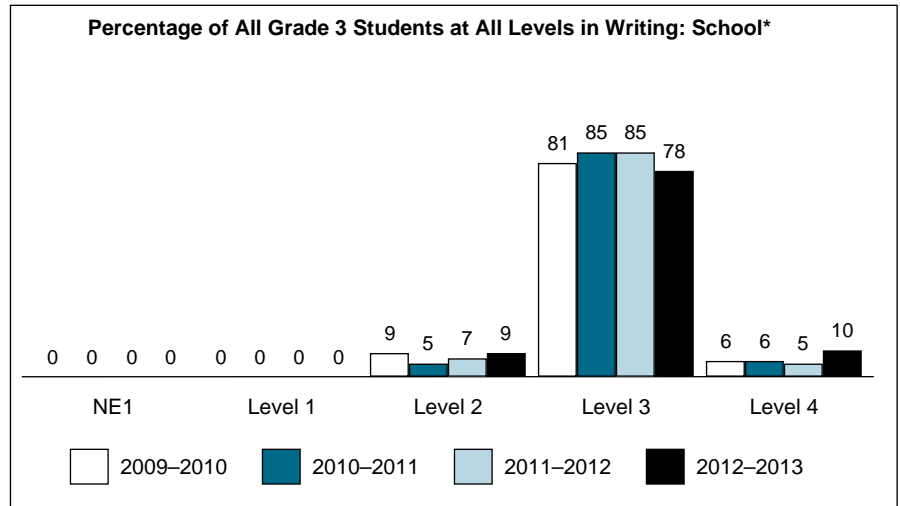
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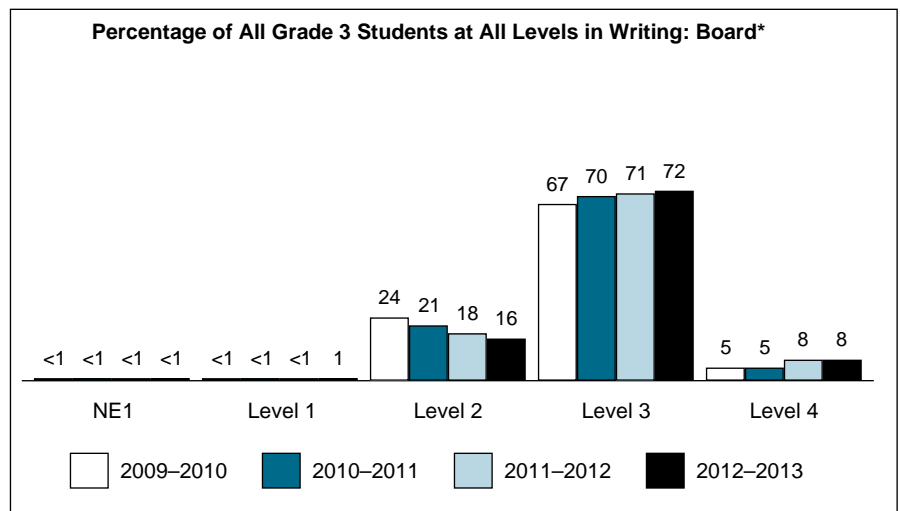
Results over Time, 2009–2010 to 2012–2013*

Grade 3: Writing

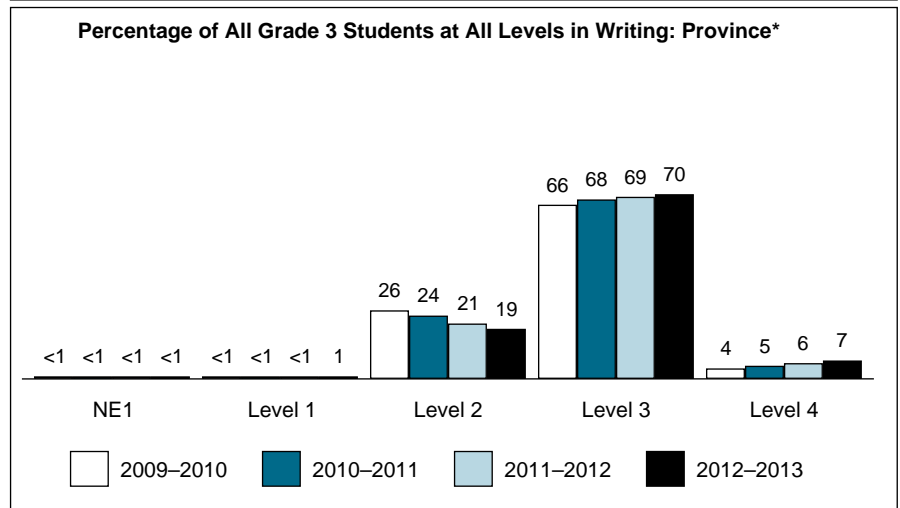
Grade 3 Writing: School*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	64	66	82	69
Level 4	6%	6%	5%	10%
Level 3	81%	85%	85%	78%
Level 2	9%	5%	7%	9%
Level 1	0%	0%	0%	0%
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%
<i>Participating Students</i>	97%	95%	98%	97%
No Data	0%	0%	0%	0%
Exempt	3%	5%	2%	3%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	88%	91%	90%	88%



Grade 3 Writing: Board*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	6 100	5 693	5 863	5 693
Level 4	5%	5%	8%	8%
Level 3	67%	70%	71%	72%
Level 2	24%	21%	18%	16%
Level 1	<1%	<1%	<1%	1%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
<i>Participating Students</i>	97%	96%	97%	97%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%
Exempt	3%	3%	3%	3%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	72%	75%	79%	79%



Grade 3 Writing: Province*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	123 800	119 873	121 727	122 447
Level 4	4%	5%	6%	7%
Level 3	66%	68%	69%	70%
Level 2	26%	24%	21%	19%
Level 1	<1%	<1%	<1%	1%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
<i>Participating Students</i>	97%	97%	97%	97%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%
Exempt	3%	2%	2%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	70%	73%	76%	77%



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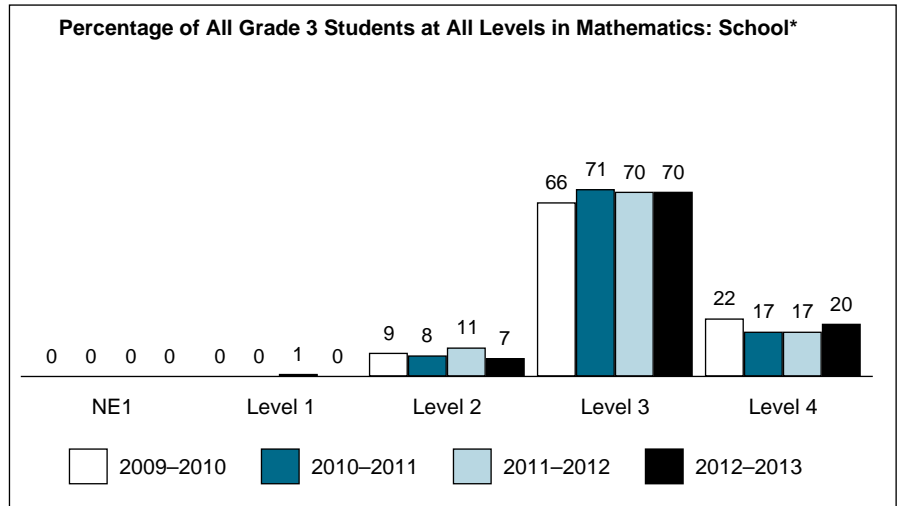
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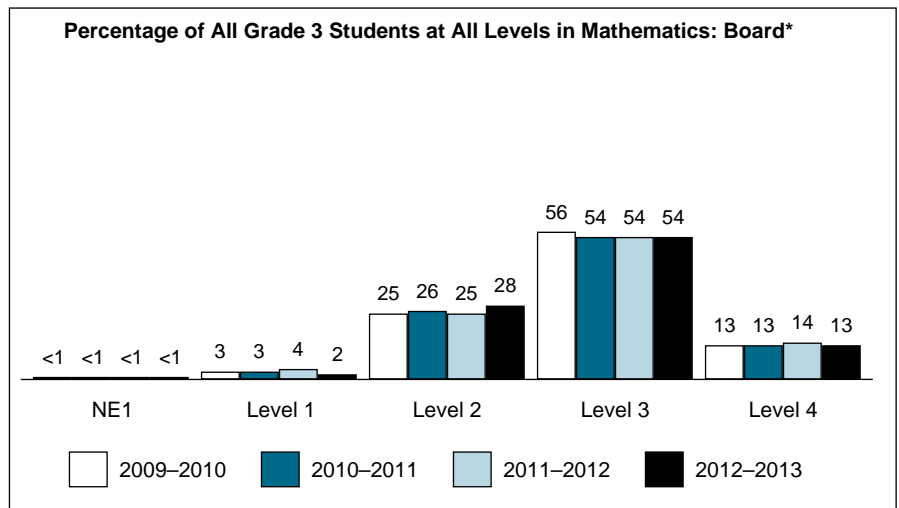
Results over Time, 2009–2010 to 2012–2013*

