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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
2007–2008 School Year Reports

Dear School Board Members and School Personnel:

The Maine Educational Assessment (MEA) is the State's measure of student progress in achieving the State standards known as *Learning Results,* adopted by the Maine Legislature in 1997. These *Learning Results* established goals for what all students should know and be able to do at certain times in their school careers and are the basis for Grade Level/Span Expectations, which describe the assessment standards for each grade. The MEA is administered to students in all grades 3 through 8 to meet state assessment requirements and the requirements of the federal *No Child Left Behind* Act.

The 2007-2008 MEA summary reports contain the results of student achievement in reading and mathematics at all grades, science and technology at grades 4 and 8, and writing at grade 5 based on achievement standards set in 2006 and disaggregated by student and school characteristics. This report, together with MEA individual student and subject-specific class analysis reports, provides support for use in program evaluation and planning.

MEA results reflect scores based on test questions that are taken in common by the approximately 15,000 students in each grade level. Students' scores in each content area are based on answers to a combination of multiple-choice questions and questions that require students to construct an answer. The grade 5 writing reports provide information on a student's ability to respond to a prompt measuring narrative writing. More information about the design of the MEA is available at www.maine.gov/education/mea/index.htm.

I look forward to working with you in support of our continued efforts to improve the quality and effectiveness of the instructional opportunities designed to help all students achieve the high standards of the *Learning Results* and demonstrate that achievement through performance on the Maine Educational Assessment.

Sincerely,

Susan A. Gendron
Commissioner of Education

MEA
Maine Educational Assessment

School Report
Grade 3

Test Date:	March 2008
Code:	10111161
SAU:	Bangor School Department
School:	Downeast School

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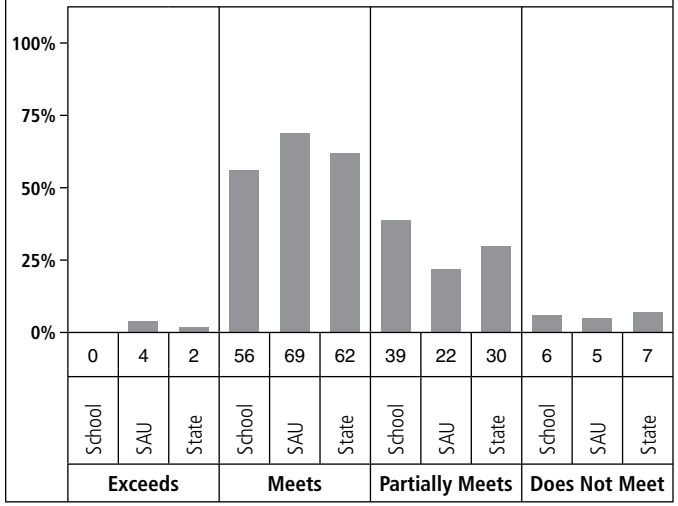
SUMMARY OF SCORES

Test Date:	March 2008
Grade:	3
SAU:	Bangor School Department
School:	Downeast School

Summary of School, SAU, and State Scores

Year	Average Scaled Score		
	School	SAU	State
ELA – Reading			
2005–2006	341	347	345
2006–2007	346	348	345
2007–2008	**342**	**347**	**344**
Cum. Avg.*	343	347	345
Mathematics			
2005–2006	340	350	344
2006–2007	347	351	347
2007–2008	**344**	**353**	**347**
Cum. Avg.*	344	351	346

