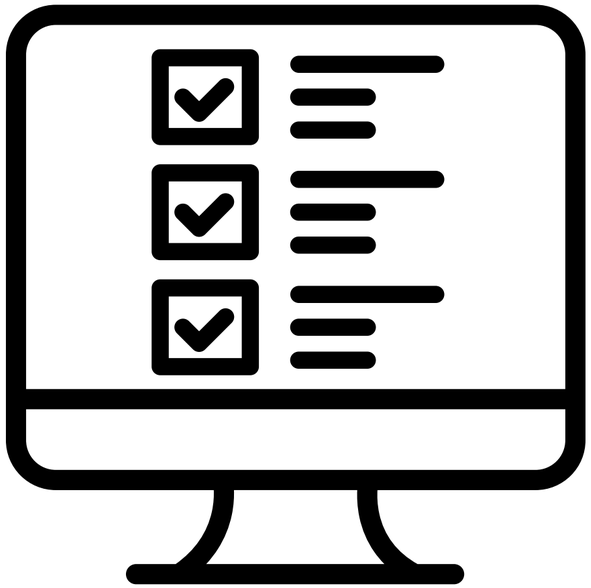
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STATE ASSESSMENTS RESULTS SPRING 2025

OCTOBER 27TH, 2025

Overview



Anne Mucci
Superintendent

Matthew Kriley
Director of Elementary Education

- ELA Grades 3 through 5
- Math Grades 3 through 5
- DLM

Brian Young
Supervisor, Science 6-12

- Science Grades 5, 8, and 11

Alex Gentul
Supervisor, Math 6-12

- Math Grades 6 through 8
- Algebra I
- Geometry
- Algebra II
- NJGPA

Kara Douma
Supervisor, Language Arts 6-12

- ELA Grades 6 through 9
- NJGPA

Sophia Kenny
Director of Guidance

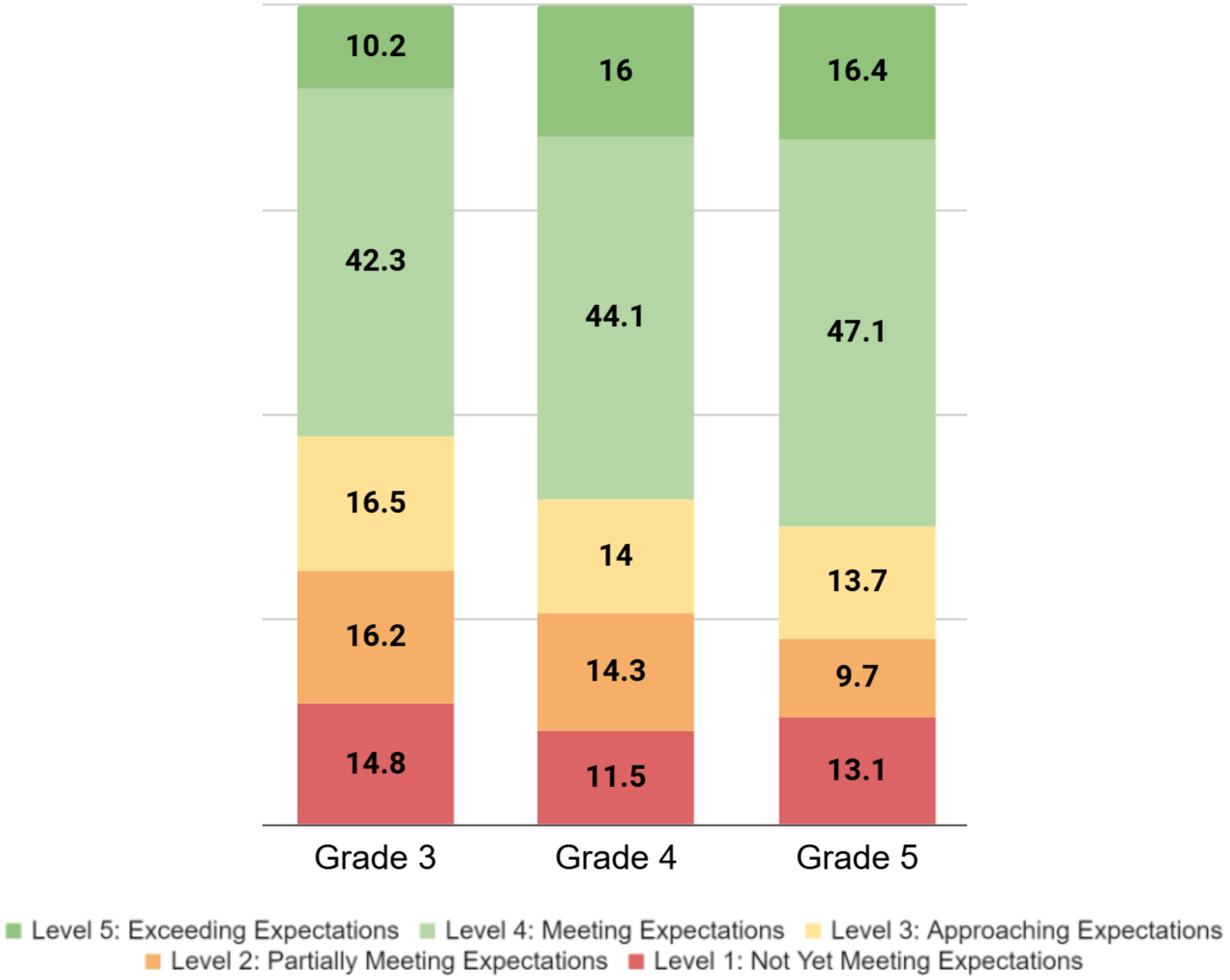
- AP Scores

Overview
Grades 3 through 5

- Grades 3, 4, and 5 all showed an increase in the number of students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations when compared to 2024
- Grade 3 math showed an increase of **9.1** percent of students Meet or Exceeding Expectations when compared to 2024
- Grade 5 performed at or above the State Average on every single tested Math standard
- Grades 3, 4, and 5 all performed higher than the state average in Written Expression and Writing Knowledge

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NJSLA English Language Arts Grades 3 - 5



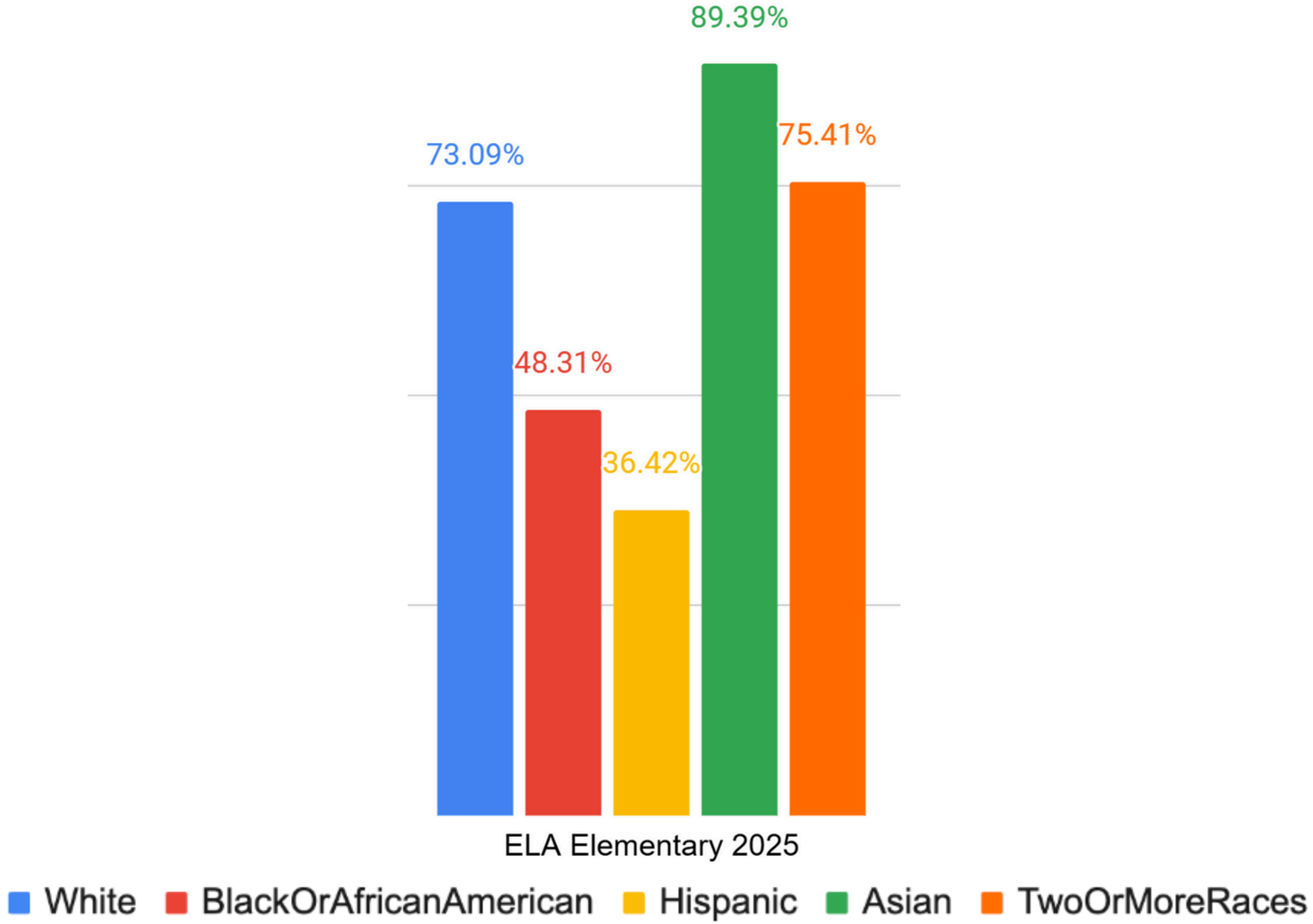
Change in Level 3 and Level 4 from 2024 to 2025	
Grade 3	+5.5
Grade 4	+2.0
Grade 5	+4.1

Percentage of Students Meeting and Exceeding ELA Grades 3 through 5		
	District	**State**
3rd	52.5	44.9
4th	60.1	53.6
5th	63.5	52.7

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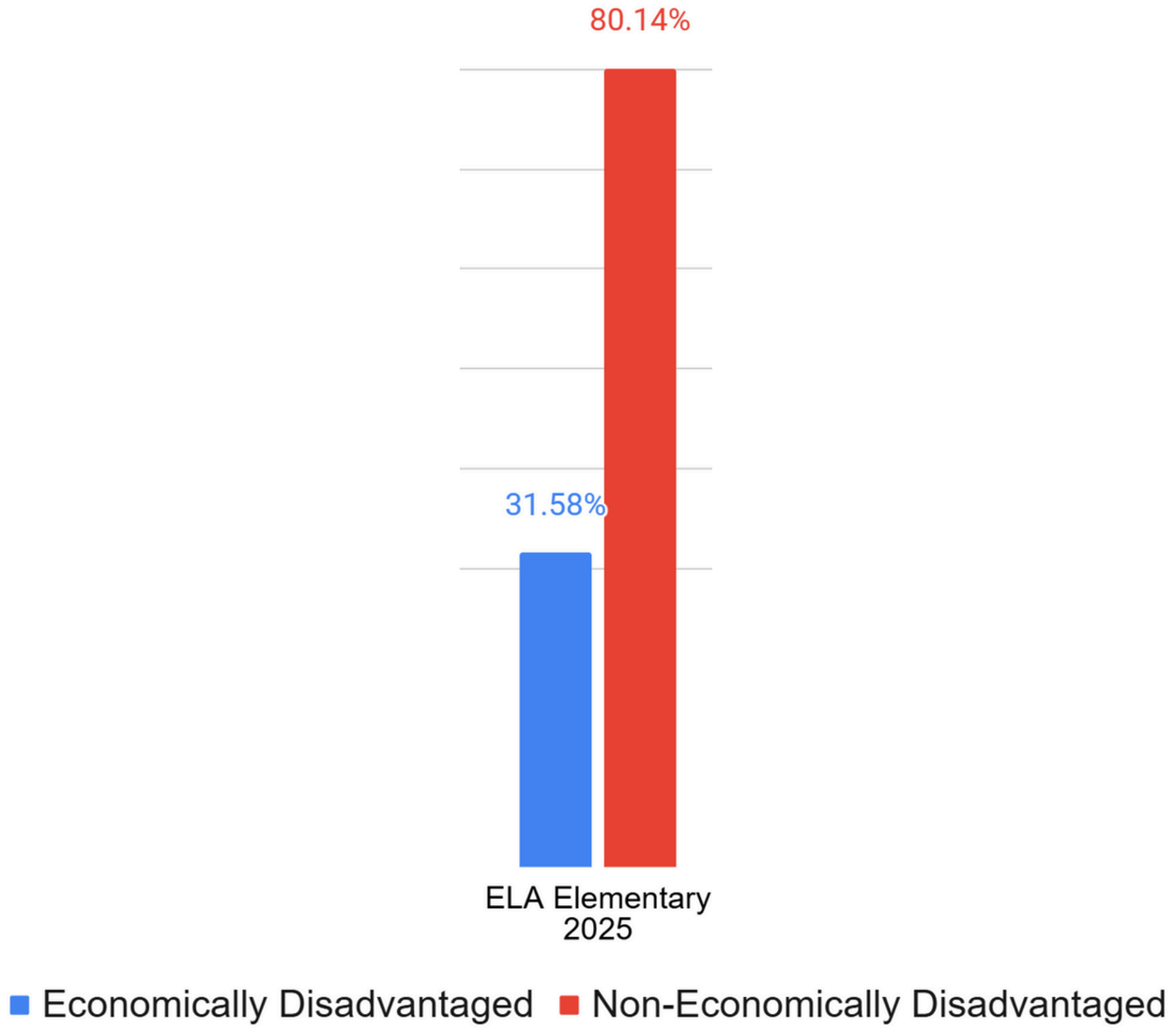
Performance of Race/Ethnicity Subgroups

Percentage Meeting/Exceeding Grades 3-5 ELA



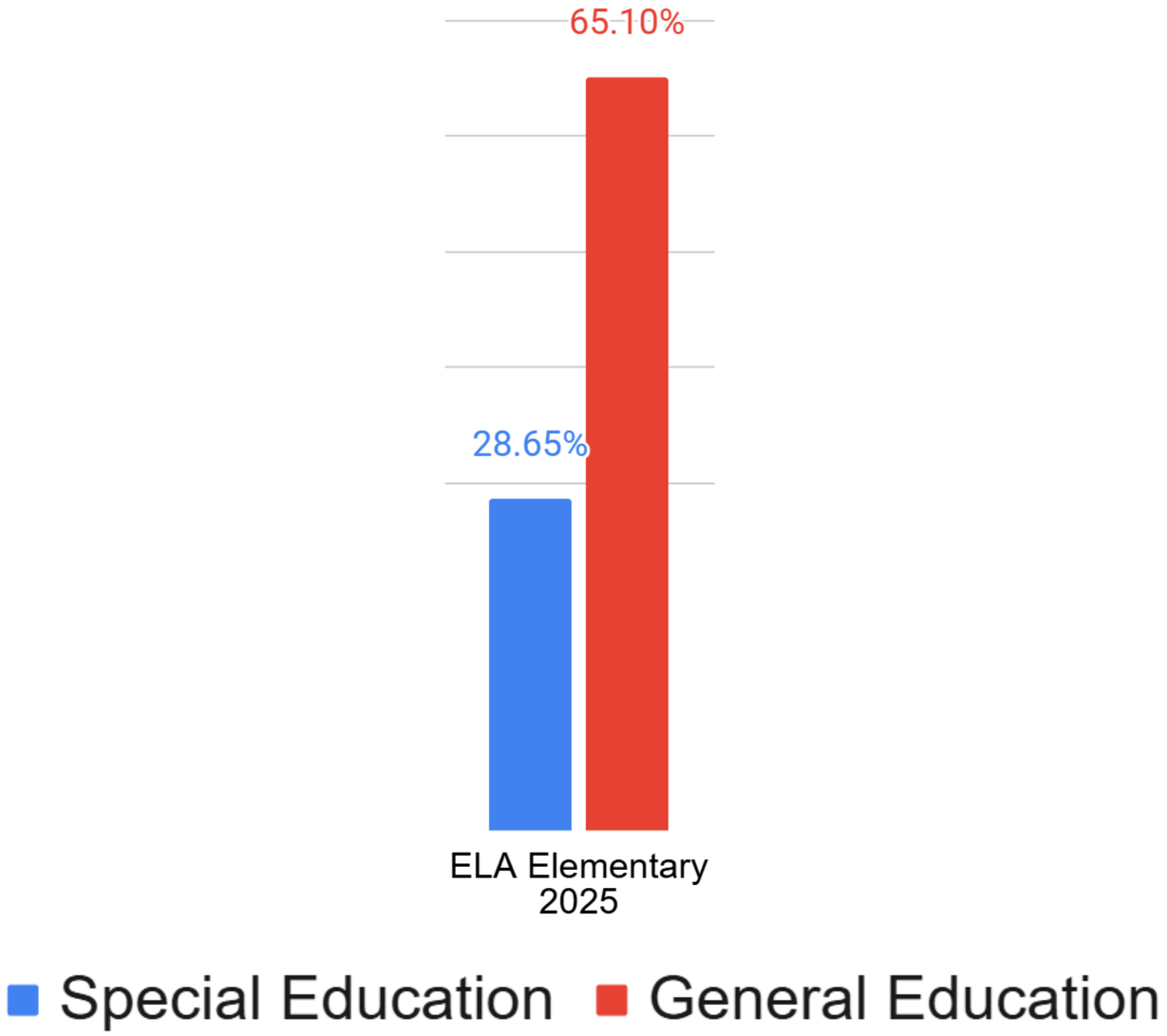
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Performance of Economically Disadvantaged Percentage Meeting/Exceeding Grades 3-5 ELA



