

Grade 3 and Grade 6 Assessments of Reading, Writing and Mathematics

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I am pleased to provide you with this report, which provides an overview of contextual information, results over time and students' performance on EQAO's Grade 3 and Grade 6 Assessments of Reading, Writing and Mathematics for 2005–2006.

Experience has shown that data inform professional practice and provide a catalyst for improving student achievement. This report has been designed to assist you in your conversations about improving student achievement and planning interventions for students.

We believe that every student deserves a good outcome from public education. Working with Ontario educators for the past 10 years, EQAO has designed assessments that provide a check on student learning at a few critical transition points, and a vehicle for assuring people that, at those points, all Ontario students are being assessed by the same yardstick. However, large-scale assessment results are one piece of the picture of how students are doing in our schools. These assessment results should be used in conjunction with school-based information. As well, regular assessments conducted by a student's teacher should be the primary method of supporting students in their schooling.

I hope this report will help parents, educators and all who support a strong public education system to work together so that all students achieve their fullest potential.

Sincerely,

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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.

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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.

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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.

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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.

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EQAO values students' privacy. Results are not reported publicly for schools where fewer than 15 students participated, 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 Grade 3 and Grade 6. 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 over the past five years 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
- 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?
- Speak to the school principal or the school council chair 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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Contextual Information: Grade 3 and Grade 6[†]

This information provides a context for interpreting the school's results in relation to those of the board and the province.

Grade 3		School	Board	Province
Number of students		65	6 501	132 782
Students participating in reading*		100%	94%	94%
writing*		100%	94%	94%
mathematics*		100%	94%	95%
Female		52%	49%	49%
Male		48%	51%	51%
ESL/ELD learners**		2%	2%	7%
Students with special needs (excluding gif	fted)**	5%	12%	12%
Born outside Canada		3%	16%	10%
In Canada less than one year		0%	1%	1%
In Canada one year or more but less than	2%	4%	2%	
In Canada three years or more	2%	11%	6%	
First language learned at home was other	11%	30%	18%	
Year student entered current school:	2005-2006	6%	11%	13%
	2004-2005	8%	10%	15%
	2003-2004	12%	12%	13%
	Prior to 2002-2003	74%	66%	55%
	Data not available	0%	2%	4%
Grade 6		School	Board	Province
Number of students		82	7 029	146 711
Students participating in reading		100%	95%	95%
writing		100%	95%	95%
mathematics		100%	95%	95%
Female		52%	49%	48%
Male		48%	51%	52%

ESL/ELD learners** 0% 2% 5% Students with special needs (excluding gifted)** 9% 18% 15% Born outside Canada 12% 18% 11% In Canada less than one year 0% 1% 1% In Canada one year or more but less than three years 1% 4% 2% 14% In Canada three years or more 11% 8% First language learned at home was other than English 17% 36% 17% Year student entered current school: 2005-2006 10% 22% 6% 2004-2005 17% 9% 13% 2003-2004 4% 8% 9% Prior to 2002–2003 72% 71% 53% Data not available 1% 2% 3%

† Contextual data pertaining to gender, student status, school background, place of birth, language learned at home and year entered school are provided by

schools and/or boards through the Student Data Collection process. Some data may be missing, because they were not reported by the school. * Not all French Immersion students wrote all components of the Grade 3 assessment; the numbers shown here reflect those students who wrote the components

determined by the French Immersion participation option selected by their board.

** See the Explanation of Terms.

Grade 3: All Students

Grade 3: Reading*							
Number of Students	Sch 6	iool 5	Board 6 366	Province 129 630			
	#	%	%	%			
Level 4	6	9%	7%	6%			
Level 3	43	66%	55%	56%			
Level 2	13	20%	24%	24%			
Level 1	2	3%	6%	6%			
NE1**	1	2%	1%	1%			
Participating Students	65	100%	94%	94%			
No Data	0	0%	2%	1%			
Exempt	0	0%	4%	5%			
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]		62%	62%				

Grade 3: Writing*							
Number of Students	School 65		Board 6 366	Province 129 630			
	#	%	%	%			
Level 4	9	14%	8%	6%			
Level 3	43	66%	61%	58%			
Level 2	11	17%	24%	29%			
Level 1	0	0%	<1%	<1%			
NE1**	2	3%	<1%	<1%			
Participating Students	65	100%	94%	94%			
No Data	0	0%	2%	1%			
Exempt	0	0%	4%	5%			
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]		80%	70%	64%			