ELA – READING



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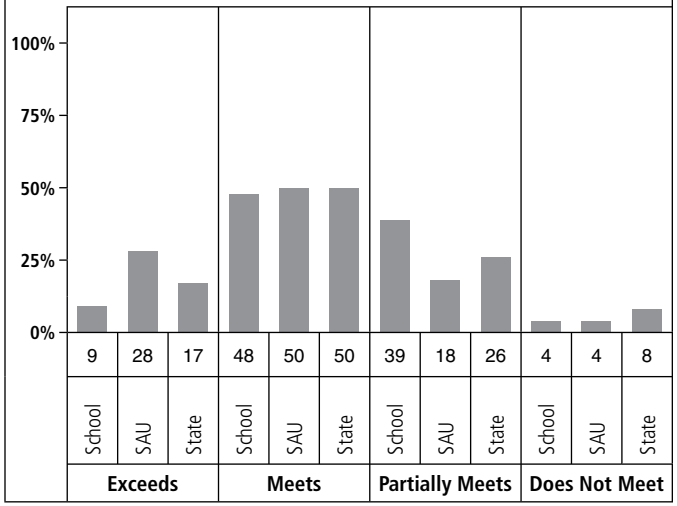

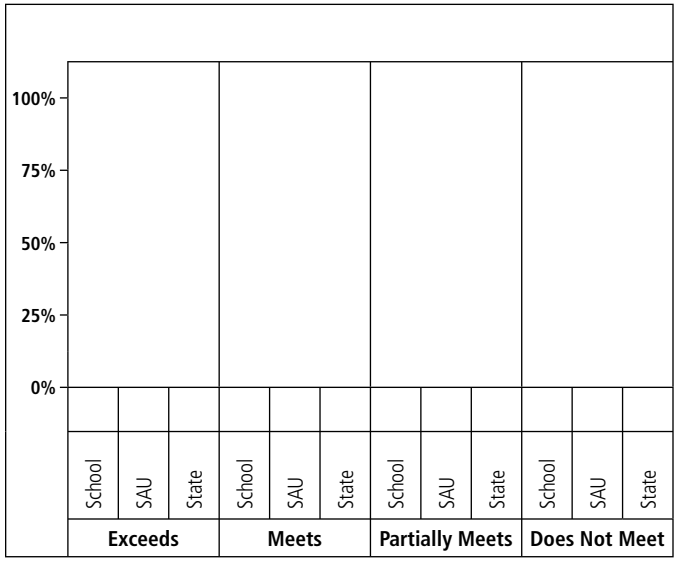

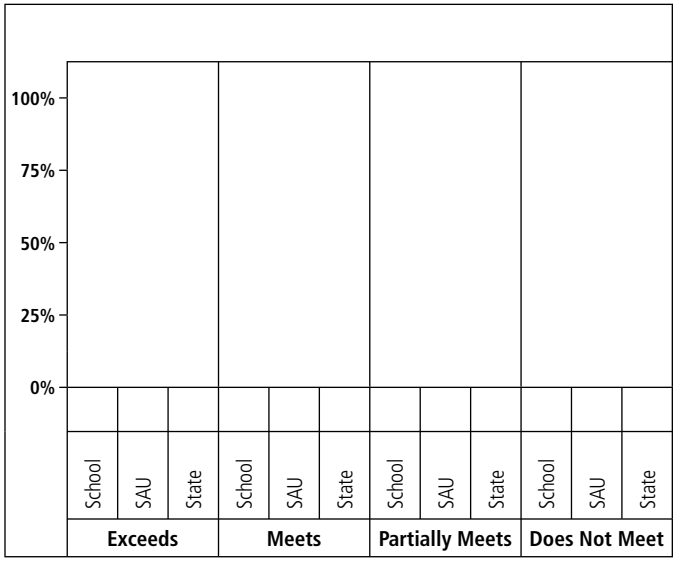

*Cumulative averages are weighted, i.e., the scaled scores are averaged proportionally based on the numbers of students in each year.

