

MEMORANDUM

June 5, 2009

TO: School Board Members

FROM: Abelardo Saavedra
Superintendent of Schools

SUBJECT: **PROMOTION STANDARDS 2007–2008**

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Background

In order to be promoted to the next grade, students who were enrolled in grades 1–8 in the Houston Independent School District were required to meet specific academic requirements: criterion-referenced assessments, norm-referenced assessments, and grades. Failure to meet the minimum requirements of one or more of the standards required summer school attendance. If students were able to demonstrate during the summer session that they could achieve in the area which they did not pass during the school year, they were promoted. If a student's failure was due to grades, then they were required to achieve a passing average in the subjects that they were deficient (**Table 1**).

To make up their failure on the High Frequency Word Evaluation (HFWE) or Texas Assessment of Knowledge and Skills (TAKS), students in grades 1–8 were required to pass the same subject area test administered at the end of the summer school session. Stanford 10 and Aprenda 3 remediation was based on meeting the attendance requirement of 90 percent of the program days during summer school. Additionally, school-based Grade Placement Committees could override end-of-summer promotion decisions and advance students to the next grade on the basis of compelling evidence, for students in grades 1–8 only.

Findings

Attached are tables and figures which depict the student performance levels of all students, Title I students, and non-Title I students who did not meet promotion standards. A review of the promotion standards data for students in grades 1–8 occurred at the end of spring, end of summer, and cumulatively representing their final status for the 2006–2007 and 2007–2008 school years. Additionally, these groups of students were examined if they attended summer school during the previous year or if they were retained from the previous year.

- In 2007–2008, the Title I students who did not meet promotion standards ranged in grade level from 7.7 percent at the second grade to 18.1 percent at the fourth grade while non-Title I percentages ranged from 5.9 percent in third grade to 22.2 in first grade. The percentages of students in 2007–2008 not meeting promotion standards in the All, Title I, Non-Title I groups increased in grades 1–5 and decreased in grades 6–8, compared to the previous year. Non-Title I students had the largest grade level changes. First grade increased 13.9 percentage points while sixth grade students experienced a decrease of 6.2 percentage points (**Table 3**).

- The number of all students in the district not meeting promotion standards decreased by 802 from spring 2007 to spring 2008. Title I decreased by 291 and the number of non-Title I students decreased by 511 students (**Table 4**).
- Unlike 2007 where it was course grades and TAKS mathematics, for 2008 Stanford 10/Aprensa 3 reading accounted for the largest percentages of all students not meeting promotion standards (48.8 and 47.5 percent respectively). Of the Title I students not meeting standards, 48.2 percent failed course grades and 47.5 percent failed Stanford 10/Aprensa 3 reading in spring 2008. Similarly, among non-Title I students not meeting standards the highest percentage failed course grades 64.6 percent followed by Stanford 10/Aprensa 3, 48.3 percent (Table 4).
- In 2007–2008, 71 percent of all students were promoted because they met promotion standards. The cumulative percentage of those students promoted by promotion standards increased in all categories from 2006–2007 to 2007–2008. There were decreases in the percentages of students promoted by committee decisions from 2006–2007 to 2007–2008 particularly non-Title I students (**Figure 1**).
- Non-Title I students exceeded Title I students in the percentage of students promoted based on promotion standards at the end of spring in both 2007 and 2008 (77.7 percent and 59.5 percent, respectively for 2008) (**Table 5.1**). The percentages of Title I students promoted based on promotion standards during the summer were also lower than non-Title I students in both 2007 and 2008; 44.7 percent compared to 56.1 percent for 2008 (**Table 5.2**). This trend continued with the cumulative results: 83.4 percent of non-Title I students met 2008 promotion standards compared to 70.5 percent of the Title I students (**Table 5.3**).
- In 2007 and 2008 the percentages of Title I and non-Title I students promoted by committee decisions grew at most grade levels as grade levels increased with the highest percentages occurring in grades 6–8. Exceptions occurred in 2007 among both Title I and non-Title I students between grades 1 and 2 and 7 and 8. In 2008, the percentage of Title I students dropped slightly between first and second grade and non-Title I decreased between grades 7 and 8 (Table 5.3).
- The percentage of all students enrolled in the prior year summer school who were promoted based on promotion standards increased from 52 percent in 2006–2007 to 55 percent in 2007–2008. Compared to Title I students attending the prior year summer school in both years, lower percentages of non-Title I students were promoted based on promotion standards, and higher percentages of non-Title I students were promoted based on committee decisions. (**Figure 2**).
- The number of all students retained from the previous school year decreased from 6,099 in 2006–2007 to 4,659 in 2007–2008 school year. Those students promoted by committee decision decreased a minimum of eight percentage points in all categories. The total percentage of students promoted by promotion standards increased at least eight percentage points in all categories (**Figure 3**).
- The lowest cumulative retention rates based on promotion standards among previously retained students occurred in the elementary grades in both 2006–2007 and 2007–2008. Middle school students continued to have higher retention rates than elementary students (**Table 7.3**).

- The actual promotion rates for all and Title I students remained unchanged at 95 percent when comparing 2006–2007 to 2007–2008 school year (**Figure 4**). Non-Title I students had the largest increase in total actual promotion rates across grades (96–98 percent) (Figure 4). Sixth and seventh grade non-Title I students experienced the highest increase of promotion rates across categories and grade levels (8.7 and 6.8 percentage points respectively). Actual grade level promotion rate increases among all and Title I students were less than one percentage point the between 2006–2007 and 2007–2008 school year (**Table 8**).

Overall, the 2007–2008 promotion standards indicated the following trends:

- Students in grades 1–5 routinely had higher cumulative promotion rates based on promotion standards.
- Those students promoted based on committee decisions primarily came from grades 6–8.
- Most of the students who were required to attend summer school because they did not meet promotion standards at the end of spring generally were promoted at the end of summer by promotion standards or committee decisions.

Should you have any further questions, please contact my office or Carla Stevens in the Research and Accountability Department at (713) 556-6700.



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Attachment

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Table 1. Promotion Standards 2007–2008

Promotion Standard	Grade Level	Criteria
Criterion Referenced Tests	1–2	Pass High Frequency Word Examination (HFWE)
	3	TAKS Reading: Meet Standards
	4–8	TAKS Reading and Mathematics: Meet Standards
Norm-Referenced Tests	1	Reading: K.4 GE*
	2	Reading: 1.4 GE*
	3	Reading: 2.4 GE*
	4	Reading and Mathematics: 3.4 GE*
	5–6	Reading and Mathematics: 3.9 GE*
	7	Reading and Mathematics: 4.9 GE*
Course Grades	1–6 (Elem.)	Overall average 70 or above and 70 or above in reading, other language arts, mathematics, and science or social studies.
	6–8 (Middle)	Overall yearly average 70 or above and 70 or above in three of the four core courses: language arts (average of English and reading), mathematics, science, and social studies.

