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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:	10211182
SAU:	Brewer School Department
School:	Washington Street School Bldg

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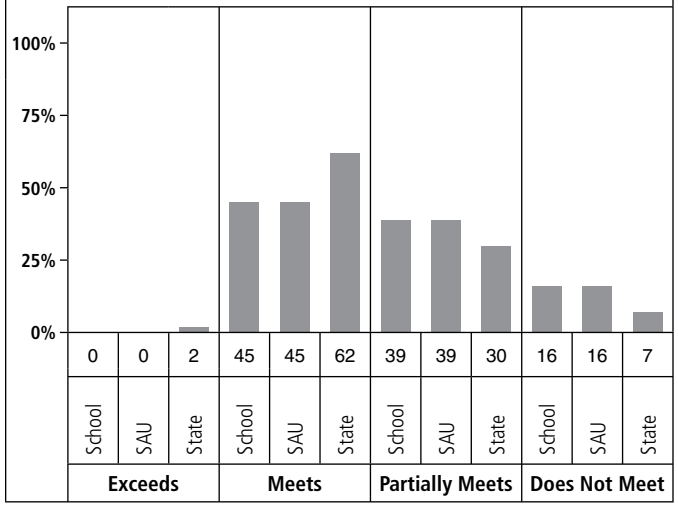
SUMMARY OF SCORES

Test Date:	March 2008
Grade:	3
SAU:	Brewer School Department
School:	Washington Street School Bldg

Summary of School, SAU, and State Scores

Year	Average Scaled Score		
	School	SAU	State
ELA – Reading			
2005–2006	345	345	345
2006–2007	344	344	345
2007–2008	**341**	**341**	**344**
Cum. Avg.*	343	343	345
Mathematics			
2005–2006	341	341	344
2006–2007	340	340	347
2007–2008	**339**	**339**	**347**
Cum. Avg.*	340	340	346

ELA – READING



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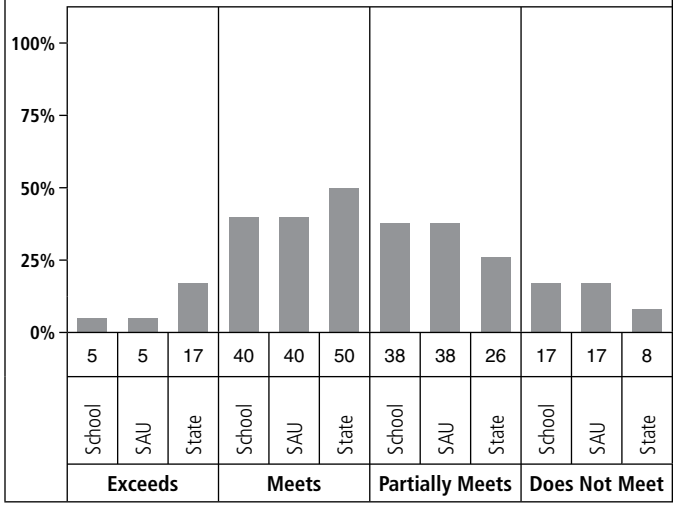

