

Explain the Insight Report from NWEA



Terminology

- NWEA – Northwest Educational Measurement Association company that publishes MAP
- MAP – Measures of Academic Progress test which is given two to three times a year via a computer. The test is dynamic, As a student responds to questions, the test responds to the student, adjusting up or down in difficulty.
- RIT – Unit of measure for MAP assessment, the score

Terminology

- Median Growth Percentile (or MGP): the middle value when a group of students are rank ordered from lowest to highest growth percentile.
- Median Status Percentile (or MSP): the middle value when a group of students are rank ordered from lowest to highest status percentile.
- Projected College Readiness: a prediction about whether students are on track for college readiness, based on their observed MAP score and the MAP College Readiness Benchmark Study.
- Projected Proficiency: a prediction about students' proficiency status on their state summative test (i.e., what proportion met/exceed state proficiency standards)

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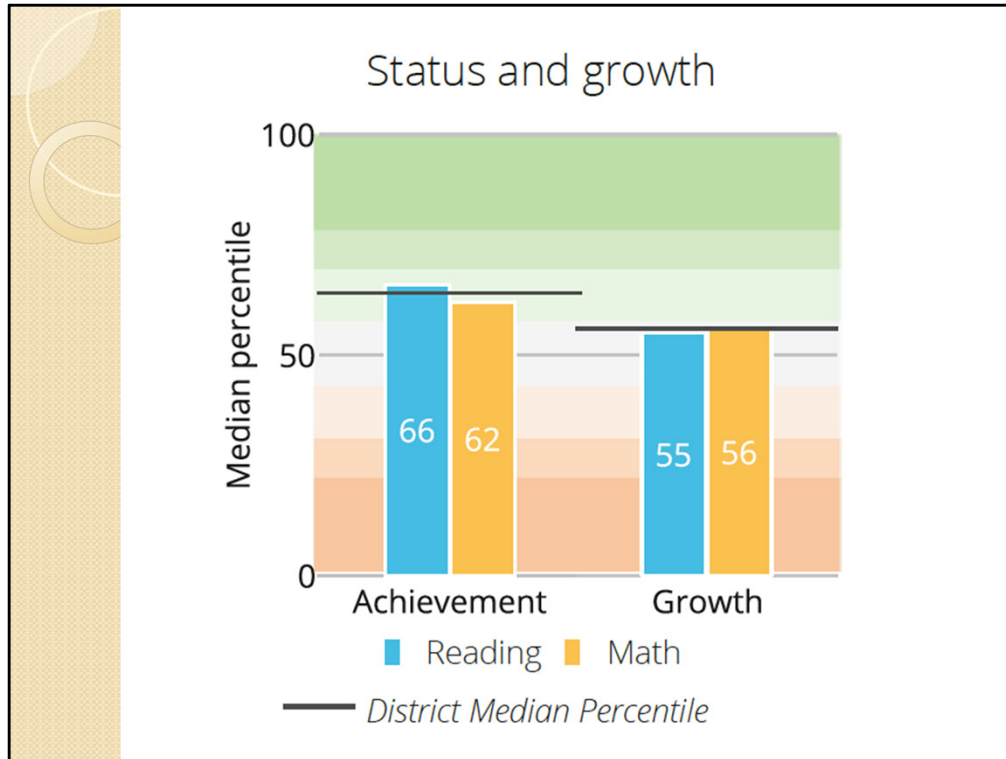
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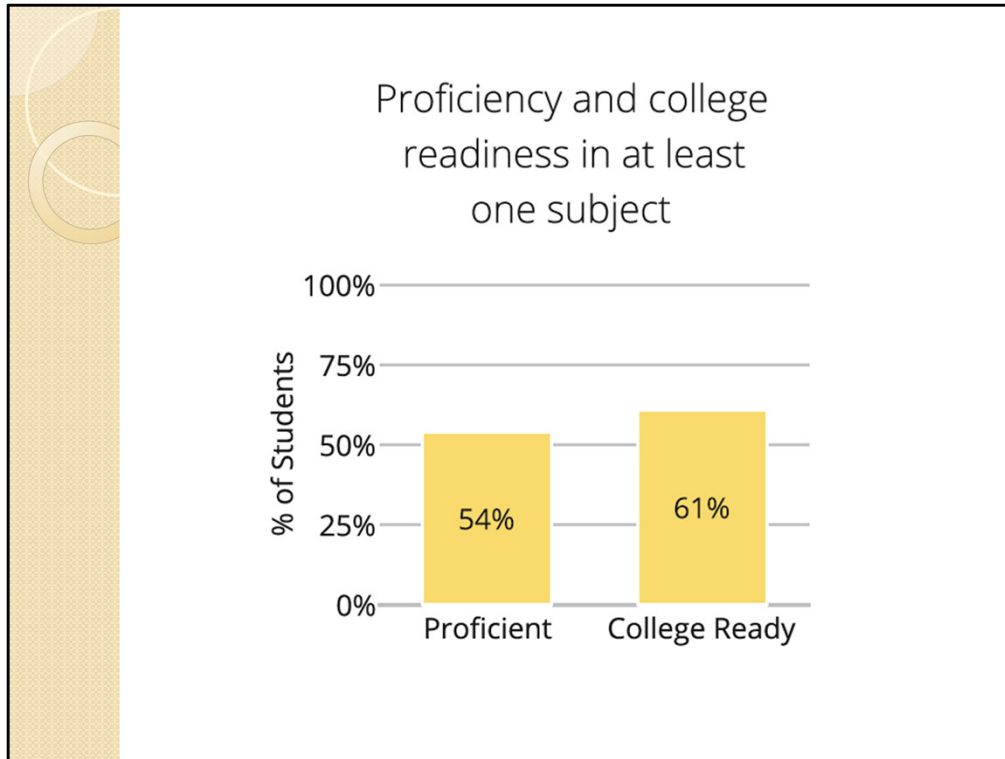
Growth and Status

Percentile Values	≥	<
Substantially above	78.8	100
Moderately above	69.1	78.8
Slightly above	57.9	69.1
Equivalent/same	42.1	57.9
Slightly below	30.9	42.1
Moderately below	21.2	30.9
Substantially below	0	21.2

Note: these levels are from generally accepted statistical thresholds. These colors are used throughout the report to convey effectiveness levels.



