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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 6

Test Date:	March 2009
Code:	12501719
SAU:	MSAD 56
School:	Searsport District Middle Scho

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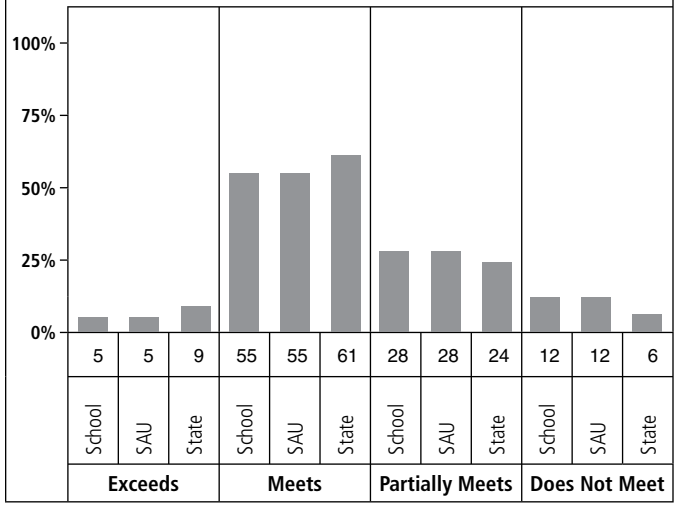
SUMMARY OF SCORES

Test Date:	March 2009
Grade:	6
SAU:	MSAD 56
School:	Searsport District Middle Scho

Summary of School, SAU, and State Scores

Year	Average Scaled Score		
	School	SAU	State
ELA – Reading			
2006–2007	646	646	646
2007–2008	647	647	648
2008–2009	**644**	**644**	**647**
Cum. Avg.*	646	646	647
Mathematics			
2006–2007	642	642	643
2007–2008	641	641	642
2008–2009	**641**	**641**	**643**
Cum. Avg.*	641	641	643

ELA – READING



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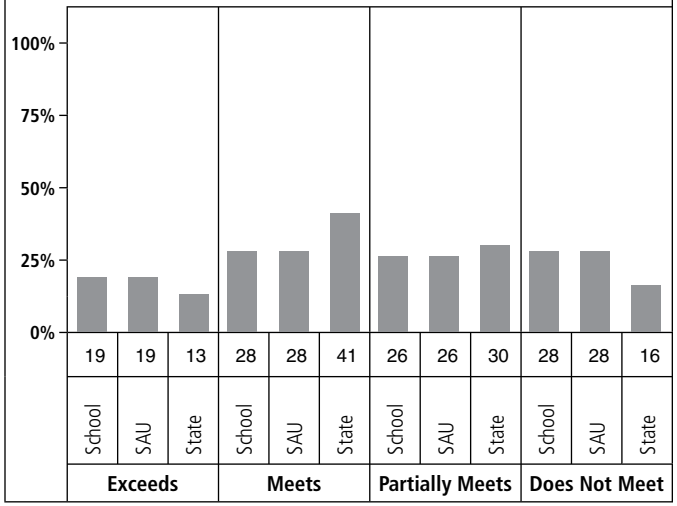

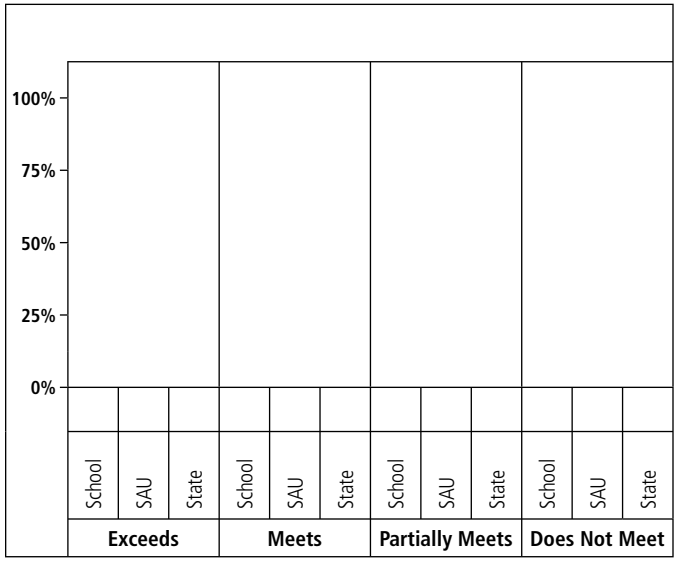

*Cumulative averages are weighted, i.e., the scaled scores are averaged proportionally based on the numbers of students in each year.

