

Virginia

Standards of Learning Assessments

Statewide Spring Passing Rates

(Shown in Percent Passing)

SOL Test	1998 Pass Rate	1999 Pass Rate	2000 Pass Rate	2001 Pass Rate	2002 Pass Rate	Change 1998- 1999	Change 1999- 2000	Change 2000- 2001	Change 2001- 2002	Change 1998- 2002
Grade 3										
English	55	61	61	65	72	+ 6	0	+4	+7	+17
Mathematics	63	68	71	77	80	+ 5	+3	+6	+3	+17
History & Social Science	49	62	65	72	76	+13	+3	+7	+4	+27
Science	63	68	73	74	78	+ 5	+5	+1	+4	+15
Grade 5										
English: Reading, Literature, & Research	68	69	68	73	78	+ 1	-1	+5	+5	+10
English: Writing	65	81	81	84	84	+16	0	+3	+0	+19
Mathematics	47	51	63	67	71	+ 4	+12	+4	+4	+24
History & Social Science	33	46	51	63	72	+13	+5	+12	+9	+39
Science	59	67	64	75	76	+ 8	-3	+11	+1	+17
Computer/Technology	72	81	85	82	86	+ 9	+4	-3	+4	+14
Grade 8										
English: Reading, Literature, & Research	65	67	70	73	69	+ 2	+3	+3	-4	+4
English: Writing	67	70	76	75	76	+ 3	+6	-1	+1	+9
Mathematics	53	60	61	68	71	+ 7	+1	+7	+3	+18
History & Social Science	35	40	50	56	78	+ 5	+10	+6	+22	+43
Science	71	78	82	84	85	+ 7	+4	+2	+1	+14
Computer/Technology	63	72	78	79	76	+ 9	+6	+1	-3	+13
High School										
English: Reading, Literature, & Research	72	75	78	82	86	+ 3	+3	+4	+4	+14
English: Writing	71	81	85	84	86	+10	+4	-1	+2	+15
Algebra I	40	56	65	74	78	+16	+9	+9	+4	+38
Algebra II	31	51	58	74	77	+20	+7	+16	+3	+46
Geometry	52	62	67	73	76	+10	+5	+6	+3	+24
Earth Science	58	65	70	73	70	+ 7	+5	+3	-3	+12
Biology	72	81	79	81	83	+ 9	-2	+2	+2	+11
Chemistry	54	64	64	74	78	+10	0	+10	+4	+24
World History I	62	68	75	83	86	+ 6	+7	+8	+3	+24
World History II	41	47	60	65	79	+ 6	+13	+5	+14	+38
World Geography	N/A	N/A	76	77	74	N/A	N/A	+1	-3	N/A
U. S. History	30	32	39	47	72	+ 2	+7	+8	+25	+42

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Spring pass rates do not include summer or fall results