

HS Standardized Assessment Presentation

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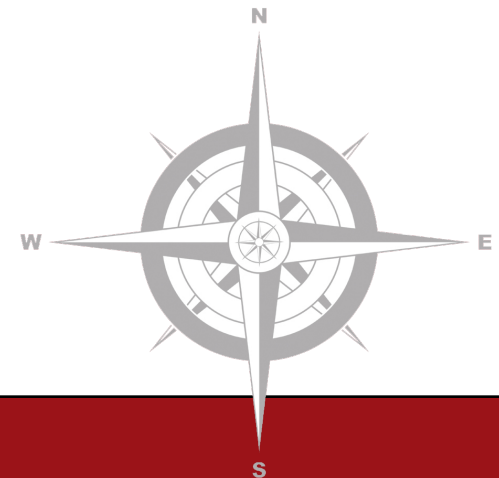
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Overview

- Assessments Review:
 - PSAT, SAT, ACT & PLAN, and Advanced Placement (AP)
 - Years of focus; 2012- 2016
- Takeaways & Next Steps



WHS Demographic Percentages 2012-2016

Class of 2016 – 370 Students

45% Boys

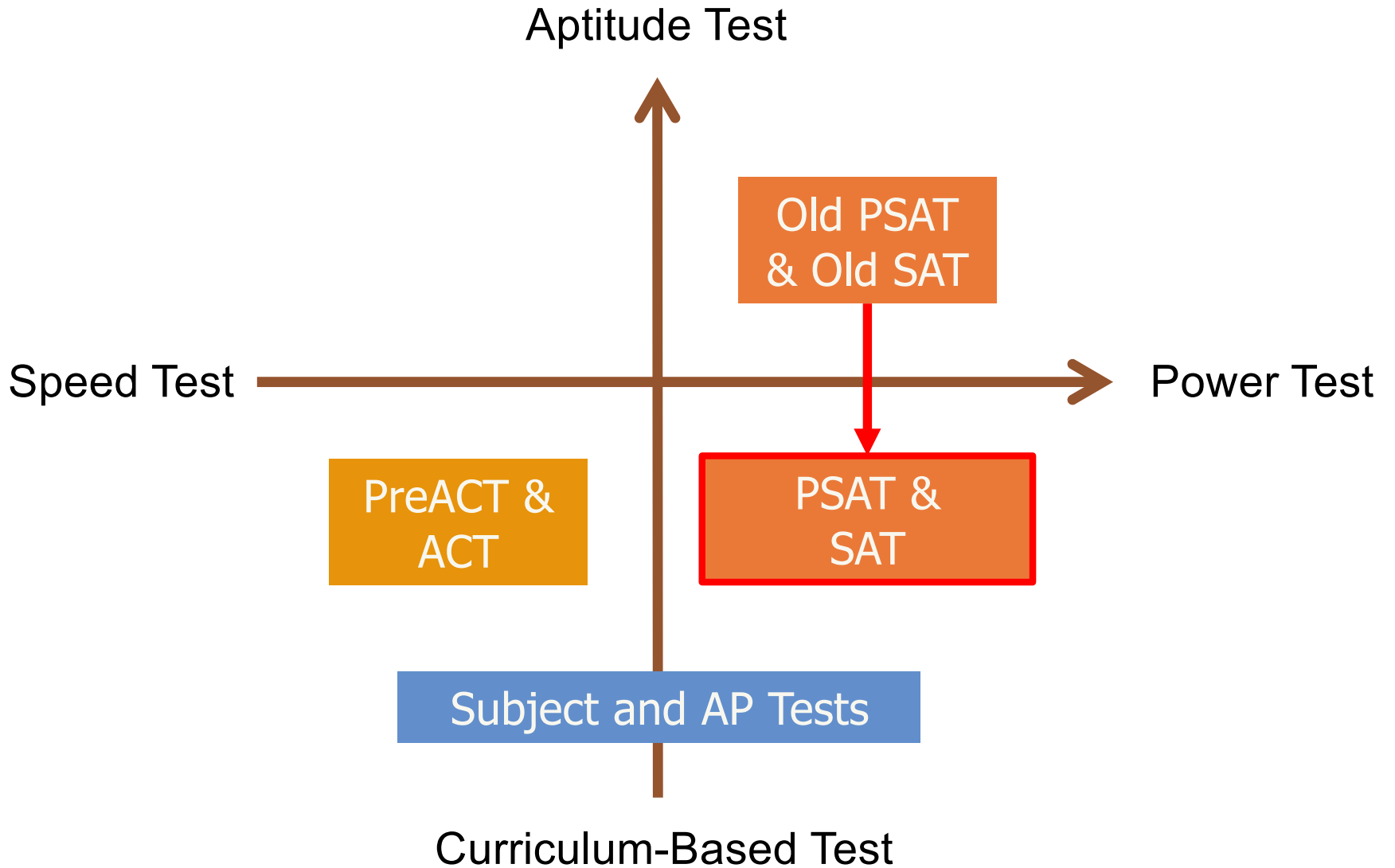
55% Girls

- 10% Asian
- 3% Black
- 6% Hispanic
- 4% Multiracial
- 78% White



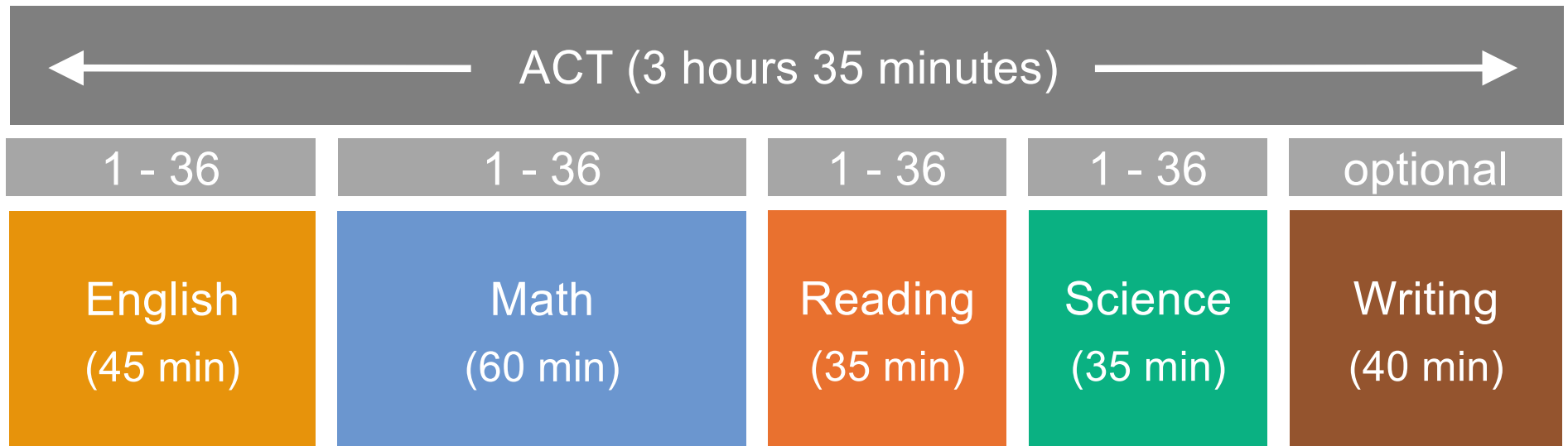
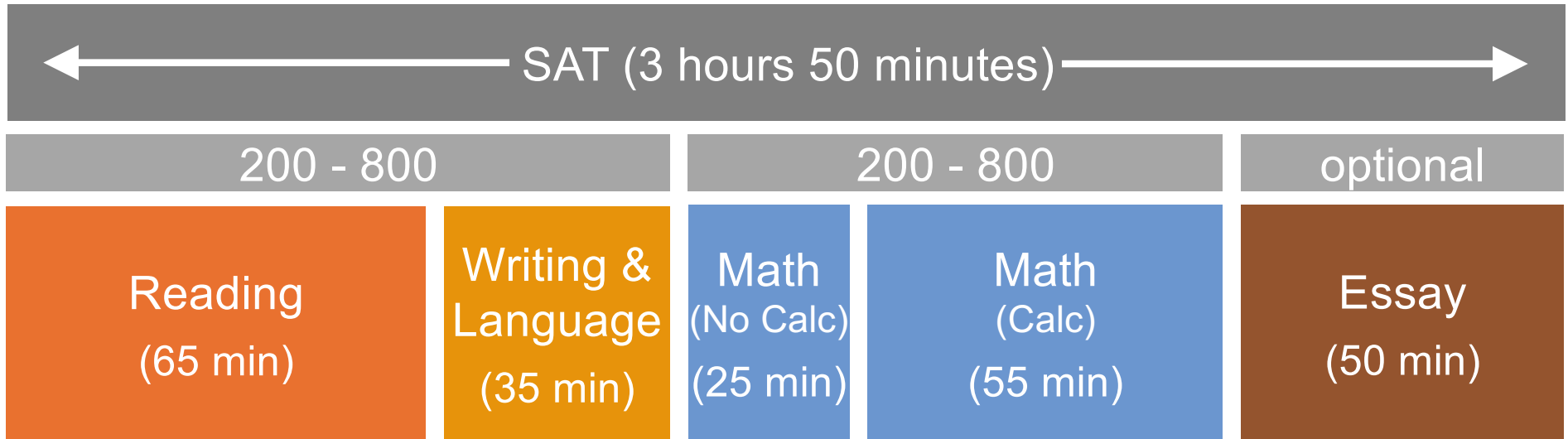
SAT/ACT Overview

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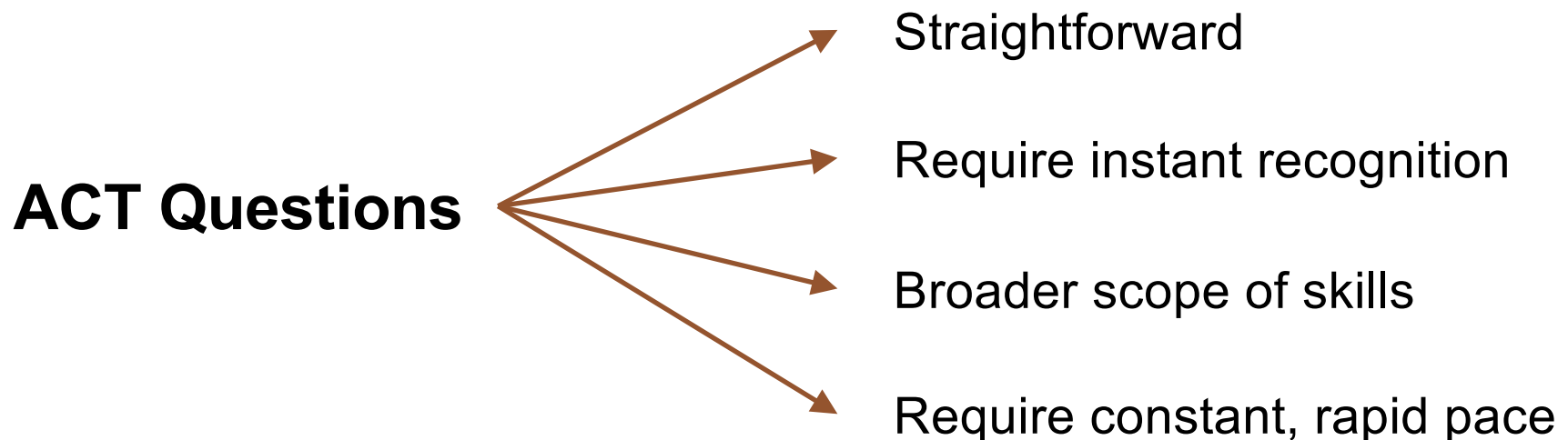
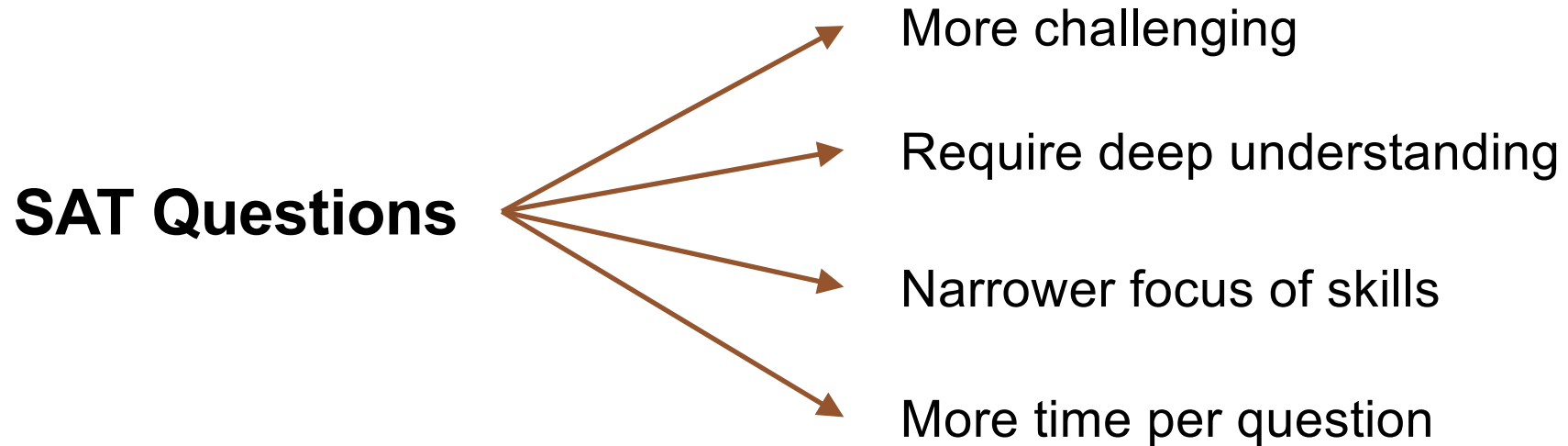
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PSAT Results



