

# Bedford Central School District

## Student Achievement Report 2025 Presentation to Board of Education

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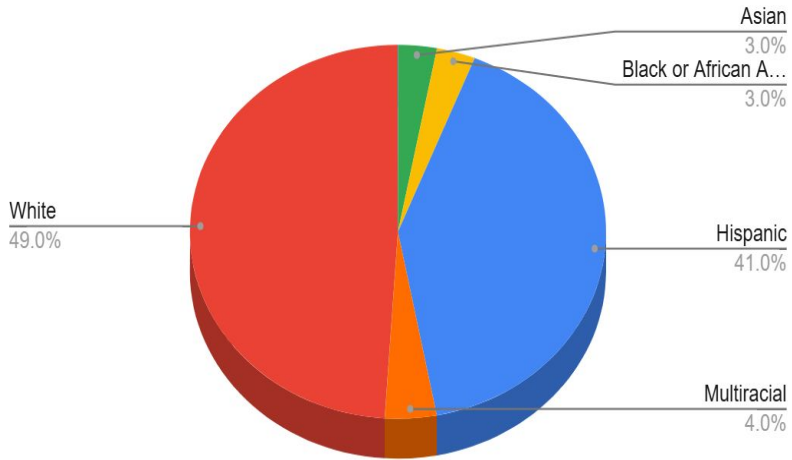


## Measuring Student Achievement

# Guiding Questions

1. Who are our students?
2. How do our students perform compared to the State, regional districts, and over time?
3. Are there subgroups of students making adequate progress?
4. What trends can we observe in student performance across subgroups and over time?
5. Are grade level cohorts making improvements from year to year?
6. How will we adjust our practices to meet student needs?

## BCSD Demographics - October 2025



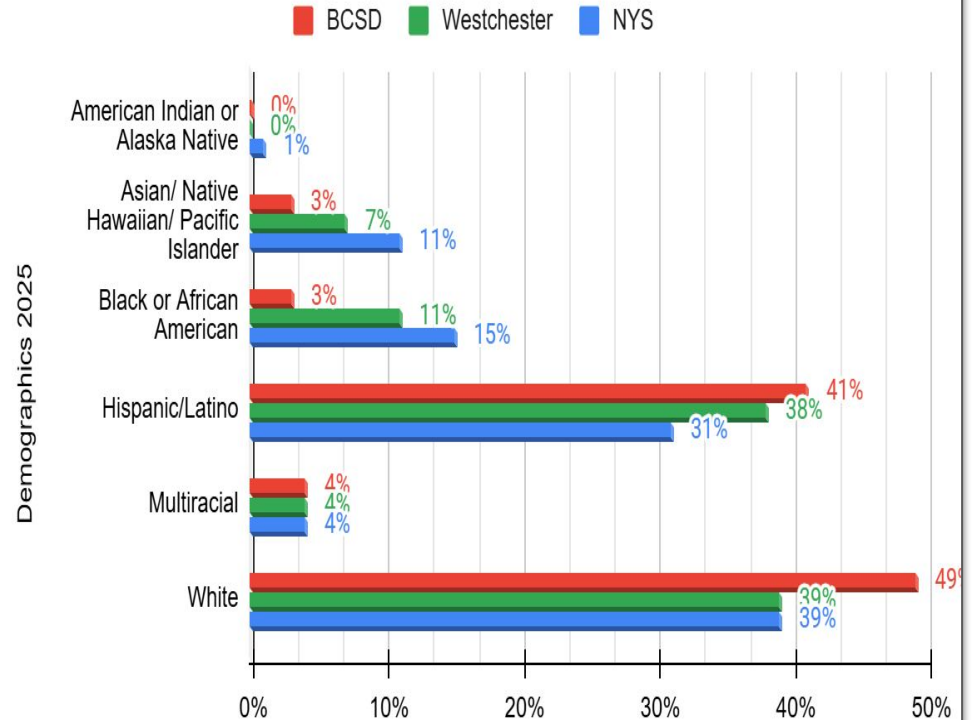
### BCSD 2025 Demographics by Ethnicity:

District Enrollment **3,483**

- White **49%**
- Hispanic or Latino **41%**
- Multiracial **4%**
- Black or African American **3%**
- Asian/ Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander **3%**

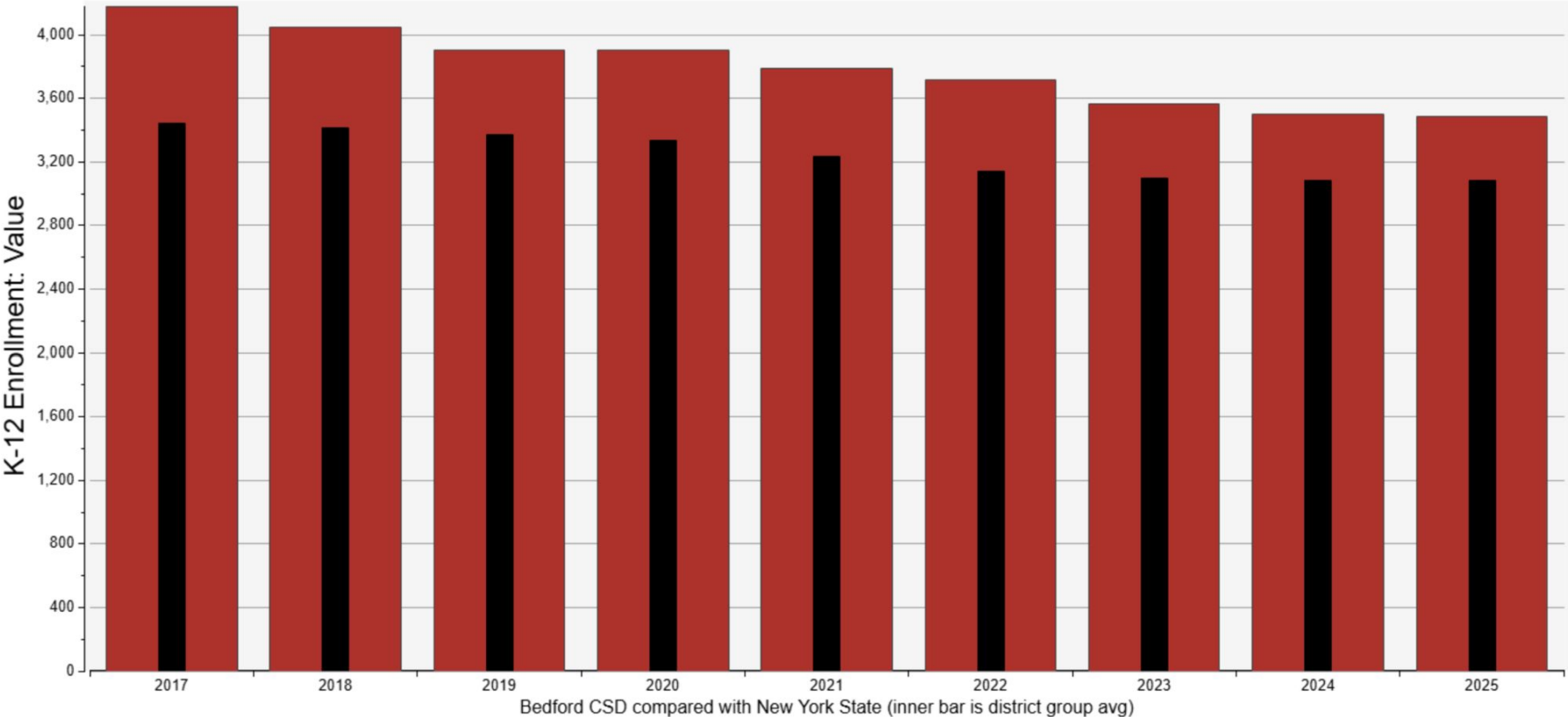
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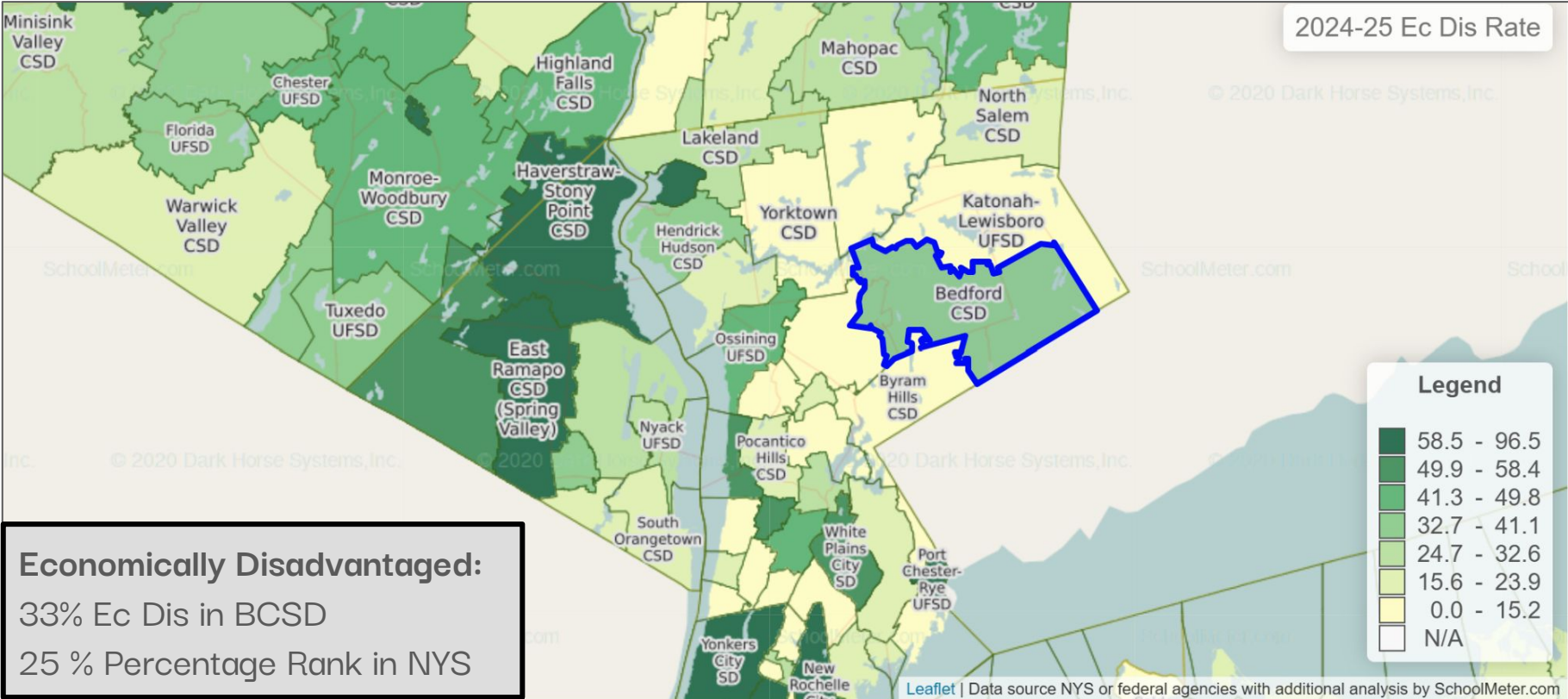


# BCSD Enrollment Trends in Comparison with NY State

K-12 Enrollment Trend



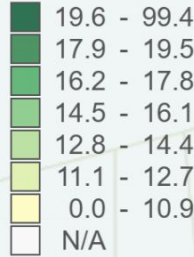
# BCSD Econ. Dis. Comparison to Region & NY State



# BCSD SWD in comparison to Region & NY State

2024-25 SWD Rate

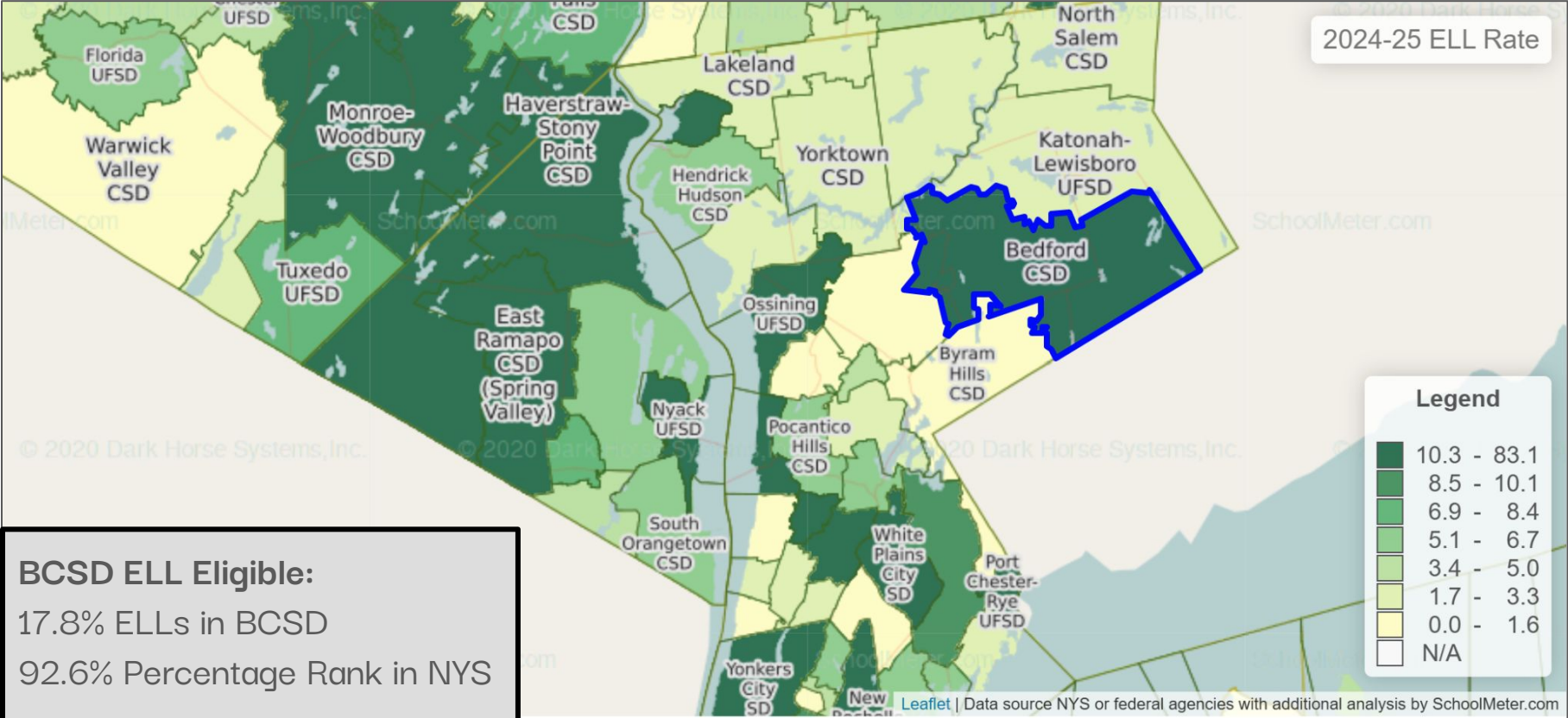
**Legend**



**BCSD Students with Disabilities:**  
 18% SWD in BCSD  
 62.8% Percentage Rank in NYS

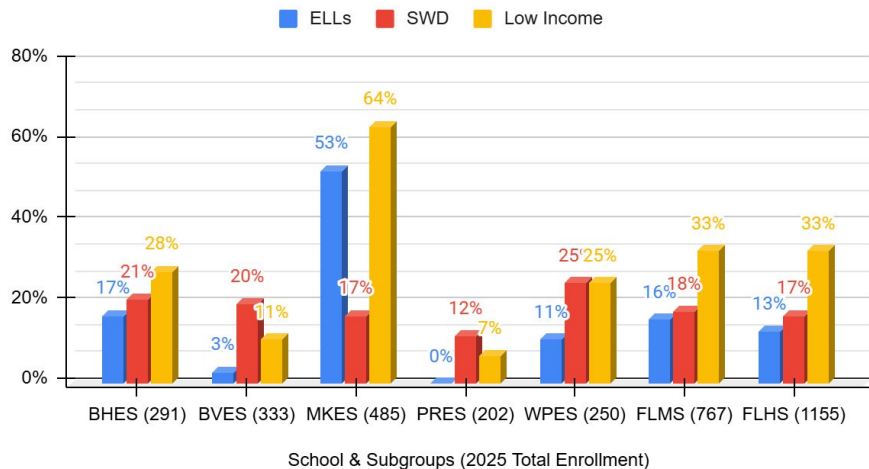
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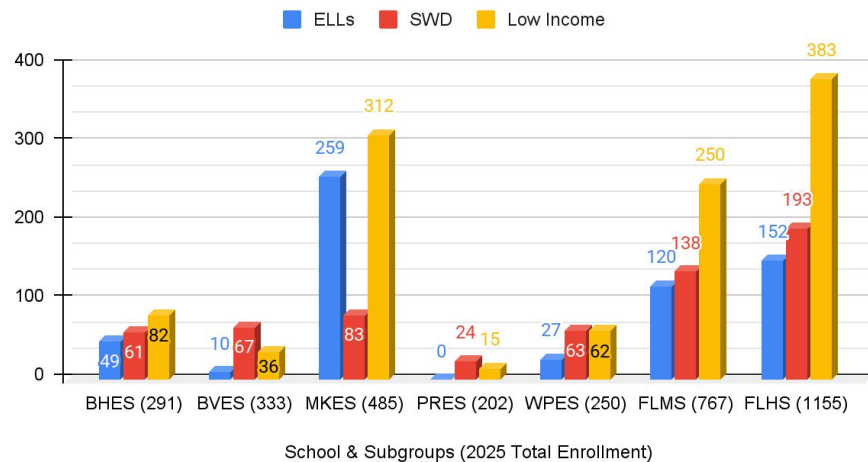