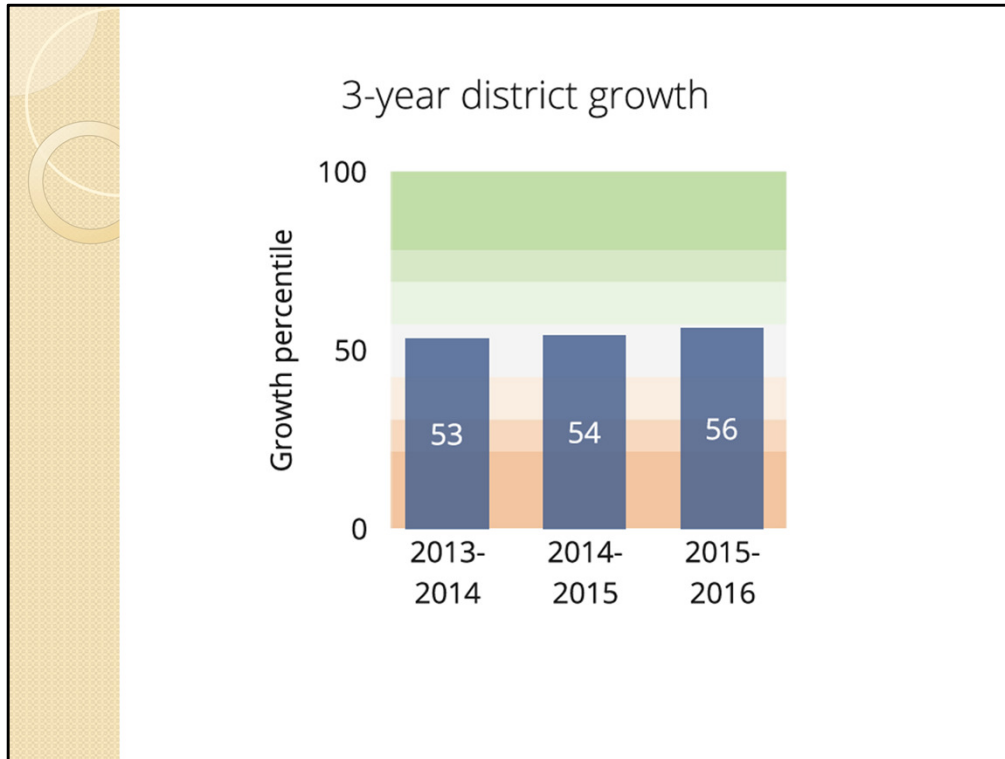
Median student status is 64th percentile and median student growth is 56th percentile. Status is slightly above average while growth is average. The median status score of all assessments given in Spring of 2016 equaled the 64th percentile. One subject was above the district median: reading. One subject was below the district median: mathematics. For growth, the median score equaled the 56th percentile, which is average. One subject equaled the district median: mathematics. One subject was below the district median: reading.



54% of students should meet state standards in at least one subject. 61% of students are on track to meet college readiness in at least one subject.

MAP results predict that 54% of students will meet proficiency standards on state summative tests in at least one subject. 47% will likely meet standards in English Language Arts and 36% in math. 29% of students are predicted to meet standards in both subjects. 46% of students are predicted to not meet either standard.

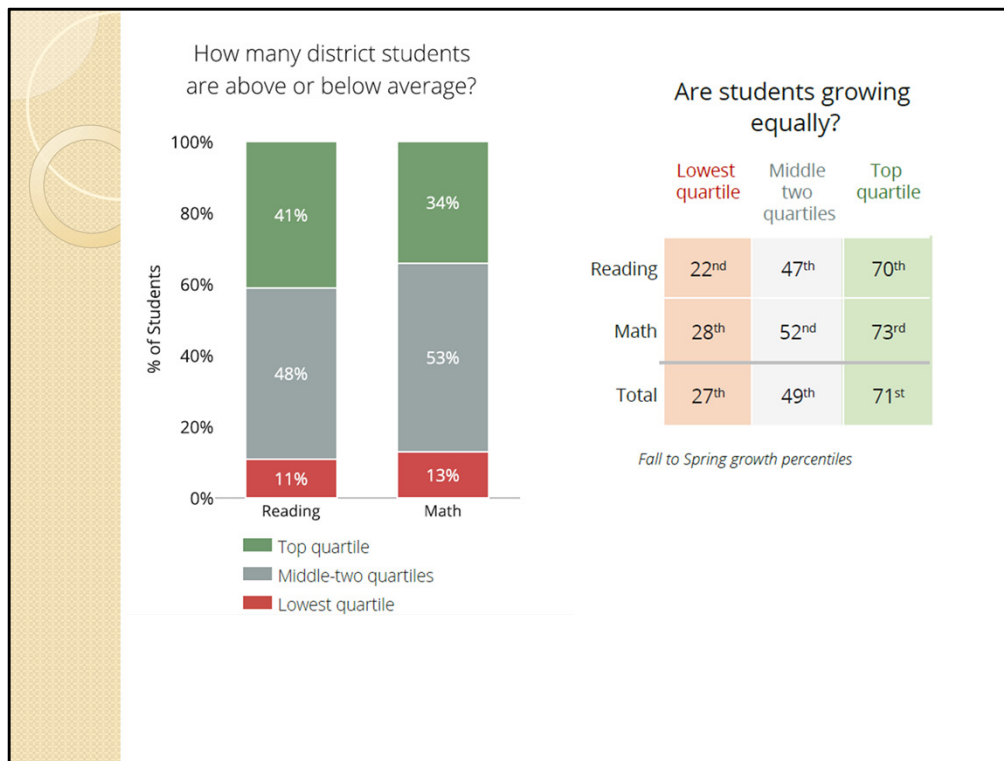
61% are demonstrating achievement that is on-track to meet MAP college readiness benchmarks in at least one subject. 36% are likely on-track in both reading and math. 39% are not meeting these benchmarks in either subject.



3-year growth has been consistently average.

Median growth was average all three years.

By subject area, growth over the three years has declined or stayed level in reading. Math has shown consistent average growth.



Overall achievement of district students is slightly above the norm. Median achievement is 64th percentile; median growth is 56th percentile. District students demonstrated a median achievement level at the 64th percentile on Spring 2016 MAP assessments. This means that one half of all the students' MAP scores (across all subjects measured) were above the 64th percentile. Looking at growth from fall to spring, the median growth percentile for district students was 56, versus a national median of 50. This means that district students' scores grew at about the same rate as typical students.

Top-quartile students: a larger proportion than is typical, with moderately more growth than the norm.

38% of district students' scores are in the top achievement quartile when all subjects measured are combined, compared to 25% nationally. These students' scores showed moderately more growth than similar students', as their median growth percentile was at the 71st percentile from fall to spring. Approximately 16% of district students' scores were in the top achievement decile in Spring 2016, compared to 10% nationally. This group performed at the 78th percentile, which is moderately above average compared to the norm.

