

Winn Parish Dropout Profile



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- Low Commitment to School
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- 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

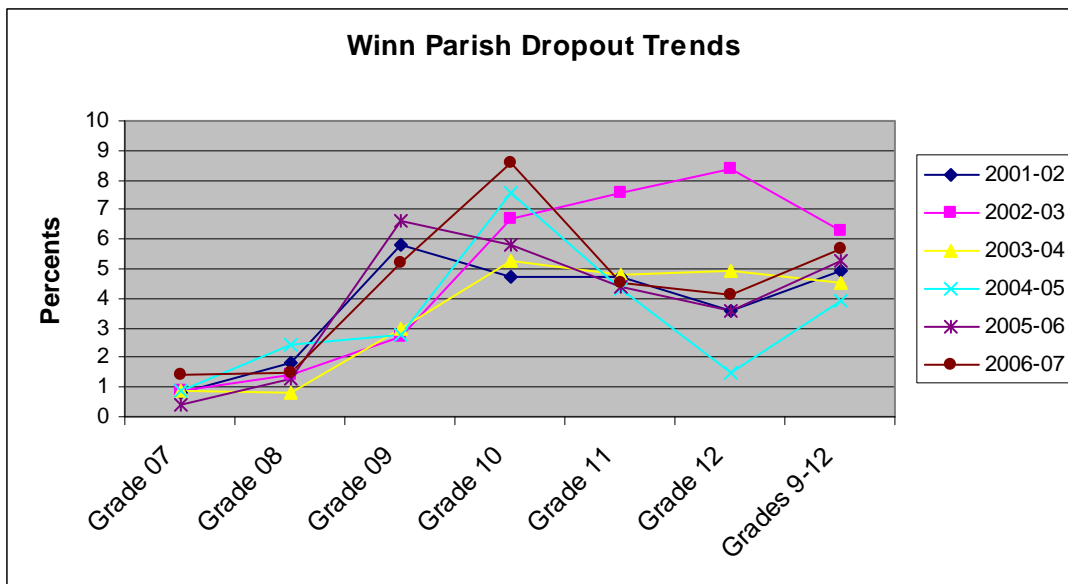
- High-Risk Peer Group
- High-Risk Social Behavior
- Highly Active Outside of School

Individual Background Characteristics

- Has a Learning Disability or Emotional Disturbance

Winn Parish Dropout Trends (Percentages)

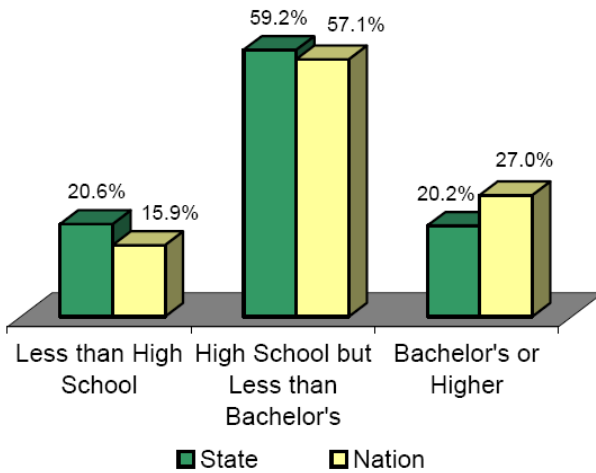
Year	Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12	Grades 9-12
2001-02	0.8	1.8	5.8	4.7	4.7	3.6	4.9
2002-03	0.9	1.4	2.7	6.7	7.6	8.4	6.3
2003-04	0.9	0.8	3	5.3	4.8	4.9	4.5
2004-05	0.9	2.4	2.8	7.6	4.3	1.5	3.9
2005-06	0.4	1.3	6.6	5.8	4.4	3.6	5.3
2006-07	1.4	1.5	5.2	8.6	4.5	4.1	5.7



