



Closing the Achievement Gap in California The Smarter Balanced Test Scores and Beyond

A Live Video Conversation with Audience Q&A

Monday Oct. 19, 2015 at 10 a.m

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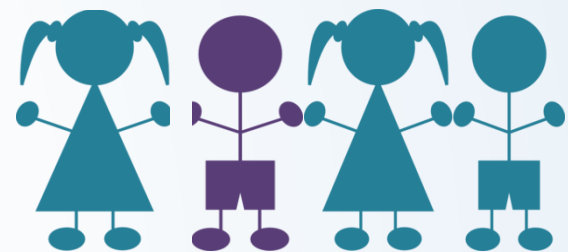
- Carl Cohn, Executive Director, California Collaborative for Educational Excellence, and former Superintendent, Long Beach Unified and San Diego Unified
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- Christopher Edley, UC Berkeley School of Law Professor, former Co-Chair, National Equity and Excellence Commission, and Chair, *Partners-for Each and Every Child*
- Sean Reardon, Professor of Poverty and Inequality in Education, Stanford Center for Education Policy Analysis
- Socorro Shiels, Superintendent, Santa Rosa City Schools
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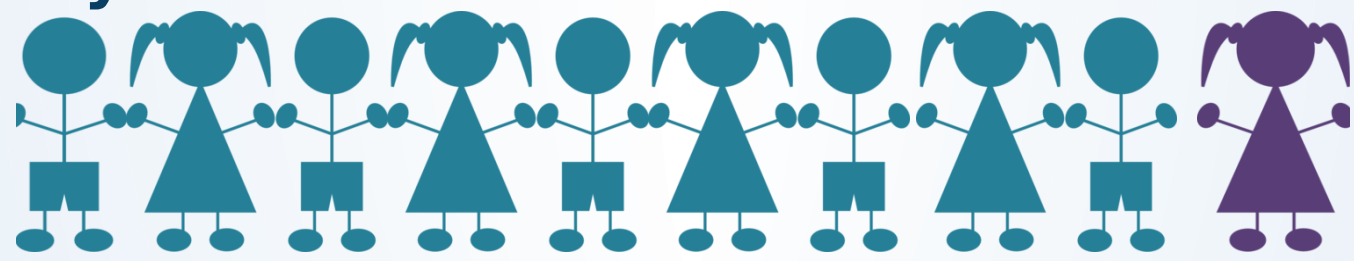
CALIFORNIA'S PUBLIC SCHOOL CHILDREN



