

**WAUNAKEE COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION CURRICULUM COMMITTEE**

Wednesday, September 24, 2025

4:00 PM

Waunakee Community School District
905 Bethel Circle
Waunakee, WI 53597

Members of the public may attend Board of Education meetings in-person, and will be asked to check in with District personnel when you arrive.

Public comments will be limited to 3 minutes. The Board will allow 30 Minutes for public comments.

Public comments may be sent to Rebecca McDonough at district_administrator@waunakee.k12.wi.us up to one hour before the start of the Board meeting. All comments will be reviewed by the Board members. Emailed comments will be reviewed by the board but not read out loud. Emailed comments sent during any part of the board meeting (Board Development, Closed session, Open session) will be forwarded to the board but may or may not be reviewed by the board until after the board adjourns. Comments must include the commentator's name, address, and must identify their connection to the District (if any) and any group they are representing in order to be considered by the Board.

If you would like to address the Board in-person during the public comments section of the meeting, you will be greeted in the lobby of the building, asked to check in with District personnel when you arrive so that you can be recognized and address the Board when your name is called.

A recording of the meeting will be posted on the District webpage within 24 hours of the meeting time.

AGENDA

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. APPROVE THE AGENDA

IV. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Individuals may use this time to comment on any items listed as part of the meeting agenda. A copy of Board Policy 187 —Public Participation at Board Meetings is enclosed for your reference. Past practice has allowed 30 minutes for this section of the agenda.

V. 2024-2025 STATE ASSESSMENT RESULTS

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Amy Johnson and Tim Schell

Amy Johnson and Tim Schell will review the 2024-2025 state assessment results. Both school level and district grade level results will be presented.

VI. FUTURE AGENDAS AND MEETINGS

VII. ADJOURN

“Any person who has a qualifying disability as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act who requires assistance with access or materials should contact the Waunakee Community School District Office at 849-2000, 905 Bethel Circle Drive Waunakee, WI 53597, at least twenty-four hours prior to the commencement of the meeting so that necessary arrangements can be made to accommodate the request.”



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Curriculum Committee
2024-2025 Assessment Results

September 24, 2025

Mission, Vision, and Equity Statements

- **Mission Statement:** “Committed to Children...Committed to Community...Committed to Excellence”
- **Vision Statement:** The Waunakee Community School District is a collaborative learning community that works with students, staff, families, and the community to ensure that every student is ready for college and career; through a focus on data, research based best practices, and engagement with students to be active partners in their learning.
- **Equity Statement:** The Waunakee Community School District embraces the differences among our students, staff, and families. We work to provide a safe environment with access to resources, opportunities, and instruction for all students to reach their full potential in the classroom and beyond. We strive to create a culture of dialogue, acceptance, and inclusion. We are committed to engaging all students so that they may thrive academically, socially, and emotionally in an ever-changing multicultural society.



Vision for Teaching & Learning

In order to ensure our commitment to children, the Waunakee Community School District establishes a learning environment that is challenging and attentive to the diverse learning needs of all students. To attain this vision:

- Learning environments will be safe, inclusive, engaging, and inspire students to take initiative for their learning.
- Teaching, learning, and assessment will be student centered and meet individual academic and social-emotional differences and needs.
- Teaching and assessment will reflect evidence-based best practices to achieve high expectations of learning for all.
- Consistent formative and summative assessment practices will provide timely and meaningful feedback to teachers, students, and parents to guide teaching and support learning for all.
- Professional learning community structures and adaptive schools practices will be used to provide equity, access, and growth for all students.



Board of Education Goal #1 - Student Learning, Supports and Experiences

By June 2029, all Waunakee Community School District Schools will significantly exceed expectations on the Wisconsin State Accountability Report Card.

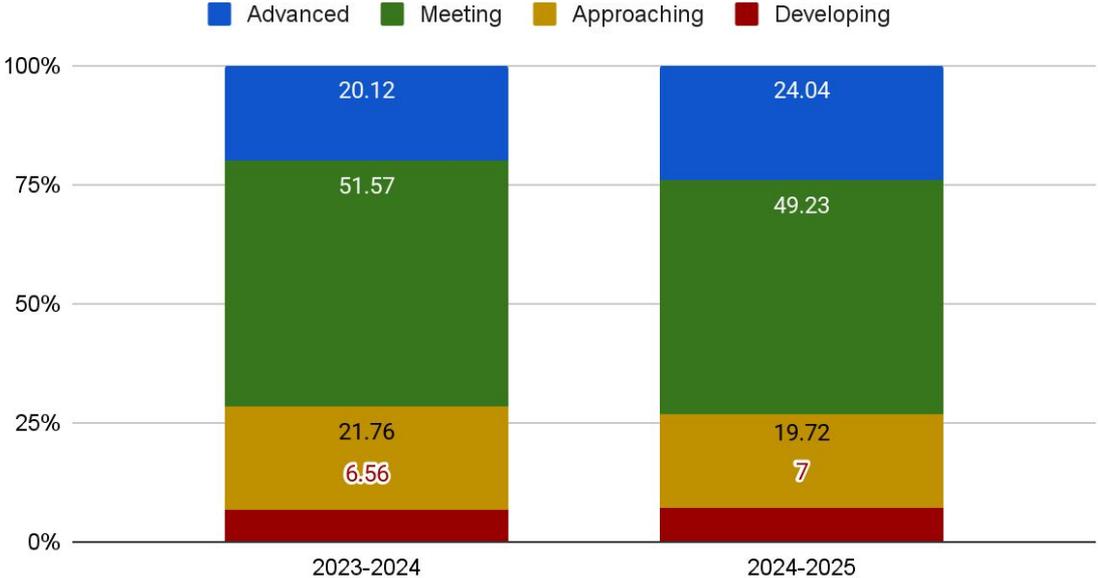


2024-2025 State Assessment Results

- Comparison of 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 results, the first two years with the new DPI cut scores for proficiency levels.
- Percentages are of students tested. Student opt outs are not included in these calculations.
 - This aligns with what results calculate toward the accountability ⁷ report cards.
 - Opt outs are trending down but are still above the state average.
- The index score is the basis for the achievement priority area score on the accountability report cards.
- Scores from the DLM, an alternative assessment of standards for our students with the most significant disabilities, are also included.
- Scores are for students who attended  for the Full Academic Year (FAY).

District ELA By Grade (3-11 Forward, PreACT, ACT)

ELA Performance Levels



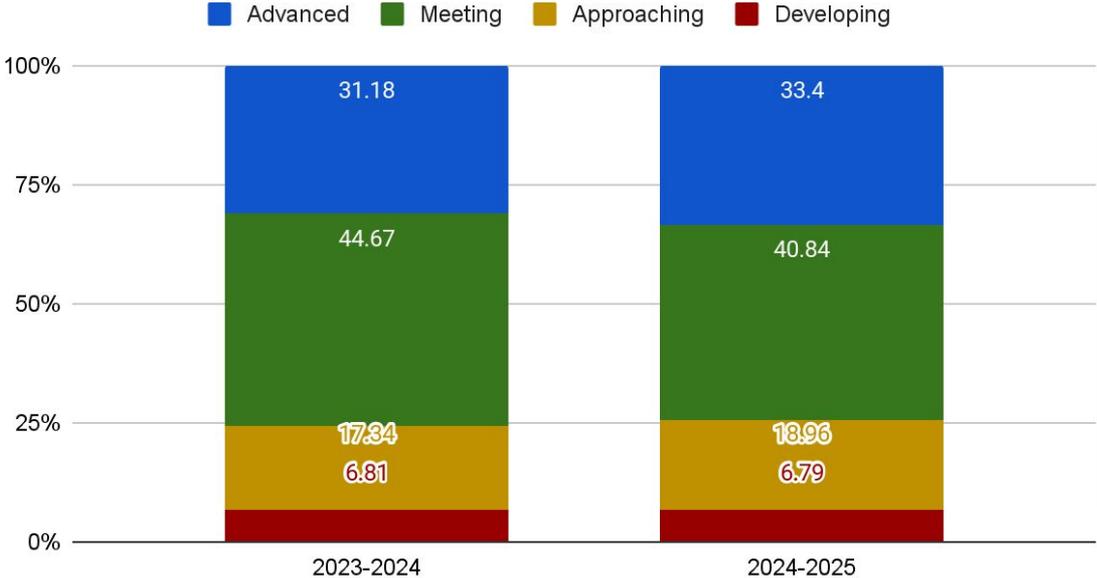
	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Advanced	71.7%	73.3%
Index Score	.926	.952

Index score weights approaching at 0.5, meeting at 1, and advanced at 1.5 divided by the total of tested students.



District Mathematics (3-11 Forward, PreACT, ACT)

Mathematics Performance Levels



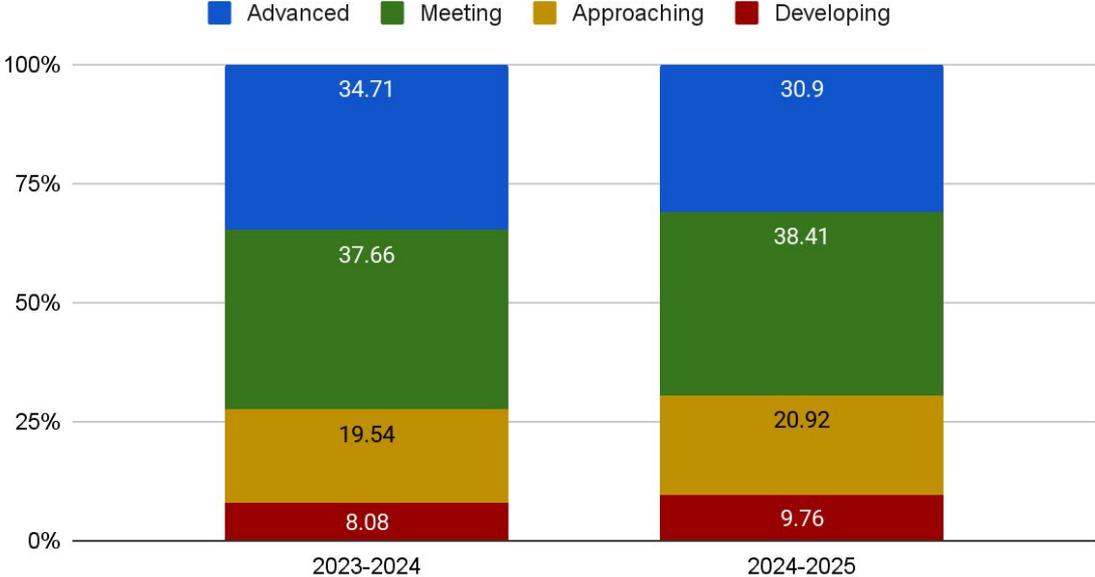
	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Advanced	75.9%	74.2%
Index Score	1.001	1.004

