

Portland Public Schools
Mean Test Score Gains by Prior Benchmark Status
By Ethnicity
(2007-08)

Subject	Grade	Group	2006-07 Benchmark Status	Number of Students Tested	2006-07 Mean	2007-08 Mean	2007-08 Mean RIT Gain
Reading							
	Four						
		American Indian/Alaskan Native	Low	4	194.3	206.5	12.3
			Nearly Meets	5	201.2	209.2	8.0
			Meets	20	211.3	218.8	7.4
			Exceeds	12	228.8	232.8	3.9
			TOTAL		41	213.5	220.5
		Asian / Pacific Islander	Very Low	3	186.0	202.7	16.7
			Low	23	195.7	208.6	13.0
			Nearly Meets	18	201.2	210.2	9.0
			Meets	150	210.9	219.6	8.7
			Exceeds	114	227.6	231.6	4.0
		TOTAL		308	215.1	222.5	7.4
		Black (Not of Hispanic Origin)	Very Low	13	183.5	203.2	19.7
			Low	49	194.8	207.5	12.7
			Nearly Meets	46	201.1	210.5	9.4
			Meets	212	210.2	216.3	6.1
			Exceeds	98	224.0	225.1	1.0
		TOTAL		418	209.8	216.3	6.5
		Hispanic	Very Low	12	183.7	200.3	16.7
			Low	68	195.2	208.4	13.3
			Nearly Meets	52	201.0	210.4	9.4
			Meets	198	210.2	217.7	7.4
			Exceeds	56	224.8	225.9	1.2
		TOTAL		386	207.6	215.7	8.1
		White (Not of Hispanic Origin)	Very Low	14	183.2	204.5	21.3
			Low	46	194.3	210.2	15.9
			Nearly Meets	59	201.4	214.3	12.9
			Meets	625	211.5	221.2	9.7
			Exceeds	877	228.0	232.9	4.9
		TOTAL		1,621	219.3	226.8	7.5
		Multi-Ethnic	Low	2	192.0	198.5	6.5
			Nearly Meets	5	201.6	216.0	14.4
			Meets	41	210.3	218.7	8.4
			Exceeds	28	226.6	227.4	0.8
		TOTAL		76	215.3	221.2	5.9
		Unknown / Unspecified	Low	3	193.3	207.7	14.3
			Nearly Meets	1	200.0	210.0	10.0
			Meets	12	211.0	218.1	7.1
			Exceeds	20	230.0	230.7	0.7
		TOTAL		36	219.8	224.0	4.2
	Five						
		American Indian/Alaskan Native	Very Low	1	194.0	198.0	4.0
			Low	6	201.8	207.8	6.0
			Nearly Meets	2	208.0	214.0	6.0
			Meets	29	216.1	221.5	5.3
			Exceeds	10	232.1	234.5	2.4
		TOTAL		48	216.9	221.7	4.8

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		Asian / Pacific Islander	Very Low	3	194.3	211.7	17.3
			Low	18	201.2	211.0	9.8
			Nearly Meets	37	207.5	215.9	8.4
			Meets	161	216.1	222.5	6.4
			Exceeds	109	230.5	233.5	3.0
			TOTAL		328	218.9	224.7
		Black (Not of Hispanic Origin)	Very Low	13	194.3	204.2	9.8
			Low	30	202.0	209.2	7.3
			Nearly Meets	65	207.5	213.3	5.8
			Meets	222	215.7	219.5	3.8
			Exceeds	86	229.9	226.5	-3.3
			TOTAL		416	215.7	218.8
		Hispanic	Very Low	14	193.6	205.8	12.1
			Low	48	201.7	209.3	7.6
			Nearly Meets	63	207.4	213.7	6.3
			Meets	191	215.6	220.0	4.4
			Exceeds	77	228.5	229.0	0.5
			TOTAL		393	214.3	218.9
		White (Not of Hispanic Origin)	Very Low	18	194.0	206.2	12.2
			Low	36	201.3	210.3	9.0
			Nearly Meets	84	207.8	214.6	6.8
			Meets	519	216.9	223.6	6.7
			Exceeds	923	231.8	234.2	2.4
			TOTAL		1,580	224.5	228.8
		Multi-Ethnic	Very Low	2	194.0	208.0	14.0
			Low	1	200.0	207.0	7.0
			Nearly Meets	5	205.4	210.4	5.0
			Meets	42	215.5	221.2	5.7
			Exceeds	25	230.7	230.7	0.0
			TOTAL		75	219.1	223.1
		Unknown / Unspecified	Very Low	1	191.0	200.0	9.0
			Nearly Meets	1	205.0	213.0	8.0
			Meets	10	216.3	222.7	6.4
			Exceeds	9	231.9	236.3	4.4
			TOTAL		21	221.2	227.0

