

# California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP)

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# **CAASPP**

### What is CAASPP?

- CAlifornia Assessment of Student Performance and Progress
- The "umbrella" of assessments in public education in California
- The Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments are part of the CAASPP system and contain two types of tests in both English Language Arts and mathematics
  - Computer Adaptive Test (CAT)
  - Performance Task (PT)
- The California Science Test was field tested this year
- All Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments are taken online

### CAASPP 2017 included....

- Smarter Balanced Assessments
  - ELA and Mathematics in grades 3 8 and 11
  - California Alternate Assessment (CAA) ELA and Math grades 3-8
  - California Science Test in grades 5, 8, and 10 (field test)
  - California Alternate Assessment in Science in grades 5, 8, and 10 (field test)

### **Computer Adaptive Test**

- The computer adaptive portion of the online test includes a wide variety of item types.
  - Multiple Choice, Drag and Drop, True and False, Multiple Response, Short Constructed Response
- As students progress throughout a CAT, the computer program adjusts the difficulty of questions throughout the assessment based on responses.
  - For example, a student who answers a question correctly will receive a more challenging item, while an incorrect answer generates an easier question.

### **Performance Task**

- A PT is a portion of the Smarter Balanced assessment that requires students to answer a set of questions that are centered on a common theme or problem. Questions include both short and longer, essay type responses
- The PT is designed to provide students with an opportunity to demonstrate their ability to apply their knowledge and higher-order thinking skills to explore and analyze a complex, real-world scenario.

# **Scoring**

- For each student, the responses from the PT and CAT portions are merged to create a final scaled score ranging between 2,000 and 3,000.
- Resulting ability estimates are based on the specific test questions that a student answered, not the total number of items answered correctly.
  - Higher scaled scores are associated with test takers who correctly answer difficult and more discriminating items.
  - Lower scaled scores are associated with test takers who correctly answer easier and less discriminating items.

### **Scaled Scores**

#### **English Language Arts**

Grade	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4
3	2114-2366	2367-2431	2432-2489	2490-2623
4	2131–2415	2416-2472	2473-2532	2533-2663
5	2201-2441	2442-2501	2502-2581	2582-2701
6	2210-2456	2457-2530	2531-2617	2618-2724
7	2258-2478	2479-2551	2552-2648	2649-2745
8	2288-2486	2487-2566	2567-2667	2668-2769
11	2299-2492	2493-2582	2583-2681	2682-2795

# **Scoring**

- Students are given an overall achievement level and scale score for English Language Arts and mathematics (4 point scale)
  - Standard Exceeded
  - Standard Met
  - Standard Nearly Met
  - Standard Not Met
- In addition to an overall score, students also receive a score for each <u>area</u> (claim) in reading and math
  - ELA: Reading, Writing, Listening, Research/Inquiry
  - Math: Problem Solving & Modeling Data Analysis, Concepts & Procedures,
    Communicating Reasoning
- Claim scores are based on a 3 point scale
  - Below grade level
  - At/Near grade level
  - Above grade level
- No scores were provided this year for the Science field test
  Mountain View Whisman School District

# **Student Score Reports**

- Parents received individual score reports with results from the Smarter Balanced Assessments in English Language Arts and math in August
- The score reports:
  - Show growth from year to year
  - Provide results by area/claim
  - Help facilitate conversations between parents/guardians and teachers about student performance
  - Serve as a tool to help parents/guardians and teachers work together to improve student learning

# **Areas / Claims**

#### The areas for ELA include:

- Reading: How well does your child understand stories and information that he or she reads?
- Writing: How well does your child communicate in writing?
- Listening: How well does your child understand spoken information?
- Research/Inquiry: How well can your child find and present information about a topic?

#### The areas for mathematics include:

- Concepts & Procedures: How well does your child use mathematical rules and ideas?
- Problem Solving and Modeling & Data Analysis: How well can your child show and apply problem-solving skills?
- Communicating Reasoning: How well can your child think logically and express thoughts in order to solve a problem?



