

EQAO RESULTS Wards 1 and 2

Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board

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This year there were again improved results in many schools. Congratulations to everyone!

At Grade 3, three out of the 9 schools had more students at levels 3 and 4 for math, three out of the 9 schools for reading, and five out of the 9 schools for writing than last year. Strathcona improved in all three areas, and three schools, Bennetto, Earl Kitchener and Prince Philip, improved in two areas. However there were two schools where all results were lower than the year before. Some of the results showed substantial increases:

- **Prince Philip** increased by 20% in math
- **Bennetto** increased by 9% in math
- **Earl Kitchener** increased by 13% in reading and 5% in writing
- **Strathcona** increased by 5% in math, 6% in reading, and 14% in writing.

At Grade 6, two out of the 6 schools had more students at levels 3 and 4 for reading, three out of 6 schools for writing, and three schools improved for math. Queen Victoria improved in all three areas. Ryerson improved in reading and writing. Some of the results were again substantial increases on last year's results.

- **Dr. Davey** increased by 9% in math
- **Queen Victoria** increased 4% in reading , 9% in writing and 6% in math
- **Dalewood** increased by 8% in math
- **Bennetto** increased by 18% in writing
- **Ryerson** increased 4% in reading, 4% in writing,

Board Profile

This year the EQAO office reports that Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board is once again above the provincial average for the percentage of **English Language Learners**.

- **21%** of grade 3 students are English Language learners in Hamilton, compared to 13% in the Province and only 3% in the Catholic Board.
- In grade 6 the percentages are **17%** for HWDSB, 9% for the Province, and 4% for the Catholic Board.

Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board also has a higher percentage of **special education students**:

- **20%** in grade 3 compared to 17% for the Province and 12% for the Catholic board.
- **25%** in grade 6 compared to 20 % for the Province and 16% for the Catholic board

The Education Quality Assessment Organisation (EQAO) tests are Provincial tests that began in 1998 and are based on the Ontario Curriculum. The Ontario Curriculum was introduced in 1997.

Actual results by year follow:

**Percentage at Grade level or above, or meeting or exceeding expectations (levels 3 and 4)
By School and By Year**

Mathematics Grade 3 EQAO 2007-2013

In 2013 George R Allan and Prince Philip are above the provincial average

School	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
BENNETTO/	30%	38%	32	41	17	33	42	44	25	34
CENTRAL	53%	55%	52%	68%	60%	50	52	52	76*	40
DR. DAVEY	43%	48%	41%	47%	26%	17	27	31	34	32
EARL KITCHENER	53%	70%	43%	58%	45%	45	59	72*	62	62
G.R.ALLAN	75%*	75%*	76%*	72%*	73%*	74*	84*	81*	79*	68*
HESS	44%	45%	48%	64%	49%	31	35	42	50	33
PRINCE PHILIP	76%*	69%*	78%*	62%	56%	69	86*	73*	70*	90*
QUEEN VICTORIA	40%	35%	55%	N/A	N/A	39	59	60	59	50
STINSON	20%	52%	67%	48%	34%	N/A	N/A			
STRATH CONA	55%	69%	70%	40%	46%	33	47	67	42	49
HWDSB AVERAGE	57%	56%	61%	57%	59%	61	61	63	60	59
ONTARIO AVERAGE	64%	66%	68%	69%	68%	70	71	69	68	67

* At or above provincial average

READING Grade 3 EQAO 2004-2013

Percentage meeting or exceeding expectations (levels 3 and 4)

Prince Philip, Earl Kitchener, and George R Allan are above the provincial average in 2013

