



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.

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 NMAC-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
- Accountability
 - Summaries of School Grades
 - Cohort Graduation Rates (4, 5, and 6 Year)
 - Status of Non-Graduates
- Achievement
 - Proficiencies in Reading, Mathematics, and Science
 - NAEP Statewide Summary for Grades 4 and 8
- School Board Member Training
- Budgeted Expenditures
- Teacher Credentials
- Post-Secondary Achievement (College Going, Credit Accumulation)
- Parent Survey on the Quality of Education

	LEA		State	
	Number	%	Number	%
All Students	29	100	338,550	100
Female	15	52	165,208	49
Male	14	48	173,342	51
Caucasian	7	24	84,141	25
African-American	1	3	7,051	2
Hispanic	17	59	206,859	61
Asian	0	0	4,338	1
American Indian	4	14	35,637	11
Pacific Islander	0	0	524	0
Multiracial	0	0	5	0
ED	10	35	242,595	72
SWD	29	100	49,656	15
ELL	0	0	50,059	15
Migrant	0	0	354	0
Recently Arrived	0	0	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
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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		
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 Prior						
5	State Current	24.1	75.9	20.8	79.2		
5	State Prior	53.2	46.8	43.7	56.3		
6	State Current	22.0	78.0	18.8	81.2		
6	State Prior	43.3	56.7	37.0	63.0		
6	LEA Prior						
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 Prior						
8	State Current	22.9	77.1	17.2	82.8		
8	State Prior	58.7	41.3	40.0	60.0		
8	LEA Prior						
9	State Current	26.7	73.3	16.0	84.0		
10	State Current	31.0	69.0	12.4	87.6		
10	State Prior	37.7	62.3	30.4	69.6		
10	LEA Prior						
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 Prior						

Achievement - Proficiency Summaries by Subgroup

		Reading		Mathematics		Science	
		Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)	Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)	Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)
All Students	LEA Current	23.1	76.9	23.1	76.9		
All Students	State Current	26.6	73.4	17.6	82.4	39.8	60.2
Female	State Current	31.7	68.3	17.7	82.3	38.4	61.6
Male	State Current	21.7	78.3	17.6	82.4	41.1	58.9
Caucasian	State Current	42.5	57.5	29.9	70.1	61.0	39.0
African American	State Current	24.5	75.5	13.9	86.1	36.9	63.1
Hispanic	State Current	21.8	78.2	13.7	86.3	33.7	66.3
Asian	State Current	53.8	46.2	45.6	54.4	65.1	34.9

		Reading		Mathematics		Science	
		Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)	Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)	Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)
American Indian	State Current	13.9	86.1	9.0	91.0	20.6	79.4
Economically Disadvantaged	State Current	19.0	81.0	12.4	87.6	31.1	68.9
Students w Disabilities	State Current	6.6	93.4	6.4	93.6	15.0	85.0
Students w Disabilities	LEA Current	23.1	76.9	23.1	76.9		
English Language Learners	State Current	7.1	92.9	5.3	94.7	10.2	89.8
Migrant	State Current	11.3	88.7	4.7	95.3	10.6	89.4
Q1	State Current	2.9	97.1	0.8	99.2	1.3	98.7
Q3	State Current	35.5	64.5	23.6	76.4	53.5	46.5

Achievement - Proficiency Summaries by School							
		Reading		Mathematics		Science	
		Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)	Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)	Proficient (%)	Not Proficient (%)
NM School for the Blind and Visually Impaired		16.7	83.3	16.7	83.3		

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

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	
NM School for the Blind and Visually Impaired	51.4									

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	83.4									
NM School for the Blind and Visually Impaired	83.4									

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	
New Mexico School for the Blind and Visually Impaired	85.9									

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				
	Certificate	Status Unknown	Exit Out	Still Enrolled
NM School for the Blind and Visually Impaired				

	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	0.0	57.1	0.0	0.0
NM School for the Blind and Visually Impaired	0.0	50.0	0.0	0.0

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

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

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	0	No Data Available									

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 .						Statewide Participation					
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.						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