

# Wilmington Student Data School Year 2016–17 Initial Findings

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# Wilmington Student Demographics

There were 11,460 Wilmington students enrolled in public schools during the 2016–17 School Year. They were educated by 23 units.

Of all 11,460 City of Wilmington students...

71% are from low-income families

7% are English Learners

19% are students with disabilities

72% identify as Black or African American

18% identify as Hispanic/Latino

7% identify as White

# How Wilmington Compares

| Race and Ethnicity        | Wilmington | Delaware |
|---------------------------|------------|----------|
| Black or African American | 72%        | 30%      |
| Hispanic/Latino           | 18%        | 17%      |
| White                     | 7%         | 45%      |

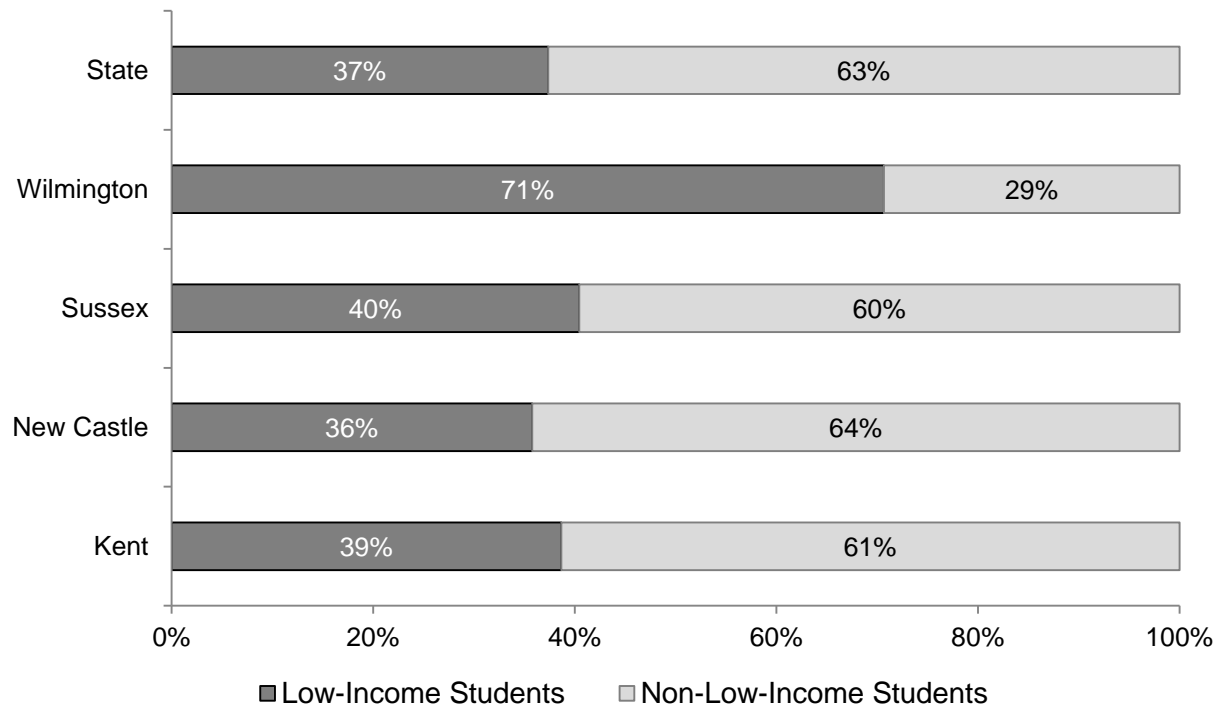
  

|                            | Wilmington | Delaware |
|----------------------------|------------|----------|
| Low-Income                 | 71%        | 37%      |
| English Learners           | 7%         | 7%       |
| Students with Disabilities | 19%        | 15%      |

