



New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment (NJGPA)



NJGPA Results: Spring 2025 Administration

Vineland Public Schools

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NJGPA Overview (1 of 2)



- NJGPA – New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment
- The State graduation proficiency test (NJGPA) shall be administered to all 11th grade students. (N.J.S.A. 18A:7C-6)
- NJGPA is designed to measure the extent to which students are graduation ready in English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics.
- Graduation readiness is reported separately for each content component.
- The ELA component is aligned to the grade 10 standards.
- The Mathematics component is aligned to Algebra I and Geometry standards.

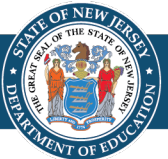




NJGPA Overview (2 of 2)



- Students who take but do not meet the minimum required score (725) on each component of the assessment will have the opportunity to receive additional supports and may take the following steps:
 - Retake the ELA and/or mathematics components of the New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment in the following summer or fall;
 - Meet a designated cut score from the menu of substitute competency tests; or
 - Complete a portfolio appeal.

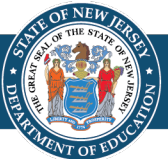




Spring, 2025: Math Results



- The Mathematics component of the NJGPA is aligned to the Algebra I and Geometry standards.
- Total of 645 students took the Mathematics portion of the NJGPA.
- Math NJGPA Testing Date(s): Wednesday, March 12th.
- Math NJGPA consisted of 2 (90 minute) test sessions.



Spring, 2025: Math NJGPA School Level Outcomes

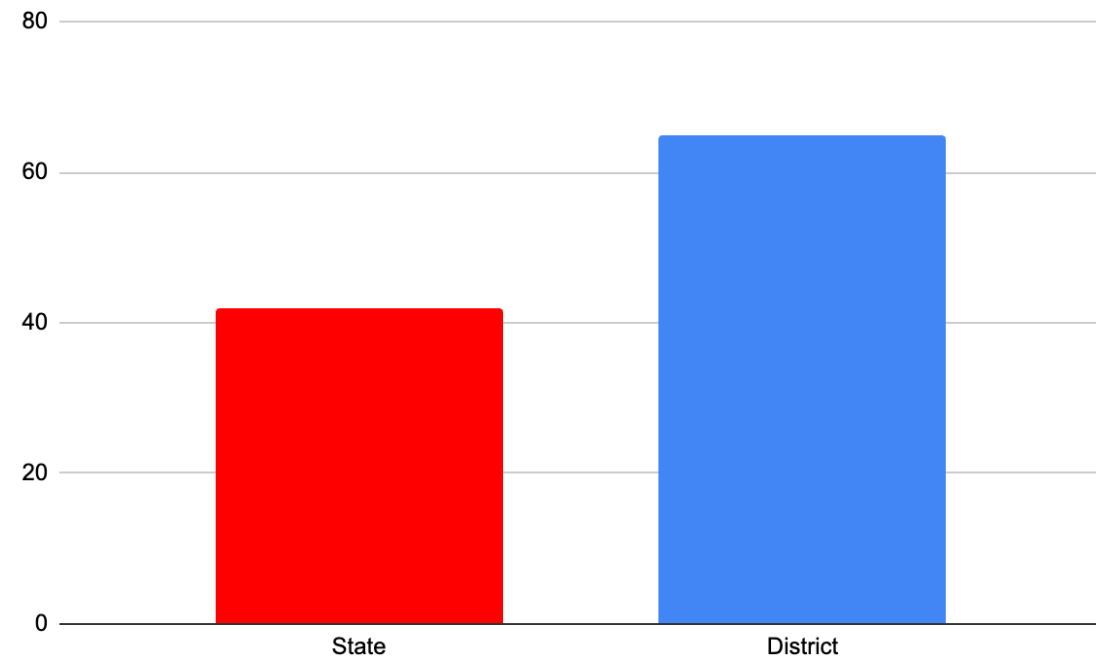


Performance Level

Not Yet Ready for Graduation

State: 42% **District:** 65%

(419 out of 645)



