



ISBE TAC

Accountability Monitoring Analyses

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Overview

- Analyses were with data from spring 2024 administration; output is based on data sets shared before 12/31/24
- Analytic foci include:
 - Index score distribution patterns (by indicator missingness pattern, subgroup, and designation)
 - Indicator score distribution patterns (by subgroup and designation [raw vs. scored])
 - Indicator weights analyses (policy vs. estimated weights by indicator missingness pattern)
 - Correlations among indicators (by indicator missingness pattern)
- Purpose/ Uses:
 - Understand performance differences amongst schools with different designations
 - Understand performance differences amongst subgroups
 - Understand the impact of scoring on indicator and index distributions
 - Understand the informational value of different indicators

TAC Questions

- What insights or questions do the analyses raise regarding the technical properties of the school accountability system and/or school support initiatives?
- What are the implications of these analyses on future design decisions?
- What additional steps should ISBE prioritize to further monitor, document, and evaluate the accountability system?

Data Structure

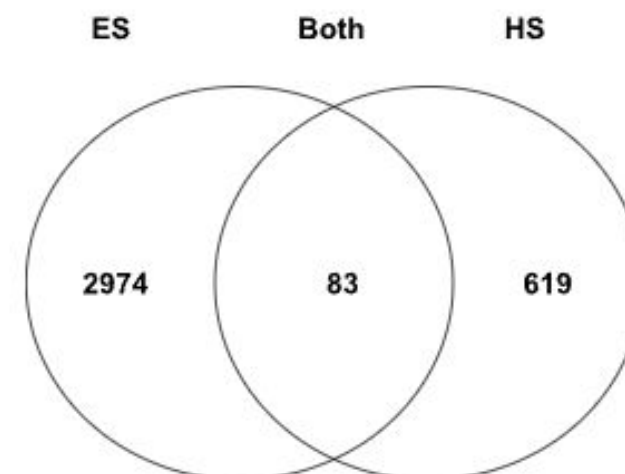
Data Structure

Schools that are only ES:	2974	
Schools that are only HS:	619	
Schools with both ES and HS:	83	
Total number of School Buildings:	3676	$[2974 + 619 + 83]$
Total number of ES:	3057	$[2974 + 83]$
Total number of HS:	702	$[619 + 83]$
Total number of all "Schools"	3759	$[3057 + 702 = 2974 + 619 + 83 + 83]$

Two of these schools (one with dual designation really) will not get counted in the following analyses as they do not have any indicator scores.

From three merged data files:

- indicator score file
- public designations file
- public master file, general tab



Designations



2024 ILLINOIS REPORT CARD

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT & ACCOUNTABILITY



Annual Summative Designations

Schools receive an annual summative designation on the Illinois Report Card. The designation is based on the school's overall data, and the data for each student group, for all of the accountability indicators.

Exemplary	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Overall performance in the top 10 percent of all schools• Must have no underperforming student groups at or below the "all students" group of the lowest-performing 5 percent of schools• High schools must have a graduation rate higher than 67 percent
Commendable	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Overall performance not in the top 10 percent of all schools• Must have no underperforming student groups at or below the "all students" group of the lowest-performing 5 percent of schools• High schools must have a graduation rate higher than 67 percent

<https://www.isbe.net/Documents/IRC-2024-Improvement-Accountability.pdf>

Targeted Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> One or more student groups performing at or below the “all students” group of the lowest-performing 5 percent of schools; groups must have at least 20 students in at least five of eight indicators, one of which must be non-academic <p>A Targeted Support designation initiates targeted school improvement status and the school begins a four-year cycle of school improvement.</p>
Comprehensive Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Overall performance in the bottom 5 percent of Title I-eligible schools statewide All high schools with a graduation rate of 67 percent or below Schools that have completed a full Targeted Support school improvement cycle, where the performance of one or more of the originally Targeted student groups remains at or below the level of the “all students” group in the lowest-performing 5 percent of Title I-eligible schools at the end of the four-year improvement cycle <p>A Comprehensive Support designation initiates comprehensive school improvement status and the school begins a four-year cycle of school improvement.</p>
Intensive Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A school that has completed a full Comprehensive Support school improvement cycle, but whose performance remains in the lowest-performing 5 percent of Title I-eligible schools statewide or is a high school with a graduation rate of 67 percent or below at the end of the four-year improvement cycle <p>An Intensive Support designation initiates intensive school improvement status and the school begins a four-year cycle of school improvement.</p>

