Education Quality and Accountability Office



# **School Report**





Assessments of Reading, Writing and Mathematics Primary Division (Grades 1–3) and Junior Division (Grades 4–6), 2012–2013

## School: St Mark Catholic S (823112) Board: Niagara Catholic DSB (67156)

On behalf of EQAO, I am pleased to provide you with the results of the 2012–2013 Assessments of Reading, Writing and Mathematics for the primary division (Grades 1–3) and junior division (Grades 4–6).

This report provides the 2013 school and board results as well as results for previous years, so you can track progress over time. You'll also find demographic and attitudinal information about schools, which provides context for a deeper analysis of the achievement results.

By assessing all students in our education system at key stages in their schooling, EQAO is able to provide reliable and objective data at the individual student, school and board levels. EQAO data continue to inform board improvement planning strategies and provide important evidence of learning at the local school level. This evidence helps educators and parents engage in meaningful conversations about student achievement. The data also allow school communities to identify strengths and opportunities for improvement so they can continue to make evidence-based decisions in their planning.

We continue to advocate the use of EQAO data in combination with classroom-generated results and other information sources to develop strategies and action plans that will make a measurable difference in learning outcomes.

At EQAO, we are pleased to continue our partnership with you as you help students reach their full potential. I trust you will continue to find our reports to be a rich source of information as you turn knowledge into action for the benefit of your students and community.

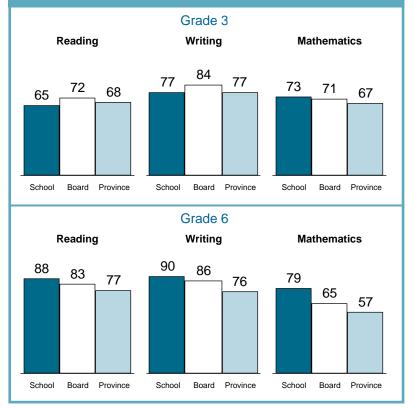
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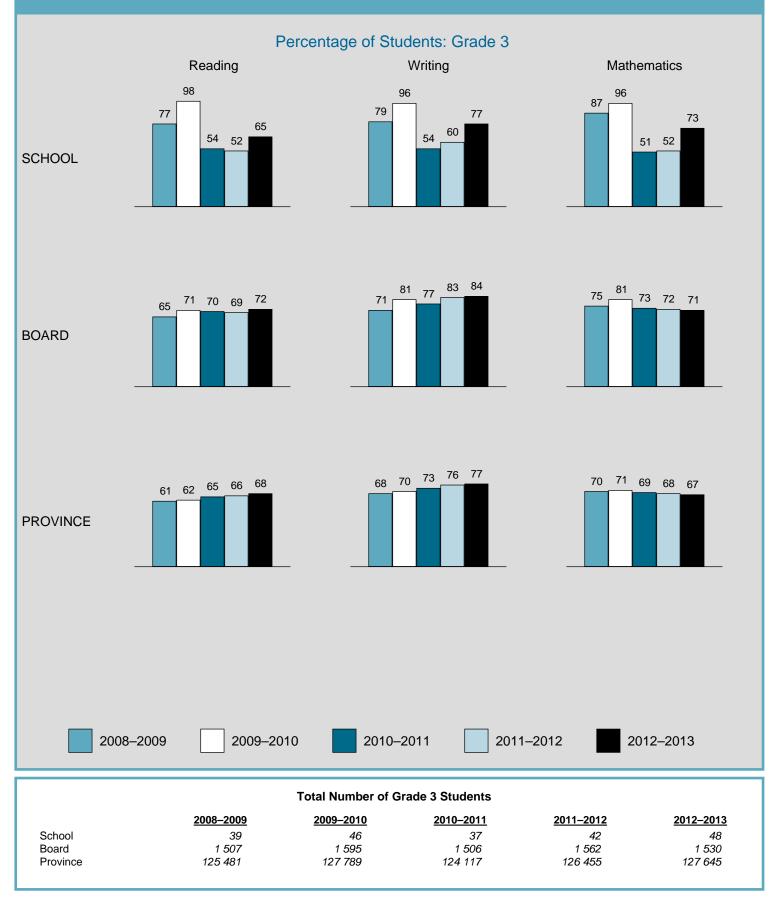
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#### PERCENTAGE OF ALL STUDENTS AT OR ABOVE THE PROVINCIAL STANDARD (LEVELS 3 AND 4), 2012–2013







#### **RESULTS FOR ALL STUDENTS AT OR ABOVE THE PROVINCIAL STANDARD (LEVELS 3 AND 4) OVER TIME** Percentage of Students: Grade 6 Reading Writing **Mathematics** 74 78 85 88 87 90 84 79 76 74 72 68 66 50 40 SCHOOL 86 76 <sub>73</sub> 78 79 83 74 76 76 79 72 67 64 62 65 BOARD 72 74 75 77 73 74 76 67 70 69 63 61 58 58 57 PROVINCE 2012-2013 2011-2012 2008-2009 2009-2010 2010-2011 **Total Number of Grade 6 Students** 2008-2009 2009-2010 <u>2010–2011</u> 2011-2012 2012-2013 School 50 47 50 46 52 1 593 1 566 1 602 Board 1 729 1 645

Province

136 076

134 294

132 308

129 477

131 589

### TIPS

Each school or board is unique. To appreciate the distinctive character of a school or board, look at the contextual information to understand the features and characteristics of the community it serves.

B

Every assessment captures the performance of students at one point in time each year. Consider the results along with other information about students' achievement in reading, writing and mathematics.

#### OS

Exercise caution when interpreting results for small schools or boards. Results may vary considerably from year to year, and differences may look exaggerated. For example, in a school of 20 students, a difference of 10% represents only two students.

#### CS

Trends may be difficult to identify or to interpret. This is especially true in small schools or boards, or in schools where there is a high turnover in the student population.

#### CS

EQAO values students' privacy. Results are not reported publicly for schools where fewer than 10 students fully participated in 2012-2013, or fewer than 15 students fully participated prior to 2012-2013 because it might be possible to identify individual students.

### ABOUT THIS SCHOOL OR BOARD REPORT

This report shows how well students have met curriculum expectations to the end of the Primary Division and the end of the Junior Division. Students complete a set of test booklets that allow them to show what they have learned in reading, writing and mathematics. The assessments are based on *The Ontario Curriculum*.

#### This report includes

- results for this year
- a comparison of results of the current and previous administrations to aid in monitoring improvement
- information about the characteristics of the students who participated
- summary graphs showing the percentage of students achieving the provincial standard in reading, writing and mathematics
- detailed tables and graphs showing results for all levels of achievement, results for gender and participation information
- student questionnaire results
- an explanation of all terms used in this report.

### HOW TO USE THIS REPORT

- Examine the contextual information to understand the similarities and differences between the school, the board and the province; the board and the province. Consider the challenges that any differences might present.
- Examine the results for reading, writing and mathematics.
  - Are these results consistent with what you would expect?
  - How do the school results compare to the board and the province; the board results compare to the province?
  - How do these results compare over time?
  - What influence might students' attitudes have on student performance (refer to the questionnaire results)?
- Speak to school or board staff about the goals for school improvement related to reading, writing and mathematics.

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The Education Quality and Accountability Office is an independent agency that gathers information about student achievement through province-wide assessments. Each year, all Grade 3 and Grade 6 students across Ontario take part in these assessments of reading, writing and mathematics. Individual results are reported to students and to parents and guardians. School, board and provincial results are released publicly.

### **Contextual Information: Grade 3\***

This information provides a context for interpreting the school's results.

Demographic Information		School		Board		Province	
Enrolment							
Number of Grade 3 students		48		1 530		127 645	
Number of classes with Grade 3 students		3		98		9 55 <del>6</del>	
Number of schools with Grade 3 classes	Not a	pplicable		49		3 340	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percen	
Gender							
Female	24	50%	769	50%	61 888	48%	
Male	24	50%	761	50%	65 757	52%	
Gender not specified	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
Student Status							
English language learners**	0	0%	17	1%	16 093	13%	
Students with special education needs (excluding gifted)**	11	23%	288	19%	21 452	17%	
Place of Birth							
Born in Canada	45	94%	1 444	94%	114 431	90%	
Born outside Canada	3	6%	86	6%	13 081	10%	
In Canada less than one year	2	4%	8	1%	786	1%	
In Canada one year or more but less than three years	1	2%	18	1%	2 941	2%	
In Canada three years or more	0	0%	60	4%	8 601	7%	
Language							
First language learned at home was other than English	2	4%	103	7%	28 595	22%	
Year Student Entered Current School							
Year of the assessment	8	17%	156	10%	17 108	13%	
Year prior to the assessment	2	4%	138	9%	13 749	11%	
2 years prior to the assessment	6	12%	152	10%	18 818	15%	
3 or more years prior to the assessment	32	67%	1 084	71%	77 892	61%	
Data not available	0	0%	0	0%	78	<1%	
Year Student Entered Current Board							
Year of the assessment	7	15%	79	5%	8 038	6%	
Year prior to the assessment	1	2%	78	5%	7 422	6%	
2 years prior to the assessment	4	8%	101	7%	11 069	9%	
3 or more years prior to the assessment	35	73%	1 176	77%	98 569	77%	
Data not available	1	2%	96	6%	2 547	2%	

\* Contextual data pertaining to gender, student status, place of birth, language learned at home and year entered school and board are provided by schools and/or boards through the Student Data Collection process. Some data may be missing because they were not provided by the school or the board.

