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Fall Assessment Presentation

January 24, 2022

START STRONG ASSESSMENT

- 45-60 minute assessment on previous year standards
- Identified student needs to work toward closing learning gaps
 - ELA, grades 4-10
 - Math, grades 4-8, Algebra II
 - Science, grades 6, 9, 12
- Should not be compared to New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA) and scores do not predict future performance



START STRONG
FALL 2021

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS (ELA)

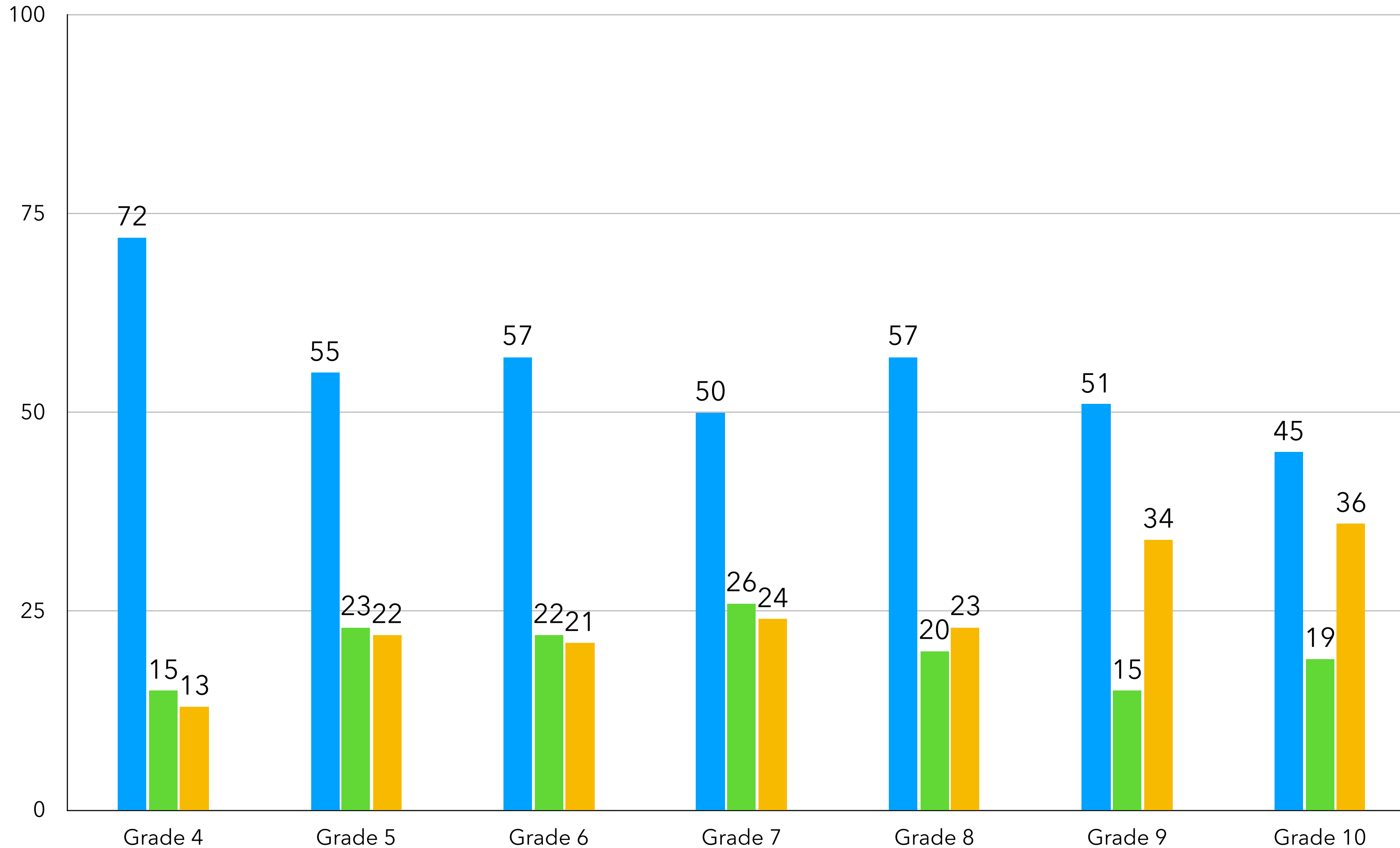


Overall Student Performance

Strong Support

Some Support

Less Support



Interventions

- K-8 Learning Advantage Program
- Digital Platforms
 - MyAccess! writing
 - Newsela
 - Reading A-Z
- High interest classroom libraries
- Ongoing curriculum revisions - TNTP
- Leveled Literacy Intervention (LLI) program
- Summer 2021 programming
- Professional Development Consultants:
 - Children's Literacy Initiative