* GE: Grade equivalent score on Stanford 10 or Apenda 3

Table 2. HISD Promotion Standards Student Groups Enrollment Counts

	2006–2007					2007–2008						
	All		Title I		Non-Title I	All		Title I		Non-Title I		
	N	%	N	%	N	N	%	N	%			
Enrolled Spring, Current Year	118,752	91.7	108,946	91.7	9,806	8.3	117,558	92.8	109,073	92.8	8,485	7.2
Enrolled in Spring, Current Year and Enrolled Prior Year Summer School	19,599	95.7	18,763	95.7	836	4.3	20,449	98.3	20,095	98.3	354	1.7
Enrolled Spring, and Retained in Fall, Current Year	6,099	92.8	5,660	92.8	439	7.2	4,659	97.8	4,557	97.8	102	2.2

Table 3. Students Enrolled Spring 2007, 2008 and Not Meeting Promotion Standards Criteria (Table 4 provides detail by grade, p. 4.)

Grade	2006-2007						2007-2008					
	Total Unduplicated N			%			Total Unduplicated N			%		
	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
1	3,140	3,009	131	10.5	10.6	8.3	3,457	3,220	237	11.9	11.5	22.2
2	2,002	1,913	89	6.7	6.7	5.6	2,224	2,155	69	7.6	7.7	6.5
3	2,677	2,589	88	8.9	9.1	5.6	2,793	2,730	63	9.6	9.7	5.9
4	5,083	4,974	109	17.0	17.5	6.9	5,182	5,073	109	17.8	18.1	10.2
5	3,605	3,498	107	12.0	12.3	6.8	3,639	3,552	87	12.5	12.7	8.1
6	4,430	4,103	327	14.8	14.5	20.7	3,933	3,778	155	13.5	13.5	14.5
7	4,865	4,485	380	16.3	15.8	24.1	4,466	4,289	177	15.3	15.3	16.6
8	4,127	3,778	349	13.8	13.3	22.1	3,433	3,261	172	11.8	11.6	16.1
Total:	29,929	28,349	1,580	100.0	100.0	100.0	29,127	28,058	1,069	100.0	100.0	100.0

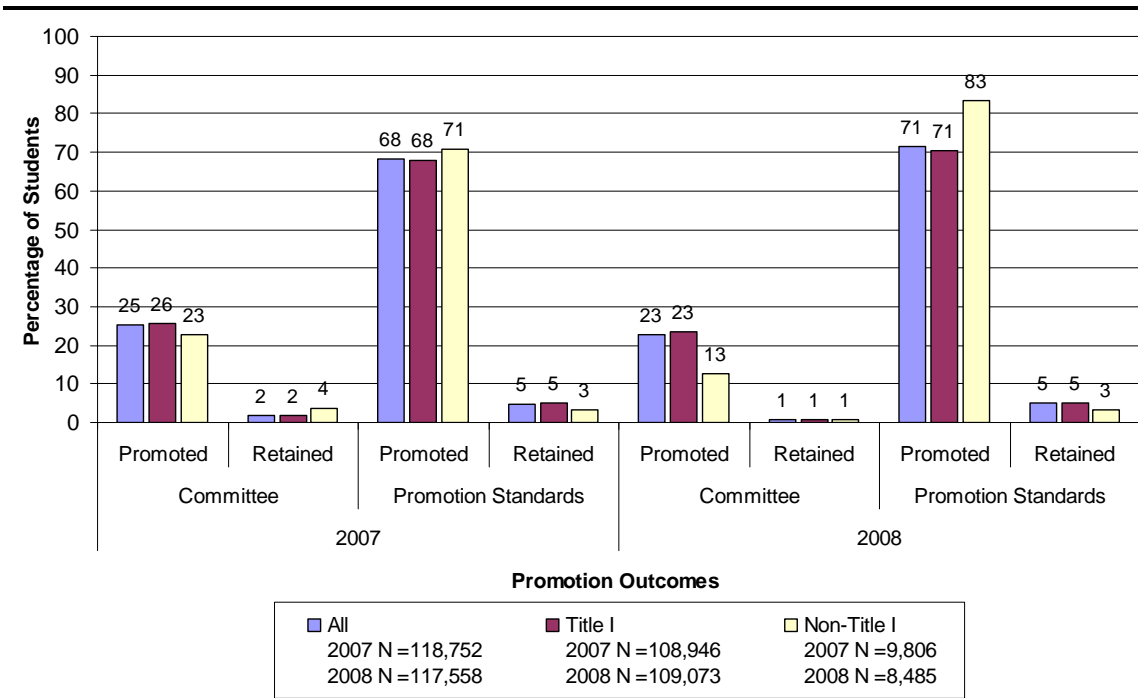


Figure 1. Cumulative spring and summer promotion standards results 2007 and 2008 for all students enrolled. (Tables 5.1-5.3 provide detail by grade at the end of spring, end of summer, and cumulative, pp. 6-8.)

