**Education Quality and Accountability Office** 



# **School Report**



## Grade 9 Assessment of Mathematics, 2018–2019

School: St. Joan of Arc Catholic SS (696056) Board: Dufferin-Peel Catholic DSB (67083)

On behalf of EQAO, I am pleased to share the results of the 2018–2019 Grade 9 Assessment of Mathematics. You will also find data from previous years along with demographic and attitudinal information as context for interpreting the achievement results.

EQAO's independent data are grounded in our assessment of every student in relation to *Ontario Curriculum* learning expectations and are provided at the school, board, provincial and individual student levels to inform educators' professional practice. We believe that, through evidence-informed decisions based on achievement, attitudinal, contextual and behavioural data, it is possible to foster equitable and inclusive learning models benefiting each student.

Analyzing EQAO data over the years provides a larger context that acknowledges special circumstances affecting student achievement. For example, school boards have been investigating the impact student attendance and loss of instructional time has on student achievement; when looking at the most recent data, you may wish to identify any potential relationship between lost time and student achievement.

In 2018, EQAO made changes to its accommodation policies, including eliminating the requirement for an IEP to access accommodations students normally receive during regular classroom instruction. An important reason for this change was to reduce the workload related to EQAO assessments for teachers, administrators, and parents and guardians while maintaining the integrity and comparability of our data. After considering all of our assessment administration, we noted that 13 000 fewer IEPs were indicated in our Student Data Collection in 2018 than in 2017. The agency hopes to continue implementing meaningful changes in the years to come to address the concerns of the education community.

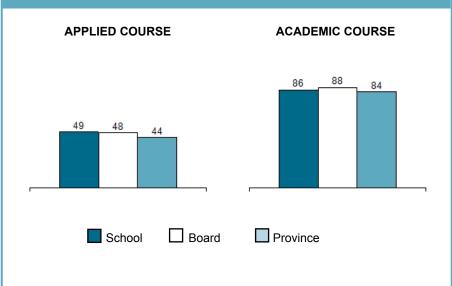
As always, we look forward to continuing our work with you in support of student learning, and we thank you for your dedication to the meaningful education of each child and youth of this province.

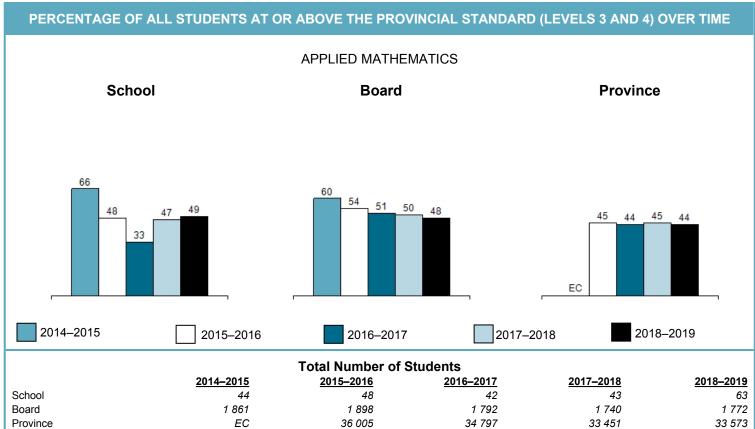
Kind regards,

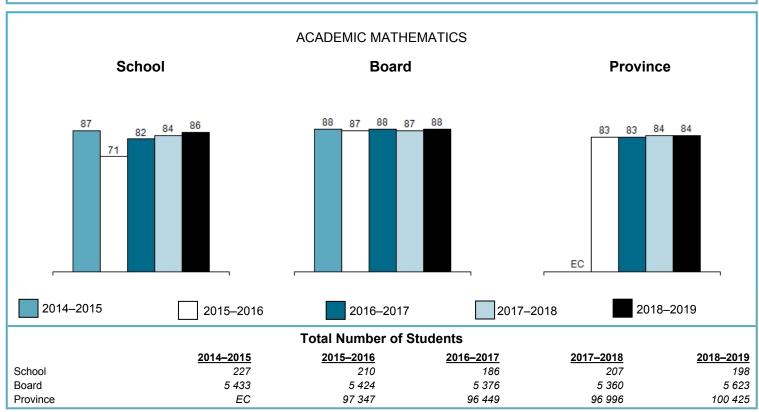
Norah Marsh Chief Executive Officer Education Quality and Accountability Office

WHERE TO FIND	P	AGE	
	<b>Applied</b>	<b>Academic</b>	
Percentages of all students at or above the provincial standard			
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## PERCENTAGE OF ALL STUDENTS AT OR ABOVE THE PROVINCIAL STANDARD (LEVELS 3 AND 4), 2018–2019







#### **TIPS**

The applied and academic mathematics courses are different and should be considered separately.

Note: Students in locally developed courses do not participate in these assessments

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Each school or board is unique. To appreciate the distinctive character of a school or board, look at the contextual information to understand the features and characteristics of the community it serves.

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This assessment captures the performance of students at one point in time each year. Consider the results along with other information about students' achievement in mathematics.

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Exercise caution when interpreting results for small schools or boards. Results may vary considerably from year to year, and differences may look exaggerated. For example, in a school of 30 students, a difference of 10% represents only three students.

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Trends may be difficult to identify or to interpret. This is especially true when groups are small or in schools where there is a high turnover in the student population.

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EQAO values students' privacy. Results are not reported publicly for schools or boards where fewer than 10 students participated because it might be possible to identify individual students.

### ABOUT THIS SCHOOL OR BOARD REPORT

This report shows how well students have met curriculum expectations for either the applied or academic mathematics program to the end of Grade 9. Students complete two booklets that allow them to show what they know in mathematics. The assessment is based on *The Ontario Curriculum: Mathematics, Grades 9 and 10.* 

### This report includes

- results for this year;
- a comparison of results of the current and previous administrations to aid in monitoring improvement; and
- information about the characteristics of the students who participated.

### Specifically, you will find

- summary graphs showing the percentage of students achieving the provincial standard in either applied or academic mathematics;
- detailed tables and graphs showing results for all levels of achievement, participation information and results by gender;
- student questionnaire results; and
- an explanation of all terms used in this report.

### **HOW TO USE THIS REPORT**

- Examine the contextual information to understand the similarities and differences between this school, the board and the province; the board and the province. Consider the challenges that any differences might present.
- Examine the results for applied and academic mathematics.
  - Are these results consistent with what you would expect?
  - How do the school results compare to the board and province; the board results compare to the province?
  - How do these results compare over time?
  - What influence might students' attitudes have on student performance (refer to the questionnaire results)?
- Speak to the school or board staff about the goals for school improvement related to mathematics.

The Education Quality and Accountability Office is an independent agency that gathers information about student achievement through province-wide assessments. Each year, all Grade 9 students in applied and academic mathematics take part in this assessment across Ontario. Individual results are reported to students and to parents and guardians. School, board and provincial results are released publicly.

Learn more about us at www.eqao.com.

## **Contextual Information, Applied Course**

This information provides a context for interpreting the school's applied mathematics course results.

	Sch	ool	Во	ard	Prov	/ince
Enrolment						
Number of students in applied mathematics course		63		1 772		33 573
Number of classes with students in applied mathematics course		4		145		2 375
Number of schools with applied mathematics classes	Not	applicable		26		686
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Participation in the Assessment						
Students who participated in the assessment	61	97%	1 737	98%	32 230	96%
Participating students who received one or more accommodations*	11	18%	169	10%	4 802	15%
Participating students who received special provisions*§	7	11%	44	3%	1 273	4%
Students who did not complete any part of the assessment (no data)*	2	3%	35	2%	1 343	4%
Gender <sup>†</sup> Based on number of students enrolled						
Female	30	48%	805	45%	14 383	43%
Male	33	52%	965	54%	19 185	57%
Gender not specified	0	0%	2	<1%	5	<1%
Student Status <sup>†</sup> Based on number of students enrolled						
English language learners*	14	22%	256	14%	4 122	12%
Students with special education needs (excluding gifted)*	19	30%	576	33%	13 644	41%
Semester/Full Year Based on number of students enrolled						
First-semester course	30	48%	771	44%	15 053	45%
Second-semester course	33	52%	867	49%	16 624	50%
Full-year course	0	0%	134	8%	1 896	6%
Language and School Background <sup>††</sup> Based on Student Questionnaire data						
Number of Respondents:	5	7	1 5	87	28	618
Speak only or mostly a language other than English at home	7	12%	156	10%	2 011	7%
Speak another language as often as English at home	16	28%	334	21%	3 752	13%
Attended three or more elementary schools from kindergarten to Grade 8  See the Explanation of Terms.	27	47%	576	36%	11 089	39%

See the Explanation of Terms.