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Designations

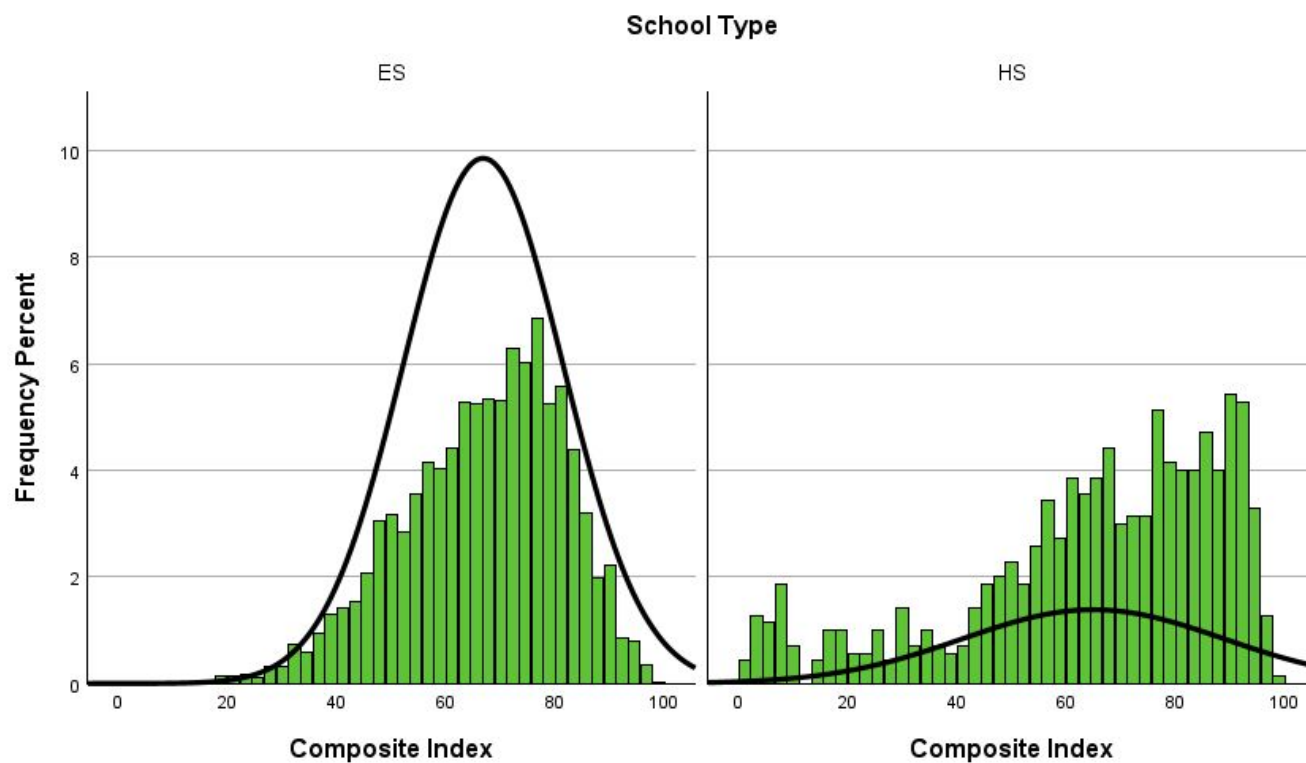
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School Type	ES	Count	306	2214	362	134	40	3056
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	HS	Count	70	577	15	9	30	701
