



ACT

USD 305 Board of Education

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ACT

(American College Testing)



- Entrance exam used by most colleges and universities
- Measures a student's readiness for credit-bearing coursework
- Results furnished to colleges; provide preliminary data for use in admissions, course placement, and academic advising.

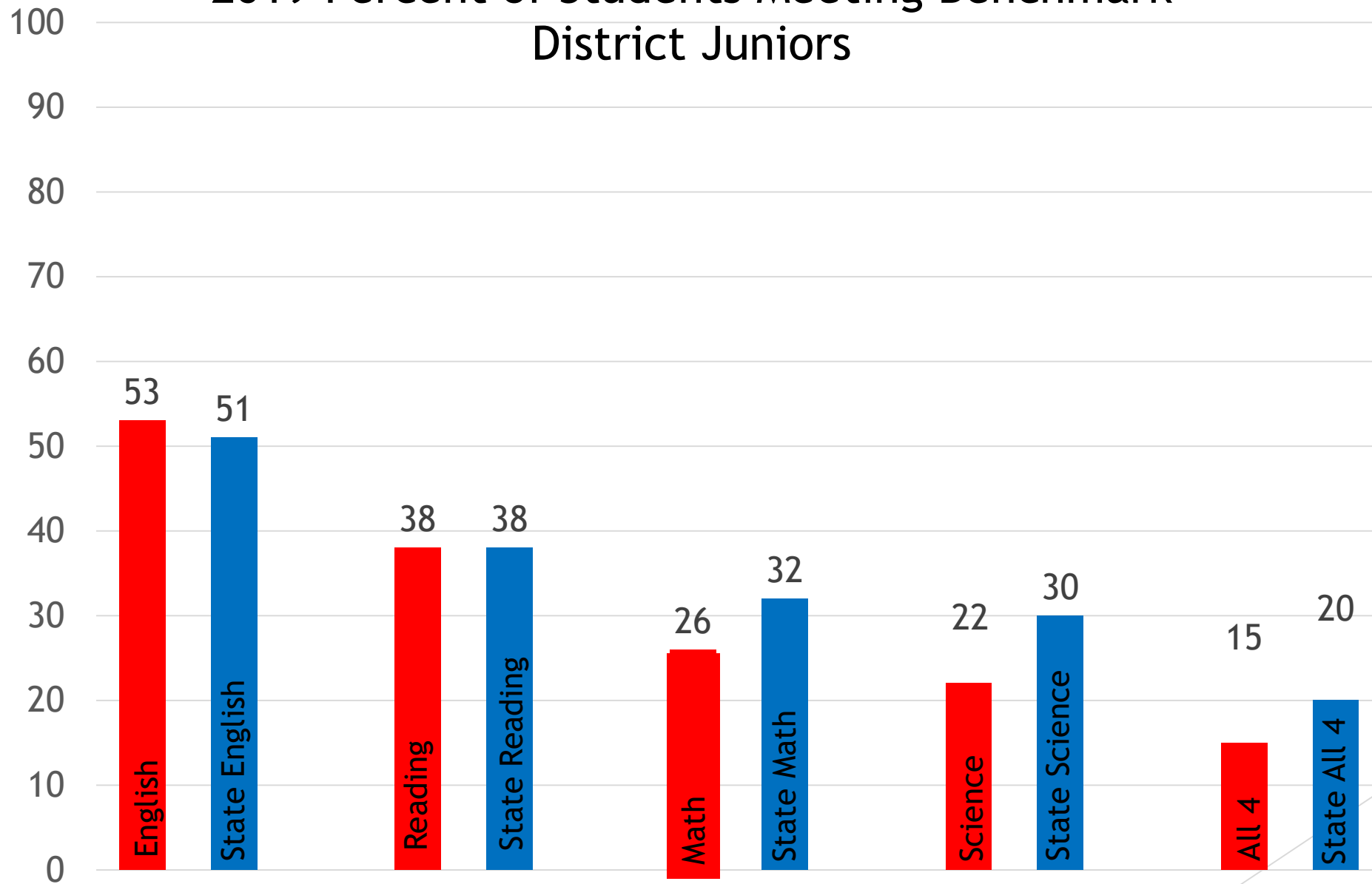
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- Each section of the ACT is scored on a 1 to 36 point scale.
- If a student's score is at or above the Benchmark, students will have at least a 50% chance of obtaining a B or higher or about a 75% chance of obtaining a C or higher in specific first-year college courses