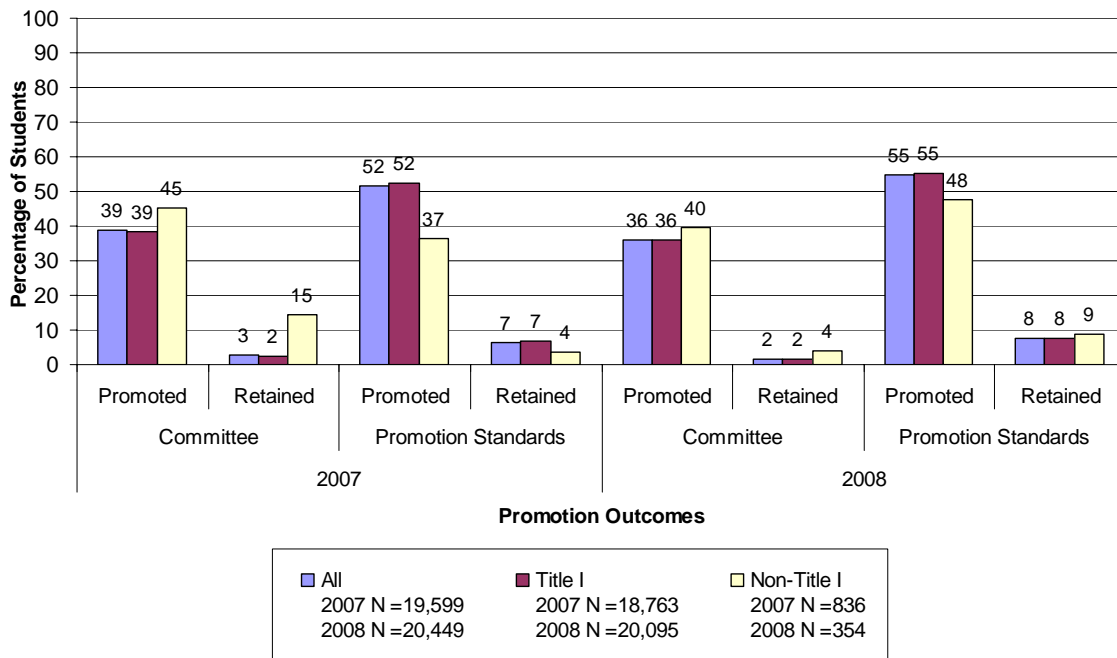


Figure 2. Cumulative spring and summer promotion results 2007 and 2008 for students enrolled in prior year summer school. (Tables 6.1–6.3 provide detail by grade at the end of spring, end of summer, and cumulative, pp. 9–11.)

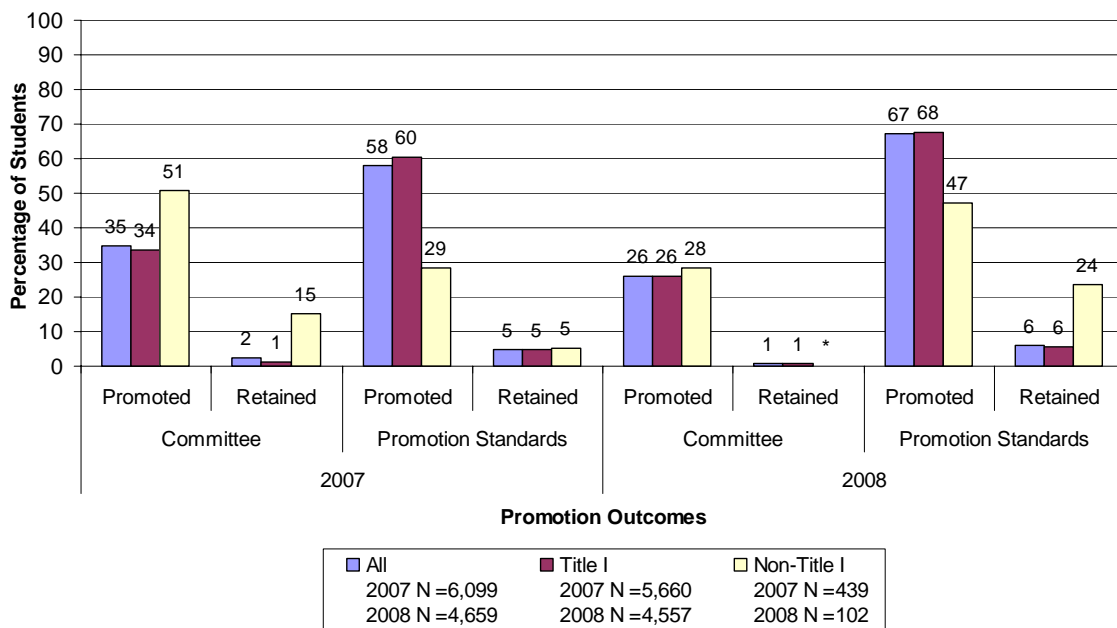


Figure 3. Cumulative spring and summer promotion standards results 2007 and 2008 for students retained from the previous year. (Tables 7.1-7.3 provide detail by grade at the end of spring, end of summer, and cumulative, pp. 12–14.) * - Fewer than five students identified.

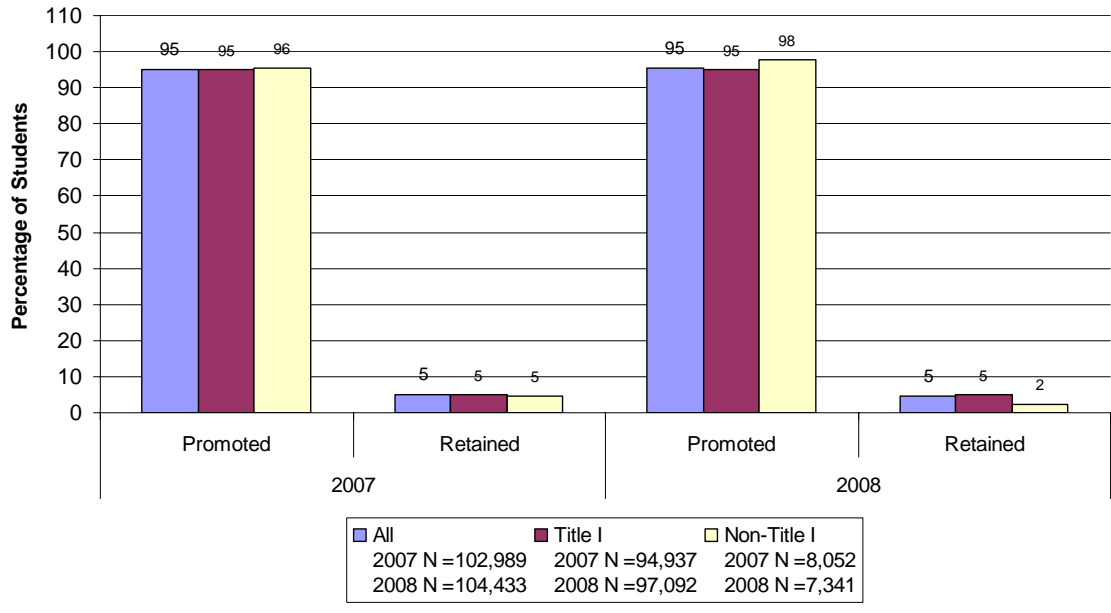


Figure 4. Actual promotion and retention rates: 2006–2007 and 2007–2008. (Table 8, p. 15)