		% within School Type	10.0%	82.3%	2.1%	1.3%	4.3%	100.0%
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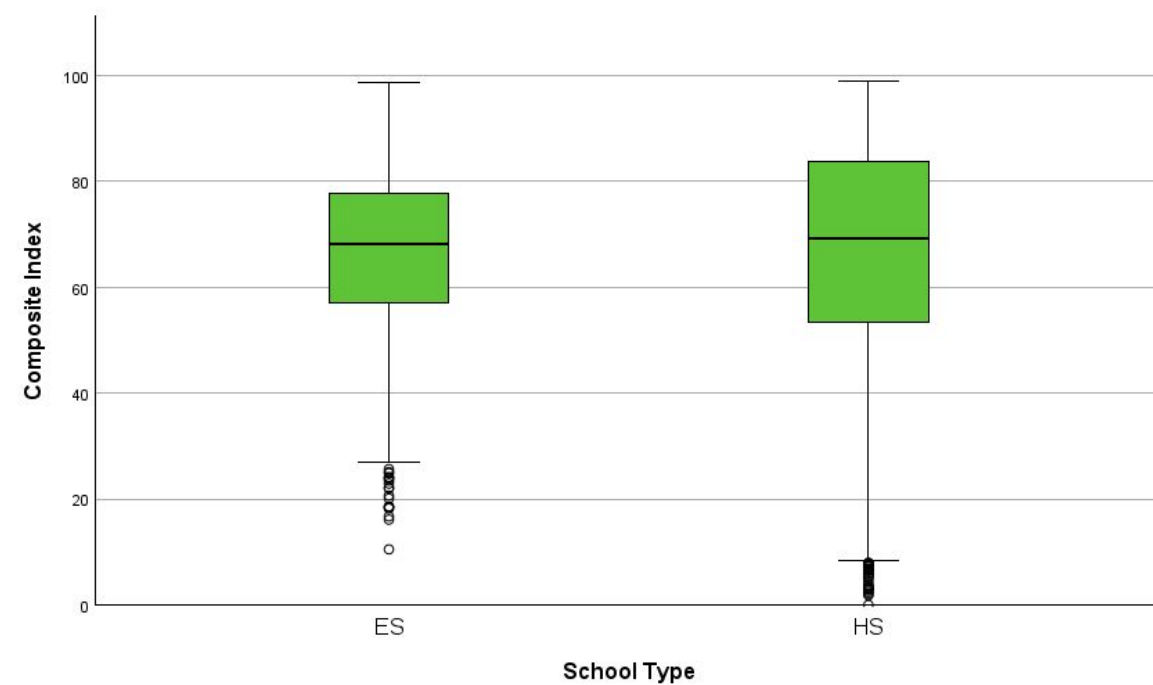
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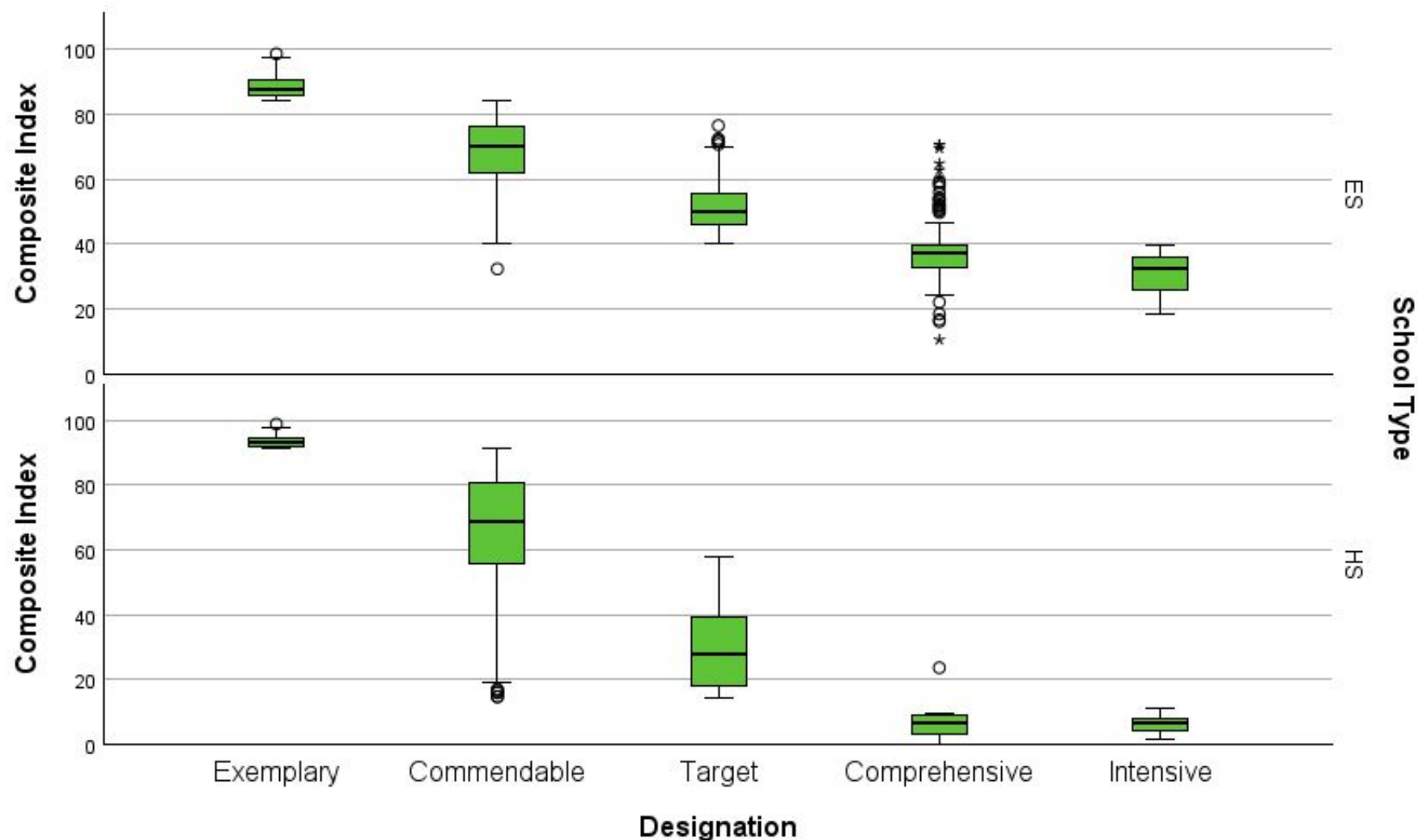
Composite Index Distributions