SUMMARY OF STUDENT PARTICIPATION

Test Date: March 2008
Grade: 3
SAU: Bangor School Department
School: Downeast School

CATEGORY OF PARTICIPATION	Enrollment[1] during testing window						CONTENT AREA PARTICIPATION[2]																							
							ELA–Reading						Mathematics																	
	School		SAU		State		School		SAU		State		School		SAU		State		School		SAU		State		School		SAU		State	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Total number of students	54	100	255	100	13803	100	54	100	254	100	13714	99	54	100	255	100	13710	99												
Ethnicity African American/Black	2	4	9	4	399	3	2	100	8	89	391	98	2	100	9	100	392	98												
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0	0	3	1	116	1	0	0	3	100	114	99	0	0	3	100	114	99												
Asian or Pacific Islander	2	4	4	2	210	2	2	100	4	100	205	98	2	100	4	100	206	98												
Hispanic	0	0	4	2	162	1	0	0	4	100	158	98	0	0	4	100	159	98												
Caucasian/White	50	93	235	92	12916	94	50	100	235	100	12846	100	50	100	235	100	12839	99												
Not Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0												
Identified disability	12	22	46	18	2358	17	12	100	45	98	2333	99	12	100	46	100	2329	99												
Current LEP	2	4	4	2	371	3	2	100	4	100	357	96	2	100	4	100	361	98												
Economically disadvantaged	45	83	128	50	5584	40	45	100	127	99	5535	99	45	100	128	100	5530	99												
Migrant	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	5	100	0	0	0	0	5	100												

MODE OF PARTICIPATION[3]	ELA–Reading						Mathematics																	
	School		SAU		State		School		SAU		State		School		SAU		State		School		SAU		State	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Participation without accommodations	33	61	194	76	10650	77	38	70	202	79	10678	77												
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	2	6	8	4	475	4	2	5	8	4	479	4												
LEP	2	6	4	2	151	1	2	5	4	2	149	1												
504 plan	3	9	7	4	83	1	3	8	9	4	85	1												
Participation with accommodations	21	39	60	24	2936	21	16	30	53	21	2911	21												
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	10	48	37	62	1735	59	10	63	38	72	1729	59												
LEP	0	0	0	0	197	7	0	0	0	0	208	7												
504 plan	0	0	7	12	49	2	0	0	5	9	47	2												
Other	11	52	17	28	986	34	6	38	11	21	958	33												
Participation through alternate assessment (PAAP)	0	0	0	0	123	1	0	0	0	0	121	1												
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	0	0	0	0	123	100	0	0	0	0	121	100												
LEP	0	0	0	0	4	3	0	0	0	0	4	3												
504 plan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0												
Approved non-participation in reading – 1st year LEP	0	0	0	0	5	0																		
Approved non-participation – special consideration	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	12	0												
Non-participation – other	0	0	1	0	80	1	0	0	0	0	81	1												

1 Percents are the percentage of students enrolled in each participation category.
2 Percents are the percentage of students, including those who participated through alternate assessment (PAAP), who participated in the content area.
3 Percents are the percentage of students in each content area by mode.

ELA–READING RESULTS

Test Date:	March 2008
Grade:	3
SAU:	Bangor School Department
School:	Downeast School

ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL DEFINITIONS The quality of a student's work at each achievement level reflects progress in attaining Maine's Grade Level Expectations in English language arts – reading.		STUDENTS AT EACH ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL					
		School		SAU		State	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
Exceeds the Standards – The student's work demonstrates the ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level by drawing in-depth inferences, analyzing texts for subtle clues, synthesizing information across texts, and using his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to make deeper connections within or across texts to increase comprehension. (scaled score 361–380)	2005-2006	2	4	20	8	352	3
	2006-2007	1	2	22	9	332	2
	2007-2008	**0**	**0**	**11**	**4**	**227**	**2**
	Cum. Total*	3	2	53	7	911	2
Meets the Standards – The student's work demonstrates the ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level by drawing inferences, summarizing main ideas and providing supporting details, connecting ideas within and across texts, and using his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to increase comprehension. (scaled score 341–360)	2005-2006	25	50	172	70	8641	62
	2006-2007	28	65	156	65	8691	63
	2007-2008	**30**	**56**	**176**	**69**	**8403**	**62**
	Cum. Total*	83	56	504	68	25735	62
Partially Meets the Standards – The student's work demonstrates an inconsistent ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level. The student's ability to draw inferences, summarize main ideas and provide supporting details, connect ideas within and across texts, and use his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices varies depending on the texts. (scaled score 331–340)	2005-2006	16	32	42	17	3671	27
	2006-2007	14	33	47	20	3781	27
	2007-2008	**21**	**39**	**55**	**22**	**4018**	**30**
	Cum. Total*	51	35	144	19	11470	28
Does Not Meet the Standards – The student's work demonstrates a limited ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level. The student's responses are often vague or incorrect leaving the impression that the student found it difficult to draw inferences, summarize main ideas and provide supporting details, connect ideas within and across texts, or use his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to support comprehension. (scaled score 300–330)	2005-2006	7	14	13	5	1163	8
	2006-2007	0	0	16	7	1021	7
	2007-2008	**3**	**6**	**12**	**5**	**938**	**7**
	Cum. Total*	10	7	41	6	3122	8