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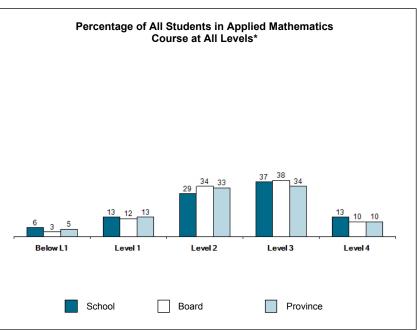
## **Contextual Information, Applied Course (continued)**

	Sch	School		School Board		Province	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Year Student Entered Current School <sup>†</sup>							
Year of the assessment	60	95%	1 649	93%	30 074	90%	
Year prior to the assessment	3	5%	114	6%	2 748	8%	
2 years prior to the assessment	0	0%	4	<1%	548	2%	
3 or more years prior to the assessment	0	0%	2	<1%	154	<1%	
Data not available	0	0%	3	<1%	49	<1%	
Year Student Entered Current Board <sup>†</sup>							
Year of the assessment	26	41%	549	31%	5 455	16%	
Year prior to the assessment	5	8%	111	6%	2 281	7%	
2 years prior to the assessment	3	5%	54	3%	1 714	5%	
3 or more years prior to the assessment	29	46%	1 056	60%	23 756	71%	
Data not available	0	0%	2	<1%	367	1%	

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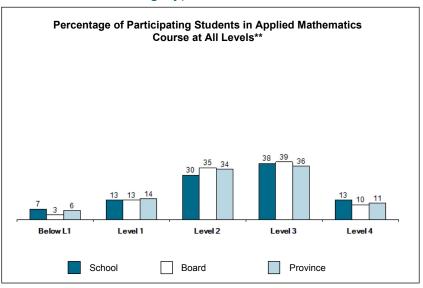
## **Results for All Students, Applied Course**

All Students*							
Number of Students	School 63		Board <i>1 772</i>	Province 33 573			
	#	%	%	%			
Level 4	8	13%	10%	10%			
Level 3	23	37%	38%	34%			
Level 2	18	29%	34%	33%			
Level 1	8	13%	12%	13%			
Below Level 1	4	6%	3%	5%			
Participating Students	61	97%	98%	96%			
No Data	2	3%	2%	4%			
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>		49%	48%	44%			



## Results for Participating Students (excludes "no data" category)

Participating Students**							
Number of Students	School 61		Board <i>1 737</i>	Province 32 230			
	#	%	%	%			
Level 4	8	13%	10%	11%			
Level 3	23	38%	39%	36%			
Level 2	18	30%	35%	34%			
Level 1	8	13%	13%	14%			
Below Level 1	4	7%	3%	6%			
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>		51%	49%	46%			



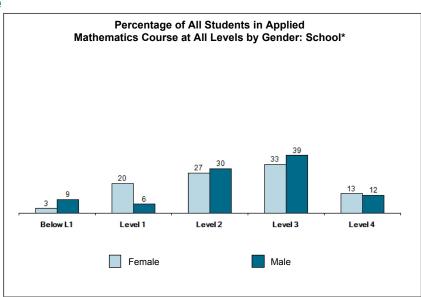
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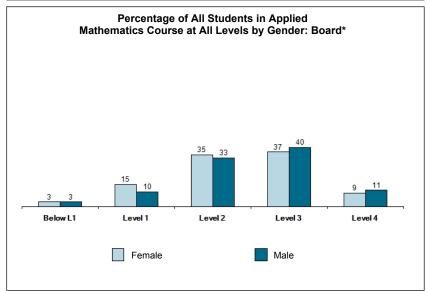
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Results by Gender<sup>††</sup>, Applied Course

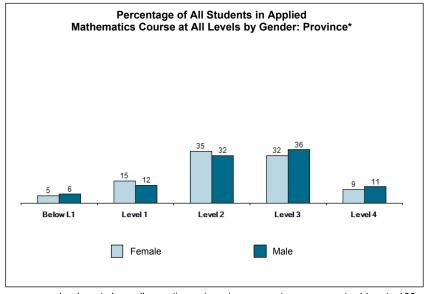
All Students: School by Gender*							
Number of Students	Fen	nale 0		ale 3			
	#	%	#	%			
Level 4	4	13%	4	12%			
Level 3	10	33%	13	39%			
Level 2	8	27%	10	30%			
Level 1	6	20%	2	6%			
Below Level 1	1	3%	3	9%			
Participating Students	29	97%	32	97%			
No Data	1	3%	1	3%			
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>		47%		52%			



All Students: Board by Gender*							
Number of Students	Fem	nale 05		Male 965			
	#	%	#	%			
Level 4	70	9%	106	11%			
Level 3	294	37%	384	40%			
Level 2	285	35%	321	33%			
Level 1	119	15%	101	10%			
Below Level 1	23	3%	32	3%			
Participating Students	791	98%	944	98%			
No Data	14	2%	21	2%			
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>		45%		51%			



All Students: Province by Gender*							
Number of Students	Fen 14	nale 383	Ma 19	ale 185			
	#	%	#	%			
Level 4	1 285	9%	2 140	11%			
Level 3	4 672	32%	6 817	36%			
Level 2	4 994	35%	6 055	32%			
Level 1	2 099	15%	2 331	12%			
Below Level 1	752	5%	1 080	6%			
Participating Students	13 802	96%	18 423	96%			
No Data	581	4%	762	4%			
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>		41%		47%			



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<sup>††</sup> Includes only students for whom gender data were available.

## **Contextual Information, Academic Course**

This information provides a context for interpreting the school's academic mathematics course results.

	Sch	ool	Во	ard	Prov	vince
Enrolment						
Number of students in academic mathematics course		198		5 623		100 425
Number of classes with students in academic mathematics course		7		242		4 450
Number of schools with academic mathematics classes	Not	applicable		25		669
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Participation in the Assessment						
Students who participated in the assessment	198	100%	5 587	99%	99 382	99%
Participating students who received one or more accommodations*	2	1%	86	2%	3 002	3%
Participating students who received special provisions*§	11	6%	45	1%	2 474	2%
Students who did not complete any part of the assessment (no data)*	0	0%	36	1%	1 043	1%
Gender <sup>†</sup> Based on number of students enrolled						
Female	99	50%	2 872	51%	51 250	51%
Male	99	50%	2 751	49%	49 173	49%
Gender not specified	0	0%	0	0%	2	<1%
Student Status <sup>†</sup> Based on number of students enrolled						
English language learners*	26	13%	440	8%	7 517	7%
Students with special education needs (excluding gifted)*	5	3%	228	4%	8 782	9%
Semester/Full Year Based on number of students enrolled						
First-semester course	111	56%	2 631	47%	45 453	45%
Second-semester course	87	44%	2 667	47%	45 193	45%
Full-year course	0	0%	325	6%	9 779	10%
Language and School Background <sup>††</sup> Based on Student Questionnaire data						
Number of Respondents:	19	)5	5 1	68	91	396
Speak only or mostly a language other than English at home	16	8%	543	11%	8 356	9%
Speak another language as often as English at home	50	26%	1 268	25%	16 370	18%
Attended three or more elementary schools from kindergarten to Grade 8	69	35%	1 972	38%	32 773	36%
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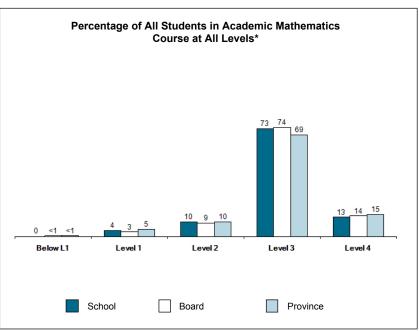
## **Contextual Information, Academic Course (continued)**

	Sch	School		Board		vince
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Year Student Entered Current School <sup>†</sup>						
Year of the assessment	196	99%	5 560	99%	98 153	98%
Year prior to the assessment	2	1%	63	1%	1 457	1%
2 years prior to the assessment	0	0%	o	0%	484	<1%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	0	0%	0	0%	62	<1%
Data not available	0	0%	0	0%	269	<1%
Year Student Entered Current Board <sup>†</sup>						
Year of the assessment	58	29%	2 142	38%	16 101	16%
Year prior to the assessment	6	3%	122	2%	4 004	4%
2 years prior to the assessment	2	1%	107	2%	4 049	4%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	132	67%	3 252	58%	75 016	75%
Data not available	0	0%	0	0%	1 255	1%

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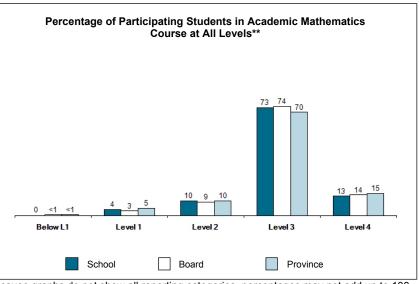
## **Results for All Students, Academic Course**

All Students*				
Number of Students	School 198			
	#	%	%	%
Level 4	26	13%	14%	15%
Level 3	145	73%	74%	69%
Level 2	20	10%	9%	10%
Level 1	7	4%	3%	5%
Below Level 1	0	0%	<1%	<1%
Participating Students	198	100%	99%	99%
No Data	0	0%	1%	1%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>		86%	88%	84%



