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2011 ITBS/CSAP PROFICIENCY COMPARISONS

Iowa Tests of Basic Skills (ITBS) and Colorado Student Assessment Program (CSAP) scores are not directly comparable because they are not the same kind of test, CSAP being criterion referenced and ITBS being norm referenced. However, both measure proficiency of student learning at each grade level. So, the following is a general comparison of student proficiency in Math and Reading. ITBS measures Language mechanics; CSAP measures Writing ability. Those two scores have been compared. In some grades, CSAP tests are given in Science. These are compared as well.

Average student test results can be divided into four categories: Below Basic or Unsatisfactory indicating an unsatisfactory grasp of the content tested; Basic or Partially Proficient indicating a beginning understanding of the content tested; Proficient indicating a satisfactory, grade level understanding of the content tested; and Advanced indicating an above grade level understanding of content tested. The sum of the Proficient and Advanced scores equals the Passing score.

3rd Grade Math					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	4.6	27.2	40.0	28.3	68.3
Colorado (11)	8.0	22.0	41.0	28.0	70.0
STM Catholic	0	13	40	46.6	86.6

3rd Grade Reading					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	2.6	15.7	62.0	19.8	81.8
Colorado (11)	8.0	16.0	72.0	4.0	75.0
STM Catholic	0	4	74.6	21.4	96

3rd Grade Language/Writing					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	4.3	19.5	46.2	30.0	76.2
Colorado (11)	7.0	42.0	42.0	9.0	51.0
STM Catholic	1	4	50.1	44	94.1

4th Grade Math					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	4.6	25.3	41.7	28.3	70.0
Colorado (11)	8.0	22.0	43.0	28.0	71.0
STM Catholic	0	6.6	57.3	36	93.3

4th Grade Reading					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	1.8	16.3	52.0	29.8	81.8
Colorado (11)	11.0	23.0	61.0	5.0	65.0
STM Catholic	0	4	65.3	30.6	95.9

4th Grade Language/Writing					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	3.0	20.1	45.8	30.3	76.1
Colorado (11)	6.0	38.0	45.0	11.0	56.0
STM Catholic	0	6.7	46.6	46.6	93.2

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Scores Listed are Percent of Students Who Achieved That Score

5th Grade Math					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	4.9	26.3	46.5	22.3	68.8
Colorado (10)	10.0	24.0	36.0	30.0	66.0
STM Catholic	0	26	88	43	71

5th Grade Reading					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	1.4	20.5	56.2	21.8	78.0
Colorado (11)	12.0	19.0	61.0	8.0	69.0
STM Catholic	0	8	58	31	89

5th Grade Language/Writing					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	4.8	17.4	54.6	23.2	77.8
Colorado (11)	4.0	35.0	50.0	11.0	60.0
STM Catholic	0	6	43	49	92

5th Grade Science					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	2.6	15.0	32.5	49.9	82.4
Colorado (11)	16.0	37.0	33.0	13.0	47.0
STM Catholic	0	12	25	63	88

6th Grade Math					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	4.7	30.9	43.8	20.5	64.3
Colorado (11)	13.0	24.0	36.0	27.0	63.0
STM Catholic	1	18	53	30	83

6th Grade Reading					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	.8	25.3	51.7	22.3	74.0
Colorado (11)	9.0	19.0	60	11	71.0
STM Catholic	0	10	62	28	90

6th Grade Language/Writing					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	2.4	15.9	56.1	25.5	81.6
Colorado (11)	4.0	34.0	51.0	11.0	62.0
STM Catholic	0	5	51	43	94

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7th Grade Math					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 200	4.7	30.9	43.8	20.5	64.3
Colorado (11)	15.0	32.0	29	24.0	53.0
STM Catholic	0	13	66	21	87

7th Grade Reading					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	0.7	21.9	52.8	24.7	77.5
Colorado (11)	12.0	21.0	58.0	9.0	67.0
STM Catholic	0	11	68	21	89

7th Grade Language/Writing					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	2.4	15.9	56.1	25.5	81.6
Colorado (11)	3.0	37.0	47	12	59.0
STM Catholic	0	3	71	28	98

8th Grade Math					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	5.2	31.0	44.9	19.0	63.9
Colorado (11)	19.0	29.0	29.0	22.0	51.0
STM Catholic	0	20	53	27	80

8th Grade Reading					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	1.2	18.2	55.6	25.0	80.6
Colorado (11)	10.0	23.0	58.0	9.0	67.0
STM Catholic	0	11	58	31	89

8th Grade Language/Writing					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	1.2	18.2	55.6	25.0	80.6
Colorado (11)	3.0	42.0	44.0	11.0	54.0
STM Catholic	0	5	48	47	95

8th Grade Science					
	Unsatisfactory	Partially Proficient	Proficient	Advanced	Passing
AOD 2011	1.0	25.0	40.9	32.7	73.6
Colorado (11)	23.0	26.0	41.0	8.0	49.0
STM Catholic	2	13	42	42	82