# Who Are Our BCSD Students by School?

2025 BCSD Subgroups Percentages by School



2025 BCSD Subgroups Numbers by School



Data source: NYSED website data.nysed.gov



# BCSD ~ NYS Assessments

Spring 2025

- Grades 3-8 English Language Arts
- Grades 3-8 Math Assessment
- Grade 5 NYS Science Assessment
- Grade 8 Earth Science Regents
- Grades 9-12 Regents Assessments
- Grades 9-12 AP Exams
- K-12 NYSESLAT Assessments
- 2025 FLHS Graduation Rates



# **NYS Grades 3-8 ELA Assessments Results Spring 2025**

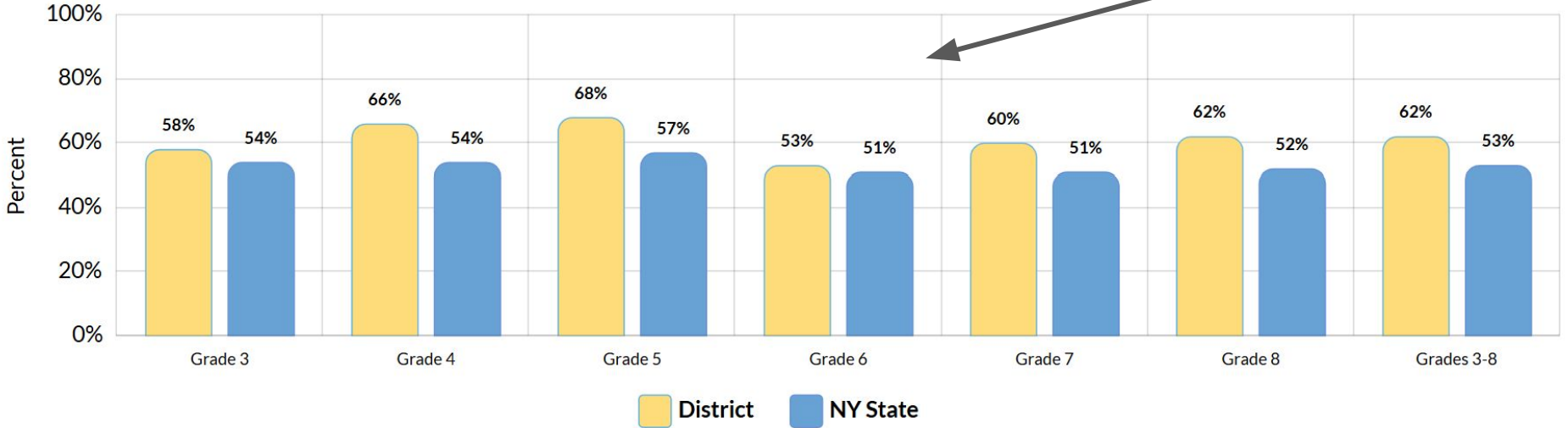


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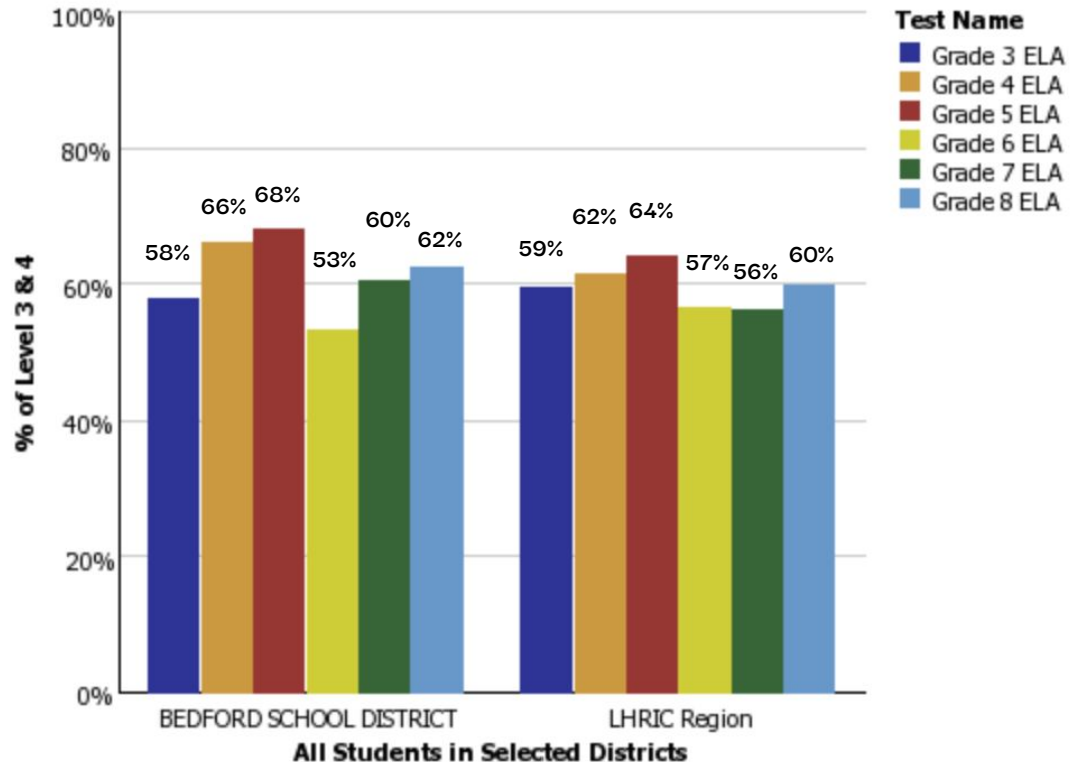
Percent Scoring Proficient by Grade



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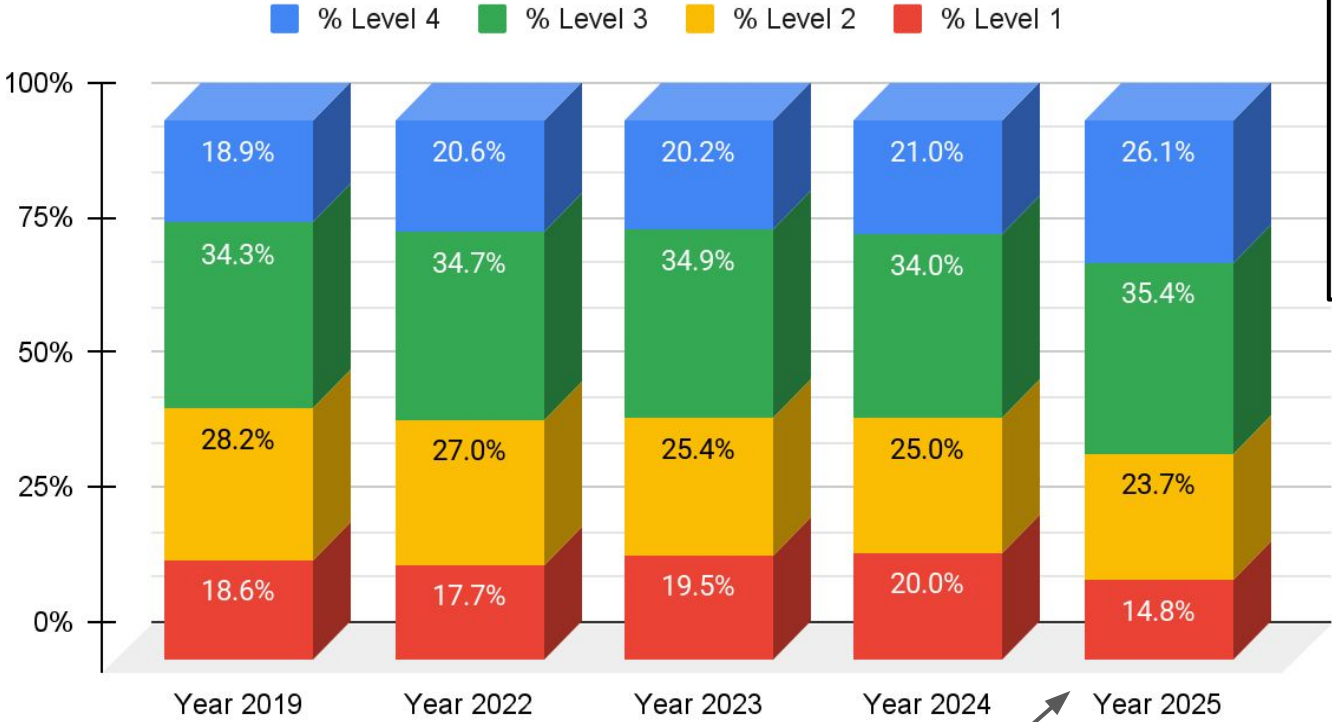
Compared with LHRIC Region (98,706 students across 59 Districts)

Grade	BCSD Comparison to LHRIC Region	
	2024	2025
Grade 3	+5%	-1%
Grade 4	+7%	+4%
Grade 5	+13%	+4%
Grade 6	+9%	-4%
Grade 7	+8%	+4%
Grade 8	+8%	+2%



# BCSD NYS Grades 3-8 ELA Summary by Level

BCSD Grades 3-8 ELA by Level (2019-2025)



**Proficiency (Levels 3&4):**  
 2019: 53.2 %  
 2022: 55.3%  
 2023: 55.1%  
 2024: 55.0%  
 2025: 61.5% **+6.5%**

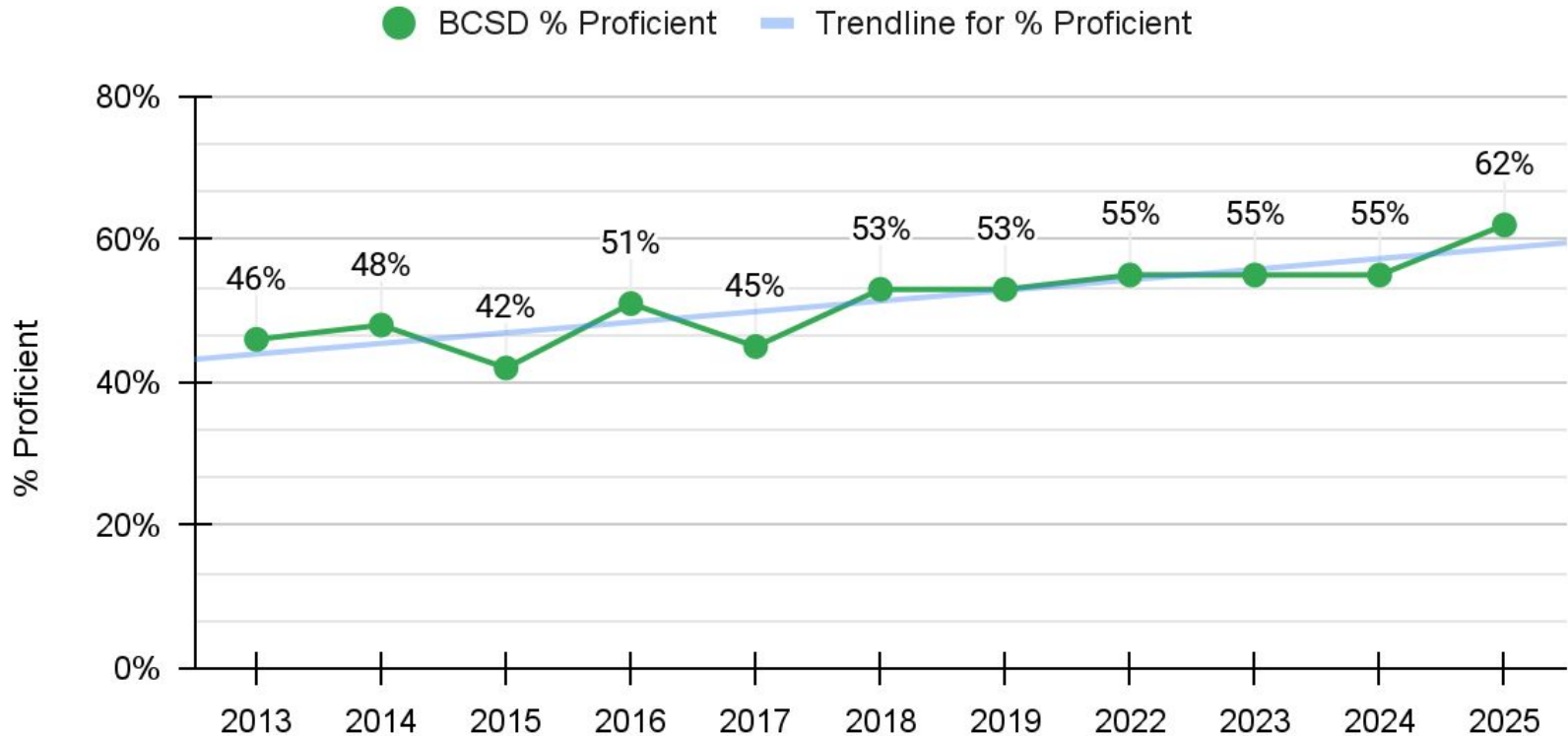
**Proficiency Levels:**

Level 4 = Exceeding NYS Standards
Level 3 = Meeting Standards
Level 2 = Partially Proficient
Level 1 = Well Below Proficient

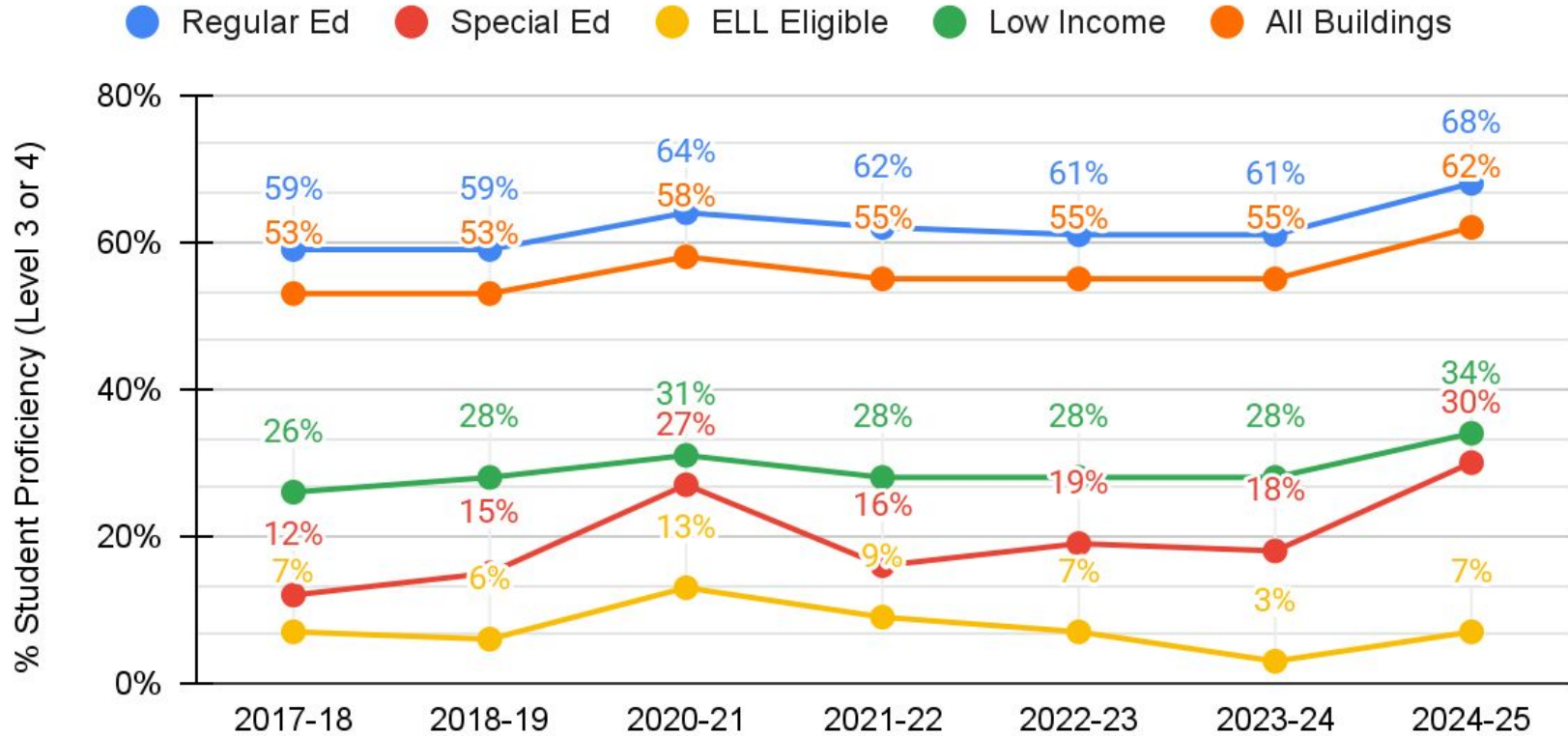
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2025: Year #1 of new K-5 curriculum implementation

