

Portland Public Schools
Mean Test Score Gains by Prior Benchmark Status
By Free and Reduced Lunch
(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								
	Six	F/R Meal Eligible	Very Low	41	198.0	213.4	15.4	
			Low	169	205.4	216.7	11.3	
			Nearly Meets	323	213.0	221.0	8.0	
			Meets	577	222.1	227.0	4.9	
			Exceeds	156	234.8	237.8	3.0	
			TOTAL	1,266	218.3	225.0	6.7	
		Not F/R Meal Eligible	Very Low	10	198.2	211.8	13.6	
			Low	32	205.5	215.5	10.0	
			Nearly Meets	138	213.2	221.9	8.7	
			Meets	711	223.8	231.1	7.3	
			Exceeds	684	237.4	241.8	4.4	
			TOTAL	1,575	228.3	234.5	6.3	
		Seven	F/R Meal Eligible	Very Low	41	203.5	219.2	15.7
				Low	135	210.7	221.3	10.6
	Nearly Meets			259	217.9	226.0	8.2	
	Meets			659	226.8	231.8	5.0	
	Exceeds			155	239.6	241.6	2.0	
	TOTAL			1,249	224.0	230.3	6.3	
	Not F/R Meal Eligible		Very Low	8	200.6	215.4	14.8	
			Low	31	210.4	222.3	11.9	
			Nearly Meets	104	217.8	227.0	9.2	
			Meets	683	228.2	236.3	8.1	
			Exceeds	803	241.0	246.6	5.6	
			TOTAL	1,629	233.4	240.4	7.1	
	Eight		F/R Meal Eligible	Very Low	13	207.8	218.2	10.5
				Low	104	215.8	220.7	4.9
		Nearly Meets		253	222.8	225.7	2.9	
		Meets		571	231.4	232.3	0.9	
		Exceeds		189	244.9	240.3	-4.6	
		TOTAL		1,130	230.0	230.9	0.9	
		Not F/R Meal Eligible	Very Low	4	206.8	219.8	13.0	
			Low	25	216.2	224.3	8.1	
			Nearly Meets	98	223.0	226.4	3.3	
			Meets	536	232.4	235.2	2.8	
			Exceeds	877	248.2	245.4	-2.7	
			TOTAL	1,540	240.5	240.2	-0.2	

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Math	Six	F/R Meal Eligible	Very Low	48	198.9	210.3	11.4
			Low	277	209.3	217.3	8.0
			Nearly Meets	169	215.9	221.3	5.4
			Meets	563	221.9	226.4	4.5
			Exceeds	211	235.0	235.9	0.9
			TOTAL	1,268	219.7	224.7	5.0
		Not F/R Meal Eligible	Very Low	13	200.2	220.1	19.9
			Low	102	209.6	219.0	9.3
			Nearly Meets	87	215.9	223.7	7.9
			Meets	587	222.5	229.5	7.0
			Exceeds	783	237.9	241.3	3.4
			TOTAL	1,572	228.8	234.3	5.5
	Seven	F/R Meal Eligible	Very Low	41	202.8	221.8	19.0
			Low	244	211.9	223.9	12.0
			Nearly Meets	159	217.5	226.3	8.8
			Meets	580	225.0	231.2	6.3
			Exceeds	227	239.6	239.7	0.1
			TOTAL	1,251	223.4	230.4	7.0
		Not F/R Meal Eligible	Very Low	6	202.0	222.5	20.5
			Low	65	212.0	224.6	12.6
			Nearly Meets	92	217.8	227.4	9.7
			Meets	618	226.1	233.9	7.8
			Exceeds	842	242.2	246.2	4.1
			TOTAL	1,623	233.3	239.5	6.2
Eight	F/R Meal Eligible	Very Low	25	207.5	219.9	12.4	
		Low	200	216.7	223.9	7.3	
		Nearly Meets	182	223.0	227.2	4.2	
		Meets	511	230.6	233.2	2.6	
		Exceeds	216	244.1	243.2	-0.9	
		TOTAL	1,134	229.0	232.2	3.2	
	Not F/R Meal Eligible	Very Low	5	207.2	214.0	6.8	
		Low	72	216.6	223.3	6.7	
		Nearly Meets	66	223.2	228.9	5.7	
		Meets	541	231.5	235.3	3.8	
		Exceeds	859	249.1	250.5	1.4	
		TOTAL	1,543	240.2	242.9	2.7	

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