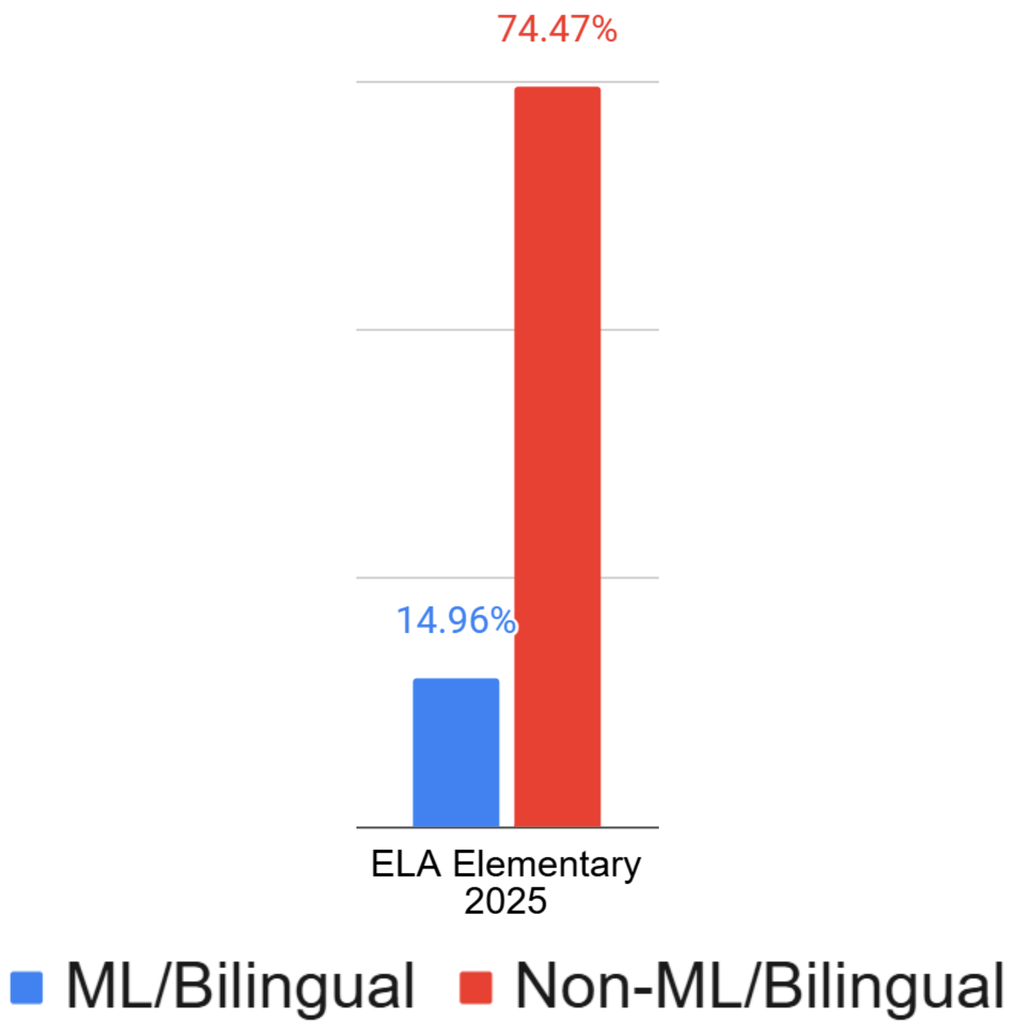
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Performance of Special Education Students Percentage Meeting/Exceeding Grades 3-5 ELA



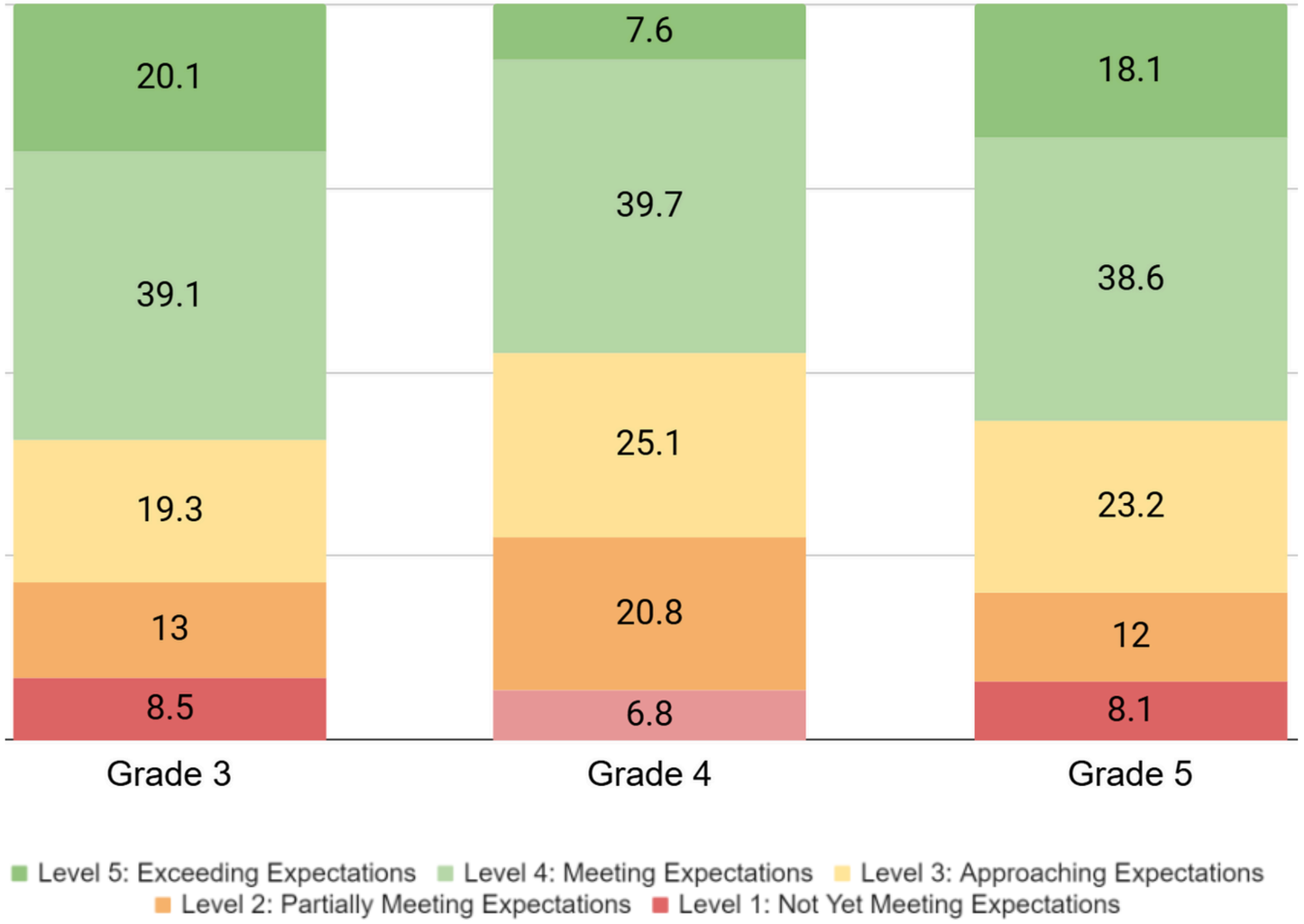
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Performance of Multi-Lingual/ Bilingual Students Percentage Meeting/Exceeding Grades 3-5 ELA



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NJSLA Math Grades 3 - 5



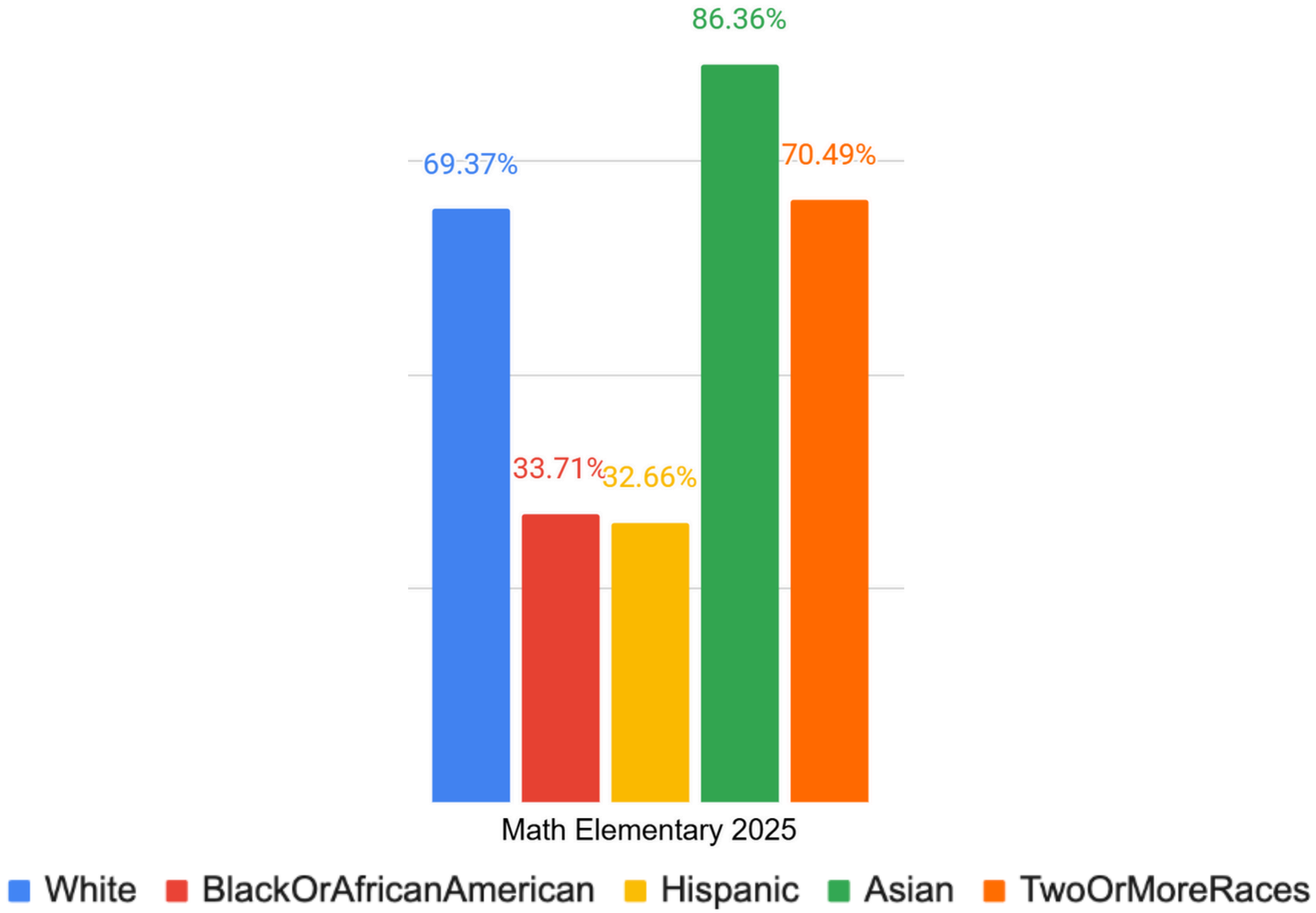
Change in Level 4 and Level 5 from 2024 to 2025	
Grade 3	+9.1
Grade 4	-2.3
Grade 5	+3.9

Percentage of Students Meeting and Exceeding Math Grades 3 through 5		
	District	**State**
3rd	59.2	49.7
4th	47.3	46.7
5th	56.6	44.2

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Performance of Race/Ethnicity Subgroups

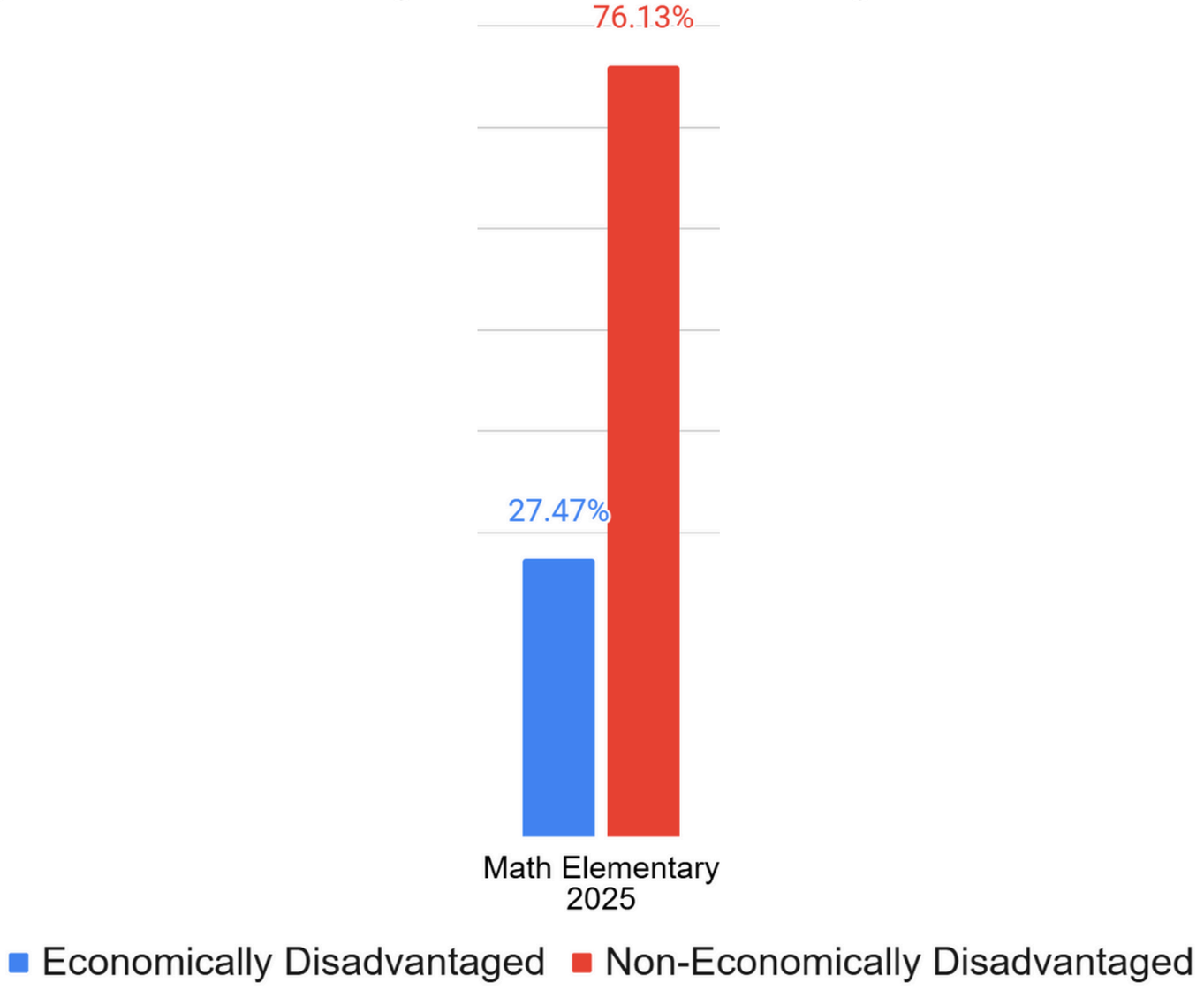
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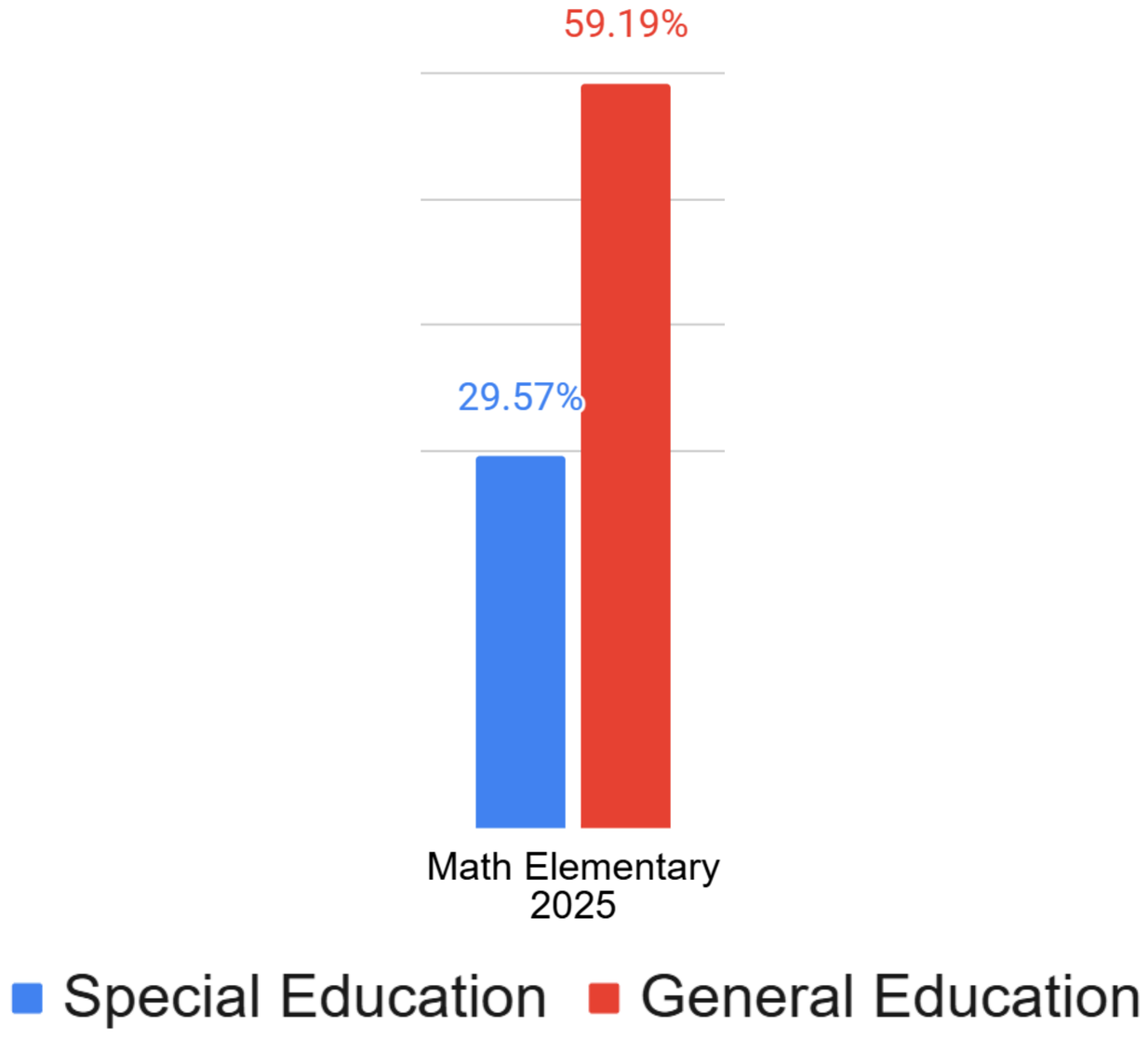
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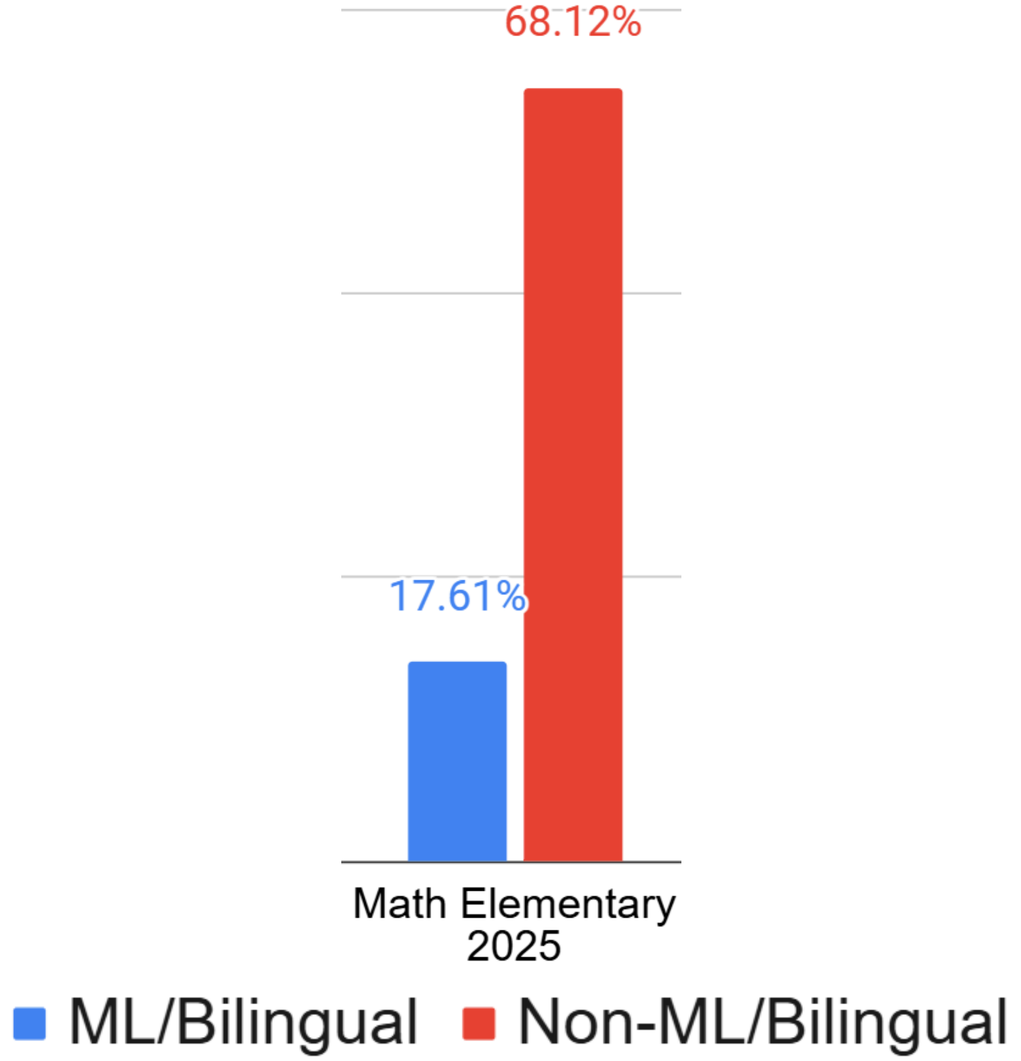
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Performance of Special Education Students Percentage Meeting/Exceeding Grades 3-5 Math