Subject	ACT Benchmark
English	18
Math	22
Reading	22
Science	23

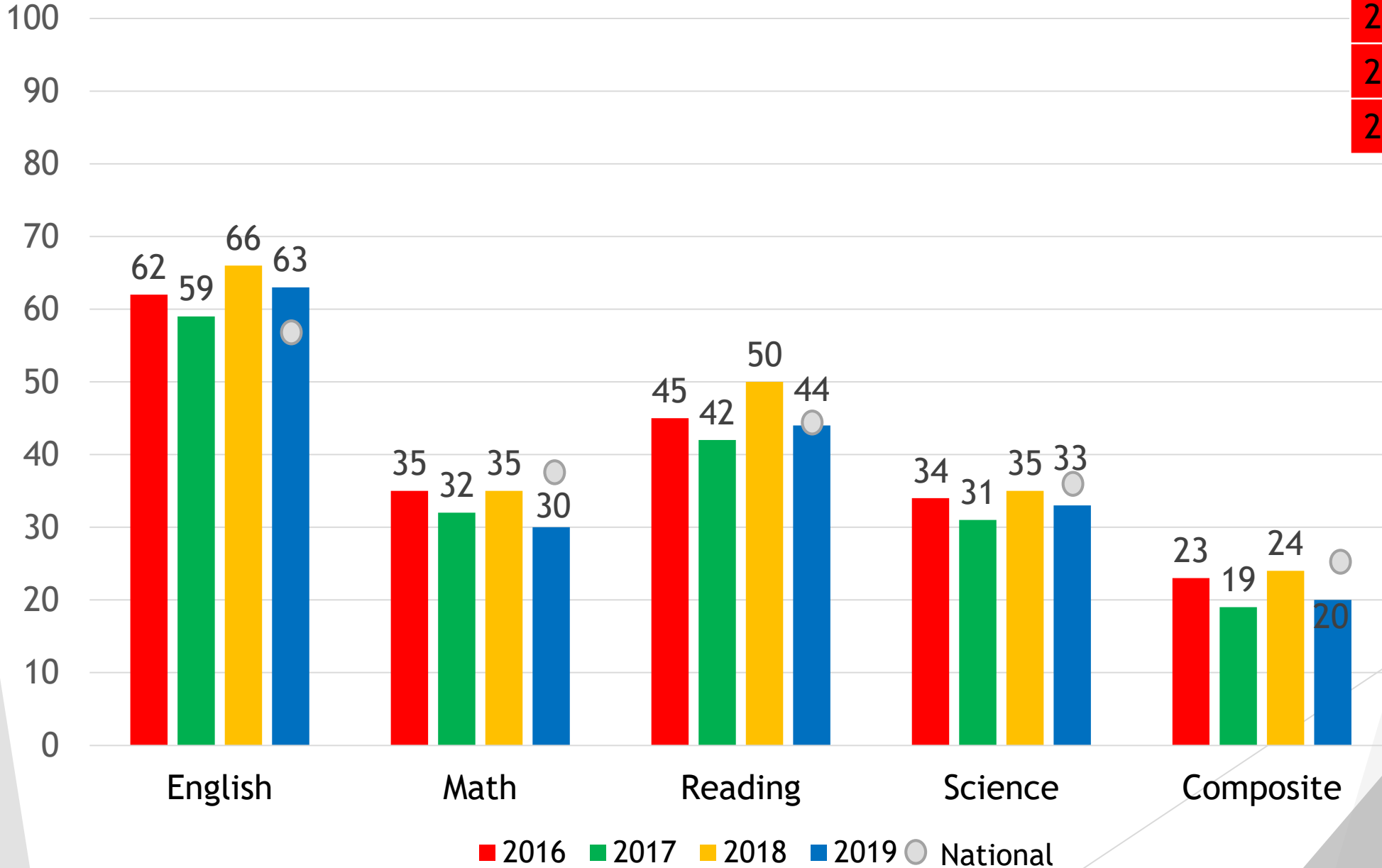
2019 Percent of Students Meeting Benchmark District Juniors