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District Science (4, 8, 11 Forward, ACT)

Science Performance Levels



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Meets+Advanced	72.4%	69.3%
Index Score	.995	.952

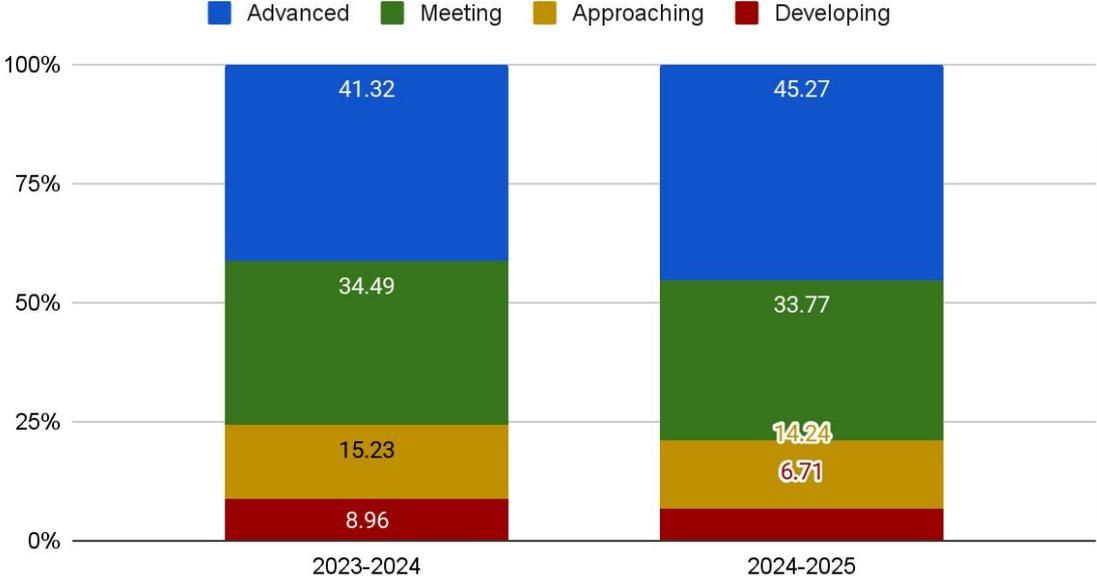
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District Social Studies (4, 8, 10 Forward)

Social Studies Performance Levels



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Index Score	1.041	1.088

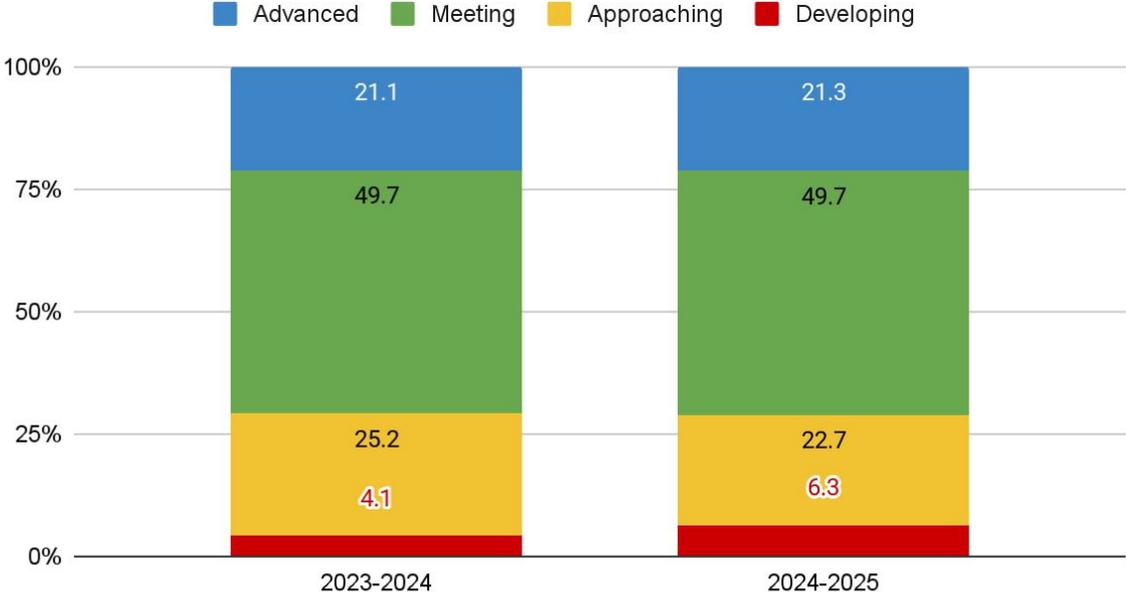
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3rd Grade ELA (Forward)

3rd Grade ELA



	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Adv	70.7%	71.0%
Index Score	0.939	0.930

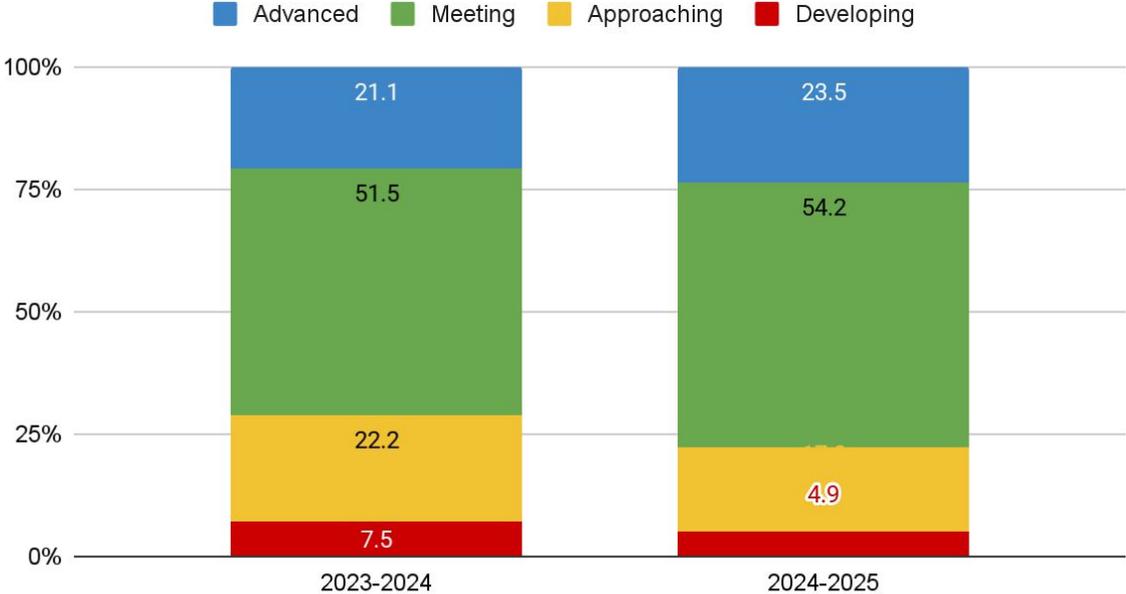
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4th Grade ELA (Forward)

4th Grade ELA



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Meets+Adv	70.0%	77.8%
Index Score	0.906	0.982

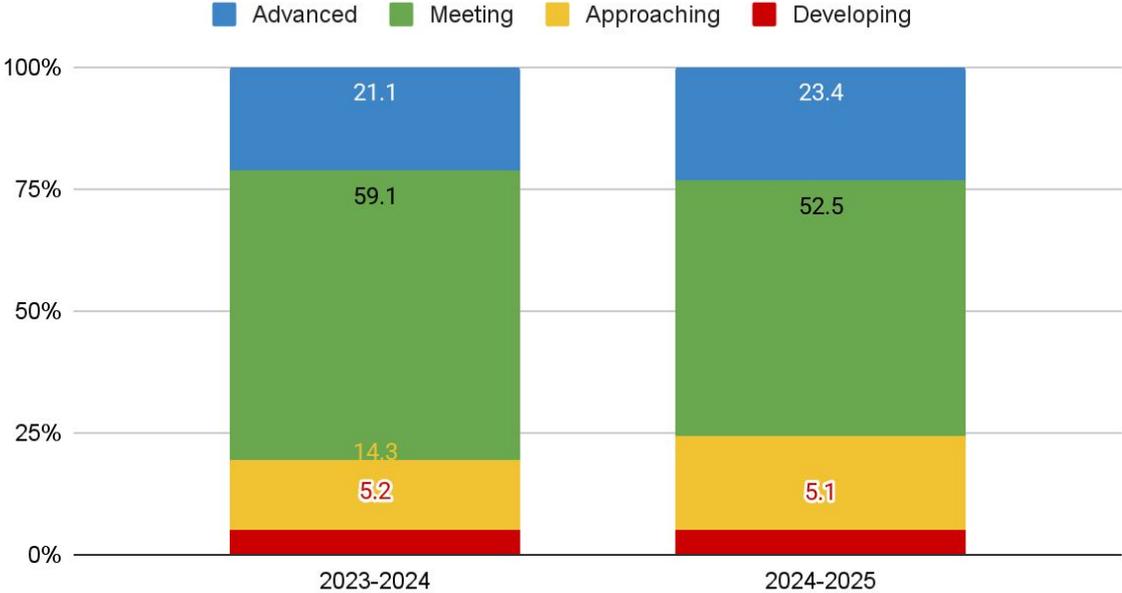
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5th Grade ELA (Forward)

5th Grade ELA



	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Adv	80.5%	75.9%
Index Score	0.984	0.978

