Education Quality and Accountability Office



School Report



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

School: St Andrew Sep S (768790)

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.

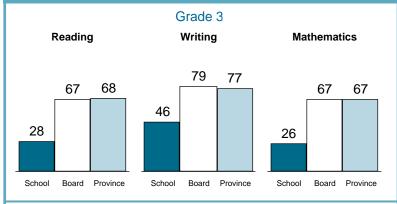
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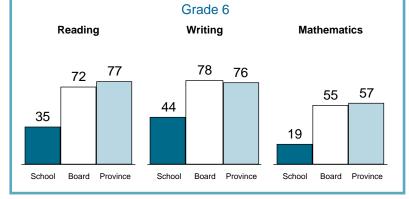
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Chief Executive Officer

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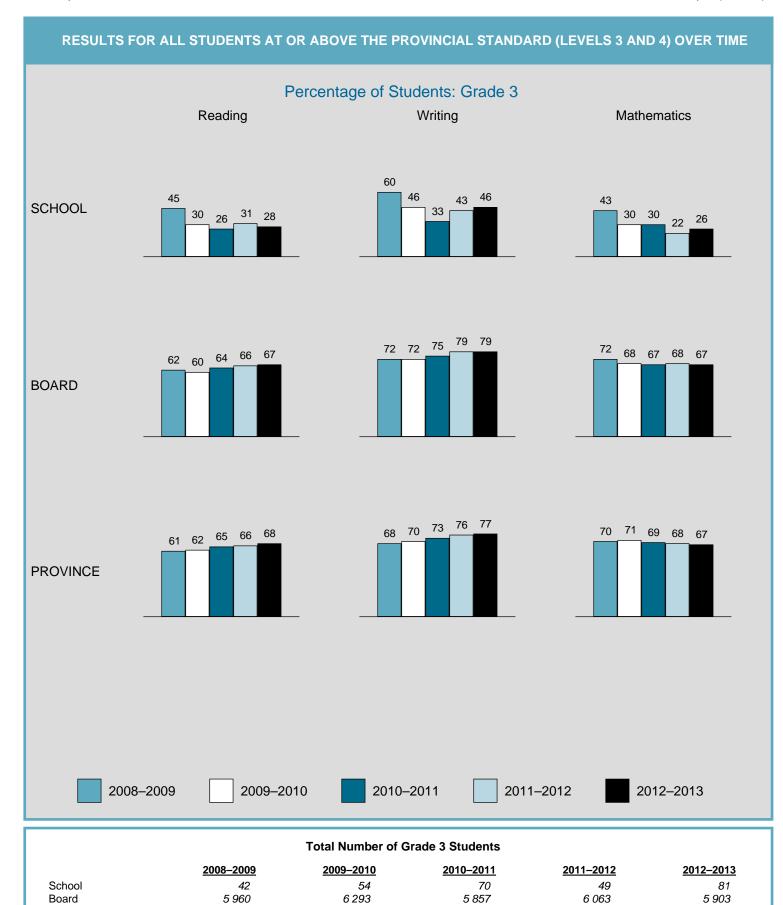




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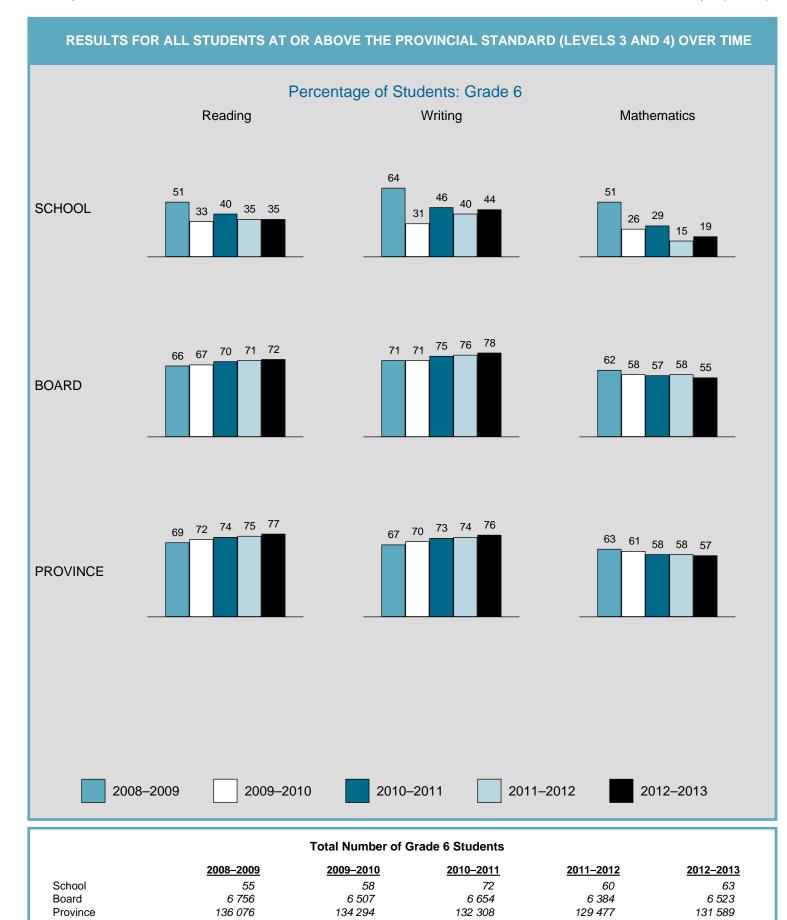
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TIPS

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.

OB

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.

OB

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.

OB

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.

OB

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	graphic Information School		Board		Province	
Enrolment						
Number of Grade 3 students		81		5 903		127 645
Number of classes with Grade 3 students		4		459		9 556
Number of schools with Grade 3 classes	Not a	pplicable		168		3 340
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percen
Gender						
Female	39	48%	2 845	48%	61 888	48%
Male	42	52%	3 058	52%	65 757	52%
Gender not specified	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Student Status						
English language learners**	48	59%	584	10%	16 093	13%
Students with special education needs (excluding gifted)**	2	2%	1 042	18%	21 452	17%
Place of Birth						
Born in Canada	30	37%	4 874	83%	114 431	90%
Born outside Canada	51	63%	1 022	17%	13 081	10%
In Canada less than one year	4	5%	35	1%	786	1%
In Canada one year or more but less than three years	18	22%	281	5%	2 941	2%
In Canada three years or more	29	36%	705	12%	8 601	7%
Language						
First language learned at home was other than English	68	84%	1 813	31%	28 595	22%
Year Student Entered Current School						
Year of the assessment	10	12%	590	10%	17 108	13%
Year prior to the assessment	14	17%	549	9%	13 749	11%
2 years prior to the assessment	16	20%	730	12%	18 818	15%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	41	51%	4 031	68%	77 892	61%
Data not available	0	0%	3	<1%	<i>78</i>	<1%
Year Student Entered Current Board						
Year of the assessment	8	10%	321	5%	8 038	6%
Year prior to the assessment	11	14%	348	6%	7 422	6%
2 years prior to the assessment	15	19%	516	9%	11 069	9%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	47	58%	4 703	80%	98 569	779
Data not available	0	0%	15	<1%	2 547	2%

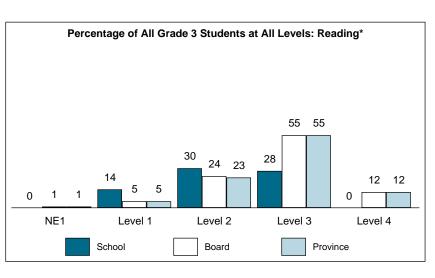
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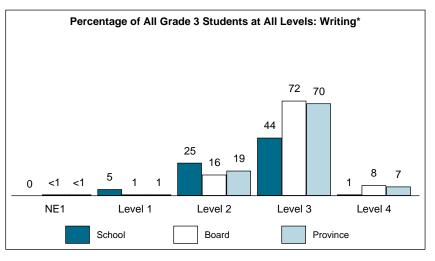
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Results in Reading, Writing and Mathematics, 2012–2013 **Grade 3: All Students**††

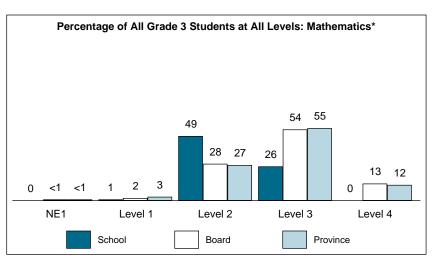
Grade 3: Reading*								
Number of Students	School 80		Board 5 692	Province 122 450				
	#	%	%	%				
Level 4	0	0%	12%	12%				
Level 3	22	28%	55%	55%				
Level 2	24	30%	24%	23%				
Level 1	11	14%	5%	5%				
NE1**	0	0%	1%	1%				
Participating Students	57	71%	96%	97%				
No Data	1	1%	<1%	1%				
Exempt	22	28%	3%	3%				
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]		28%	67%	68%				