Source: Delaware Department of Education Data Set, 2017

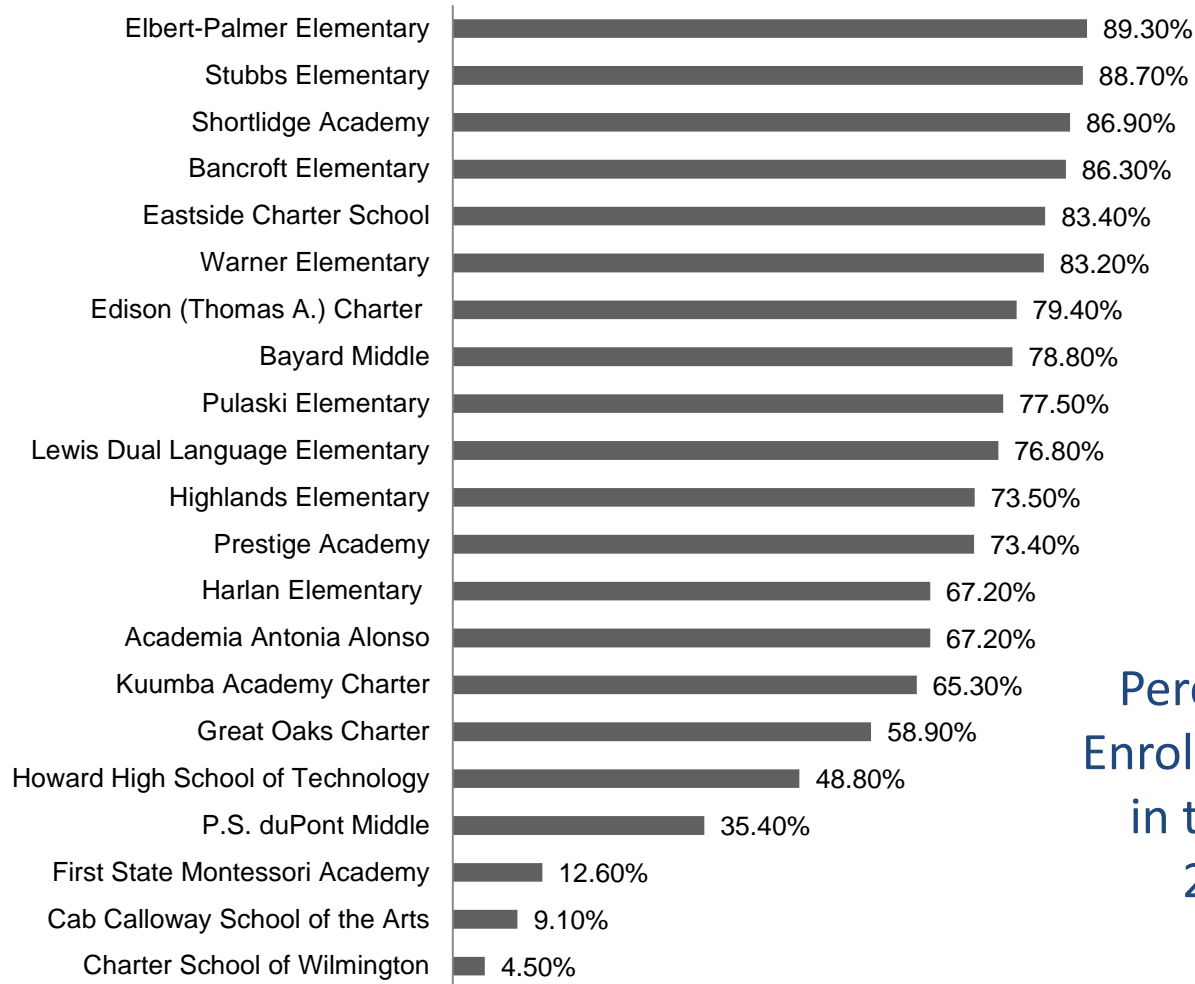
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Low-Income as a Proportion of Total Student Population per County and Wilmington, 2016–17 School Year



Source: Delaware Department of Education Data Set, 2017

# Wilmington Schools

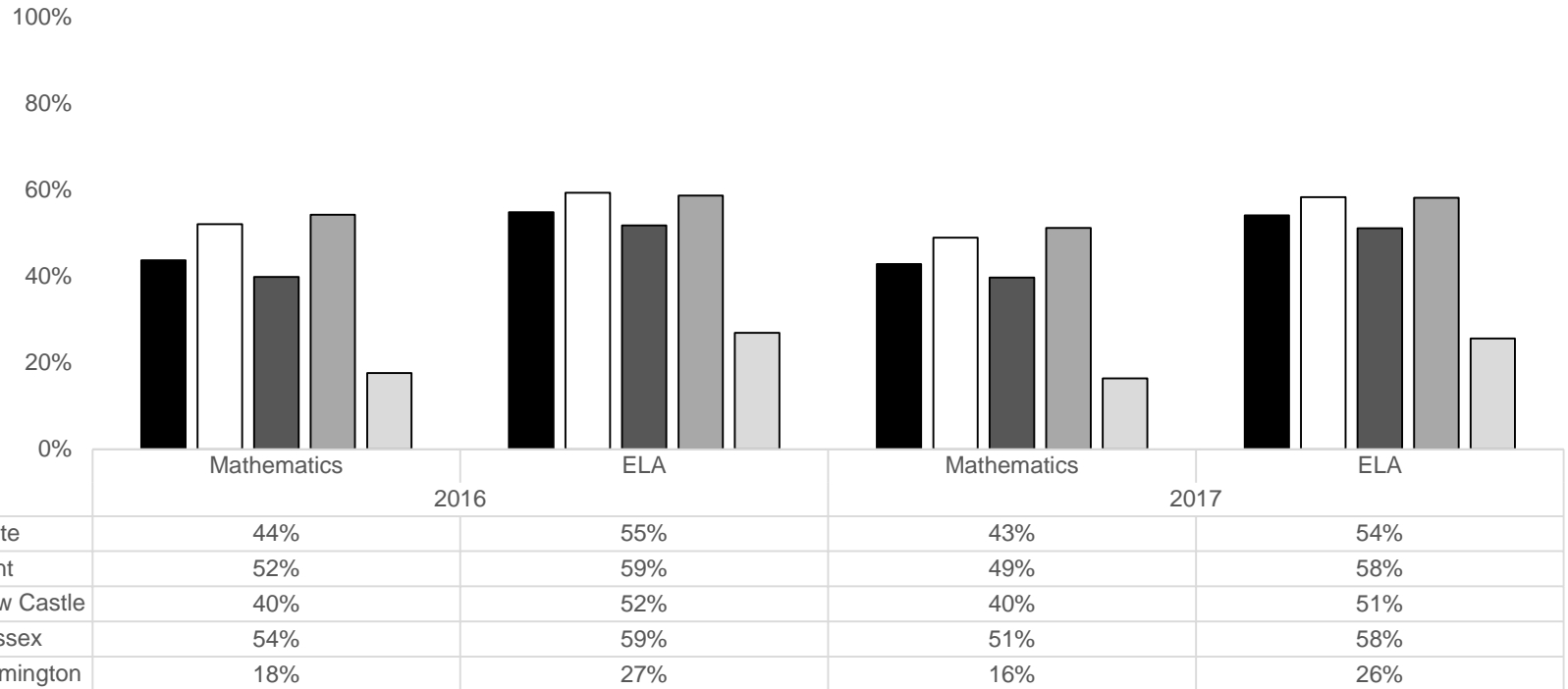


Percentage of Low-Income Enrollment in Schools Located in the City of Wilmington, 2016–17 School Year