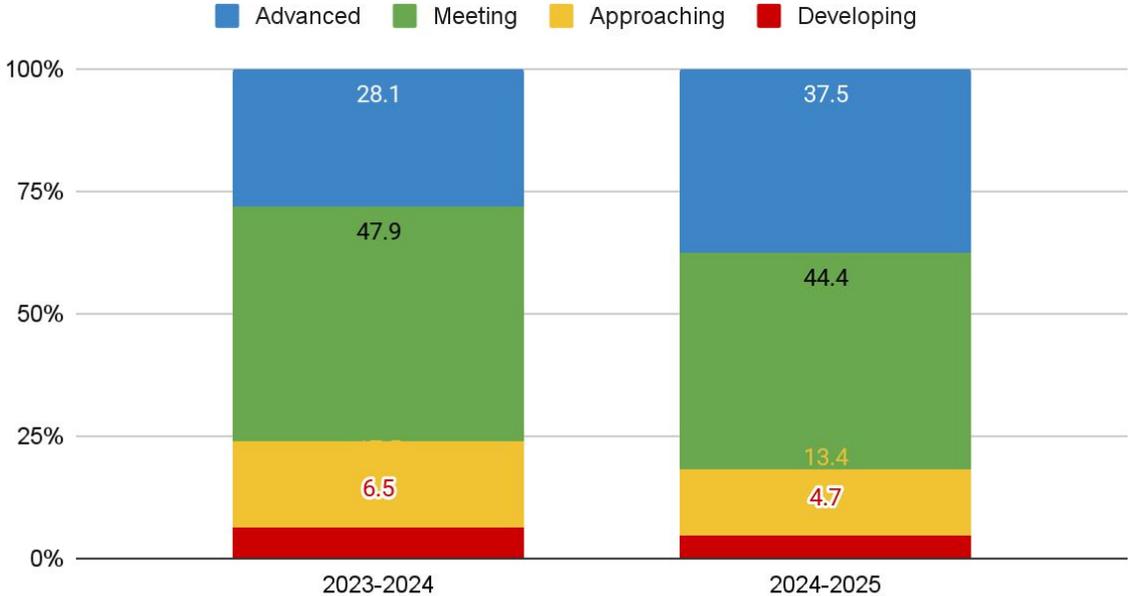
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6th Grade ELA (Forward)

6th Grade ELA



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Meets+Advanced	76.3%	81.9%
Index Score	0.988	1.073

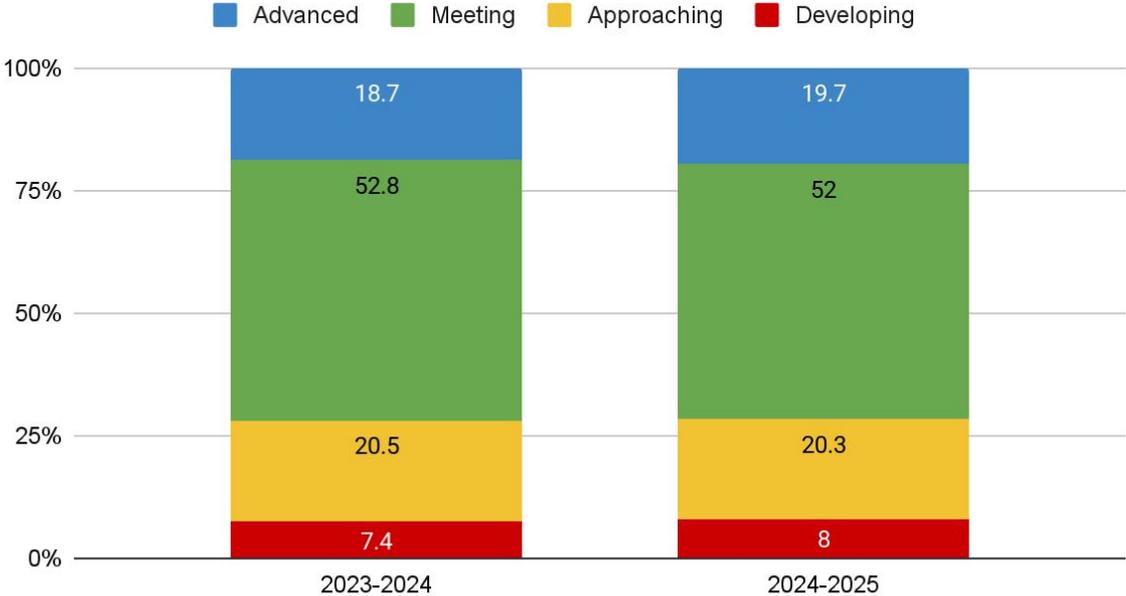
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7th Grade ELA (Forward)

7th Grade ELA



	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Adv	71.5%	71.7%
Index Score	0.913	0.917

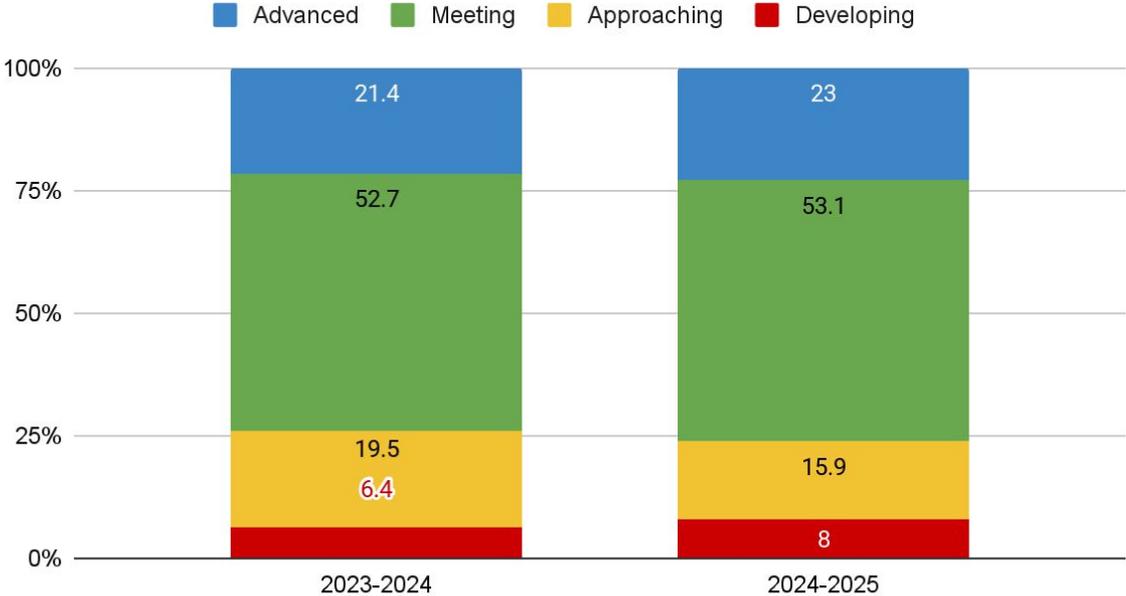
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8th Grade ELA (Forward)

8th Grade ELA



	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Advanced	74.1%	76.1%
Index Score	0.946	0.956

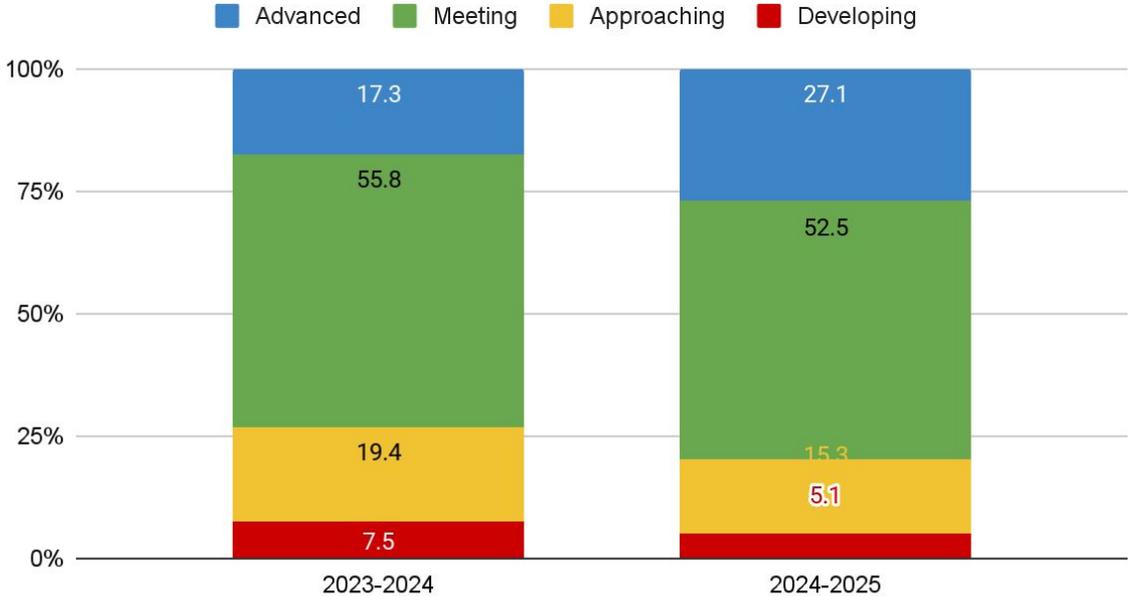
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9th Grade ELA (PreACT Secure)

9th Grade ELA



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Meets+Adv	73.1%	79.6%
Index Score	0.915	1.008

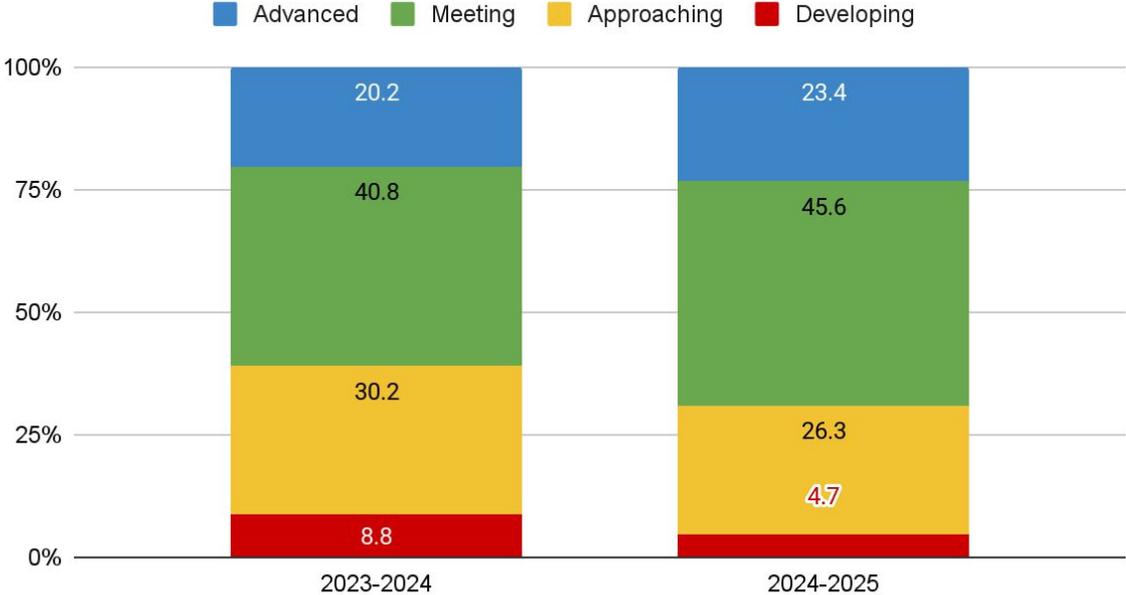
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10th Grade ELA (PreACT Secure)

