

Northgate School District
Standardized Testing Report
School Year 2015-2016

This report is a summary of student results on PSSAs and Keystones. It includes results from the previous year to show growth or decline, results for the 2015-2016 year and state averages.

PSSA Results

Math

	2014-2015	2015-2016	Difference	State Avg. 2016
3 rd Grade	41%	53%	+12%	54%
4 th	47%	38%	-9%	46%
5 th	39%	34%	-5%	44%
6 th	48%	45%	-3%	41%
7 th	13%	17%	+4%	37%
8 th	14%	18%	+4%	31%

English Language Arts (ELA)

	2014-2015	2015-2016	Difference	State Avg. 2016
3 rd Grade	52%	63%	+11%	60%
4 th	56%	53%	-3%	58%
5 th	69%	67%	-2%	61%
6 th	58%	66%	+8%	61%
7 th	47%	63%	+16%	61%
8 th	48%	46%	-2%	58%

Science

	2014-2015	2015-2016	Difference	State Avg.
4 th Grade	78%	68%	-10%	76%
8 th	45%	45%	0%	57%

Keystones

Below are the pass rates for the current 12th grade students. Keystone pass rates for a cohort of students accumulate as each student completes the course and takes the exam. Once the students complete 11th grade, all of the students' scores are reported as the average for the class and are used in determining the School Performance Profile. For example, if a student takes Algebra in 7th grade and fails the Keystone, she would retake it in 8th grade. Assuming she passes, that score counts as a pass when she is an 11th grader. Please note that the Northgate and state averages are not a direct comparison. The state averages are percentages of how many students passed the exam in 2016, not cohort averages.

	Algebra	Biology	Literature
Northgate	54%	49%	72%
State	68%	65%	76%