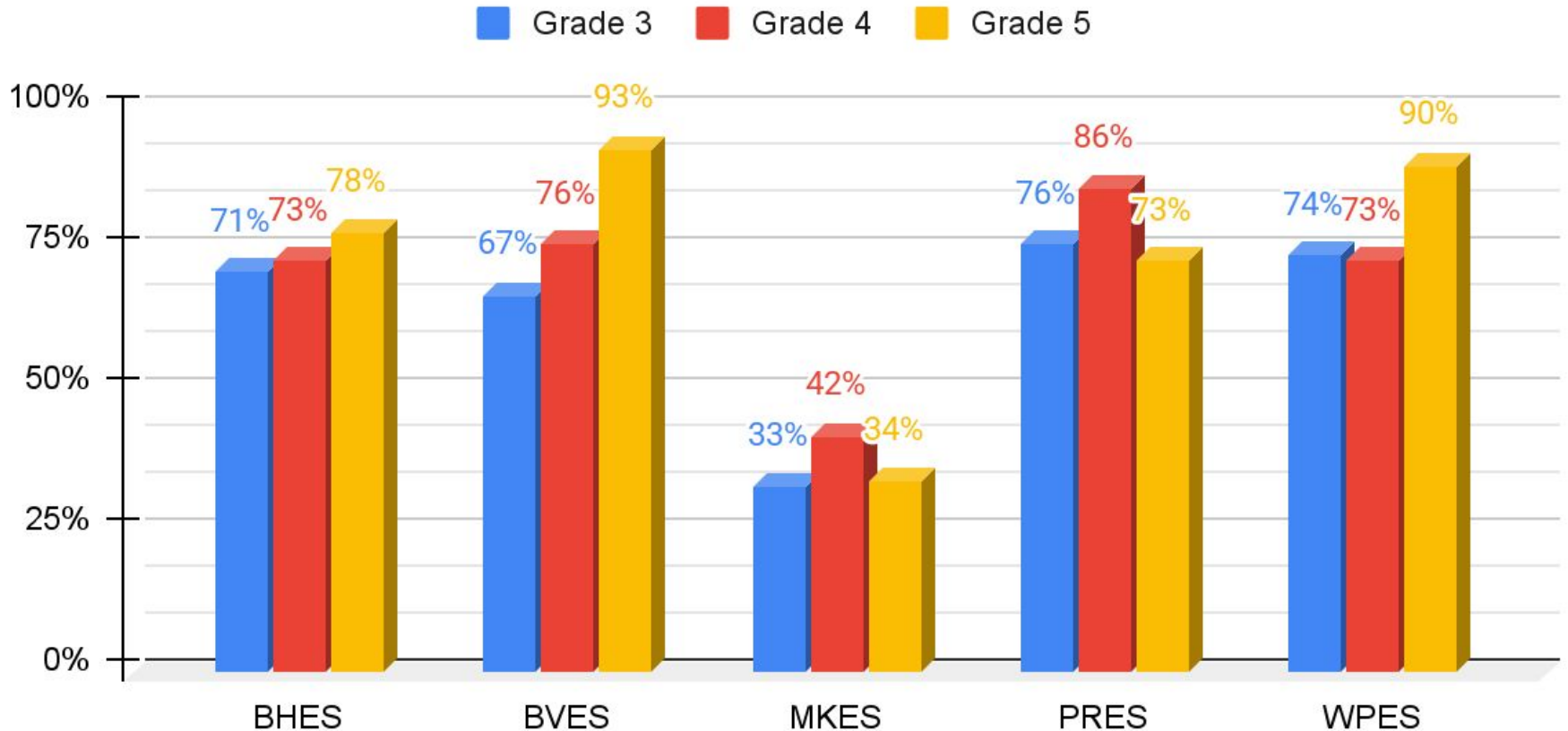
# BCSD Grades 3-8 ELA Proficiency over Time



# BCSD NYS Grades 3-8 ELA Proficiency by Subgroup

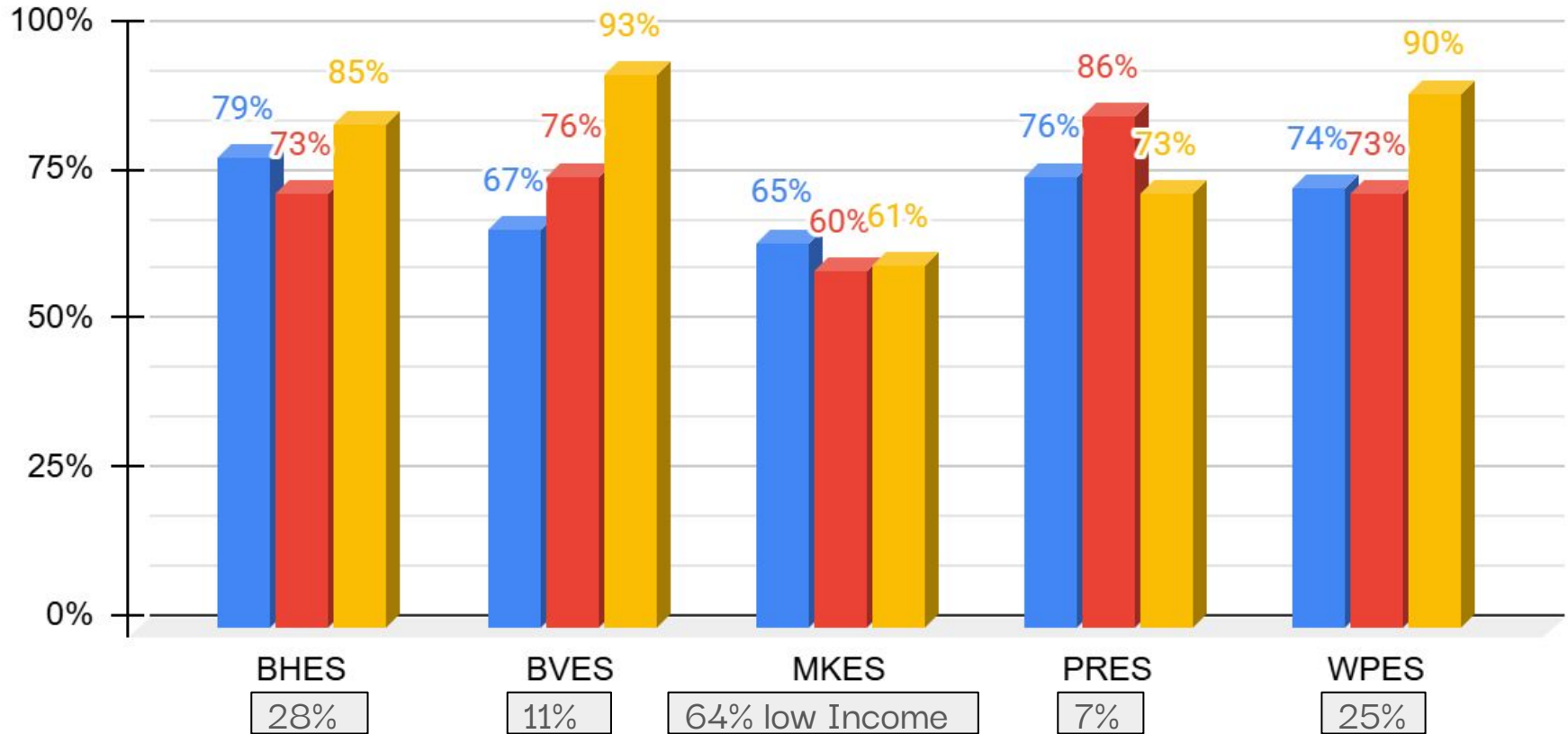


# BCSD ELA 2025 Proficiency Rates by SCHOOL



# BCSD ELA 2025 Proficiency Rates (Non-ELLs)

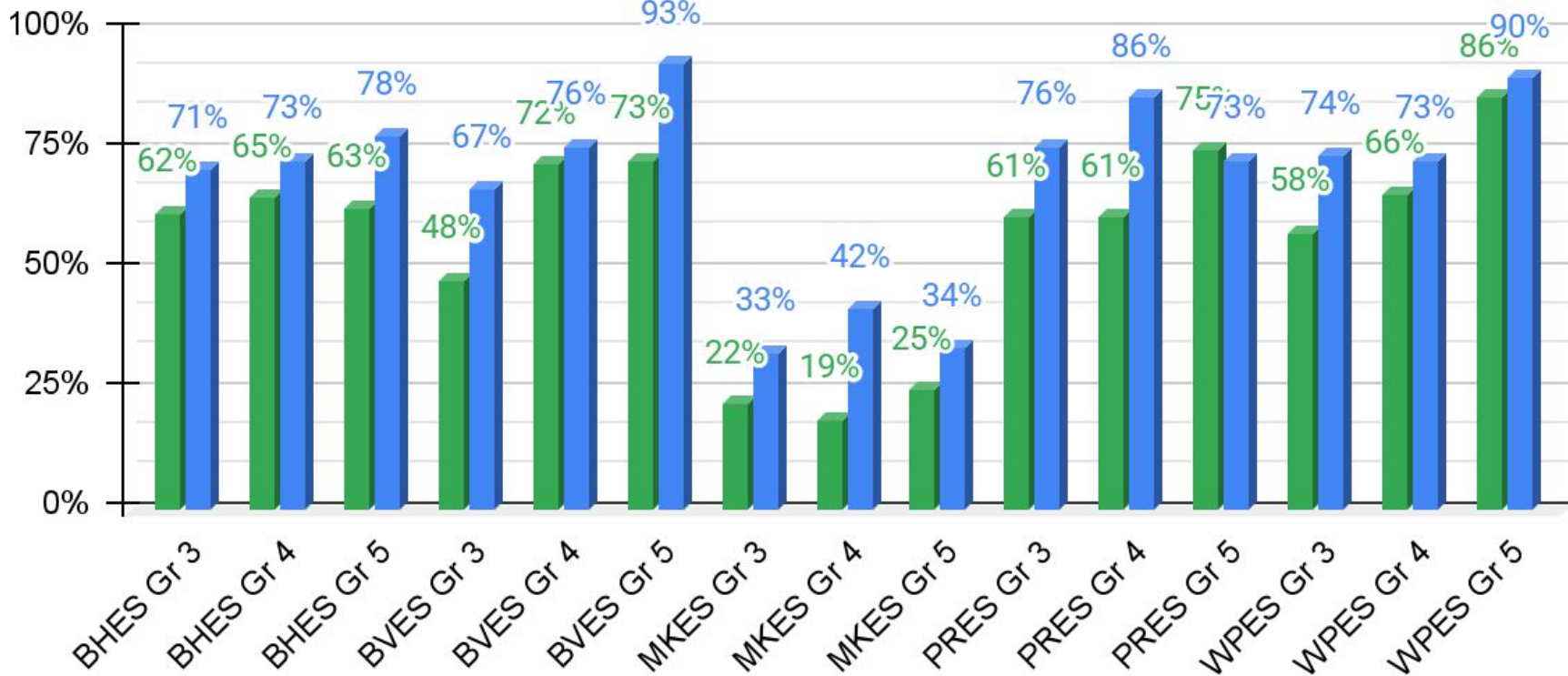
Grade 3 Grade 4 Grade 5



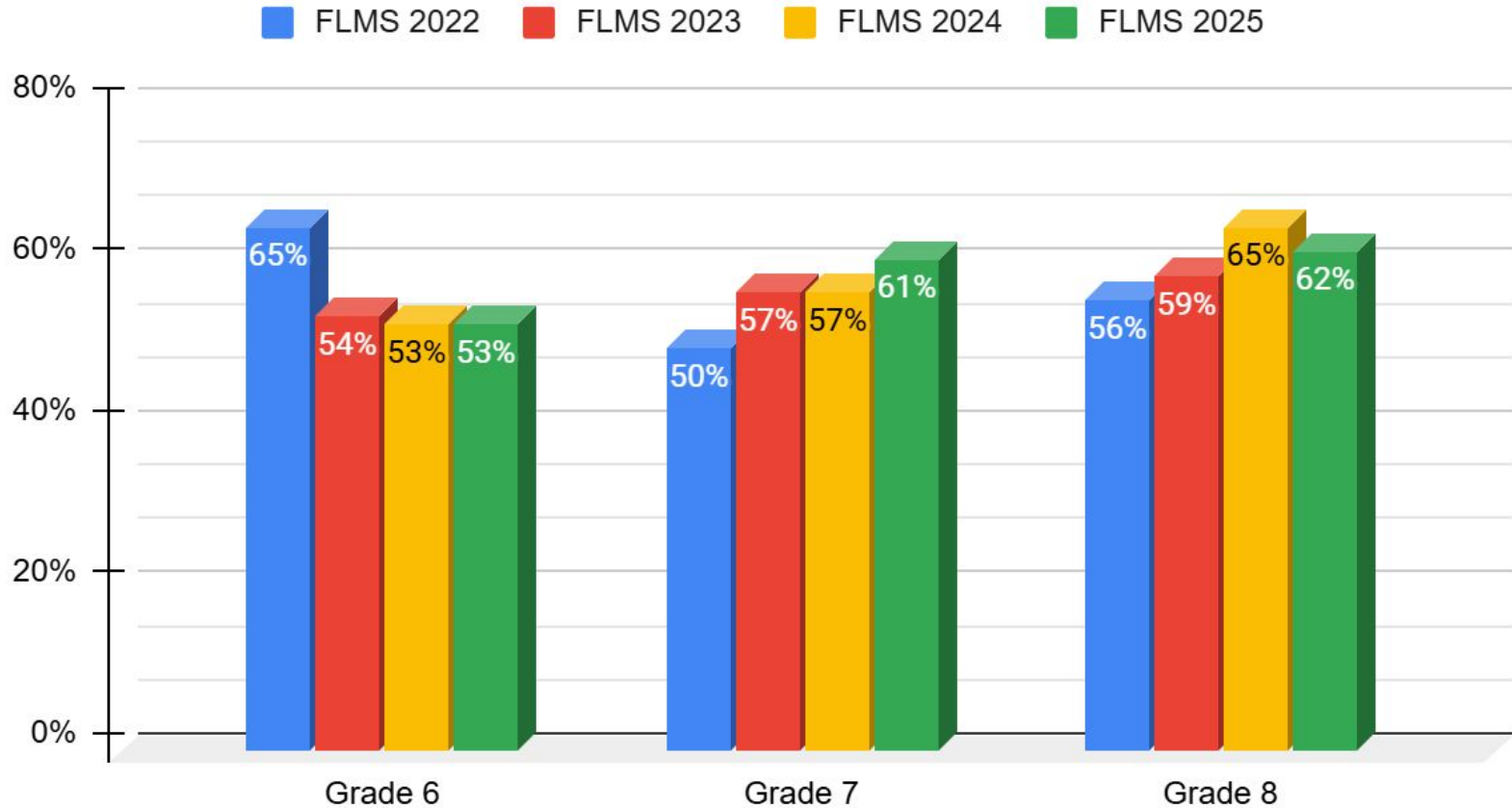
# BCSD ELA Proficiency Rates by SCHOOL & GRADE

■ ELA 2024 ■ ELA 2025

Grade level cohorts showing improvements from year to year.