10th Grade ELA



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Meets+Advanced	61.1%	69.1%
Index Score	0.863	0.939

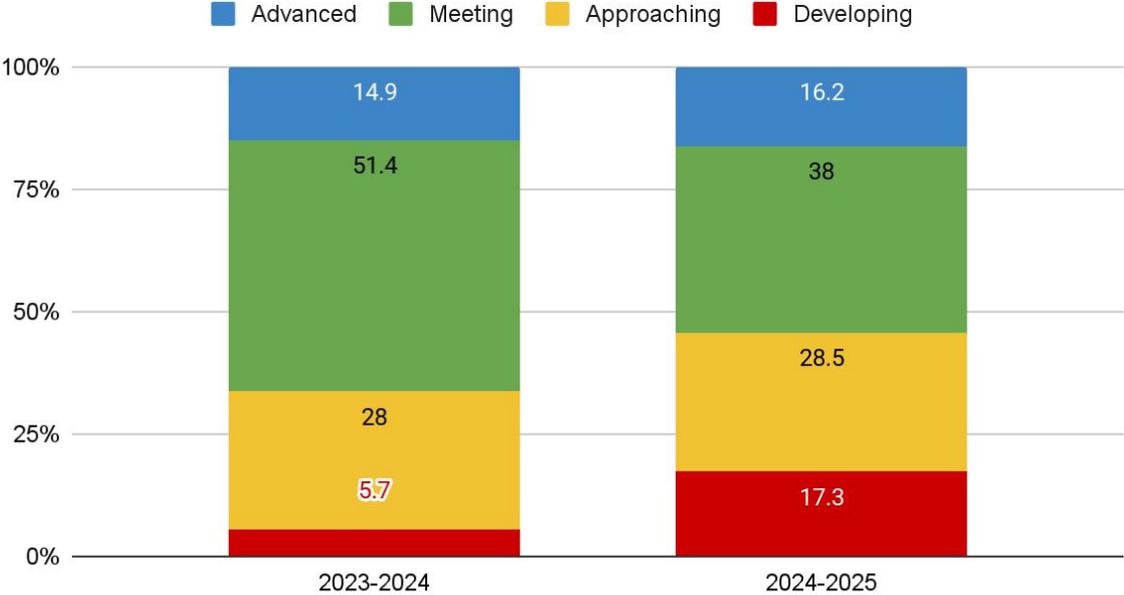
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11th Grade ELA (ACT)

11th Grade ELA



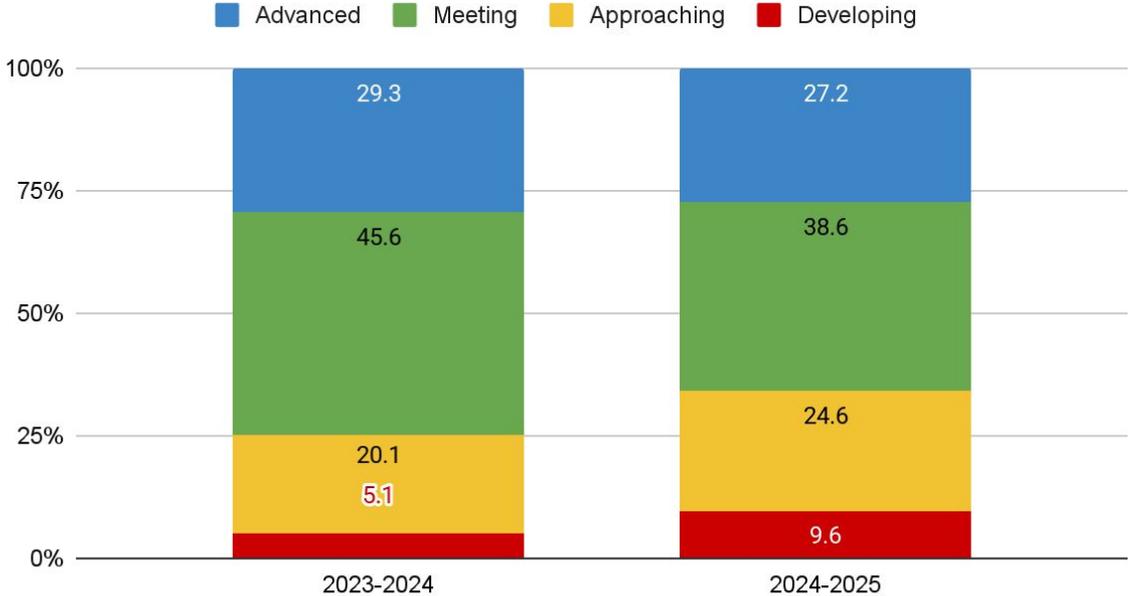
	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Advanced	66.2%	54.2%
Index Score	0.875	0.766

Index score weights approaching at 0.5, meeting at 1, and advanced at 1.5 divided by the total of tested students.



3rd Grade Mathematics (Forward)

3rd Grade Mathematics



	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Adv	74.8%	65.7%
Index Score	0.995	0.917

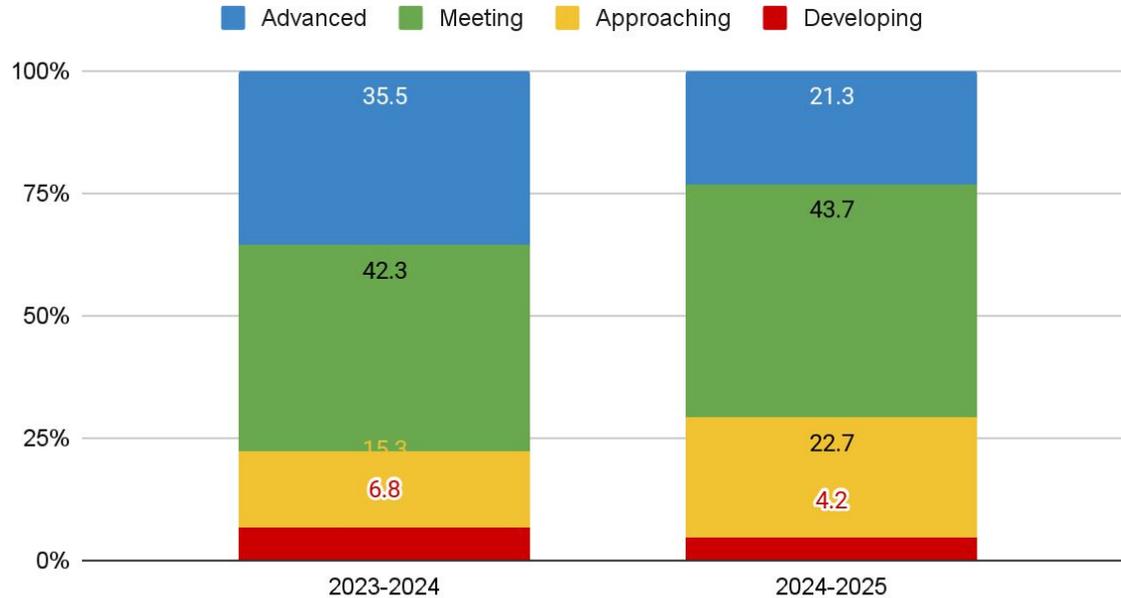
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4th Grade Mathematics (Forward)

4th Grade Mathematics



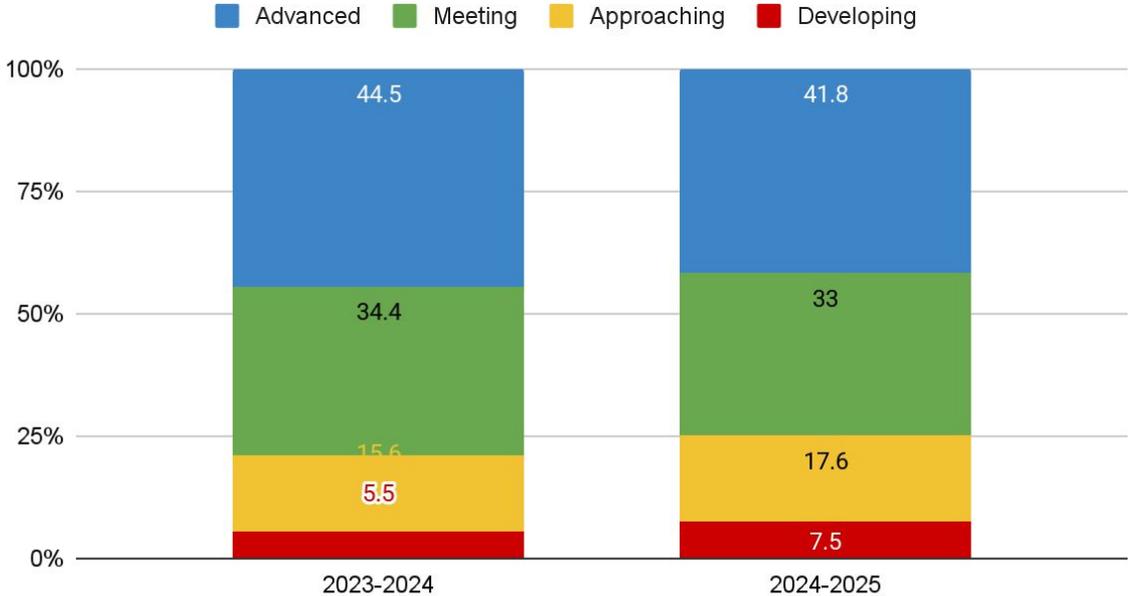
	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Adv	76.8%	73.1%
Index Score	1.033	0.992

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5th Grade Mathematics (Forward)

5th Grade Mathematics



	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Advanced	78.9%	74.8%
Index Score	1.089	1.046