Grade 3: Mathematics*							
Number of Students	School 65		Board 6 501	Province 132 782			
	#	%	%	%			
Level 4	13	20%	13%	11%			
Level 3	44	68%	54%	57%			
Level 2	5	8%	25%	23%			
Level 1	1	2%	2%	3%			
NE1**	2	3%	<1%	<1%			
Participating Students	65	100%	94%	95%			
No Data	0	0%	2%	1%			
Exempt	0	0%	4%	4%			
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]	l	88%	66%	68%			







Because percentages in tables and graphs are rounded, and because graphs do not show all reporting categories, percentages may not add to 100.

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

Grade 3: Reading	Beard	Drevince		
Number of Students	6	5	5 965	121 290
	#	%	%	%
Level 4	6	9%	8%	7%
Level 3	43	66%	58%	60%
Level 2	13	20%	26%	26%
Level 1	2	3%	7%	6%
NE1**	1	2%	1%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]		75%	66%	67%



Grade 3: Writing*					P
Number of Students	School 65		Board 5 978	Province 121 771	
	#	%	%	%	
Level 4	9	14%	9%	6%	
Level 3	43	66%	65%	62%	
Level 2	11	17%	25%	31%	
Level 1	0	0%	<1%	<1%	
NE1**	2	3%	<1%	<1%	
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]		80%	74%	68%	3 <
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Grade 3: Mathematics*							
Number of Students	School 65		School Board 65 6 113				
	#	%	%	%			
Level 4	13	20%	13%	12%			
Level 3	44	68%	57%	61%			
Level 2	5	8%	26%	24%			
Level 1	1	2%	3%	3%			
NE1**	2	3%	1%	<1%			
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]		88%	71%	72%			



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Grade 3: Gender^{††}

Grade 3: School*							
	Read	ding	Writ	ting	Mathe	Mathematics	
Number of Students	Female 34	Male 31	Female 34	Male 31	Female 34	Male 31	
Level 4	12%	6%	21%	6%	21%	19%	
Level 3	71%	61%	65%	68%	71%	65%	
Level 2	15%	26%	15%	19%	3%	13%	
Level 1	3%	3%	0%	0%	0%	3%	
NE1**	0%	3%	0%	6%	6%	0%	
Participating Students	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
No Data	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Exempt	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]	82%	68%	85%	74%	91%	84%	

Grade 3: Board*							
	Read	ding	Writ	ting	Mathe	Mathematics	
Number of Students	Female 3 119	Male 3 247	Female 3 119	Male 3 247	Female 3 190	Male 3 311	
Level 4	9%	6%	11%	6%	12%	13%	
Level 3	58%	52%	65%	58%	54%	54%	
Level 2	22%	26%	19%	28%	26%	23%	
Level 1	5%	7%	<1%	<1%	3%	2%	
NE1**	1%	2%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	
Participating Students	95%	92%	96%	92%	95%	93%	
No Data	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	
Exempt	3%	5%	3%	5%	3%	5%	
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]	67%	58%	76%	64%	66%	67%	

Grade 3: Province*							
	Rea	ding	Wri	ting	Mathe	Mathematics	
Number of Students	Female 62 836	Male 66 742	Female 62 836	Male 66 742	Female 64 668	Male 68 062	
Level 4	8%	4%	8%	4%	11%	11%	
Level 3	60%	52%	64%	52%	57%	57%	
Level 2	21%	27%	23%	35%	24%	22%	
Level 1	4%	7%	<1%	1%	3%	2%	
NE1**	1%	2%	<1%	1%	<1%	1%	
Participating Students	95%	92%	95%	92%	96%	93%	
No Data	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	
Exempt	4%	6%	3%	6%	3%	5%	
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]	68%	57%	72%	56%	68%	69%	







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

Grade 6: All Students

Grade 6: Reading*							
Number of Students	Sch 8	nool 2	Board 7 029	Province 146 711			
	#	%	%	%			
Level 4	4	5%	8%	8%			
Level 3	58	71%	53%	56%			
Level 2	13	16%	26%	24%			
Level 1	4	5%	7%	6%			
NE1**	3	4%	1%	1%			
Participating Students	82	100%	95%	95%			
No Data	0	0%	1%	1%			
Exempt	0	0%	3%	4%			
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]	l	61%	64%				



Grade 6: Mathematics*							
Number of Students	School 82		Board 7 029	Province 146 711			
	#	%	%	%			
Level 4	8	10%	11%	11%			
Level 3	55	67%	47%	50%			
Level 2	16	20%	28%	27%			
Level 1	3	4%	9%	7%			
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%			
Participating Students	82	100%	95%	95%			
No Data	0	0%	2%	1%			
Exempt	0	0%	3%	4%			
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]	l	77%	58%	61%			



 \dagger 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.







