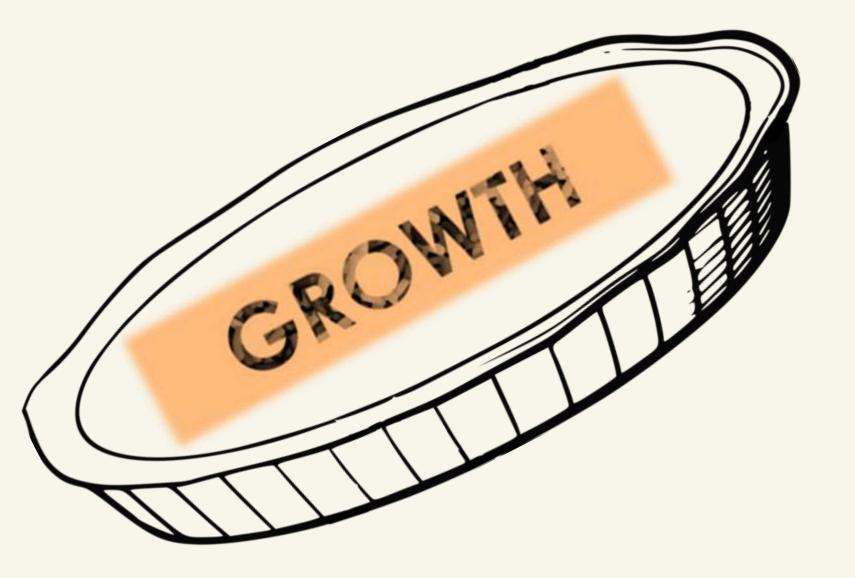
A Recipe for



Leading with map growth to maximize Fall achievement data and drive student growth all year

Archdiocese of Seattle Fall Data Dive 2025



What gets measured gets done.

What gets measured and fed back

gets done well.

What gets rewarded gets

repeated.

TODAY'S Ingredients

2025 Updates

School Profile

Class Profile

In the Mix:

New Test; New Norms

In the Bag:

What are you working with?

Know your tools: Find the Key Ingredients for Growth

Student Profile

Season Carefully: Little Things Matter

Goal Setting

Dress It Up: Appropriate

Expectations

Family Communication

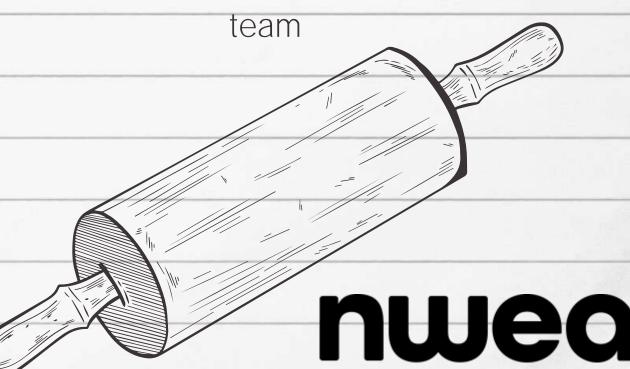
Share the Dish:

Involving the home



Katie Doyle

NWEA Catholic Team
Senior Account Manager



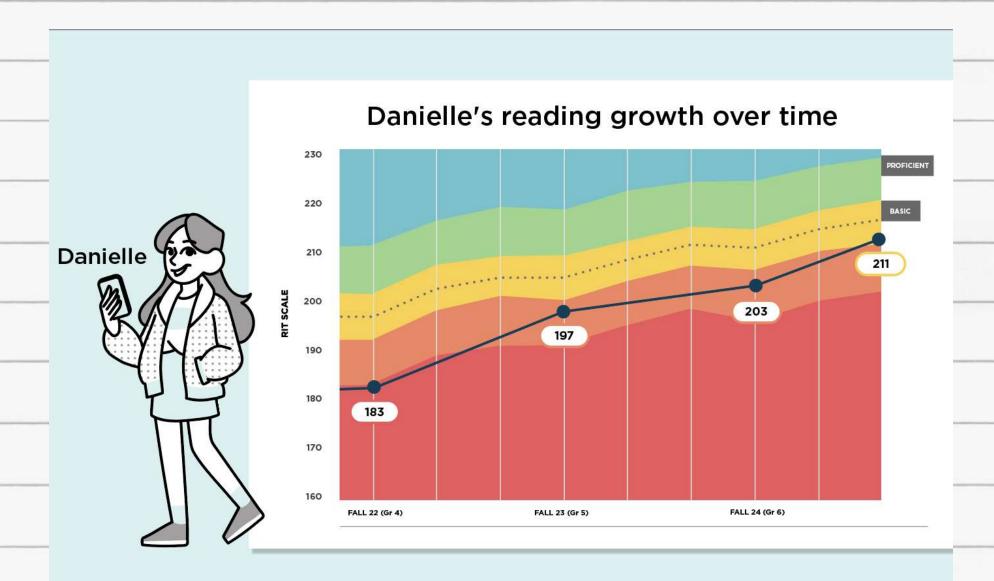


New norms and test improvements in the mix add impact to your data driven instruction



A Key ngredient:

NWEA'S TRUSTED NORMS



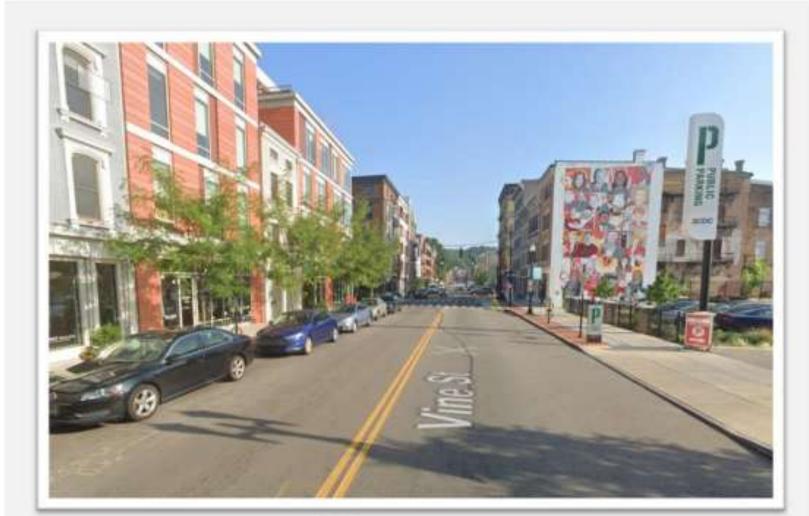
Norms provide an accurate, comprehensive picture of student learning.

- How a student's achievement compares to their peers nationally
- How to set ambitious, achievable growth goals

Low	Low / Average	Average	High Average	Hi
Percentile = <21st	Percentile = 21 st -40 th	Percentile = 41 st -60 th	Percentile = 61 st -80 th	Percentile = >80 th



CONTEXT Changes over time



Now



Then

The RIT scale hasn't changed, but the reference group has.

Updated norms let us see how student compare to their current peers.



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EISA

The Enhanced Item Selection Algorithm provides a smarter Test blueprint

What is it?

An improvement in how MAP Growth selects items for students to better align with grade-level content.

Why did we do it?

Make MAP Growth more instructionally relevant and more useful for using scores to make placement decisions.

What are the benefits?

- 1. Stronger connection to core instruction
- Increased MAP's content validity
- 3. Better test experience for kids

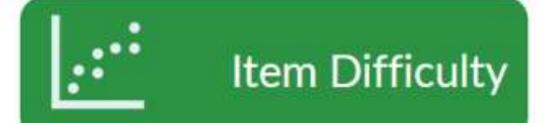


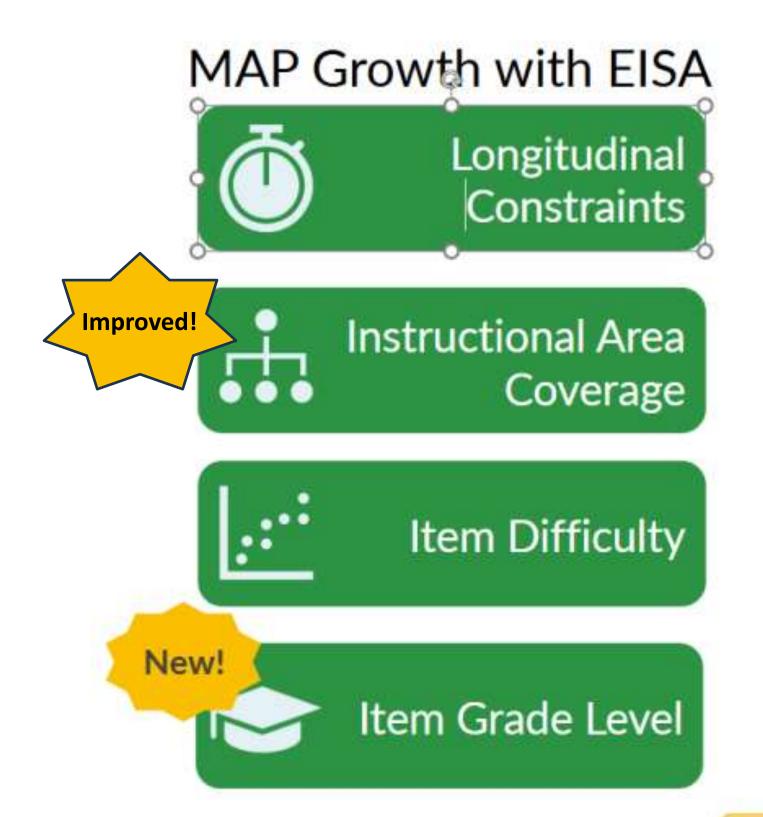
MAP Growth: Rules for Test Item Selection



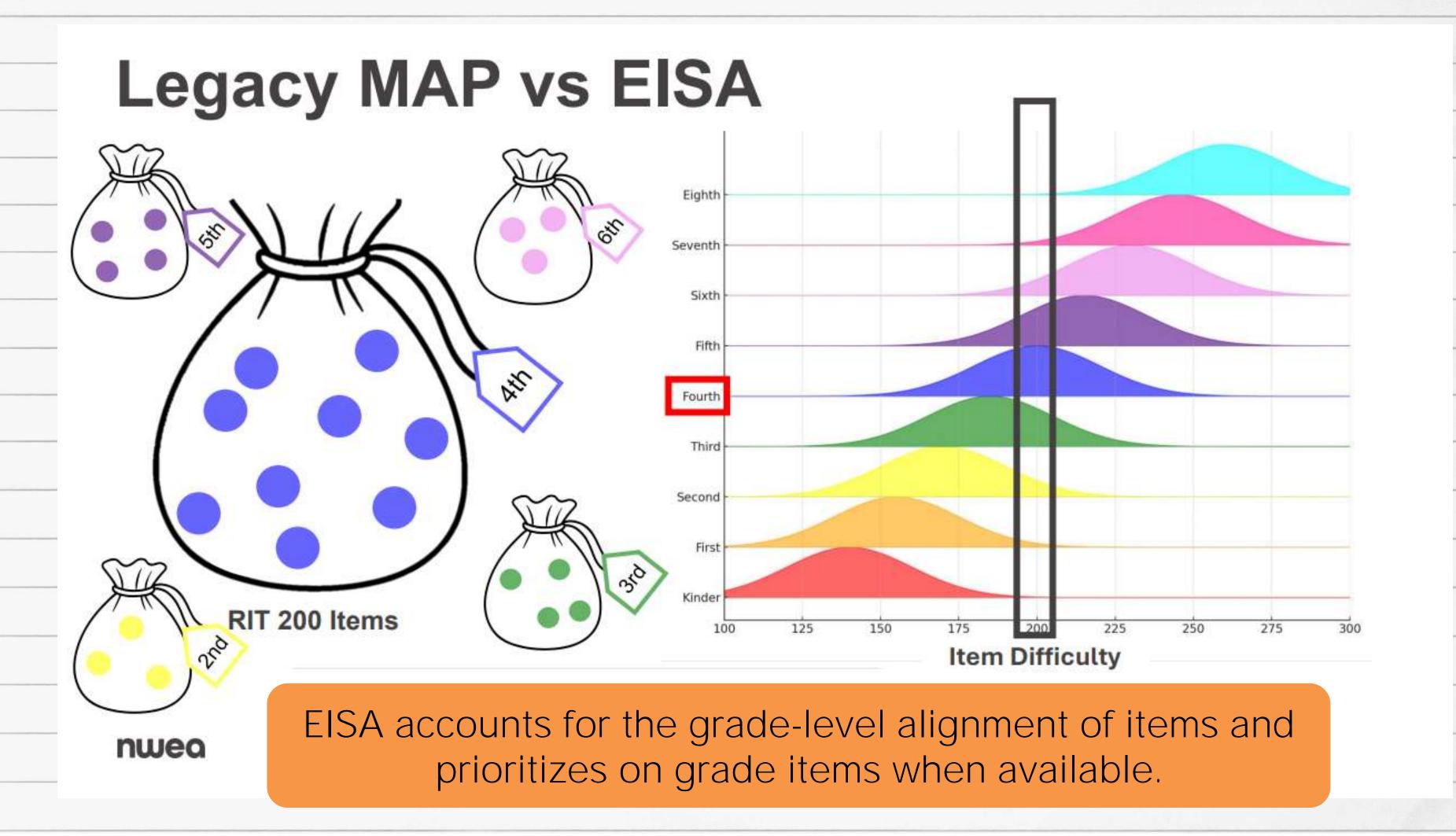
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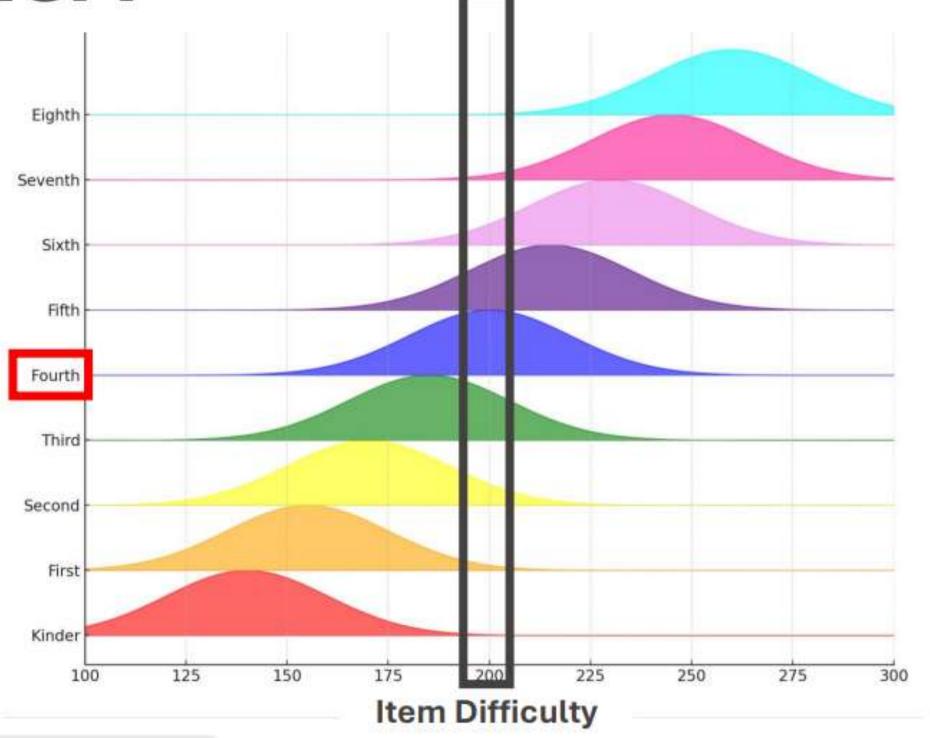


