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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
2008–2009 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 accountability standards of Maine's *Learning Results*. The *Learning Results* contain goals for what all students should know and be able to do at certain times in their school careers and include the accountability standards that are assessed 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 2008-2009 MEA Summary Reports contain the results of student achievement in reading and mathematics at all grades and science at grades 5 and 8 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. More information about 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 assessments.

Sincerely,

Susan A. Gendron
Commissioner of Education

MEA
Maine Educational Assessment

School Report
Grade 7

Test Date:	March 2009
Code:	10951297
SAU:	Machias School Department
School:	Rose M Gaffney School

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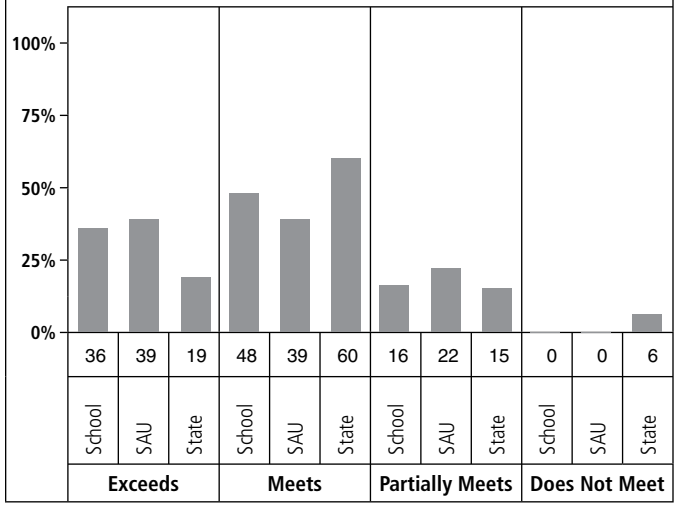
SUMMARY OF SCORES

Test Date: March 2009
Grade: 7
SAU: Machias School Department
School: Rose M Gaffney School

Summary of School, SAU, and State Scores

Year	Average Scaled Score		
	School	SAU	State
ELA – Reading			
2006–2007	745	744	748
2007–2008	753	753	750
2008–2009	**758**	**757**	**751**
Cum. Avg.*	751	750	750
Mathematics			
2006–2007	744	743	742
2007–2008	750	750	743
2008–2009	**753**	**753**	**745**
Cum. Avg.*	748	748	743

ELA – READING



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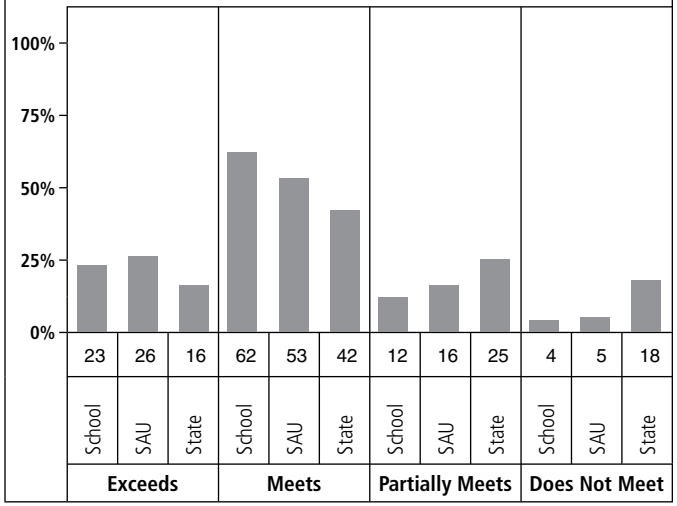