# BCSD Grades 6-8 ELA Proficiency Rates (2022-2025)



# **NYS Grades 3-8**

## **MATH Assessments Results**

### **Spring 2025**

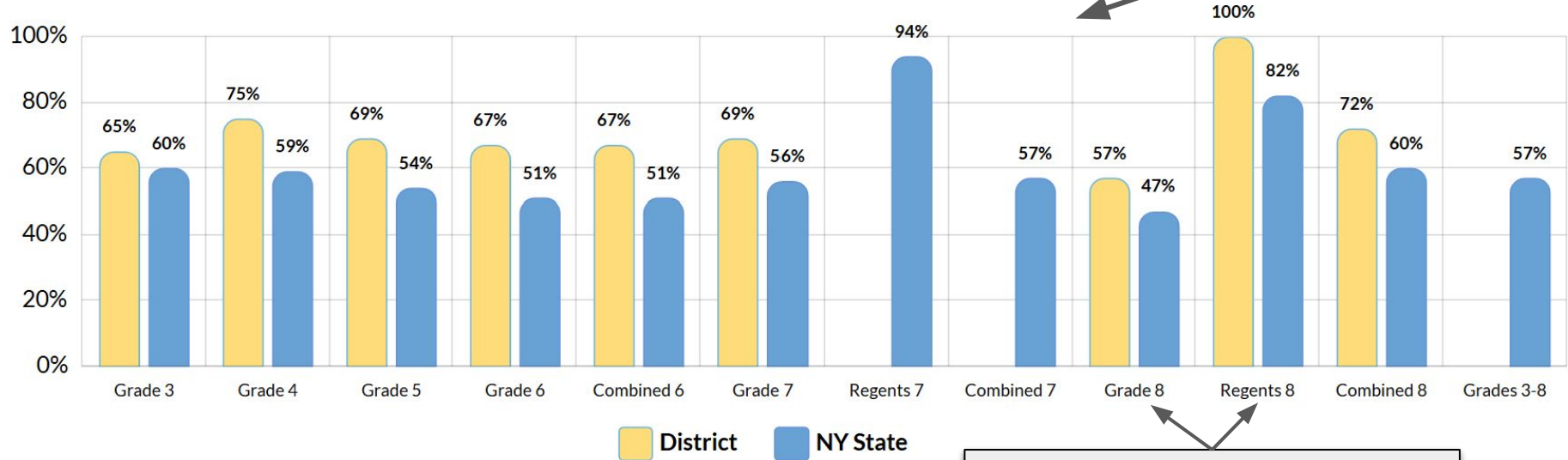


# BCSD Grades 3-8 MATH 2025 Results

## Compared with New York State

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Percent Scoring Proficient by Grade

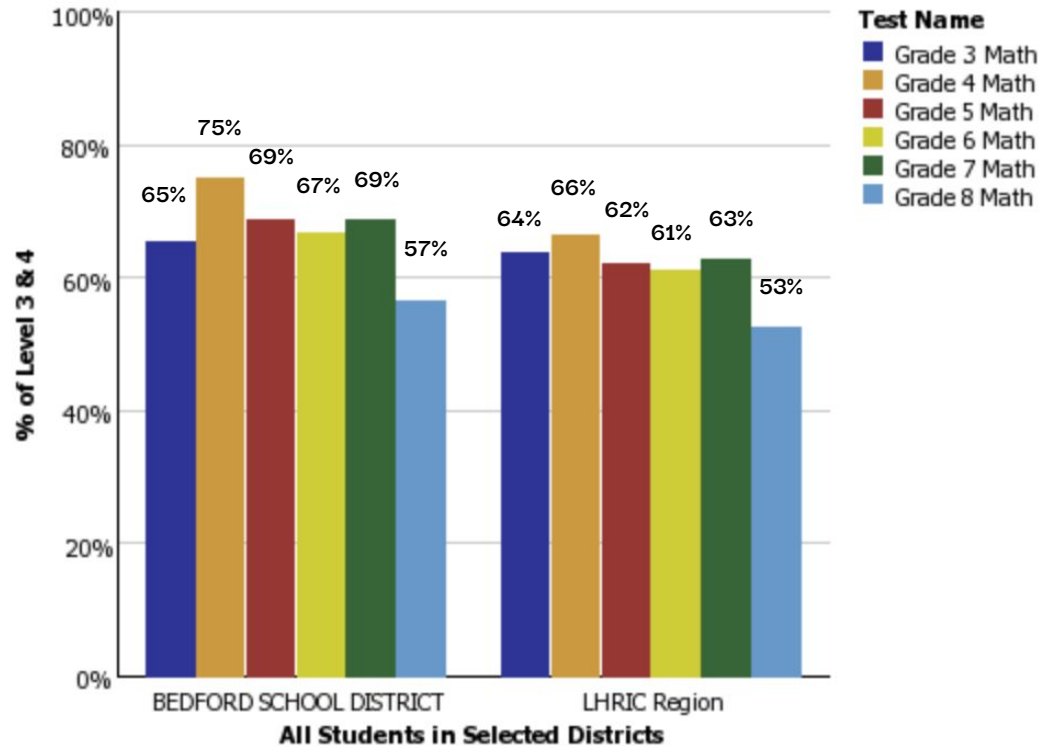


Grade 8 Total Tested = 225 students  
Grade 8 Math Test = 143 tested (64%)  
Grade 8 Algebra Regents = 82 tested (36%)

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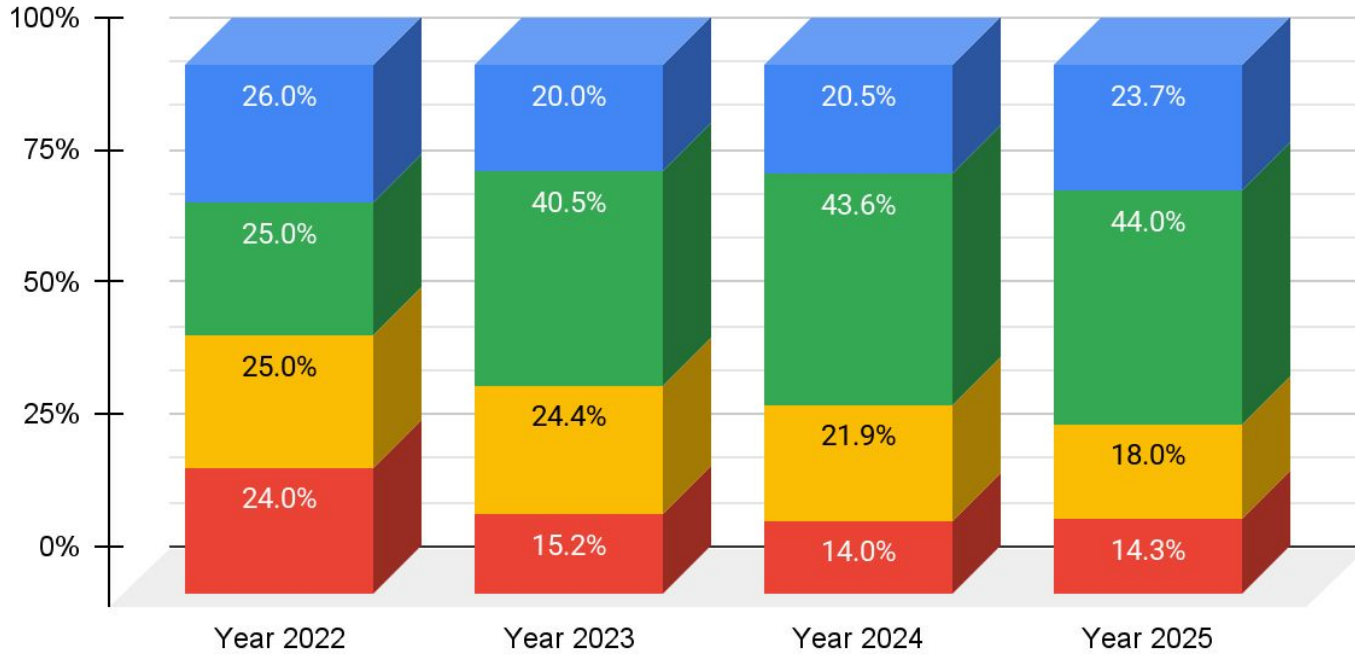
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# BCSD Grades 3-8 MATH Proficiency Rates by LEVEL (2022-2025)

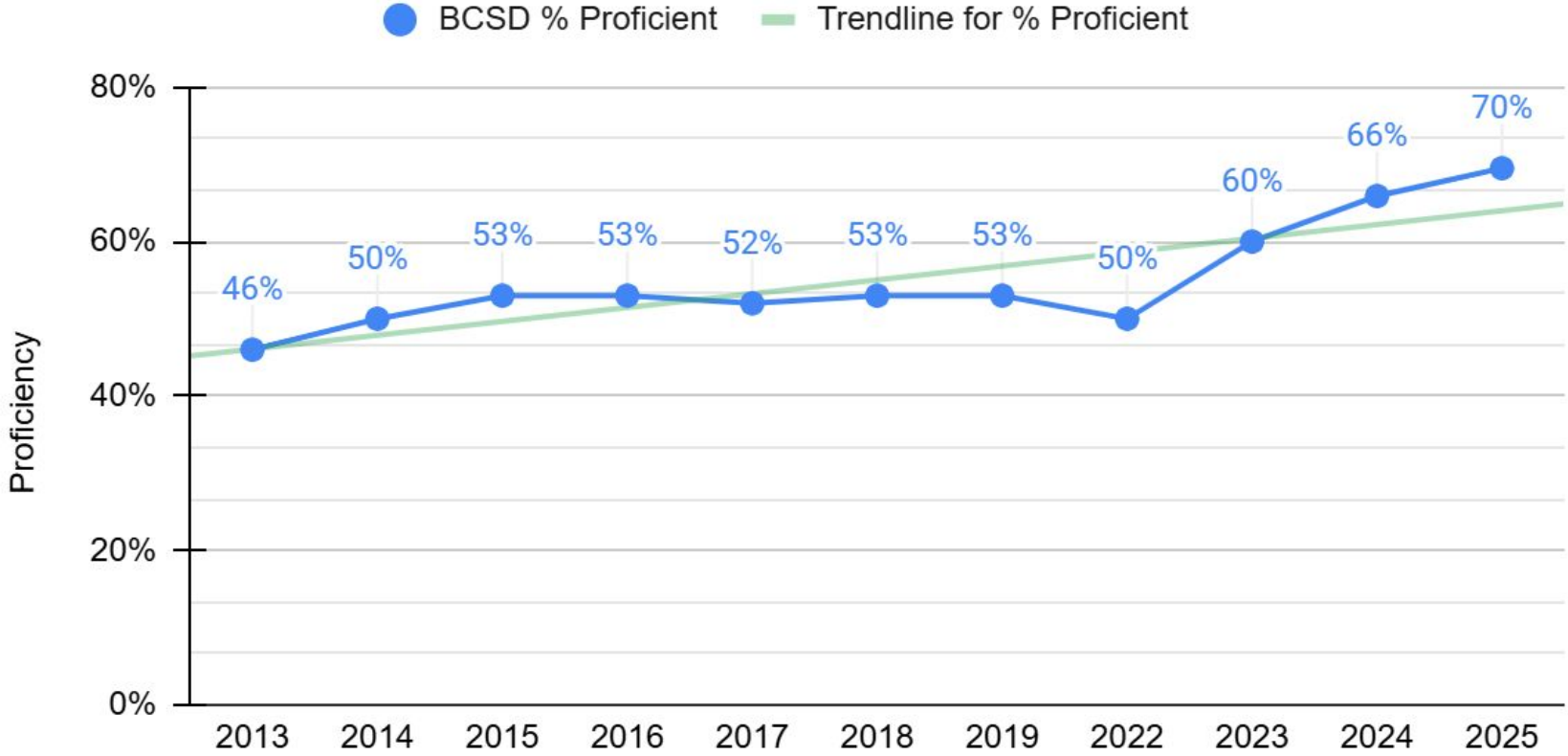
■ % Level 4   
 ■ % Level 3   
 ■ % Level 2   
 ■ % Level 1



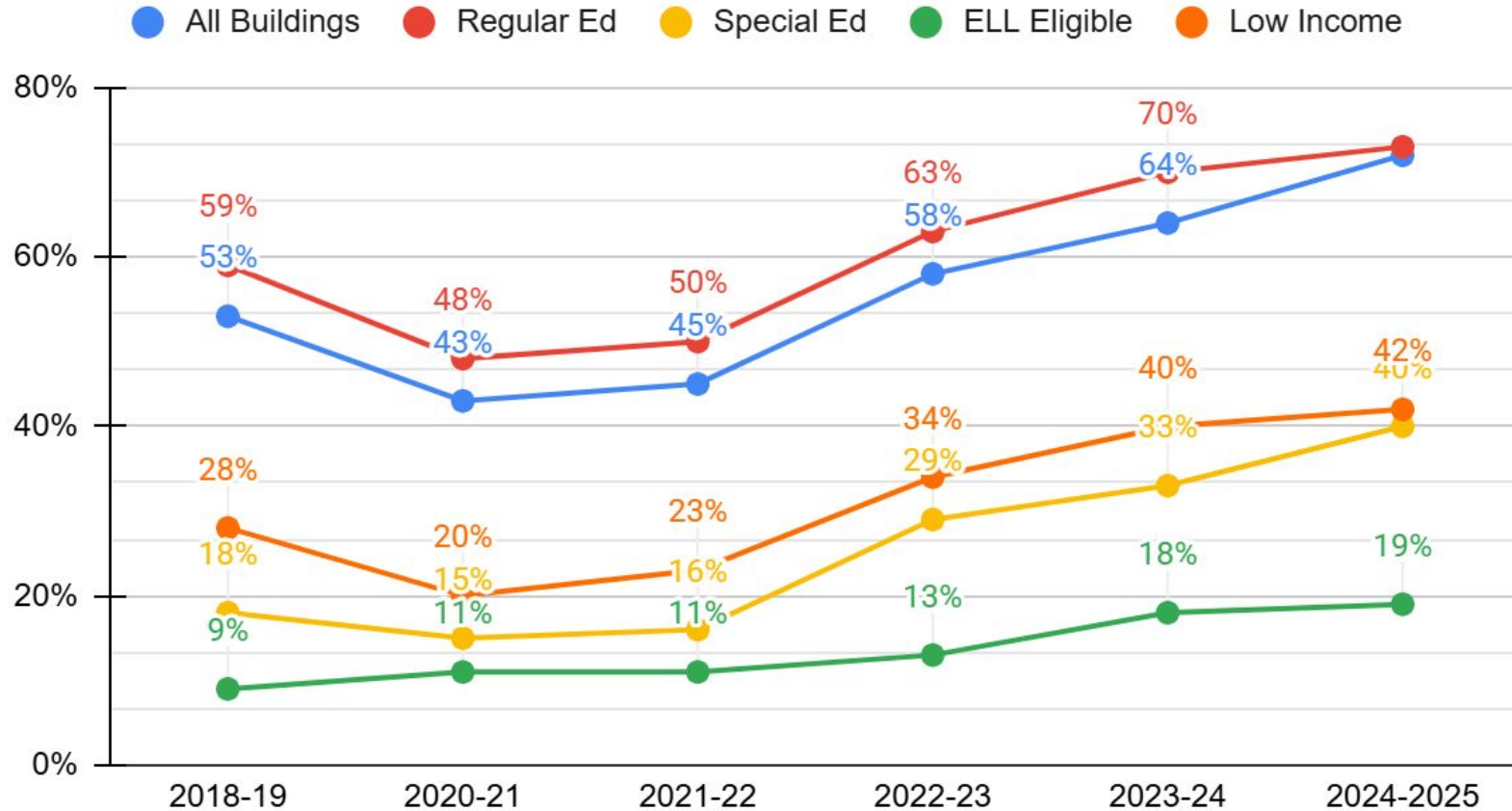
Change in Proficiency % (Levels 3 & 4)		
2022	51.0%	
2023	60.5%	<b>+9.5%</b>
2024	64.1%	<b>+3.6%</b>
2025	67.7%	<b>+3.6%</b>