Grade 3: Writing*								
Number of Students	School 81		Board 5 693	Province 122 447				
	#	%	%	%				
Level 4	1	1%	8%	7%				
Level 3	36	44%	72%	70%				
Level 2	20	25%	16%	19%				
Level 1	4	5%	1%	1%				
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%				
Participating Students	61	75%	97%	97%				
No Data	1	1%	1%	1%				
Exempt	19	23%	3%	2%				
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) †	ı	46%	79%	77%				



Grade 3: Mathematics*								
Number of Students	School 81		Board 5 903	Province 127 633				
	#	%	%	%				
Level 4	0	0%	13%	12%				
Level 3	21	26%	54%	55%				
Level 2	40	49%	28%	27%				
Level 1	1	1%	2%	3%				
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%				
Participating Students	62	77%	97%	97%				
No Data	1	1%	1%	1%				
Exempt	18	22%	3%	2%				
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4)†	26%	67%	67%					



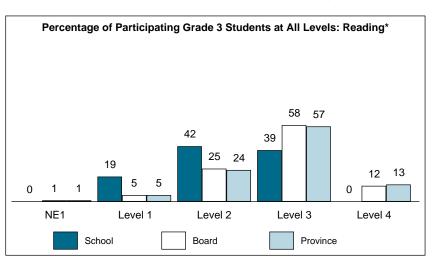
- Because percentages in tables and graphs are rounded, and because graphs do not show all reporting categories, percentages may not add to 100.
- See the Explanation of Terms.
- These percentages are based on the actual number of students and cannot be calculated simply by adding the rounded percentages of students at Levels 3 and 4.
- 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.

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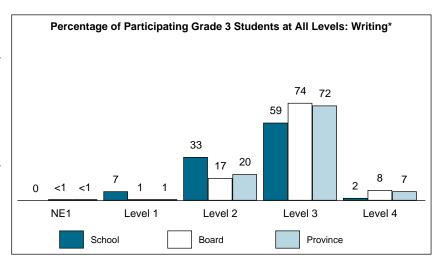
Results in Reading, Writing and Mathematics, 2012–2013

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

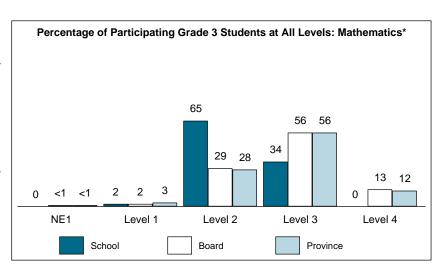
Grade 3: Reading*								
Number of Students	School 57		Board 5 488	Province 118 539				
	#	%	%	%				
Level 4	0	0%	12%	13%				
Level 3	22	39%	58%	57%				
Level 2	24	42%	25%	24%				
Level 1	11	19%	5%	5%				
NE1**	0	0%	1%	1%				
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) †	39%	70%	70%					



Grade 3: Writing*								
Number of Students	School 61		Board 5 502	Province 118 844				
	#	%	%	%				
Level 4	1	2%	8%	7%				
Level 3	36	59%	74%	72%				
Level 2	20	33%	17%	20%				
Level 1	4	7%	1%	1%				
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%				
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]		82%	79%					



Grade 3: Mathematics*								
Number of Students	School 62							
	#	%	%	%				
Level 4	0	0%	13%	12%				
Level 3	21	34%	56%	56%				
Level 2	40	65%	29%	28%				
Level 1	1	2%	2%	3%				
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%				
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) †	34%	69%	69%					



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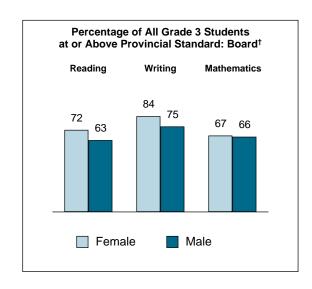
Results in Reading, Writing and Mathematics, 2012–2013

Grade 3: Gender^{††}

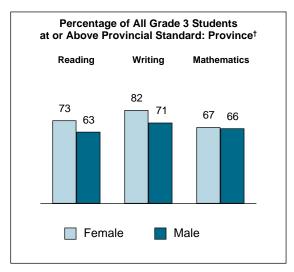
Grade 3: School*								
	Read	ding	Writ	ting	Mathematics			
Number of Students	Female 39	Male <i>41</i>	Female 39	Male 42	Female 39	Male <i>42</i>		
Level 4	0%	0%	3%	0%	0%	0%		
Level 3	38%	17%	51%	38%	26%	26%		
Level 2	26%	34%	21%	29%	56%	43%		
Level 1	10%	17%	8%	2%	0%	2%		
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%		
Participating Students	74%	68%	82%	69%	82%	71%		
No Data	0%	2%	0%	2%	0%	2%		
Exempt	26%	29%	18%	29%	18%	26%		
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]	38%	17%	54%	38%	26%	26%		

Percentage of All Grade 3 Students at or Above Provincial Standard: School [†]								
Reading	Writing	Mathematics						
	54							
38	38	26 26						
17		20 20						
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Grade 3: Board*								
	Read	ding	Writ	ting	Mathematics			
Number of Students	Female 2 735	Male 2 957	Female 2 735	Male 2 958	Female 2 845	Male 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*								
	Read	ding	Writ	ting	Mathematics			
Number of Students	Female 58 950	Male 63 500	Female 58 949	Male 63 498	Female 61 884	Male 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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 $[\]dagger\dagger$ Results include only students for whom gender data were available.

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

Contextual Information: Grade 6*

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

emographic Information		School		Board		Province	
Enrolment							
Number of Grade 6 students		63		6 523		131 589	
Number of classes with Grade 6 students		2		429		8 369	
Number of schools with Grade 6 classes	Not a	pplicable		168		3 170	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percen	
Gender							
Female	24	38%	3 190	49%	64 062	49%	
Male	39	62%	3 332	51%	67 518	51%	
Gender not specified	0	0%	1	<1%	9	<1%	
Student Status							
English language learners**	28	44%	747	11%	12 398	9%	
Students with special education needs (excluding gifted)**	9	14%	1 347	21%	26 858	20%	
Place of Birth		,					
Born in Canada	27	43%	5 076	78%	115 276	88%	
Born outside Canada	36	57%	1 440	22%	16 211	12%	
In Canada less than one year	2	3%	57	1%	680	1%	
In Canada one year or more but less than three years	14	22%	345	5%	2 672	2%	
In Canada three years or more	20	32%	1 037	16%	12 083	9%	
Language							
First language learned at home was other than English	45	71%	2 312	35%	28 985	22%	
Year Student Entered Current School							
Year of the assessment	9	14%	606	9%	29 049	22%	
Year prior to the assessment	4	6%	549	8%	12 770	10%	
2 years prior to the assessment	10	16%	506	8%	12 004	9%	
3 or more years prior to the assessment	40	63%	4 853	74%	77 673	59%	
Data not available	0	0%	9	<1%	93	<1%	
Year Student Entered Current Board							
Year of the assessment	9	14%	335	5%	7 016	5%	
Year prior to the assessment	3	5%	292	4%	6 612	5%	
2 years prior to the assessment	10	16%	320	5%	6 188	5%	
3 or more years prior to the assessment	41	65%	5 554	85%	107 666	82%	
Data not available	0	0%	22	<1%	4 107	3%	

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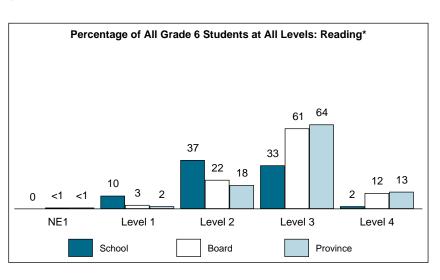
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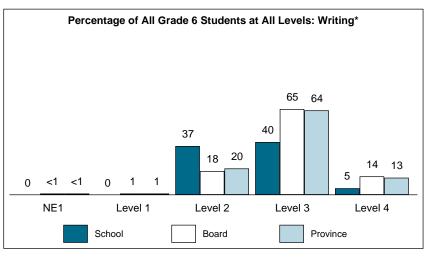
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Grade 6: All Students

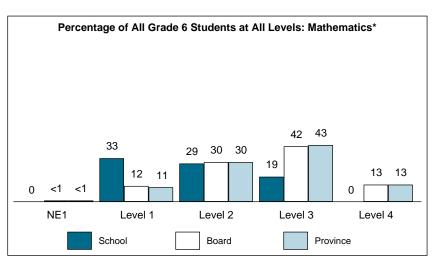
Grade 6: Reading*								
Number of Students		iool 3	Board 6 519	Province 131 514				
	#	%	%	%				
Level 4	1	2%	12%	13%				
Level 3	21	33%	61%	64%				
Level 2	23	37%	22%	18%				
Level 1	6	10%	3%	2%				
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%				
Participating Students	51	81%	97%	98%				
No Data	1	2%	<1%	<1%				
Exempt	11	17%	2%	2%				
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) †			72%	77%				