Spring, 2025: Math NJGPA School Level Outcomes

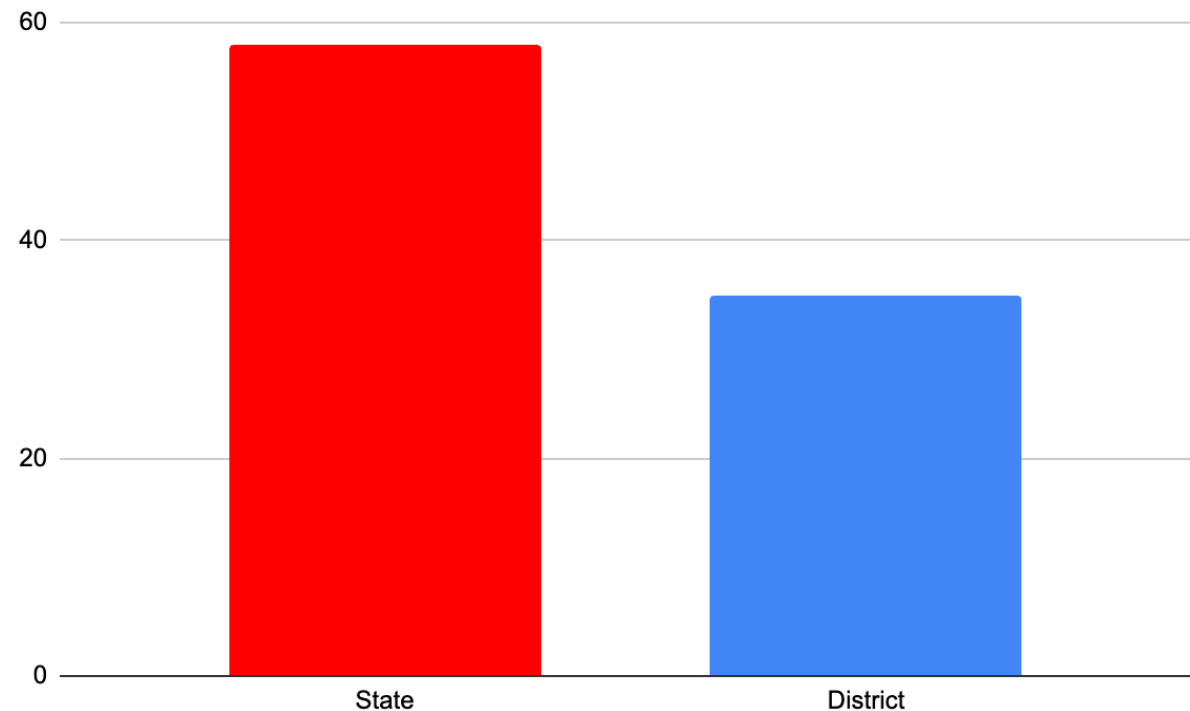


Performance Level

Ready for Graduation

State: 58% **District:** 35%

(226 out of 645)