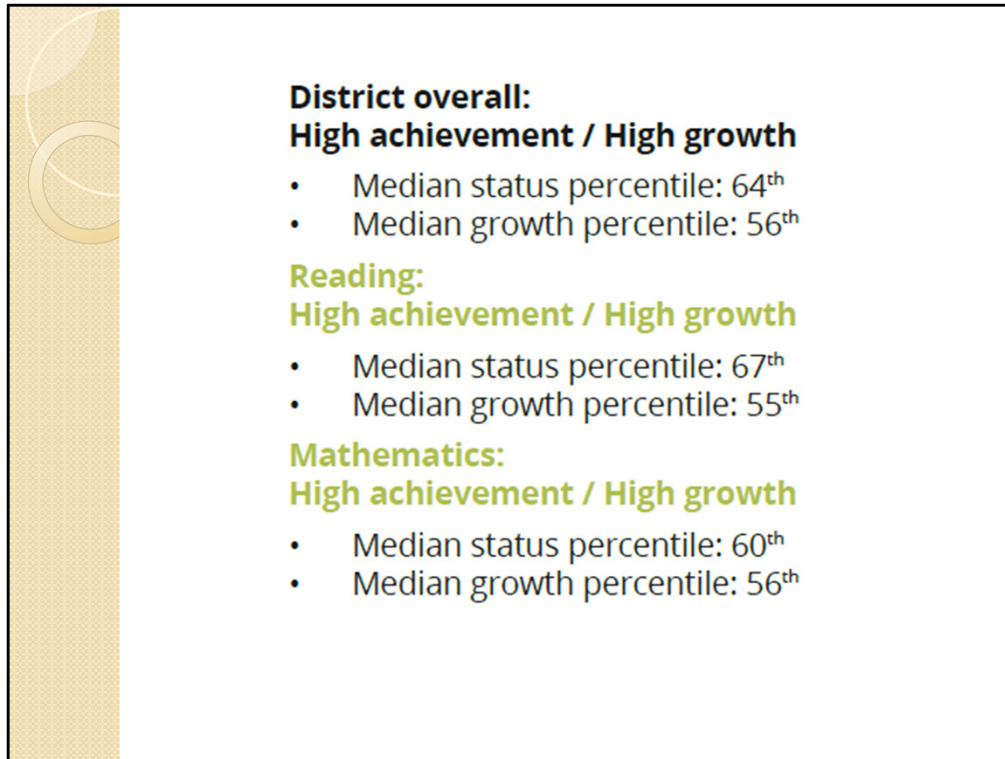
Middle-two-quartiles students: a typical proportion, with growth approximately equal to the norm.

Nationally, about 50% of scores fell within the two middle quartiles, versus 51% of district scores. For the district students who produced these scores, median growth was at the 49th percentile, which is about the same as the national average.

Lowest-quartile students: a smaller proportion than is typical, with growth moderately lower than the norm.

Some 12% of district students' scores showed lowest (or bottom) quartile achievement, which is fewer than the 25% that is typical for the country. These students' scores are growing moderately less than similar students, as their median growth percentile was at the 27th percentile from fall to

spring. About 3% of district students demonstrated bottom decile achievement, compared to 10% nationally. This group's scores performed at the 19th median growth percentile from fall to spring, which is substantially below the norm.

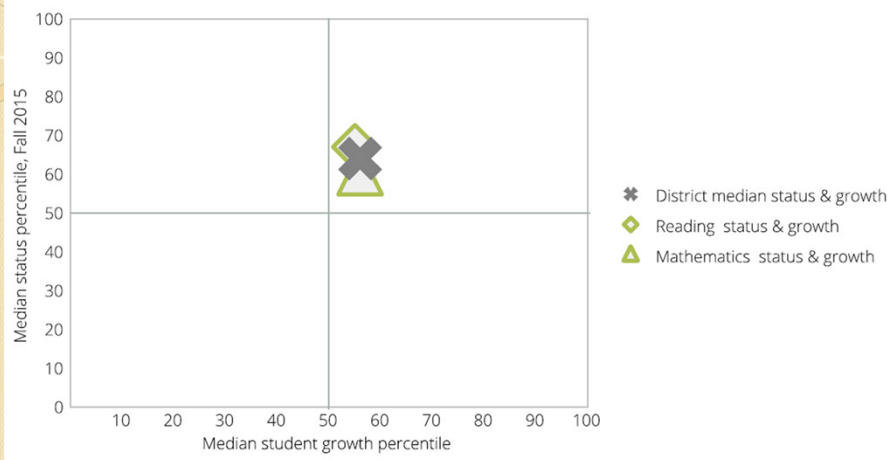


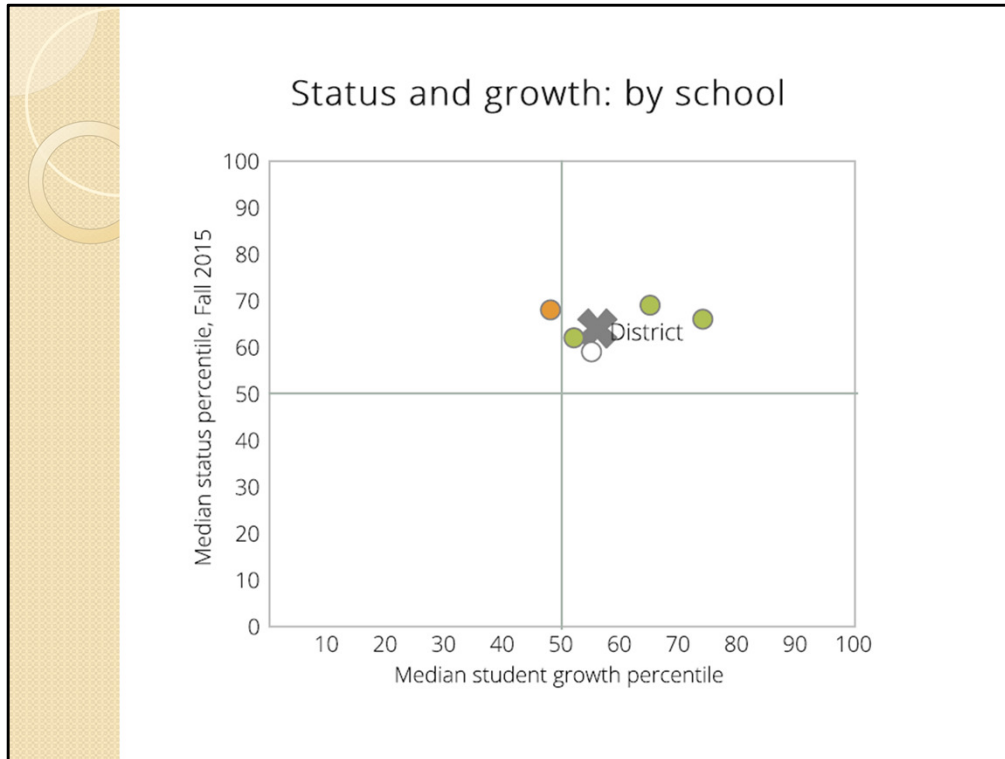
District students are strong in reading and math for both achievement and growth.