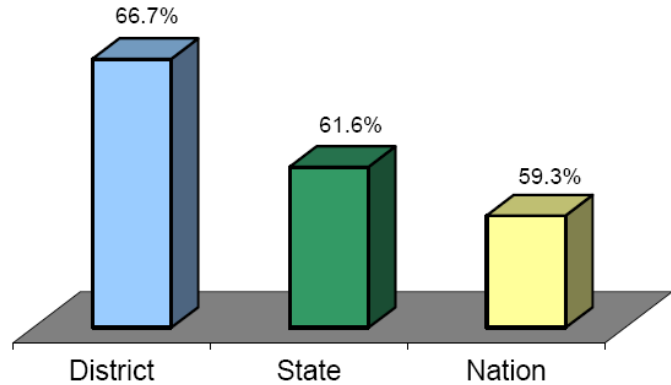
Louisiana Dropout Trends (Percentages)

	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

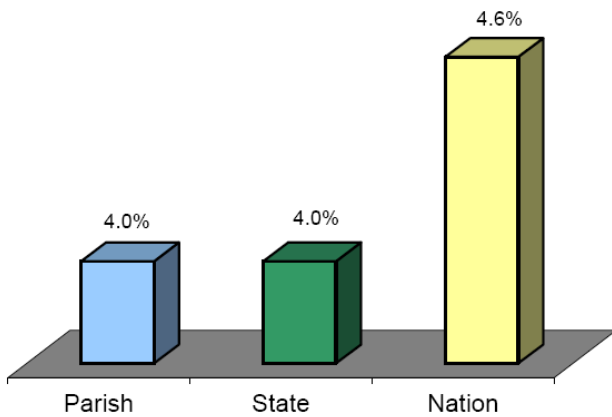
Educational Attainment at State and National Levels



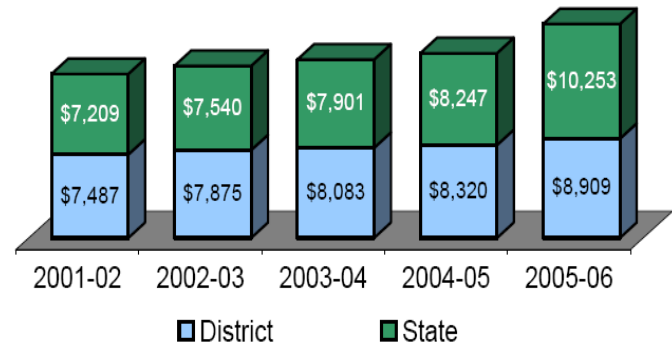
Student Participation in the Federal Free or Reduced Price Lunch Program



Unemployment Rate



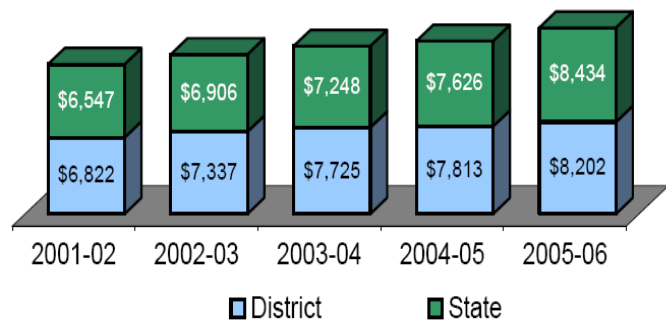
Revenues Per Pupil (Elementary/Secondary Enrollment)



Income and Poverty

	Parish	State	Nation
Median Household Income	\$27,738	\$35,216	\$44,334
Persons Below Poverty	22.8%	19.2%	12.7%
Children Below Poverty	28.4%	27.8%	18.3%