Table 4

Students Enrolled 2007, 2008 Not Meeting Promotion Standards by Criteria

Grade	Total Unduplicated						HFWE (%)						English and Spanish TAKS											
													Mathematics (%)						Reading (%)					
	All	Title 1	Non-T1	All	Title 1	Non-T1	All	Title 1	Non-T1	All	Title 1	Non-T1	All	Title 1	Non-T1	All	Title 1	Non-T1	All	Title 1	Non-T1			
	2007	2007	2007	2008	2008	2008	2007	2007	2007	2008	2008	2008	2007	2007	2007	2008	2008	2008	2007	2007	2007	2008	2008	2008
1	3,140	3,009	131	3,457	3,220	237	81.1	77.8	72.1	76.4	76.8	64.0												
2	2,002	1,913	89	2,224	2,155	69	18.9	22.2	27.9	23.6	23.2	36.0												
3	2,677	2,589	88	2,793	2,730	63													10.2	10.4	6.3	12.0	12.2	7.6
4	5,083	4,974	109	5,182	5,073	109							18.5	19.5	4.4	17.0	17.3	9.4	26.6	27.6	10.7	28.9	29.3	15.9
5	3,605	3,498	107	3,639	3,552	87							8.7	9.0	4.5	9.3	9.4	7.4	15.9	16.5	6.3	14.2	14.4	8.0
6	4,430	4,103	327	3,933	3,778	155							24.3	24.0	28.3	20.9	20.9	22.8	14.5	13.9	23.6	15.1	15.0	18.9
7	4,865	4,485	380	4,466	4,289	177							25.7	25.2	32.9	23.9	23.7	29.4	21.1	20.5	32.4	21.6	21.3	29.6
8	4,127	3,778	349	3,433	3,261	172							22.7	22.2	29.9	17.4	17.1	23.8	11.7	11.1	20.8	8.2	7.8	19.9
Total:	29,929	28,349	1,580	29,127	28,058	1,069	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total % (Duplicated)							8.6	8.7	8.2	9.5	9.6	8.0	46.2	45.5	60.2	41.3	41.3	40.8	35.7	35.4	39.5	33.9	34.2	28.2
Total Count (Duplicated)							2,584	2,455	129	2,776	2,690	86	13,842	12,891	951	12,035	11,599	436	10,672	10,048	624	9,886	9,585	301

Grade	Total Unduplicated						Standford 10/Aprena 3																	
							Mathematics (%)						Reading (%)						Course Grades (%)					
	All	Title 1	Non-T1	All	Title 1	Non-T1	All	Title 1	Non-T1	All	Title 1	Non-T1	All	Title 1	Non-T1	All	Title 1	Non-T1	All	Title 1	Non-T1	All	Title 1	Non-T1
	2007	2007	2007	2008	2008	2008	2007	2007	2007	2008	2008	2008	2007	2007	2007	2008	2008	2008	2007	2007	2007	2008	2008	2008
1	3,140	3,009	131	3,457	3,220	237							3.9	4.1	0.4	6.5	6.5	5.8	19.1	19.2	16.1	19.3	18.8	30.5
2	2,002	1,913	89	2,224	2,155	69							6.0	5.9	6.4	3.9	3.8	6.0	12.8	12.8	11.2	13.3	13.7	7.1
3	2,677	2,589	88	2,793	2,730	63							11.6	11.6	10.1	10.3	10.4	7.9	13.6	13.8	8.2	13.1	13.5	5.5
4	5,083	4,974	109	5,182	5,073	109	41.8	43.5	14.8	33.0	34.2	16.8	24.0	24.7	10.3	23.9	24.3	13.0	13.6	13.9	14.8	13.2	13.6	4.5
5	3,605	3,498	107	3,639	3,552	87	18.7	19.3	9.3	22.3	22.9	13.9	20.4	21.0	9.4	19.6	19.8	13.4	10.7	10.7	16.3	9.0	9.3	4.8
6	4,430	4,103	327	3,933	3,778	155	7.8	7.0	20.0	13.9	13.6	18.4	12.4	12.0	20.1	13.6	13.5	16.9	9.5	9.4	15.0	9.5	9.4	11.6
7	4,865	4,485	380	4,466	4,289	177	12.1	11.3	23.3	13.8	13.1	24.1	9.9	9.3	21.4	11.8	11.6	19.0	11.0	10.9	18.4	12.1	11.7	19.0
8	4,127	3,778	349	3,433	3,261	172	19.7	18.9	32.6	16.9	16.2	26.9	11.9	11.3	21.9	10.3	10.0	18.0	9.6	9.3	0.0	10.5	10.1	17.1
Total:	29,929	28,349	1,580	29,127	28,058	1,069	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total % (Duplicated)							14.7	14.6	17.1	16.4	15.9	29.6	37.3	37.5	34.4	47.5	47.5	48.3	44.4	44.9	29.9	48.8	48.2	64.6
Total Count (Duplicated)							4,405	4,135	270	4,764	4,448	316	11,167	10,624	543	13,842	13,326	516	13,285	12,716	473	14,227	13,536	691

Notes: Grade level percentages depict the distribution by grade of students failing each criterion.
 Total counts and percentages at the bottom of the table are based on the duplicated counts of students if they failed to meet multiple criteria.

Table 5

End of Spring, Summer, and Cumulative Results of All Students Enrolled, 2007 and 2008

5.1. Promotion Standards Results at the End of Spring, 2008 and 2007

Spring 2008	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
	1	17,599	16,358	1,241	5.4	5.5	4.0	<1.0	<1.0	*	73.3	73.1	76.2	20.6	20.7	19.4
	2	16,647	15,412	1,235	6.1	6.2	4.9	<1.0	<1.0	*	79.5	78.8	89.0	14.0	14.7	6.0
	3	15,465	14,308	1,157	7.4	7.6	5.3	<1.0	<1.0	*	74.2	73.0	89.3	18.0	19.0	5.4
	4	15,344	14,230	1,114	10.3	10.5	7.2	<1.0	<1.0	*	55.8	53.6	82.9	33.6	35.4	9.9
	5	14,338	13,276	1,062	13.5	14.0	6.7	<1.0	<1.0	*	60.8	58.9	84.9	25.3	26.6	8.4
	6	12,701	11,880	821	23.0	23.4	17.2	1.2	1.1	1.8	45.4	44.1	63.7	30.5	31.4	17.3
	7	13,071	12,169	902	23.1	23.4	18.4	1.7	1.7	1.3	41.8	40.3	61.6	33.4	34.5	18.6
	8	12,393	11,440	953	27.7	28.5	17.5	2.2	2.2	2.8	43.5	41.8	64.1	26.6	27.5	15.5
	Total:	117,558	109,073	8,485	13.6	13.9	9.4	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	60.8	59.5	77.7	24.7	25.7	12.2