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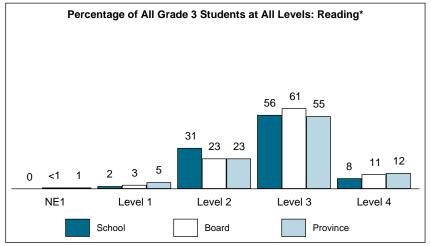
### Results in Reading, Writing and Mathematics, 2012–2013 Grade 3: All Students<sup>††</sup>

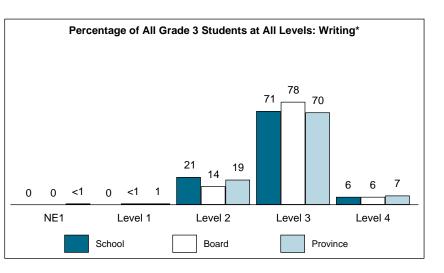
Grade 3: Reading*								
Number of Students		100   8	Board 1 528	Province 122 450				
	#	%	%	%				
Level 4	4	8%	11%	12%				
Level 3	27	56%	61%	55%				
Level 2	15	31%	23%	23%				
Level 1	1	2%	3%	5%				
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	1%				
Participating Students	47	98%	98%	97%				
No Data	0	0%	<1%	1%				
Exempt	1	2%	1%	3%				
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>	l	65%	72%	68%				

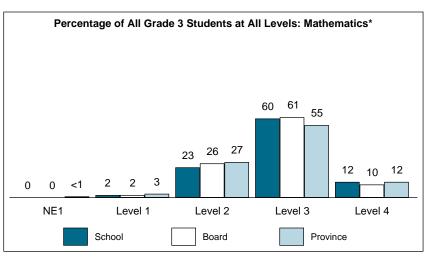
Grade 3: Writing*								
Number of Students		100   8	Board 1 528	Province 122 447				
	#	%	%	%				
Level 4	3	6%	6%	7%				
Level 3	34	71%	78%	70%				
Level 2	10	21%	14%	19%				
Level 1	0	0%	<1%	1%				
NE1**	0	0%	0%	<1%				
Participating Students	47	98%	98%	97%				
No Data	0	0%	<1%	1%				
Exempt	1	2%	1%	2%				
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>	l	77%	84%	77%				

#### Grade 3: Mathematics\*

Grade 5: Mathematics								
Number of Students		nool 8	Board 1 530	Province 127 633				
	#	%	%	%				
Level 4	6	12%	10%	12%				
Level 3	29	60%	61%	55%				
Level 2	11	23%	26%	27%				
Level 1	1	2%	2%	3%				
NE1**	0	0%	0%	<1%				
Participating Students	47	98%	98%	97%				
No Data	0	0%	<1%	1%				
Exempt	1	2%	2%	2%				
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>	l	73%	71%	67%				







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†† Some French Immersion students do not write all components of the assessment in Grade 3; the numbers shown reflect those students who were expected to write each component as determined by the French Immersion participation option selected by boards. Grade 3: Writing'

Number of Students

Level 4

Level 3

Level 2

Level 1

NE1\*\*

At or Above

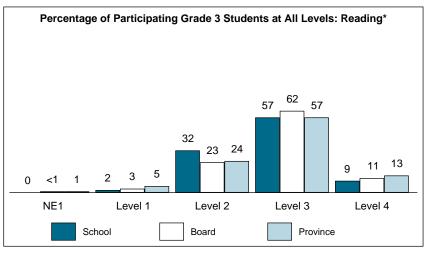
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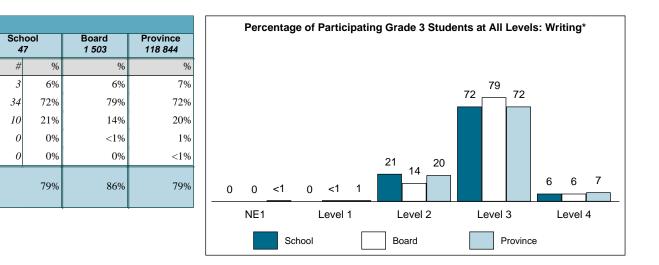
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### Results in Reading, Writing and Mathematics, 2012–2013

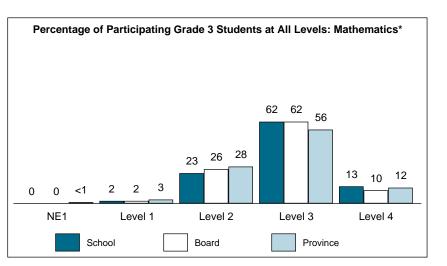
## Grade 3: Participating Students (excludes "no data" and "exempt" categories)

Number of Students	School 47		Board 1 503	Province 118 539
	#	%	%	%
Level 4	4	9%	11%	13%
Level 3	27	57%	62%	57%
Level 2	15	32%	23%	24%
Level 1	1	2%	3%	5%
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	1%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>		66%	74%	70%





Grade 3: Mathematics*								
Number of Students	School 47		Board 1 502	Province 123 907				
	#	%	%	%				
Level 4	6	13%	10%	12%				
Level 3	29	62%	62%	56%				
Level 2	11	23%	26%	28%				
Level 1	1	2%	2%	3%				
NE1**	0	0%	0%	<1%				
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>			72%	69%				



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### Results in Reading, Writing and Mathematics, 2012–2013 Grade 3: Gender<sup>††</sup>

Grade 3: School*								
	Read	ding	Writ	ting	Mathe	matics		
Number of Students	Female 24	Male 24	Female 24	Male 24	Female 24	Male 24		
Level 4	8%	8%	8%	4%	8%	17%		
Level 3	58%	54%	71%	71%	62%	58%		
Level 2	29%	33%	21%	21%	29%	17%		
Level 1	4%	0%	0%	0%	0%	4%		
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%		
Participating Students	100%	96%	100%	96%	100%	96%		
No Data	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%		
Exempt	0%	4%	0%	4%	0%	4%		
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>	67%	62%	79%	75%	71%	75%		

Grade 3: Board*								
	Read	ding	Writ	ting	Mathe	Mathematics		
Number of Students	Female 767	Male <i>761</i>	Female 767	Male <i>761</i>	Female 769	Male <i>761</i>		
Level 4	15%	8%	9%	4%	9%	11%		
Level 3	63%	60%	80%	76%	63%	58%		
Level 2	18%	27%	10%	18%	26%	26%		
Level 1	3%	3%	<1%	<1%	1%	2%		
NE1**	<1%	<1%	0%	0%	0%	0%		
Participating Students	99%	98%	99%	98%	98%	98%		
No Data	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%		
Exempt	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%		
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>	77%	67%	89%	80%	71%	70%		

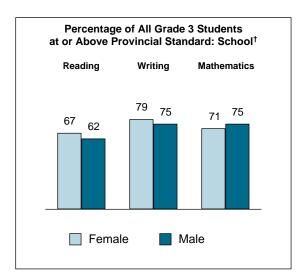
Grade 3: Province*								
	Read	ding	Writ	ting	Mathematics			
Number of Students	Female 58 950	Male 63 500	Female 58 949	Male 63 498	Female 61 884	Male 65 749		
Level 4	16%	9%	9%	4%	12%	12%		
Level 3	57%	54%	73%	67%	55%	54%		
Level 2	20%	26%	15%	24%	27%	26%		
Level 1	4%	6%	1%	1%	3%	3%		
NE1**	1%	1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%		
Participating Students	98%	96%	98%	96%	98%	96%		
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%		
Exempt	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%		
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>	73%	63%	82%	71%	67%	66%		

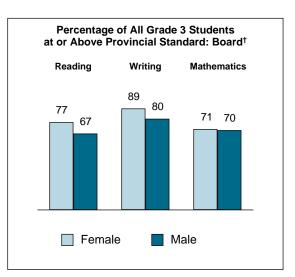
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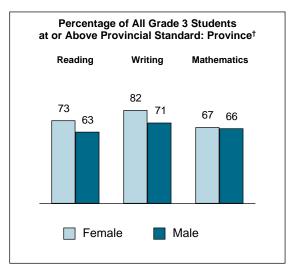
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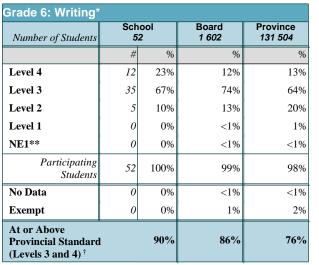
Demographic Information	Sch	ool	Boa	ırd	Provi	ince
Enrolment						
Number of Grade 6 students		52		1 602		131 589
Number of classes with Grade 6 students		2		76		8 369
Number of schools with Grade 6 classes	Not a	pplicable		49		3 170
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percen
Gender						
Female	27	52%	777	49%	64 062	49%
Male	25	48%	825	51%	67 518	51%
Gender not specified	0	0%	0	0%	9	<1%
Student Status						
English language learners**	1	2%	13	1%	12 398	9%
Students with special education needs (excluding gifted)**	5	10%	290	18%	26 858	20%
Place of Birth	·					
Born in Canada	51	98%	1 478	92%	115 276	88%
Born outside Canada	1	2%	124	8%	16 211	12%
In Canada less than one year	0	0%	2	<1%	680	1%
In Canada one year or more but less than three years	0	0%	16	1%	2 672	2%
In Canada three years or more	1	2%	106	7%	12 083	9%
Language						
First language learned at home was other than English	1	2%	115	7%	28 985	22%
Year Student Entered Current School	·					
Year of the assessment	2	4%	110	7%	29 049	22%
Year prior to the assessment	5	10%	109	7%	12 770	10%
2 years prior to the assessment	3	6%	201	13%	12 004	9%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	42	81%	1 182	74%	77 673	59%
Data not available	0	0%	0	0%	93	<1%
Year Student Entered Current Board						
Year of the assessment	1	2%	58	4%	7 016	5%
Year prior to the assessment	4	8%	73	5%	6 612	5%
2 years prior to the assessment	2	4%	54	3%	6 188	5%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	42	81%	1 156	72%	107 666	82%
Data not available	3	6%	261	16%	4 107	3%