## Results for Participating Students (excludes "no data" category)

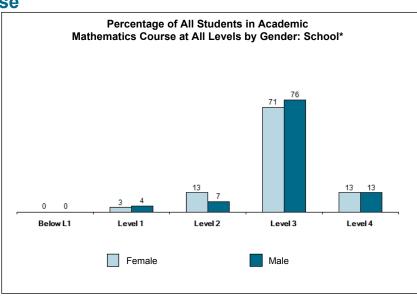
Participating Students**								
Number of Students	School 198		Board 5 587	Province 99 382				
	#	%	%	%				
Level 4	26	13%	14%	15%				
Level 3	145	73%	74%	70%				
Level 2	20	10%	9%	10%				
Level 1	7	4%	3%	5%				
Below Level 1	0	0%	<1%	<1%				
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>		86%	88%	85%				



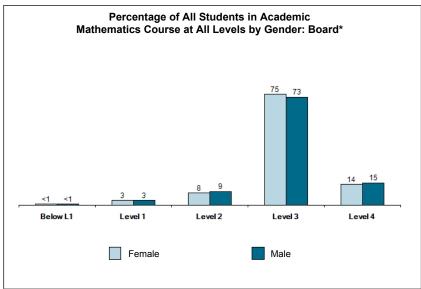
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Results by Gender<sup>††</sup>, Academic Course

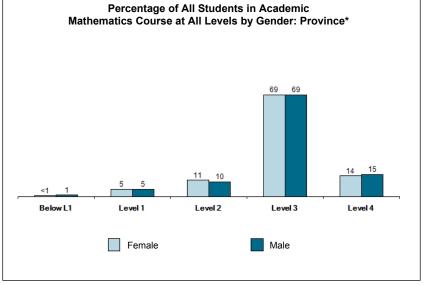
All Students: Scho	ol by Ger	nder*		
Number of Students	Female 99		Ma 9	
	#	%	#	%
Level 4	13	13%	13	13%
Level 3	70	71%	75	76%
Level 2	13	13%	7	7%
Level 1	3	3%	4	4%
Below Level 1	0	0%	0	0%
Participating Students	99	100%	99	100%
No Data	0	0%	0	0%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4)†		84%		89%



All Students: Board	d by Gen	der*		
Number of Students	Fen 2 8	nale 372	Ma 2 7	
·	#	%	#	%
Level 4	389	14%	403	15%
Level 3	2 146	75%	1 996	73%
Level 2	234	8%	253	9%
Level 1	85	3%	75	3%
Below Level 1	1	<1%	5	<1%
Participating Students	2 855	99%	2 732	99%
No Data	17	1%	19	1%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>		88%		87%



All Students: Province by Gender*						
Number of Students	Fen 51	nale 250	Male 49 173			
	#	%	#	%		
Level 4	7 315	14%	7 309	15%		
Level 3	35 328	69%	34 032	69%		
Level 2	5 426	11%	4 761	10%		
Level 1	2 483	5%	2 295	5%		
Below Level 1	166	<1%	265	1%		
Participating Students	50 718	99%	48 662	99%		
No Data	532	1%	511	1%		
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>		83%		84%		



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<sup>††</sup> Includes only students for whom gender data were available.

## **Contextual Information over Time: Applied Course**

This information provides a context for interpreting the school's results of the current and previous administrations.

	2014–2015	2015–2016	2016–2017	2017–2018	2018–2019	
Enrolment						
Number of students in applied mathematics course	44	48	42	43	63	
Number of classes with students in applied mathematics course	2	3	2	3	4	
Participation in the Assessment						
Students who participated in the assessment	100%	98%	100%	98%	97%	
Participating students who received one or more accommodations*	45%	0%	38%	29%	18%	
Participating students who received special provisions*§	11%	2%	21%	17%	11%	
Students who did not complete any part of the assessment (no data)*	0%	2%	0%	2%	3%	
Gender <sup>†</sup> Based on number of students enrolled						
Female	39%	35%	43%	35%	48%	
Male	61%	65%	57%	65%	52%	
Gender not specified	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Student Status† Based on number of students enrolled						
English language learners*	11%	12%	21%	19%	22%	
Students with special education needs (excluding gifted)*	45%	38%	38%	30%	30%	
Semester/Full Year Based on number of students enrolled						
First-semester course	57%	29%	52%	72%	48%	
Second-semester course	43%	71%	48%	28%	52%	
Full-year course	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Language and School Background <sup>††</sup> Based on Student Questionnaire data						
Number of Respondents:	42	45	41	42	57	
Speak only or mostly a language other than English at home	7%	13%	15%	19%	12%	
Speak another language as often as English at home	24%	27%	39%	10%	28%	
Attended three or more elementary schools from kindergarten to Grade 8	45%	31%	39%	29%	47%	
* See the Explanation of Terms						

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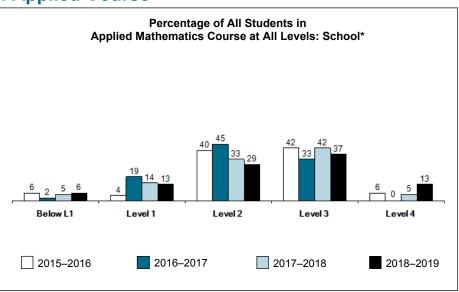
## **Contextual Information over Time: Applied Course (continued)**

	2014–2015	2015–2016	2016–2017	2017–2018	2018–2019
Year Student Entered Current School <sup>†</sup>					
Year of the assessment		98%	90%	93%	95%
Year prior to the assessment	These items	0%	5%	5%	5%
2 years prior to the assessment	were added in 2015–	0%	0%	2%	0%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	2016.	0%	0%	0%	0%
Data not available		2%	5%	0%	0%
Year Student Entered Current Board <sup>†</sup>					
Year of the assessment		15%	38%	28%	41%
Year prior to the assessment	These items	2%	5%	2%	8%
2 years prior to the assessment	were added in 2015–	4%	0%	0%	5%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	2016.	77%	52%	70%	46%
Data not available		2%	5%	0%	0%

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## **Results for All Students over Time: Applied Course**

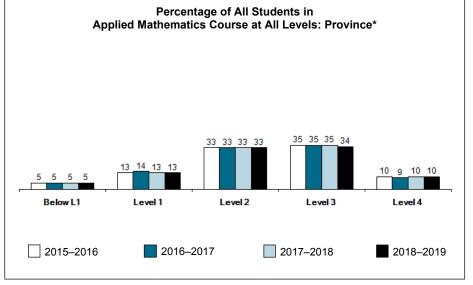
results for All Students over Till								
School*								
Year	'15–'16	'16–'17	'17–'18	'18–'19				
Number of Students	48	42	43	63				
Level 4	6%	0%	5%	13%				
Level 3	42%	33%	42%	37%				
Level 2	40%	45%	33%	29%				
Level 1	4%	19%	14%	13%				
Below Level 1	6%	2%	5%	6%				
Participating Students	98%	100%	98%	97%				
No Data	2%	0%	2%	3%				
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>	48%	33%	47%	49%				



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Board*				
Year	'15–'16	'16–'17	'17–'18	'18–'19
Number of Students	1 898	1 792	1 740	1 772
Level 4	13%	11%	11%	10%
Level 3	41%	40%	39%	38%
Level 2	32%	33%	34%	34%
Level 1	10%	11%	12%	12%
Below Level 1	2%	3%	2%	3%
Participating Students	98%	98%	98%	98%
No Data	2%	2%	2%	2%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>	54%	51%	50%	48%

Percentage of All Students in Applied Mathematics Course at All Levels: Board*						
2 3 2 3	10 11 12 12	32 33 34 34	41 40 39 38	13 11 11 10		
Below L1	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4		
2015–2016	2016–	2017	] 2017–2018	2018–2019		

Province*				
Year	'15–'16	'16–'17	'17–'18	'18–'19
Number of Students	36 005	34 797	33 451	33 573
Level 4	10%	9%	10%	10%
Level 3	35%	35%	35%	34%
Level 2	33%	33%	33%	33%
Level 1	13%	14%	13%	13%
Below Level 1	5%	5%	5%	5%
Participating Students	96%	96%	96%	96%
No Data	4%	4%	4%	4%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>	45%	44%	45%	44%



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<sup>†</sup> The percentages of students at Levels 3 and 4 are rounded and may not add up to the percentage of students meeting the provincial standard.

## **Contextual Information over Time: Academic Course**

This information provides a context for interpreting the school's results of the current and previous administrations.

