



# **Standardized Testing Report 2024-25 School Year**

September 18, 2025



# About Assessment: Multiple Measures

## External Summative Assessments

SAT  
PSAT  
Advanced Placement (AP)  
Smarter Balanced  
NGSS

## Benchmark Assessments / Universal Screenings

iReady  
DIBELS  
Writing prompts  
Performance assessments  
Progress Report indicators

## Classroom-Based Formative Assessments

Unit assessment tools  
Baseline / Pre-assessment  
Performance tasks  
Exit tickets  
Science Notebooks  
Classroom Observations /  
Student Conferences



# Standardized Testing Measures

- Advanced Placement (High School)
- School Day SAT (Grade 11)
- Smarter Balanced Assessments (Grades 3-8)
- Next Generation Science Standards (Grades 5, 8, 11)

# Assessment Participation Rate Summary

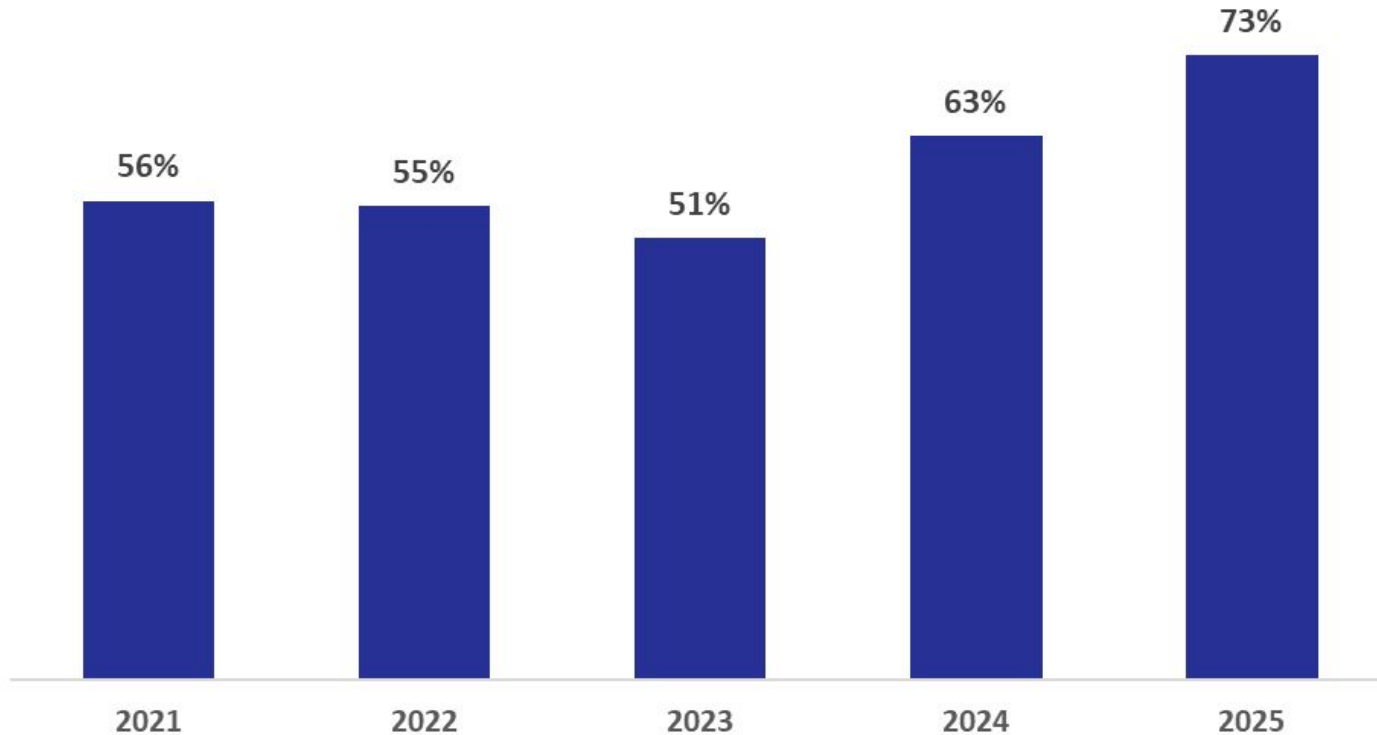
|                                 |              | 2021         |                     | 2022         |                     | 2023         |                     | 2024         |                     | 2025         |                     |
|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|---------------------|
|                                 |              | All Students | High Needs Students | All Students | High Needs Students | All Students | High Needs Students | All Students | High Needs Students | All Students | High Needs Students |
| New Fairfield High School       | CT SAT DAY   | 97.8%        | 91.9%               | 97.9%        | 95.1%               | 98.9%        | 96.1%               | 96.6%        | 91.9%               | 100%         | 100%                |
|                                 | NGSS (GR 11) | 66.9%        | 67.6%               | 95.8%        | 88.1%               | 98.9%        | 98.0%               | 98.3%        | 97.2%               | 100%         | 100%                |
| New Fairfield Middle School     | SBAC-ELA     | 96.8%        | 98.4%               | 99.6%        | 99.3%               | 99.8%        | 99.4%               | 100%         | 100%                | 99.8%        | 99.4%               |
|                                 | SBAC-Math    | 96.4%        | 97.7%               | 99.4%        | 99.3%               | 99.8%        | 99.4%               | 99.8%        | 99.4%               | 99.8%        | 99.4%               |
|                                 | NGSS (GR 8)  | 97.2%        | 100%                | 97.8%        | 93.5%               | 99.4%        | 98.1%               | 100%         | 100%                | 98.7%        | 100%                |
| New Fairfield Elementary School | SBAC-ELA     | 98.7%        | 98.7%               | 99.5%        | 99.4%               | 100.0%       | 100.0%              | 99.8%        | 99.3%               | 100%         | 100%                |
|                                 | SBAC-Math    | 98.5%        | 98.1%               | 99.5%        | 99.4%               | 99.3%        | 100.0%              | 99.8%        | 99.3%               | 99.3%        | 100%                |
|                                 | NGSS (GR 5)  | 99.4%        | 98.1%               | 98.7%        | 96.1%               | 98.8%        | 100.0%              | 100%         | 100%                | 97.6%        | 96.4%               |

