

PUBLIC REPORTS

According to the F.S. 1008.25(8) each district school must annually publish in the local newspaper and report in writing to the State Board of Education, by September 1st of each year, the following information on the prior school year.

1. The provisions of this section relating to public school student progression and the district school board's policies and procedures on student retention and promotion.

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2. By grade, the number and percentage of all students retained in grades 3 through 10 performing at levels 1 and 2 on the Reading portion of the FCAT.

Note: Grade 3 is the only state mandated retention grade. Other grade levels indicate students/percentages scoring levels 1 & 2.

See Attachment #1

3. By grade, the number and percentage of all students retained in grades 3 through 10.

Note: Grade 3 is the only state mandated retention grade. Other grade levels indicate students/percentages reported to DOE as retentions – Survey 5

See Attachment #2

4. Information on the total number of students who were promoted for good cause, by each category of good cause as specified in paragraph (6)(b).

See Attachment #3

5. Any revisions to the district school board's policy on student retention and promotion from the prior year.

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Note: Jackson County's School Board policy on student retention and promotion can be found in the latest publication of the Student Progression Plan.

Attachment 1

2007-2008 Students Scoring as Level 1 and Level 2 on the Reading Portion of the Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test(FCAT)							
Grade	# Students Tested	Level 1		Level 2		Level 1 & 2	
		# Students	% Level 1	# Students	% Level 2	# Students	% Level 1&2
3	548	66	12.04%	54	9.85%	120	21.90%
4	531	89	16.76%	71	13.37%	160	30.13%
5	505	93	18.42%	95	18.81%	188	37.23%
6	542	100	18.45%	106	19.56%	206	38.01%
7	534	85	15.92%	102	19.10%	187	35.02%
8	508	87	17.13%	161	31.69%	248	48.82%
9	493	126	25.56%	136	27.59%	262	53.14%
10	552	193	34.96%	148	26.81%	341	61.78%

Attachment 2

2007-2008 Students Retained (not promoted) in Grades 3 through 10

Grade	# Students Tested	# Students Retained	% Retained
3	620	31	5.00%
4	593	11	1.85%
5	568	5	0.88%
6	603	39	6.47%
7	604	32	5.30%
8	631	34	5.39%
9	658	36	5.47%
10	683	21	3.07%

Attachment 3

Total # 3rd Grade Students Promoted for Good Cause per Category		Number of Students			
		2007-08	2006-07	2005-06	2004-05
Code #1	Limited English Proficient Students who have had less than 2 years of instruction in an English for Speakers of Other Languages program.	1			
Code #2	Students with disabilities whose individual education plan indicates that participation in the statewide assessment program is not appropriate, consistent with the requirements of State Board of Educations Rule.				
Code #3	Students who demonstate an acceptable level of performance on an alternative standardized reading assessment approved by the State Board of Education	16	19	15	16
Code #4	Students who demonstrate, through a student portfolio, that the student is reading on grade level as evidenced by demonstration of mastery of the Sunshine State Standards in reading equal to at least a Level 2 performance on the FCAT.	1	5		
Code #5	Students with disabilities who participate in the FCAT and who have an individual education plan or a Section 504 plan that reflects that the student has received the intensive remediation in reading, as required by Florida Statute, for more than 2 years but still demonstrates a deficiency in reading and was previously retained in kindergarten, grade 1, grade 2 or grade 3 for a total of 2 years.	23	20	2	19
Code #6	Students who have received the intensive remediation in reading as required by Florida Statute for 2 or more years but still demonstrate a defeciency in reading and who were previously retatined in kindergarten, grade 1, grade 2 or grade 3 for a total of 2 years.	5	1	24	4
Total Promoted		46	45	41	39