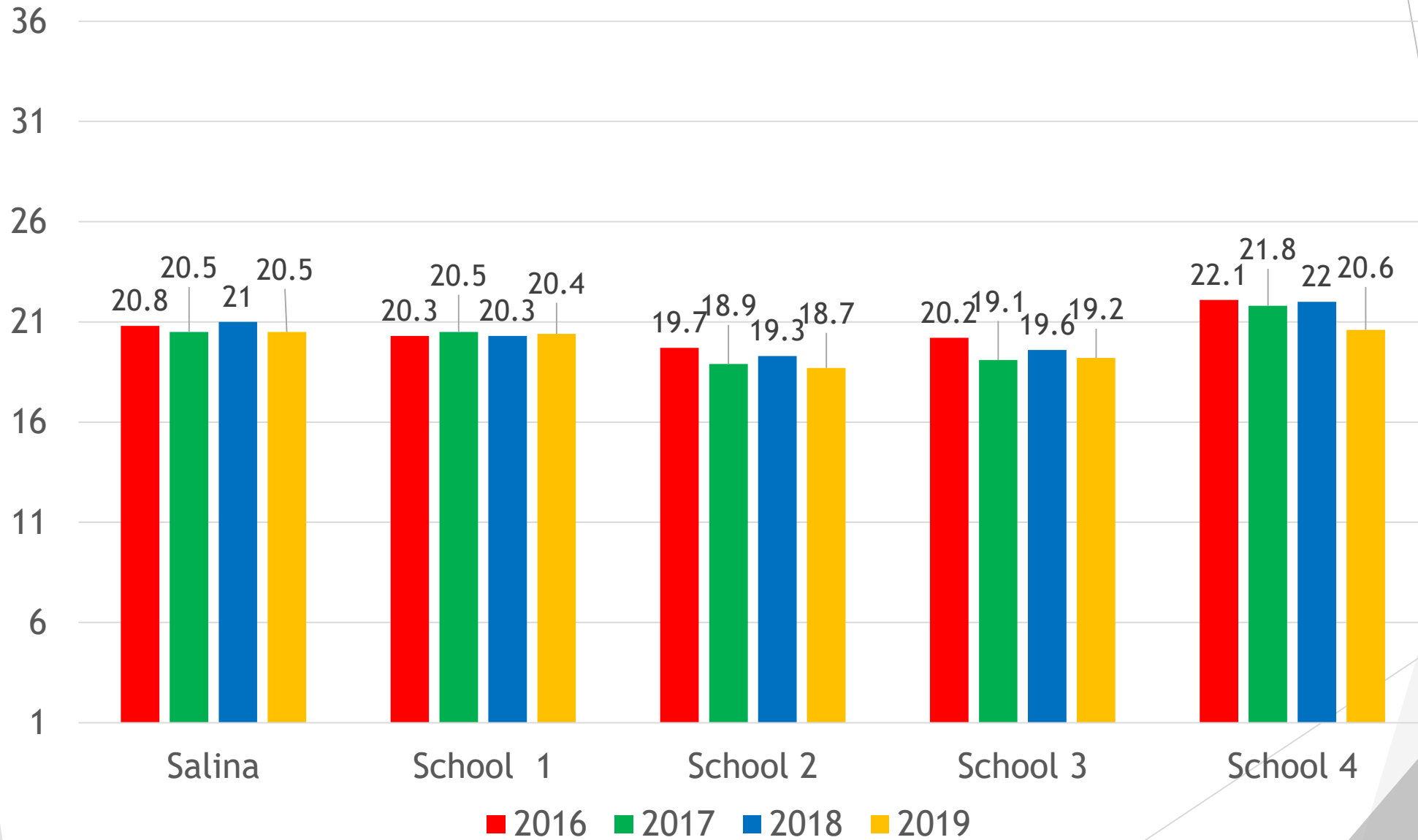
Year	Participants
2019	310
2020	345

Percent of Students Meeting Benchmark District Seniors

Year	Participants
2016	310
2017	306
2018	314
2019	305



Comparable Schools ACT ALL Four Seniors





Ensuring Students are Prepared for Postsecondary School

Schools should

- Ensure that all students take rigorous academic courses
- Encourage students to take 4 years of English, math, social studies and science

To assist with ACT preparation, schools can

- Use ACT Academy
- Use ACT Method Test Prep



QUESTIONS?