Grade 3: Mathematics

Grade 3 Mathematics: School*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	64	66	82	69
Level 4	22%	17%	17%	20%
Level 3	66%	71%	70%	70%
Level 2	9%	8%	11%	7%
Level 1	0%	0%	1%	0%
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%
<i>Participating Students</i>	97%	95%	99%	97%
No Data	0%	2%	0%	0%
Exempt	3%	3%	1%	3%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	88%	88%	87%	90%



Grade 3 Mathematics: Board*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	6 292	5 857	6 059	5 903
Level 4	13%	13%	14%	13%
Level 3	56%	54%	54%	54%
Level 2	25%	26%	25%	28%
Level 1	3%	3%	4%	2%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
<i>Participating Students</i>	97%	96%	97%	97%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%
Exempt	3%	3%	3%	3%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	68%	67%	68%	67%



Grade 3 Mathematics: Province*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	127 726	124 104	126 439	127 633
Level 4	12%	12%	12%	12%
Level 3	58%	57%	56%	55%
Level 2	23%	25%	25%	27%
Level 1	3%	3%	3%	3%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	1%	<1%
<i>Participating Students</i>	97%	97%	97%	97%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%
Exempt	3%	2%	2%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	71%	69%	68%	67%



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Contextual Information over Time: Grade 6*

This information provides a context for interpreting the school's results of the current and previous administrations.

Grade 6	2008–2009	2009–2010	2010–2011	2011–2012	2012–2013
Enrolment					
Number of students	78	73	80	78	76
Participation in the Assessment					
Reading	97%	96%	98%	90%	93%
Writing	97%	96%	98%	90%	93%
Mathematics	97%	96%	98%	90%	93%
Gender					
Female	56%	42%	45%	35%	41%
Male	44%	58%	54%	65%	59%
Student Status					
English language learners**	9%	7%	4%	6%	1%
Students with special education needs (excluding gifted)**	5%	10%	16%	19%	17%
Place of Birth					
Born in Canada	85%	81%	86%	86%	91%
Born outside Canada	15%	19%	12%	14%	9%
In Canada less than one year	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
In Canada one year or more but less than three years	6%	4%	4%	9%	1%
In Canada three years or more	9%	15%	9%	5%	8%
Language					
First language learned at home was other than English	8%	11%	14%	10%	1%
Year Student Entered Current School					
Year of the assessment	14%	8%	9%	15%	8%
Year prior to the assessment	8%	5%	6%	10%	4%
2 years prior to the assessment	6%	11%	5%	3%	11%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	72%	75%	79%	72%	78%
Data not available	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%

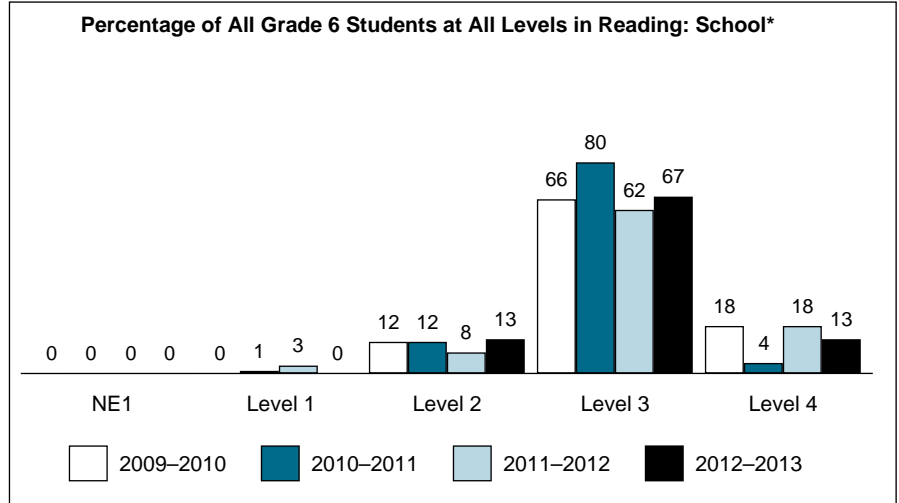
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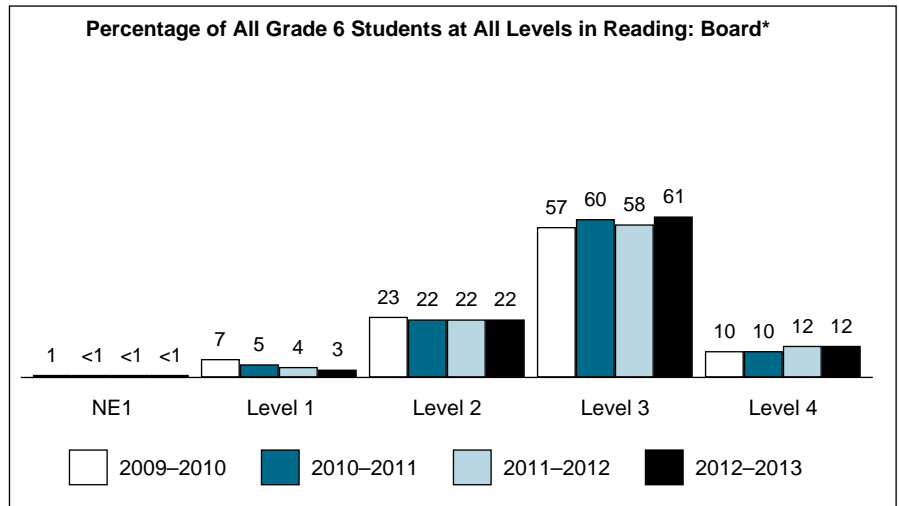
Results over Time, 2009–2010 to 2012–2013*

Grade 6: Reading

Grade 6 Reading: School*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	73	80	78	76
Level 4	18%	4%	18%	13%
Level 3	66%	80%	62%	67%
Level 2	12%	12%	8%	13%
Level 1	0%	1%	3%	0%
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%
<i>Participating Students</i>	96%	98%	90%	93%
No Data	3%	1%	0%	7%
Exempt	1%	1%	10%	0%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	84%	84%	79%	80%



Grade 6 Reading: Board*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	6 507	6 652	6 384	6 519
Level 4	10%	10%	12%	12%
Level 3	57%	60%	58%	61%
Level 2	23%	22%	22%	22%
Level 1	7%	5%	4%	3%
NE1**	1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
<i>Participating Students</i>	97%	98%	97%	97%
No Data	1%	1%	<1%	<1%
Exempt	2%	2%	3%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	67%	70%	71%	72%



