

East Feliciana Parish Dropout Profile



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- Low Commitment to School
- No Extracurricular Participation

Family Background Characteristics

- Low Socioeconomic Status (page 11)
- High Family Mobility
- Low Education Level of Parents
- Large Number of Siblings
- Not Living with Both Natural Parents
- Family Disruption

Family Engagement/Commitment to Education

- Low Education Expectation (page 10)
- Sibling Has Dropped Out
- Low Contact with School
- Lack of Conversation About School

Social Attitudes, Values and Behaviors

- High-Risk Peer Group
- High-Risk Social Behavior
- Highly Active Outside of School

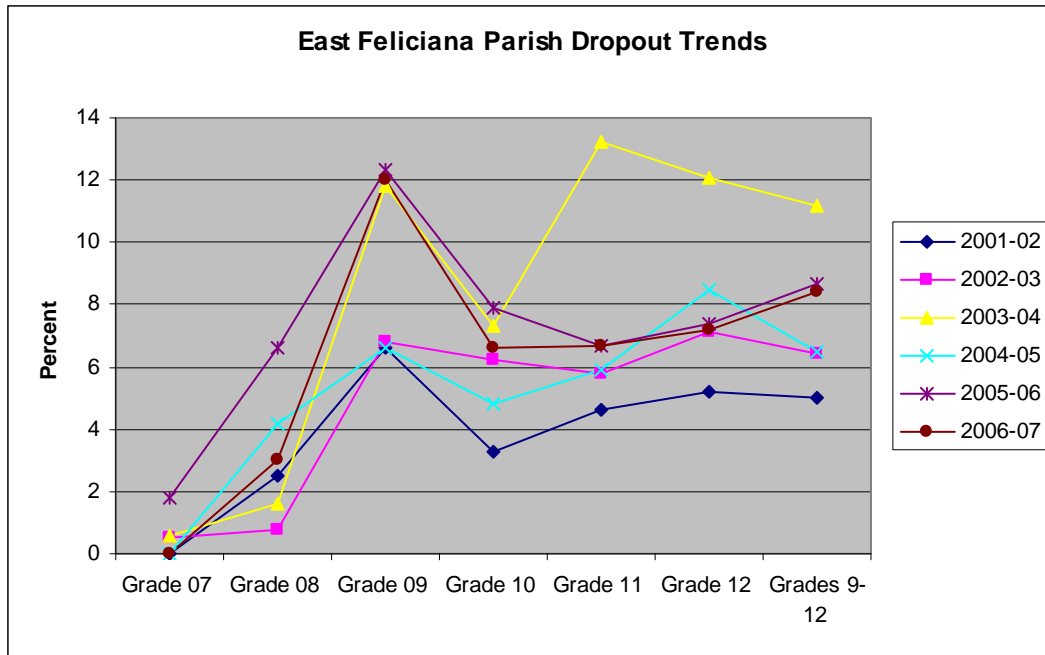
Individual Background Characteristics

- Has a Learning Disability or Emotional Disturbance

Risk Factors were adapted from the National Dropout Prevention Center

East Feliciana Parish Dropout Trends (Percentages)

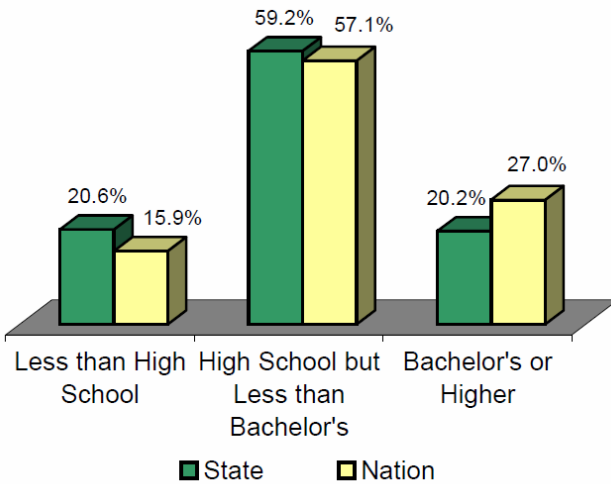
Year	Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12	Grades 9-12
2001-02	0	2.5	6.6	3.3	4.6	5.2	5
2002-03	0.5	0.8	6.8	6.2	5.8	7.1	6.4
2003-04	0.6	1.6	11.8	7.3	13.2	12.1	11.2
2004-05	0	4.2	6.6	4.8	5.9	8.5	6.5
2005-06	1.8	6.6	12.3	7.9	6.7	7.4	8.7
2006-07	0	3	12	6.6	6.7	7.2	8.4