Bridges Curriculum → Year #1 → Year #2 → Year #3

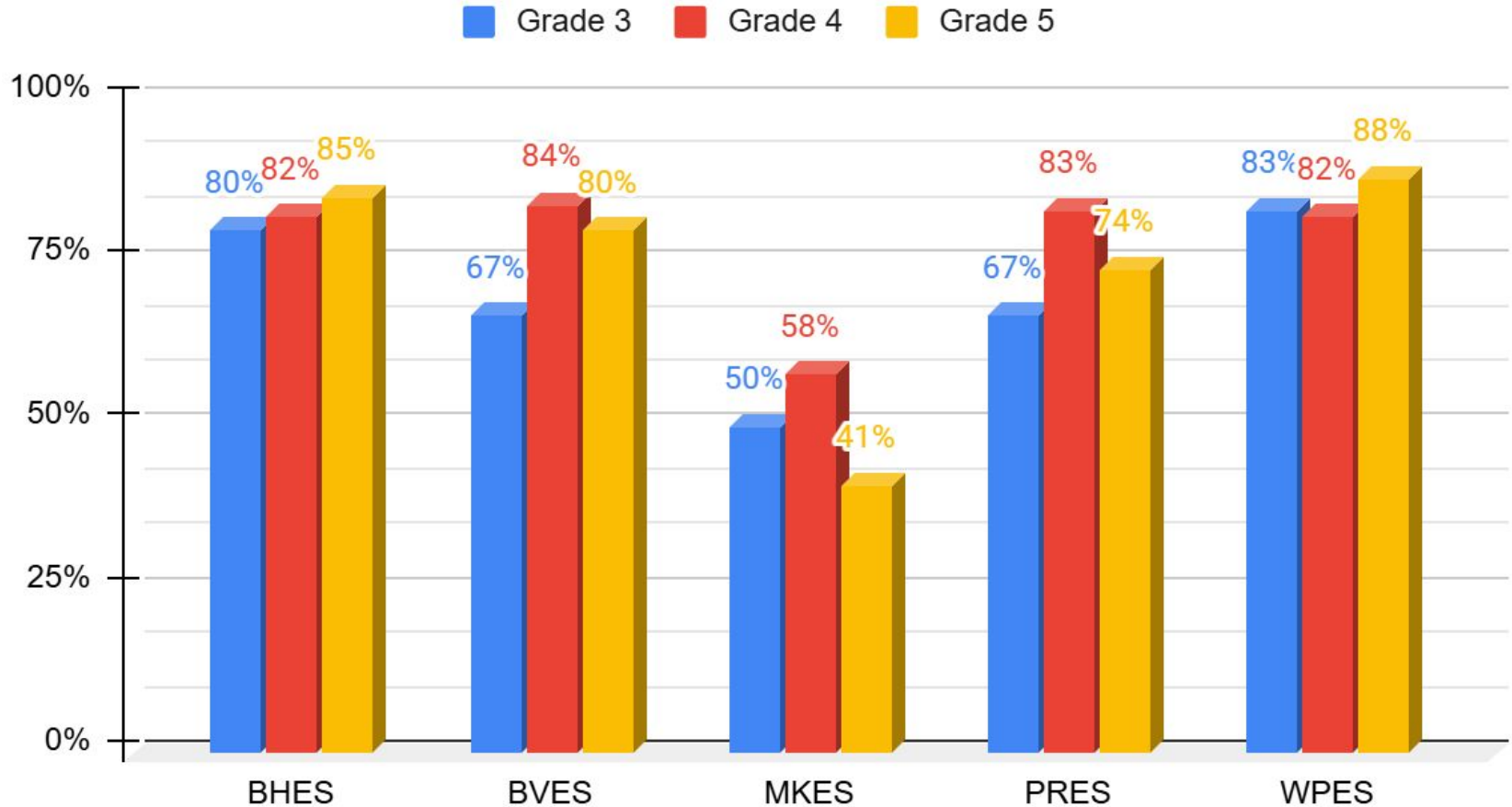
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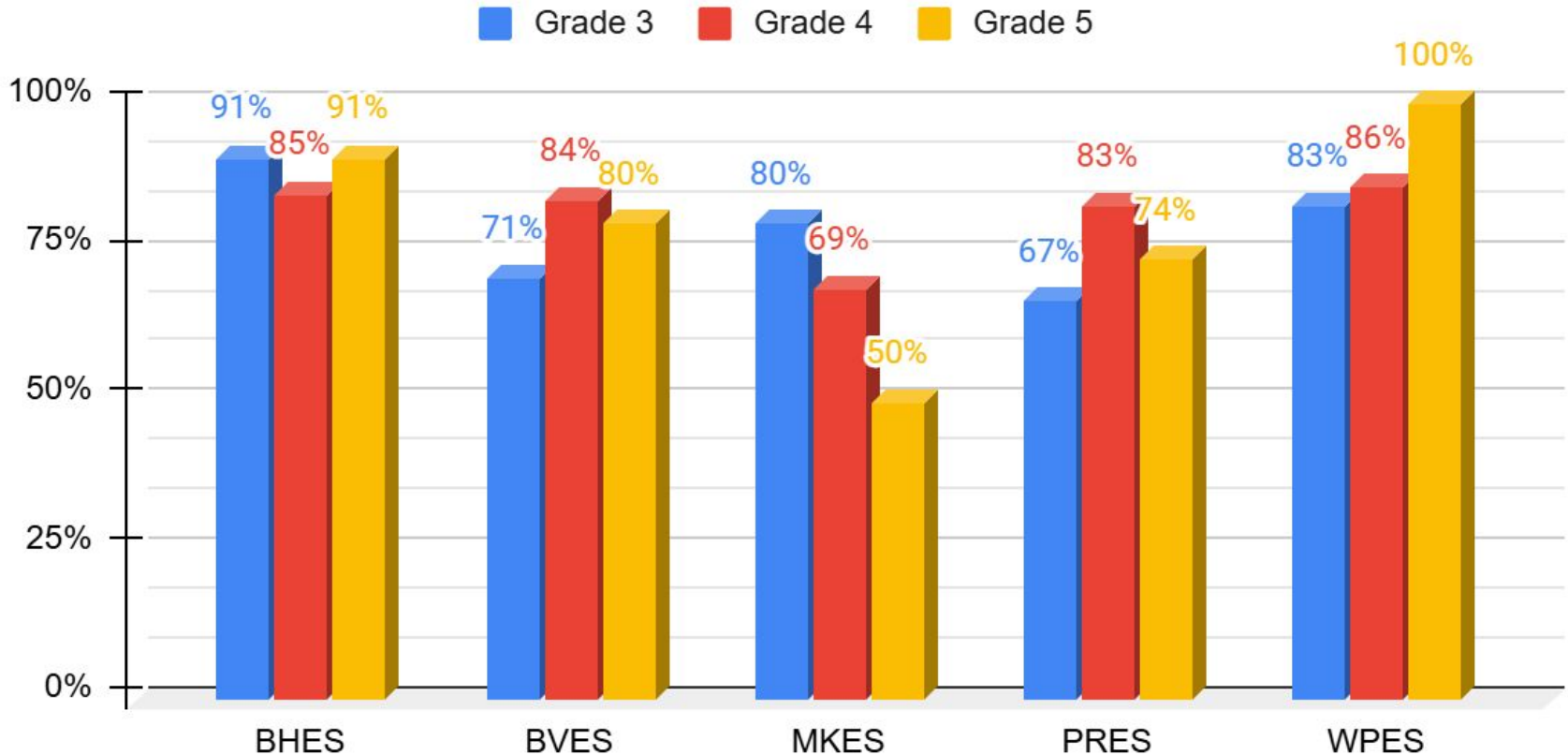
# BCSD Grades 3-8 MATH Proficiency by Subgroups Over Time



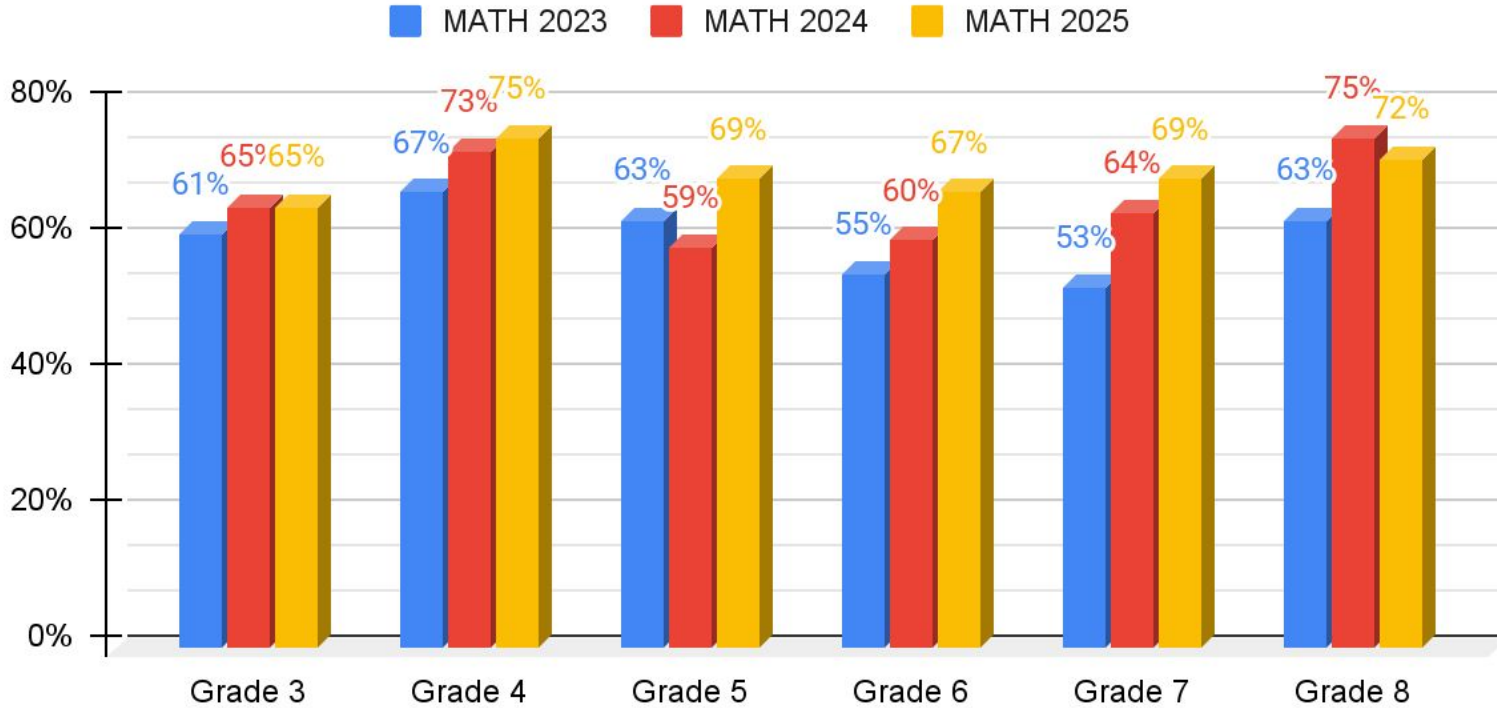
# BCSD 3-8 MATH Proficiency by SCHOOL (All Students)



# BCSD 3-8 MATH Proficiency by SCHOOL (NON-Low Income)



# BCSD Grades 3-8 MATH Proficiency Over Time

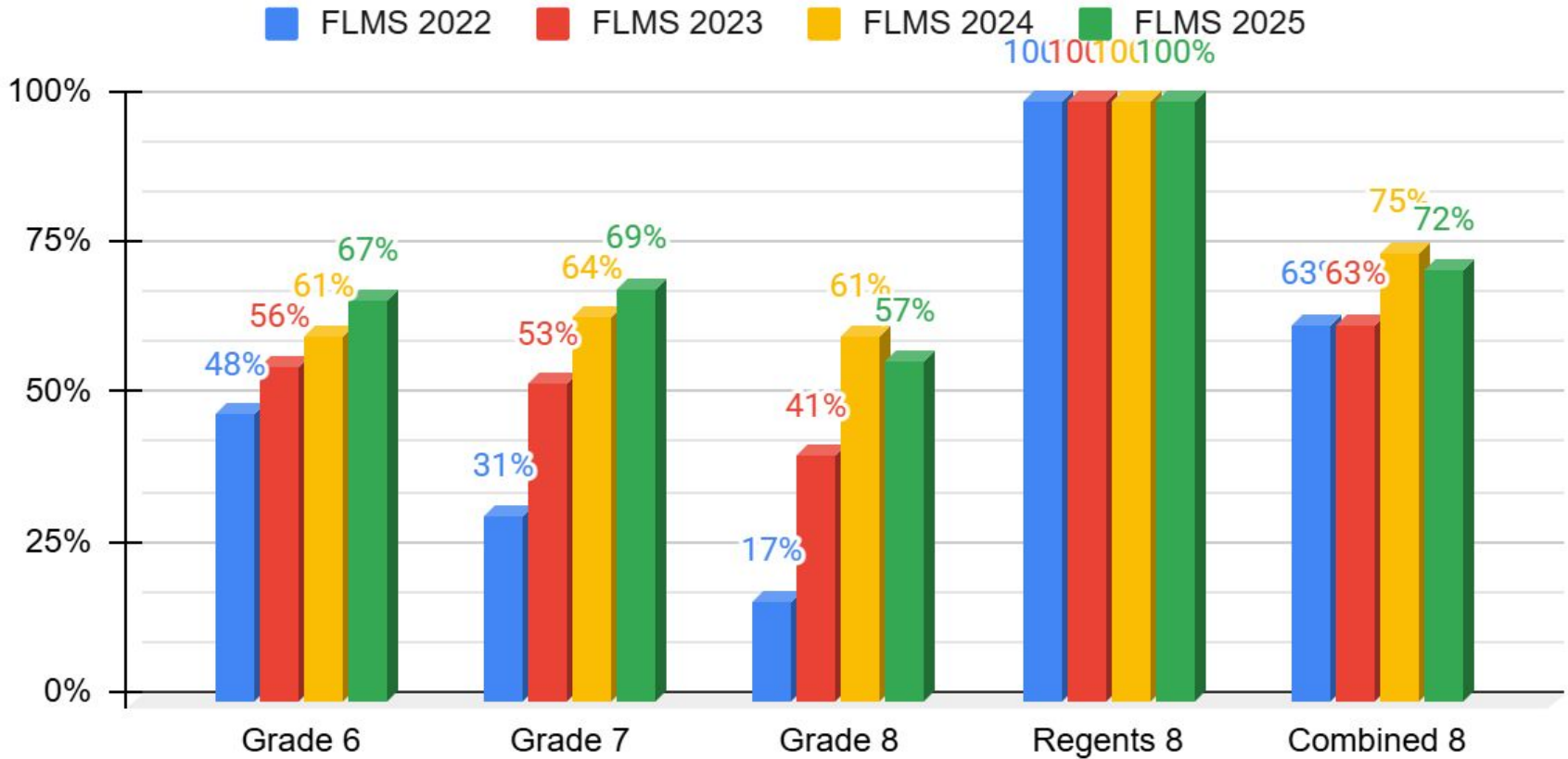


Grade level cohorts showing improvements from year to year.

3-Year Progression (Grades 3-8)

*K-5 Bridges in Mathematics* curriculum partially implemented in 2022-23 SY and fully implemented in 2023-24 SY

# BCSD Grades 6-8 MATH Proficiency Rates (2022-2025)



# **NYS Grades 5 & 8**

## **Science Assessments Results**

### **Spring 2025**

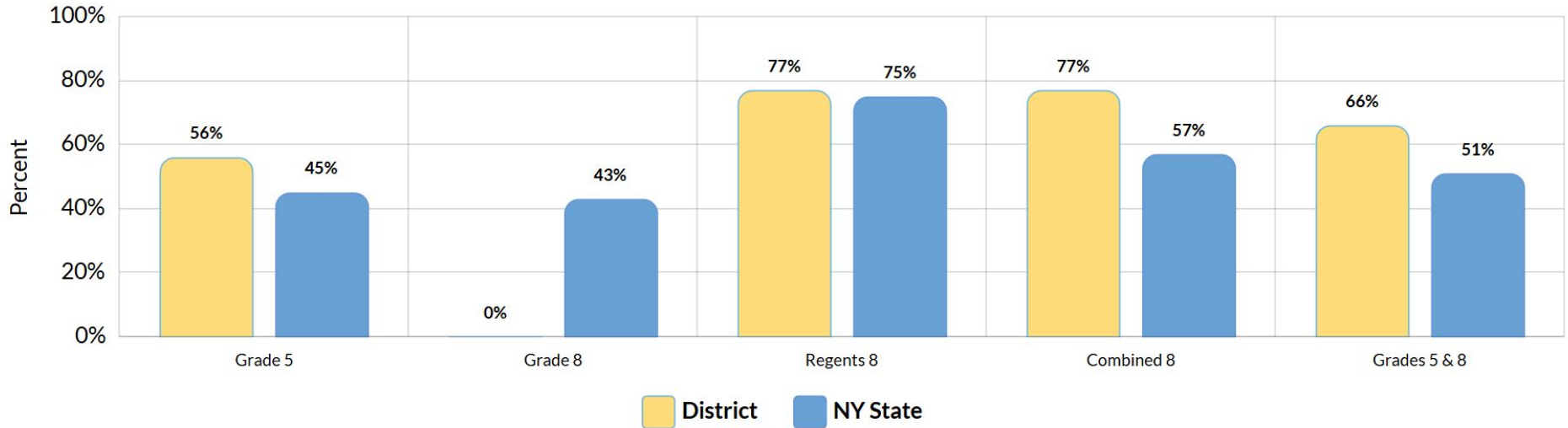


# BCSD Grades 5 SCIENCE 2025 Results

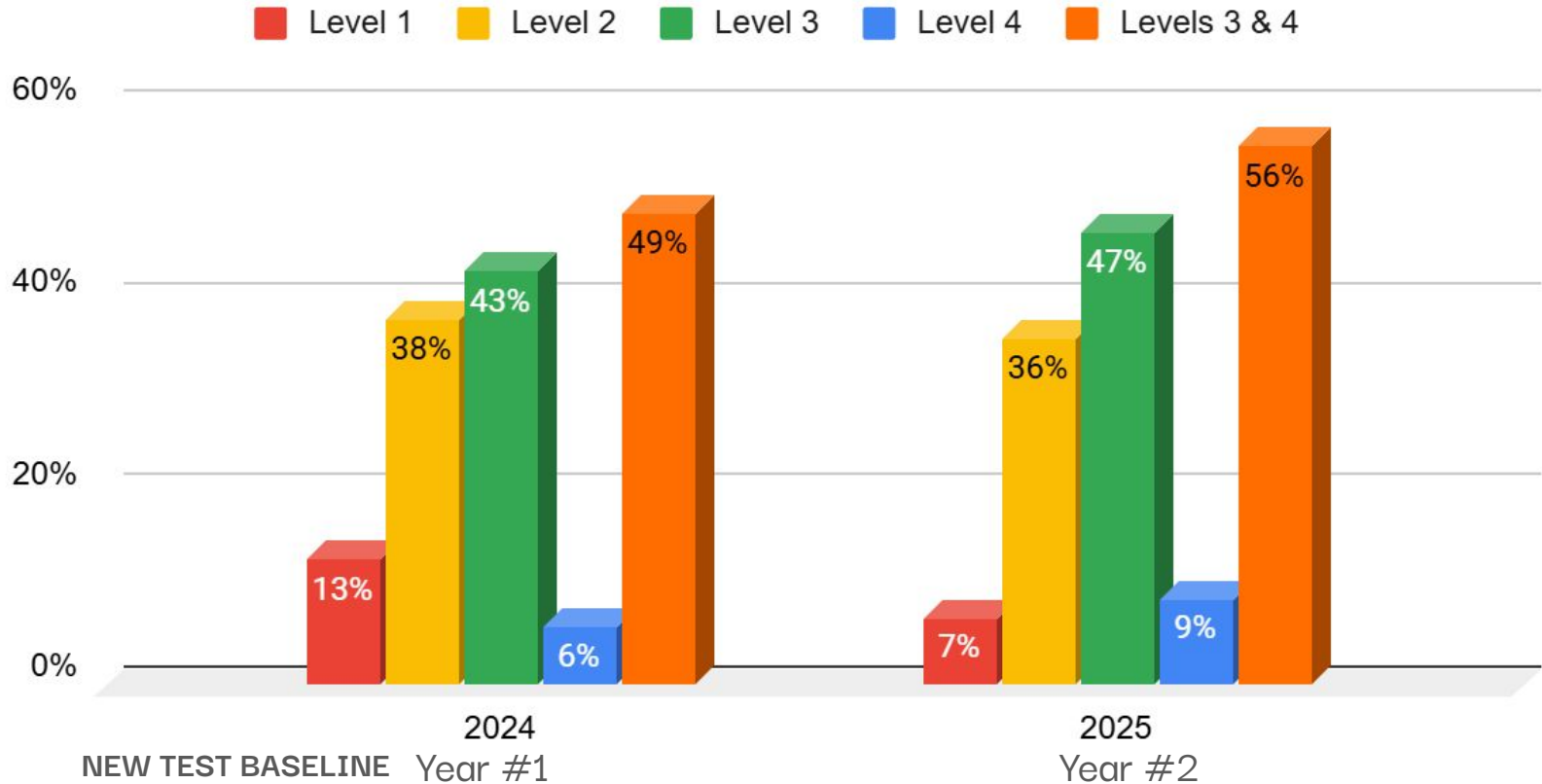
GRADES 5 & 8 SCIENCE RESULTS (2024-25)