Grade 6 Reading: Province*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	134 201	132 283	129 420	131 514
Level 4	11%	11%	13%	13%
Level 3	61%	63%	62%	64%
Level 2	20%	19%	19%	18%
Level 1	5%	4%	3%	2%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
<i>Participating Students</i>	97%	97%	97%	98%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	<1%
Exempt	2%	2%	2%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	72%	74%	75%	77%



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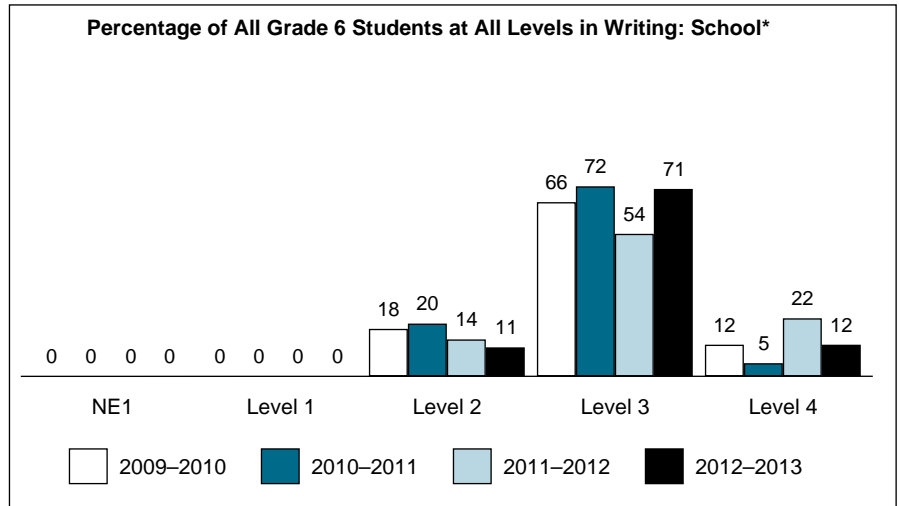
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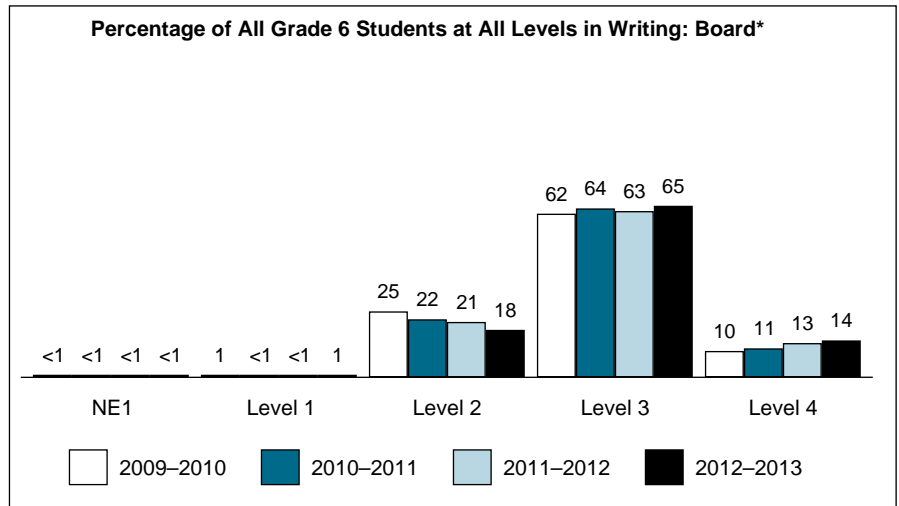
Results over Time, 2009–2010 to 2012–2013*

Grade 6: Writing

Grade 6 Writing: School*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	73	80	78	76
Level 4	12%	5%	22%	12%
Level 3	66%	72%	54%	71%
Level 2	18%	20%	14%	11%
Level 1	0%	0%	0%	0%
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%
<i>Participating Students</i>	96%	98%	90%	93%
No Data	3%	1%	0%	7%
Exempt	1%	1%	10%	0%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	78%	78%	76%	83%



Grade 6 Writing: Board*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	6 507	6 652	6 384	6 519
Level 4	10%	11%	13%	14%
Level 3	62%	64%	63%	65%
Level 2	25%	22%	21%	18%
Level 1	1%	<1%	<1%	1%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
<i>Participating Students</i>	97%	98%	97%	97%
No Data	1%	1%	<1%	<1%
Exempt	2%	2%	2%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	71%	75%	76%	78%



Grade 6 Writing: Province*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	134 288	132 266	129 420	131 504
Level 4	9%	10%	12%	13%
Level 3	61%	63%	63%	64%
Level 2	26%	24%	23%	20%
Level 1	<1%	<1%	<1%	1%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
<i>Participating Students</i>	97%	97%	97%	98%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	<1%
Exempt	2%	2%	2%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	70%	73%	74%	76%



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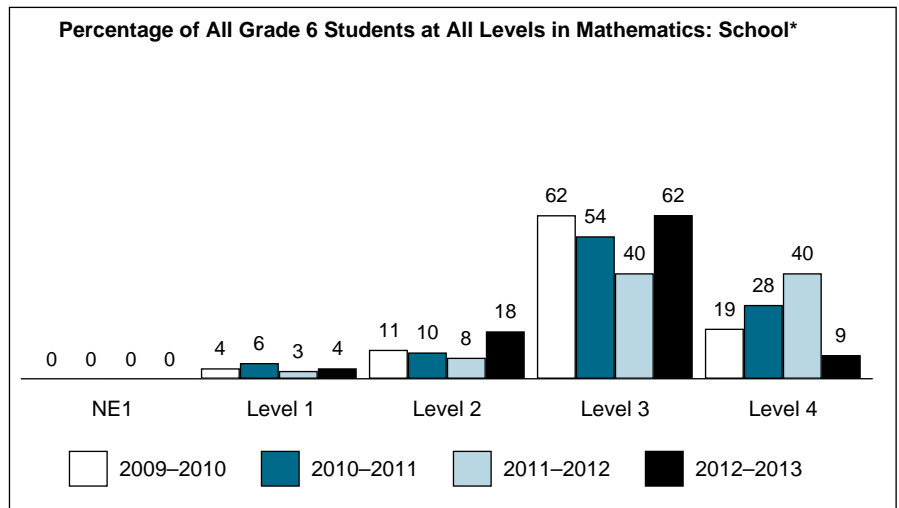
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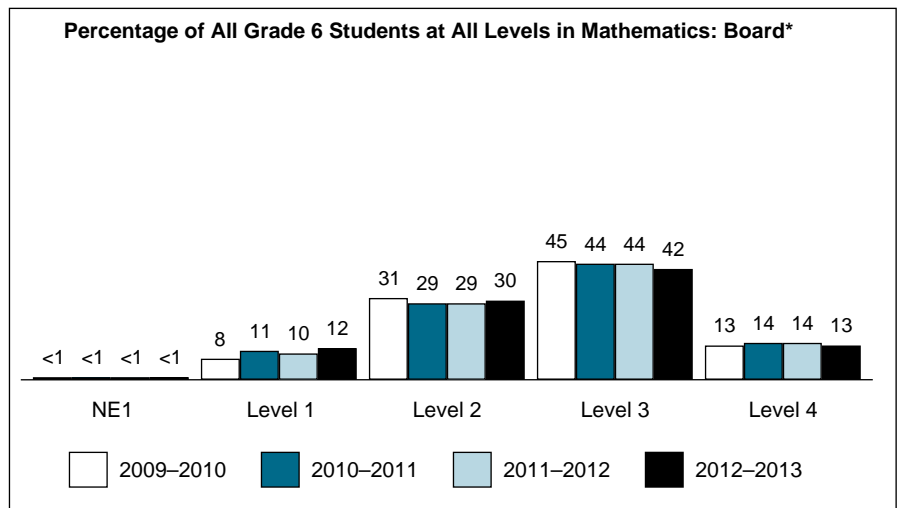
Results over Time, 2009–2010 to 2012–2013*