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

Grade 6: Reading*								
Number of Students	School 82		Board 6 694	Province 138 696				
	#	%	%	%				
Level 4	4	5%	8%	8%				
Level 3	58	71%	56%	59%				
Level 2	13	16%	27%	26%				
Level 1	4	5%	8%	6%				
NE1**	3	4%	1%	1%				
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]		76%	64%	67%				







Grade 6: Mathematics*							
Number of Students	School 82		Board 6 684	Province 138 697			
	#	%	%	%			
Level 4	8	10%	11%	11%			
Level 3	55	67%	50%	53%			
Level 2	16	20%	29%	29%			
Level 1	3	4%	9%	7%			
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%			
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]		77%	61%	64%			



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Grade 6: Gender^{††}

Grade 6: School*							
	Read	ding	Wri	ting	Mathe	Mathematics	
Number of Students	Female 43	Male 39	Female 43	Male 39	Female 43	Male 39	
Level 4	9%	0%	16%	18%	9%	10%	
Level 3	72%	69%	65%	56%	60%	74%	
Level 2	12%	21%	19%	21%	26%	13%	
Level 1	5%	5%	0%	5%	5%	3%	
NE1**	2%	5%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Participating Students	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
No Data	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Exempt	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]	81%	69%	81%	74%	70%	85%	

Grade 6: Board*							
	Read	ding	Wri	ting	Mathe	Mathematics	
Number of Students	Female 3 475	Male 3 554	Female 3 475	Male 3 554	Female 3 475	Male 3 554	
Level 4	11%	5%	13%	4%	11%	10%	
Level 3	57%	50%	61%	53%	49%	46%	
Level 2	23%	29%	21%	34%	28%	28%	
Level 1	5%	9%	1%	2%	8%	10%	
NE1**	1%	1%	<1%	1%	<1%	<1%	
Participating Students	96%	94%	96%	94%	96%	94%	
No Data	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	
Exempt	3%	4%	3%	4%	3%	4%	
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]	67%	55%	74%	57%	59%	57%	

Grade 6: Province*							
	Rea	ding	Wri	ting	Mathe	Mathematics	
Number of Students	Female 70 984	Male 75 697	Female 70 984	Male 75 697	Female 70 984	Male 75 697	
Level 4	11%	5%	10%	4%	11%	11%	
Level 3	60%	52%	62%	47%	52%	49%	
Level 2	20%	28%	23%	39%	27%	27%	
Level 1	4%	7%	1%	3%	6%	7%	
NE1**	1%	1%	<1%	1%	<1%	<1%	
Participating Students	96%	93%	96%	93%	96%	93%	
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	
Exempt	3%	5%	3%	5%	3%	5%	
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) [†]	71%	57%	72%	51%	62%	59%	







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

Results Over Time, 2001–2002 to 2005–2006

Contextual Information for School: Grade 3 and Grade 6[†]

This information provides a context for interpreting the school's results over the past five years.

Grade 3	2001–2002	2002–2003	2003–2004	2004–2005	2005–2006
Number of students	89	68	81	72	65
Students participating in reading*	98%	97%	99%	99%	100%
writing*	98%	97%	99%	99%	100%
mathematics*	98%	97%	99%	99%	100%
Female	49%	53%	53%	54%	52%
Male	51%	47%	47%	44%	48%
ESL/ELD learners**	0%	0%	0% +	0%+	2% +
Students with special needs (excluding gifted)**	8%	3%	6% ★	7% ★	5%*
Born outside Canada	9%	9%	4%	7%	3%
In Canada less than one year	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
In Canada one year or more but less than three					
years	2%	0%	0%	1%	2%
In Canada three years or more	4%	9%	4%	3%	2%
First language learned at home was other than English	18%	12%	12%	14%	11%
Attended three or more schools since Grade 1	3%	0%	1%	6%	N/A×