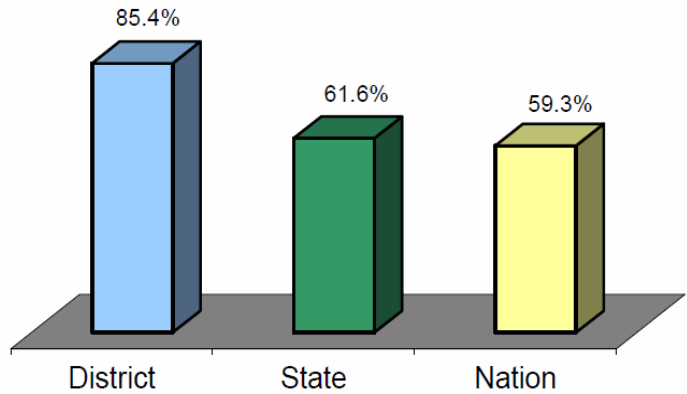
Louisiana Dropout Trends (Percentages)

	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
Grade 7	1.5	1.7	1.4	1.5	2.6	1.6
Grade 8	3.3	3.6	3.4	3.3	4.2	4.2
Grade 9	6.3	7.6	7.7	7.6	7.8	7.8
Grade 10	6.8	6.5	6.6	6.2	6.2	6.2
Grade 11	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.4
Grade 12	7.0	7.5	9.0	7.6	7.1	7.1
Louisiana State Total (All Grades)	6.6	7.0	7.4	7.0	6.9	6.9

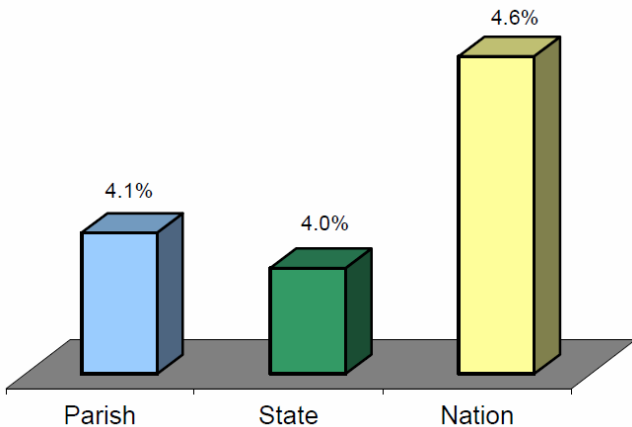
Educational Attainment at State and National Levels



Student Participation in the Federal Free or Reduced Price Lunch Program

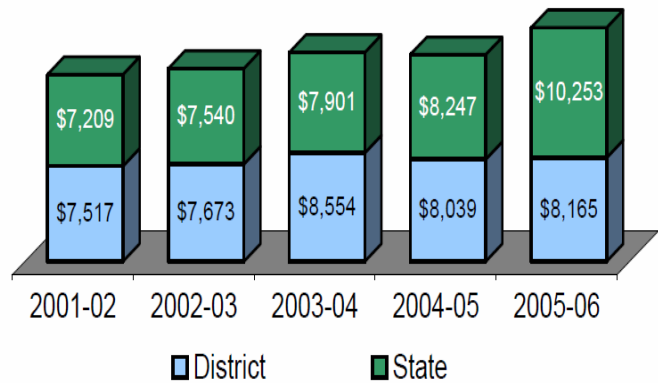


Unemployment Rate



Revenues Per Pupil

(Elementary/Secondary Enrollment)

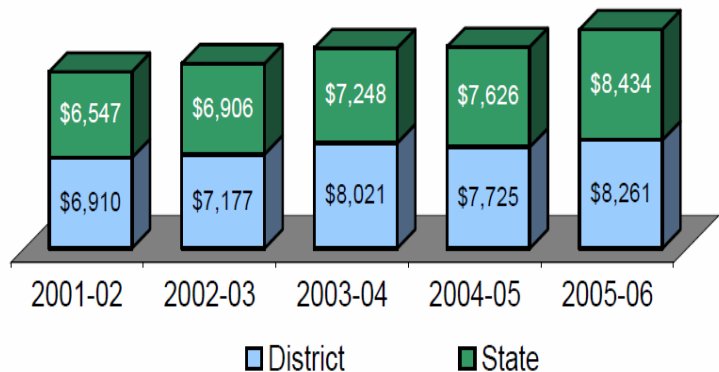


Income and Poverty

	Parish	State	Nation
Median Household Income	\$31,995	\$35,216	\$44,334
Persons Below Poverty	19.3%	19.2%	12.7%
Children Below Poverty	28.7%	27.8%	18.3%