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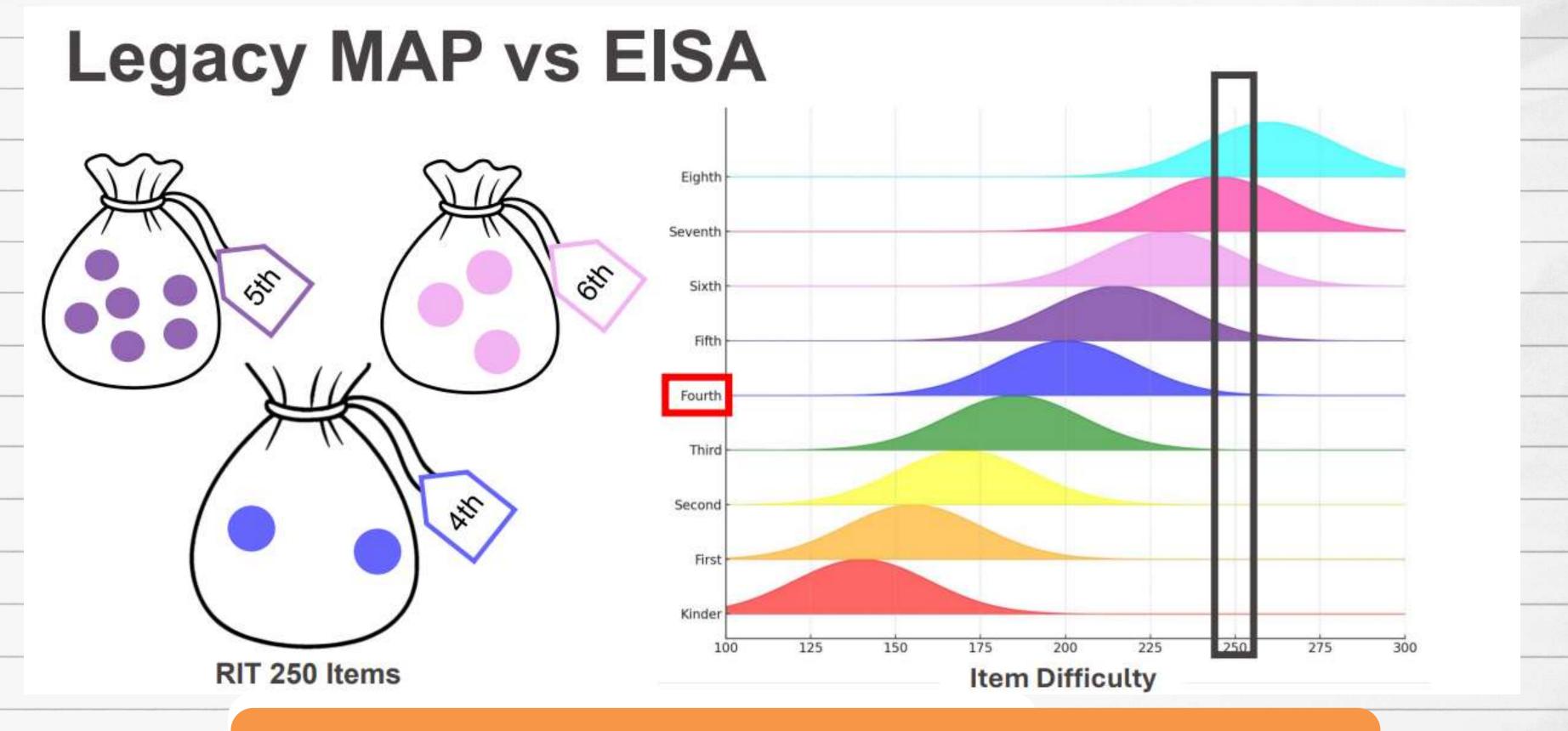
Legacy MAP vs EISA





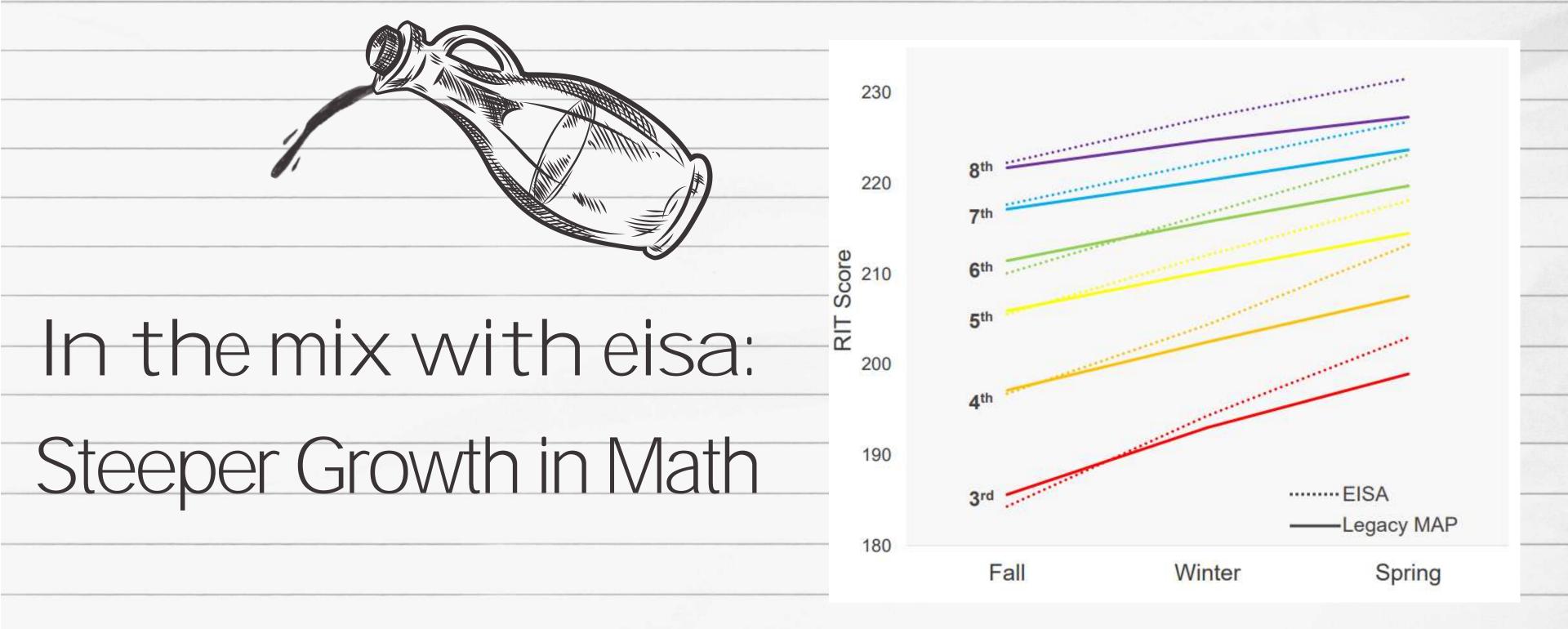
Legacy MAP selected items according to their difficulty.





The test still adapts according to student performance and draws items from other grades when appropriate.

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Compared to legacy MAP, EISA results in decreases in fall scores and increases in winter and spring.





Norms 2025 At-a-Glance



Years	Scores	Students	Schools	Districts	States
2022-23 and	116 million	13.8 million	30K+	7,000	All 50
2023-24	scores	students	schools	districts	states



2025 Norms Overview

Same Core Strengths

- Broad representative sample
- Rigorous methodology
- Time accounted for more precisely than blunt season labels
- Inclusion of school and student norms

New Features

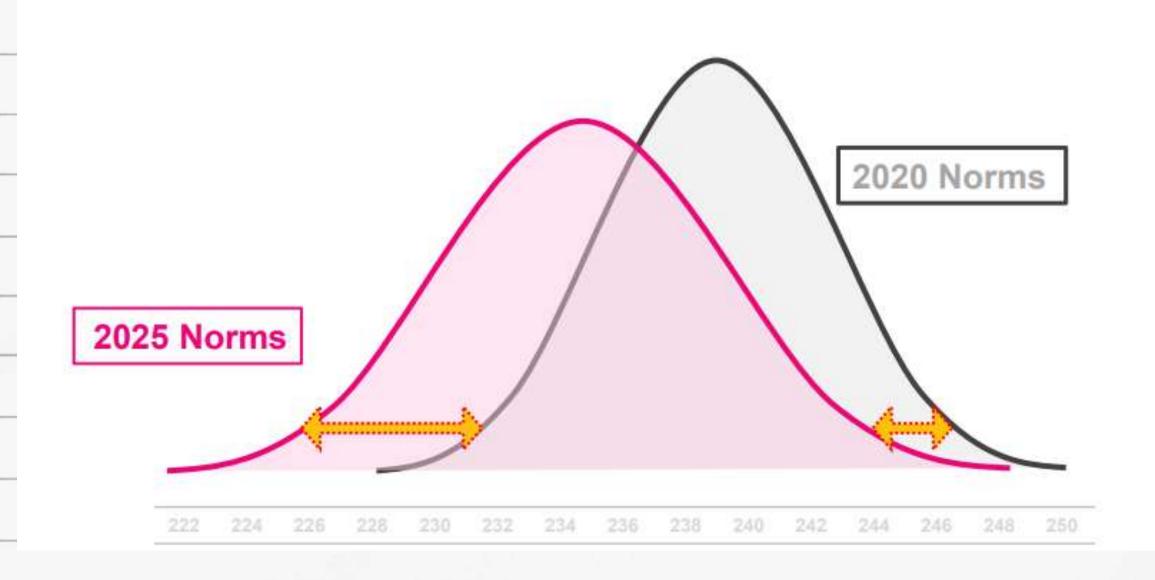
- Updated focal years that capture post-COVID reality
- Full EISA alignment
- Simplification of process for reporting test timing
- More inclusive sample

When comparing 2025 to 2020, we're not just seeing "learning loss" but the net effect of new data, new context, and improved test.



