

**School Grading Summary**

The district grade is determined by the average of school grades in the district. For a description of status see page 2.

**District Grade C**

	Total Number	Percent
<b>Schools Rated in District</b>	11	100.0
<b>Schools in Priority Status</b>	0	0.0
<b>Schools in Focus Status</b>	1	9.1
<b>Schools in Strategic Status</b>	2	18.2
<b>Schools in Reward Status</b>	0	0.0

Source: PED Assessment and Accountability Division

**What are school grades?**

School Grading is part of state and federal law that mandates accountability for all public schools. The Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) enacted in 1965, which was reauthorized in 2001 as No Child Left Behind (NCLB), requires schools to show annual improvement in mathematics and reading. In 2011, New Mexico lawmakers enacted additional requirements that schools demonstrate progress through a grading system similar to that applied to students, issuing an A through F letter grade to each school [22-2-1, 22-2-2, and 22-2E-1 to 22-2E-4] [6.19.8.1 NMCA-N, 12-15-11]. Individual school report cards can be found online at <http://webapp2.ped.state.nm.us/SchoolData/SchoolGrading.aspx>

**What are School District Report Cards?**

Each LEA under the jurisdiction of the Public Education Department (PED) annually receives a comprehensive report of their achievement, accountability, teacher qualifications, and post-secondary success. This report is compiled for 89 districts that include regular and locally-authorized charter schools, and all state-authorized charter schools. Non-PED schools are exempt from both school grading and School District Report Cards, and include private, home, and Bureau of Indian Education schools.

**What is contained in this report?**

This report provides a concise summary of the LEA and its schools:

## LEA Demographic Profile

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**Definitions and Abbreviations**

**LEA** Local Educational Authority is a broad term that encompasses districts with multiple schools or independent state-authorized charter schools. Locally-authorized charter schools are not LEAs and are reported with their parent district.

**Subgroups**

Asian: Asian or Pacific Islander

Afr Am: African American

ELL: English Language Learners

ED: Economically Disadvantaged as determined by eligibility for Free or Reduced Lunch

SWD: Students with disabilities; does not include special education students who are gifted

Q1: The lowest performing 25% (one quarter) of students in reading or mathematics

Q3: The higher performing 75% (three quarters) of students in reading or mathematics

**High/Low Poverty Schools** Schools with students most economically disadvantaged (top 25%), and least disadvantaged (bottom 25%).

**Recently Arrived** These are ELL students new to U.S. schools who qualify for exemption from the reading assessment.

**Student Demographics**

	LEA		State	
	Number	%	Number	%
All Students	4,113	100	338,550	100
Female	2,006	49	165,208	49
Male	2,107	51	173,342	51
Caucasian	936	23	84,141	25
African-American	73	2	7,051	2
Hispanic	3,020	73	206,859	61
Asian	12	0	4,338	1
American Indian	72	2	35,637	11
Pacific Islander	0	0	524	0
Multiracial	0	0	5	0
ED	3,327	81	242,595	72
SWD	707	17	49,656	15
ELL	226	6	50,059	15
Migrant	0	0	354	0
Recently Arrived	170	4	16,910	5

Source: LEA 120th day submission to the PED

## Accountability - School Grading and Status

Status refers to schools that are in some form of improvement that requires increased monitoring and educational enhancement. The improvement categories are

\*\*\* Priority Status (5% of schools that are lowest performing)

\*\* Focus Status (additional 10% of schools that are low performing and with large gaps between lower and higher performing groups)

\* Strategic Status (additional 10% of schools that are low performing with large gaps between lower and higher performing groups)

^ Reward Status (the top 5% of schools in the state)

A school's status is footnoted next to their overall letter grade, and where blank, means the school is not in any status. Only schools receiving Title I funds are eligible, which in 2015 represented 654 schools.

School	Overall Grade	School	Overall Grade
Belen High	D	Belen Infinity High	D **
Belen Middle	F	Central Elementary	B
Dennis Chavez Elementary	C	Family School	B
Gil Sanchez Elementary	B *	Jaramillo Elementary	B
La Merced Elementary	B	La Promesa Elementary	C
Rio Grande Elementary	B *		

## Achievement - Proficiency Summaries by Grade

The assessments were developed to measure grade-level standards that New Mexico educators and the public determined are important for our students to master. Results include all students enrolled within the LEA or school, regardless of whether for a full academic year or not. Students are assessed in reading and mathematics in grades 3-11, and in science in grades 4, 7, and 11. Note that proficiencies do not include the assessment for grades KN, 1 and 2, in order to be consistent with prior reports.