Expenditures Per Pupil

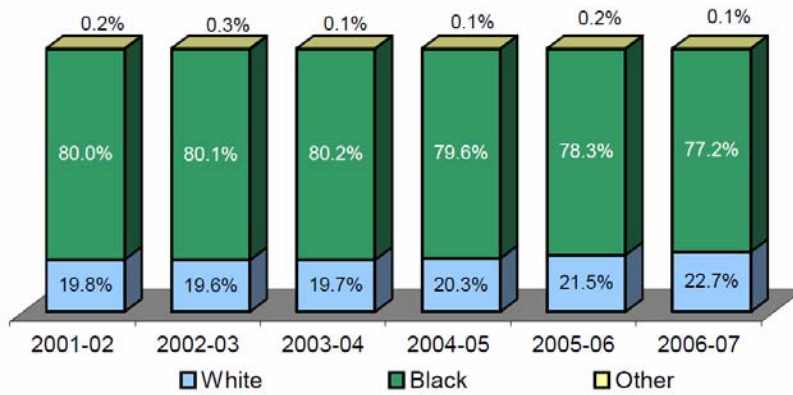
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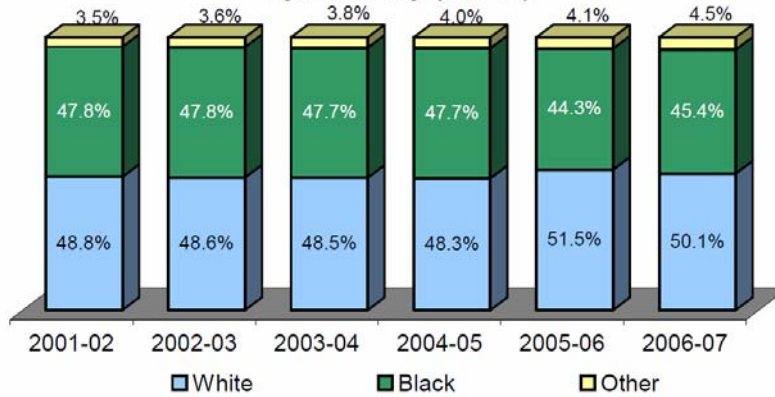
Teenage Birth and Single Motherhood

	Parish	State	Nation
Teenage Birth Rate	19.2%	14.4%	10.0%
Female Householders	11.4%	16.1%	12.5%

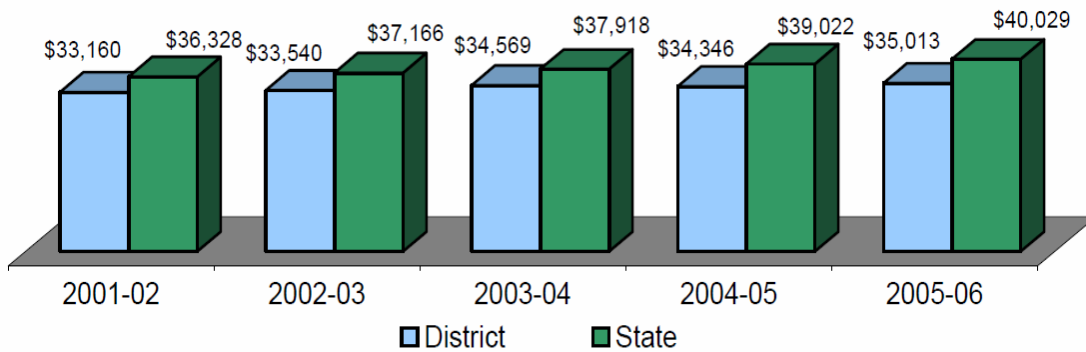
District's Public Student Population by Ethnicity (PK-12)



State's Public Student Population by Ethnicity (PK-12)