Learning Results Content Standard Cluster	Number of Points Possible		Average Points Attained (Number and Percent)					
			School		SAU		State	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total Reading Cluster	**46**	**100**	25.3	55.0	29.9	65.0	27.6	60.0
Literary Text	**23**	**50**	13.3	57.8	15.5	67.4	14.1	61.3
Informational Text	**23**	**50**	12.0	52.2	14.4	62.6	13.5	58.7

The Maine *Learning Results* reading cluster includes Content Standards A (Process of Reading), B (Literature and Culture), and D (Informational Texts). The MEA assesses students' reading skills based on questions related to two types of reading passages: literary and informational. Passages include both long and short texts, selected from developmentally appropriate works. Items on the MEA measure Grade Level Expectations, based on Maine's 1997 *Learning Results*, which can be found at http://www.maine.gov/education/lsalt/gles.htm.

*Percentages are calculated by dividing the cumulative total of the number of students in the achievement level by the cumulative total of the number of students tested.

ELA–READING RESULTS
(CONTINUED)

Test Date: March 2008
Grade: 3
SAU: Bangor School Department
School: Downeast School

REPORTING CATEGORIES	School										SAU						State					
	Tested	E		M		P		D		Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score
	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		N	%	%	%	%		N	%	%	%	%	
All Students	54	0	0	30	56	21	39	3	6	342	254	4	69	22	5	347	13586	2	62	30	7	344
Ethnicity																						
African American/Black	2										8	0	100	0	0	349	384	1	42	39	18	339
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0										3						113	2	50	42	5	343
Asian or Pacific Islander	2										4						203	1	60	31	8	344
Hispanic	0										4						158	1	52	36	11	342
Caucasian/White	50	0	0	27	54	20	40	3	6	342	235	4	68	23	5	347	12728	2	63	29	7	345
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Identified disability																						
Yes	12	0	0	4	33	8	67	0	0	340	45	0	29	51	20	338	2210	0	32	48	20	338
No	42	0	0	26	62	13	31	3	7	343	209	5	78	15	1	349	11376	2	68	26	4	346
Current LEP																						
Yes	2										4						348	1	36	45	19	339
No	52	0	0	29	56	20	38	3	6	342	250	4	69	22	5	347	13238	2	63	29	7	344
Economically disadvantaged																						
Yes	45	0	0	24	53	18	40	3	7	342	127	6	55	30	9	344	5450	1	49	39	11	341
No	9	0	0	6	67	3	33	0	0	344	127	3	83	13	0	350	8136	2	71	23	4	346
Migrant																						
Yes	0										0						5	0	80	20	0	343
No	54	0	0	30	56	21	39	3	6	342	254	4	69	22	5	347	13581	2	62	30	7	344
Gender																						
Female	22	0	0	12	55	9	41	1	5	343	118	7	69	20	3	348	6567	3	65	27	5	345
Male	32	0	0	18	56	12	38	2	6	342	136	2	69	23	6	346	7019	1	59	32	8	343
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Title 1A targeted program																						
Yes	0										15	0	60	40	0	343	2004	0	37	49	14	339
No	54	0	0	30	56	21	39	3	6	342	239	5	70	21	5	347	11582	2	66	26	6	345
Gifted/talented program																						
Yes	0										0						125	11	87	2	0	355
No	54	0	0	30	56	21	39	3	6	342	254	4	69	22	5	347	13461	2	62	30	7	344