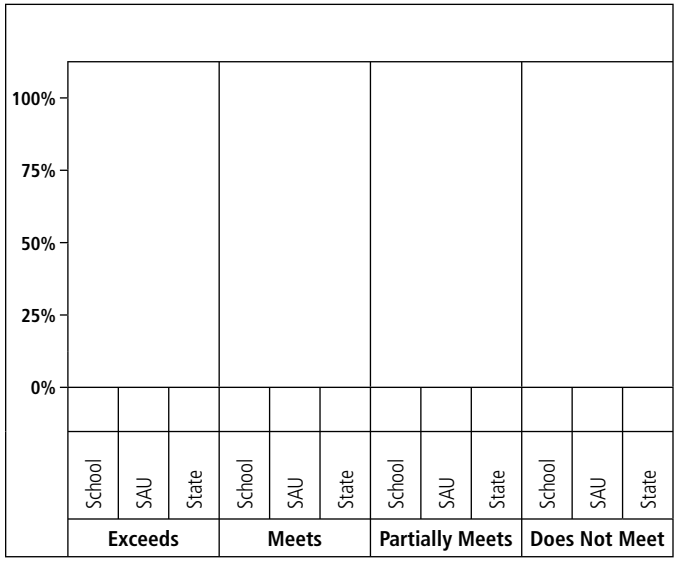

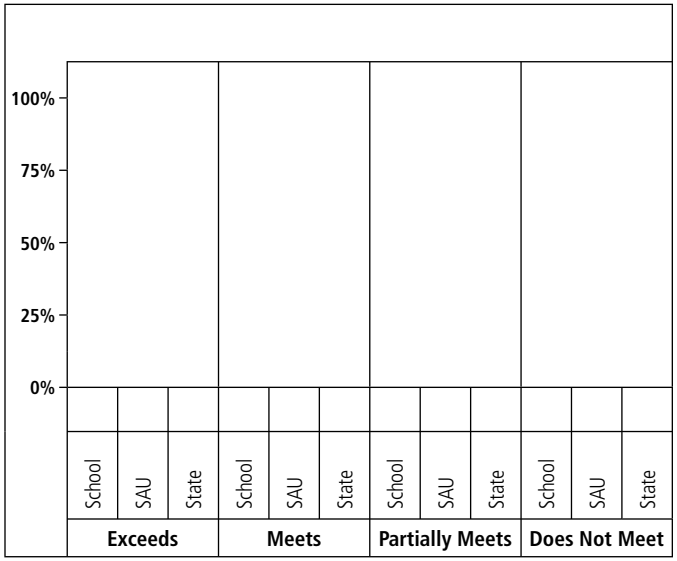

*Cumulative averages are weighted, i.e., the scaled scores are averaged proportionally based on the numbers of students in each year.

SUMMARY OF STUDENT PARTICIPATION

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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	99	100	99	100	13803	100	99	100	99	100	13714	99	99	100	99	100	13710	99												
Ethnicity African American/Black	2	2	2	2	399	3	2	100	2	100	391	98	2	100	2	100	392	98												
American Indian or Native Alaskan	2	2	2	2	116	1	2	100	2	100	114	99	2	100	2	100	114	99												
Asian or Pacific Islander	1	1	1	1	210	2	1	100	1	100	205	98	1	100	1	100	206	98												
Hispanic	1	1	1	1	162	1	1	100	1	100	158	98	1	100	1	100	159	98												
Caucasian/White	93	94	93	94	12916	94	93	100	93	100	12846	100	93	100	93	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	18	18	18	18	2358	17	18	100	18	100	2333	99	18	100	18	100	2329	99												
Current LEP	0	0	0	0	371	3	0	0	0	0	357	96	0	0	0	0	361	98												
Economically disadvantaged	34	34	34	34	5584	40	34	100	34	100	5535	99	34	100	34	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	81	82	81	82	10650	77	81	82	81	82	10678	77												
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	4	5	4	5	475	4	4	5	4	5	479	4												
LEP	0	0	0	0	151	1	0	0	0	0	149	1												
504 plan	4	5	4	5	83	1	4	5	4	5	85	1												
Participation with accommodations	17	17	17	17	2936	21	17	17	17	17	2911	21												
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	13	76	13	76	1735	59	13	76	13	76	1729	59												
LEP	0	0	0	0	197	7	0	0	0	0	208	7												
504 plan	0	0	0	0	49	2	0	0	0	0	47	2												
Other	4	24	4	24	986	34	4	24	4	24	958	33												
Participation through alternate assessment (PAAP)	1	1	1	1	123	1	1	1	1	1	121	1												
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	1	100	1	100	123	100	1	100	1	100	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	0	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