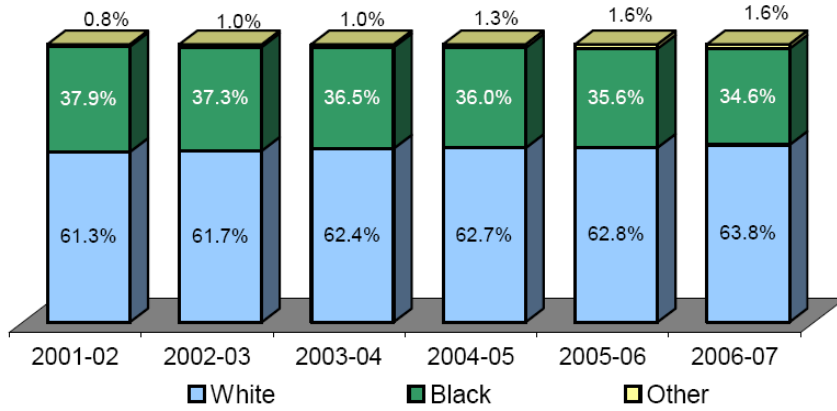
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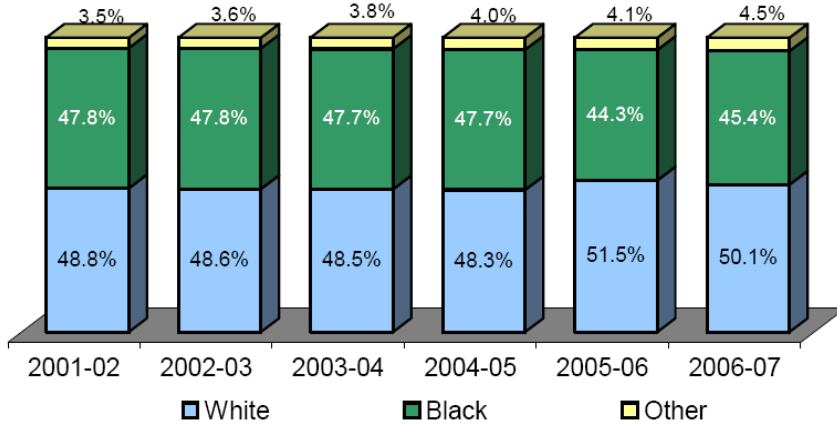
Teenage Birth and Single Motherhood

	Parish	State	Nation
Teenage Birth Rate	14.3%	14.4%	10.0%
Female Householders	10.0%	16.1%	12.5%

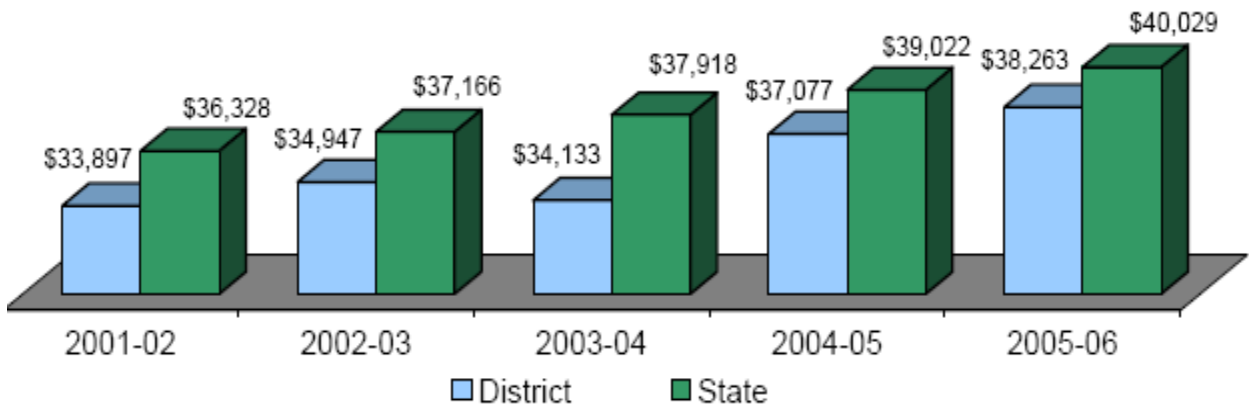
District's Public Student Population by Ethnicity (PK-12)