Grade 6	2001–2002	2002–2003	2003–2004	2004–2005	2005–2006
Number of students	74	92	87	<i>93</i>	82
Students participating in reading	100%	100%	98%	94%	100%
writing	100%	100%	98%	94%	100%
mathematics	100%	100%	97%	94%	100%
Female	43%	43%	49%	54%	52%
Male	57%	57%	48%	42%	48%
ESL/ELD learners**	1%	1%	0%+	1%+	0%+
Students with special needs (excluding gifted)**	5%	7%	6% +	8%+	9%+
Born outside Canada	14%	17%	8%	12%	12%
In Canada less than one year	3%	0%	0%	1%	0%
In Canada one year or more but less than three	1%	5%	0%	1%	1%
In Canada three years or more	9%	12%	6%	10%	11%
First language learned at home was other than	28%	25%	11%	17%	17%
Attended three or more schools since Grade 1	15%	9%	2%	4%	N/A*

† Contextual data pertaining to gender, student status, school background, place of birth and language learned at home are provided by schools and/or boards through the Student Data Collection process.

* Not all French Immersion students wrote all components of the Grade 3 assessment; the numbers shown here reflect those students who wrote the components determined by the French Immersion participation option selected by boards.

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As the definition for the English as a second language/English literacy development group changed effective the 2004 assessments from "students enrolled in an ESL/ELD program" to "students designated as ESL/ELD learners", the percentage of students in this group may not be comparable with previous years.

 Because the Individual Education Plan requirement became effective for the 2004 assessments, the percentage of students designated as having special needs may not be comparable with the percentages from previous years.

✗ Question related to student mobility changed in 2006. Refer to page 5.

Grade 3: Reading

Grade 3 Reading: School*								
Year	'02–'03	'03–'04	'04–'05	'05–'06				
Number of Students	68	81	72	65				
Level 4	3%	1%	6%	9%				
Level 3	53%	57%	51%	66%				
Level 2	32%	28%	31%	20%				
Level 1	6%	4%	11%	3%				
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	2%				
NEIS ^{††}	3%	9%						
Participating Students	97%	99%	99%	100%				
No Data	1%	0%	1%	0%				
Exempt	1%	1%	0%	0%				
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	56%	58%	57%	75%				

Grade 3 Reading: Board*

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Year	'02–'03	'03–'04	'04–'05	'05–'06
Number of Students	6 914	6 929	6 462	6 366
Level 4	5%	7%	5%	7%
Level 3	44%	47%	50%	55%
Level 2	27%	27%	29%	24%
Level 1	10%	7%	8%	6%
NE1**	<1%	1%	2%	1%
NEIS ^{††}	6%	5%		
Participating Students	93%	93%	94%	94%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	2%
Exempt	6%	6%	6%	4%
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	49%	53%	55%	62%

Grade 3 Reading: Province*

Year	'02–'03	'03–'04	'04–'05	'05–'06
Number of Students	138 198	138 290	132 667	129 630
Level 4	5%	6%	6%	6%
Level 3	45%	47%	53%	56%
Level 2	28%	27%	27%	24%
Level 1	8%	6%	7%	6%
NE1**	<1%	1%	2%	1%
NEIS ^{††}	8%	6%		
Participating Students	93%	93%	94%	94%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%
Exempt	6%	6%	5%	5%
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	50%	54%	59%	62%









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Grade 3: Writing

Grade 3 Writing: School*								
Year	'02–'03	'03–'04	'04–'05	'05–'06				
Number of Students	68	81	72	65				
Level 4	10%	7%	6%	14%				
Level 3	49%	62%	64%	66%				
Level 2	32%	26%	29%	17%				
Level 1	0%	0%	0%	0%				
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	3%				
NEIS ^{††}	6%	4%						
Participating Students	97%	99%	99%	100%				
No Data	1%	0%	1%	0%				
Exempt	1%	1%	0%	0%				
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	59%	69%	69%	80%				

Grade 3 Writing: Board*

Year	'02–'03	'03–'04	'04–'05	'05–'06
Number of Students	6 914	6 929	6 462	6 366
Level 4	9%	10%	7%	8%
Level 3	49%	51%	56%	61%
Level 2	30%	28%	28%	24%
Level 1	2%	1%	1%	<1%
NE1**	<1%	1%	1%	<1%
NEIS ^{††}	3%	3%		
Participating Students	93%	94%	94%	94%
No Data	2%	1%	1%	2%
Exempt	6%	5%	5%	4%
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	58%	62%	63%	70%

