



Aboriginal Report 2012/13 - 2016/17

How Are We Doing?

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ABORIGINAL REPORT - HOW ARE WE DOING?

The Aboriginal "How Are We Doing?" report provides information about Aboriginal students (including adults) performance in public schools.

You will notice that there are changes to historical and trend data. Once a student has self-identified as being of Aboriginal ancestry (First Nations: Status and Non-Status, Métis and Inuit), the student is included in all reported outcomes for Aboriginal students. This approach ensures a consistent methodology for identifying Aboriginal students across years, as students may self-identify as Aboriginal on some enrollments and not on others.

GUIDELINES AND TIPS - REVIEWING STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT DATA

- **Use multiple sources of information whenever possible**

To supplement the student results being reviewed, it is advisable to refer to multiple sources of performance information including information drawn at the classroom, school, district and provincial levels. This is particularly important when reviewing the performance of small numbers of students.

- **Ensure comparability of information from different sources**

When analysing student results collected from different sources, care should be taken to ensure comparability. For example, consider the similarity of test questions, student groups participating, the number of students represented, as well as the consistency in test administration.

- **Consider participation rates**

Low participation rates, or small numbers of students, may not adequately reflect the whole population. When comparing different sources of data, or trends over time, it is important to note if a change in the number of participating students would have an impact on the results.

- **Be cautious of data representing small numbers of students**

Note the number of students participating or the number of students in the population being assessed. The fewer the students, the more carefully the results need to be interpreted. If data represent fewer than 10 students, be extremely cautious. The overall results for smaller groups of students can be greatly influenced by the scores of just a few (one or two) individuals. Protection of privacy must be ensured when reporting data; see:

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- **Review data trends**

Multiple years of results are more meaningful than results for a single year. Five or more results may suggest a trend. The more results that follow the trend the greater the ability to make a prediction.

POINTS OF INQUIRY

- Are the data relevant or appropriate for what is being assessed?
- Is the population of students reflected by these data representative of achievement of all students?
- What story do these data suggest about student achievement?
- Do the data tell enough of the story? In order to provide a more complete picture, what other information should be considered?
- Are there any identifiable groups of students that should be considered?
- What alternate conclusions could be drawn from these data?

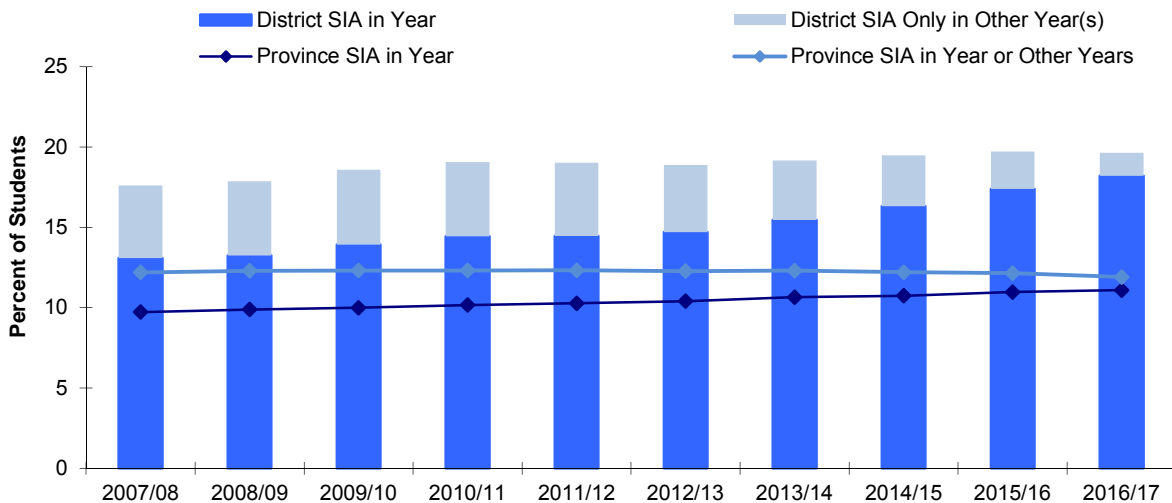
PLEASE NOTE

The Ministry makes small and continuous improvements to the quality of its data. Sometimes these changes result in differences from previously published reports. The data in this report are the most accurate data available at time of publication.

STUDENTS WHO SELF-IDENTIFY AS ABORIGINAL

School Year	District					Province				
	All Students #	SIA in Year*		SIA Only in Other Year(s)*		All Students #	SIA in Year*		SIA Only in Other Year(s)*	
		#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%
2007/08	7,392	967	13.1	334	4.5	583,619	56,760	9.7	14,419	2.5
2008/09	7,191	952	13.2	332	4.6	579,485	57,257	9.9	13,975	2.4
2009/10	7,053	982	13.9	329	4.7	580,480	58,017	10.0	13,433	2.3
2010/11	6,989	1,009	14.4	323	4.6	579,110	58,834	10.2	12,434	2.1
2011/12	6,746	975	14.5	308	4.6	569,734	58,531	10.3	11,670	2.0
2012/13	6,072	892	14.7	254	4.2	564,531	58,717	10.4	10,585	1.9
2013/14	5,957	921	15.5	220	3.7	558,983	59,502	10.6	9,265	1.7
2014/15	5,818	949	16.3	184	3.2	552,786	59,382	10.7	8,067	1.5
2015/16	5,866	1,020	17.4	136	2.3	553,377	60,706	11.0	6,463	1.2
2016/17	5,992	1,091	18.2	86	1.4	557,627	61,800	11.1	4,601	0.8

Percent of Self-Identified Aboriginal Students



Note:

"SIA in Year" - the student self-identified as Aboriginal in this year

"SIA Only in Other Year(s)" - the student did not self-identify as aboriginal in this year, but did so in at least 1 other year

"Never SIA" - the student did not self-identify as Aboriginal in this year or any other

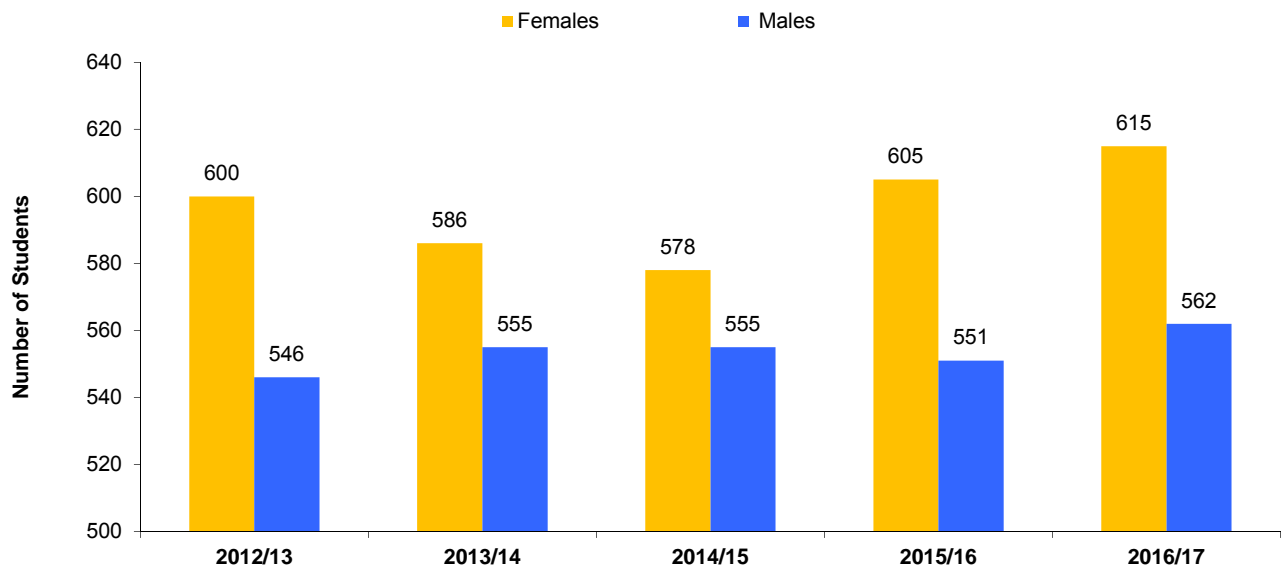
Students are classified as Aboriginal when they identify themselves as such – in other words, they “self-identify as Aboriginal” (SIA). In any given year, a student may or may not self-identify as Aboriginal. In 2003/04, the Ministry of Education (EDUC) and the First Nations Education Steering Committee (FNESC) agreed to report on the educational achievement of all students who “ever” identified themselves as Aboriginal. In EDUC’s standard reports, students are categorized as Aboriginal if they self-identified as Aboriginal at any point during their time in K-12.

This table shows the number of students who (1) self-identified as Aboriginal in a given school year and those who (2) did not self-identify as Aboriginal in that particular year, yet did so in other years. The "Province" columns show the same information, but for all public schools in the province.

ABORIGINAL STUDENTS BY GENDER

School Year	All Students #	District				Province *				
		Aboriginal Students		Aboriginal Females	% of All Students	Aboriginal Males	% of All Students	Aboriginal Students #	Aboriginal Females #	Aboriginal Males #
		#	%	#		#		#	#	#
2012/13	6,072	1,146	18.9	600	9.9	546	9.0	69,302	34,502	34,800
2013/14	5,957	1,141	19.2	586	9.8	555	9.3	68,767	34,140	34,627
2014/15	5,818	1,133	19.5	578	9.9	555	9.5	67,449	33,388	34,061
2015/16	5,866	1,156	19.7	605	10.3	551	9.4	67,169	33,129	34,040
2016/17	5,992	1,177	19.6	615	10.3	562	9.4	66,401	32,785	33,616

Number of Aboriginal Students by Gender

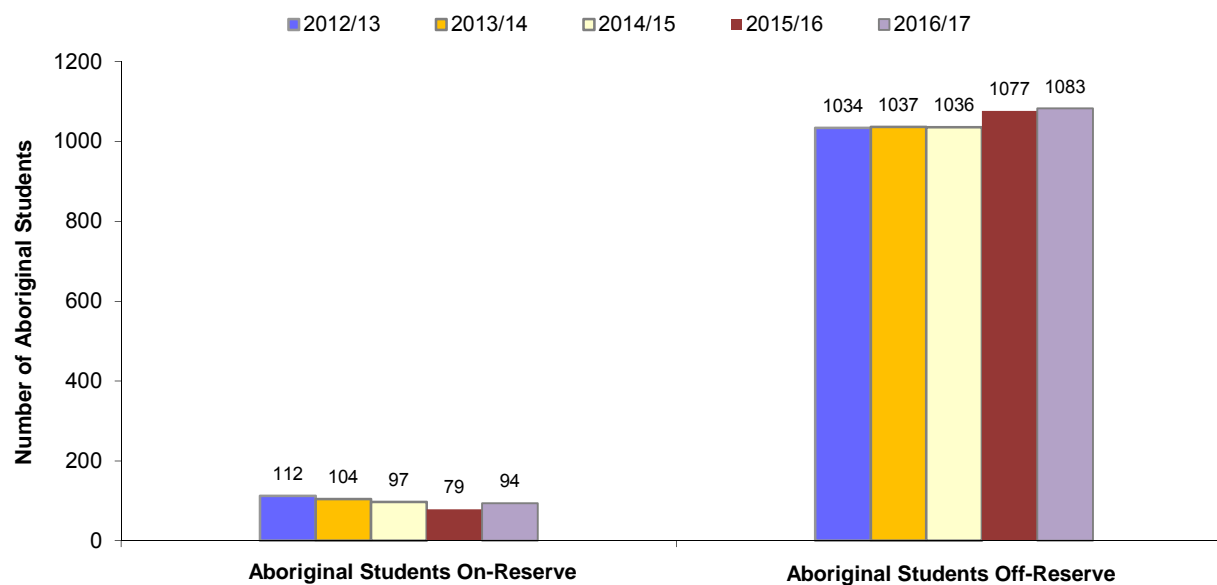


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ABORIGINAL STUDENTS ON- OR OFF-RESERVE

School Year	District							Province *	
	Aboriginal Students #	On-Reserve			Off-Reserve			Aboriginal Students On-Reserve	Aboriginal Students Off-Reserve
		Aboriginal Females #	Aboriginal Males #	Total Aboriginal #	Aboriginal Females #	Aboriginal Males #	Total Aboriginal #	Total Aboriginal #	Total Aboriginal #
2012/13	1,146	58	54	112	542	492	1,034	8,926	60,376
2013/14	1,141	52	52	104	534	503	1,037	8,812	59,955
2014/15	1,133	54	43	97	524	512	1,036	8,143	59,306
2015/16	1,156	44	35	79	561	516	1,077	7,694	59,475
2016/17	1,177	48	46	94	567	516	1,083	7,285	59,116

District Data: Number of Aboriginal Students, On- or Off-Reserve

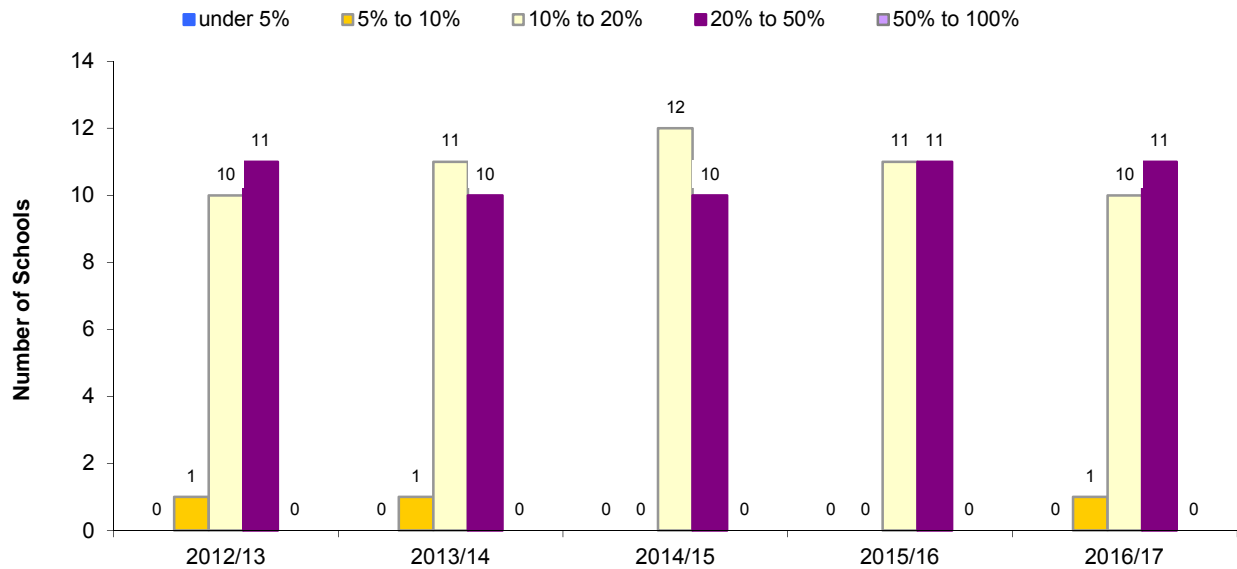


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NUMBER OF STANDARD PUBLIC SCHOOLS BY PERCENTAGE OF ABORIGINAL STUDENTS

School Year	District						Province *					
	Total Schools #	Number of Schools					Total Schools #	Number of Schools				
		under 5 %	5 to 10 %	10 to 20 %	20 to 50 %	50 to 100 %		under 5 %	5 to 10 %	10 to 20 %	20 to 50 %	50 to 100 %
2012/13	22	0	1	10	11	0	1,403	379	241	353	336	94
2013/14	22	0	1	11	10	0	1,393	374	243	341	340	95
2014/15	22	0	0	12	10	0	1,385	395	227	333	334	96
2015/16	22	0	0	11	11	0	1,380	401	224	347	316	92
2016/17	22	0	1	10	11	0	1,369	405	232	346	294	92

SD Data: Number of Schools with Aboriginal Students (%)