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Performance of Multi-Lingual/ Bilingual Students Percentage Meeting/Exceeding Grades 3-5 Math



HOW WILL THE DATA BE USED?
Grades 3 - 5

- Implementation of new K-5 ELA and Math curriculum aligned with the 2023 NJ Student Learning Standards
- Professional Development and Monday Meetings dedicated to sharing NJSLA results and developing a targeted plan that supports student progress and focuses on standards-based instruction
- Evidence Statement Analysis by teachers, interventionists, and coaches to inform planning and assessment tailored to NJSLA performance
- Offer academic support in small groups to students who met predetermined criteria for both monolingual and bilingual student populations.
- Assess standards alignment of pilot programs and and resources to make recommendations for future use
- Instructional coaches at the K-5 level to support continuity of instruction

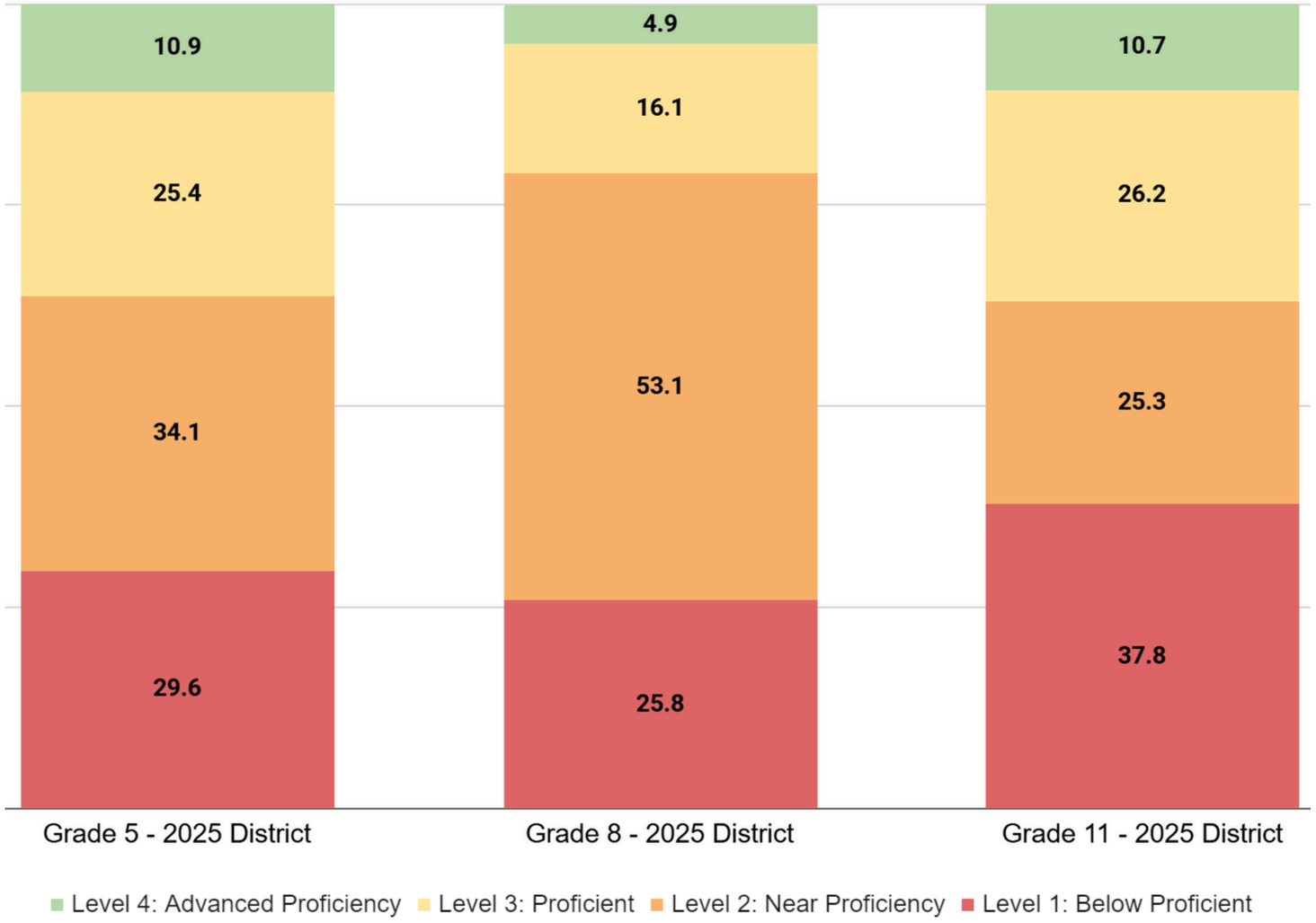
NJSLA Science

Grades 5, 8, and 11

Overview
Science Grades 5, 8, and 11

- Grade Levels 5, 8, and 11 all showed an increase in the number of students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations when compared to 2024
- Grade Levels 5, 8, and 11 all scored above the state percentages in the number of students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations
- Grade Levels 5 and 11 showed an increase in the number of students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations in the economically disadvantaged student sub group
- Grade Levels 5 and 11 showed an increase in the number of students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations in the special educaiton student sub group

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NJSLA Science Grades 5, 8, and 11



Change in Level 3 and Level 4 from 2024 to 2025	
Grade 5	+5.7
Grade 8	-0.5
Grade 11	+5.0

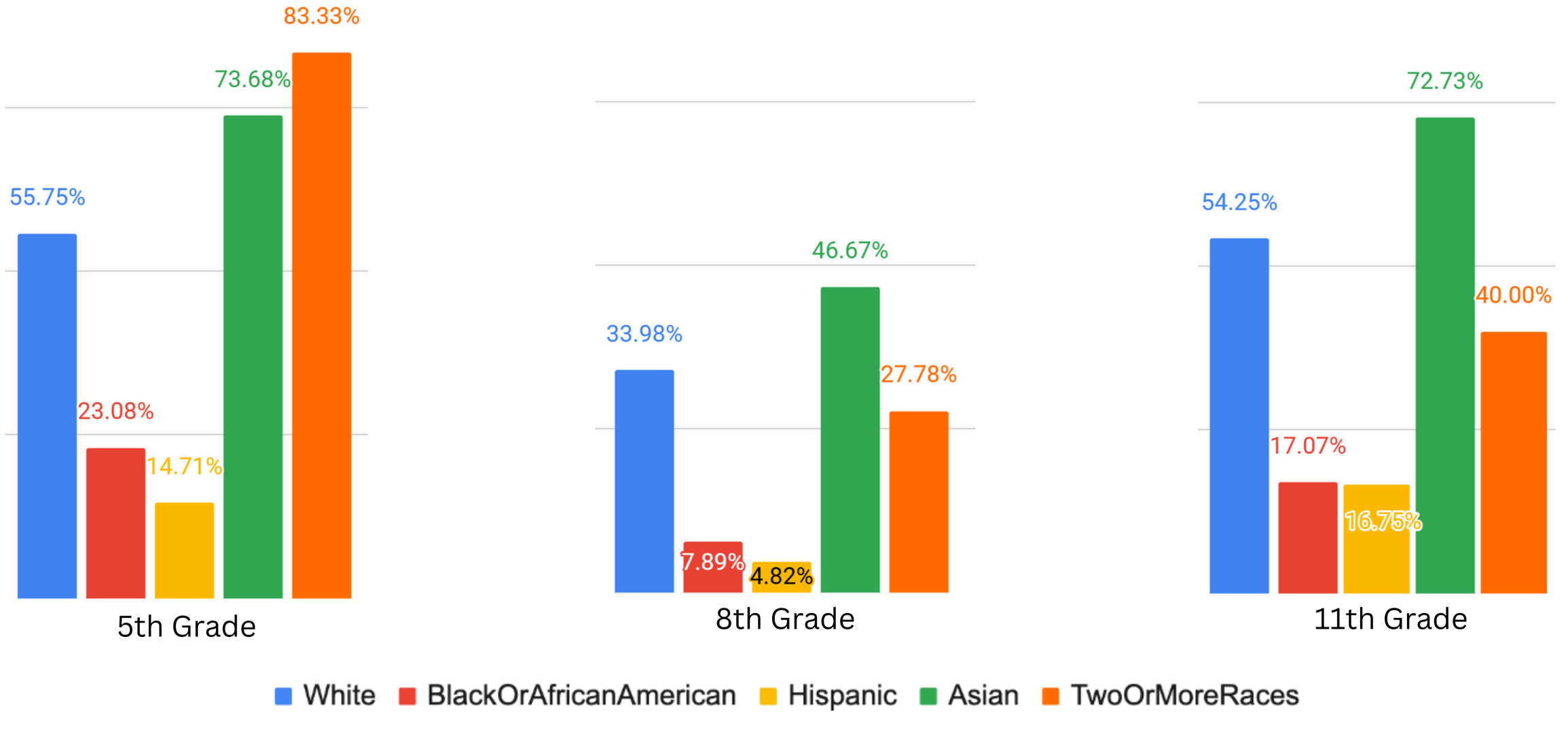
Percentage of Students Proficient and Advanced Proficient Science Grades 5, 8, and 11

	District	State
5th	36.3	30.1
8th	21.1	19
11th	36.9	31.3

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Performance of Race/Ethnicity Subgroups

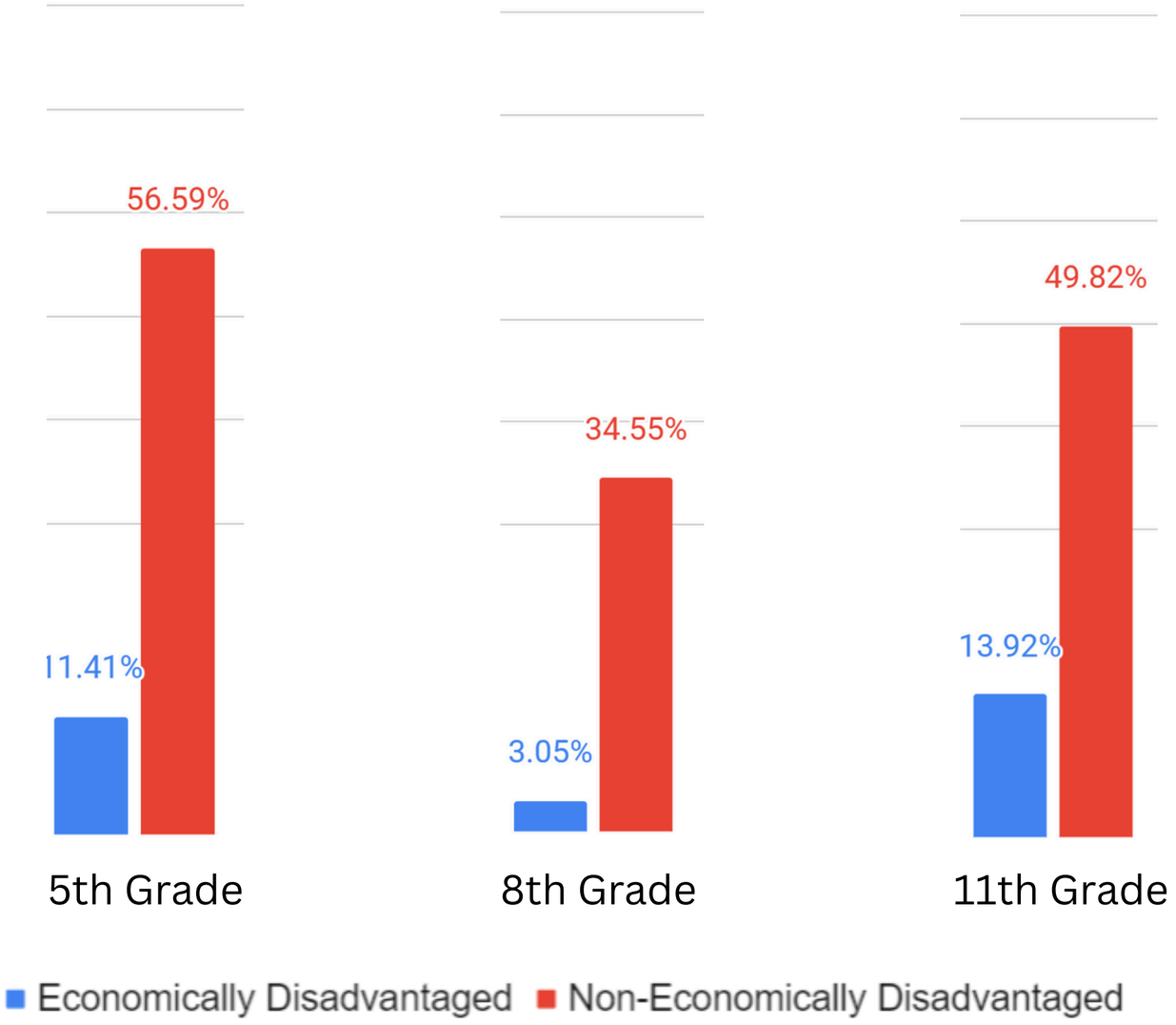
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Performance of Economically Disadvantaged