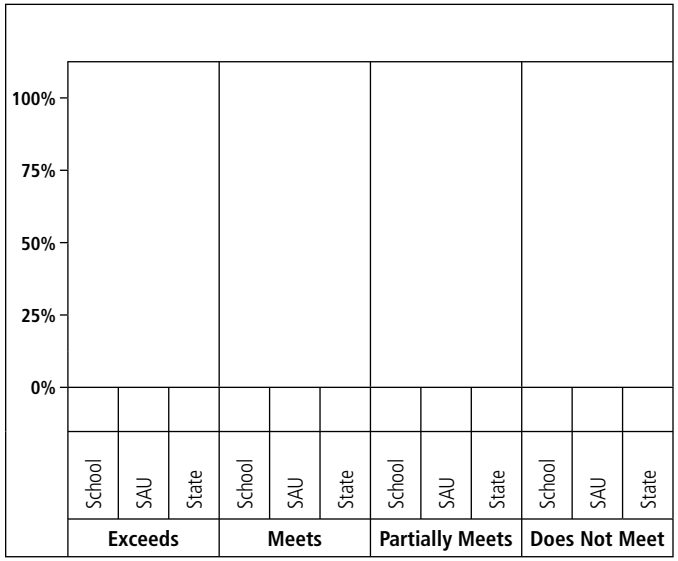

*Cumulative averages are weighted, i.e., the scaled scores are averaged proportionally based on the numbers of students in each year.

SUMMARY OF STUDENT PARTICIPATION

Test Date: March 2009
Grade: 7
SAU: Machias School Department
School: Rose M Gaffney 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	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Total number of students	27	100	20	100	14446	100	26	96	19	95	14316	99	26	96	19	95	14322	99						
Ethnicity African American/Black	0	0	0	0	432	3	0	0	0	0	416	97	0	0	0	0	421	98						
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0	0	0	0	124	1	0	0	0	0	121	98	0	0	0	0	122	99						
Asian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	260	2	0	0	0	0	255	98	0	0	0	0	259	100						
Hispanic	0	0	0	0	147	1	0	0	0	0	144	99	0	0	0	0	144	99						
Caucasian/White	27	100	20	100	13483	93	26	96	19	95	13380	99	26	96	19	95	13376	99						
Not Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0						
Identified disability	1	4	1	5	2428	17	1	100	1	100	2391	99	1	100	1	100	2391	99						
Current LEP	0	0	0	0	334	2	0	0	0	0	318	95	0	0	0	0	328	98						
Economically disadvantaged	11	41	7	35	5498	38	11	100	7	100	5431	99	11	100	7	100	5436	99						
Migrant	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	8	100	0	0	0	0	8	100						

MODE OF PARTICIPATION[3]	ELA–Reading						Mathematics											
	School		SAU		State		School		SAU		State		School		SAU		State	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Participation without accommodations	25	93	18	90	11742	81	25	93	18	90	11754	81						
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	0	0	0	0	367	3	0	0	0	0	365	3						
LEP	0	0	0	0	168	1	0	0	0	0	169	1						
504 plan	0	0	0	0	183	2	0	0	0	0	187	2						
Participation with accommodations	0	0	0	0	2367	16	1	4	1	5	2366	16						
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	0	0	0	0	1819	77	1	100	1	100	1824	77						
LEP	0	0	0	0	143	6	0	0	0	0	154	7						
504 plan	0	0	0	0	84	4	0	0	0	0	80	3						
Other	0	0	0	0	358	15	0	0	0	0	346	15						
Participation through alternate assessment (PAAP)	1	4	1	5	205	1	0	0	0	0	202	1						
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	1	100	1	100	205	100	0	0	0	0	202	100						
LEP	0	0	0	0	5	2	0	0	0	0	5	2						
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	2	0												
Approved non-participation – special consideration	0	0	0	0	33	0	0	0	0	0	32	0						
Non-participation – other	1	4	1	5	97	1	1	4	1	5	92	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 2009
Grade:	7
SAU:	Machias School Department
School:	Rose M Gaffney School

ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL DEFINITIONS

The quality of a student's work at each achievement level reflects progress in attaining Maine's *Learning Results: Parameters for Essential Instruction* 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 762–780)	2006-2007	3	7	2	8	2630	18
	2007-2008	5	17	4	22	2604	18
	2008-2009	**9**	**36**	**7**	**39**	**2618**	**19**
	Cum. Total*	17	17	13	21	7852	18
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 742–760)	2006-2007	22	50	11	44	7605	51
	2007-2008	20	67	11	61	8049	55
	2008-2009	**12**	**48**	**7**	**39**	**8484**	**60**
	Cum. Total*	54	55	29	48	24138	56
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 730–740)	2006-2007	13	30	10	40	3000	20
	2007-2008	4	13	2	11	2672	18
	2008-2009	**4**	**16**	**4**	**22**	**2108**	**15**
	Cum. Total*	21	21	16	26	7780	18
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 700–728)	2006-2007	6	14	2	8	1620	11
	2007-2008	1	3	1	6	1190	8
	2008-2009	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**899**	**6**
	Cum. Total*	7	7	3	5	3709	9

Learning Results Content Standards	Number of Points Possible		Average Points Attained (Number and Percent)					
			School		SAU		State	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Reading Total Points	**56**	**100**	38.5	68.8	37.7	67.3	34.4	61.4
A1/A2 Interconnected Elements/Literary Text	**20**	**36**	13.1	65.5	13.0	65.0	11.8	59.0
A1/A3/4 Interconnected Elements/Informational Text/Persuasive Text	**36**	**64**	25.4	70.6	24.7	68.6	22.6	62.8

The MEA assesses students' reading skills based on questions related to three types of reading passages: literary, informational, and persuasive. Reading passages include both long and short texts, selected from developmentally appropriate works. MEA reading items measure the English Language Arts accountability content standard A, Reading, contained in Maine's 2007 *Learning Results: Parameters for Essential Instruction*, which can be found at: http://www.maine.gov/education/lres/pei/index.html.

*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 2009
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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	25	9	36	12	48	4	16	0	0	758	18	39	39	22	0	757	14109	19	60	15	6	751
Ethnicity																						
African American/Black	0										0						409	11	49	22	18	744
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0										0						117	12	53	19	16	746
Asian or Pacific Islander	0										0						253	24	59	11	6	753
Hispanic	0										0						142	14	56	17	13	747
Caucasian/White	25	9	36	12	48	4	16	0	0	758	18	39	39	22	0	757	13188	19	61	15	6	751
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Identified disability																						
Yes	0										0						2186	2	36	35	27	737
No	25	9	36	12	48	4	16	0	0	758	18	39	39	22	0	757	11923	22	65	11	3	754
Current LEP																						
Yes	0										0						311	4	41	29	26	739
No	25	9	36	12	48	4	16	0	0	758	18	39	39	22	0	757	13798	19	61	15	6	751
Economically disadvantaged																						
Yes	10	2	20	5	50	3	30	0	0	753	6	17	33	50	0	750	5300	8	58	22	11	746
No	15	7	47	7	47	1	7	0	0	761	12	50	42	8	0	761	8809	25	61	10	4	754
Migrant																						
Yes	0										0						8	13	50	38	0	747
No	25	9	36	12	48	4	16	0	0	758	18	39	39	22	0	757	14101	19	60	15	6	751
Gender																						
Female	13	7	54	4	31	2	15	0	0	762	11	55	27	18	0	761	6993	24	61	11	4	754
Male	12	2	17	8	67	2	17	0	0	754	7	14	57	29	0	752	7116	14	60	18	8	749
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Title 1A targeted program																						
Yes	0										0						1025	10	53	27	11	745
No	25	9	36	12	48	4	16	0	0	758	18	39	39	22	0	757	13084	19	61	14	6	752
Gifted/talented program																						
Yes	0										0						676	66	33	1	0	766
No	25	9	36	12	48	4	16	0	0	758	18	39	39	22	0	757	13433	16	61	16	7	750