Grade 6: Mathematics

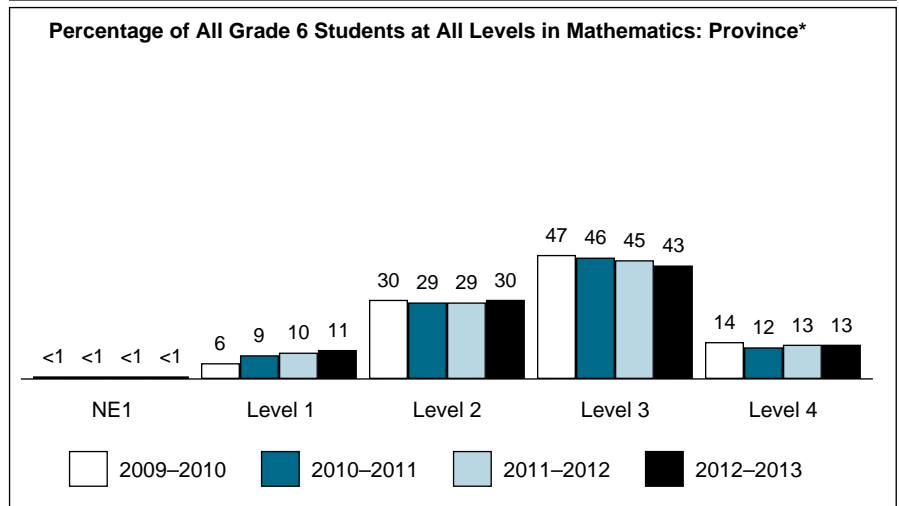
Grade 6 Mathematics: School*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	73	80	78	76
Level 4	19%	28%	40%	9%
Level 3	62%	54%	40%	62%
Level 2	11%	10%	8%	18%
Level 1	4%	6%	3%	4%
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%
<i>Participating Students</i>	96%	98%	90%	93%
No Data	3%	1%	0%	7%
Exempt	1%	1%	10%	0%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	81%	81%	79%	71%



Grade 6 Mathematics: Board*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	6 502	6 648	6 371	6 521
Level 4	13%	14%	14%	13%
Level 3	45%	44%	44%	42%
Level 2	31%	29%	29%	30%
Level 1	8%	11%	10%	12%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
<i>Participating Students</i>	97%	98%	97%	97%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%
Exempt	2%	2%	3%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	58%	57%	58%	55%



Grade 6 Mathematics: Province*				
Year	'09-'10	'10-'11	'11-'12	'12-'13
<i>Number of Students</i>	134 241	132 223	129 368	131 543
Level 4	14%	12%	13%	13%
Level 3	47%	46%	45%	43%
Level 2	30%	29%	29%	30%
Level 1	6%	9%	10%	11%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
<i>Participating Students</i>	97%	97%	97%	97%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%
Exempt	3%	2%	2%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard†	61%	58%	58%	57%



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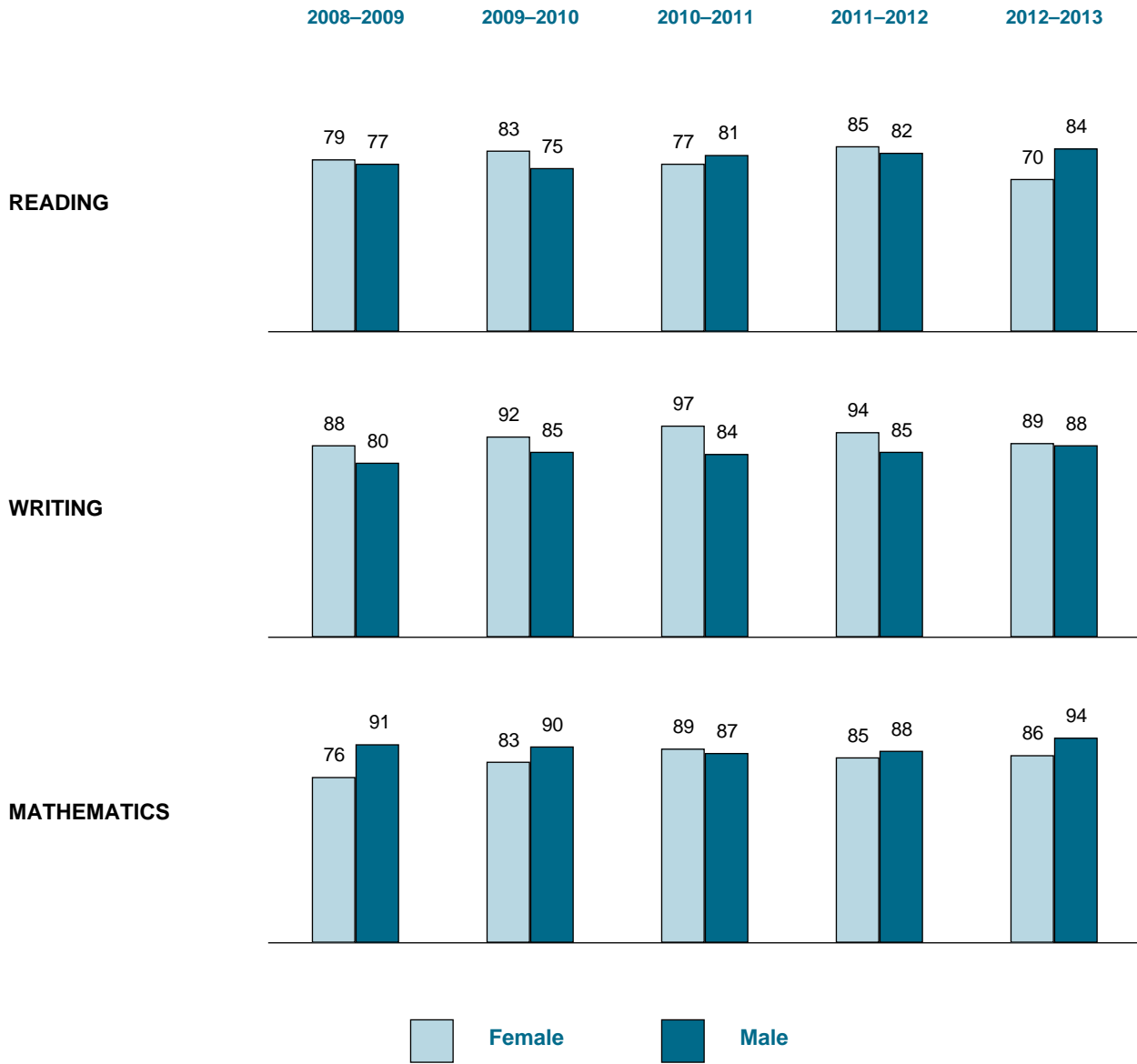
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RESULTS FOR ALL STUDENTS OVER TIME BY GENDER*

Percentage of Students At or Above the Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4): Grade 3



