



Interpretation Considerations

Colorado state assessments are the only standards-based statewide indicators of student achievement. Spring 2021 results can be used as a temperature check to identify where the pandemic may have differentially impacted learning across Colorado student groups and as a baseline to support the evaluation of future COVID-19 recovery efforts.

COVID-19 Disrupted Learning for Many Students

- Students may have had reduced or disrupted learning opportunities
- Students received instruction under in-person, remote and/or hybrid models •

Schools may have adjusted or reduced covered content

2021 State Assessment Results Provide Insight into Student Learning

- Spring 2021 tests did not change
- Scale scores and performance levels hold the same meaning as previous years
- Individual student results can be interpreted with reasonable confidence for students who had a relatively typical testing experience

Participation Information is Critical to Interpretation

- Fewer students tested in 2021 and participation varied by group
- Some student groups tested at a higher rate than other groups
- For some districts, schools and student groups, this year's data will not support all of the crosstate comparisons and uses made with prior years' data

Doherty High School:

Participation Rates

In 2020-2021, participation for PSAT8/9 was 72%.
 In 2020-2021, participation for PSAT10 was 61.7%.
 In 2020-2021, participation for SAT was 88%.

Passing Rates

59 % of our students passed PSAT8/9 Evidence Based Reading and Writing
 30 % of our students passed PSAT8/9 Math

61 % of our students passed PSAT10 Evidence Based Reading and Writing
 29 % of our students passed PSAT10 Math

49 % of our students passed SAT Evidence Based Reading and Writing
 26 % of our students passed SAT Math

District and State Comparisons

| Participation | | | |
|-----------------|------|------|------|
| | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| Doherty | 72 | 61.7 | 88 |
| District | 57.7 | 58.5 | 68.6 |
| State | 72.6 | 73 | 79.5 |

| Percent Passing | | | | | | |
|-----------------|--------|----|--------|------|--------|------|
| | 9 | | 10 | | 11 | |
| | EB R/W | M | EB R/W | M | EB R/W | M |
| Doherty | 59 | 30 | 61 | 29 | 49 | 26 |
| District | 60.5 | 31 | 58 | 28 | 49.4 | 23.8 |
| State | 68.5 | 43 | 69.3 | 40.1 | 60 | 36.4 |