## SUMMARY RESULTS

Percent Scoring Proficient by Grade



# 2025 BCSD Grades 5 Science by LEVEL (2024 and 2025)

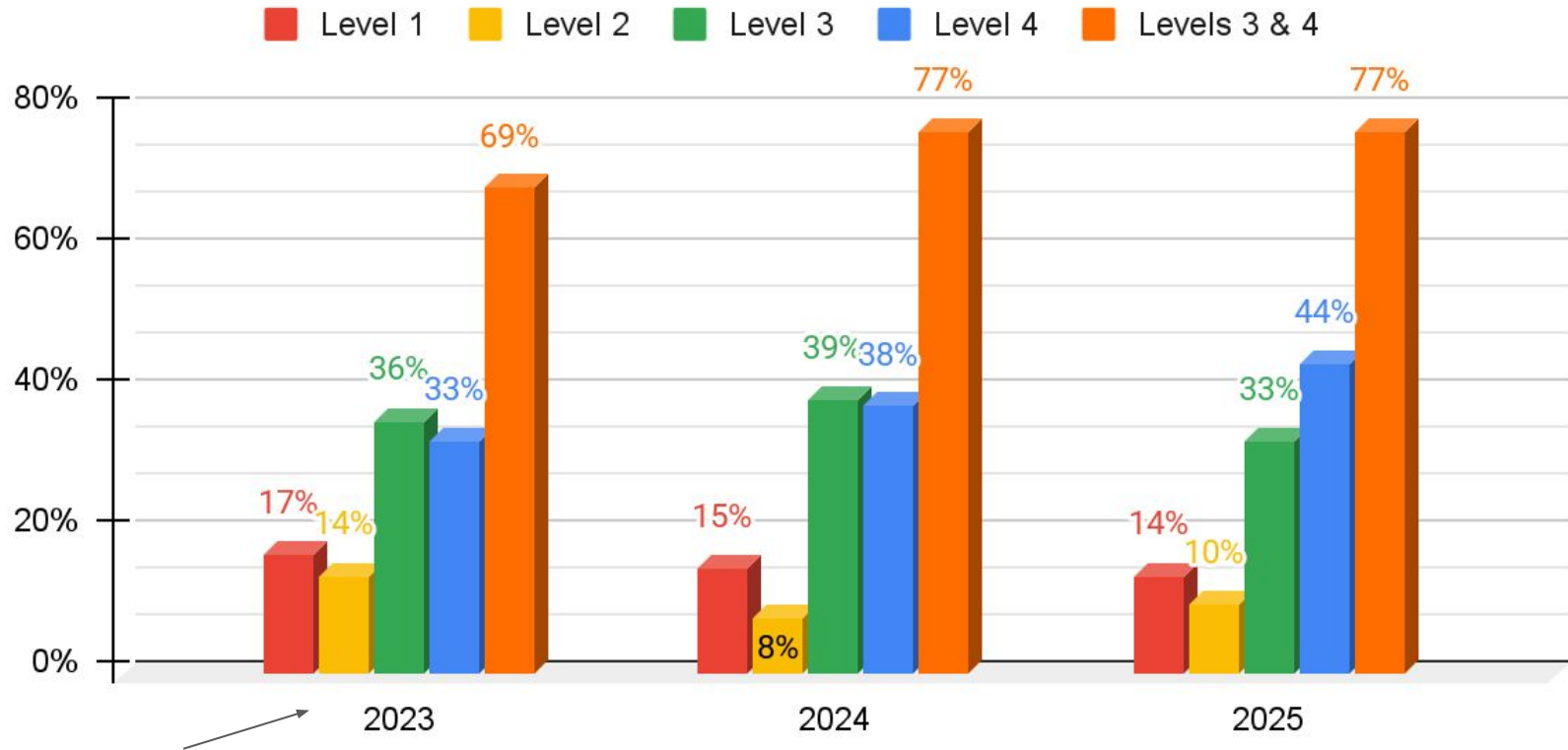


NEW TEST BASELINE

2024  
Year #1

2025  
Year #2

# 2025 BCSD Grades 8 Earth Science REGENTS by LEVEL



Baseline: First Year Grade 8 Participation

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# **NYS Grades 9-12**

## **Regents Results**

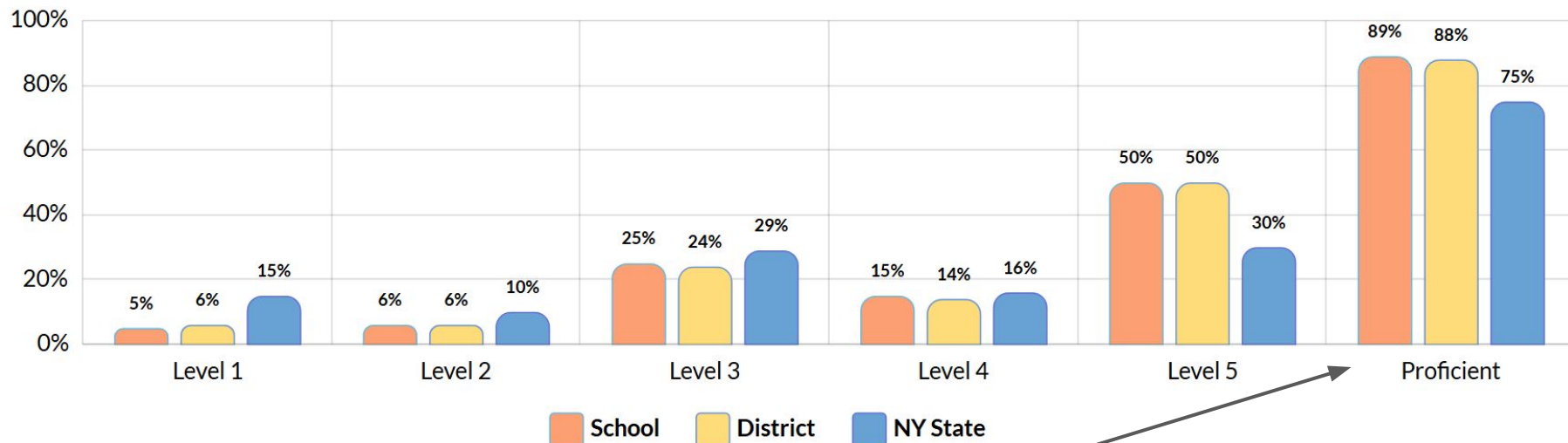
### **Spring 2025**



# 2025 BCSD Grades 9-12 ELA Regents Exam Summary

## ANNUAL REGENTS EXAMINATION IN ELA (2024-25)

### Percent Scoring at Levels for All Students

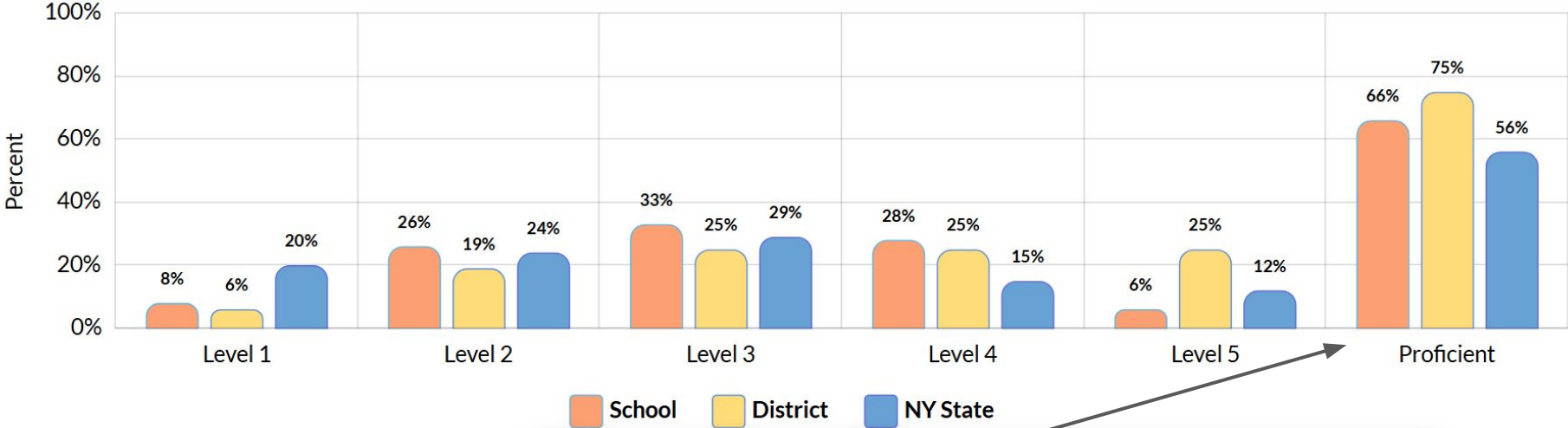


302 FLHS students tested = 89% proficient (score 3+)

# 2025 BCSD Gr 9-12 ALGEBRA Regents Exam Summary

## ANNUAL REGENTS EXAMINATION IN ALGEBRA I (2024-25)

Percent Scoring at Levels for All Students

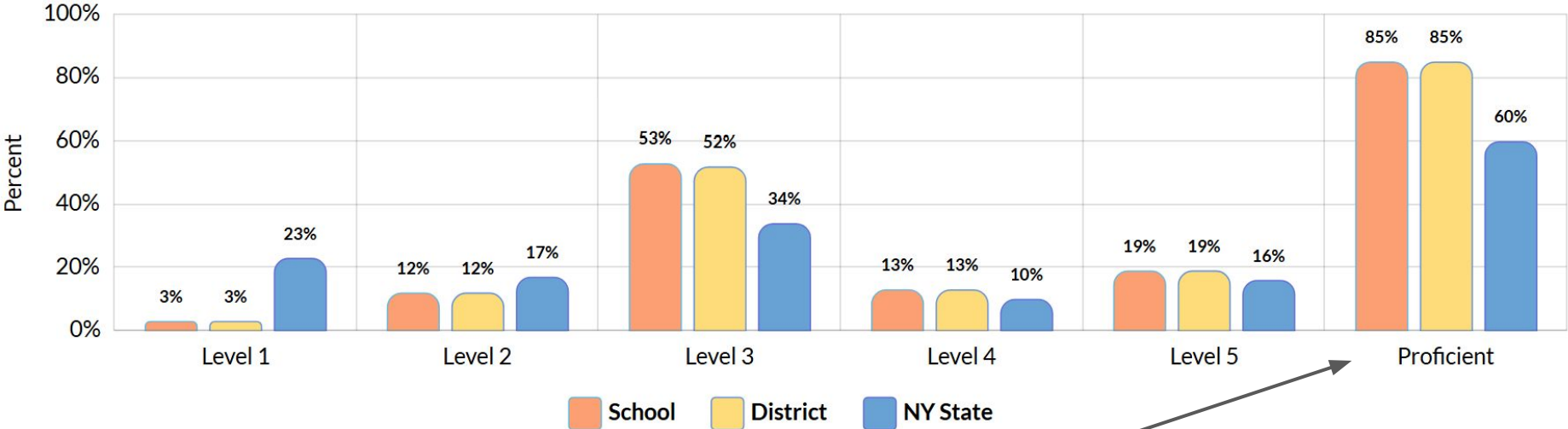


229 FLHS students tested = 66% proficient (score 3+)

# 2025 BCSD Gr 9-12 GEOMETRY Regents Exam Summary

## ANNUAL REGENTS EXAMINATION IN GEOMETRY (NEW) (JUNE 2025)

Percent Scoring at Levels for All Students

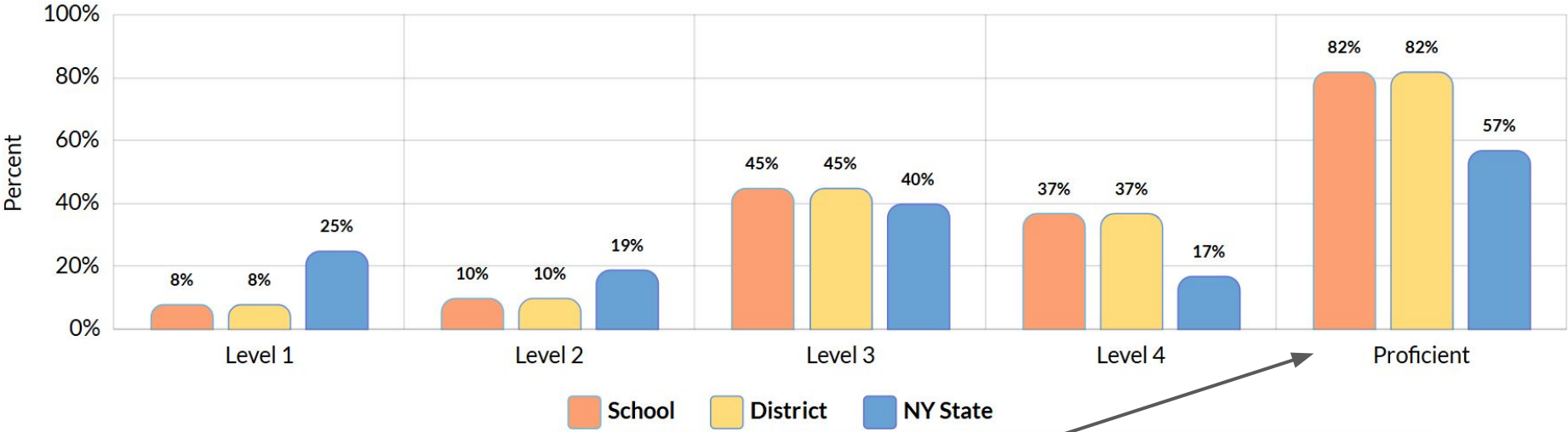


153 FLHS students tested = 85% proficient (score 3+)

# 2025 BCSD Grades 9-12 LIVING ENVIRONMENT Regents

## ANNUAL REGENTS EXAMINATION IN LIVING ENVIRONMENT (2024-25)

Percent Scoring at Levels for All Students

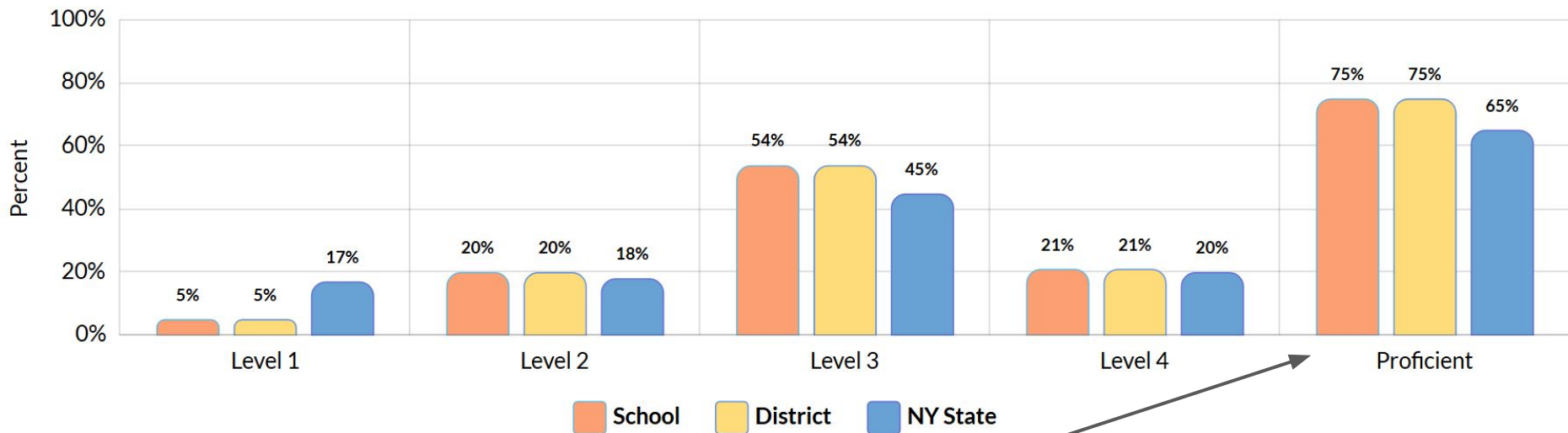


328 FLHS students tested = 82% proficient (score 3+)

# 2025 BCSD Grades 9-12 CHEMISTRY Regents Summary

## ANNUAL REGENTS EXAMINATION IN PHYSICAL SETTING/CHEMISTRY (2024-25)

Percent Scoring at Levels for All Students

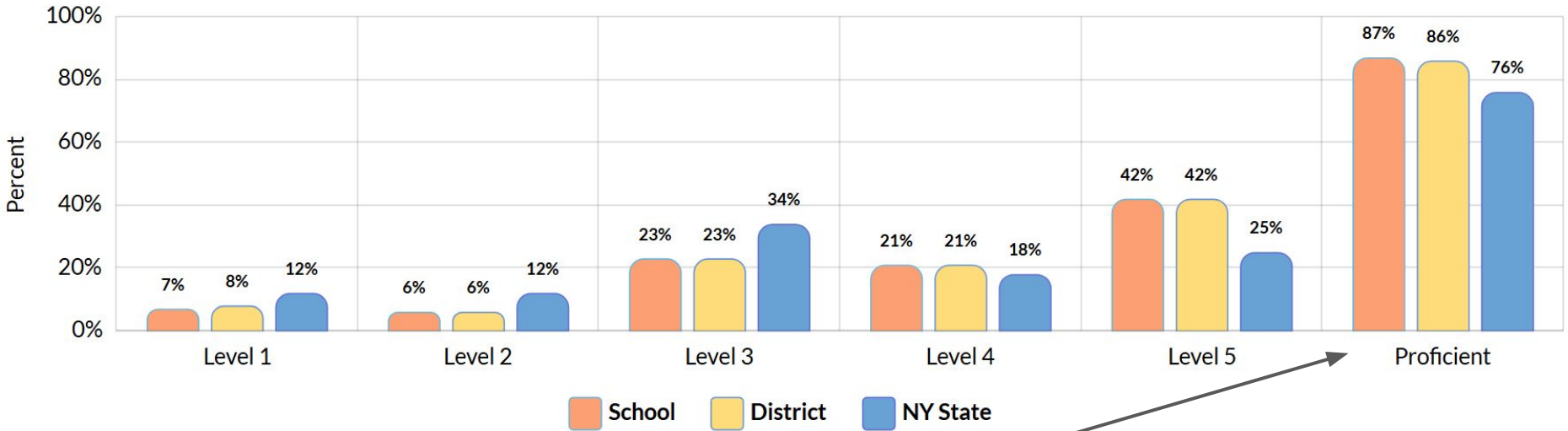


181 FLHS students tested = 75% proficient (score 3+)

# 2025 BCSD Gr 9-12 GLOBAL HISTORY Regents Summary

## ANNUAL REGENTS EXAMINATION IN GLOBAL HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY II (2024-25)

Percent Scoring at Levels for All Students

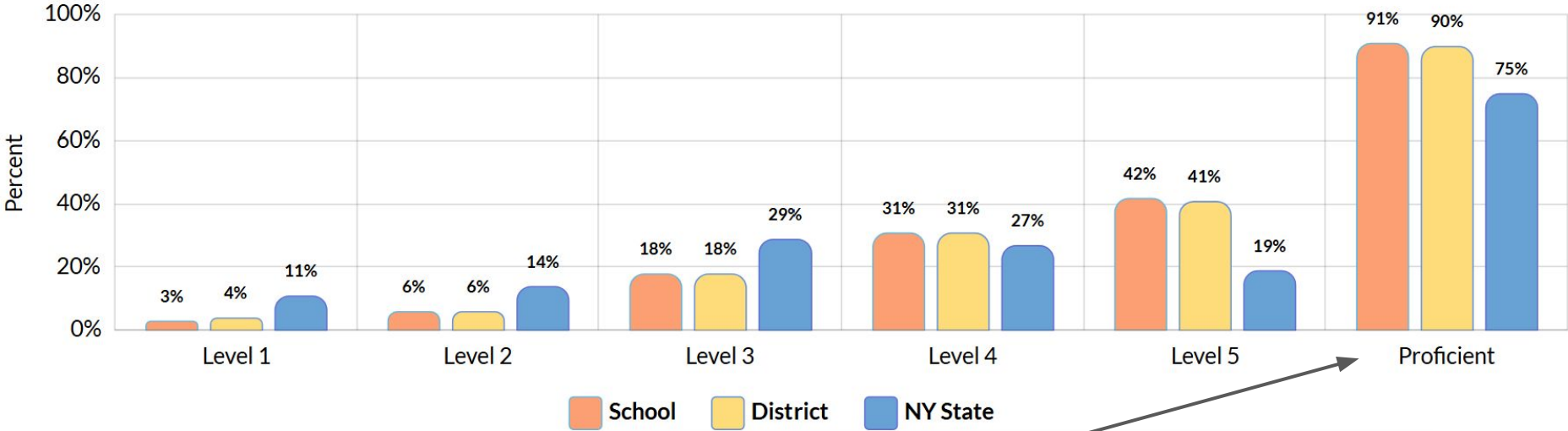


289 FLHS students tested = 87% proficient (score 3+)

# 2025 BCSD Gr 9-12 U.S. HISTORY Regents Summary

## ANNUAL REGENTS EXAMINATION IN U.S. HISTORY & GOVERNMENT (2024-25)

Percent Scoring at Levels for All Students



297 FLHS students tested = 91% proficient (score 3+)