Participation rate below 95%

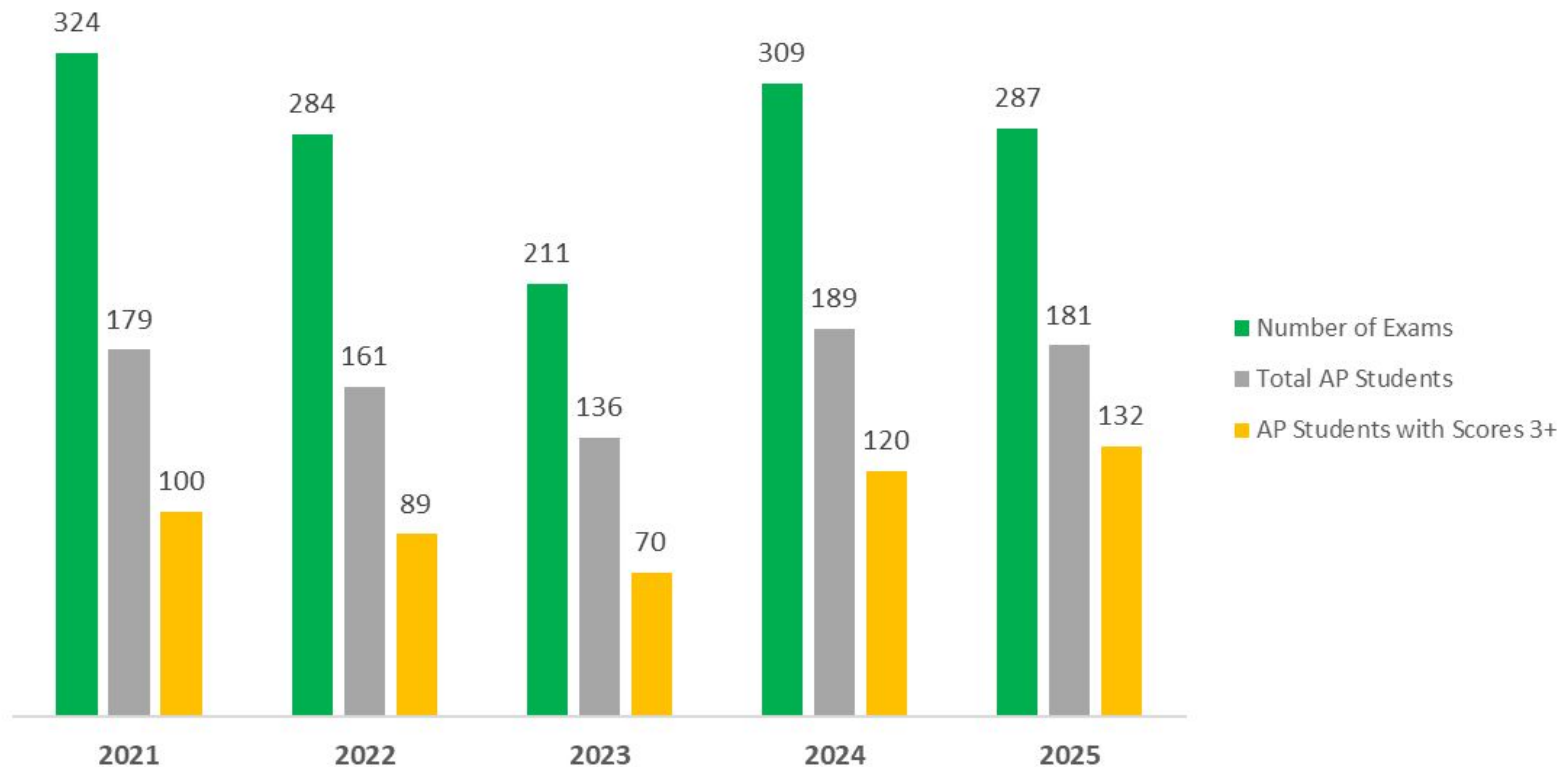


# **Advanced Placement (NFHS)**

# Percent of Total AP