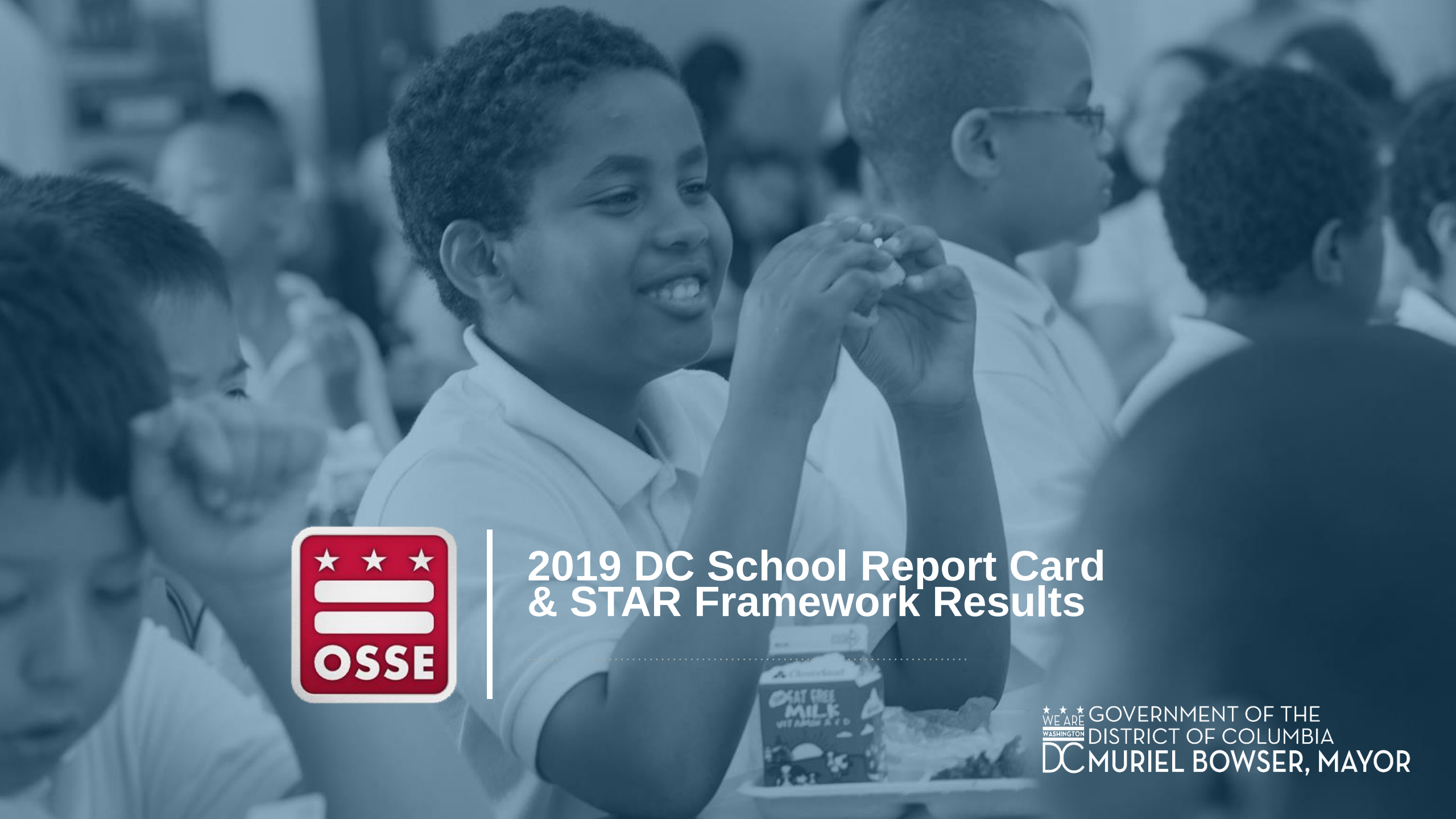

2019 DC School Report Card & STAR Framework Results

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DC SCHOOL REPORT CARD

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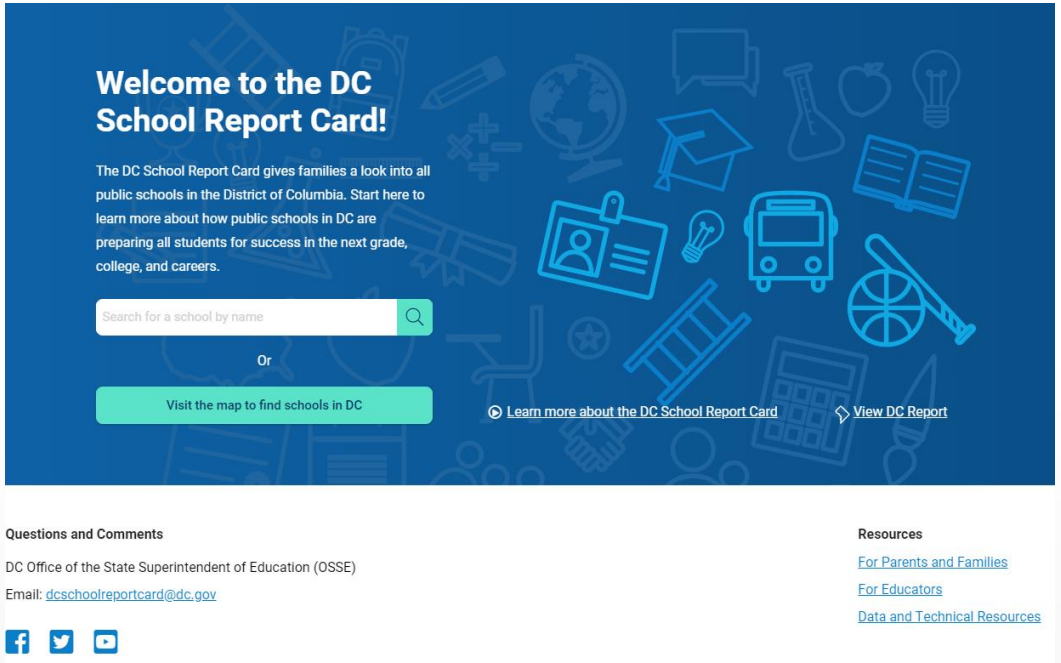

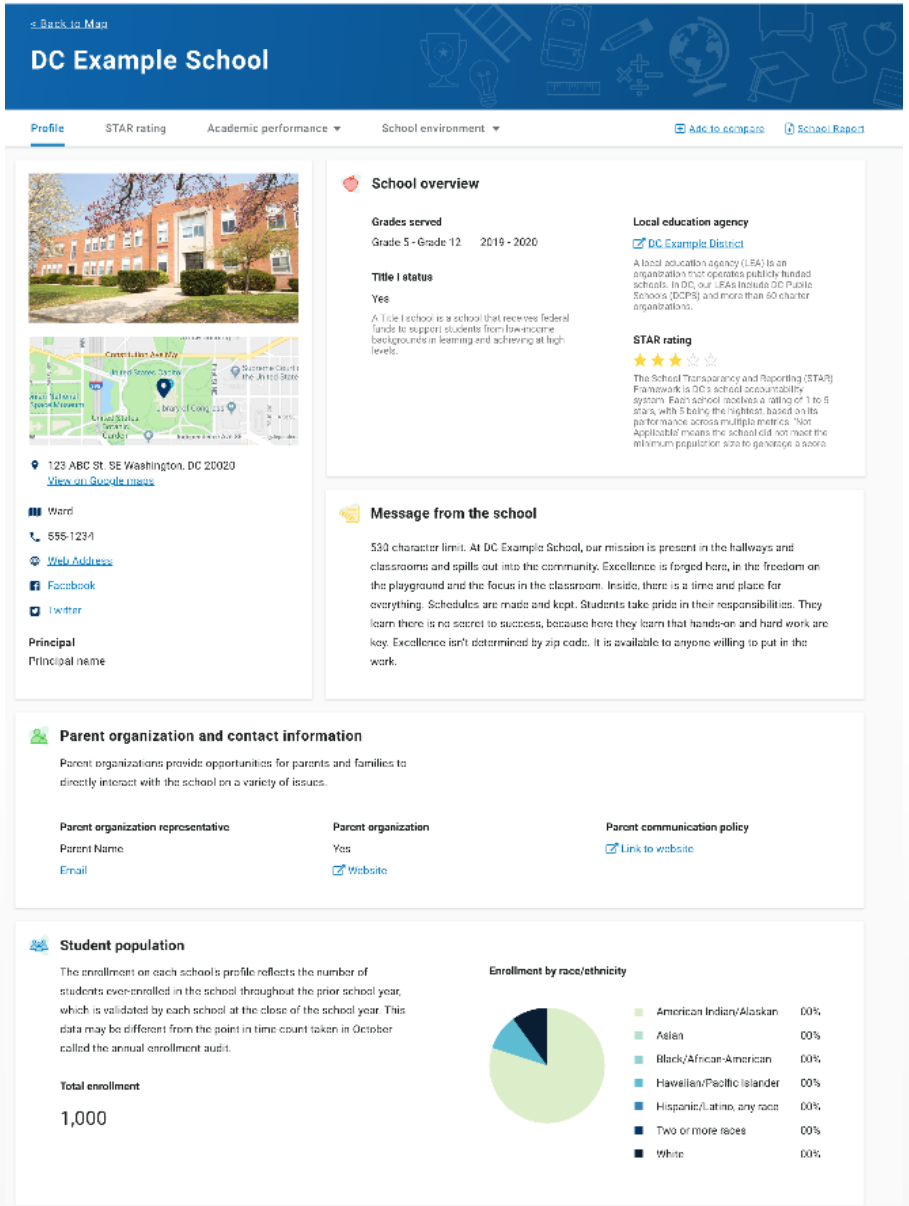

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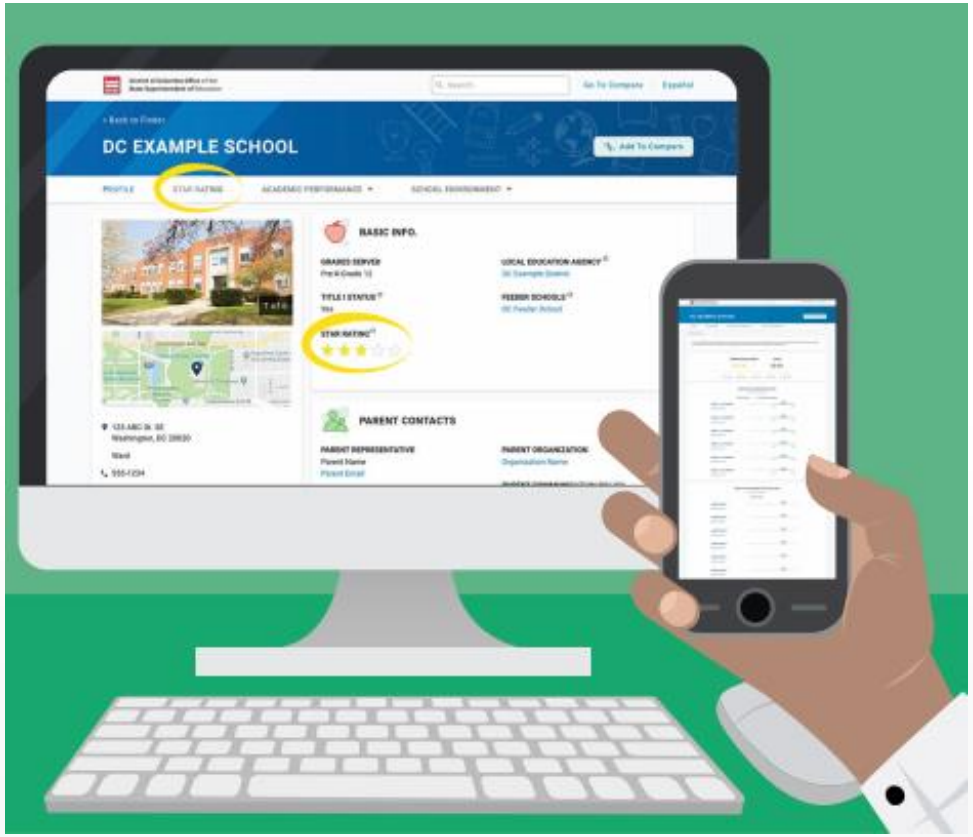

WHAT'S IN THE STAR FRAMEWORK?