Wellesley High School

11th Grade PSAT Mean Scores

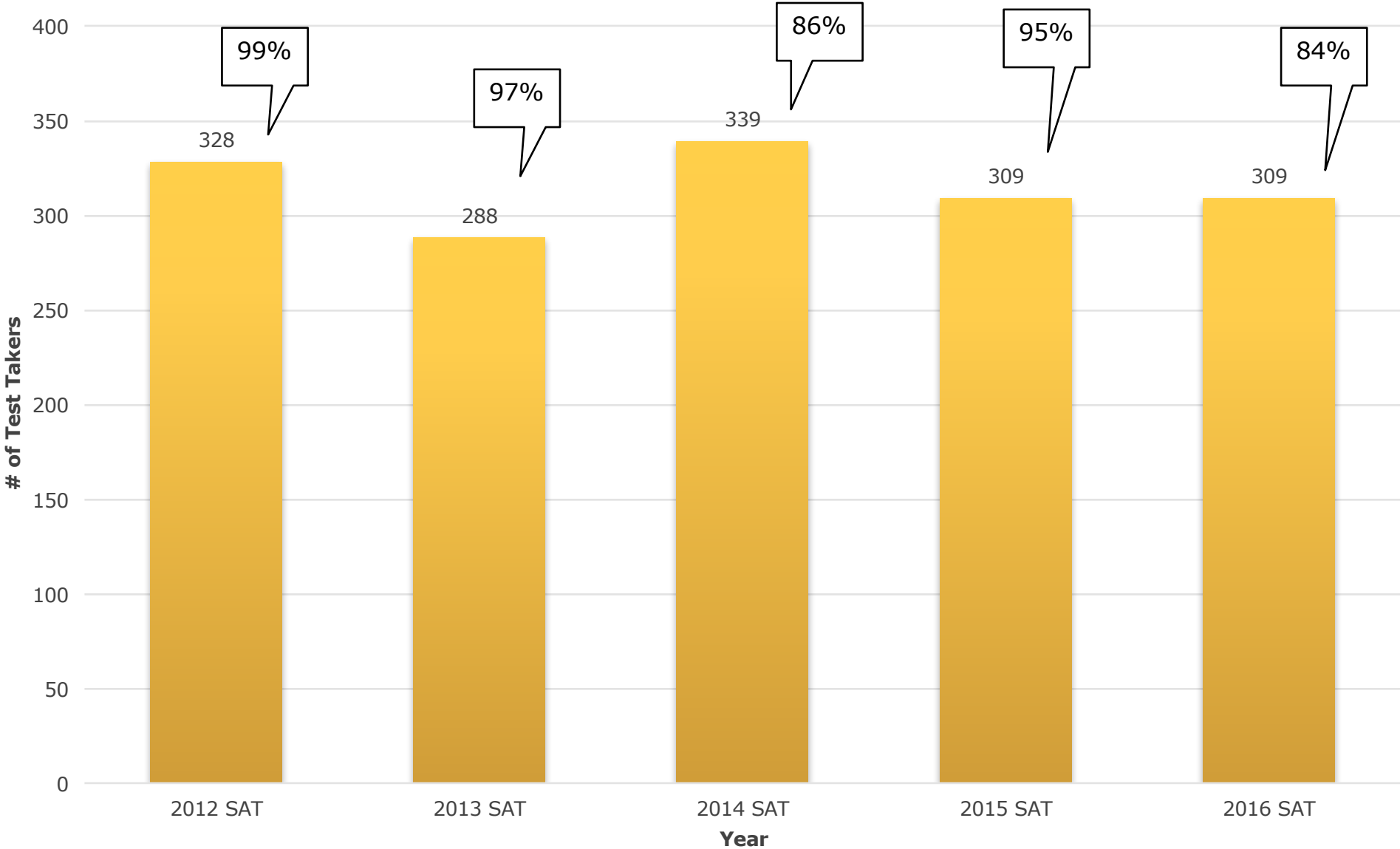
Year	Reading	Math	Writing
2013-2014	56	57	54
2014-2015	56	58	54
2015-2016	57	58	54
2016-2017	56	58	54



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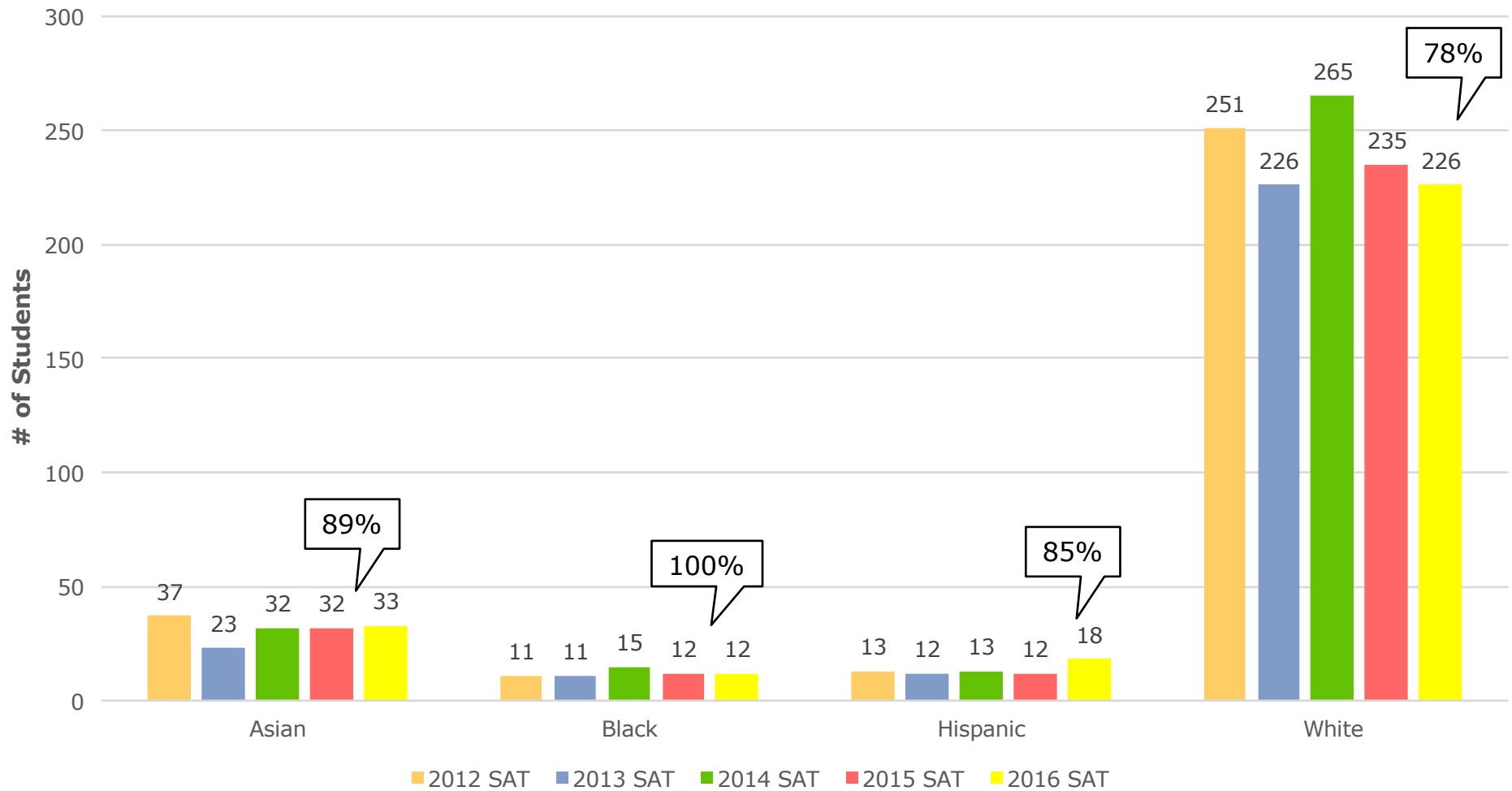


