

Bay Haven Charter Academy's 2008 Third Grade FCAT Analysis

Mean Developmental Scale Scores are used to monitor academic progress each year. If students and schools are making true academic progress, their Developmental Scale Scores should increase each year. An easy way to understand Developmental Scale Scores is to think of a letter grade. For example, an "A" in math on your report card means your numerical grade could be anywhere from a "90" to "100." If your "A" the first 9-weeks was a numerical grade of "90," the second nine weeks it was a "93" and the next grading period it is a "98," your letter grade has not changed but your academic achievement has certainly increased.

Individual student scores range from a low of "1" to a high of "5." Students scoring a "3" or higher are considered to be achieving at or above grade level. Out of 2004 elementary schools in Florida, our third graders were the 15th highest performing in Reading and 11th in Math for the entire state..

2008 THIRD GRADE FCAT ANALYSIS

		<u>MEAN DEVELOPMENTAL SCALE SCORES</u>		<u>% SCORING "3" OR HIGHER</u>	
		Reading	Math	Reading	Math
2002	BHCA	1372	1371	76%	64%
	District	1320	1258	66%	62%
	Florida	1258	1308	60%	59%
2003	BHCA	1496	1498	89%	88%
	District	1379	1373	74%	72%
	State	1290	1335	66%	64%
2004	BHCA	1587	1550	87%	89%
	District	1397	1390	74%	72%
	State	1315	1346	66%	64%
2005	BHCA	1535	1616	84%	90%
	District	1411	1393	77%	70%
	State	1333	1380	67%	68%
2006	BHCA	1645	1615	96%	94%
	District	1471	1447	85%	78%
	State	1409	1382	75%	72%
2007	BHCA	1642	1703	96%	98%
	District	1430	1462	78%	80%
	State	1356	1428	69%	74%
2008	BHCA	1684	1740	99%	100%
	District	1451	1482	81%	81%
	State	1378	1454	72%	76%

PERCENTAGE OF BAY HAVEN 3RD GRADERS SCORING A "4" OR "5"

	<u>Reading</u>	<u>Math</u>
2002	30%	32%
2003	45%	49%
2004	58%	59%
2005	54%	67%
2006	68%	71%
2007	66%	81%
2008	70%	90%

Many of our current third graders have been at Bay Haven for four years. The above results show the success of our academic programs, our parental commitment and the excellence of our curriculum. But as always, please remember this is just one assessment or snapshot of our students.