Students with Scores 3+



# 2021-2025 AP Exam Summary

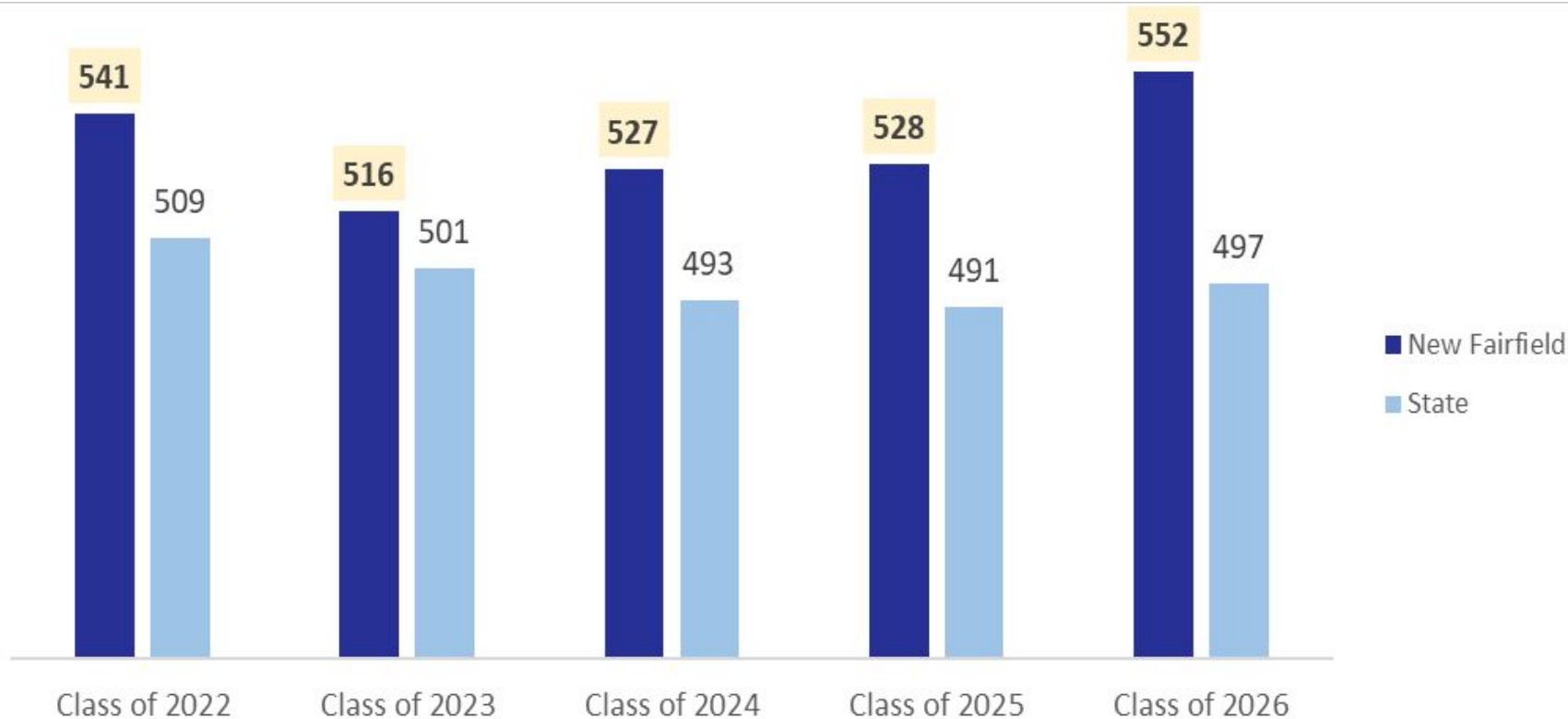




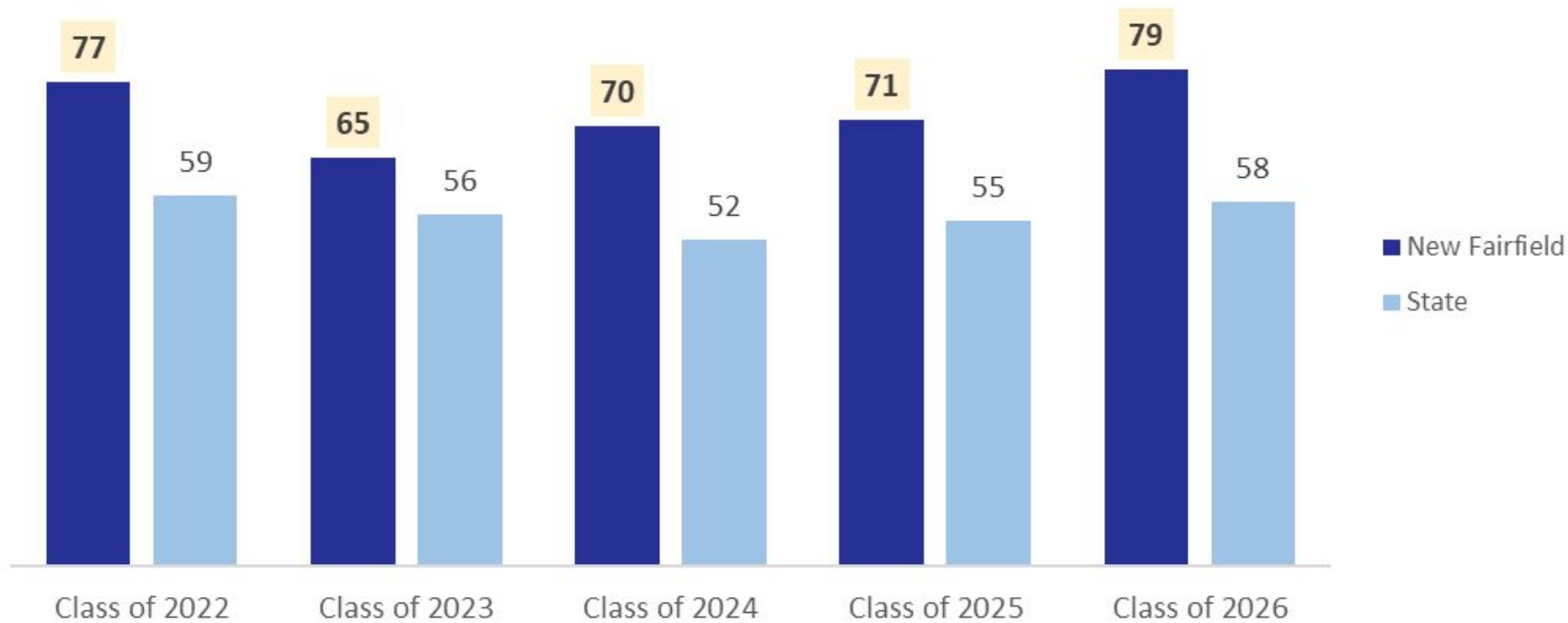
