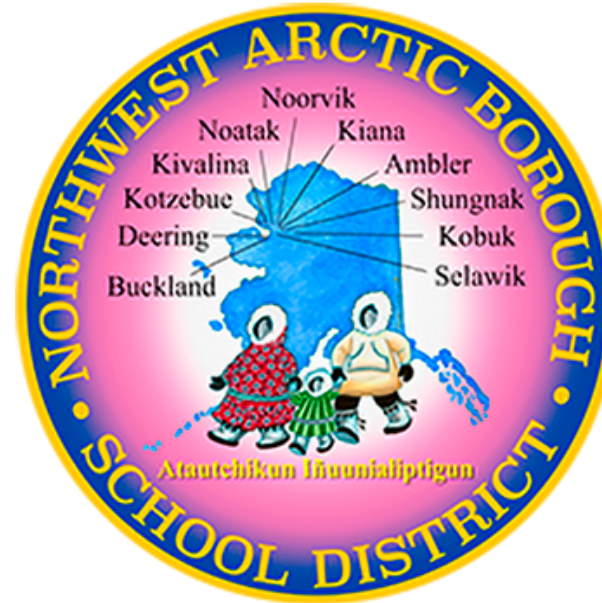


NWABSD



Student Services Data and Assessments

Serving the communities of
Ambler, Buckland, Deering, Kiana, Kivalina, Kobuk, Kotzebue, Noatak, Noorvik, Selawik, Shungnak

AK STAR

Alaska System of Academic Readiness

AK STAR measures the Alaska 3rd to 9th grade students' understanding of the Alaska Standards in two knowledge domains:

- 1- English Language Arts
- 2- Mathematics

AK STAR

A Dynamic Adaptive-Summative Assessment

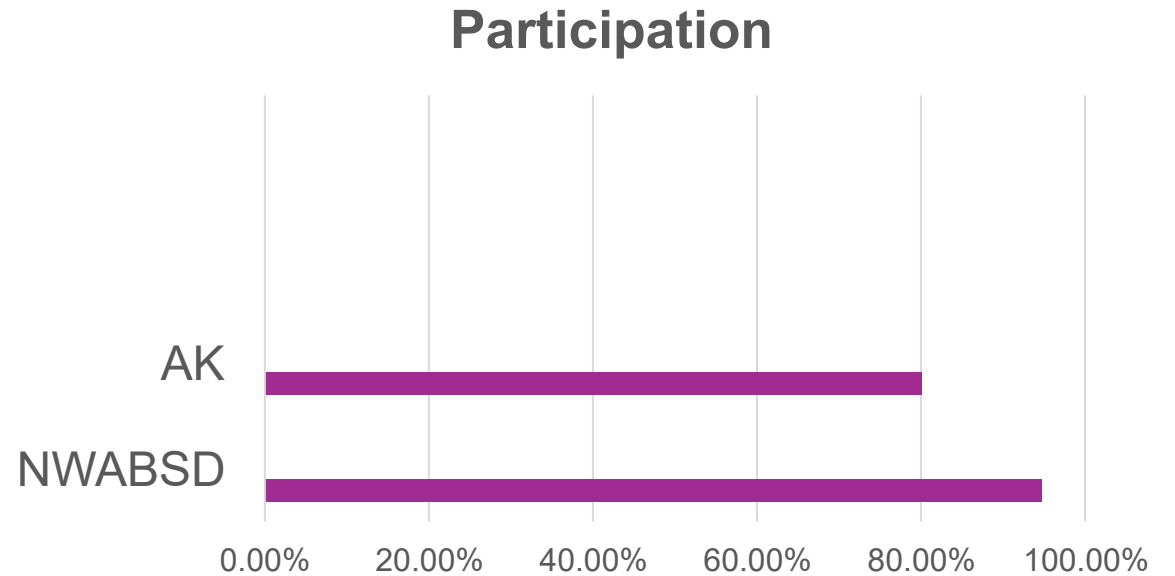
Assessing a full academic term's learning reflects on
AK STAR's **Summative** quality.

Its ability to adjust itself to the test taker's performance level
reflects on AK STAR's **Adaptive** nature.

Adaptive assessments provide experiential learning
opportunities that reflect on their **Dynamic** natures.

AK STAR Participation

The participation rate at NWABSD far exceeds the state participation rate... Thanks to a group of very hard-working Building Test Coordinators, who lead assessments in each building.