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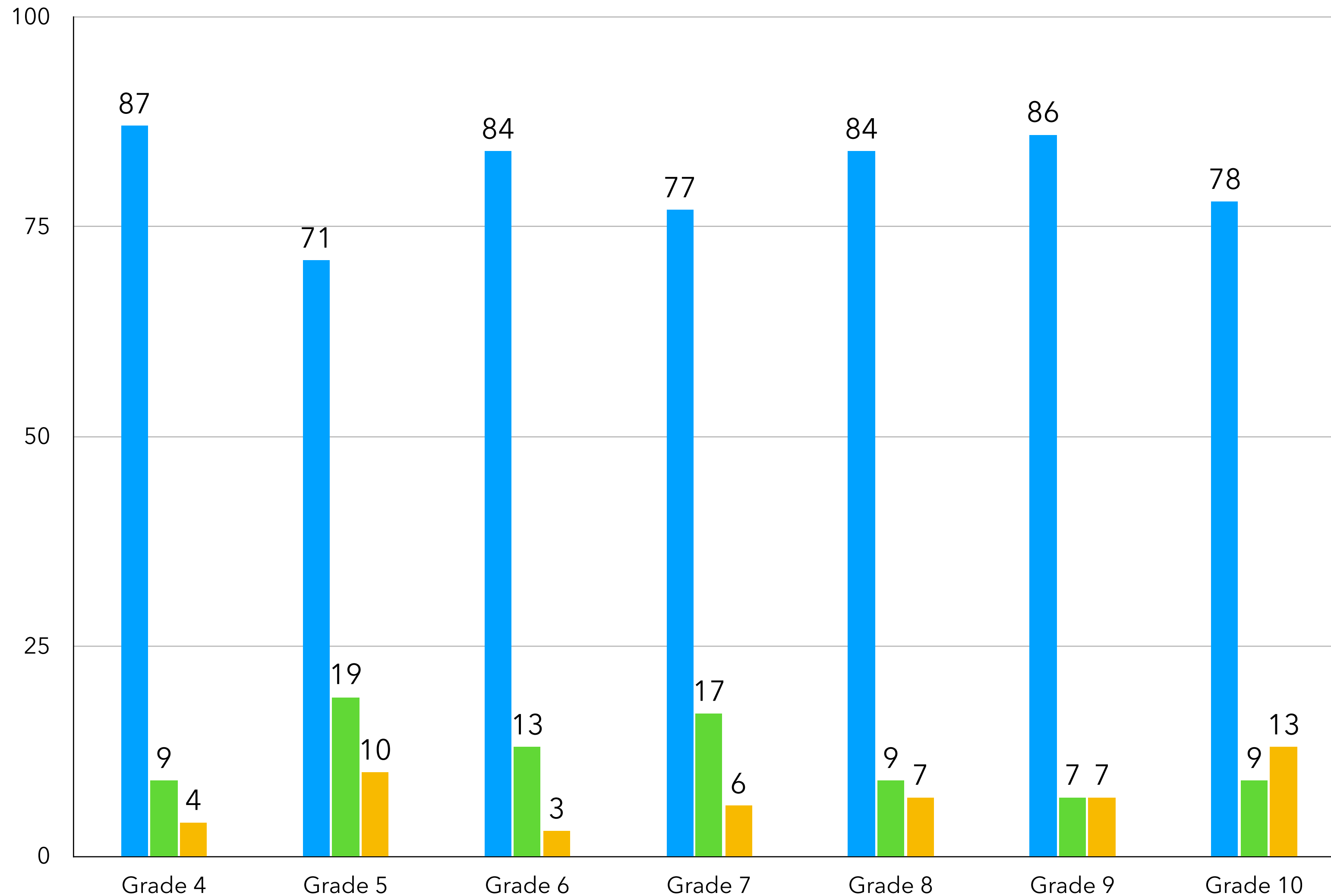
SUBGROUP DATA

- ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS (57%)
- SPECIAL EDUCATION (14%)