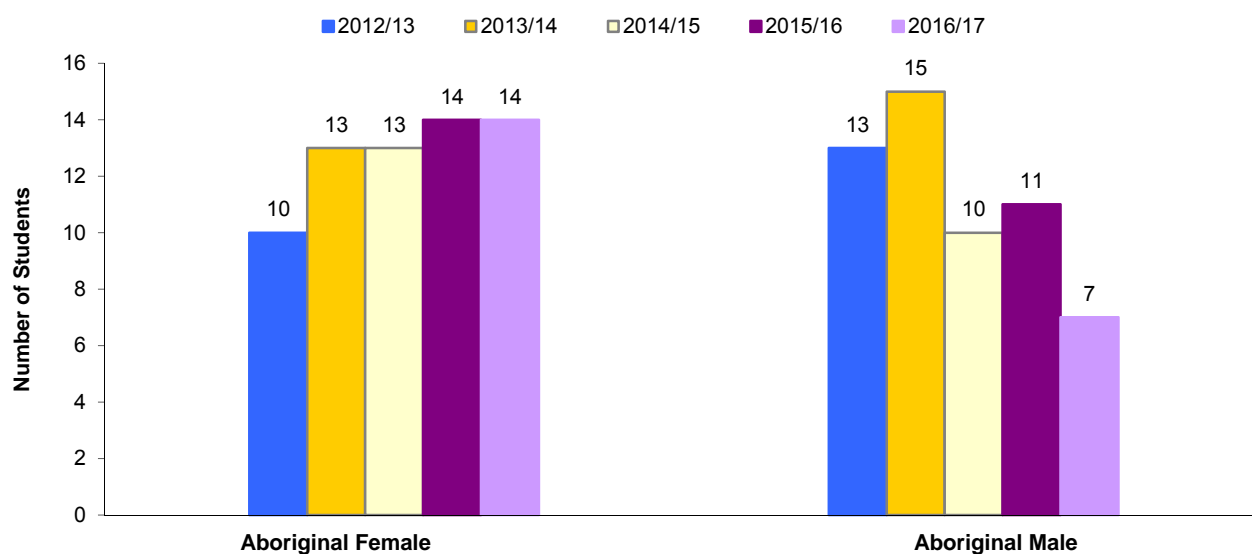


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STUDENTS IN ALTERNATE PROGRAMS

School Year	Total Students #	District						Province *			
		Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal			Aboriginal		Non-Aboriginal	
		Female #	Male #	Total #	Female #	Male #	Total #	Female #	Male #	Female #	Male #
2012/13	54	10	13	23	13	18	31	1,697	1,632	2,227	2,965
2013/14	74	13	15	28	17	29	46	1,610	1,594	2,033	2,757
2014/15	62	13	10	23	18	21	39	1,596	1,558	1,981	2,619
2015/16	65	14	11	25	16	24	40	1,609	1,524	2,022	2,477
2016/17	44	14	7	21	9	14	23	1,604	1,539	2,038	2,472

SD Data: Number of Aboriginal Students in Alternate Programs



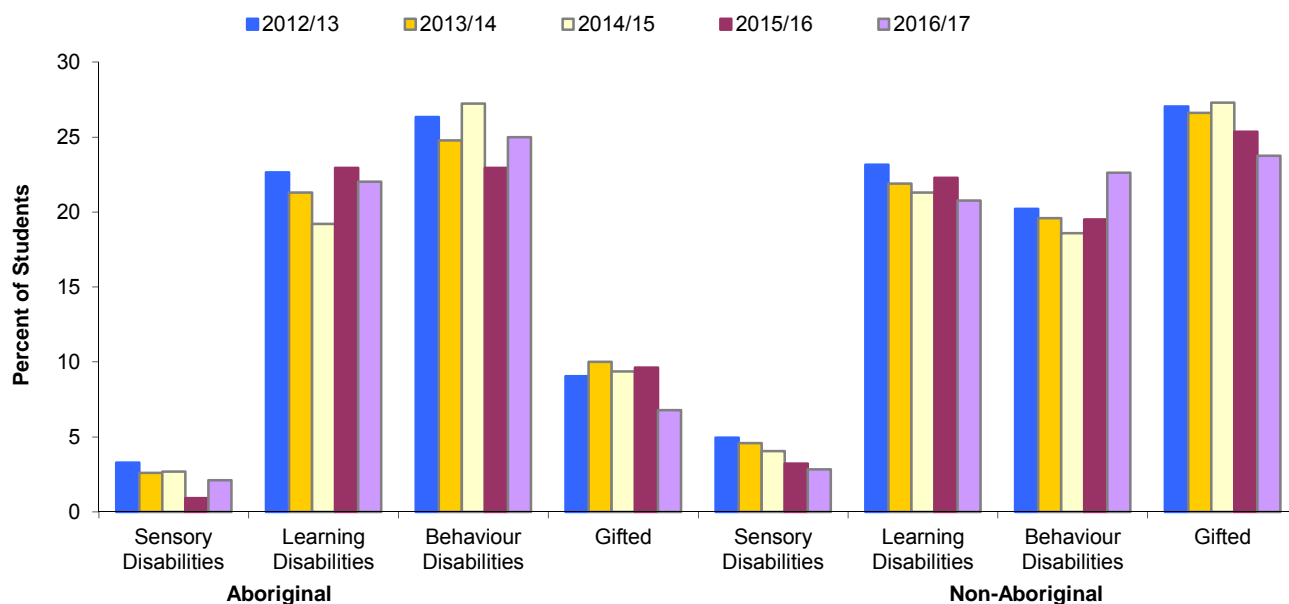
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STUDENTS IN SPECIAL NEEDS PERFORMANCE REPORTING GROUPS

Performance Reporting Groups: Sensory Disabilities includes categories E (Visual Impairment) and F (Deaf or Hard of Hearing); Learning Disabilities includes Category Q (Learning Disability); Behaviour Disabilities includes categories H (Intensive Behaviour Interventions/Serious Mental Illness) and R (Moderate Behaviour Support/Mental Illness); and Gifted includes Category P (Gifted).

School Year	Special Needs Ab #	Special Needs Non-Ab #	Sensory Disabilities				Learning Disabilities				Behaviour Disabilities				Gifted			
			Aboriginal		Non-Aboriginal		Aboriginal		Non-Aboriginal		Aboriginal		Non-Aboriginal		Aboriginal		Non-Aboriginal	
			#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
2012/13	243	747	8	3	37	5	55	23	173	23	64	26	151	20	22	9	202	27
2013/14	230	699	6	3	32	5	49	21	153	22	57	25	137	20	23	10	186	27
2014/15	224	667	6	3	27	4	43	19	142	21	61	27	124	19	21	9	182	27
2015/16	218	651	2	1	21	3	50	23	145	22	50	23	127	20	21	10	165	25
2016/17	236	703	5	2	20	3	52	22	146	21	59	25	159	23	16	7	167	24

Percent of Students in Special Needs Performance Reporting Groups



GRADE DISTRIBUTION OF STUDENTS WITH BEHAVIOUR DISABILITIES

Behaviour Disabilities Group includes categories H (Intensive Behaviour Interventions/Serious Mental Illness) and R (Moderate Behaviour Support/Mental Illness).

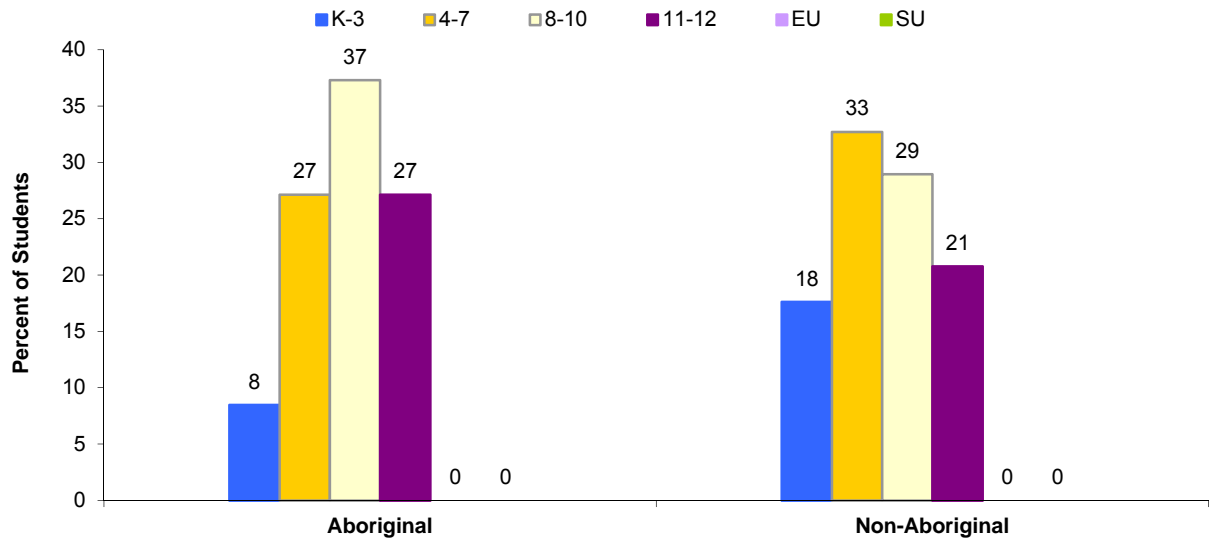
Aboriginal Students

School Year	Total Behaviour Disabilities* #	K-3		4-7		8-10		11-12		Elementary Ungraded (EU)		Secondary Ungraded (SU)	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
2012/13	64	8	13	18	28	24	38	14	22	0	0	0	0
2013/14	57	7	12	15	26	16	28	19	33	0	0	0	0
2014/15	61	6	10	13	21	18	30	24	39	0	0	0	0
2015/16	50	3	6	11	22	17	34	19	38	0	0	0	0
2016/17	59	5	8	16	27	22	37	16	27	0	0	0	0

Non-Aboriginal Students

School Year	Total Behaviour Disabilities* #	K-3		4-7		8-10		11-12		Elementary Ungraded (EU)		Secondary Ungraded (SU)	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
2012/13	151	19	13	44	29	46	30	42	28	0	0	0	0
2013/14	137	17	12	43	31	41	30	36	26	0	0	0	0
2014/15	124	16	13	31	25	45	36	32	26	0	0	0	0
2015/16	127	17	13	35	28	42	33	33	26	0	0	0	0
2016/17	159	28	18	52	33	46	29	33	21	0	0	0	0

Students with Behaviour Disabilities - Grade Distribution 2016/17



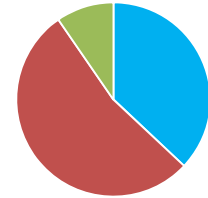
* Total includes Graduated Adults.

FOUNDATION SKILLS ASSESSMENT (FSA) RESULTS: READING COMPREHENSION, GRADE 4

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GRADE 4: ABORIGINAL

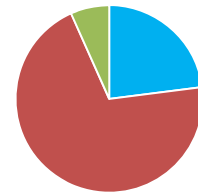
School Year	Writers Only #	Participation %	Not Yet Meeting		Meeting		Exceeding	
			#	%	#	%	#	%
2012/13	65	83	14	22	44	68	7	11
2013/14	70	84	21	30	44	63	5	7
2014/15	79	81	19	24	55	70	5	6
2015/16	77	89	39	51	32	42	6	8
2016/17	73	81	27	37	39	53	7	10



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- Exceeding

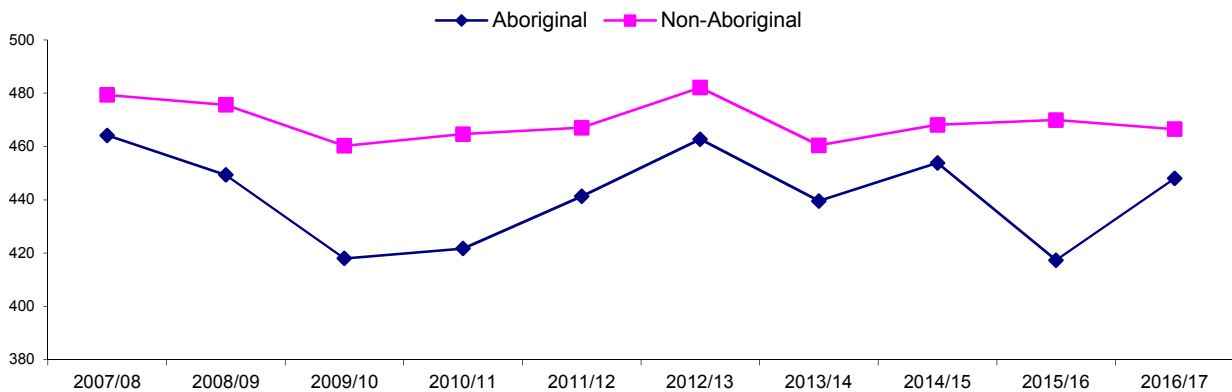
GRADE 4: NON-ABORIGINAL

School Year	Writers Only #	Participation %	Not Yet Meeting		Meeting		Exceeding	
			#	%	#	%	#	%
2012/13	294	88	59	20	197	67	38	13
2013/14	277	88	73	26	179	65	25	9
2014/15	326	90	80	25	213	65	33	10
2015/16	329	92	76	23	217	66	36	11
2016/17	344	88	79	23	242	70	23	7



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Average FSA Scaled Score - Grade 4 Reading

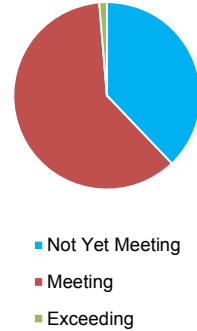


FOUNDATION SKILLS ASSESSMENT (FSA) RESULTS: WRITING, GRADE 4

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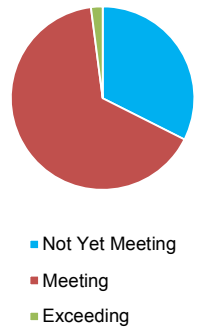
GRADE 4: ABORIGINAL

School Year	Writers Only #	Participation %	Not Yet Meeting		Meeting		Exceeding	
			#	%	#	%	#	%
2012/13	64	82	23	36	41	64	0	0
2013/14	71	86	27	38	44	62	0	0
2014/15	74	76	31	42	43	58	0	0
2015/16	76	87	30	39	45	59	1	1
2016/17	74	82	28	38	45	61	1	1

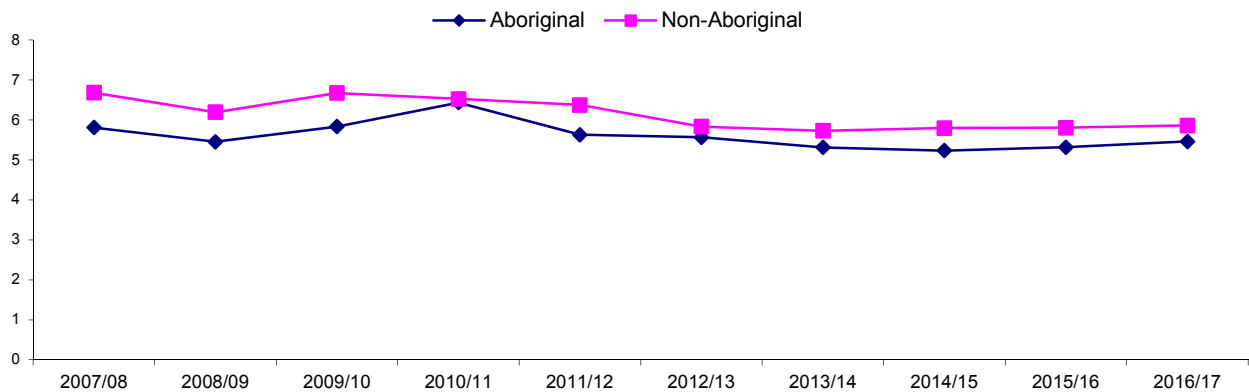


GRADE 4: NON-ABORIGINAL

School Year	Writers Only #	Participation %	Not Yet Meeting		Meeting		Exceeding	
			#	%	#	%	#	%
2012/13	294	88	94	32	193	66	7	2
2013/14	276	87	99	36	167	61	10	4
2014/15	323	89	102	32	219	68	2	1
2015/16	322	90	99	31	221	69	2	1
2016/17	342	88	111	32	224	65	7	2