Reading is a high achievement / high growth subject for district students. The median status percentile (MSP) for reading is slightly above the national average. The Median Growth Percentile (MGP) is about average.

Math falls within the high achievement / high growth quadrant. The MSP is above the 50th percentile and slightly above the average range. The MGP is about average.

Median status and growth percentile by subject for all students





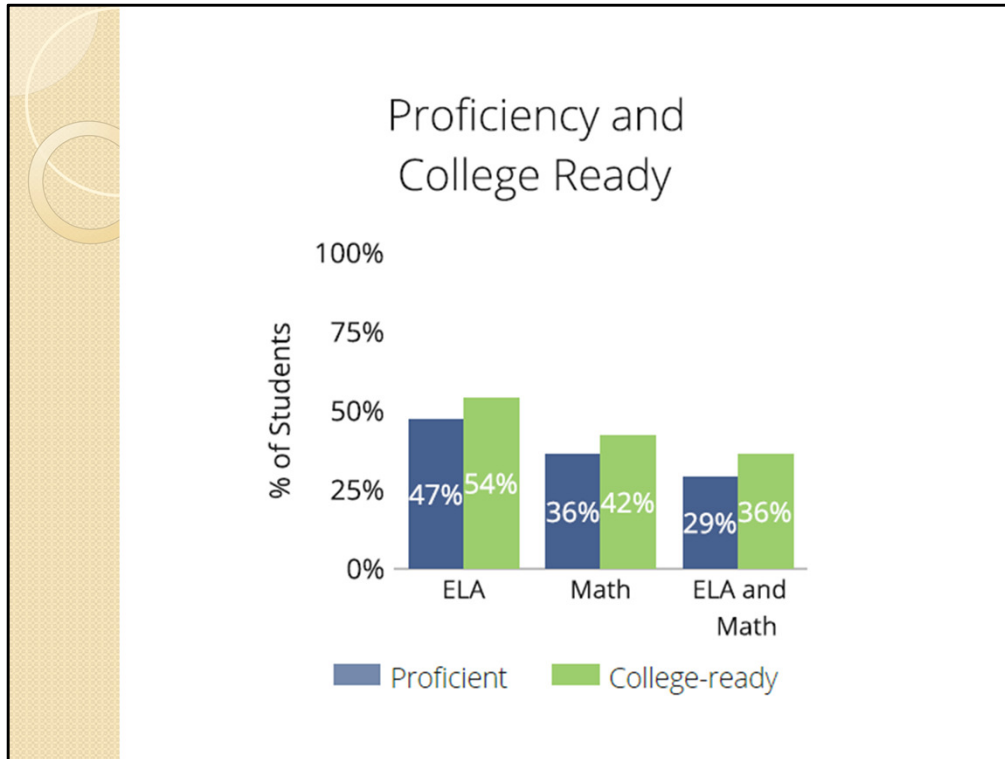
80% of district schools (4 of 5) had high achievement and high growth.

No schools had both low achievement and low growth.

Color coding shows which quadrant they fall into according to high or low status and growth. Bold schools indicate the schools with the largest deviation from median status and growth scores of 50th percentile each.

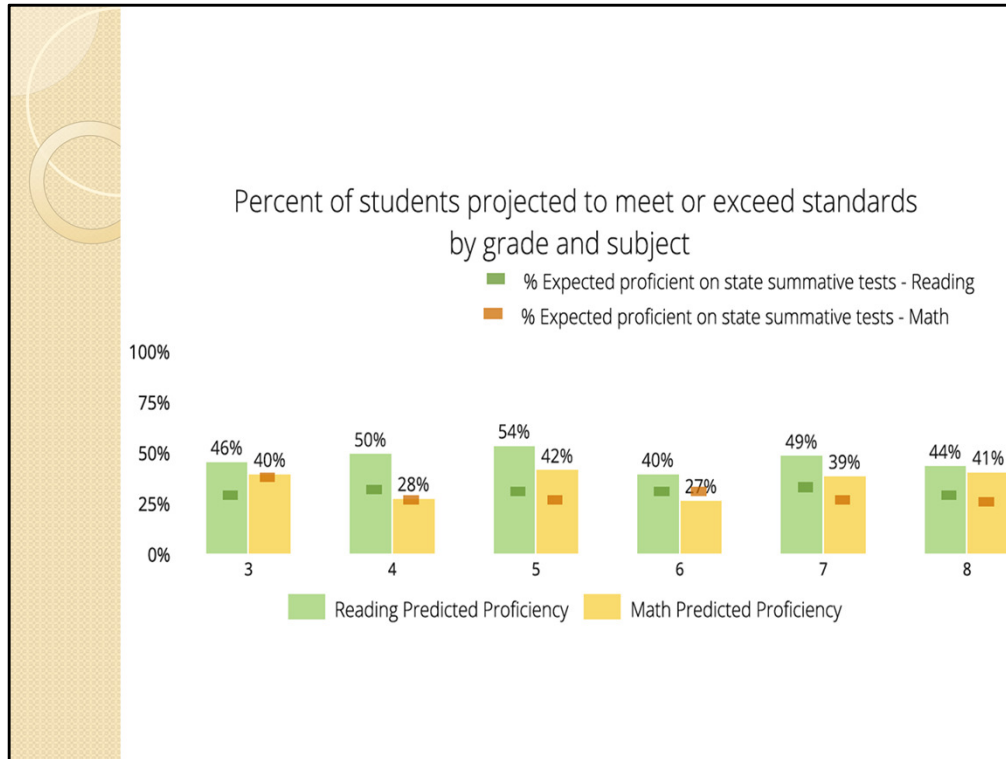
School	Reading		Math	
	MSP	MGP	MSP	MGP
Antioch Elementary School	71	63	67	67
Antioch Upper Grade	66	53	58	52
Hillcrest Elementary School	69	70	64	78
Oakland Elementary School	71	53	64	44
W.c. Petty Elementary School	64	53	52	58

Median achievement and growth percentiles by school and subject are shown.