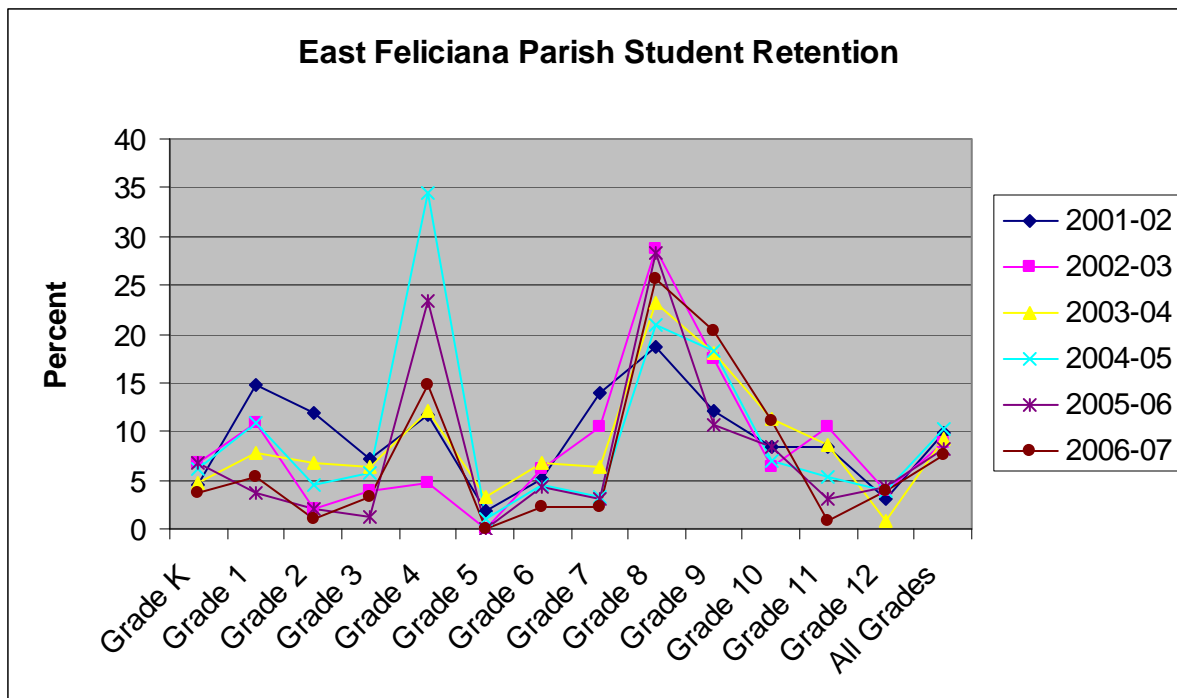
Average Classroom Teacher Salary



Risk Factors: Student Retention

East Feliciana Parish Student Retention

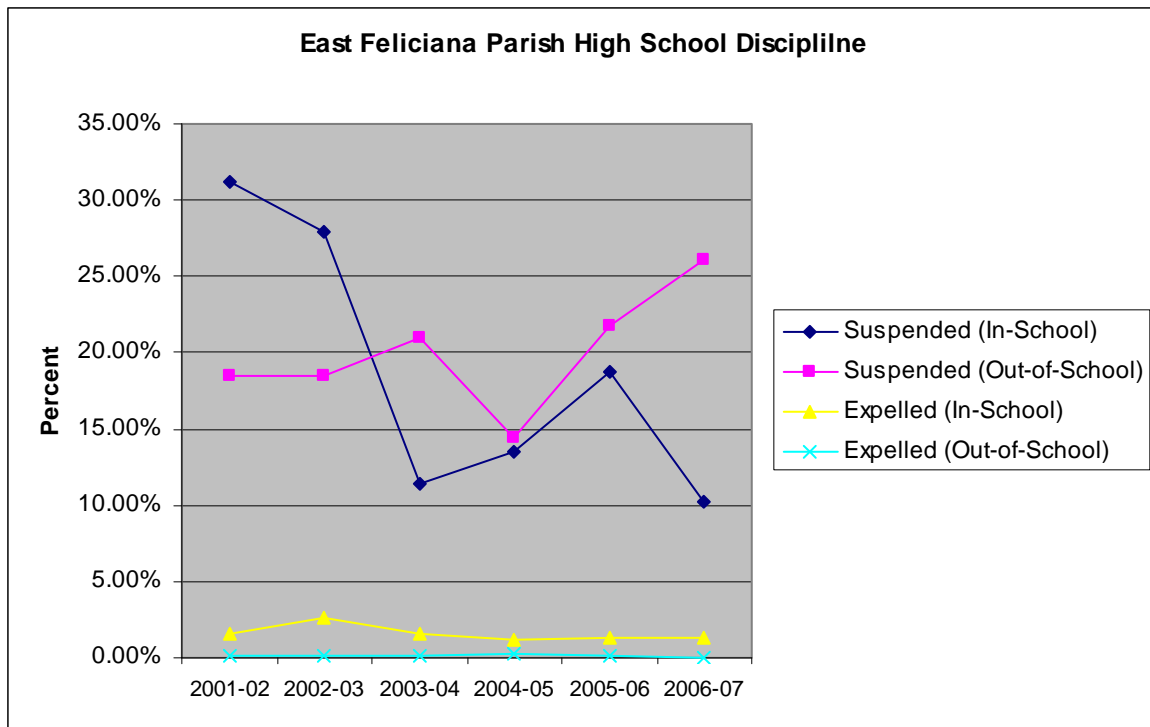
	2001-02		2002-03		2003-04		2004-05		2005-06		2006-07	
	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#
Grade K	4.5	8	6.8	11	4.8	10	6.2	11	6.8	14	3.7	8
Grade 1	14.8	30	10.8	22	7.8	12	10.8	21	3.6	7	5.3	10
Grade 2	11.9	27	2	4	6.8	12	4.6	7	2.1	4	1.1	2
Grade 3	7.2	15	3.9	8	6.4	12	5.7	10	1.3	2	3.3	6
Grade 4	11.7	25	4.7	10	12.2	24	34.4	62	23.4	51	14.7	29
Grade 5	1.8	3	0	0	3.3	6	1.1	2	0	0	0	0
Grade 6	5.2	10	6.1	11	6.7	11	4.6	8	4.4	8	2.3	3
Grade 7	14	31	10.5	23	6.3	12	3.2	5	3	5	2.2	4
Grade 8	18.6	43	28.7	60	23.1	54	21	46	28.3	49	25.7	52
Grade 9	12.2	18	17.4	32	18.1	27	18.2	29	10.6	20	20.3	28
Grade 10	8.4	15	6.4	10	11.2	19	7	10	8.4	12	11	18
Grade 11	8.4	13	10.4	16	8.6	13	5.3	8	3	4	0.8	1
Grade 12	3	4	3.8	6	0.8	1	3.8	5	4.3	6	3.8	5
All	9.8	242	8.8	213	9.3	213	10.2	224	8.3	182	7.5	166