Spring 2007	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
	1	17,827	16,248	1,579	10.8	9.7	22.4	<1.0	<1.0	*	68.0	68.1	66.8	20.6	21.6	10.8
	2	15,955	14,537	1,418	9.0	9.2	6.6	<1.0	<1.0	*	75.4	74.5	84.6	15.2	15.8	8.7
	3	15,619	14,248	1,371	10.3	10.5	8.1	<1.0	<1.0	*	71.2	69.9	84.3	18.2	19.2	7.4
	4	15,383	14,190	1,193	11.5	11.7	9.0	<1.0	<1.0	*	54.2	51.9	81.0	33.7	35.7	10.1
	5	14,067	12,941	1,126	13.9	14.2	9.9	<1.0	<1.0	*	58.9	57.1	79.6	26.6	28.1	10.1
	6	13,519	12,629	890	18.6	18.3	23.4	1.8	<1.0	19.3	47.9	48.7	36.9	31.6	32.4	20.4
	7	13,397	12,296	1,101	20.3	19.7	27.2	2.6	<1.0	20.8	42.4	43.2	34.2	34.7	36.2	17.7
	8	12,985	11,857	1,128	22.9	22.3	28.8	1.8	<1.0	14.5	44.5	45.3	36.2	30.8	31.7	20.6
	Total:	118,752	108,946	9,806	14.2	14.0	16.4	1.0	<1.0	5.9	58.8	58.2	65.1	25.9	27.1	12.6

* Fewer than five students identified.

Table 5 (continued)

End of Spring, Summer, and Cumulative Results of All Students Enrolled, 2007 and 2008

5.2. Promotion Standards Results at the End of Summer, 2008 and 2007

Summer 2008	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
1	3,308	3,080	228	20.6	21.7	4.8	*	*	*	38.9	35.2	88.6	40.6	43.1	6.6	
2	2,163	2,105	58	24.1	24.2	20.7	*	*	*	42.2	41.8	55.2	33.7	34.0	24.1	
3	2,666	2,613	53	30.2	30.3	28.3	*	*	*	45.6	45.6	47.2	24.2	24.1	24.5	
4	4,975	4,877	98	39.9	40.0	33.7	*	*	*	47.1	46.9	58.2	13.0	13.1	8.2	
5	3,498	3,422	76	49.6	49.6	51.3	*	*	*	41.8	42.0	32.9	8.6	8.4	15.8	
6	3,658	3,537	121	41.4	41.6	33.1	*	*	*	49.3	49.4	47.1	9.3	8.9	19.8	
7	4,185	4,062	123	43.2	43.1	48.8	*	*	*	48.8	49.1	37.4	8.0	7.8	13.8	
8	3,109	3,007	102	50.7	50.4	58.8	*	*	*	43.9	44.1	37.3	5.4	5.5	*	
Total:	27,562	26,703	859	38.6	38.8	31.4	*	*	*	45.1	44.7	56.1	16.3	16.5	12.5	

Summer 2007	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
1	3,153	3,020	133	31.5	31.5	30.8	15.2	15.3	12.8	27.6	27.5	31.6	25.7	25.8	24.8	
2	2,118	2,024	94	36.6	36.7	34.0	10.6	10.6	10.6	31.9	31.6	39.4	20.9	21.1	16.0	
3	2,508	2,421	87	40.4	40.1	47.1	8.9	9.0	*	36.5	36.6	33.3	14.2	14.2	14.9	
4	4,942	4,839	103	48.6	48.9	35.9	5.9	6.0	*	36.4	36.2	47.6	9.0	8.9	13.6	
5	3,469	3,371	98	60.8	61.2	46.9	4.3	4.3	*	29.9	29.5	44.9	5.0	5.0	5.1	
6	4,102	3,827	275	48.0	47.8	50.2	3.7	3.4	7.6	42.2	43.1	28.7	6.1	5.6	13.5	
7	4,574	4,244	330	46.7	46.7	46.4	3.3	2.9	8.5	45.8	46.5	36.7	4.2	3.8	8.5	
8	3,874	3,582	292	44.0	44.1	43.5	1.6	1.5	3.4	51.2	51.7	45.5	3.1	2.8	7.5	
Total:	28,740	27,328	1,412	45.6	45.7	43.6	6.0	6.0	6.8	38.6	38.7	37.8	9.7	9.6	11.8	

* Fewer than five students identified.

Table 5 (continued)

End of Spring, Summer, and Cumulative Results of All Students Enrolled, 2007 and 2008

5.3. Promotion Standards Results Cumulative, 2008 and 2007

Total 2008	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
	1	17,599	16,358	1,241	9.3	9.6	4.9	<1.0	<1.0	*	80.6	79.7	92.5	9.5	10.0	2.3
	2	16,647	15,412	1,235	9.2	9.5	5.9	<1.0	<1.0	*	85.0	84.5	91.6	5.4	5.6	2.4
	3	15,465	14,308	1,157	12.6	13.1	6.6	<1.0	<1.0	*	82.1	81.4	91.4	4.9	5.2	2.0
	4	15,344	14,230	1,114	23.2	24.2	10.1	<1.0	<1.0	*	71.0	69.7	88.1	5.4	5.6	1.8
	5	14,338	13,276	1,062	25.6	26.8	10.4	<1.0	<1.0	*	71.0	69.7	87.3	3.0	3.0	2.4
	6	12,701	11,880	821	34.9	35.8	22.0	1.2	1.1	1.8	59.6	58.8	70.6	4.3	4.3	5.5
	7	13,071	12,169	902	36.9	37.8	25.1	1.7	1.7	1.3	57.4	56.7	66.7	3.9	3.7	6.9
	8	12,393	11,440	953	40.4	41.8	23.8	2.2	2.2	2.8	54.5	53.4	68.1	2.9	2.7	5.2
	Total:	117,558	109,073	8,485	22.6	23.4	12.6	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	71.4	70.5	83.4	5.1	5.2	3.3

Total 2007	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
	1	17,827	16,248	1,579	16.4	15.5	25.0	3.0	3.1	1.1	72.9	73.2	69.4	7.8	8.1	4.5
	2	15,955	14,537	1,418	13.8	14.3	8.9	1.5	1.6	<1.0	79.7	78.9	87.2	5.0	5.2	3.1
	3	15,619	14,248	1,371	16.8	17.3	11.1	1.5	1.7	<1.0	77.0	76.1	86.4	4.6	4.9	2.1
	4	15,383	14,190	1,193	27.1	28.4	12.1	2.0	2.2	*	65.9	64.3	85.1	5.0	5.2	2.6
	5	14,067	12,941	1,126	28.9	30.2	14.0	1.2	1.3	*	66.3	64.8	83.5	3.7	3.8	2.2
	6	13,519	12,629	890	33.2	32.8	38.9	1.8	1.1	11.7	60.7	61.8	45.7	4.3	4.4	3.7
	7	13,397	12,296	1,101	36.2	35.8	41.1	2.0	1.2	10.9	58.1	59.2	45.2	3.7	3.7	2.7
	8	12,985	11,857	1,128	36.0	35.6	40.1	1.2	<1.0	7.8	59.8	60.9	48.0	2.9	2.8	4.2
	Total:	118,752	108,946	9,806	25.3	25.5	22.7	1.8	1.7	3.6	68.2	67.9	70.6	4.8	4.9	3.2

* Fewer than five students identified.