SUMMARY OF STUDENT PARTICIPATION

Test Date: March 2009
Grade: 6
SAU: MSAD 56
School: Searsport District Middle Scho

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	58	100	58	100	14251	100	58	100	58	100	14150	99	58	100	58	100	14156	100						
Ethnicity African American/Black	1	2	1	2	421	3	1	100	1	100	412	98	1	100	1	100	415	99						
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0	0	0	0	128	1	0	0	0	0	127	99	0	0	0	0	128	100						
Asian or Pacific Islander	1	2	1	2	212	1	1	100	1	100	210	99	1	100	1	100	212	100						
Hispanic	0	0	0	0	181	1	0	0	0	0	177	98	0	0	0	0	178	99						
Caucasian/White	56	97	56	97	13309	93	56	100	56	100	13224	100	56	100	56	100	13223	100						
Not Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0						
Identified disability	12	21	12	21	2468	17	12	100	12	100	2423	99	12	100	12	100	2426	99						
Current LEP	1	2	1	2	341	2	1	100	1	100	330	97	1	100	1	100	338	99						
Economically disadvantaged	36	62	36	62	5780	41	36	100	36	100	5724	99	36	100	36	100	5725	99						
Migrant	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	100	0	0	0	0	4	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	47	81	47	81	11369	80	47	81	47	81	11373	80						
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	1	2	1	2	355	3	1	2	1	2	371	3						
LEP	1	2	1	2	167	1	1	2	1	2	170	1						
504 plan	1	2	1	2	172	2	1	2	1	2	175	2						
Participation with accommodations	11	19	11	19	2594	18	11	19	11	19	2605	18						
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	11	100	11	100	1881	73	11	100	11	100	1877	72						
LEP	0	0	0	0	155	6	0	0	0	0	161	6						
504 plan	0	0	0	0	74	3	0	0	0	0	71	3						
Other	0	0	0	0	519	20	0	0	0	0	532	20						
Participation through alternate assessment (PAAP)	0	0	0	0	187	1	0	0	0	0	178	1						
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	0	0	0	0	187	100	0	0	0	0	178	100						
LEP	0	0	0	0	8	4	0	0	0	0	7	4						
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	0	0												
Approved non-participation – special consideration	0	0	0	0	26	0	0	0	0	0	25	0						
Non-participation – other	0	0	0	0	75	1	0	0	0	0	70	0						

[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:	6
SAU:	MSAD 56
School:	Searsport District Middle Scho

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 662–680)	2006-2007	4	9	4	9	1132	8
	2007-2008	9	18	9	18	1817	13
	2008-2009	**3**	**5**	**3**	**5**	**1309**	**9**
	Cum. Total*	16	11	16	11	4258	10
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 642–660)	2006-2007	22	49	22	49	8127	57
	2007-2008	19	39	19	39	8072	57
	2008-2009	**32**	**55**	**32**	**55**	**8564**	**61**
	Cum. Total*	73	48	73	48	24763	59
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 630–640)	2006-2007	14	31	14	31	3549	25
	2007-2008	17	35	17	35	3194	23
	2008-2009	**16**	**28**	**16**	**28**	**3291**	**24**
	Cum. Total*	47	31	47	31	10034	24
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 600–628)	2006-2007	5	11	5	11	1478	10
	2007-2008	4	8	4	8	981	7
	2008-2009	**7**	**12**	**7**	**12**	**799**	**6**
	Cum. Total*	16	11	16	11	3258	8

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**	31.3	55.9	31.3	55.9	33.8	60.4
A1/A2 Interconnected Elements/Literary Text	**20**	**36**	11.1	55.5	11.1	55.5	11.9	59.5
A1/A3/4 Interconnected Elements/Informational Text/Persuasive Text	**36**	**64**	20.3	56.4	20.3	56.4	21.9	60.8

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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SAU: MSAD 56
School: Searsport District Middle Scho