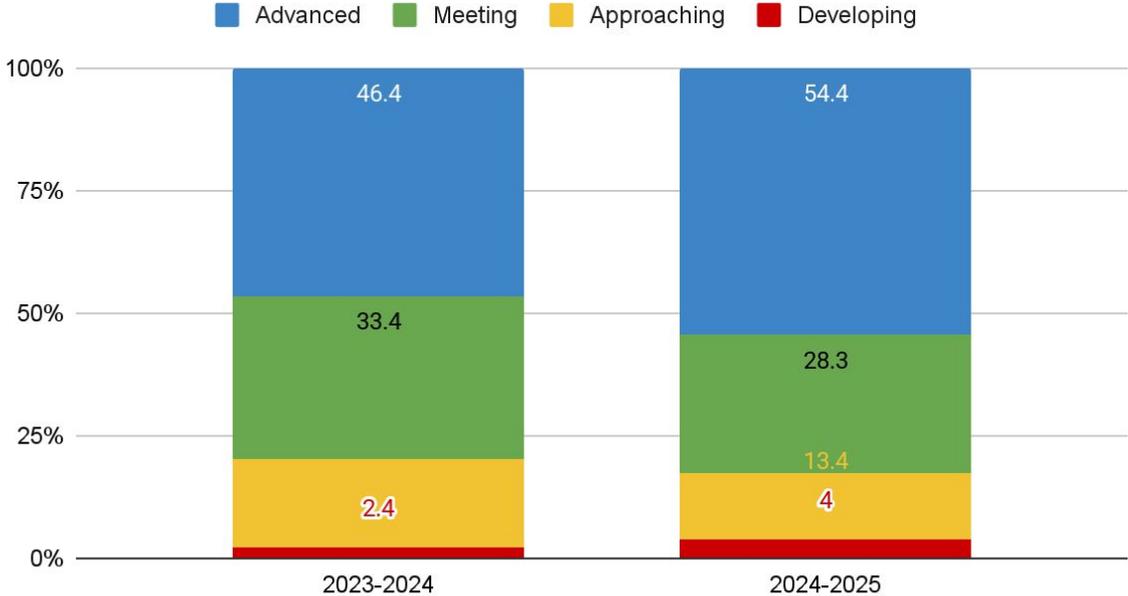
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6th Grade Mathematics (Forward)

6th Grade Mathematics



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Meets+Adv	79.9%	82.6%
Index Score	1.119	1.165

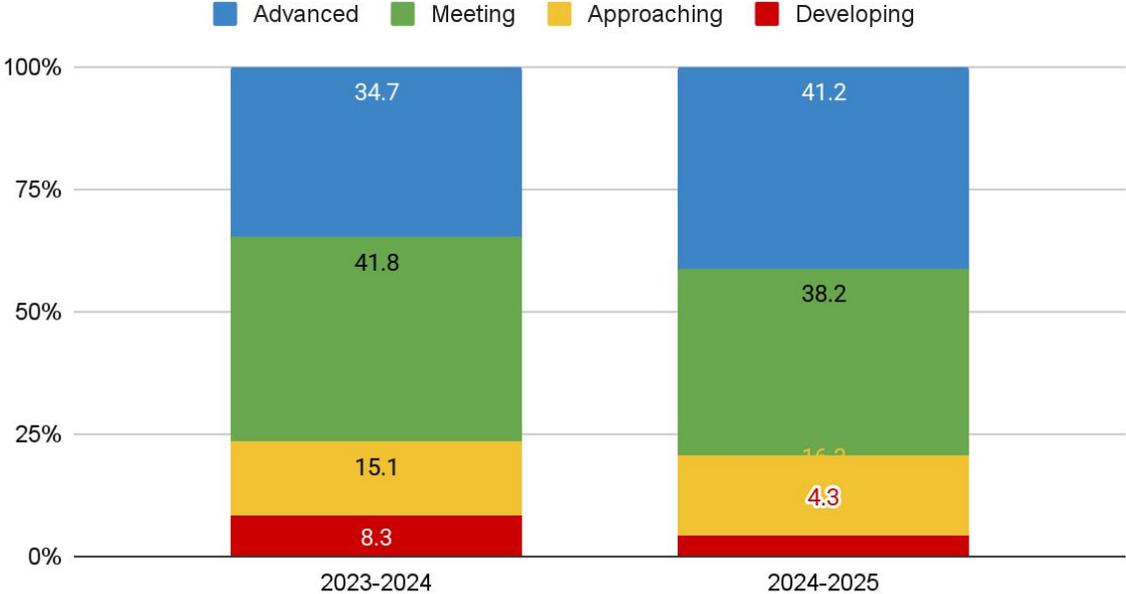
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7th Grade Mathematics (Forward)

7th Grade Mathematics



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Meets+Adv	76.6%	79.4%
Index Score	1.014	1.081

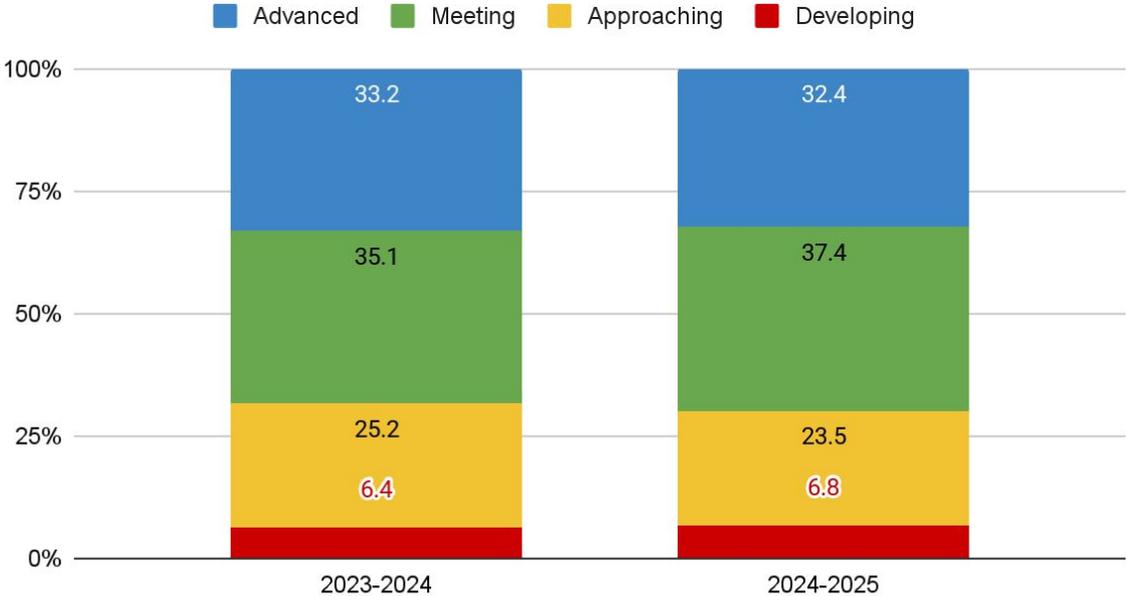
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8th Grade Mathematics (Forward)

8th Grade Mathematics



	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Adv	68.4%	69.7%
Index Score	0.976	0.976

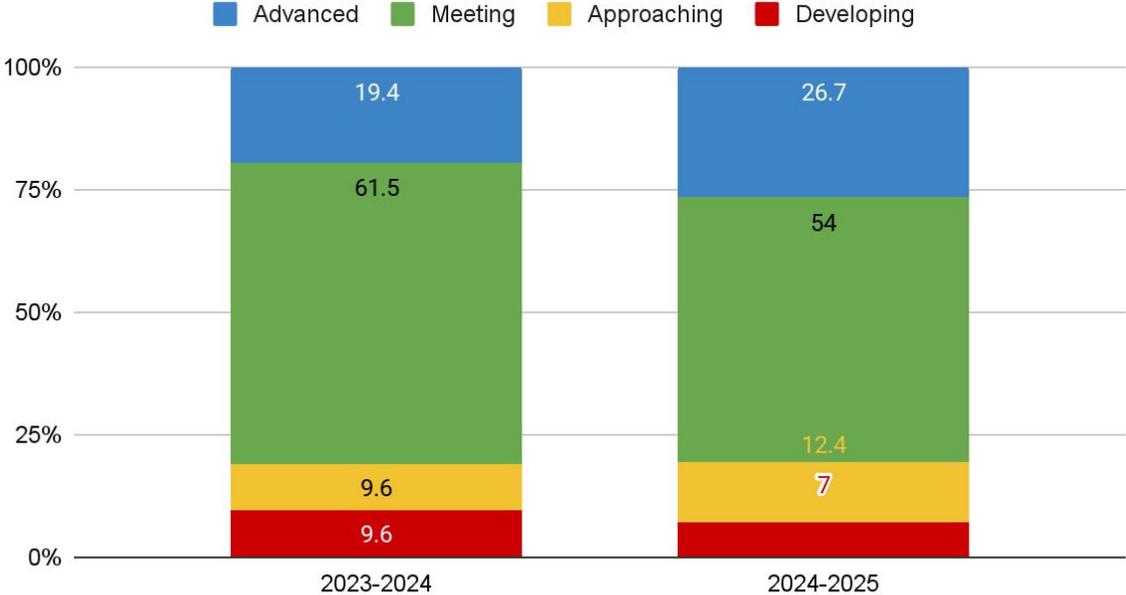
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9th Grade Mathematics (PreACT Secure)

9th Grade Mathematics



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Meets+Adv	80.9%	80.6%
Index Score	0.954	1.002

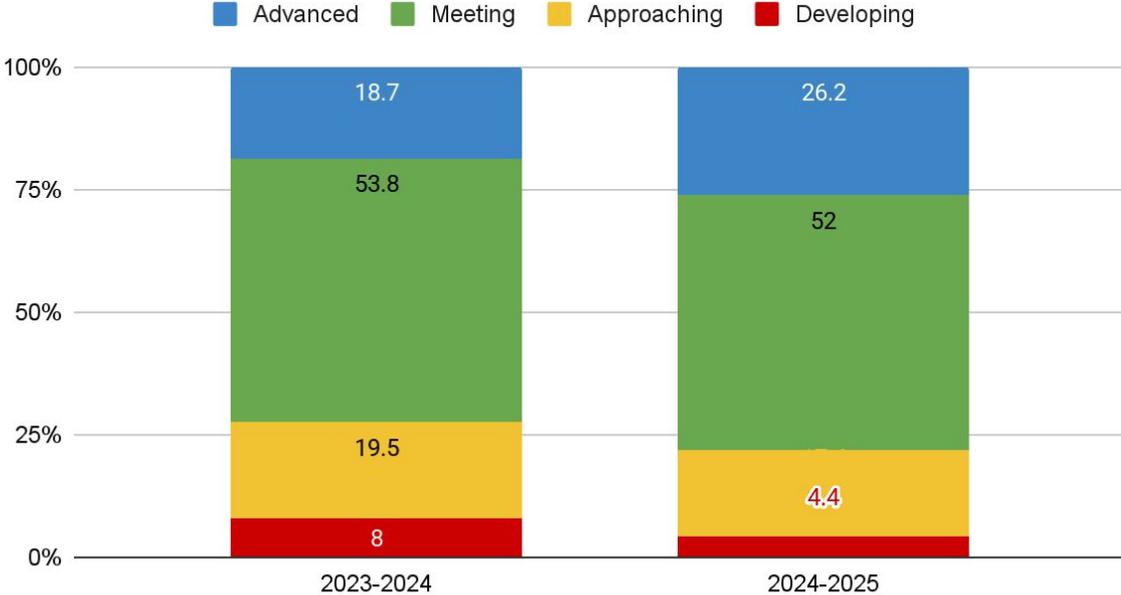
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Index score weights approaching at 0.5, meeting at 1, and advanced at 1.5 divided by the total of tested students.