Table 6

End of Spring, Summer, and Cumulative Results of All Students Enrolled in Prior Year Summer School

6.1. Promotion Standards Results at the End of Spring, 2008 and 2007 (Students Enrolled Prior Year Summer School)

Spring 2008	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
	1	1,047	1,034	13	9.3	9.2	*	<1.0	<1.0	*	67.5	67.7	53.8	22.7	22.6	*
	2	2,109	2,070	39	7.6	7.6	*	1.0	1.0	*	57.0	57.0	59.0	34.4	34.4	33.3
	3	1,655	1,634	21	10.6	10.6	*	1.0	1.0	*	46.8	46.6	66.7	41.6	41.7	28.6
	4	2,230	2,200	30	9.7	9.6	*	1.0	1.0	*	24.8	24.7	33.3	64.5	64.7	53.3
	5	3,760	3,714	46	10.7	10.7	10.9	0.7	0.7	*	39.3	39.2	47.8	49.3	49.4	41.3
	6	2,850	2,803	47	18.8	18.7	23.4	2.1	2.1	*	21.4	21.4	21.3	57.8	57.8	53.2
	7	3,342	3,272	70	15.1	14.9	25.7	2.7	2.8	*	17.2	17.2	17.1	65.0	65.2	55.7
	8	3,456	3,368	88	23.2	23.2	23.9	2.7	2.5	13.6	23.9	23.9	23.9	50.2	50.5	38.6
	Total:	20,449	20,095	354	14.1	14.1	18.4	1.6	1.6	4.0	32.9	32.9	33.6	51.3	51.5	44.1

Spring 2007	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
	1	1,051	1,023	28	12.9	12.7	21.4	<1.0	1.0	*	63.3	63.5	53.6	22.8	22.8	25.0
	2	1,600	1,553	47	10.2	10.2	10.6	1.1	1.1	*	52.8	53.0	44.7	36.0	35.7	44.7
	3	1,467	1,444	23	12.2	12.1	*	<1.0	<1.0	*	44.4	44.6	34.8	42.7	42.6	47.8
	4	1,904	1,868	36	9.3	9.4	*	1.2	1.2	*	23.0	22.9	27.8	66.5	66.6	63.9
	5	3,699	3,620	79	8.7	8.7	11.4	1.0	1.0	*	38.0	37.9	43.0	52.3	52.5	43.0
	6	2,314	2,181	133	13.7	13.1	24.1	3.7	1.0	48.9	23.4	24.4	6.8	59.2	61.5	20.3
	7	3,582	3,346	236	12.4	11.1	30.5	4.5	1.4	47.9	18.0	18.8	6.4	65.2	68.7	15.3
	8	3,982	3,728	254	17.3	16.1	34.6	2.9	1.0	30.7	24.1	24.7	15.4	55.7	58.2	19.3
	Total:	19,599	18,763	836	12.4	11.8	26.2	2.3	1.1	30.9	31.4	32.0	18.1	53.9	55.2	24.9

* Fewer than five students identified.

Table 6 (continued)

End of Spring, Summer, and Cumulative Results of All Students Enrolled in Prior Year Summer School

6.2. Promotion Standards Results at the End of Summer, 2008 and 2007 (Students Enrolled Prior Year Summer School)

Summer 2008	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
	1	235	231	4	42.1	42.0	*	*	*	*	48.1	48.1	*	9.8	10.0	*
	2	691	680	11	24.2	24.4	*	*	*	*	40.4	40.0	63.6	35.5	35.6	*
	3	669	663	6	30.8	30.9	*	*	*	*	44.7	44.6	*	24.5	24.4	*
	4	1,397	1,381	16	38.6	38.5	43.8	*	*	*	45.0	45.0	43.8	16.4	16.4	*
	5	1,825	1,806	19	51.3	51.4	42.1	*	*	*	40.0	40.0	42.1	8.7	8.6	*
	6	1,585	1,566	19	41.5	41.4	47.4	*	*	*	47.8	48.0	26.3	10.8	10.6	26.3
	7	2,140	2,104	36	44.5	44.1	69.4	*	*	*	47.4	48.0	16.7	8.0	7.9	13.9
	8	1,683	1,649	34	53.4	53.1	64.7	*	*	*	40.9	41.0	35.3	5.8	5.9	*
	Total:	10,225	10,080	145	43.6	43.5	51.7	*	*	*	44.1	44.2	34.5	12.3	12.3	13.8

Summer 2007	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
	1	230	223	7	55.2	54.3	85.7	2.6	2.7	*	37.8	39.0	*	4.3	4.0	*
	2	532	515	17	38.5	39.2	*	8.6	8.7	*	33.3	32.6	52.9	19.5	19.4	*
	3	562	552	10	40.4	40.0	60.0	11.9	12.1	*	32.4	32.6	*	15.3	15.2	*
	4	1,232	1,209	23	49.8	50.1	34.8	7.1	7.1	*	31.8	31.5	47.8	11.3	11.2	*
	5	1,826	1,792	34	63.5	63.9	44.1	5.1	5.2	*	26.4	25.9	50.0	4.9	5.0	*
	6	1,355	1,285	70	49.9	50.0	47.1	3.4	3.1	8.6	40.1	40.5	31.4	6.6	6.3	12.9
	7	2,325	2,207	118	49.9	50.2	43.2	3.2	2.9	9.3	42.8	43.1	36.4	4.2	3.8	11.0
	8	2,208	2,107	101	45.1	45.5	36.6	1.4	1.3	*	51.0	51.1	49.5	2.6	2.2	10.9
	Total:	10,270	9,890	380	50.3	50.6	41.8	4.4	4.3	6.1	38.8	38.7	40.5	6.6	6.4	11.6

* Fewer than five students identified.

