2019-2022 Division GR 3 Reading SOL Test Results

SOL test results for 2020-2021 reflect reduced student participation in state assessments due to COVID-19 and other pandemic-related factors. Variations in participation rates and learning conditions should be considered when reviewing 2020-2021 assessment data.

Source: Virginia Department of Education

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Albemarle County	**70**	No SOLs	**70**	**66**	**60th (T)**	**13,749**	**3,783**	**28%**	**61%**	**39%**	**12%**	**80%**	**$13,255**	**67%**	**65%**
Alexandria City	62		47	59	89th (T)	15,713	9,815	59%	27%	73%	10%	77%	$17,858	60%	74%
Fauquier County	**66**		**63**	**66**	**60th (T)**	**10,875**	**2,784**	**26%**	**64%**	**36%**	**14%**	**79%**	**$13,311**	**69%**	**57%**
Frederick County	**67**		**56**	**65**	**68th (T)**	**13,876**	**5,732**	**41%**	**66%**	**34%**	**14%**	**85%**	**$12,567**	**67%**	**48%**
Hanover County	78		73	75	22rd (T)	16,865	4,127	25%	76%	24%	14%	89%	$10,717	70%	48%
Portsmouth City	60		45	55	102nd (T)	13,517	6,842	51%	17%	83%	12%	81%	$11,350	67%	27%
Roanoke City	63		47	45	122nd (T)	13,722	8,138	59%	32%	68%	16%	72%	$11,833	65%	29%
Roanoke County	**80**		**72**	**81**	**14th**	**13,731**	**4,320**	**32%**	**75%**	**25%**	**16%**	**85%**	**$10,820**	**69%**	**42%**
Rockingham County	67		50	56	98th (T)	11,310	5,055	45%	74%	26%	10%	76%	$11,554	68%	41%
Suffolk City	71		59	63	77th (T)	14,048	5,127	37%	29%	71%	12%	85%	$10,819	68%	37%
Williamsburg-James City Cty	**73**		**66**	**71**	**35th (T)**	**11,322**	**4,000**	**36%**	**55%**	**45%**	**16%**	**82%**	**$12,564**	**65%**	**56%**
York County	**83**		**86**	**86**	**8th**	**12,874**	**2,683**	**21%**	**57%**	**43%**	**12%**	**90%**	**$10,733**	**66%**	**35%**
Average	70		61	66		13,467	5,201	39%	53%	47%	13%	82%	$12,282	67%	47%
State	71	No SOLs	61	68								82%	$12,492	67%	47%
Six Divison Peers (in red)	**73**		**69**	**73**		**12,738**	**3,884**	**31%**	**63%**	**37%**	**14%**	**84%**	**$12,208**	**67%**	**51%**
Lexington City (#1 ranking)	96		89	93	1st	476	145	31%	78%	22%	8%	86%	$11,733	78%	42%
Charlottesville City	71		55	70	39th (T)	4,260	1,994	47%	41%	59%	14%	83%	$17,480	73%	71%

Peer Group selection

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Scope: 12 school divisions selected based on enrollment

Peer group selection: Less than two significant comparison anomalies

Albemarle County Public Schools Peer Group Analysis

1. ACPS 2021/2022 third grade pass rate is 66% compared to 73% for six-division peer group and 68% for State.
 1a. ACPS trend -- 2016/17 = 71%; 2017/18 = 71%; 2018/19 = 70%; 2020/21 = 70%; 2021/22 = 66%
 1b. State trend -- 2016/17 = 75%; 2017/18 = 72%; 2018/19 = 71%; 2020/21 = 61%; 2021/22 = 68%
2. ACPS third grade reading pass rate has declined 4 percentage points, or 6% since last year. Peer group increased 4 percentage points, year-to-year.
3. ACPS is currently in an 8-way tie for 60th in the State. Peers rank as high as 8th and low as 68th.
4. ACPS has School Readiness of 80% compared to 84% for peer group and 82% for State.
5. ACPS spends $13,255 per student, $1,047, or 8.6% more than the peer group and 6.1% above the State average.
 5a. ACPS spends the second most among the peer group, yet has the second to lowest reading score
 5b. York County, which outscores ACPS by 20 points, spends $2,522 or 19% less per student.
 5c. Roanoke County, which outscores ACPS by 15 points, spends $2,435 or 18% less per student.
 5d. Williamsburg-James City County, which outscores ACPS by 5 points, spends $691 or 5% less per student.
 5e. Fauquier, the county with the highest per student expenditure at $13,311, has a pass rate equal to ACPS.
 There is an inverse relationship between expenditures and test scores.
6. ACPS receives 65% of funding from local taxes compared to 51% for the peer group and 47% statewide.
 6a. York County with the lowest % funding from local taxes (35%) and the lowest per student expenditures in the peer group has the highest reading score.
 6b. Roanoke County with the second lowest % funding from local taxes (42%) and the second lowest cost per student, has the second highest reading score.
7. The County with the lowest peer group expenditure per student (York) has the highest School Readiness at 90%, highest reading score at 86% and lowest percentage of local tax $ support at 35%.
8. ACPS direct comparison to York (best of peer group)

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ACPS vs. York	-13		-16	-20	-52	875	1,100	7%	4%	-4%	0%	-10%	$2,522	1%	30%

9. ACPS direct comparision to Frederick (worst of peer group)

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ACPS vs. York	3		14	1	8	-127	-1,949	-14%	-5%	5%	-2%	-5%	$688	0%	17%