

# PRINCIPAL PACKETS TEST

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This document is a beta version of KIPP:Chicago's **Principal Packet**. This proposed principal packet has two aims. First, and most importantly, to present our school leaders with actionable data and analysis to help our students achieve at the highest level. Secondly, is to provide a proof-of-concept that will move regional reporting *away from* PowerPoint style decks and towards more thoughtful, insightful, and informative reports. To this end, this report needs to include useful, clear data visualization that are explained and contextualized with incisive analytical prose, rather than the near meaningless, overly-simplified prolix of the dreaded bullet point.<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> For more on the pitfalls of PowerPoints "cognitive style" please read Edward Tufte's excellent *The Cognitive Style of PowerPoint* (<http://bit.ly/SuaNBh>).

## *Graphics Test 1*

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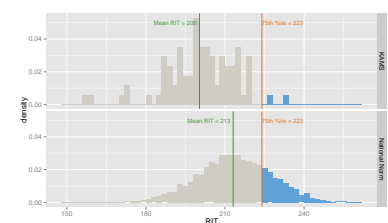


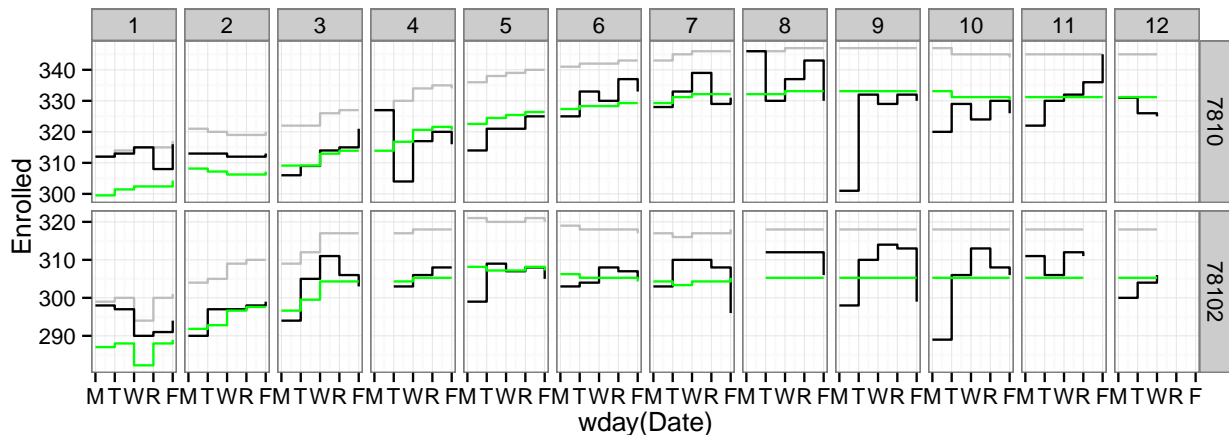
Figure 1: KAPS Kindergarten Distribution of RIT Scores versus the National Distribution of RIT Scores  
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### *Enrollment, Attrition, & Attendance*

#### *Attendance*

The school year for KAPS and KAMS began on August 13, 2012 and on August 27, 2012 for KCCP. Consequently all of the attendance analysis is based on data pulled from PowerSchool for the time between August 13 and today (October 10, 2012).



#### *Highlights from the 2011-12 School Year*

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### *MAP Results*

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