	2014–2015	2015–2016	2016–2017	2017–2018	2018–2019	
Enrolment						
Number of students in academic mathematics course	227	210	186	207	198	
Number of classes with students in academic mathematics course	8	8	7	8	7	
Participation in the Assessment						
Students who participated in the assessment	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	
Participating students who received one or more accommodations*	1%	0%	2%	4%	1%	
Participating students who received special provisions*§	7%	0%	9%	8%	6%	
Students who did not complete any part of the assessment (no data)*	1%	0%	1%	<1%	0%	
Gender <sup>†</sup> Based on number of students enrolled						
Female	55%	50%	41%	48%	50%	
Male	45%	50%	59%	52%	50%	
Gender not specified	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Student Status <sup>†</sup> Based on number of students enrolled				<u>,</u>		
English language learners*	7%	8%	9%	8%	13%	
Students with special education needs (excluding gifted)*	1%	2%	2%	4%	3%	
Semester/Full Year Based on number of students enrolled		,	,			
First-semester course	44%	56%	57%	49%	56%	
Second-semester course	56%	44%	43%	51%	44%	
Full-year course	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Language and School Background <sup>††</sup> Based on Student Questionnaire data			,			
Number of Respondents:	216	200	178	192	195	
Speak only or mostly a language other than English at home	11%	12%	7%	12%	8%	
Speak another language as often as English at home	26%	16%	22%	24%	26%	
Attended three or more elementary schools from kindergarten to Grade 8	44%	27%	28%	38%	35%	

See the Explanation of Terms.

<sup>†</sup> Contextual data pertaining to "gender" and "student status" are based on information provided by schools and/or boards through the Student Data Collection process.

<sup>††</sup> Contextual data pertaining to "school background" and "language" are gathered from the Student Questionnaire completed by students.

<sup>§</sup> Beginning in 2017–2018, the special provisions category includes extended periodic supervised breaks only.

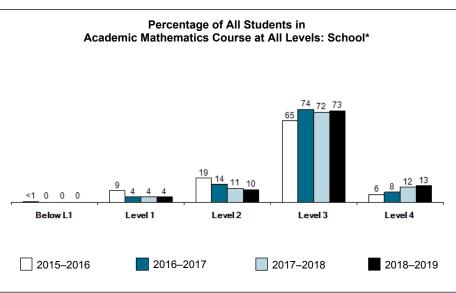
## **Contextual Information over Time: Academic Course (continued)**

	2014–2015	2015–2016	2016–2017	2017–2018	2018–2019
Year Student Entered Current School <sup>†</sup>					
Year of the assessment		100%	100%	99%	99%
Year prior to the assessment	These items	0%	0%	<1%	1%
2 years prior to the assessment	were added in 2015–	0%	0%	0%	0%
3 or more years prior to the assessment	2016.	0%	0%	0%	0%
Data not available		0%	0%	<1%	0%
Year Student Entered Current Board <sup>†</sup>					
Year of the assessment		22%	24%	43%	29%
Year prior to the assessment	These items	2%	0%	<1%	3%
2 years prior to the assessment	were added in 2015–	2%	4%	1%	19
3 or more years prior to the assessment	2016.	74%	72%	56%	67%
Data not available		0%	0%	0%	0%

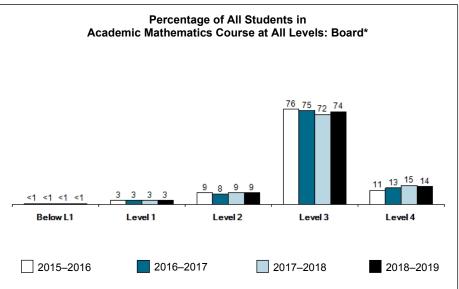
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## Results for All Students over Time: Academic Course

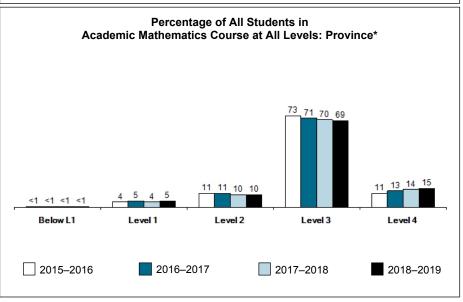
School*								
Year	'15–'16	'16–'17	'17–'18	'18–'19				
Number of Students	210	186	207	198				
Level 4	6%	8%	12%	13%				
Level 3	65%	74%	72%	73%				
Level 2	19%	14%	11%	10%				
Level 1	9%	4%	4%	4%				
Below Level 1	<1%	0%	0%	0%				
Participating Students	100%	99%	100%	100%				
No Data	0%	1%	<1%	0%				
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>	71%	82%	84%	86%				



Board*				
Year	'15–'16	'16–'17	'17–'18	'18–'19
Number of Students	5 424	5 376	5 360	5 623
Level 4	11%	13%	15%	14%
Level 3	76%	75%	72%	74%
Level 2	9%	8%	9%	9%
Level 1	3%	3%	3%	3%
Below Level 1	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
Participating Students	100%	100%	99%	99%
No Data	<1%	<1%	1%	1%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>	87%	88%	87%	88%



Province*				
Year	'15–'16	'16–'17	'17–'18	'18–'19
Number of Students	97 347	96 449	96 996	100 425
Level 4	11%	13%	14%	15%
Level 3	73%	71%	70%	69%
Level 2	11%	11%	10%	10%
Level 1	4%	5%	4%	5%
Below Level 1	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
Participating Students	99%	99%	99%	99%
No Data	1%	1%	1%	1%
At or Above Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4) <sup>†</sup>	83%	83%	84%	84%



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The percentages of students at Levels 3 and 4 are rounded and may not add up to the percentage of students meeting the provincial standard.

### RESULTS FOR ALL STUDENTS OVER TIME BY GENDER<sup>†</sup> Percentage of Students At or Above the Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4): **APPLIED COURSE** 2014-2015 2015-2016 2016-2017 2017-2018 2018-2019 74 53 **SCHOOL** 47 39 60 **BOARD** 50 **PROVINCE** EC EC **Female** Male Total Number of Students in Applied Mathematics Course<sup>†</sup> 2014-2015 2015-2016 2016-2017 2017-2018 2018-2019 **Female** Male **Female** Male **Female** Male **Female** Male **Female** Male School 17 27 17 31 18 24 15 28 30 33 Board 852 1 009 867 1 031 810 982 770 970 805 965

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20 257

15 212

19 585

14 646

18 804

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Province

19 185

<sup>†</sup> Includes only students for whom gender data were available.

## RESULTS FOR ALL STUDENTS OVER TIME BY GENDER<sup>†</sup> Percentage of Students At or Above the Provincial Standard (Levels 3 and 4): **ACADEMIC COURSE** 2014-2015 2015-2016 2016-2017 2017-2018 2018-2019 89 83 82 78 74 69 **SCHOOL** 88 89 88 88 88 88 87 87 87 **BOARD** 84 84 84 83 83 83 83 **PROVINCE** EC EC **Female** Male

		Total N	umber of S	tudents in	Academic	Mathemat	ics Course	t		
	<u>2014–20</u>	<u>)15</u>	2015-2	<u>016</u>	2016-2	017	2017-2	<u>018</u>	2018-2	<u>019</u>
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
School	125	102	105	105	77	109	100	107	99	99
Board	2 820	2 613	2 780	2 644	2 753	2 622	2 766	2 594	2 872	2 751
Province	EC	EC	49 817	47 530	49 388	47 061	49 957	47 039	51 250	49 173

<sup>†</sup> Includes only students for whom gender data were available.

STUDENT QUESTION	NAIRE RESULTS FOR THIS SCHOOL (# = 57)	
Strongly Disagree/Disagree Neither agr	e nor disagree Agree/Strongly agree	
STUDENTS' ATTITUDES TOWARD MATHE	IATICS	
How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements?	Percentage of Students*	Number of students who answered "agree" or "strongly agree"
I like mathematics	18 37 44	25
I am good at mathematics	25 35 39	22
I am able to answer difficult mathematics questions	18 39 42	24
Mathematics is one of my favourite subjects	49 23 25	14
I understand most of the mathematics I am taught	9 21 68	39
Mathematics is an easy subject	35 42 19	11
I do my best in mathematics class	7 16 75	43
The mathematics I learn now is useful for everyday life	30 19 49	28
The mathematics I learn now helps me do work in other subjects	18 28 51	29
I need to do well in mathematics to study what I want later	14 28 56	32
I need to keep taking mathematics for the kind of job I wan after I leave school	16 37 44	25
Not at all confident Somewh	t confident Confident	Very confident
How confident are you that you can answer mathematics questions related to the following?	Percentage of Students*	Number of students who answered "very confident"
number sense (e.g., operations with integers, rationa numbers, exponents)	5 49 32 12	7
algebra (e.g., solving equations, simplifying expressions with polynomials)	12 39 26 19	11
linear relations (e.g., scatter plots, lines of best fit	5 23 40 28	16
measurement (e.g., perimeter, area, volume	19 44 33	19
geometry (e.g., angles, parallel lines)	18 30 30 21	12

<sup>\*</sup> Percentages may not add up to 100, due to rounding or to missing responses. Where there is no number in a bar, the percentage of responses is smaller than four.