# STUDENT PERFORMANCE 2015–16

# Student Proficiency on SBAC by County

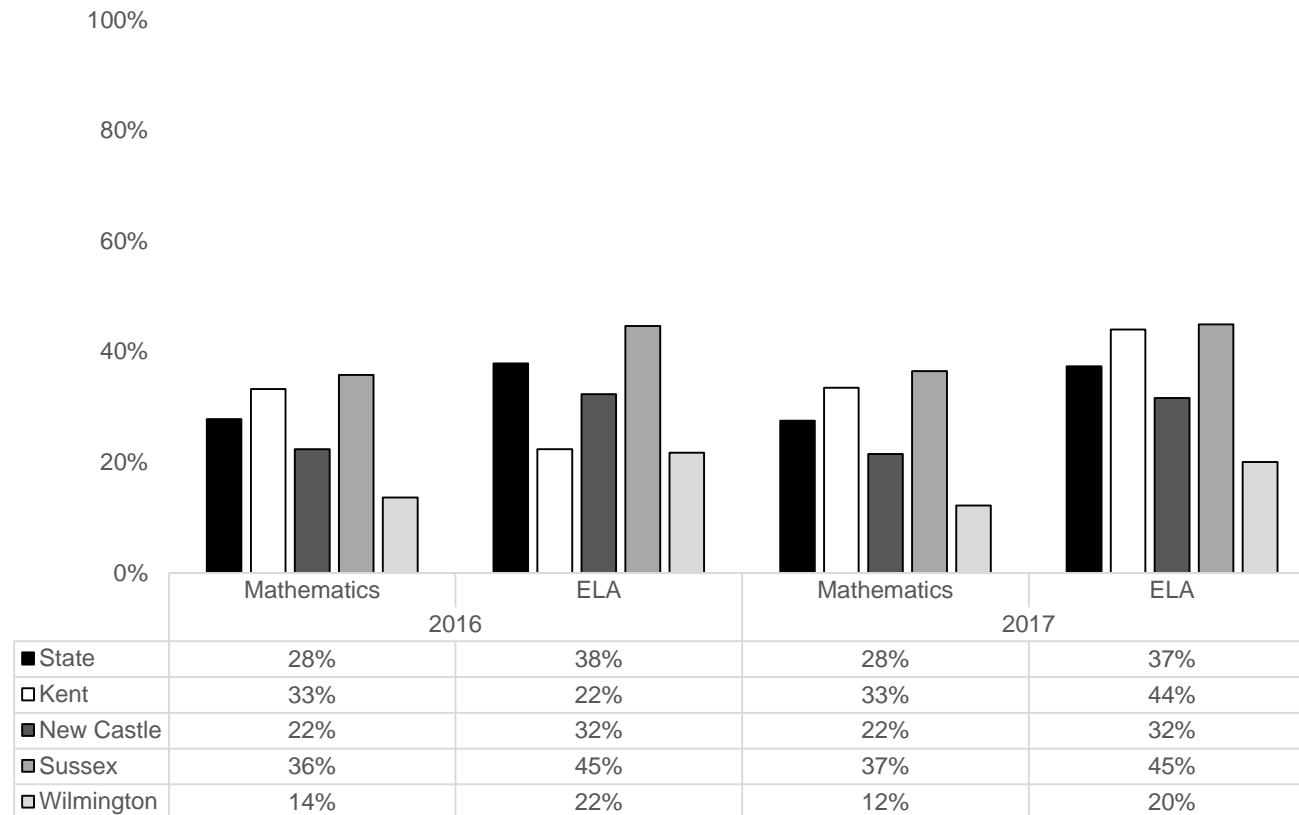
## All Students



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# Student Proficiency on SBAC by County