The STAR Framework uses multiple types of data to measure a school's performance in the following areas:

Academic Achievement
Measures student performance on PARCC, MSAA and the SAT.

Academic Growth
Measures student progress on PARCC.

English Language Proficiency
Measures the progress of English learners in speaking, listening, reading and writing in English.

Graduation Rate
Measures how many students receive their regular diploma in four years.

School Environment
Measures chronic absenteeism, daily attendance, and re-enrollment of students from one year to the next. For high schools, it also measures extended graduation rates and student participation and performance on the AP and IB exams. For schools with Pre-K, it includes measures of early childhood learning.

STAR RATINGS

★★★★★	80 - 100 points
★★★★☆	60 - 79 points
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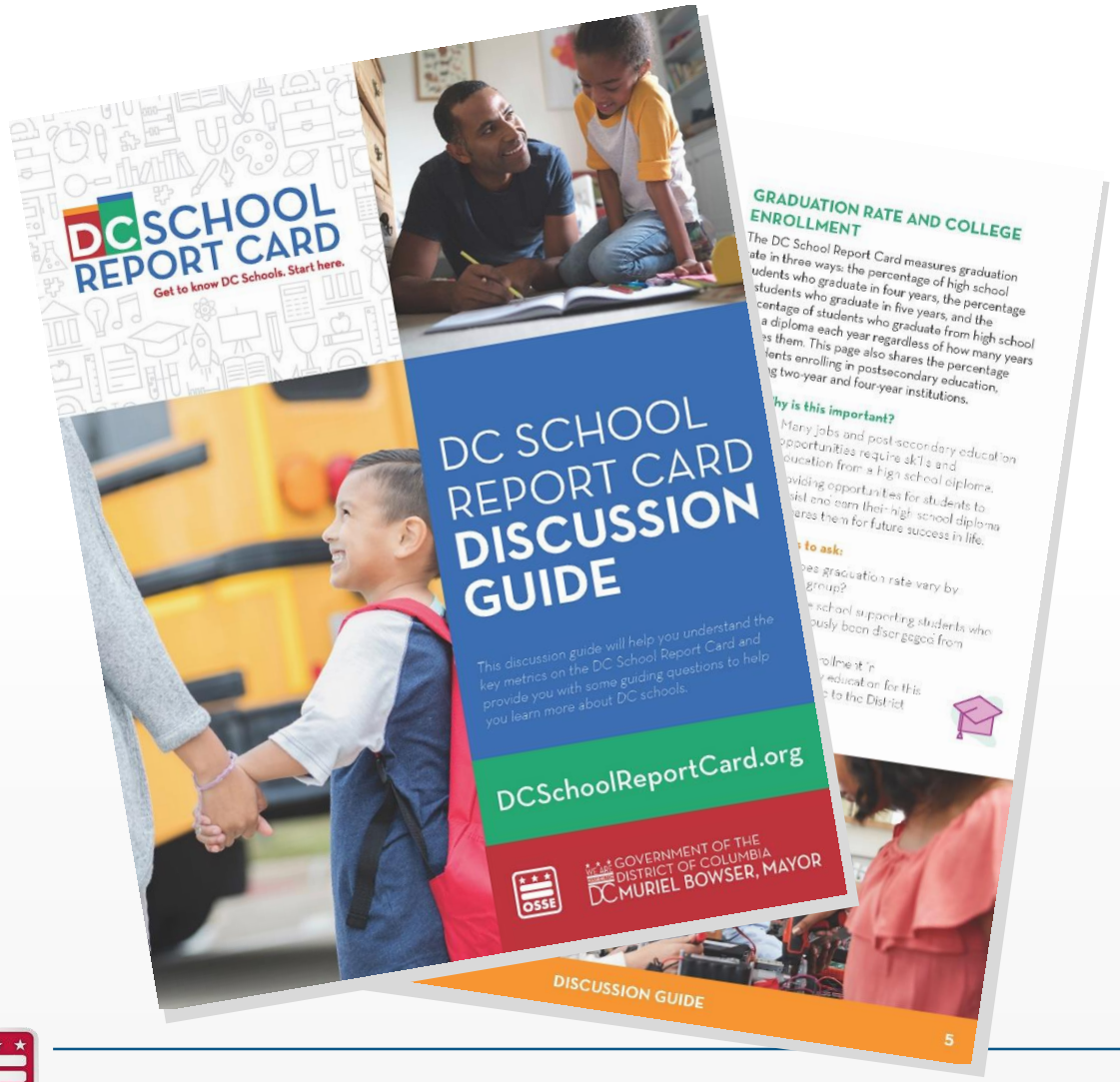
Discussion guide for parents and families now available!



ATTENDANCE

This page provides details on attendance rates. This includes average daily attendance for all students, the percentage of students attending school 90 percent of the time or more and the school's growth in attendance rate.

What is measured?

- The percentage of students who attend school 90 percent of the time or more.
- Improvement in the percentage of students who attend school 90 percent of the time or more.
- The percentage of students who attend school daily, averaged across the entire school year.

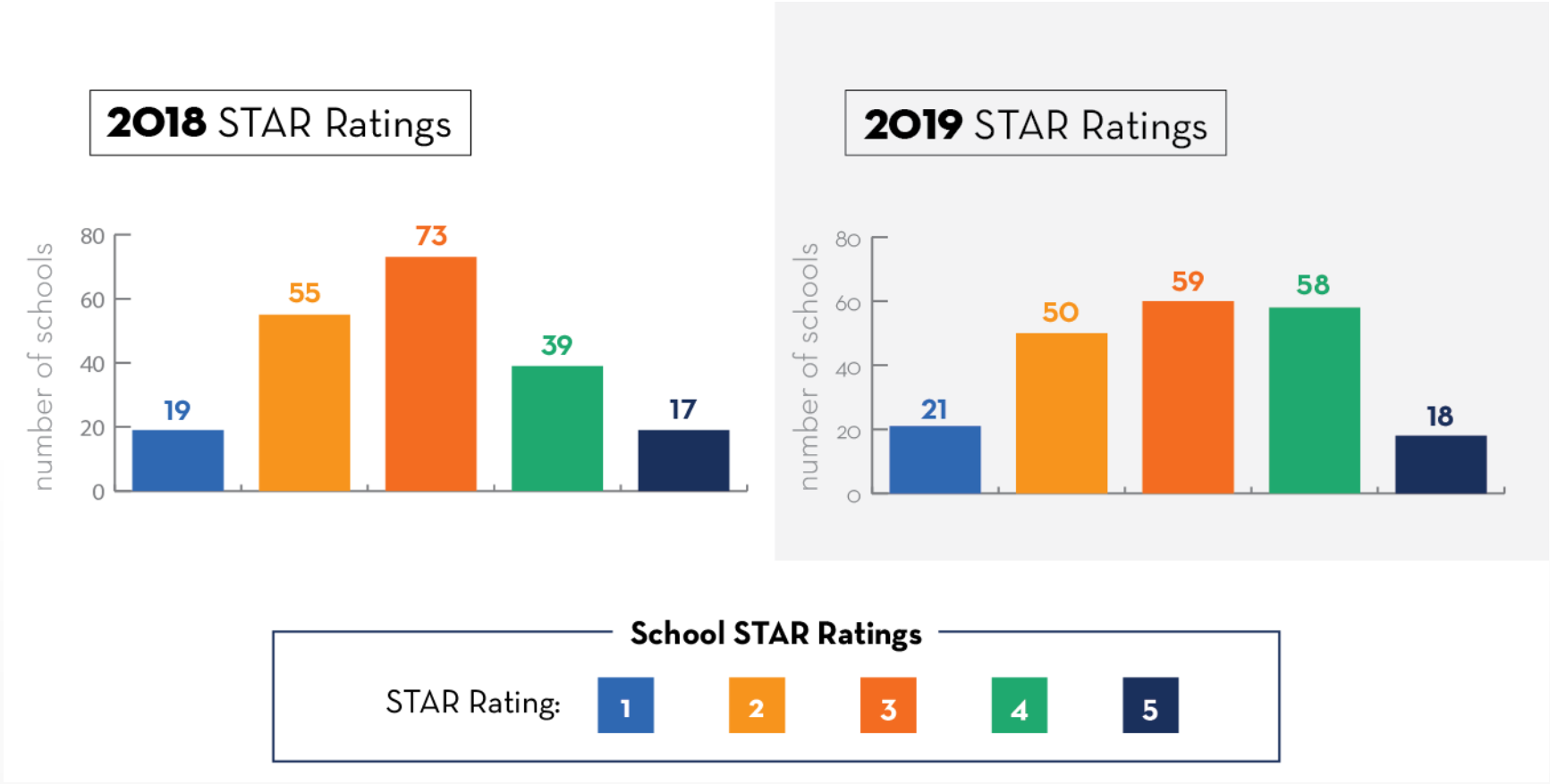
Why is this important?

- Students must be in school to learn. Educational research shows that students who miss more than 10 percent of the school year (no matter the reason) are less likely to stay on track for high school graduation and eventual enrollment in postsecondary education. These students considered "chronically absent." The DC ool Report Card shows the inverse of number – the percentage of students who are not chronically absent at the school as the percentage of students attending school for 90% or more of school days.

Questions to ask:

- Does this school have a high percentage of students who are chronically absent?
- Are attendance rates improving?
- What is being done to improve attendance rates?

In 2019, 76 schools across DC earned 4- and 5-STAR Ratings



In 2019, 9,100 more students are attending schools earning 4- and 5-STAR Ratings

A FIVE STAR SCHOOL
IN EVERY WARD!

