

Similar Students Measure Infographic

How is the SSM calculated and what does it say about my school's performance?

First, we look at the **students** your school serves, and your **SBAC scale scores**:

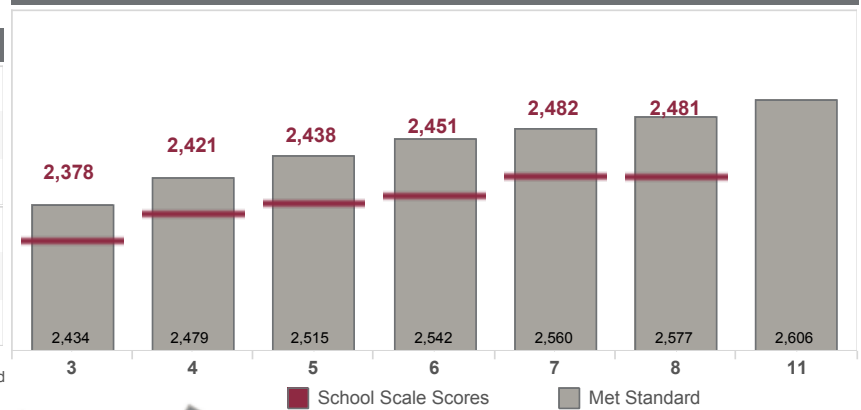
Select Your School Here:

SBAC Test-Takers

African American	10.1%	Students with Disabilities	11.5%
Latino	44.5%	English Learners	48.1%
Asian	5.5%	RFEP	30.2%
White	32.7%	Student Retention Rate	94.8%
Other	7.4%	Parent Education Level	1.7
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	53.9%	Parent Ed. Response Rate	95.2%

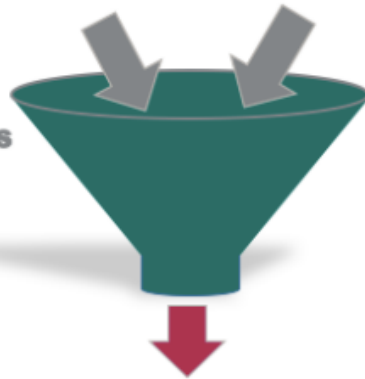
Parent Education Level Scale: 1-did not finish high school; 2-graduated high school; 3-some college; 4-undergraduate degree; 5-at least some graduate school completed

SBAC Scale Scores by Grade



Averaging of **Scale Scores** +
statistical regression of **Demographics**
= your school's **Projected Score**

This is what we would guess your score should be based on your students served.



Exclusions

Alternative? No
ASAM? No
Fewer than 30 test-takers? No

If any of these say "yes", your school is excluded from the SSM calculations.

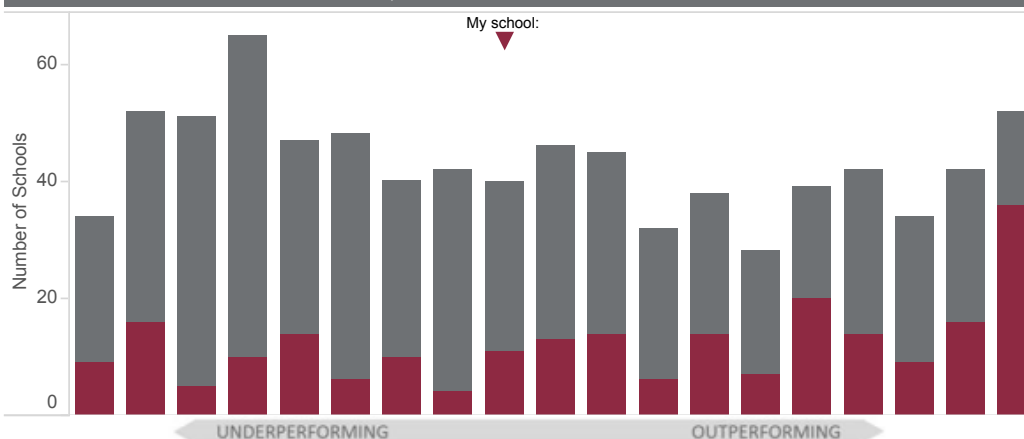
This **projected score** - Your **actual scale score** = Your **gap**
Depending on the size of your **gap**, your school is scaled into 5 categories:



This is how my school compares to itself.

All schools statewide are then ranked by their **gap** into **Percentile Bins**:

Statewide Distribution of SSM, 2015



Select Your School District:

Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD)

Non-Charters Charters

This is how my school compares to other schools.

My school falls in the **45-50th Percentile Bin**.