

Montessori School of Fort Myers

Iowa Test of Basis Skills Scores - Kindergarteners

Class Average Test Scores

	2015-2016		2016-2017	
	Grade Equivalent	National Percentile Rank	Grade Equivalent	National Percentile Rank
Vocabulary	2.5	91%	1.4	88%
Reading: Words	1.0	78%	2.9	99%
Reading: Comprehension	2.9	99%	2.5	99%
Reading Total	1.5	94%	2.6	99%
Word Analysis	1.9	91%	1.3	71%
Listening	1.8	96%	0.8	50%
Language	2.0	98%	1.6	91%
Mathematics	2.0	99%	1.1	88%
Core Total	2.2	97%	1.4	92%

Note: Class averages were taken from all Kindergarteners who took the exam.

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Grade Equivalent (GE)

A grade equivalent score (GE) is a number that describes the student's location on an achievement continuum. The GE is expressed as a decimal number that shows performance in terms of a grade level and months of the school year. For example, if Janice, a 3rd grade student obtained a GE of a 4.4 on the Reading Comprehension test, she scored at the same level as a typical student at the end of the 4th month of the 4th grade. GEs are useful for monitoring year-to-year growth.

National Percentile Rank (NPR)

A national percentile rank (NPR) shows a student's standing within a nationally representative group of students in the same grade who were tested at the same time of year as the student. NPRs are based on national standardization. This is the testing of a large group of students in each grade at a set of schools that are representative of the nation in terms of enrollment size, geographic region and other characteristics. A percentile rank of 58 means that the student scored as well or better than 58 percent of the other children in the same grade in the norming sample.