# Results

# **Demographic Data**

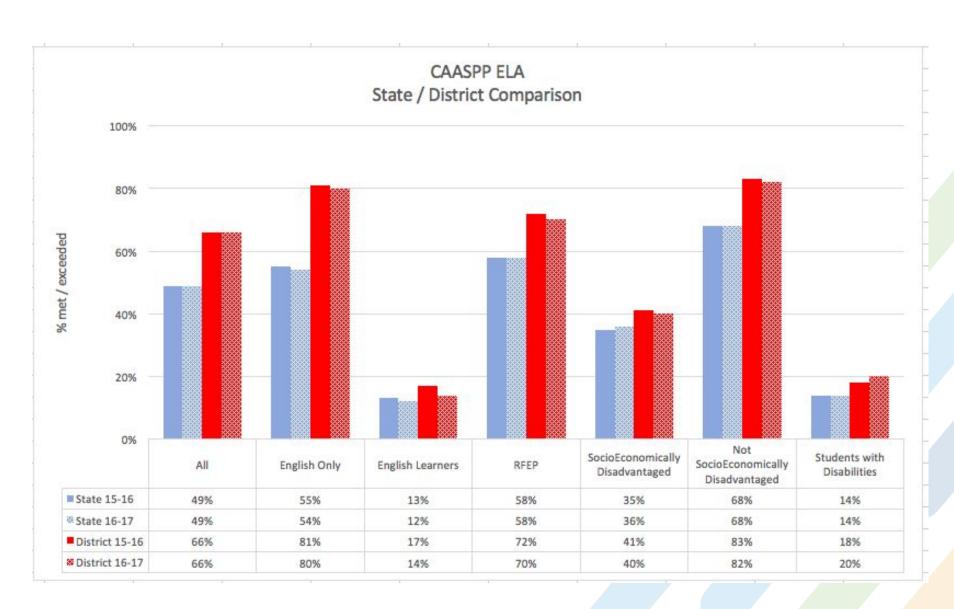
	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017
English Learners*	<b>32%</b> (1626)	<b>29%</b> (1464)	<b>26%</b> (1313)
Reclassified Fluent English Proficient*	<b>15%</b> (737)	<b>16%</b> (819)	18% (906)
SocioEconomically Disadvantaged	<b>39%</b> (1978)	<b>37%</b> (1860)	<b>35%</b> (1789)
Students with Disabilities	<b>10%</b> (485)	9% (477)	9% (484)
White	<b>29%</b> (1478)	<b>29%</b> (1470)	<b>30%</b> (1547)
Asian	<b>12%</b> (777)	<b>16%</b> (810)	<b>15%</b> (741)
Hispanic/Latino	44% (2203)	<b>42</b> % (2117)	<b>40%</b> (2041)
Total Enrollment	5065	5084	5125

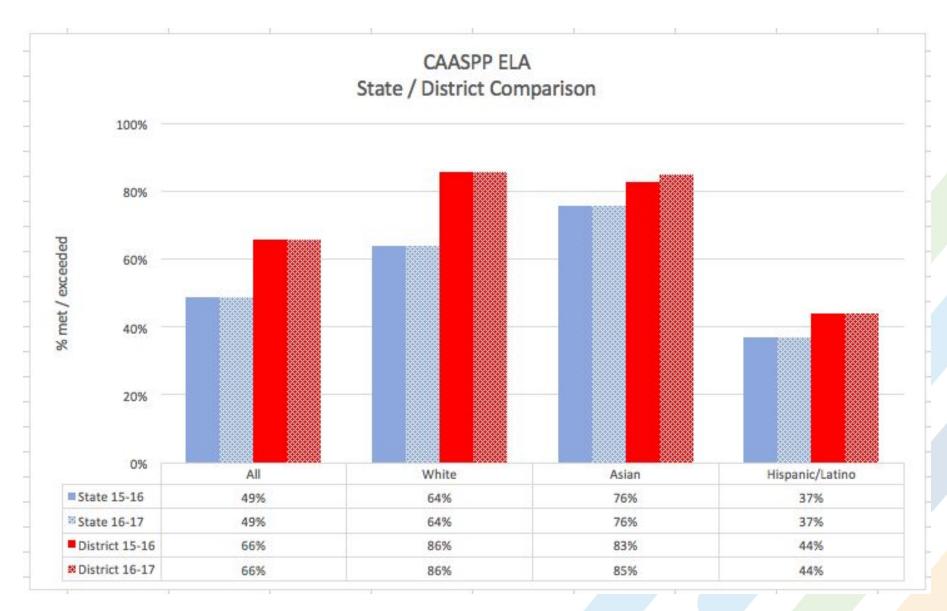
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# Demographic Data (testing grades only)