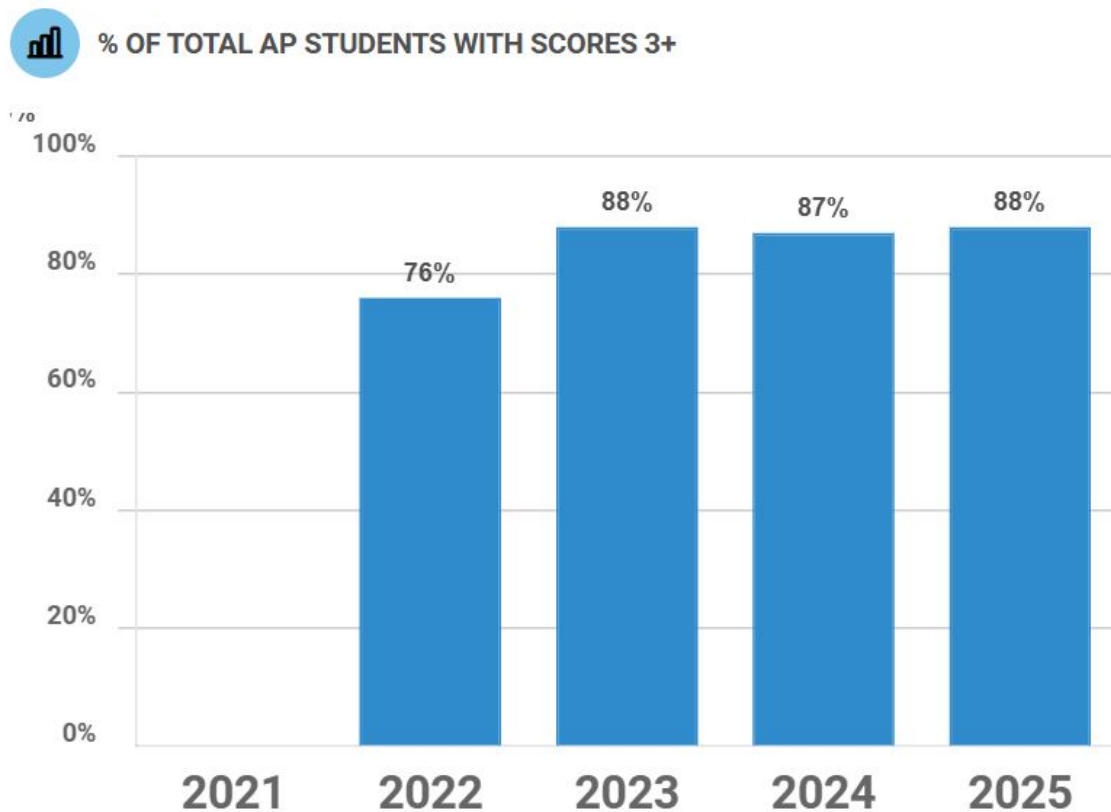
# **NYS Grades 9-12**

## **AP Exam Results**

### **Spring 2025**



# BCSD Percent of Total Students with AP Score +3



# Percent of Total Students with AP Score +3 (2022-2025)



## SCHOOL SUMMARY

	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Total AP Students	443	392	398	405	401
Number of Exams	837	749	768	768	812
AP Students with Scores 3+	341	345	348	357	360
% of Total AP Students with Scores 3+	76.98	88.01	87.44	88.15	89.78

Year	Total Enrollment	% taking AP exams
2021	1,321	33.5%
2022	1,302	30.1%
2023	1,241	32.1%
2024	1,217	33.3%
2025	1,155	34.7%

# 2024-2025 BCSD AP Score Summary

AP Exam Scores 2025							
	# Tested	Scored 3+	Mean		# Tested	Scored 3+	Mean
Art	10	94%	3.0	French Language	13	85%	3.2
Biology	35	97%	4.4	Human Geography	12	83%	3.9
Calculus AB	31	94%	3.9	Italian Language	13	69%	3.2
Calculus BC	19	89%	4.3	Music Theory	8	63%	3.0
Chemistry	42	98%	4.1	Physics C	32	63%	2.9
Computer Sci A	11	73%	3.2	Spanish Language	73	86%	3.7
Computer Science P	41	85%	3.4	Spanish Literature	10	100%	3.9
English Language	95	95%	3.9	Statistics	18	83%	3.6
English Literature	18	89%	3.8	US History	174	84%	3.6
Environmental Science	60	95%	3.8	World History	63	98%	4.1
European History	19	84%	3.4	397 students were administered 802 exams and 88% scored 3+			

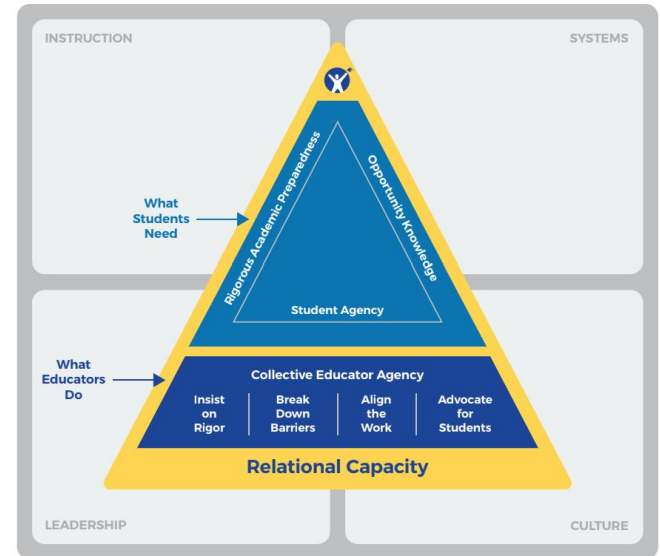
# AVID Senior Class 2025

## Out of our 23 AVID seniors...

- **Almost all** will be first in their family applying for college!
- **100 %** of the class has taken at least one AP class.
- **100 %** of the class has taken at least one Honors or AP class.
- **91%** of the class has above an 85 GPA.
- **8** students in our class are members of National Honor Society.



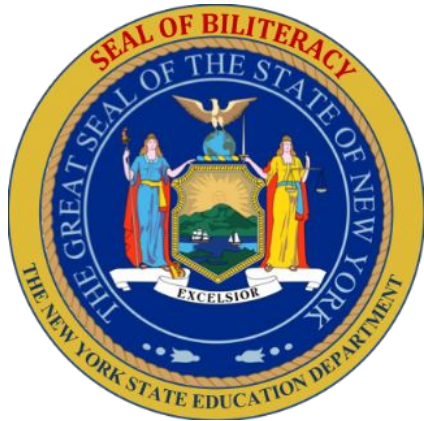
AVID College & Career Readiness Framework



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# FLHS Students Earn NYSED Seal of Biliteracy

Languages: Spanish, Italian, French, Japanese, and Portuguese



Year	Number of Recipients	Total Number of Graduates	Class Percentage
2022	42	343	12%
2023	42	282	15%
2024	44	254	17%
2025	44	283	16%

In 2025, nine students earned the Seal in English + 2 other World Languages including Italian, French, Spanish, Portuguese and/or Japanese.