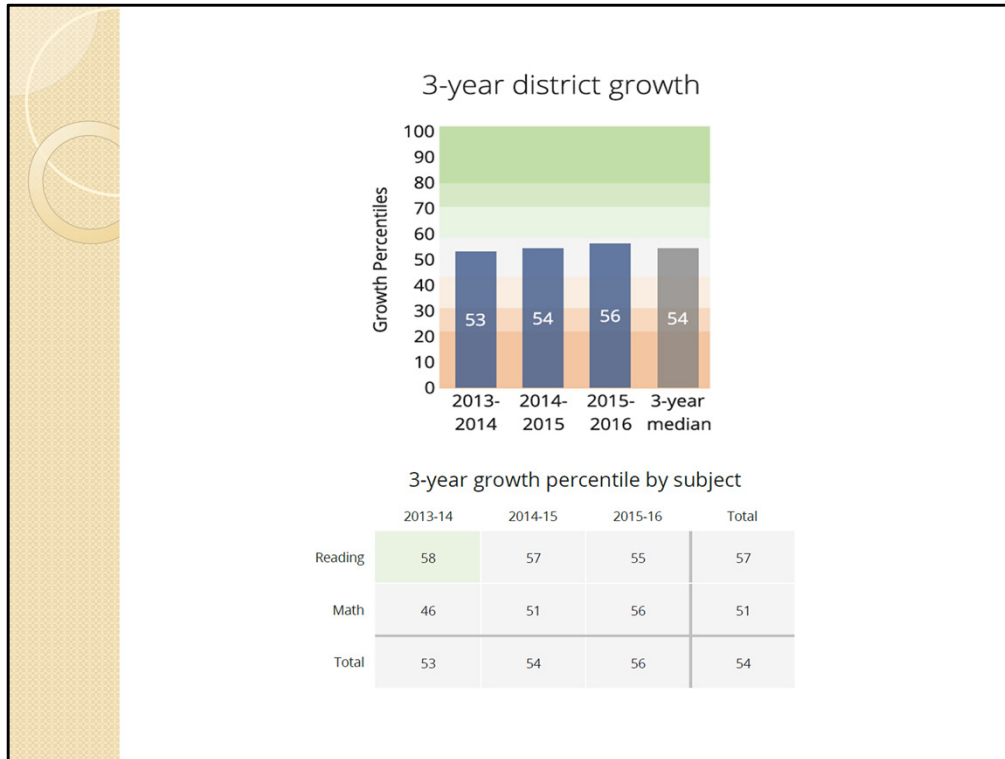
47% and 36% of district students are predicted to score at or above proficient levels on state summative tests in reading and math, respectively.

Results predict 54% and 42% of students are on-track to be college-ready by graduation in ELA and math, respectively.



In grade-level results by subject, it is useful to compare predicted proficiency rates of the district with the predicted rates for the nation at large. In the graph, the orange and green bars show what percent of students nationally are likely to meet proficiency standards according to the MAP benchmark study. The lower the orange or green bar, the more difficult the proficiency cut score for that grade.

The figure shows that the predicted proficiency rates for the district are above these national benchmarks in reading in all tested grades with norms, but in math the picture is mixed.



3-year growth is average relative to national norms.

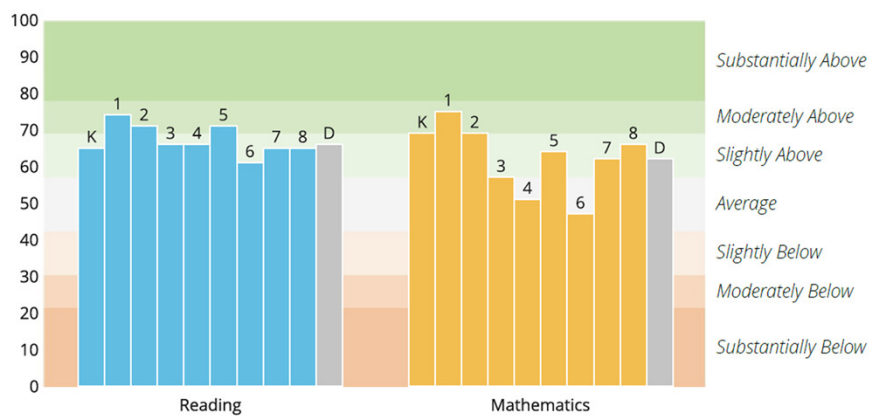
Math is consistently average. Reading is average, but with variations across years.

Achievement by grade and subject	
	Reading Math
Above average	K
	1 st 2 nd
	3 rd 4 th
	5 th 6 th
	7 th 8 th
Average	
	3 rd
	4 th 6 th
Below average	

Reading had the highest median status percentile for the district overall. The MSP for individual grades ranged from a low of 61st percentile for 6th grade to a high of 74th percentile for 1st grade.

Mathematics had the lowest MSP overall in the district. First grade was the highest (75th percentile) with 6th grade at the lowest (47th percentile).