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



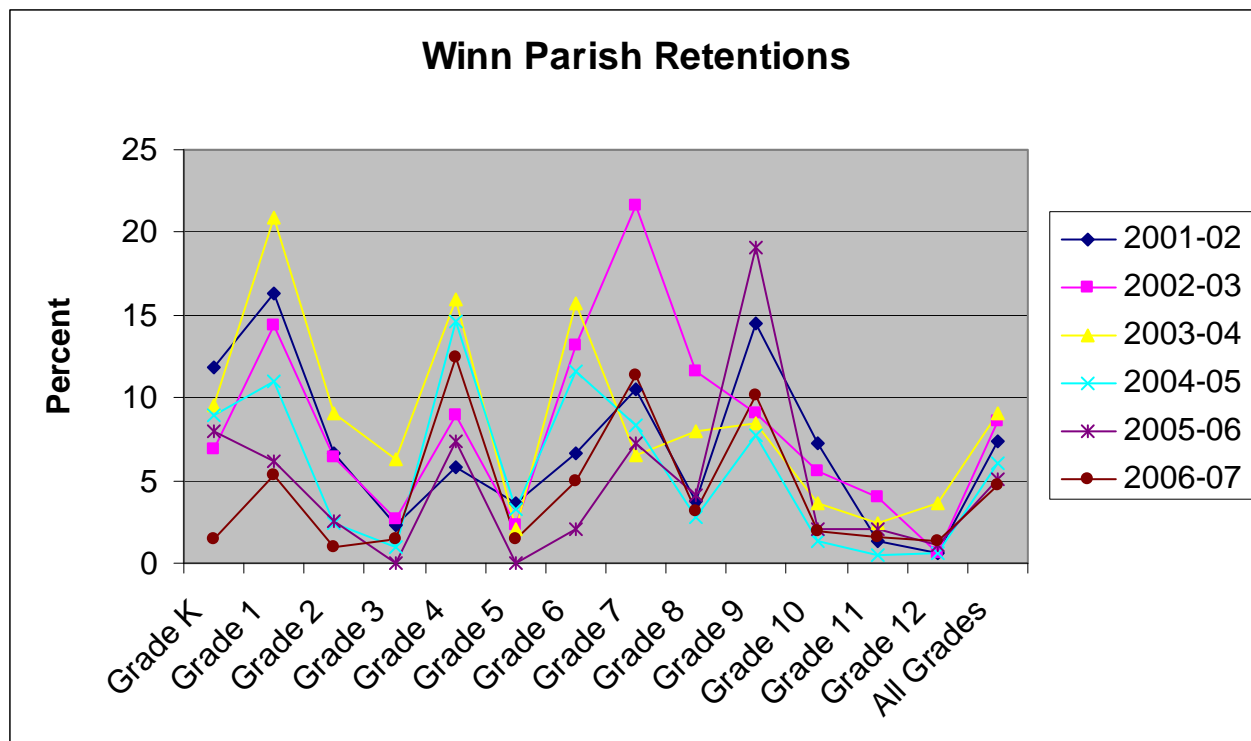
Average Classroom Teacher Salary



Risk Factor: Student Retention

Winn Parish Student Retention

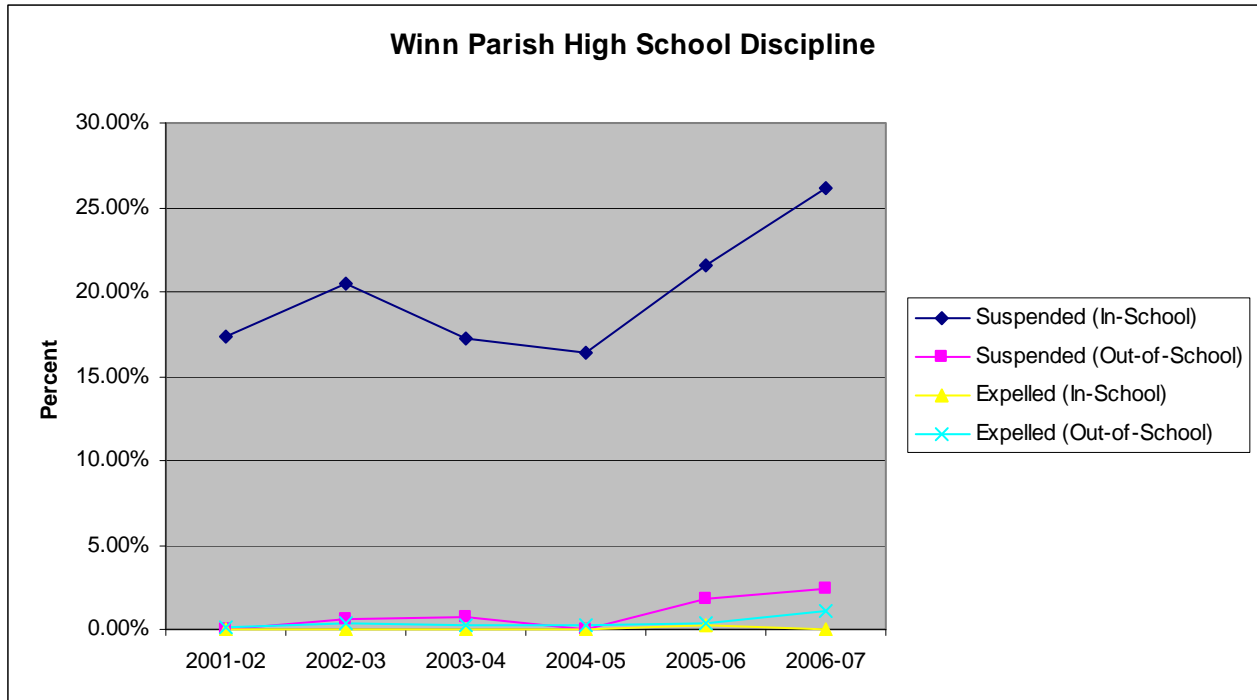
	2001-02		2002-03		2003-04		2004-05		2005-06		2006-07	
	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#
Grade K	11.8	27	6.9	16	9.6	20	8.9	19	8	21	1.4	3
Grade 1	16.3	40	14.4	34	20.9	50	11	25	6.2	13	5.3	13
Grade 2	6.6	13	6.4	14	9	18	2.4	5	2.5	5	1	2
Grade 3	2.3	5	2.6	5	6.3	13	1	2	0	0	1.5	3
Grade 4	5.8	13	8.9	20	15.9	33	14.6	32	7.4	17	12.4	27
Grade 5	3.6	7	2.3	5	2	4	3.3	6	0	0	1.5	3
Grade 6	6.6	14	13.2	28	15.7	36	11.6	25	2	4	5	9
Grade 7	10.5	22	21.6	48	6.5	14	8.3	17	7.2	15	11.4	25