2025 Norms Overview

Distribution shifted down and became more variable



Expect larger shifts at lower achievement levels and smaller shifts at higher achievement levels.



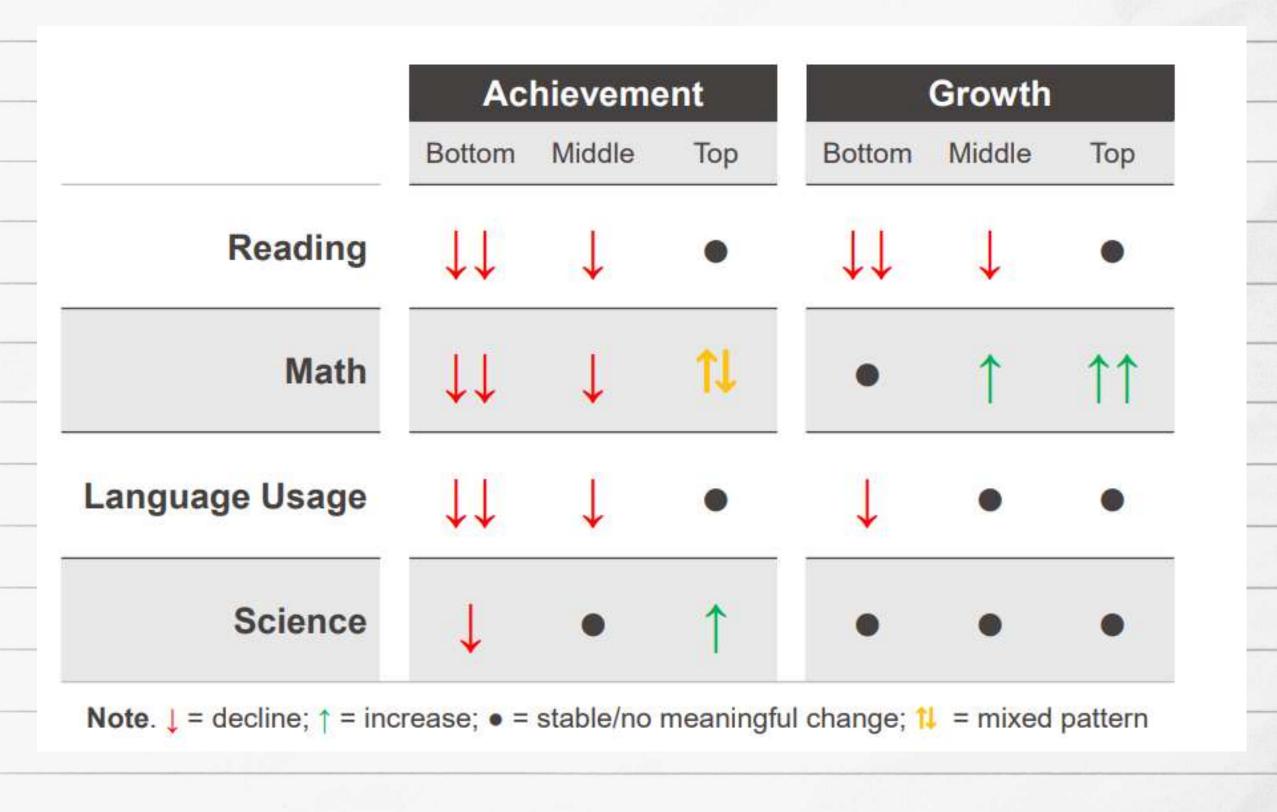
Summary of RIT shifts Across Subjects

Reading

- Across grades, lower achieving students show steeper declines
- Lower growth, especially at median and below

Math

- Across grades, scores generally lower at and below the median
- Higher growth, especially above the median



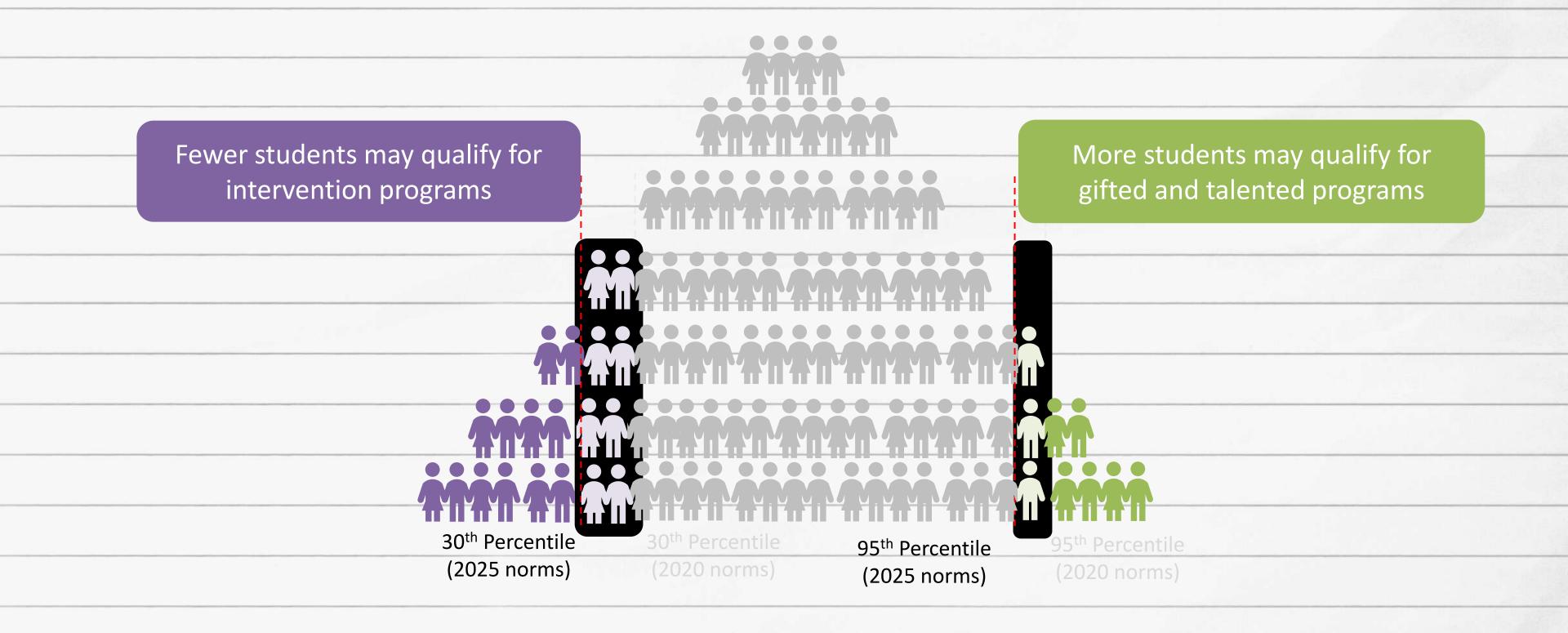


Summary of PercenTile Shifts for Same RIT

Columns show the
2025 percentile
rank that
corresponds to
the RIT score at
the 30 th , 50 th and
95 th percentiles
under the 2020
norms.

	Reading				Math				
	30th percentile in 2020	50th percentile in 2020	95th percentile in 2020		30th percentile in 2020	50th percentile in 2020	95th percentile in 2020		
K	34	54	95		30	48	93		
1	40	59	96		35	54	95		
2	40	59	96		38	55	93		
3	39	57	95		38	55	93		
4	37	56	95		33	51	93		
5	37	56	95		37	56	95		
6	38	58	96		36	56	96		
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8	39	59	97		33	53	96		

For example:



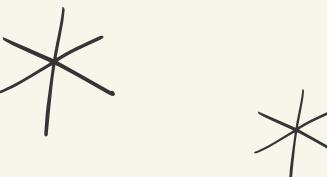


Key Implications & and Guidance

MAP Growth continues to report scores on the same RIT scale — but the reference group has changed. In general, a given RIT score in 2025 now maps to a different percentile than it did under the 2020 norms.

Students in 2025 will typically have a higher percentile rank compared to 2020 for the same RIT score. Because percentiles have shifted, NWEA strongly recommends reviewing program policies, placement criteria, and resource allocation.





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Learn what's in the bag this year with an interactive report that highlights growth opportunities for all students.





REMEMBER THE BASICS...



Exceeds projection

Exceeds projection

Achievement maintained

Achievement maintained

Achievement decreas

College and Career Ready

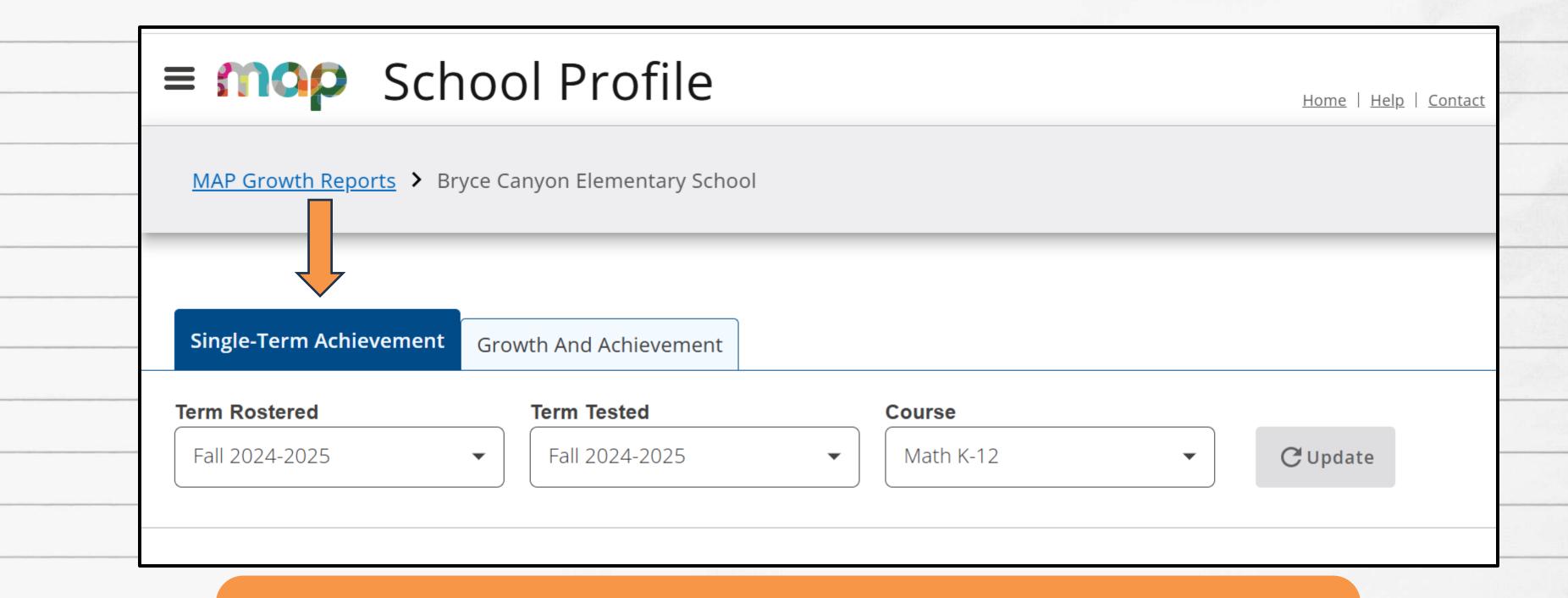
SBAC Projected Proficiency

Achievement only maintains or improves if growth projections are met or exceeded.