STUDENT QUESTIONI	NAIRE RESULTS FOR THIS SCHOOL (# = 57)	
Never or almost never Some	times Often Ver	y Often
DOING MATHEMATICS		
How often do you do the following when studying mathematics or working on a mathematics problem?	Percentage of Students*	Number of students who answered "very often"
I connect new mathematics concepts to what I already know about mathematics or other subjects.	9 44 39 5	3
I check my mathematics answers to see if they make sense.	21 42 32	18
I apply new mathematics concepts to real-life problems.	28 40 18 9	5
I take time to discuss my mathematics assignments with my classmates.	16 28 44 11	6
I look for more than one way to solve mathematics problems.	39 35 23	13
How often do you complete your mathematics homework?	Percentage of Students*	Number of students
I am not usually assigned any mathematics homework		0
Never or almost never	5	3
Sometimes	23	13
Often	33	19
Always	30	17

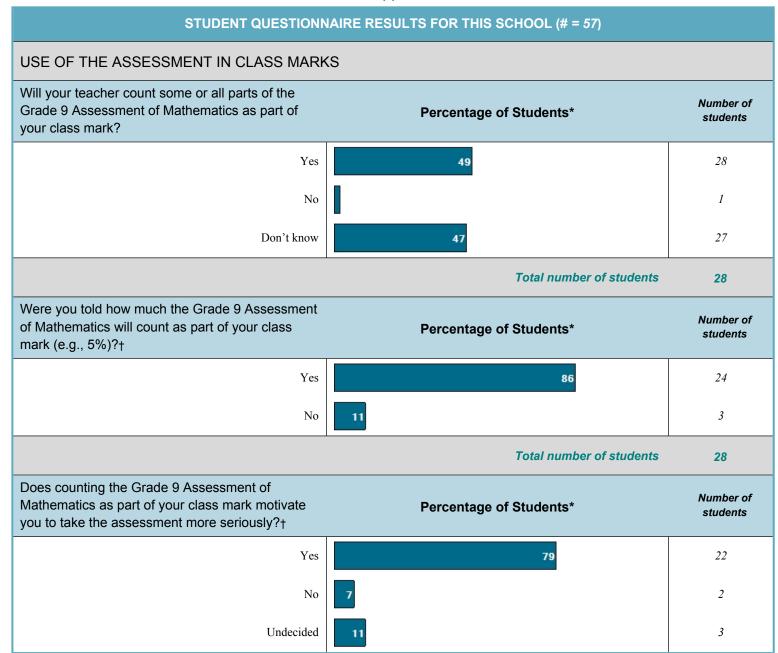
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#### STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR THIS SCHOOL (# = 57) 1 to 3 times a week Never Every day or almost every day 1 or 2 times a month **OUT-OF-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES** Number of students who How often do you do the following when you are answered Percentage of Students\* not at school? "every day or almost every day" I read by myself. 37 19 33 11 I use the Internet. 89 51 I play video games. 32 16 32 19 11 I participate in sports or other physical activities. 25 26 21 37 I participate in art, music or drama activities. 60 18 I participate in other clubs or organizations. 49 11 21 16 I volunteer in my community. 37 28 I work at a paid job. 2

<sup>\*</sup> Percentages may not add up to 100, due to rounding or to missing responses. Where there is no number in a bar, the percentage of responses is smaller than four.

STUDENT QUESTIONN	NAIRE RESULTS FOR THIS SCHOOL (# = 57)	
SCHOOLS ATTENDED		
How many schools did you attend from kindergarten to Grade 8 (home-schooling is counted as one school)?	Percentage of Students*	Number of students
0 schools		1
1 school	26	15
2 schools	21	12
3 schools	19	11
4 schools	18	10
5 or more schools	11	6
	ge (or other languages) as Mostly another langua en as English languages)/Only another other languag	r language (or es)
LANGUAGES SPOKEN	Percentage of Students*	Number of students who answered "only English" "mostly Englisi
Languages student speaks at home	58 28 12	33
Languages in which people speak to student at home	51 28 16	29

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<sup>†</sup> Numbers and percentages are based on the number of students who indicated that their teacher will count some or all parts of the assessment as part of their class mark.

		School			Board		Province			
STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students, female, male)	All Students (# = 57)	Female* (# = 28)	Male* (# = 29)	All Students (# = 1 587)	Female* (# = 734)	Male* (# = 851)	All Students (# = 28 618)	Female* (# = 12 493)	Male* (# = 16 121)	
STUDENTS' ATTITUDES TOWARD MATH	HEMATIC	CS								
Percentage of students indicating they "agree" or "strongly agree" with the following statements:†										
I like mathematics.	44%	32%	55%	34%	28%	40%	35%	29%	40%	
I am good at mathematics.	39%	32%	45%	32%	25%	38%	32%	25%	38%	
I am able to answer difficult mathematics questions.	42%	29%	55%	25%	16%	33%	25%	16%	32%	
Mathematics is one of my favourite subjects.	25%	21%	28%	21%	17%	24%	22%	18%	24%	
I understand most of the mathematics I am taught.	68%	64%	72%	60%	56%	64%	59%	55%	63%	
Mathematics is an easy subject.	19%	14%	24%	16%	10%	22%	17%	12%	21%	
I do my best in mathematics class.	75%	79%	72%	68%	72%	65%	69%	74%	66%	
The mathematics I learn now is useful for everyday life.	49%	43%	55%	30%	28%	31%	30%	28%	32%	
The mathematics I learn now helps me do work in other subjects.	51%	50%	52%	45%	43%	46%	45%	44%	46%	
I need to do well in mathematics to study what I want later.	56%	46%	66%	51%	51%	50%	49%	46%	51%	
I need to keep taking mathematics for the kind of job I want after I leave school.	44%	32%	55%	41%	40%	42%	40%	38%	42%	
Percentage of students indicating they feel "confiden following:‡	t" or "very	confident"	that they	can answ	er mathem	atics que	stions rela	ted to the		
number sense (e.g., operations with integers, rational numbers, exponents)	44%	25%	62%	43%	34%	50%	41%	33%	47%	
algebra (e.g., solving equations, simplifying expressions with polynomials)	46%	43%	48%	43%	42%	44%	43%	40%	45%	
linear relations (e.g., scatter plots, lines of best fit)	68%	68%	69%	63%	56%	68%	56%	50%	60%	
measurement (e.g., perimeter, area, volume)	77%	71%	83%	65%	62%	69%	64%	60%	68%	
geometry (e.g., angles, parallel lines)	51%	46%	55%	47%	40%	54%	47%	40%	53%	

Includes only students for whom gender data were available.

Other response options were "strongly disagree", "disagree" and "neither agree nor disagree". Other response options were "not at all confident" and "somewhat confident".

		School			Board			Province		
STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students, female, male)	All Students (# = 57)	Female* (# = 28)	Male* (# = 29)	All Students (# = 1 587)	Female* (# = 734)	Male* (# = 851)	All Students (# = 28 618)	Female* (# = 12 493)	Male* (# = 16 121)	
DOING MATHEMATICS										
Percentage of students indicating they do the following "very often" when studying mathematics or working on a mathematics problem:†										
I connect new mathematics concepts to what I already know about mathematics or other subjects.	5%	4%	7%	5%	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%	
I check my mathematics answers to see if they make sense.	32%	29%	34%	22%	25%	19%	17%	19%	16%	
I apply new mathematics concepts to real-life problems.	9%	7%	10%	3%	4%	3%	3%	3%	4%	
I take time to discuss my mathematics assignments with my classmates.	11%	11%	10%	8%	9%	7%	5%	6%	4%	
I look for more than one way to solve mathematics problems.	23%	14%	31%	13%	13%	12%	10%	10%	11%	
Percentage of students indicating they complete their	r mathema	atics home	work at the	ne following	g frequenc	cies:‡				
I am not usually assigned any mathematics homework	0%	0%	0%	5%	5%	5%	13%	13%	14%	
Never or almost never	5%	4%	7%	7%	4%	8%	8%	6%	10%	
Sometimes	23%	36%	10%	26%	23%	28%	27%	25%	29%	
Often	33%	21%	45%	31%	31%	31%	28%	29%	27%	
Always	30%	36%	24%	22%	27%	18%	16%	19%	14%	

Includes only students for whom gender data were available.

Other response options were "never or almost never", "sometimes" and "often". Percentages may not add up to 100, due to rounding or to missing responses.

