

Department of Education

Performance Indicators - 2017		Frequency	Desired Trend	FY16 Actual	FY17 Target	FY18 Target
STUDENT LEARNING & ACHIEVEMENT						
English Language Arts/Literacy - Grade 3 Meeting Expectations or Exceeding Expectations	Annual	Increase	47.5%	48.6%	49.2%	
English Language Arts/Literacy - Grade 10 Meeting Expectations or Exceeding Expectations	Annual	Increase	44.4%	45.5%	46.1%	
Mathematics - Grade 3 Meeting Expectations or Exceeding Expectations	Annual	Increase	51.7%	52.8%	53.4%	
Mathematics - Algebra I Meeting Expectations or Exceeding Expectations	Annual	Increase	41.2%	42.3%	42.9%	
Number of Advanced Placement Tests Taken	Annual	Increase	119,044	122,000	123,000	
Number of Advanced Placement Tests Scored Three or Higher	Annual	Increase	82,870	85,000	86,500	
High School Graduation Rate	Annual	Increase	90.1%	90.5%	90.8%	
Districts implementing kindergarten readiness measure	Annual	Increase	15.9%	17.0%	17.6%	
EDUCATOR EFFECTIVENESS						
Local Education Agencies completing key implementation requirements - teacher evaluation	Annual	Maintain	100.0%	99.8%	99.8%	
Local Education Agencies completing key implementation requirements - principal evaluation	Annual	Maintain	100.0%	99.8%	99.8%	
Percent of NJ teacher preparation programs in compliance with regulations	Annual	Maintain	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	
Average number of days to complete teacher certification reviews	Annual	Maintain	20	20	20	
CHOICE, INNOVATION AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT						
Percent of seats in high performing charter schools (a)	Annual	Increase	57.6%	59.0%	60.4%	
Number of students participating in Interdistrict Choice	Annual	Increase	5,198	5,109	5,272	
DISTRICT AND SCHOOL PERFORMANCE AND EFFICIENCY						
Students with Individualized Education Plans graduating from high school with a regular diploma	Annual	Increase	78.8%	80.8%	82.8%	
Students with Individualized Education Plans aged 6 through 21 served inside the regular class 80% or more of the day	Annual	Increase	48.1%	49.5%	49.5%	
The count of schools that have failed to meet the 75% graduation rate	Annual	Decrease	34	33	32	
RESPONSIVENESS AND SERVICE						
Districts Receiving 80% or Higher on all five Quality Single Accountability Continuum District Performance Reviews (b)	Annual	Increase	66.5%	69.5%	70.5%	
NJSMART Inquiries returned within 24 hours	Annual	Maintain	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	
SCHOOL FINANCE						
School and other capital project long range facilities plans approved	Annual	N/A	1,100	1,100	1,100	
Discretionary grants contracts awarded annually	Annual	N/A	198	205	205	
Entitlement grants contracts awarded annually	Annual	N/A	2,942	2,942	3,050	
Total federal grant dollars administered (in millions)	Annual	N/A	\$808	\$882	\$905	
Federal Grant Dollars Returned to Federal Government	Annual	Decrease	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%	

(a) This percentage represents the number of high-quality seats offered in high-performing charter schools as a percentage of total available seats in charter schools.

(b) The performance of this indicator will vary greatly year over year due to the number of schools that undergo QSAC review in each three year cycle.