**New Jersey Student Learning Assessments** 

### NJSLA Results: Spring 2024 Administrations

Neptune City School District

11/21/2024





Comparison of Neptune City School District Spring 2023 and 2024 NJSLA Administrations English Language Arts – Percentages by Performance Level

	Level 1: Not Yet Meeting Expectations • Level 2: Partially Mee Expectations		• Level 3: Approaching Expectations		•	• Level 4: Meeting Expectations		• Level 5: Exceeding Expectations				
Grade	Level 1 2023	Level 1 2024	Level 2 2023	Level 2 2024	Level 3 2023	Level 3 2024	Level 4 2023	Level 4 2024	Level 5 2023	Level 5 2024	Change in Levels 1, and 2 from 2023 to 2024	Change in Level 4 and Level 5 from 2023 to 2024
3	15%	19%	25%	38%	5%	28%	55%	14%	0%	0%	+17%	-41%
4	32%	21%	18%	16%	29%	16%	21%	32%	0%	16%	-13%	+26%
5	26%	37%	21%	23%	32%	13%	21%	23%	0%	3%	+13%	+6%
6	17%	39%	27%	31%	33%	30%	17%	0%	7%	0%	+26%	-23%
7	23%	23%	14%	23%	32%	40%	27%	7%	5%	7%	+10%	-19%
8	10%	46%	20%	25%	40%	17%	30%	13%	0%	0%	+41%	-18%
All Grades	21%	31%	21%	26%	29%	24%	27%	15%	2%	4%	+15%	-10%



Notes: Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding. \*Grade 9 rows includes grade 9 students only.

Comparison of Neptune City School District Spring 2023 and 2024 NJSLA Administrations Mathematics – Percentages by Performance Level

Level 1: No Expectatio		0	Level 2: Pa Expectation	5	0	Level 3: Aj Expectatio		g •L	evel 4: Me xpectatior	0	• Level 5: E Expectati	0
Grade	Level 1 2023	Level 1 2024	Level 2 2023	Level 2 2024	Level 3 2023	Level 3 2024	Level 4 2023	Level 4 2024	Level 5 2023	Level 5 2024	Change in Levels 1, and 2, from 2023 to 2024	Change in Level 4 and Level 5 from 2023 to 2024
3	24%	23%	19%	39%	14%	27%	43%	12%	0%	0%	+19%	-31%
4	14%	11%	45%	26%	24%	26%	17%	37%	0%	0%	-22%	+20%
5	21%	29%	26%	23%	32%	36%	21%	13%	0%	0%	+4%	-8%
6	22%	23%	19%	54%	44%	23%	13%	0%	3%	0%	+36%	-16%
7	33%	19%	21%	32%	38%	29%	8%	16%	0%	3%	-3%	+11%
8*	25%	56%	50%	44%	17%	0%	8%	0%	0%	0%	+25%	-8%
Algebra 1	0%	0%	11%	20%	33%	50%	56%	30%	0%	0%	+9%	-26%
All Grades	21%	24%	27%	33%	30%	27%	21%	15%	1%	1%	8%	-6%

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**Notes:** \*Some students in grade 8 participated in the NJSLA Algebra I assessment in place of the 8th grade math assessment. The NJSLA Math 8 outcomes are not representative of grade 8 performance as a whole. Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.

### **Comparison of Neptune City School District's Spring 2023 and 2024** NJSLA Administrations Science – Percentages by Performance Level

• Level 4: Advanced

				Proficiency						
Grade	Level 1 2023	Level 1 2024	Level 2 2023	Level 2 2024	Level 3 2023	Level 3 2024	Level 4 2023	Level 4 2024	Change in Level 1 and Level 2 from 2023 to 2024	Change in Level 3 and Level 4 from 2023 to 2024
5	42%	61%	58%	26%	0%	13%	0%	0%	-13%	+13%
8	30%	58%	55%	39%	15%	4%	0%	0%	+11%	-11%
All Grades	36%	60%	56%	32%	8%	9%	0%	0%	-1%	+1%

Notes: Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.