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 2009
Grade: 7
SAU: Machias School Department
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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	8	0	0	1	50	1	50	0	0	749	11	0	50	50	0	749	7	8	48	25	19	743
B. less than one hour	52	4	31	8	62	1	8	0	0	758	44	38	50	13	0	756	52	17	62	15	6	751
C. one to two hours	36	5	56	2	22	2	22	0	0	762	39	57	14	29	0	763	37	23	61	12	4	753
D. more than two hours	4	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	742	6	0	100	0	0	742	4	19	53	18	10	750
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in reading?																						
A. very good	28	4	57	3	43	0	0	0	0	767	28	60	40	0	0	768	30	33	56	7	4	756
B. good	40	4	40	6	60	0	0	0	0	761	33	50	50	0	0	762	49	16	64	14	5	751
C. fair	32	1	13	3	38	4	50	0	0	747	39	14	29	57	0	746	19	5	59	26	10	745
D. poor	0										0						3	3	45	32	21	740
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.	48	6	50	6	50	0	0	0	0	763	50	56	44	0	0	765	33	24	62	10	3	754
B. They match some of what I have learned.	44	3	27	5	45	3	27	0	0	754	44	25	38	38	0	751	52	18	62	15	5	751
C. They match just a little of what I have learned.	8	0	0	1	50	1	50	0	0	745	6	0	0	100	0	740	11	11	54	23	13	746
D. There is no match.	0										0						3	6	38	29	27	739
How difficult was the reading part of this test?																						
A. more difficult than my regular schoolwork	16	0	0	4	100	0	0	0	0	756	6	0	100	0	0	756	17	16	55	18	12	748
B. about the same as my regular schoolwork	72	8	44	7	39	3	17	0	0	759	78	43	36	21	0	758	65	19	62	14	5	752
C. easier than my regular schoolwork	12	1	33	1	33	1	33	0	0	755	17	33	33	33	0	755	17	22	60	13	5	752
How difficult were the reading passages on this test?																						
A. Most of the passages were more difficult than what I normally read.	8	0	0	2	100	0	0	0	0	758	0						9	4	44	27	24	740
B. Most of the passages were about the same as what I normally read.	44	2	18	6	55	3	27	0	0	750	50	22	44	33	0	749	54	14	63	17	5	750
C. Most of the passages were easier than what I normally read.	48	7	58	4	33	1	8	0	0	765	50	56	33	11	0	765	38	28	60	9	3	756
How hard did you try on the reading part of this test?																						
A. I tried harder on this test than I do on my regular schoolwork.	40	5	50	5	50	0	0	0	0	763	33	67	33	0	0	766	44	19	60	15	6	751
B. I tried about the same as I do on my regular schoolwork.	56	4	29	7	50	3	21	0	0	756	61	27	45	27	0	754	51	19	62	13	5	752
C. I did not try as hard on this test as I do on my regular schoolwork.	4	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	740	6	0	0	100	0	740	5	9	51	26	15	744
How much time do you spend reading at home each day?																						
A. more than one hour	40	4	40	5	50	1	10	0	0	761	39	43	43	14	0	761	21	27	57	11	5	755
B. 20 minutes to an hour	36	5	56	3	33	1	11	0	0	760	39	57	29	14	0	759	45	22	62	12	4	753
C. less than 20 minutes	8	0	0	2	100	0	0	0	0	755	11	0	100	0	0	755	13	13	61	17	8	749
D. I rarely read at home.	16	0	0	2	50	2	50	0	0	746	11	0	0	100	0	737	21	7	59	24	11	746
Optional school/SAU question																						
A.	0										0											
B.	0										0											
C.	0										0											
D.	100	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	734	100	0	0	100	0	734						

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MATHEMATICS RESULTS

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Grade:	7
SAU:	Machias 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 *Learning Results: Parameters for Essential Instruction* 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 762–780)	2006-2007	5	11	3	12	2142	14
	2007-2008	4	13	4	22	2028	14
	2008-2009	**6**	**23**	**5**	**26**	**2220**	**16**
	Cum. Total*	15	15	12	19	6390	15
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 742–760)	2006-2007	23	52	12	48	5642	38
	2007-2008	20	67	9	50	5703	39
	2008-2009	**16**	**62**	**10**	**53**	**5879**	**42**
	Cum. Total*	59	59	31	50	17224	40
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 728–740)	2006-2007	9	20	7	28	4077	27
	2007-2008	5	17	4	22	3733	26
	2008-2009	**3**	**12**	**3**	**16**	**3537**	**25**
	Cum. Total*	17	17	14	23	11347	26
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 700–726)	2006-2007	7	16	3	12	3001	20
	2007-2008	1	3	1	6	3054	21
	2008-2009	**1**	**4**	**1**	**5**	**2484**	**18**
	Cum. Total*	9	9	5	8	8539	20