Wellesley High School Participation on SAT 2012 – 2016 By Graduating Class

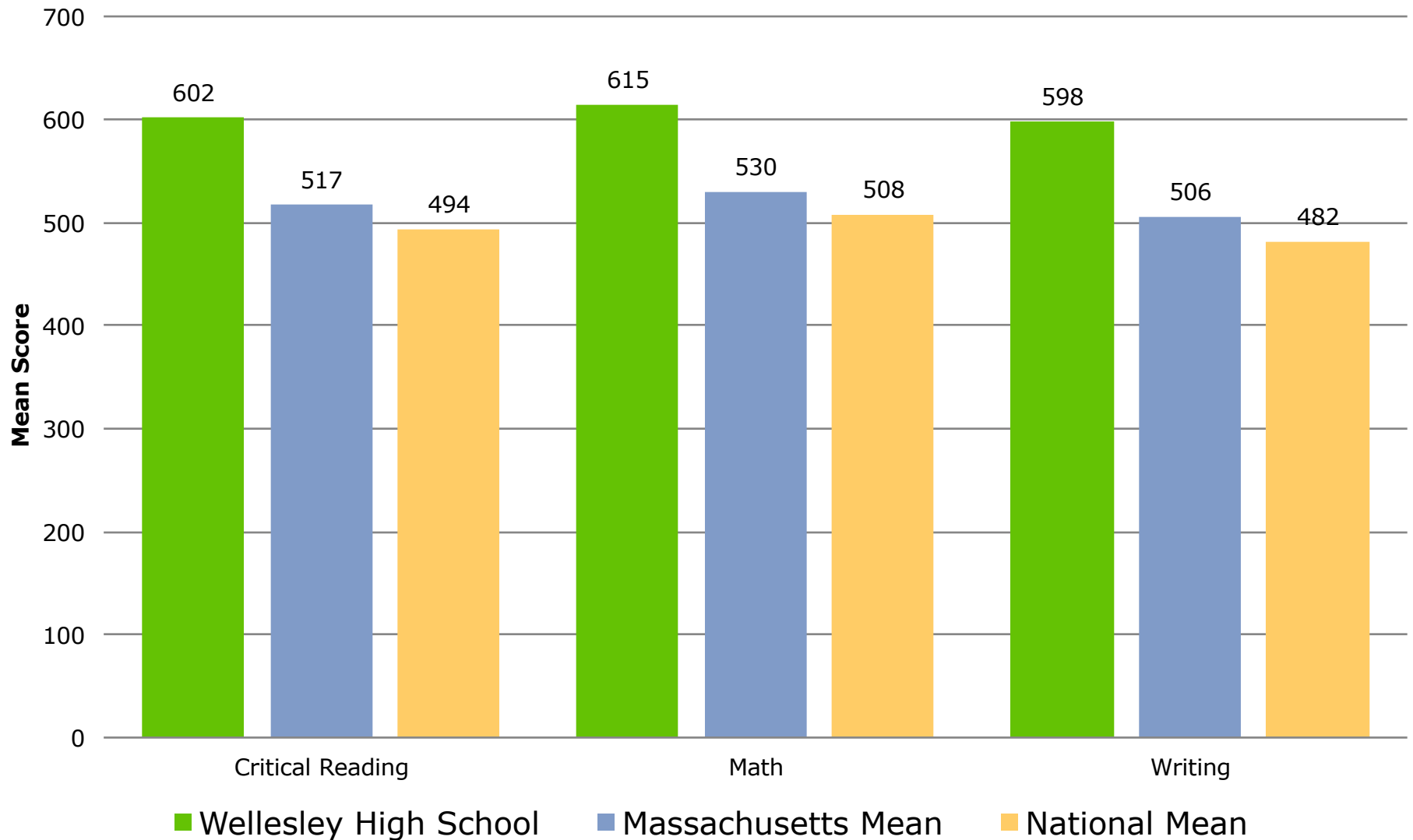


Wellesley High School Participation in at least one SAT Administration : 2012-2016

Total Participation for Class of 2016 - 309 or 85%



Class of 2016 SAT Mean Scores by subject: Wellesley High School, Massachusetts, and Nation College Board



