



Calculating Average Index Score

Grades 3-8 and Grade 11 NECAP Achievement Levels

NECAP Cut points

- Commissioners from VT, RI, and NH adopted cut points for Grades 3-8 in January, 2006 and for Grade 11 in January, 2008. Proficiency at the student level includes performance at achievement levels 3 and 4.
- While the 3 states share the same cut points and achievement levels for NECAP, each state has its own accountability (AYP) system.

Achievement Levels:

- ✦ Level 1: Substantially Below Proficient
- ✦ Level 2: Partially Proficient
- ✦ Level 3: Proficient
- ✦ Level 4: Proficient with Distinction

Scaled Scores are reported as a 3-digit number where the first digit is the grade level and the other part will be a score 00 to 80 (reported as whole numbers at the student level).

X40 is the reported cut point for Proficient.

Grade 3:	300-380
Grade 4:	400-480
Grade 5:	500-580
Grade 6:	600-680
Grade 7:	700-780
Grade 8:	800-880
Grade 11:	1100-1180

2011 AYP Status Results

Index Definition

Index System provides partial credit for scores below Proficient. A school's index score will be the average of all student index points assigned to the school.

Proficiency Level		Index Points
Level 1: Substantially below Proficient	X00	0
	1a	20
	1b	40
Level 2: Partially Proficient	2a	60
	2b	80
Level 3: Proficient Level 4: Proficient with Distinction		100