Average FSA Scaled Score - Grade 4 Writing



FOUNDATION SKILLS ASSESSMENT (FSA) RESULTS: NUMERACY, GRADE 4

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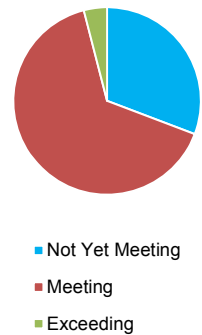
GRADE 4: ABORIGINAL

School Year	Writers Only #	Participation %	Not Yet Meeting		Meeting		Exceeding	
			#	%	#	%	#	%
2012/13	66	85	27	41	35	53	4	6
2013/14	69	83	28	41	37	54	4	6
2014/15	77	79	25	32	51	66	1	1
2015/16	76	87	44	58	29	38	3	4
2016/17	74	82	28	38	45	61	1	1

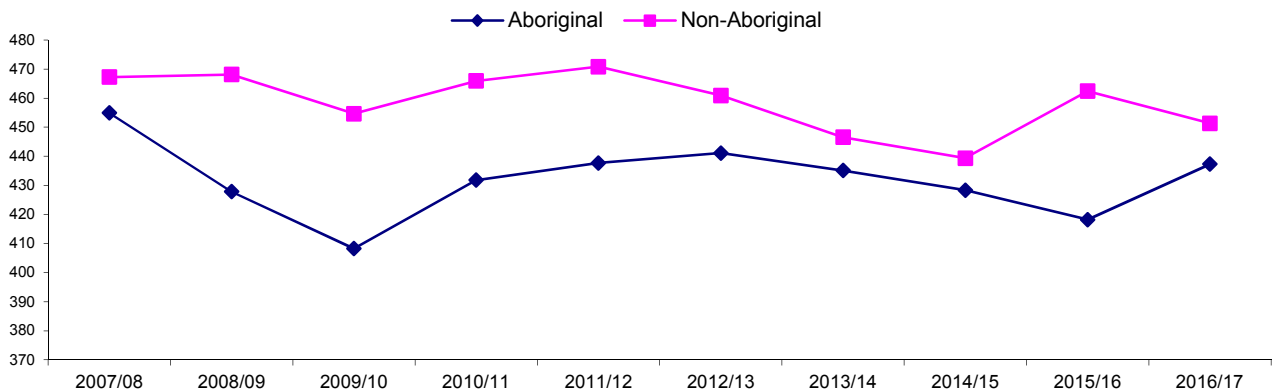


GRADE 4: NON-ABORIGINAL

School Year	Writers Only #	Participation %	Not Yet Meeting		Meeting		Exceeding	
			#	%	#	%	#	%
2012/13	295	89	93	32	190	64	12	4
2013/14	284	90	106	37	167	59	11	4
2014/15	328	91	136	41	174	53	18	5
2015/16	328	92	96	29	218	66	14	4
2016/17	348	89	107	31	227	65	14	4



Average FSA Scaled Score - Grade 4 Numeracy

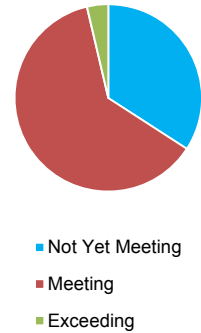


FOUNDATION SKILLS ASSESSMENT (FSA) RESULTS: READING COMPREHENSION, GRADE 7

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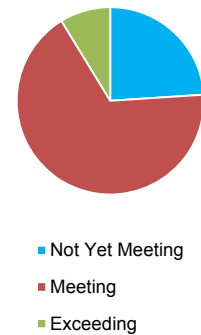
GRADE 7: ABORIGINAL

School Year	Writers Only #	Participation %	Not Yet Meeting		Meeting		Exceeding	
			#	%	#	%	#	%
2012/13	66	71	30	45	34	52	2	3
2013/14	79	87	40	51	35	44	4	5
2014/15	63	73	29	46	32	51	2	3
2015/16	65	77	21	32	41	63	3	5
2016/17	82	86	28	34	51	62	3	4

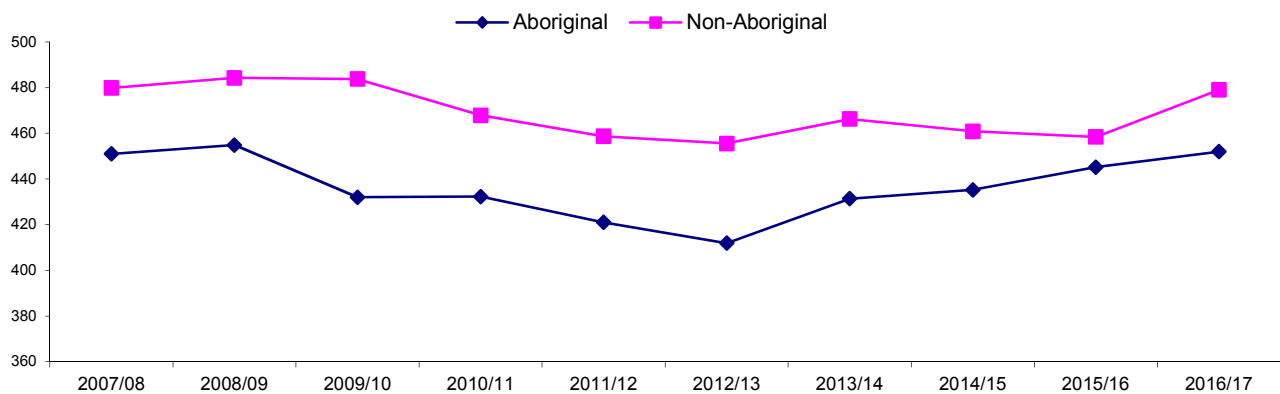


GRADE 7: NON-ABORIGINAL

School Year	Writers Only #	Participation %	Not Yet Meeting		Meeting		Exceeding	
			#	%	#	%	#	%
2012/13	293	89	96	33	179	61	18	6
2013/14	330	85	106	32	202	61	22	7
2014/15	274	88	90	33	162	59	22	8
2015/16	289	86	91	31	181	63	17	6
2016/17	309	92	74	24	208	67	27	9



Average FSA Scaled Score - Grade 7 Reading

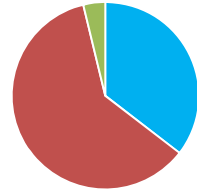


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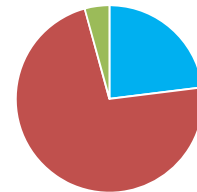
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			#	%	#	%	#	%
2012/13	65	70	28	43	37	57	0	0
2013/14	77	85	23	30	53	69	1	1
2014/15	64	74	24	38	40	63	0	0
2015/16	64	76	17	27	46	72	1	2
2016/17	79	83	28	35	48	61	3	4



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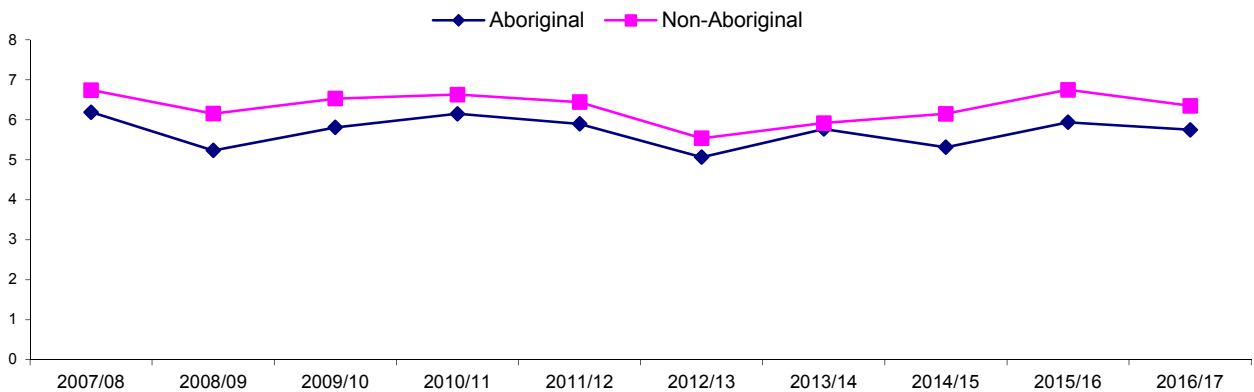
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			#	%	#	%	#	%
2012/13	284	86	99	35	182	64	3	1
2013/14	322	83	78	24	238	74	6	2
2014/15	275	88	68	25	205	75	2	1
2015/16	287	86	52	18	210	73	25	9
2016/17	304	90	70	23	221	73	13	4



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Average FSA Scaled Score - Grade 7 Writing

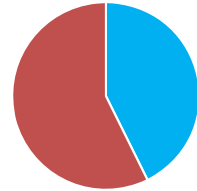


FOUNDATION SKILLS ASSESSMENT (FSA) RESULTS: NUMERACY, GRADE 7

To provide a more accurate reflection of students' overall foundation skills levels, the percentages reported are relative to "writers only" (only those who wrote the assessment). This is a change from the years before 2014/15, when the reported percentages were relative to all students who were expected to write the assessment.

GRADE 7: ABORIGINAL

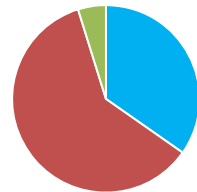
School Year	Writers Only #	Participation %	Not Yet Meeting		Meeting		Exceeding	
			#	%	#	%	#	%
2012/13	68	73	45	66	22	32	1	1
2013/14	81	89	43	53	38	47	0	0
2014/15	65	76	35	54	29	45	1	2
2015/16	67	80	40	60	27	40	0	0
2016/17	82	86	35	43	47	57	0	0



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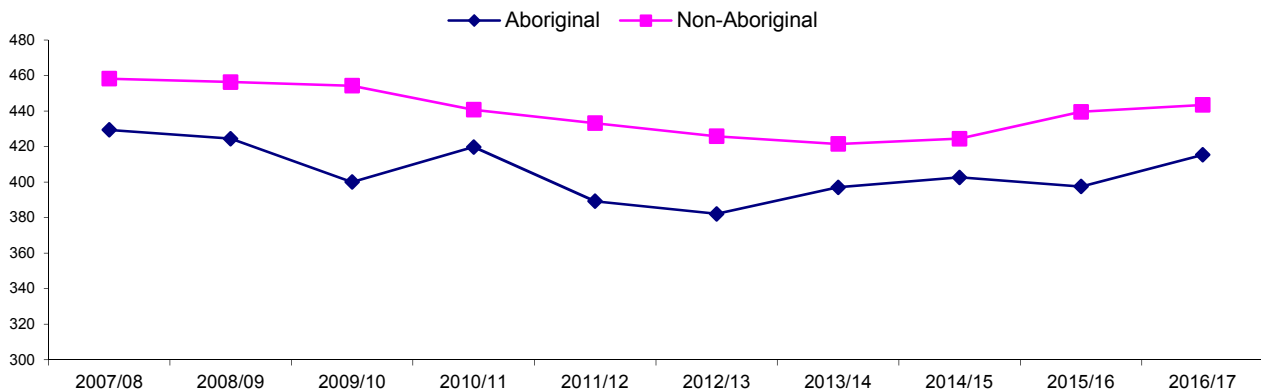
GRADE 7: NON-ABORIGINAL

School Year	Writers Only #	Participation %	Not Yet Meeting		Meeting		Exceeding	
			#	%	#	%	#	%
2012/13	290	88	112	39	170	59	8	3
2013/14	329	85	151	46	167	51	11	3
2014/15	276	89	121	44	148	54	7	3
2015/16	284	85	112	39	158	56	14	5
2016/17	311	92	108	35	188	60	15	5



- Not Yet Meeting
- Meeting
- Exceeding

Average FSA Scaled Score - Grade 7 Numeracy



FINAL MARK RESULTS: OVERVIEW

Certain courses must be taken in Grades 10, 11 and 12 in order to meet graduation requirements. Results presented in this section include graduation program exams written in August, November, January, April and June of the school year indicated.

The final mark for a course is derived from the course mark (classroom work) and the exam mark. As the course mark measures performance for the duration of the course and the exam evaluates performance through large-scale testing, the results of these two indicators may vary. In Grades 10 and 11 the exam scores provide 20% towards the final mark and in Grade 12 the exam scores provide 40% towards the final mark (exception: BC First Nations Studies 12 exam provides 20% of the final mark).

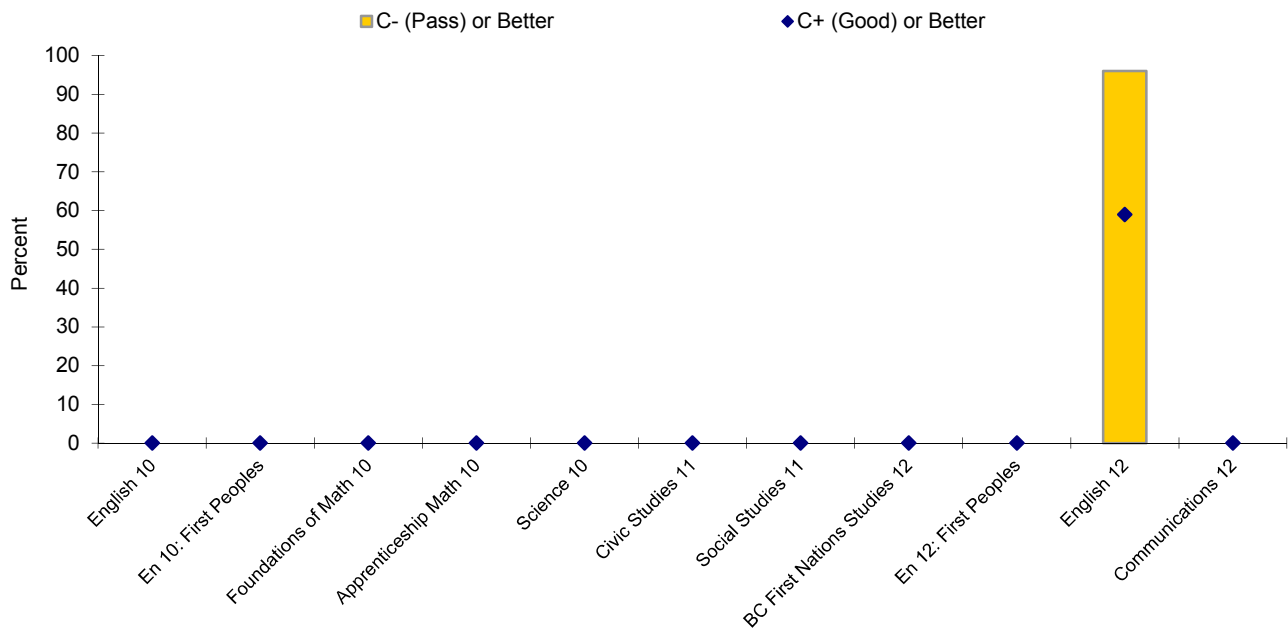
A blended final mark is reported when a student has been assigned a course mark and an exam mark. The marks presented in this section represent the "best marks" obtained in the year indicated. In cases where a student retakes a course or rewrites an exam in a subsequent year, a new blended final mark is reported in the year a course mark or exam mark is submitted.