NJGPA Math Comparison: 2023, 2024, & 2025

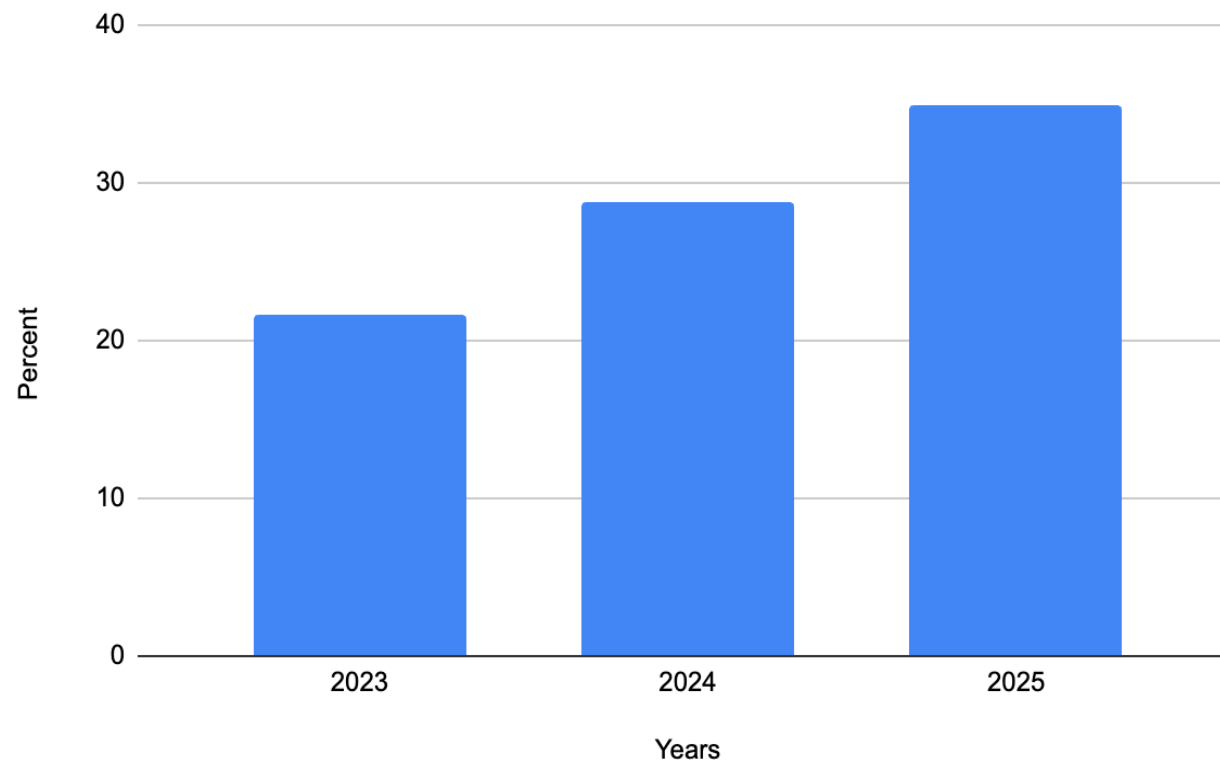


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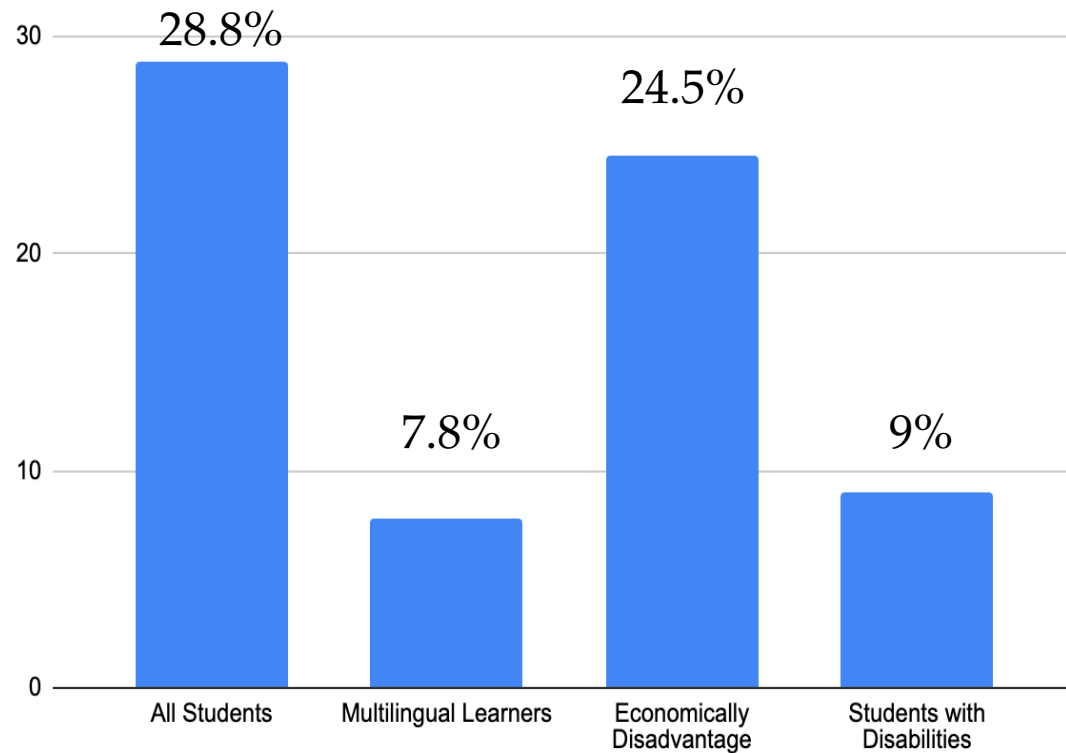
Ready for Graduation