Grade 8	3.7	9	11.6	23	8	15	2.8	6	4.1	8	3.1	6
Grade 9	14.5	32	9.1	24	8.4	16	7.7	14	19.1	42	10.1	22
Grade 10	7.2	15	5.6	10	3.6	7	1.3	2	2.1	3	1.9	3
Grade 11	1.3	2	4	7	2.4	4	0.5	1	2	3	1.6	2
Grade 12	0.6	1	0.6	1	3.6	6	0.6	1	1.1	2	1.3	2
All	7.4	200	8.6	235	9	236	6	155	5.1	133	4.7	120



Risk Factor: Student Discipline

Winn Parish- High School Discipline

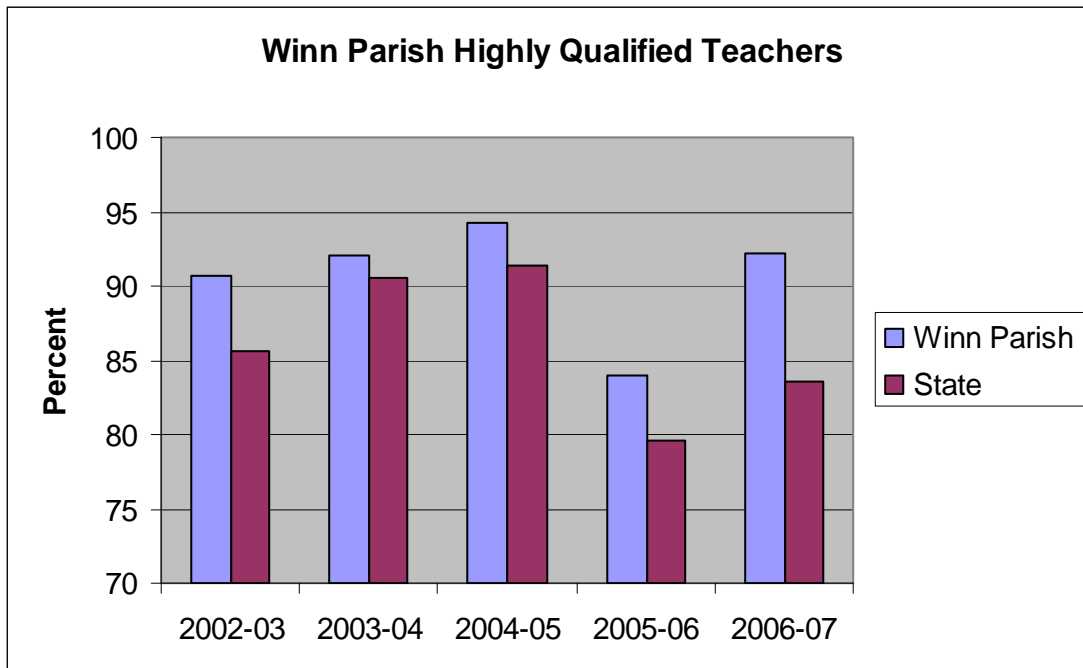
School Year	Suspension In-School		Suspension Out-of-School		Expulsion In-School		Expulsion Out-of-School	
	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#
2002-03	20.49%	109	0.56%	3	0.00%		0.38%	2
2003-04	17.19%	88	0.78%	4	0.00%		0.20%	1
2004-05	16.33%	81	0.00%		0.00%		0.20%	1
2005-06	21.54%	106	1.83%	9	0.20%	1	0.41%	2
2006-07	26.20%	120	2.40%	11	0.00%		1.09%	5