27% OF DC SCHOOLS IMPROVED

BY 1 OR MORE STAR RATINGS

MORE THAN 62,000 PEOPLE
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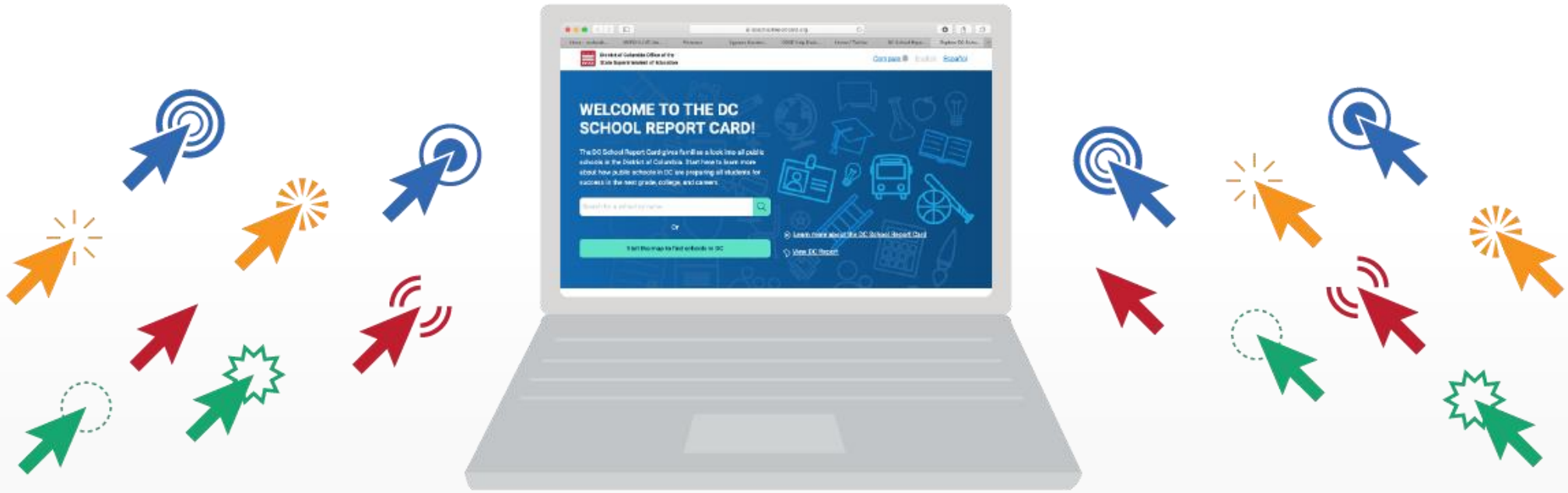


2019 DC All-STAR School Tour

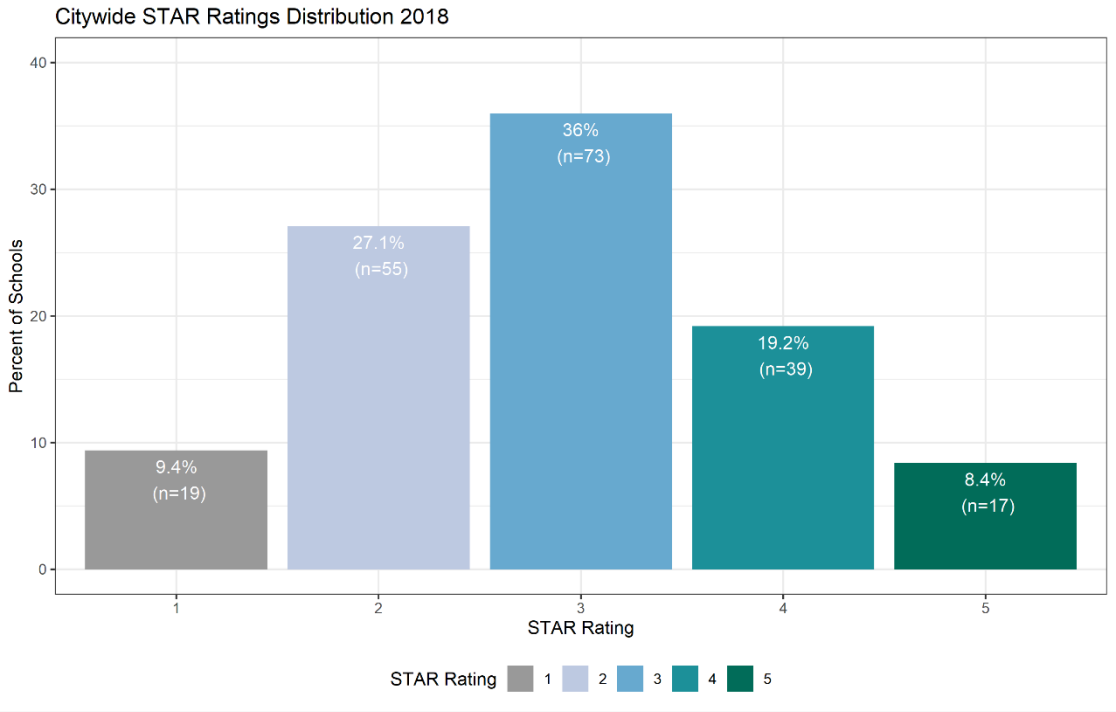
2019 DC All-STAR Schools:

- Center City – Congress Heights
- KIPP DC - Promise
- Kimball Elementary
- Payne Elementary
- DC Prep – Edgewood Middle
- Columbia Heights Education Campus
- Truesdell Education Campus
- Phelps Architecture, Construction and Engineering High
- DC Scholars
- Richard Wright School for Journaliam and Media Arts

Appendix

Number of Schools per STAR Rating

2018 STAR Ratings



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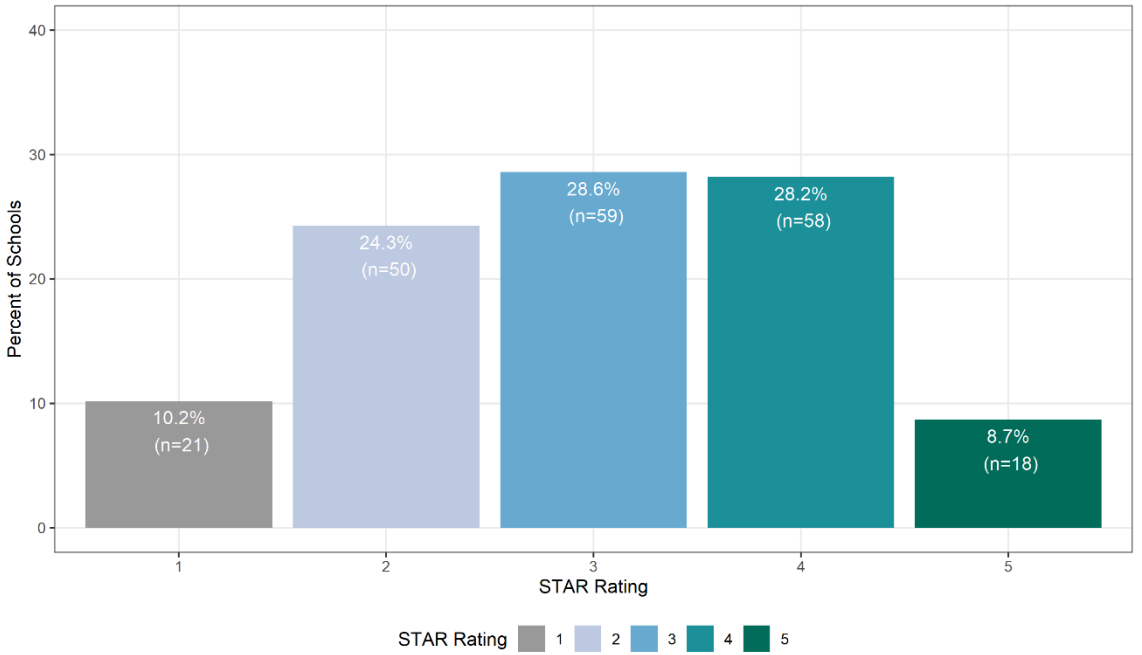

Percent of schools per STAR Rating in 2018 and 2019

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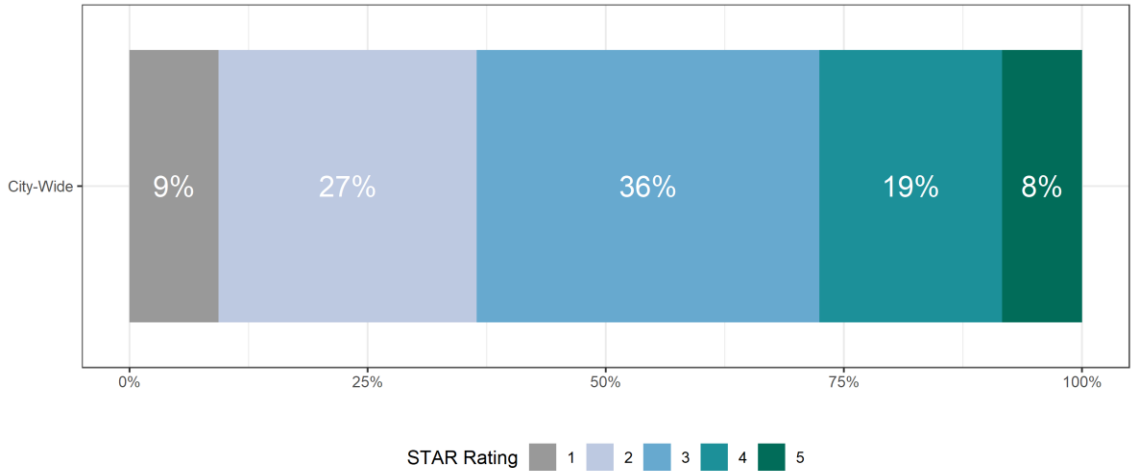

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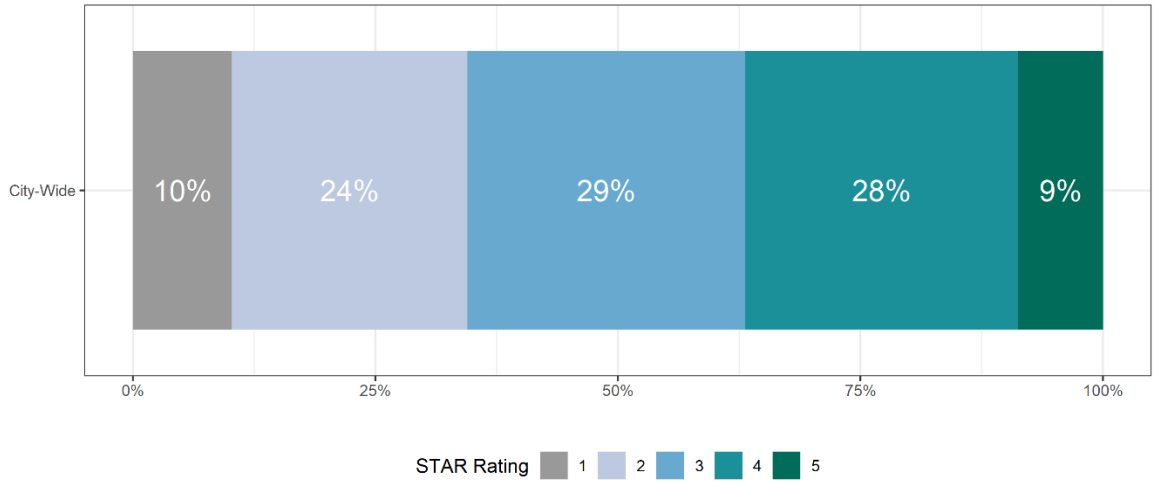