2023: 21.6% 2024: 28.8% 2025: 35%

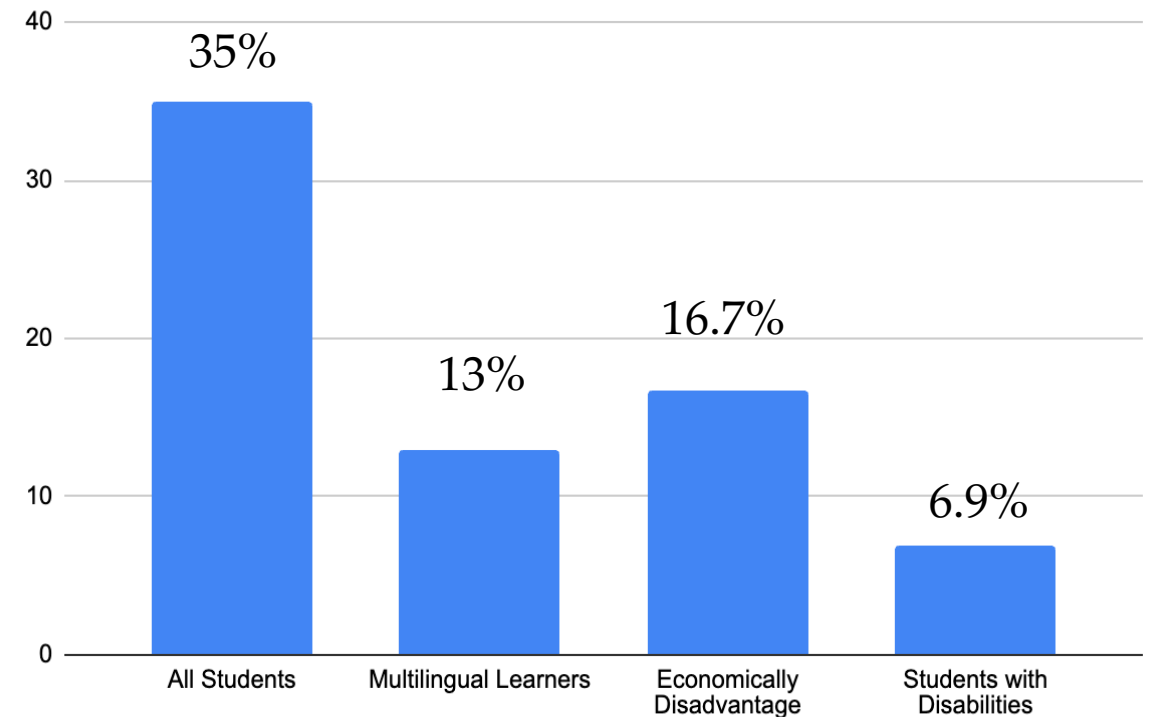
Increase of 13.4% from 2023



Comparison of Vineland's Subgroup Spring 2024 and Spring 2025 NJGPA Administration Math Component – Percentages (Graduation Ready)



2024



2025





Spring, 2025: ELA Results



- The ELA component of the NJGPA is aligned to 10th grade ELA standards.
- Total of 654 students took the ELA portion of the NJGPA.
- ELA NJGPA Testing Date(s): Tuesday, March 11th.
- ELA NJGPA consisted of 2 (90 minute) test sessions.