Starting in 2016/17, course-based provincial exams are being replaced by Numeracy and Literacy assessments. This move was based on consultation with the Advisory Group on Provincial Assessment. For more information, please visit the BC's new curriculum website <https://curriculum.gov.bc.ca/graduation-info/>

COURSES LEADING TO GRADUATION

	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better		Students Assigned Final Mark	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better	
	#	#	%	#	%	#	#	%	#	%
English 10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
English 10: First Peoples	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Foundations of Math 10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Apprenticeship Math 10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Science 10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Civic Studies 11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Social Studies 11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BC First Nations Studies 12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
English 12: First Peoples	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
English 12	56	54	96	33	59	311	302	97	226	73
Communications 12	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	40	39	98	21	53

Final Marks Overview: Aboriginal Results 2016/17

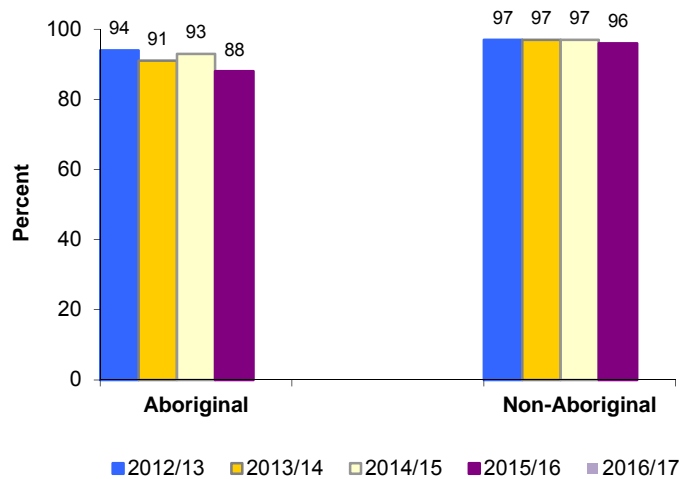


FINAL MARKS: ENGLISH 10

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better		Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better	
		#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%
2012/13	89	84	94	36	40	414	400	97	281	68
2013/14	76	69	91	33	43	356	345	97	231	65
2014/15	80	74	93	37	46	375	364	97	252	67
2015/16	73	64	88	34	47	324	311	96	198	61
2016/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal			
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 10 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark		Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 10 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark		
			Gr 10 #	Non-Gr 10 ² #			Gr 10 #	Non-Gr 10 ² #	
2012/13	89	108	80	9	414	441	383	31	
2013/14	76	100	71	5	356	393	335	21	
2014/15	80	92	68	12	375	395	338	37	
2015/16	73	99	64	9	324	346	302	22	
2016/17	-	105	-	-	-	402	-	-	

ENGLISH 10: C- (Pass) or Better



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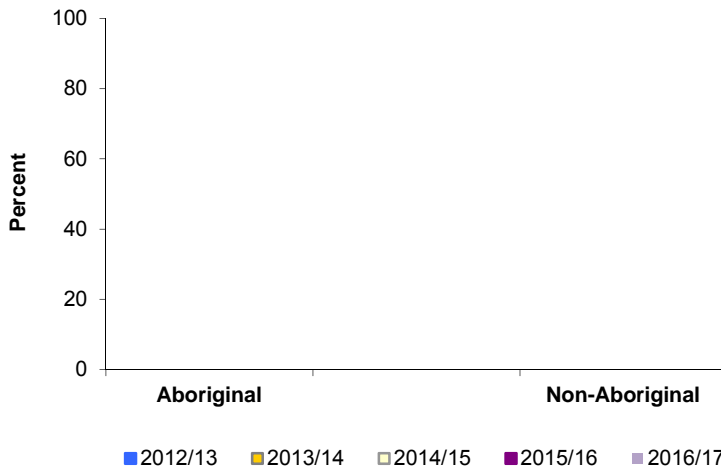
² Non-Gr 10 represents students who are taking a Grade 10 level course but are not in Grade 10.

FINAL MARKS: ENGLISH 10: FIRST PEOPLES

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better		Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better	
		#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%
2012/13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2013/14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2014/15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2015/16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2016/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

School Year	Aboriginal				Non-Aboriginal			
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 10 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark		Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 10 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark	
			Gr 10 #	Non-Gr 10 ² #			Gr 10 #	Non-Gr 10 ² #
2012/13	-	108	-	-	-	441	-	-
2013/14	-	100	-	-	-	393	-	-
2014/15	-	92	-	-	-	395	-	-
2015/16	-	99	-	-	-	346	-	-
2016/17	-	105	-	-	-	402	-	-

**English 10: First Peoples
C- (Pass) or Better**



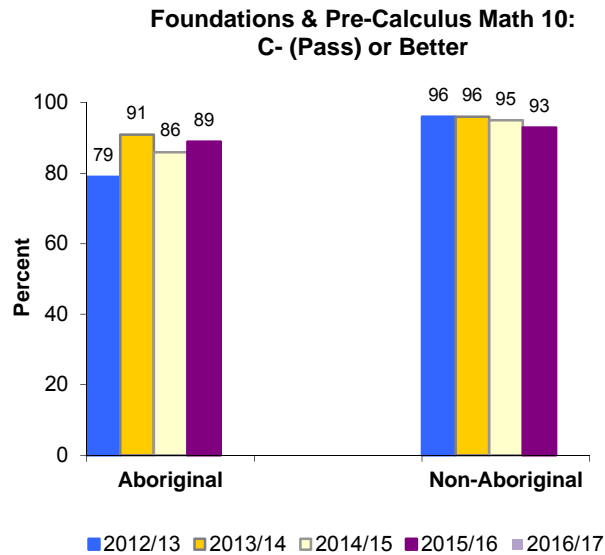
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FINAL MARKS: FOUNDATIONS & PRE-CALCULUS MATH 10

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better		Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better	
		#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%
2012/13	42	33	79	19	45	332	319	96	203	61
2013/14	47	43	91	18	38	286	274	96	155	54
2014/15	37	32	86	21	57	284	270	95	173	61
2015/16	35	31	89	14	40	239	223	93	137	57
2016/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal			
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 10 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark		Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 10 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark		
			Gr 10 #	Non-Gr 10 ² #			Gr 10 #	Non-Gr 10 ² #	
2012/13	42	108	36	6	332	441	305	27	
2013/14	47	100	40	7	286	393	257	29	
2014/15	37	92	32	5	284	395	260	24	
2015/16	35	99	30	5	239	346	226	13	
2016/17	-	105	-	-	-	402	-	-	



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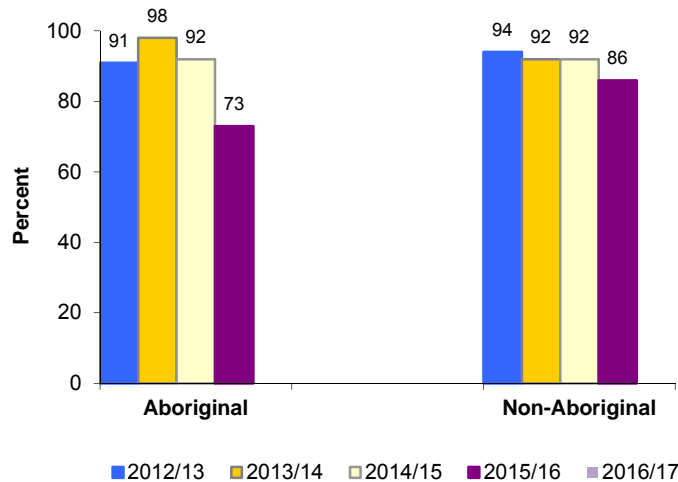
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FINAL MARKS: APPRENTICESHIP AND WORKPLACE MATH 10

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better		Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better	
		#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%
2012/13	57	52	91	27	47	94	88	94	54	57
2013/14	40	39	98	16	40	95	87	92	43	45
2014/15	39	36	92	19	49	89	82	92	42	47
2015/16	51	37	73	10	20	101	87	86	34	34
2016/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 10 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark		Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 10 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark			
			Gr 10 #	Non-Gr 10 ² #			Gr 10 #	Non-Gr 10 ² #		
2012/13	57	108	42	15	94	441	69	25		
2013/14	40	100	29	11	95	393	77	18		
2014/15	39	92	31	8	89	395	65	24		
2015/16	51	99	37	14	101	346	70	31		
2016/17	-	105	-	-	-	402	-	-		

Apprenticeship And Workplace Math 10: C- (Pass) or Better



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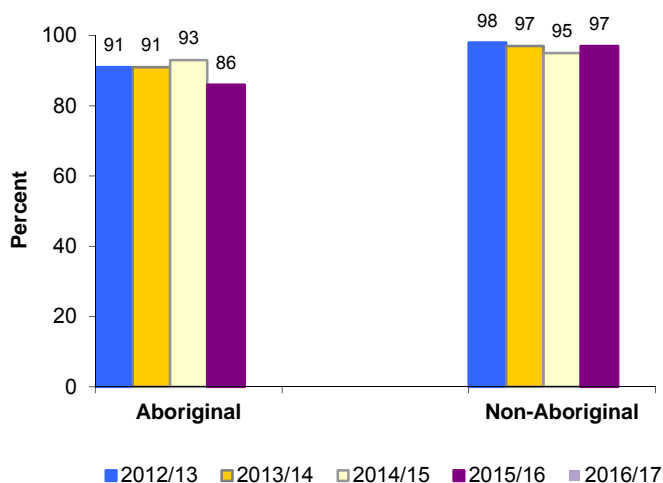
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FINAL MARKS: SCIENCE 10

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better		Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better	
		#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%
2012/13	89	81	91	38	43	409	400	98	277	68
2013/14	77	70	91	30	39	354	344	97	225	64
2014/15	74	69	93	30	41	354	338	95	220	62
2015/16	78	67	86	25	32	322	311	97	203	63
2016/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal			
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 10 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark		Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 10 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark		
			Gr 10 #	Non-Gr 10 ² #			Gr 10 #	Non-Gr 10 ² #	
2012/13	89	108	76	13	409	441	382	27	
2013/14	77	100	67	10	354	393	338	16	
2014/15	74	92	65	9	354	395	333	21	
2015/16	78	99	70	8	322	346	300	22	
2016/17	-	105	-	-	-	402	-	-	

Science 10: C- (Pass) or Better



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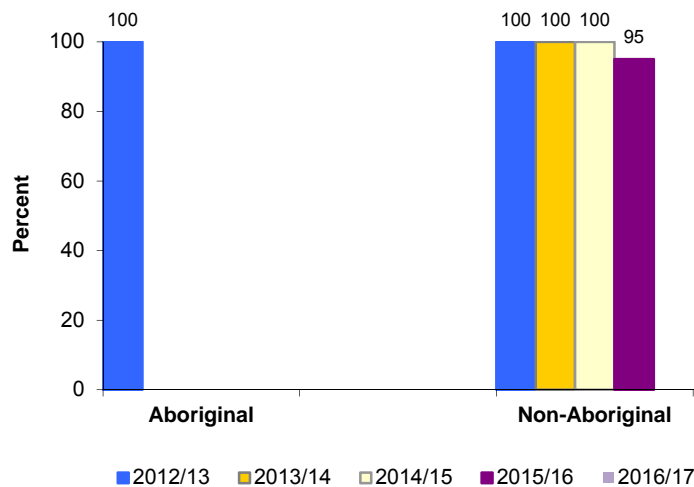
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FINAL MARKS: CIVIC STUDIES 11

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better		Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better	
		#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%
2012/13	13	13	100	8	62	42	42	100	41	98
2013/14	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	20	20	100	19	95
2014/15	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	14	14	100	11	79
2015/16	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	21	20	95	15	71
2016/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 11 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark		Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 11 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark			
			Gr 11 #	Non-Gr 11 ² #			Gr 11 #	Non-Gr 11 ² #		
2012/13	13	84	5	8	42	466	39	3		
2013/14	Msk	103	Msk	Msk	20	443	19	1		
2014/15	Msk	98	Msk	Msk	14	392	12	2		
2015/16	Msk	101	Msk	Msk	21	389	18	3		
2016/17	-	104	-	-	-	382	-	-		

Civic Studies 11: C- (Pass) or Better



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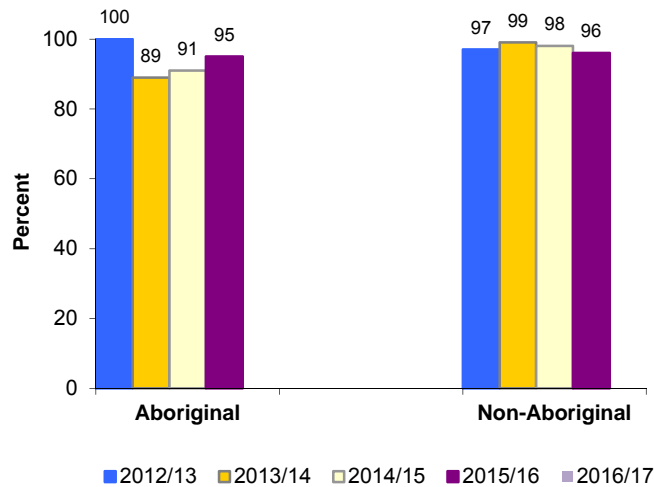
² Non-Gr 11 represents students who are taking a Grade 11 level course but are not in Grade 11.

FINAL MARKS: SOCIAL STUDIES 11

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better		Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better	
		#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%
2012/13	53	53	100	26	49	342	333	97	245	72
2013/14	57	51	89	27	47	359	357	99	243	68
2014/15	70	64	91	28	40	340	332	98	231	68
2015/16	55	52	95	29	53	311	300	96	206	66
2016/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 11 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark		Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 11 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark			
			Gr 11 #	Non-Gr 11 ² #			Gr 11 #	Non-Gr 11 ² #		
2012/13	53	84	42	11	342	466	314	28		
2013/14	57	103	51	6	359	443	329	30		
2014/15	70	98	54	16	340	392	310	30		
2015/16	55	101	49	6	311	389	283	28		
2016/17	-	104	-	-	-	382	-	-		

Social Studies 11: C- (Pass) or Better



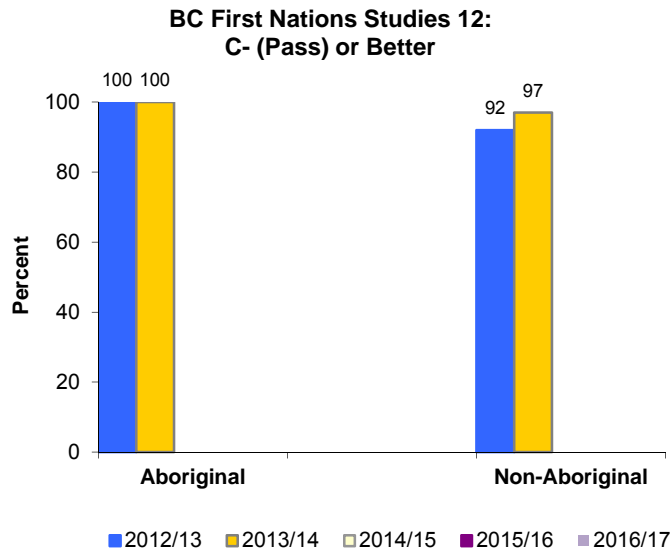
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² Non-Gr 11 represents students who are taking a Grade 11 level course but are not in Grade 11.

FINAL MARKS: BC FIRST NATIONS STUDIES 12

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better		Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better	
		#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%
2012/13	11	11	100	6	55	37	34	92	22	59
2013/14	10	10	100	3	30	35	34	97	24	69
2014/15	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk
2015/16	-	-	-	-	-	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk
2016/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 12 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark		Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 12 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark			
			Gr 12 #	Non-Gr 12 ² #			Gr 12 #	Non-Gr 12 ² #		
2012/13	11	114	7	4	37	592	16	21		
2013/14	10	100	6	4	35	522	17	18		
2014/15	Msk	111	Msk	Msk	Msk	460	Msk	Msk		
2015/16	-	100	-	-	Msk	450	Msk	Msk		
2016/17	-	103	-	-	-	426	-	-		



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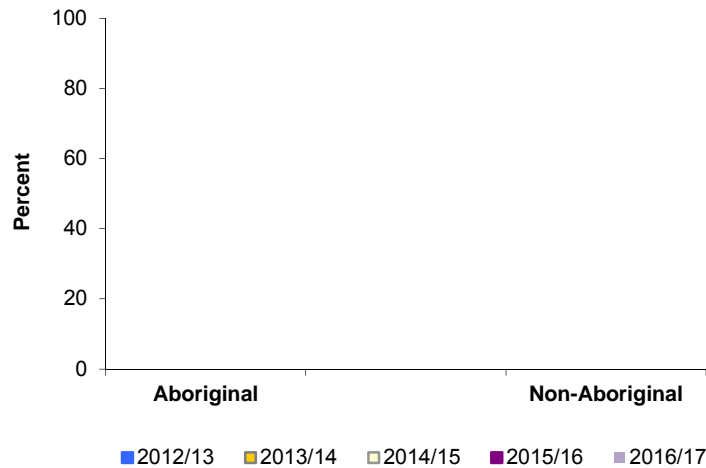
² Non-Gr 12 represents students who are taking a Grade 12 level course but are not in Grade 12.