Grade 6: Writing*								
Number of Students		ool 3	Board 6 519	Province 131 504				
	#	%	%	%				
Level 4	3	5%	14%	13%				
Level 3	25	40%	65%	64%				
Level 2	23	37%	18%	20%				
Level 1	0	0%	1%	1%				
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%				
Participating Students	51	81%	97%	98%				
No Data	1	2%	<1%	<1%				
Exempt	11	17%	2%	2%				
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]	l	44%	78%	76%				



Grade 6: Mathem	Grade 6: Mathematics*								
Number of Students		iool 3	Board 6 521	Province 131 543					
	#	%	%	%					
Level 4	0	0%	13%	13%					
Level 3	12	19%	42%	43%					
Level 2	18	29%	30%	30%					
Level 1	21	33%	12%	11%					
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%					
Participating Students	51	81%	97%	97%					
No Data	1	2%	1%	1%					
Exempt	11	17%	2%	2%					
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]			55%	57%					



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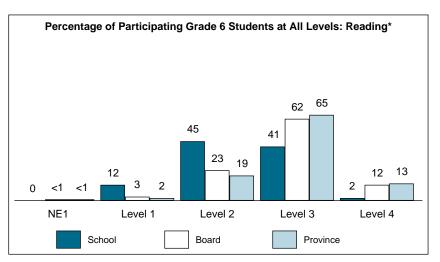
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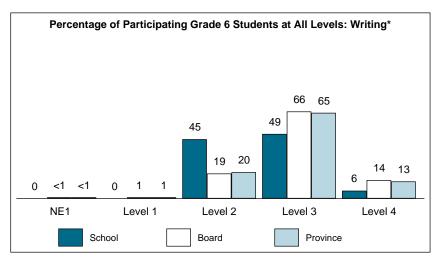
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Grade 6: Participating Students (excludes "no data" and "exempt" categories)

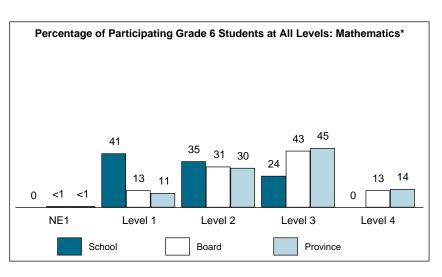
Grade 6: Reading*								
Number of Students	School 51							
	#	%	%	%				
Level 4	1	2%	12%	13%				
Level 3	21	41%	62%	65%				
Level 2	23	45%	23%	19%				
Level 1	6	12%	3%	2%				
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%				
At or Above Provincial Standard 43% (Levels 3 and 4) †			74%	79%				



Grade 6: Writing*								
Number of Students	School 51		Board 6 348	Province 128 452				
	# %		%	%				
Level 4	3	6%	14%	13%				
Level 3	25	49%	66%	65%				
Level 2	23	45%	19%	20%				
Level 1	0	0%	1%	1%				
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%				
At or Above Provincial Standard 55 (Levels 3 and 4) †		55%	80%	78%				



Grade 6: Mathematics*								
Number of Students	School 51							
	#	%	%	%				
Level 4	0	0%	13%	14%				
Level 3	12	24%	43%	45%				
Level 2	18	35%	31%	30%				
Level 1	21	41%	13%	11%				
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%				
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) †			56%	58%				



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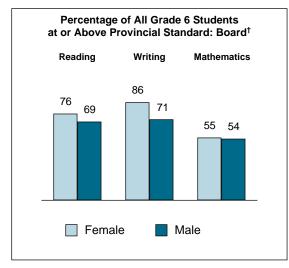
Results in Reading, Writing and Mathematics, 2012–2013

Grade 6: Gender††

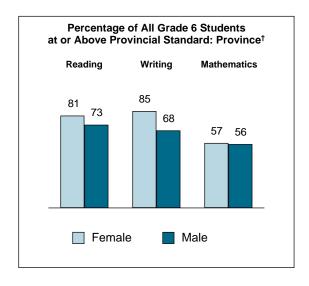
Grade 6: School*								
	Read	ding	Wri	ting	Mathematics			
Number of Students	Female 24	Male 39	Female 24	Male 39	Female 24	Male 39		
Level 4	4%	0%	8%	3%	0%	0%		
Level 3	29%	36%	38%	41%	17%	21%		
Level 2	29%	41%	21%	46%	25%	31%		
Level 1	4%	13%	0%	0%	25%	38%		
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%		
Participating Students	67%	90%	67%	90%	67%	90%		
No Data	0%	3%	0%	3%	0%	3%		
Exempt	33%	8%	33%	8%	33%	8%		
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]	33%	36%	46%	44%	17%	21%		

	Percentage of All Grade 6 Students at or Above Provincial Standard: School†						
Reading	Writing	Mathematics					
33 36	46 44	17 21					
Fer	male 📕 I	Male					

Grade 6: Board*							
	Read	ding	Writ	ting	Mathe	Mathematics	
Number of Students	Female 3 189	Male 3 329	Female 3 189	Male 3 329	Female 3 188	Male 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*								
	Read	ding	Writ	ting	Mathe	Mathematics		
Number of Students	Female 64 026	Male 67 479	Female 64 022	Male 67 473	Female 64 035	Male 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.

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

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	42	54	70	49	81
Participation in the Assessment					
Reading [†]	86%	85%	77%	82%	71%
Writing [†]	86%	85%	77%	82%	75%
Mathematics [†]	86%	85%	77%	82%	77%
Gender					
Female	52%	39%	51%	59%	48%
Male	48%	61%	49%	41%	52%
Student Status					
English language learners**	33%	30%	40%	47%	59%
Students with special education needs (excluding gifted)**	0%	13%	10%	4%	2%
Place of Birth					
Born in Canada	48%	61%	46%	45%	37%
Born outside Canada	52%	39%	54%	55%	63%
In Canada less than one year	7%	15%	1%	0%	5%
In Canada one year or more but less than three years	19%	7%	26%	18%	22%
In Canada three years or more	26%	17%	27%	37%	36%
Language					
First language learned at home was other than English	67%	69%	70%	80%	84%
Year Student Entered Current School					
Year of the assessment	29%	15%	17%	4%	12%
Year prior to the assessment	14%	9%	13%	20%	17%
2 years prior to the assessment	7%	11%	13%	12%	20%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	50%	65%	57%	63%	51%
Data not available	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

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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.

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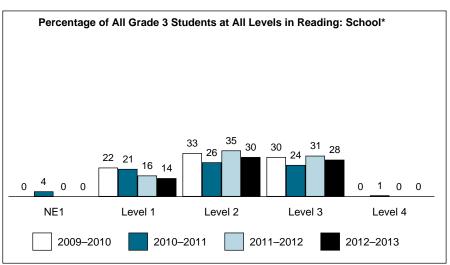
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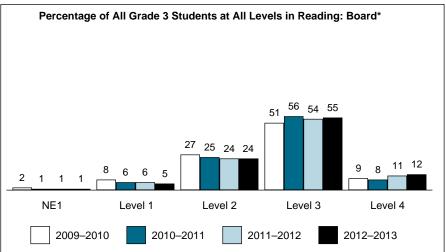
Grade 3: Reading

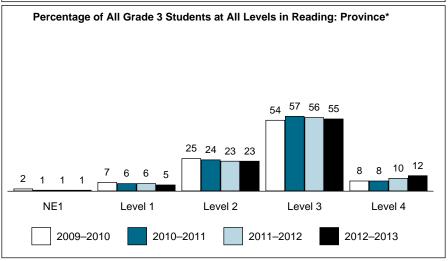
Grade 3 Reading: School*							
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13			
Number of Students	54	70	49	80			
Level 4	0%	1%	0%	0%			
Level 3	30%	24%	31%	28%			
Level 2	33%	26%	35%	30%			
Level 1	22%	21%	16%	14%			
NE1**	0%	4%	0%	0%			
Participating Students	85%	77%	82%	71%			
No Data	0%	0%	0%	1%			
Exempt	15%	23%	18%	28%			
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	30%	26%	31%	28%			