Grade		Reading		Mathematics		Science	
		Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)	Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)	Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)
3	State Current	26.1	73.9	25.6	74.4		
3	State Prior	51.8	48.2	49.4	50.6		
3	LEA Current	17.4	82.6	19.0	81.0		
3	LEA Prior	38.6	61.4	35.6	64.4		
4	State Current	23.8	76.2	18.8	81.2	42.5	57.5
4	State Prior	43.8	56.2	42.7	57.3	48.3	51.7
4	LEA Current	20.0	80.0	16.8	83.2	35.7	64.3
4	LEA Prior	30.0	70.0	28.1	71.9	40.9	59.1
5	State Current	24.1	75.9	20.8	79.2		
5	State Prior	53.2	46.8	43.7	56.3		
5	LEA Current	17.9	82.1	20.1	79.9		
5	LEA Prior	48.2	51.8	32.7	67.3		
6	State Current	22.0	78.0	18.8	81.2		
6	State Prior	43.3	56.7	37.0	63.0		
6	LEA Current	18.6	81.4	15.3	84.7		
6	LEA Prior	43.5	56.5	33.2	66.8		
7	State Current	21.4	78.6	15.5	84.5	40.0	60.0
7	State Prior	51.5	48.5	39.8	60.2	42.2	57.8
7	LEA Current	16.9	83.1	10.7	89.3	35.4	64.6
7	LEA Prior	51.7	48.3	32.6	67.4	43.3	56.7
8	State Current	22.9	77.1	17.2	82.8		
8	State Prior	58.7	41.3	40.0	60.0		
8	LEA Current	18.3	81.7	11.7	88.3		
8	LEA Prior	53.9	46.1	35.3	64.7		
9	State Current	26.7	73.3	16.0	84.0		
9	LEA Current	23.9	76.1	6.7	93.3		
10	State Current	31.0	69.0	12.4	87.6		
10	State Prior	37.7	62.3	30.4	69.6		
10	LEA Current	26.5	73.5	9.1	90.9		
10	LEA Prior	31.4	68.6	24.5	75.5		
11	State Current	44.4	55.6	10.0	90.0	36.2	63.8
11	State Prior	51.8	48.2	42.8	57.2	41.3	58.7
11	LEA Current	43.9	56.1	9.1	90.9	36.4	63.6

Grade	LEA Prior	Reading		Mathematics		Science	
		Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)	Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)	Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)
11		44.8	55.2	34.4	65.6	38.0	62.0

Achievement - Proficiency Summaries by Subgroup							
		Reading		Mathematics		Science	
		Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)	Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)	Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)
All Students	LEA Current	21.8	78.2	13.5	86.5	35.8	64.2
All Students	State Current	26.6	73.4	17.6	82.4	39.8	60.2
Female	LEA Current	26.0	74.0	12.4	87.6	35.5	64.5
Female	State Current	31.7	68.3	17.7	82.3	38.4	61.6
Male	LEA Current	21.7	78.3	17.6	82.4	41.1	58.9
Male	State Current	17.5	82.5	14.5	85.5	36.1	63.9
Caucasian	LEA Current	29.6	70.4	16.6	83.4	47.8	52.2
Caucasian	State Current	42.5	57.5	29.9	70.1	61.0	39.0
African American	LEA Current	24.5	75.5	13.9	86.1	36.9	63.1
African American	State Current	26.7	73.3	14.0	86.0	25.0	75.0
Hispanic	LEA Current	21.8	78.2	13.7	86.3	33.7	66.3
Hispanic	State Current	19.3	80.7	12.7	87.3	32.7	67.3
Asian	LEA Current	53.8	46.2	45.6	54.4	65.1	34.9
Asian	State Current	20.9	79.1	7.1	92.9	8.3	91.7
American Indian	LEA Current	13.9	86.1	9.0	91.0	20.6	79.4
American Indian	State Current	21.9	78.1	13.5	86.5	35.9	64.1
Economically Disadvantaged	LEA Current	19.0	81.0	12.4	87.6	31.1	68.9
Economically Disadvantaged	State Current	5.4	94.6	5.0	95.0	8.0	92.0
Students w Disabilities	LEA Current	6.6	93.4	6.4	93.6	15.0	85.0
Students w Disabilities	State Current	7.1	92.9	5.3	94.7	10.2	89.8
English Language Learners	LEA Current	3.1	96.9	7.9	92.1	4.2	95.8
English Language Learners	State Current	11.3	88.7	4.7	95.3	10.6	89.4
Migrant	LEA Current	2.9	97.1	0.8	99.2	1.3	98.7
Migrant	State Current	1.5	98.5	0.4	99.6	0.5	99.5
Q1	LEA Current	29.8	70.2	18.1	81.9	47.9	52.1
Q1	State Current	35.5	64.5	23.6	76.4	53.5	46.5
Q3	LEA Current						
Q3	State Current						