WA (SBAC) NWEA linking study here See pages 16-17

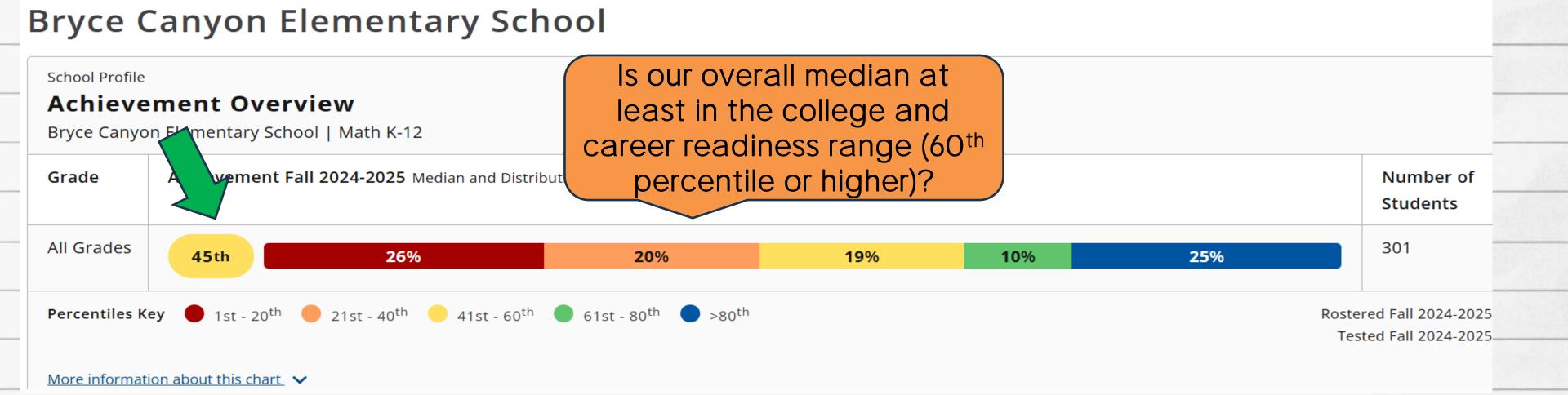


Taste Test the School Profile

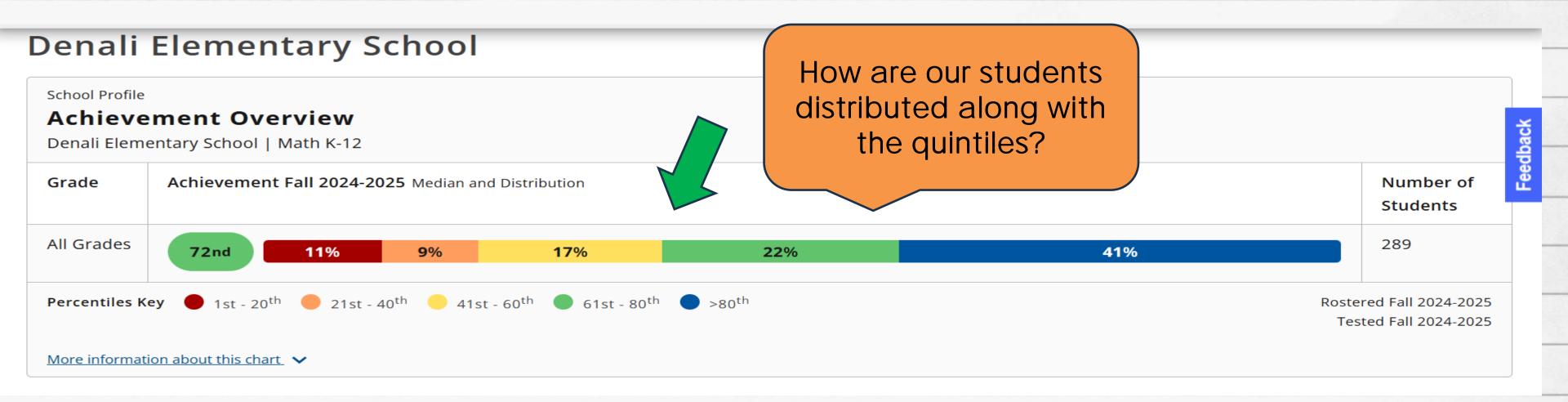


Find out where the school is starting from with a look at single term achievement

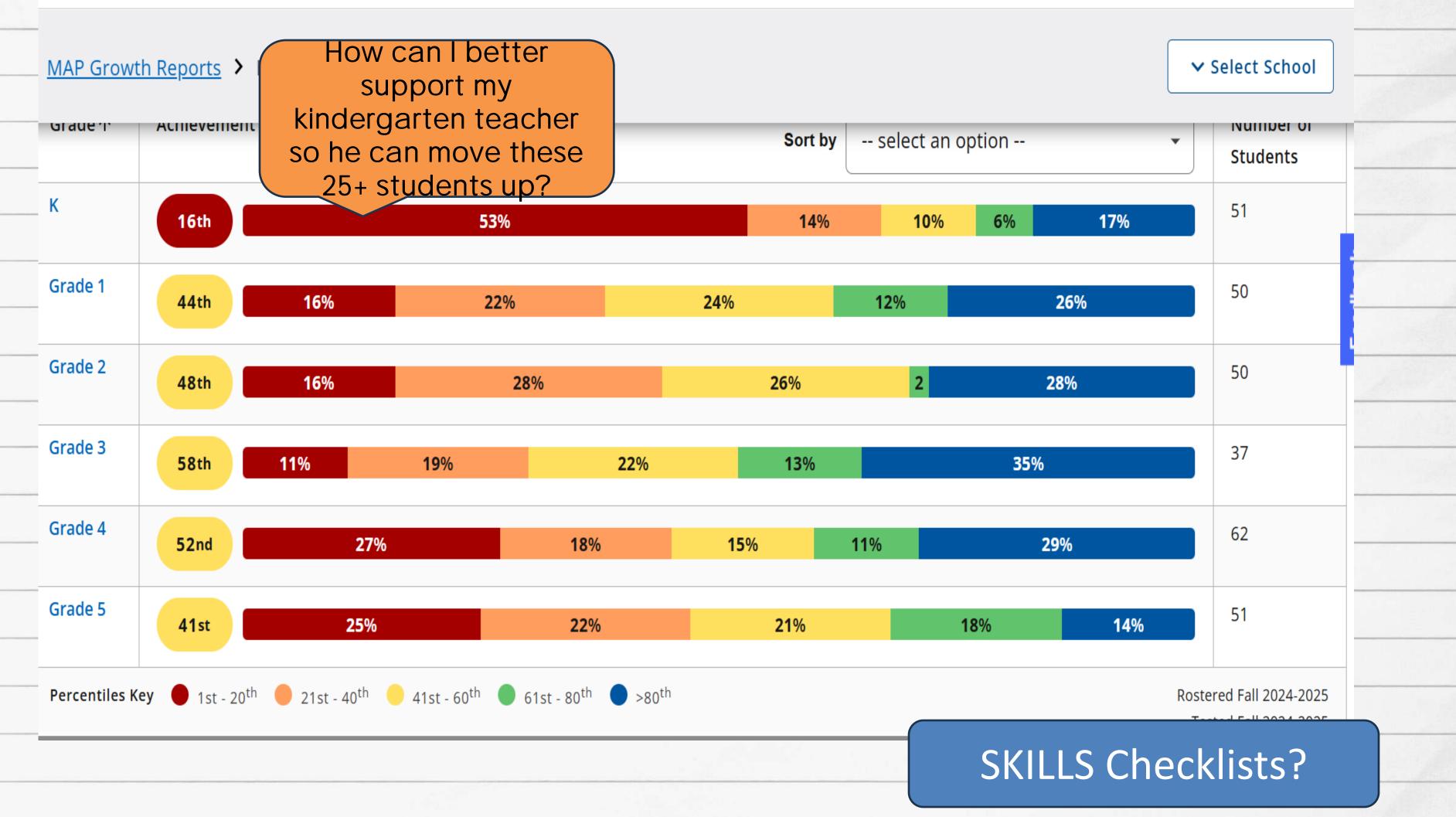




Set a goal to move students on the yellow bubble up and Keep your green and blue students steady

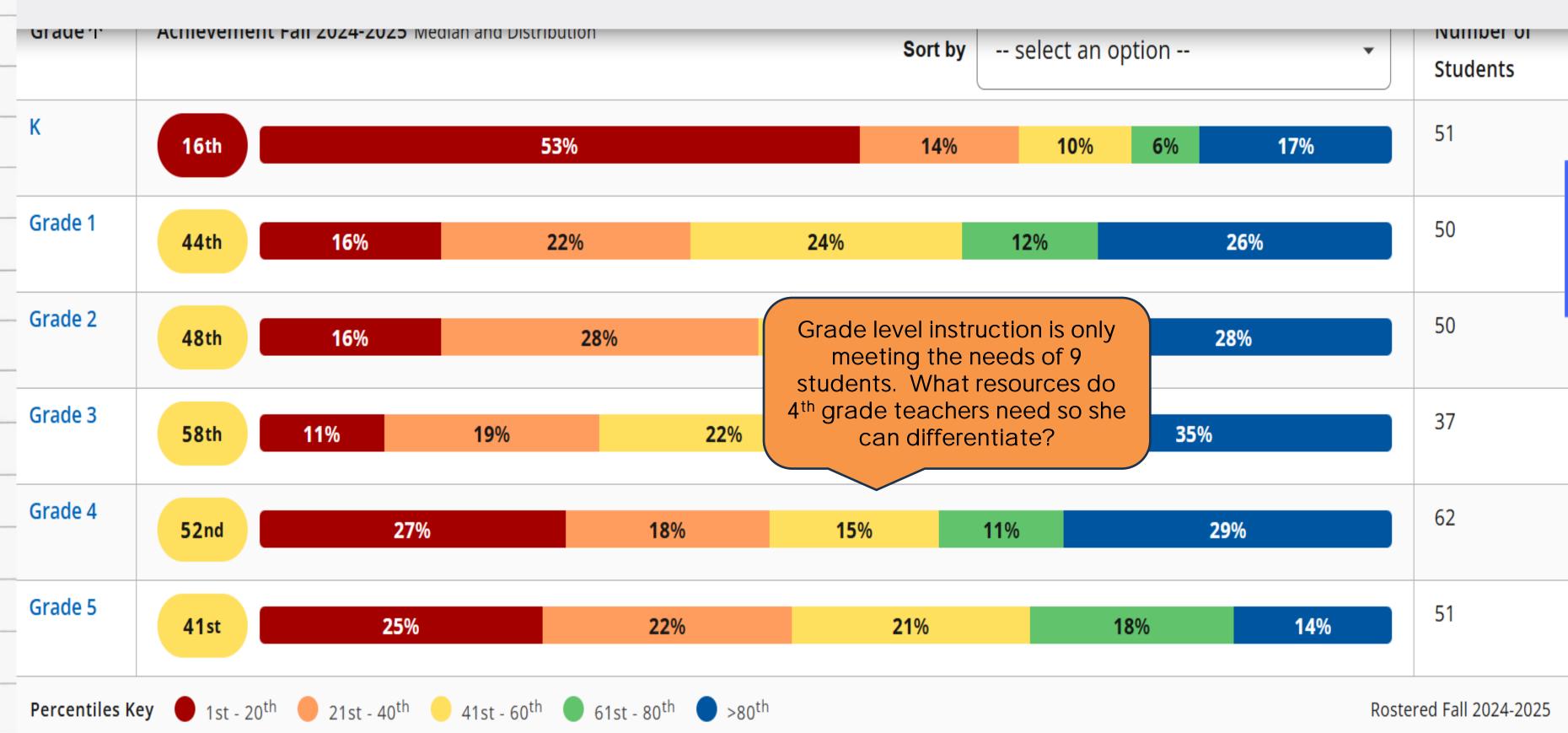


What are the implications?