Standard†	30%	20%	31%	28%				
Grade 3 Reading: Board*								
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13				
Number of Students	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%				
Participating Students	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		
Number of Students	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%		
Participating Students	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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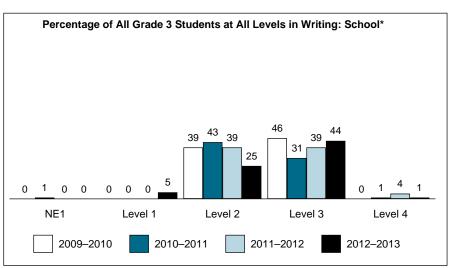
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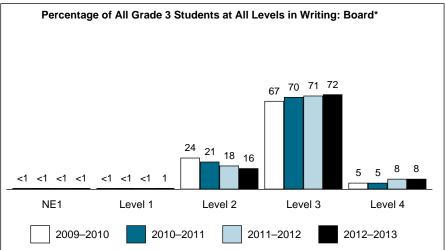
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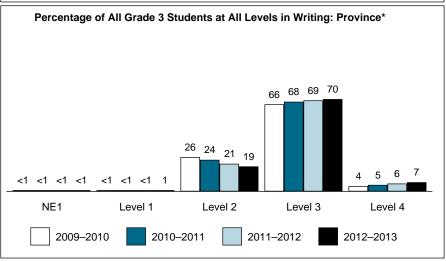
Grade 3 Writing: School*							
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13			
Number of Students	54	70	49	81			
Level 4	0%	1%	4%	1%			
Level 3	46%	31%	39%	44%			
Level 2	39%	43%	39%	25%			
Level 1	0%	0%	0%	5%			
NE1**	0%	1%	0%	0%			
Participating Students	85%	77%	82%	75%			
No Data	0%	0%	0%	1%			
Exempt	15%	23%	18%	23%			
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	46%	33%	43%	46%			

Grade 3 Writing: Board*						
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13		
Number of Students	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%		
Participating Students	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			
Number of Students	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%			
Participating Students	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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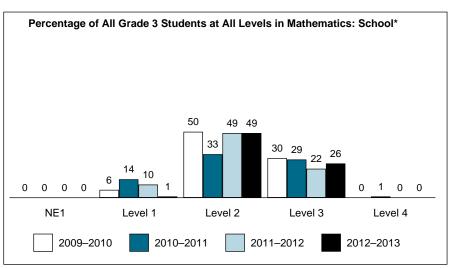
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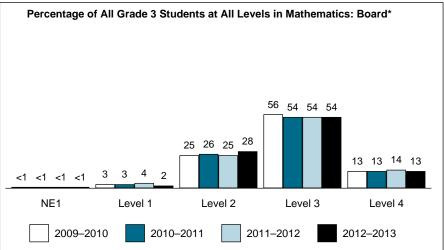
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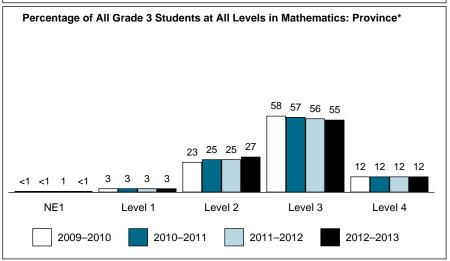
Grade 3 Mathematics: School*						
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13		
Number of Students	54	70	49	81		
Level 4	0%	1%	0%	0%		
Level 3	30%	29%	22%	26%		
Level 2	50%	33%	49%	49%		
Level 1	6%	14%	10%	1%		
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%		
Participating Students	85%	77%	82%	77%		
No Data	0%	0%	0%	1%		
Exempt	15%	23%	18%	22%		
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	30%	30%	22%	26%		

Grade 3 Mathematics: Board*							
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13			
Number of Students	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%			
Participating Students	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		
Number of Students	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%		
Participating Students	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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Assessments of Reading, Writing and Mathematics, Primary and Junior Divisions, 2012–2013

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	55	58	72	60	63	
Participation in the Assessment						
Reading	93%	98%	88%	73%	81%	
Writing	93%	98%	88%	73%	81%	
Mathematics	93%	98%	88%	77%	81%	
Gender						
Female	56%	59%	51%	47%	38%	
Male	44%	41%	49%	53%	62%	
Student Status						
English language learners**	25%	29%	38%	53%	44%	
Students with special education needs (excluding gifted)**	18%	14%	10%	8%	14%	
Place of Birth						
Born in Canada	53%	57%	40%	28%	43%	
Born outside Canada	47%	43%	60%	72%	57%	
In Canada less than one year	2%	14%	3%	5%	3%	
In Canada one year or more but less than three years	13%	10%	24%	32%	22%	
In Canada three years or more	33%	19%	33%	35%	32%	
Language						
First language learned at home was other than English	60%	71%	72%	87%	71%	
Year Student Entered Current School						
Year of the assessment	22%	22%	19%	20%	14%	
Year prior to the assessment	11%	12%	11%	18%	6%	
2 years prior to the assessment	7%	7%	8%	20%	16%	
3 or more years prior to the assessment	60%	59%	61%	42%	63%	
Data not available	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	

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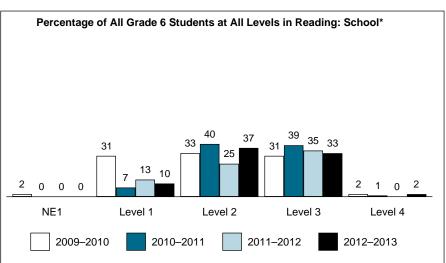
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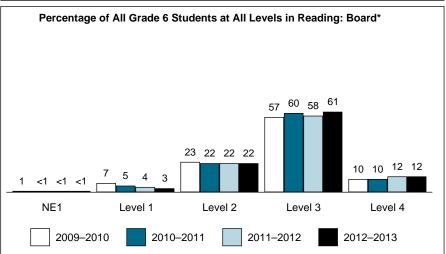
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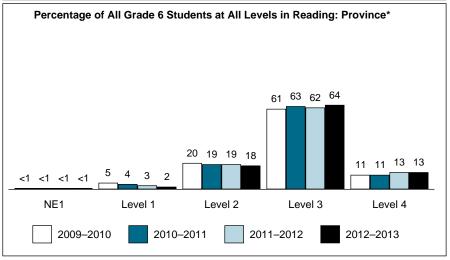
Grade 6 Reading: School*						
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11-'12	'12-'13		
Number of Students	58	72	60	63		
Level 4	2%	1%	0%	2%		
Level 3	31%	39%	35%	33%		
Level 2	33%	40%	25%	37%		
Level 1	31%	7%	13%	10%		
NE1**	2%	0%	0%	0%		
Participating Students	98%	88%	73%	81%		
No Data	0%	0%	0%	2%		
Exempt	2%	12%	27%	17%		
At or Above Provincial Standard†	33%	40%	35%	35%		

Grade 6 Reading: Board*							
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13			
Number of Students	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%			
Participating Students	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 Rea	ading: Pr	ovince*		
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13
Number of Students	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%
Participating Students	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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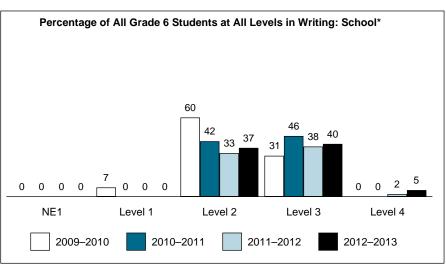
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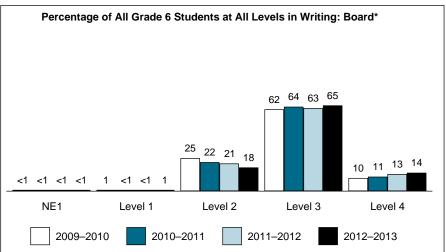
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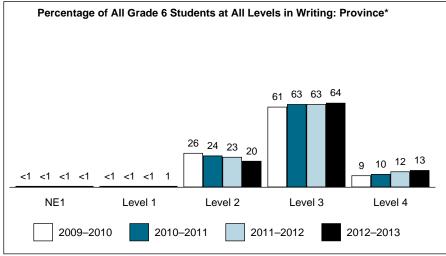
Grade 6 Wri	ting: Scl	nool*		
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13
Number of Students	58	72	60	63
Level 4	0%	0%	2%	5%
Level 3	31%	46%	38%	40%
Level 2	60%	42%	33%	37%
Level 1	7%	0%	0%	0%
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%
Participating Students	98%	88%	73%	81%
No Data	0%	0%	0%	2%
Exempt	2%	12%	27%	17%
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	31%	46%	40%	44%

Grade 6 Wri	ting: Bo	ard*		
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13
Number of Students	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%
Participating Students	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 Wri	ting: Pro	vince*		
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13
Number of Students	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%
Participating Students	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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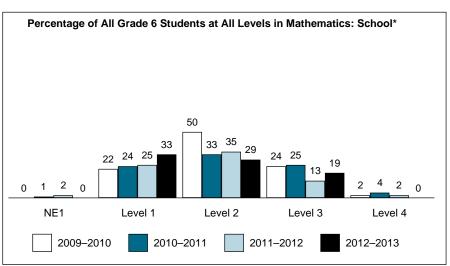
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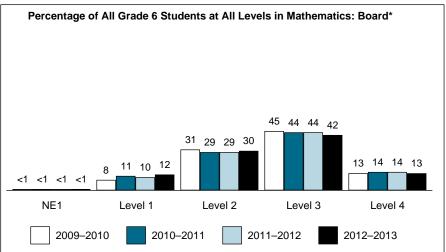
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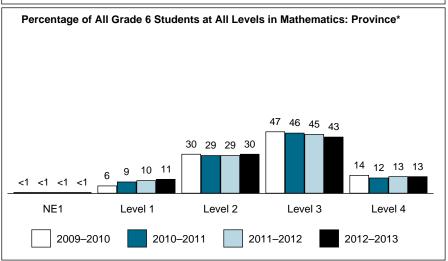
Grade 6 Mat	hematic	s: Schoo	ol*	
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13
Number of Students	58	72	60	63
Level 4	2%	4%	2%	0%
Level 3	24%	25%	13%	19%
Level 2	50%	33%	35%	29%
Level 1	22%	24%	25%	33%
NE1**	0%	1%	2%	0%
Participating Students	98%	88%	77%	81%
No Data	0%	0%	0%	2%
Exempt	2%	12%	23%	17%
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	26%	29%	15%	19%