Number of schools rated at each STAR Rating level by ward in 2018 and 2019

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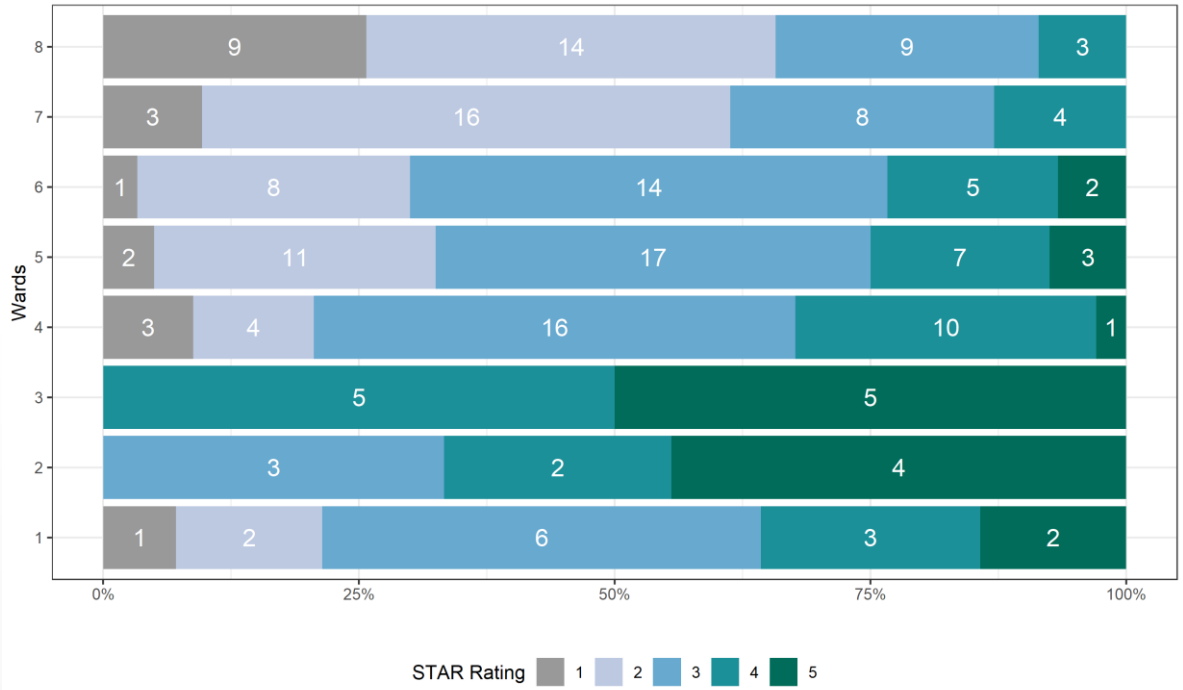

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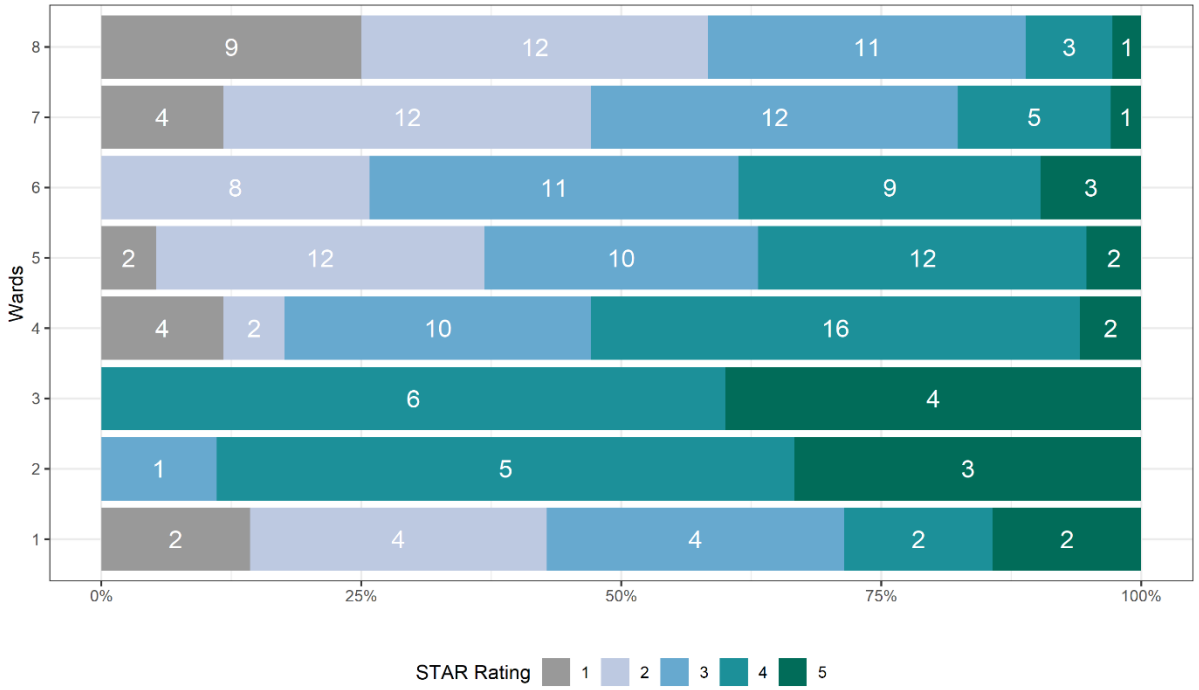

Number of Elementary Framework scores at each STAR Rating level in 2018 and 2019

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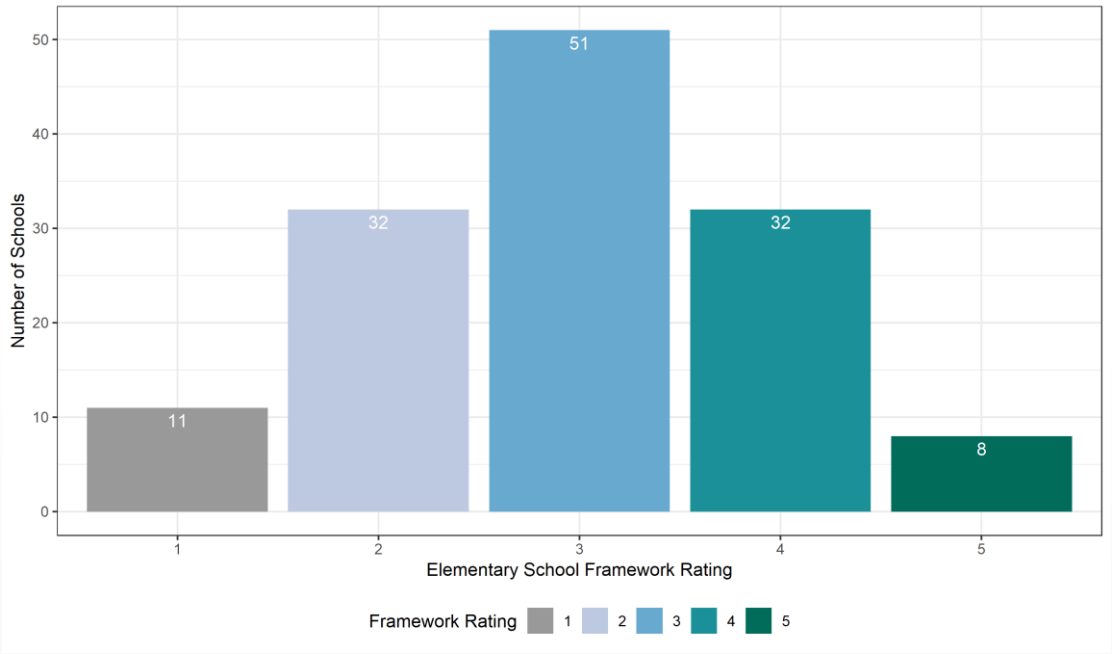

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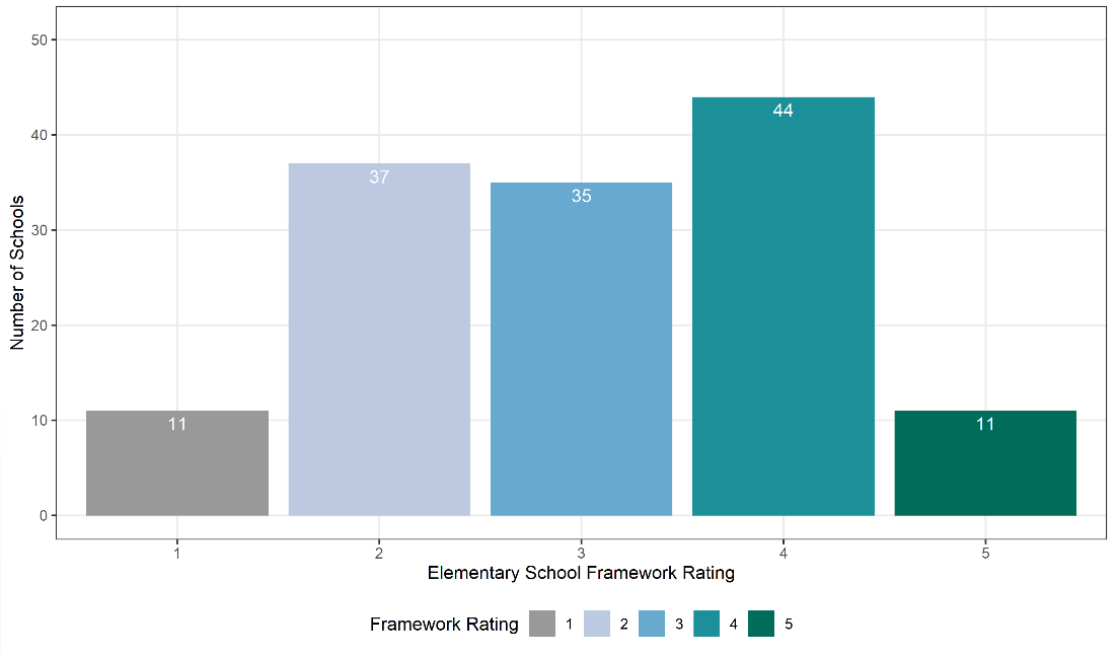

Distribution of Elementary Framework scores in 2018 and 2019

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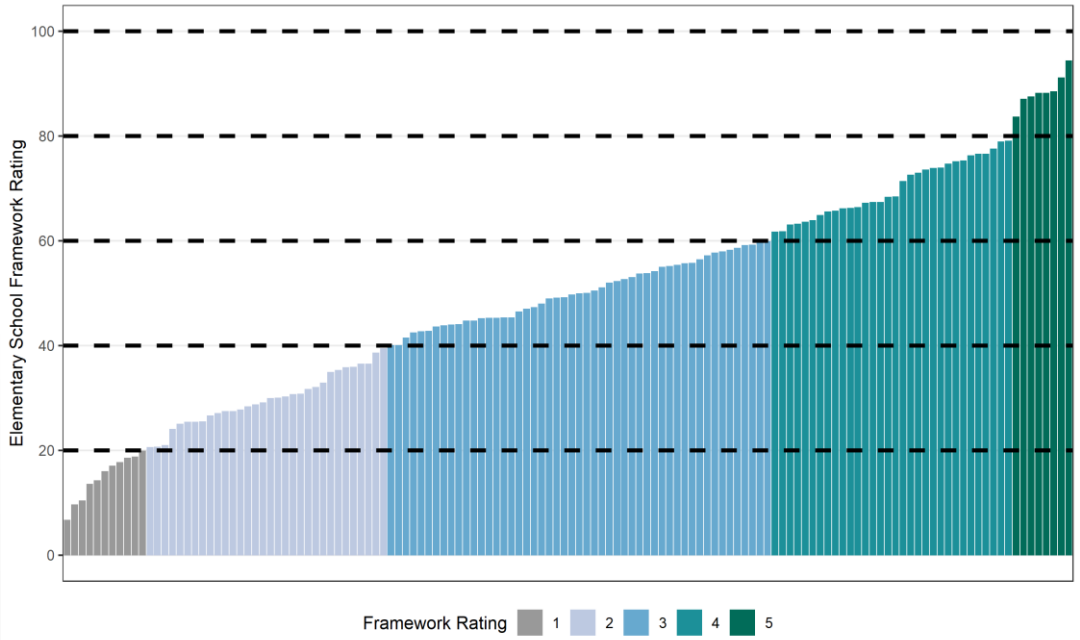