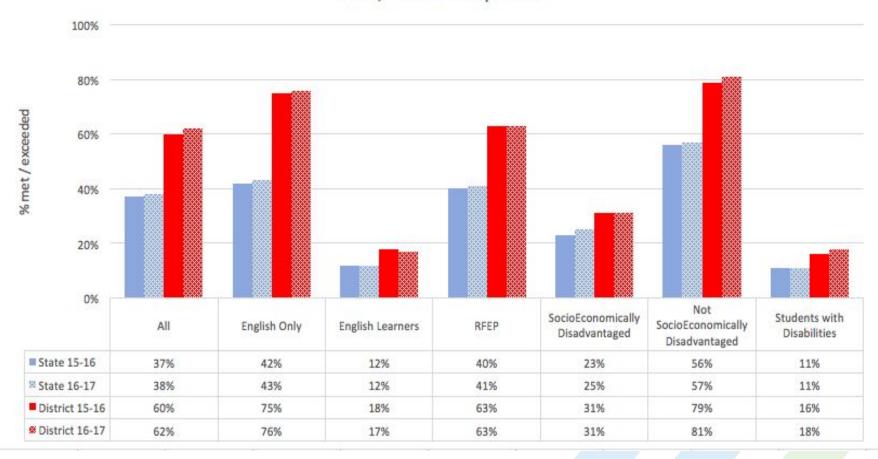
	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017
English Learners*	<b>27%</b> (861)	<b>24</b> % (775)	<b>20%</b> (659)
Reclassified Fluent English Proficient*	<b>23%</b> (725)	<b>24%</b> (769)	<b>26</b> % (835)
SocioEconomically Disadvantaged	<b>42%</b> (1339)	<b>40%</b> (1284)	<b>38%</b> (1233)
Students with Disabilities	<b>12%</b> (368)	<b>12%</b> (377)	<b>12</b> % (380)
White	<b>28%</b> (903)	<b>28%</b> (915)	<b>30%</b> (955)
Asian	<b>14%</b> (460)	<b>15%</b> (471)	<b>12%</b> (394)
Hispanic/Latino	<b>46</b> % (1477)	<b>44%</b> (1433)	<b>43% (</b> 1376)
Total Enrollment	3185	3225	3223

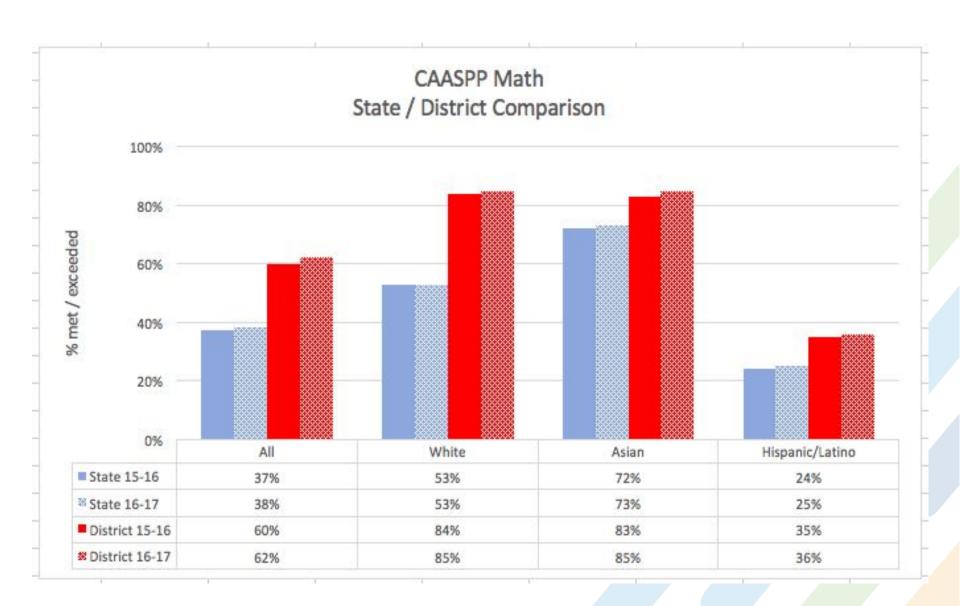
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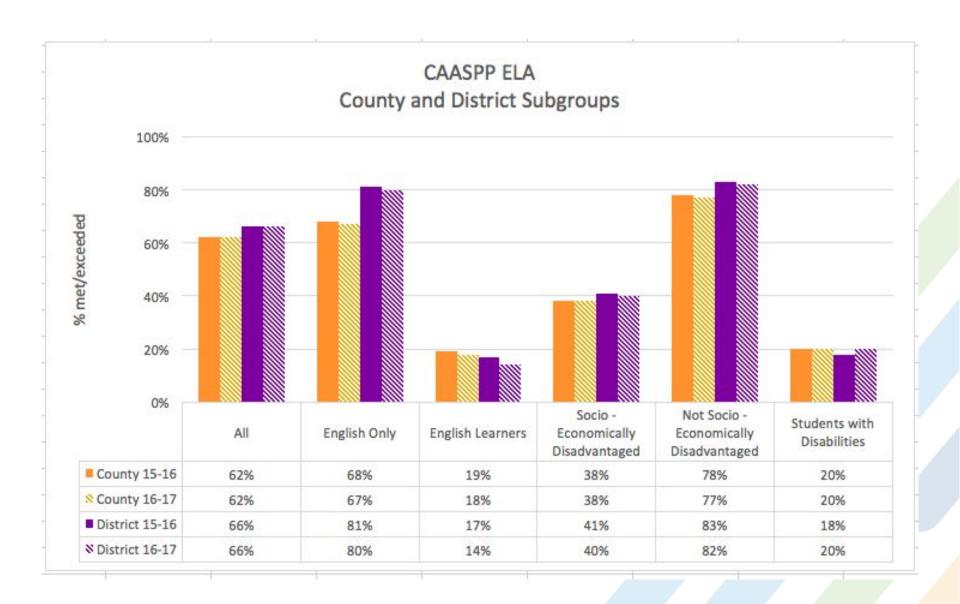