About 1 in 2 are from a low income family



About 1 in 4 are English Language learners

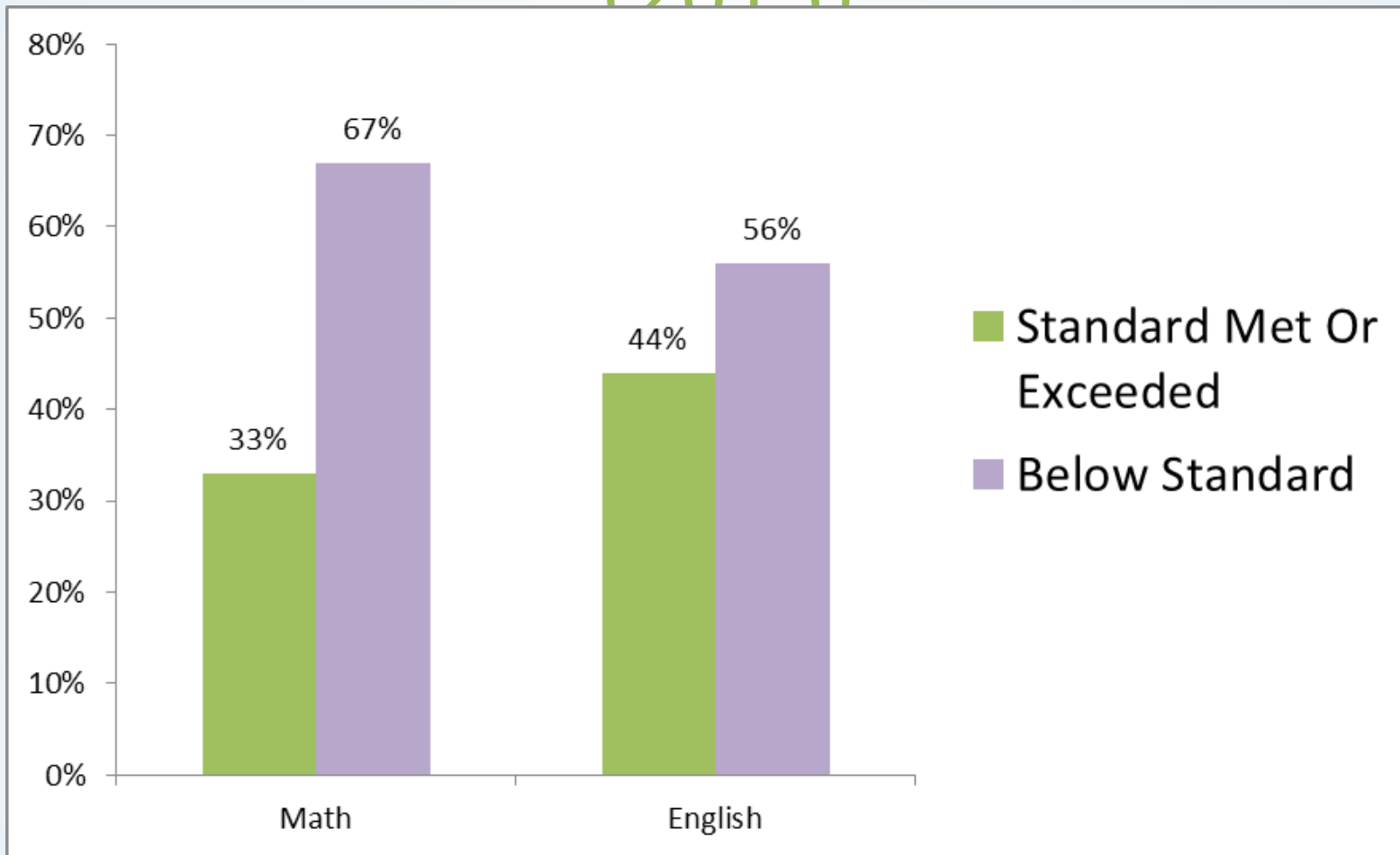


About 1 in 10 receive special education services

Sources: The Legislative Analyst's Office
http://www.lao.ca.gov/reports/2013/calfacts/calfacts_010213.aspx
All data is for 2013-14 unless noted.



Statewide Smarter Balanced Results (2015)

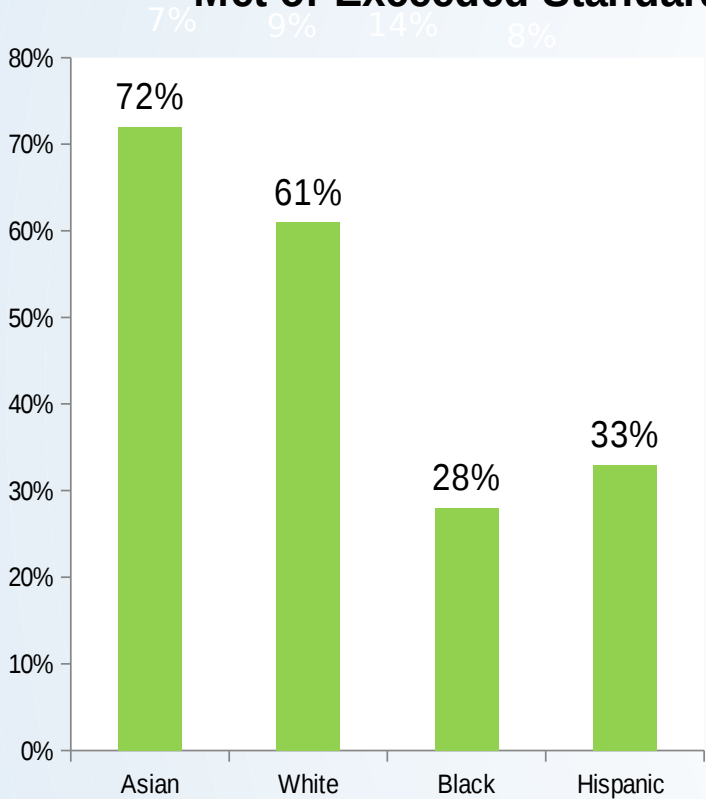


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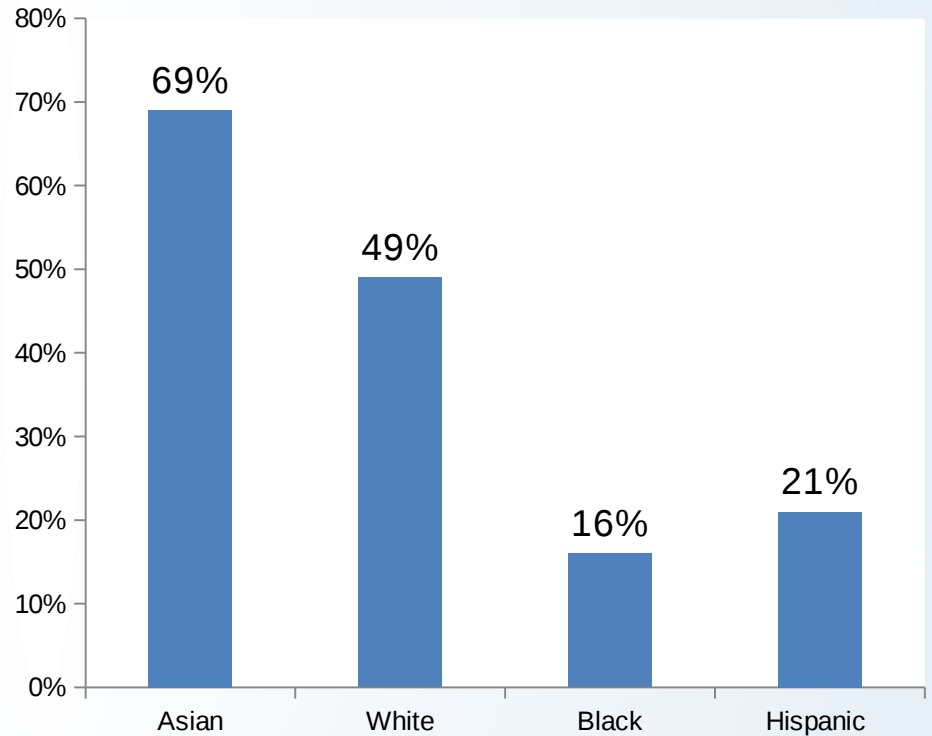