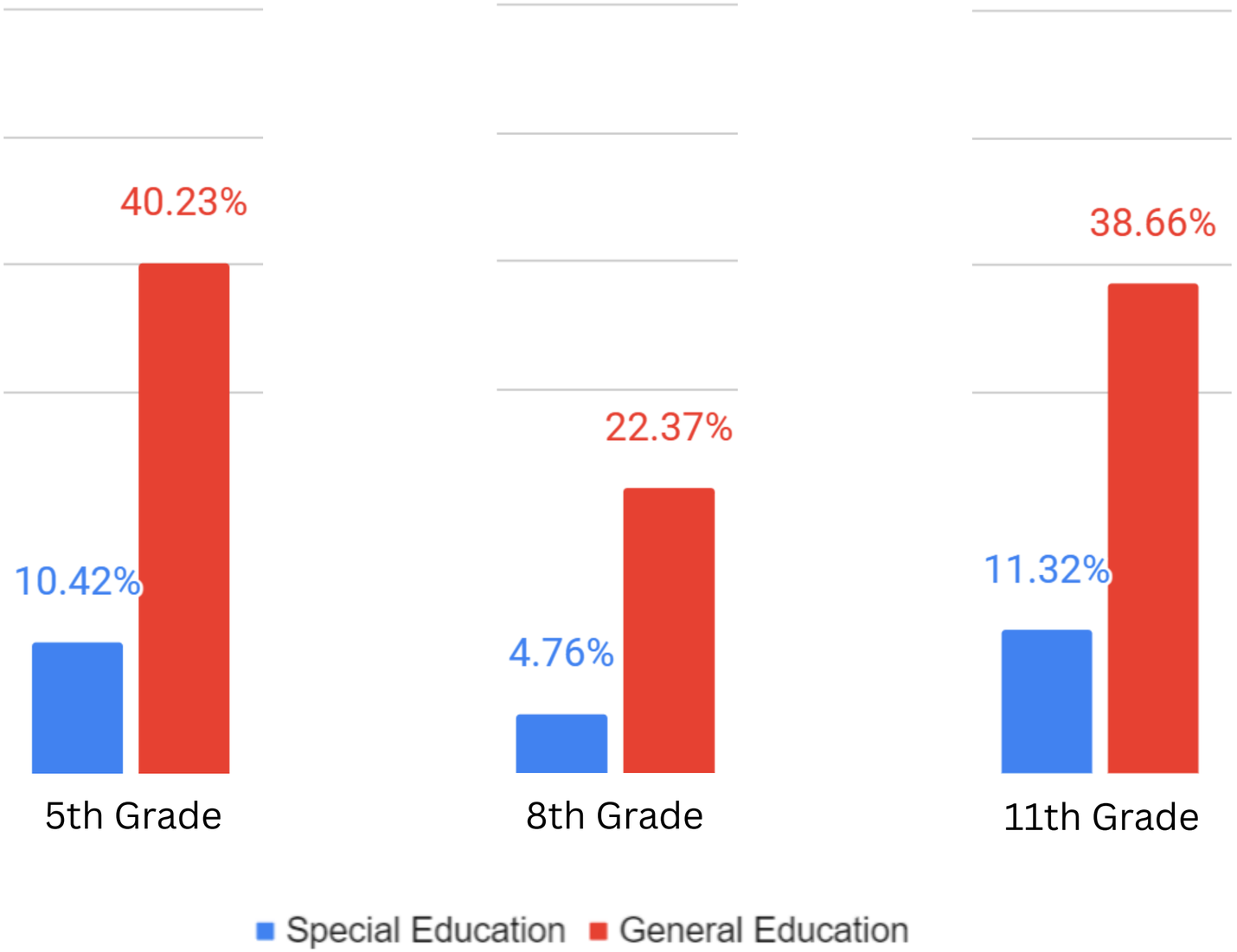
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Performance of Special Education Students

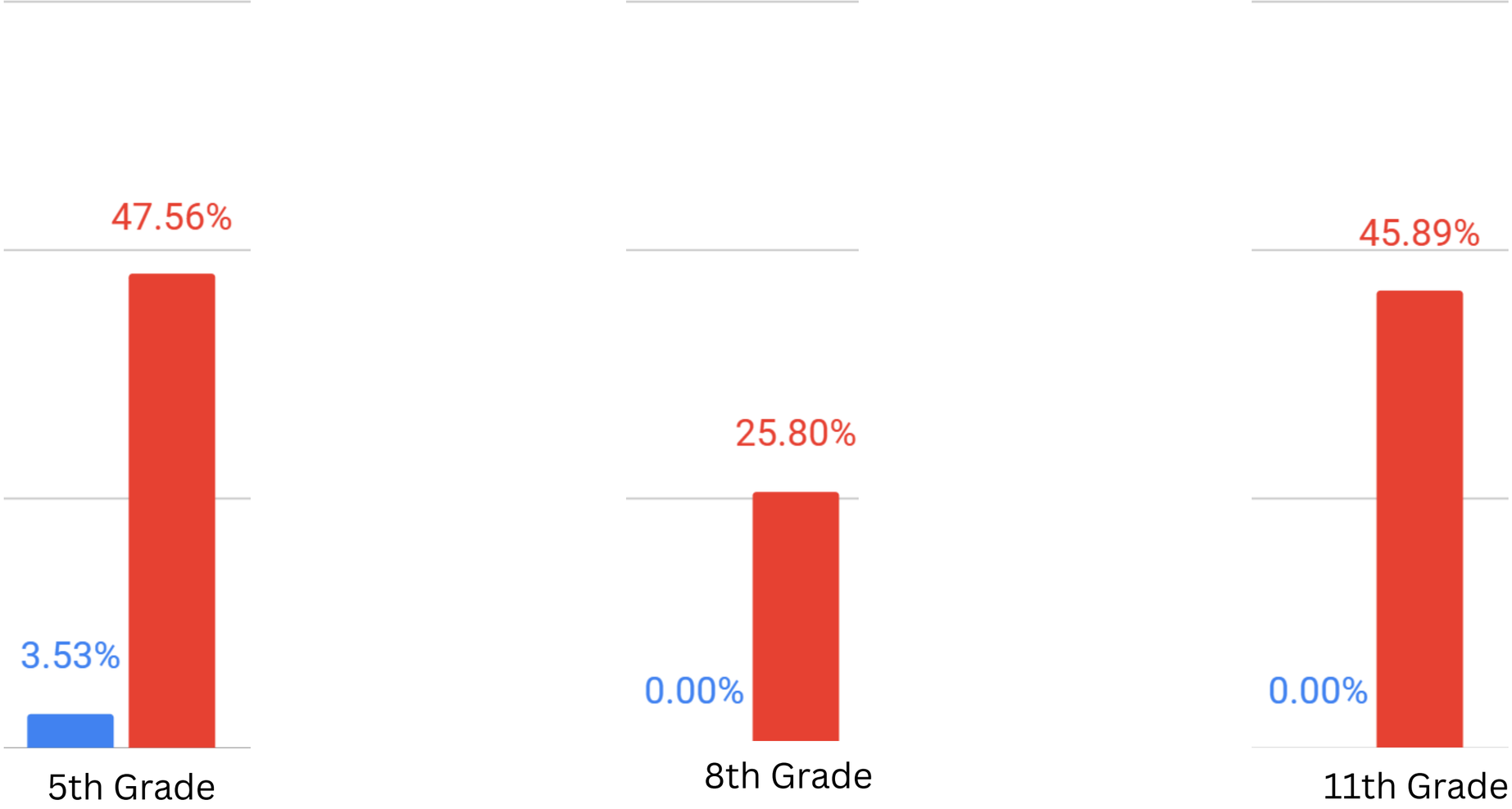
Percentage Proficient/Advanced Proficient Grades Science



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Performance of Multi-Lingual/ Bilingual Students

Percentage Proficient/Advanced Proficient Grades Science



HOW WILL THE DATA BE USED?
Science Grades 5, 8, and 11

- Assess K-5 Science programming related to curricular programs, instructional delivery, and content exposure time
- Explore an integrated spiral science curriculum in grades 6-8 to better prepare students for the NJSLA Science exam in grade 8
- Piloting NJDOE OpenSciEd model curriculum across grades 6-10
- Resequencing of science course sections in grades 9 through 12
- Implement practice test questions and skill sets across assessments in grades 3 through 11

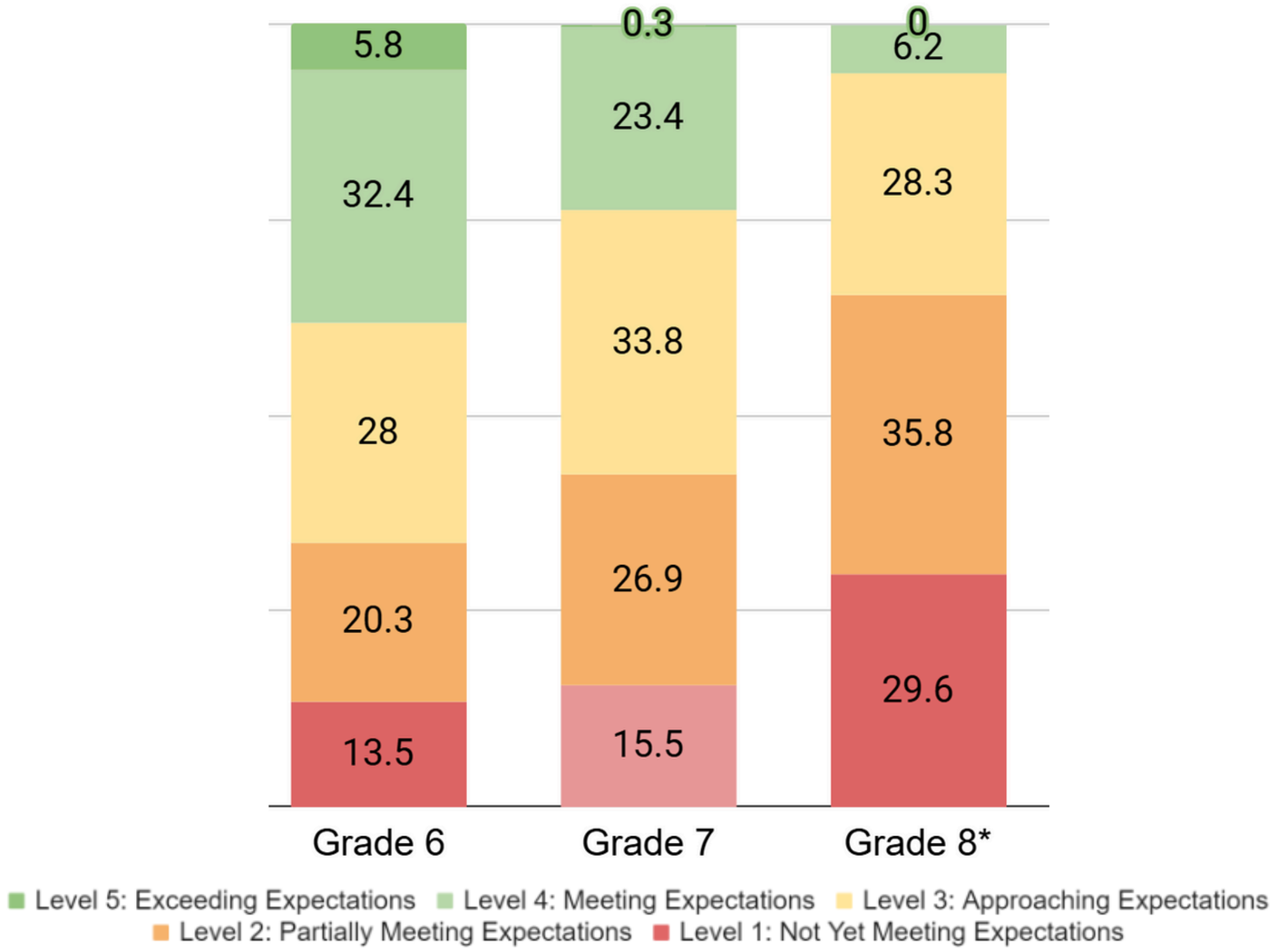
Overview

Math - Grades 6, 7, 8, and Algebra I, II and Geometry

- 9.7 percentage point increase in 6th Grade Math
- 7th and 8th Grade had a similar passing rate as last year
- 8th Grade Math had 15 percent fewer students Not Meeting, or Partially Meeting Expectations, more students Approaching (reversal from last year's trend)
- Percentage of students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations in Algebra I matches the state, Algebra II outperforms the state
- FMS: All but 1 student passing Geometry, 25.6 percentage point increase in Algebra 1

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NJSLA Math Grades 6, 7, and 8



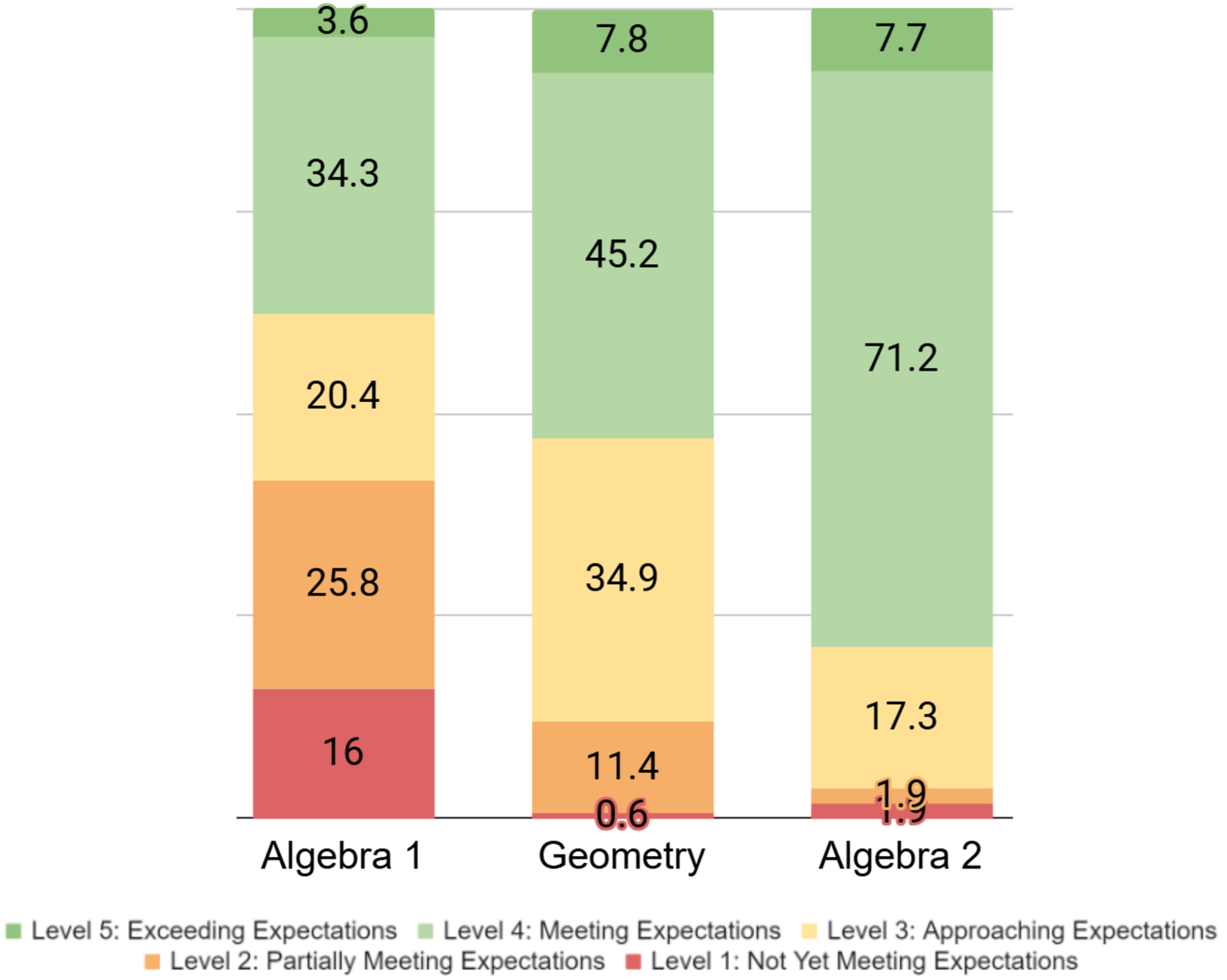
*Some students in grade 8 participated in the Algebra I or Geometry NJSLA in place of the 8th grade math assessment. The NJSLA Math 8 outcomes are not representative of grade 8 performance as a whole.