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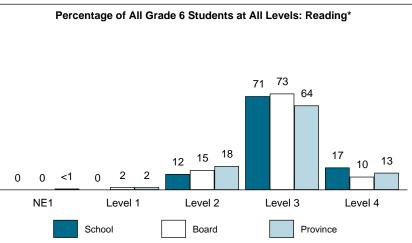
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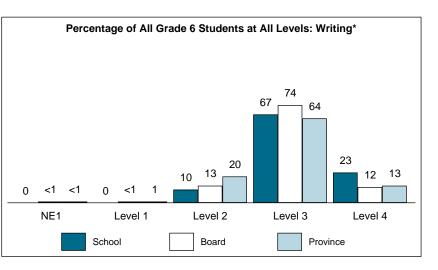
Grade 6: Reading*							
Number of Students		iool 2	Board 1 602	Province 131 514			
	#	%	%	%			
Level 4	9	17%	10%	13%			
Level 3	37	71%	73%	64%			
Level 2	6	12%	15%	18%			
Level 1	0	0%	2%	2%			
NE1**	0	0%	0%	<1%			
Participating Students	52	100%	99%	98%			
No Data	0	0%	<1%	<1%			
Exempt	0	0%	1%	2%			
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>	l	88%	83%	77%			

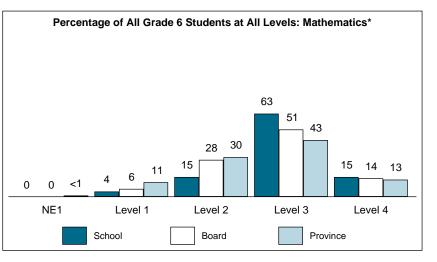


#### Grade 6: Mathematics\*

Grade 6. Mathematics								
Number of Students	School 52		Board 1 601	Province 131 543				
	#	%	%	%				
Level 4	8	15%	14%	13%				
Level 3	33	63%	51%	43%				
Level 2	8	15%	28%	30%				
Level 1	2	4%	6%	11%				
NE1**	0	0%	0%	<1%				
Participating Students	51	98%	99%	97%				
No Data	0	0%	<1%	1%				
Exempt	1	2%	1%	2%				
At or AboveProvincial Standard(Levels 3 and 4) †			65%	57%				







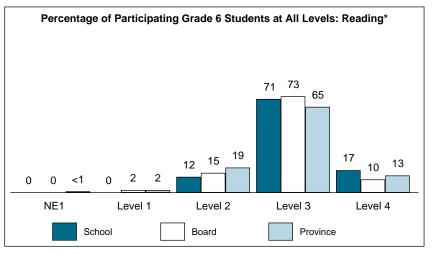
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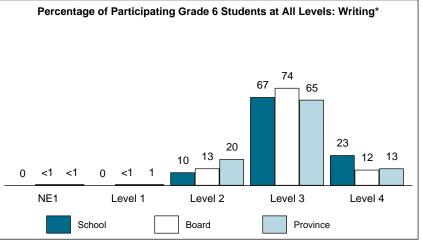
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### Grade 6: Participating Students (excludes "no data" and "exempt" categories)

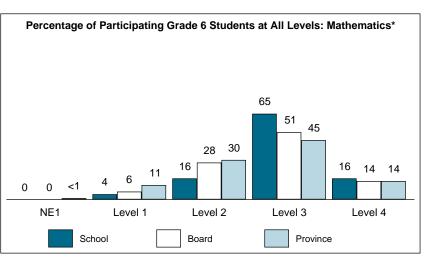
Number of Students	School 52		Board 1 590	Province 128 393	
	#	%	%	%	
Level 4	9	17%	10%	13%	
Level 3	37	71%	73%	65%	
Level 2	6	12%	15%	19%	
Level 1	0	0%	2%	2%	
NE1**	0	0%	0%	<1%	
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>		88%	83%	79%	



Number of Students			School Board 52 1 590	
	#	%	%	%
Level 4	12	23%	12%	13%
Level 3	35	67%	74%	65%
Level 2	5	10%	13%	20%
Level 1	0	0%	<1%	1%
NE1**	0	0%	<1%	<1%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>		90%	87%	78%



Number of Students	School 51		Board 1 588	Province 128 227	
	#	%	%	%	
Level 4	8	16%	14%	14%	
Level 3	33	65%	51%	45%	
Level 2	8	16%	28%	30%	
Level 1	2	4%	6%	11%	
NE1**	0	0%	0%	<1%	
At or Above Provincial Standard 80% (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>			65%	58%	



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### Results in Reading, Writing and Mathematics, 2012–2013

### Grade 6: Gender<sup>††</sup>

Grade 6: School*							
	Read	ding	Writing		Mathe	matics	
Number of Students	Female 27	Male 25	Female 27	Male 25	Female 27	Male 25	
Level 4	15%	20%	30%	16%	15%	16%	
Level 3	74%	68%	67%	68%	59%	68%	
Level 2	11%	12%	4%	16%	19%	12%	
Level 1	0%	0%	0%	0%	4%	4%	
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Participating Students	100%	100%	100%	100%	96%	100%	
No Data	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Exempt	0%	0%	0%	0%	4%	0%	
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>	89%	88%	96%	84%	74%	84%	

Grade 6: Board*							
	Read	ding	Writ	ting	Mathe	Mathematics	
Number of Students	Female 777	Male 825	Female 777	Male 825	Female 776	Male 825	
Level 4	14%	7%	18%	7%	14%	15%	
Level 3	72%	73%	75%	73%	51%	51%	
Level 2	13%	17%	7%	19%	29%	27%	
Level 1	1%	3%	<1%	<1%	6%	7%	
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	<1%	0%	0%	
Participating Students	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	
No Data	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	
Exempt	<1%	1%	<1%	1%	1%	1%	
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>	86%	80%	93%	80%	64%	65%	

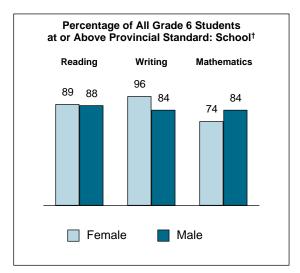
Grade 6: Province*							
	Read	ding	Writ	ting	Mathe	Mathematics	
Number of Students	Female 64 026	Male 67 479	Female 64 022	Male 67 473	Female 64 035	Male 67 499	
Level 4	17%	10%	19%	7%	13%	13%	
Level 3	64%	63%	66%	61%	44%	43%	
Level 2	16%	21%	13%	27%	30%	29%	
Level 1	2%	3%	<1%	1%	10%	11%	
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	1%	<1%	<1%	
Participating Students	98%	97%	98%	97%	98%	97%	
No Data	<1%	1%	<1%	1%	<1%	1%	
Exempt	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%	
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>	81%	73%	85%	68%	57%	56%	

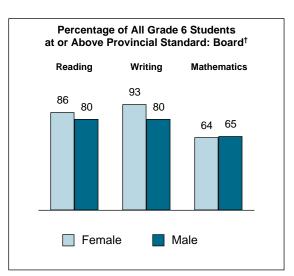
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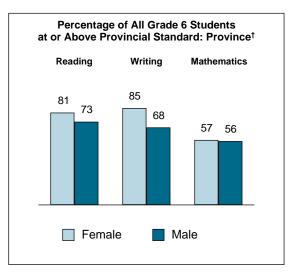
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† These percentages are based on the actual number of students and cannot be calculated simply by adding the rounded percentages of students at Levels 3 and 4.

†† Results include only students for whom gender data were available.







### **Contextual Information over Time: Grade 3\***

This information provides a context for interpreting the school's results of the current and previous administrations.

Grade 3	2008–2009	2009–2010	2010–2011	2011–2012	2012–2013
Enrolment					
Number of students	39	46	37	42	48
Participation in the Assessment					
Reading <sup>†</sup>	97%	98%	100%	93%	98%
Writing <sup>†</sup>	97%	98%	100%	93%	98%
Mathematics <sup>†</sup>	97%	98%	100%	93%	98%
Gender					
Female	46%	54%	49%	50%	50%
Male	54%	46%	51%	50%	50%
Student Status					
English language learners**	0%	2%	3%	0%	0%
Students with special education needs (excluding gifted)**	5%	2%	8%	21%	23%
Place of Birth					
Born in Canada	97%	98%	97%	98%	94%
Born outside Canada	3%	2%	3%	2%	6%
In Canada less than one year	0%	0%	0%	0%	4%
In Canada one year or more but less than three years	0%	2%	0%	0%	2%
In Canada three years or more	3%	0%	3%	2%	0%
Language					
First language learned at home was other than English	3%	2%	5%	0%	4%
Year Student Entered Current School					
Year of the assessment	5%	2%	8%	7%	17%
Year prior to the assessment	3%	0%	0%	10%	4%
2 years prior to the assessment	13%	2%	5%	10%	12%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	79%	96%	86%	74%	67%
Data not available	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

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Some French Immersion students do not write all components of the assessment in Grade 3; the numbers shown reflect those students who were expected to write each component as determined by the French Immersion participation option selected by boards.