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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 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	4	4	4	4	352	3
	2006-2007	2	2	2	2	332	2
	2007-2008	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**227**	**2**
	Cum. Total*	6	2	6	2	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	66	64	66	65	8641	62
	2006-2007	55	60	55	60	8691	63
	2007-2008	**44**	**45**	**44**	**45**	**8403**	**62**
	Cum. Total*	165	56	165	57	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	27	26	26	25	3671	27
	2006-2007	28	30	28	30	3781	27
	2007-2008	**38**	**39**	**38**	**39**	**4018**	**30**
	Cum. Total*	93	32	92	32	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	6	6	6	6	1163	8
	2006-2007	7	8	7	8	1021	7
	2007-2008	**16**	**16**	**16**	**16**	**938**	**7**
	Cum. Total*	29	10	29	10	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**	24.1	52.4	24.1	52.4	27.6	60.0
Literary Text	**23**	**50**	12.4	53.9	12.4	53.9	14.1	61.3
Informational Text	**23**	**50**	11.7	50.9	11.7	50.9	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
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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	98	0	0	44	45	38	39	16	16	341	98	0	45	39	16	341	13586	2	62	30	7	344
Ethnicity																						
African American/Black	2										2						384	1	42	39	18	339
American Indian or Native Alaskan	2										2						113	2	50	42	5	343
Asian or Pacific Islander	1										1						203	1	60	31	8	344
Hispanic	1										1						158	1	52	36	11	342
Caucasian/White	92	0	0	42	46	35	38	15	16	341	92	0	46	38	16	341	12728	2	63	29	7	345
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Identified disability																						
Yes	17	0	0	1	6	9	53	7	41	333	17	0	6	53	41	333	2210	0	32	48	20	338
No	81	0	0	43	53	29	36	9	11	342	81	0	53	36	11	342	11376	2	68	26	4	346
Current LEP																						
Yes	0										0						348	1	36	45	19	339
No	98	0	0	44	45	38	39	16	16	341	98	0	45	39	16	341	13238	2	63	29	7	344
Economically disadvantaged																						
Yes	34	0	0	12	35	17	50	5	15	339	34	0	35	50	15	339	5450	1	49	39	11	341
No	64	0	0	32	50	21	33	11	17	341	64	0	50	33	17	341	8136	2	71	23	4	346
Migrant																						
Yes	0										0						5	0	80	20	0	343
No	98	0	0	44	45	38	39	16	16	341	98	0	45	39	16	341	13581	2	62	30	7	344
Gender																						
Female	44	0	0	28	64	12	27	4	9	344	44	0	64	27	9	344	6567	3	65	27	5	345
Male	54	0	0	16	30	26	48	12	22	338	54	0	30	48	22	338	7019	1	59	32	8	343
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Title 1A targeted program																						
Yes	11	0	0	1	9	6	55	4	36	334	11	0	9	55	36	334	2004	0	37	49	14	339
No	87	0	0	43	49	32	37	12	14	342	87	0	49	37	14	342	11582	2	66	26	6	345
Gifted/talented program																						
Yes	0										0						125	11	87	2	0	355
No	98	0	0	44	45	38	39	16	16	341	98	0	45	39	16	341	13461	2	62	30	7	344

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

ELA–READING RESULTS
(QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS)

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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	2	0	0	1	50	0	0	1	50	338	2	0	50	0	50	338	6	0	43	39	18	340
B. less than one hour	79	0	0	37	49	31	41	8	11	342	79	0	49	41	11	342	79	2	65	28	5	345
C. one to two hours	17	0	0	6	38	7	44	3	19	340	17	0	38	44	19	340	12	2	60	31	7	344
D. more than two hours	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	100	330	2	0	0	0	100	330	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.	21	0	0	7	35	9	45	4	20	340	21	0	35	45	20	340	29	3	62	28	7	345
B. They match some of what I have learned.	55	0	0	30	57	17	32	6	11	343	55	0	57	32	11	343	48	2	67	27	4	345
C. They match just a little of what I have learned.	16	0	0	7	47	6	40	2	13	340	16	0	47	40	13	340	15	1	56	34	9	343
D. There is no match.	8	0	0	0	0	6	75	2	25	335	8	0	0	75	25	335	8	0	44	40	16	340
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in reading?																						
A. very good	42	0	0	23	58	14	35	3	8	344	42	0	58	35	8	344	42	3	67	24	6	346
B. good	51	0	0	19	39	21	43	9	18	339	51	0	39	43	18	339	46	1	62	32	5	344
C. fair	6	0	0	2	33	3	50	1	17	337	6	0	33	50	17	337	10	0	48	42	10	341
D. poor	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	100	308	1	0	0	0	100	308	2	0	30	43	28	336
How hard was the reading part of this test?																						
A. harder than my regular schoolwork	16	0	0	3	20	8	53	4	27	337	16	0	20	53	27	337	22	1	48	38	12	341
B. about the same as my regular schoolwork	64	0	0	32	53	21	35	7	12	342	64	0	53	35	12	342	57	2	68	26	4	346
C. easier than my regular schoolwork	20	0	0	9	47	7	37	3	16	341	20	0	47	37	16	341	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.	17	0	0	2	13	7	44	7	44	333	17	0	13	44	44	333	20	0	38	47	16	339
B. Most of the passages were about the same as what I normally read.	53	0	0	27	54	18	36	5	10	343	53	0	54	36	10	343	51	2	68	27	4	345
C. Most of the passages were easier than what I normally read.	31	0	0	15	52	12	41	2	7	342	31	0	52	41	7	342	29	3	69	23	6	346
How much time do you spend reading at home each day?																						
A. more than one hour	18	0	0	8	47	8	47	1	6	342	18	0	47	47	6	342	19	3	65	27	6	346
B. 20 minutes to an hour	48	0	0	26	58	11	24	8	18	343	48	0	58	24	18	343	47	2	68	25	5	346
C. less than 20 minutes	15	0	0	6	43	6	43	2	14	341	15	0	43	43	14	341	19	1	56	35	8	343
D. I rarely read at home.	19	0	0	3	17	12	67	3	17	336	19	0	17	67	17	336	14	0	47	40	12	341
How many pages do you read in school and to complete homework assignments?																						
A. five or fewer pages	20	0	0	7	37	8	42	4	21	339	20	0	37	42	21	339	28	1	56	33	9	343
B. six to ten pages	13	0	0	8	67	4	33	0	0	344	13	0	67	33	0	344	23	1	63	29	7	344
C. eleven or more pages	67	0	0	29	47	24	39	9	15	341	67	0	47	39	15	341	49	2	65	27	6	345
Optional school/SAU question																						
A.	76	0	0	12	75	3	19	1	6	346	76	0	75	19	6	346						
B.	14	0	0	0	0	3	100	0	0	335	14	0	0	100	0	335						
C.	10	0	0	0	0	1	50	1	50	331	10	0	0	50	50	331						
D.	0										0											