Median status percentile of each grade compared to national average

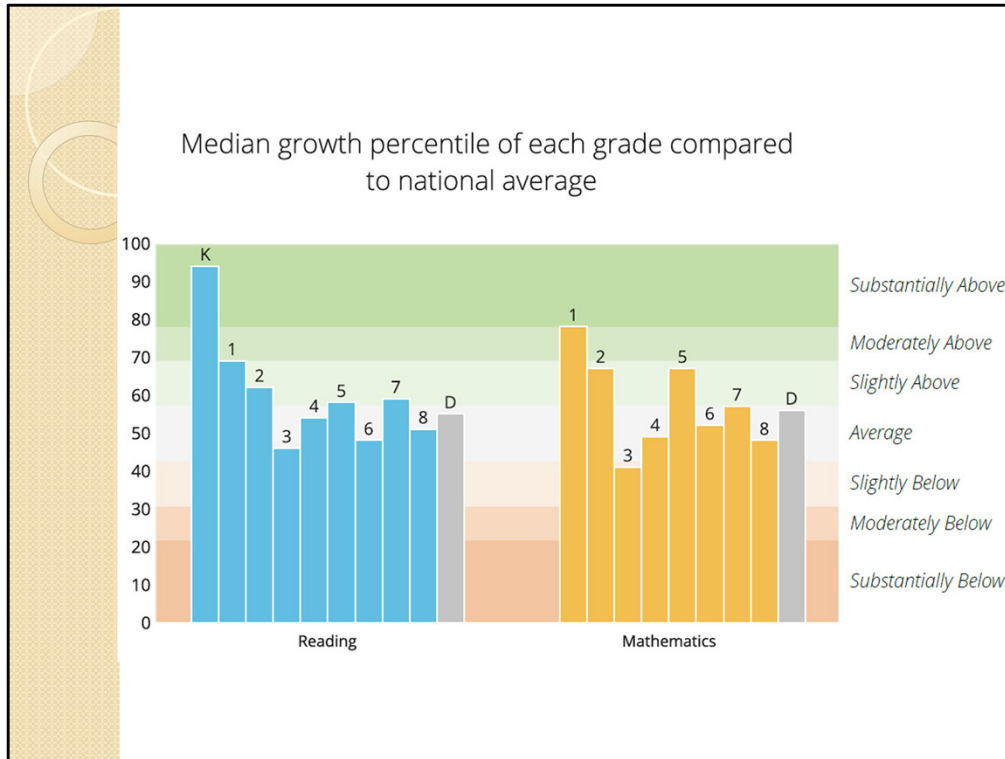


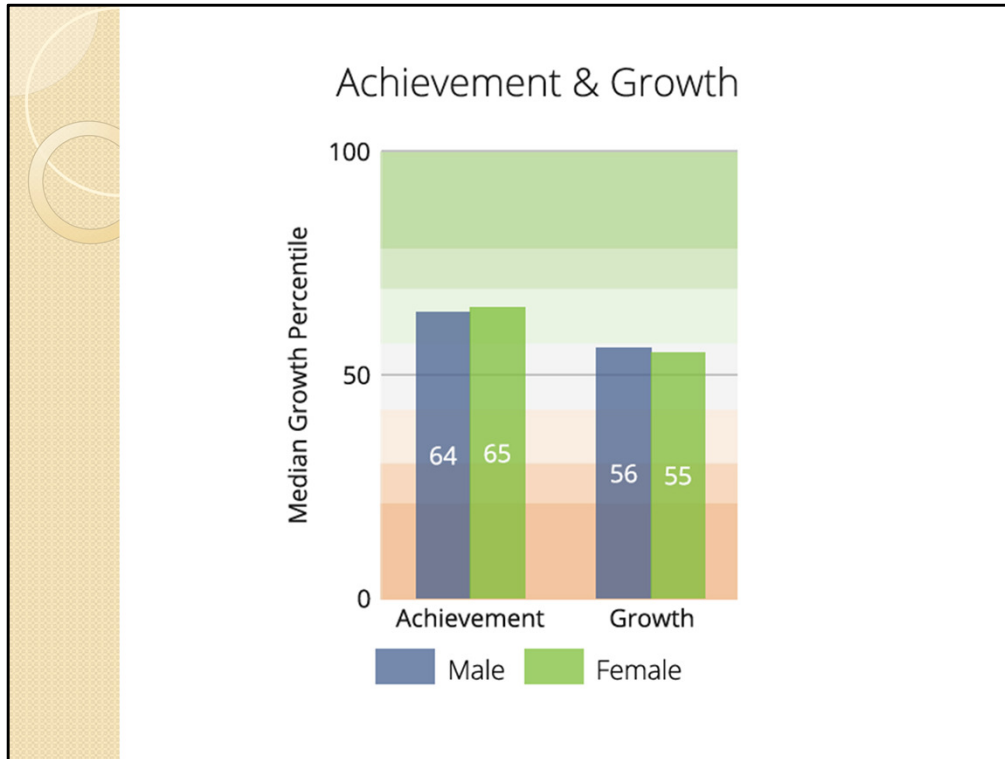
Growth by grade and subject		
	Reading	Math
Above average	K 1 st 2 nd 5 th 7 th	1 st 2 nd 5 th
Average	3 rd 4 th 6 th 8 th	4 th 6 th 7 th 8 th
Below average		3 rd

1st, 2nd and 5th grades had above average growth in both subjects.

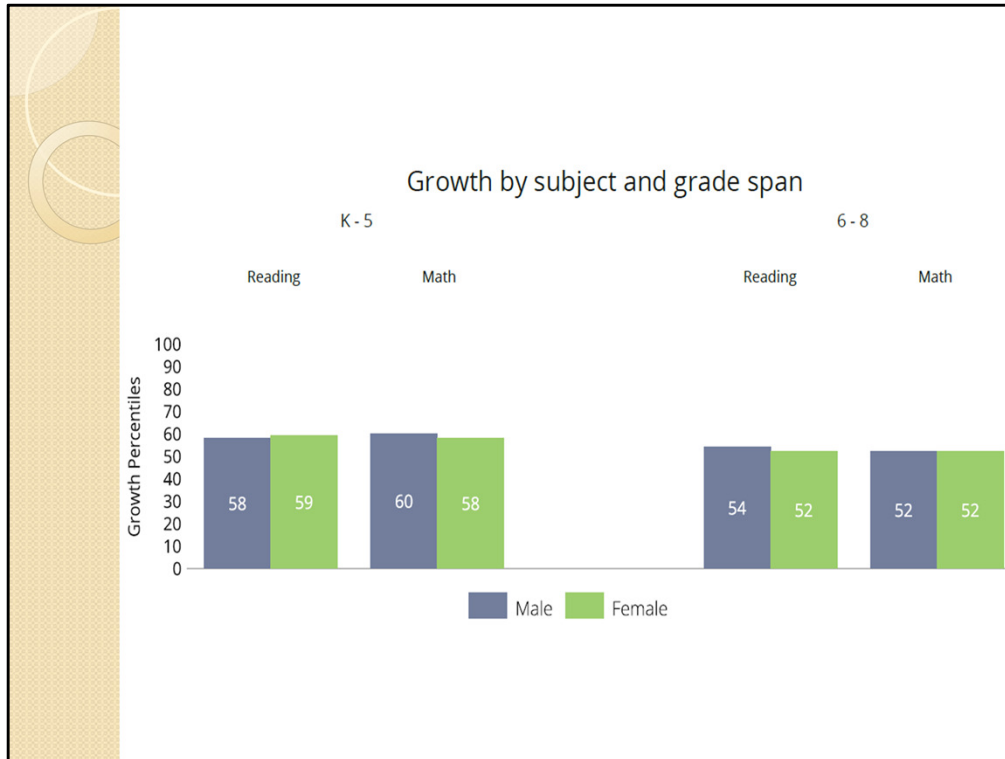
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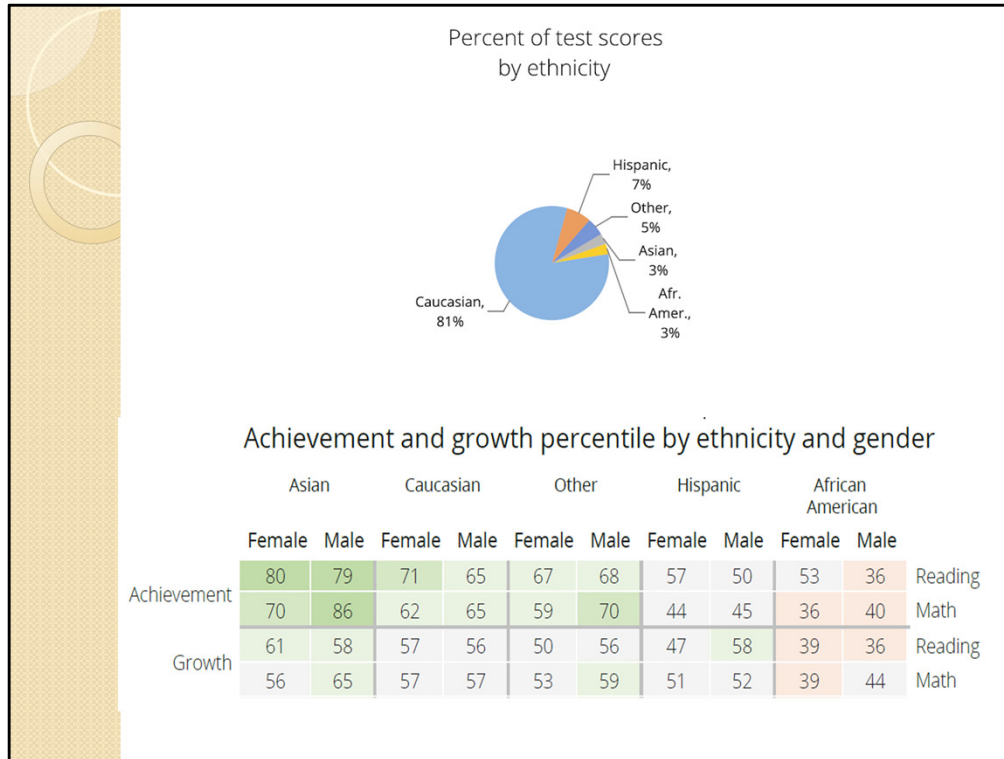
Reading had the lowest MGP overall in the district. K grade was the highest (94th percentile) with 3rd grade at the lowest (46th percentile).