SAT Scores 2016 District Comparisons

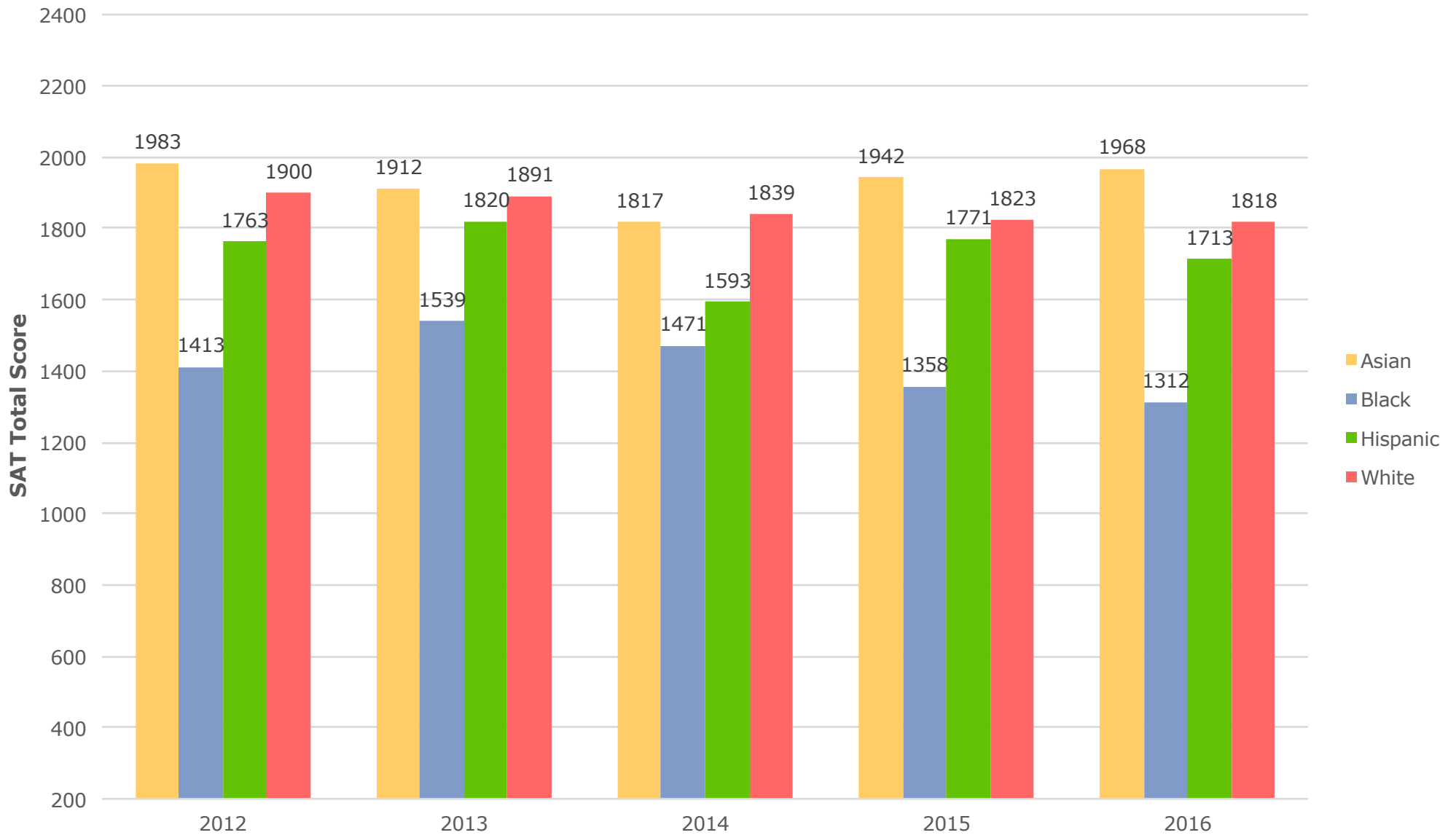
College Board

District	Reading	Math	Writing
Lexington	619	645	611
Natick	555	565	538
Needham	575	584	571
Newton	587	608	585
Wayland	3 rd 595	619 5 th	593 3 rd
Wellesley	602	615	598
Weston	604	627	603
Westwood	557	578	548
Winchester	587	617	586

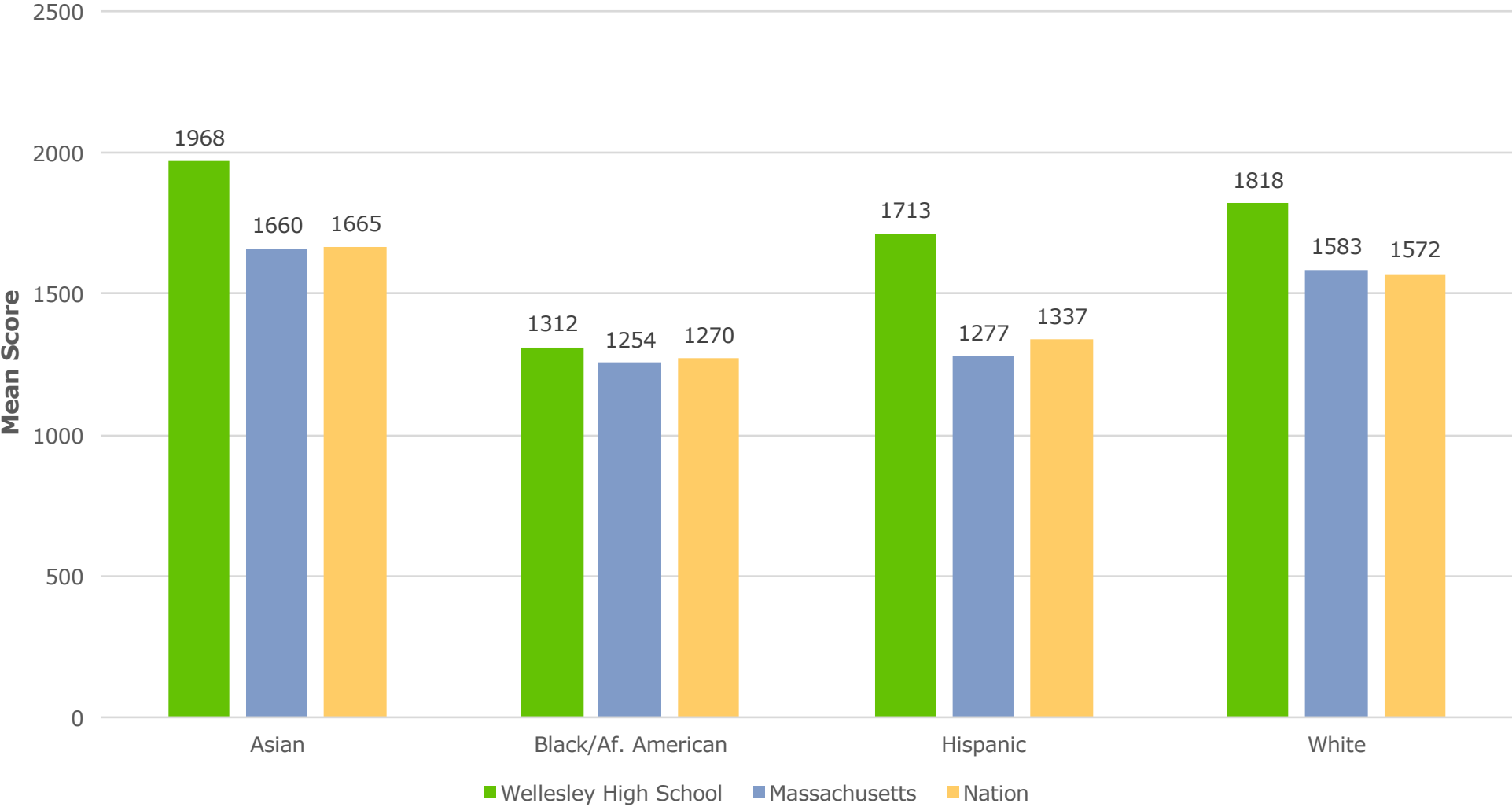
 Highest among comparison group

 Lowest among comparison group

Wellesley High School SAT Total Scores by Ethnicity 2012 - 2016 College Board



Class of 2016 SAT Performance Overall: Wellesley High School, Massachusetts, Nation College Board

