

New Mexico

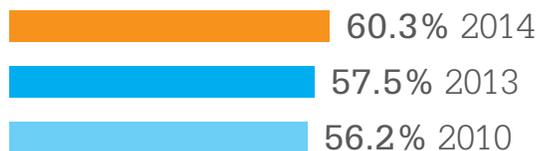
Increasing the number of students who graduate from high school ready for college and career is a unifying priority for educators from every state. The College Board believes that its programs can be a platform to expand access to opportunities — through scholarships, challenging course work, fee waivers, and much more — and to propel students into college and career. Our programs — PSAT/NMSQT®, SAT®, and AP® — work together to provide actionable results, drive instructional next steps for individual students, and provide targeted policies for states and districts. Below is a summary of the 2014-15 PSAT/NMSQT, SAT, and AP participation and performance results in New Mexico.¹

ALL SCHOOLS' PARTICIPATION RESULTS

PSAT/NMSQT®

In 2014, 25,981 students benefited from taking the PSAT/NMSQT, compared to 18,155 in 2013 and 23,573 in 2010.

→ **60.3%** were underrepresented minority students, compared to 57.5% in 2013 and 56.2% in 2010.



→ Last October, **67.3%** of 10th-graders and **25.8%** of 11th-graders took the PSAT/NMSQT.²

1. PSAT/NMSQT data reflect the October 2010, 2013, and 2014 administrations. SAT data reflect the graduating classes of 2011, 2014, and 2015. AP data reflect the May 2011, 2014, and 2015 administrations.

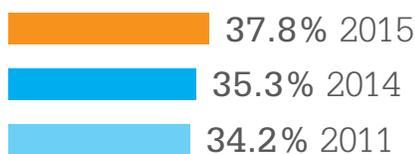
2. Participation rates are based on WICHE grade-level enrollment projections (<http://www.wiche.edu/knocking-8th>).

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SAT[®]

In New Mexico, 2,292 or 12.1% of students from the class of 2015 took the SAT, compared to 2,316 students (12.3%) in last year's graduating class and 2,295 (11.6%) in the class of 2011.³

→ **37.8%** were underrepresented minority students, compared to 35.3% in 2014 and 34.2% in 2011.

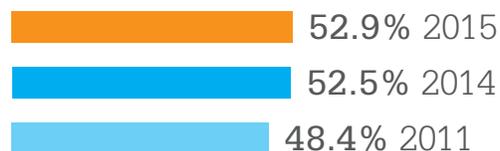


→ **15.8%** took the test using a fee waiver, compared to 16.1% in 2014 and 13.6% of the class of 2011.

AP[®]

In New Mexico, 9,314 students took an AP Exam in 2015, compared to 9,056 in 2014 and 8,902 in 2011.

→ **52.9%** were underrepresented minority students, compared to 52.5% in 2014 and 48.4% in 2011.



→ **33.4%** were low-income students, compared to 38.0% in 2014 and 39.4% in 2011.

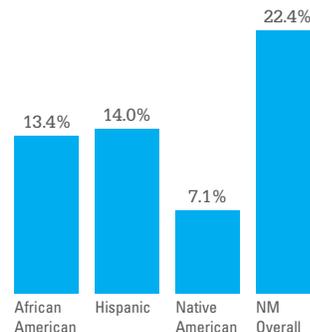
In New Mexico, students took 14,942 AP Exams in 2015, compared to 14,238 in 2014 and 13,941 in 2011.

ALL SCHOOLS' PERFORMANCE RESULTS

PSAT/NMSQT®

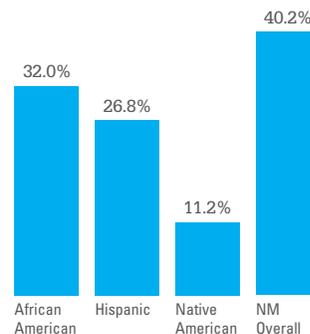
In New Mexico, 4,313 (22.4%) 10th-grade PSAT/NMSQT® takers in 2014 were on track for college readiness.

- **13.4%** of 10th-grade African American PSAT/NMSQT takers met the benchmark.
- **14.0%** of 10th-grade Hispanic PSAT/NMSQT takers met the benchmark.
- **7.1%** of 10th-grade Native American PSAT/NMSQT takers met the benchmark.



In New Mexico, 2,429 (40.2%) 11th-grade PSAT/NMSQT® takers in 2014 were on track for college readiness.

- **32.0%** of 11th-grade African American PSAT/NMSQT takers met the benchmark.
- **26.8%** of 11th-grade Hispanic PSAT/NMSQT takers met the benchmark.
- **11.2%** of 11th-grade Native American PSAT/NMSQT takers met the benchmark.



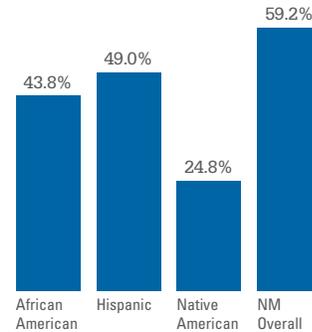
In New Mexico, 2,776 10th-grade PSAT/NMSQT takers in 2014 demonstrated potential to succeed in at least one AP course, including 1,111 in an AP STEM subject.

In New Mexico, 826 underrepresented minority 10th-grade PSAT/NMSQT takers showed potential for AP success, including 258 in an AP STEM subject.

SAT

In New Mexico, 1,357 (59.2%) SAT takers in the class of 2015 met the SAT College and Career Readiness Benchmark.

- **43.8%** of African American SAT takers met the benchmark.
- **49.0%** of Hispanic SAT takers met the benchmark.
- **24.8%** of Native American SAT takers met the benchmark.



AP

In New Mexico, 3,989 students scored 3 or higher on an AP Exam in 2015, compared to 4,044 in 2014 and 4,010 in 2011.

- **42.8%** of AP Exam takers scored 3 or higher on at least one AP Exam in May 2015.
- **30.1%** of African American AP Exam takers scored 3 or higher on at least one AP Exam.
- **37.0%** of Hispanic AP Exam takers scored 3 or higher on at least one AP Exam.
- **11.8%** of Native American AP Exam takers scored 3 or higher on at least one AP Exam.