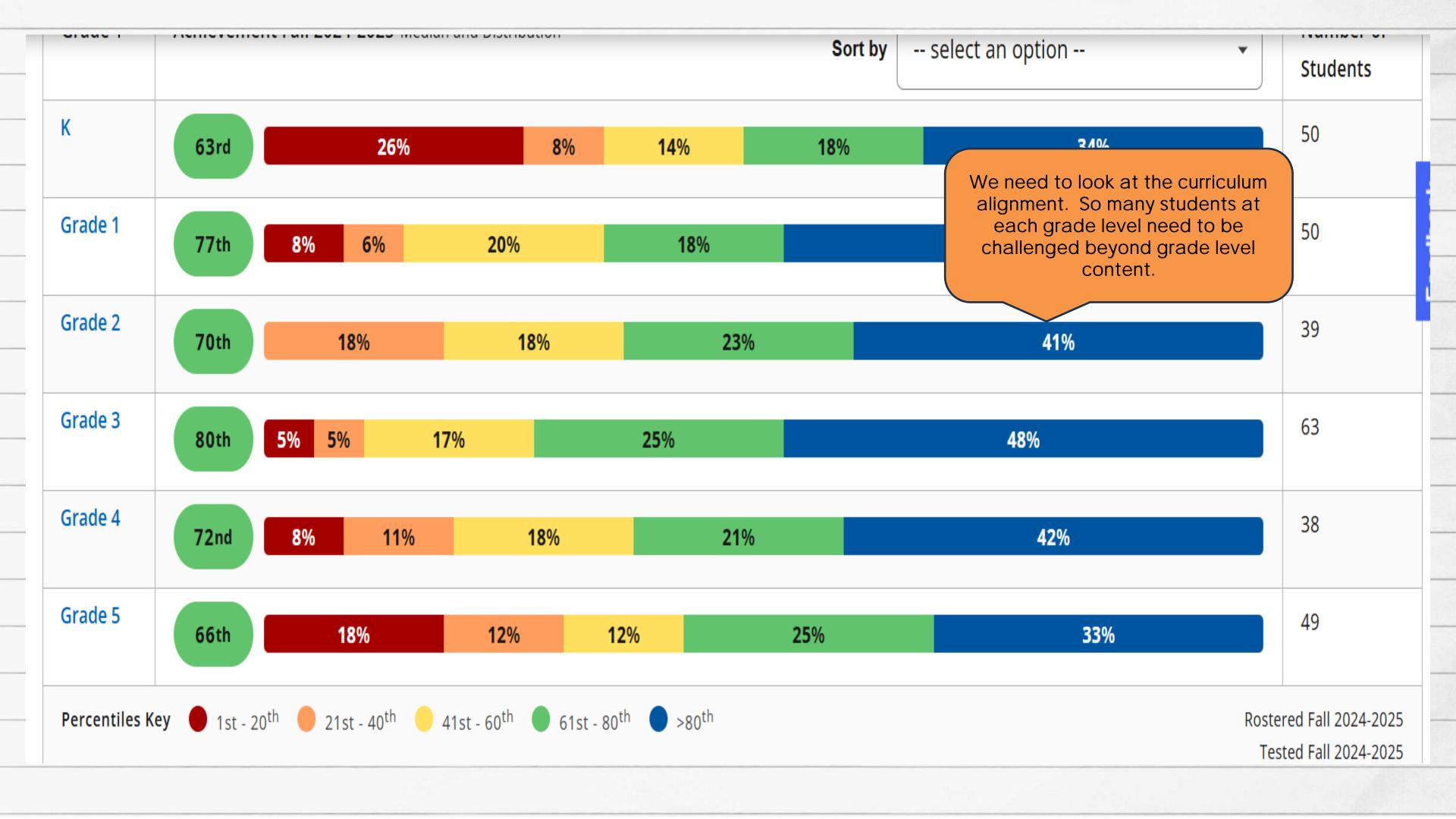


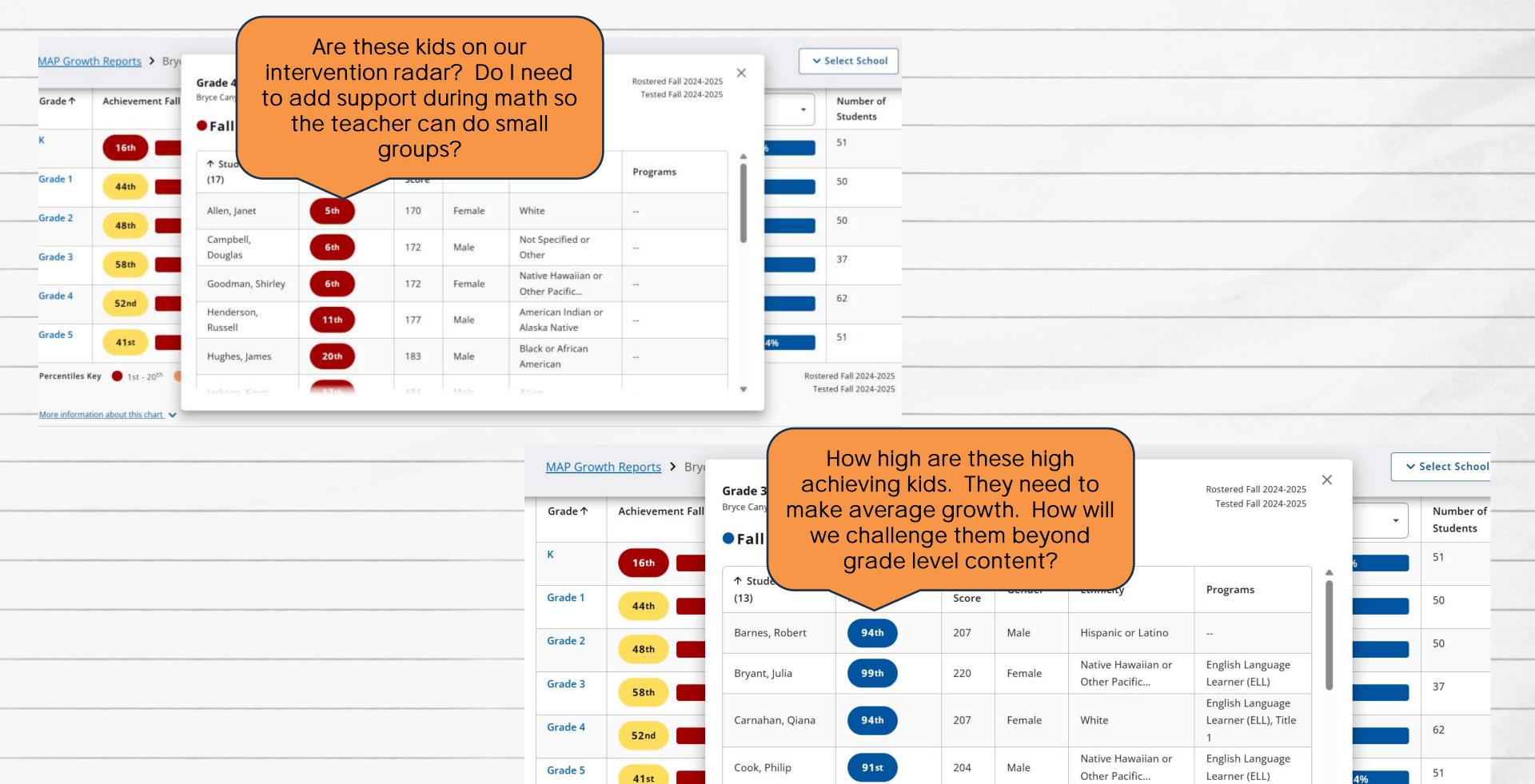






Tested Fall 2024-2025





Davidson, Jan

97th

211

Male

Hispanic or Latino

Rostered Fall 2024-202

Tested Fall 2024-202

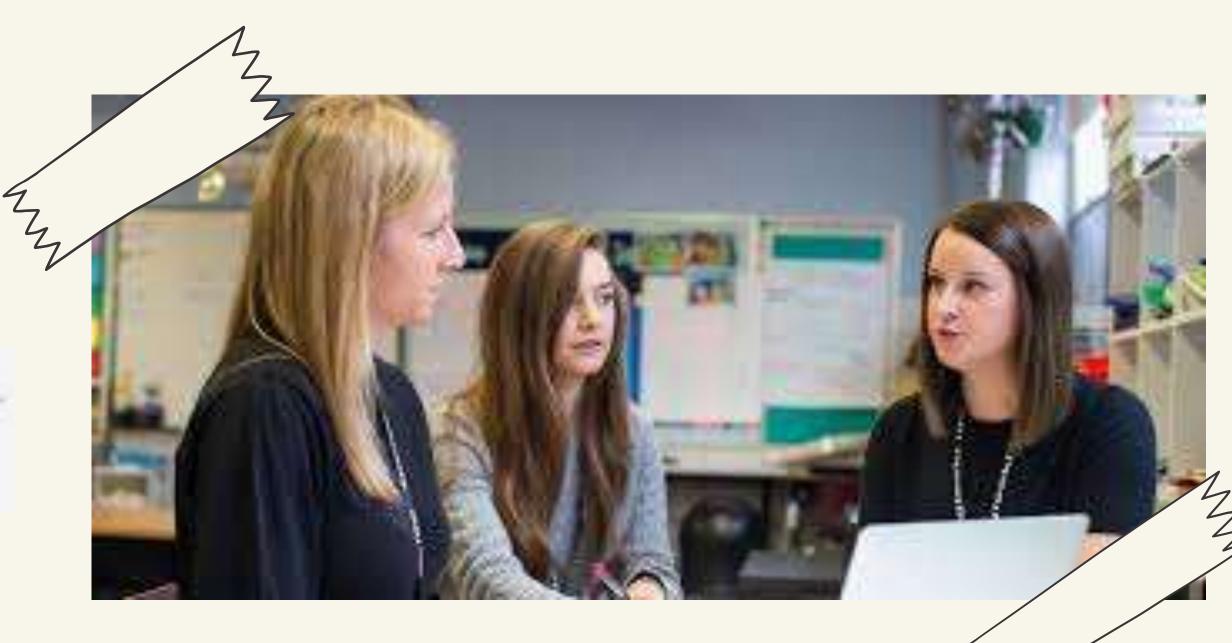
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Percentiles Key

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Informing Instruction

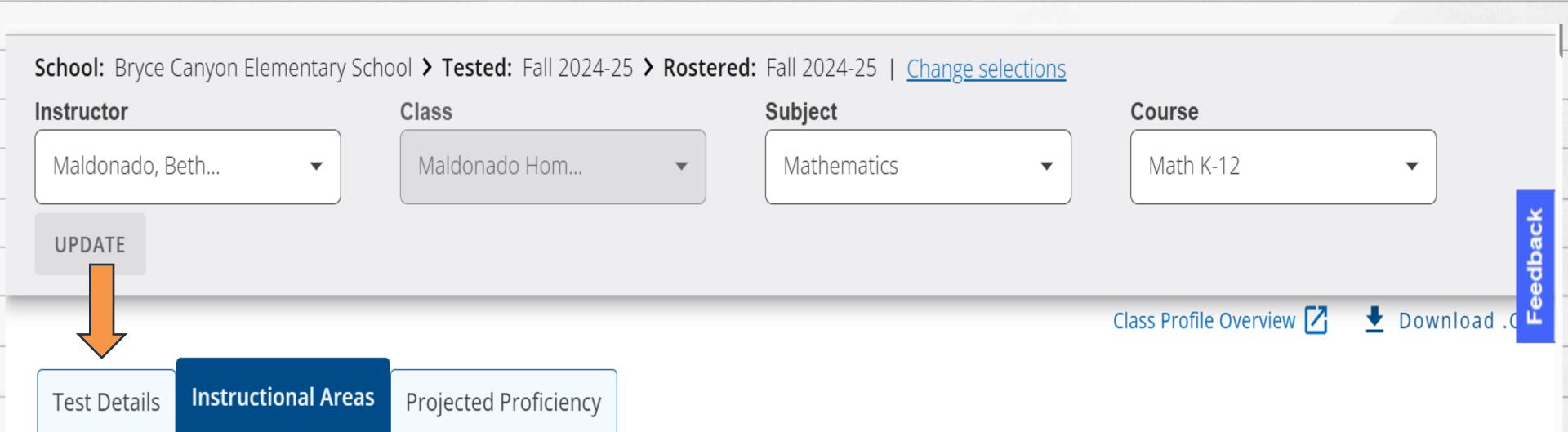
Focuses on using MAP Growth data to inform and tailor instructional practices, ensuring that each student's needs are met through responsive practices

In the Capacity Building Series!



Classroom level interactive report that provides the tools to plan instruction for the students in the room this year





Maldonado Homeroom

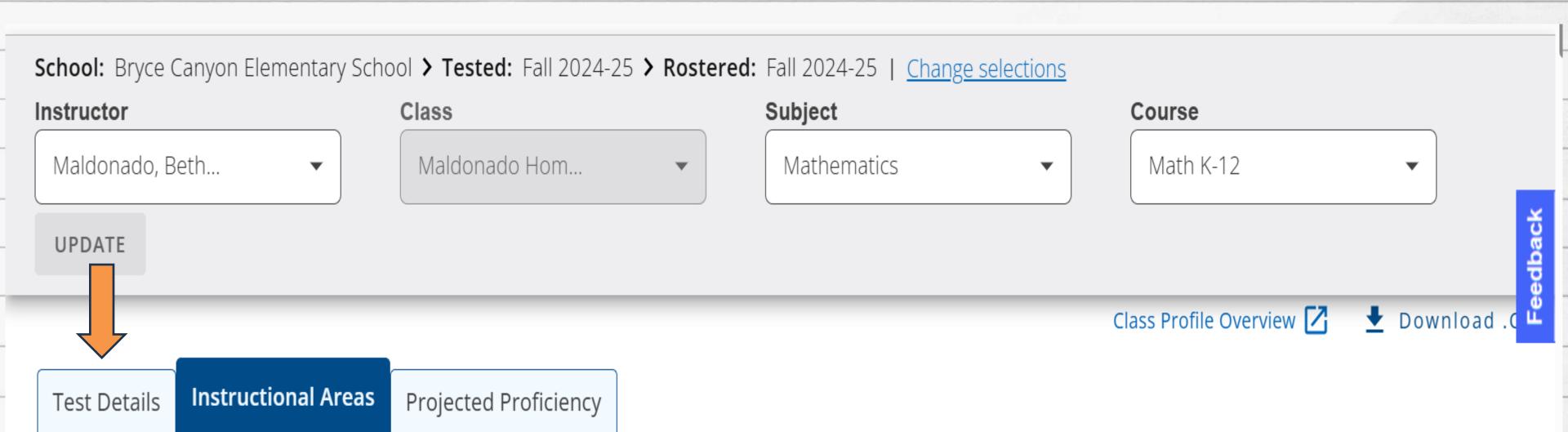


Class Profile report

Test details tab (3 of 3)