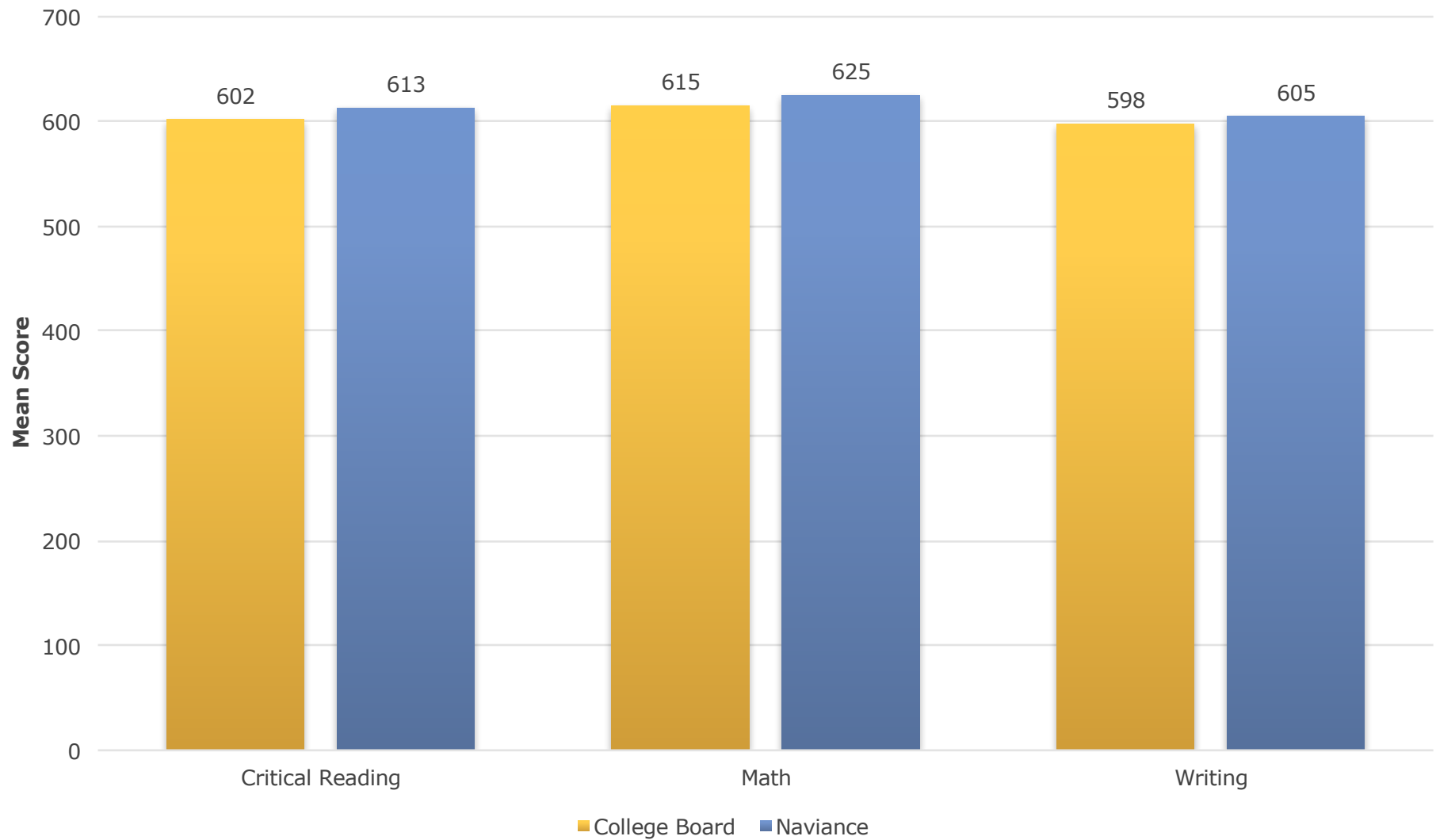


College Board vs. Naviance Scores

- College Board: calculates a student's score as the **average** of all SAT exams taken by that individual.
- The Naviance Super Score: The **highest** score achieved by an individual student on the SAT.



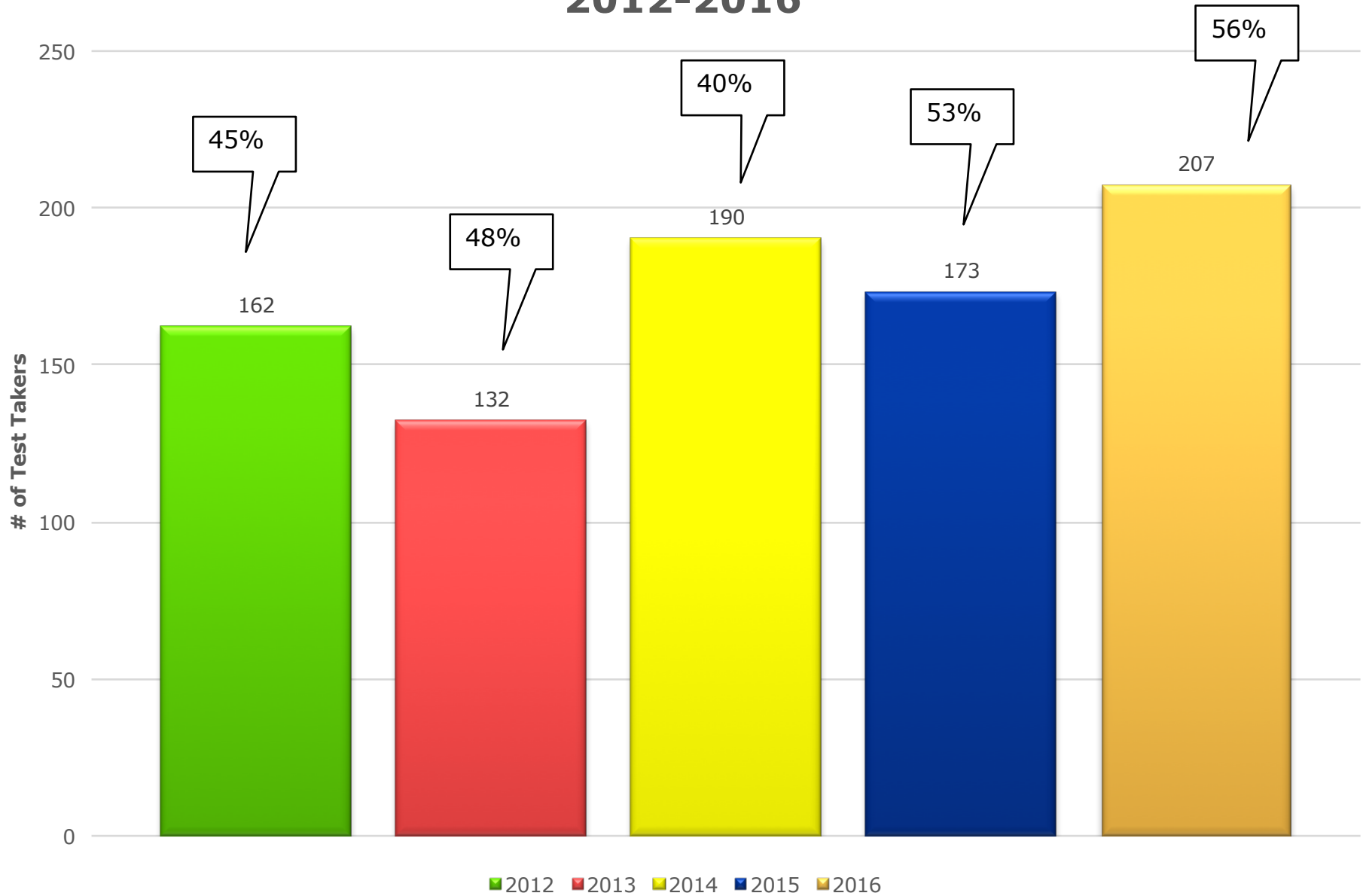
Wellesley High School Class of 2016 SAT College Board vs. Naviance Super Score



