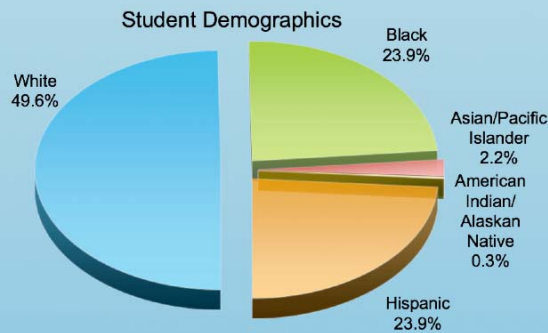


FLORIDA AT A GLANCE



Source: National Center for Education Statistics (NCES), Common Core of Data, 2004-05 School Year

FLORIDA STUDENTS

	Florida	United States
Total Students	2,675,024	49,676,964
Low-Income Students	45.8%	40.9%
Limited English Proficient	8.3%	8.5%
Students with Disabilities	14.9%	13.6%

Source: National Center For Education Statistics (NCES), Common Core of Data, 2005-06 School Year

FLORIDA SCHOOLS

	Florida	United States
Number of Schools	3,766	98,905
Schools Making Adequate Yearly Progress	1,082 (33.6%)	64,546 (70%)
Schools in Need of Improvement	1,001	10,676
Schools in Restructuring	462	2,302

Source: Consolidated State Performance Report, 2006-07 & NCES CCD, 2005-06

FLORIDA FACTS AND FIGURES

Total NCLB Funding (2007): \$964,423,577; a 49% increase over 2001 levels

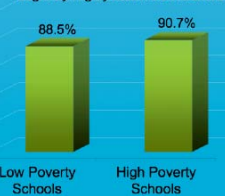
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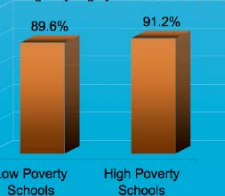
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FLORIDA TEACHERS

Elementary Classes
Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers



Secondary Classes
Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers



Source: Consolidated State Performance Reports, 2006-07

MAPPING FLORIDA'S EDUCATIONAL PROGRESS 2008



Every day, we learn what works so students can make greater progress. Six years after No Child Left Behind's passage – and midway to the nation's goal of having students on grade level or better in reading and math by 2014 – we have collected more data than ever before about the academic performance of our students and schools. This information enables all of us to chart where we are as individual states and as a nation and to map a course of action for future progress. The foundation of our success will depend on our continued commitment to the following core principles:

- ◆ High Standards
- ◆ Annual Assessments
- ◆ Accountability for Results
- ◆ Highly Qualified Teachers in Every Classroom (HQT)
- ◆ Information and Options for Parents
- ◆ All Children on Grade Level By 2014



FLORIDA'S RECORD OF ACHIEVEMENT

Reading Achievement for 2006-2007

	Florida 4 th Graders			Florida 8 th Graders		
	State Data-% Proficient	NAEP Data-% Basic	NAEP Data-% Proficient	State Data-% Proficient	NAEP Data-% Basic	NAEP Data-% Proficient
All	69%	70%	34%	49%	71%	28%
White	80%	81%	44%	61%	80%	36%
Black	51%	52%	16%	29%	55%	13%
Hispanic	62%	64%	28%	41%	67%	23%
Low Income	57%	59%	22%	35%	61%	17%

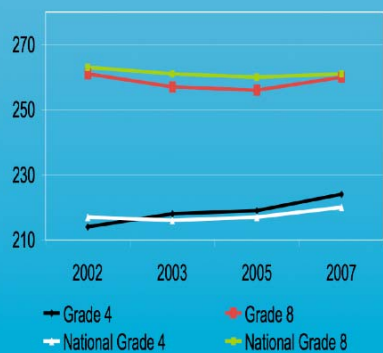
Math Achievement for 2006-2007

	Florida 4 th Graders			Florida 8 th Graders		
	State Data-% Proficient	NAEP Data-% Basic	NAEP Data-% Proficient	State Data-% Proficient	NAEP Data-% Basic	NAEP Data-% Proficient
All	69%	86%	40%	63%	68%	27%
White	79%	94%	54%	75%	80%	37%
Black	52%	71%	15%	42%	48%	11%
Hispanic	66%	83%	33%	57%	61%	21%
Low Income	58%	79%	25%	49%	55%	16%

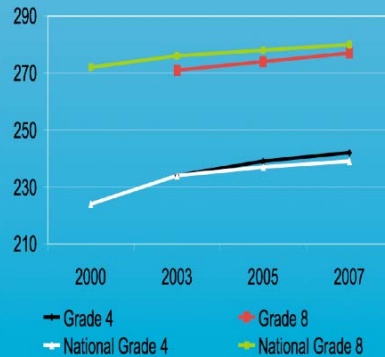
Source: Florida Testing Data and 2007 National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) Data

ACHIEVEMENT TRENDS

Florida Reading Achievement



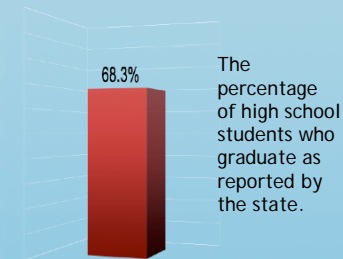
Florida Math Achievement



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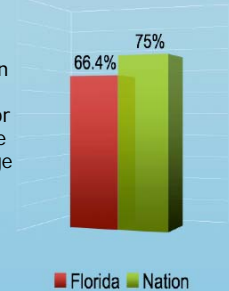
PREPARING FLORIDA STUDENTS FOR SUCCESS

Florida's High School Graduation Rate 2006



Averaged Freshman Graduation Rate 2004

The Averaged Freshman Graduation Rate (AFGR) is a reliable definition for comparing across the states the percentage of students who graduate on time.



Source: Consolidated State Performance Report, 2006-07

Source: National Center for Education Statistics (NCES)

High School Students Taking Advanced Placement Exams
Source: College Board

	Florida	Nation
High School Students Taking Advanced Placement Exams	46,036 (36.4%)	666,067 (24.2%)

OPTIONS FOR PARENTS

	# of Eligible Florida Students	% of Eligible Florida Students Participating	% of Eligible Students Participating Nationally
Tutoring	428,268	70,457 (16.5%)	529,627 (14.5%)
Choice	762,724	14,905 (2.0%)	119,988 (2.2%)

Source: Consolidated State Performance Report, 2006-07

FLEXIBILITY OPTIONS FOR STATES-FLORIDA

Teacher Incentive Fund	Hillsborough Co., Miami-Dade co., Orange Co., National Institute for Excellence in Teaching
Limited English Proficient Partnership	Participating
Flexibility for Students with Disabilities	Participating
Tutoring Pilot	Not Participating
Growth Model	Participating
District Tutoring Pilot	Hillsborough Co.