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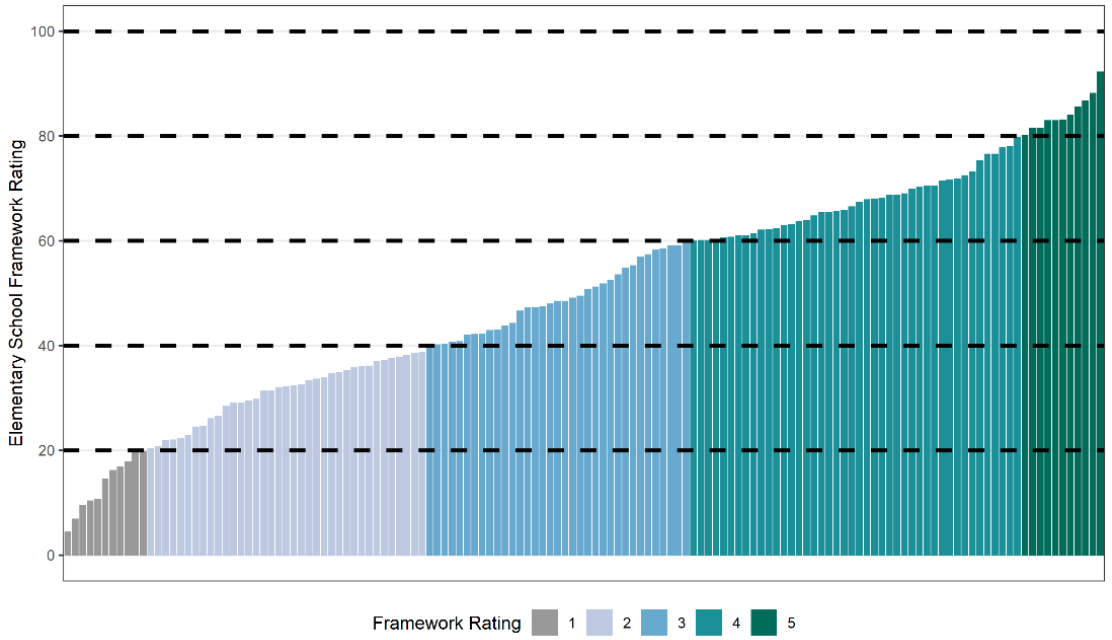

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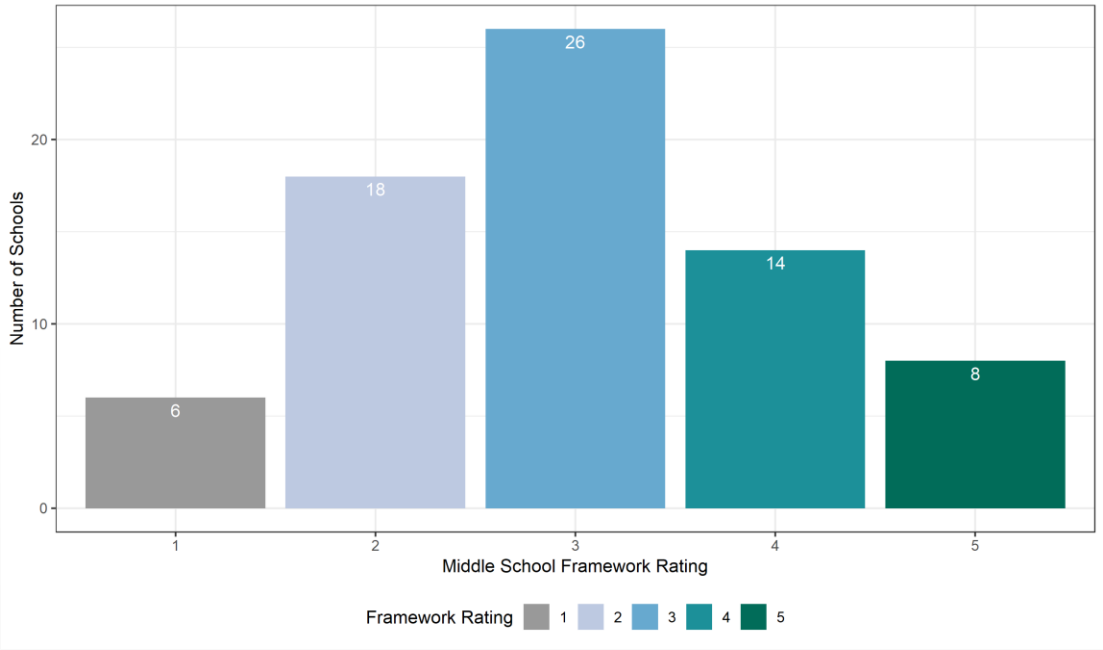

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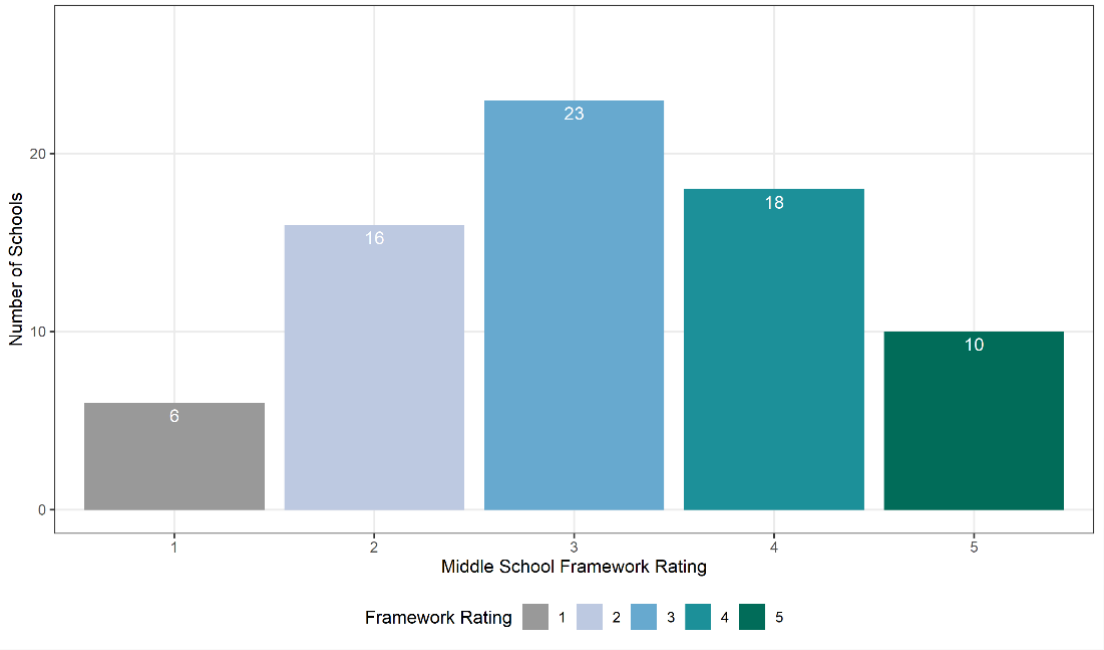

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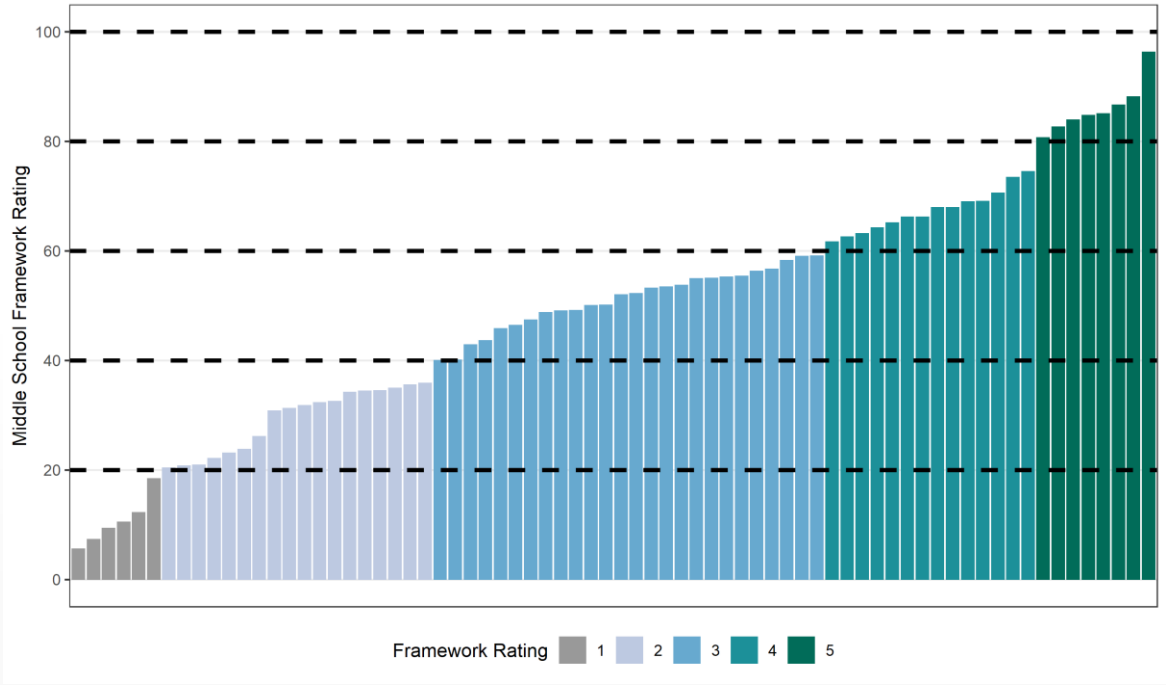

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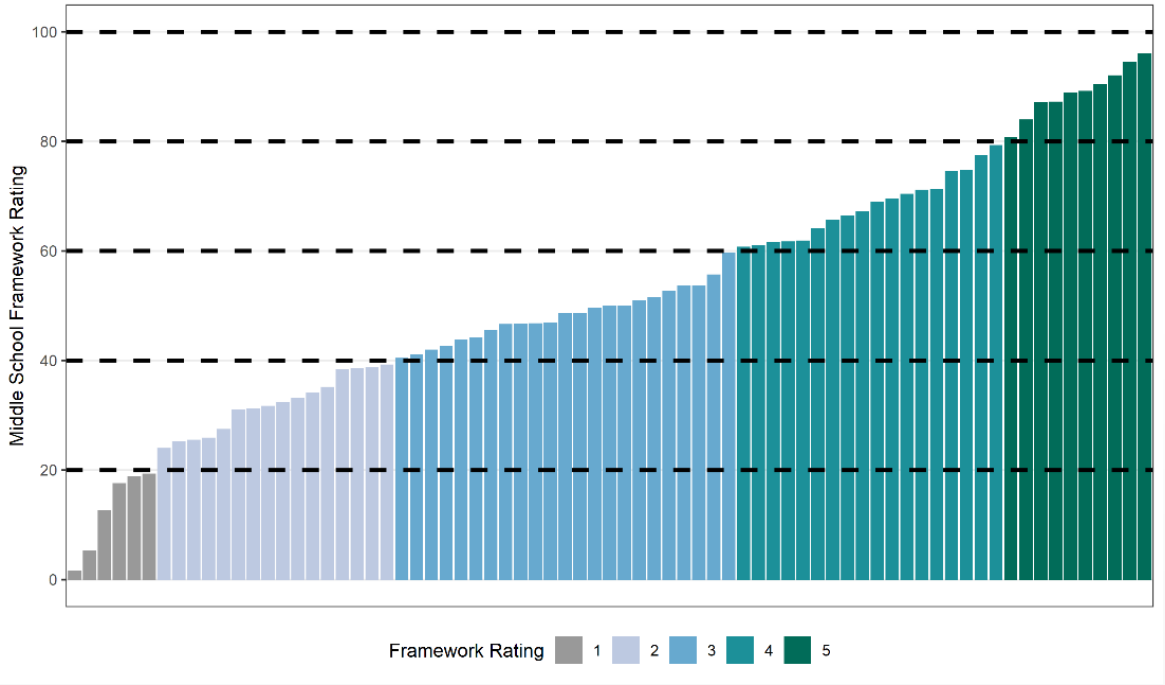