Grade 6 Mat	thematic	s: Board	*	
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12-'13
Number of Students	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%
Participating Students	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 Mat	hematic	s: Provir	rce*	
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13
Number of Students	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%
Participating Students	97%	97%	97%	97%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%
Exempt	3%	2%	2%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	61%	58%	58%	57%



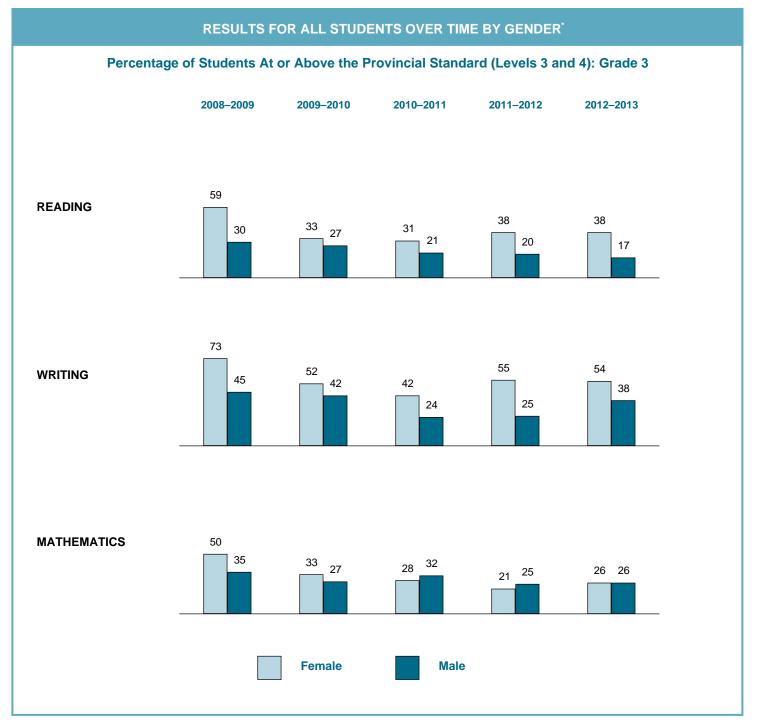




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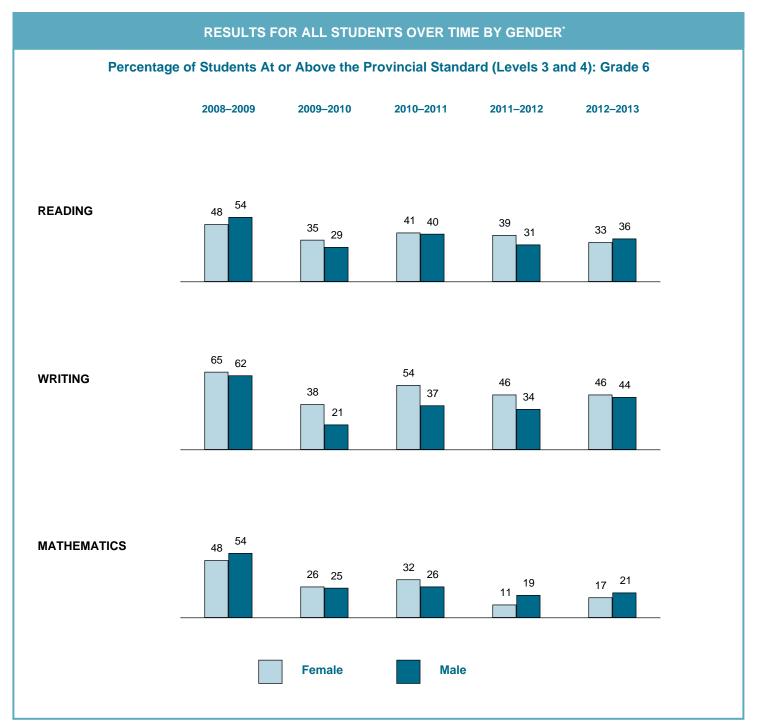
[†] These percentages are based on the actual number of students and cannot be calculated simply by adding the rounded percentages of students at Levels 3 and 4.



	Total Number of Grade 3 Students											
	<u>2008–2009</u> <u>2009–2010</u>				<u>2010–</u>	<u>-2011</u>	<u> 2011–</u>	<u>2011–2012</u>		-2013		
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male		
School	22	20	21	33	36	34	29	20	39	42		

^{*} Includes only students for whom gender data were available.

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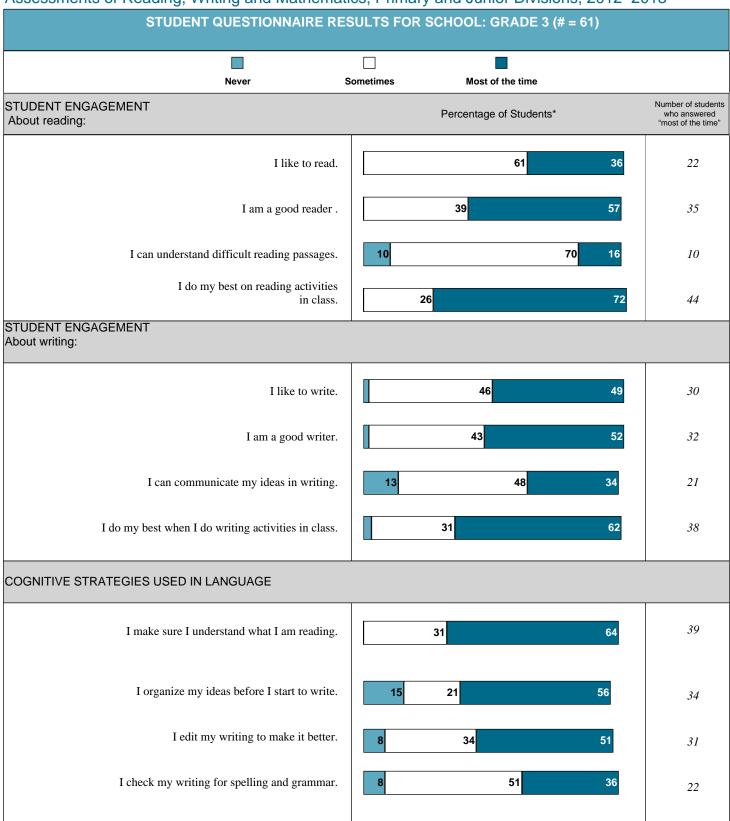


	Total Number of Grade 6 Students												
	<u>2008–2009</u> <u>2009–2010</u>			<u>2010–</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u> 2011–</u>	<u> 2012</u>	<u> 2012</u> –	<u>-2013</u>				
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male			
School	31	24	34	24	37	35	28	32	24	39			