Spring, 2025: ELA NJGPA School Level Outcomes

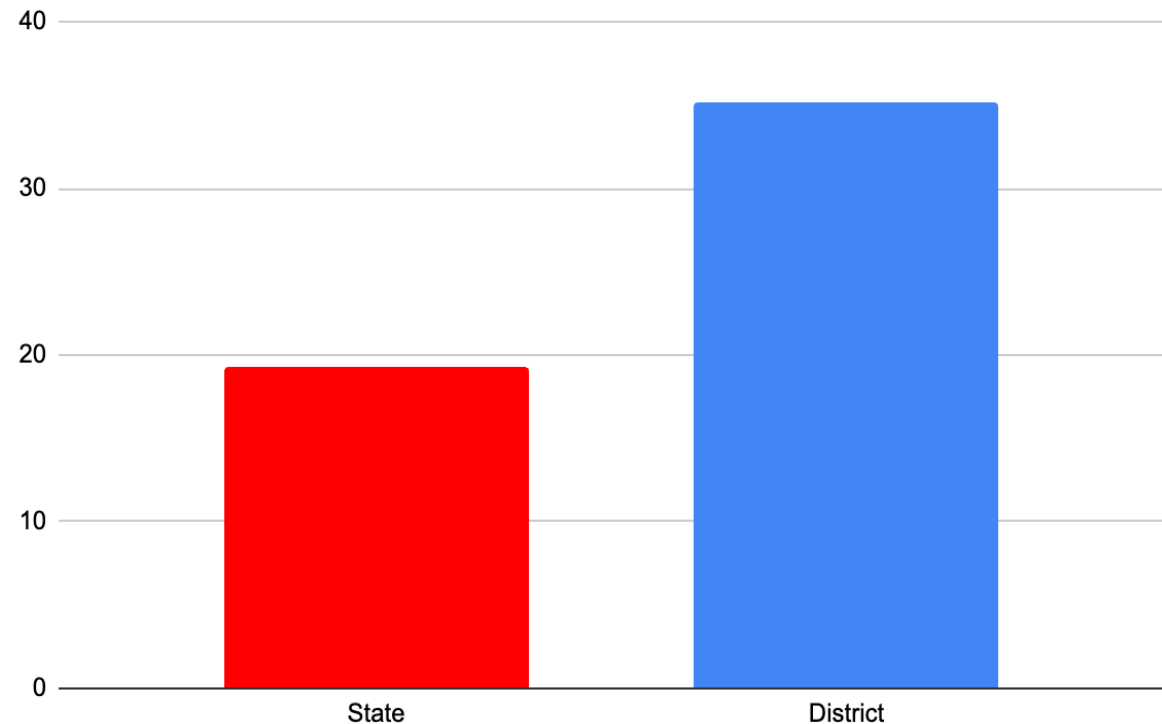


Performance Level

Not Yet Ready for Graduation

State: 19.3% **District:** 35.2%

(230 out of 654)



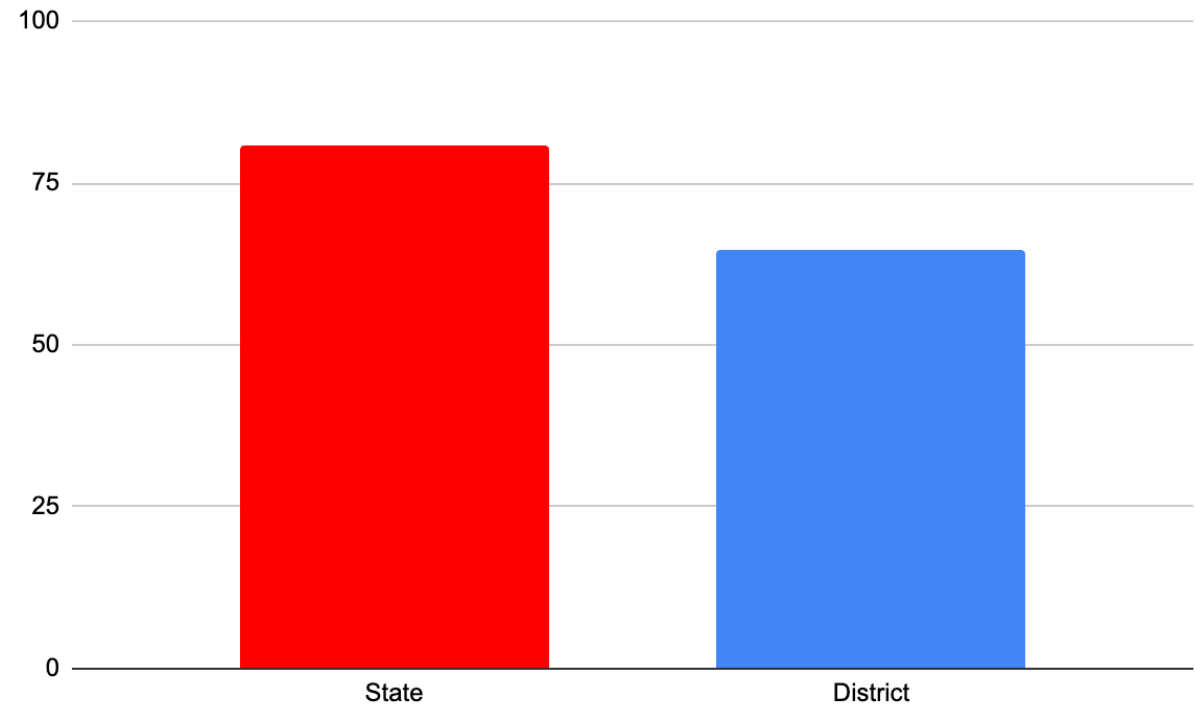
Spring, 2025: ELA NJGPA School Level Outcomes