School	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
BENNETTO/ CENTENNIAL	30%	38%	37	39	36	27	35	36	47	49
CENTRAL	53%	55%	59	47	60%	56	52	55	60	57
DR. DAVEY	43%	36	40	24	26%	19	25	40	30	29
EARL KITCHENER	53%	70%*	46%	58%	62*	58	60	78*	68*	81*
G.R.ALLAN	75%*	75%*	81*	79*	85*	78*	85*	84*	90*	87*
HESS	44%	45%	49%	29	29%	24	27	36	36	24
PRINCE PHILIP	76%*	69%*	72%*	69%*	59	72*	93*	80*	81*	81*
QUEEN VICTORIA	40%	35%	54%	N/A	N/A	41	45	60	72*	56
STINSON	20%	52%	67%*	48%	34%	N/A	N/A			
STRATHCONA	55%	69%*	74%*	60	58	36	65*	71*	62	69
HWDSB AVERAGE	57%	56%	58%	57%	57%	56	56	61	61	64
ONTARIO AVERAGE	64%	66%	62%	62%	61%	61	62	65	66	68

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WRITING Grade 3 EQAO 2004-2013

Meeting or exceeding expectations (levels 3 and 4)

In 2013 Prince Philip, Earl Kitchener and George R Allan are above the provincial average

school	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
BENNETTO	33%	37%	46%	45%	25%	49	44	38	58	57
CENTRAL	54%	66%*	62%	58%	60%	59	57	69	72	63
DR. DAVEY	43%	33%	40%	45%	39%	27	47	62	50	51
EARL KITCHENER	53%	63%*	38	56	58	45	64	78*	75	80*
G.R.ALLAN	76%*	70%*	78%*	75%*	86%*	78*	87*	76*	90*	90*
HESS	44%	46%	40%	55%	54%	39	24	52	64	55
PRINCE PHILIP	64%*	67%*	81%*	76%*	49%	83*	86*	100*	89*	90*
QUEEN VICTORIA	40%	32%	73%*	N/A	N/A	50	62	70	72	73
STINSON	20%	49%	52%	52%	48%	N/A	N/A			
STRATH CONA	56%	54%	65%*	63%	31%	47	56	71	58	72
HWDSB AVERAGE	53%	55%	56	59	61	61	65	68	71	73
ONTARIO AVERAGE	58%	61%	62%	64%	66%	68	70	73	76	77

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Grade 6 EQAO results

Percentage meeting levels 3 and 4

For 2003-2013 READING

In 2013 Ryerson is above the provincial average

School	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13
BENNETTO	16	20	32	38	50	52	45	53	46	49	43
DALEWOOD	58*	64*	77*	71*	77*	69*	74*	87*	85*	84*	77
DR Davey /Sanford	25	26	24	36	35	33	25	W	39	56	42
HESS	28	35	43	51	35	39	32	51	30	44	44
RYERSON	55	56	66*	58	64*	66*	77*	73*	79*	77*	82*
Queen Victoria							56	45	64	67	71
provincial average	58	63	64	64	64	66	69	72	74	75	77
board average	50	57	57	57	58	57	62	67	68	70	70

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Writing Grade 6 2003 to 2013

Percentage meeting levels 3 and 4

	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13
BENNETTO	20	26	29	29	50	52	33	49	48	36	54
DALEWOOD				71*	73*	73*	69*	83*	74*	82*	75
Dr. E. Davey Sanford	31	26	24	37	30	28	46	46	55	60	45
HESS	36	35	45	34	41	41	41	54	39	34	26
RYERSON	57	61*	47	47	46	63	79*	62	67	68	72
Queen Victoria							41	45	50	57	66
provincial average	54	59	61	61	61	67	67	70	73	74	76
board average	48	55	54	54	54	59	60	64	66	67	69

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Grade 6 EQAO results math 2003-2013

Percentage meeting levels 3 and 4

In 2013 Dalewood is above the provincial average.

school	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13
BENNETTO	6	18	30	11	34	21	25	45	25	36	20
DALEWOOD	48	54	68*	62*	76*	69*	57	70*	51	53	61*
Dr. E. Davey Sanford	23	20	24	31	20	16	21	12	22	12	21
HESS	41	33	47	48	40	35	29	35	24	22	13
RYERSON	36	53	40	49	44	46	54	52	44	43	46
Queen Victoria							29	20	25	43	49
provincial average	53	57	60	61	59	61	63	61	58	58	57
board average	39	46	53	52	51	49	51	52	47	48	48

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