Learning Results Content Standards	Number of Points Possible		Average Points Attained (Number and Percent)					
			School		SAU		State	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Mathematics Total Points	**56**	**100**	35.6	63.6	35.3	63.0	29.9	53.4
A. Number	**14**	**25**	9.3	66.4	9.6	68.6	7.7	55.0
B. Data	**16**	**29**	9.9	61.9	9.7	60.6	8.1	50.6
C. Geometry	**12**	**21**	8.2	68.3	8.0	66.7	6.9	57.5
D. Algebra	**14**	**25**	8.2	58.6	7.9	56.4	7.3	52.1

The MEA assesses students' mathematics knowledge based on questions that measure the mathematics accountability content standards contained in Maine's 2007 *Learning Results: Parameters for Essential Instruction*, which can be found at: http://www.maine.gov/education/lres/pei/index.html.

Content Standard A, Number, includes Whole Number, Rational Number, and Real Number.

Content Standard B, Data, includes Measurement and Approximation, Data Analysis, and Probability.

Content Standard C, Geometry, includes Geometric Figures, Geometric Measurement, and Transformations.

Content Standard D, Algebra, includes Symbols and Expressions, Equations and Inequalities, and Functions and Relations.

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MATHEMATICS RESULTS
(CONTINUED)

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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	26	6	23	16	62	3	12	1	4	753	19	26	53	16	5	753	14120	16	42	25	18	745
Ethnicity																						
African American/Black	0										0						416	5	26	28	41	733
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0										0						119	8	30	31	30	737
Asian or Pacific Islander	0										0						258	25	43	19	13	750
Hispanic	0										0						142	8	39	23	30	739
Caucasian/White	26	6	23	16	62	3	12	1	4	753	19	26	53	16	5	753	13185	16	42	25	17	745
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Identified disability																						
Yes	1										1						2189	2	17	27	53	728
No	25	6	24	15	60	3	12	1	4	753	18	28	50	17	6	753	11931	18	46	25	11	748
Current LEP																						
Yes	0										0						323	4	20	28	48	729
No	26	6	23	16	62	3	12	1	4	753	19	26	53	16	5	753	13797	16	42	25	17	745
Economically disadvantaged																						
Yes	11	0	0	9	82	1	9	1	9	748	7	0	71	14	14	746	5308	7	35	30	28	738
No	15	6	40	7	47	2	13	0	0	757	12	42	42	17	0	757	8812	21	46	22	11	749
Migrant																						
Yes	0										0						8	0	50	38	13	742
No	26	6	23	16	62	3	12	1	4	753	19	26	53	16	5	753	14112	16	42	25	18	745
Gender																						
Female	13	5	38	6	46	1	8	1	8	757	11	36	45	9	9	756	6992	16	43	25	16	745
Male	13	1	8	10	77	2	15	0	0	749	8	13	63	25	0	748	7128	15	41	25	19	744
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Title 1A targeted program																						
Yes	0										0						1024	7	26	36	31	736
No	26	6	23	16	62	3	12	1	4	753	19	26	53	16	5	753	13096	16	43	24	17	745
Gifted/talented program																						
Yes	0										0						676	68	29	2	0	767
No	26	6	23	16	62	3	12	1	4	753	19	26	53	16	5	753	13444	13	42	26	18	744