Performance Level

Ready for Graduation

State: 80.7% **District:** 64.8%
(424 out of 654)



NJGPA ELA Comparison: 2023, 2024, & 2025

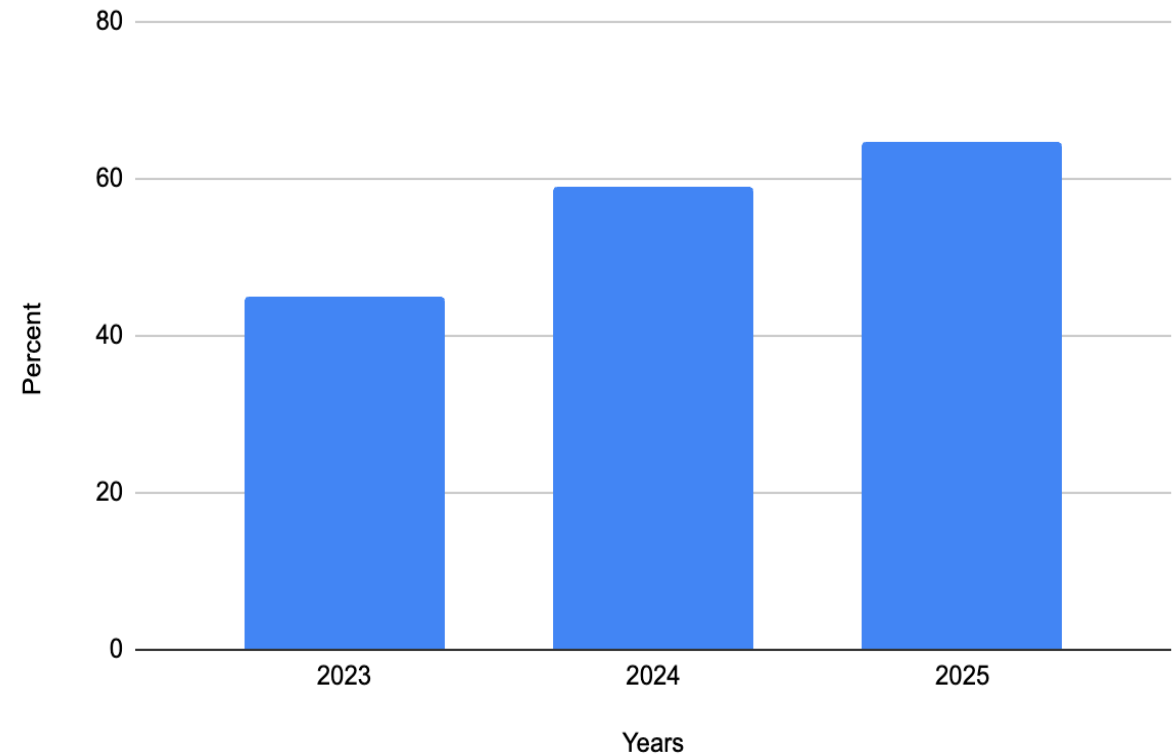


Performance Level

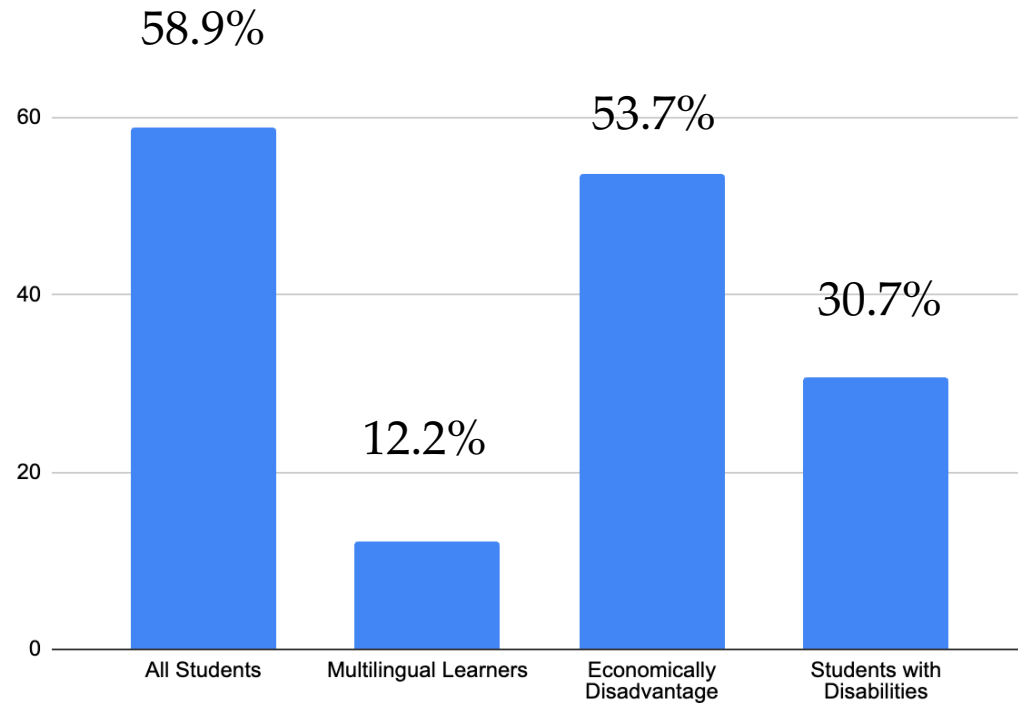
Ready for Graduation

2023: 45% 2024: 58.9% 2025: 64.8%

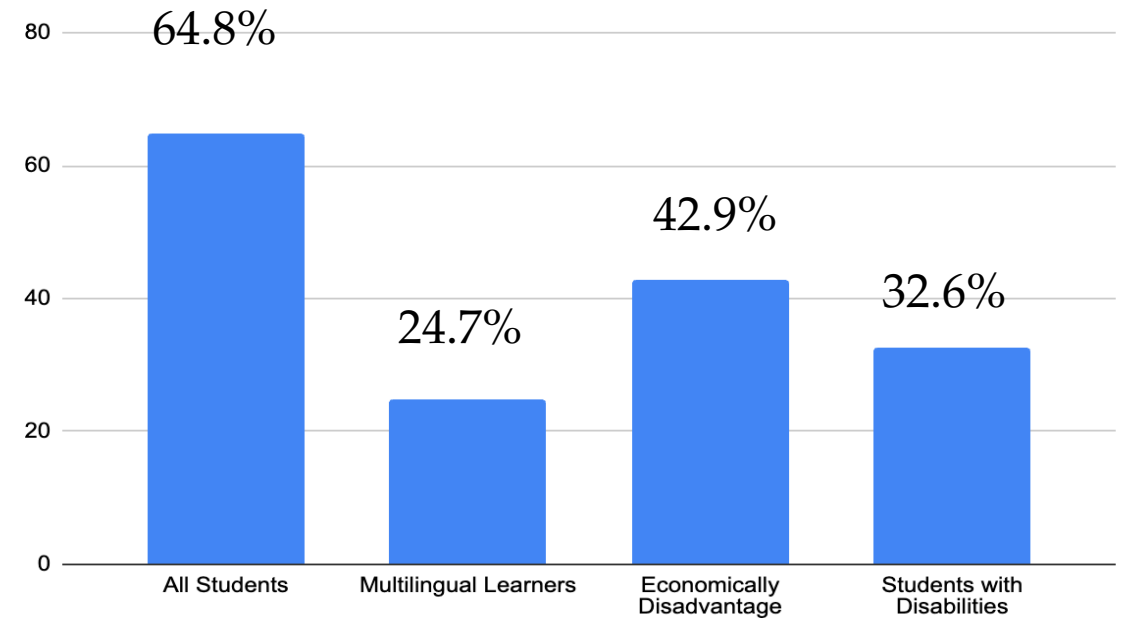
Increase of 19.8% from 2023



Comparison of Vineland's Subgroup Spring 2024 and Spring 2025 NJGPA Administration ELA Component – Percentages (Graduation Ready)




2024



2025





Class of 2026



Pathways to meet New Jersey State Assessment Requirements





Pathway #1



First Pathway—NJGPA

Note: Cut Scores Approved by the New Jersey State Board of Education on May 3, 2023

| ELA | Mathematics |
|---|--|
| New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment—ELA ≥ 725 (Graduation Ready) | New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment— Mathematics ≥ 725 (Graduation Ready) |





Pathway #2



Students who sat for the New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment in grade 11 and did not demonstrate proficiency are able to demonstrate proficiency in