Risk Factor: Student Discipline

East Feliciana Parish—High School **Discipline**

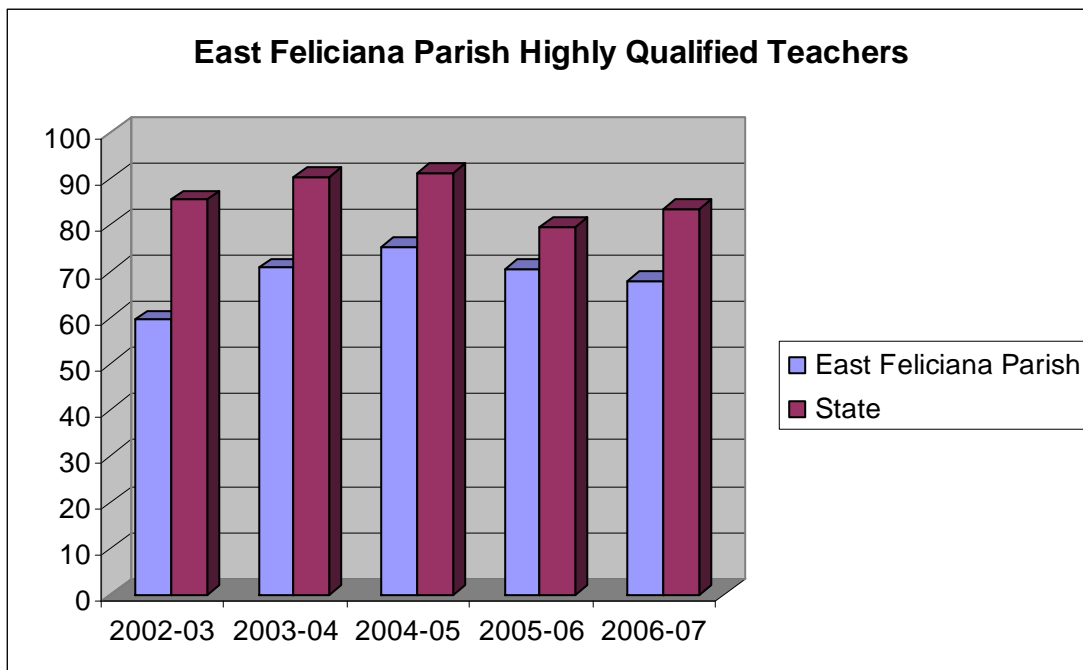
School Year	Suspension (In-School)		Suspension (Out-of-School)		Expulsion (In-School)		Expulsion (Out-of-School)	
	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#
2002-03	27.91	199	18.51	132	2.66	19	0.14	1
2003-04	11.43	80	21.00	147	1.57	11	0.14	1
2004-05	13.55	95	14.41	101	1.14	8	0.29	2
2005-06	18.68	136	21.70	158	1.37	10	0.14	1
2006-07	10.28	63	26.10	160	1.31	8	0	