ELL Student Performance

Strong Support Some Support Less Support

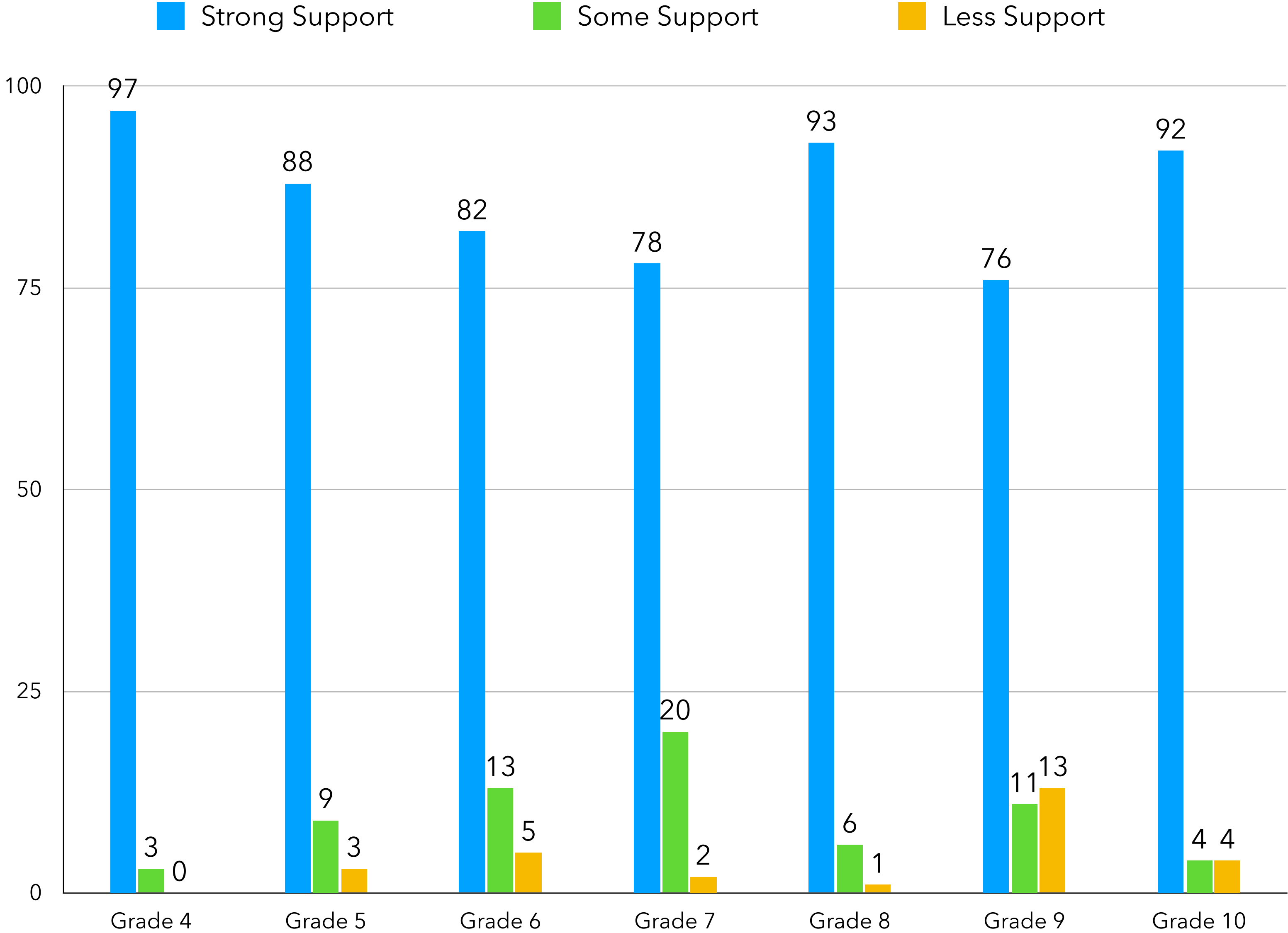


Interventions

- K-8 ESL Learning Advantage Program
- Bilingual interventionist at School No. 10
 - 21-22 Focus: Grade 2
- Professional Development for teachers
 - Dual language
 - Language objectives
 - Accelerated Learning
 - WIDA standards align to ESL curriculum
 - Biliteracy Framework
- LitPro
 - Digital reading platform in English and Spanish
- Lexia
 - Digital language acquisition support



