4.7.6 Get the Passing Percentages

You're almost done compiling the data for the district summary. Now it's time to get the percentage of students who passed math and reading, as well as the overall passing percentage.

To get the percentage of students who passed math and reading, we will write code to:

- 1. Determine the passing grade.
- 2. Get the number of students who passed math and reading in separate DataFrames.
- 3. Calculate the number of students who passed math and reading.
- 4. Calculate the percentage of students who passed math and reading.

To get the overall passing percentage, we will write code to:

- 1. Get the number of students who passed both math and reading in a DataFrame.
- 2. Calculate the number of students who passed both math and reading.

3. Calculate the percentage of students who passed both math and reading.

Determine the Passing Grade

For math and reading assessment tests in this school district, the passing score was 70. Therefore, we need to get all the math and reading scores that are greater than or equal to 70. To do this, in a new cell, assign a passing_math variable to the math_score column in school_data_complete_df, where all the math scores are equal to or greater than 70.

```
passing_math = school_data_complete_df["math_score"] >= 70
passing_reading = school_data_complete_df["reading_score"] >= 70
```

To find the passing_math variable, run passing_math in a new cell. The result is Boolean values for the rows, where "True" means the score is equal to or greater than 70, and "False" means the score is not equal to or greater than 70.

```
passing_math = school_data_complete_df["math_score"] >= 70
passing_math

0     True
1     False
2     False
3     False
4     True
5     True
6     True
```

When we execute the code for passing_reading, we will get Boolean values for each row, where "True" means the score is equal to or greater than 70, and "False" means the score is not equal to or greater than 70.

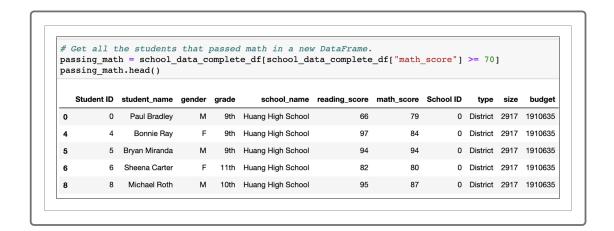
Get the Number of Students Who Passed Math and Reading

To get all the students who passed math and all the students who passed reading, we need to filter our school_data_complete_df DataFrame for the "True" cases. In other words, get only the students who have a grade is equal or greater to 70.

We can filter the school_data_complete_df DataFrame by adding the
school_data_complete_df["math_score"] >= 70 within brackets, like this:

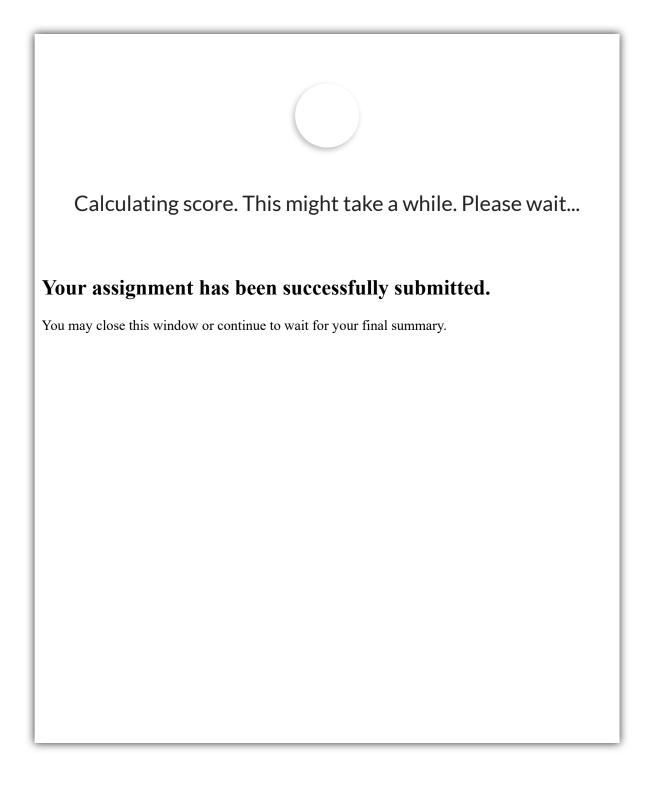
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# Get all the students who are passing math in a new DataFrame.
passing_math = school_data_complete_df[school_data_complete_df["math_score"]
passing_math.head()
```

When we run this cell, the output will be a new DataFrame with all the rows that contain students who passed math.



Now we can repurpose the code we wrote to calculate passing_math in order to find passing_reading, but we'll switch out math_score with
reading_score, as shown in the following code:

Get all the students that are passing reading in a new DataFrame.
passing_reading = school_data_complete_df[school_data_complete_df["reading_s"]



To get the number of students who passed math and reading, apply the count() method to the student_name column of the passing_reading DataFrames, like this:

```
# Calculate the number of students passing math.
passing_math_count = passing_math["student_name"].count()

# Calculate the number of students passing reading.
passing_reading_count = passing_reading["student_name"].count()
```

When we execute this cell and print out the passing_math_count and the passing_reading_count, we get the number of students who passed math and the number of students who passed reading:

```
1 print(passing_math_count)
2 print(passing_reading_count)
29370
33610
```

Great job on getting the passing_math_count and the passing_reading_count!
Now we need to get the percentage of students who passed math and reading.

Get the Percentage of Students Who Passed Math and Reading

To get the percentage of students who passed math and reading, divide the passing_math_count and the passing_reading_count by the total number of students, and then multiply by 100.

REWIND

Recall that the student count was calculated using this code:

```
school_data_complete_df["Student ID"].count()
```

This gave us 39,170 students.

```
# Get the total number of students.
student_count = school_data_complete_df["Student ID"].count()
student_count
39170
```

Since we are calculating a percentage, we need to convert the student_count to a number with a decimal, or floating-point decimal, by using float().

The final calculation should look like this:

```
# Calculate the percent that passed math.
passing_math_percentage = passing_math_count / float(student_count) * 100

# Calculate the percent that passed reading.
passing_reading_percentage = passing_reading_count / float(student_count) *
```

When we execute this cell and print out the passing_math_percentage and passing_reading_percentage, we get the percentage of students who passed math and the percentage of students who passed reading:

```
1 print(passing_math_percentage)
2 print(passing_reading_percentage)
74.9808526933878
85.80546336482001
```

We're almost done! Next, we need to calculate the percentage of students who passed both math and reading.

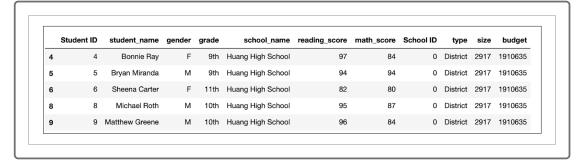
Calculate the Overall Passing Percentage

To get the overall passing percentage, we need to get all the students who passed *both* math and reading and divide by the total number of students.

```
We can filter the school_data_complete_df DataFrame by adding the 
school_data_complete_df["math_score"] >= 70 and 
school_data_complete_df["reading_score"] >= 70 with the logical operator "&" within brackets, like this:
```

```
# Calculate the students who passed both math and reading.
passing_math_reading = school_data_complete_df[(school_data_complete_df["mat
passing_math_reading.head()
```

When we run this cell, the output will be a new DataFrame with all the columns that contain students who passed both math and reading.



Next, we'll get the total number of students who passed both math and reading.

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To get the total number of students who passed both math and reading, we apply the <code>count()</code> method to the <code>passing_math_reading</code> DataFrame with the following code.

Calculate the number of students who passed both math and reading.
overall_passing_math_reading_count = passing_math_reading["student_name"].co
overall_passing_math_reading_count

Finally, we calculate the percentage of students who passed both math and reading by dividing the total number of students and multiplying by 100, using the following code.

Calculate the overall passing percentage.
overall_passing_percentage = overall_passing_math_reading_count / student_co
overall_passing_percentage

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When we run this cell, the percentage of students who passed both math and reading is 65.17232575950983.

This completes the data we need for the district summary. Now we'll add it to a new DataFrame.

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