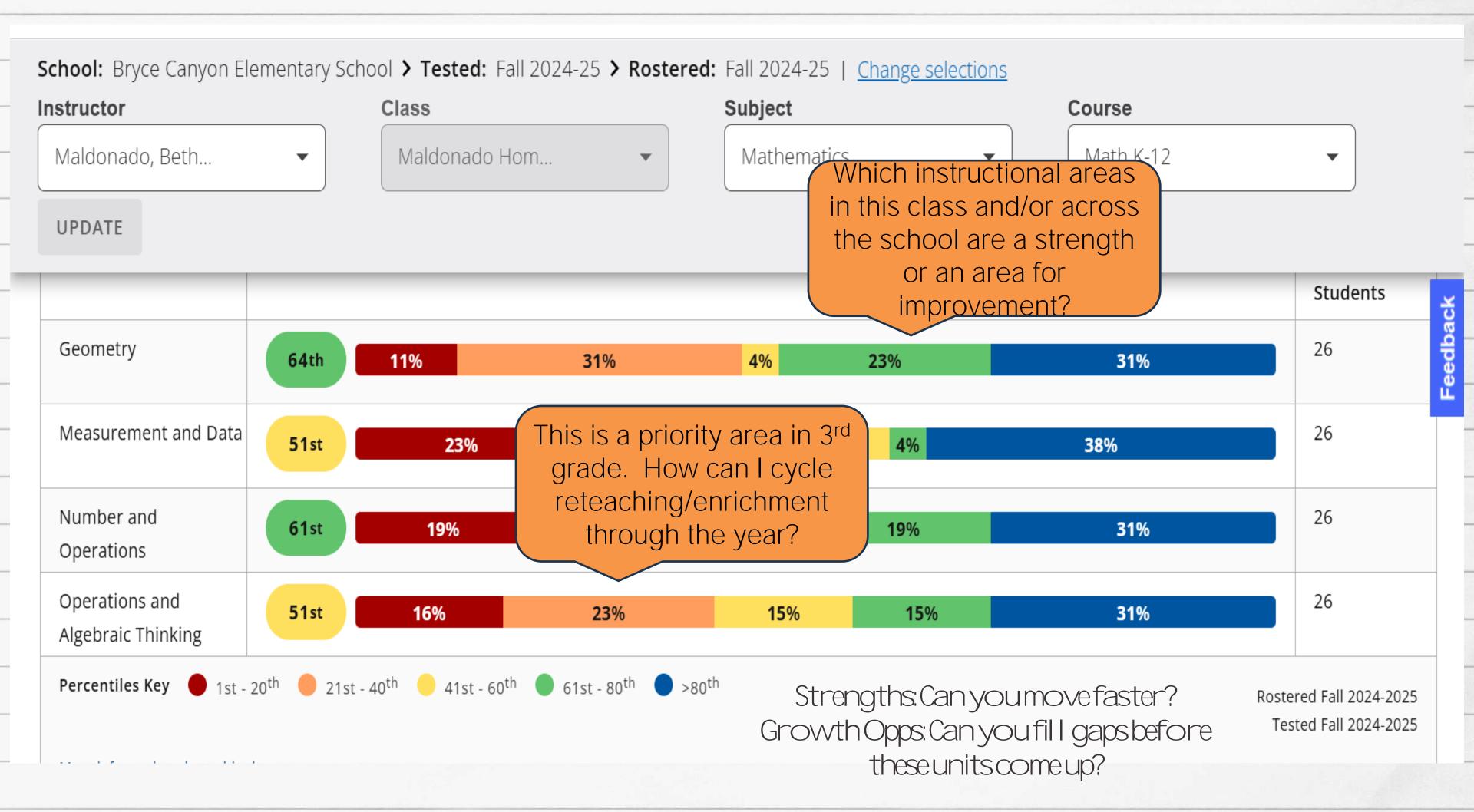
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Student Name	Grade	Achievement Percentile	RIT Score ↑	Lexi	SEM 0	Test Duration	Rapid-Guessing Percentage ①	Test Name	Test Date
Watkins, Lewis	5	8th	181	360L-510L	+/- 3	59 min	A 35%	Reading 2-5	05/15/2024
Scott, Virginia	5	25th	203	590L-740L	+/- 2.9	90 min	2%	Reading 2-5	05/15/2024
Kennedy, Kelley	4	60th	208	765L-915L	+/- 3	49 min	0%	Reading 2-5	05/12/2024
Gordon, Alfred	5	48th	210	780L-930L	+/- 3	45 min	0%	Reading 2-5	05/10/2024
Stevens, Sadie	4	71st	211	860L-1010L	+/- 2.9	42 min	0%	Reading 2-5	05/12/2024
Carlin, Alisha	5	60th	217	880L-1030L	+/- 2.4	50 min	0%	Reading 2-5	05/10/2024
Washington, Doris	4	95th	223	1135L-1885L	+/- 3.5	38 min	0%	Reading 2-5	05/10/2024

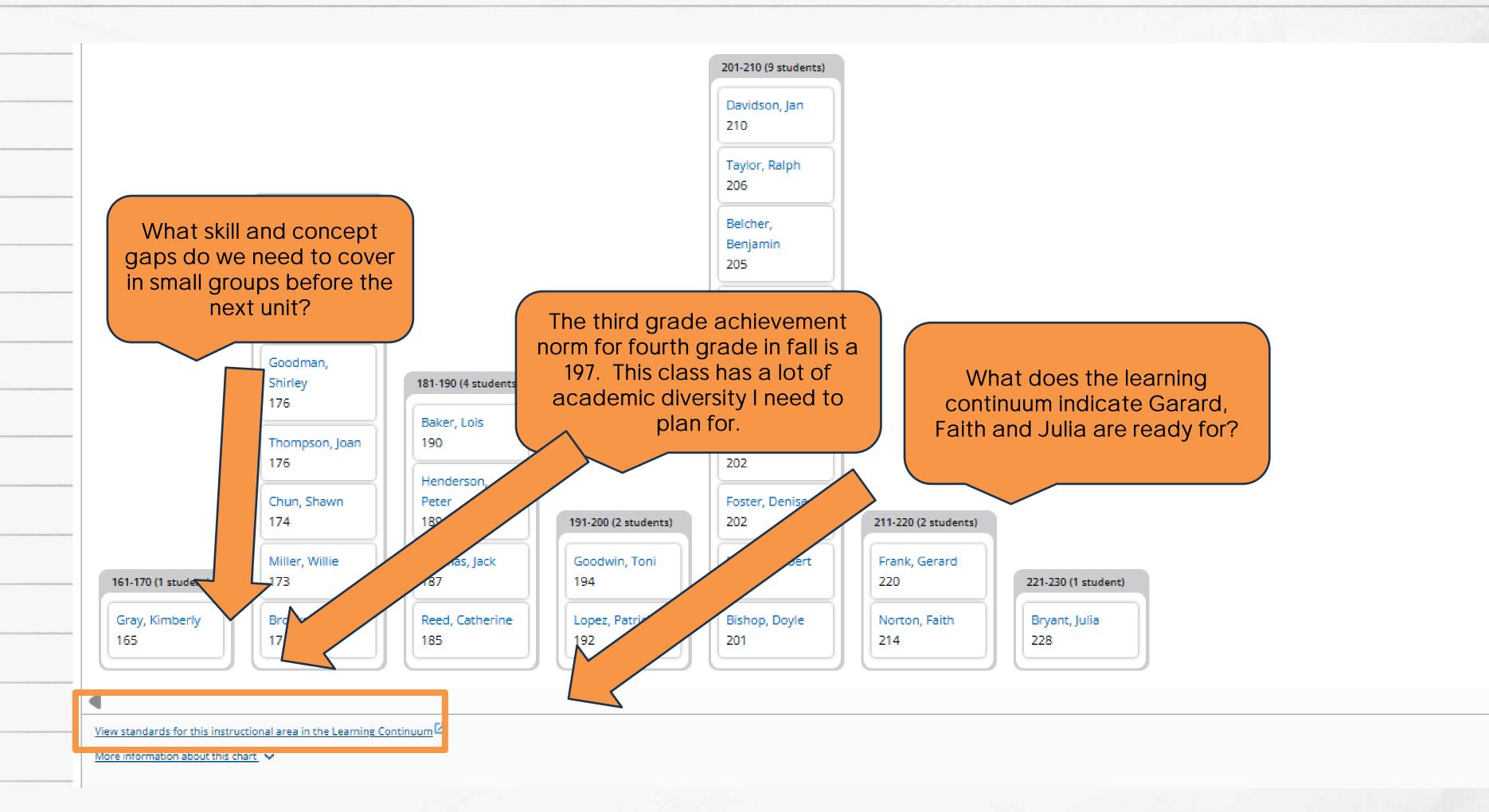
How I ong did students take? Did Rapid guessing have an impact?



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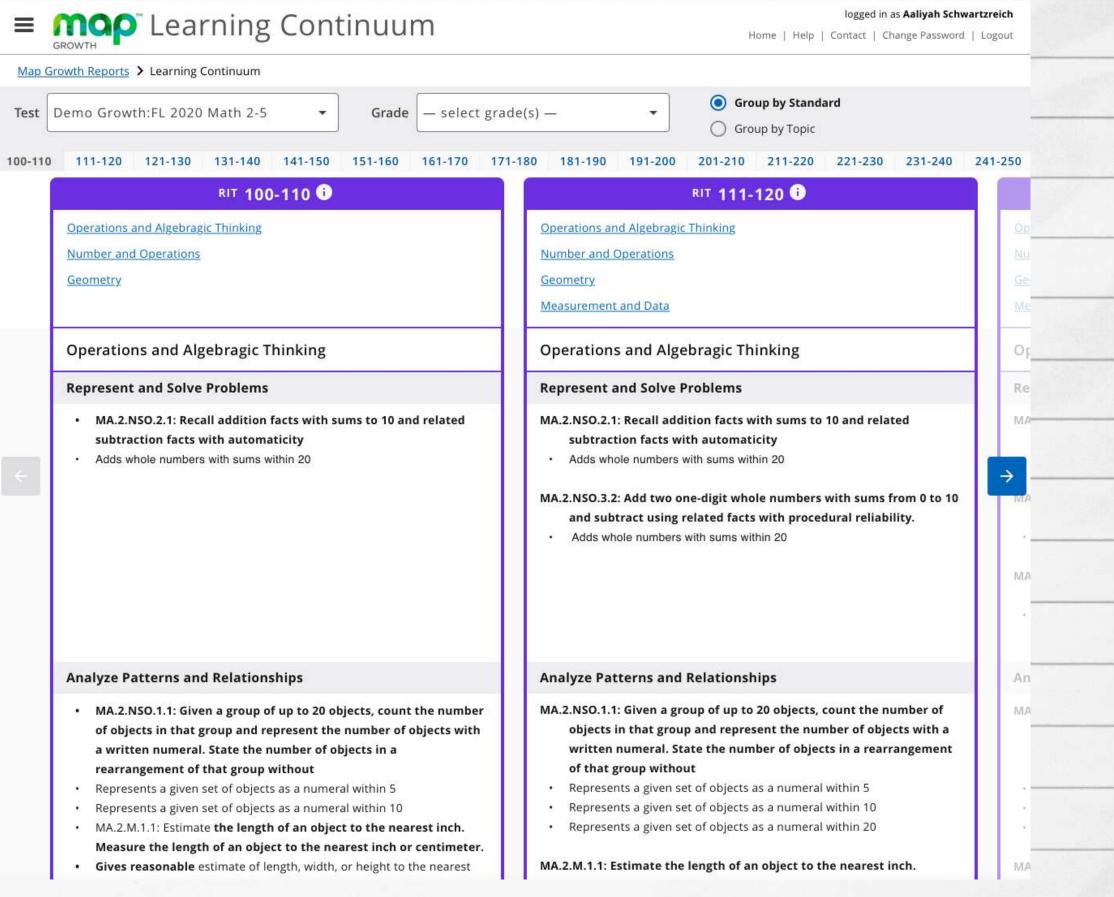




STUDY THE RECIPE..

What Does the Learning Continuum Do?