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### Results over Time, 2009–2010 to 2012–2013\* Grade 3: Reading

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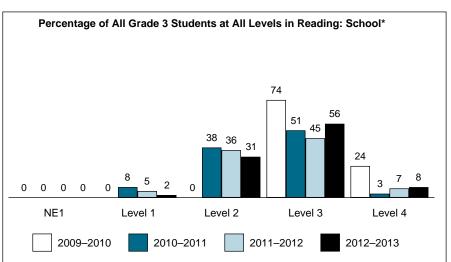
Grade 3 Reading: School <sup>®</sup>								
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13				
Number of Students	46	37	42	48				
Level 4	24%	3%	7%	8%				
Level 3	74%	51%	45%	56%				
Level 2	0%	38%	36%	31%				
Level 1	0%	8%	5%	2%				
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%				
Participating Students	98%	100%	93%	98%				
No Data	2%	0%	0%	0%				
Exempt	0%	0%	7%	2%				
At or Above Provincial Standard <sup>†</sup>	98%	54%	52%	65%				

#### Grade 3 Reading: Board\*

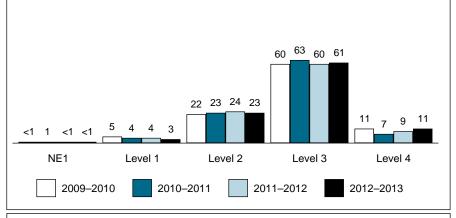
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13
Number of Students	1 595	1 506	1 562	1 528
Level 4	11%	7%	9%	11%
Level 3	60%	63%	60%	61%
Level 2	22%	23%	24%	23%
Level 1	5%	4%	4%	3%
NE1**	<1%	1%	<1%	<1%
Participating Students	99%	98%	98%	98%
No Data	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
Exempt	1%	1%	2%	1%
At or Above Provincial Standard <sup>†</sup>	71%	70%	69%	72%

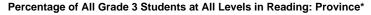
#### Grade 3 Reading: Province\*

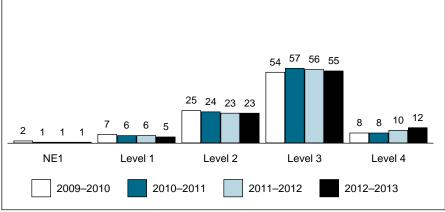
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13
Number of Students	123 813	119 914	121 727	122 450
Level 4	8%	8%	10%	12%
Level 3	54%	57%	56%	55%
Level 2	25%	24%	23%	23%
Level 1	7%	6%	6%	5%
NE1**	2%	1%	1%	1%
Participating Students	96%	97%	97%	97%
No Data	1%	1%	<1%	1%
Exempt	3%	3%	3%	3%
At or Above Provincial Standard <sup>†</sup>	62%	65%	66%	68%











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## Results over Time, 2009–2010 to 2012–2013\* Grade 3: Writing

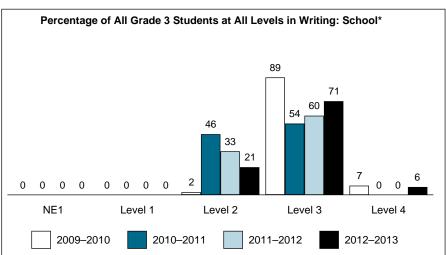
Grade 3 Writing: School*							
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13			
Number of Students	46	37	42	48			
Level 4	7%	0%	0%	6%			
Level 3	89%	54%	60%	71%			
Level 2	2%	46%	33%	21%			
Level 1	0%	0%	0%	0%			
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%			
Participating Students	98%	100%	93%	98%			
No Data	2%	0%	0%	0%			
Exempt	0%	0%	7%	2%			
At or Above Provincial Standard <sup>†</sup>	96%	54%	60%	77%			

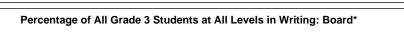
#### Grade 3 Writing: Board\*

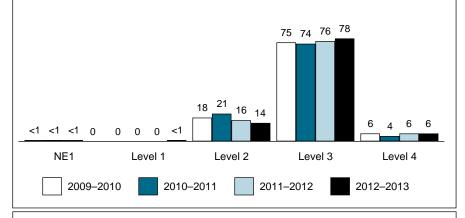
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13
Number of Students	1 595	1 506	1 562	1 528
Level 4	6%	4%	6%	6%
Level 3	75%	74%	76%	78%
Level 2	18%	21%	16%	14%
Level 1	0%	0%	0%	<1%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	0%
Participating Students	99%	98%	98%	98%
No Data	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
Exempt	1%	1%	2%	1%
At or Above Provincial Standard <sup>†</sup>	81%	77%	83%	84%

#### Grade 3 Writing: Province\*

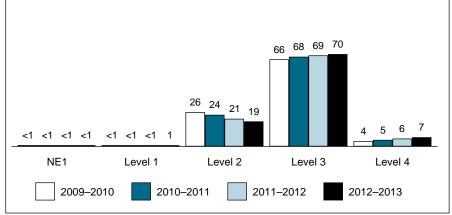
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13
Number of Students	123 800	119 873	121 727	122 447
Level 4	4%	5%	6%	7%
Level 3	66%	68%	69%	70%
Level 2	26%	24%	21%	19%
Level 1	<1%	<1%	<1%	1%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
Participating Students	97%	97%	97%	97%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%
Exempt	3%	2%	2%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard <sup>†</sup>	70%	73%	76%	77%











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### Results over Time, 2009–2010 to 2012–2013\* Grade 3: Mathematics

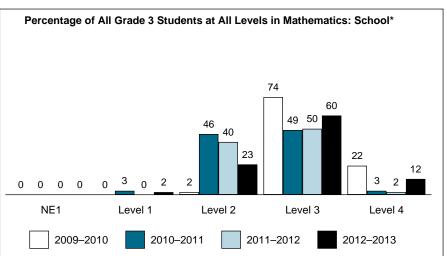
Grade 3 Mathematics: School*					
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13	
Number of Students	46	37	42	48	
Level 4	22%	3%	2%	12%	
Level 3	74%	49%	50%	60%	
Level 2	2%	46%	40%	23%	
Level 1	0%	3%	0%	2%	
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Participating Students	98%	100%	93%	98%	
No Data	2%	0%	0%	0%	
Exempt	0%	0%	7%	2%	
At or Above Provincial Standard <sup>†</sup>	96%	51%	52%	73%	

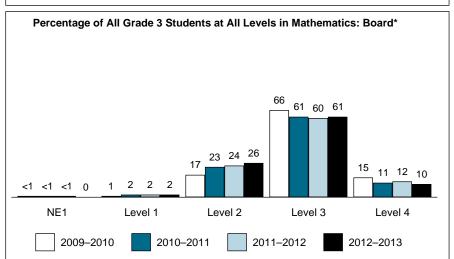
#### Grade 3 Mathematics: Board\*

Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13		
Number of Students	1 595	1 506	1 562	1 530		
Level 4	15%	11%	12%	10%		
Level 3	66%	61%	60%	61%		
Level 2	17%	23%	24%	26%		
Level 1	1%	2%	2%	2%		
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	0%		
Participating Students	99%	98%	98%	98%		
No Data	<1%	1%	<1%	<1%		
Exempt	1%	1%	2%	2%		
At or Above Provincial Standard <sup>†</sup>	81%	73%	72%	71%		

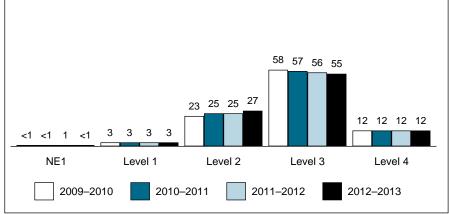
#### Grade 3 Mathematics: Province\*

Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13
Number of Students	127 726	124 104	126 439	127 633
Level 4	12%	12%	12%	12%
Level 3	58%	57%	56%	55%
Level 2	23%	25%	25%	27%
Level 1	3%	3%	3%	3%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	1%	<1%
Participating Students	97%	97%	97%	97%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%
Exempt	3%	2%	2%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard <sup>†</sup>	71%	69%	68%	67%









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### **Contextual Information over Time: Grade 6\***

This information provides a context for interpreting the school's results of the current and previous administrations.

Grade 6	2008–2009	2009–2010	2010–2011	2011–2012	2012–2013
Enrolment					
Number of students	50	47	50	46	52
Participation in the Assessment					
Reading	98%	94%	100%	96%	100%
Writing	98%	94%	100%	96%	100%
Mathematics	98%	94%	100%	96%	98%
Gender					
Female	54%	47%	60%	41%	52%
Male	46%	53%	40%	59%	48%
Student Status					
English language learners**	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%
Students with special education needs (excluding gifted)**	10%	13%	10%	17%	10%
Place of Birth					
Born in Canada	98%	96%	98%	98%	98%
Born outside Canada	2%	4%	2%	2%	2%
In Canada less than one year	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
In Canada one year or more but less than three years	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
In Canada three years or more	2%	4%	2%	2%	2%
Language					
First language learned at home was other than English	0%	4%	2%	2%	2%
Year Student Entered Current School					
Year of the assessment	10%	9%	4%	7%	4%
Year prior to the assessment	0%	11%	2%	11%	10%
2 years prior to the assessment	0%	4%	6%	4%	6%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	90%	77%	88%	78%	81%
Data not available	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

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### Results over Time, 2009–2010 to 2012–2013\*

### **Grade 6: Reading**

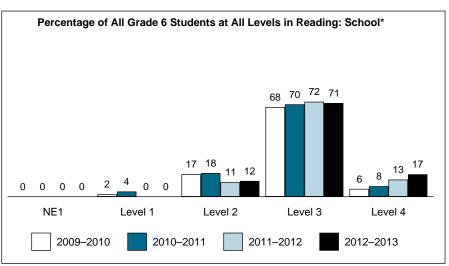
Grade 6 Reading: School*					
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13	
Number of Students	47	50	46	52	
Level 4	6%	8%	13%	17%	
Level 3	68%	70%	72%	71%	
Level 2	17%	18%	11%	12%	
Level 1	2%	4%	0%	0%	
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Participating Students	94%	100%	96%	100%	
No Data	6%	0%	0%	0%	
Exempt	0%	0%	4%	0%	
At or Above Provincial Standard <sup>†</sup>	74%	78%	85%	88%	