Change in Level 4 and Level 5 from 2024 to 2025	
Grade 6	+9.7
Grade 7	0.0
Grade 8	-1.4

Percentage of Students Meeting and Exceeding		
	District	**State**
6th	38.2	39.8
7th	23.8	38.7
8th	6.2	20.7

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NJSLA Math Algebra I, Geometry, and Algebra II



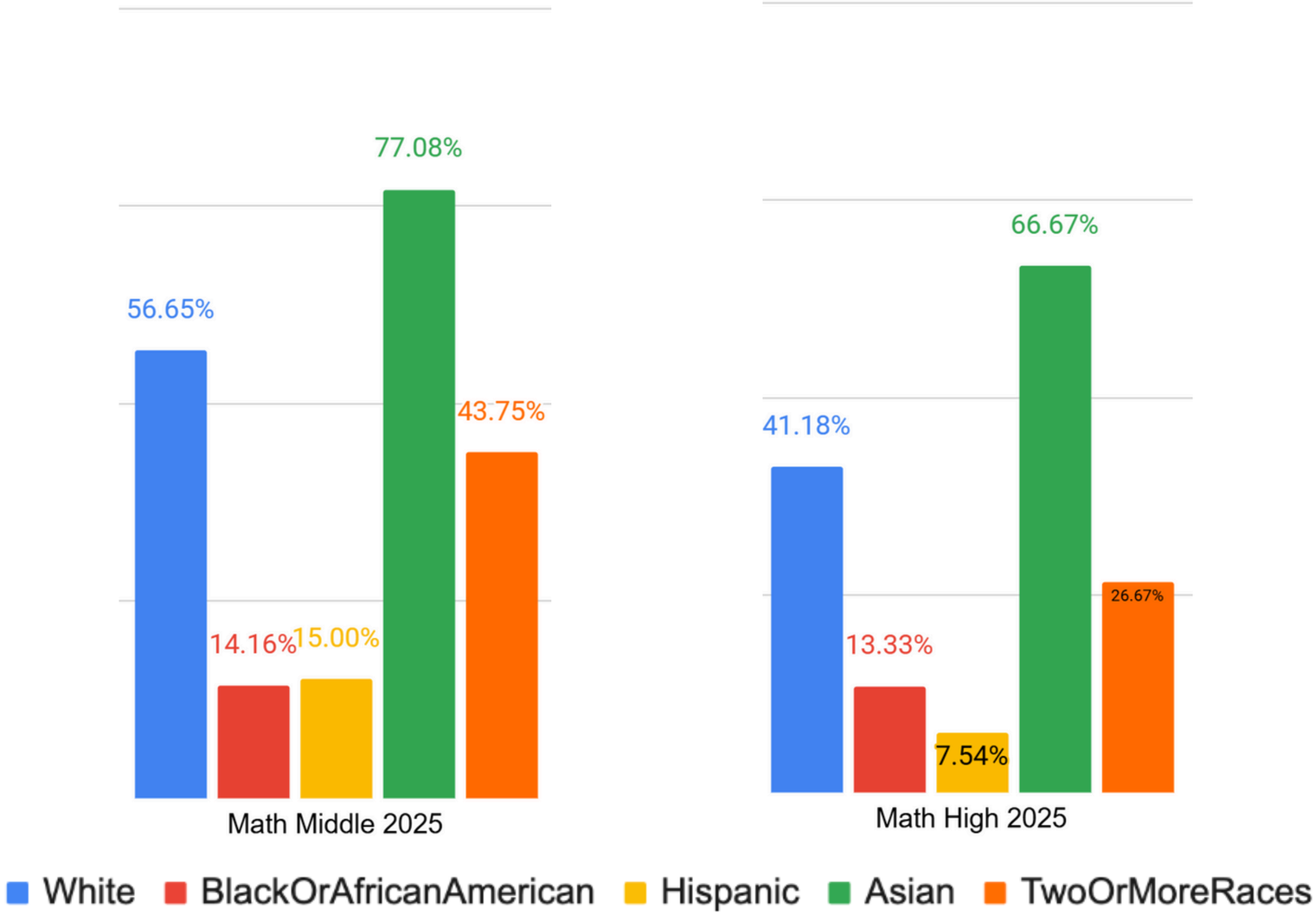
Change in Level 4 and Level 5 from 2024 to 2025	
Algebra I	+8.1
Geometry	+5.5
Algebra II	-0.6

Percentage of Students Meeting and Exceeding		
	District	**State**
Algebra I	37.9	37.9
Geometry	53	56
Algebra II	78.8	72.5

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Performance of Race/Ethnicity Subgroups

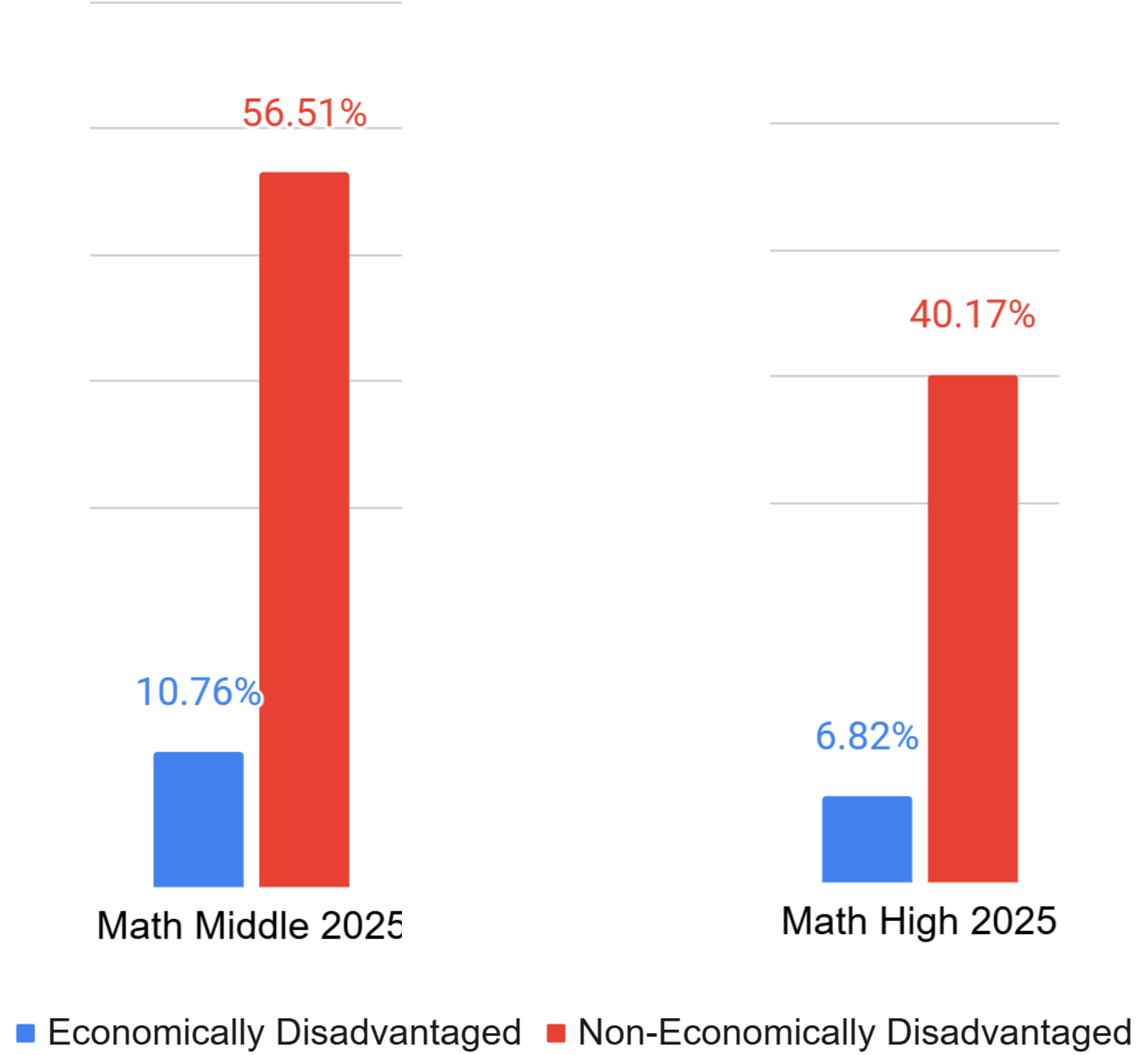
Percentage Meeting/Exceeding Grades Secondary Math



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Performance of Economically Disadvantaged

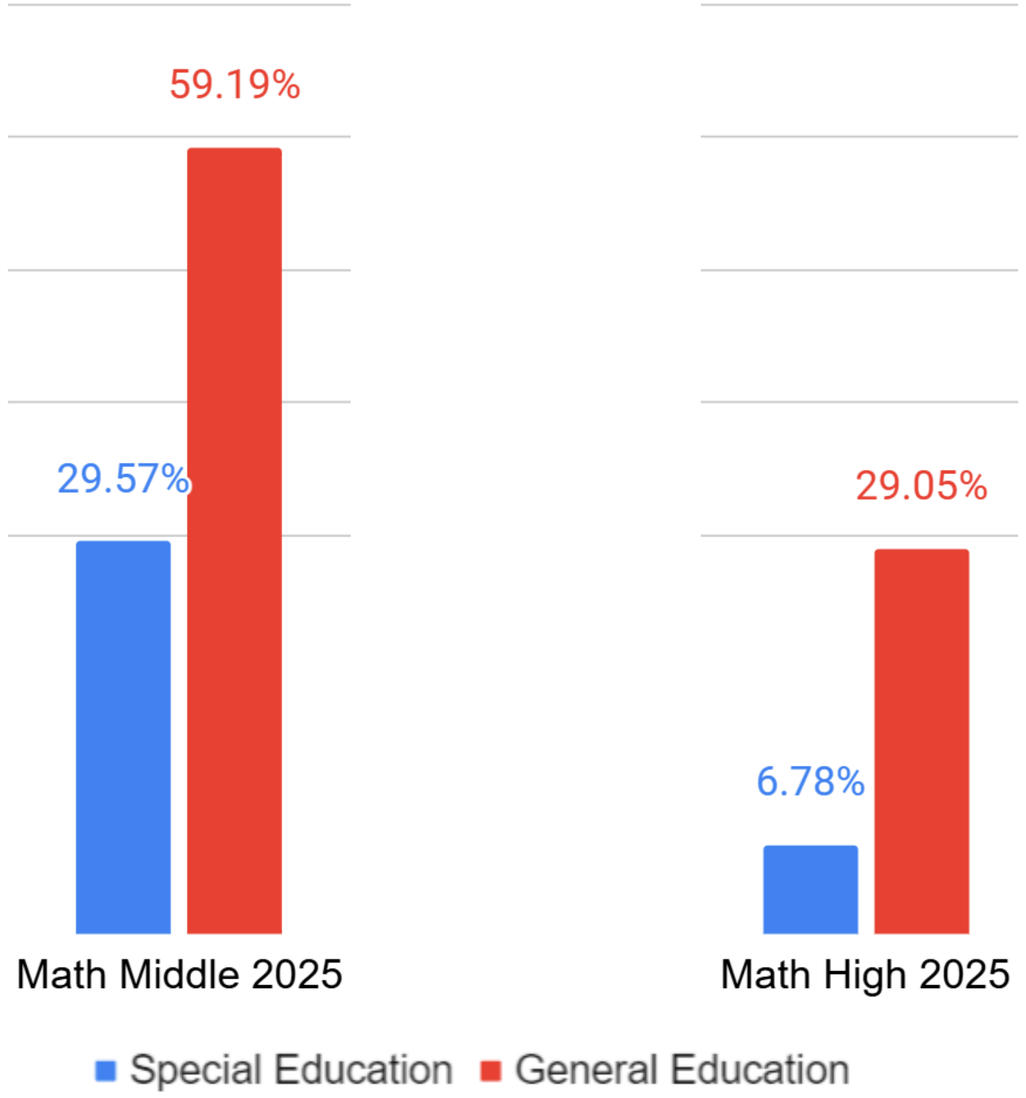
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Performance of Special Education Students

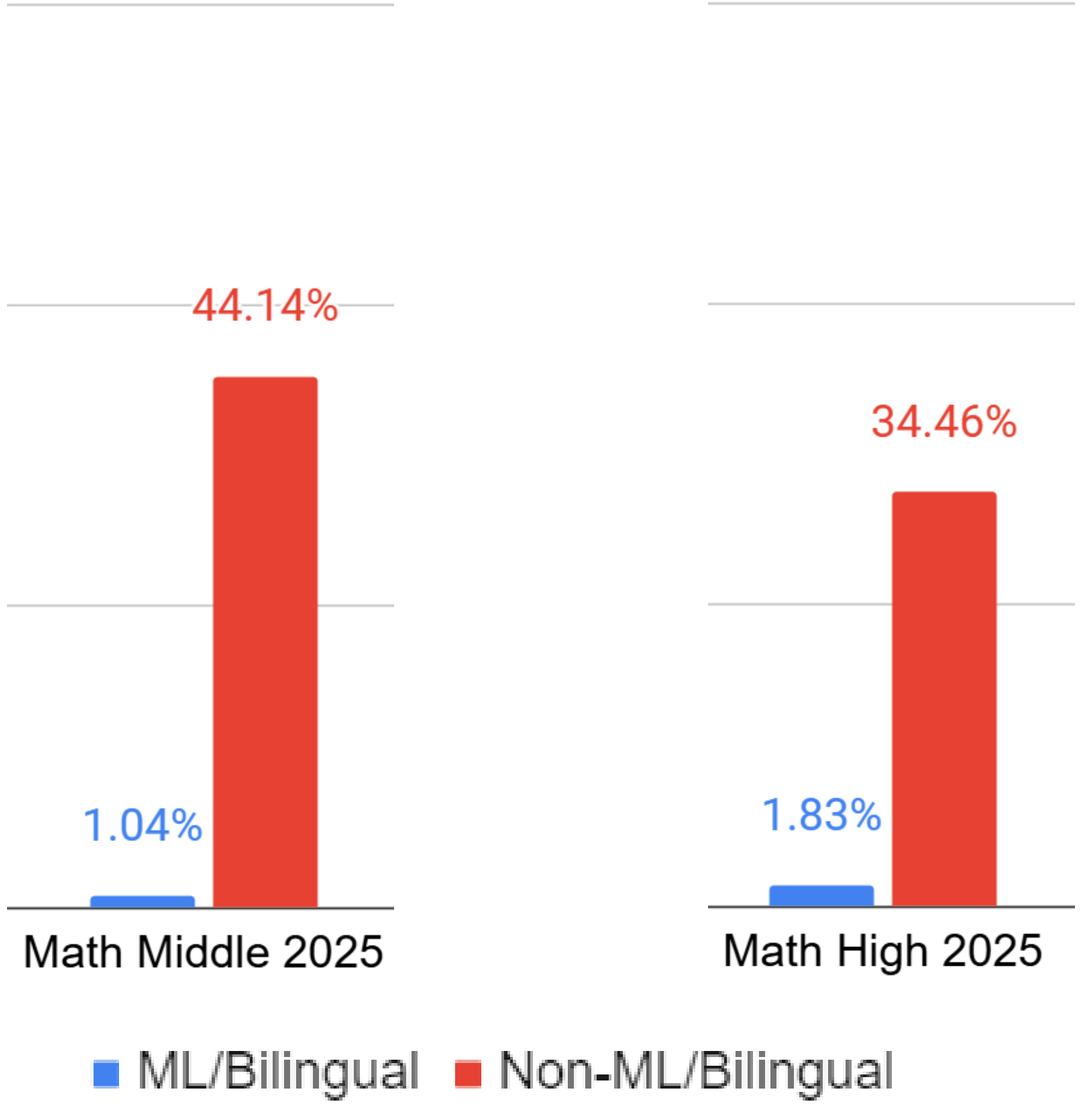
Percentage Meeting/Exceeding Grades Secondary Math



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Performance of Multi-Lingual/ Bilingual Students

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HOW WILL THE DATA BE USED?
Math - Grades 6, 7, 8, and Algebra I, II and Geometry

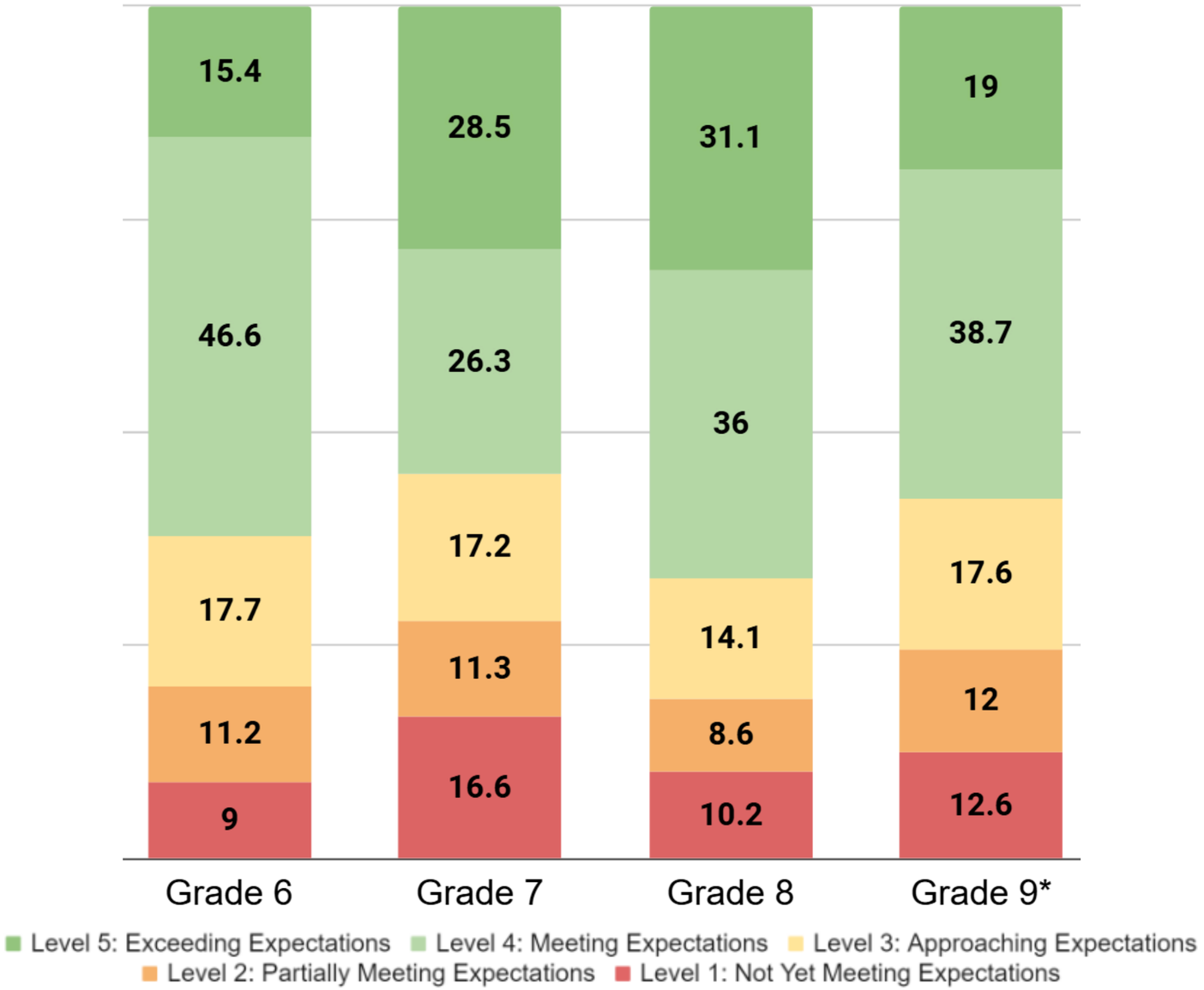
- Reorganizing FMS Math Teachers
  - Focus on improving 7th grade instruction
  - Algebra 1 and Geometry teachers have high school math certifications
- Adding NJSLA requirements to course placement process
- Creation of a course between Pre-Algebra and Honors Algebra 1 at FMS
- Adjustments to Intervention Program at MHS
  - Two teachers instead of one
  - Identified students have an additional quarter of math