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	58	3	5	32	55	16	28	7	12	644	58	5	55	28	12	644	13963	9	61	24	6	647
Ethnicity																						
African American/Black	1										1						403	5	46	34	15	641
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0										0						125	4	49	38	10	642
Asian or Pacific Islander	1										1						206	18	56	20	6	649
Hispanic	0										0						174	5	55	33	7	644
Caucasian/White	56	3	5	30	54	16	29	7	13	644	56	5	54	29	13	644	13055	9	62	23	5	647
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Identified disability																						
Yes	12	0	0	4	33	4	33	4	33	636	12	0	33	33	33	636	2236	1	30	48	22	637
No	46	3	7	28	61	12	26	3	7	646	46	7	61	26	7	646	11727	11	67	19	3	649
Current LEP																						
Yes	1										1						322	2	39	37	21	638
No	57	3	5	31	54	16	28	7	12	644	57	5	54	28	12	644	13641	10	62	23	5	647
Economically disadvantaged																						
Yes	36	0	0	20	56	10	28	6	17	642	36	0	56	28	17	642	5617	4	54	33	9	643
No	22	3	14	12	55	6	27	1	5	648	22	14	55	27	5	648	8346	13	66	17	3	650
Migrant																						
Yes	0										0						4					
No	58	3	5	32	55	16	28	7	12	644	58	5	55	28	12	644	13959	9	61	24	6	647
Gender																						
Female	29	2	7	16	55	6	21	5	17	643	29	7	55	21	17	643	6743	13	63	20	4	649
Male	29	1	3	16	55	10	34	2	7	645	29	3	55	34	7	645	7220	6	60	27	7	645
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Title 1A targeted program																						
Yes	0										0						1408	4	41	43	12	641
No	58	3	5	32	55	16	28	7	12	644	58	5	55	28	12	644	12555	10	64	21	5	648
Gifted/talented program																						
Yes	5	1	20	4	80	0	0	0	0	659	5	20	80	0	0	659	636	39	59	2	0	659
No	53	2	4	28	53	16	30	7	13	643	53	4	53	30	13	643	13327	8	61	25	6	647

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: 6
SAU: MSAD 56
School: Searsport District Middle Scho

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	9	0	0	3	60	1	20	1	20	646	9	0	60	20	20	646	6	5	47	32	16	642
B. less than one hour	74	3	7	26	60	10	23	4	9	645	74	7	60	23	9	645	59	9	62	24	5	647
C. one to two hours	12	0	0	1	14	5	71	1	14	637	12	0	14	71	14	637	32	11	64	21	4	648
D. more than two hours	5	0	0	2	67	0	0	1	33	640	5	0	67	0	33	640	3	10	50	26	13	644
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in reading?																						
A. very good	24	1	7	9	64	4	29	0	0	647	24	7	64	29	0	647	31	17	66	14	3	651
B. good	47	2	7	15	56	5	19	5	19	645	47	7	56	19	19	645	48	8	64	23	5	647
C. fair	26	0	0	8	53	5	33	2	13	641	26	0	53	33	13	641	18	2	48	40	10	641
D. poor	3	0	0	0	0	2	100	0	0	636	3	0	0	100	0	636	2	1	34	47	18	638
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.	24	1	7	9	64	3	21	1	7	645	24	7	64	21	7	645	38	13	65	18	3	650
B. They match some of what I have learned.	59	1	3	20	59	10	29	3	9	645	59	3	59	29	9	645	49	8	63	24	5	647
C. They match just a little of what I have learned.	14	1	13	2	25	2	25	3	38	639	14	13	25	25	38	639	10	5	48	36	11	642
D. There is no match.	3	0	0	1	50	1	50	0	0	643	3	0	50	50	0	643	3	3	35	38	24	639
How difficult was the reading part of this test?																						
A. more difficult than my regular schoolwork	16	0	0	7	78	1	11	1	11	645	16	0	78	11	11	645	16	7	52	30	11	644
B. about the same as my regular schoolwork	69	3	8	20	50	11	28	6	15	644	69	8	50	28	15	644	66	10	64	22	4	648
C. easier than my regular schoolwork	16	0	0	5	56	4	44	0	0	644	16	0	56	44	0	644	17	11	61	22	5	648
How difficult were the reading passages on this test?																						
A. Most of the passages were more difficult than what I normally read.	11	0	0	2	33	2	33	2	33	636	11	0	33	33	33	636	10	2	39	42	17	639
B. Most of the passages were about the same as what I normally read.	47	1	4	16	59	6	22	4	15	643	47	4	59	22	15	643	55	6	62	27	5	646
C. Most of the passages were easier than what I normally read.	42	2	8	13	54	8	33	1	4	647	42	8	54	33	4	647	35	16	67	14	3	651
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.	59	2	6	20	59	8	24	4	12	645	59	6	59	24	12	645	48	10	60	24	6	647
B. I tried about the same as I do on my regular schoolwork.	40	1	4	11	48	8	35	3	13	643	40	4	48	35	13	643	49	10	63	22	5	648
C. I did not try as hard on this test as I do on my regular schoolwork.	2	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	650	2	0	100	0	0	650	3	3	53	29	15	642
How much time do you spend reading at home each day?																						
A. more than one hour	12	0	0	3	43	2	29	2	29	639	12	0	43	29	29	639	23	15	65	16	4	650
B. 20 minutes to an hour	57	3	9	19	58	9	27	2	6	647	57	9	58	27	6	647	49	10	64	22	4	648
C. less than 20 minutes	9	0	0	2	40	2	40	1	20	638	9	0	40	40	20	638	11	6	58	29	7	645
D. I rarely read at home.	22	0	0	8	62	3	23	2	15	642	22	0	62	23	15	642	17	2	51	36	11	642
Optional school/SAU question																						
A.	0										0											
B.	0										0											
C.	0										0											
D.	0										0											