10th Grade Mathematics (PreACT Secure)

10th Grade Mathematics



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Meets+Adv	72.5%	78.2%
Index Score	0.916	1.000

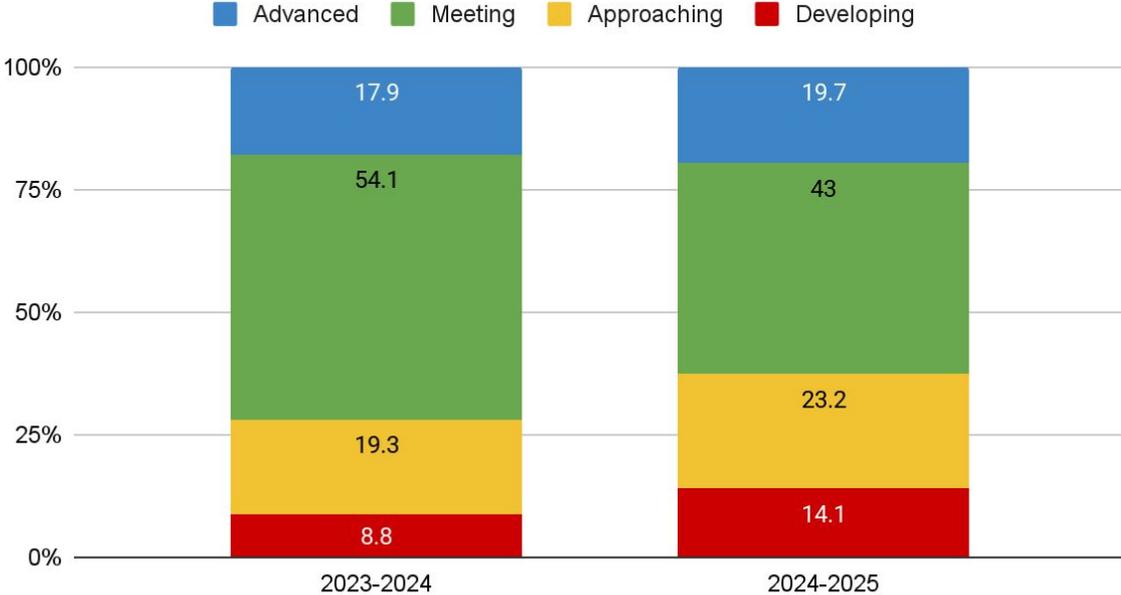
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11th Grade Mathematics (ACT)

11th Grade Mathematics



	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Advanced	72.0%	62.7%
Index Score	0.905	0.842

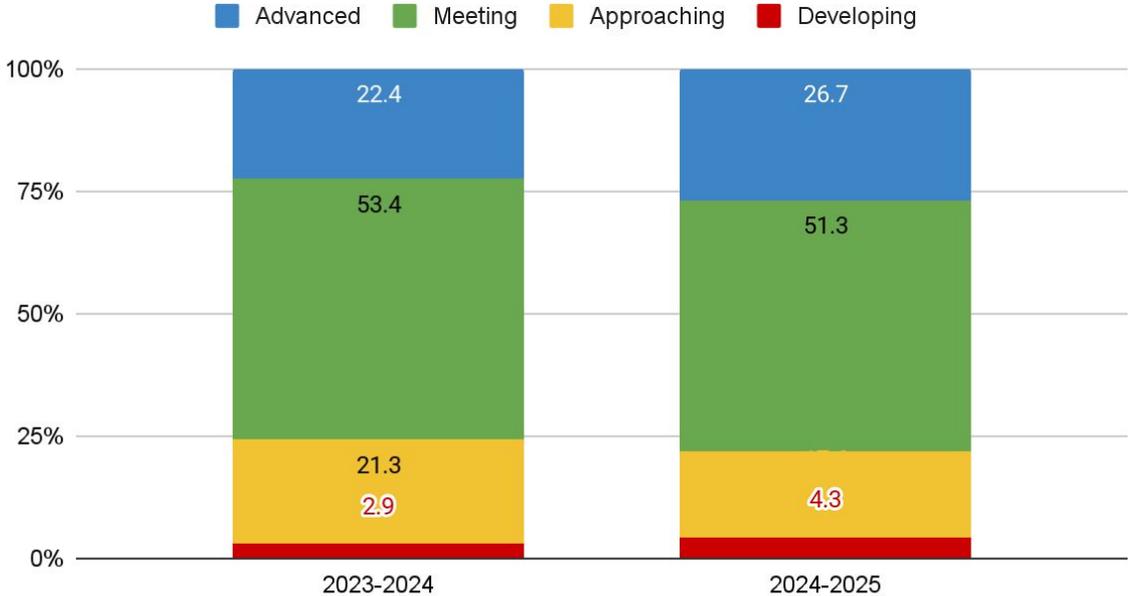
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Index score weights approaching at 0.5, meeting at 1, and advanced at 1.5 divided by the total of tested students.



Arboretum ELA (Forward)

Arboretum Elementary School ELA



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Meets+Advanced	75.9%	78.1%
Index Score	0.977	1.003

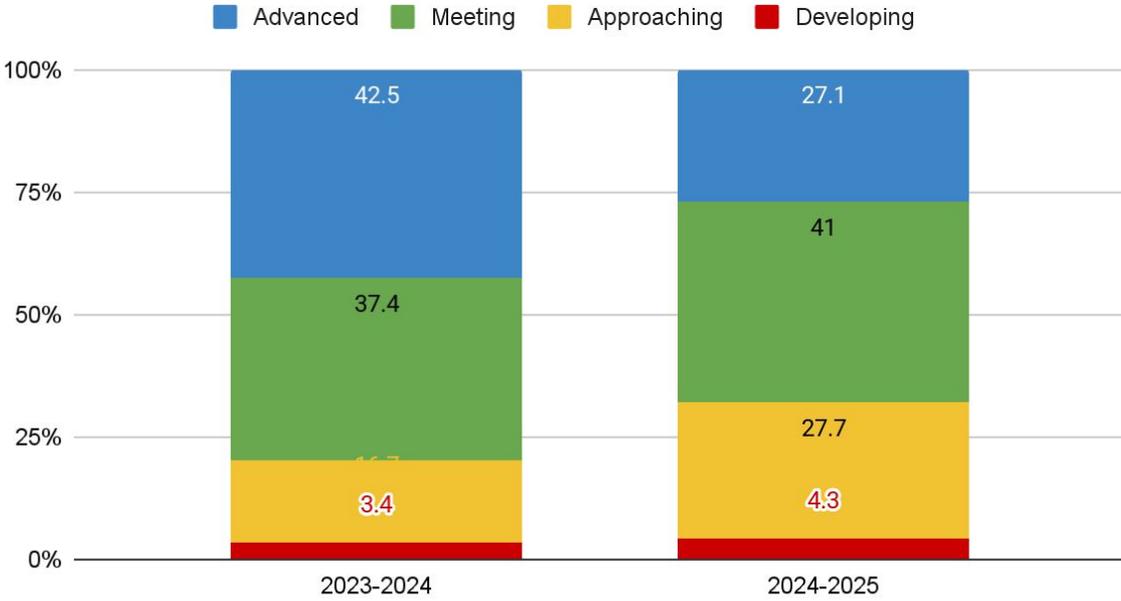
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Arboretum Mathematics (Forward)

Arboretum Elementary School Mathematics



	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Adv	79.9%	68.1%
Index Score	1.095	0.955

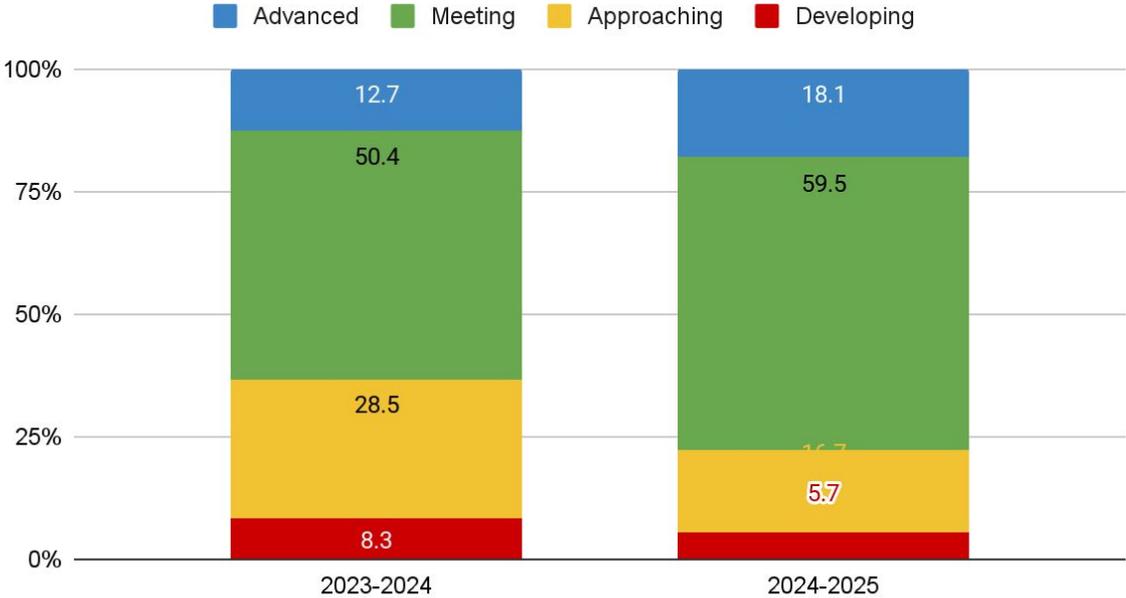
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Heritage ELA (Forward)

Heritage Elementary School ELA



	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Adv	63.2%	77.6%
Index Score	0.838	0.95