Overview
English Language Arts Grades 6, 7, 8, and 9

- Grades 6, 8, and 9 performed above the State Average.
- Grades 6, 8, and 9 performed at or above the State Average for all Prose Constructed Response Tasks.
- Grade 6 2025 NJSLA showed a 10.3% increase of students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations when compared to 2024
- Grade 8 2025 NJSLA showed a 4% increase of students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations when compared to 2024

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English Language Arts Grades 6, 7, 8, and 9



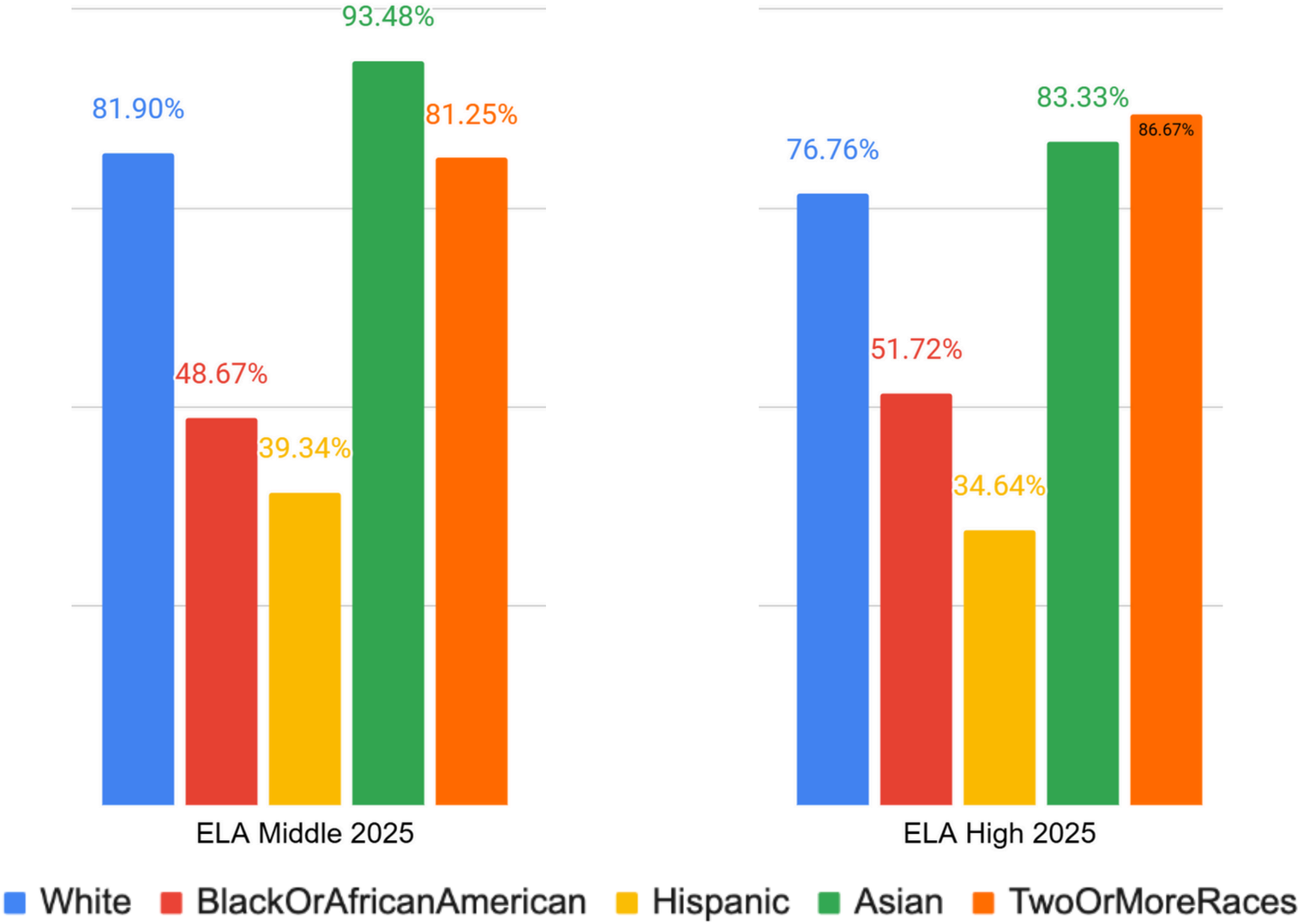
Change in Level 4 and Level 5 from 2024 to 2025	
Grade 6	+10.3
Grade 7	-8.6
Grade 8	+4
Grade 9	-7.1

Percentage of Students Meeting and Exceeding		
	District	**State**
6th	62	56.1
7th	54.8	57
8th	67.1	57.1
9th	57.7	49.9

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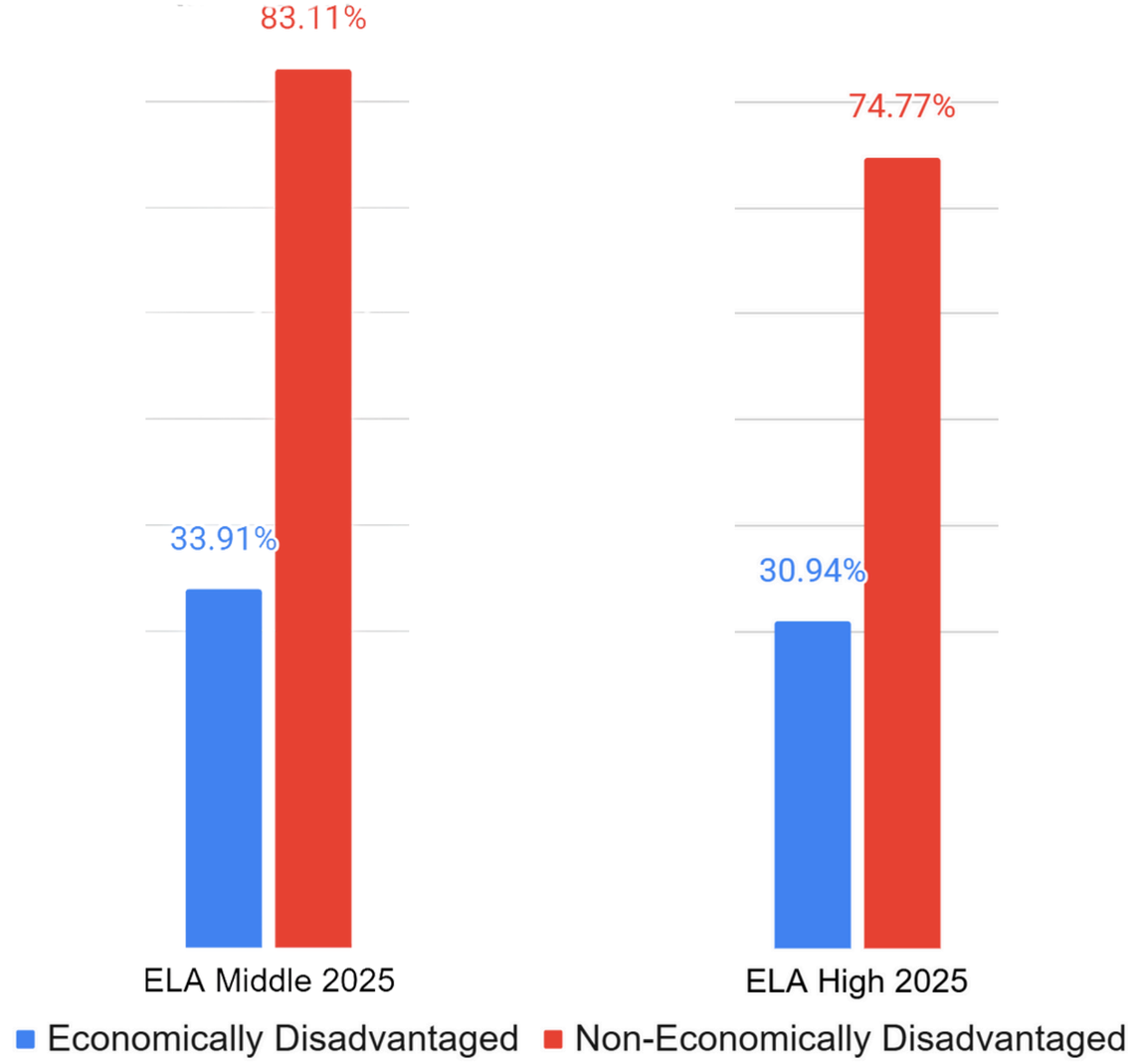
Performance of Race/Ethnicity Subgroups

Percentage Meeting/Exceeding Grades ELA 6-9



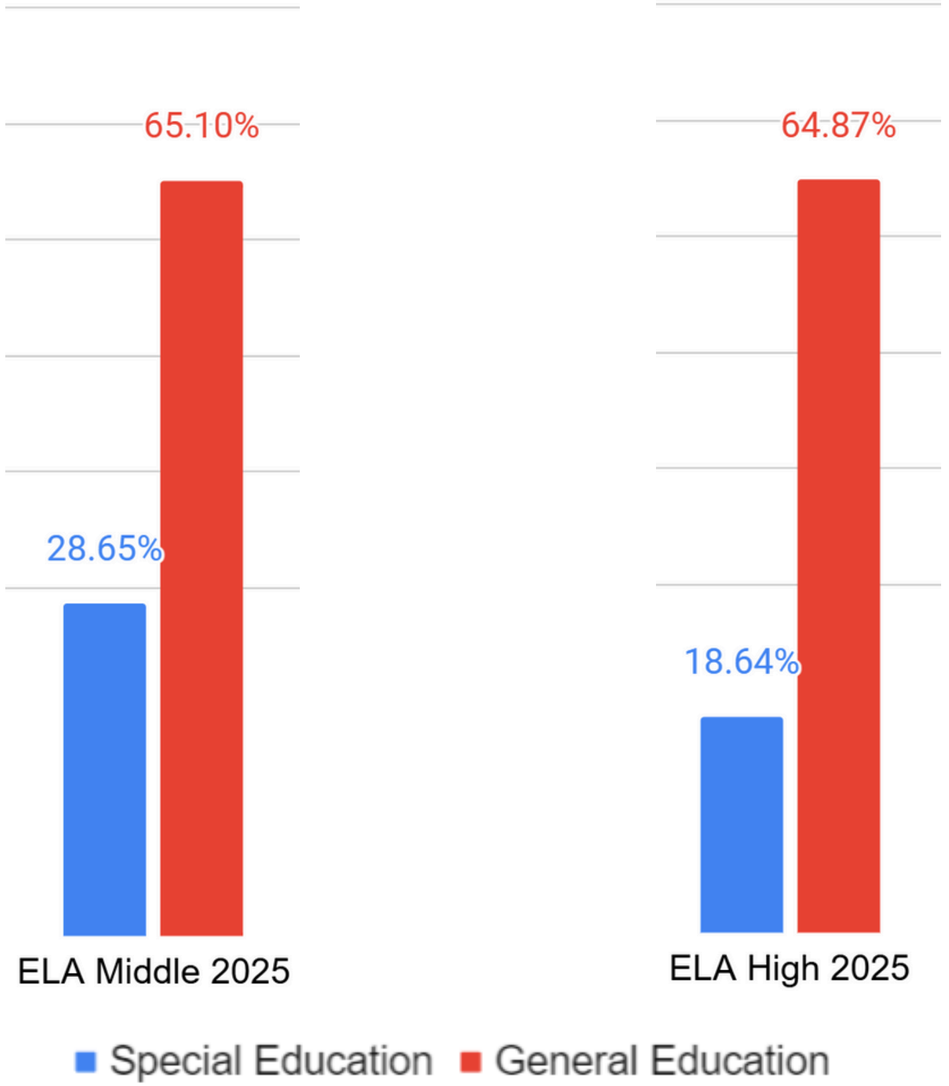
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Performance of Economically Disadvantaged Percentage Meeting/Exceeding Grades 6-9 ELA



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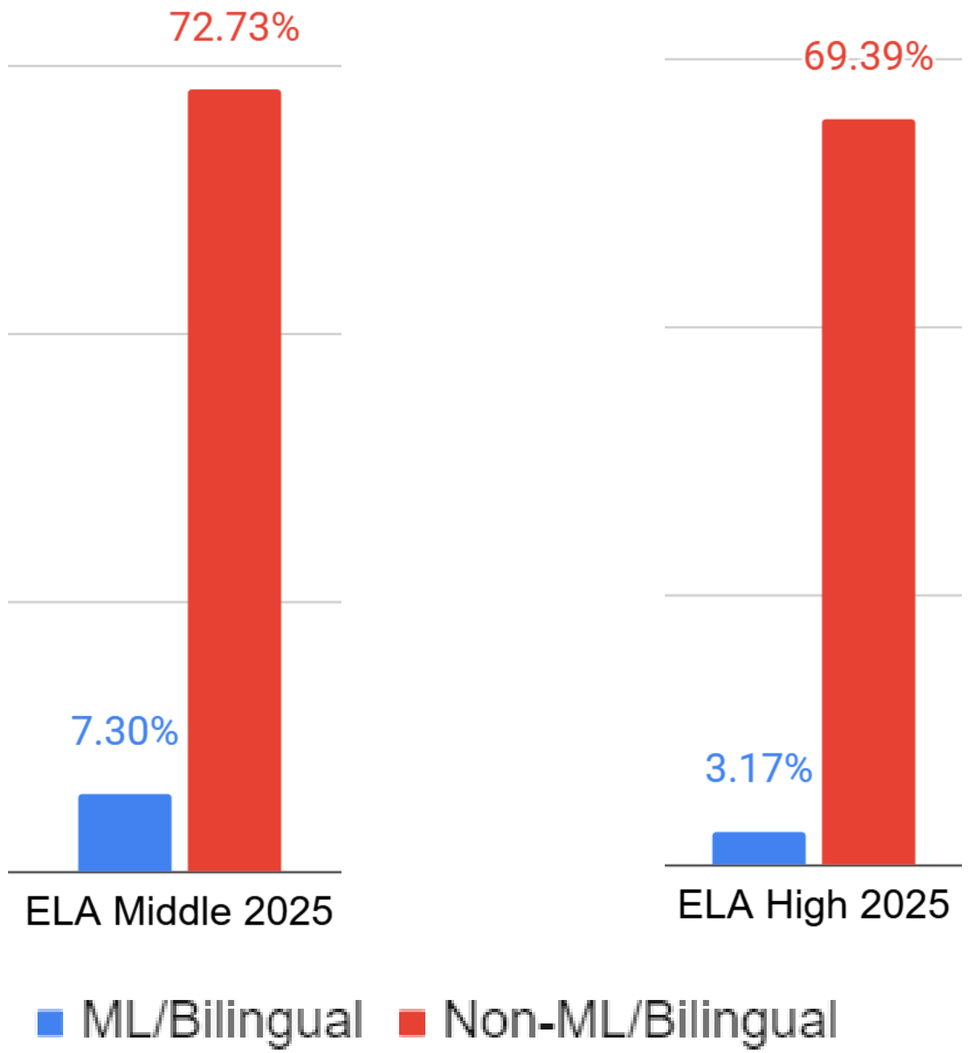
Performance of Special Education Students Percentage Meeting/Exceeding Grades 6-9 ELA



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Performance of Multi-Lingual/ Bilingual Students

Percentage Meeting/Exceeding Grades 6-9 ELA



HOW WILL THE DATA BE USED?
English Language Arts Grades 6, 7, 8, and 9

- Evidence Statement Analysis by grade level to inform planning and assessment tailored to NJSLA performance
- Course Grade and NJSLA score correlation analysis
- Vertical articulation in the ELA Department to share best practices in areas of strength consistent with the NJSLA results
- Implementation of new 6-8 ELA curriculum fully aligned to the 2023 NJ Student Learning Standards
- Year two implementation of Pre-AP English I and year one implementation of Pre-AP English II with data-informed practices based on NJSLA data and College Board assessments
- Leverage AI district approved platforms as a resource to differentiate and tier instruction based on NJSLA results

Overview
NJ Graduation Proficiency Assessment (NJGPA)

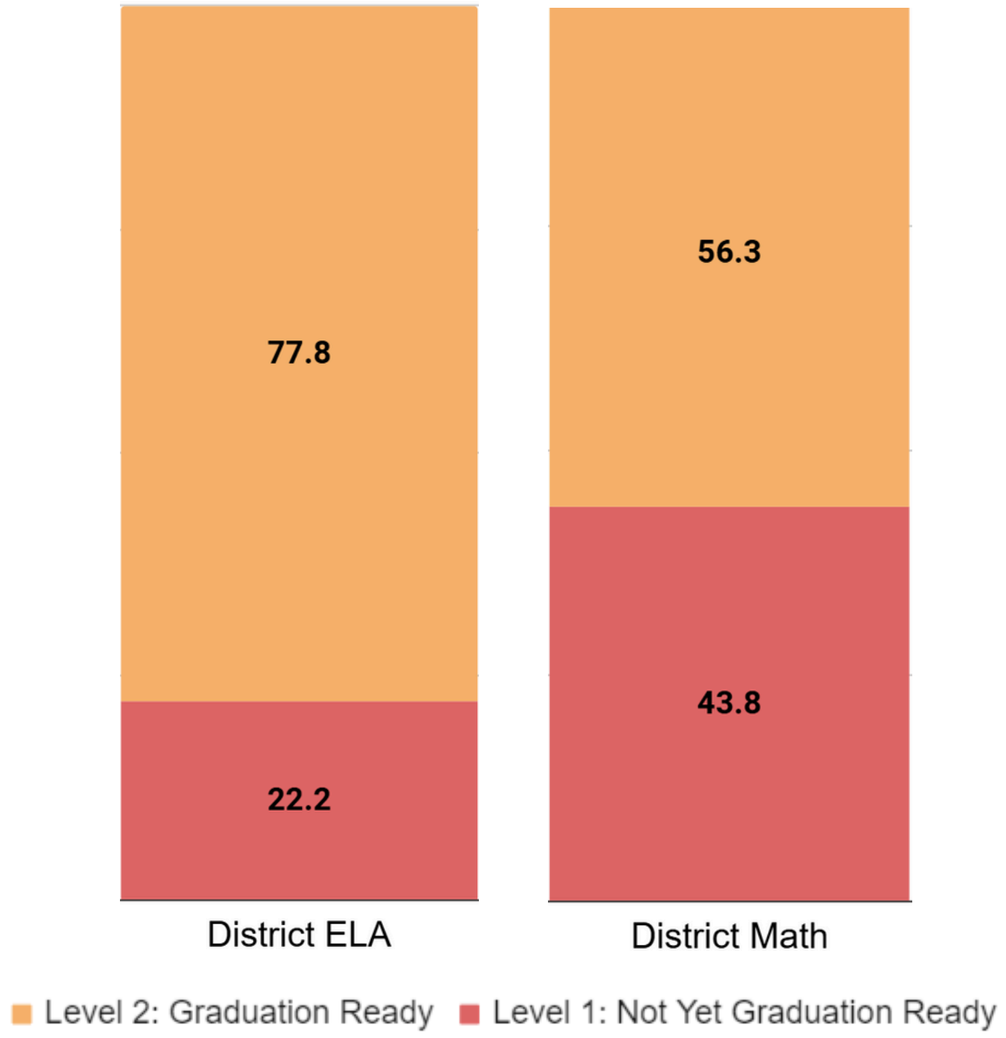
- Overall increase by 0.3% in ELA, and 3.9% in Math Graduation Ready Performance Levels from 2024 to 2025

- 2024: 4.1% fewer students passing compared to state in ELA, 2.3% fewer in Math
- 2025: 2.9% fewer students passing compared to state in ELA, 1.7% fewer in Math

- At or above the State Average for all Prose Constructed Response Tasks.