Special Education Student Performance



- Interventions
- K-8 Learning Advantage Program
 - Summer 2021 Programming
 - Resource Pull-Out Replacement
 - Adaptive Digital Platforms
 - Read 180, K-12
 - System 44, K-12
 - Professional Development for teachers
 - Dual language
 - Curriculum Modifications

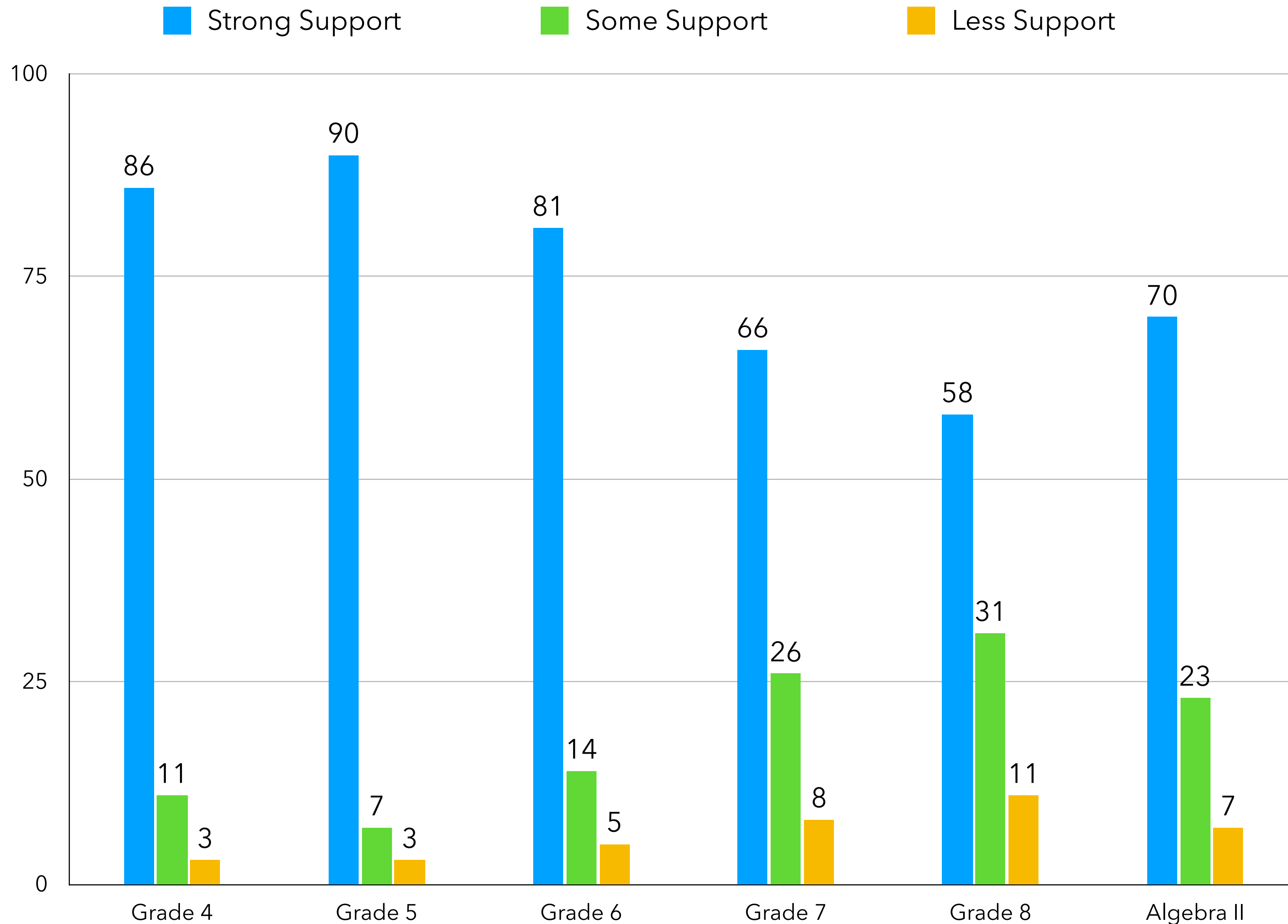


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MATHEMATICS



Overall Student Performance



Interventions

- K-8 Learning Advantage Program
- Summer 2021 programming
- Ongoing curriculum revisions - TNTP
- Math block to support intervention needs
- Saturday Math Academy
 - Grades 6, 7, Algebra I
- Professional Development/Coaching
 - Math Solutions
 - Conquer Math
 - Monthly sessions focusing on grade level content
- Digital Support
 - Dreambox, K-5
 - Imagine Learning, 6-12