		School			Board			Province	
STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students, female, male)	All Students (# = 57)	Female* (# = 28)	Male* (# = 29)	All Students (# = 1 587)	Female* (# = 734)	Male* (# = 851)	All Students (# = 28 618)	Female* (# = 12 493)	Male* (# = 16 121)
OUT-OF-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES	,,								
Percentage of students indicating they do the following	ng "every	day or alm	ost every	day" wher 	they are	not at sch	ool:† 		
I read by myself.	19%	18%	21%	13%	16%	10%	14%	20%	10%
I use the Internet.	89%	100%	79%	88%	90%	87%	87%	89%	86%
I play video games.	19%	7%	31%	31%	10%	49%	36%	14%	53%
I participate in sports or other physical activities.	37%	25%	48%	37%	25%	47%	34%	25%	42%
I participate in art, music or drama activities.	14%	25%	3%	16%	21%	11%	18%	25%	13%
I participate in other clubs or organizations.	16%	11%	21%	9%	7%	12%	8%	7%	9%
I volunteer in my community.	7%	0%	14%	5%	6%	5%	5%	5%	5%
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0 schools 1 school 2 schools 3 schools 4 schools	26% 21% 19% 18%	32% 18% 21% 11%	3% 21% 24% 17% 24%	3% 27% 28% 18% 9%	2% 25% 28% 19% 10%	3% 29% 28% 17% 8%	2% 26% 29% 18% 10%	2% 24% 29% 18% 11%	2% 27% 29% 18% 10%
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0 schools 1 school 2 schools 3 schools 4 schools 5 or more schools	26% 21% 19% 18% 11%	32% 18% 21% 11% 14%	3% 21% 24% 17% 24% 7%	3% 27% 28% 18% 9%	2% 25% 28% 19% 10%	3% 29% 28% 17% 8%	2% 26% 29% 18% 10%	2% 24% 29% 18% 11%	2% 27% 29% 18% 10%
0 schools 1 school 2 schools 3 schools 4 schools 5 or more schools  LANGUAGES SPOKEN  Percentage of students indicating that they speak the Only English/Mostly English Another language (or other languages) as often as English	26% 21% 19% 18% 11%	32% 18% 21% 11% 14%	3% 21% 24% 17% 24% 7%	3% 27% 28% 18% 9% 9%	2% 25% 28% 19% 10% 10%	3% 29% 28% 17% 8% 8%	2% 26% 29% 18% 10% 11%	2% 24% 29% 18% 11% 12%	2% 27% 29% 18% 10% 9%
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0 schools 1 school 2 schools 3 schools 4 schools 5 or more schools  LANGUAGES SPOKEN  Percentage of students indicating that they speak the Only English/Mostly English Another language (or other languages) as often as English Mostly another language (or other languages)/ Only another language (or other languages)	26% 21% 19% 18% 11% e following 58% 28%	32% 18% 21% 11% 14% language 64% 25%	3% 21% 24% 17% 24% 7%  s at home 52% 31% 17%	3% 27% 28% 18% 9% 9%	2% 25% 28% 19% 10% 10%	3% 29% 28% 17% 8% 8% 64%	2% 26% 29% 18% 10% 11%	2% 24% 29% 18% 11% 12% 75%	2% 27% 29% 18% 10% 9%
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<sup>\*</sup> Includes only students for whom gender data were available.

<sup>†</sup> Other response options were "never", "1 or 2 times a month" and "1 to 3 times a week".

Percentages may not add up to 100, due to rounding or to missing responses.

		School			Board			Province		
STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students, female, male)	All Students (# = 57)	Female* (# = 28)	Male* (# = 29)	All Students (# = 1 587)	Female* (# = 734)	Male* (# = 851)	All Students (# = 28 618)	Female* (# = 12 493)	Male* (# = 16 121)	
USE OF THE ASSESSMENT IN CLASS MARKS										
Percentage of students indicating their teacher will count some or all parts of the Grade 9 Assessment of Mathematics as part of their class mark:†										
Yes	49%	54%	45%	43%	47%	40%	43%	47%	40%	
No	2%	0%	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	
Don't know	47%	43%	52%	50%	48%	52%	51%	48%	53%	
Percentage of students indicating they were told how	All Students (#=28)	Female* (#=15)	Male* (#=13)	All Students (#=682)	Female* (#=342)	Male* (#=340)	All Students (#=12 310)	Female* (#=5 814)	Male* (#=6 496)	
Yes	86%	93%	77%	86%	88%	84%	89%	90%	88%	
No	11%	7%	15%	13%	11%	15%	10%	9%	11%	
Percentage of students indicating that counting the C the assessment more seriously:†‡	Grade 9 As	sessment	of Mather	natics as <sub>ا</sub>	oart of thei	r class ma	ark motivat	tes them to	o take	
	All Students (#=28)	Female* (#=15)	Male* (#=13)	All Students (#=682)	Female* (#=342)	Male* (#=340)	All Students (#=12 310)	Female* (#=5 814)	Male* (#=6 496)	
Yes	79%	80%	77%	83%	85%	81%	76%	78%	75%	
No	7%	13%	0%	7%	6%	8%	9%	7%	11%	
Undecided	11%	7%	15%	9%	8%	10%	14%	15%	14%	

Includes only students for whom gender data were available.

<sup>†</sup> Percentages may not add up to 100, due to rounding or to missing responses.

Numbers and percentages are based on the number of students who indicated that their teacher will count some or all parts of the assessment as part of their class mark.

#### STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR THIS SCHOOL (# = 195) Neither agree nor disagree Strongly Disagree/Disagree Agree/Strongly agree STUDENTS' ATTITUDES TOWARD MATHEMATICS Number of students who How much do you agree or disagree with the Percentage of Students\* answered following statements? "agree" or "strongly agree" I like mathematics. 15 20 65 127 10 121 I am good at mathematics. 27 I am able to answer difficult mathematics questions. 107 31 55 101 Mathematics is one of my favourite subjects. 30 18 52 I understand most of the mathematics I am taught. 148 15 76 Mathematics is an easy subject. 75 24 37 38 I do my best in mathematics class. 18 137 The mathematics I learn now is useful for everyday life. 55 34 38 28 The mathematics I learn now helps me do work in other 118 22 17 61 subjects. I need to do well in mathematics to study what I want later. 142 11 16 I need to keep taking mathematics for the kind of job I want 127 22 65 after I leave school. Not at all confident Very confident Somewhat confident Confident Number of How confident are you that you can answer students who Percentage of Students\* mathematics questions related to the following? answered "very confident" number sense (e.g., operations with integers, rational 23 22 42 numbers, exponents) algebra (e.g., solving equations, simplifying expressions with 22 35 69 polynomials) linear relations (e.g., scatter plots, lines of best fit) 32 47 24 analytic geometry (e.g., slope, y-intercept, equations of lines) 26 50 16 25 33 measurement (e.g., perimeter, area, volume) 12 33 51 100 geometry (e.g., angles, parallel lines) 17 45 88

Percentages may not add up to 100, due to rounding or to missing responses. Where there is no number in a bar, the percentage of responses is smaller than four.

STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR THIS SCHOOL (# = 195)									
Never or almost never Some	etimes Often Very	Often							
DOING MATHEMATICS									
How often do you do the following when studying mathematics or working on a mathematics problem?	Percentage of Students*	Number of students who answered "very often"							
I connect new mathematics concepts to what I already know about mathematics or other subjects.		27							
I check my mathematics answers to see if they make sense.	13 41 44	85							
I apply new mathematics concepts to real-life problems.	25 46 18 9	18							
I take time to discuss my mathematics assignments with my classmates.	13 37 36 12	24							
I look for more than one way to solve mathematics problems.	8 35 39 17	33							
How often do you complete your mathematics homework?	Percentage of Students*	Number of students							
I am not usually assigned any mathematics homework		2							
Never or almost never	5	10							
Sometimes	19	38							
Often	34	66							
Always	32	62							

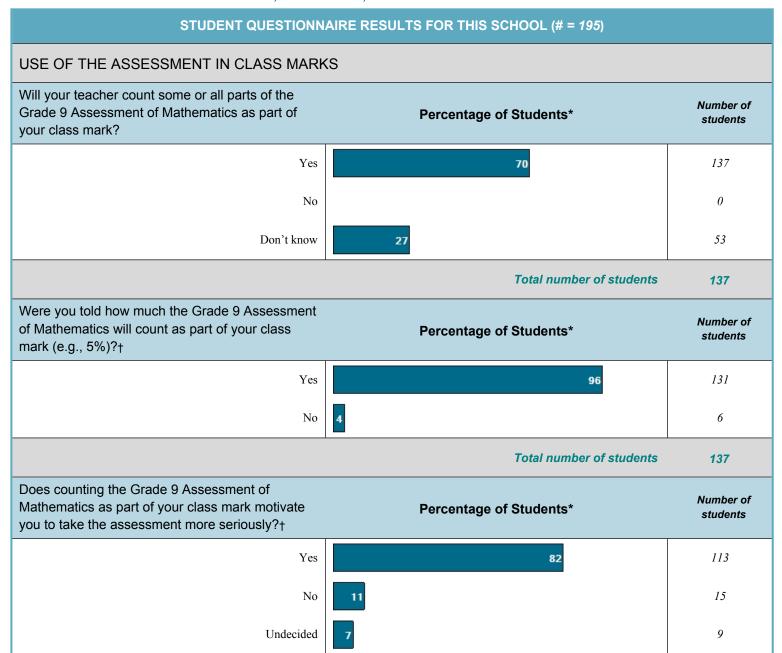
<sup>\*</sup> Percentages may not add up to 100, due to rounding or to missing responses. Where there is no number in a bar, the percentage of responses is smaller than four

#### STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR THIS SCHOOL (# = 195) 1 to 3 times a week Never Every day or almost every day 1 or 2 times a month **OUT-OF-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES** Number of students who How often do you do the following when you are answered Percentage of Students\* not at school? "every day or almost every day" I read by myself. 20 40 22 17 33 I use the Internet. 182 93 I play video games. 20 22 33 23 45 I participate in sports or other physical activities. 42 30 59 17 I participate in art, music or drama activities. 37 19 19 23 44 I participate in other clubs or organizations. 41 19 27 23 I volunteer in my community. 10 31 41 I work at a paid job. 5

<sup>\*</sup> Percentages may not add up to 100, due to rounding or to missing responses. Where there is no number in a bar, the percentage of responses is smaller than four.

### STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR THIS SCHOOL (# = 195) SCHOOLS ATTENDED How many schools did you attend from Number of kindergarten to Grade 8 (home-schooling is Percentage of Students\* students counted as one school)? 0 schools 1 1 school 33 65 2 schools 56 3 schools 35 4 schools 18 5 or more schools 16 Another language (or other languages) as Mostly another language (or other Only English/Mostly English languages)/Only another language (or often as English other languages) Number of students who LANGUAGES SPOKEN answered Percentage of Students\* "only English" or "mostly English" Languages student speaks at home 125 64 26 Languages in which people speak to student at home 26 21 89

Percentages may not add up to 100, due to rounding or to missing responses. Where there is no number in a bar, the percentage of responses is smaller than four.



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<sup>†</sup> Numbers and percentages are based on the number of students who indicated that their teacher will count some or all parts of the assessment as part of their class mark.

		School			Board		Province			
STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students, female, male)	All Students (# = 195)	Female* (# = 99)	Male* (# = 96)	All Students (# = 5 168)	Female* (# = 2 646)	Male* (# = 2 522)	All Students (# = 91 396)	Female* (# = 47 009)	Male* (# = 44 386)	
STUDENTS' ATTITUDES TOWARD MATH	HEMATIC	CS								
Percentage of students indicating they "agree" or "strongly agree" with the following statements:†										
I like mathematics.	65%	55%	76%	59%	53%	64%	57%	52%	63%	
I am good at mathematics.	62%	51%	74%	54%	48%	61%	54%	48%	60%	
I am able to answer difficult mathematics questions.	55%	39%	71%	49%	41%	58%	49%	41%	58%	
Mathematics is one of my favourite subjects.	52%	43%	60%	44%	39%	49%	41%	36%	47%	
I understand most of the mathematics I am taught.	76%	70%	82%	76%	74%	78%	75%	72%	77%	
Mathematics is an easy subject.	38%	24%	53%	30%	25%	34%	29%	24%	35%	
I do my best in mathematics class.	70%	67%	74%	72%	75%	70%	73%	77%	69%	
The mathematics I learn now is useful for everyday life.	28%	23%	33%	29%	27%	32%	28%	26%	31%	
The mathematics I learn now helps me do work in other subjects.	61%	60%	61%	57%	56%	58%	56%	54%	57%	
I need to do well in mathematics to study what I want later.	73%	72%	74%	63%	62%	65%	63%	61%	65%	
I need to keep taking mathematics for the kind of job I want after I leave school.	65%	63%	68%	57%	54%	59%	57%	55%	59%	
Percentage of students indicating they feel "confident following:	t" or "very	confident"	that they	can answe	er mathem	atics que	stions rela	ted to the		
number sense (e.g., operations with integers, rational numbers, exponents)	77%	66%	89%	69%	63%	75%	68%	61%	75%	
algebra (e.g., solving equations, simplifying expressions with polynomials)	74%	65%	83%	71%	69%	73%	70%	68%	72%	
linear relations (e.g., scatter plots, lines of best fit)	61%	54%	68%	61%	55%	68%	61%	55%	67%	
analytic geometry (e.g., slope, y-intercept, equations of lines)	58%	49%	68%	64%	60%	67%	62%	58%	66%	
measurement (e.g., perimeter, area, volume)	85%	80%	90%	79%	75%	83%	77%	73%	82%	
geometry (e.g., angles, parallel lines)	80%	74%	86%	72%	67%	76%	70%	66%	75%	

Includes only students for whom gender data were available.

Other response options were "strongly disagree", "disagree" and "neither agree nor disagree". Other response options were "not at all confident" and "somewhat confident".

		School			Board			Province		
STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students, female, male)	All Students (# = 195)	Female* (# = 99)	Male* (# = 96)	All Students (# = 5 168)	Female* (# = 2 646)	Male* (# = 2 522)	All Students (# = 91 396)	Female* (# = 47 009)	Male* (# = 44 386)	
DOING MATHEMATICS										
Percentage of students indicating they do the following "very often" when studying mathematics or working on a mathematics problem:+										
I connect new mathematics concepts to what I already know about mathematics or other subjects.	14%	12%	16%	12%	12%	12%	12%	12%	12%	
I check my mathematics answers to see if they make sense.	44%	38%	49%	37%	40%	34%	32%	35%	29%	
I apply new mathematics concepts to real-life problems.	9%	6%	12%	5%	4%	7%	5%	4%	6%	
I take time to discuss my mathematics assignments with my classmates.	12%	13%	11%	14%	16%	12%	12%	13%	11%	
I look for more than one way to solve mathematics problems.	17%	15%	19%	15%	14%	16%	13%	12%	14%	
Percentage of students indicating they complete their mathematics homework at the following frequencies:										
I am not usually assigned any mathematics homework	1%	0%	2%	1%	<1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	
Never or almost never	5%	8%	2%	5%	3%	7%	6%	3%	8%	
Sometimes	19%	15%	24%	19%	16%	23%	22%	18%	26%	
Often	34%	32%	35%	35%	35%	36%	36%	36%	36%	
Always	32%	38%	25%	33%	39%	27%	29%	35%	23%	

Includes only students for whom gender data were available.

Other response options were "never or almost never", "sometimes" and "often". Percentages may not add up to 100, due to rounding or to missing responses.