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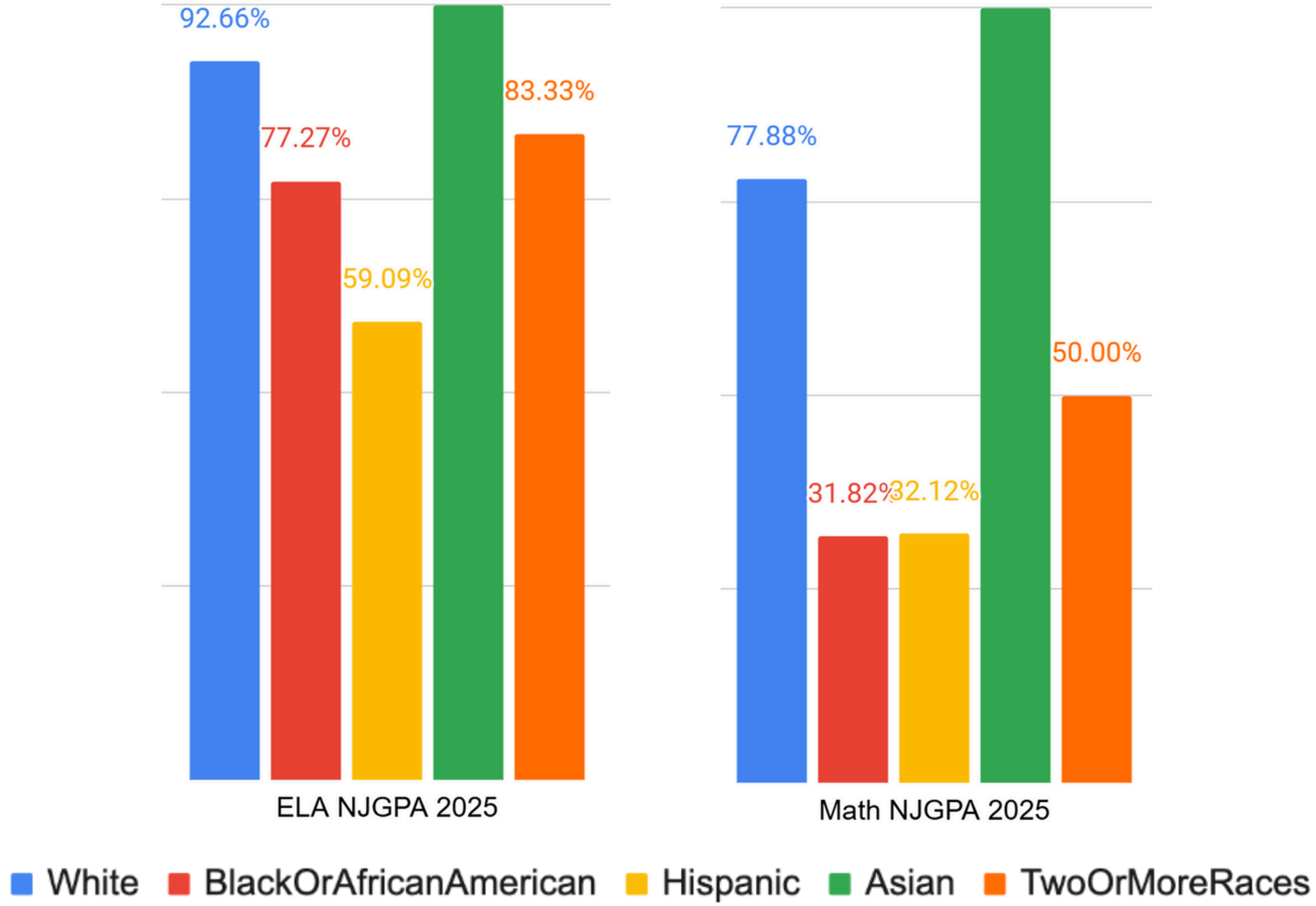


Change from 2024 to 2025	
ELA Level 2	+0.3
Math Level 2	+3.9

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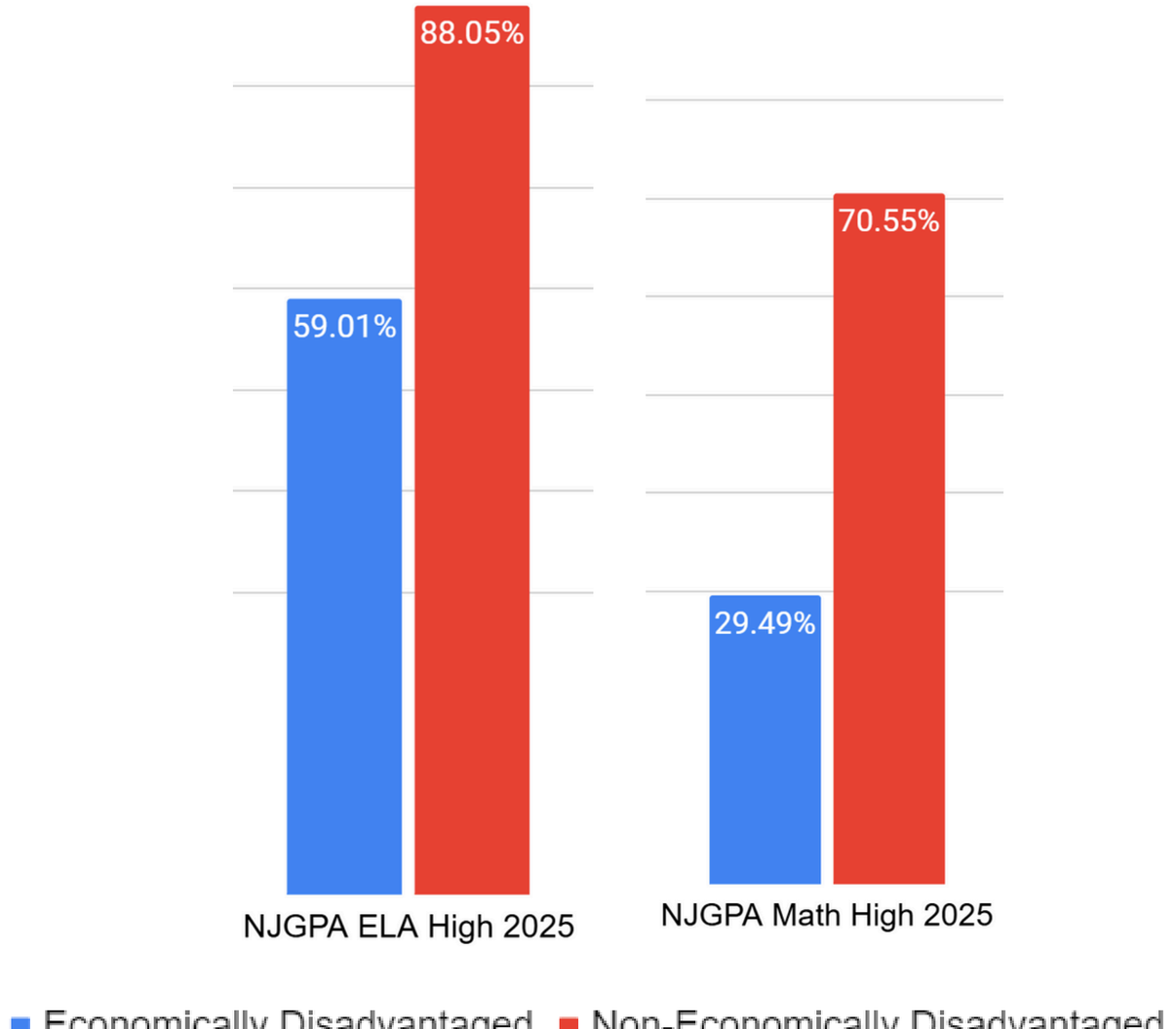
Performance of Race/Ethnicity Subgroups

Percentage Graduation Ready NJGPA



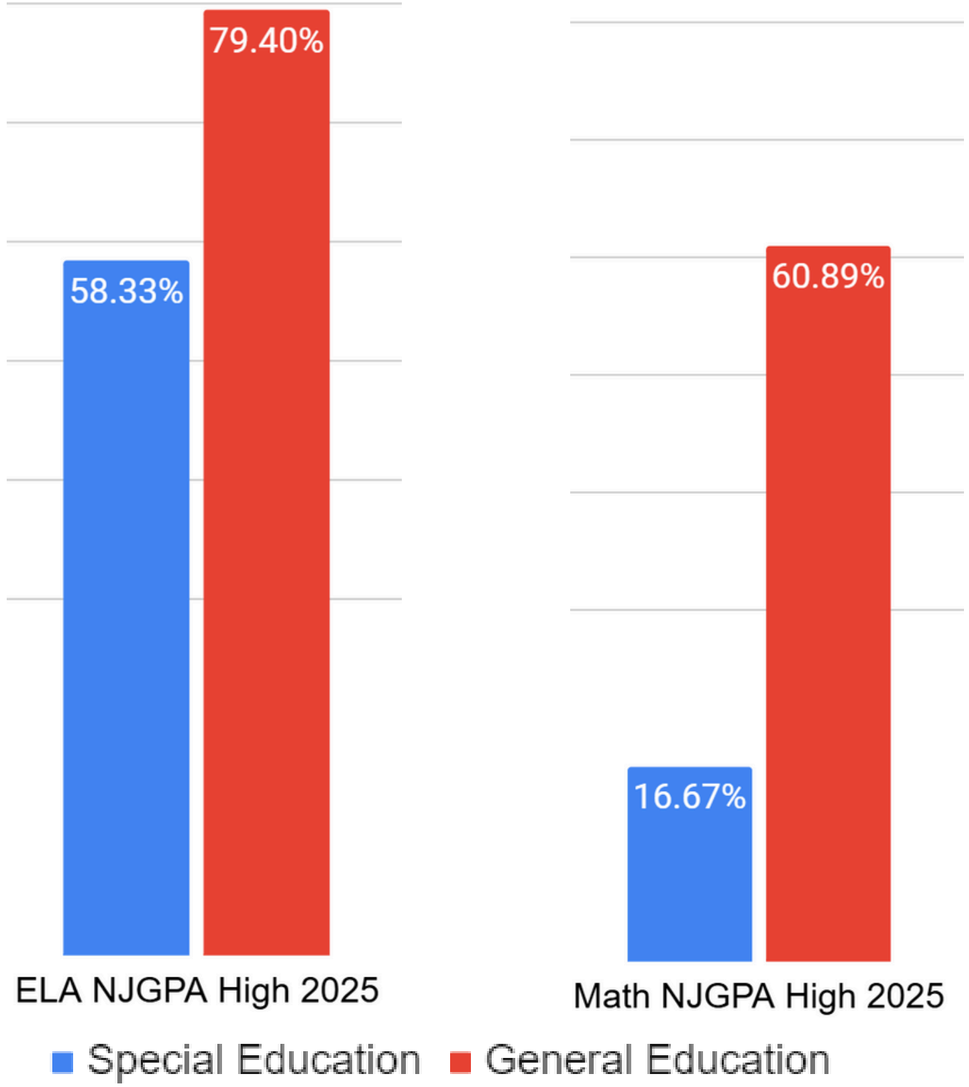
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Performance of Economically Disadvantaged Percentage Graduation Ready NJGPA



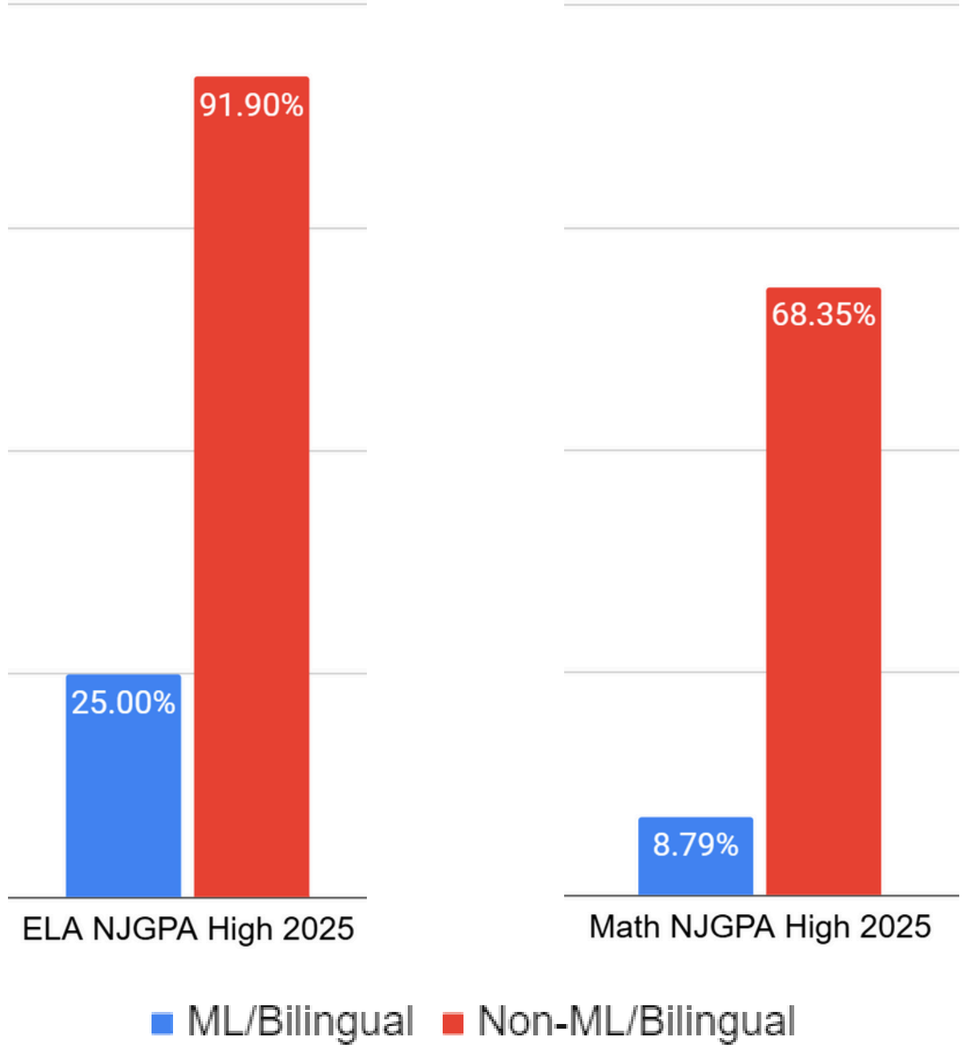
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Performance of Special Education Students Percentage Graduation Ready NJGPA



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Performance of Multi-Lingual/ Bilingual Students Percentage Graduation Ready NJGPA