Teacher Quality

Highly Qualified Teachers (Percentages)

	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
Winn Parish Core Classes Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers	90.7	92.1	94.2	84	92.2
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

Winn Parish Dropout Reasons

	Count	Percent
No Reason Given	29	80.6
Academic Difficulty	0	0
Behavioral Difficulty	0	0
Dislike of School Experience	3	8.3
Employment	0	0
Entered Criminal Justice System	0	0
Failed Required Test	0	0
Military	1	2.8
Health Problems	1	2.8
Parent/Guardian Influence	0	0
Pregnancy	0	0
Reason Unknown	2	5.6
Total	36	100

Winn Dropout Truancy

	Frequency	Percent
Non-Truant	16	44.4
Truant	20	55.6
Total	36	100
Louisiana Truant-Dropout Total	5,890	36.0

Winn Parish Dropout: Options Program Participation

	Count	Percent
Non-Options Participant	23	63.9
Option 3 (GED Program)	13	36.1
Total	36	100
Louisiana Dropout Option 3 Participants	1,924	11.7

Winn Dropout Homelessness

	Winn Counts	Winn Percent	Louisiana Dropout Counts	Louisiana Dropout Percents
Non-Homeless	39	100	15,834	96.6
Hotels/Motels	0	0	8	.0
Shelters	0	0	28	.2
Sharing Housing with Others	0	0	412	2.5
Unsheltered/FEMA	0	0	55	.3
Total	36	100	16,383	100

Risk Factor: Family Characteristics

Winn Parish Dropouts by **Gender**

	Count	Percent
Female	12	33.3
Male	24	66.7
Total	36	100

Louisiana Dropouts by **Gender**

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

Winn Parish Dropout **Poverty**

	Count	Percent
Paid Lunch	11	30.6
Free Lunch	25	69.4
Reduced Lunch	0	0
Total	36	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

Winn Parish Dropouts by **Ethnicity**

	Count	Percent
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	0	0
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0
African American	21	58.3
Hispanic	0	0
Caucasian	15	41.7
Total	36	100

