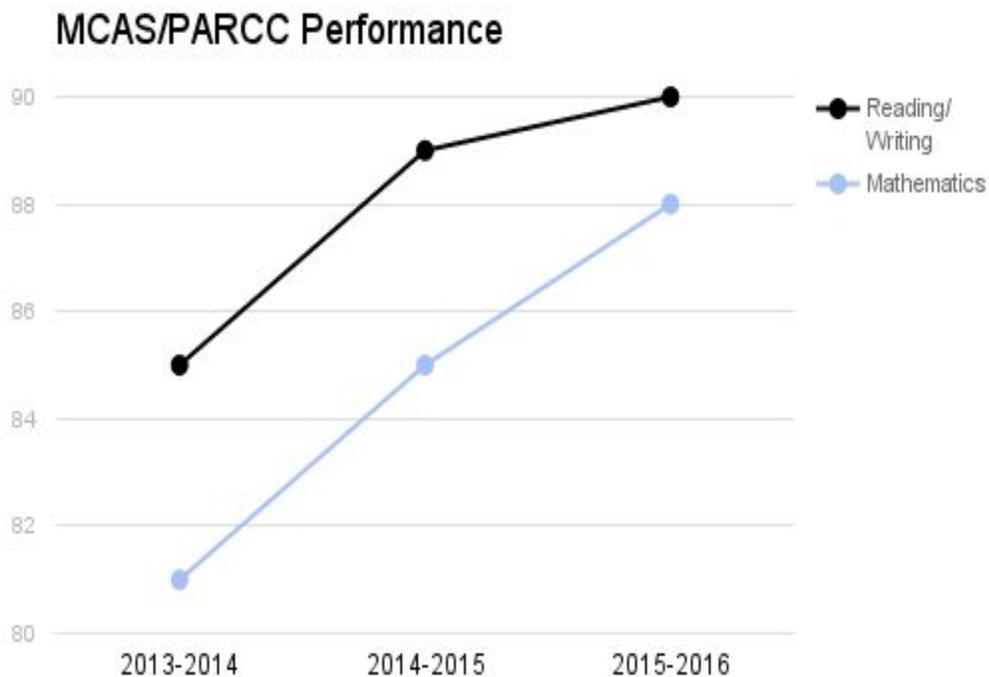


From the Principal 10/21/16

Our state accountability and assessment scores are now public information and located on the MA Department of Education Website (<http://www.doe.mass.edu>) under “school profiles”. At times, navigating the website, understanding the data and what it all means can be cumbersome and confusing. I clarified the assessment information for you in a graph below. We are very proud of our school’s academic growth over the past three years and very thankful for the parental support we have received along the way. This positive trend has been a team and community effort across the board.



Perfect Attendance Incentives

Each year any child with perfect attendance and only 1 time tardy and/or 1 time dismissed receives a pizza party with the principal at the end of the year. We will continue this incentive. Last year partnered with Horace

Mann and United Bank to **give each child a bicycle (17 Total!) that has perfect attendance, no times tardy and no times dismissed!** We are continuing this new tradition this year and added choices for PERFECT, PERFECT, PERFECT attendance. A student that accomplishes this will be offered the choice of a new bicycle, a Kindle Fire, or a Lego Kit (valued up to \$100.00)! GOOD LUCK!

Caring Cafe

Back by popular demand! **Last Friday** we started Caring Cafe. When children are “caught caring” at school they are nominated for Caring Cafe, have lunch on the stage with their principal on Fridays, and have their wonderful act of kindness and compassion presented to their peers. It’s the little things that impress us most and this little event has made such a BIG impact on the children and our positive school culture.