

The table immediately below compares the student's scores on each test with the scores of one or more "norm groups." "Percentile rank" is the percentage of **students in the norm group** who scored lower than this student. (It is **not** the same as the percentage of the questions on the test that this student answered correctly.) "Stanine" refers to a division of the norm group into nine score categories, from 1 (lowest) to 9 (highest).

The graph in the lower half of the page shows the Percent Content Mastery scores by content standard. Percent Content Mastery Scores can have values between 0 and 100. These scores indicate the estimated percentage of items a student would respond to correctly if he/she could take all available items assigned to a particular content standard.

Norm group:	Scaled Score	National Norm Group		Suburban Public Schools		Independent Schools		
Test:		%ile rank	Stanine	%ile rank	Stanine	%ile rank	Stanine	
Verbal Reasoning	374	20	3	7	2	5	2	
Auditory Comprehension	215	53	5	50	5	21	3	
Reading Comprehension	328	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Writing Mechanics	472	70	6	87	7	38	4	
Writing Concepts & Skills	433	50	5	69	6	14	3	
Quantitative Reasoning	327	36	4	17	3	15	3	
Mathematics 1&2	350	51	5	17	3	17	3	