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MATHEMATICS RESULTS

Test Date:	March 2009
Grade:	6
SAU:	MSAD 56
School:	Searsport District Middle Scho

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 662–680)	2006-2007	6	13	6	13	2092	15
	2007-2008	4	8	4	8	1474	10
	2008-2009	**11**	**19**	**11**	**19**	**1807**	**13**
	Cum. Total*	21	14	21	14	5373	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 642–660)	2006-2007	14	31	14	31	5731	40
	2007-2008	21	43	21	43	6008	43
	2008-2009	**16**	**28**	**16**	**28**	**5662**	**41**
	Cum. Total*	51	34	51	34	17401	41
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 628–640)	2006-2007	19	42	19	42	4175	29
	2007-2008	14	29	14	29	4244	30
	2008-2009	**15**	**26**	**15**	**26**	**4219**	**30**
	Cum. Total*	48	32	48	32	12638	30
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 600–626)	2006-2007	6	13	6	13	2308	16
	2007-2008	10	20	10	20	2346	17
	2008-2009	**16**	**28**	**16**	**28**	**2290**	**16**
	Cum. Total*	32	21	32	21	6944	16

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**	29.2	52.1	29.2	52.1	30.6	54.6
A. Number	**18**	**32**	9.8	54.4	9.8	54.4	10.3	57.2
B. Data	**12**	**21**	6.1	50.8	6.1	50.8	6.6	55.0
C. Geometry	**14**	**25**	7.6	54.3	7.6	54.3	7.3	52.1
D. Algebra	**12**	**21**	5.7	47.5	5.7	47.5	6.5	54.2

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)

Test Date: March 2009
Grade: 6
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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	58	11	19	16	28	15	26	16	28	641	58	19	28	26	28	641	13978	13	41	30	16	643
Ethnicity																						
African American/Black	1										1						406	4	26	36	34	633
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0										0						126	4	29	40	28	635
Asian or Pacific Islander	1										1						208	18	47	23	12	647
Hispanic	0										0						175	5	31	41	23	638
Caucasian/White	56	11	20	15	27	14	25	16	29	641	56	20	27	25	29	641	13063	13	41	30	16	643
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Identified disability																						
Yes	12	1	8	2	17	3	25	6	50	629	12	8	17	25	50	629	2248	3	18	33	46	629
No	46	10	22	14	30	12	26	10	22	644	46	22	30	26	22	644	11730	15	45	30	11	646
Current LEP																						
Yes	1										1						331	3	22	35	40	631
No	57	11	19	15	26	15	26	16	28	641	57	19	26	26	28	641	13647	13	41	30	16	643
Economically disadvantaged																						
Yes	36	4	11	9	25	10	28	13	36	636	36	11	25	28	36	636	5620	6	33	37	25	637
No	22	7	32	7	32	5	23	3	14	650	22	32	32	23	14	650	8358	18	45	26	11	647
Migrant																						
Yes	0										0						4					
No	58	11	19	16	28	15	26	16	28	641	58	19	28	26	28	641	13974	13	41	30	16	643
Gender																						
Female	29	5	17	5	17	10	34	9	31	640	29	17	17	34	31	640	6738	12	40	32	16	642
Male	29	6	21	11	38	5	17	7	24	643	29	21	38	17	24	643	7240	14	41	29	16	644
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Title 1A targeted program																						
Yes	0										0						1410	3	24	41	32	634
No	58	11	19	16	28	15	26	16	28	641	58	19	28	26	28	641	12568	14	42	29	15	644
Gifted/talented program																						
Yes	5	4	80	1	20	0	0	0	0	674	5	80	20	0	0	674	637	65	32	3	0	665
No	53	7	13	15	28	15	28	16	30	638	53	13	28	28	30	638	13341	10	41	31	17	642