Both median achievement and growth were about the same for girls and boys, respectively. There is no significant difference between girls and boys across all grade spans and all subjects.





Median status ranges from 40th percentile for African American students to 79th for Asian students.

Median growth percentile (MGP) ranges from 39th percentile for African American students to 61st for Asian students.

Asian students had the highest median status percentile (MSP) compared to other racial or ethnic sub-groups. Their MSP was substantially above average compared to the national norm. Their growth was slightly above average.

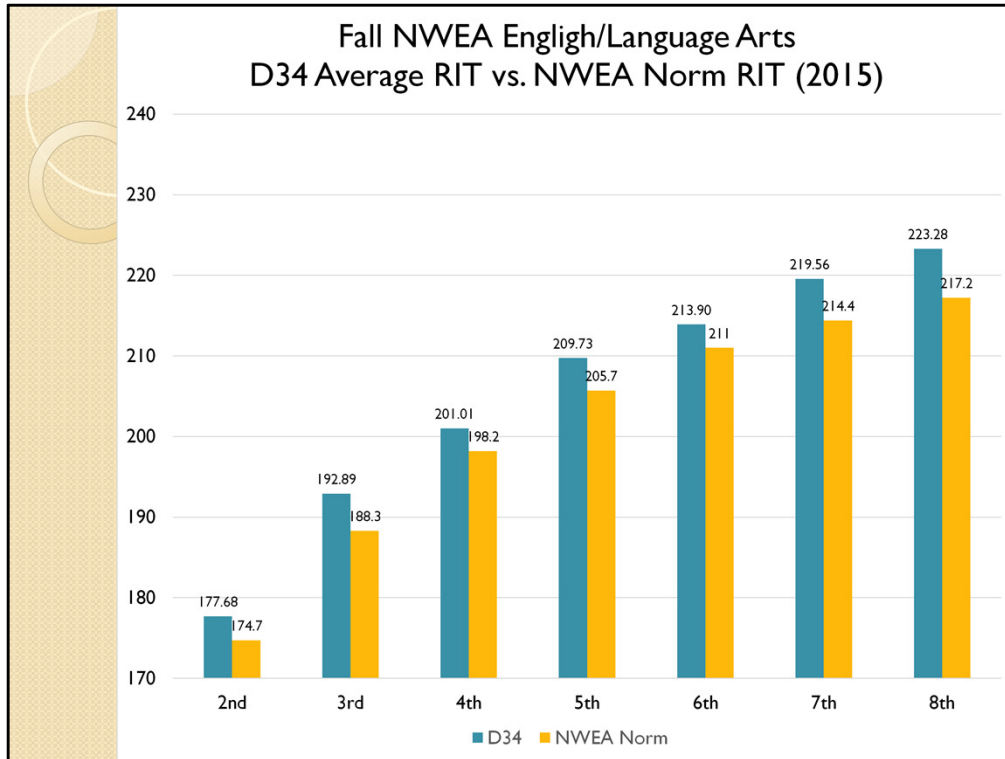
Caucasian students had the second highest achievement MSP, falling slightly above average nationally. Their growth was about the same as the national norm.

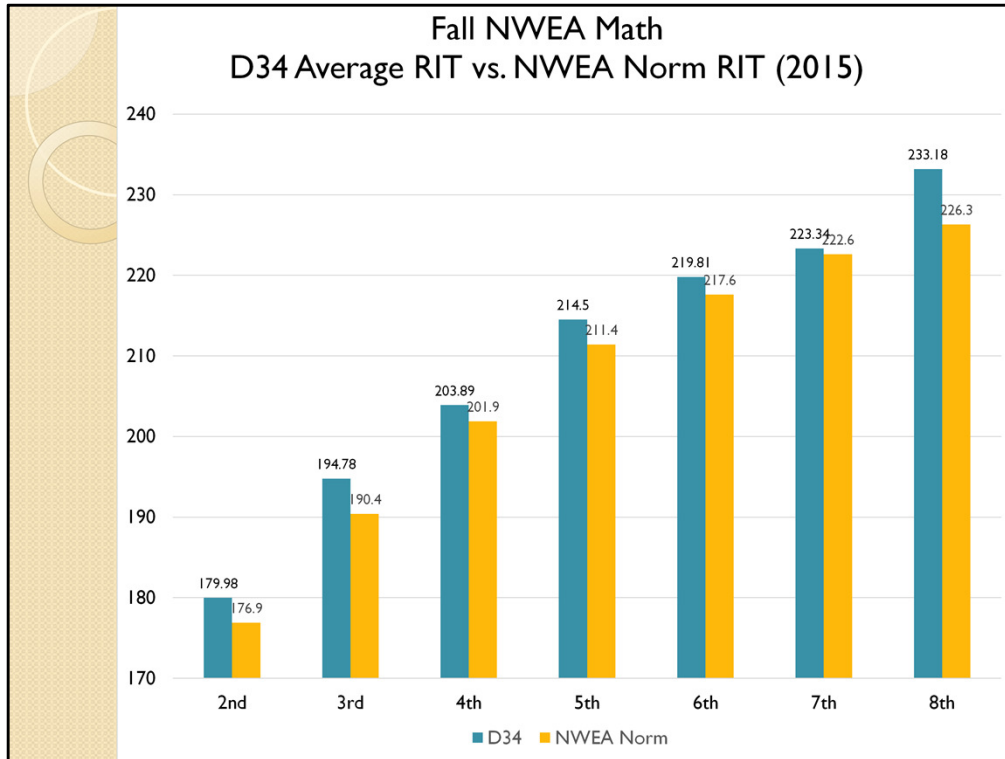
Other students had the third highest median status percentile (MSP) compared to other racial or ethnic sub-groups. Their MSP was slightly above average. Their growth was average.