E = Exceeds the Standards **M = Meets the Standards** **P = Partially Meets the Standards** **D = Does Not Meet the Standards**

NOTE: Some achievement level results have been left blank because fewer than five (5) students were tested. **N** = Number

ELA–READING RESULTS
(QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS)

Test Date: March 2008
Grade: 3
SAU: Bangor School Department
School: Downeast School

QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS	School										SAU						State					
	Students in Each Category	E		M		P		D		Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score
	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		%	%	%	%	%		%	%	%	%	%	
How much homework do you do on school nights?																						
A. none	8	0	0	3	75	1	25	0	0	343	5	0	58	17	25	339	6	0	43	39	18	340
B. less than one hour	82	0	0	24	59	14	34	3	7	343	80	4	74	19	3	348	79	2	65	28	5	345
C. one to two hours	2	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	344	12	13	57	27	3	349	12	2	60	31	7	344
D. more than two hours	8	0	0	2	50	2	50	0	0	341	4	0	44	33	22	340	3	0	32	44	24	338
How well do the questions that you have just been given on this MEA test match what you have learned in school about reading?																						
A. The questions on the test match what I have learned in reading class.	31	0	0	7	44	8	50	1	6	341	34	10	71	17	1	350	29	3	62	28	7	345
B. They match some of what I have learned.	45	0	0	13	57	8	35	2	9	342	43	2	74	19	6	347	48	2	67	27	4	345
C. They match just a little of what I have learned.	14	0	0	7	100	0	0	0	0	345	14	0	66	26	9	344	15	1	56	34	9	343
D. There is no match.	10	0	0	3	60	2	40	0	0	344	9	0	55	36	9	342	8	0	44	40	16	340
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in reading?																						
A. very good	52	0	0	13	50	11	42	2	8	341	52	7	69	19	5	348	42	3	67	24	6	346
B. good	24	0	0	7	58	4	33	1	8	343	35	1	77	16	6	347	46	1	62	32	5	344
C. fair	22	0	0	8	73	3	27	0	0	344	12	3	53	40	3	343	10	0	48	42	10	341
D. poor	2	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	348	1	0	100	0	0	346	2	0	30	43	28	336
How hard was the reading part of this test?																						
A. harder than my regular schoolwork	36	0	0	8	44	7	39	3	17	340	18	2	55	36	7	343	22	1	48	38	12	341
B. about the same as my regular schoolwork	40	0	0	14	70	6	30	0	0	344	61	7	77	13	3	350	57	2	68	26	4	346
C. easier than my regular schoolwork	24	0	0	7	58	5	42	0	0	343	21	0	63	29	8	344	21	1	61	30	8	344
How hard were the reading passages on this test?																						
A. Most of the passages were harder than what I normally read.	31	0	0	7	47	6	40	2	13	340	20	2	46	46	6	342	20	0	38	47	16	339
B. Most of the passages were about the same as what I normally read.	35	0	0	12	71	5	29	0	0	344	49	3	82	11	4	349	51	2	68	27	4	345
C. Most of the passages were easier than what I normally read.	35	0	0	10	59	6	35	1	6	343	32	8	71	17	5	348	29	3	69	23	6	346
How much time do you spend reading at home each day?																						
A. more than one hour	24	0	0	10	83	1	8	1	8	345	24	7	76	15	2	350	19	3	65	27	6	346
B. 20 minutes to an hour	28	0	0	8	57	6	43	0	0	343	41	4	78	16	2	349	47	2	68	25	5	346
C. less than 20 minutes	20	0	0	4	40	6	60	0	0	341	22	4	65	30	2	346	19	1	56	35	8	343
D. I rarely read at home.	28	0	0	8	57	5	36	1	7	341	14	3	46	31	20	341	14	0	47	40	12	341
How many pages do you read in school and to complete homework assignments?																						
A. five or fewer pages	51	0	0	15	60	8	32	2	8	342	28	0	68	26	6	344	28	1	56	33	9	343
B. six to ten pages	18	0	0	5	56	4	44	0	0	344	24	0	72	20	8	346	23	1	63	29	7	344
C. eleven or more pages	31	0	0	9	60	5	33	1	7	342	48	8	72	17	3	349	49	2	65	27	6	345
Optional school/SAU question																						
A.	40	0	0	1	50	1	50	0	0	343	38	0	67	33	0	343						
B.	40	0	0	1	50	0	0	1	50	337	38	0	33	0	67	335						
C.	20	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	346	25	0	100	0	0	346						
D.	0										0											