Achievement - Proficiency Summaries by School						
	Reading		Mathematics		Science	
	Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)	Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)	Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)
Belen High	30.7	69.3	8.4	91.6	38.0	62.0
Belen Infinity High	18.2	81.8	3.0	97.0	14.3	85.7
Belen Middle	16.8	83.2	9.9	90.1	35.2	64.8
Central Elementary	14.5	85.5	15.9	84.1	37.1	62.9
Dennis Chavez Elementary	19.2	80.8	17.2	82.8	33.3	66.7
Family School	32.1	67.9	32.9	67.1	47.4	52.6
Gil Sanchez Elementary	21.0	79.0	16.0	84.0	48.3	51.7
Jaramillo Elementary	23.0	77.0	23.0	77.0		
La Merced Elementary	17.0	83.0	17.0	83.0	31.1	68.9
La Promesa Elementary	14.8	85.2	16.4	83.6	22.2	77.8
Rio Grande Elementary	19.2	80.8	16.8	83.2	36.4	63.6

Blanks indicate too few students to report (N<10). Schools without tested grades (i.e. kindergarten only) will not have data. Source: PED Data Planning and Analysis Bureau

Budgeted Expenditures	School Board Training
Locally-authorized charter schools manage their budgets independently of their parent district. For detailed information please contact either the individual school or the PED Budget and Finance Office for the budget analyst assigned to that school. The district summary includes their locally authorized charter schools.	

	Amount \$	Percent %
Capital Outlay	\$10,441,106	17.5
Central Services	\$1,407,274	2.4
Community Services	\$74,027	0.1
Debt Service	\$8,458,303	14.1
Food Services	\$2,628,413	4.4
General Administration	\$1,492,981	2.5
Instruction	\$20,416,520	34.1
Instruction Support Services	\$973,985	1.6
Operations & Maintenance	\$5,634,518	9.4
Other Support Services	\$83,792	0.1
School Administration	\$1,867,494	3.1
Student Support Services	\$4,242,915	7.1
Student Transportation	\$2,095,450	3.5

Source: The PED School Budget and Financial Analysis Bureau

School board members must accumulate five points during the year by attending specific training. These figures do not reflect additional training that board members may have received.

Board Member	Number of Points
Dolores Lola Quintana	26
Larry Garley	35
Larry Lindberg	40
Lorraine Espinosa	5
Max Cordova	29
Tom Wisneski	10

Source: NM School Board Association

### Graduation - 4 Year Cohort of 2014

These figures represent students who were expected to graduate on time by August 1, 2014 and graduated on time. Graduation cohorts include all students who were ever enrolled during the four years, including part-time students.

	All Students %	Caucasian %	Afr Amer %	Hispanic %	Asian %	Amer Indian %	ED %	SWD %	ELL %
Statewide	69.3	75.7	64.3	67.6	85.4	61.7	63.0	57.4	64.5
Districtwide	57.5	55.6	57.7	58.5		56.9	55.0	42.8	49.1
Belen High	60.4	57.9	57.7	61.8		56.9	58.2	46.1	50.9
Belen Infinity High	8.4			8.8			8.0	2.6	

Blanks indicate too few students to report (N<10)

Source: PED Data Planning and Analysis Bureau

### Graduation - 5 Year Cohort of 2013

These figures represent students who were expected to graduate on time by August 1, 2013 and either graduated on time, or required one additional year. Graduation cohorts include all students who were ever enrolled during the four years, including part-time students.