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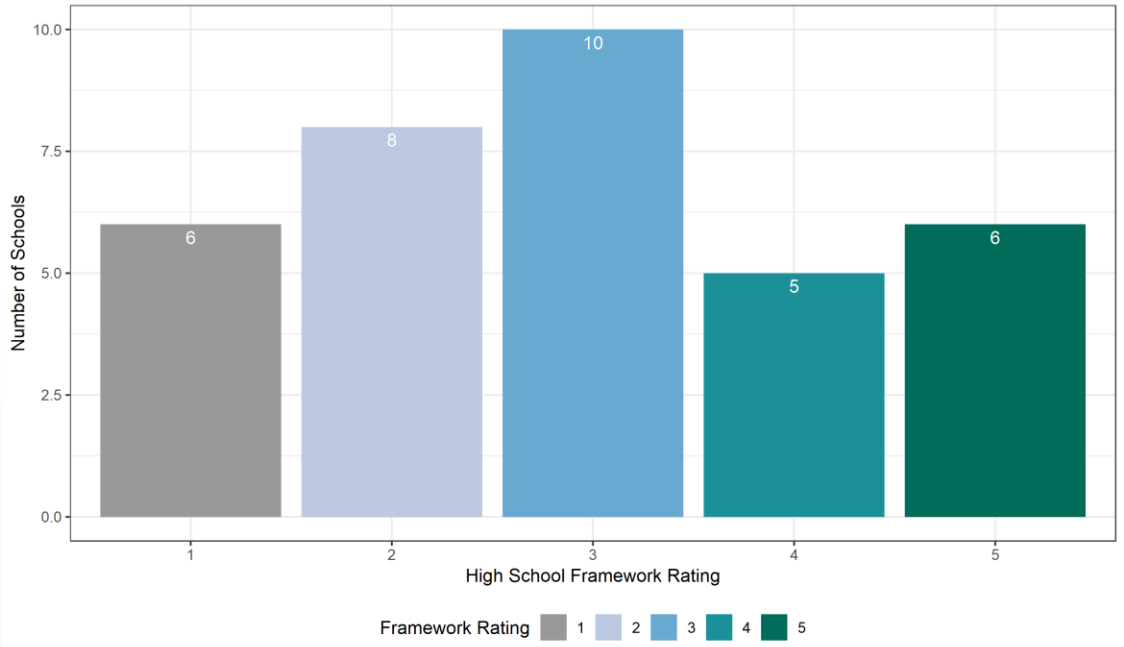

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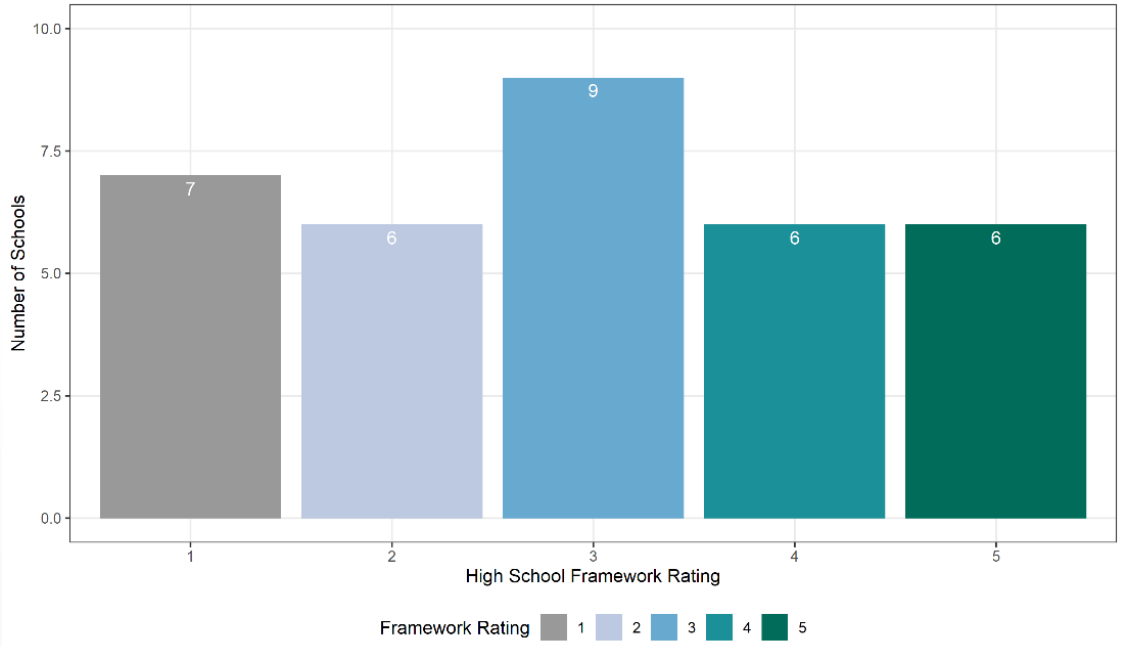

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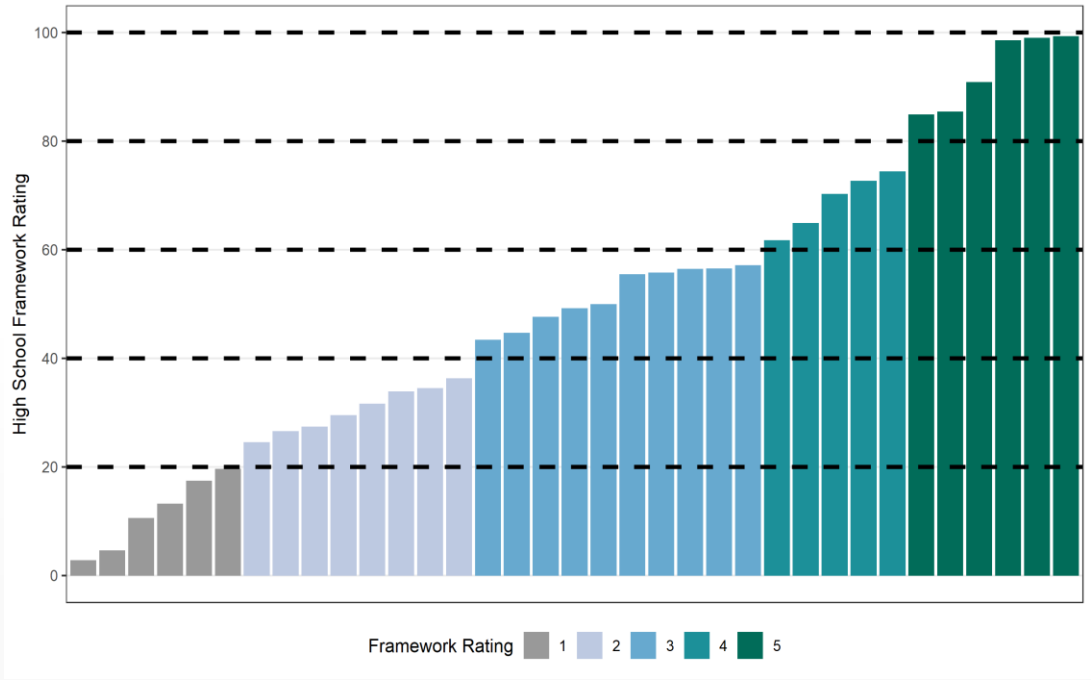

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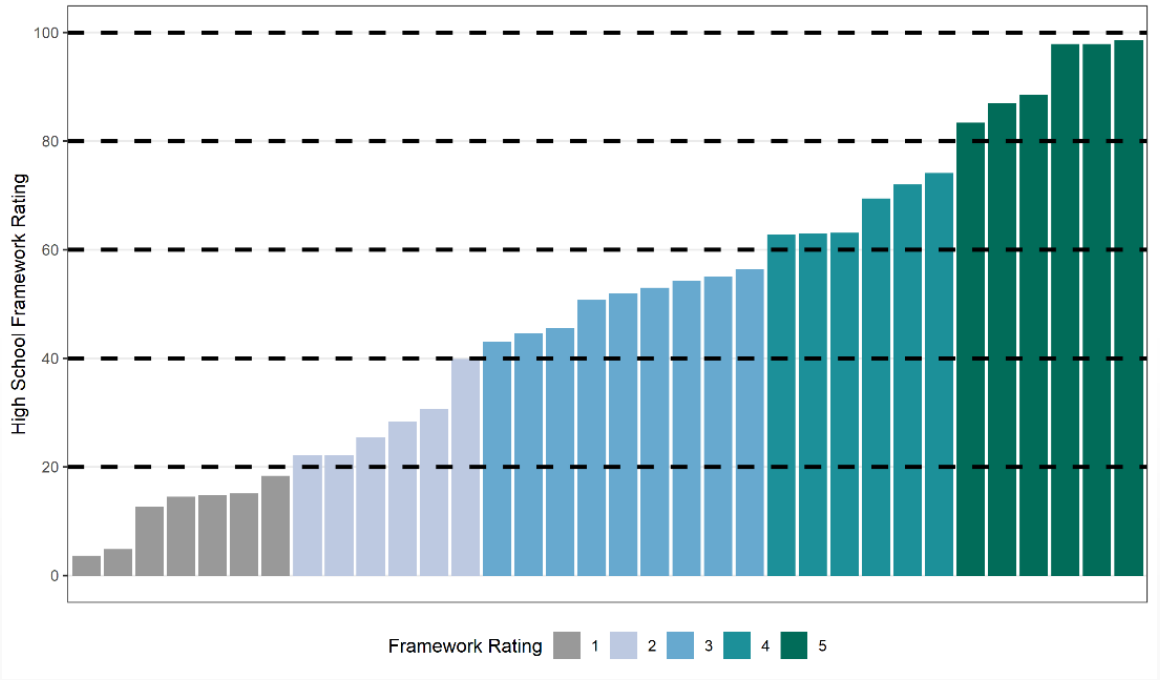

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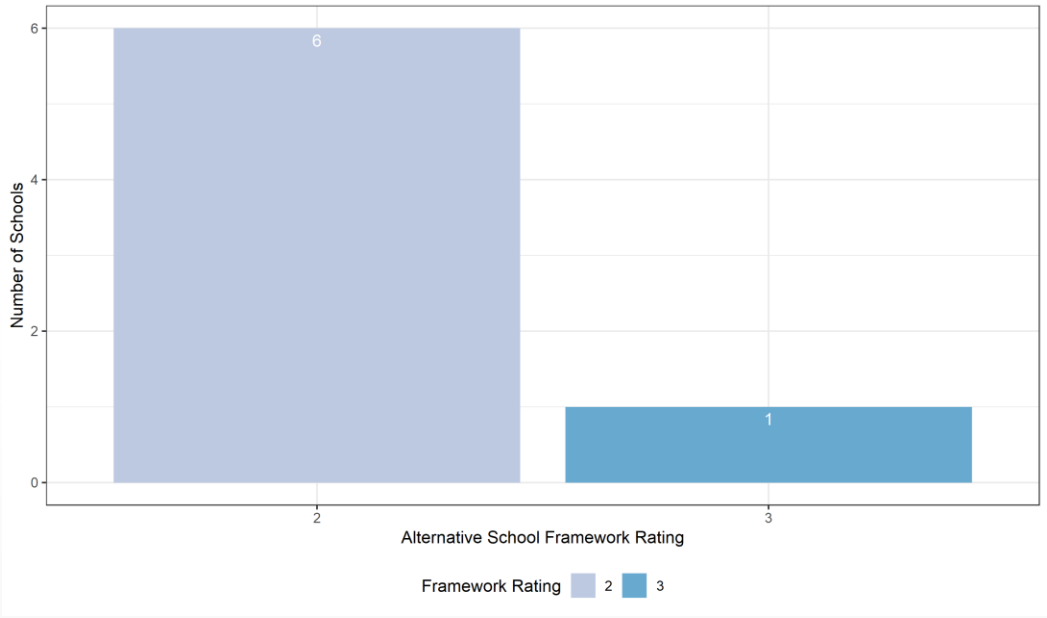