Table 6 (continued)

End of Spring, Summer, and Cumulative Results of All Students Enrolled in Prior Year Summer School

6.3. Promotion Standards Results Cummulative, 2008 and 2007 (Students Enrolled Prior Year Summer School)

Total 2008	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
	1	1,047	1,034	13	18.7	18.6	*	<1.0	<1.0	*	78.3	78.4	69.2	2.5	2.5	*
	2	2,109	2,070	39	15.5	15.6	*	1.0	1.0	*	70.2	70.1	76.9	13.3	13.3	12.8
	3	1,655	1,634	21	23.0	23.2	*	1.0	1.0	*	64.9	64.7	81.0	11.1	11.1	*
	4	2,230	2,200	30	33.9	33.8	36.7	1.0	1.0	*	53.0	53.0	56.7	12.2	12.2	*
	5	3,760	3,714	46	35.7	35.8	28.3	<1.0	<1.0	*	58.8	58.7	65.2	4.9	4.9	*
	6	2,850	2,803	47	41.8	41.8	42.6	2.1	2.1	*	48.0	48.2	31.9	8.1	7.9	23.4
	7	3,342	3,272	70	43.6	43.2	61.4	2.7	2.8	*	47.5	48.0	25.7	6.1	6.0	11.4
	8	3,456	3,368	88	49.2	49.2	48.9	2.7	2.5	13.6	43.8	43.9	37.5	4.3	4.4	*
	Total:	20,449	20,095	354	35.9	35.9	39.5	1.6	1.6	4.0	54.9	55.1	47.7	7.5	7.5	8.8

Total 2007	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
	1	1,051	1,023	28	25.0	24.5	42.9	1.0	1.0	*	71.6	72.0	53.6	2.5	2.4	*
	2	1,600	1,553	47	23.0	23.2	17.0	3.0	3.0	*	63.8	63.8	63.8	10.2	10.0	17.0
	3	1,467	1,444	23	27.7	27.4	43.5	4.6	4.7	*	56.9	57.1	43.5	10.8	10.8	*
	4	1,904	1,868	36	41.6	41.8	30.6	4.7	4.7	*	43.5	43.3	58.3	10.2	10.2	*
	5	3,699	3,620	79	40.1	40.3	30.4	2.7	2.7	*	51.0	50.7	64.6	6.2	6.2	*
	6	2,314	2,181	133	43.0	42.6	48.9	3.2	1.9	25.6	46.8	48.3	23.3	7.0	7.2	*
	7	3,582	3,346	236	44.8	44.3	52.1	3.4	2.1	22.0	45.7	47.2	24.6	6.1	6.4	*
	8	3,982	3,728	254	42.3	41.8	49.2	1.7	<1.0	13.0	52.4	53.6	35.0	3.6	3.7	2.8
	Total:	19,599	18,763	836	38.7	38.5	45.2	2.9	2.4	14.6	51.7	52.4	36.5	6.6	6.7	3.7

* Fewer than five students identified.

Table 7

End of Spring, Summer, and Cumulative Results of All Students Retained from the Previous Year

7.1. Promotion Standards Results at the End of Spring, 2008 and 2007 (Students Retained from Previous Year)

Spring 2008	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
	1	1,388	1,368	20	19.7	19.7	25.0	<1.0	<1.0	*	75.8	75.8	75.0	4.0	4.0	*
	2	770	758	12	11.8	11.7	*	*	*	*	84.9	85.2	66.7	2.9	2.6	*
	3	649	636	13	19.1	19.5	*	*	*	*	78.3	78.3	76.9	2.3	1.9	*
	4	682	676	6	31.4	31.5	*	<1.0	<1.0	*	65.2	65.2	*	2.6	2.5	*
	5	306	301	5	44.4	43.9	*	*	*	*	52.0	52.5	*	2.9	3.0	*
	6	374	352	22	43.9	44.6	31.8	2.7	2.6	*	38.5	39.5	22.7	15.0	13.4	40.9
	7	331	314	17	42.3	42.0	47.1	2.4	2.5	*	35.6	36.3	*	19.6	19.1	29.4
	8	159	152	7	45.3	46.1	*	*	*	*	27.7	28.3	*	24.5	23.0	*
	Total:	4,659	4,557	102	26.1	26.0	28.4	<1.0	<1.0	*	67.1	67.5	47.1	6.0	5.6	23.5

Spring 2007	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
	1	1,637	1,578	59	15.8	15.5	23.7	<1.0	<1.0	*	58.2	49.2	27.1	25.2	36.9	7.4
	2	885	852	33	12.5	12.4	15.2	<1.0	<1.0	*	67.0	39.4	45.5	19.8	41.1	5.1
	3	883	862	21	14.7	14.8	*	<1.0	<1.0	*	57.6	57.1	33.3	27.1	41.8	2.7
	4	906	889	17	11.5	11.6	*	<1.0	<1.0	*	35.2	41.2	52.9	52.4	37.7	2.6
	5	460	449	11	15.9	16.0	*	*	*	*	37.8	*	45.5	45.4	27.6	2.9
	6	497	376	121	22.9	18.1	38.0	9.9	*	37.2	14.3	5.0	19.8	52.9	35.8	7.7
	7	532	419	113	19.9	13.6	43.4	9.6	1.4	39.8	10.3	7.1	9.7	60.2	45.9	5.1
	8	299	235	64	33.8	28.5	53.1	7.7	*	29.7	11.7	10.9	*	46.8	51.6	7.1
	Total:	6,099	5,660	439	16.3	14.9	34.6	2.6	<1.0	25.3	44.4	19.4	20.7	36.6	38.9	4.9

* Fewer than five students identified.