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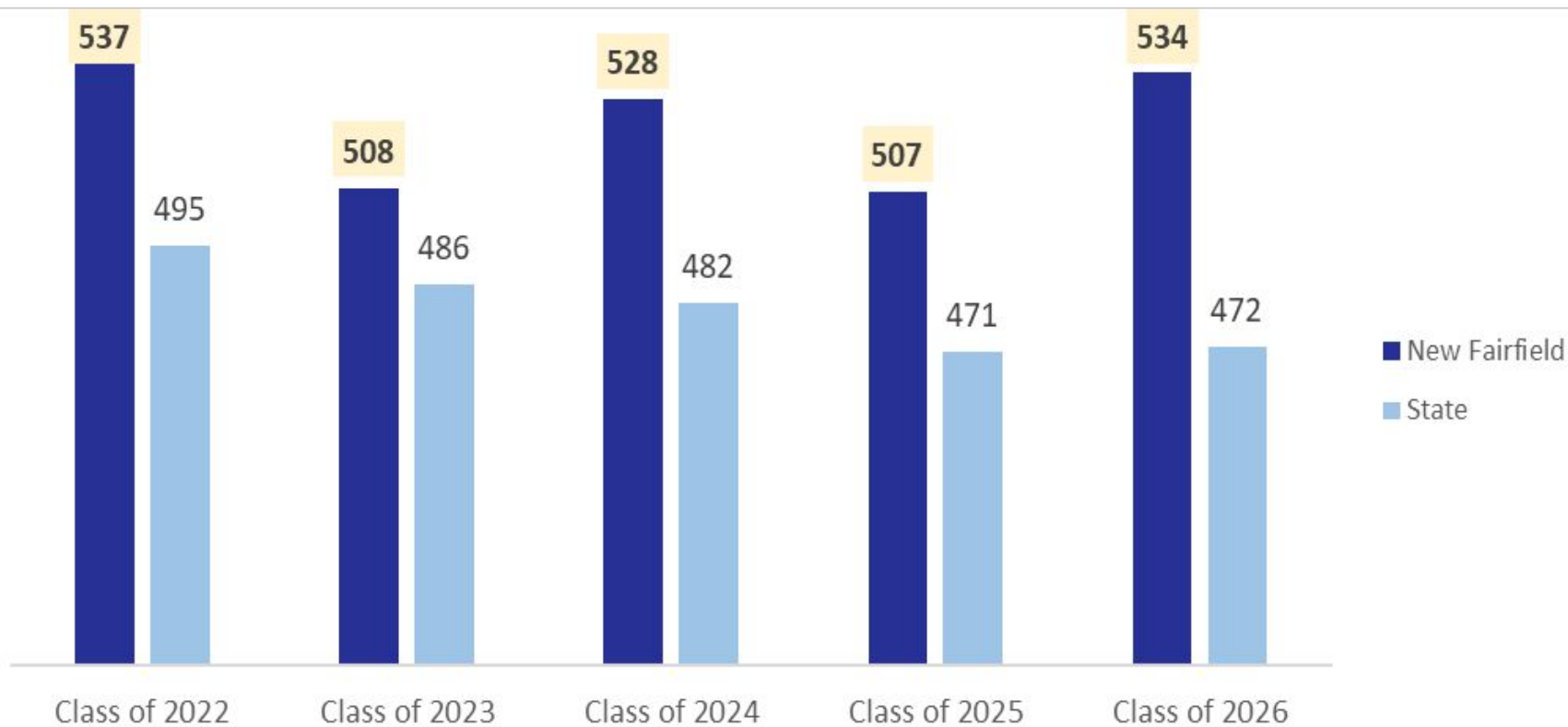
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