## Students from Low-Income Families



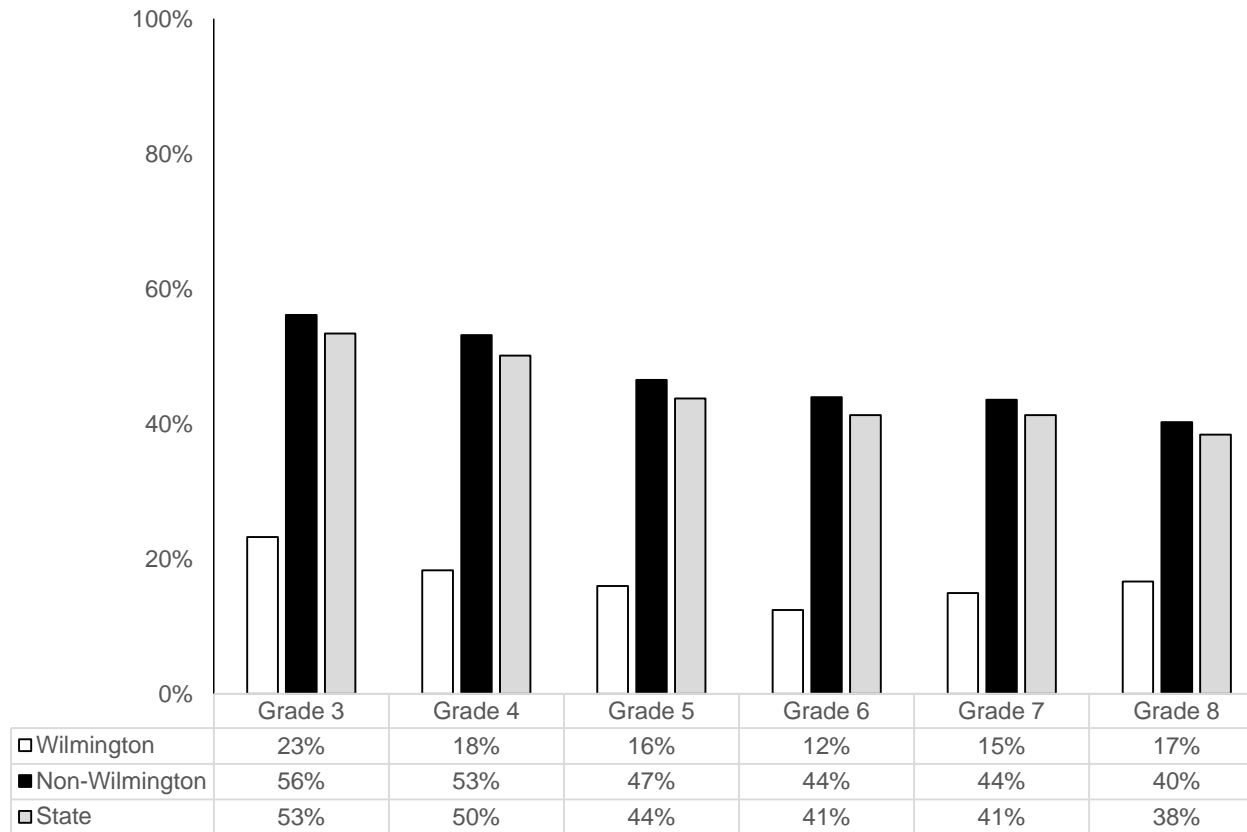


# Student Performance: Trends

- Students from low-income families had lower rates of proficiency than the total school population.
- Wilmington students had lower rates of proficiency than their non-Wilmington peers.
- Wilmington students from low-income families had lower rates of proficiency than students from low-income families statewide.
- Wilmington students with special needs had proficiency rates of less than 5%.
- English language learners (ELLs) across the state had proficiency rates that were less than 10% in both math and ELA. The same was true of such students living in Wilmington.

# Student Proficiency on Math SBAC by Grade Level

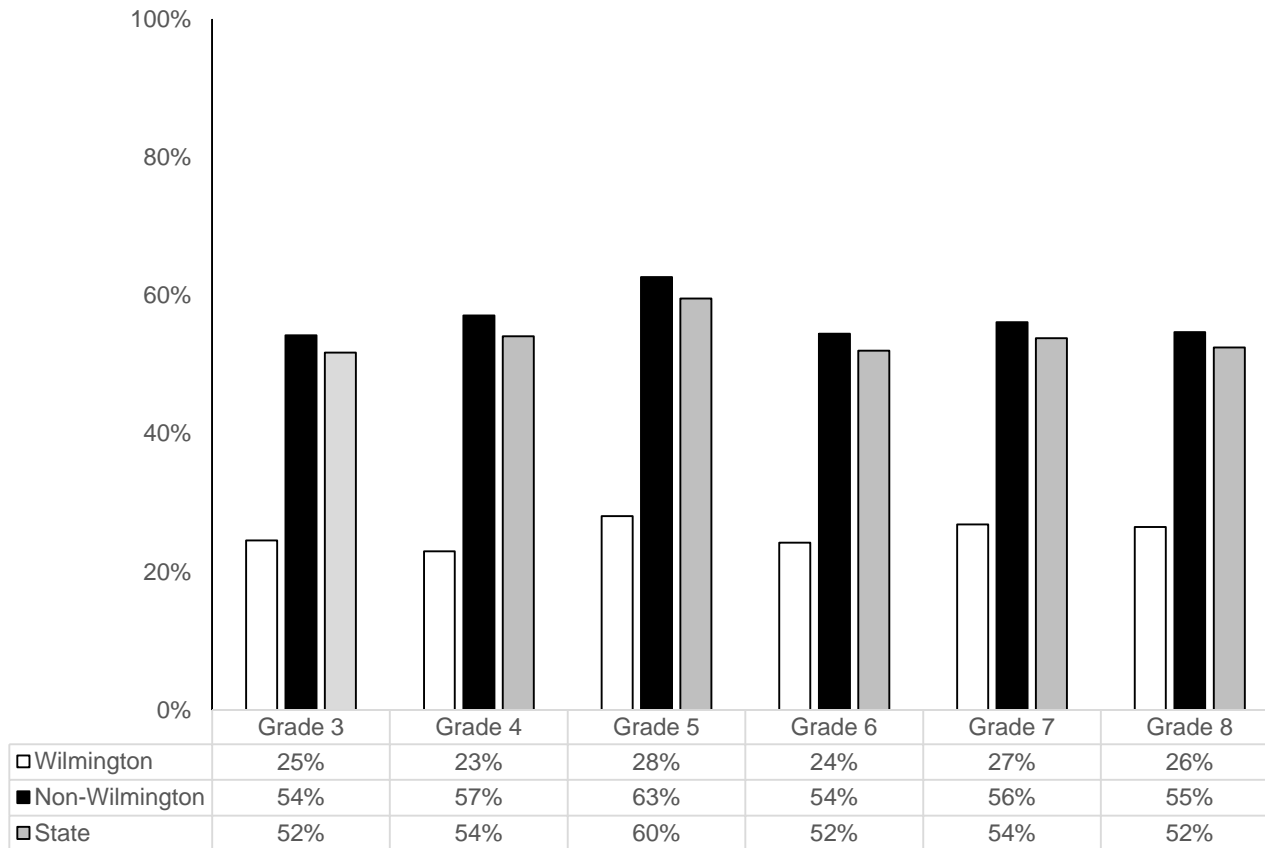
## Wilmington and Non-Wilmington Students