Grade 3 Writing: Province*

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Year	'02–'03	'03–'04	'04–'05	'05–'06
Number of Students	138 198	138 290	132 667	129 630
Level 4	8%	9%	6%	6%
Level 3	48%	49%	55%	58%
Level 2	33%	31%	32%	29%
Level 1	2%	1%	1%	<1%
NE1**	<1%	1%	1%	<1%
NEIS ^{††}	4%	3%		
Participating Students	94%	94%	94%	94%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%
Exempt	5%	5%	5%	5%
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	55%	58%	61%	64%







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Results Over Time, 2002–2003 to 2005–2006* Grade 3: Mathematics

Grade 3 Mathematics: School* Year '02–'03 '03–'04 '04–'05 '05–'06 Number of 68 81 72 65 Students 2% Level 4 1% 4% 20% Level 3 49% 67% 68% 68% Level 2 35% 23% 22% 8% Level 1 4% 2% 6% 0% NE1** 0% 0% 0% 3% NEIS^{††} 6% 6% ------Participating 97% 99% 99% 100% Students 1% 0% 1% 0% No Data 0% 0% Exempt 1% 1% At or Above 50% 69% 72% 88% Provincial Standard

Grade 3 Mathematics: Board*

Year	'02–'03	'03–'04	'04–'05	'05–'06
Number of Students	7 033	7 059	6 581	6 501
Level 4	8%	14%	9%	13%
Level 3	46%	49%	52%	54%
Level 2	28%	25%	28%	25%
Level 1	6%	3%	4%	2%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	1%	<1%
NEIS ^{††}	5%	2%		
Participating Students	93%	94%	94%	94%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	2%
Exempt	5%	5%	5%	4%
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	54%	63%	61%	66%

Grade 3 Mathematics: Province*

Year	'02–'03	'03–'04	'04–'05	'05–'06
Number of Students	140 860	141 245	135 740	132 782
Level 4	10%	13%	10%	11%
Level 3	47%	52%	56%	57%
Level 2	27%	25%	26%	23%
Level 1	4%	2%	3%	3%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
NEIS ^{††}	7%	3%		
Participating Students	95%	94%	95%	95%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%
Exempt	4%	5%	4%	4%
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	57%	64%	66%	68%





Percentage of All Grade 3 Students at All Levels in Mathematics: Province*



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Grade 6: Reading

Grade 6 Reading: School*					
Year	'02–'03	'03–'04	'04–'05	'05–'06	
Number of Students	92	87	93	82	
Level 4	5%	8%	6%	5%	
Level 3	61%	56%	66%	71%	
Level 2	29%	26%	17%	16%	
Level 1	2%	3%	0%	5%	
NE1**	0%	0%	4%	4%	
NEIS ^{††}	2%	3%			
Participating Students	100%	98%	94%	100%	
No Data	0%	1%	5%	0%	
Exempt	0%	1%	1%	0%	
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	66%	64%	72%	76%	

Grade 6 Reading: Board*

Year	'02–'03	'03–'04	'04–'05	'05–'06
Number of Students	6 899	6 806	6 858	7 029
Level 4	10%	10%	7%	8%
Level 3	47%	48%	51%	53%
Level 2	25%	26%	28%	26%
Level 1	7%	7%	9%	7%
NE1**	<1%	1%	1%	1%
NEIS ^{††}	5%	5%		
Participating Students	94%	96%	95%	95%
No Data	1%	<1%	1%	1%
Exempt	5%	4%	4%	3%
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	57%	58%	58%	61%

Grade 6 Reading: Province*

Year	'02–'03	'03–'04	'04–'05	'05–'06
Number of Students	144 676	146 169	143 421	146 711
Level 4	9%	9%	8%	8%
Level 3	47%	49%	55%	56%
Level 2	27%	26%	25%	24%
Level 1	7%	6%	7%	6%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	1%	1%
NEIS ^{††}	5%	5%		
Participating Students	95%	95%	95%	95%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%
Exempt	4%	4%	4%	4%
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	56%	58%	63%	64%





Percentage of All Grade 6 Students at All Levels in Reading: Province*



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Grade 6: Writing

Grade 6 Writing: School*					
Year	'02–'03	'03–'04	'04–'05	'05–'06	
Number of Students	92	87	93	82	
Level 4	9%	16%	9%	17%	
Level 3	57%	55%	62%	61%	
Level 2	34%	24%	20%	20%	
Level 1	0%	1%	2%	2%	
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%	
NEIS ^{††}	1%	1%			
Participating Students	100%	98%	94%	100%	
No Data	0%	1%	5%	0%	
Exempt	0%	1%	1%	0%	
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	65%	71%	71%	78%	