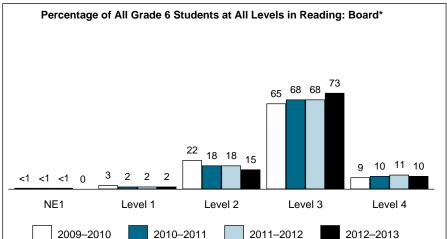
#### Grade 6 Reading: Board'

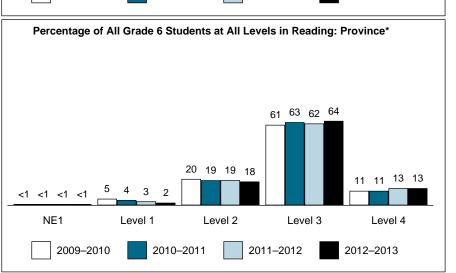
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13
Number of Students	1 729	1 644	1 566	1 602
Level 4	9%	10%	11%	10%
Level 3	65%	68%	68%	73%
Level 2	22%	18%	18%	15%
Level 1	3%	2%	2%	2%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	0%
Participating Students	99%	99%	99%	99%
No Data	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
Exempt	1%	1%	1%	1%
At or Above Provincial Standard <sup>†</sup>	73%	78%	79%	83%

#### Grade 6 Reading: Province\*

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Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13
Number of Students	134 201	132 283	129 420	131 514
Level 4	11%	11%	13%	13%
Level 3	61%	63%	62%	64%
Level 2	20%	19%	19%	18%
Level 1	5%	4%	3%	2%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
Participating Students	97%	97%	97%	98%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	<1%
Exempt	2%	2%	2%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard <sup>†</sup>	72%	74%	75%	77%







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### Results over Time, 2009-2010 to 2012-2013\* Grade 6: Writing

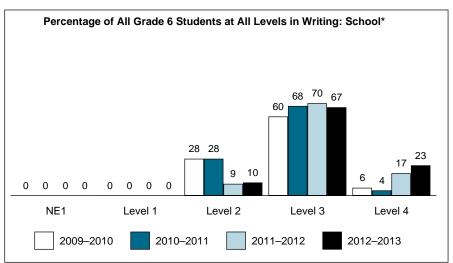
Grade 6 Writing: School*						
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13		
Number of Students	47	50	46	52		
Level 4	6%	4%	17%	23%		
Level 3	60%	68%	70%	67%		
Level 2	28%	28%	9%	10%		
Level 1	0%	0%	0%	0%		
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%		
Participating Students	94%	100%	96%	100%		
No Data	6%	0%	0%	0%		
Exempt	0%	0%	4%	0%		
At or Above Provincial Standard <sup>†</sup>	66%	72%	87%	90%		

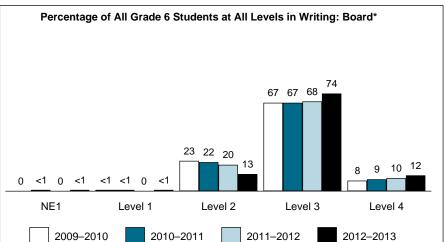
#### Grade 6 Writing: Board\*

Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13
Number of Students	1 729	1 644	1 566	1 602
Level 4	8%	9%	10%	12%
Level 3	67%	67%	68%	74%
Level 2	23%	22%	20%	13%
Level 1	<1%	<1%	0%	<1%
NE1**	0%	<1%	0%	<1%
Participating Students	99%	99%	99%	99%
No Data	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
Exempt	1%	1%	1%	1%
At or Above Provincial Standard <sup>†</sup>	76%	76%	79%	86%

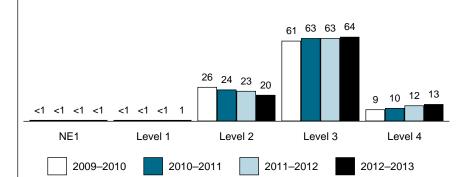
#### Grade 6 Writing: Province\*

Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13	
Number of Students	134 288	132 266	129 420	131 504	
Level 4	9%	10%	12%	13%	
Level 3	61%	63%	63%	64%	
Level 2	26%	24%	23%	20%	
Level 1	<1%	<1%	<1%	1%	
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	
Participating Students	97%	97%	97%	98%	
No Data	1%	1%	1%	<1%	
Exempt	2%	2%	2%	2%	
At or Above Provincial Standard <sup>†</sup>	70%	73%	74%	76%	









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### Results over Time, 2009–2010 to 2012–2013\* Grade 6: Mathematics

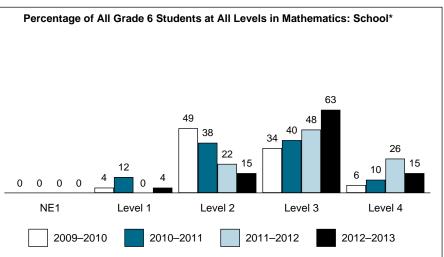
Grade 6 Mat	hematic	s: Schoc	) <b> </b> *	
Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13
Number of Students	47	50	46	52
Level 4	6%	10%	26%	15%
Level 3	34%	40%	48%	63%
Level 2	49%	38%	22%	15%
Level 1	4%	12%	0%	4%
NE1**	0%	0%	0%	0%
Participating Students	94%	100%	96%	98%
No Data	6%	0%	0%	0%
Exempt	0%	0%	4%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard <sup>†</sup>	40%	50%	74%	79%

#### Grade 6 Mathematics: Board\* '10-'11 '11–'12 '09–'10 '12–'13 Year Number of 1 729 1 643 1 566 1 601 Students Level 4 16% 16% 13% 14% Level 3 51% 48% 49% 51% Level 2 27% 29% 28% 29% Level 1 4% 6% 8% 6% NE1\*\* <1% <1% <1% 0% Participating 99% 99% 99% 99% Students No Data <1% <1% <1% <1% Exempt 1% 1% 1% 1% At or Above 64% 62% 65% Provincial 67%

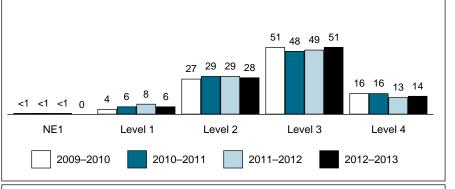
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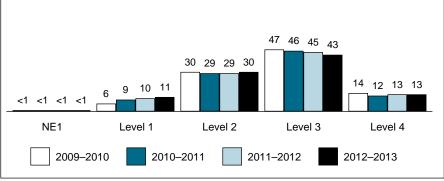
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Year	'09–'10	'10–'11	'11–'12	'12–'13
Number of Students	134 241	132 223	129 368	131 543
Level 4	14%	12%	13%	13%
Level 3	47%	46%	45%	43%
Level 2	30%	29%	29%	30%
Level 1	6%	9%	10%	11%
NE1**	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
Participating Students	97%	97%	97%	97%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%
Exempt	3%	2%	2%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard <sup>†</sup>	61%	58%	58%	57%