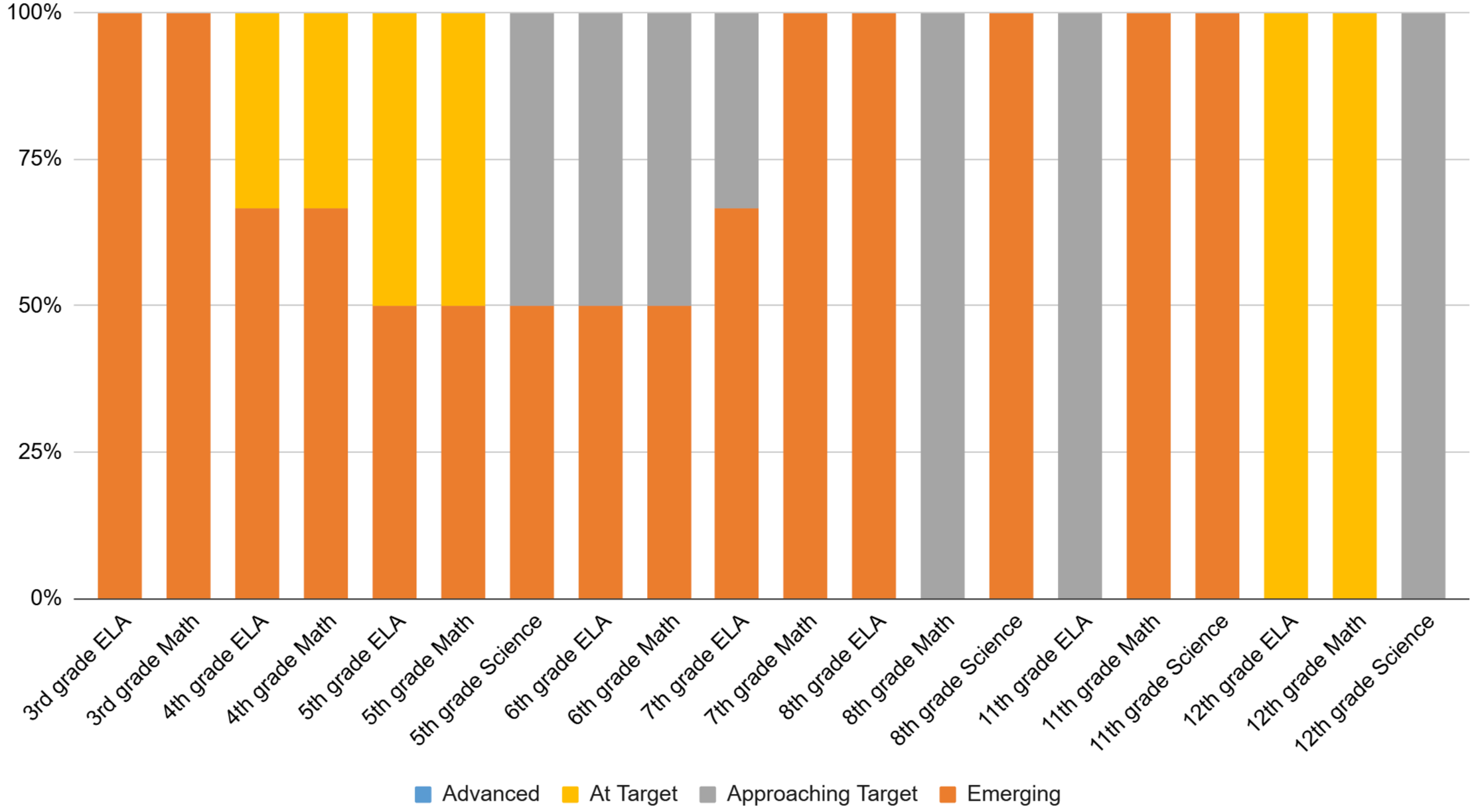


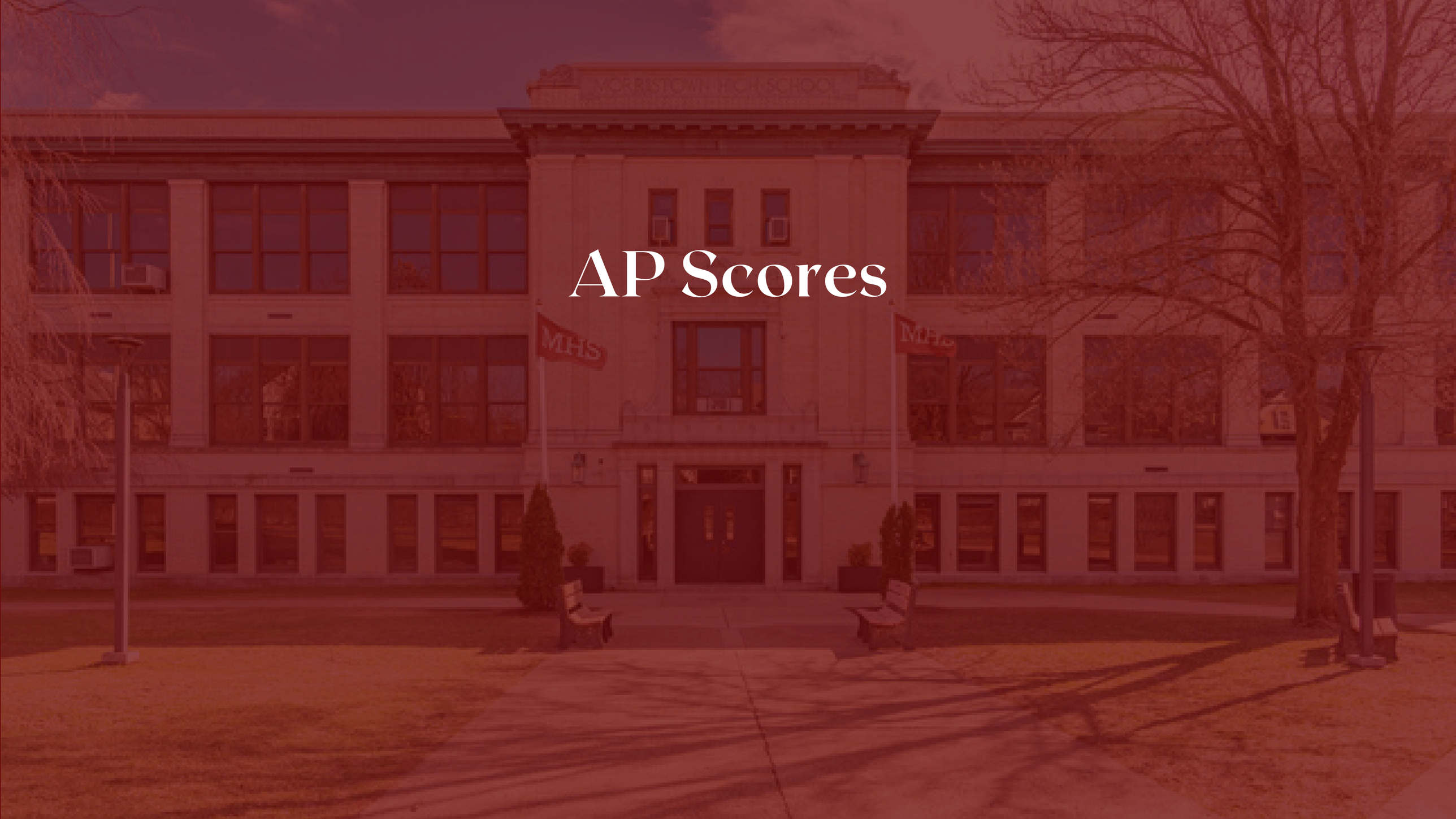
HOW WILL THE DATA BE USED?
NJ Graduation Proficiency Assessment (NJGPA)

- ELA and Social Studies Content Area Department Meetings to share NJGPA results and form a plan that supports student progress.
- Grades 10-11 articulation to align instructional plans and assessments consistent with the NJGPA results.
- Evidence Statement Analysis by grade level to inform planning and assessment tailored to NJGPA performance.
- Align select classroom assessments to the NJGPA based on the results.

Dynamic Learning Maps
DLM

Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM)





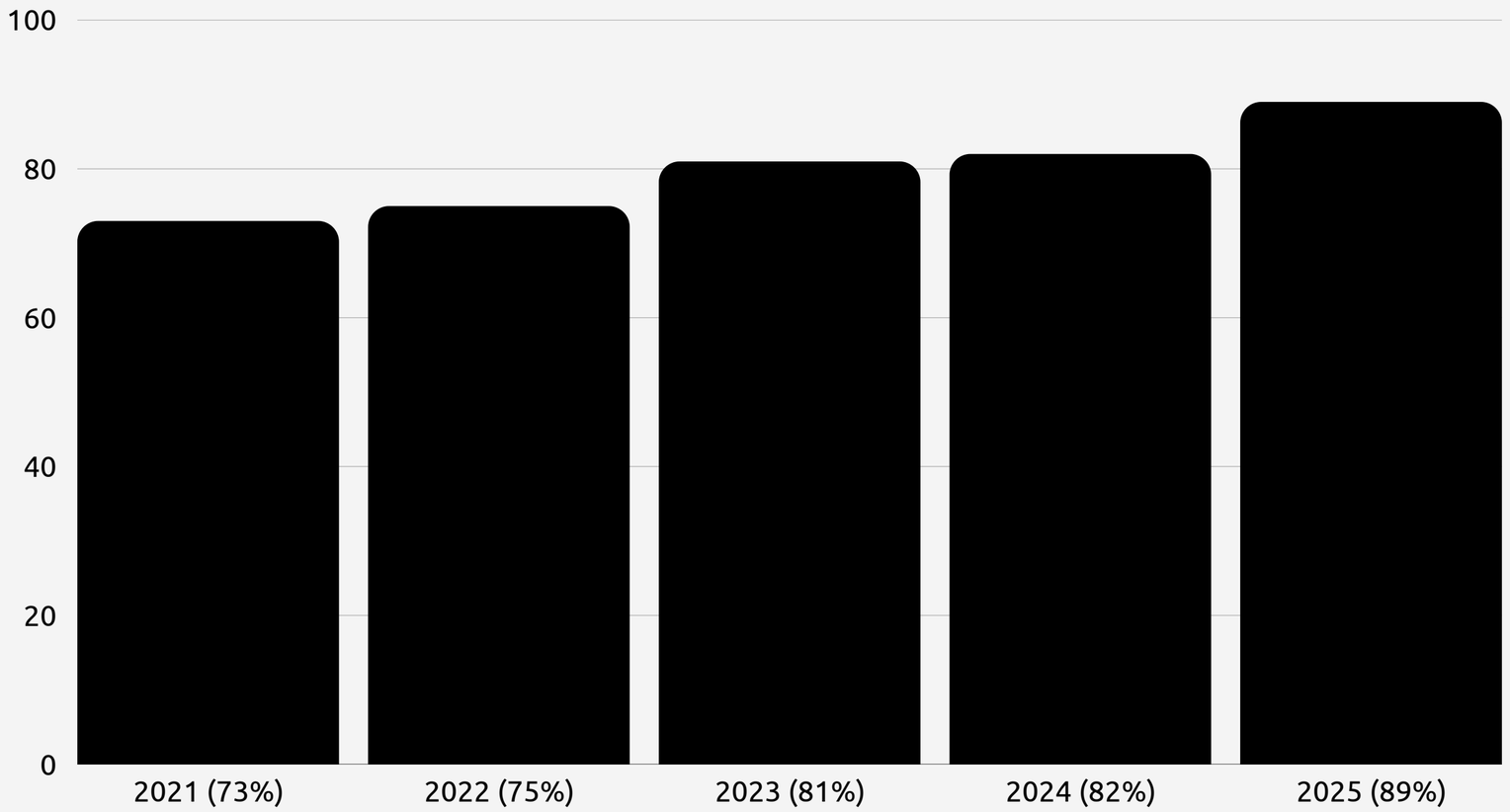
AP Scores



VISION

Increase access to and participation in AP courses at Morristown High School by removing barriers such as isolation and affordability, while providing consistent support to ensure success for all students.

FIVE YEAR SUMMARY



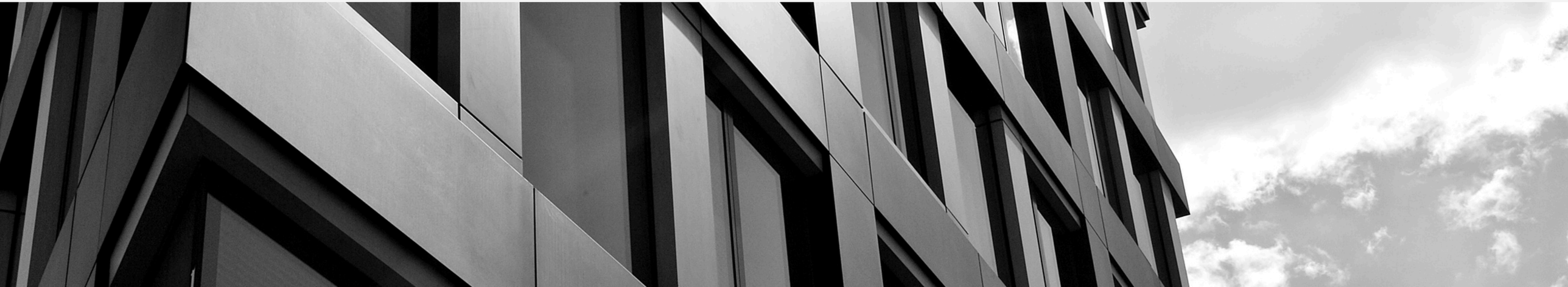
This represents the percentage of students who achieved a score of 3 or above on AP examinations between 2021 and 2025

AP PARTICIPATION 5 YEAR SCHOOL SUMMARY

	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Total AP Students	389	363	384	450	536
Number of Exams	784	725	783	888	1,028
AP Students with Scores 3+	284	273	311	371	479
% of Total AP Students with 3+	73.01%	75.21&	80.99%	82.44%	89.37%

SCORE DATA
5 YEAR SUMMARY BY SUBJECT

TOTAL EXAM/MEAN SCORE



SCIENCE

Subject	Summary Data	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Biology	Total Exams/Mean Score	38/ 3.61	28/3.82	38/3.08	38/3.63	54/3.46
Chemistry	Total Exams/Mean Score	25/3.80	9/4.44	12/4.17	10/3.80	21/4.05
Environmental Science	Total Exams/Mean Score	4/3.5	24/4.46	16/3.06	29/3.17	31/3.35
Physics 1	Total Exam/Mean Score	36/2.5	38/2.79	42/2.76	38/2.53	41/3.27
Physics C: E&M	Total Exam/Mean Score	19/2.79	16/3.63	14/3.07	14/3.57	10/1.9
Physics C: Mechanics	Total Exam/Mean Score	31/3.29	28/3.75	40/2.95	28/3.43	24/2.71

WORLD LANGUAGE

	Summary Data	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Chinese Lang	Total Exam/Mean Score	3/3.67	2/2.5	2/3.0	2/3.5	2/4.5
French	Total Exams/Mean Score	28/2.68	10/2.80	12/2.25	5/3.0	8/2.5
Italian	Total Exams/Mean Score	11/3.36	9/2.78	5/3.80	8/2.13	9/3.44
Spanish Lang	Total Exam/Mean Score	39/3.03	39/3.23	43/3.26	47/3.32	69/3.62
Spanish Lit	Total Exam/Mean Score	4/2.5	6/2.17	9/2.67	8/2.0	22/2.23

HISTORY

	Summary Data	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
African American Studies	Total Exam/Mean Score	NA	NA	NA	20/4.25	16/4.44
European History	Total Exam/Mean Score	7/3.57	6/4.0	12/3.67	8/3.38	11/3.45
Human Geography	Total Exams/Mean Score	18/2.78	8/3.5	12/3.83	5/4.0	27/4.04
Psychology	Total Exams/Mean Score	40/2.78	31/3.61	39/3.79	56/3.18	50/3.54
US History	Total Exam/Mean Score	109/3.08	119/2.85	87/3.16	117/3.55	82/3.87
Government & Pol	Total Exam/Mean Score	21/2.71	16/2.56	21/3.0	16/3.56	25/3.64

ENGLISH

	Summary Data	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
English Lang	Total Exam/Mean Score	111/3.52	94/3.44	81/3.52	75/3.45	109/3.77
English Lit	Total Exams/Mean Score	28/2.68	10/2.80	12/2.25	5/3.0	8/2.5
Research	Total Exam/Mean Score	NA	NA	NA	NA	18/3.56
Seminar	Total Exams/Mean Score	NA	NA	NA	63/3.63	67/3.79

MATHEMATICS

	Summary Data	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Calculus AB	Total Exam/Mean Score	46/2.98	64/2.86	60/2.75	60/2.87	56/3.13
Calculus BC	Total Exams/Mean Score	31/4.0	16/4.31	21/4.52	22/4.41	21/4.43
Computer Sci A	Total Exams/Mean Score	9/4.0	15/4.13	18/4.06	17/2.65	6/4.5
Computer Sci Principles	Total Exam/Mean Score	26/3.73	22/3.23	25/3.64	22/3.23	26/3.88
Statistics	Total Exam/Mean Score	47/3.23	51/3.2	61/3.23	63/3.06	66/3.18

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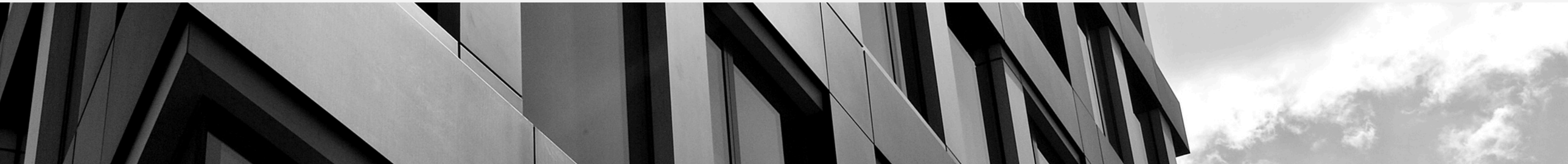
	Summary Data	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Macroeconomics	Total Exam/Mean Score	35/2.51	35/3.29	52/3.922	42/3.67	89/3.67
Microeconomics	Total Exams/Mean Score	5/3.2	7/1.71	5/2.8	9/2.44	7/2.29

ARTS

	Summary Data	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Music Theory	Total Exam/Mean Score	11/3.18	8/3.13	6/2.83	8/2.88	10/2.9
2 - D Art and Design	Total Exams/Mean Score	3/3.67	1/3.0	3/4.0	7/4.0	3/4.33

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