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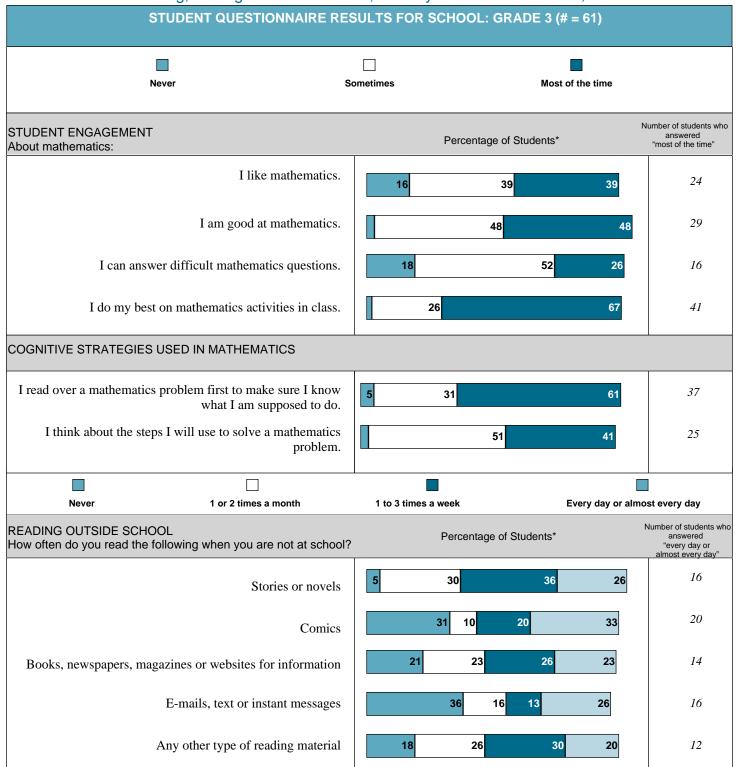
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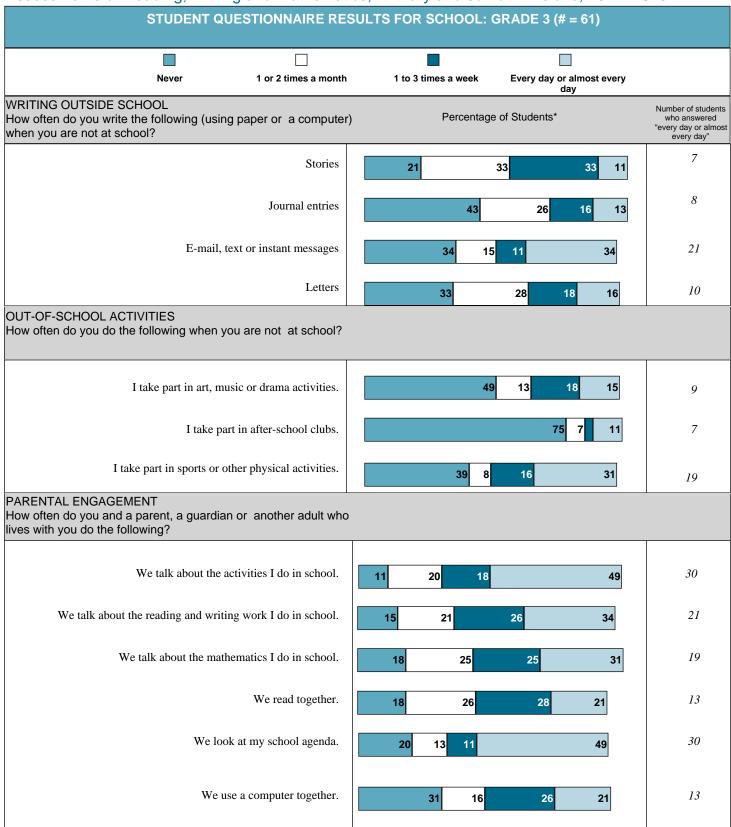
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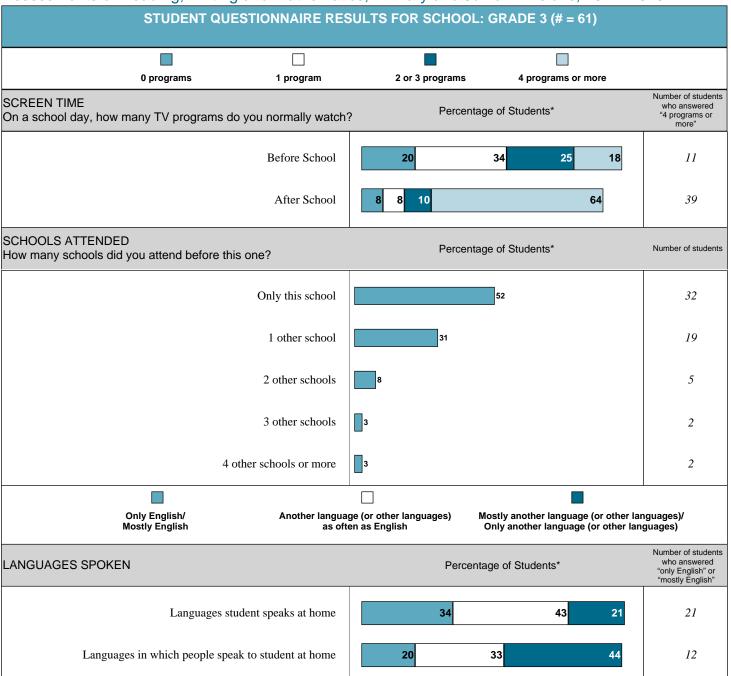
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GRADE 3: STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS	II.	School			Board		Province		
FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students, female, male)	All Students (# = 61)	Female* (# = 31)	Male* (# = 30)	All Students (# = 5 679)	Female* (# = 2 756)	Male* (# = 2 923)	All Students (# = 123 251)	Female* (# = 60 268)	Male* (# = 62 983)
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT About reading:		Percei	ntage of	students v	who ansv	vered "mo	ost of the	time"†	
I like to read.	36%	39%	33%	45%	52%	40%	49%	56%	42%
I am a good reader.	57%	58%	57%	62%	65%	59%	64%	66%	62%
I can understand difficult reading passages.	16%	10%	23%	27%	24%	29%	28%	27%	30%
I do my best on reading activities in class.	72%	71%	73%	69%	73%	65%	73%	78%	69%
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT About writing:							time"†		
I like to write.	49%	61%	37%	47%	53%	42%	48%	55%	40%
I am a good writer.	52%	61%	43%	45%	51%	39%	49%	55%	42%
I can communicate my ideas in writing.	34%	39%	30%	38%	40%	36%	41%	42%	39%
I do my best on writing activities in class.	62%	77%	47%	65%	70%	60%	69%	73%	64%
COGNITIVE STRATEGIES USED IN LANGUAGE		Percei	ntage of	students v	who ansv	vered "mo	ost of the	time"†	
I make sure I understand what I am reading.	64%	71%	57%	63%	66%	60%	65%	68%	62%
I organize my ideas before I start to write.	56%	61%	50%	43%	48%	39%	41%	45%	38%
I edit my writing to make it better.	51%	68%	33%	40%	45%	36%	43%	47%	38%
I check my writing for spelling and grammar.	36%	42%	30%	44%	48%	40%	45%	49%	41%
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT About mathematics:		Percei	ntage of	students	who ansv	vered "mo	ost of the	time"†	
I like mathematics.	39%	39%	40%	55%	50%	60%	56%	51%	60%
I am good at mathematics.	48%	45%	50%	50%	44%	55%	54%	47%	60%
I can answer difficult mathematics questions.	26%	19%	33%	31%	26%	36%	35%	28%	42%
I do my best on mathematics activities in class.	67%	81%	53%	70%	71%	70%	75%	76%	74%
COGNITIVE STRATEGIES USED IN MATHEMATICS		Percei	ntage of	students v	who ansv	vered "mo	ost of the	time"†	
I read over a mathematics problem first to make sure I know what I am supposed to do.	61%	84%	37%	61%	65%	56%	65%	69%	61%
I think about the steps I will use to solve a mathematics problem.	41%	35%	47%	44%	44%	44%	47%	48%	47%

 $[\]ast$ Only includes students for whom gender data were available. \dagger Other response options were "never" and "sometimes."

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GRADE 3: STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS		School	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		Board		Province		
FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students, female, male)	All Students (# = 61)	Female* (# = 31)	Male* (# = 30)	All Students (# = 5 679)	Female* (# = 2 756)	Male* (# = 2 923)	All Students (# = 123 251)	Female* (# = 60 268)	Male* (# = 62 983)
READING OUTSIDE SCHOOL How often do you read the following when you are not at school?	Perd	entage o	f student	s who an	swered "e	every day	or almos	st every d	ay" [†]
Stories or novels	26%	35%	17%	37%	42%	33%	40%	46%	35%
Comics	33%	23%	43%	22%	16%	27%	19%	13%	26%
Books, newspapers, magazines or websites for information	23%	39%	7%	27%	30%	24%	25%	27%	23%
E-mails, text or instant messages	26%	29%	23%	22%	24%	20%	23%	25%	22%
Any other type of reading material	20%	26%	13%	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?	Perd	entage o	f student	s who an	swered "e	every day	or almos	st every d	ay" [†]
Stories	11%	13%	10%	17%	18%	15%	16%	18%	13%
Journal entries	13%	26%	0%	16%	20%	11%	14%	18%	9%
E-mails, text or instant messages	34%	39%	30%	21%	23%	20%	22%	24%	21%
Letters	16%	16%	17%	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?	Perc	entage o	f student	s who an	swered "e	every day	or almos	st every d	ay" [†]
We talk about the activities I do in school.	49%	58%	40%	53%	58%	48%	53%	58%	48%
We talk about the reading and writing work I do in school.	34%	39%	30%	34%	37%	31%	32%	36%	29%
We talk about the mathematics I do in school.	31%	32%	30%	39%	42%	37%	36%	38%	34%
We read together.	21%	26%	17%	27%	30%	24%	28%	30%	25%
We look at my school agenda.	49%	42%	57%	50%	51%	49%	53%	54%	52%
We use a computer together.	21%	29%	13%	20%	21%	19%	17%	17%	18%
OUT-OF-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES How often do you do the following when you are not at school?	Perc	entage o	f student	s who an	swered "e	every day	or almos	st every d	ay" [†]
I take part in art, music or drama activities.	15%	16%	13%	18%	22%	13%	18%	23%	13%
I take part in after-school clubs.	11%	16%	7%	13%	13%	13%	11%	11%	10%
I take part in sports or other physical activities.	31%	23%	40%	36%	31%	40%	38%	33%	43%