Source: Delaware Department of Education Data Set, 2017

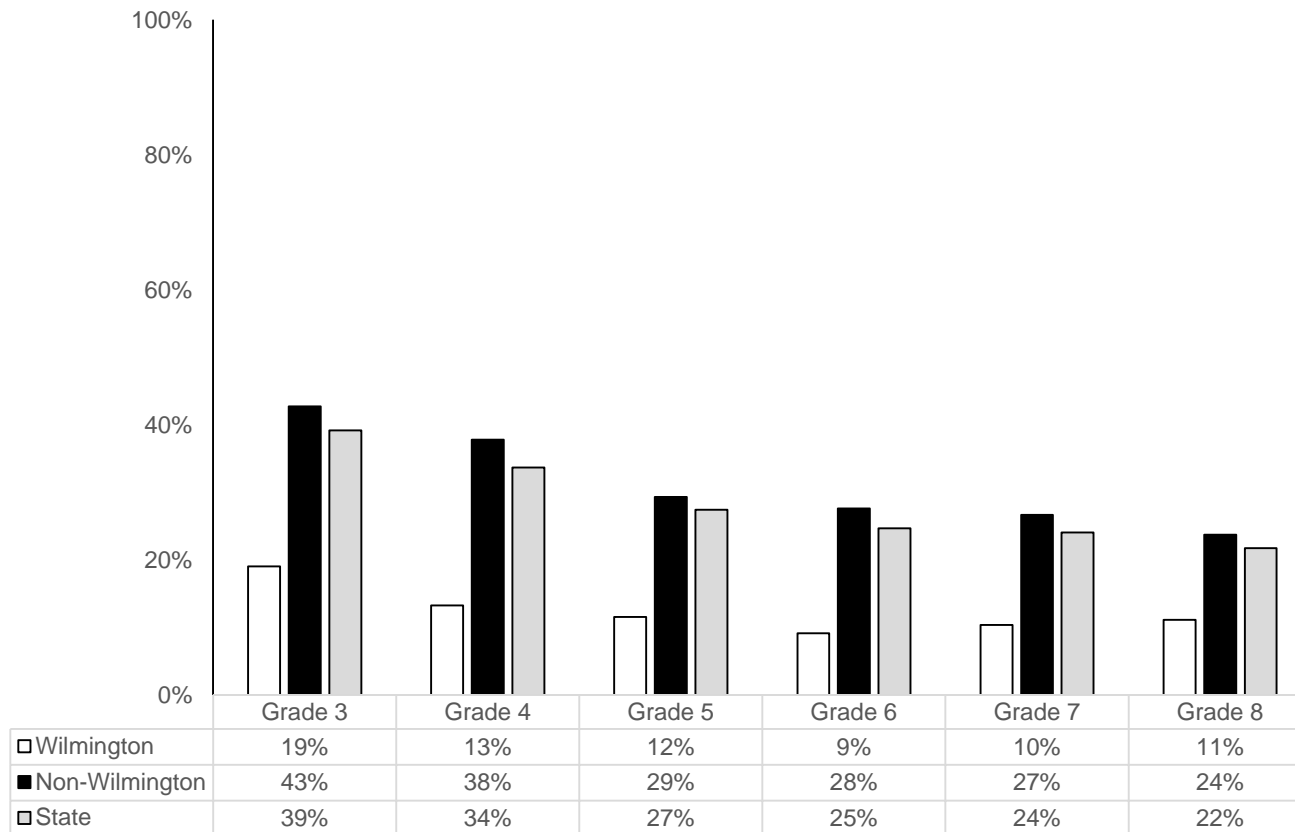
# Student Proficiency on ELA SBAC by Grade Level