Global, by Designation, by Subgroup

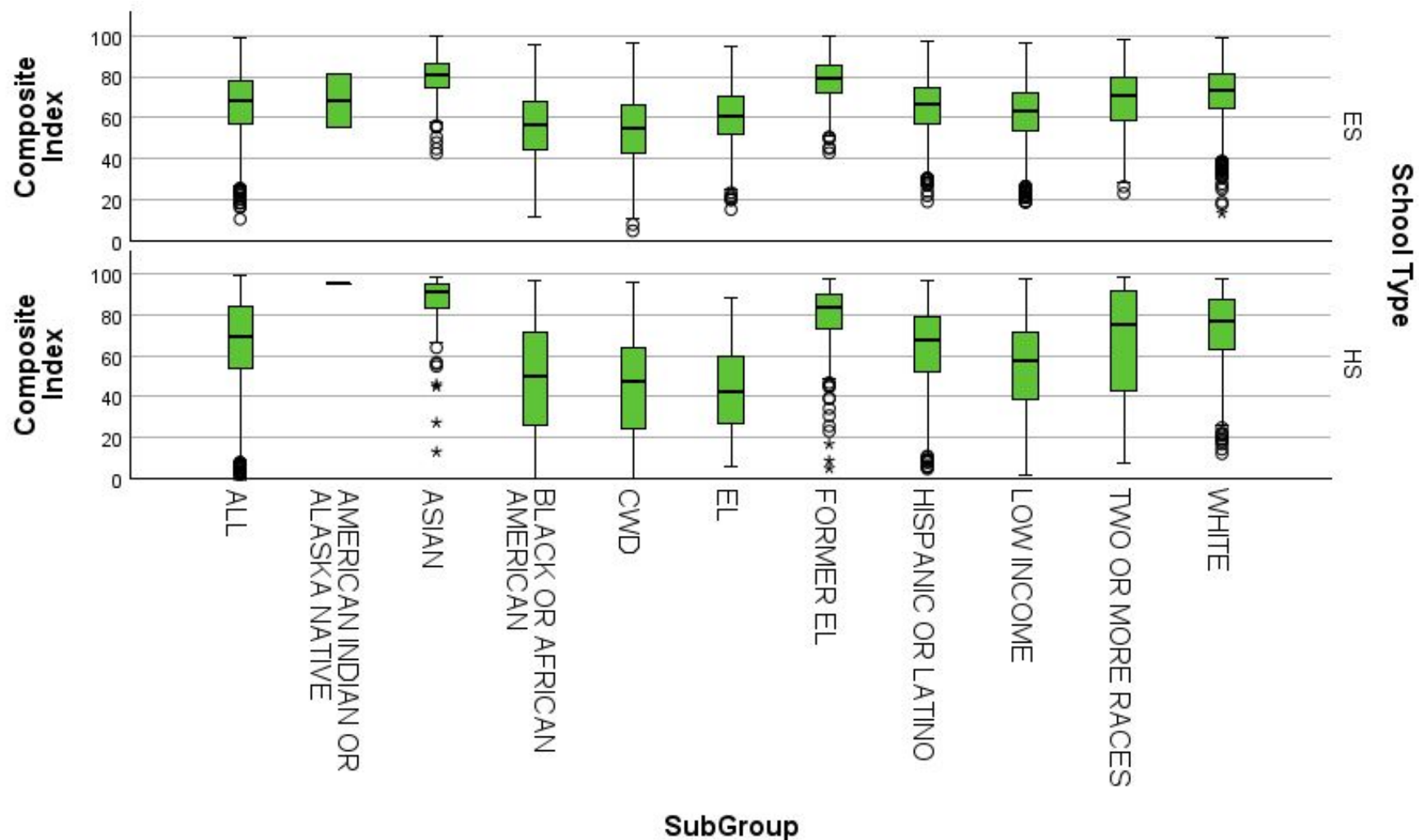


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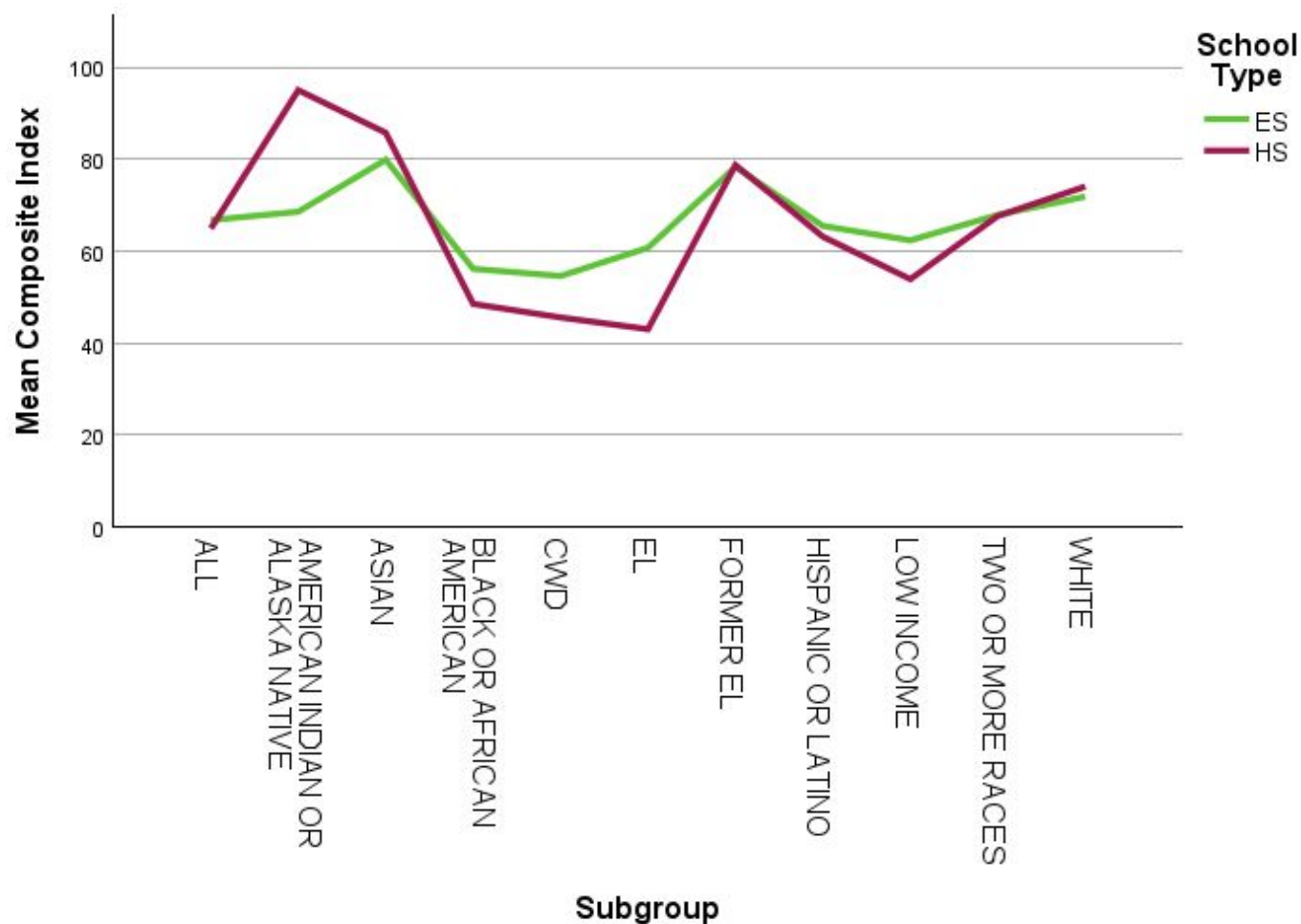


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Findings

Designations

- For HS, there are more Commendable but also more Intensive schools than for ES
- For ES, there are more Target and Comprehensive schools than for HS

Distributions

- Index scores are more spread out and more negatively skewed in HS than in ES
- Index scores are least variable overall within the Intensive, Comprehensive, and Exemplary groups in HS
- Index score distributions are overall very similar for the Comprehensive and Intensive groups
- Index score distributions follow the expected trends in terms of separation but also show some overlap
- The lowest 25% of Commendable schools have index values of the same magnitude as Target schools in HS and even more in ES