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

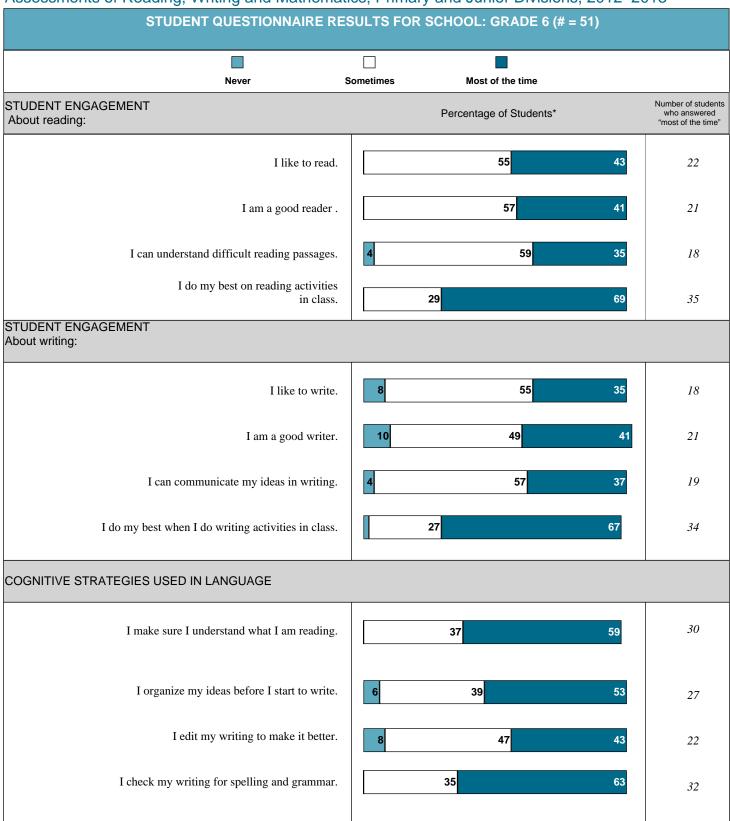
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GRADE 3: STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students,		School			Board			Province	
female, male)	All Students (# = 61)	Female* (# = 31)	Male* (# = 30)	All Students (# = 5 679)	Female* (# = 2 756)	Male* (# = 2 923)	All Students (# = 123 251)	Female* (# = 60 268)	Male* (# = 62 983)
SCREEN TIME (TELEVISION) On a school day, how many TV programs do you normally watch?		Percent	age of st	udents wh	no answe	red "4 pro	ograms o	r more"†	
Before school	18%	16%	20%	9%	6%	12%	9%	6%	13%
After school	64%	68%	60%	51%	47%	54%	46%	42%	50%
SCHOOLS ATTENDED How many schools did you attend before this one? Percentage of students [‡]									
Only this school/1 other school	84%	84%	83%	81%	83%	80%	78%	78%	77%
2 other schools/3 other schools	11%	13%	10%	13%	12%	14%	15%	15%	16%
4 other schools or more	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	4%	4%
LANGUAGES STUDENTS SPEAK AT HOME				Percentage of students [‡]					
Only English/Mostly English	34%	39%	30%	60%	58%	61%	71%	71%	72%
Another language (or other languages) as often as English	43%	42%	43%	22%	24%	21%	16%	17%	15%
Mostly another language (or other languages)/ Only another language (or other languages)	21%	19%	23%	16%	16%	16%	11%	11%	11%
LANGUAGES SPOKEN TO STUDENTS AT HOME				Percent	age of st	udents‡			
Only English/Mostly English	20%	19%	20%	48%	47%	50%	66%	66%	67%
Another language (or other languages) as often as English	33%	32%	33%	22%	23%	21%	14%	14%	13%
Mostly another language (or other languages)/ Only another language (or other languages)	44%	48%	40%	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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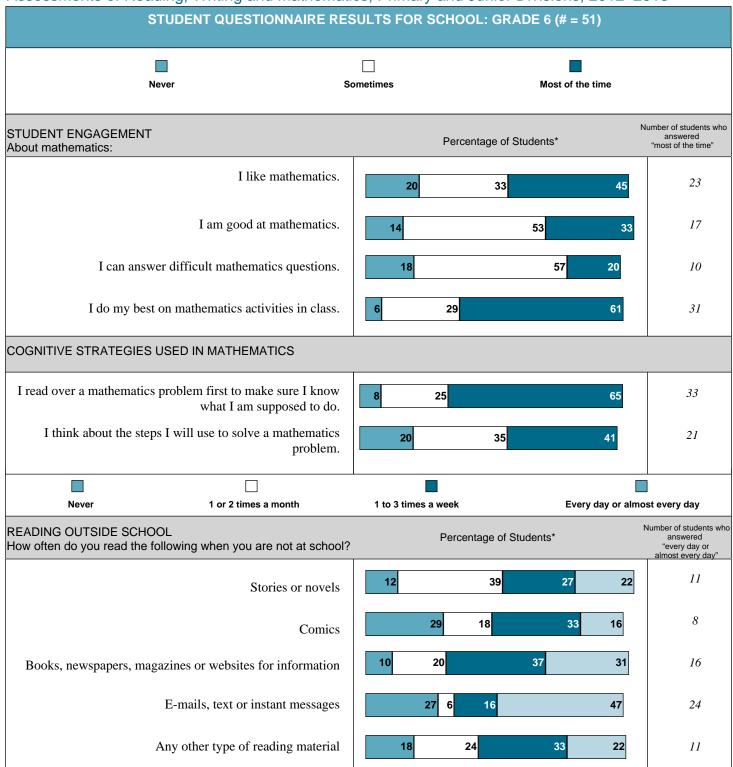
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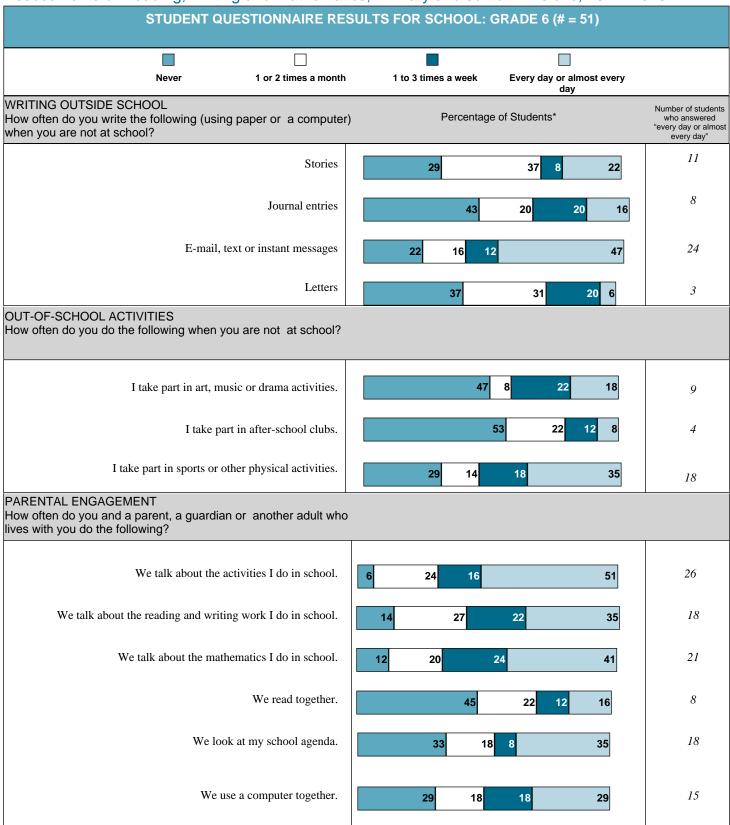
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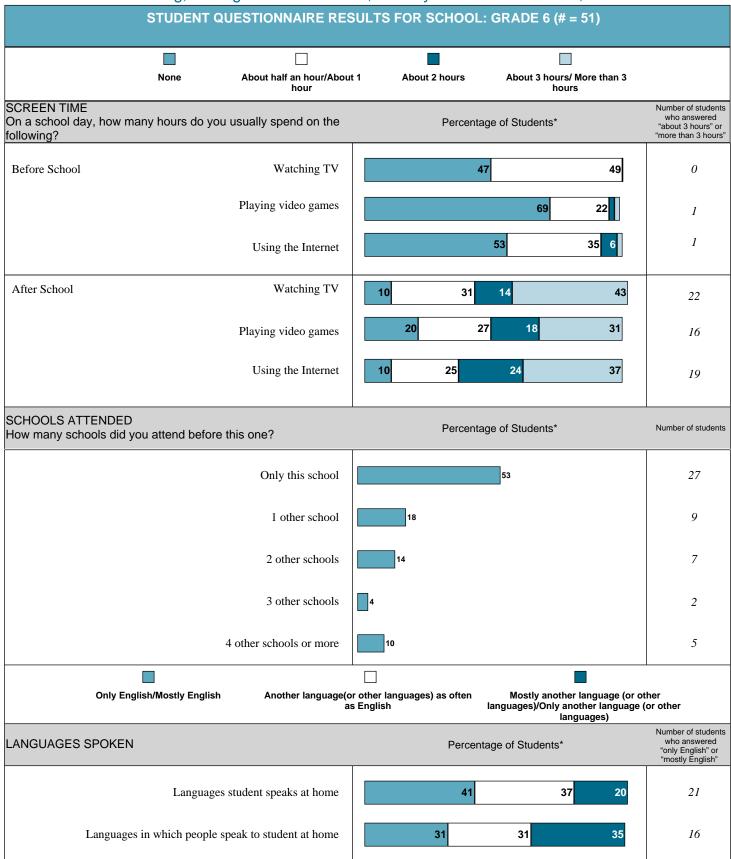
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GRADE 6: STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS	School			aria oa	Board	VIOIOIIO	Province			
FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students,	3011001			Doard			Province			
female, male)	All Students (# = 51)	Female* (# = 16)	Male* (# = 35)	All Students (# = 6 306)	Female* (# = 3 103)	Male* (# = 3 202)	All Students (# = 127 419)	Female* (# = 62 541)	Male* (# = 64 869)	
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT About reading:	ENT ENGAGEMENT Percentage of students who appwored "most of the time"									
I like to read.	43%	50%	40%	42%	50%	34%	48%	56%	40%	
I am a good reader.	41%	56%	34%	60%	62%	58%	66%	70%	63%	
I can understand difficult reading passages.	35%	38%	34%	35%	33%	37%	38%	36%	40%	
I do my best on reading activities in class.	69%	62%	71%	67%	70%	64%	70%	75%	65%	
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT About writing:		Perce	ntage of	students	who answ	vered "mo	ost of the	time"†		
I like to write.	35%	44%	31%	39%	49%	30%	39%	51%	28%	
I am a good writer.	41%	44%	40%	39%	44%	34%	42%	50%	35%	
I can communicate my ideas in writing.	37%	31%	40%	43%	45%	40%	44%	48%	40%	
I do my best on writing activities in class.	67%	75%	63%	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.	59%	69%	54%	70%	72%	67%	72%	75%	68%	
I organize my ideas before I start to write.	53%	69%	46%	35%	39%	32%	34%	38%	29%	
I edit my writing to make it better.	43%	50%	40%	46%	53%	40%	46%	53%	40%	
I check my writing for spelling and grammar.	63%	50%	69%	50%	54%	47%	48%	53%	44%	
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT About mathematics:		Percei	ntage of	students v	who answ	vered "mo	ost of the	timeӠ		
I like mathematics.	45%	25%	54%	47%	39%	55%	47%	39%	55%	
I am good at mathematics.	33%	19%	40%	48%	41%	55%	52%	44%	58%	
I can answer difficult mathematics questions.	20%	25%	17%	32%	25%	39%	36%	28%	44%	
I do my best on mathematics activities in class.	61%	56%	63%	70%	70%	71%	74%	74%	74%	
COGNITIVE STRATEGIES USED IN MATHEMATICS		Percei	ntage of	students v	who answ	vered "mo	ost of the	time"†		
I read over a mathematics problem first to make sure I know what I am supposed to do.	65%	75%	60%	70%	73%	67%	73%	77%	69%	
I think about the steps I will use to solve a mathematics problem.	41%	25%	49%	46%	45%	46%	49%	50%	49%	