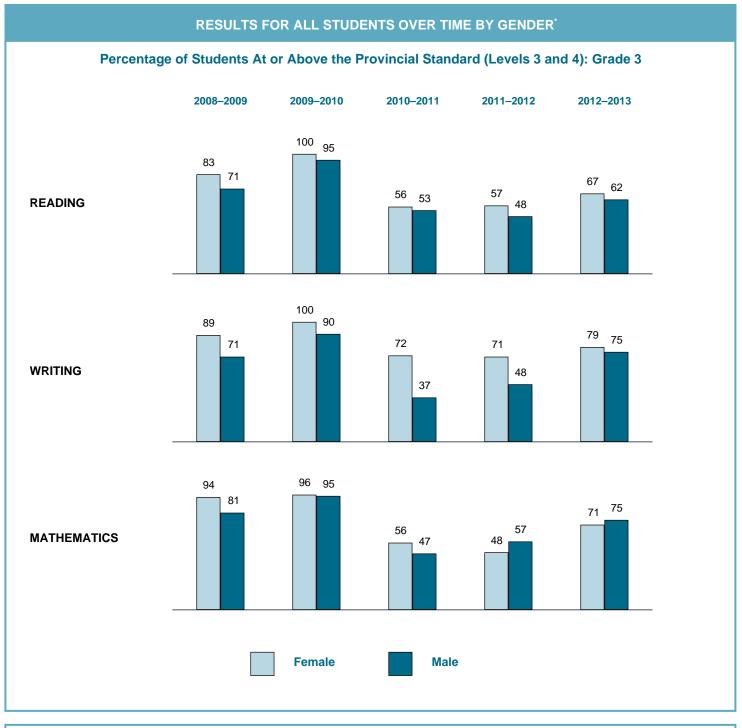




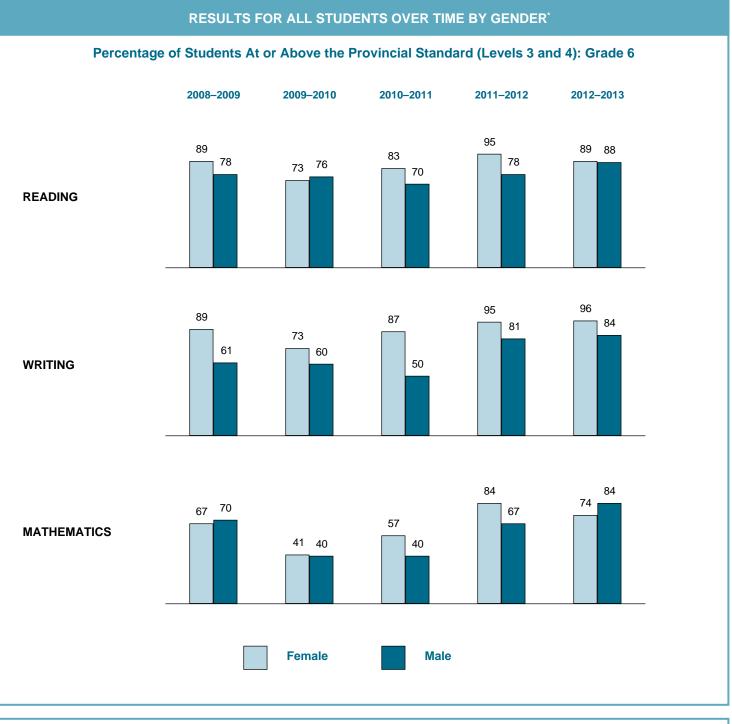
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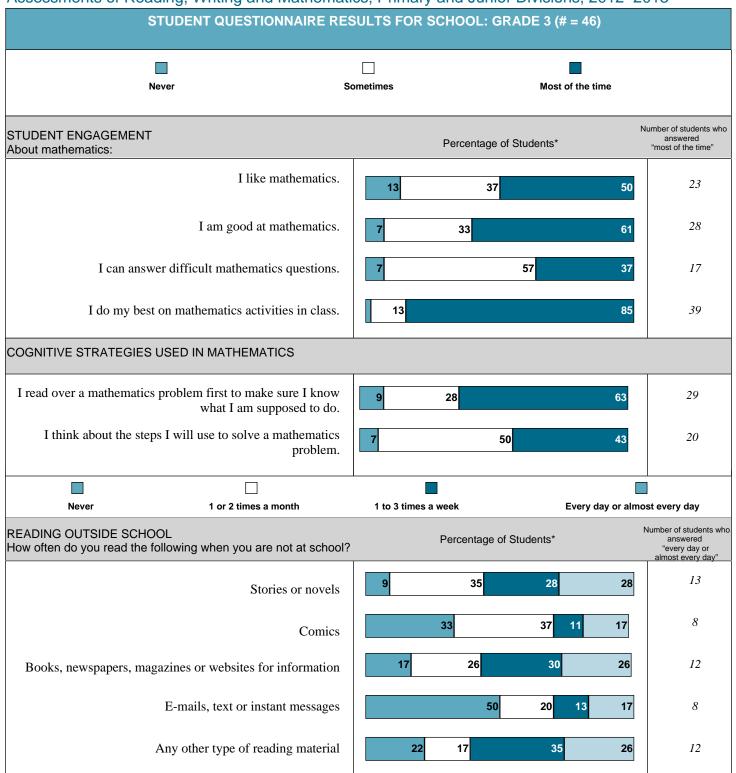


#### Total Number of Grade 6 Students\*

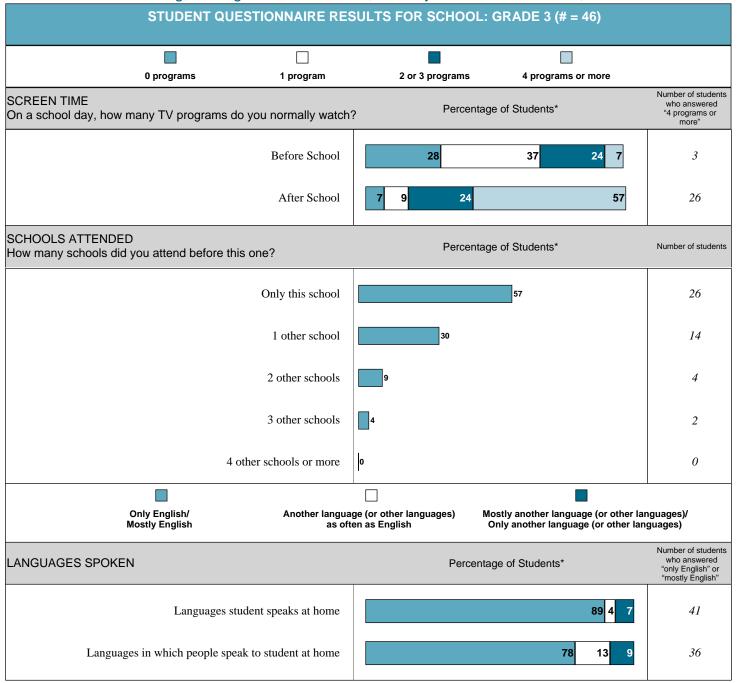
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	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
School	27	23	22	25	30	20	19	27	27	25

\* Includes only students for whom gender data were available.

SULTS FOR	SCHOOL: GRADE 3 (# = 46)		
Sometimes	Most of the time		
	Percentage of Students*		Number of students who answered "most of the time"
4	43	52	24
	28	72	33
9	57	35	16
2	26	74	34
4	43	52	24
	43	54	25
	50	48	22
	24	74	34
4	35	61	28
9	46	46	21
7	50	43	20
9	41	50	23
	Sometimes	Percentage of Students*	Sometimes       Most of the time         Percentage of Students*         4       43       52         28       72         9       57       35         26       74         4       43       52         26       74         4       43       52         26       74         4       43       52         26       74         4       43       52         4       43       54         50       48       54         24       74       74         4       35       61         9       46       46         7       50       43



Assessments of Reading, Writing a STUDENT QUES		JLTS FOR SCHOOL: 0		
Never	1 or 2 times a month	1 to 3 times a week	Every day or almost every day	
WRITING OUTSIDE SCHOOL How often do you write the following (using pap when you are not at school?	per or a computer)	Percentage	of Students*	Number of students who answered "every day or almos every day"
	Stories	11	46 24 20	9
	Journal entries	50	24 15 11	5
E-mail, text or	instant messages	43	20 17 20	9
	Letters	30	46 15 9	4
OUT-OF-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES How often do you do the following when you ar	e not at school?			
I take part in art, music or	drama activities.	43	17 24 15	7
I take part in a	fter-school clubs.		63 17 11 9	4
I take part in sports or other p	hysical activities.	7 17 2	8 48	22
PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT How often do you and a parent, a guardian or ives with you do the following?	another adult who			1
We talk about the activit	ies I do in school.	7 17 24	52	24
We talk about the reading and writing we	ork I do in school.	17 30	30 22	10
We talk about the mathemat	ics I do in school.	22 26	20 33	15
	We read together.	22 20	17 41	19
We look at n	ny school agenda.	15 15	67	31
We use a c	omputer together.	39	37 11 13	6



GRADE 3: STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS		School			Board			Province	
FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students, female, male)	All Students (# = 46)	Female* (# = 24)	Male* (# = 22)	All Students (# = 1 502)	Female* (# = 756)	Male* (# = 746)	All Students (# = 123 251)	Female* (# = 60 268)	Male* (# = 62 983)
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT About reading:		Perce		students	who answ	vered "mo		time"†	
I like to read.	52%	54%	50%	44%	53%	36%	49%	56%	42%
I am a good reader.	72%	75%	68%	67%	70%	63%	64%	66%	62%
I can understand difficult reading passages.	35%	46%	23%	29%	27%	31%	28%	27%	30%
I do my best on reading activities in class.	74%	83%	64%	74%	80%	67%	73%	78%	69%
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT About writing:	ļI	Perce	ntage of s	students v	who answ	vered "mo	ost of the	timeӠ	
I like to write.	52%	62%	41%			37%		55%	40%
I am a good writer.	54%	67%	41%	50%	58%	42%	49%	55%	42%
I can communicate my ideas in writing.	48%	46%	50%	40%	41%	39%	41%	42%	39%
I do my best on writing activities in class.	74%	88%	59%	68%	75%	62%	69%	73%	64%
COGNITIVE STRATEGIES USED IN LANGUAGE	ļ <u> </u>	Perce	ntage of s	students	who answ	vered "mo	ost of the	timeӠ	
I make sure I understand what I am reading.	61%	62%	59%	60%	62%	59%	65%	68%	62%
I organize my ideas before I start to write.	46%	62%	27%	42%	45%	39%	41%	45%	38%
I edit my writing to make it better.	43%	50%	36%	40%	42%	37%	43%	47%	38%
I check my writing for spelling and grammar.	50%	67%	32%	45%	53%	38%	45%	49%	41%
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT About mathematics:	II	Perce	ntage of s	students	who answ	vered "mo	ost of the	time"†	
I like mathematics.	50%	42%	59%	48%	43%	54%	56%	51%	60%
I am good at mathematics.	61%	50%	73%	51%	47%	56%	54%	47%	60%
I can answer difficult mathematics questions.	37%	29%	45%	33%	26%	41%	35%	28%	42%
I do my best on mathematics activities in class.	85%	92%	77%	73%	76%	71%	75%	76%	74%
COGNITIVE STRATEGIES USED IN MATHEMATICS	u1	Perce	ntage of s	students	who answ	vered "mo	ost of the	time"†	
I read over a mathematics problem first to make sure I know what I am supposed to do.	63%	79%	45%	61%	67%	54%	65%	69%	61%
I think about the steps I will use to solve a mathematics problem.	43%	62%	23%	43%	44%	41%	47%	48%	47%

\* Only includes students for whom gender data were available. † Other response options were "never" and "sometimes."