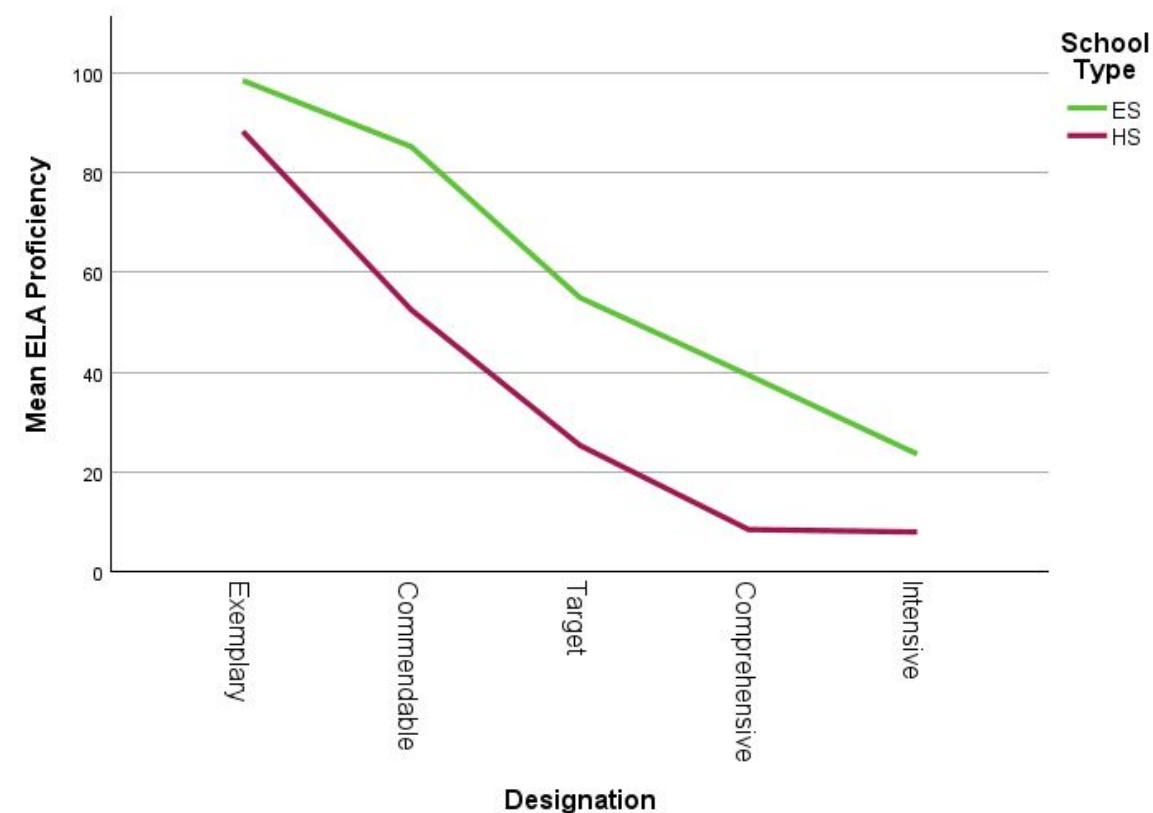
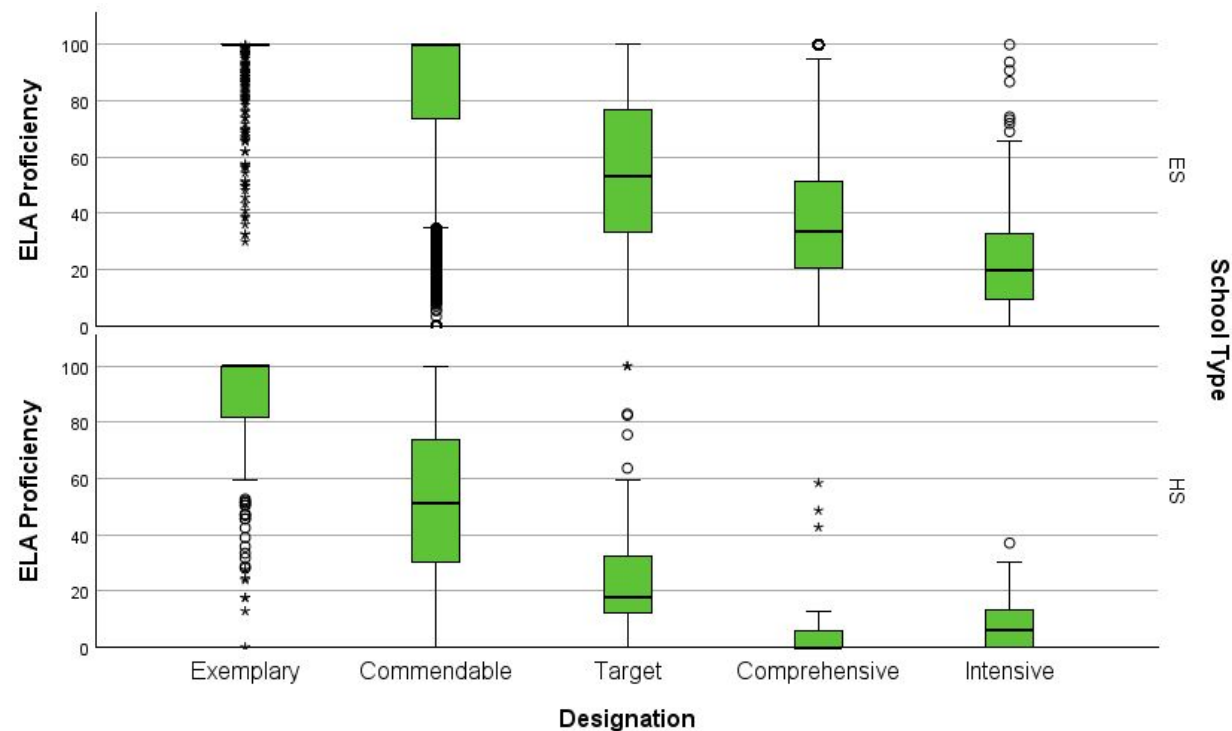
Subgroups

- For ES, Former ELs and Asians have higher mean index scores and score distributions than other subgroups
- For HS in particular, Black/AfrAm, CWDs, and ELs have lower mean index scores and score distributions overall than other groups