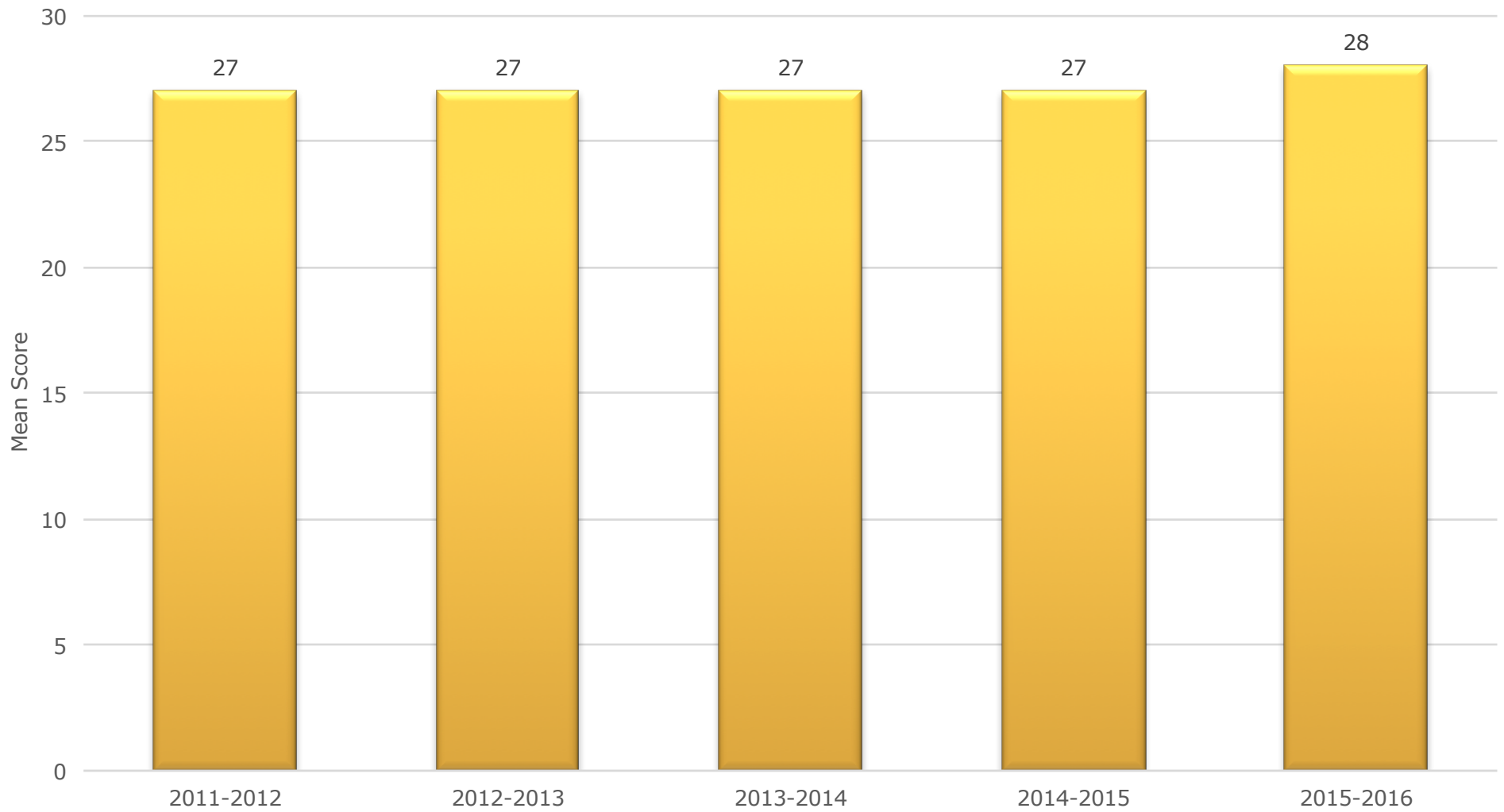
ACT Results



Wellesley High School ACT Number of Test Takers 2012-2016



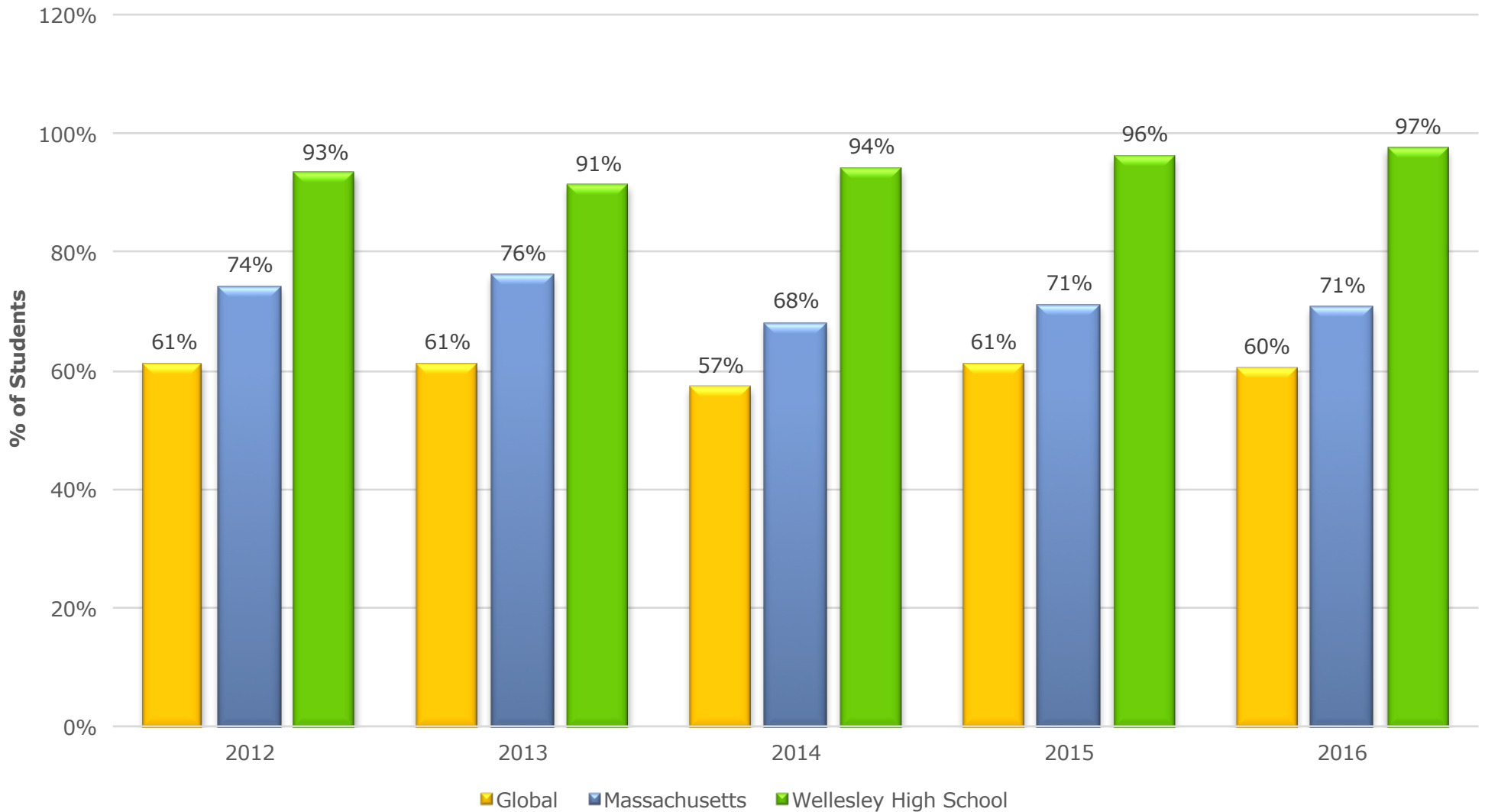
Wellesley High School Mean ACT Scores 2012-2016



AP Results



Percentage of Advanced Placement Students with Scores 3+ 2012-2016: Global, Massachusetts, Wellesley High School

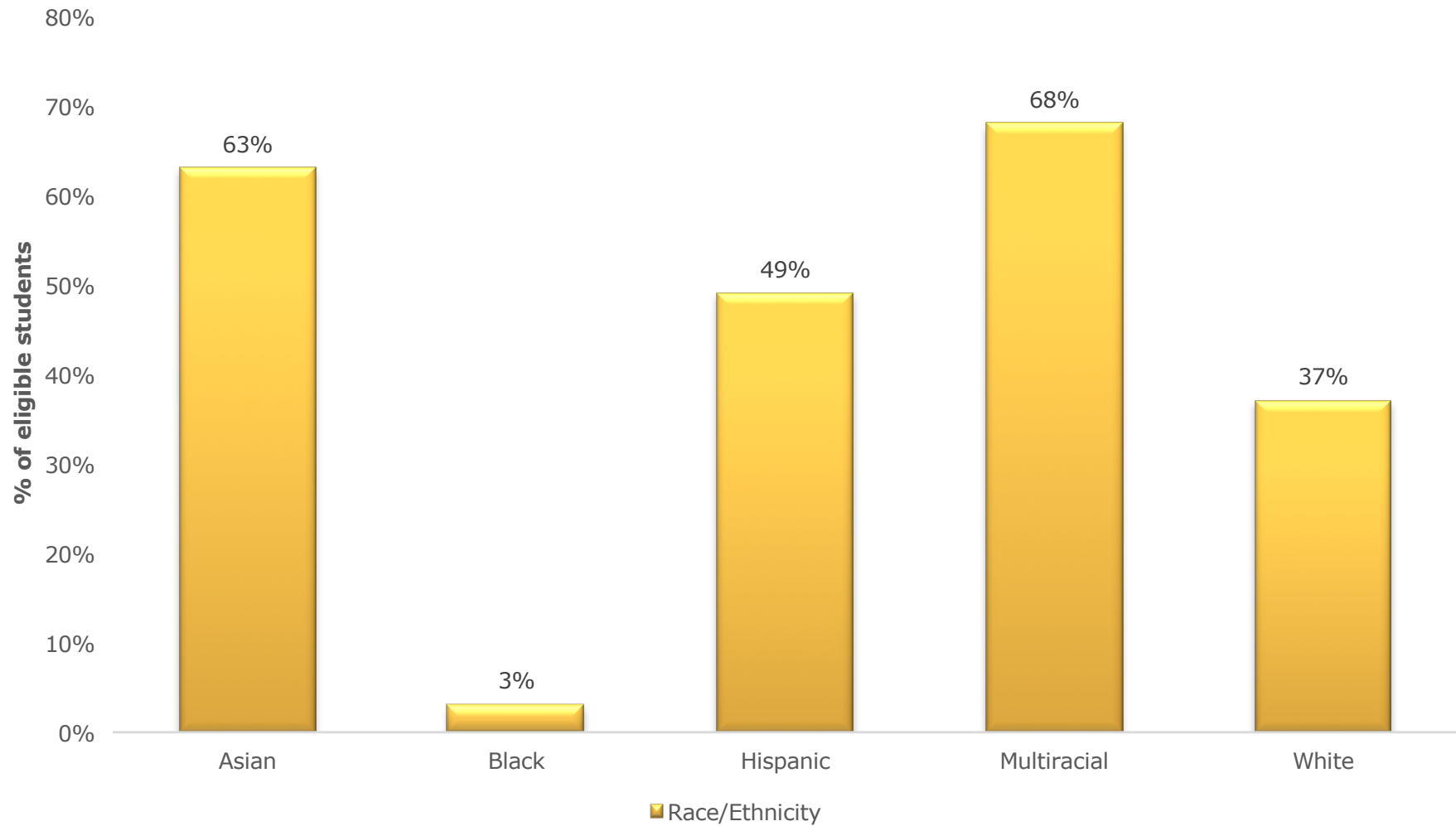


2016 WHS % of Advanced Placement Scores 3+ by Subject

- English Language Arts (ELA) – 100%
- Languages – 100%
- Social Sciences – 96%
- Math & Computer Science 93%
- Science & Technology 97%



Wellesley High School % of eligible students from Classes of 2017 & 2016, by Race/Ethnicity who took at least one AP Exam



Takeaways

- Wellesley continues to do very well overall

AND...

- There continue to be gaps in the participation rates and performance outcomes on these assessments for Black/African American and Hispanic students



Next Steps

- Examine our academic and SEL efforts aimed at closing the gap in performance outcomes of Black/African American and Hispanic students
- Strengthen our Cultural Proficiency work for teachers & administrators
- Continue to focus on hiring practices to diversify our staff



Questions?



