Provincial Achievement Test Results

Two Year Comparative Data

The table below shows percentage of students participating and

percentage of students who achieved an Acceptable Standard or a Standard of Excellence on Provincial Achievement Tests in various subjects.

	2014-2015					2015-2016				
Subject	Participation Rates					Participation Rates				
Grade 6	85%					89%				
English										
Language										
Arts										
Grade 6	85%					91%				
Mathematics										
Grade 6	87%					90%				
Science										
Grade 6	86%					89%				
Social										
Studies										
Grade 9	85%					89%				
English										
Language										
Arts										
Grade 9	85%					91%				
Mathematics										
Grade 9	87%					90%				
Science										
Grade 9	86%					89%				
Social										
Studies										
	Acce	eptable	Standard of			Acceptable		Standard of		
	Sta	ndard	Exc	ellence		Standard		Excellence		
	NSD	Province	NSD	Province		NSD	Province	NSD	Province	
Grade 6	56%	83%	1.8%	19.5%		51%	83%	1.4%	20.4%	
English										
Language										
Arts										
Grade 6	40%	73%	2.2%	14.1%		22.7%	72.2%	0.5%	14%	
Mathematics										
Grade 6	39%	76%	3.5%	25.3%		28%	78%	1.4%	27%	
Science										
Grade 6	31%	70%	4%	18.1%		22%	71%	0.9%	22%	
Social										
Studies										



Grade 9	18%	76%	0.6%	14.4%		20%	77%	0.7%	15.2%
English									
Language									
Arts									
Grade 9	8%	65%	0.6%	17.9%		5%	68%	0%	17.5%
Mathematics									
Grade 9	11%	74%	0.6%	22.8%		11%	74%	0.6%	22.4%
Science									
Grade 9	9%	65%	0.6%	20%		9%	65%	0.6%	18%
Social									
Studies									
Definitions: Acceptable Standard: Students who passed the exam based on Alberta Education									
benchmarks. In most cases this is around 50% however there are some exceptions									

Standard of Excellence: Students who achieved a high level of success on the exam based on Alberta Education benchmarks. In most cases this is 80% however there are some exceptions