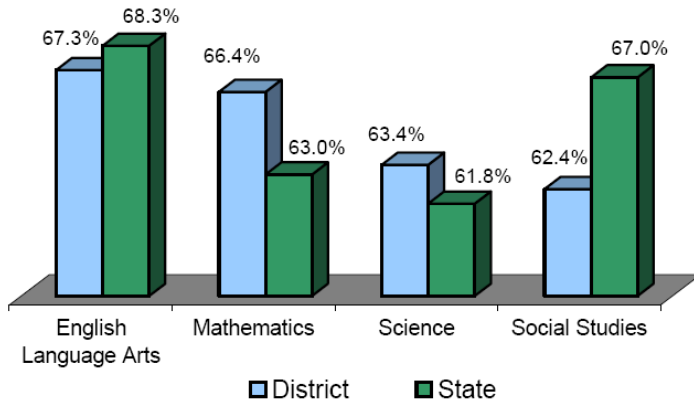
Louisiana Dropouts by **Ethnicity**

	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 Factor: School Performance

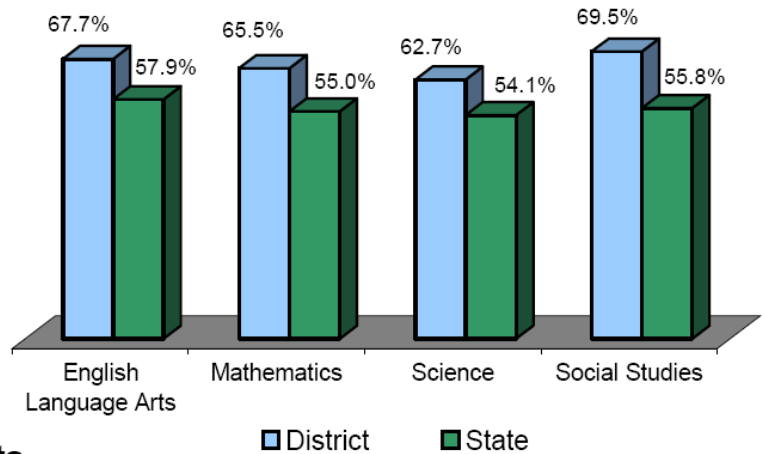
Grade 4 LEAP Test Results

Percent Scoring at Basic & Above
(2006-2007)



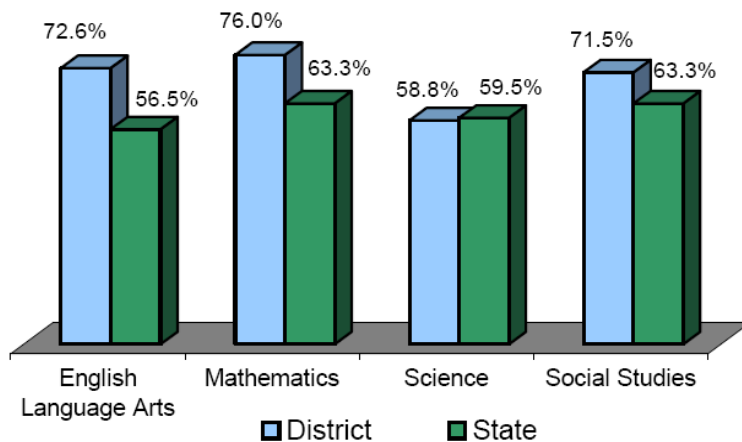
Grade 8 LEAP Test Results

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	1.3	3	1.9	4	3.1	7	0.4	1	3.6	8	3.0	6
	Mastery*	15.0	34	12.6	27	22.4	51	17.6	41	16.3	36	19.3	39
	Basic	35.2	80	40.0	86	37.3	85	48.9	114	48.9	108	45.0	91
	Approaching Basic	30.8	70	23.3	50	17.5	40	21.0	49	18.1	40	21.3	43
	Unsatisfactory	17.6	40	22.3	48	19.7	45	12.0	28	13.1	29	11.4	23
Mathematics													
	Advanced	0.4	1	2.3	5	0.4	1	0.4	1	4.1	9	4.5	9
	Mastery*	8.8	20	13.6	29	14.0	32	11.6	27	22.6	50	9.9	20
	Basic	38.3	87	42.1	90	39.0	89	47.6	111	43.0	95	52.0	105
	Approaching Basic	24.2	55	21.0	45	22.8	52	26.6	62	19.0	42	19.8	40
	Unsatisfactory	28.2	64	21.0	45	23.7	54	13.7	32	11.3	25	13.9	28
Science													
	Advanced	2.6	6	0.5	1	2.2	5	2.1	5	2.3	5	1.0	2
	Mastery*	10.6	24	9.8	21	14.9	34	14.2	33	13.6	30	13.9	28
	Basic	41.0	93	38.3	82	45.6	104	48.1	112	42.5	94	48.5	98
	Approaching Basic	32.6	74	37.4	80	27.2	62	27.9	65	30.3	67	29.7	60
	Unsatisfactory	13.2	30	14.0	30	10.1	23	7.7	18	11.3	25	6.9	14
Social Studies													
	Advanced	0.4	1	0.9	2	1.8	4	0.0	0	0.0	0	2.0	4
	Mastery*	4.4	10	8.9	19	13.6	31	6.5	15	13.6	30	13.9	28
	Basic	48.5	110	46.3	99	43.0	98	51.7	120	53.8	119	46.5	94
	Approaching Basic	24.2	55	24.3	52	22.4	51	27.2	63	20.4	45	21.8	44
	Unsatisfactory	22.5	51	19.6	42	19.3	44	14.7	34	12.2	27	15.8	32