	All Students %	Caucasian %	Afr Amer %	Hispanic %	Asian %	Amer Indian %	ED %	SWD %	ELL %
Statewide	71.4	78.3	69.1	69.1	87.4	65.4	66.1	61.6	66.7
Districtwide	57.6	54.7		58.8			54.6	49.7	48.2
Belen High	60.7	58.0		61.5			58.8	52.2	53.2
Belen Infinity High	16.3	17.0		17.3			14.5		<2.0

Blanks indicate too few students to report (N<10)

Source: PED Data Planning and Analysis Bureau

### Graduation - 6 Year Cohort of 2012

These figures represent students who were expected to graduate on time by August 1, 2012 and either graduated on time, or required up to two additional years. Graduation cohorts include all students who were ever enrolled during the four years, including part-time students.

	All Students %	Caucasian %	Afr Amer %	Hispanic %	Asian %	Amer Indian %	ED %	SWD %	ELL %
Statewide	74.4	80.1	71.9	72.1	87.9	70.8	70.0	63.6	71.4
Districtwide	66.8	65.6		68.0			62.6	35.6	66.4
Belen High	69.4	67.3		71.0			66.1	36.5	69.5
Belen Infinity High	32.4	37.5		31.7			33.9	22.6	32.4

Blanks indicate too few students to report (N<10)

Source: PED Data Planning and Analysis Bureau

### Graduation - 4 Year Cohort of 2014, Status of Non Graduates

These figures represent students who were expected to graduate on time by August 1, 2014 but did not graduate. Graduation cohorts include all students who were ever enrolled during the four years, including part-time students. Percentages do not use the Shared Accountability method of calculation. For details see the Graduation Technical Guide on the PED website: [http://ped.state.nm.us/ped/Graduation\\_guides.html](http://ped.state.nm.us/ped/Graduation_guides.html)

Certificate	Status Unknown	Exit Out	Still Enrolled
Completed coursework but did not pass exit exam %	Dropped out or whereabouts unknown %	Exit with intent to get GED or vocational credential %	Continuing high school enrollment past 4th year %

Statewide	0.2	21.9	6.2	9.5
Districtwide	0.4	43.5	2.3	2.7
Belen High	0.5	39.0	2.1	2.8
Belen Infinity High	0.0	80.8	3.8	1.9

Blanks indicate too few students to report (N<10) Source: PED Data Planning and Analysis Bureau

### College Going and College Credit Accumulation

These figures represent students who graduated in 2013 (College Going) and 2011 (Credits Earned) and were tracked for post-secondary education both inside and outside the state.

**Eligible** Students earning a regular high school diploma.

**Enrolled** Students who enrolled in an institution of higher education within 16 months of earning a regular high school diploma.

**Credits Earned** Students who enrolled and earned one year of college credit within two years of enrollment.

		All Students N	Cauc N	Afr Amer N	Hispanic N	Asian N	Amer Indian N	ED N	SWD N	ELL N
Belen High	Eligible	194	52		137			120	13	
Belen High	Enrolled, In-State	120	28		90			72		
Belen High	Enrolled, Out-of-State	13								
Belen High	Credits Earned	118	39		75			36		
Belen Infinity High	Eligible	16			12			13		
Belen Infinity High	Enrolled, In-State									
Belen Infinity High	Enrolled, Out-of-State									
Belen Infinity High	Credits Earned									

Blanks indicate too few students to report (N<10) Source: National Student Clearinghouse

### Teacher Credentials

		Statewide %	LEA %
Teachers with Emergency or Provisional Credentials		.3	.0
Core Classes Not Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers	High Poverty Schools	3.6	4.7
	Low Poverty Schools	2.2	.0

NA= Not applicable; LEA did not have schools that qualified as high or low poverty