GRADE 3: STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students,		School			Board			Province	•
remale, male)	All Students (# = 46)	Female* (# = 24)	Male* (# = 22)	All Students (# = 1 502)	Female* (# = 756)	Male* (# = 746)	All Students (# = 123 251)	Female* (# = 60 268)	2 ≩ Male* (# = 62 983)
How often do you read the following when you are not at school?	Perc	entage o	rstudent	s who ans	swered e	every day		st every d	ay '
Stories or novels	28%	25%	32%	38%	45%	30%	40%	46%	35%
Comics	17%	12%	23%	19%	12%	25%	19%	13%	26%
Books, newspapers, magazines or websites for information	26%	29%	23%	24%	26%	22%	25%	27%	23%
E-mails, text or instant messages	17%	17%	18%	32%	36%	28%	23%	25%	22%
Any other type of reading material	26%	38%	14%	31%	35%	27%	34%	38%	31%
WRITING OUTSIDE SCHOOL How often do you write the following (using paper or a computer) when you are not at school?	Perc	centage o	f student	s who ans	swered "e	every day	or almos	st every d	ayӠ
Stories	20%	25%	14%	16%	19%	12%	16%	18%	13%
Journal entries	11%	17%	5%	13%	19%	7%	14%	18%	9%
E-mails, text or instant messages	20%	25%	14%	30%	35%	26%	22%	24%	21%
Letters	9%	12%	5%	10%	12%	8%	12%	14%	10%
PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT How often do you and a parent, a guardian or another adult who lives with you do the following?	Perc	centage o	f student	s who ans	swered "e	every day	or almos	st every d	ayӠ
We talk about the activities I do in school.	52%	54%	50%	55%	62%	49%	53%	58%	48%
We talk about the reading and writing work I do in school.	22%	25%	18%	30%	33%	28%	32%	36%	29%
We talk about the mathematics I do in school.	33%	29%	36%	32%	34%	30%	36%	38%	34%
We read together.	41%	42%	41%	30%	33%	27%	28%	30%	25%
We look at my school agenda.	67%	62%	73%	57%	59%	55%	53%	54%	52%
We use a computer together.	13%	12%	14%	17%	19%	16%	17%	17%	18%
OUT-OF-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES How often do you do the following when you are not at school?	Perc	centage o	f student	s who ans	swered "e	every day	or almos	st every d	ayӠ
I take part in art, music or drama activities.	15%	21%	9%	18%	27%	9%	18%	23%	13%
I take part in after-school clubs.	9%	12%	5%	10%	12%	8%	11%	11%	10%
I take part in sports or other physical activities.	48%	50%	45%	43%	38%	47%	38%	33%	43%

\* Only includes students for whom gender data were available. † Other response options were "never," "1 or 2 times a month" and "1 to 3 times a week."

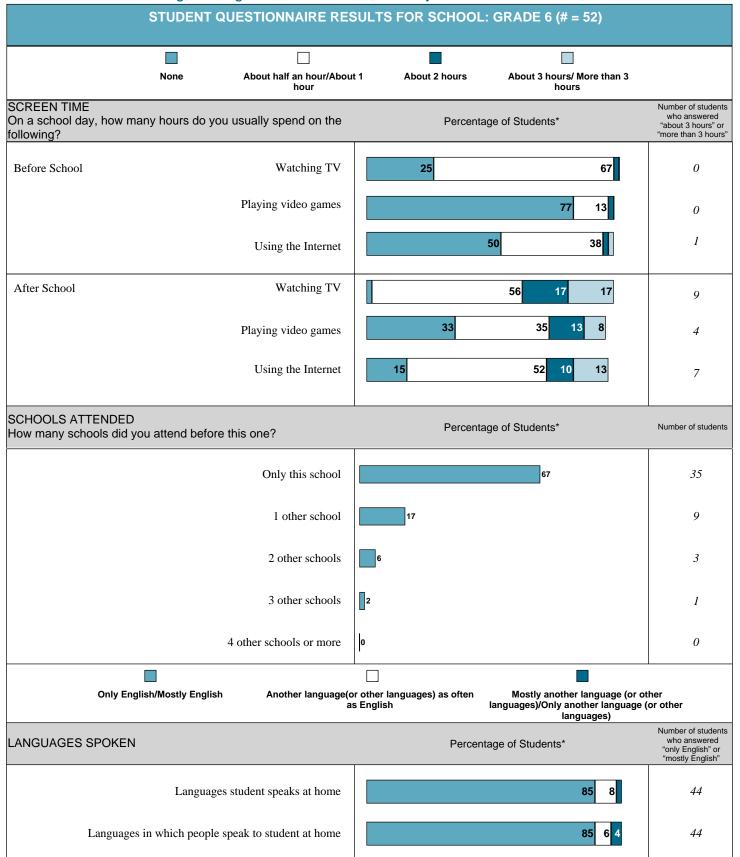
GRADE 3: STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students,		School			Board		l	Province	
female, male)	All Students (# = 46)	Female* (# = 24)	Male* (# = 22)	All Students (# = 1 502)	Female* (# = 756)	Male* (# = 746)	All Students (# = 123 251)	Female* (# = 60 268)	Male* (# = 62 983)
SCREEN TIME (TELEVISION) On a school day, how many TV programs do you normally watch?		Percent	age of stu	udents wh	no answe	red "4 pro	ograms o	r moreӠ	
Before school	7%	0%	14%	11%	7%	15%	9%	6%	13%
After school	57%	46%	68%	53%	50%	57%	46%	42%	50%
SCHOOLS ATTENDED How many schools did you attend before this one?	Percentage of students <sup>‡</sup>								
Only this school/1 other school	87%	83%	91%	85%	86%	84%	78%	78%	77%
2 other schools/3 other schools	13%	17%	9%	11%	11%	12%	15%	15%	16%
4 other schools or more	0%	0%	0%	2%	2%	2%	4%	4%	4%
LANGUAGES STUDENTS SPEAK AT HOME				Percent	age of st	udents‡			
Only English/Mostly English	89%	83%	95%	85%	85%	86%	71%	71%	72%
Another language (or other languages) as often as English	4%	8%	0%	9%	9%	8%	16%	17%	15%
Mostly another language (or other languages)/ Only another language (or other languages)	7%	8%	5%	5%	6%	5%	11%	11%	11%
LANGUAGES SPOKEN TO STUDENTS AT HOME				Percent	age of st	udents‡			
Only English/Mostly English	78%	71%	86%	82%	82%	83%	66%	66%	67%
Another language (or other languages) as often as English	13%	17%	9%	7%	8%	7%	14%	14%	13%
Mostly another language (or other languages)/ Only another language (or other languages)	9%	12%	5%	8%	9%	8%	17%	17%	17%

\* Only includes students for whom gender data were available.
† Other response options were "0 programs," "1 program" and "2 or 3 programs."
‡ Percentages may not add to 100, due to lack of or ambiguous responses.

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Sometimes	Most of the time		
	Percentage of Students*		Number of students who answered "most of the time"
	50	48	25
17		81	42
4	50	44	23
2	3	71	37
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4	54	40	21
	44	54	28
4	46	48	25
	27	71	37
15		83	43
6	58	35	18
6	44	48	25
	35	62	32
	SULTS FOR Sometimes	SULTS FOR SCHOOL: GRADE 6 (# = 52         Sometimes       Most of the time         Percentage of Students*         17         4       50         23         4         50         23         4         50         17         4         50         23         4         50         23         50         17         4         50         23         4         50         17         4         50         17         4         50         10         11         12         13         15         15         15         15         15         15         15         15         15         16         58         6         44	Percentage of Students*         50       48         17       81         4       50       44         1       23       71         4       54       40         4       54       40         4       54       40         4       46       48         27       71       71         15       83       5         6       58       35         6       44       48

#### Assessments of Reading, Writing and Mathematics, Primary and Junior Divisions, 2012–2013 STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL: GRADE 6 (# = 52) Never Sometimes Most of the time Number of students who STUDENT ENGAGEMENT answered "most of the time" Percentage of Students\* About mathematics: I like mathematics. 23 10 44 44 I am good at mathematics. 32 35 62 I can answer difficult mathematics questions. 48 42 22 10 I do my best on mathematics activities in class. 21 77 40 COGNITIVE STRATEGIES USED IN MATHEMATICS I read over a mathematics problem first to make sure I know 44 13 85 what I am supposed to do. I think about the steps I will use to solve a mathematics 48 25 48 problem. 1 or 2 times a month Never 1 to 3 times a week Every day or almost every day Number of students who READING OUTSIDE SCHOOL Percentage of Students\* answered How often do you read the following when you are not at school? "every day or almost every day" 17 25 40 33 Stories or novels 2 50 37 8 4 Comics 29 35 27 8 Books, newspapers, magazines or websites for information 14 10 E-mails, text or instant messages 58 13 30 17 Any other type of reading material 33 8 29 27 17

STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RE	SULTS FOR SCHOOL: GRADE 6 (# = 52)	
Never 1 or 2 times a mont	n 1 to 3 times a week Every day or almost every day	
WRITING OUTSIDE SCHOOL How often do you write the following (using paper or a compute when you are not at school?	r) Percentage of Students*	Number of students who answered "every day or almost every day"
Stories	31 38 10 12	6
Journal entries	42 33 13	1
E-mail, text or instant messages	12 10 15 58	30
Letters	31 48 10 4	2
OUT-OF-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES How often do you do the following when you are not at school?	1	1
I take part in art, music or drama activities.	48 13 27 4	2
I take part in after-school clubs.	46 13 27 6	3
I take part in sports or other physical activities.	4 6 40 44	23
PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT How often do you and a parent, a guardian or another adult wh lives with you do the following?	0	I
We talk about the activities I do in school.	6 6 27 56	29
We talk about the reading and writing work I do in school.	6 25 29 33	17
We talk about the mathematics I do in school.	10 10 29 44	23
We read together.	37 27 21 6	3
We look at my school agenda.	6 13 69	36
We use a computer together.	35 35 12 10	5