AK STAR Results

State Reporting Practices

The state reports its results in two categories of:

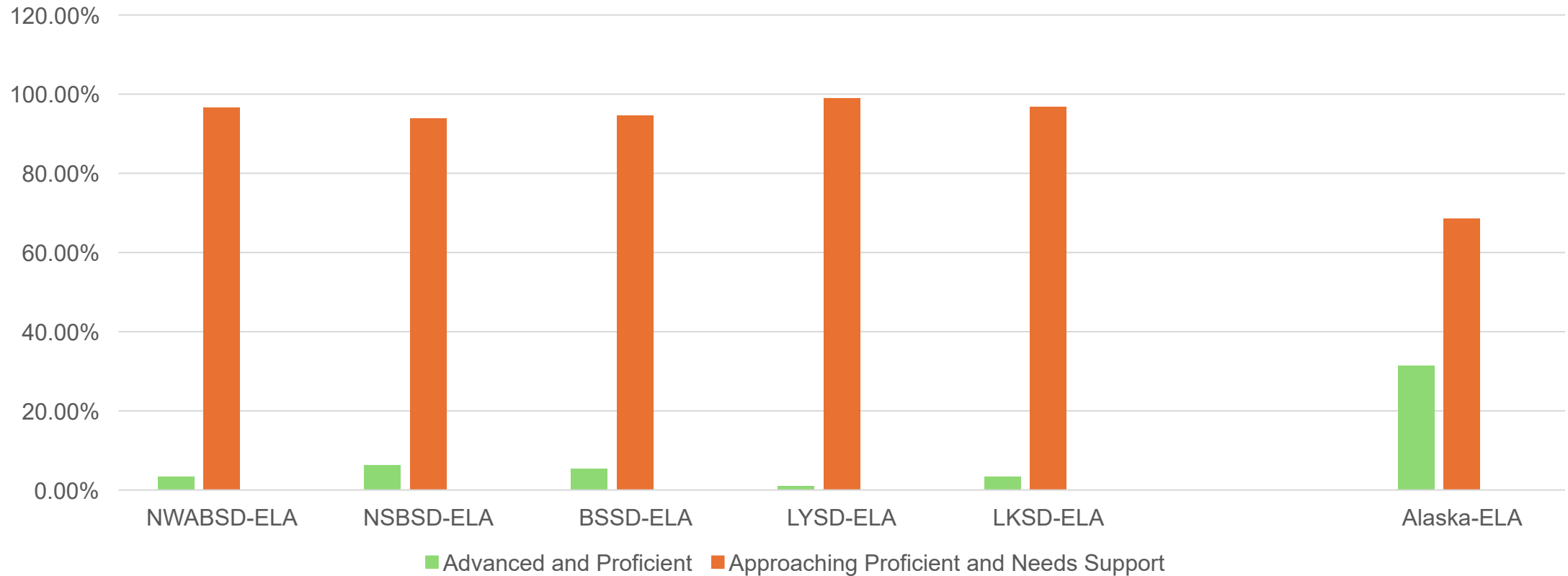
**Advanced and
Proficient**

**Approaching
Proficient and
Needs Support**

AK STAR Result: ELA

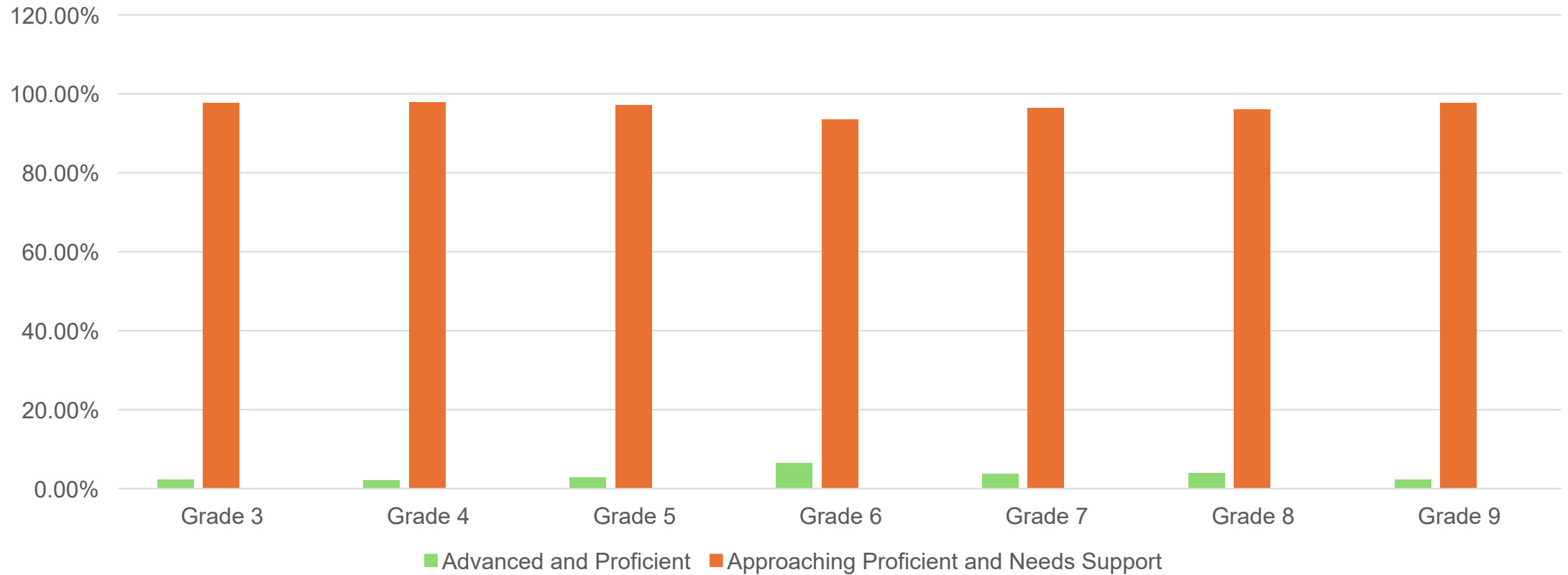
NWABSD, Neighboring Districts, and the State