FINAL MARKS: ENGLISH 12: FIRST PEOPLES

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better		Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better	
		#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%
2012/13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2013/14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2014/15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2015/16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2016/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 12 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark		Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 12 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark			
			Gr 12 #	Non-Gr 12 ² #			Gr 12 #	Non-Gr 12 ² #		
2012/13	-	114	-	-	-	592	-	-		
2013/14	-	100	-	-	-	522	-	-		
2014/15	-	111	-	-	-	460	-	-		
2015/16	-	100	-	-	-	450	-	-		
2016/17	-	103	-	-	-	426	-	-		

**English 12: First Peoples:
C- (Pass) or Better**



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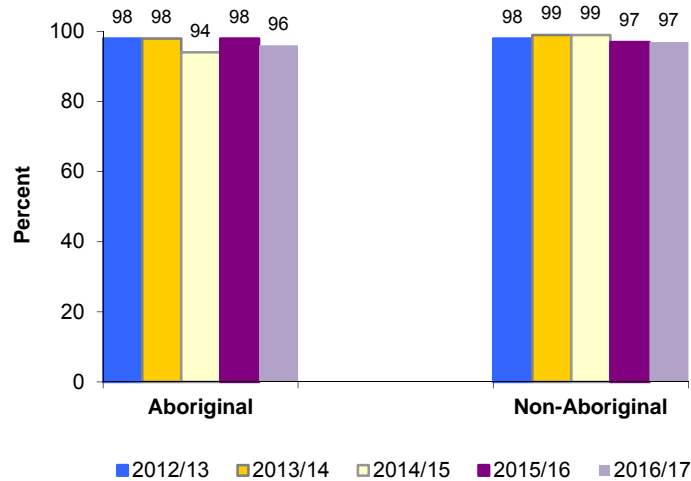
² Non-Gr 12 represents students who are taking a Grade 12 level course but are not in Grade 12.

FINAL MARKS: ENGLISH 12

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better		Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better	
		#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%
2012/13	57	56	98	33	58	400	391	98	285	71
2013/14	45	44	98	26	58	339	334	99	264	78
2014/15	49	46	94	26	53	342	340	99	244	71
2015/16	51	50	98	30	59	320	311	97	210	66
2016/17	56	54	96	33	59	311	302	97	226	73

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal			
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 12 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark		Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 12 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark		
			Gr 12 #	Non-Gr 12 ² #			Gr 12 #	Non-Gr 12 ² #	
2012/13	57	114	55	2	400	592	379	21	
2013/14	45	100	45	0	339	522	328	11	
2014/15	49	111	47	2	342	460	331	11	
2015/16	51	100	49	2	320	450	309	11	
2016/17	56	103	49	7	311	426	291	20	

English 12: C- (Pass) or Better



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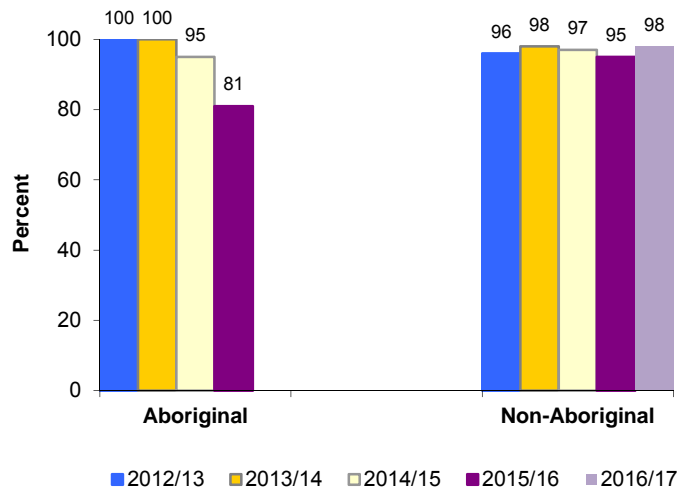
² Non-Gr 12 represents students who are taking a Grade 12 level course but are not in Grade 12.

FINAL MARKS: COMMUNICATIONS 12

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better		Students Assigned Final Mark #	C- (Pass) or Better		C+ (Good) or Better	
		#	%	#	%		#	%	#	%
2012/13	11	11	100	2	18	71	68	96	30	42
2013/14	20	20	100	10	50	61	60	98	38	62
2014/15	20	19	95	11	55	39	38	97	19	49
2015/16	16	13	81	5	31	37	35	95	19	51
2016/17	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	40	39	98	21	53

School Year	Aboriginal					Non-Aboriginal				
	Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 12 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark		Students Assigned Final Mark #	Total Gr 12 Students ¹ #	Students Assigned Final Mark			
			Gr 12 #	Non-Gr 12 ² #			Gr 12 #	Non-Gr 12 ² #		
2012/13	11	114	10	1	71	592	62	9		
2013/14	20	100	19	1	61	522	54	7		
2014/15	20	111	19	1	39	460	38	1		
2015/16	16	100	16	0	37	450	35	2		
2016/17	Msk	103	Msk	Msk	40	426	31	9		

Communications 12: C- (Pass) or Better



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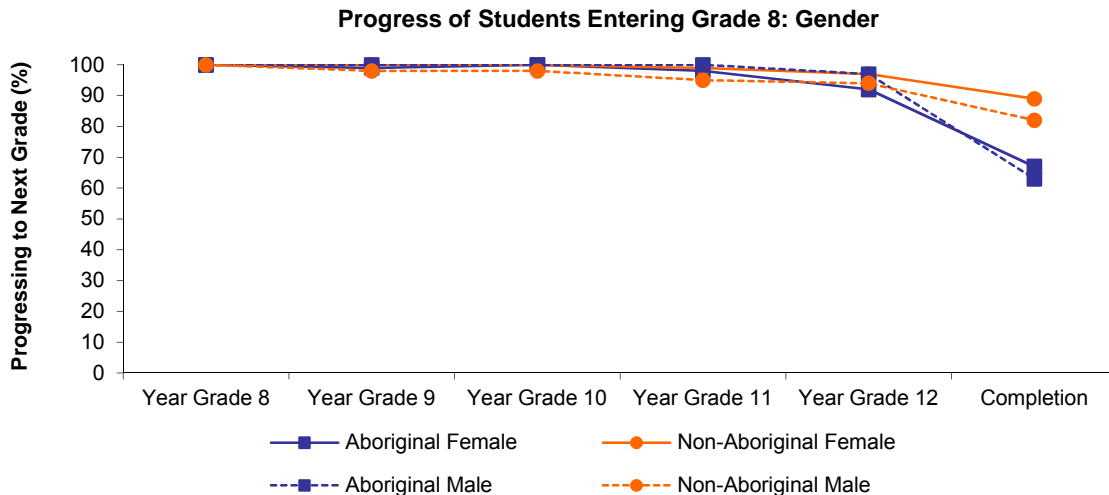
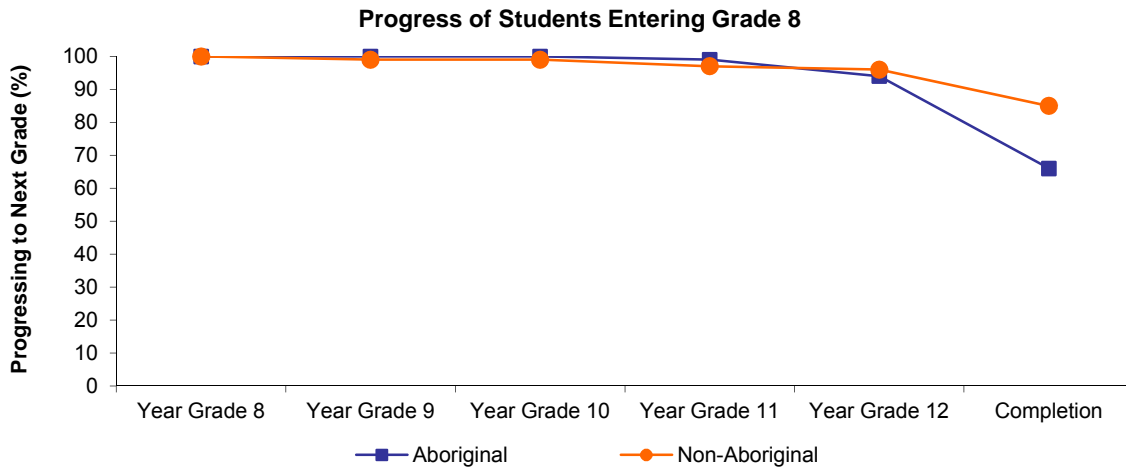
² Non-Gr 12 represents students who are taking a Grade 12 level course but are not in Grade 12.

PROGRESS OF STUDENTS ENTERING GRADE 8

The data represent a cohort of students as they progress from Grade 8 through to Grade 12 completion. Each year out-migration estimates are factored in. If a student leaves for another district, that student's information will be reported in the new district's cohort information. (Grade transition includes transitions to a higher grade in any BC Public or Independent school.)

PROGRESS OF STUDENTS ENTERING GRADE 8 IN SEPTEMBER 2011

School Year	Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
		All Students %	Female %	Male %	All Students %	Female %	Male %
2011/12	Grade 8	100	100	100	100	100	100
	Grade 9	100	99	100	99	100	98
	Grade 10	100	100	100	99	100	98
	Grade 11	99	98	100	97	99	95
	Grade 12	94	92	97	96	97	94
2016/17	Completion	66	67	63	85	89	82



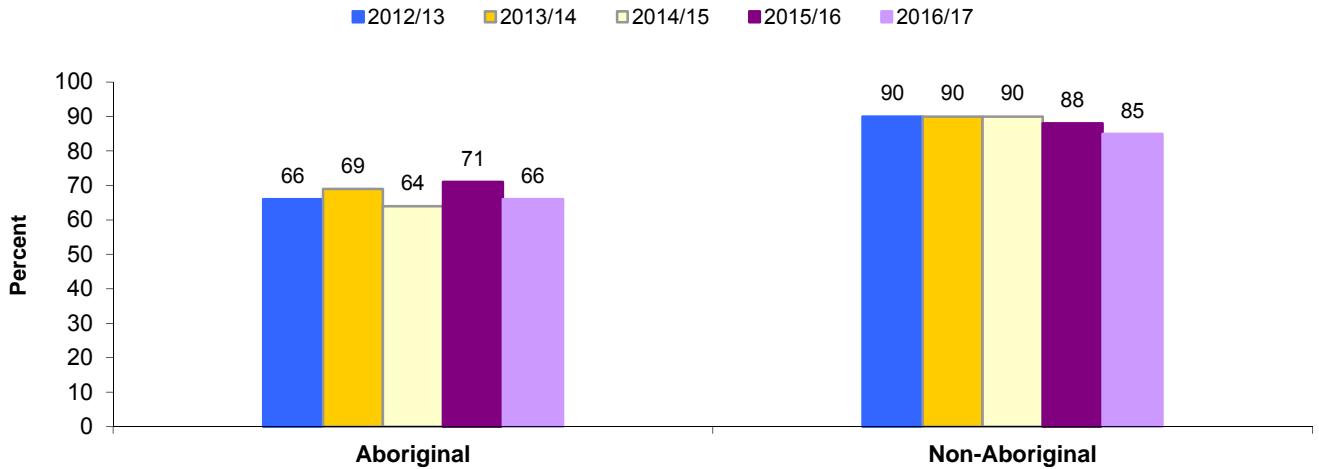
SIX-YEAR COMPLETION RATE, 2012/13 - 2016/17

The six-year completion rate is the percent of Grade 8 students who graduate with a Certificate of Graduation. It is not the inverse of a "dropout rate" as students may graduate after the six-year period.

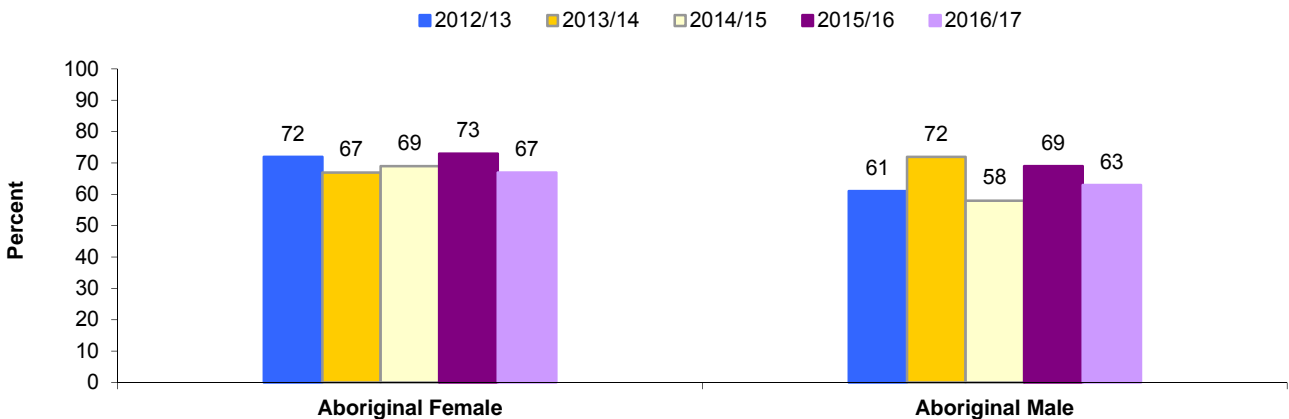
SIX-YEAR COMPLETION RATE* (ABORIGINAL STATUS AND GENDER)

School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	All Students %	Female %	Male %	All Students %	Female %	Male %
2012/13	66	72	61	90	91	88
2013/14	69	67	72	90	93	87
2014/15	64	69	58	90	93	88
2015/16	71	73	69	88	93	83
2016/17	66	67	63	85	89	82

Six-Year Completion Rate: Aboriginal/Non-Aboriginal



Six-Year Completion Rate: Aboriginal by Gender



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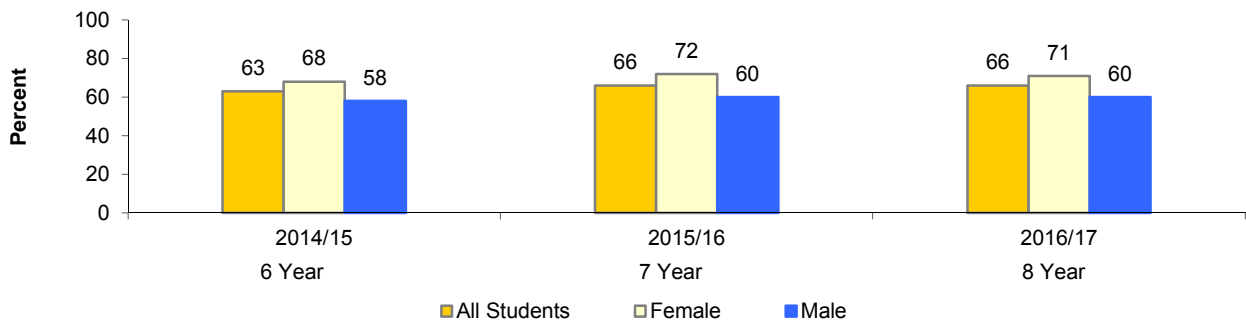
SIX-, SEVEN- AND EIGHT-YEAR SCHOOL COMPLETION RATES

The student cohort start year is the year a student enters Grade 8 for the first time. The 2010/11 and 2011/12 cohorts will be incomplete as they have not yet attained their seventh and/or eighth years. See glossary for completion rate definitions.