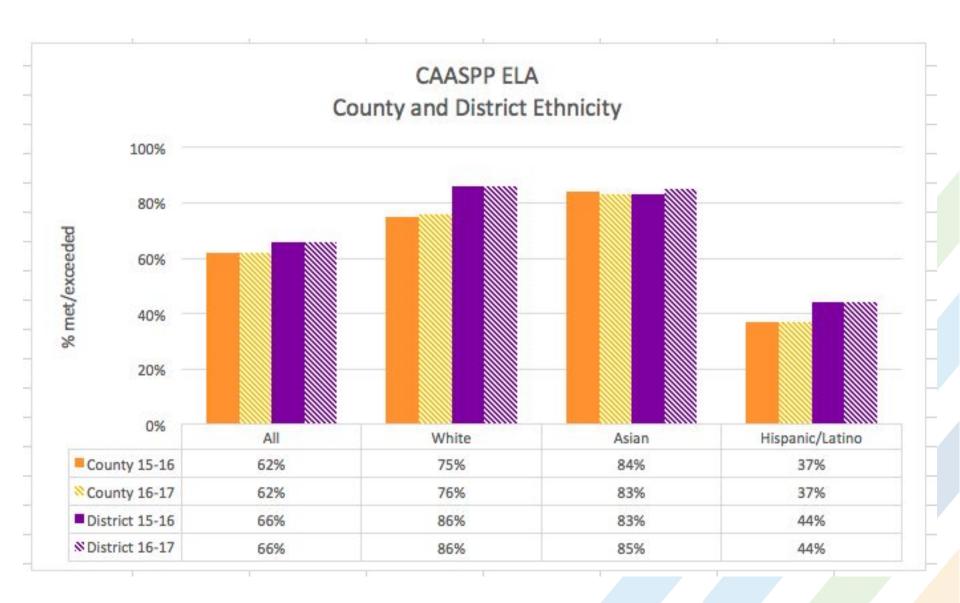


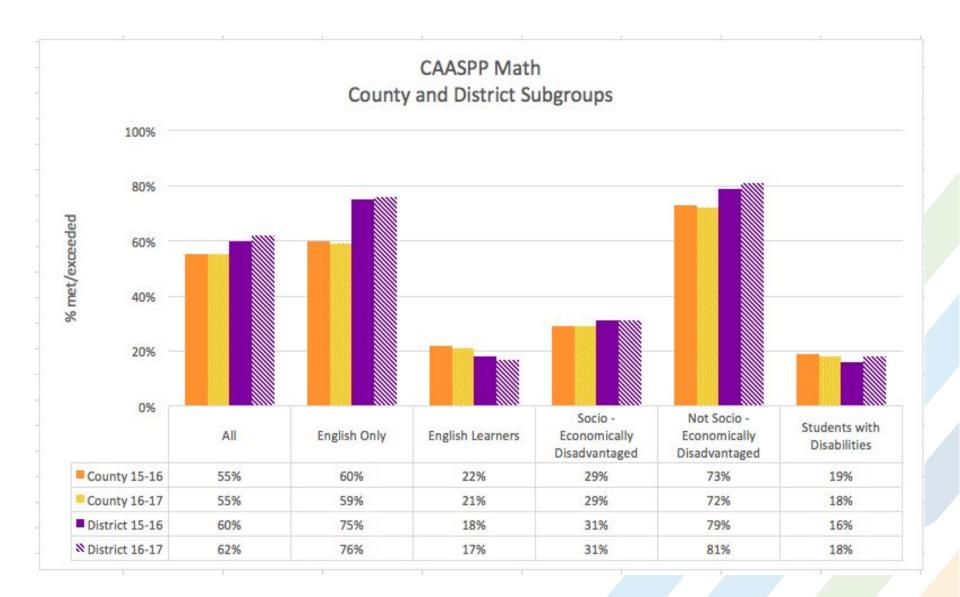
#### CAASPP Math State / District Comparison