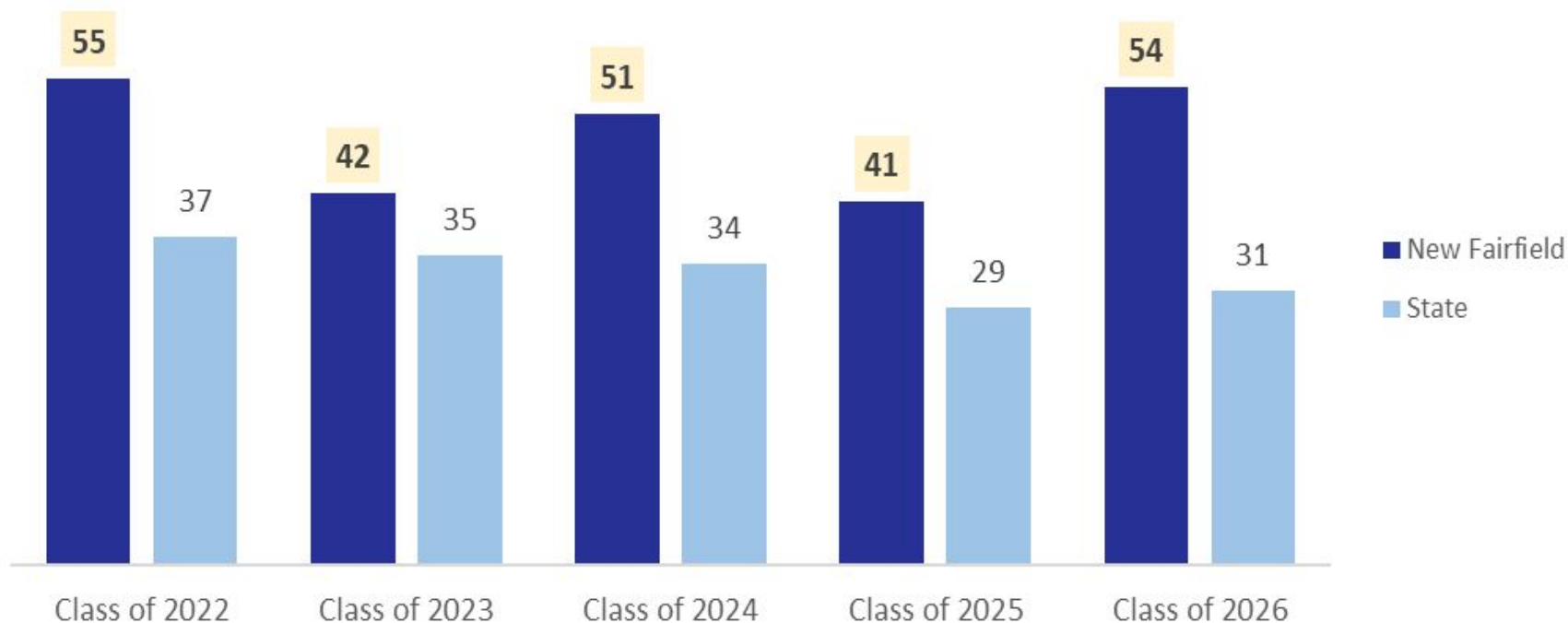
# ELA SAT School Day Percent Meeting or Exceeding Benchmark