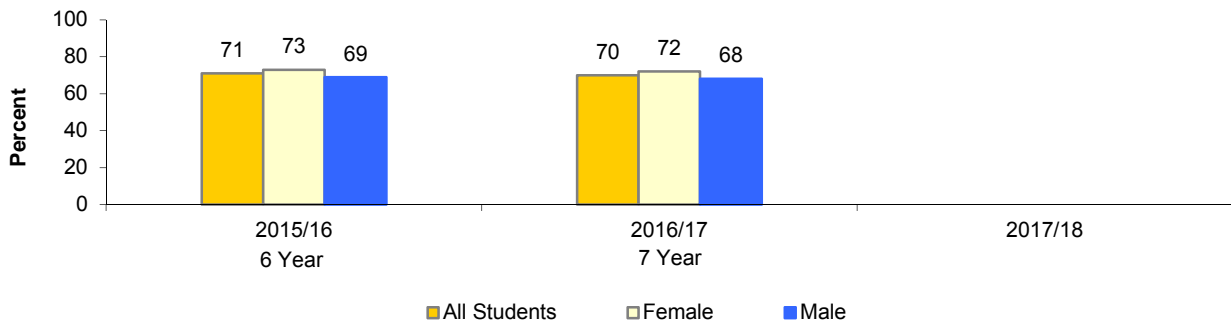
SIX-, SEVEN- AND EIGHT-YEAR COMPLETION RATES* (ABORIGINAL AND GENDER)

Student Cohort Start Year	Six-Year Completion Rate			Seven-Year Completion Rate			Eight-Year Completion Rate		
	All Aboriginal %	Female %	Male %	All Aboriginal %	Female %	Male %	All Aboriginal %	Female %	Male %
2009/10	63	68	58	66	72	60	66	71	60
2010/11	71	73	69	70	72	68	-	-	-
2011/12	66	67	63	-	-	-	-	-	-

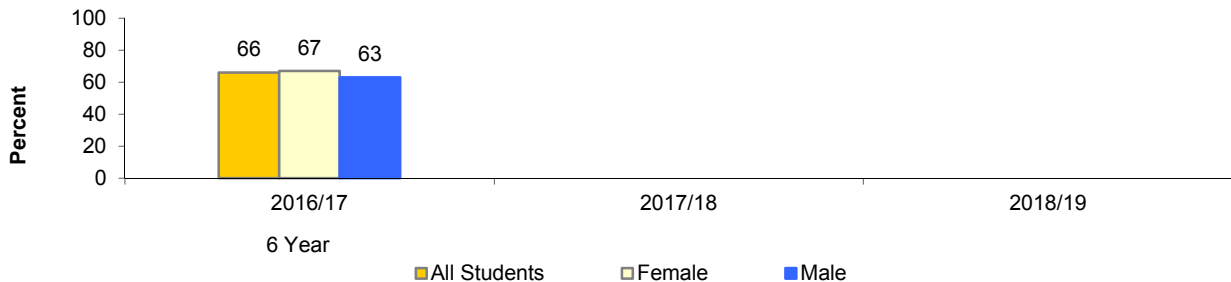
Six-, Seven- and Eight-Year Aboriginal Completion Rates, 2009/10 Cohort



Six-, Seven- and Eight-Year Aboriginal Completion Rates, 2010/11 Cohort



Six-, Seven- and Eight-Year Aboriginal Completion Rates, 2011/12 Cohort



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BC SCHOOL COMPLETION CERTIFICATE AND BC CERTIFICATE OF GRADUATION

The School Completion Certificate ("Evergreen" Certificate) was developed in the 2006/07 school year. It was a Ministry response to parents and educators who wanted to better celebrate students, primarily those with special learning needs and individual education plans, who had succeeded in meeting the goals of their educational program other than graduation.

BC SCHOOL COMPLETION CERTIFICATE ("Evergreen" Certificate)

School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	September Gr 12 Students	BC School Completion Certificate *		September Gr 12 Students	BC School Completion Certificate *	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	102	Msk	Msk	555	14	3
2013/14	92	Msk	Msk	495	Msk	Msk
2014/15	107	Msk	Msk	451	14	3
2015/16	97	Msk	Msk	441	Msk	Msk
2016/17	101	Msk	Msk	417	11	3

BC CERTIFICATE OF GRADUATION ("Dogwood" Diploma)

School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	September Gr 12 Students	BC Certificate of Graduation *		September Gr 12 Students	BC Certificate of Graduation *	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	102	64	63	555	419	75
2013/14	92	54	59	495	379	77
2014/15	107	60	56	451	359	80
2015/16	97	57	59	441	330	75
2016/17	101	49	49	417	313	75

BC ADULT GRADUATION DIPLOMA ("Adult Dogwood" Diploma)

School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	September Gr 12 Students	BC Adult Graduation Diploma *		September Gr 12 Students	BC Adult Graduation Diploma *	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	102	Msk	Msk	555	36	6
2013/14	92	Msk	Msk	495	22	4
2014/15	107	Msk	Msk	451	16	4
2015/16	97	Msk	Msk	441	11	2
2016/17	101	Msk	Msk	417	14	3

* See Glossary for definitions.

EDUCATION EXPERIENCES OF (EVER*) CHILDREN IN CARE

A Continuing Custody Order (CCO) means that the Director of Child Welfare is the sole guardian of the child, and the Public Guardian and Trustee manages the child's estate. While many children only come into the care of the Ministry of Children and Family Development (MCFD) for a brief period of time, the MCFD's relationship with children under a Continuing Custody Order is longer-term in nature. This means that the MCFD has an opportunity to positively affect the educational attainment of these children. To improve education outcomes for children under a Continuing Custody Order, a good understanding of who these children are and how they are currently performing in school must be established.

* The results below are based on students who were at one time during their K-12 school years under a CCO. These numbers are different from the MCFD report that focuses only on students who are currently under a CCO, with six-year completion results based on the students who were under a CCO while in their Grade 8 year. See the MCFD report for more details http://www.mcf.gov.bc.ca/about_us/performance.htm

CHILDREN UNDER A CONTINUING CUSTODY ORDER (EVER)

School Year	All CCOs #	Aboriginal CCOs		Non Aboriginal CCOs	
		#	%	#	%
2012/13	83	37	45	46	55
2013/14	75	32	43	43	57
2014/15	78	39	50	39	50
2015/16	62	33	53	29	47
2016/17	58	31	53	27	47

ABORIGINAL CHILDREN IN CARE AS A PERCENT OF ABORIGINAL ENROLMENT (EVER)

School Year	All Aboriginal Students #	Aboriginal Children Under a Continuing Custody Order	
		#	%
2012/13	1,146	37	3
2013/14	1,141	32	3
2014/15	1,133	39	3
2015/16	1,156	33	3
2016/17	1,177	31	3

CCO (EVER) SIX-YEAR COMPLETION RATE (ABORIGINAL STATUS AND GENDER)

School Year	All CCOs %	Aboriginal			Non Aboriginal		
		Female %	Male %	Total %	Female %	Male %	Total %
2012/13	Msk	-	Msk	Msk	Msk	-	Msk
2013/14	Msk	Msk	-	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk
2014/15	55	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk
2015/16	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	-	Msk	Msk
2016/17	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk

CCO (EVER) ELIGIBLE GRADE 12 GRADUATION RATE** (ABORIGINAL STATUS AND GENDER)

School Year	All CCOs %	Aboriginal			Non Aboriginal		
		Female %	Male %	Total %	Female %	Male %	Total %
2012/13	Msk	Msk	-	Msk	-	Msk	Msk
2013/14	Msk	Msk	-	Msk	Msk	-	Msk
2014/15	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk
2015/16	Msk	Msk	-	Msk	-	-	-
2016/17	Msk	-	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk	Msk

** See Glossary for definition

STUDENT TRANSITIONS TO BC PUBLIC POST-SECONDARY INSTITUTIONS

In recent years, numerous BC post-secondary institutions have changed their name and sector designation. Because of these changes, and to ensure consistency over time, each institution is reported under its most recent name and sector designation.

GRADE 12 GRADUATES ENTERING COMMUNITY COLLEGES

Demographic Group	Grade 12 Graduates of School Year		Year of Transition to a Community College									
	2011/12		2012/13		2013/14		2014/15		2015/16			
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%		
Aboriginal	85	100	20	23.5	6	7.1	4	4.7	3	3.5		
Non-Aboriginal	492	100	121	24.6	50	10.2	23	4.7	10	2.0		

K-12 NON-GRADUATES ENTERING COMMUNITY COLLEGES

Demographic Group	K-12 Non-Graduates of Year of Last Enrolment		Year of Transition to a Community College									
	2011/12		2012/13		2013/14		2014/15		2015/16			
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%		
Aboriginal	119	100	12	10.1	6	5.0	3	2.5	3	2.5		
Non-Aboriginal	511	100	37	7.2	20	3.9	16	3.1	10	2.0		

GRADE 12 GRADUATES ENTERING INSTITUTES

Demographic Group	Grade 12 Graduates of School Year		Year of Transition to an Institute									
	2011/12		2012/13		2013/14		2014/15		2015/16			
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%		
Aboriginal	85	100	-	-	1	1.2	-	-	-	-		
Non-Aboriginal	492	100	4	0.8	2	0.4	1	0.2	-	-		

K-12 NON-GRADUATES ENTERING INSTITUTES

Demographic Group	K-12 Non-Graduates of Year of Last Enrolment		Year of Transition to an Institute									
	2011/12		2012/13		2013/14		2014/15		2015/16			
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%		
Aboriginal	119	100	1	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Non-Aboriginal	511	100	3	0.6	5	1.0	-	-	1	0.2		

Over time, the number of non-graduates may decrease as these students complete graduation requirements and become counted as part of the graduation population.

STUDENT TRANSITIONS TO BC PUBLIC POST-SECONDARY INSTITUTIONS

For more information, see the website: www.bced.gov.bc.ca/reporting/ or www.aved.gov.bc.ca/student_transitions/

GRADE 12 GRADUATES ENTERING RESEARCH-INTENSIVE UNIVERSITIES

Demographic Group	Grade 12 Graduates of School Year 2011/12		Year of Transition to a Research-Intensive University							
	#	%	2012/13		2013/14		2014/15		2015/16	
			#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Aboriginal	85	100	5	5.9	1	1.2	-	-	-	-
Non-Aboriginal	492	100	39	7.9	6	1.2	1	0.2	1	0.2

K-12 NON-GRADUATES ENTERING RESEARCH-INTENSIVE UNIVERSITIES

Demographic Group	K-12 Non-Graduates of Year of Last Enrolment 2011/12		Year of Transition to a Research-Intensive University							
	#	%	2012/13		2013/14		2014/15		2015/16	
			#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Aboriginal	119	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Aboriginal	511	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

GRADE 12 GRADUATES ENTERING TEACHING-INTENSIVE UNIVERSITIES

Demographic Group	Grade 12 Graduates of School Year 2011/12		Year of Transition to a Teaching-Intensive University							
	#	%	2012/13		2013/14		2014/15		2015/16	
			#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Aboriginal	85	100	4	4.7	1	1.2	-	-	-	-
Non-Aboriginal	492	100	32	6.5	14	2.8	1	0.2	4	0.8

K-12 NON-GRADUATES ENTERING TEACHING-INTENSIVE UNIVERSITIES

Demographic Group	K-12 Non-Graduates of Year of Last Enrolment 2011/12		Year of Transition to a Teaching-Intensive University							
	#	%	2012/13		2013/14		2014/15		2015/16	
			#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Aboriginal	119	100	-	-	1	0.8	1	0.8	-	-
Non-Aboriginal	511	100	4	0.8	7	1.4	2	0.4	-	-

Over time, the number of non-graduates may decrease as these students complete graduation requirements and become counted as part of the graduation population.

STUDENT LEARNING SURVEY RESULTS, 2012/13 - 2016/17

The Student Learning Survey is an annual province-wide census. This means that instead of sampling a small percentage, all students in the targeted grades are encouraged to participate. Because it is a census, the survey is representative even at the school level.

Some students do not complete surveys. Overall the response rates are around 75% for elementary grades and around 40% to 50% for secondary grades.

Some demographic information is taken from survey questions (e.g. grade level, Aboriginal ancestry). The Aboriginal ancestry question is skipped by fewer than 1% of respondents, and so results by Aboriginal ancestry are considered to be representative of respondents and of the school population.

The following is a subset of questions from the Student Learning Survey. These questions were selected because they help to provide students' perspectives regarding their sense of belonging. For more information on the provincial Student Learning Survey, visit www.bced.gov.bc.ca/sat_survey/

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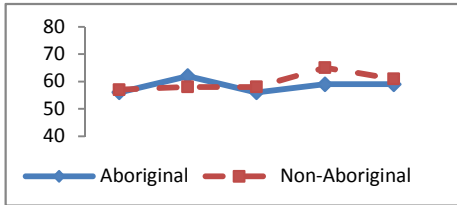
With the focus on modernizing learning there is a pressing need for information about the contexts that determines outcomes. Consequently, the ministry (working with School Districts and Students), re-designed the survey to focus on learning processes as well as satisfaction. Reflecting this change, the survey is now called the "Student Learning Survey."

In the 2016/17 Student Learning Survey, more questions have been asked, new questions related to themes and categories of interest to clients, new open – ended questions, and the survey has been "PENed".

Report users should carefully compare any results for 2016/17 against trends established in earlier years, and consider the change of 2016/17 results if they differ greatly from established trends.

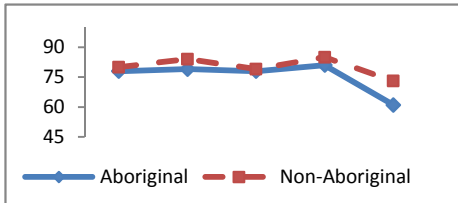
STUDENT LEARNING SURVEY RESULTS, GRADE 3/4

Do you like school?



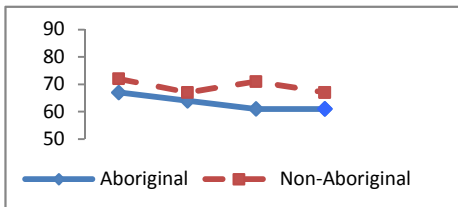
School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 4 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %		Gr 4 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %	
2012/13	68	38	56	306	173	57
2013/14	50	31	62	233	135	58
2014/15	73	41	56	329	190	58
2015/16	66	39	59	269	174	65
2016/17	71	42	59	311	190	61

Do adults in the school treat all students fairly?



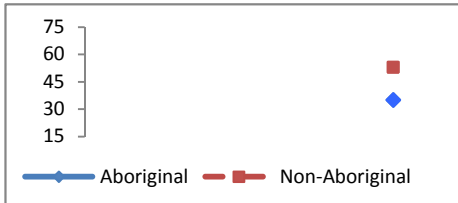
School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 4 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %		Gr 4 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %	
2012/13	64	50	78	304	244	80
2013/14	48	38	79	227	190	84
2014/15	73	57	78	318	251	79
2015/16	67	54	81	264	225	85
2016/17	72	44	61	312	227	73

Do your teachers help you with your schoolwork when you need it?



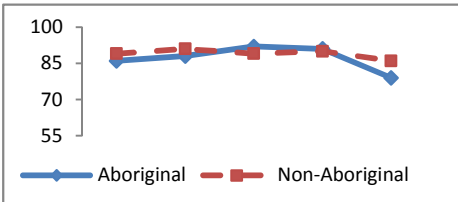
School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 4 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %		Gr 4 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %	
2012/13	69	46	67	310	222	72
2013/14	50	32	64	232	155	67
2014/15	76	46	61	330	234	71
2015/16	69	42	61	274	184	67
2016/17	-	-	-	-	-	-

How many teachers help you with your schoolwork when you need it?