Professional Qualifications	Number of Teachers	Highest Degree*		Core Classes Not Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers
		Bachelor's	Advanced	
Belen High	52	59.6	40.4	0
Belen Infinity High	5	80	20	0
Belen Middle	36	63.9	36.1	3.2
Central Elementary	16	75	25	0
Dennis Chavez Elementary	26	65.4	34.6	4.9
Family School	9	77.8	22.2	33.3
Gil Sanchez Elementary	20	60	40	0
Jaramillo Elementary	28	60.7	39.3	0
La Merced Elementary	32	65.6	34.4	0
La Promesa Elementary	19	68.4	31.6	10
Rio Grande Elementary	26	50	50	0

\* Does not include Below Bachelors

Blank=no data available, or not applicable

Source: LEA 120th day submission to PED

### Parent Survey on the Quality of Education

- Q1 My child is safe at school.
- Q2 My child's school building is in good repair and has sufficient space to support quality education.
- Q3 My child's school holds high expectations for academic achievement.
- Q4 School personnel encourage me to participate in my child's education.
- Q5 The school offers adequate access to up-to-date computers and technologies.
- Q6 School staff maintain consistent discipline, which is conducive to learning.
- Q7 My child has an adequate choice of school-sponsored extracurricular activities.
- Q8 My child's teacher provides sufficient and appropriate information regarding my child's academic progress.
- Q9 The school staff employ various instructional methods and strategies to meet my child's needs.
- Q10 My child takes responsibility for his or her learning.

	Survey Count	Agree and Strongly Agree (% of Respondents)									
		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10
Districtwide	446	96	86	94	92	71	85	71	93	89	93
Belen High	7	57	42	14	14	42	14	57	14	16	71
Belen Infinity High	0	No Data Available									
Belen Middle	3	33	0	50	33	0	33	0	33	33	66
Central Elementary	2	100	100	100	0	50	50	0	50	0	50
Dennis Chavez Elementary	11	100	81	100	90	80	100	66	100	100	100
Family School	0	No Data Available									
Gil Sanchez Elementary	5	100	80	60	80	0	40	40	100	100	80
Jaramillo Elementary	5	100	100	80	80	80	60	40	60	60	80
La Merced Elementary	409	97	88	96	94	73	88	73	95	91	94
La Promesa Elementary	0	No Data Available									
Rio Grande Elementary	4	75	50	75	100	75	75	50	100	75	100

Source: PED anonymous survey collected from parents annually

### National Assessment of Educational Progress Statewide Results

The National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) is often called the "Nation's Report Card" because it allows the comparison of student achievement across states and for the nation as a whole. The sampling method does not allow for reporting results by district or by school. For further information please visit <http://NCES.ED.Gov/NationsReportCard>.

NAEP does not replace assessments which annually measure student performance according to New Mexico curriculum standards. All students are required to take the standards based assessments, whereas the NAEP selects representative samples of students and districts. Because not all subject areas or grade levels are tested every year, these statewide results are for the most recent year assessed in that subject area and grade.

#### Statewide Participation

	Reading %	Math %	Science %
4th Grade ELL	91	95	94 (2009)
4th Grade SWD*	93	88	86 (2009)
8th Grade ELL	92	95	93 (2011)
8th Grade SWD*	89	90	87 (2011)

\* NAEP does not accommodate students with severe disabilities  
Participation in NAEP is not mandatory

4th Grade	Reading (2015)				Math (2015)				Science (2009)			
	Advanced %	Proficient %	Basic*	Below %	Advanced %	Proficient %	Basic*	Below %	Advanced %	Proficient %	Basic*	Below %
New Mexico	4	19	31	46	3	24	47	27	#	24	39	37
Nation	8	27	33	32	7	32	42	19	1	32	39	29

8th Grade	Reading (2015)				Math (2015)				Science (2011)			
	Advanced %	Proficient %	Basic*	Below %	Advanced %	Proficient %	Basic*	Below %	Advanced %	Proficient %	Basic*	Below %
New Mexico	1	19	45	35	3	17	41	39	1	22	35	43
Nation	3	29	42	25	8	24	38	30	2	29	34	36

\* Basic is most comparable to Proficient on New Mexico's Standards Based Assessment  
# Rounds to zero  
Blanks indicate too few students to report