ELA and/or mathematics by meeting the designated cut score on one of the assessments on the menu of substitute competency tests in the table for the second pathway (below).

Second Pathway—Menu of Substitute Competency Tests

Note: Cut Scores Approved by the New Jersey State Board of Education on May 3, 2023

| ELA | Mathematics |
|---|--|
| One of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ACT Reading ≥ 17• Accuplacer WritePlacer ≥ 5• Accuplacer WritePlacer English Second Language ≥ 4• PSAT10 Evidence Based Reading and Writing (EBRW) ≥ 420• PSAT10 Reading ≥ 21• PSAT/NMSQT EBRW ≥ 420• PSAT/NMSQT Reading ≥ 21• SAT EBRW ≥ 450• SAT Reading ≥ 23 | One of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ACT Math ≥ 17• Accuplacer Elementary Algebra ≥ 49• Accuplacer Next-Generation QAS ≥ 250• PSAT10 Math Section or PSAT/NMSQT Math Section ≥ 420• PSAT10 Math or PSAT/NMSQT Math ≥ 21• SAT Math Section ≥ 440• SAT Math Test ≥ 22 |





Pathway #3



Note: This pathway is only available to students who completed the New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment in grade 11.

Students who completed the New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment in grade 11 and did not demonstrate proficiency are able to demonstrate proficiency in ELA and/or mathematics through a portfolio appeal in grade 12.

Third Pathway—Portfolio Appeals

| ELA | Mathematics |
|---|--|
| Meet the criteria of the NJDOE Portfolio Appeal for ELA | Meet the criteria of the NJDOE Portfolio Appeal for Math |





Notable Achievements



- ELA scores have increased by 19.8% since 2023.
- Math scores have increased by 13.4% since 2023.
- Curriculum Design and Delivery: Curriculum is aligned to the NJ State Standards and teachers are provided with effective professional development.
- Data driven decision making – Allows teachers to adjust instruction and provide targeted interventions.





Intervention Strategies



- Parent/Guardian Letter
- Guidance will meet with students and call each parent.
- Students will be able to take the NJGPA in Fall, 2025.
- ELA & Math Supervisors to discuss NJGPA results with their department members.
- Summer curriculum revisions are underway
- Close Reading, Pre-Algebra, and Math Lab courses begin 2025-2026 SY.