Grade 6 Writing: Board*

Year	'02–'03	'03–'04	'04–'05	'05–'06
Number of Students	6 899	6 806	6 858	7 029
Level 4	11%	10%	8%	8%
Level 3	47%	47%	50%	57%
Level 2	30%	31%	34%	28%
Level 1	4%	4%	3%	2%
NE1**	0%	<1%	1%	<1%
NEIS ^{††}	3%	2%		
Participating Students	94%	95%	95%	95%
No Data	1%	<1%	1%	1%
Exempt	5%	4%	4%	3%
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	58%	57%	58%	65%

Grade 6 Writing: Province*

Year	'02–'03	'03–'04	'04–'05	'05–'06
Number of Students	144 676	146 168	143 421	146 711
Level 4	10%	9%	7%	7%
Level 3	43%	45%	51%	54%
Level 2	33%	34%	33%	31%
Level 1	5%	4%	2%	2%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	1%	<1%
NEIS ^{††}	3%	3%		
Participating Students	95%	95%	95%	95%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%
Exempt	4%	4%	4%	4%
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	54%	54%	59%	61%







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Results Over Time, 2002–2003 to 2005–2006* Grade 6: Mathematics

Grade 6 Mathematics: School* Year '02–'03 '03–'04 '04–'05 '05–'06 Number of 92 93 87 82 Students Level 4 4% 11% 1% 10% Level 3 54% 56% 54% 67% Level 2 33% 25% 30% 20% Level 1 9% 4% 8% 2% NE1** 0% 0% 0% 0% NEIS^{††} 1% 1% ------Participating 100% 97% 94% 100% Students 0% 1% 5% 0% No Data 0% 0% 2% 1% Exempt At or Above 59% 68% 55% 77% Provincial Standard

Grade 6 Mathematics: Board*

Year	'02–'03	'03–'04	'04–'05	'05–'06
Number of Students	6 899	6 806	6 858	7 029
Level 4	13%	14%	9%	11%
Level 3	38%	43%	46%	47%
Level 2	27%	27%	32%	28%
Level 1	10%	8%	9%	9%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
NEIS ^{††}	6%	4%		
Participating Students	94%	96%	95%	95%
No Data	1%	<1%	1%	2%
Exempt	5%	4%	4%	3%
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	51%	57%	54%	58%

Grade 6 Mathematics: Province*

Year	'02–'03	'03–'04	'04–'05	'05–'06
Number of Students	144 676	146 168	143 421	146 711
Level 4	12%	13%	10%	11%
Level 3	41%	44%	50%	50%
Level 2	28%	27%	29%	27%
Level 1	8%	6%	6%	7%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
NEIS ^{††}	6%	4%		
Participating Students	95%	95%	95%	95%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%
Exempt	4%	4%	4%	4%
At or Above Provincial Standard [†]	53%	57%	60%	61%





Percentage of All Grade 6 Students at All Levels in Mathematics: Province*



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	<u>2001–2002</u>		<u>2002–2003</u>		<u>2003–2004</u>		<u>2004–2005</u>		<u>2005–2006</u>	
	Female	Male								
School	44	45	36	32	43	38	39	32	34	31

 $\ensuremath{^\dagger}$ Includes only students for whom gender data were available.

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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." The student has not demonstrated enough evidence of knowledge and understanding to be assigned Level 1.					
NEIS	"Not Enough Information to Score." This category was eliminated in 2004–2005. Students are now assigned a level based on the work they submitted, with unanswered questions treated as incorrect.					
No Data	EQAO did not receive completed assessment booklets for this student.					
Exempt	The student was formally exempted in one or more components of the assessment.					
ESL/ELD	English as a second language (ESL)/English literacy development (ELD) learners are identified by the school.					
Students with Special Needs	These are students who have been formally identified by an Identification, Placement and Review Committee (IPRC), as well as students who have an Individual Education Plan (IEP). Students identified as gifted are not included.					
N/R	"Not reported" indicates that the number of participating students in a school or board is so small (fewer than 15 in a group) that identification of individual student results might be possible; therefore, results are not reported publicly.					
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.					