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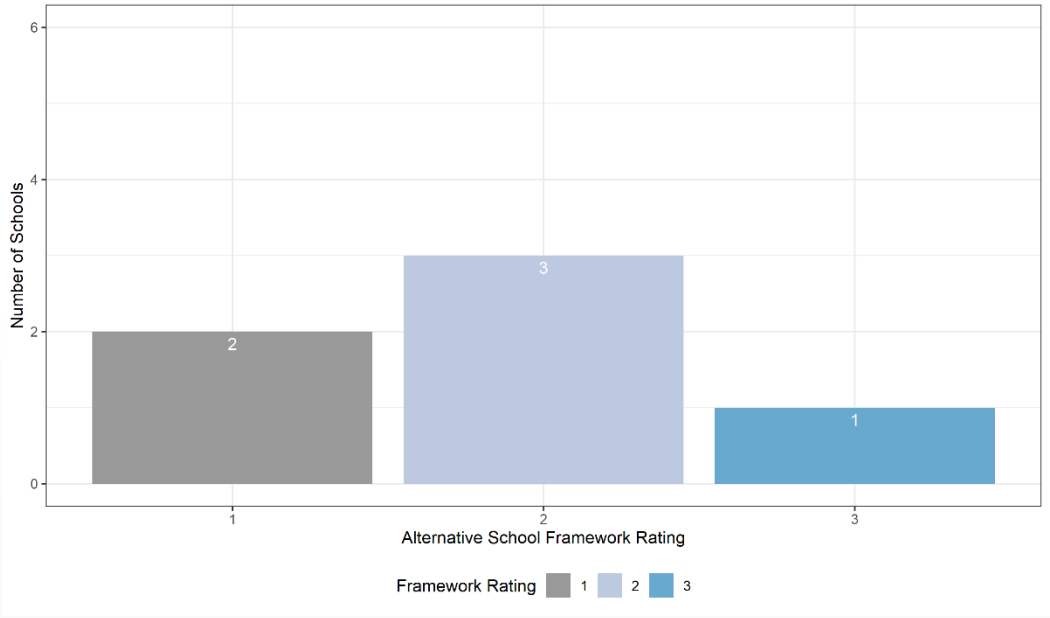

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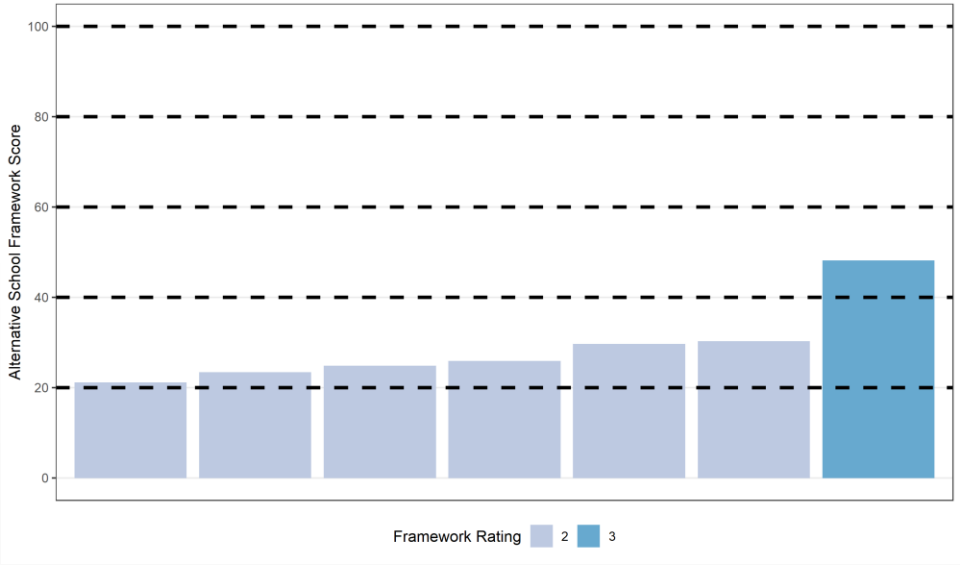

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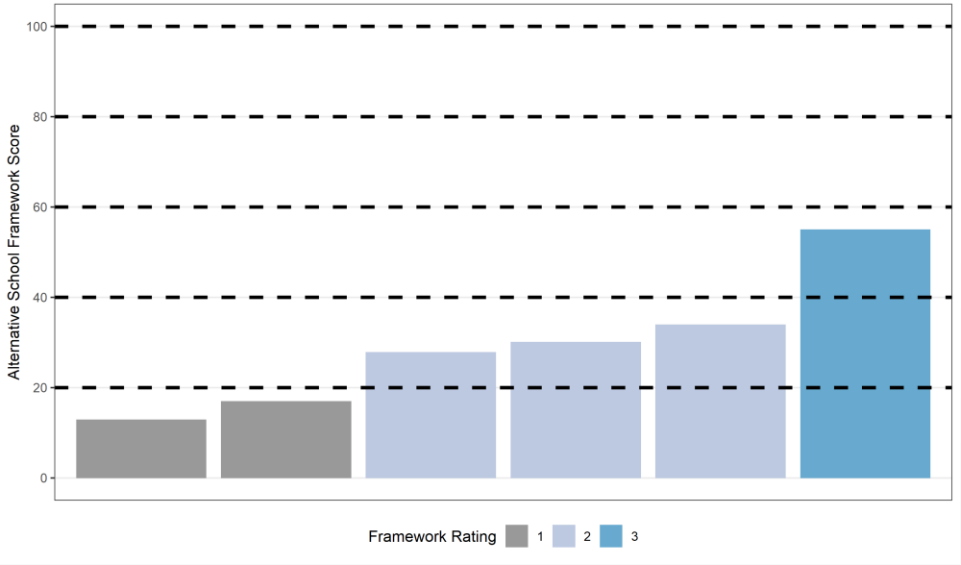

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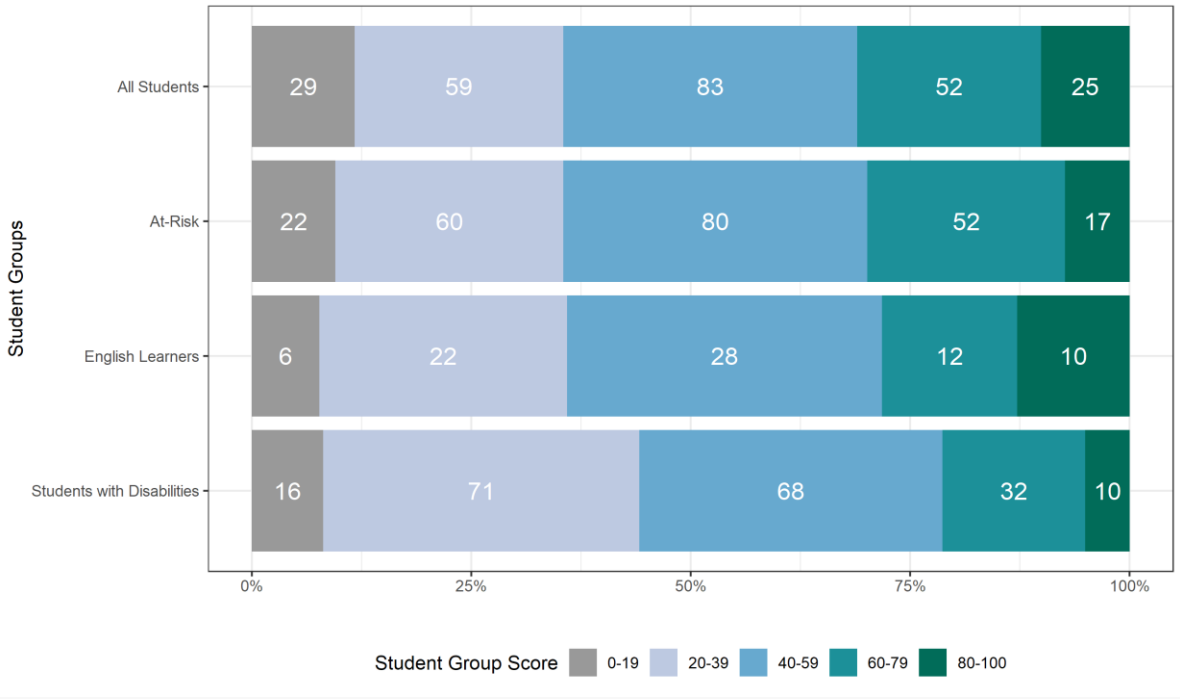

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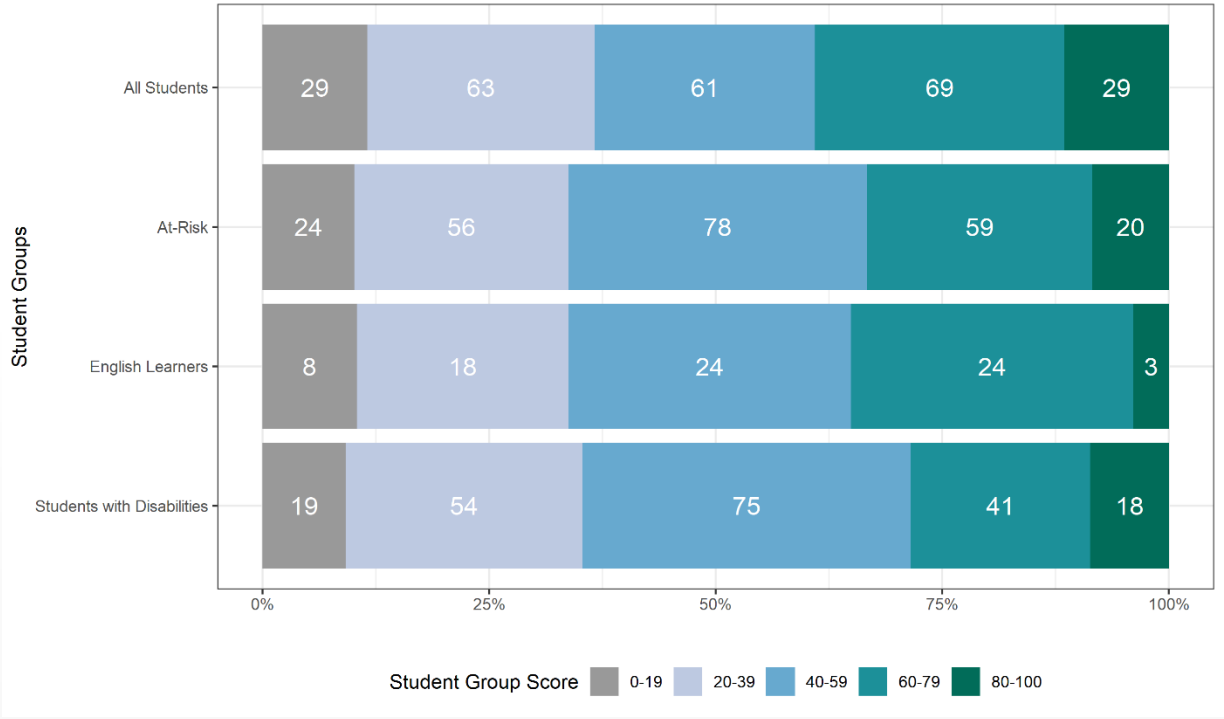