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MATHEMATICS RESULTS

Test Date:	March 2008
Grade:	3
SAU:	Bangor School Department
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ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL DEFINITIONS

The quality of a student's work at each achievement level reflects progress in attaining Maine's Grade Level Expectations in mathematics.

		STUDENTS AT EACH ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL					
		School		SAU		State	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
Exceeds the Standards – The student's work demonstrates in-depth understanding of essential concepts in mathematics, including the ability to make multiple connections among central ideas. The student's responses demonstrate the ability to synthesize information; analyze and solve difficult problems, including developing and implementing strategies, efficiently and accurately performing procedures, and recording and justifying solutions; and explain complex concepts. (scaled score 361–380)	2005-2006	1	2	49	20	1295	9
	2006-2007	5	12	56	23	1985	14
	2007-2008	**5**	**9**	**71**	**28**	**2277**	**17**
	Cum. Total*	11	7	176	24	5557	13
Meets the Standards – The student's work demonstrates a general understanding of essential concepts in mathematics, including the ability to make connections among central ideas. The student's responses demonstrate the ability to analyze and solve problems including developing and implementing strategies, to perform procedures, and to record and explain solutions and concepts. The student's work may contain minor errors. (scaled score 341–360)	2005-2006	25	50	135	54	6852	49
	2006-2007	27	63	129	53	6990	51
	2007-2008	**26**	**48**	**128**	**50**	**6764**	**50**
	Cum. Total*	78	53	392	53	20606	50
Partially Meets the Standards – The student's work demonstrates incomplete understanding of essential concepts in mathematics and inconsistent connections among central ideas. The student's responses demonstrate some ability to analyze and solve problems, and explain concepts. Problem solving strategies may be flawed, procedures performed inaccurately, methods not recorded and/or problems not completed. (scaled score 325–340)	2005-2006	15	30	46	19	4081	29
	2006-2007	9	21	40	17	3673	27
	2007-2008	**21**	**39**	**46**	**18**	**3504**	**26**
	Cum. Total*	45	31	132	18	11258	27
Does Not Meet the Standards – The student's work demonstrates limited understanding of essential concepts in mathematics and infrequent or inaccurate connections among central ideas. The student's responses demonstrate minimal ability to solve problems and explain concepts. Problem solving strategies and procedures are often flawed or inappropriate and there may be many omissions. (scaled score 300–324)	2005-2006	9	18	18	7	1638	12
	2006-2007	2	5	17	7	1193	9
	2007-2008	**2**	**4**	**10**	**4**	**1044**	**8**
	Cum. Total*	13	9	45	6	3875	9

Learning Results Content Standard Clusters	Number of Points Possible		Average Points Attained (Number and Percent)					
			School		SAU		State	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Cluster 1: Numbers and Operations	**15**	**31**	8.6	57.3	10.3	68.7	9.2	61.3
Cluster 2: Shape and Size	**14**	**29**	9.5	67.9	10.5	75.0	10.0	71.4
Cluster 3: Mathematical Decision Making	**5**	**10**	3.0	60.0	3.5	70.0	3.2	64.0
Cluster 4: Patterns	**14**	**29**	8.8	62.9	9.9	70.7	9.0	64.3