		School		Board			Province		
STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students, female, male)	All Students (# = 195)	Female* (# = 99)	Male* (# = 96)	All Students (# = 5 168)	Female* (# = 2 646)	Male* (# = 2 522)	All Students (# = 91 396)	Female* (# = 47 009)	Male* (# = 44 386)
OUT-OF-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES	,,								
Percentage of students indicating they do the following	ng "every (	day or alm	ost every	day″ wher	they are i	not at sch	ool:†		
I read by myself.	17%	18%	16%	17%	21%	12%	18%	23%	13%
I use the Internet.	93%	99%	88%	92%	93%	91%	92%	93%	92%
I play video games.		5%	42%	25%	7%	43%	27%	9%	47%
I participate in sports or other physical activities.		22%	39%	38%	28%	49%	41%	33%	48%
I participate in art, music or drama activities.	23%	26%	19%	18%	22%	14%	20%	25%	14%
I participate in other clubs or organizations.	12%	13%	10%	12%	10%	15%	12%	11%	13%
I volunteer in my community.	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%
I work at a paid job.	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	4%	4%	4%
Percentage of students indicating the number of school):‡	ools they a	attended fr	om kinder	garten to	Grade 8 (h	ome-scho	ooling is co	unted as	one
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school):‡  0 schools	1%	1%	0%	<1%	<1%	1%	<1%	<1%	1%
school):‡  0 schools 1 school	1%	1%	0%	<1% 26%	<1% 25%	1% 27%	<1% 26%	<1% 26%	1% 26%
school):‡  0 schools  1 school 2 schools	1% 33% 29%	1% 33% 25%	0% 33% 32%	<1% 26% 30%	<1% 25% 30%	1% 27% 31%	<1% 26% 33%	<1% 26% 33%	1% 26% 33%
school):‡  0 schools 1 school 2 schools 3 schools	1% 33% 29% 18%	1% 33% 25% 18%	0% 33% 32% 18%	<1% 26% 30% 21%	<1% 25% 30% 21%	1% 27% 31% 21%	<1% 26% 33% 19%	<1% 26% 33% 20%	1% 26% 33% 19%
school):‡  0 schools 1 school 2 schools 3 schools 4 schools	1% 33% 29% 18% 9%	1% 33% 25% 18% 11%	0% 33% 32% 18% 7%	<1% 26% 30% 21% 10%	<1% 25% 30% 21% 10%	1% 27% 31% 21% 9%	<1% 26% 33% 19% 9%	<1% 26% 33% 20% 9%	1% 26% 33% 19% 9%
school):‡  0 schools 1 school 2 schools 3 schools 4 schools 5 or more schools	1% 33% 29% 18%	1% 33% 25% 18%	0% 33% 32% 18%	<1% 26% 30% 21%	<1% 25% 30% 21%	1% 27% 31% 21%	<1% 26% 33% 19%	<1% 26% 33% 20%	1% 26% 33% 19%
school):‡  0 schools 1 school 2 schools 3 schools 4 schools	1% 33% 29% 18% 9% 8%	1% 33% 25% 18% 11% 9%	0% 33% 32% 18% 7%	<1% 26% 30% 21% 10% 7%	<1% 25% 30% 21% 10%	1% 27% 31% 21% 9%	<1% 26% 33% 19% 9%	<1% 26% 33% 20% 9%	1% 26% 33% 19% 9%
school):‡  0 schools 1 school 2 schools 3 schools 4 schools 5 or more schools  LANGUAGES SPOKEN  Percentage of students indicating that they speak the	1% 33% 29% 18% 9% 8%	1% 33% 25% 18% 11% 9%	0% 33% 32% 18% 7% 7%	<1% 26% 30% 21% 10% 7%	<1% 25% 30% 21% 10% 8%	1% 27% 31% 21% 9% 6%	<1% 26% 33% 19% 9% 7%	<1% 26% 33% 20% 9% 8%	1% 26% 33% 19% 9% 7%
school):‡  0 schools 1 school 2 schools 3 schools 4 schools 5 or more schools  LANGUAGES SPOKEN	1% 33% 29% 18% 9% 8%	1% 33% 25% 18% 11% 9%	0% 33% 32% 18% 7%	<1% 26% 30% 21% 10% 7%	<1% 25% 30% 21% 10%	1% 27% 31% 21% 9%	<1% 26% 33% 19% 9%	<1% 26% 33% 20% 9%	1% 26% 33% 19% 9%
school):‡  0 schools 1 school 2 schools 3 schools 4 schools 5 or more schools  LANGUAGES SPOKEN  Percentage of students indicating that they speak the Only English/Mostly English Another language (or other languages) as often as	1% 33% 29% 18% 9% 8%	1% 33% 25% 18% 11% 9% language 64%	0% 33% 32% 18% 7% 7% s at home	<1% 26% 30% 21% 10% 7%	<1% 25% 30% 21% 10% 8%	1% 27% 31% 21% 9% 6%	<1% 26% 33% 19% 9% 7%	<1% 26% 33% 20% 9% 8%	1% 26% 33% 19% 9% 7%
school):‡  0 schools 1 school 2 schools 3 schools 4 schools 5 or more schools  LANGUAGES SPOKEN  Percentage of students indicating that they speak the Only English/Mostly English Another language (or other languages) as often as English Mostly another language (or other languages)/	1% 33% 29% 18% 9% 8%	1% 33% 25% 18% 11% 9%  language 64% 26% 8%	0% 33% 32% 18% 7% 7% s at home 65% 25%	<1% 26% 30% 21% 10% 7%  \$\delta\$	<1% 25% 30% 21% 10% 8% 59% 26%	1% 27% 31% 21% 9% 6%	<1% 26% 33% 19% 9% 7% 69% 18%	<1% 26% 33% 20% 9% 8% 69% 18%	1% 26% 33% 19% 9% 7% 68% 17%
school):‡  0 schools 1 school 2 schools 3 schools 4 schools 5 or more schools  LANGUAGES SPOKEN  Percentage of students indicating that they speak the Only English/Mostly English Another language (or other languages) as often as English Mostly another language (or other languages)/Only another language (or other languages)	1% 33% 29% 18% 9% 8%	1% 33% 25% 18% 11% 9%  language 64% 26% 8%	0% 33% 32% 18% 7% 7% s at home 65% 25%	<1% 26% 30% 21% 10% 7%  \$\delta\$	<1% 25% 30% 21% 10% 8% 59% 26%	1% 27% 31% 21% 9% 6%	<1% 26% 33% 19% 9% 7% 69% 18%	<1% 26% 33% 20% 9% 8% 69% 18%	1% 26% 33% 19% 9% 7% 68% 17%
school):‡  0 schools 1 school 2 schools 3 schools 4 schools 5 or more schools  LANGUAGES SPOKEN  Percentage of students indicating that they speak the Only English/Mostly English Another language (or other languages) as often as English Mostly another language (or other languages)/Only another language (or other languages) Percentage of students indicating the languages people	1% 33% 29% 18% 9% 8% e following 64% 26% 8% ple speak	1% 33% 25% 18% 11% 9%  language 64% 26% 8%  to them at	0% 33% 32% 18% 7% 7% s at home 65% 25% 8%	<1% 26% 30% 21% 10% 7%  \$\delta\$	<1% 25% 30% 21% 10% 8%  59% 26% 10%	1% 27% 31% 21% 9% 6% 62% 23% 11%	<1% 26% 33% 19% 9% 7% 69% 18% 9%	<1% 26% 33% 20% 9% 8% 69% 18%	1% 26% 33% 19% 9% 7% 68% 17%

<sup>\*</sup> Includes only students for whom gender data were available.

<sup>†</sup> Other response options were "never", "1 or 2 times a month" and "1 to 3 times a week".

<sup>‡</sup> Percentages may not add up to 100, due to rounding or to missing responses.

		School		Board Province					
STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL, BOARD AND PROVINCE (all students, female, male)	All Students (# = 195)	Female* (# = 99)	Male* (# = 96)	All Students (# = 5 168)	Female* (# = 2 646)	Male* (# = 2 522)	All Students (# = 91 396)	Female* (# = 47 009)	Male* (# = 44 386)
USE OF THE ASSESSMENT IN CLASS M	ARKS								
Percentage of students indicating their teacher will c mark:†	ount some	or all part	ts of the G	rade 9 Ass	sessment	of Mathem	natics as p	art of the	ir class
Yes	70%	79%	61%	65%	69%	61%	68%	71%	64%
No	0%	0%	0%	<1%	<1%	<1%	1%	1%	1%
Don't know	27%	19%	35%	30%	26%	34%	27%	24%	30%
Percentage of students indicating they were told how	All Students (#=137)	Female* (#=78)	Wale* (#=59)	All Students (#=3 345)	Female* (#=1 819)	Male* (#=1 526)	All Students abd s (#=62 124)	Female* (#=33 563)	Male* (#=28 560)
Yes	96%	95%	97%	93%	94%	93%	95%	95%	95%
No	4%	5%	3%	6%	6%	7%	5%	5%	5%
Percentage of students indicating that counting the Grade 9 Assessment of Mathematics as part of their class mark motivates them to take the assessment more seriously:†‡									
	All Students (#=137)	Female* (#=78)	Male* (#=59)	All Students (#=3 345)	Female* (#=1 819)	Male* (#=1 526)	All Students (#=62 124)	Female* (#=33 563)	Male* (#=28 560)
Yes	82%	86%	78%	85%	88%	82%	79%	81%	77%
No	11%	8%	15%	6%	4%	9%	9%	7%	12%
Undecided	7%	6%	7%	8%	8%	9%	11%	12%	11%

<sup>\*</sup> Includes only students for whom gender data were available.

<sup>†</sup> Percentages may not add up to 100, due to rounding or to missing responses.

<sup>‡</sup> Numbers and percentages are based on the number of students who indicated that their teacher will count some or all parts of the assessment as part of their class mark.

	EXPLANATION OF TERMS
All Students	Results are reported for all students in the course.
Participating Students	Results are reported only for those students who took part in the assessment (excludes the "no data" category).
Provincial Standard	The Ministry of Education, in <i>The Ontario Curriculum, Grades 9 and 10: Mathematics</i> , has set Level 3 as the provincial standard.
Level 4 (80–100%)	The student has demonstrated a very high to outstanding level of achievement. Achievement is <i>above</i> the provincial standard.
Level 3 (70–79%)	The student has demonstrated a high level of achievement. Achievement is <i>at</i> the provincial standard.
Level 2 (60–69%)	The student has demonstrated some of the required knowledge and skills. Achievement is <i>below, but approaching</i> , the provincial standard.
Level 1 (50–59%)	The student has demonstrated a passable level of achievement. Achievement is <i>below</i> the provincial standard.
Below Level 1/ Below L1	The student has not demonstrated sufficient achievement of curriculum expectations (below 50%).
No Data	Students who did not have a result due to absence or other reasons.
English Language Learners	Students who have been identified by the school in accordance with <i>English Language Learners: ESL and ELD Programs and Services: Policies and Procedures for Ontario Elementary and Secondary Schools, Kindergarten to Grade 12</i> (2007).
Students Receiving Special Provisions	Students identified by the school as receiving special provisions. Detailed information about special provisions is available in EQAO's <i>Administration and Accommodation Guide</i> .
Students with Special Education Needs (excluding gifted)	Students who have been formally identified by an Identification, Placement and Review Committee, as well as students who have an Individual Education Plan. Students whose sole identified exceptionality is giftedness are not included.
Students Receiving One or More Accommodations	Students identified by the school as receiving accommodations. Detailed information about special accommodations is available in EQAO's <i>Administration and Accommodation Guide</i> .
N/R	"Not reported" indicates that the number of students participating (fewer than 10 in a group) or responding to the Student Questionnaire (fewer than six in a group) is so small that identification of individual student results might be possible; therefore, results are not reported.
N/D	"No data available" is used to indicate that there were no students in the course for the years specified.
W	Results are being withheld by EQAO. For further information, please contact the school principal.
EC	Due to exceptional circumstances in 2015, provincial data are unavailable to report provincial results.
NP	Non-participating indicates that due to exceptional circumstances, some or all of the school's or board's students did not participate.