GRADE 6: STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS		School	innary		Board	/10/01/0		Province	
FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students, female, male)	ts			ts					
	All Students (# = 52)	Female* (# = 27)	Male* (# = 25)	All Students (# = 1 587)	Female* (# = 774)	Male* (# = 813)	All Students (# = 127 419)	Female* (# = 62 541)	Male* (# = 64 869)
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT About reading:		Perce	ntage of s	students	who answ	vered "mo	ost of the		
I like to read.	48%	37%	60%	45%	53%	38%	48%	56%	40%
I am a good reader.	81%	70%	92%	67%	70%	65%	66%	70%	63%
I can understand difficult reading passages.	44%	33%	56%	37%	37%	37%	38%	36%	40%
I do my best on reading activities in class.	71%	67%	76%	75%	78%	72%	70%	75%	65%
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT About writing:	<b> </b>	Perce	ntage of s	students	who answ	vered "mo	ost of the	time"†	
I like to write.	40%	48%	32%	41%	53%	30%	39%	51%	28%
I am a good writer.	54%	52%	56%	45%	54%	37%	42%	50%	35%
I can communicate my ideas in writing.	48%	41%	56%	45%	49%	42%	44%	48%	40%
I do my best on writing activities in class.	71%	74%	68%	72%	76%	69%	67%	73%	61%
COGNITIVE STRATEGIES USED IN LANGUAGE	1	Perce	ntage of s	students	who answ	vered "mo	ost of the	time"†	
I make sure I understand what I am reading.	83%	89%	76%	72%	74%	69%	72%	75%	68%
I organize my ideas before I start to write.	35%	41%	28%	36%	39%	33%	34%	38%	29%
I edit my writing to make it better.	48%	48%	48%	48%	55%	41%	46%	53%	40%
I check my writing for spelling and grammar.	62%	63%	60%	50%	54%	46%	48%	53%	44%
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT About mathematics:		Perce	ntage of s	students	who answ	vered "mo	ost of the	time"†	
I like mathematics.	44%	26%	64%	44%	34%	54%	47%	39%	55%
I am good at mathematics.	62%	52%	72%	54%	47%	61%	52%	44%	58%
I can answer difficult mathematics questions.	42%	33%	52%	38%	27%	49%	36%	28%	44%
I do my best on mathematics activities in class.	77%	70%	84%	78%	78%	79%	74%	74%	74%
COGNITIVE STRATEGIES USED IN MATHEMATICS	4	Perce	ntage of s	students	who answ	vered "mo	ost of the	timeӠ	
I read over a mathematics problem first to make sure I know what I am supposed to do.	85%	93%	76%	75%	81%	69%	73%	77%	69%
I think about the steps I will use to solve a mathematics problem.	48%	48%	48%	48%	45%	51%	49%	50%	49%

\* Only includes students for whom gender data were available. † Other response options were "never" and "sometimes."

GRADE 6: STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students,		School			Board			Province		
female, male)	All Students (# = 52)	Female* (# = 27)	Male* (# = 25)	All Students (# = 1 587)	Female* (# = 774)	Male* (# = 813)	All Students (# = 127 419)	Female* (# = 62 541)	Male* (# = 64 869)	
READING OUTSIDE SCHOOL How often do you read the following when you are not at school?	Perc	entage o	f student	s who ans	swered "e	every day	or almos	at every d	ayӠ	
Stories or novels	33%	19%	48%	28%	34%	23%	33%	39%	26%	
Comics		4%	4%	8%	4%	12%	11%	8%	15%	
Books, newspapers, magazines or websites for information		19%	36%	29%	30%	28%	30%	32%	289	
E-mails, text or instant messages		56%	60%	60%	69%	51%	55%	64%	47%	
Any other type of reading material	33%	22%	44%	27%	29%	25%	28%	30%	25%	
WRITING OUTSIDE SCHOOL How often do you write the following (using paper or a computer) when you are not at school?	Perc	entage o	fstudent	s who ans	swered "e	every day	or almos	st every d	ayӠ	
Stories	12%	19%	4%	6%	8%	4%	7%	9%	5%	
Journal entries		4%	0%	6%	10%	2%	7%	11%	3%	
E-mails, text or instant messages		56%	60%	58%	67%	49%	52%	62%	43%	
Letters		4%	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%	4%	3%	
PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT How often do you and a parent, a guardian or another adult who lives with you do the following?	Perc	entage o	f student	s who ans	swered "e	every day	or almos	st every d	ayӠ	
We talk about the activities I do in school.	56%	63%	48%	57%	59%	55%	53%	56%	50%	
We talk about the reading and writing work I do in school.	33%	37%	28%	28%	29%	26%	28%	30%	26%	
We talk about the mathematics I do in school.	44%	48%	40%	35%	35%	35%	36%	37%	34%	
We read together.		7%	4%	6%	7%	5%	7%	7%	7%	
We look at my school agenda.		67%	72%	46%	43%	48%	32%	31%	34%	
We use a computer together.		11%	8%	9%	9%	10%	10%	10%	119	
OUT-OF-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES How often do you do the following when you are not at school?	Perc	entage o	f student	s who ans	swered "e	every day	or almos	at every d	ayӠ	
I take part in art, music or drama activities.	4%	4%	4%	13%	17%	9%	13%	17%	89	
I take part in after-school clubs.		11%	0%	9%	11%	7%	9%	10%	8%	
I take part in sports or other physical activities.		37%	52%	49%	42%	55%	41%	35%	46%	

\* Only includes students for whom gender data were available. † Other response options were "never," "1 or 2 times a month" and "1 to 3 times a week."

GRADE 6: STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students,	School			Board			Province		
female, male)	All Students (# = 52)	Female* (# = 27)	Male* (# = 25)	All Students (# = 1 587)	Female* (# = 774)	Male* (# = 813)	All Students (# = 127 419)	Female* (# = 62 541)	Male* (# = 64 869)
SCREEN TIME (TELEVISION) On a school day, how many hours do you usually spend on the following?	Percent	age of st	udents w	ho answe	ered "abo	ut 3 hours	s" or "moi	re than 3	hoursӠ
Before School Watching TV	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%
Playing video games	0%	0%	0%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	3%
Using the Internet	2%	0%	4%	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%
After School Watching TV	17%	11%	24%	18%	17%	18%	17%	17%	17%
Playing video games	8%	4%	12%	16%	6%	24%	13%	5%	22%
Using the Internet	13%	4%	24%	23%	25%	22%	23%	23%	22%
CHOOLS ATTENDED Percentage of students <sup>‡</sup>									
Only this school/1 other school	85%	85%	84%	81%	82%	80%	69%	69%	69%
2 other schools/3 other schools	8%	7%	8%	13%	12%	13%	22%	22%	22%
4 other schools or more	0%	0%	0%	4%	4%	4%	6%	6%	6%
LANGUAGES STUDENTS SPEAK AT HOME	Percentage of students <sup>‡</sup>								
Only English/Mostly English	85%	81%	88%	88%	87%	88%	76%	76%	76%
Another language (or other languages) as often as English	8%	11%	4%	7%	8%	6%	14%	15%	14%
Mostly another language (or other languages)/ Only another language (or other languages)	2%	4%	0%	4%	4%	4%	8%	7%	8%
LANGUAGES SPOKEN TO STUDENTS AT HOME Percentage of students <sup>‡</sup>									
Only English/Mostly English	85%	81%	88%	84%	84%	84%	70%	70%	70%
Another language (or other languages) as often as English		11%	0%	7%	7%	7%	13%	14%	13%
Mostly another language (or other languages)/ Only another language (or other languages)		4%	4%	6%	7%	6%	14%	14%	14%

\* Only includes students for whom gender data were available.
† Other response options were "about 2 hours," "about 1 hour," "about half an hour" and "none."
‡ Percentages may not add to 100, due to rounding or to ambiguous responses or blanks.

	EXPLANATION OF TERMS			
All Students	Results are reported for all students in the grade.			
	Results are reported only for those students who took part in the assessment (excludes "no data" and "exempt" categories).			
Provincial Standard	The Ministry of Education has set Level 3 as the provincial standard.			
Level 4	The student has demonstrated the required knowledge and skills. Achievement surpasses the provincial standard.			
Level 3	The student has demonstrated most of the required knowledge and skills. Achievement is at the provincial standard.			
Level 2	The student has demonstrated some of the required knowledge and skills. Achievement approaches the provincial standard.			
Level 1	The student has demonstrated some of the required knowledge and skills in limited ways. Achievement falls much below the provincial standard.			
NE1	"Not enough evidence for Level 1" is used when students did not demonstrate enough evidence of knowledge and understanding to be assigned Level 1.			
No Data	Students who did not have a result due to absence or other reasons.			
Exempt	Students who were formally exempted from participation in one or more components of the assessment.			
	Students who have been identified by the school in accordance with <i>English Language Learners: ESL and ELD Programs and Services: Policies and Procedures for Ontario Elementary and Secondary Schools, Kindergarten to Grade 12</i> (2007).			
Learners Receiving	English language learners identified by the school as receiving a special provision. Detailed information about special provisions is available in EQAO's <i>Guide for Accommodations, Special Provisions and Exemptions.</i>			
Special Education	Students who have been formally identified by an Identification, Placement and Review Committee, as well as students who have an Individual Education Plan. Students whose sole identified exceptionality is giftedness are not included.			
	Students identified by the school as receiving accommodations. Detailed information about accommodations is available in EQAO's <i>Guide for Accommodations, Special Provisions and Exemptions</i> .			
N/R	"Not reported" indicates that the number of students participating (fewer than 10 in a group) or responding to the Student Questionnaire is so small (fewer than six in a group) that identification of individual student results might be possible; therefore, results are not reported.			
N/D	No data available is used to indicate that there were no students in the grade or subject for the group or year specified.			
w	Results are being withheld by EQAO. For further information, please contact the school principal.			