• Level 1: Below Proficient • Level 2: Near Proficiency • Level 3: Proficient



### **Comparison of Neptune City School District's Spring 2023 and 2024 NJSLA Administrations English Language Arts – Percentages**

Grade	% Changes in Levels 1, & 2 Neptune City	% Changes in Levels 1, & 2 State of New Jersey	% Changes in Levels 4 & 5 Neptune City	% Changes in Levels 4 & 5 State of New Jersey
3	+17.1%	-1.7%	-40.7%	+1.6%
4	-13.2%	+0.5%	+25.9%	-0.5%
5	+12.6%	+1.1%	+5.6%	-1.0%
6	+25.9%	-4.2%	-23.3%	+4.2%
7	10.3%	+1.7%	-18.5%	-1.7%
8	40.8%	+2.5%	-17.5%	-2.4%
All Grades	+14.5%	-6%	-9.8%	+6%



### **Comparison of Neptune City School District's Spring 2023 and 2024** NJSLA Administrations Mathematics– Percentages

**Note**: Some students in grade 8 participated in the NJSLA Algebra I assessment in place of the 8<sup>th</sup> grade math assessment. The NJSLA Math 8 outcomes are not representative of grade 8 performance as a whole. For Algebra 1, Geometry and Algebra 2, students in grades 11 and 12 were not included.

Grade	% Changes in Levels 1, & 2 Neptune City	% Changes in Levels 1, & 2 State of New Jersey	% Changes in Levels 4 & 5 Neptune City	% Changes in Levels 4 & 5 State of New Jersey
3	+18.7%	-1.5%	-31.3%	+1.6%
4	-21.8%	-0.5%	+19.6%	+0.6%
5	+4.2%	-0.2%	-8.1%	+0.1%
6	+36.3%	-1.9%	-15.6%	+1.9%
7	-2.6%	-3.7%	11%	+3.7%
8*	+25%	-1.7%	-8.3%	+1.7%
Algebra 1**	+8.9%	-4.5%	-25.6%	+4.6%
All Grades	+8.2%	-7.9%	-5.5%	+7.8%



#### **Comparison of Neptune City School District's Spring 2023 and 2024** NJSLA Administrations Science – Percentages

Grade	% Changes in Levels 1, & 2 Neptune City	% Changes in Levels 1, & 2 State of New Jersey	% Changes in Levels 3 & 4 Neptune City	Change in Levels 3 & 4 State of New Jersey
5	-12.9%	-0.8%	+12.9%	+0.7
8	+11.2%	-0.2%	-11.2%	+0.2
All Grades	-1.1%	-0.5%	+1.1%	+0.5%



#### Number of Students Tested

Grade	2023	2024	Difference
3	20	21	+1
4	28	19	-9
5	19	30	+11
6	30	13	-17
7	22	30	+8
8	20	24	+4
All Grades	139	137	-2



Comparison of Neptune City School District's Student Tested Spring 2023 and 2024 NJSLA Administrations Mathematics– Percentages

#### Number of Students Tested

Grade	2023	2024	Difference
3	21	26	+5
4	29	19	-10
5	19	31	+12
6	32	13	-19
7	24	31	+7
8*	12	16	+4
Algebra 1	Less than 10	10	-
All Grades	146	146	0

**Note**: \*Some students in grade 8 participated in the NJSLA Algebra I assessment in place of the 8th grade math assessment. The NJSLA Math 8 outcomes are not representative of grade 8 performance as a whole.



Comparison of Neptune City School District's Student Tested Spring 2023 and 2024 NJSLA Administrations Science– Percentages

#### Number of Students Tested

Grade	2023	2024	Difference
5	19	31	+12
8	20	26	+6
All Grades	39	57	+18



**Data Notes:** Comparison of Neptune City School District's Spring 2023 and 2024 NJSLA Administrations English Mathematics– Percentages

- Grade 8 data: Some students in grade 8 participated in the Algebra I assessment in place of the 8<sup>th</sup> grade Math assessment. Thus, Math 8 outcomes are not representative of grade 8 performance as a whole.
- Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.



# **Notable Achievements**

- Improvements;
  - ELA
    - Grade 4 (+26%)
    - Grade 5 (+6%)
  - Math
    - Grade 4 (+20%)
    - Grade 7 (+11%)
  - Science
    - Grade 5 (+13%)
    - As a district, Science scores went up by 1.1%



## **Intervention Strategies**

- Wilson Reading Program Training
  - 2 New Staff Members are being trained this year.
- ESL
  - Currently have 2 full-time ESL teachers to meet the high-intensity ESL requirements.
- Speech and Occupational Therapy
  - Therapists are now pushing into Pre-K and Kindergarten to work on hearing, speaking, handwriting, and other academic skills on a daily basis.