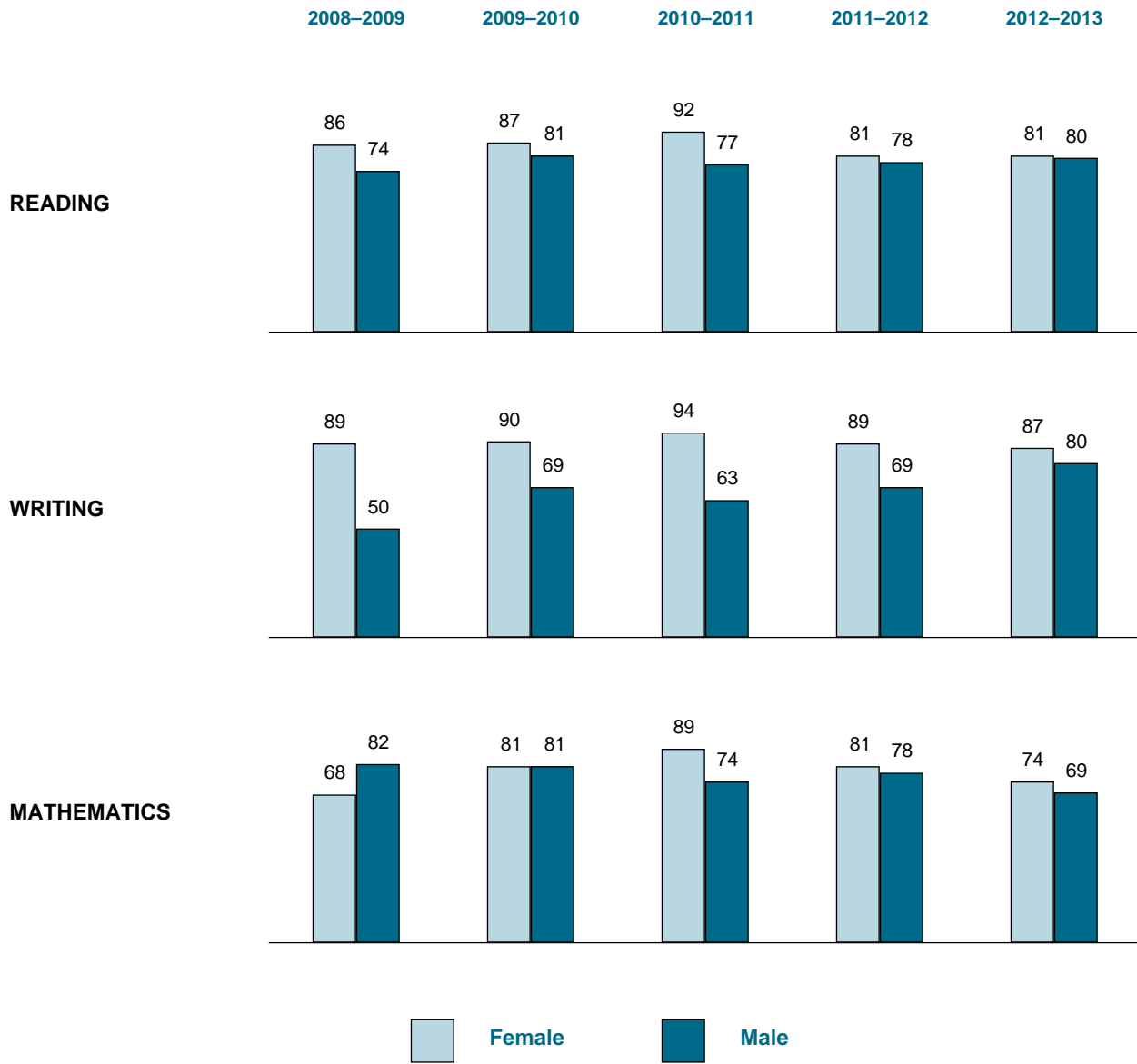
Total Number of Grade 3 Students*

	2008-2009		2009-2010		2010-2011		2011-2012		2012-2013	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
School	33	35	24	40	35	31	48	34	37	32

* Includes only students for whom gender data were available.

RESULTS FOR ALL STUDENTS OVER TIME BY GENDER*

Percentage of Students At or Above the Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4): Grade 6



Total Number of Grade 6 Students*

	<u>2008-2009</u>		<u>2009-2010</u>		<u>2010-2011</u>		<u>2011-2012</u>		<u>2012-2013</u>	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
School	44	34	31	42	36	43	27	51	31	45

* Includes only students for whom gender data were available.

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STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL: GRADE 3 (# = 65)			
		<input type="checkbox"/> Never <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Most of the time	
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT About reading:		Percentage of Students*	Number of students who answered "most of the time"
I like to read.		35	
I am a good reader .		50	
I can understand difficult reading passages.		23	
I do my best on reading activities in class.		48	
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT About writing:			
I like to write.		31	
I am a good writer.		26	
I can communicate my ideas in writing.		24	
I do my best when I do writing activities in class.		55	
COGNITIVE STRATEGIES USED IN LANGUAGE			
I make sure I understand what I am reading.		50	
I organize my ideas before I start to write.		25	
I edit my writing to make it better.		35	
I check my writing for spelling and grammar.		30	

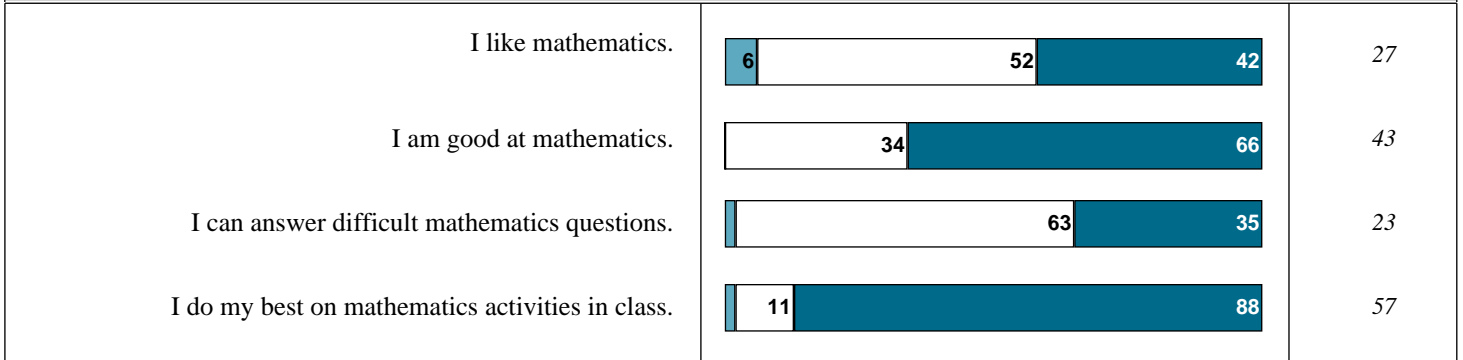
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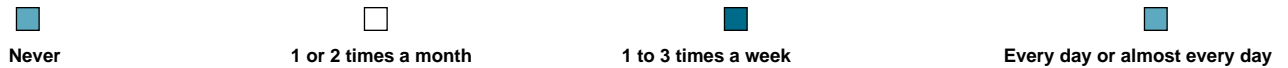
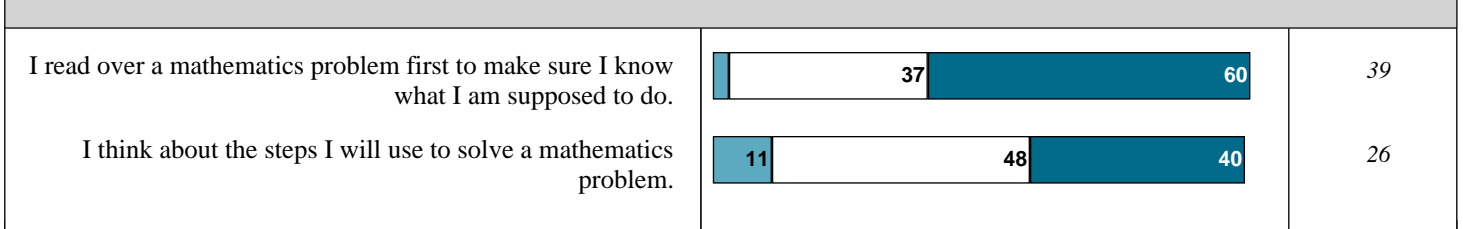
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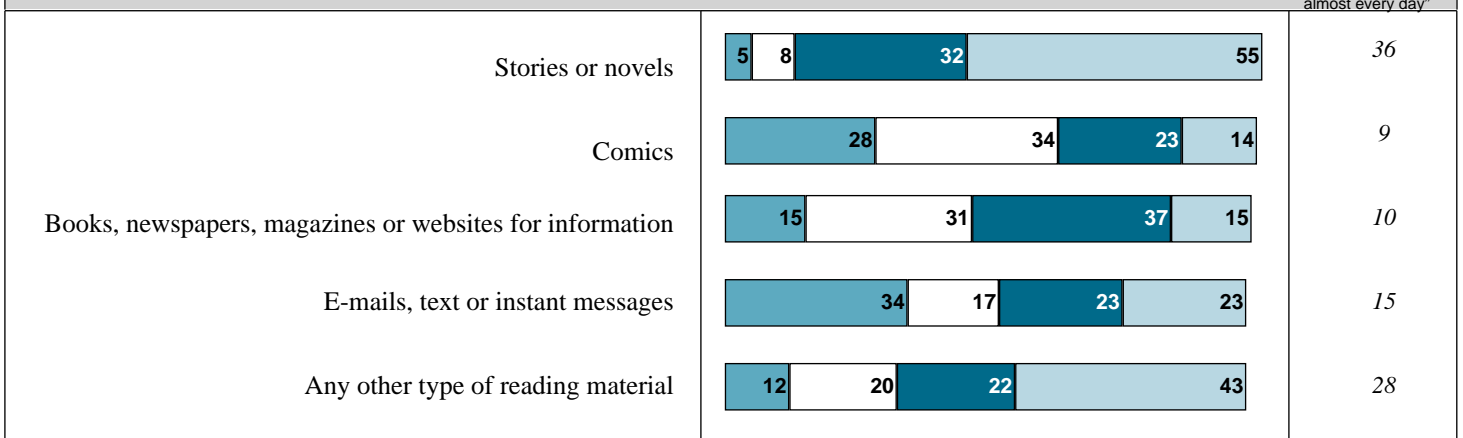
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT
About mathematics: Percentage of Students* Number of students who answered "most of the time"



