



# High Point Regional High School

Curriculum Update  
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# **NJGPA Results**

**Testing: March 2023**

**Results: July 2023**





- Statute requires the State Graduation Proficiency Assessment to be **administered to all grade 11 students.** (N.J.S.A. 18A:7C-6)
- NJGPA is designed to measure the extent to which students are graduation ready in English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics.
- Graduation readiness is reported separately for each content component.
- The ELA component is aligned to the grade 10 standards.
- The Mathematics component is aligned to Algebra I and Geometry standards.



# NJGPA Results

<b>Content Component</b>	<b>Graduation Ready District</b>	<b>Graduation Ready State</b>	<b>Not Yet Graduation Ready District</b>	<b>Not Yet Graduation Ready State</b>
<b>English Language Arts (ELA)</b>	<b>77.8%</b>	<b>80.5%</b>	<b>22.2%</b>	<b>19.5%</b>
<b>Mathematics</b>	<b>51.3%</b>	<b>55.0%</b>	<b>48.7%</b>	<b>45.0%</b>



# NJGPA Results Communication



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### \*\*\*Assessment Update & Student Score Reports\*\*\*

July 28, 2023

Dear Parent:

I hope you and your family are well and that your student is looking forward to the start of high school!

Last Spring (March 2023), High Point administered the [New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessments \(NJGPA\)](#) to all 11th-grade students. **At this time, Individual Score Reports**

Figure 1. NJGPA Sample ISR page 1



STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

FIRSTNAME M. LASTNAME  
Date of Birth: 02/02/2009 ID: EL0344444 Grade: 11  
SAMPLE SCHOOL NAME  
SAMPLE DISTRICT NAME  
NEW JERSEY  
SPRING 2022

### New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment

The New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment (NJGPA) measures the extent to which students are graduation ready in English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics. Graduation readiness is reported separately for each content component.

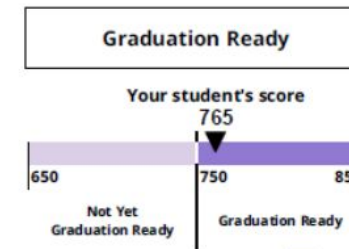
Visit the NJ Parent Portal at [nj-results.pearsonaccessnext.com](http://nj-results.pearsonaccessnext.com) and use this code to access your student's results online.

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#### ELA

The ELA component assesses student graduation readiness based on grade 10 standards.

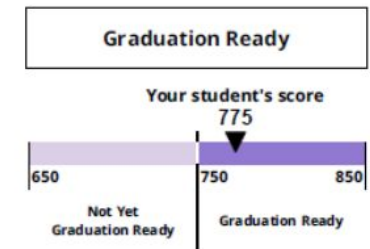
FIRSTNAME's ELA Performance



#### Mathematics

The mathematics component assesses student graduation readiness based on Algebra I and Geometry standards.

FIRSTNAME's Mathematics Performance



Graduation Ready





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Last Spring (March 2023)  
[Assessments](#) (NJGPA)

**No student who has cooperated with our efforts to support them as they worked toward meeting this requirement, has EVER failed to graduate due to their performance on these assessments. Working together, we are confident that all students will meet this requirement** in a timely fashion. We will continue to communicate with you throughout the year and keep you informed of your student's progress toward the inevitable meeting of this requirement.



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Last Spring (March 2023), High Point administered the [NJGPA Assessments](#) to all 11th-grade students.

Students who earned below 725 on the *NJGPA* for Math and/or English-Language Arts will:

- a) Retake the *NJGPA* during the week of October 10, 2023, and if needed:
- b) Earn a qualifying score on another assessment (SAT, PSAT, ACT, Accuplacer); or:
- c) Complete the graduation portfolio in Jan/Feb of 2024.

**Purpose:** This report describes group achievement in terms of average scale scores and performance levels.

# NJGPA MATH - 2022-23

## Performance Levels

### DISTRICT PERFORMANCE LEVEL SUMMARY

98% Participation

	Number of Valid Scores	Average Scale Score	Not Yet Graduation Ready		Graduation Ready	
			#	%	#	%
<b>State</b>	99,012	734	44,513	45.0%	54,499	55.0%
District	189	730	92	48.7%	97	51.3%
<b>Gender</b>						
Female	99	729	49	49.5%	50	50.5%
Male	90	731	43	47.8%	47	52.2%
Non-Binary/Undesignated	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
<b>Ethnicity/Race</b>						
Hispanic or Latino	15	720	12	80.0%	3	20.0%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Asian	[REDACTED]					
Black or African-American	12	712	9	75.0%	3	25.0%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
White	154	732	67	43.5%	87	56.5%
Two or more races	[REDACTED]					
Not Indicated	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
<b>Economic Disadvantage</b>						
No	164	733	74	45.1%	90	54.9%
Yes	25	711	18	72.0%	7	28.0%
<b>Students with Disabilities</b>						
IEP - Yes	24	696	23	95.8%	1	4.2%
IEP - No	165	735	69	41.8%	96	58.2%
504	15	733	5	33.3%	10	66.7%



# NJGPA ELA - 2022-23

## Performance Levels

**Purpose:** This report describes group achievement in terms of average scale scores and performance levels.

### DISTRICT PERFORMANCE LEVEL SUMMARY

	Number of Valid Scores	Average Scale Score	Not Yet Graduation Ready		Graduation Ready	
			#	%	#	%
<b>State</b>	98,329	765	19,221	19.5%	79,108	80.5%
District	189	760	42	22.2%	147	77.8%
<b>Gender</b>						
Female	99	767	15	15.2%	84	84.8%
Male	90	753	27	30.0%	63	70.0%
Non-Binary/Undesignated	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
<b>Ethnicity/Race</b>						
Hispanic or Latino	15	756	3	20.0%	12	80.0%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Asian						
Black or African-American	12	757	2	16.7%	10	83.3%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
White	154	761	35	22.7%	119	77.3%
Two or more races						
Not Indicated	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
<b>Economic Disadvantage</b>						
No	164	763	33	20.1%	131	79.9%
Yes	25	739	9	36.0%	16	64.0%
<b>Students with Disabilities</b>						
IEP - Yes	24	697	17	70.8%	7	29.2%
IEP - No	165	769	25	15.2%	140	84.8%
504	15	759	4	26.7%	11	73.3%

98% Participation



# NJGPA Results Next Steps...

## Students still in need of a qualifying score in Math and/or English Language Arts:

1. Retake the NJGPA in October 2023
2. Earn a qualifying score on PSAT, SAT, etc.
3. Complete the Graduation Portfolio (January/February)



# NJGPA Results Intervention Strategies

## Interventions being utilized during the 2023-24 school year for targeted improvement include

1. Enhanced, data-driven MTSS support system. (Goal #3)
2. Professional development: instructional practices. (Goal #2)
3. Expanded use of IXL: targeted Math and ELA support.
4. Small group instruction for portfolio completion.
5. Increase student wellness and attendance. (Goals #1, #3)