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GRADE 6: STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS		School			Board			Province		
FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students, female, male)	All Students (# = 51)	Female* (# = 16)	Male* (# = 35)	All Students (# = 6 306)	Female* (# = 3 103)	Male* (# = 3 202)	All Students (# = 127 419)	Female* (# = 62 541)	Male* (# = 64 869)	
READING OUTSIDE SCHOOL How often do you read the following when you are not at school?	Perd	entage o	f student	s who an	swered "e	every day	or almos	st every d	ay" [†]	
Stories or novels	22%	31%	17%	25%	32%	18%	33%	39%	26%	
Comics	16%	12%	17%	14%	10%	19%	11%	8%	15%	
Books, newspapers, magazines or websites for information	31%	44%	26%	32%	36%	29%	30%	32%	28%	
E-mails, text or instant messages	47%	56%	43%	55%	66%	45%	55%	64%	47%	
Any other type of reading material	22%	19%	23%	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?	How often do you write the following (using paper or									
Stories	22%	31%	17%	7%	9%	6%	7%	9%	5%	
Journal entries	16%	19%	14%	8%	11%	5%	7%	11%	3%	
E-mails, text or instant messages	47%	62%	40%	52%	62%	42%	52%	62%	43%	
Letters	6%	6%	6%	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?	Perd	entage o	f student	s who an	swered "e	every day	or almos	st every d	ay" [†]	
We talk about the activities I do in school.	51%	50%	51%	50%	54%	47%	53%	56%	50%	
We talk about the reading and writing work I do in school.	35%	38%	34%	26%	27%	25%	28%	30%	26%	
We talk about the mathematics I do in school.	41%	62%	31%	34%	35%	34%	36%	37%	34%	
We read together.	16%	25%	11%	7%	7%	7%	7%	7%	7%	
We look at my school agenda.	35%	38%	34%	25%	22%	28%	32%	31%	34%	
We use a computer together.	29%	38%	26%	13%	13%	13%	10%	10%	11%	
OUT-OF-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES How often do you do the following when you are not at school?	Perd	entage o	f student	s who an	swered "e	every day	or almos	st every d	ay" [†]	
I take part in art, music or drama activities.	18%	19%	17%	13%	19%	8%	13%	17%	8%	
I take part in after-school clubs.	8%	6%	9%	10%	11%	9%	9%	10%	8%	
I take part in sports or other physical activities.	35%	25%	40%	36%	31%	42%	41%	35%	46%	

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GRADE 6: STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS		School			Board			Province		
FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students, female, male)	All Students (# = 51)	Female* (# = 16)	Male* (# = 35)	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?	Percent	age of st	udents w	ho answe	ered "abo	ut 3 hour	s" or "mo	re than 3	hoursӠ	
Before School Watching TV	0%	0%	0%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	
Playing video games	2%	0%	3%	2%	1%	4%	2%	1%	3%	
Using the Internet	2%	6%	0%	4%	4%	3%	3%	2%	3%	
After School Watching TV	43%	50%	40%	25%	26%	25%	17%	17%	17%	
Playing video games	31%	19%	37%	16%	6%	26%	13%	5%	22%	
Using the Internet	37%	50%	31%	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	71%	88%	63%	77%	79%	76%	69%	69%	69%	
2 other schools/3 other schools	18%	6%	23%	17%	15%	18%	22%	22%	22%	
4 other schools or more	10%	6%	11%	4%	4%	4%	6%	6%	6%	
LANGUAGES STUDENTS SPEAK AT HOME	Percentage of students [‡]									
Only English/Mostly English	41%	38%	43%	64%	63%	65%	76%	76%	76%	
Another language (or other languages) as often as English	37%	38%	37%	23%	24%	22%	14%	15%	14%	
Mostly another language (or other languages)/ Only another language (or other languages)	20%	25%	17%	12%	12%	11%	8%	7%	8%	
LANGUAGES SPOKEN TO STUDENTS AT HOME	Percentage of students [‡]									
Only English/Mostly English	31%	31%	31%	52%	50%	54%	70%	70%	70%	
Another language (or other languages) as often as English	31%	25%	34%	23%	24%	22%	13%	14%	13%	
Mostly another language (or other languages)/ Only another language (or other languages)	35%	44%	31%	23%	24%	22%	14%	14%	14%	

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† Other response options were "about 2 hours," "about 1 hour," "about half an hour" and "none."
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EXPLANATION OF TERMS

All Students Results are reported for all students in the grade.

Participating Results are reported only for those students who took part in the assessment (excludes "no data" Students and "exempt" categories).

Provincial The Ministry of Education has set Level 3 as the provincial standard. 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 Students who have been identified by the school in accordance with *English Language Learners*: Learners ESL and ELD Programs and Services: Policies and Procedures for Ontario Elementary and Secondary Schools, Kindergarten to Grade 12 (2007).

English Language English language learners identified by the school as receiving a special provision. Detailed Learners Receiving information about special provisions is available in EQAO's Guide for Accommodations, Special a Special Provision Provisions and Exemptions.

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Students with Students who have been formally identified by an Identification, Placement and Review Special Education Committee, as well as students who have an Individual Education Plan. Students whose sole **Needs (excluding** identified exceptionality is giftedness are not included.

One or More *Exemptions*. **Accommodations**

Students Students identified by the school as receiving accommodations. Detailed information about Receiving accommodations is available in EQAO's Guide for Accommodations, Special Provisions and

- **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.

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