## Wilmington and Non-Wilmington Students



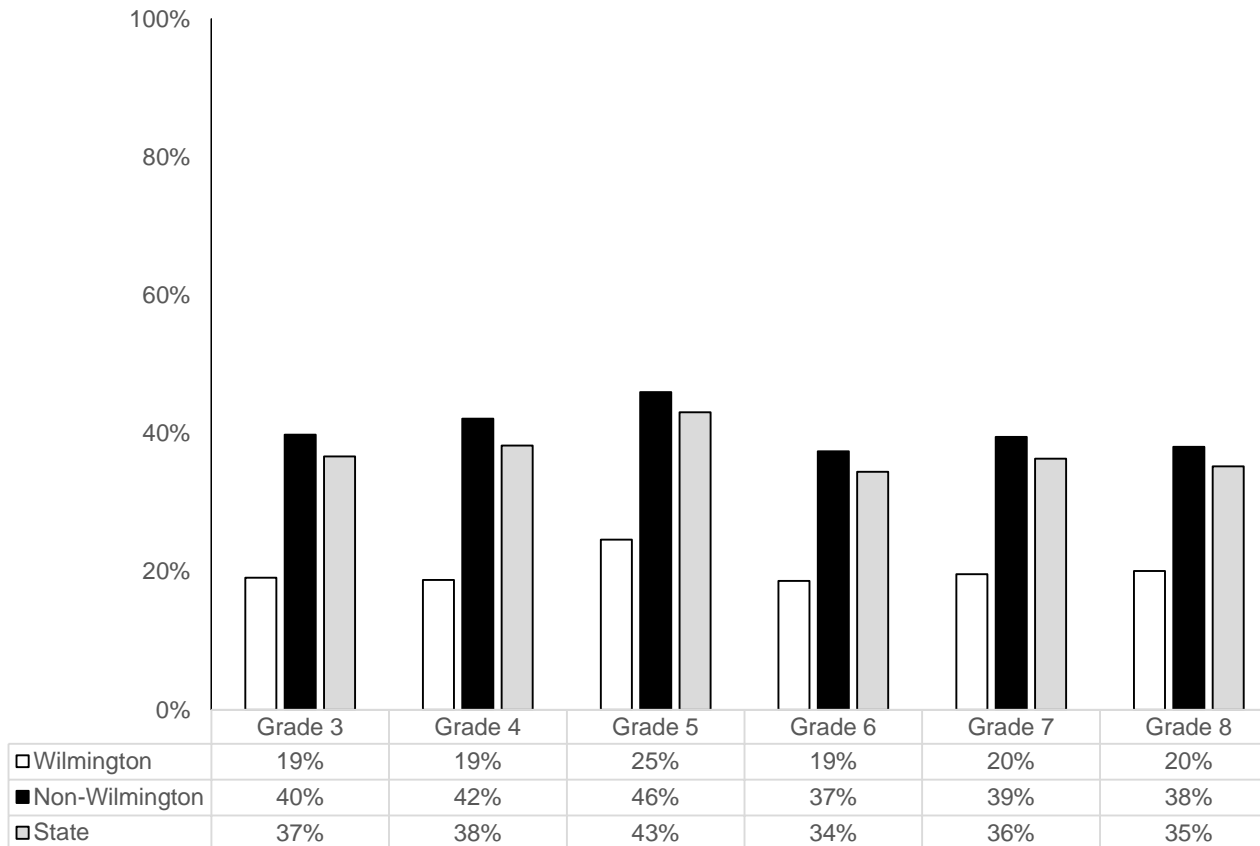
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## Students from Low-Income Families



# Student Proficiency on ELA SBAC by Grade Level

## Students from Low-Income Families

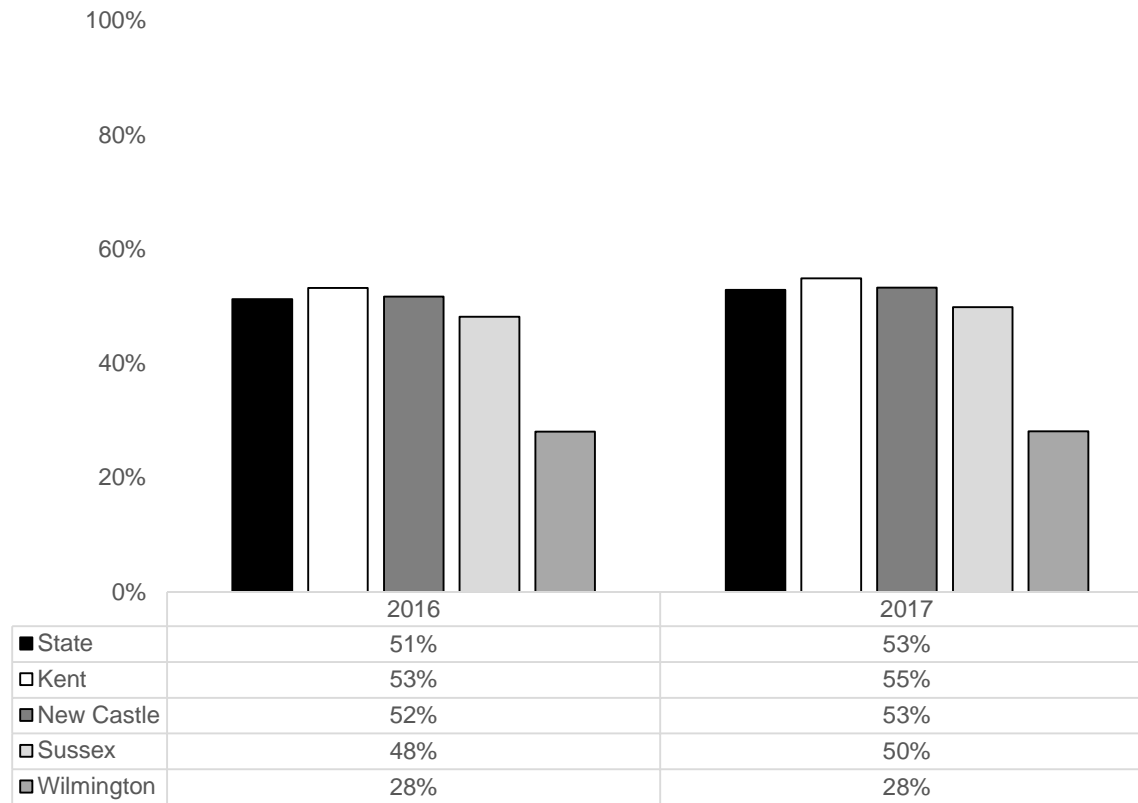


# Student Performance: Grade Level Trends

- Proficiency rates of Wilmington students were lower compared to their non-Wilmington counterparts.
- Math proficiency for low-income students steadily trends downward as grade level increases. ELA student proficiency rates decline after grade 5.
- ELL students had sharp declines in proficiency rates as grade levels increased for both math and ELA.