Chart Title



AK STAR Result: ELA NWABSD by the Grade Level

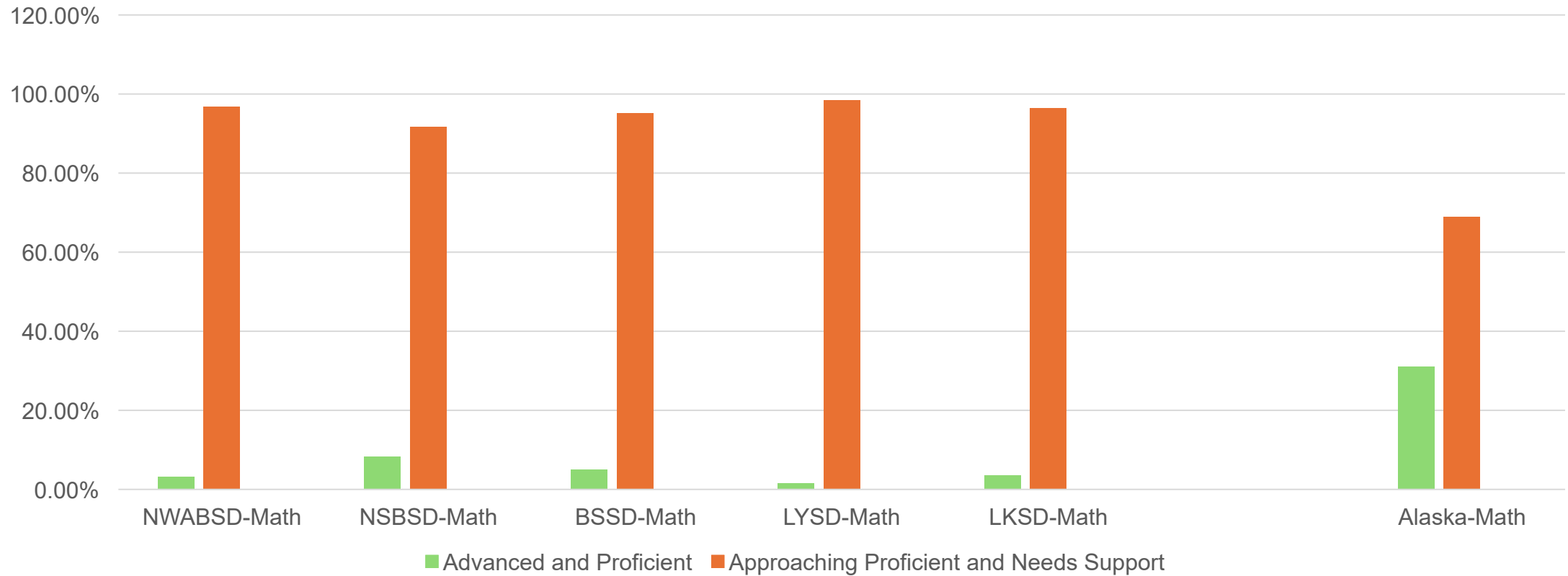
Chart Title



AK STAR Result: Math

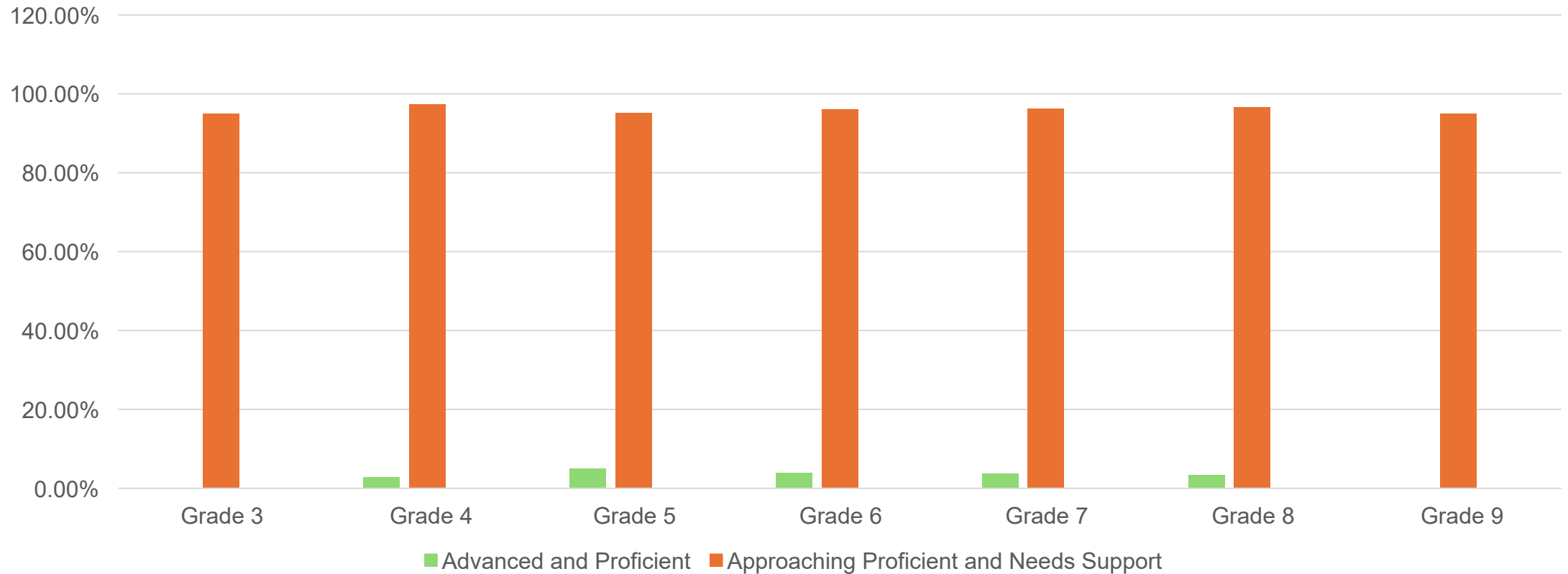
NWABSD, Neighboring Districts, and the State

Chart Title



AK STAR Result: Math NWABSD by the Grade Level

Chart Title



Moving Forward

Building an Assessment and Data culture that invites and encourages our students to take ownership of Assessments and Data in our schools



Best Practices in Assessments

- Formative Assessment strands that align to the Summative strands
- Validity and reliability
- Fairness
- Diligent data-driven decision-making practices that include the student in the process

A stack of several books is visible in the background, with an open book in the foreground. The open book has text on its pages, and a decorative, patterned candle holder is positioned to the right. The scene is lit with warm, soft light, creating a cozy atmosphere.

Questions?