COGNITIVE STRATEGIES USED IN MATHEMATICS



READING OUTSIDE SCHOOL
How often do you read the following when you are not at school? Percentage of Students* Number of students who answered "every day or almost every day"



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STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL: GRADE 3 (# = 65)						
		Never	1 or 2 times a month	1 to 3 times a week	Every day or almost every day	
WRITING OUTSIDE SCHOOL						
How often do you write the following (using paper or a computer) when you are not at school?		Percentage of Students*			Number of students who answered "every day or almost every day"	
	Stories	25	32	37	6	4
	Journal entries	37	35	17	11	7
	E-mail, text or instant messages	42	12	18	28	18
	Letters	25	51	18	6	4
OUT-OF-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES						
How often do you do the following when you are not at school?						
	I take part in art, music or drama activities.	34	29	26	11	7
	I take part in after-school clubs.	52	18	12	14	9
	I take part in sports or other physical activities.	11	9	32	46	30
PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT						
How often do you and a parent, a guardian or another adult who lives with you do the following?						
	We talk about the activities I do in school.	15	26	57		37
	We talk about the reading and writing work I do in school.	14	28	37	22	14
	We talk about the mathematics I do in school.	17	20	31	31	20
	We read together.	23	26	22	26	17
	We look at my school agenda.	8	15	23	52	34
	We use a computer together.	31	34	20	12	8

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STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL: GRADE 3 (# = 65)			
		<input type="checkbox"/> 0 programs <input type="checkbox"/> 1 program <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2 or 3 programs <input type="checkbox"/> 4 programs or more	
SCREEN TIME		Percentage of Students*	
On a school day, how many TV programs do you normally watch?		Number of students who answered "4 programs or more"	
	Before School		2
	After School		24
SCHOOLS ATTENDED		Percentage of Students*	
How many schools did you attend before this one?		Number of students	
	Only this school		29
	1 other school		26
	2 other schools		7
	3 other schools		2
	4 other schools or more		0
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Only English/ Mostly English <input type="checkbox"/> Another language (or other languages) as often as English <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mostly another language (or other languages)/ Only another language (or other languages)	
LANGUAGES SPOKEN		Percentage of Students*	
		Number of students who answered "only English" or "mostly English"	
	Languages student speaks at home		53
	Languages in which people speak to student at home		48

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GRADE 3: STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students, female, male)	School			Board			Province		
	All Students (# = 65)	Female* (# = 34)	Male* (# = 31)	All Students (# = 5 679)	Female* (# = 2 756)	Male* (# = 2 923)	All Students (# = 123 251)	Female* (# = 60 268)	Male* (# = 62 983)
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT									
About reading: Percentage of students who answered "most of the time" [†]									
I like to read.	54%	59%	48%	45%	52%	40%	49%	56%	42%
I am a good reader.	77%	85%	68%	62%	65%	59%	64%	66%	62%
I can understand difficult reading passages.	35%	18%	55%	27%	24%	29%	28%	27%	30%
I do my best on reading activities in class.	74%	71%	77%	69%	73%	65%	73%	78%	69%
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT									
About writing: Percentage of students who answered "most of the time" [†]									
I like to write.	48%	50%	45%	47%	53%	42%	48%	55%	40%
I am a good writer.	40%	47%	32%	45%	51%	39%	49%	55%	42%
I can communicate my ideas in writing.	37%	38%	35%	38%	40%	36%	41%	42%	39%
I do my best on writing activities in class.	85%	79%	90%	65%	70%	60%	69%	73%	64%
COGNITIVE STRATEGIES USED IN LANGUAGE									
Percentage of students who answered "most of the time" [†]									
I make sure I understand what I am reading.	77%	74%	81%	63%	66%	60%	65%	68%	62%
I organize my ideas before I start to write.	38%	41%	35%	43%	48%	39%	41%	45%	38%
I edit my writing to make it better.	54%	50%	58%	40%	45%	36%	43%	47%	38%
I check my writing for spelling and grammar.	46%	50%	42%	44%	48%	40%	45%	49%	41%
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT									
About mathematics: Percentage of students who answered "most of the time" [†]									
I like mathematics.	42%	32%	52%	55%	50%	60%	56%	51%	60%
I am good at mathematics.	66%	53%	81%	50%	44%	55%	54%	47%	60%
I can answer difficult mathematics questions.	35%	18%	55%	31%	26%	36%	35%	28%	42%
I do my best on mathematics activities in class.	88%	82%	94%	70%	71%	70%	75%	76%	74%
COGNITIVE STRATEGIES USED IN MATHEMATICS									
Percentage of students who answered "most of the time" [†]									
I read over a mathematics problem first to make sure I know what I am supposed to do.	60%	65%	55%	61%	65%	56%	65%	69%	61%
I think about the steps I will use to solve a mathematics problem.	40%	44%	35%	44%	44%	44%	47%	48%	47%

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READING OUTSIDE SCHOOL									
How often do you read the following when you are not at school? Percentage of students who answered "every day or almost every day" [†]									
Stories or novels	55%	53%	58%	37%	42%	33%	40%	46%	35%
Comics	14%	12%	16%	22%	16%	27%	19%	13%	26%
Books, newspapers, magazines or websites for information	15%	18%	13%	27%	30%	24%	25%	27%	23%
E-mails, text or instant messages	23%	26%	19%	22%	24%	20%	23%	25%	22%
Any other type of reading material	43%	44%	42%	34%	38%	31%	34%	38%	31%
WRITING OUTSIDE SCHOOL									
How often do you write the following (using paper or a computer) when you are not at school? Percentage of students who answered "every day or almost every day" [†]									
Stories	6%	6%	6%	17%	18%	15%	16%	18%	13%
Journal entries	11%	15%	6%	16%	20%	11%	14%	18%	9%
E-mails, text or instant messages	28%	26%	29%	21%	23%	20%	22%	24%	21%
Letters	6%	9%	3%	14%	15%	12%	12%	14%	10%
PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT									
How often do you and a parent, a guardian or another adult who lives with you do the following? Percentage of students who answered "every day or almost every day" [†]									
We talk about the activities I do in school.	57%	50%	65%	53%	58%	48%	53%	58%	48%
We talk about the reading and writing work I do in school.	22%	18%	26%	34%	37%	31%	32%	36%	29%
We talk about the mathematics I do in school.	31%	29%	32%	39%	42%	37%	36%	38%	34%
We read together.	26%	24%	29%	27%	30%	24%	28%	30%	25%
We look at my school agenda.	52%	53%	52%	50%	51%	49%	53%	54%	52%
We use a computer together.	12%	9%	16%	20%	21%	19%	17%	17%	18%
OUT-OF-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES									
How often do you do the following when you are not at school? Percentage of students who answered "every day or almost every day" [†]									
I take part in art, music or drama activities.	11%	12%	10%	18%	22%	13%	18%	23%	13%
I take part in after-school clubs.	14%	24%	3%	13%	13%	13%	11%	11%	10%
I take part in sports or other physical activities.	46%	35%	58%	36%	31%	40%	38%	33%	43%