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MATHEMATICS RESULTS

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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	8	8	8	8	1295	9
	2006-2007	6	7	6	7	1985	14
	2007-2008	**5**	**5**	**5**	**5**	**2277**	**17**
	Cum. Total*	19	6	19	7	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	43	42	43	42	6852	49
	2006-2007	34	37	34	37	6990	51
	2007-2008	**39**	**40**	**39**	**40**	**6764**	**50**
	Cum. Total*	116	40	116	40	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	33	32	33	32	4081	29
	2006-2007	38	41	38	41	3673	27
	2007-2008	**37**	**38**	**37**	**38**	**3504**	**26**
	Cum. Total*	108	37	108	37	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	19	18	18	18	1638	12
	2006-2007	14	15	14	15	1193	9
	2007-2008	**17**	**17**	**17**	**17**	**1044**	**8**
	Cum. Total*	50	17	49	17	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**	7.6	50.7	7.6	50.7	9.2	61.3
Cluster 2: Shape and Size	**14**	**29**	9.0	64.3	9.0	64.3	10.0	71.4
Cluster 3: Mathematical Decision Making	**5**	**10**	2.8	56.0	2.8	56.0	3.2	64.0
Cluster 4: Patterns	**14**	**29**	7.5	53.6	7.5	53.6	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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	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	98	5	5	39	40	37	38	17	17	339	98	5	40	38	17	339	13589	17	50	26	8	347
Ethnicity																						
African American/Black	2										2						390	10	30	32	28	337
American Indian or Native Alaskan	2										2						113	7	45	38	10	342
Asian or Pacific Islander	1										1						204	18	48	25	9	347
Hispanic	1										1						159	6	50	31	13	342
Caucasian/White	92	5	5	37	40	34	37	16	17	339	92	5	40	37	17	339	12723	17	50	25	7	348
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Identified disability																						
Yes	17	0	0	2	12	10	59	5	29	328	17	0	12	59	29	328	2208	6	35	37	21	338
No	81	5	6	37	46	27	33	12	15	341	81	6	46	33	15	341	11381	19	53	24	5	349
Current LEP																						
Yes	0										0						357	8	29	37	26	336
No	98	5	5	39	40	37	38	17	17	339	98	5	40	38	17	339	13232	17	50	25	7	348
Economically disadvantaged																						
Yes	34	1	3	12	35	14	41	7	21	337	34	3	35	41	21	337	5452	9	45	33	12	343
No	64	4	6	27	42	23	36	10	16	340	64	6	42	36	16	340	8137	22	53	21	4	350
Migrant																						
Yes	0										0						5	0	40	40	20	337
No	98	5	5	39	40	37	38	17	17	339	98	5	40	38	17	339	13584	17	50	26	8	347
Gender																						
Female	44	2	5	20	45	18	41	4	9	341	44	5	45	41	9	341	6565	15	49	27	8	347
Male	54	3	6	19	35	19	35	13	24	337	54	6	35	35	24	337	7024	18	50	24	7	348
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Title 1A targeted program																						
Yes	11	0	0	1	9	7	64	3	27	332	11	0	9	64	27	332	2004	5	39	41	15	339
No	87	5	6	38	44	30	34	14	16	340	87	6	44	34	16	340	11585	19	52	23	6	349
Gifted/talented program																						
Yes	0										0						125	70	30	0	0	366
No	98	5	5	39	40	37	38	17	17	339	98	5	40	38	17	339	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: Brewer School Department
School: Washington Street School Bldg