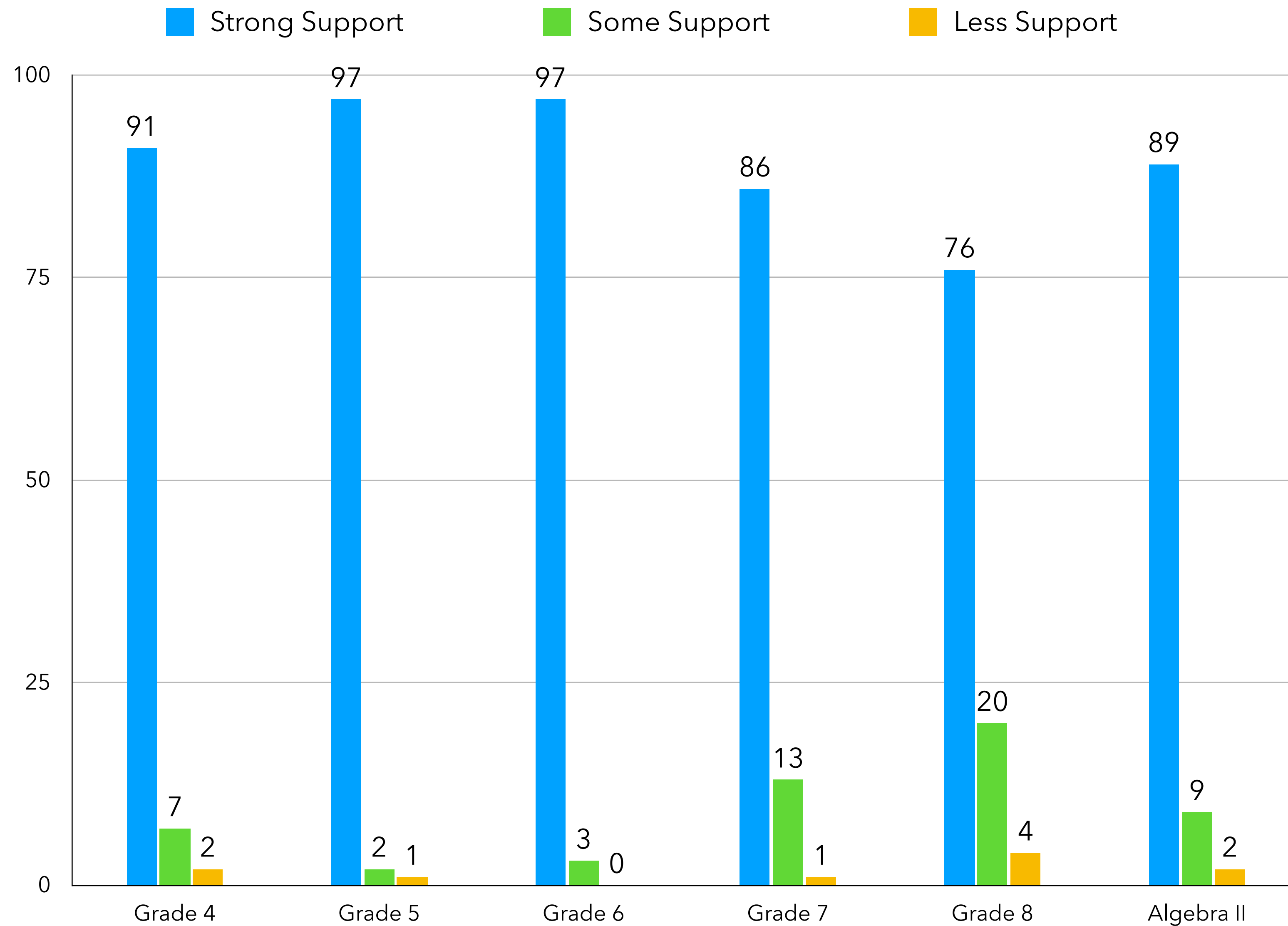
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SUBGROUP DATA

- ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS
- SPECIAL EDUCATION



ELL Student Performance

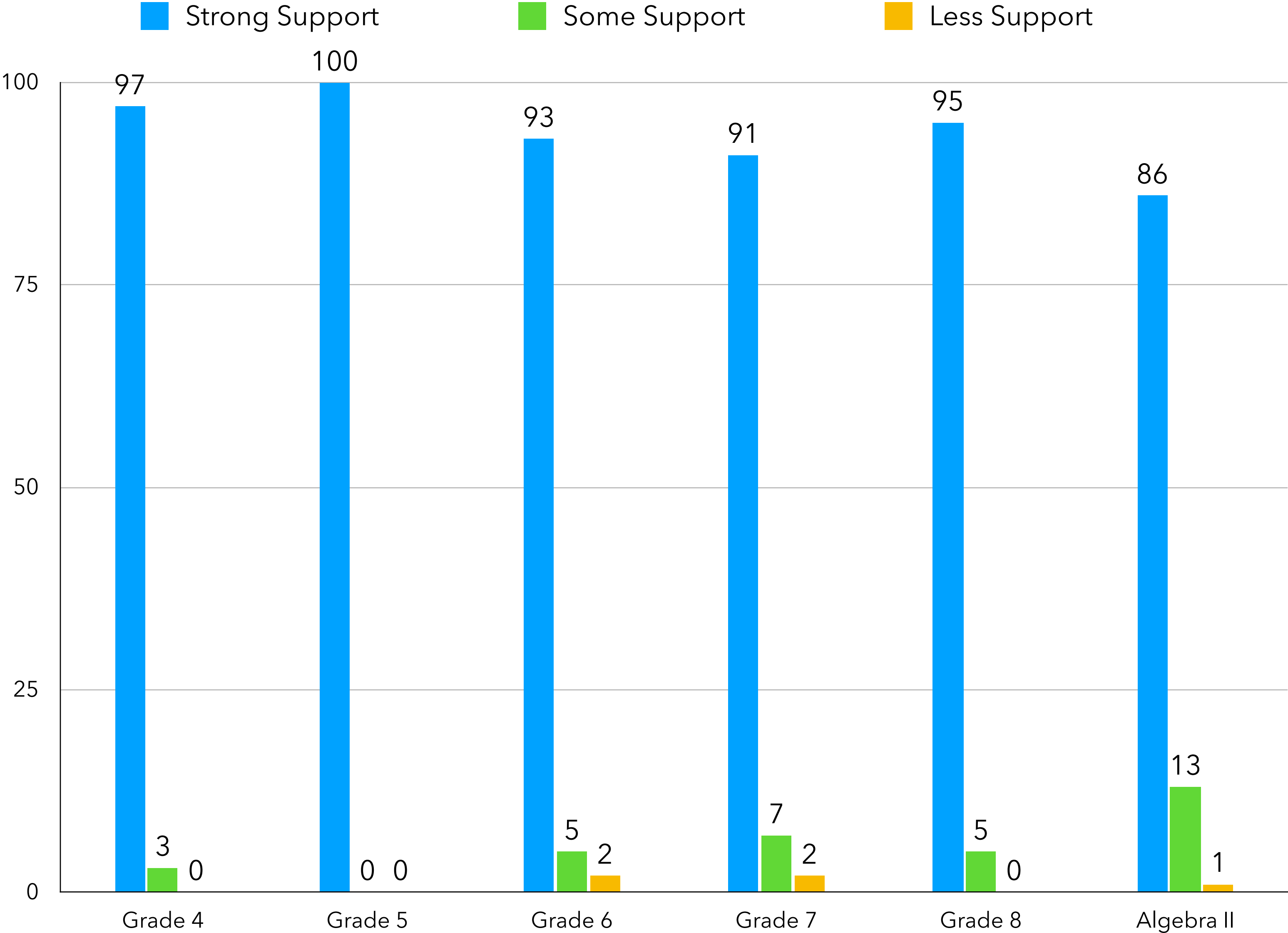


Interventions

- K-8 ESL Learning Advantage Program
- Professional Development for teachers
 - Dual language
 - Language objectives
 - Accelerated Learning
 - WIDA standards
 - Biliteracy Framework



Special Education Student Performance



- Interventions
- K-8 Learning Advantage Program
 - Summer 2021 Programming
 - Resource Pull-Out Replacement
 - Adaptive Digital Platforms
 - Connected Ed, K-5
 - Virtual Manipulatives, K-8
 - Professional Development for teachers
 - Curriculum Modifications