Indicators Distributions

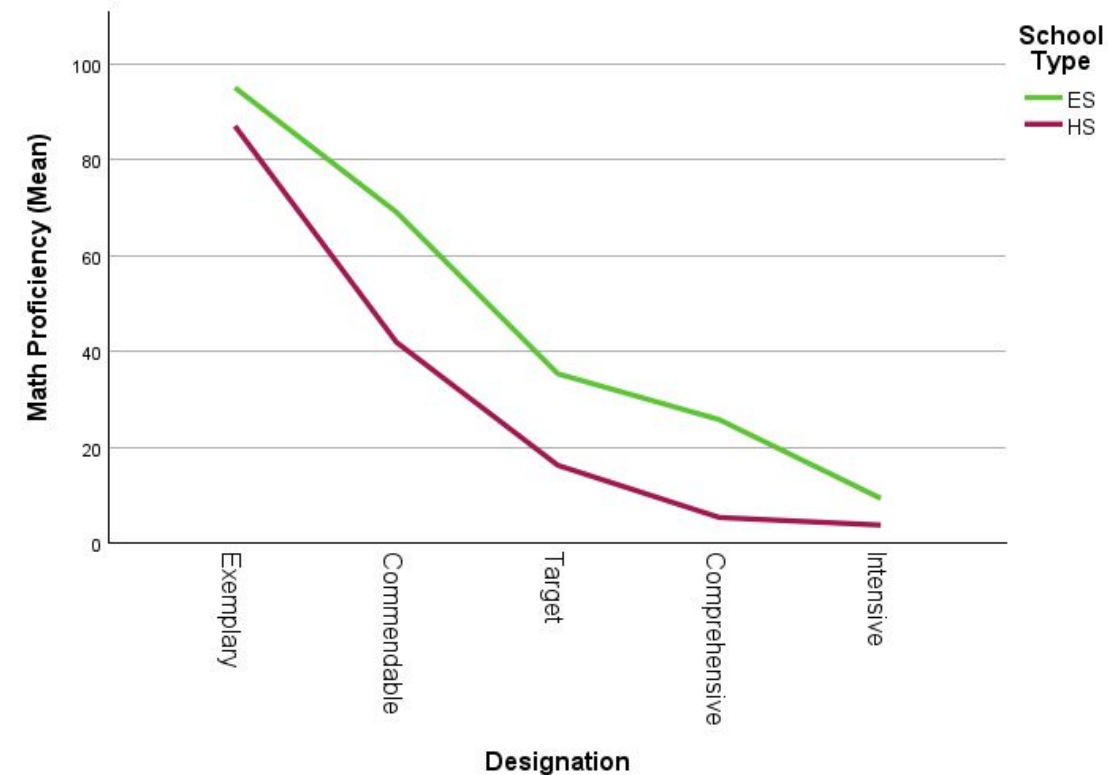
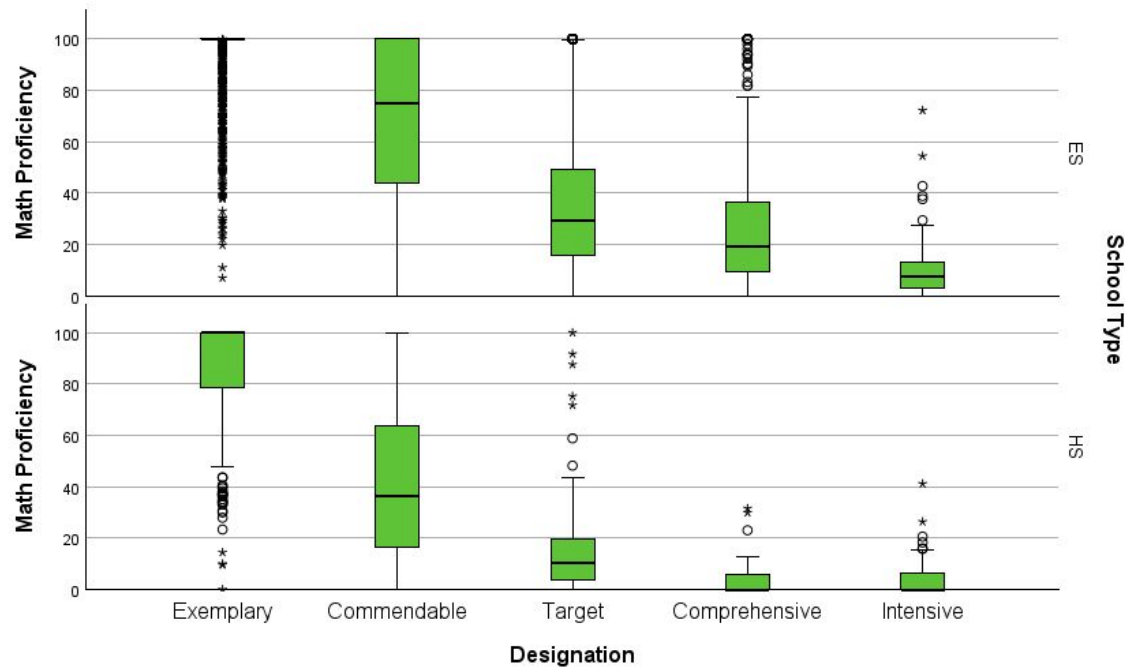
by Designation [Scored Values]