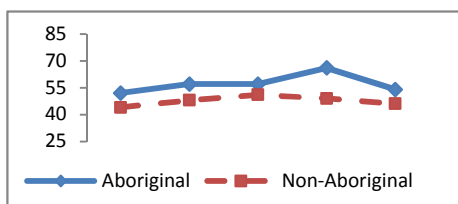
School Year	Aboriginal		Non-Aboriginal	
	Gr 4 Respondents #	All or many # %	Gr 4 Respondents #	All or many # %
2012/13	-	-	-	-
2013/14	-	-	-	-
2014/15	-	-	-	-
2015/16	-	-	-	-
2016/17	71	25 35	311	166 53

At school, do you respect people who are different from you (for example, think, act, or look different)?



School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 4 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %		Gr 4 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %	
2012/13	65	56	86	304	272	89
2013/14	51	45	88	229	208	91
2014/15	75	69	92	328	293	89
2015/16	68	62	91	274	247	90
2016/17	67	53	79	306	263	86

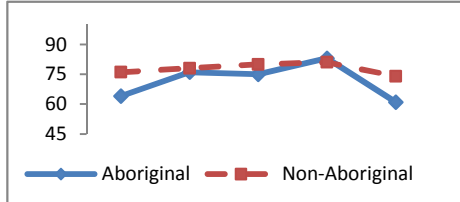
At school, are you being taught about Aboriginal peoples in Canada?



School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 4 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %		Gr 4 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %	
2012/13	67	35	52	288	126	44
2013/14	49	28	57	230	110	48
2014/15	72	41	57	312	159	51
2015/16	64	42	66	261	128	49
2016/17	71	38	54	311	143	46

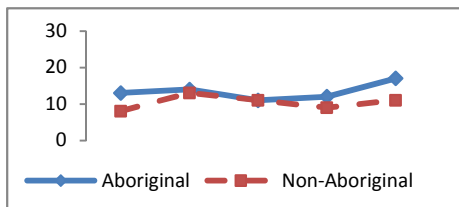
STUDENT LEARNING SURVEY RESULTS, GRADE 3/4 continued

Do you feel safe at school?



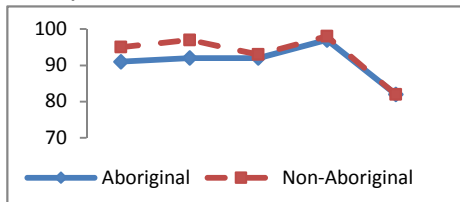
School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 4 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 4 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	67	43	64	308	234	76
2013/14	51	39	76	231	181	78
2014/15	75	56	75	324	259	80
2015/16	70	58	83	274	221	81
2016/17	71	43	61	311	230	74

At school, are you bullied, teased, or picked on?



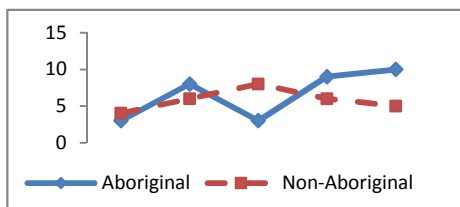
School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 4 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 4 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	64	8	13	302	25	8
2013/14	51	7	14	228	30	13
2014/15	75	8	11	324	36	11
2015/16	67	8	12	268	24	9
2016/17	72	12	17	306	33	11

How many adults at your school care about you? (Percentage responding 2 adults or more.)



School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 4 Respondents #	Two adults or more		Gr 4 Respondents #	Two adults or more	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	67	61	91	310	294	95
2013/14	51	47	92	229	221	97
2014/15	77	71	92	334	311	93
2015/16	70	68	97	277	271	98
2016/17	72	59	82	311	256	82

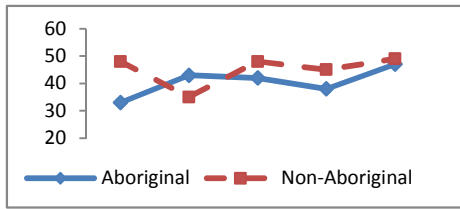
I would like to go to a different school.



School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 4 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 4 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	66	2	3	305	12	4
2013/14	51	4	8	228	13	6
2014/15	74	2	3	322	27	8
2015/16	64	6	9	269	17	6
2016/17	72	7	10	310	17	5

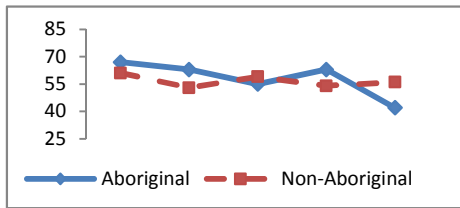
STUDENT LEARNING SURVEY RESULTS, GRADE 7

Do you like school?



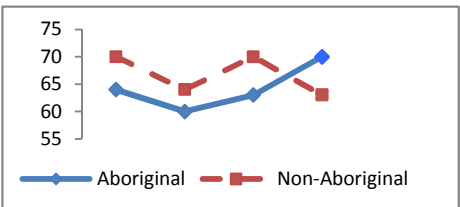
School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 7 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 7 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	69	23	33	296	143	48
2013/14	44	19	43	177	62	35
2014/15	76	32	42	281	136	48
2015/16	78	30	38	275	123	45
2016/17	91	43	47	280	137	49

Do adults in the school treat all students fairly?



School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 7 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 7 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	67	45	67	292	178	61
2013/14	43	27	63	177	93	53
2014/15	74	41	55	268	158	59
2015/16	76	48	63	271	145	54
2016/17	91	38	42	282	158	56

Do your teachers help you with your schoolwork when you need it?



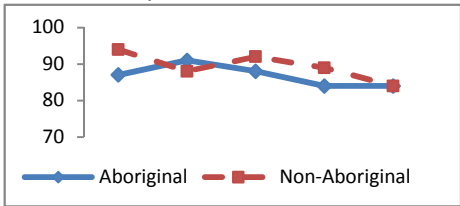
School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 7 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 7 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	67	43	64	300	209	70
2013/14	43	26	60	177	113	64
2014/15	76	48	63	280	196	70
2015/16	76	53	70	279	176	63
2016/17	-	-	-	-	-	-

How many teachers help you with your schoolwork when you need it?



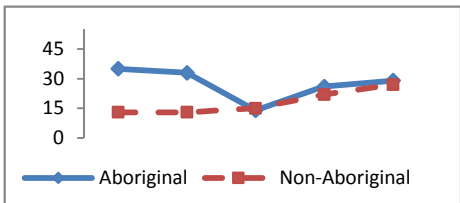
School Year	Aboriginal		Non-Aboriginal	
	Gr 7 Respondents #	All or many	Gr 7 Respondents #	All or many
	#	# %	#	# %
2012/13	-	- -	-	- -
2013/14	-	- -	-	- -
2014/15	-	- -	-	- -
2015/16	-	- -	-	- -
2016/17	90	42 47	281	139 49

At school, do you respect people who are different from you (for example, think, act, or look different)?



School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 7 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 7 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	69	60	87	293	274	94
2013/14	44	40	91	178	156	88
2014/15	76	67	88	276	254	92
2015/16	75	63	84	273	244	89
2016/17	91	76	84	276	233	84

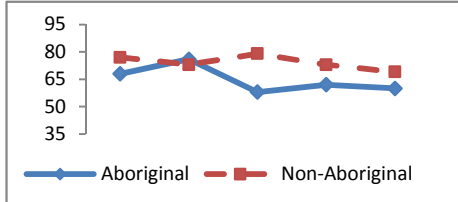
At school, are you being taught about Aboriginal peoples in Canada?



School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 7 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 7 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	66	23	35	289	37	13
2013/14	43	14	33	176	22	13
2014/15	74	10	14	269	41	15
2015/16	76	20	26	263	57	22
2016/17	90	26	29	279	74	27

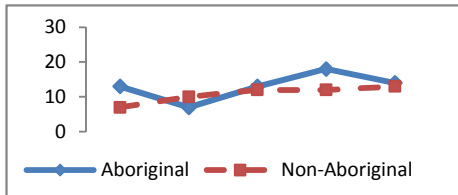
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Do you feel safe at school?



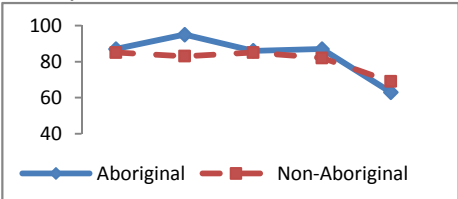
School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 7 Respondents	All of the time or many times		Gr 7 Respondents	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	69	47	68	297	228	77
2013/14	42	32	76	177	130	73
2014/15	72	42	58	280	221	79
2015/16	76	47	62	273	199	73
2016/17	90	54	60	280	194	69

At school, are you bullied, teased, or picked on?



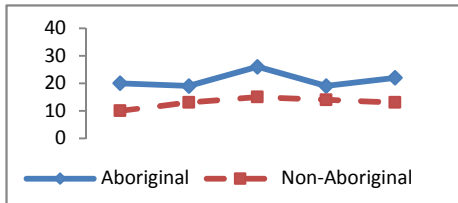
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	Gr 7 Respondents	All of the time or many times		Gr 7 Respondents	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	68	9	13	297	21	7
2013/14	41	3	7	173	18	10
2014/15	75	10	13	274	33	12
2015/16	78	14	18	276	33	12
2016/17	91	13	14	279	37	13

How many adults at your school care about you? (Percentage responding 2 adults or more.)



School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 7 Respondents	Two adults or more		Gr 7 Respondents	Two adults or more	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	69	60	87	294	250	85
2013/14	43	41	95	175	146	83
2014/15	76	65	86	276	235	85
2015/16	77	67	87	277	228	82
2016/17	91	57	63	282	194	69

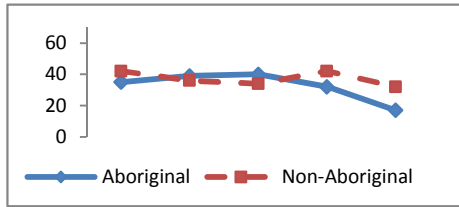
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School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 7 Respondents	All of the time or many times		Gr 7 Respondents	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	65	13	20	290	30	10
2013/14	43	8	19	175	22	13
2014/15	76	20	26	268	39	15
2015/16	73	14	19	266	36	14
2016/17	91	20	22	277	36	13

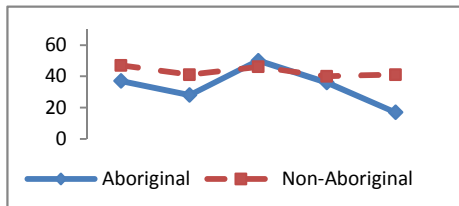
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Do you like school?



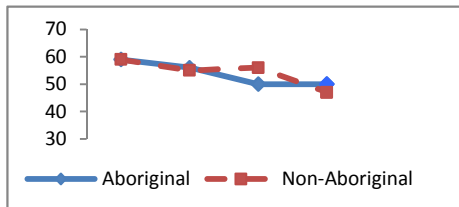
School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	81	28	35	344	144	42
2013/14	18	7	39	86	31	36
2014/15	35	14	40	239	81	34
2015/16	22	7	32	84	35	42
2016/17	12	2	17	56	18	32

Do adults in the school treat all students fairly?



School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	84	31	37	344	161	47
2013/14	18	5	28	86	35	41
2014/15	34	17	50	235	107	46
2015/16	22	8	36	82	33	40
2016/17	12	2	17	56	23	41

Do your teachers help you with your schoolwork when you need it?



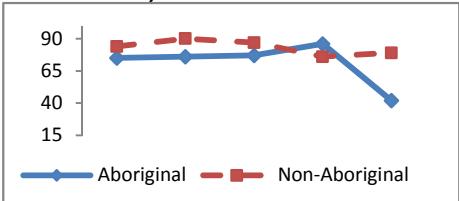
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	Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	82	48	59	347	204	59
2013/14	18	10	56	86	47	55
2014/15	34	17	50	237	132	56
2015/16	22	11	50	83	39	47
2016/17	-	-	-	-	-	-

How many teachers help you with your schoolwork when you need it?



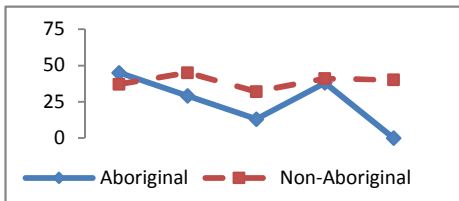
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	Gr 10 Respondents #	All or many	Gr 10 Respondents #	All or many
	#	# %	#	# %
2012/13	-	- -	-	- -
2013/14	-	- -	-	- -
2014/15	-	- -	-	- -
2015/16	-	- -	-	- -
2016/17	12	2 17	53	26 49

At school, do you respect people who are different from you (for example, think, act, or look different)?



School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	83	62	75	339	284	84
2013/14	17	13	76	81	73	90
2014/15	31	24	77	231	200	87
2015/16	21	18	86	83	63	76
2016/17	12	5	42	53	42	79

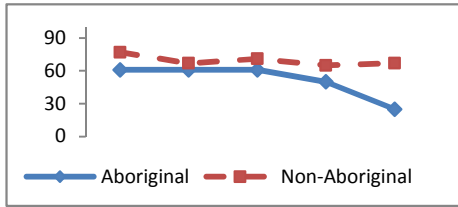
At school, are you being taught about Aboriginal peoples in Canada?



School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	84	38	45	344	128	37
2013/14	17	5	29	82	37	45
2014/15	32	4	13	234	75	32
2015/16	21	8	38	81	33	41
2016/17	12	0	0	55	22	40

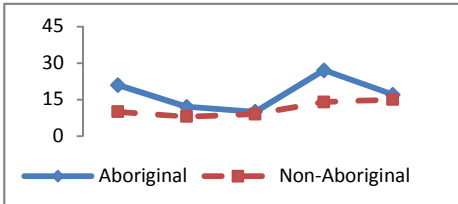
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Do you feel safe at school?



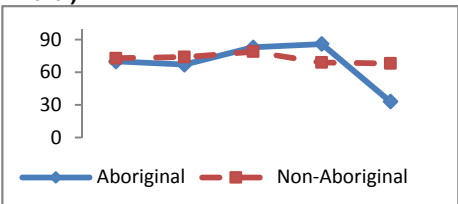
School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %		Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %	
2012/13	84	51	61	346	268	77
2013/14	18	11	61	85	57	67
2014/15	33	20	61	234	166	71
2015/16	22	11	50	84	55	65
2016/17	12	3	25	55	37	67

At school, are you bullied, teased, or picked on?



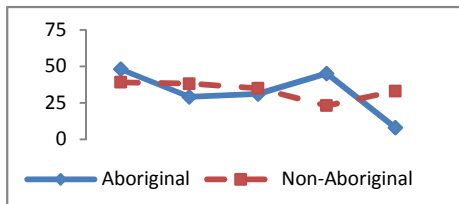
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	Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %		Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %	
2012/13	84	18	21	347	33	10
2013/14	17	2	12	87	7	8
2014/15	31	3	10	234	22	9
2015/16	22	6	27	85	12	14
2016/17	12	2	17	54	8	15

How many adults at your school care about you? (Percentage responding 2 adults or more.)



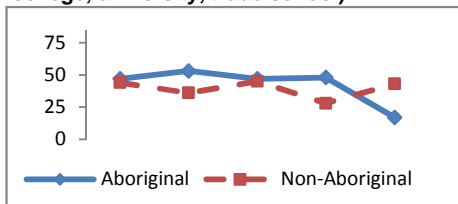
School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 10 Respondents #	Two adults or more # %		Gr 10 Respondents #	Two adults or more # %	
2012/13	84	59	70	347	254	73
2013/14	18	12	67	86	64	74
2014/15	35	29	83	241	190	79
2015/16	21	18	86	85	59	69
2016/17	12	4	33	56	38	68

Are you satisfied that school is preparing you for a job in the future?