# Math CT SAT School Day Average Score Trend



# Math SAT School Day Percent Meeting or Exceeding Benchmark



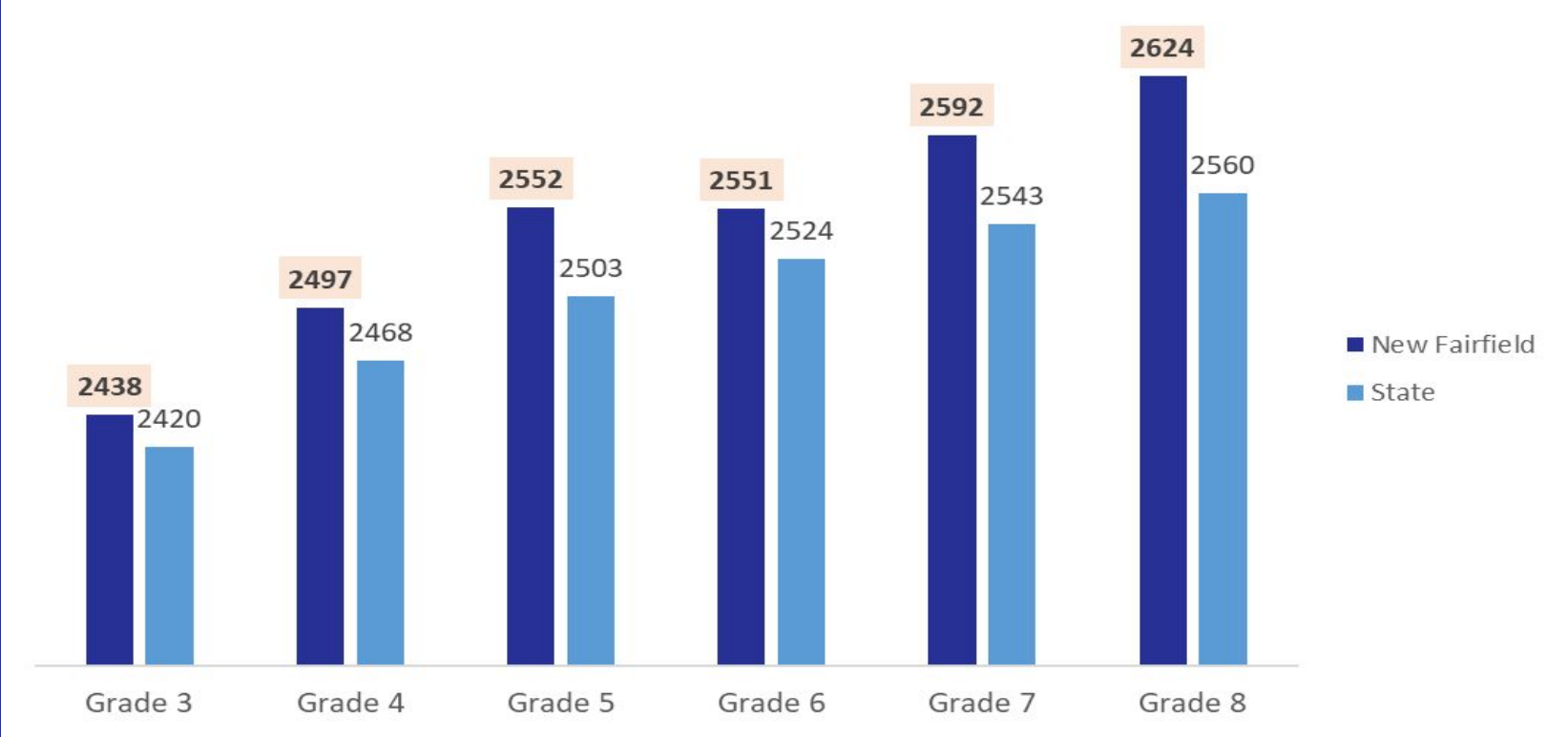


# **Smarter Balanced Assessments**

## **(ELA / Math, Grades 3-8)**

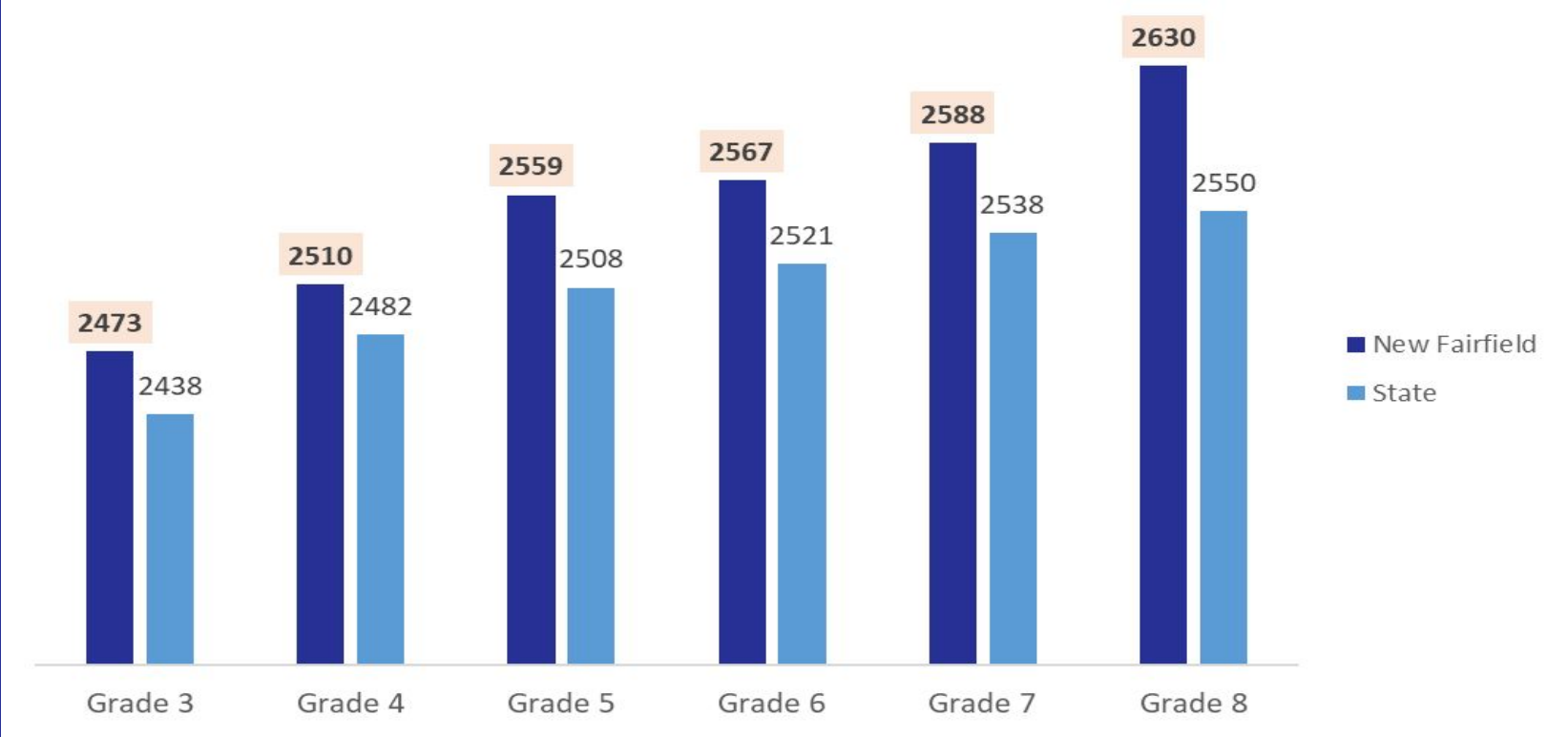
# 2025 SBAC Average Scaled Score Compared to State Average

## English Language Arts



# 2025 SBAC Average Scaled Score Compared to State Average

## Mathematics



**ELA** - Percent Meeting or Exceeding Benchmark on SBAC by Cohort

| Grade |   | 20-21 | 21-22 | 22-23 | 23-24 | 24-25 |
|-------|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| NFES  | 3 | 55    | 52    | 61    | 58    | 58    |
|       | 4 | 61    | 70    | 60    | 66    | 64    |
|       | 5 | 59    | 74    | 73    | 64    | 74    |
|       | 6 | 65    | 58    | 68    | 62    | 57    |
| NFMS  | 7 | 75    | 70    | 56    | 73    | 73    |
|       | 8 | 72    | 76    | 71    | 69    | 75    |