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SCREEN TIME (TELEVISION) On a school day, how many TV programs do you normally watch? Percentage of students who answered "4 programs or more"†									
Before school	3%	3%	3%	9%	6%	12%	9%	6%	13%
After school	37%	32%	42%	51%	47%	54%	46%	42%	50%
SCHOOLS ATTENDED Percentage of students‡									
How many schools did you attend before this one?									
Only this school/1 other school	85%	88%	81%	81%	83%	80%	78%	78%	77%
2 other schools/3 other schools	14%	12%	16%	13%	12%	14%	15%	15%	16%
4 other schools or more	0%	0%	0%	3%	3%	3%	4%	4%	4%
LANGUAGES STUDENTS SPEAK AT HOME Percentage of students‡									
Only English/Mostly English	82%	85%	77%	60%	58%	61%	71%	71%	72%
Another language (or other languages) as often as English	12%	9%	16%	22%	24%	21%	16%	17%	15%
Mostly another language (or other languages)/ Only another language (or other languages)	5%	6%	3%	16%	16%	16%	11%	11%	11%
LANGUAGES SPOKEN TO STUDENTS AT HOME Percentage of students‡									
Only English/Mostly English	74%	68%	81%	48%	47%	50%	66%	66%	67%
Another language (or other languages) as often as English	17%	26%	6%	22%	23%	21%	14%	14%	13%
Mostly another language (or other languages)/ Only another language (or other languages)	6%	3%	10%	27%	27%	27%	17%	17%	17%

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† Other response options were "0 programs," "1 program" and "2 or 3 programs."

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STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL: GRADE 6 (# = 70)			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Never <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Most of the time		
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT About reading:		Percentage of Students*	Number of students who answered "most of the time"
I like to read.			31
I am a good reader .			49
I can understand difficult reading passages.			43
I do my best on reading activities in class.			48
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT About writing:			
I like to write.			21
I am a good writer.			30
I can communicate my ideas in writing.			32
I do my best when I do writing activities in class.			46
COGNITIVE STRATEGIES USED IN LANGUAGE			
I make sure I understand what I am reading.			43
I organize my ideas before I start to write.			14
I edit my writing to make it better.			29
I check my writing for spelling and grammar.			32

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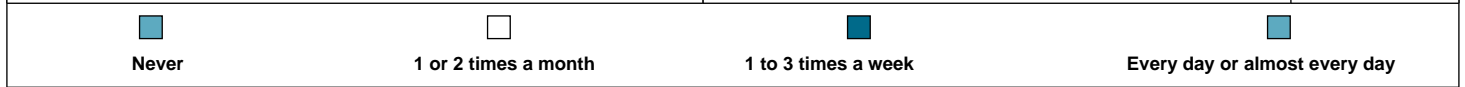
STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL: GRADE 6 (# = 70)



STUDENT ENGAGEMENT About mathematics:	Percentage of Students*	Number of students who answered "most of the time"
I like mathematics.		30
I am good at mathematics.		46
I can answer difficult mathematics questions.		41
I do my best on mathematics activities in class.		44

COGNITIVE STRATEGIES USED IN MATHEMATICS

I read over a mathematics problem first to make sure I know what I am supposed to do.		47
I think about the steps I will use to solve a mathematics problem.		26



READING OUTSIDE SCHOOL How often do you read the following when you are not at school?	Percentage of Students*	Number of students who answered "every day or almost every day"
Stories or novels		22
Comics		5
Books, newspapers, magazines or websites for information		14
E-mails, text or instant messages		39
Any other type of reading material		17

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STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL: GRADE 6 (# = 70)			
		<input type="checkbox"/> Never <input type="checkbox"/> 1 or 2 times a month <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1 to 3 times a week <input type="checkbox"/> Every day or almost every day	
WRITING OUTSIDE SCHOOL		Percentage of Students*	
How often do you write the following (using paper or a computer) when you are not at school?		Number of students who answered "every day or almost every day"	
Stories		4	
Journal entries		1	
E-mail, text or instant messages		36	
Letters		3	
OUT-OF-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES			
How often do you do the following when you are not at school?			
I take part in art, music or drama activities.		7	
I take part in after-school clubs.		5	
I take part in sports or other physical activities.		38	
PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT			
How often do you and a parent, a guardian or another adult who lives with you do the following?			
We talk about the activities I do in school.		37	
We talk about the reading and writing work I do in school.		18	
We talk about the mathematics I do in school.		22	
We read together.		2	
We look at my school agenda.		10	
We use a computer together.		3	

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STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL: GRADE 6 (# = 70)					
		<input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> About half an hour/About 1 hour <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> About 2 hours <input type="checkbox"/> About 3 hours/ More than 3 hours			
SCREEN TIME		Percentage of Students*		Number of students who answered "about 3 hours" or "more than 3 hours"	
On a school day, how many hours do you usually spend on the following?					
Before School	Watching TV	53	39	2	
	Playing video games	81	10	1	
	Using the Internet	66	26	2	
After School	Watching TV	10	54	17	13
	Playing video games	33	34	11	14
	Using the Internet	10	50	13	20
SCHOOLS ATTENDED		Percentage of Students*		Number of students	
How many schools did you attend before this one?					
	Only this school	53		37	
	1 other school	30		21	
	2 other schools	9		6	
	3 other schools	1		1	
	4 other schools or more	3		2	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Only English/Mostly English <input type="checkbox"/> Another language(or other languages) as often as English <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mostly another language (or other languages)/Only another language (or other languages)			
LANGUAGES SPOKEN		Percentage of Students*		Number of students who answered "only English" or "mostly English"	
Languages student speaks at home					
	Languages student speaks at home	87	7	61	
Languages in which people speak to student at home					
	Languages in which people speak to student at home	84	9	59	

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	All Students (# = 70)	Female* (# = 29)	Male* (# = 41)	All Students (# = 6 306)	Female* (# = 3 103)	Male* (# = 3 202)	All Students (# = 127 419)	Female* (# = 62 541)	Male* (# = 64 869)
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT									
About reading: Percentage of students who answered “most of the time”†									
I like to read.	44%	55%	37%	42%	50%	34%	48%	56%	40%
I am a good reader.	70%	69%	71%	60%	62%	58%	66%	70%	63%
I can understand difficult reading passages.	61%	59%	63%	35%	33%	37%	38%	36%	40%
I do my best on reading activities in class.	69%	69%	68%	67%	70%	64%	70%	75%	65%
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT									
About writing: Percentage of students who answered “most of the time”†									
I like to write.	30%	55%	12%	39%	49%	30%	39%	51%	28%
I am a good writer.	43%	55%	34%	39%	44%	34%	42%	50%	35%
I can communicate my ideas in writing.	46%	62%	34%	43%	45%	40%	44%	48%	40%
I do my best on writing activities in class.	66%	72%	61%	64%	68%	59%	67%	73%	61%
COGNITIVE STRATEGIES USED IN LANGUAGE									
Percentage of students who answered “most of the time”†									
I make sure I understand what I am reading.	61%	69%	56%	70%	72%	67%	72%	75%	68%
I organize my ideas before I start to write.	20%	28%	15%	35%	39%	32%	34%	38%	29%
I edit my writing to make it better.	41%	55%	32%	46%	53%	40%	46%	53%	40%
I check my writing for spelling and grammar.	46%	48%	44%	50%	54%	47%	48%	53%	44%
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT									
About mathematics: Percentage of students who answered “most of the time”†									
I like mathematics.	43%	38%	46%	47%	39%	55%	47%	39%	55%
I am good at mathematics.	66%	55%	73%	48%	41%	55%	52%	44%	58%
I can answer difficult mathematics questions.	59%	45%	68%	32%	25%	39%	36%	28%	44%
I do my best on mathematics activities in class.	63%	66%	61%	70%	70%	71%	74%	74%	74%
COGNITIVE STRATEGIES USED IN MATHEMATICS									
Percentage of students who answered “most of the time”†									
I read over a mathematics problem first to make sure I know what I am supposed to do.	67%	79%	59%	70%	73%	67%	73%	77%	69%
I think about the steps I will use to solve a mathematics problem.	37%	41%	34%	46%	45%	46%	49%	50%	49%