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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 2009
Grade: 7
SAU: Machias School Department
School: Rose M Gaffney 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	12	0	0	3	100	0	0	0	0	754	16	0	100	0	0	754	7	6	30	28	36	735
B. less than one hour	50	3	23	9	69	0	0	1	8	754	42	25	63	0	13	753	52	16	42	25	17	745
C. one to two hours	35	3	33	4	44	2	22	0	0	754	37	43	29	29	0	755	37	18	44	24	14	747
D. more than two hours	4	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	736	5	0	0	100	0	736	4	15	38	24	22	743
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in mathematics?																						
A. very good	32	4	50	4	50	0	0	0	0	764	28	60	40	0	0	766	26	35	43	12	9	754
B. good	40	1	10	8	80	1	10	0	0	753	39	14	71	14	0	754	46	13	48	25	15	745
C. fair	24	1	17	3	50	1	17	1	17	744	28	20	40	20	20	743	23	3	32	37	27	737
D. poor	4	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	732	6	0	0	100	0	732	5	1	22	37	40	731
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.	19	1	20	4	80	0	0	0	0	758	16	33	67	0	0	759	26	23	43	20	13	749
B. They match some of what I have learned.	54	4	29	9	64	1	7	0	0	756	58	36	55	9	0	757	53	15	45	26	15	746
C. They match just a little of what I have learned.	23	1	17	3	50	1	17	1	17	747	21	0	50	25	25	741	17	9	35	32	24	740
D. There is no match.	4	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	732	5	0	0	100	0	732	4	7	21	22	51	730
How difficult was the mathematics part of this test?																						
A. more difficult than my regular schoolwork	50	5	38	6	46	1	8	1	8	757	58	36	45	9	9	756	37	8	40	29	23	740
B. about the same as my regular schoolwork	38	1	10	8	80	1	10	0	0	751	32	17	67	17	0	751	51	16	44	25	15	746
C. easier than my regular schoolwork	12	0	0	2	67	1	33	0	0	743	11	0	50	50	0	739	12	41	35	13	11	755
How hard did you try on the mathematics part of this test?																						
A. I tried harder on this test than I do on my regular schoolwork.	42	4	36	5	45	2	18	0	0	756	37	43	29	29	0	757	48	14	42	27	17	744
B. I tried about the same as I do on my regular schoolwork.	54	2	14	11	79	1	7	0	0	753	58	18	73	9	0	753	47	18	43	23	16	746
C. I did not try as hard on this test as I do on my regular schoolwork.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	100	724	5	0	0	0	100	724	5	14	27	25	34	738
On average, how many minutes a day do you spend working on mathematics in class?																						
A. less than 30 minutes	19	0	0	4	80	0	0	1	20	749	21	0	75	0	25	746	8	8	30	29	33	737
B. 30–45 minutes	38	1	10	7	70	2	20	0	0	749	32	17	50	33	0	749	38	13	40	27	20	743
C. 45–60 minutes	31	4	50	4	50	0	0	0	0	764	37	57	43	0	0	765	42	20	45	23	12	748
D. more than 60 minutes	12	1	33	1	33	1	33	0	0	747	11	0	50	50	0	738	12	16	42	25	17	745
How often do you use calculators in mathematics class?																						
A. almost every day	0										0						15	19	38	25	19	745
B. two or three days a week	23	1	17	5	83	0	0	0	0	754	16	0	100	0	0	750	31	18	42	24	16	746
C. two or three times a month	50	3	23	7	54	3	23	0	0	753	53	30	40	30	0	753	26	17	43	24	17	746
D. never or almost never	27	2	29	4	57	0	0	1	14	753	32	33	50	0	17	754	28	11	42	27	19	743
How often do you use laptops in mathematics class?																						
A. almost every day	4	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	748	0						10	12	39	24	24	741
B. two or three days a week	46	3	25	7	58	2	17	0	0	754	42	25	50	25	0	753	22	13	43	26	18	744
C. two or three times each month	38	3	30	6	60	1	10	0	0	755	42	38	50	13	0	756	33	18	44	25	13	747
D. never or almost never	12	0	0	2	67	0	0	1	33	745	16	0	67	0	33	745	35	16	40	25	19	744
Optional school/SAU question																						
A.	0										0											
B.	0										0											
C.	0										0											
D.	100	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	732	100	0	0	100	0	732						

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