Cluster 1: Numbers and Operations
- A. Numbers and Number Sense
- B. Computation
- I. Discrete Mathematics (grades 3 and 4 only)

Cluster 2: Shape and Size
- E. Geometry
- F. Measurement

Cluster 3: Mathematical Decision Making
- C. Data Analysis and Statistics
- D. Probability

Cluster 4: Patterns
- G. Patterns, Relations, and Functions
- H. Algebra Concepts
- K. Mathematical Communication

Each content standard in the clusters above is defined in Maine's 1997 *Learning Results*, which are the basis for Grade Level Expectations. Each item on the MEA measures a grade level expectation, which can be found at http://www.maine.gov/education/lsalt/gles.htm.

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MATHEMATICS RESULTS
(CONTINUED)

Test Date: March 2008
Grade: 3
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REPORTING CATEGORIES	School										SAU						State					
	Tested	E		M		P		D		Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score
	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		N	%	%	%	%		N	%	%	%	%	
All Students	54	5	9	26	48	21	39	2	4	344	255	28	50	18	4	353	13589	17	50	26	8	347
Ethnicity																						
African American/Black	2										9	22	56	0	22	350	390	10	30	32	28	337
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0										3						113	7	45	38	10	342
Asian or Pacific Islander	2										4						204	18	48	25	9	347
Hispanic	0										4						159	6	50	31	13	342
Caucasian/White	50	5	10	22	44	21	42	2	4	344	235	28	49	19	3	353	12723	17	50	25	7	348
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Identified disability																						
Yes	12	1	8	5	42	5	42	1	8	341	46	7	43	35	15	341	2208	6	35	37	21	338
No	42	4	10	21	50	16	38	1	2	346	209	33	52	14	1	355	11381	19	53	24	5	349
Current LEP																						
Yes	2										4						357	8	29	37	26	336
No	52	5	10	24	46	21	40	2	4	344	251	28	49	18	4	353	13232	17	50	25	7	348
Economically disadvantaged																						
Yes	45	3	7	23	51	17	38	2	4	344	128	18	51	23	8	349	5452	9	45	33	12	343
No	9	2	22	3	33	4	44	0	0	348	127	38	50	13	0	357	8137	22	53	21	4	350
Migrant																						
Yes	0										0						5	0	40	40	20	337
No	54	5	9	26	48	21	39	2	4	344	255	28	50	18	4	353	13584	17	50	26	8	347
Gender																						
Female	22	1	5	11	50	9	41	1	5	344	118	25	56	17	3	353	6565	15	49	27	8	347
Male	32	4	13	15	47	12	38	1	3	345	137	31	45	19	5	353	7024	18	50	24	7	348
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Title 1A targeted program																						
Yes	0										15	7	53	33	7	344	2004	5	39	41	15	339
No	54	5	9	26	48	21	39	2	4	344	240	29	50	17	4	353	11585	19	52	23	6	349
Gifted/talented program																						
Yes	0										0						125	70	30	0	0	366
No	54	5	9	26	48	21	39	2	4	344	255	28	50	18	4	353	13464	16	50	26	8	347

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NOTE: Some achievement level results have been left blank because fewer than five (5) students were tested. **N** = Number

MATHEMATICS RESULTS
(QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS)

Test Date: March 2008
Grade: 3
SAU: Bangor School Department
School: Downeast School

QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS	School										SAU						State					
	Students in Each Category	E		M		P		D		Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score
	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		%	%	%	%	%		%	%	%	%	%	
How much homework do you do on school nights?																						
A. none	8	0	0	2	50	2	50	0	0	343	5	8	50	25	17	342	6	9	40	33	18	340
B. less than one hour	82	4	10	23	56	14	34	0	0	347	80	31	52	15	2	355	79	18	52	24	6	348
C. one to two hours	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	100	324	12	20	47	30	3	350	12	16	48	27	8	347
D. more than two hours	8	1	25	1	25	1	25	1	25	336	4	22	44	11	22	342	3	7	26	37	29	335
How well do the questions that you have just been given on this MEA test match what you have learned in school about mathematics?																						
A. The questions on the test match what I have learned in mathematics class.	51	3	12	14	54	8	31	1	4	347	52	35	48	15	2	356	37	22	50	22	6	350
B. They match some of what I have learned.	29	1	7	7	47	7	47	0	0	345	33	21	58	19	1	352	46	16	53	25	6	348
C. They match just a little of what I have learned.	14	1	14	3	43	3	43	0	0	345	9	27	41	27	5	350	12	9	44	36	11	342
D. There is no match.	6	0	0	2	67	0	0	1	33	334	6	7	53	13	27	341	5	5	32	36	27	336
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in mathematics?																						
A. very good	44	3	14	10	45	8	36	1	5	346	50	36	46	15	3	355	39	25	48	20	7	350
B. good	38	2	11	11	58	6	32	0	0	347	41	26	52	18	4	353	46	14	52	27	7	347
C. fair	14	0	0	2	29	4	57	1	14	335	8	10	45	40	5	343	12	8	49	35	9	343
D. poor	4	0	0	2	100	0	0	0	0	355	1	0	100	0	0	353	3	2	34	36	29	335
How hard was the mathematics part of this test?																						
A. harder than my regular schoolwork	20	0	0	3	30	6	60	1	10	337	11	4	59	33	4	344	17	7	41	35	17	340
B. about the same as my regular schoolwork	53	1	4	18	67	8	30	0	0	346	57	29	54	17	1	354	59	18	53	24	5	349
C. easier than my regular schoolwork	27	4	29	5	36	4	29	1	7	350	33	35	44	12	9	354	25	21	49	23	8	349
How often do you use hands-on materials in mathematics class?																						
A. almost every day	45	2	9	11	48	10	43	0	0	345	33	24	48	23	5	351	32	13	47	30	10	345
B. two or three days a week	16	0	0	4	50	4	50	0	0	341	22	23	59	18	0	353	30	20	52	23	5	349
C. two or three times each month	16	1	13	4	50	2	25	1	13	345	19	38	47	13	2	357	19	20	53	21	6	350
D. never or almost never	24	2	17	7	58	2	17	1	8	348	26	31	52	13	5	354	18	16	50	27	8	347
How often do you use calculators in mathematics class?																						
A. almost every day	8	0	0	1	25	3	75	0	0	341	4	0	40	50	10	342	7	5	34	40	20	338
B. two or three days a week	2	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	334	6	13	60	20	7	350	18	15	50	27	8	346
C. two or three times each month	0										19	46	35	15	4	358	28	21	53	21	4	350
D. never or almost never	90	5	11	25	56	13	29	2	4	346	71	27	56	15	3	353	47	17	50	25	7	347
On average, how many minutes a day do you spend working on mathematics in class?																						
A. less than 30 minutes	26	1	8	4	31	6	46	2	15	338	19	11	53	28	9	346	16	8	42	36	13	342
B. 30–45 minutes	24	1	8	7	58	4	33	0	0	347	32	26	54	16	4	353	30	14	53	26	7	347
C. 45–60 minutes	38	3	16	11	58	5	26	0	0	349	27	36	52	11	2	356	32	22	51	22	5	350
D. more than 60 minutes	12	0	0	3	50	3	50	0	0	344	22	38	43	18	2	356	22	20	49	23	7	349
Optional school/SAU question																						
A.	40	0	0	1	50	1	50	0	0	346	38	0	33	33	33	338						
B.	40	0	0	1	50	1	50	0	0	340	38	0	67	33	0	345						
C.	20	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	348	25	0	100	0	0	351						
D.	0										0											

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