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READING OUTSIDE SCHOOL									
How often do you read the following when you are not at school? Percentage of students who answered "every day or almost every day" [†]									
Stories or novels	31%	45%	22%	25%	32%	18%	33%	39%	26%
Comics	7%	3%	10%	14%	10%	19%	11%	8%	15%
Books, newspapers, magazines or websites for information	20%	28%	15%	32%	36%	29%	30%	32%	28%
E-mails, text or instant messages	56%	66%	49%	55%	66%	45%	55%	64%	47%
Any other type of reading material	24%	31%	20%	27%	29%	25%	28%	30%	25%
WRITING OUTSIDE SCHOOL									
How often do you write the following (using paper or a computer) when you are not at school? Percentage of students who answered "every day or almost every day" [†]									
Stories	6%	14%	0%	7%	9%	6%	7%	9%	5%
Journal entries	1%	3%	0%	8%	11%	5%	7%	11%	3%
E-mails, text or instant messages	51%	66%	41%	52%	62%	42%	52%	62%	43%
Letters	4%	3%	5%	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%	3%
PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT									
How often do you and a parent, a guardian or another adult who lives with you do the following? Percentage of students who answered "every day or almost every day" [†]									
We talk about the activities I do in school.	53%	48%	56%	50%	54%	47%	53%	56%	50%
We talk about the reading and writing work I do in school.	26%	24%	27%	26%	27%	25%	28%	30%	26%
We talk about the mathematics I do in school.	31%	24%	37%	34%	35%	34%	36%	37%	34%
We read together.	3%	7%	0%	7%	7%	7%	7%	7%	7%
We look at my school agenda.	14%	14%	15%	25%	22%	28%	32%	31%	34%
We use a computer together.	4%	7%	2%	13%	13%	13%	10%	10%	11%
OUT-OF-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES									
How often do you do the following when you are not at school? Percentage of students who answered "every day or almost every day" [†]									
I take part in art, music or drama activities.	10%	21%	2%	13%	19%	8%	13%	17%	8%
I take part in after-school clubs.	7%	14%	2%	10%	11%	9%	9%	10%	8%
I take part in sports or other physical activities.	54%	52%	56%	36%	31%	42%	41%	35%	46%

* Only includes students for whom gender data were available.

[†] Other response options were "never," "1 or 2 times a month" and "1 to 3 times a week."

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GRADE 6: STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students, female, male)		School			Board			Province		
		All Students (# = 70)	Female* (# = 29)	Male* (# = 41)	All Students (# = 6 306)	Female* (# = 3 103)	Male* (# = 3 202)	All Students (# = 127 419)	Female* (# = 62 541)	Male* (# = 64 869)
SCREEN TIME (TELEVISION) On a school day, how many hours do you usually spend on the following?		Percentage of students who answered “about 3 hours” or “more than 3 hours” †								
Before School	Watching TV	3%	7%	0%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%
	Playing video games	1%	3%	0%	2%	1%	4%	2%	1%	3%
	Using the Internet	3%	7%	0%	4%	4%	3%	3%	2%	3%
After School	Watching TV	13%	7%	17%	25%	26%	25%	17%	17%	17%
	Playing video games	14%	7%	20%	16%	6%	26%	13%	5%	22%
	Using the Internet	20%	24%	17%	30%	32%	28%	23%	23%	22%
SCHOOLS ATTENDED How many schools did you attend before this one?		Percentage of students‡								
	Only this school/1 other school	83%	72%	90%	77%	79%	76%	69%	69%	69%
	2 other schools/3 other schools	10%	14%	7%	17%	15%	18%	22%	22%	22%
	4 other schools or more	3%	7%	0%	4%	4%	4%	6%	6%	6%
LANGUAGES STUDENTS SPEAK AT HOME		Percentage of students‡								
	Only English/Mostly English	87%	90%	85%	64%	63%	65%	76%	76%	76%
	Another language (or other languages) as often as English	7%	3%	10%	23%	24%	22%	14%	15%	14%
	Mostly another language (or other languages)/ Only another language (or other languages)	0%	0%	0%	12%	12%	11%	8%	7%	8%
LANGUAGES SPOKEN TO STUDENTS AT HOME		Percentage of students‡								
	Only English/Mostly English	84%	83%	85%	52%	50%	54%	70%	70%	70%
	Another language (or other languages) as often as English	9%	7%	10%	23%	24%	22%	13%	14%	13%
	Mostly another language (or other languages)/ Only another language (or other languages)	3%	3%	2%	23%	24%	22%	14%	14%	14%

* Only includes students for whom gender data were available.

† Other response options were “about 2 hours,” “about 1 hour,” “about half an hour” and “none.”

‡ Percentages may not add to 100, due to rounding or to ambiguous responses or blanks.

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EXPLANATION OF TERMS

All Students	Results are reported for all students in the grade.
Participating Students	Results are reported only for those students who took part in the assessment (excludes "no data" and "exempt" categories).
Provincial Standard	The Ministry of Education has set Level 3 as the provincial standard.
Level 4	The student has demonstrated the required knowledge and skills. Achievement surpasses the provincial standard.
Level 3	The student has demonstrated most of the required knowledge and skills. Achievement is at the provincial standard.
Level 2	The student has demonstrated some of the required knowledge and skills. Achievement approaches the provincial standard.
Level 1	The student has demonstrated some of the required knowledge and skills in limited ways. Achievement falls much below the provincial standard.
NE1	"Not enough evidence for Level 1" is used when students did not demonstrate enough evidence of knowledge and understanding to be assigned Level 1.
No Data	Students who did not have a result due to absence or other reasons.
Exempt	Students who were formally exempted from participation in one or more components of the assessment.
English Language Learners	Students who have been identified by the school in accordance with <i>English Language Learners: ESL and ELD Programs and Services: Policies and Procedures for Ontario Elementary and Secondary Schools, Kindergarten to Grade 12 (2007)</i> .
English Language Learners Receiving a Special Provision	English language learners identified by the school as receiving a special provision. Detailed information about special provisions is available in EQAO's <i>Guide for Accommodations, Special Provisions and Exemptions</i> .
Students with Special Education Needs (excluding gifted)	Students who have been formally identified by an Identification, Placement and Review Committee, as well as students who have an Individual Education Plan. Students whose sole identified exceptionality is giftedness are not included.
Students Receiving One or More Accommodations	Students identified by the school as receiving accommodations. Detailed information about accommodations is available in EQAO's <i>Guide for Accommodations, Special Provisions and Exemptions</i> .
N/R	"Not reported" indicates that the number of students participating (fewer than 10 in a group) or responding to the Student Questionnaire is so small (fewer than six in a group) that identification of individual student results might be possible; therefore, results are not reported.
N/D	No data available is used to indicate that there were no students in the grade or subject for the group or year specified.
W	Results are being withheld by EQAO. For further information, please contact the school principal.