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
District											
English Language Arts											
Advanced		1.0	2	1.1	2	0.0	0	1.1	2	3.7	7
Mastery*		23.4	46	15.9	30	14.7	31	22.1	42	14.4	27
Basic		32.0	63	45.0	85	50.7	107	49.5	94	43.3	81
Approaching Basic		34.0	67	29.1	55	27.0	57	20.0	38	32.1	60
Unsatisfactory		9.6	19	9.0	17	7.6	16	7.4	14	6.4	12
Mathematics											
Advanced		2.0	4	3.7	7	2.8	6	2.6	5	1.0	2
Mastery*		7.1	14	7.9	15	8.5	18	5.3	10	5.2	10
Basic		49.7	98	50.3	95	58.3	123	64.2	122	56.3	108
Approaching Basic		26.4	52	19.6	37	16.1	34	14.2	27	19.8	38
Unsatisfactory		14.7	29	18.5	35	14.2	30	13.7	26	17.7	34
Science											
Advanced		0.5	1	1.1	2	0.0	0	1.6	3	2.1	4
Mastery*		17.8	35	16.4	31	22.3	47	20.5	39	13.4	25
Basic		39.1	77	40.2	76	36.5	77	45.3	86	42.8	80
Approaching Basic		25.9	51	30.7	58	26.5	56	24.2	46	31.6	59
Unsatisfactory		16.8	33	11.6	22	14.7	31	8.4	16	10.2	19
Social Studies											
Advanced		1.0	2	0.0	0	0.5	1	1.1	2	0.0	0
Mastery*		11.2	22	9.0	17	12.3	26	14.7	28	13.4	25
Basic		47.4	93	46.6	88	46.9	99	52.6	100	43.3	81
Approaching Basic		17.9	35	24.3	46	30.3	64	18.4	35	28.9	54
Unsatisfactory		22.4	44	20.1	38	10.0	21	13.2	25	14.4	27

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	2.4	4	0.7	1	2.0	3	2.1	3
Mastery*		18.4	32	18.3	34	26.8	44	17.7	25	15.8	24	17.8	26
Basic		48.3	84	43.5	81	36.6	60	53.9	76	62.5	95	52.7	77
Approaching Basic		21.3	37	21.5	40	22.0	36	24.8	35	16.4	25	20.5	30
Unsatisfactory		11.5	20	16.7	31	12.2	20	2.8	4	3.3	5	6.9	10
Mathematics													
Advanced		9.1	16	15.6	29	12.8	21	11.3	16	11.9	18	10.3	15
Mastery*		15.3	27	16.1	30	22.6	37	13.5	19	23.2	35	16.4	24
Basic		40.3	71	40.9	76	41.5	68	45.4	64	43.0	65	49.3	72
Approaching Basic		13.1	23	13.4	25	11.6	19	17.0	24	15.9	24	15.1	22
Unsatisfactory		22.2	39	14.0	26	11.6	19	12.8	18	6.0	9	8.9	13
Science													
Advanced		1.3	2	1.3	2	2.8	5	6.5	9	3.1	4	6.3	10
Mastery*		14.1	21	10.8	17	16.7	30	17.3	24	14.1	18	17.7	28
Basic		35.6	53	42.7	67	43.3	78	43.2	60	41.4	53	34.8	55
Approaching Basic		28.2	42	31.2	49	25.6	46	22.3	31	28.9	37	33.5	53
Unsatisfactory		20.8	31	14.0	22	11.7	21	10.8	15	12.5	16	7.6	12
Social Studies													
Advanced		1.3	2	0.6	1	0.6	1	2.9	4	2.4	3	0.6	1
Mastery*		6.7	10	11.5	18	11.1	20	10.8	15	4.7	6	15.8	25
Basic		49.7	74	42.7	67	60.0	108	61.9	86	59.1	75	55.1	87
Approaching Basic		26.8	40	29.3	46	20.6	37	19.4	27	22.8	29	15.8	25
Unsatisfactory		15.4	23	15.9	25	7.8	14	5.0	7	11.0	14	12.7	20