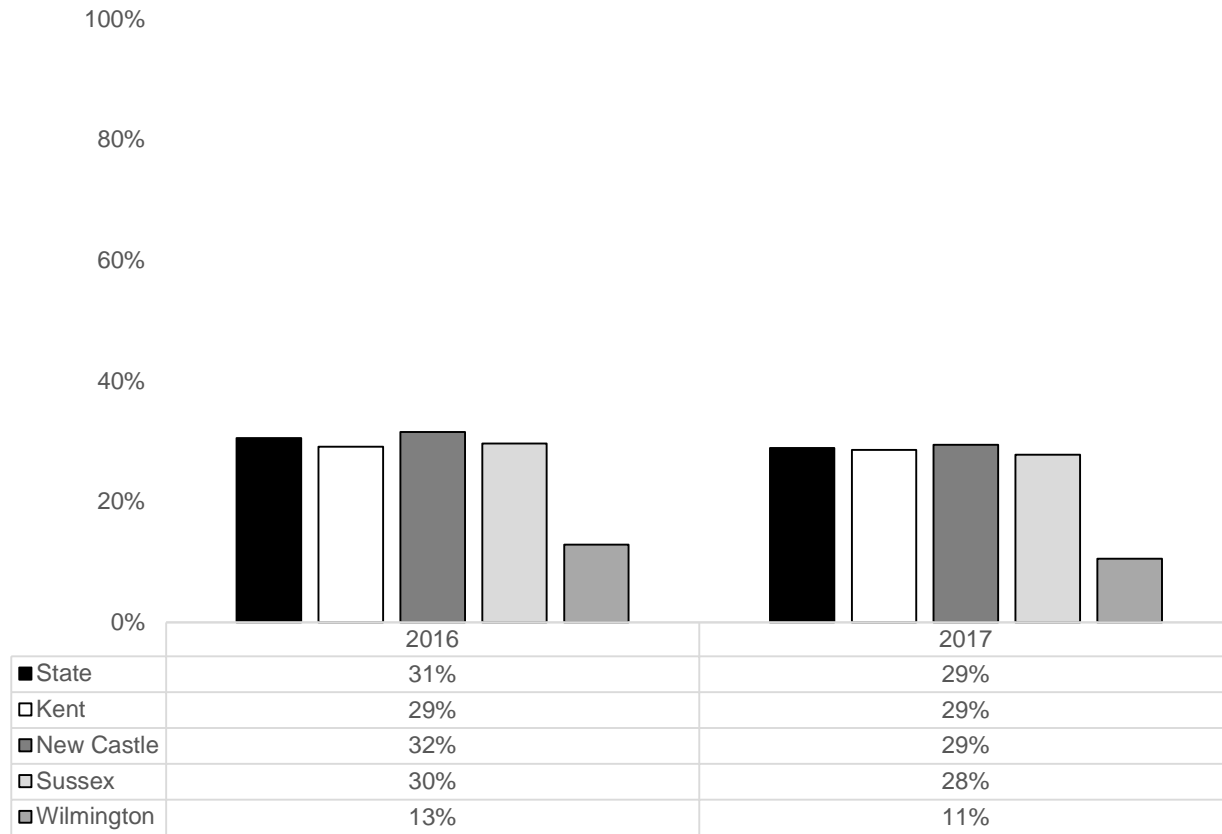
# Student Proficiency on EWR SAT by County