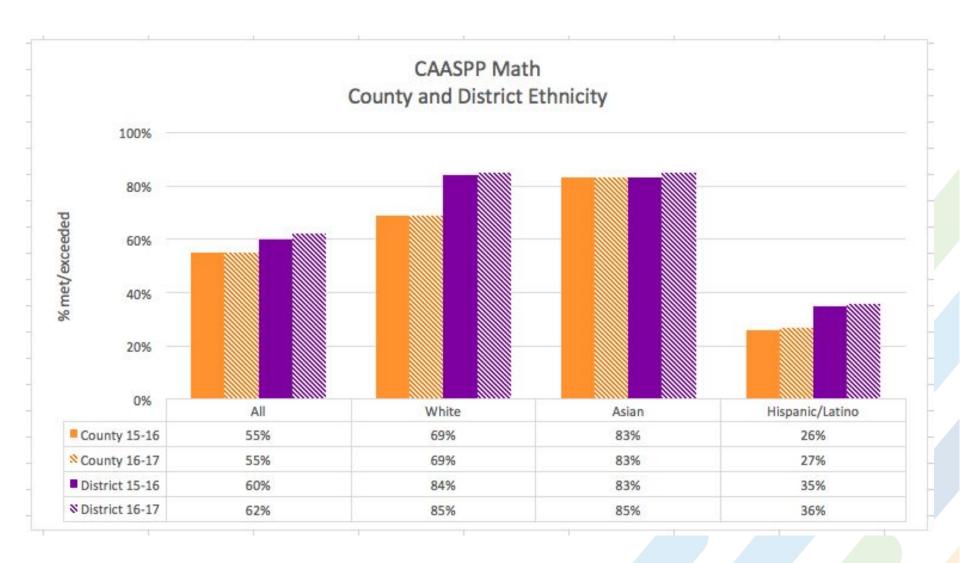




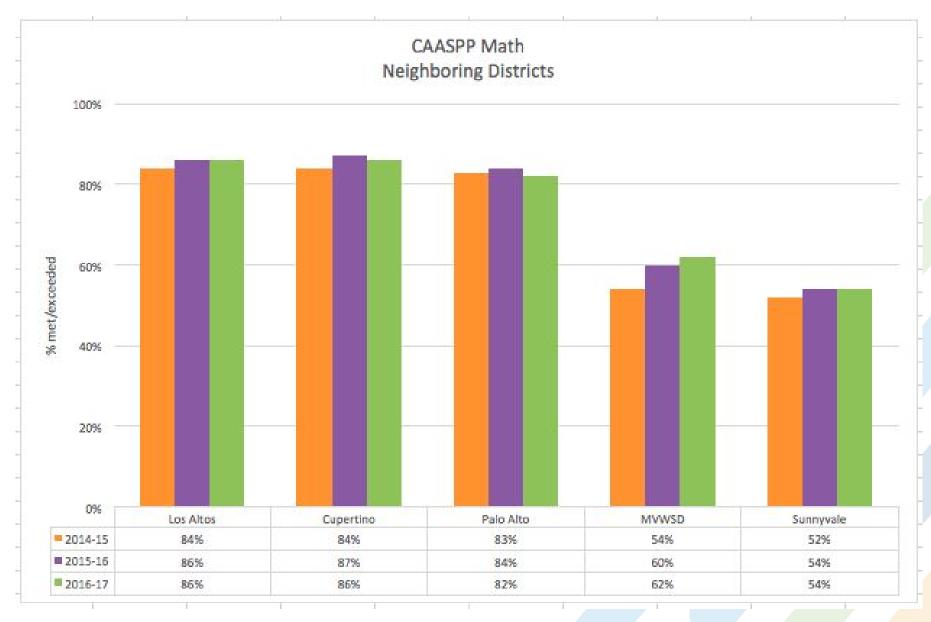


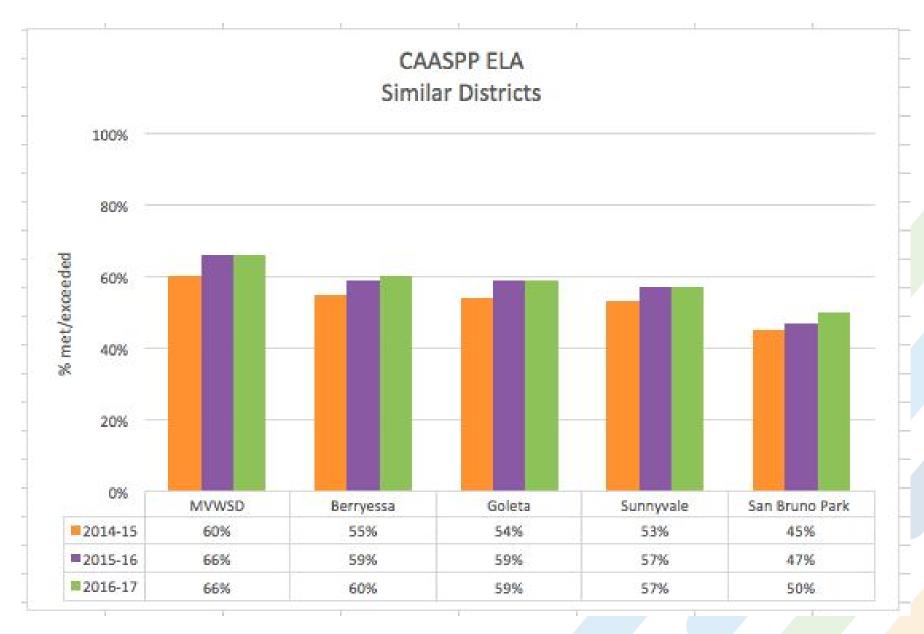


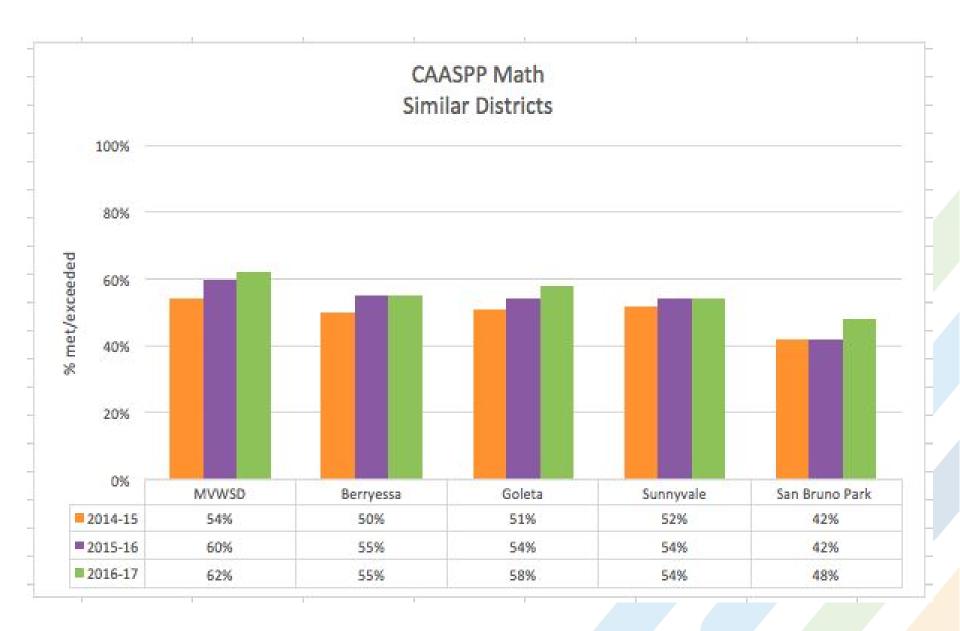


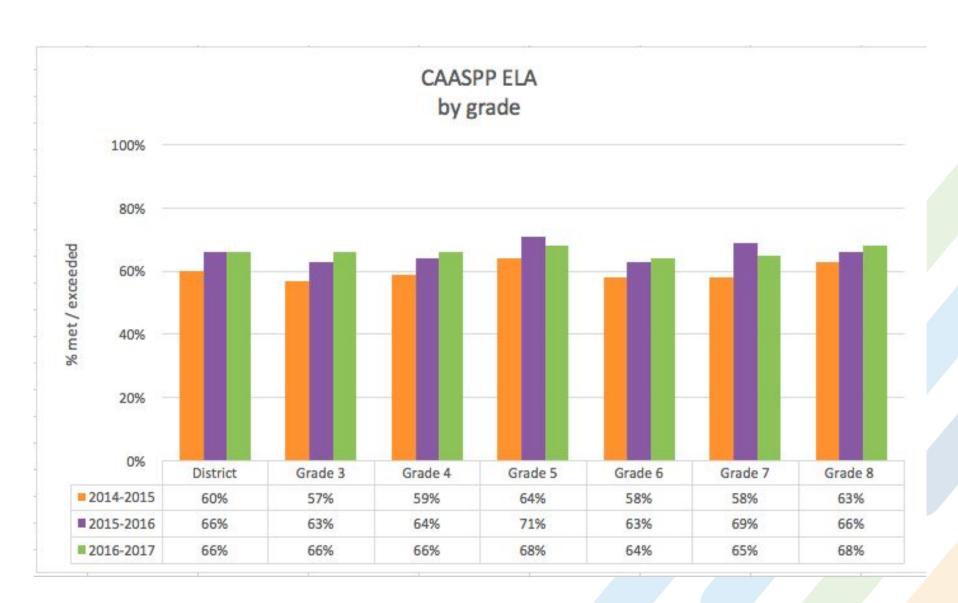


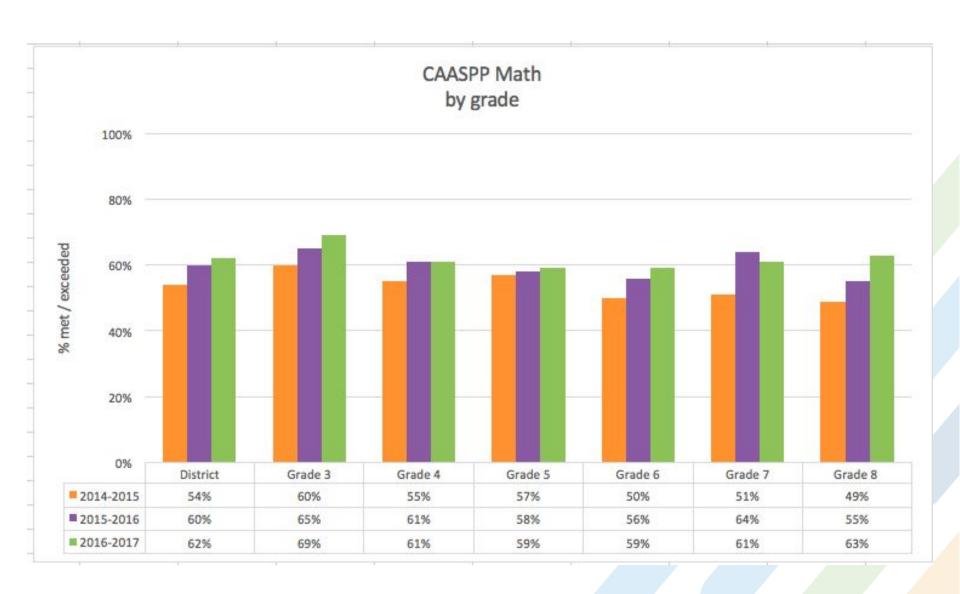


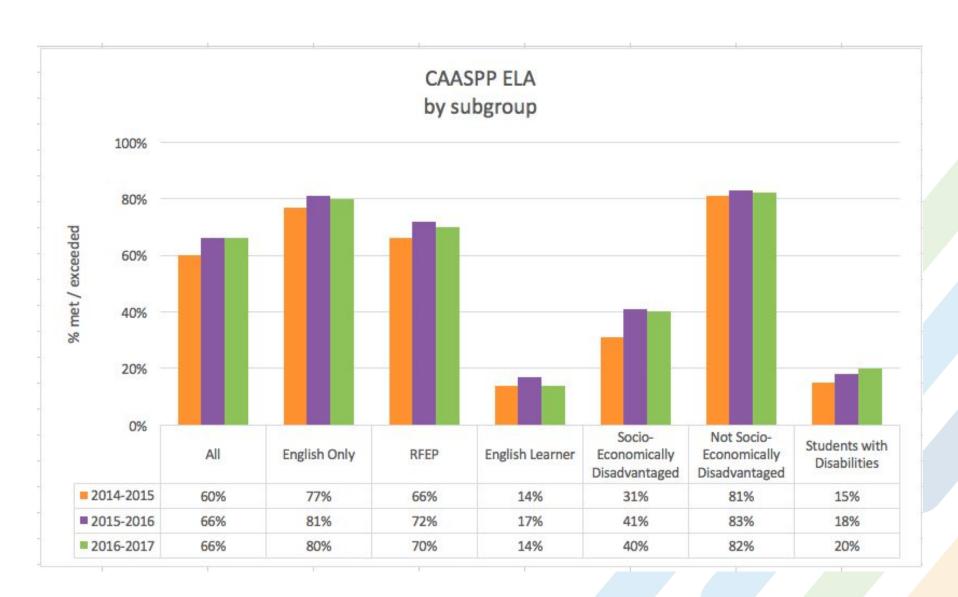


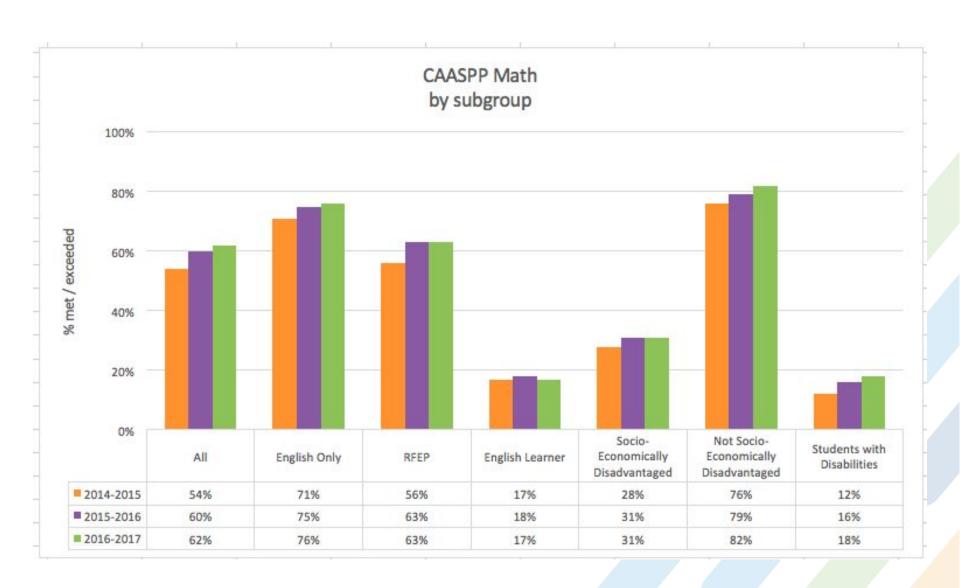


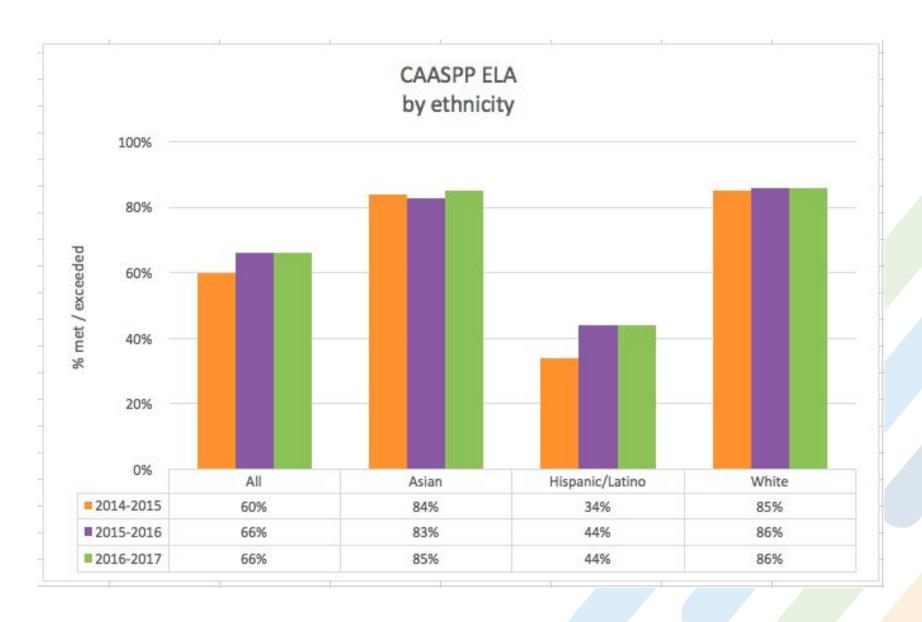


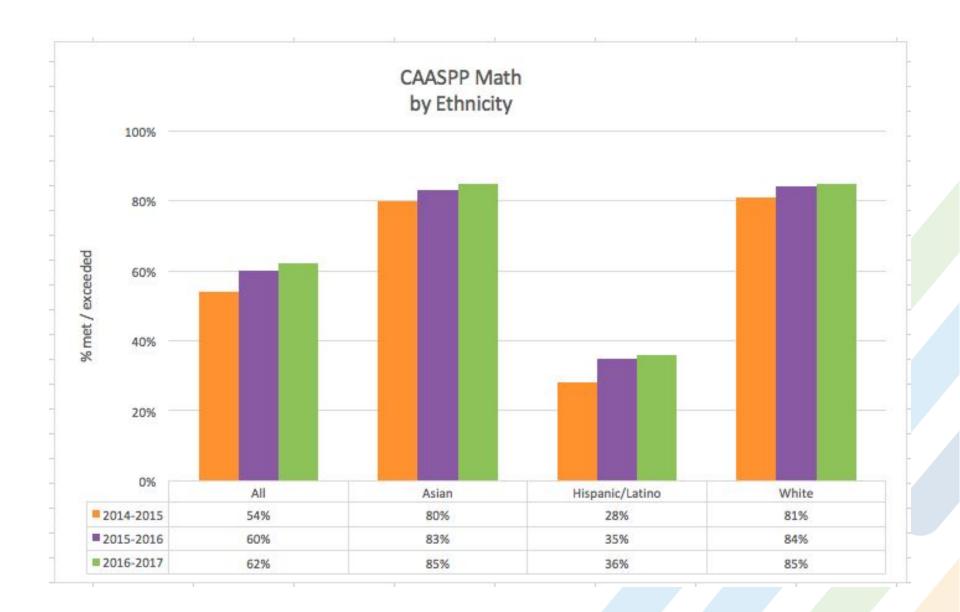














# **Trends**

# **English Language Arts - District Trends**

- Outperformed the state in all areas
- Outperformed county in all areas except with English Language Learners
- All neighboring districts including MVWSD maintained level of proficiency from 2015-16
- Outperformed all similar Districts
- Maintained 66% of students meeting and exceeding standards
- District subgroup scores in ELA were flat

### **Mathematics - District Trends**

- Outperformed the state in all areas
- Outperformed county in all areas except with English Language Learners
- MVWSD was only neighboring District to see growth in math
- Outperformed all similar Districts in math
- MVWSD had 2 percentage point gain in math (60 62)
- All MVWSD subgroups had small gains except English Language Learners (1 percentage point loss)



# **Next Steps**

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- Data analysis and site plans
- Curriculum, pacing guides, and assessments
- Coaching
- Response to Intervention
- Task Forces
  - Specific Learner Needs
  - Middle School Schedule
- Professional Learning Communities
- Professional Development
  - Sheltered Instruction Observation Protocol
  - Summer Optional Professional Development
  - Professional Development for administrators



# Questions?