# **NYS Grades K-12**

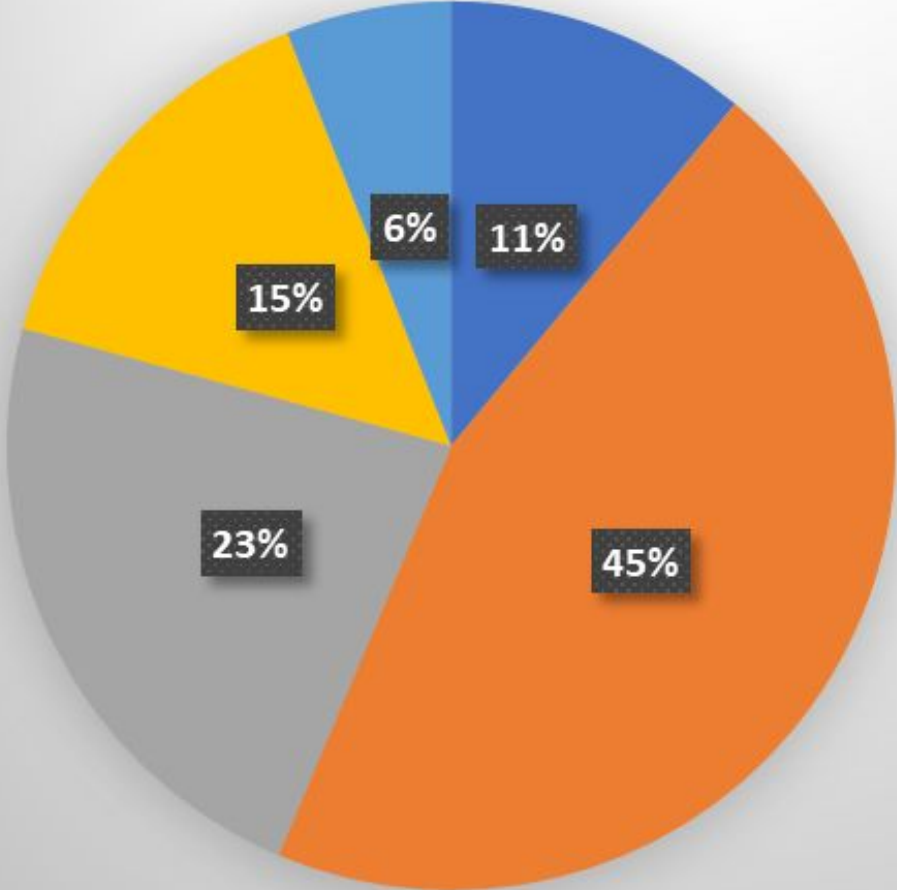
## **NYSESLAT Results**

### **Spring 2025**



# 2025 NYSESLAT Outcomes, K-12

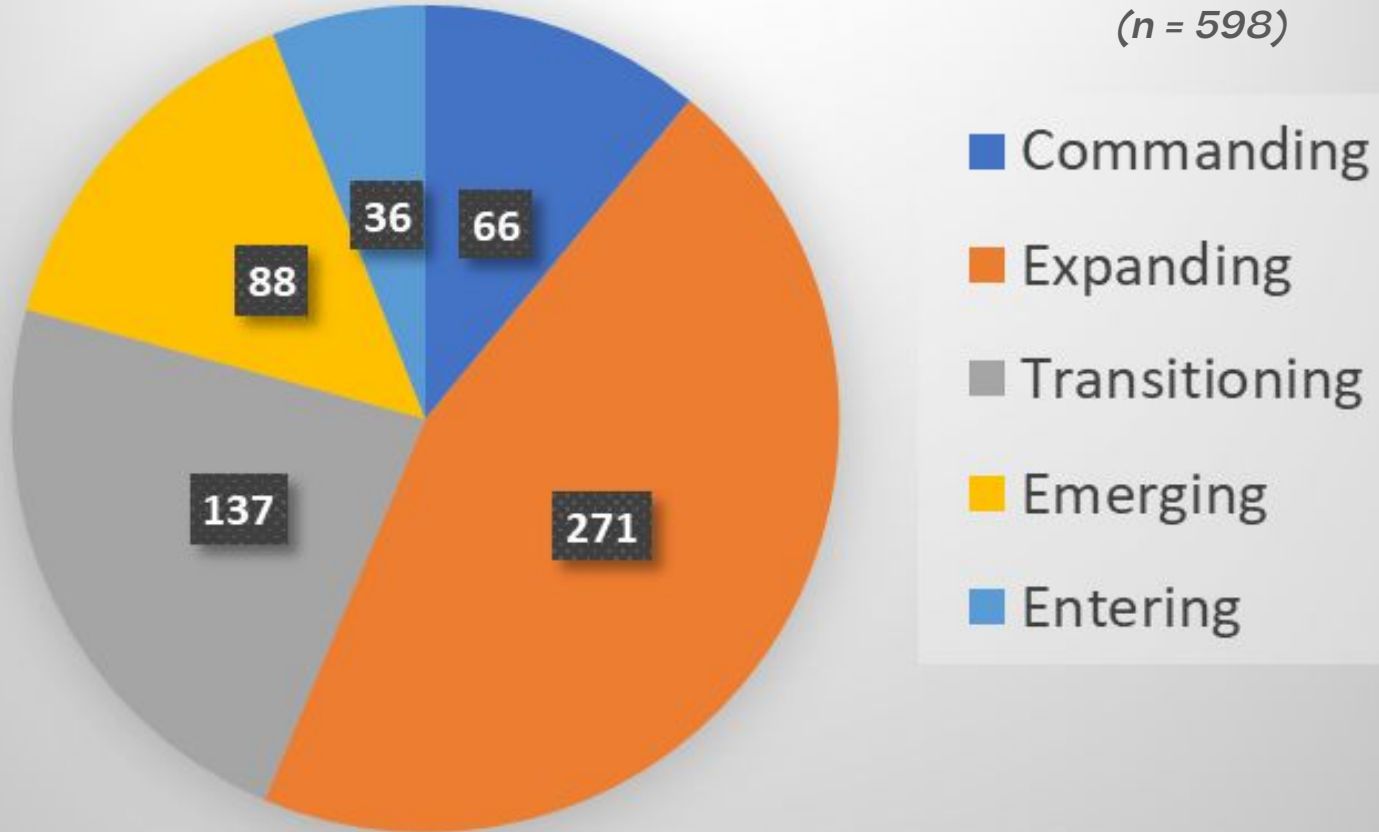
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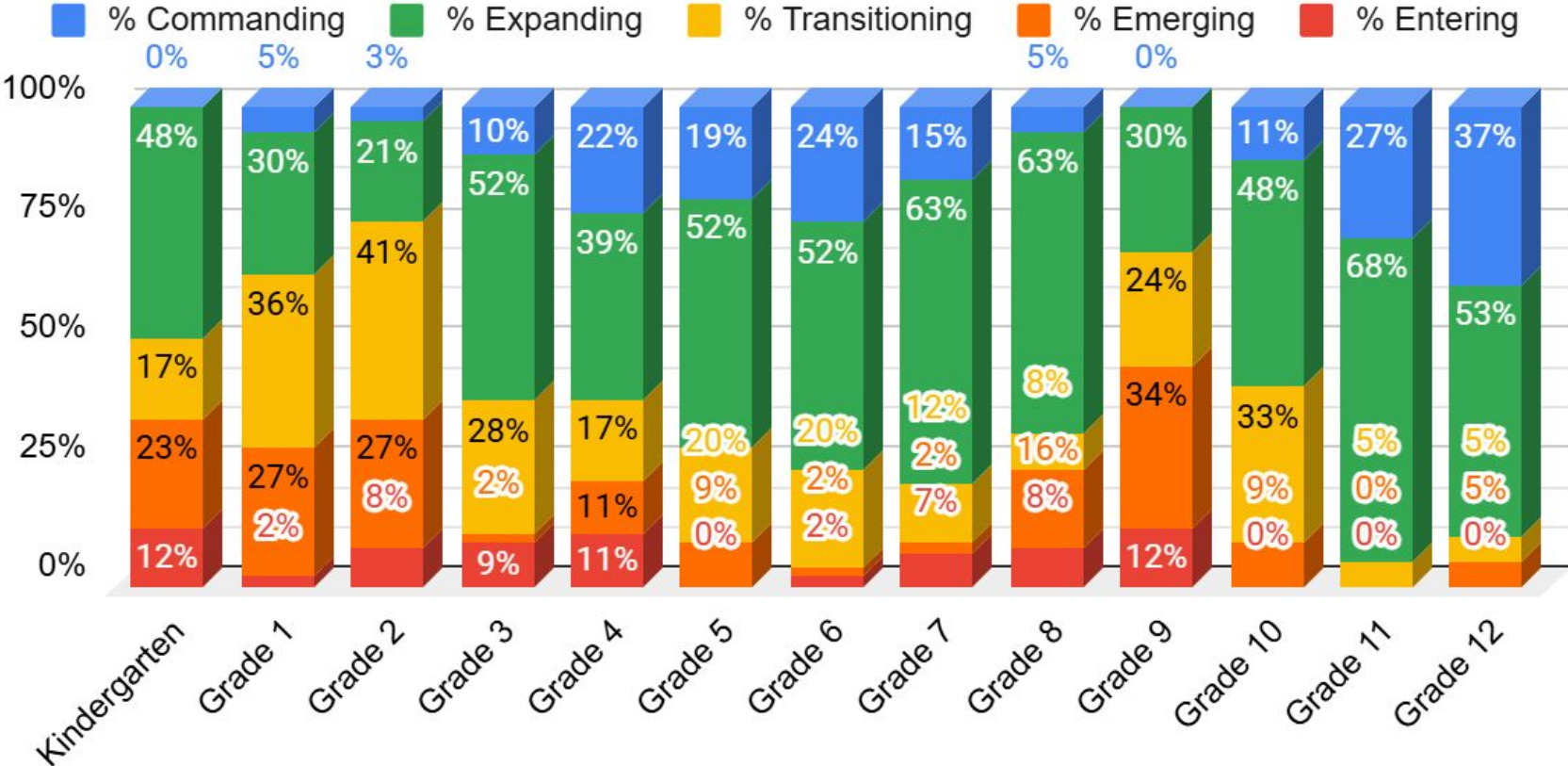
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- Expanding
- Transitioning
- Emerging
- Entering

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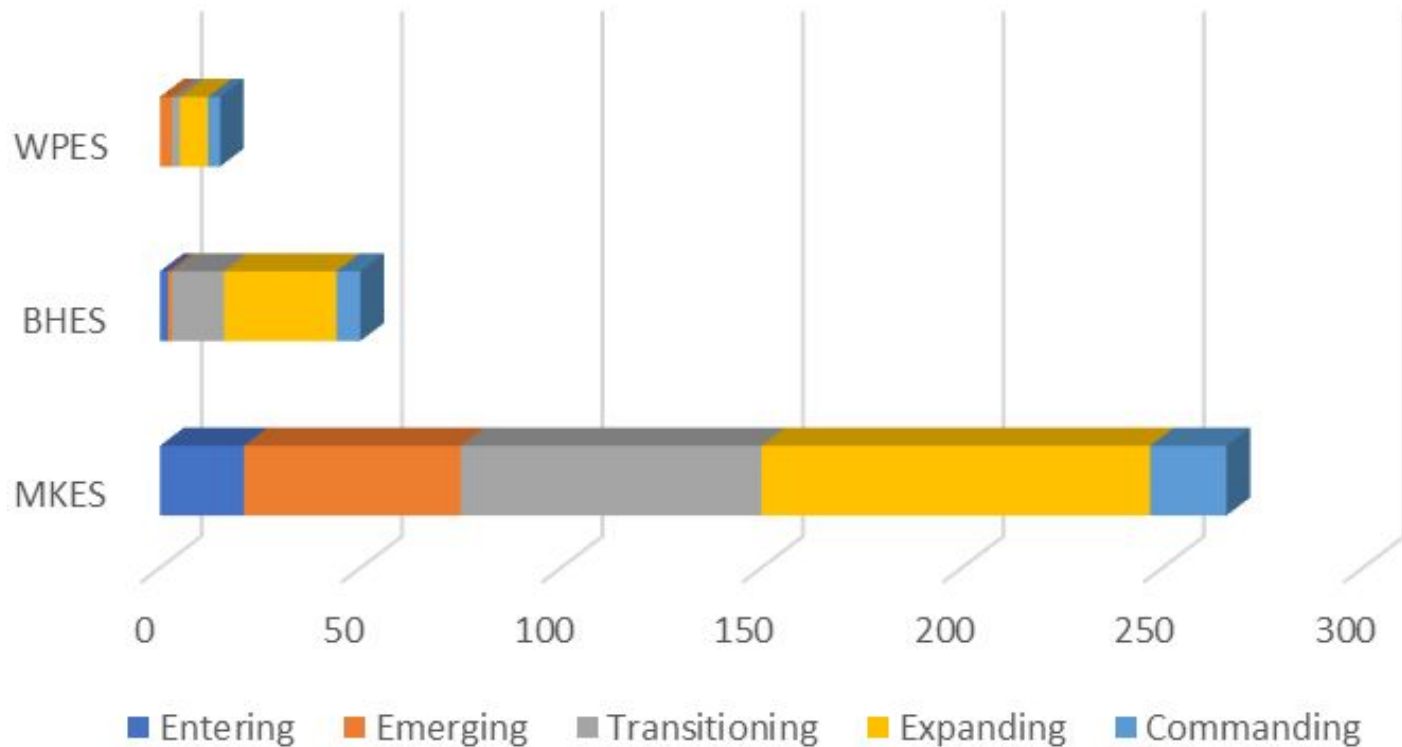
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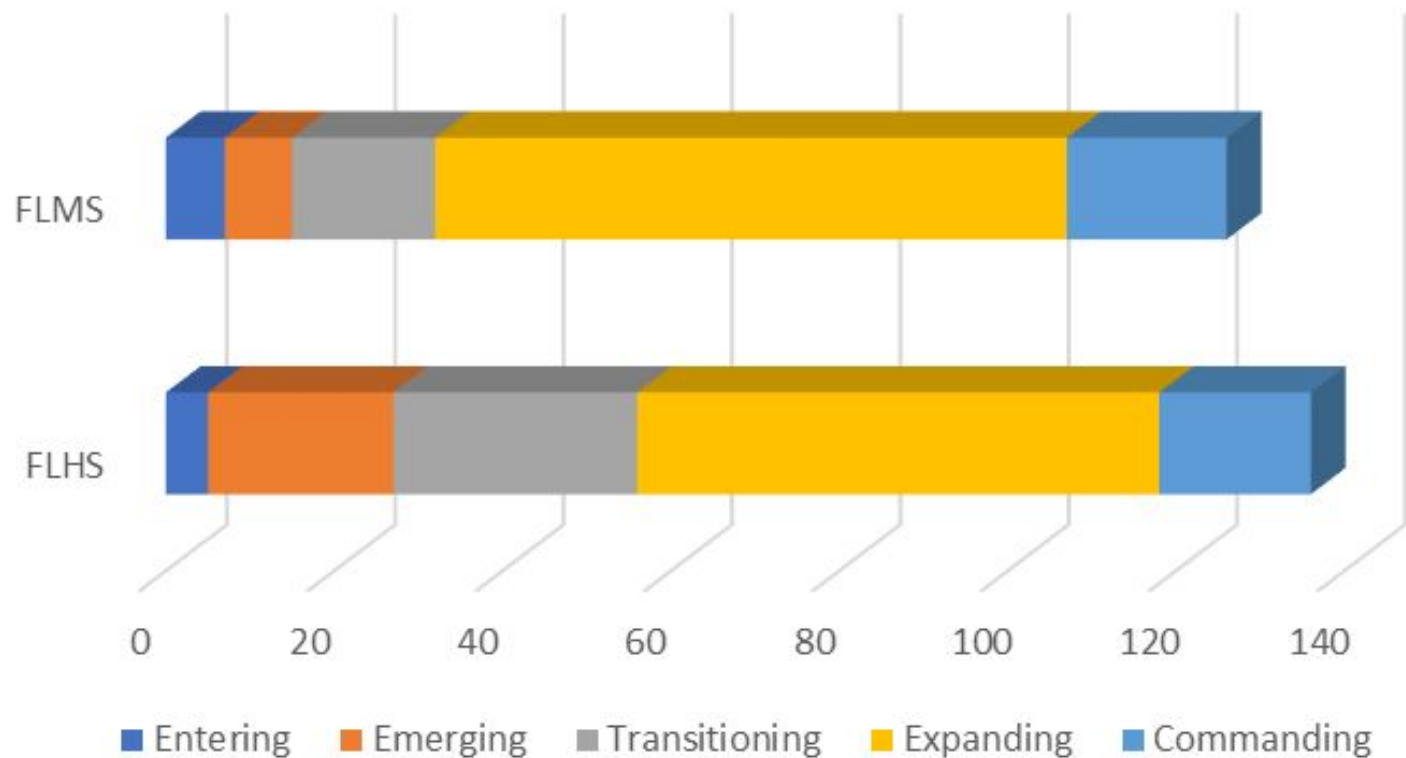
# 2025 NYSESLAT Results by LEVEL by GRADE band



## 2025 NYSESLAT Outcomes, K-5



## 2025 NYSESLAT Outcomes, Grades 6-12



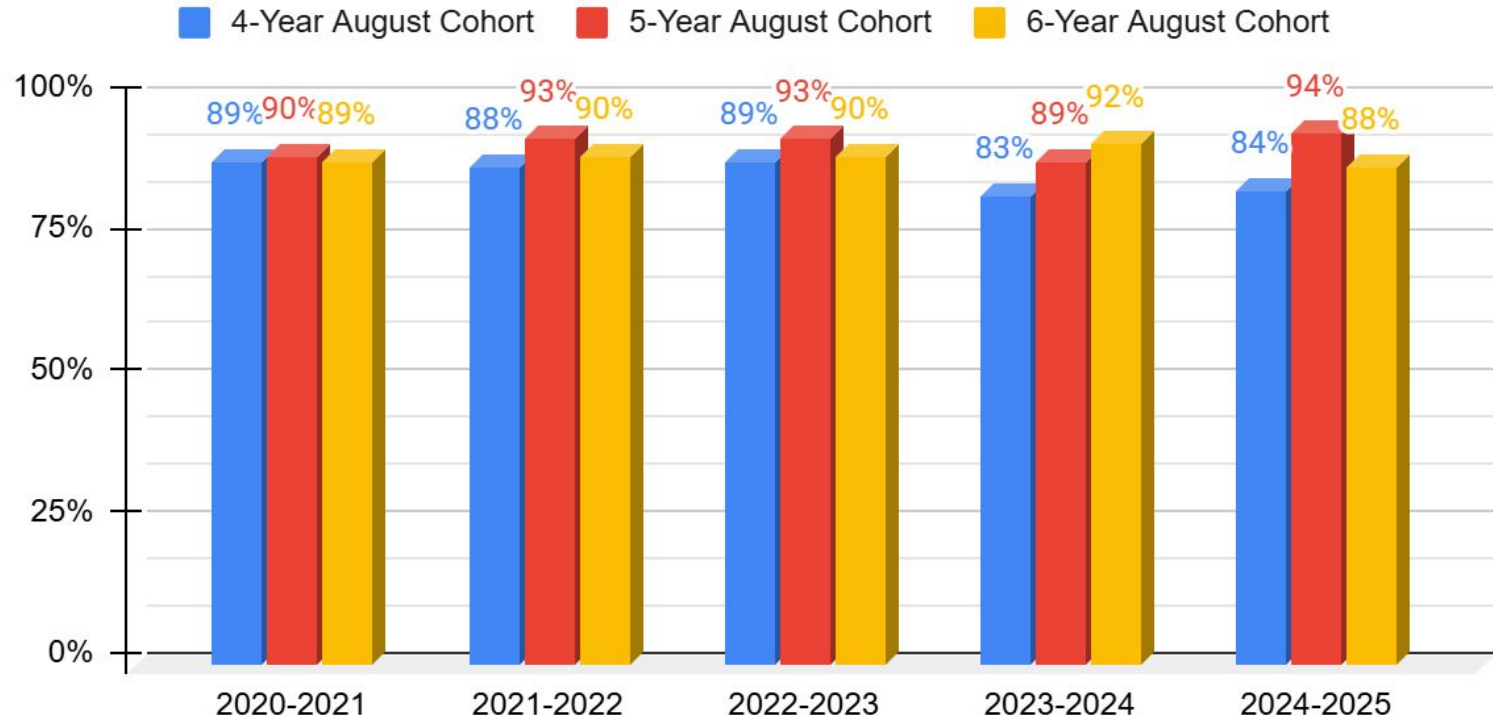
# **Fox Lane High School**

## **Graduation Rates**

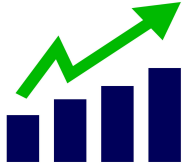
### **Spring 2025**



# Fox Lane High School Graduation Rates (2021-2025)



August Graduation Rates



# 2025 Summary of Findings

- BCSD Grades 3-8 continues to perform above the State average in **ELA, Math & Science**
- BCSD Grades 3-8 ELA Proficiency had **6.5%, improvement, largest growth** we've seen in 5 years
- **Growth in ELA proficiency**, by grade, between **4-23% improvement**
- Grades 5 **Science** & Grade 8 Earth Science showing **upward trajectory**
- BCSD Grades 9-12 students continues to perform above the State average on **Regents exams**
- Steady **88% proficiency** performance (score 3+) on AP exams
- Steadily **increased participation** in AP courses & exams since 2022 (continue open enrollment policy)
- Highest graduation rate at **94%** for 5-year August 2025 cohort

# BCSD Next Steps

- 01 — Focus on sustaining the **recent ELA achievement gains** and continue support with those struggling to reach proficiency.
- 02 — Examine ways to support continued **improvements in Grades 5 & 8 Science**



- 03 — Grades **6-8 ELA curriculum analysis** and Grades 6-8 math curriculum pilot underway
- 04 — Examine new **NYSED Graduation Measures** to ensure K-12 curriculum & instruction alignment

# Thank You! Questions?