Teacher Quality

Highly Qualified Teachers (Percentages)

	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
East Feliciana Parish Core Classes Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers	59.5	70.8	75.4	70.5	68.1
Louisiana Core Classes Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers	85.6	90.5	91.4	79.6	83.5



Risk Factor: Student Engagement and Family Background

East Feliciana Parish Dropout Reasons

	Count	Percent
No Reason Given	29	56.9
Academic Difficulty	4	7.8
Behavioral Difficulty	1	2.0
Dislike of School Experience	6	11.8
Employment	6	11.8
Entered Criminal Justice System	0	0
Failed Required Test	1	2.0
Military	0	0
Needed at Home	0	0
Parent/Guardian Influence	0	0
Pregnancy	1	2.0
Reason Unknown	3	5.9
Total	51	100

East Feliciana Dropout Truancy

	Frequency	Percent
Non-Truant	27	52.9
Truant	24	47.1
Total	51	100
Louisiana Truant-Dropout Total	5,890	36.0

East Feliciana Parish Dropout: Options Program Participation

	Count	Percent
Non-Options Participant	35	68.6
Option 3 (GED Program)	16	31.4
Total	51	100
Louisiana Dropout Option 3 Participants	1,924	11.7

East Feliciana Dropout Homelessness

	East Feliciana Counts	East Feliciana Percents	Louisiana Dropout Counts	Louisiana Dropout Percents
Non-Homeless	49	96.1	15,834	96.6
Hotels/Motels	0	0	8	.0
Shelters	0	0	28	.2
Sharing Housing with Others	2	3.9	412	2.5
Unsheltered/FEMA	0	0	55	.3
Total	51	100	16,383	100

Risk Factor: Family Characteristics

East Feliciana Parish Dropouts by **Gender**

	Count	Percent
Female	15	29.4
Male	36	70.6
Total	51	100

Louisiana Dropouts by **Gender**

	Count	Percent
Female	6,686	40.8
Male	9,697	59.2
Total	16,383	100

East Feliciana Parish Dropout **Poverty**

	Count	Percent
Paid Lunch	12	23.5
Free Lunch	39	76.5
Reduced Lunch	0	0
Total	51	100

Louisiana Dropout **Poverty**

	Count	Percent
Paid Lunch	6,883	42.0
Free Lunch	8,954	54.7
Reduced Lunch	546	3.3
Total	16,383	100

East Feliciana Parish Dropouts by **Ethnicity**

	Count	Percent
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	0	0
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0
African American	42	82.4
Hispanic	0	0
Caucasian	9	17.6
Total	51	100

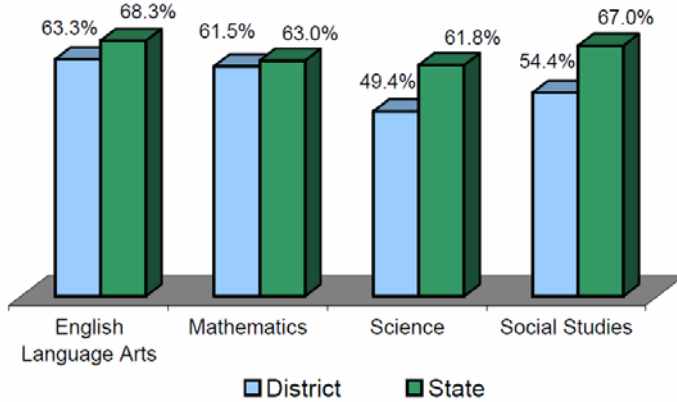
Louisiana Dropouts by **Ethnicity**

	Count	Percent
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	120	.7
Asian/Pacific Islander	164	1.0
African American	10,439	63.7
Hispanic	452	2.8
Caucasian	5,208	31.8
Total	16,383	100