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	2	0	0	0	0	2	100	0	0	334	2	0	0	100	0	334	6	9	40	33	18	340
B. less than one hour	79	5	7	31	41	29	38	11	14	340	79	7	41	38	14	340	79	18	52	24	6	348
C. one to two hours	17	0	0	8	50	4	25	4	25	337	17	0	50	25	25	337	12	16	48	27	8	347
D. more than two hours	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	100	315	2	0	0	0	100	315	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.	37	1	3	20	57	10	29	4	11	342	37	3	57	29	11	342	37	22	50	22	6	350
B. They match some of what I have learned.	41	4	10	12	31	20	51	3	8	341	41	10	31	51	8	341	46	16	53	25	6	348
C. They match just a little of what I have learned.	12	0	0	7	64	2	18	2	18	342	12	0	64	18	18	342	12	9	44	36	11	342
D. There is no match.	10	0	0	0	0	1	11	8	89	318	10	0	0	11	89	318	5	5	32	36	27	336
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in mathematics?																						
A. very good	52	4	9	22	47	14	30	7	15	342	52	9	47	30	15	342	39	25	48	20	7	350
B. good	33	1	3	13	43	11	37	5	17	340	33	3	43	37	17	340	46	14	52	27	7	347
C. fair	11	0	0	2	20	7	70	1	10	335	11	0	20	70	10	335	12	8	49	35	9	343
D. poor	4	0	0	0	0	1	25	3	75	321	4	0	0	25	75	321	3	2	34	36	29	335
How hard was the mathematics part of this test?																						
A. harder than my regular schoolwork	13	1	8	1	8	4	33	6	50	327	13	8	8	33	50	327	17	7	41	35	17	340
B. about the same as my regular schoolwork	63	2	3	28	47	23	38	7	12	341	63	3	47	38	12	341	59	18	53	24	5	349
C. easier than my regular schoolwork	24	2	9	10	43	7	30	4	17	341	24	9	43	30	17	341	25	21	49	23	8	349
How often do you use hands-on materials in mathematics class?																						
A. almost every day	24	1	5	9	41	7	32	5	23	337	24	5	41	32	23	337	32	13	47	30	10	345
B. two or three days a week	43	1	3	18	46	15	38	5	13	340	43	3	46	38	13	340	30	20	52	23	5	349
C. two or three times each month	20	2	11	8	44	7	39	1	6	344	20	11	44	39	6	344	19	20	53	21	6	350
D. never or almost never	13	0	0	4	33	4	33	4	33	335	13	0	33	33	33	335	18	16	50	27	8	347
How often do you use calculators in mathematics class?																						
A. almost every day	3	0	0	0	0	2	67	1	33	327	3	0	0	67	33	327	7	5	34	40	20	338
B. two or three days a week	5	0	0	0	0	3	60	2	40	327	5	0	0	60	40	327	18	15	50	27	8	346
C. two or three times each month	35	3	9	20	61	8	24	2	6	347	35	9	61	24	6	347	28	21	53	21	4	350
D. never or almost never	56	2	4	19	36	21	40	11	21	337	56	4	36	40	21	337	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	6	0	0	1	17	4	67	1	17	333	6	0	17	67	17	333	16	8	42	36	13	342
B. 30–45 minutes	23	2	9	8	36	9	41	3	14	341	23	9	36	41	14	341	30	14	53	26	7	347
C. 45–60 minutes	63	3	5	28	47	20	33	9	15	341	63	5	47	33	15	341	32	22	51	22	5	350
D. more than 60 minutes	7	0	0	2	29	1	14	4	57	328	7	0	29	14	57	328	22	20	49	23	7	349
Optional school/SAU question																						
A.	76	1	6	6	38	7	44	2	13	342	76	6	38	44	13	342						
B.	14	0	0	1	33	1	33	1	33	333	14	0	33	33	33	333						
C.	10	0	0	0	0	1	50	1	50	327	10	0	0	50	50	327						
D.	0										0											

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