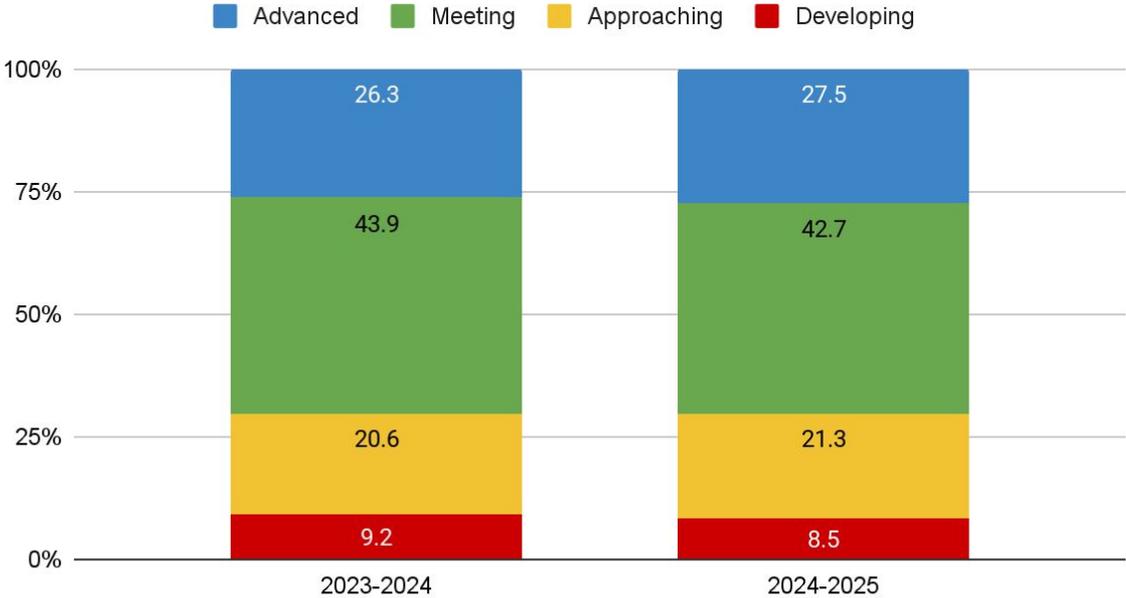
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Heritage Mathematics (Forward)

Heritage Elementary School Mathematics



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Meets+Advanced	70.2%	70.1%
Index Score	0.936	0.945

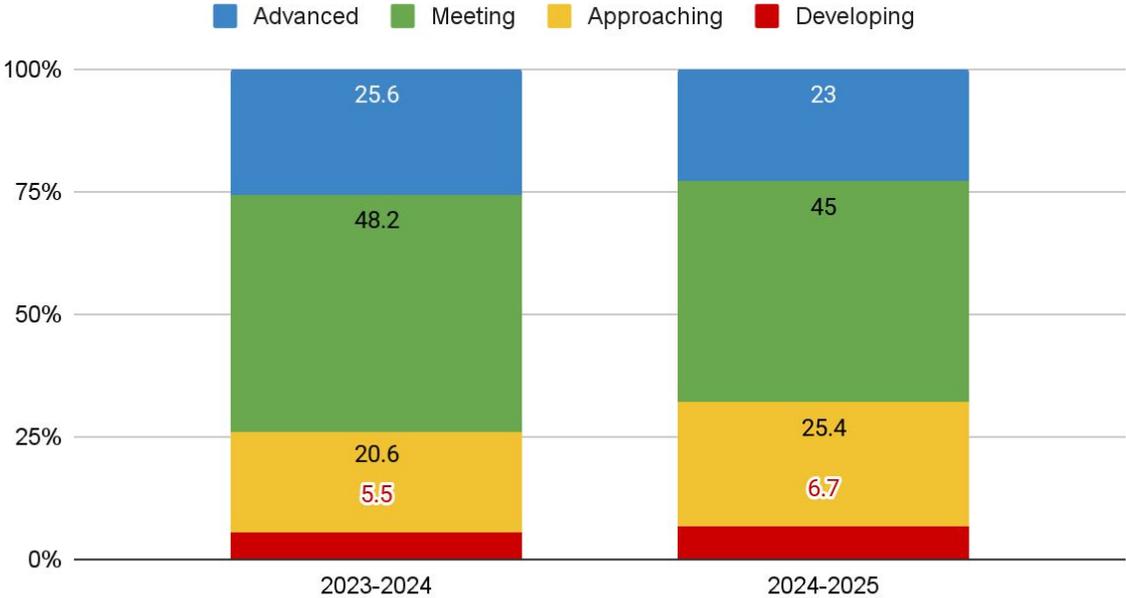
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Prairie ELA (Forward)

Prairie Elementary School ELA



	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Advanced	73.9%	67.9%
Index Score	0.970	0.921

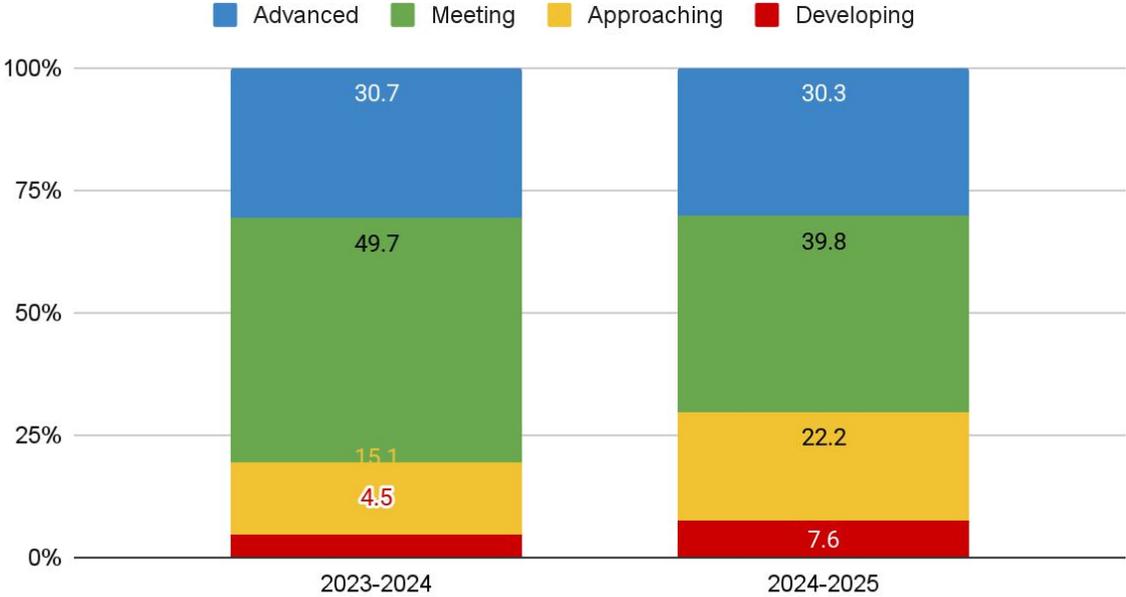
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Prairie Mathematics (Forward)

Prairie Elementary School Mathematics



	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Adv	80.4%	70.1%
Index Score	1.033	0.964

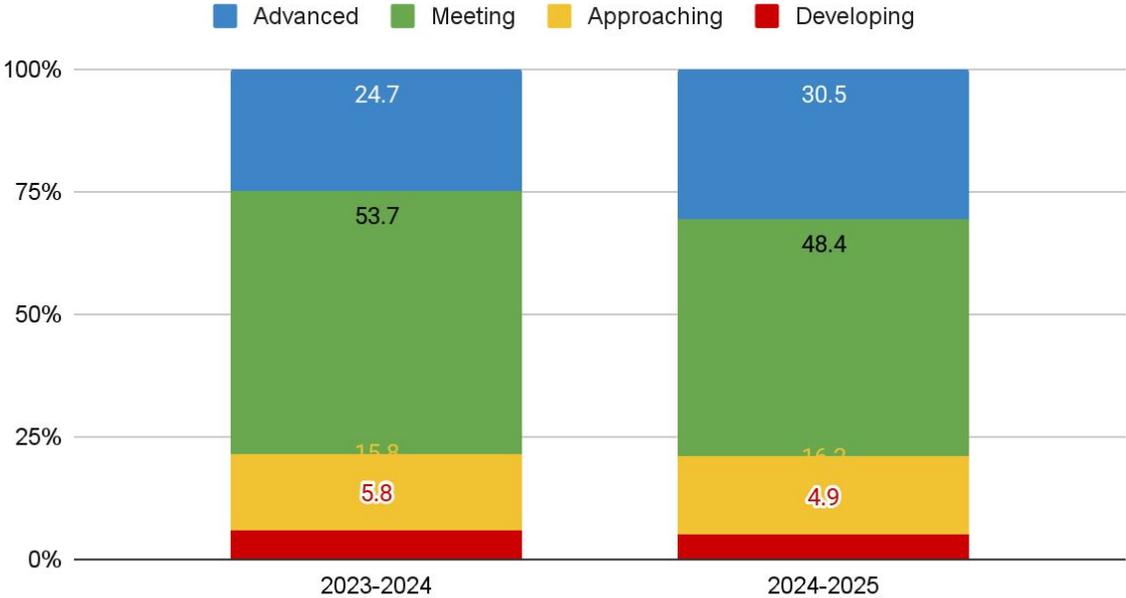
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Intermediate ELA (Forward)

Intermediate School ELA



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Meets+Advanced	78.3%	78.9%
Index Score	0.986	1.023

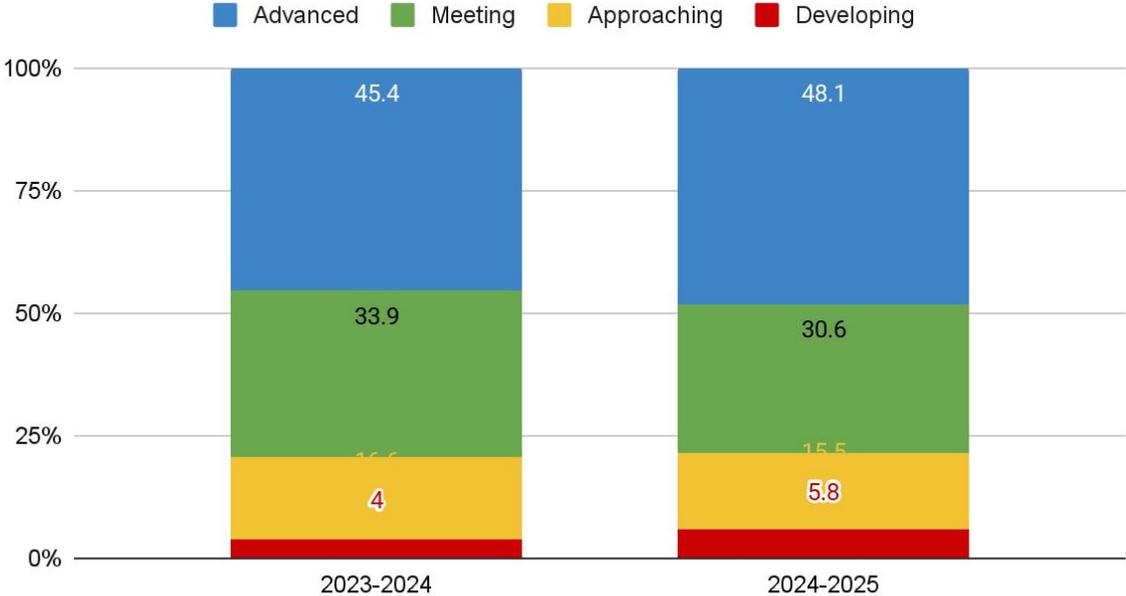
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Intermediate Mathematics (Forward)