Risk Factors: School Performance

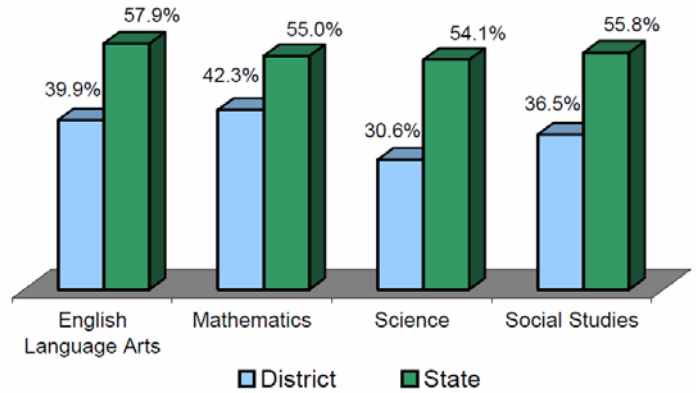
Grade 4 LEAP Test Results

Percent Scoring at Basic & Above
(2006-2007)



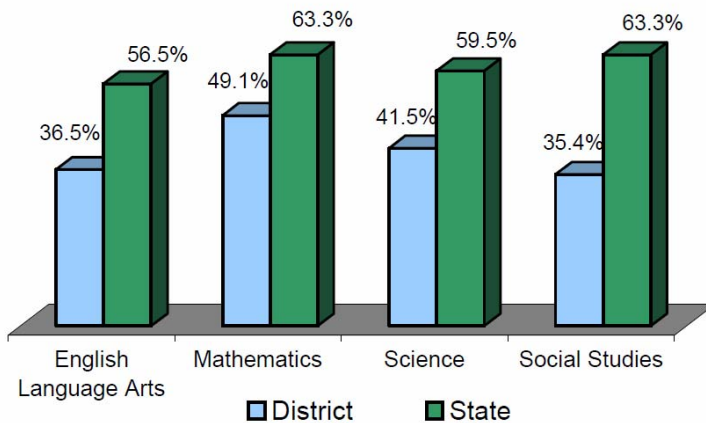
Grade 8 LEAP Test Results

Percent Scoring at Basic & Above
(2006-2007)



GEE Test Results

Percent Scoring at Basic & Above
(2006-2007)



District Indicator Results *Student Achievement*

Grade 4 LEAP Test Results													
		2001-02		2002-03		2003-04		2004-05		2005-06		2006-07	
		Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number
District													
English Language Arts													
Advanced	1.4	3	0.5	1	3.2	6	0.0	0	2.1	4	3.9	7	
Mastery*	6.9	15	8.7	18	12.4	23	10.8	25	10.7	20	16.5	30	
Basic	35.9	78	43.7	90	30.3	56	40.7	94	41.2	77	42.9	78	
Approaching Basic	37.3	81	30.6	63	26.5	49	27.3	63	26.7	50	24.7	45	
Unsatisfactory	18.4	40	16.5	34	27.6	51	21.2	49	19.3	36	12.1	22	
Mathematics													
Advanced	0.9	2	1.9	4	3.2	6	1.7	4	4.8	9	7.1	13	
Mastery*	6.9	15	10.7	22	8.6	16	9.9	23	15.0	28	14.3	26	
Basic	36.4	79	44.7	92	26.5	49	41.4	96	33.7	63	40.1	73	
Approaching Basic	30.9	67	23.8	49	28.6	53	26.3	61	25.1	47	19.8	36	
Unsatisfactory	24.9	54	18.9	39	33.0	61	20.7	48	21.4	40	18.7	34	
Science													
Advanced	0.5	1	0.5	1	1.1	2	0.9	2	3.2	6	0.5	1	
Mastery*	4.6	10	5.8	12	10.8	20	7.4	17	5.9	11	7.7	14	
Basic	32.7	71	33.5	69	32.4	60	37.8	87	35.3	66	41.2	75	
Approaching Basic	42.9	93	45.6	94	35.7	66	40.0	92	36.9	69	35.7	65	
Unsatisfactory	19.4	42	14.6	30	20.0	37	13.9	32	18.7	35	14.8	27	
Social Studies													
Advanced	0.5	1	1.5	3	1.1	2	0.4	1	3.2	6	1.1	2	
Mastery*	1.8	4	6.8	14	10.3	19	4.0	9	7.0	13	9.9	18	
Basic	34.6	75	38.8	80	35.7	66	33.0	75	41.4	77	43.4	79	
Approaching Basic	35.0	76	32.0	66	21.1	39	34.8	79	24.7	46	24.2	44	
Unsatisfactory	28.1	61	20.9	43	31.9	59	27.8	63	23.7	44	21.4	39	