Smarter Balanced Results (2015) by Selected Subgroups

Met or Exceeded Standard: ELA



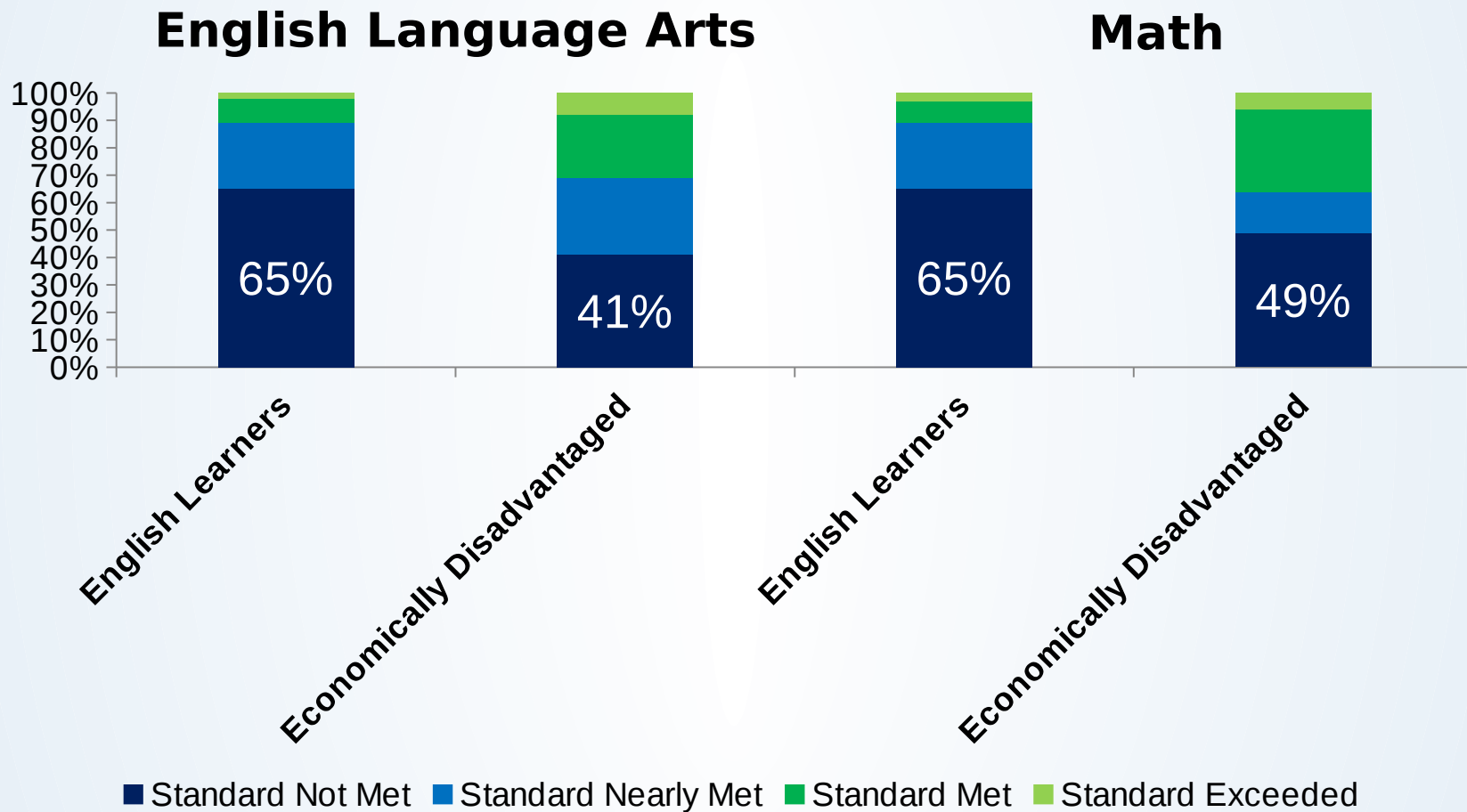
Met or Exceeded Standard: Math



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Smarter Balanced Test Results (2015): Overall by High Need



Source: CDE



THE TEST IS NEW. THE GAP IS

CA Math 8th Grade NAEP: Scores by Ethnicity

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