Intermediate School Mathematics



	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Adv	79.4%	78.8%
Index Score	1.104	1.105

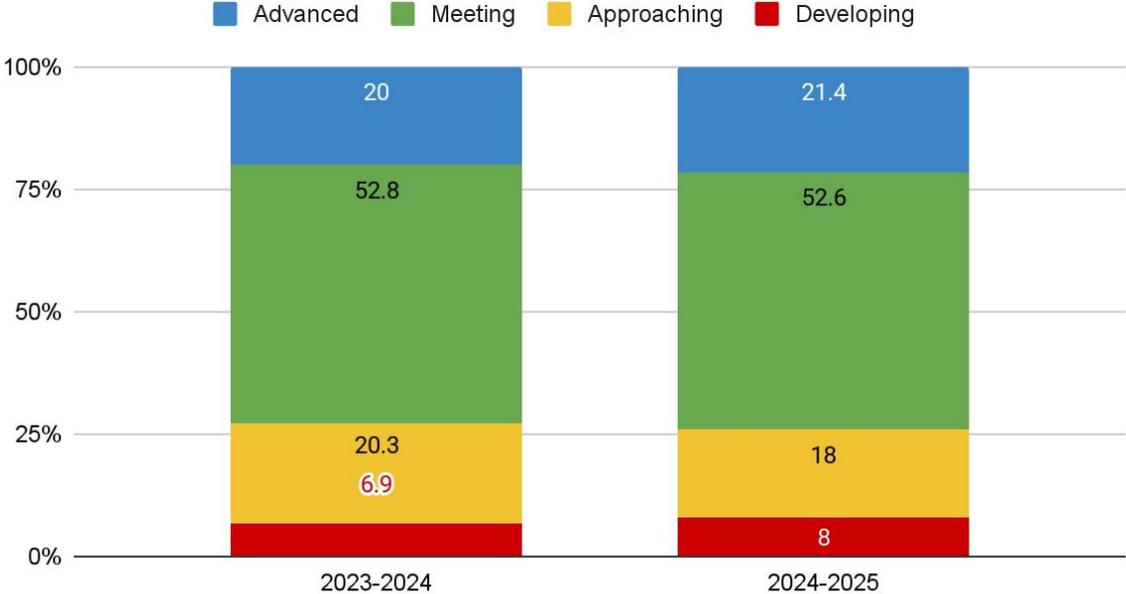
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Middle School ELA (Forward)

Middle School ELA



	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Advanced	72.8%	74.0%
Index Score	0.929	0.937

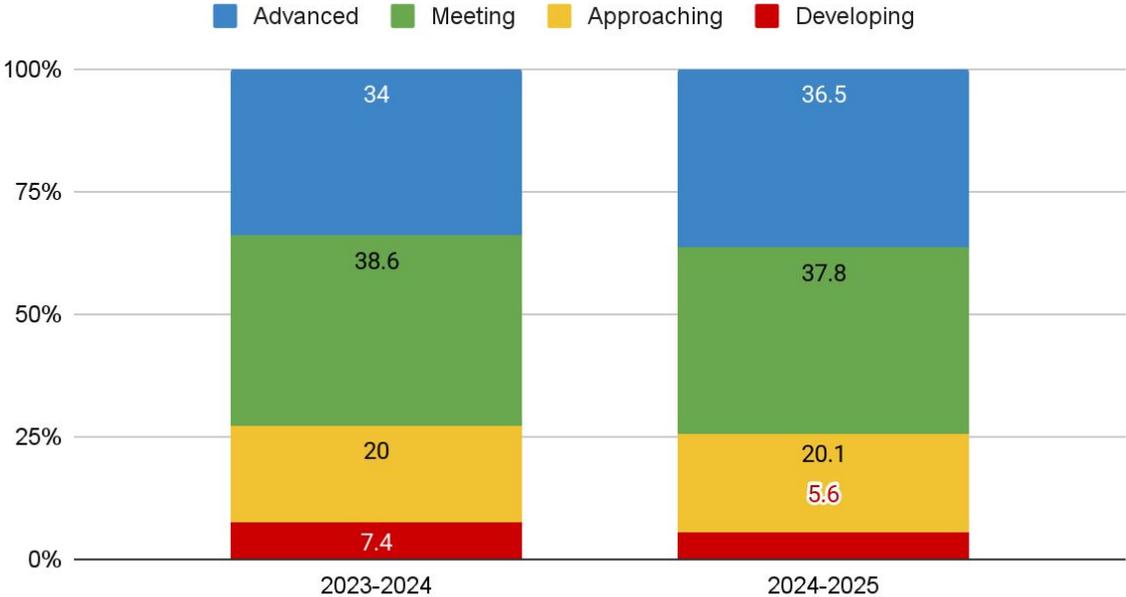
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Middle School Mathematics (Forward)

Middle School Mathematics



	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Advanced	72.6%	74.3%
Index Score	0.996	1.026

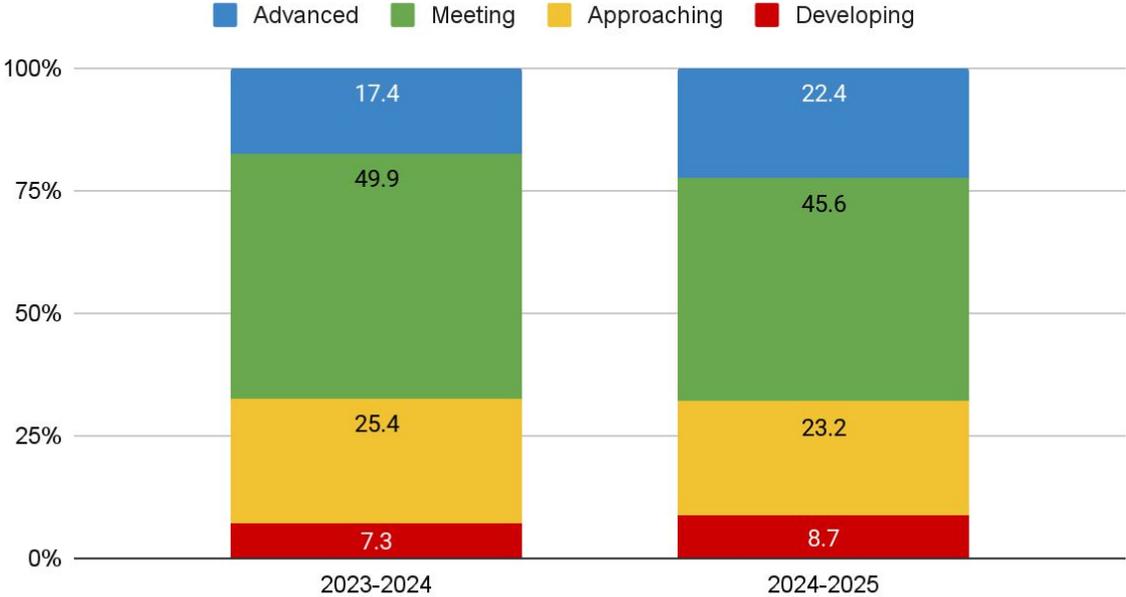
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High School ELA (PreACT and ACT)

High School ELA



	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Advanced	67.3%	68.0%
Index Score	0.887	0.909

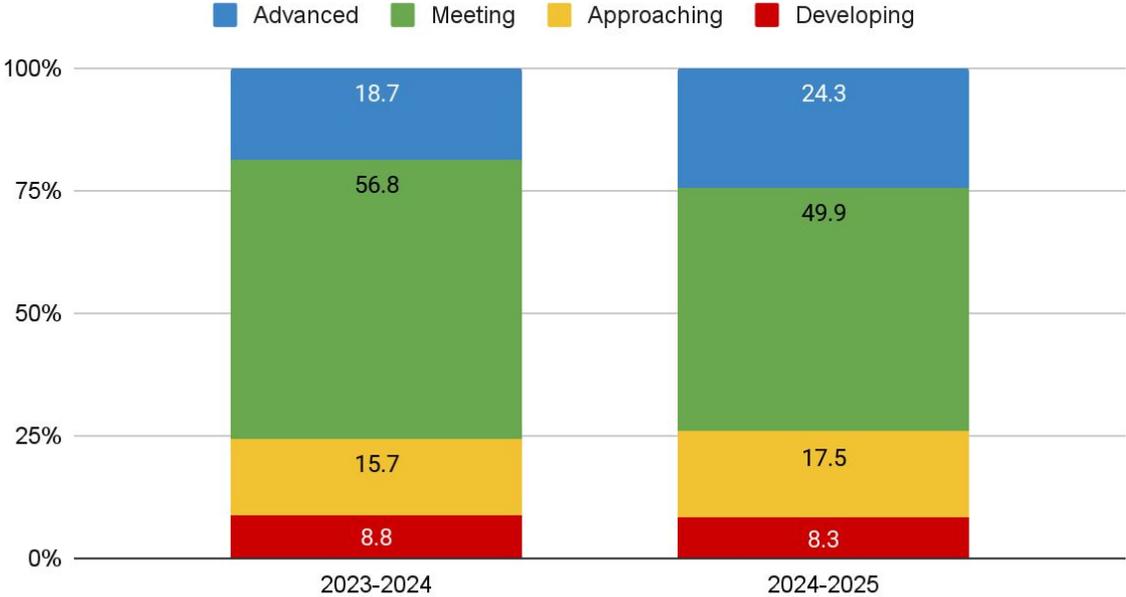
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High School Mathematics (PreACT and ACT)

High School Mathematics



	2023-2024	2024-2025
Meets+Advanced	75.8%	74.2%
Index Score	0.927	0.952

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Looking Ahead

- DPI will release statewide 2024-2025 assessment results on September 25.
- Accountability report cards will be released in November by DPI.



Closing and Questions

Upcoming Curriculum Committee Meetings:

- Week of November 17
- Week of February 16
- Week of April 20

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Next Board Update: February 9, 2026

Your Questions





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