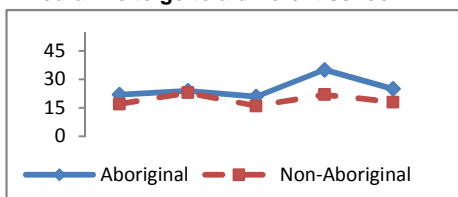
School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %		Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %	
2012/13	82	39	48	345	135	39
2013/14	17	5	29	85	32	38
2014/15	35	11	31	236	83	35
2015/16	22	10	45	82	19	23
2016/17	12	1	8	54	18	33

Are you satisfied that school is preparing you for post-secondary education (for example, college, university, trade school)?



School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %		Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %	
2012/13	81	38	47	340	148	44
2013/14	17	9	53	85	31	36
2014/15	34	16	47	235	105	45
2015/16	21	10	48	82	23	28
2016/17	12	2	17	54	23	43

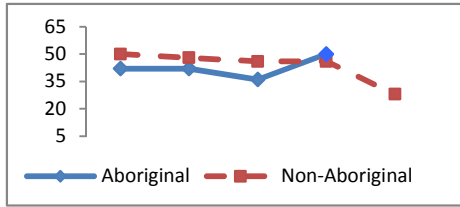
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School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %		Gr 10 Respondents #	All of the time or many times # %	
2012/13	79	17	22	341	58	17
2013/14	17	4	24	83	19	23
2014/15	34	7	21	228	36	16
2015/16	20	7	35	83	18	22
2016/17	12	3	25	56	10	18

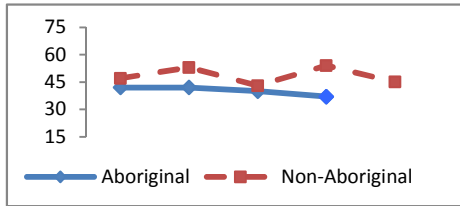
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Do you like school?



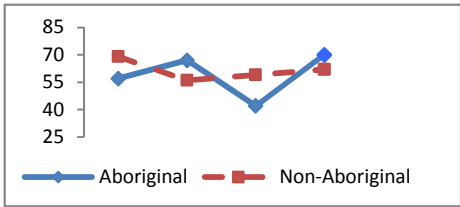
School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 12 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 12 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	45	19	42	254	126	50
2013/14	19	8	42	85	41	48
2014/15	45	16	36	197	90	46
2015/16	30	15	50	153	70	46
2016/17	Msk	Msk	Msk	47	13	28

Do adults in the school treat all students fairly?



School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 12 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 12 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	45	19	42	253	118	47
2013/14	19	8	42	86	46	53
2014/15	45	18	40	192	83	43
2015/16	30	11	37	150	81	54
2016/17	Msk	Msk	Msk	47	21	45

Do your teachers help you with your schoolwork when you need it?



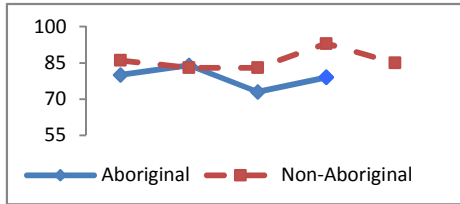
School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 12 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 12 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	46	26	57	253	174	69
2013/14	18	12	67	87	49	56
2014/15	45	19	42	194	114	59
2015/16	30	21	70	153	95	62
2016/17	-	-	-	-	-	-

How many teachers help you with your schoolwork when you need it?



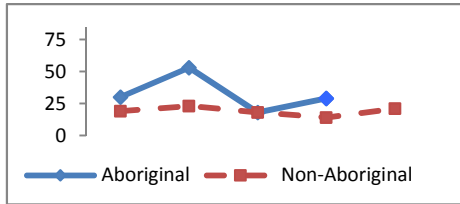
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	Gr 12 Respondents #	All or many	Gr 12 Respondents #	All or many
	#	# %	#	# %
2012/13	-	- -	-	- -
2013/14	-	- -	-	- -
2014/15	-	- -	-	- -
2015/16	-	- -	-	- -
2016/17	Msk	Msk Msk	46	21 46

At school, do you respect people who are different from you (for example, think, act, or look different)?



School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 12 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 12 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	45	36	80	247	212	86
2013/14	19	16	84	84	70	83
2014/15	45	33	73	191	159	83
2015/16	29	23	79	147	136	93
2016/17	Msk	Msk	Msk	47	40	85

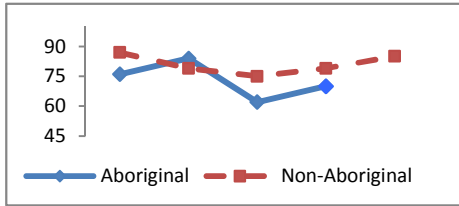
At school, are you being taught about Aboriginal peoples in Canada?



School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 12 Respondents #	All of the time or many times		Gr 12 Respondents #	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	43	13	30	247	46	19
2013/14	19	10	53	86	20	23
2014/15	44	8	18	189	34	18
2015/16	28	8	29	146	21	14
2016/17	Msk	Msk	Msk	47	10	21

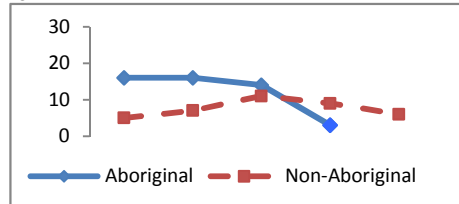
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Do you feel safe at school?



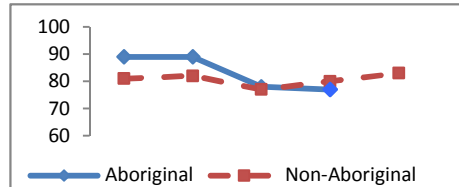
School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 12 Respondents	All of the time or many times		Gr 12 Respondents	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	45	34	76	256	223	87
2013/14	19	16	84	86	68	79
2014/15	45	28	62	192	144	75
2015/16	30	21	70	151	119	79
2016/17	Msk	Msk	Msk	47	40	85

At school, are you bullied, teased, or picked on?



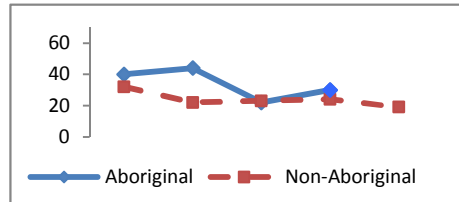
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	Gr 12 Respondents	All of the time or many times		Gr 12 Respondents	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	45	7	16	255	14	5
2013/14	19	3	16	86	6	7
2014/15	43	6	14	194	21	11
2015/16	29	1	3	150	13	9
2016/17	Msk	Msk	Msk	47	3	6

How many adults at your school care about you? (Percentage responding 2 adults or more.)



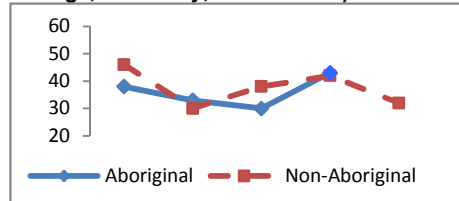
School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 12 Respondents	Two adults or more		Gr 12 Respondents	Two adults or more	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	46	41	89	256	208	81
2013/14	19	17	89	87	71	82
2014/15	46	36	78	195	150	77
2015/16	30	23	77	152	122	80
2016/17	Msk	Msk	Msk	47	39	83

Are you satisfied that school is preparing you for a job in the future?



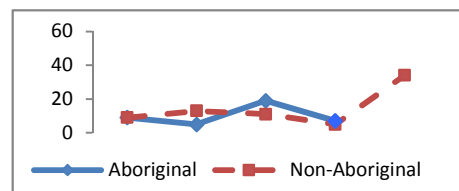
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	Gr 12 Respondents	All of the time or many times		Gr 12 Respondents	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	45	18	40	256	83	32
2013/14	18	8	44	87	19	22
2014/15	45	10	22	192	45	23
2015/16	30	9	30	152	37	24
2016/17	Msk	Msk	Msk	47	9	19

Are you satisfied that school is preparing you for post-secondary education (for example, college, university, trade school)?



School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 12 Respondents	All of the time or many times		Gr 12 Respondents	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	45	17	38	255	118	46
2013/14	18	6	33	86	26	30
2014/15	44	13	30	194	73	38
2015/16	30	13	43	151	64	42
2016/17	Msk	Msk	Msk	47	15	32

I would like to go to a different school.



School Year	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Gr 12 Respondents	All of the time or many times		Gr 12 Respondents	All of the time or many times	
	#	#	%	#	#	%
2012/13	43	4	9	252	23	9
2013/14	19	1	5	84	11	13
2014/15	43	8	19	187	21	11
2015/16	30	2	7	147	8	5
2016/17	Msk	Msk	Msk	47	16	34

GLOSSARY

GLOSSARY ITEM	DEFINITION
Aboriginal Student	A student who has self-identified as being of Aboriginal ancestry (First Nations: Status and Non-Status, Métis and Inuit). Aboriginal ancestry and Status Indian living on reserve is indicated on the Student Data Collection Form 1701. For data collection purposes a student identified as Aboriginal will be considered Aboriginal from the 2003/2004 school year forward. Status Indians are Aboriginal people who meet the requirements of the <i>Indian Act</i> and who are registered under the <i>Act</i> .
Alternate Programs	Programs that meet the special requirements of students who may be unable to adjust to the requirements of regular schools (for example timetables, schedules, or traditional classroom environment). Does not include distributed learning programs or schools.
Completion Rate	See Six-Year Completion Rate .
Eligible Grade 12 Graduation Rate	The proportion of eligible-to-graduate Grade 12 students who graduated in that school year. Students are <i>eligible to graduate</i> if they have enrolled in sufficient courses to meet the requirements to graduate during that school year.
Enrolment	A record of a student reported to the Ministry as receiving an educational program. A student may be recorded and counted as an enrolment in more than one school. Enrolment counts include the records of all adults and school-age persons who are working towards graduation. Registered homeschooled children are not included.
Final Mark	The final mark is based on the blend of a student's best course mark and best exam mark. These best marks may have been earned in different school years. Final marks may be greater than either the best exam marks or best course marks observed in the reported year. The final marks are usually derived from a blend of the best exam percent and the best course percent, using a 80/20 mix for Grades 10 and 11, and a 60/40 mix for Grade 12. (The sole exception is BC First Nations Studies 12, or FNS12, which alone of all Grade 12 examinable courses uses the 80/20 mix.)
Grade-to-Grade Transition Rate	The percentage of students who enter a grade for the first time from a lower grade and make a transition to a higher grade anywhere in the British Columbia school system in the following school year.
Graduation	A Certificate of Graduation is awarded by the Ministry of Education upon successful completion of the British Columbia Provincial Graduation Requirements.
Headcount	A count of unique individuals.
Hyphen	A hyphen (-) is used in two situations: 1. The data are not available (for example, the Foundation Skills Assessment report provides information on a range of years that may include years "in the future"), so a hyphen is used. 2. The data describe an outcome (such as a percent or rate) where the underlying number of students or enrolments is zero (0). For example, consider a Grade 12 class that has no students enrolled in an ELL program. When reporting the percent of Grade 12 ELL students who achieved a passing grade in math, it is not appropriate to report any math outcomes for ELL students, so a hyphen is used.
Msk	Abbreviation for Mask. When reporting data, the number or percentage must be suppressed (or "masked") if they are elements of a population that is one through nine. For example, 8 students in a school write the Japanese 12 exam. The results for these students are masked. However, if 15 students write the exam in the school, with 8 achieving a letter grade of C, the results are not masked (as the total population is greater than nine). Historical note: prior to October 2009, masking was applied to populations of one through four. For more information refer to http://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/education-training/administration/legislation-policy/public-schools/protection-of-personal-information-when-reporting-on-small-populations

Off-Reserve Aboriginal Student	Includes only Aboriginal students who attend a school and who live off a reserve.
On-Reserve Aboriginal Student	Includes only Aboriginal students who are Status Indian and living on a reserve and attend a school.
Participant (Foundation Skills Assessment)	A student who responded meaningfully to at least one question in the assessment.
Participant (Provincial Examination)	A student who responded meaningfully to at least one question in the provincial examination, and is enrolled in the same grade level as the grade level of the examination.
Participation Rate (Foundation Skills Assessment)	The number of students who responded to at least one question in the assessment, divided by the total number of students in that grade.
Pass Rate	The number of students who receive a passing letter grade of A, B, C+, C, or C- as their exam mark in a particular year, divided by the number of students who receive a letter grade of A through F as their exam mark in that year. Includes students from all grades who obtained marks in the course of the indicated grade level. This is also known as the "success rate".
Performance (Foundation Skills Assessment)	The student performance levels are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Exceeding Expectations</i> - exceeded the expectations for student's grade • <i>Meeting Expectations</i> - met the accepted expectations for student's grade • <i>Not Yet Meeting Expectations</i> - did not demonstrate sufficient skills to meet the minimum expectations for student's grade.
Public School	A body of students, teachers, other staff, and facilities organized as a unit for educational purposes under the supervision of an administrative officer and administered by a district school board. Types of public schools include: Standard schools; short-term and long-term Provincial Resource Programs; Youth Custody/Residential Attendance Centers; District Continuing Education Centers; Alternate Program Schools, Distributed Learning Schools. Individual schools can only be associated with one District. A School does not include Federal Band schools, offshore schools offering BC educational programs, or Yukon schools. Public school facility types are defined in the Form 1601 instructions. Public school facility types are determined by program (and, in some cases, physical location).
School District	A geographic area in British Columbia constituted as a district under the <i>School Act</i> . There are currently 59 school districts and one Francophone Education Authority.
School Year	The school year includes a portion of two regular calendar years. It is the 12-month period commencing on July 1 and ending the following June 30.
Six-Year Completion Rate	The proportion of students who graduate, with a British Columbia Certificate of Graduation or British Columbia Adult Graduation Diploma, within six years from the first time they enrol in Grade 8, adjusted for migration in and out of British Columbia. The Six-Year Completion Rate is calculated by using the percentage of students who graduate within six years from the time they enrol in Grade 8, adjusted for migration in and out of BC. A six-year rate provides students with an extra year beyond the five years required to move through Grades 8-12. In this report, when the six-year rate is reported, numbers for prior school years are not updated (Page 29). When the six-year rate is reported with the seven- and eight-year rates, numbers for prior school years are updated (Page 30).
Special Education Program	A supplemental program provided by schools to assist students, identified as having "special requirements", in achieving a Certificate of Graduation and/or other outcomes as specified in the student's Individual Education Plan (IEP).

Special Needs (in performance-oriented reports)	<p>When the Ministry of Education reports on the performance of students with special needs, only these three groupings are included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sensory Disabilities (Categories E and F) • Learning Disabilities (Category Q) • Behaviour Disabilities (Categories H and R) <p>These groupings reflect those students who are working towards a Certificate of Graduation and for whom the Ministry's student achievement measures are most meaningful.</p>
Special Needs Categories	<p>Category A – Physically Dependent Category B – Deafblind Category C – Moderate to Profound Intellectual Disability Category D – Physical Disability / Chronic Health Impairment Category E – Visual Impairment Category F – Deaf or Hard of Hearing Category G – Autism Spectrum Disorder Category H – Intensive Behaviour Interventions / Serious Mental Illness Category K – Mild Intellectual Disability Category P – Gifted Category Q – Learning Disability (formerly Category J) Category R – Moderate Behaviour Support / Mental Illness (formerly Categories M and N)</p>
Student	A school-aged or adult individual enrolled in a BC school. Student populations are calculated by headcount. Registered homeschooled children are not included as students.
Student Cohort	A group of students who share particular characteristics and who are tracked over a period of time.
Subject	In the Provincial Required Examinations reports, "Subject" includes both French and English variants of equivalent curricula, in combination. For example, the subject Principles of Mathematics 10 contains both the English and French variants of the curriculum - respectively, Principles of Mathematics 10 and Principes de mathématiques 10.