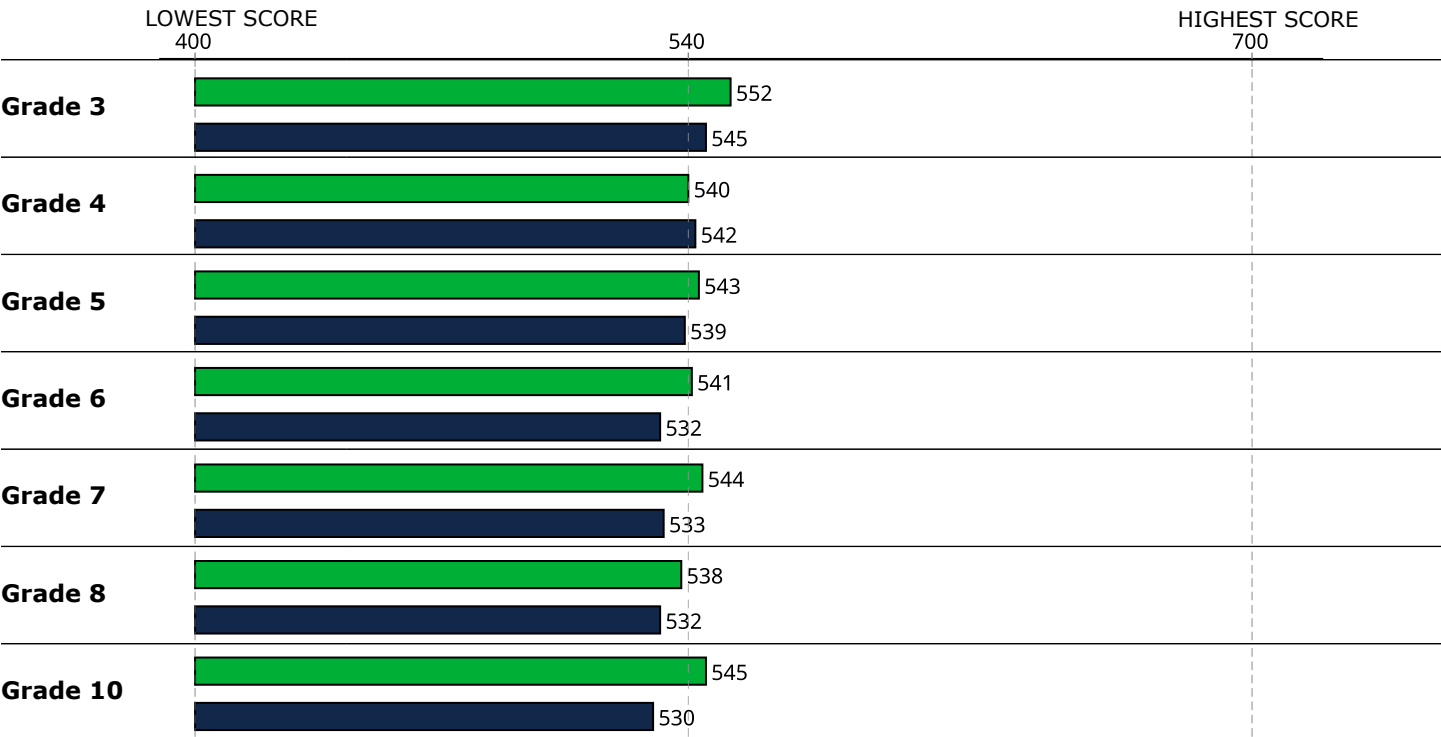


The KAP assessments measure students’ understanding of the Kansas Standards at each grade. The English Language Arts assessment asks students to read and answer questions about literary passages, informational texts, and writing samples. Students demonstrate their knowledge and skills related to reading and writing by selecting the right answer and sorting, matching, labeling, and ordering information.

Average District and State Performance

DISTRICT STATE



Standard error of the mean for each grade in this report:

Grade 3: District—11.8 | State—0.3
Grade 4: District—11.5 | State—0.3
Grade 5: District—6.8 | State—0.2
Grade 6: District—8.3 | State—0.2
Grade 7: District—11.2 | State—0.2
Grade 8: District—7.6 | State—0.2
Grade 10: District—5.8 | State—0.2

The standard error of the mean identifies how much sample means are expected to vary if multiple samples are taken from the same population.

Percentage of Students in Each Performance Level, by Grade

Level 1Level 2Level 3Level 4

Percentages may not add to 100% because of rounding.

Grade 3	DISTRICT	18	24	47	12
	STATE	26	21	40	13
Grade 4	DISTRICT	33	19	38	10
	STATE	27	23	39	12
Grade 5	DISTRICT	10	29	57	5
	STATE	27	23	40	11
Grade 6	DISTRICT	18	24	53	6
	STATE	27	30	33	9
Grade 7	DISTRICT	29	12	35	24
	STATE	28	29	36	8
Grade 8	DISTRICT	32	20	44	4
	STATE	29	30	33	9
Grade 10	DISTRICT	9	39	39	13
	STATE	29	32	29	10

Your District’s ELA Performance by Category

The table below shows the percentage of students in your district with scores that matched or exceeded the state average for each category. These percentages and means by category have no direct correspondence to overall performance level or proficiency.

This information should help schools continue to evaluate their curriculum, materials, and instructional practice. As always, additional measures of student learning should also be considered.

Grade	3	4	5	6	7	8	10
OVERALL WRITING	82%	71%	86%	94%	76%	84%	78%
Text Types & Purposes	82%	62%	76%			76%	87%
OVERALL READING	59%	57%	76%	82%	59%	64%	83%
Reading Literature	59%	71%	67%	71%	71%	72%	87%
Reading Information	65%	62%	71%	76%	65%	60%	74%
Key Ideas & Details	65%	62%	67%	76%	65%	68%	91%
Craft & Structure	82%	67%	81%	88%	71%	64%	78%
Language in Reading	76%	71%	86%				

Where Do We Go Next?

These data help districts examine student performance in these areas of ELA. As part of the KAP Balanced Assessment System, Instructional Mini Tests offer opportunities for educators to reinforce Kansas learning standards with students and build experience with the kind of questions and item types they will encounter on the KAP Interim and Summative Assessments.

The flexible nature of Instructional Mini Tests allows educators to not only receive data on student performance on current grade-level standards, but also on previous and future grade-level standards as appropriate. We strongly encourage all schools to make use of these resources in the classroom.

Additional Resources

To learn more about the Kansas Assessment Program and these score reports, visit the “For Families” page on ksassessments.org.
For information on the Kansas Standards, visit ksde.gov.