- Shows educators what content students may see on the MAP Growth test
- Provides high level context for the difficulty of items represented by the RIT score

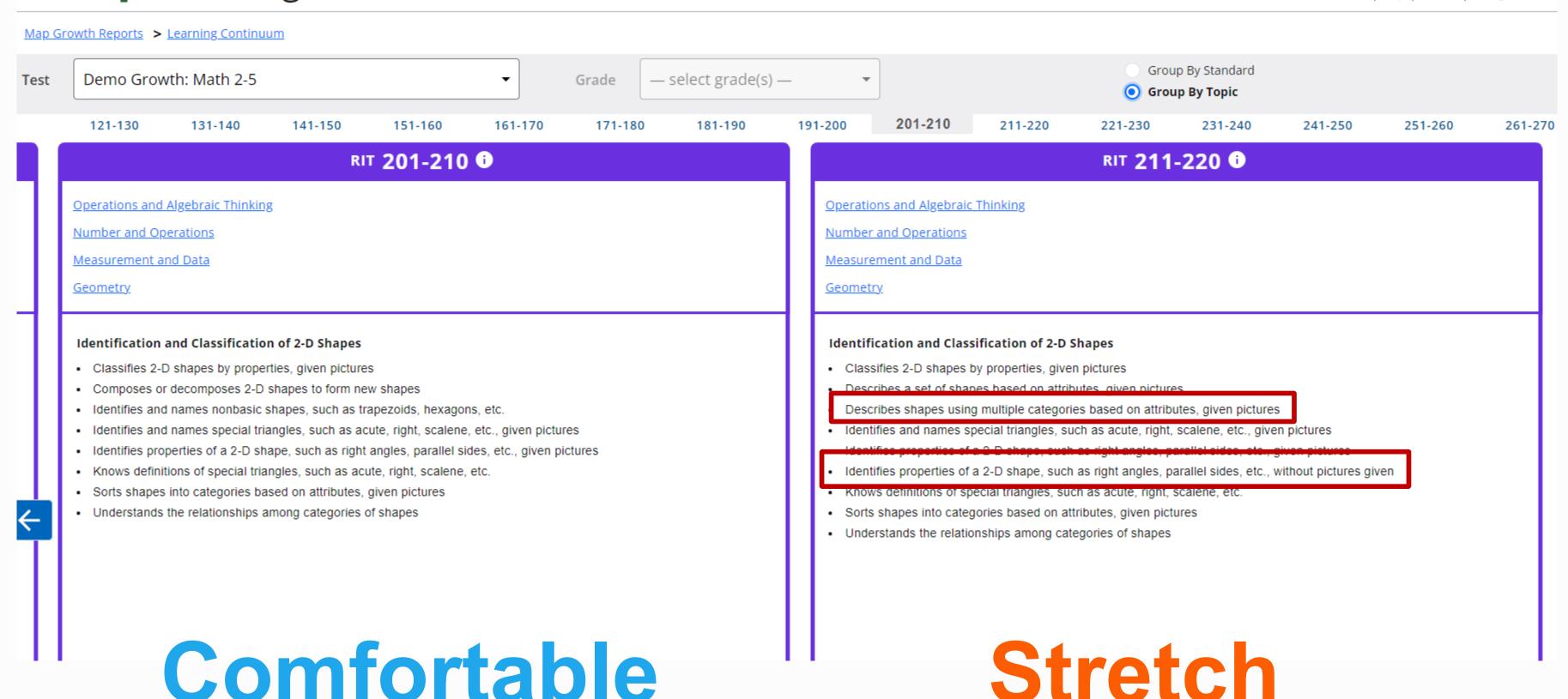


FOLLOW THE STEPS...

■ Mop Learning Continuum

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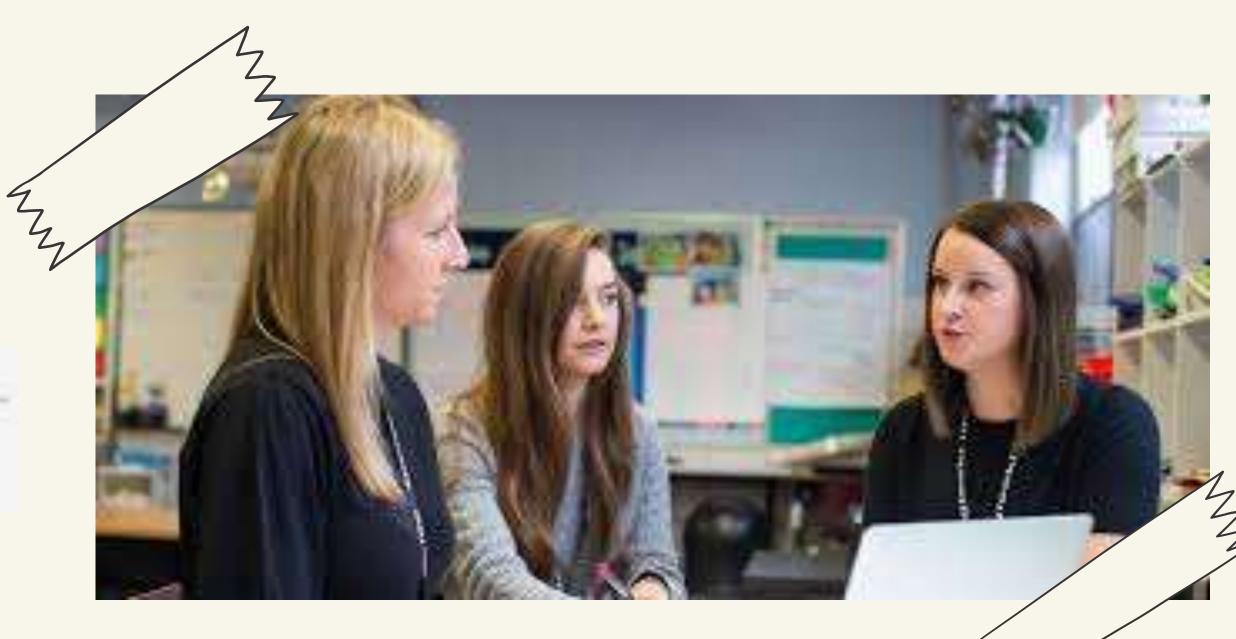
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tructor	Class		Subject	Course			How can you address the needs of the high achieving students, in order		
/laldonado, Beth ▼	Maldonado Ho	om ▼	Mathematics	▼ Math K-12	▼ UF				
Lopez, Patricia		3	53rd	184	145Q - 245Q	to	_	n to reach avera	age
Bishop, Doyle		4	55th	198	385Q - 485Q		growth and maintain their achievement percentile?		
Baker, Lois		3	58th	186	180Q - 280Q	190	177	178	
Belcher, Benjamin		3	80th	196	350Q - 450Q	205	205	189	
Taylor, Ralph		4	81st	210	595Q - 695Q	206	217	206	
Schwartz, Oscar		4	86th	213	645Q - 745Q	204	213	222	
Carnahan, Qiana		3	94th	207	540Q - 640Q	202	210	216	
Barnes, Robert		3	94th	207	540Q - 640Q	201	209	215	
Norton, Faith		4	96th	223	815Q - 915Q	214	226	224	
Davidson, Jan		3	97th	211	610Q - 710Q	210	212	221	
Frank, Gerard		3	97th	212	625Q - 725Q	220	206	211	
Rodriguez, Clarence		3	97th	212	625Q - 725Q	205	203	214	
Bryant, Julia		3	99th	220	765Q - 865Q	228	218	226	

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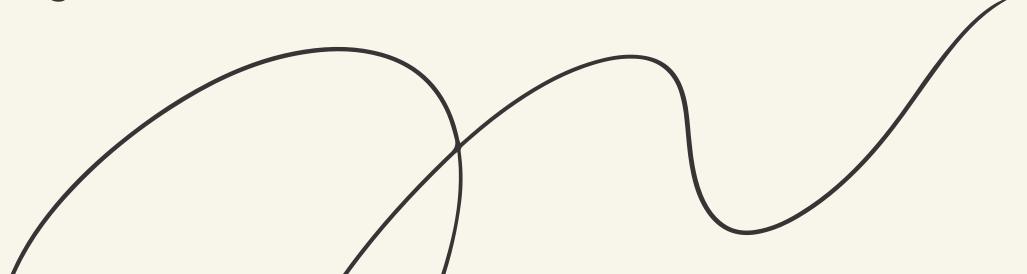
Maximizing Student Growth

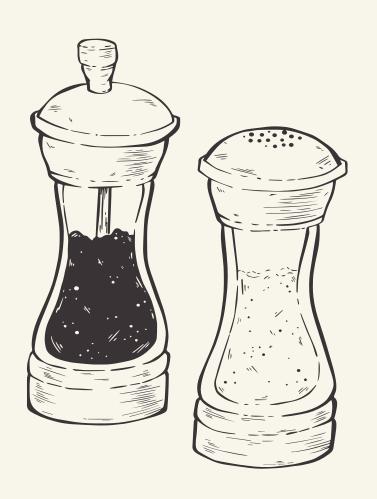
Learn to access, interpret, and apply growth data from MAP reports. Focus on answering key questions on best practices for maximizing student growth for all students.

In the Capacity Building Series!



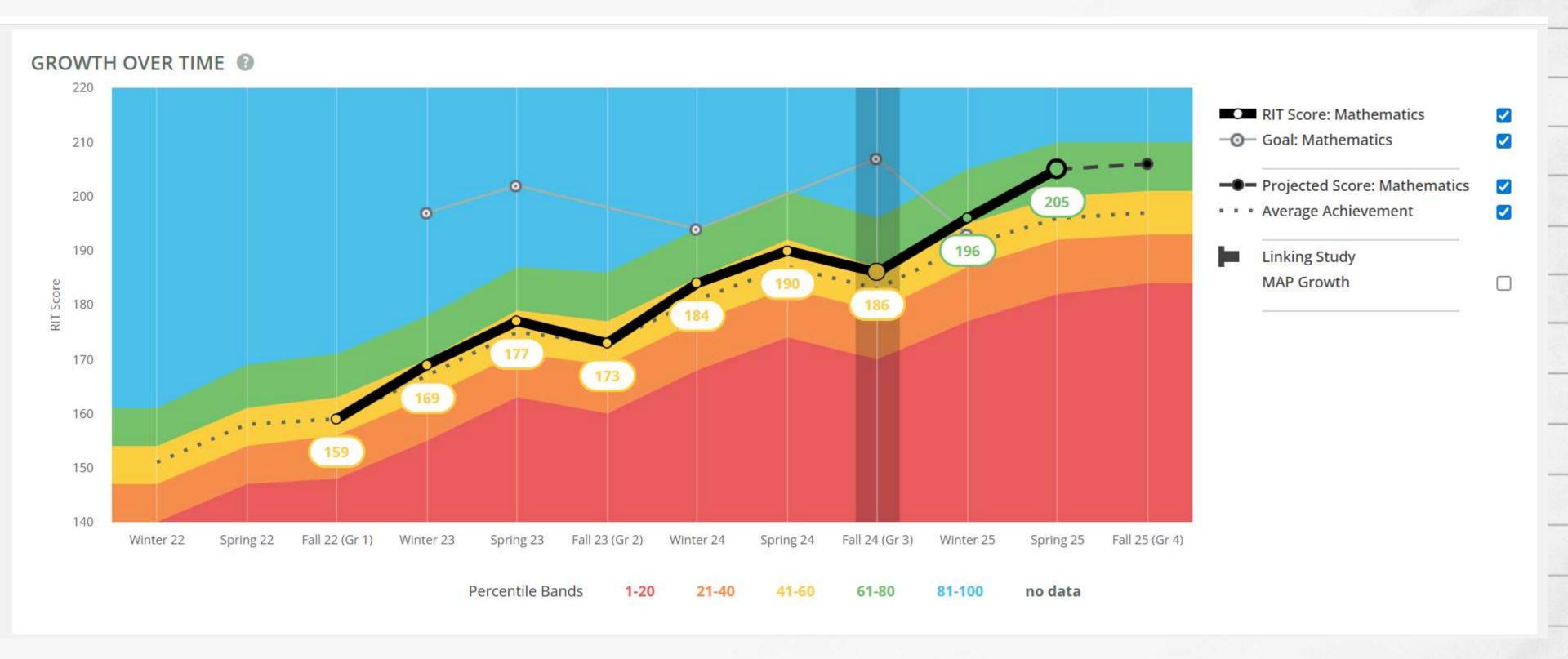
Learn how to season your instruction to meet the goals of individual students