ELA Proficiency



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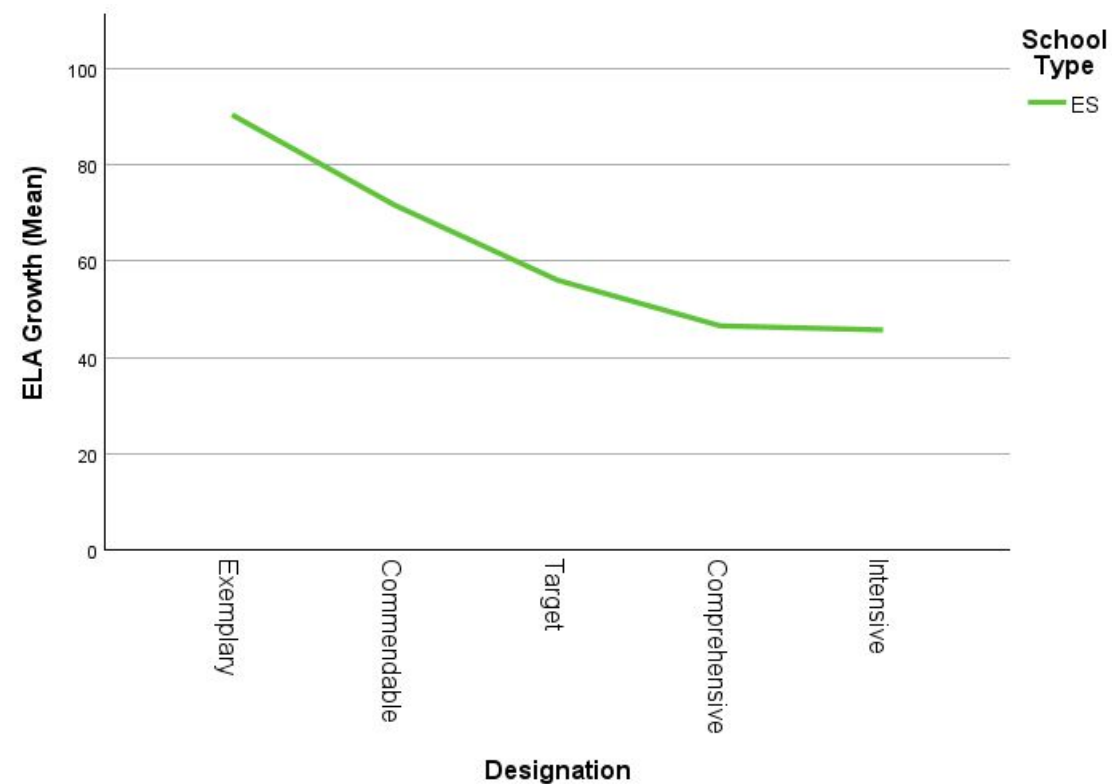
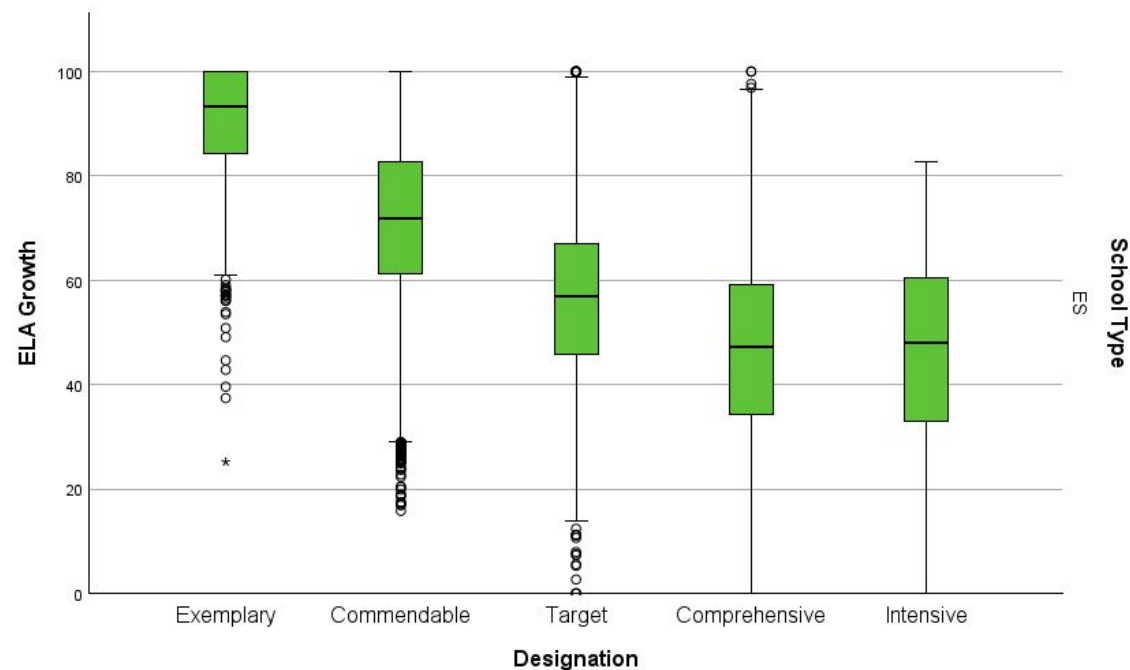
Math Proficiency



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Even though Math Proficiency values exist in ES, they were not included in the data set and are thus omitted