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	Four						
		American Indian/Alaskan Native	Very Low	1	187.0	212.0	25.0
			Low	6	194.2	206.2	12.0
			Nearly Meets	4	202.0	215.8	13.8
			Meets	22	208.9	219.4	10.5
			Exceeds	8	221.6	232.1	10.5
			TOTAL	41	208.0	219.4	11.4
		Asian / Pacific Islander	Very Low	5	188.0	203.4	15.4
			Low	35	196.3	208.8	12.5
			Nearly Meets	15	202.3	213.9	11.7
			Meets	143	209.8	220.0	10.2
			Exceeds	111	223.8	230.0	6.2
			TOTAL	309	212.6	221.8	9.2
		Black (Not of Hispanic Origin)	Very Low	17	185.7	203.8	18.1
			Low	130	196.2	207.5	11.2
			Nearly Meets	43	202.2	213.3	11.1
			Meets	193	209.2	216.6	7.4
			Exceeds	43	223.0	223.7	0.7
			TOTAL	426	205.0	213.7	8.7
		Hispanic	Very Low	21	186.6	204.1	17.6
			Low	110	196.4	209.3	12.9
			Nearly Meets	25	202.0	213.2	11.2
			Meets	196	209.0	216.5	7.6
			Exceeds	39	221.8	222.2	0.4
			TOTAL	391	205.0	214.2	9.1
		White (Not of Hispanic Origin)	Very Low	17	186.6	207.8	21.2
			Low	146	197.1	212.5	15.4
			Nearly Meets	73	202.3	215.7	13.5
			Meets	774	210.1	220.1	10.0
			Exceeds	632	224.6	229.7	5.1
			TOTAL	1,642	213.9	222.8	8.9
		Multi-Ethnic	Low	16	196.4	210.4	14.0
			Nearly Meets	8	202.1	213.1	11.0
			Meets	33	209.5	218.8	9.3
			Exceeds	21	223.9	224.6	0.7
			TOTAL	78	210.0	218.1	8.1
		Unknown / Unspecified	Low	6	196.2	207.8	11.7
			Nearly Meets	2	202.0	216.0	14.0
			Meets	20	208.5	217.5	8.9
			Exceeds	8	223.6	232.0	8.4
			TOTAL	36	209.4	219.0	9.6
	Five						
		American Indian/Alaskan Native	Very Low	1	197.0	221.0	24.0
			Low	11	202.5	210.9	8.4
			Nearly Meets	8	210.4	221.1	10.8
			Meets	20	217.0	221.2	4.2
			Exceeds	10	234.4	238.3	3.9
			TOTAL	50	215.8	222.3	6.5

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			Low	33	203.6	215.6	12.0
			Nearly Meets	35	209.1	220.3	11.3
			Meets	160	217.0	226.1	9.0
			Exceeds	100	234.5	236.2	1.7
			TOTAL		332	219.8	227.3
		Black (Not of Hispanic Origin)	Very Low	22	193.2	208.5	15.4
			Low	73	203.1	213.4	10.3
			Nearly Meets	58	209.1	217.0	7.9
			Meets	210	216.3	222.1	5.8
			Exceeds	51	229.9	227.7	-2.2
		TOTAL		414	213.4	219.8	6.4
		Hispanic	Very Low	25	193.6	211.7	18.1
			Low	82	203.7	215.0	11.4
			Nearly Meets	54	209.3	219.3	10.1
			Meets	178	217.4	224.1	6.7
			Exceeds	52	231.1	229.7	-1.4
		TOTAL		391	213.7	221.5	7.8
		White (Not of Hispanic Origin)	Very Low	13	195.4	212.8	17.5
			Low	90	203.9	214.8	10.9
			Nearly Meets	89	209.2	217.5	8.3
			Meets	847	218.0	226.3	8.3
			Exceeds	552	233.0	235.7	2.7
		TOTAL		1,591	221.7	228.3	6.6
		Multi-Ethnic	Very Low	2	194.0	217.0	23.0
			Low	6	203.7	213.8	10.2
			Nearly Meets	7	209.1	219.1	10.0
			Meets	44	217.8	223.0	5.2
			Exceeds	17	232.4	234.4	2.0
		TOTAL		76	218.5	224.3	5.8
		Unknown / Unspecified	Low	2	206.0	219.5	13.5
			Nearly Meets	1	208.0	221.0	13.0
			Meets	9	216.7	225.7	9.0
			Exceeds	9	232.8	233.1	0.3
		TOTAL		21	222.1	228.0	5.9

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