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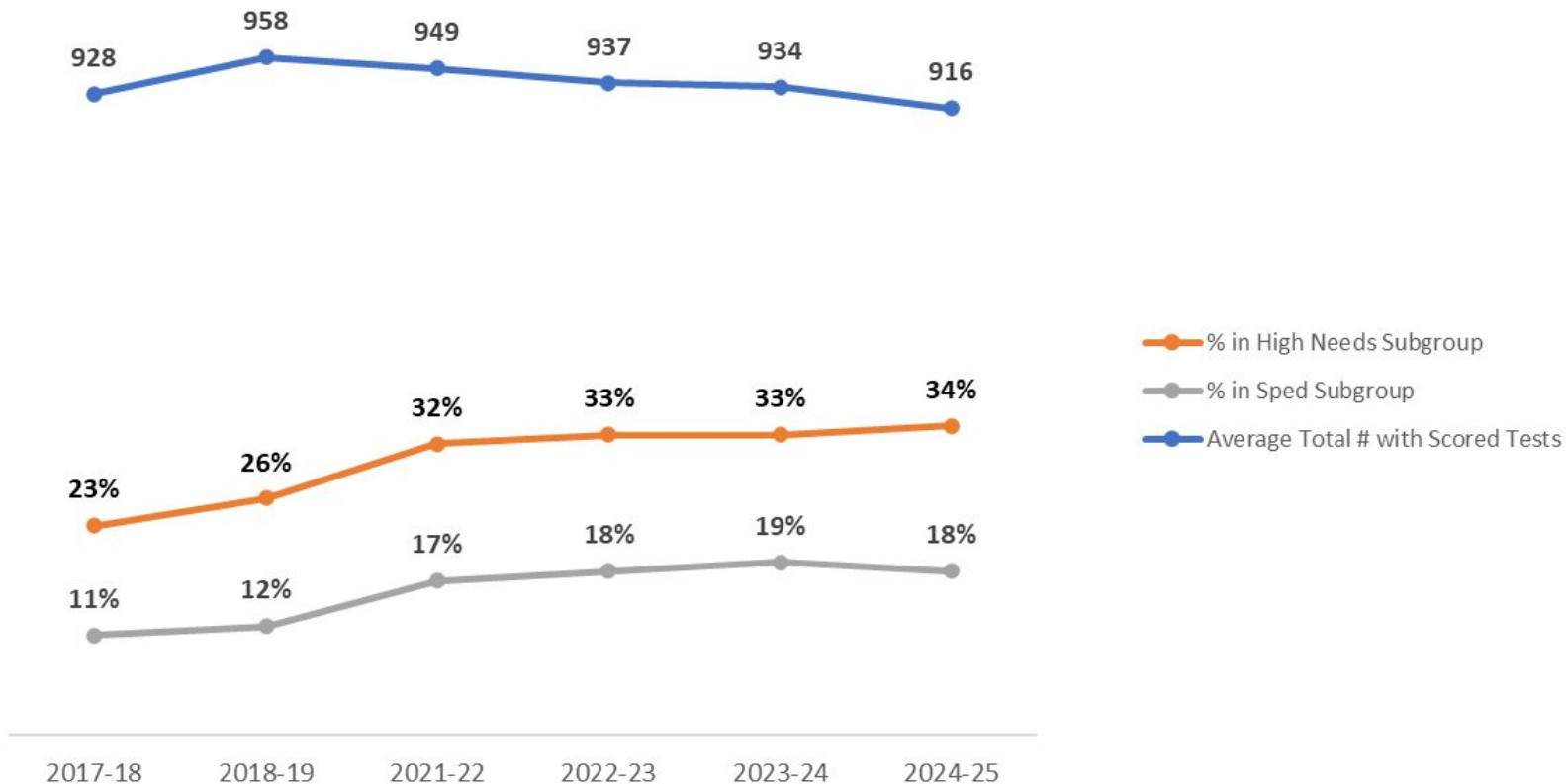
## Math - Percent Meeting or Exceeding Benchmark on SBAC by Cohort

| Grade |   | 20-21 | 21-22 | 22-23 | 23-24 | 24-25 |
|-------|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| NFES  | 3 | 55    | 64    | 78    | 64    | 66    |
|       | 4 | 58    | 66    | 73    | 73    | 65    |
|       | 5 | 46    | 67    | 65    | 66    | 72    |
|       | 6 | 54    | 58    | 66    | 61    | 60    |
| NFMS  | 7 | 56    | 59    | 62    | 68    | 64    |
|       | 8 | 47    | 67    | 60    | 55    | 70    |

## Math - Percent Meeting or Exceeding Benchmark on SBAC by Cohort

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|       | 8 | 47    | 67    | 60    | 55    | 70    |

# Grades 3-8 SBAC Total Number with Scored Tests in **High Needs** and **Special Education** Subgroup





# **Next Generation Science Standards (NGSS) Assessment (Grades 5, 8, 11)**

# Science Percent Meeting or Exceeding Benchmark on NGSS

|          | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025      |
|----------|------|------|------|------|-----------|
| Grade 5  | 61   | 74   | 68   | 69   | <b>72</b> |
| Grade 8  | 60   | 73   | 70   | 62   | <b>74</b> |
| Grade 11 | 55   | 39   | 56   | 44   | <b>58</b> |



# Moving Forward: Systems

# Systems: About Curriculum

- **Continued PK-12 curriculum design**
  - 6-12 ELA / English curriculum review and research
  - Grade 6 curriculum / standards audit (ELA and math)
  - Geometry / Algebra II / Pre-calculus mathematics enhancements



# Systems: About Instruction

- **Instructional strategies for student engagement**
  - K-12 Science curriculum implementation, 25-26
  - K-8 data protocols to inform differentiated instruction / student action plans
  - High school mathematics support models
  - Science of Reading / Foundational skill instruction (K-3)
  - Special education models that support student access to grade-level curriculum

# Systems: About Assessment

- **Internal assessments for benchmarking and progress monitoring**
  - K-5 mathematics computational fluency assessments
  - Inner Orbit Science assessments embedded in 6-12 courses
  - NFHS common assessments by course
  - MTSS - progress monitoring & intervention review cycles

# **Moving Forward Together**

**Coherence and consistency**

**Shared ownership**

**Student engagement**