Table 7 (continued)

End of Spring, Summer, and Cumulative Results of All Students Retained from the Previous Year

7.2. Promotion Standards Results at the End of Summer, 2008 and 2007 (Students Retained from Previous Year)

Summer 2008	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
	1	338	334	4	46.2	46.1	*	*	*	*	42.0	41.9	*	11.8	12.0	*
	2	134	133	1	38.8	38.3	*	*	*	*	49.3	49.6	*	11.9	12.0	*
	3	147	144	3	37.4	38.2	*	*	*	*	56.5	56.9	*	6.1	4.9	*
	4	321	321	0	46.1	46.1	*	*	*	*	50.2	50.2	*	3.7	3.7	*
	5	126	124	2	51.6	50.8	*	*	*	*	46.8	47.6	*	*	*	*
	6	200	189	11	38.5	38.1	45.5	*	*	*	47.0	47.6	*	14.5	14.3	*
	7	190	181	9	39.5	38.7	55.6	*	*	*	42.6	42.5	*	17.9	18.8	*
	8	65	65	0	50.8	50.8	*	*	*	*	38.5	38.5	*	10.8	10.8	*
	Total:	1,521	1,491	30	43.5	43.3	50.0	*	*	*	46.7	46.9	36.7	9.8	9.7	*

Summer 2007	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
	1	377	364	13	53.3	52.7	69.2	2.4	1.9	*	36.9	37.9	*	7.4	7.4	*
	2	158	146	12	48.7	50.0	*	5.1	4.1	*	41.1	41.1	41.7	5.1	4.8	*
	3	220	214	6	49.5	49.1	*	5.9	6.1	*	41.8	42.1	*	2.7	2.8	*
	4	470	461	9	58.3	58.8	*	1.5	1.5	*	37.7	37.5	*	2.6	2.2	*
	5	210	200	10	63.3	65.5	*	6.2	5.0	*	27.6	26.5	50.0	2.9	3.0	*
	6	271	219	52	49.8	51.6	42.3	6.6	5.5	11.5	35.8	37.9	26.9	7.7	5.0	19.2
	7	294	262	32	47.6	45.0	68.8	*	*	*	45.9	49.2	18.8	5.1	4.2	*
	8	126	113	13	41.3	40.7	46.2	*	*	*	51.6	54.9	*	7.1	4.4	*
	Total:	2,126	1,979	147	52.7	53.0	49.0	3.4	3.0	8.8	38.9	39.8	27.2	4.9	4.2	15.0

* Fewer than five students identified.

Table 7 (continued)

End of Spring, Summer, and Cumulative Results of All Students Retained from the Previous Year

7.3. Promotion Standards Results, Cumulative, 2008 and 2007 (Students Retained from Previous Year)

Total 2008	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
	1	1,388	1,368	20	19.7	19.7	25.0	<1.0	<1.0	*	75.8	75.8	75.0	4.0	4.0	*
	2	770	758	12	11.8	11.7	*	*	*	*	84.9	85.2	66.7	2.9	2.6	*
	3	649	636	13	19.1	19.5	*	*	*	*	78.3	78.3	76.9	2.3	1.9	*
	4	682	676	6	31.4	31.5	*	<1.0	<1.0	*	65.2	65.2	*	2.6	2.5	*
	5	306	301	5	44.4	43.9	*	*	*	*	52.0	52.5	*	2.9	3.0	*
	6	374	352	22	43.9	44.6	31.8	2.7	2.6	*	38.5	39.5	22.7	15.0	13.4	40.9
	7	331	314	17	42.3	42.0	47.1	2.4	2.5	*	35.6	36.3	*	19.6	19.1	29.4
	8	159	152	7	45.3	46.1	*	*	*	*	27.7	28.3	*	24.5	23.0	*
	Total:	4,659	4,557	102	26.1	26.0	28.4	<1.0	<1.0	*	67.1	67.5	47.1	6.0	5.6	23.5

Total 2007	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			Committee Decision						Promotion Standards					
		All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
					% Promoted			% Retained			% Promoted			% Retained		
	1	1,637	1,578	59	28.0	27.6	39.0	<1.0	<1.0	*	66.7	67.3	50.8	4.5	4.4	*
	2	885	852	33	21.2	21.0	27.3	<1.0	<1.0	*	74.4	75.1	54.5	3.5	3.2	*
	3	883	862	21	27.1	27.0	28.6	1.6	1.6	*	68.1	68.1	66.7	3.3	3.2	*
	4	906	889	17	41.7	42.1	*	<1.0	<1.0	*	54.7	54.6	64.7	2.6	2.5	*
	5	460	449	11	44.8	45.2	*	*	*	*	50.4	49.9	72.7	3.9	4.0	*
	6	497	376	121	50.1	48.1	56.2	6.8	2.7	19.8	33.8	39.4	16.5	9.3	9.8	7.4
	7	532	419	113	46.2	41.8	62.8	7.3	3.1	23.0	35.7	42.0	12.4	10.7	13.1	*
	8	299	235	64	51.2	48.1	62.5	6.4	2.6	20.3	33.4	38.3	15.6	9.0	11.1	*
	Total:	6,099	5,660	439	34.7	33.5	51.0	2.3	1.3	15.3	58.0	60.3	28.5	5.0	5.0	5.2

* Fewer than five students identified.

Table 8

Actual Promotion and Retention Rates: 2006–2007 and 2007–2008

Total 2008	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
		All	Title I	Non-Title I						
		% Promoted								
	1	15,881	14,769	1,112	90.5	90.0	97.3	9.5	10.0	2.7
	2	15,078	13,973	1,105	94.9	94.7	98.5	5.1	5.3	1.5
	3	13,981	12,954	1,027	95.5	95.2	98.4	4.5	4.8	1.6
	4	13,758	12,763	995	95.3	95.0	98.7	4.7	5.0	1.3
	5	11,706	10,906	800	97.5	97.5	98.3	2.5	2.5	1.8
	6	11,491	10,763	728	96.5	96.5	97.0	3.5	3.5	3.0
	7	11,919	11,131	788	96.7	96.7	96.4	3.3	3.3	3.6
	8	10,619	9,833	786	98.2	98.2	97.7	1.8	1.8	2.3
	Total:	104,433	97,092	7,341	95.4	95.2	97.8	4.6	4.8	2.2

Total 2007	Grade	Total Unduplicated N			All	Title I	Non-Title I	All	Title I	Non-Title I
		All	Title I	Non-Title I						
		% Promoted								
	1	15,606	14,256	1,350	90.5	90.0	96.1	9.5	10.0	3.9
	2	14,065	12,839	1,226	94.2	94.0	96.7	5.8	6.0	3.3
	3	13,858	12,678	1,180	95.1	94.8	98.3	4.9	5.2	1.7
	4	13,483	12,471	1,012	94.6	94.3	98.3	5.4	5.7	1.7
	5	11,268	10,427	841	97.2	97.0	99.2	2.8	3.0	0.8
	6	11,907	11,191	716	96.1	96.6	88.3	3.9	3.4	11.7
	7	11,876	11,003	873	96.5	97.0	89.6	3.5	3.0	10.4
	8	10,926	10,072	854	97.8	98.2	93.8	2.2	1.8	6.2
	Total:	102,989	94,937	8,052	95.0	95.0	95.5	5.0	5.0	4.5