## All Students



# Student Proficiency on Math SAT by County

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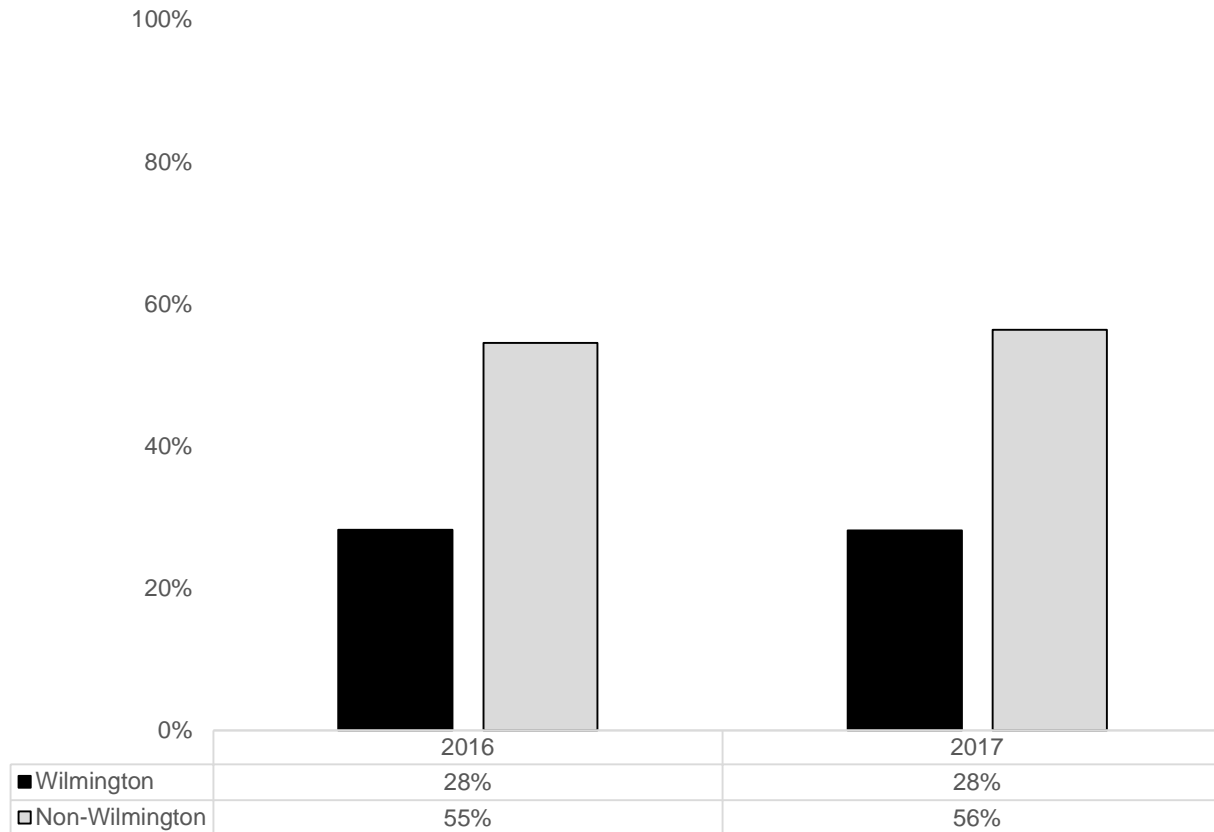


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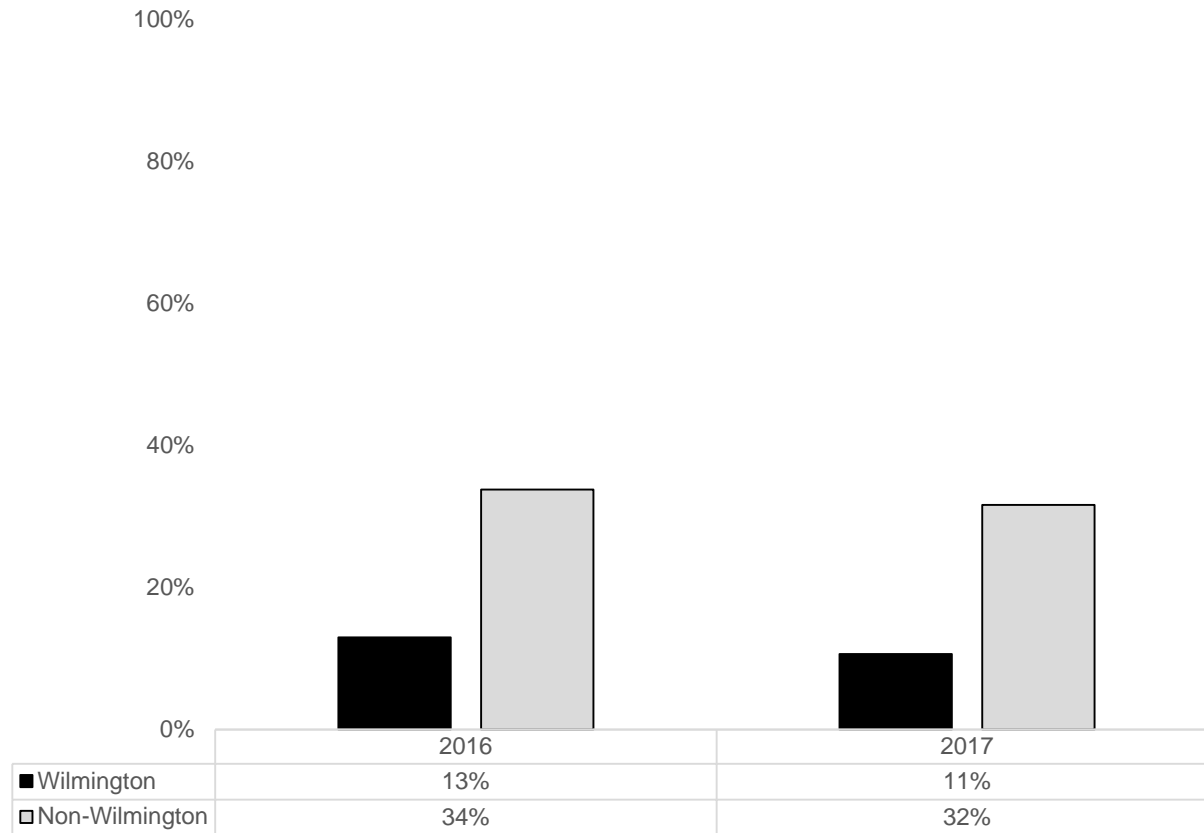
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# Student Proficiency on Math SAT

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# Student Performance Trends: SAT

- Wilmington students scored approximately 60 points lower than their non-Wilmington counterparts on Math.
- Non-Wilmington students in New Castle County, on average, were par with college and career readiness benchmarks in the 2016–2017 testing cycle.
- Like previous indicators, the percentage of Wilmington students meeting the benchmark are below those of their counterparts

Many of the trends found in achievement data for the 2016-2017 academic were consistent with those found in the prior academic years considered:

On virtually every indicator of success assessed, Wilmington students perform at a lower level than their peers.

Thank you!



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