District Indicator Results *Student Achievement*

Grade 8 LEAP Test Results													
		2001-02		2002-03		2003-04		2004-05		2005-06		2006-07	
		Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number
District													
English Language Arts													
Advanced	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	1.2	2	0.0	0	0
Mastery*	4.5	8	2.1	4	5.8	11	3.2	5	3.0	5	6.4	11	11
Basic	14.1	25	22.8	44	27.2	52	19.6	31	34.3	58	33.5	58	58
Approaching Basic	54.2	96	52.3	101	44.5	85	40.5	64	44.4	75	48.6	84	84
Unsatisfactory	27.1	48	22.8	44	22.5	43	36.7	58	17.2	29	11.6	20	20
Mathematics													
Advanced	0.6	1	0.5	1	0.5	1	0.6	1	0.6	1	0.6	1	1
Mastery*	0.6	1	3.6	7	3.1	6	1.9	3	0.6	1	1.2	2	2
Basic	23.9	42	36.3	70	47.6	91	34.2	54	42.0	71	40.5	70	70
Approaching Basic	30.7	54	28.5	55	25.7	49	31.0	49	25.4	43	35.3	61	61
Unsatisfactory	44.3	78	31.1	60	23.0	44	32.3	51	31.4	53	22.5	39	39
Science													
Advanced	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0
Mastery*	1.1	2	2.1	4	5.8	11	5.1	8	5.1	8	4.6	8	8
Basic	10.2	18	24.4	47	33.2	63	35.4	56	24.8	39	26.0	45	45
Approaching Basic	35.2	62	37.8	73	31.1	59	34.2	54	49.7	78	38.7	67	67
Unsatisfactory	53.4	94	35.8	69	30.0	57	25.3	40	20.4	32	30.6	53	53
Social Studies													
Advanced	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.6	1	0.6	1	1
Mastery*	0.0	0	0.5	1	1.1	2	1.3	2	1.3	2	1.2	2	2
Basic	11.4	20	23.3	45	25.3	48	25.9	41	31.4	49	34.7	60	60
Approaching Basic	31.3	55	36.8	71	31.6	60	36.1	57	36.5	57	37.6	65	65
Unsatisfactory	57.4	101	39.4	76	42.1	80	36.7	58	30.1	47	26.0	45	45

District Indicator Results

Student Achievement

		Graduation Exit Examination (GEE) Results											
		2001-02		2002-03		2003-04		2004-05		2005-06		2006-07	
		Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number
District													
	English Language Arts												
	Advanced	0.6	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.7	1	0.0	0	0.0	0
	Mastery*	5.1	8	1.2	2	4.6	7	7.8	11	4.5	7	5.1	6
	Basic	28.8	45	17.6	29	29.4	45	37.6	53	52.2	82	31.4	37
	Approaching Basic	33.3	52	38.8	64	28.8	44	36.9	52	28.0	44	41.5	49
	Unsatisfactory	32.1	50	42.4	70	37.3	57	17.0	24	15.3	24	22.0	26
	Mathematics												
	Advanced	1.3	2	0.6	1	1.3	2	2.1	3	0.6	1	0.8	1
	Mastery*	5.1	8	4.8	8	5.2	8	9.2	13	9.0	14	6.8	8
	Basic	27.6	43	28.7	48	35.3	54	47.5	67	49.4	77	41.5	49
	Approaching Basic	22.4	35	22.2	37	22.9	35	13.5	19	24.4	38	26.3	31
	Unsatisfactory	43.6	68	43.7	73	35.3	54	27.7	39	16.7	26	24.6	29
	Science												
	Advanced	0.6	1	0.0	0	0.7	1	2.3	3	0.0	0	1.5	2
	Mastery*	1.7	3	2.0	3	5.8	8	1.6	2	1.6	2	4.6	6
	Basic	11.9	21	17.3	26	24.8	34	16.3	21	26.2	32	35.4	46
	Approaching Basic	20.5	36	38.7	58	33.6	46	33.3	43	45.9	56	35.4	46
	Unsatisfactory	65.3	115	42.0	63	35.0	48	46.5	60	26.2	32	23.1	30
	Social Studies												
	Advanced	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.7	1	0.8	1	0.0	0	0.0	0
	Mastery*	0.6	1	2.0	3	4.4	6	3.1	4	0.0	0	2.3	3
	Basic	15.3	27	33.3	50	30.7	42	20.5	26	35.2	43	33.1	43
	Approaching Basic	23.3	41	30.7	46	35.0	48	31.5	40	41.0	50	39.2	51
	Unsatisfactory	60.8	107	34.0	51	29.2	40	44.1	56	23.8	29	25.4	33