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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: 6
SAU: MSAD 56
School: Searsport District Middle Scho

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	9	2	40	0	0	3	60	0	0	654	9	40	0	60	0	654	6	7	32	28	32	636
B. less than one hour	74	9	21	15	35	8	19	11	26	643	74	21	35	19	26	643	59	13	41	30	16	643
C. one to two hours	12	0	0	0	0	3	43	4	57	621	12	0	0	43	57	621	32	14	41	31	14	644
D. more than two hours	5	0	0	1	33	1	33	1	33	634	5	0	33	33	33	634	3	11	31	33	26	639
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in mathematics?																						
A. very good	17	5	50	1	10	3	30	1	10	656	17	50	10	30	10	656	30	27	45	18	9	651
B. good	34	5	25	8	40	3	15	4	20	646	34	25	40	15	20	646	46	9	45	31	15	643
C. fair	40	1	4	5	22	8	35	9	39	632	40	4	22	35	39	632	20	2	29	43	26	635
D. poor	9	0	0	2	40	1	20	2	40	635	9	0	40	20	40	635	4	1	15	46	38	630
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.	36	7	33	4	19	4	19	6	29	644	36	33	19	19	29	644	35	18	42	27	13	646
B. They match some of what I have learned.	57	4	12	11	33	11	33	7	21	642	57	12	33	33	21	642	50	11	43	31	15	643
C. They match just a little of what I have learned.	7	0	0	1	25	0	0	3	75	621	7	0	25	0	75	621	13	8	31	36	26	638
D. There is no match.	0										0						3	5	16	27	51	628
How difficult was the mathematics part of this test?																						
A. more difficult than my regular schoolwork	28	2	13	6	38	4	25	4	25	641	28	13	38	25	25	641	32	7	40	34	20	640
B. about the same as my regular schoolwork	62	8	22	8	22	10	28	10	28	641	62	22	22	28	28	641	56	13	42	30	15	644
C. easier than my regular schoolwork	10	1	17	2	33	1	17	2	33	641	10	17	33	17	33	641	12	31	36	20	13	650
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.	55	6	19	8	25	9	28	9	28	642	55	19	25	28	28	642	51	11	41	31	16	643
B. I tried about the same as I do on my regular schoolwork.	40	5	22	6	26	6	26	6	26	640	40	22	26	26	26	640	45	15	41	29	16	644
C. I did not try as hard on this test as I do on my regular schoolwork.	5	0	0	2	67	0	0	1	33	641	5	0	67	0	33	641	4	12	28	32	28	638
On average, how many minutes a day do you spend working on mathematics in class?																						
A. less than 30 minutes	3	0	0	0	0	2	100	0	0	637	3	0	0	100	0	637	6	8	29	29	34	635
B. 30–45 minutes	34	4	20	4	20	5	25	7	35	639	34	20	20	25	35	639	33	10	37	34	19	641
C. 45–60 minutes	52	6	20	11	37	8	27	5	17	645	52	20	37	27	17	645	45	15	44	29	12	645
D. more than 60 minutes	10	1	17	1	17	0	0	4	67	627	10	17	17	0	67	627	16	15	41	28	16	644
How often do you use calculators in mathematics class?																						
A. almost every day	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	100	612	2	0	0	0	100	612	9	14	35	29	22	641
B. two or three days a week	17	0	0	3	30	2	20	5	50	629	17	0	30	20	50	629	26	15	40	30	16	644
C. two or three times each month	55	9	28	10	31	7	22	6	19	648	55	28	31	22	19	648	31	13	43	30	14	644
D. never or almost never	26	2	13	3	20	6	40	4	27	637	26	13	20	40	27	637	34	11	40	31	18	642
How often do you use hands-on materials in mathematics class?																						
A. almost every day	19	3	27	2	18	3	27	3	27	645	19	27	18	27	27	645	17	8	35	33	24	639
B. two or three days a week	45	6	23	8	31	6	23	6	23	643	45	23	31	23	23	643	28	13	42	30	15	643
C. two or three times each month	24	1	7	3	21	4	29	6	43	633	24	7	21	29	43	633	31	15	43	30	13	645
D. never or almost never	12	1	14	3	43	2	29	1	14	643	12	14	43	29	14	643	23	14	39	30	17	643
Optional school/SAU question																						
A.	0										0											
B.	0										0											
C.	0										0											
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