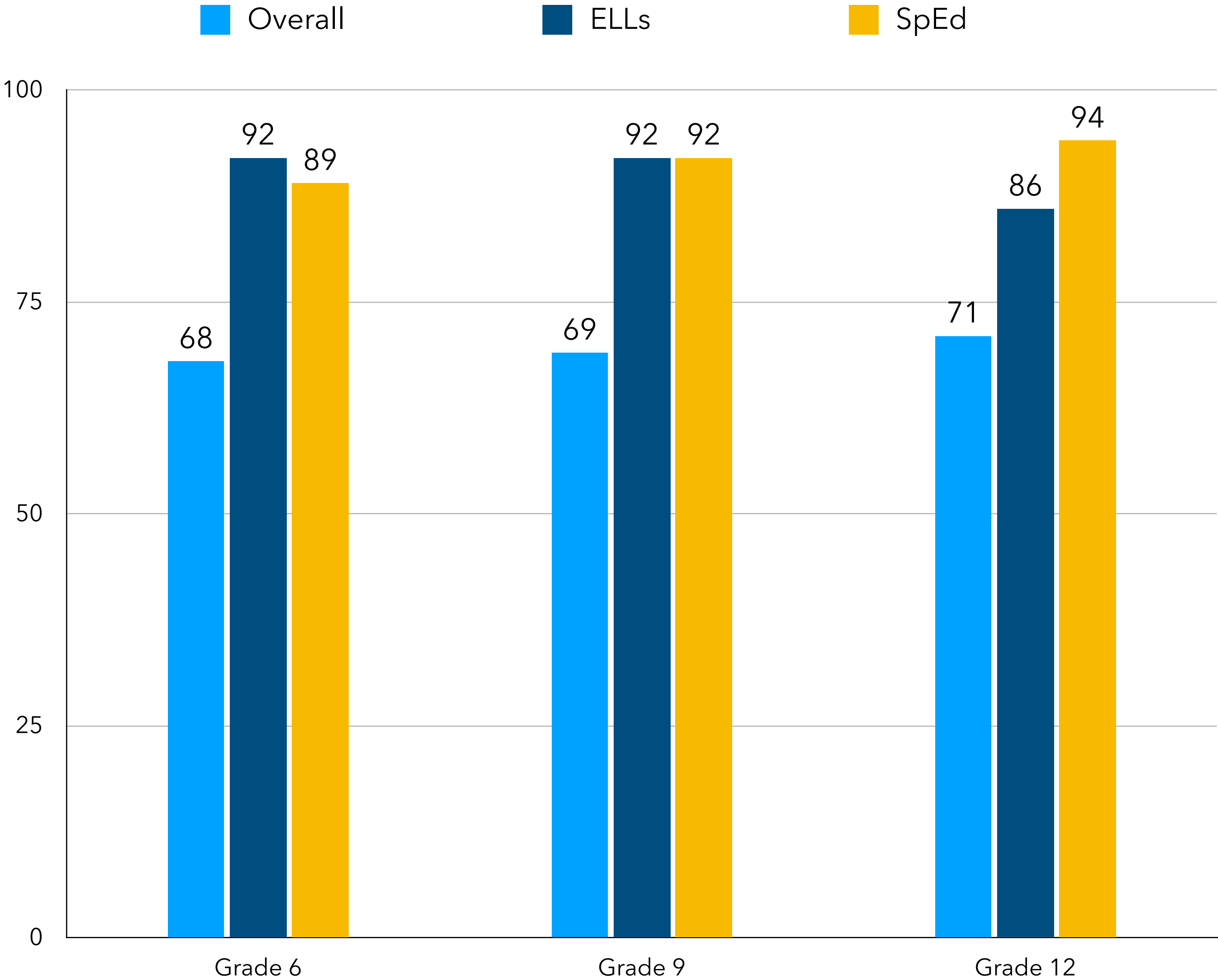
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SCIENCE



Science

Strong Support Needed



Interventions

- Ongoing curriculum revisions
- Summer 2021 programming - STEM activities
- Summer 2022- STEM classes
- Professional Development/Coaching
 - Math Solutions, 4-12
 - Monthly sessions focusing on grade level content
- Digital Resources
 - Science4Us, K-2
 - Gizmos, 3-12
 - Mystery Science, K-5
 - Generation Genius, K-8
 - Mosa Mack, 4-8
 - Labster, 9-12
 - Pivot Interactives, 9-12





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