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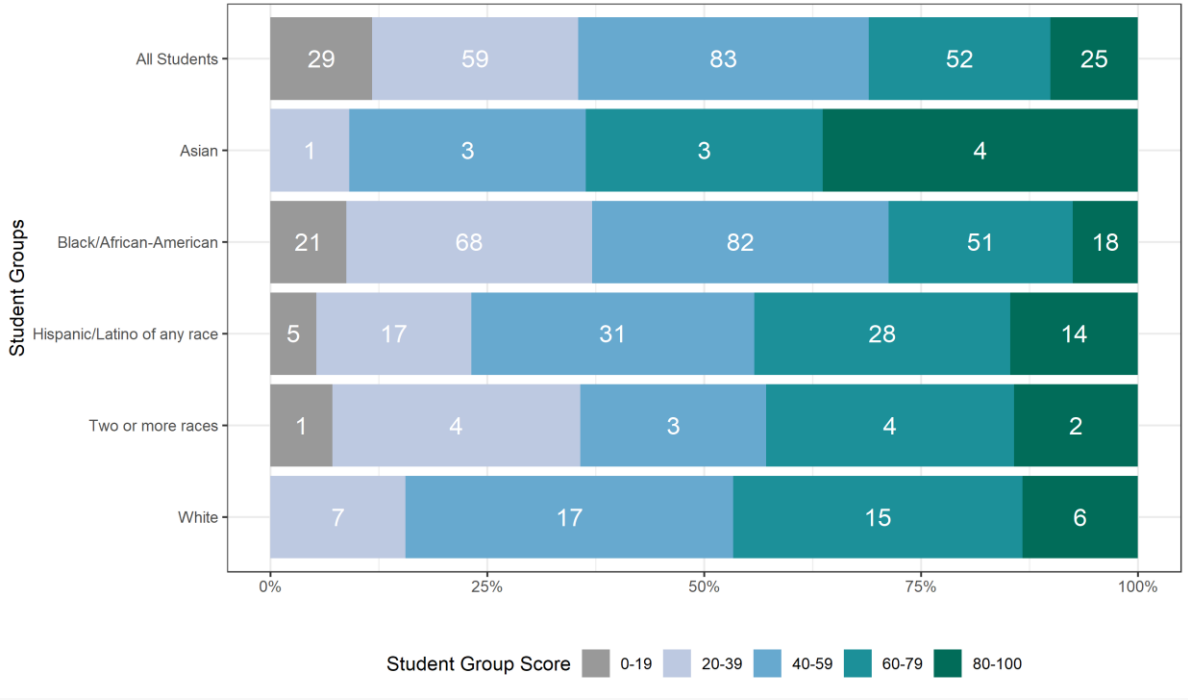

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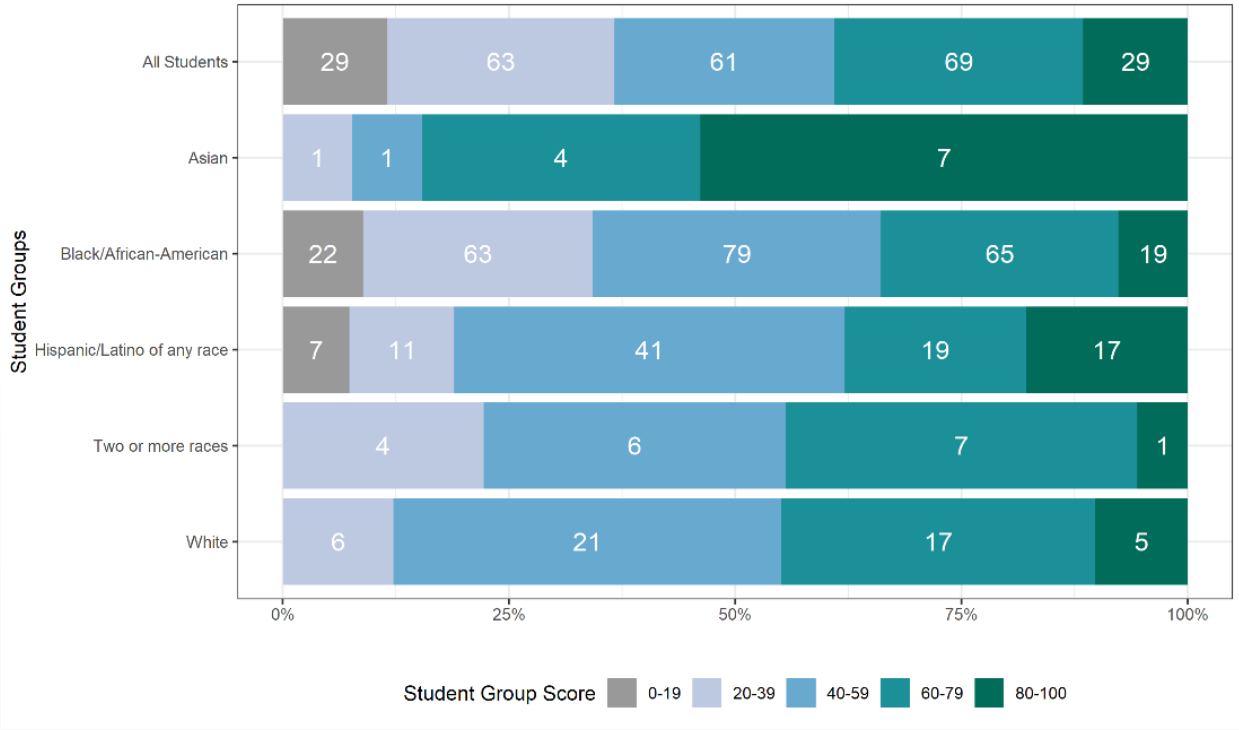

Percent of students in schools by STAR Rating

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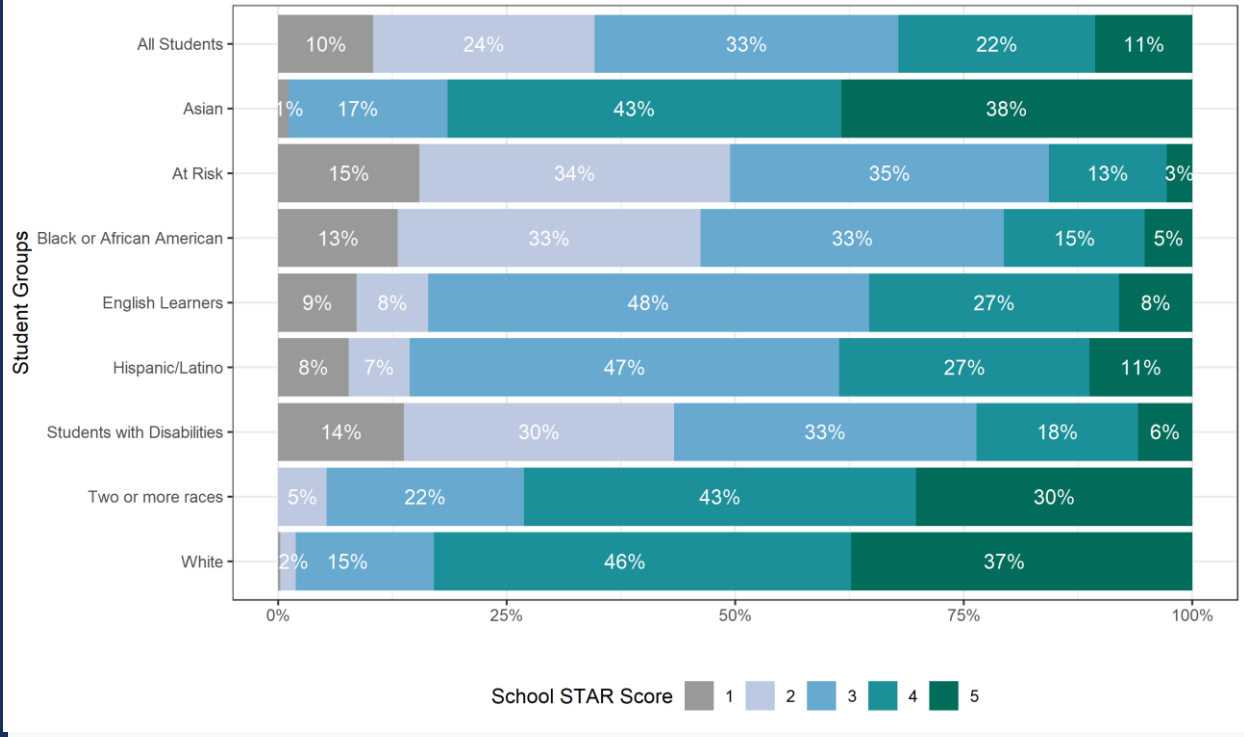
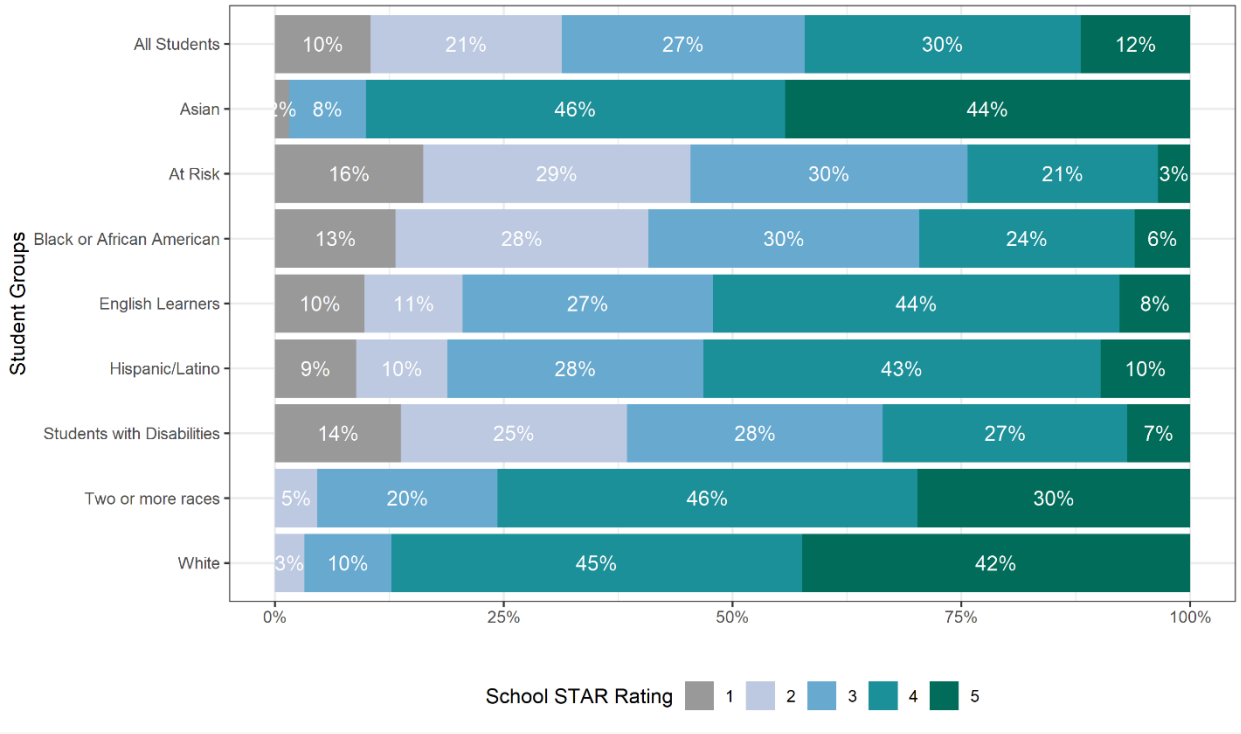
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