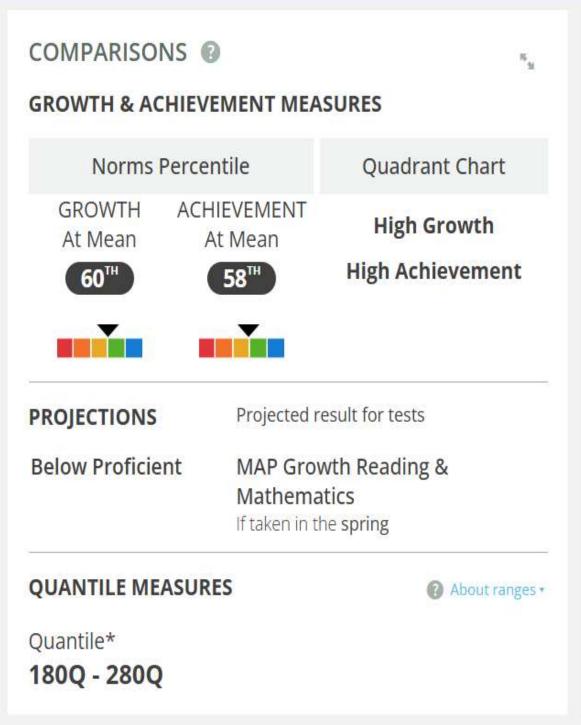


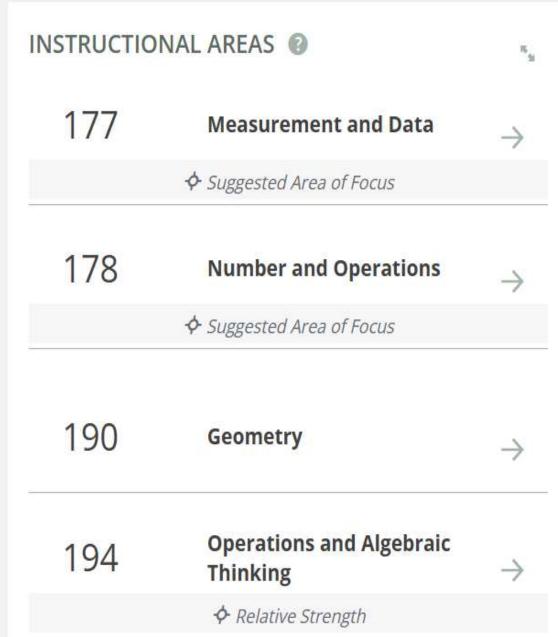


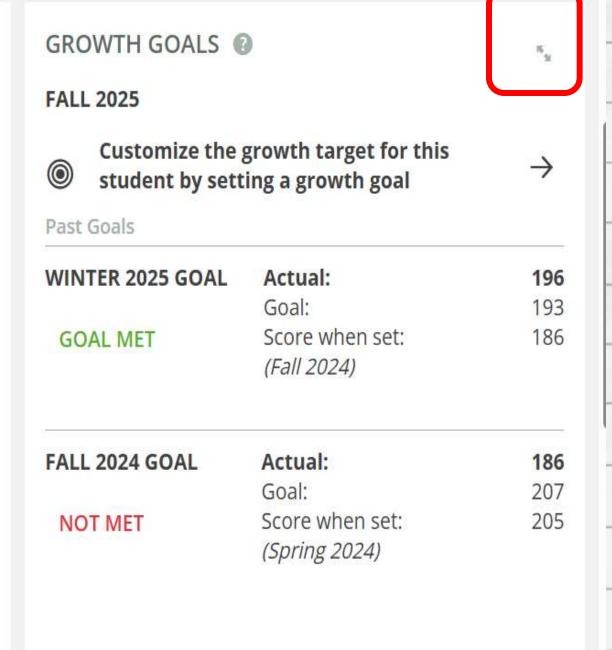
GREAT RECIPES TAKE TIME...



IT'S ALL IN THE DETAILS...







If I increase my RIT growth more than what is expected of me this year, I can increase my achievement and begin to close my learning gap.

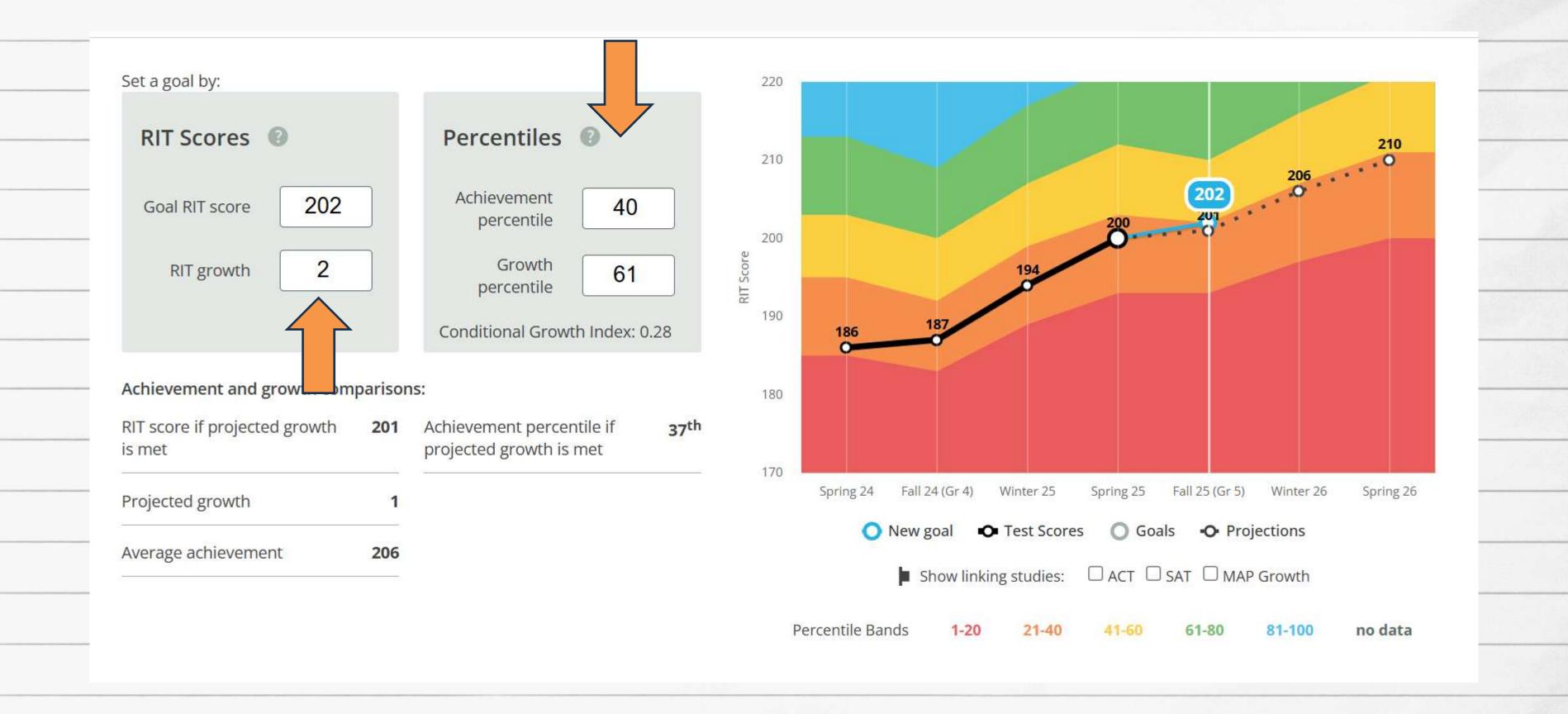


Achievement and growth comparisons:

Set a goal

RIT score if projected growth is met	201	Achievement percentile if projected growth is met	37 th	
Projected growth	1			
Average achievement	206			





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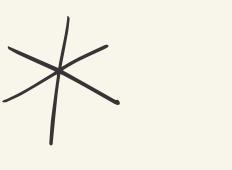
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Student Goal Setting

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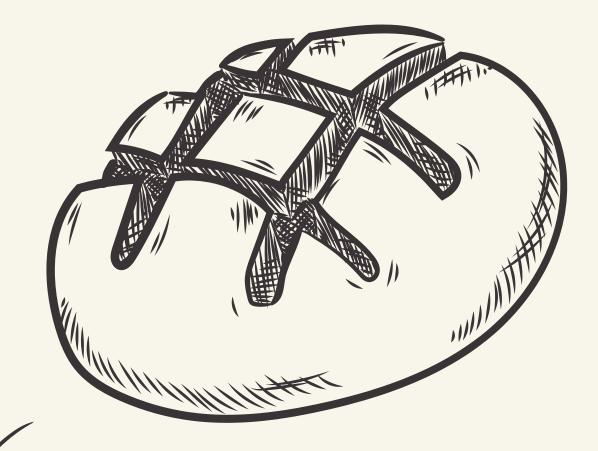
Next week In the Capacity Building Series!



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Family Report

Invite caregivers to share in the achievement level and growth opportunities after Fall testing





MAP Growth is a dynamic adaptive assessment that measures your students' achievement and growth in K-12 math, reading, language usage, and science. Use MAP Growth to understand how your K-12 students are performing, track student progress, and inform your instructional strategies.

Testing

Manage Test Sessions

Set up and manage MAP Growth test sessions. Find students to test and administer MAP Growth testing.

Resources

MAP Growth Student Resources

Provide students with resources, such as videos and practice tests, to help them prepare for testing.

Technical Resources

Prepare to test with the MAP Growth Secure Testing Browser, MAP Growth iPad app, Technology Guide, and NWEA System and Bandwidth Requirements.

MAP Growth Support Articles

Search the NWEA Knowledge Base for trending articles and support documentation.

What's New with MAP Growth?

Access the latest information on product updates and more.

Product Feedback

Want to Provide Feedback?

Share your suggestions and ideas for MAP Growth.

Popular Reports



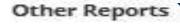
District Profile

Gain a holistic understanding of achievement and growth across your district. Get data insights that can support program and resource decisions.



Class Profile

Use this interactive class-level report to gain insight into class perf ance; identify students who need to take, ret or complete their test.



School Profile

Compare school, grade, and class performance to national norms. Includes a new quadrant chart that shows growth and achievement data.



Student Profile

Use this report to get a comprehensive view of student achievement and growth, including relative strengths and suggested focus areas.

MAP Growth Reports

Gain insights into your MAP Growth results using a variety of available reports.

Operational Reports

Reports Queue

Retrieve PDF and spreadsheet reports that require time to process.

Filter By:

WHAT I'M DOING

Student Quick Search

Search Student Profile or Student Progress Report for a single student.

DATA EXPORT SCHEDULER

NORMS AND COMPARATIVE DATA

NWEA MAP Growth Normative Data Overview with status and growth charts

Comparative Data to Inform Instruction

RIT comparison charts across grades, including college and career readiness benchmarks (2-page PDF)

Norms and Research Studies

Detailed research briefs and the ASG and School Norms Calculators

COMMUNITY

NWEA Connection

Resources, toolkits, and the ability to ask questions in our online community

Which reports do I want?

Quick Reference-MAP Reports Summary

Comparison of reports at a glance (2-page PDF)

MAP Growth Reports Portfolio

Collection of annotated sample reports

How do I get help?

Reports Basics

Additional information about generating reports, processing time, and searching for students

Reports Troubleshooting

Answers to common questions about reports

How do I interpret the results?

Reports Videos

Video tutorials that will help you interpret data and take action

Showing All Reports

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STATE OF THE STATE

School Profile

- Interactive school and grade-level data visualizations
- Quickly filter data based on academic year, test term, course, gender, and ethnicity
- Enables school leaders to identify areas of opportunity or strength



Class Profile

- Interact with data for an entire class
- View student test details to determine who needs to take, retake, or complete their test
- Discover insights into class performance



Student Profile

- Get a complete picture of a student's growth and performance in one interactive report
- Set goals with students
- Gain insights into what a student's strand opportunities are

Sample Student Profile Report



Batch Print for Family Report

- Generate Family Reports in bulk
- Use to inform conference discussions with families
- Print PDFs of the report to send to arents/guardians

Coming Soon!



Family Report

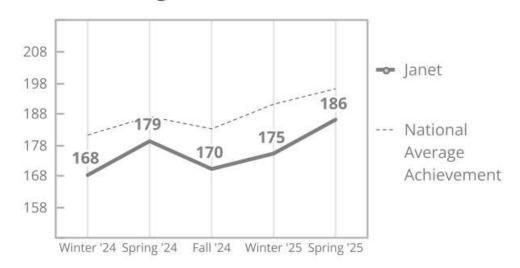
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Sample Family Report

Family Report Informational Video (4 minutes)

Mathematics

Low Average Achievement 28th Percentile



Janet's overall score (RIT score) was a 186 on a range of 100-350. Your child was in the 28th percentile of 3rd graders in the spring of 2025, which means they scored better than 28% of their peers.

High Average Growth 63rd Percentile

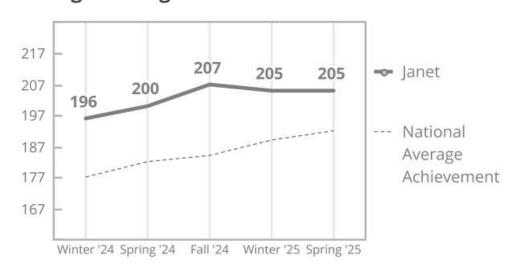
Your child's growth from Fall 2024 to Spring 2025 is in the 63rd percentile, which means they made more progress than 63% of their peers.



Average: 50th

Reading

High Average Achievement 77th Percentile



Janet's overall score (RIT score) was a 205 on a range of 100-320. Your child was in the 77th percentile of 3rd graders in the spring

Low Average Growth 22nd Percentile

Your child's growth from Fall 2024 to Spring 2025 is in the 22nd percentile, which means they made more progress than 22% of their peers.



Average: 50th

12 Common Questions Parents ask about NWEA

Need a cup of Sugar?

WE are here to help

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