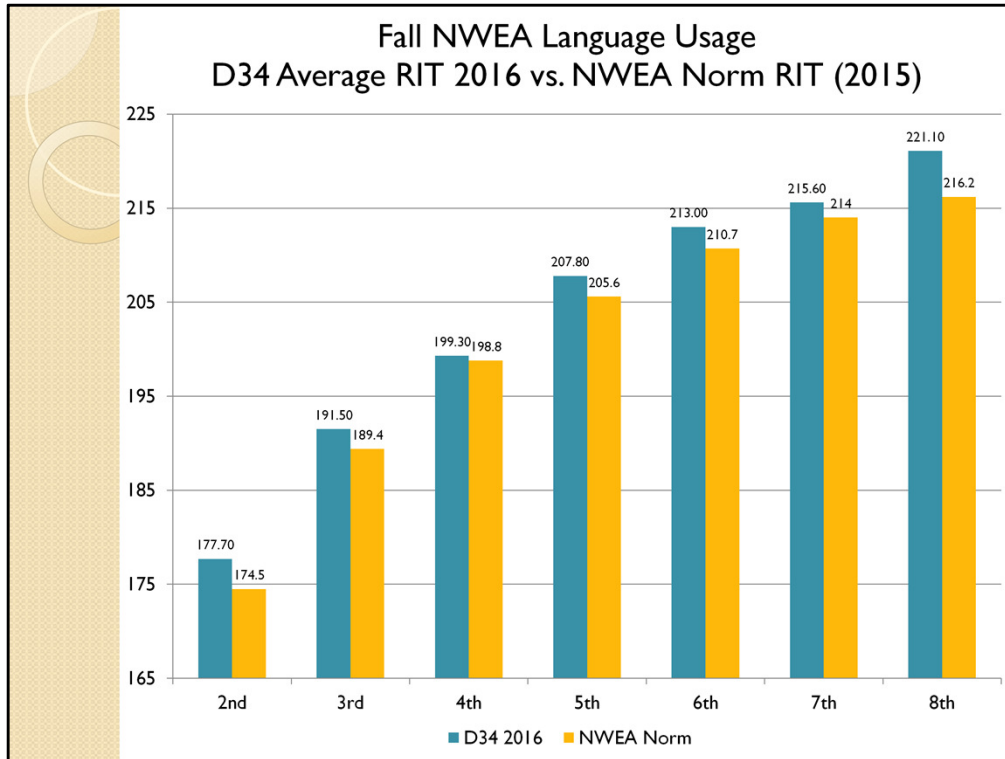
Hispanic students had the next highest achievement MSP, falling average nationally. Their growth was about the same as the national norm.

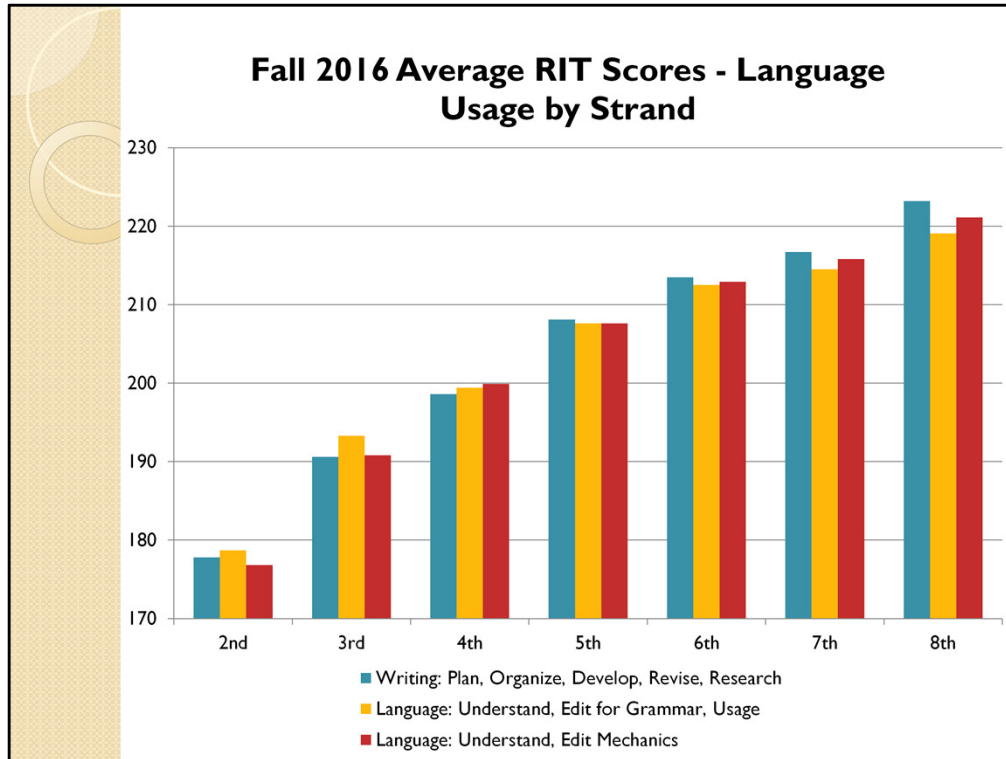
African American students had the lowest median status percentile (MSP) compared to other racial or ethnic sub-groups. Their MSP was slightly below average nationally. Of note, their growth was the same.

The largest difference between female and male students in median growth was in reading for Hispanics, where males were 58th percentile versus 47th for females. The largest difference between female and male students in median achievement was in reading for African Americans, where females were 53rd percentile versus 36th for males.









AUGS - Relative strength: Writing: Plan, Organize, Develop, Revise, Research -- Relative Weakness: Language: Understand, Edit for Grammar, Usage

Lower Grades Relative Strength: Language: Understand, Edit for Grammar, Usage – No identified weakness, other two equal.



Summary

- District 34 students' median status and growth percentile are both above the 50th percentile (slightly above average).
- District 34 students' overall growth percentile has increased each of the last three years.
 - Math has improved significantly each of the last three years, while reading has declined slightly.



Continuous Improvement

- Monitor ELA and Math instruction, specifically in grades 3 and 6.
- Continue to provide professional development in the area of ELA and Math to all of our teachers through:
 - Student Learning Team (SLT) discussions around student data, instruction, instructional strategies, and assessment.
 - After school learning opportunities
 - Work with program consultants



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Questions & Comments?

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