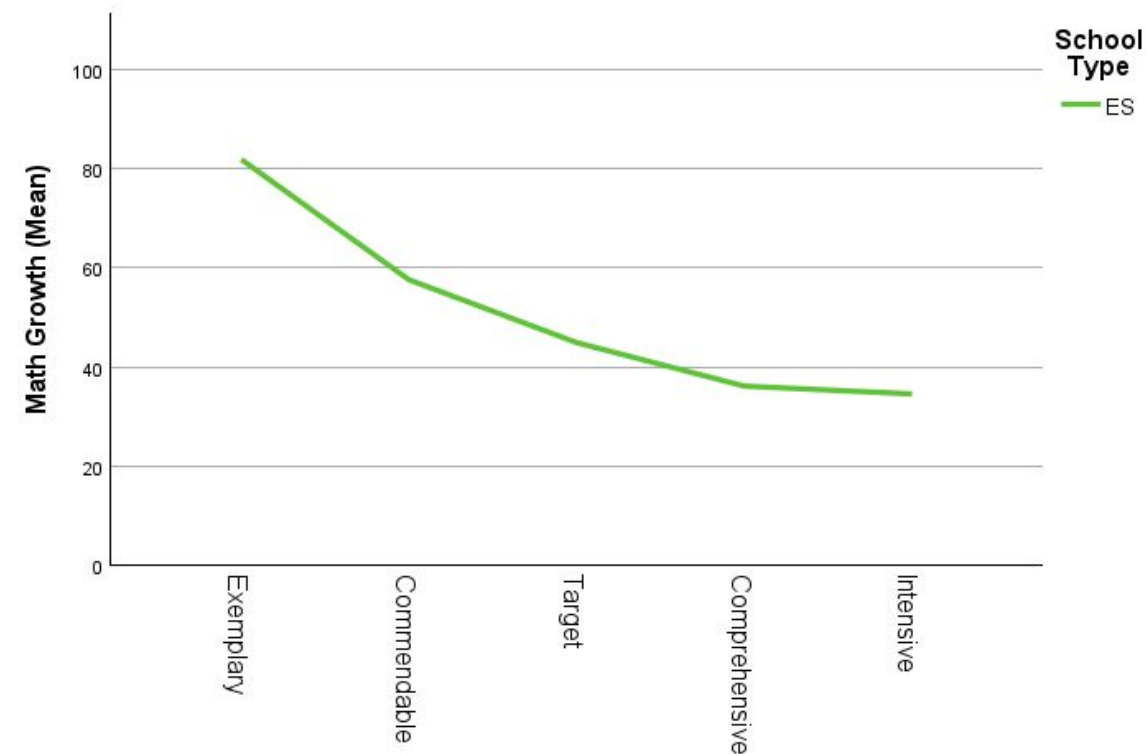
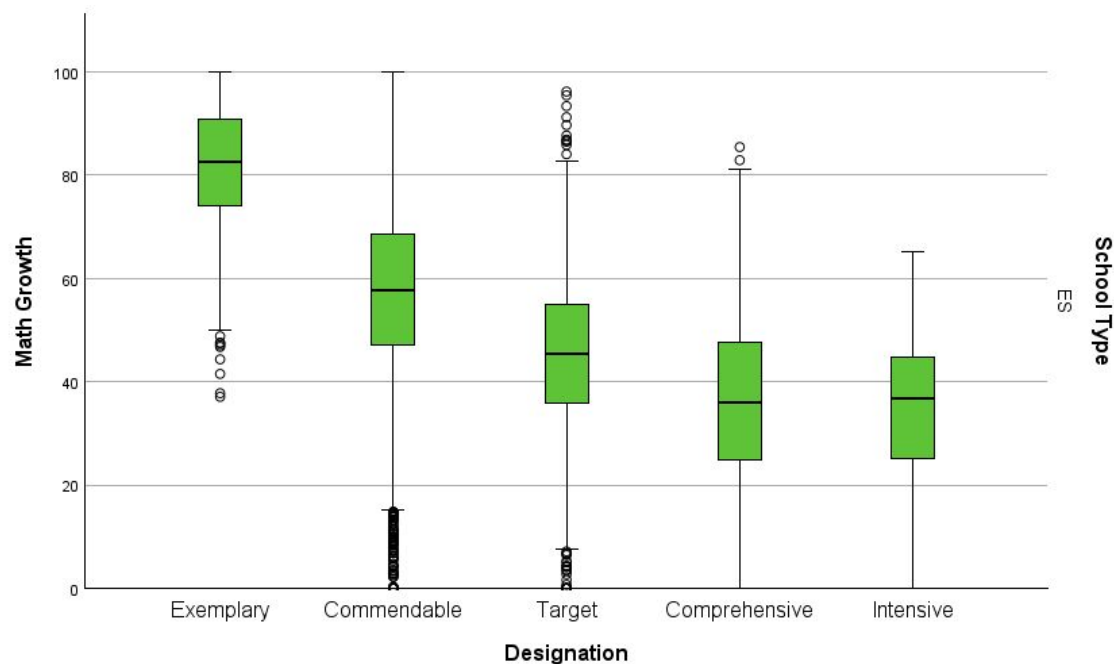
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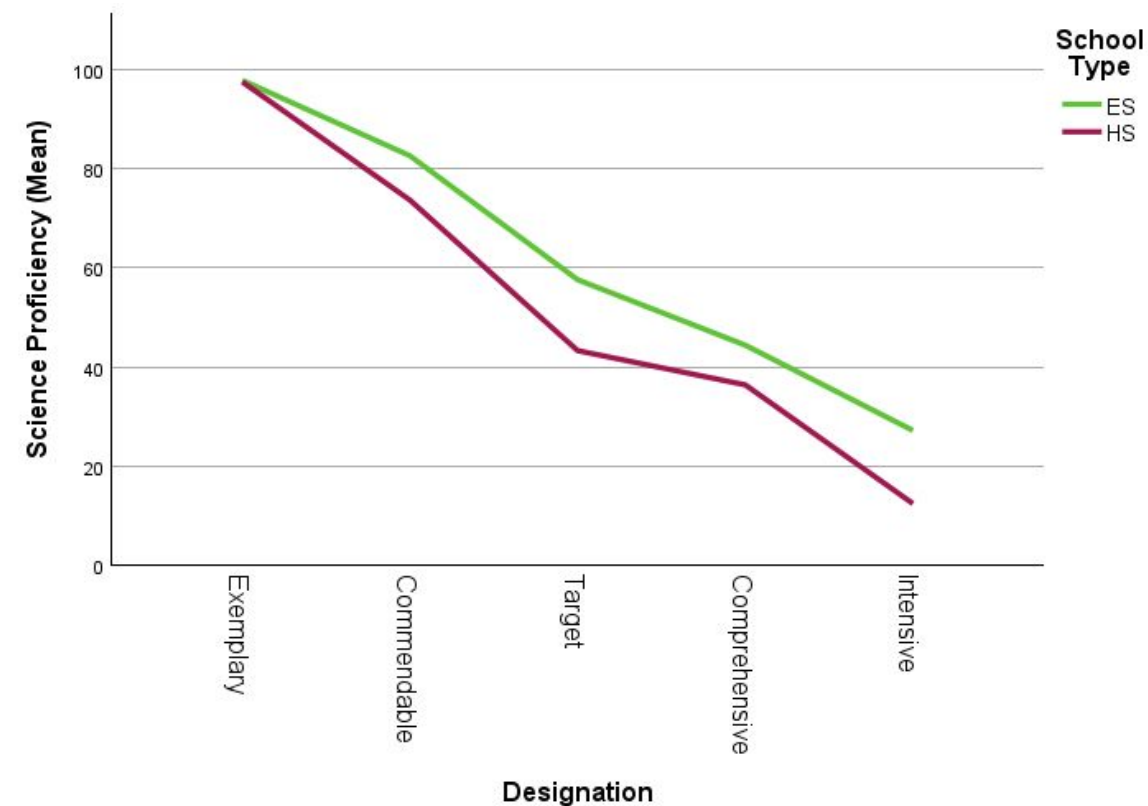
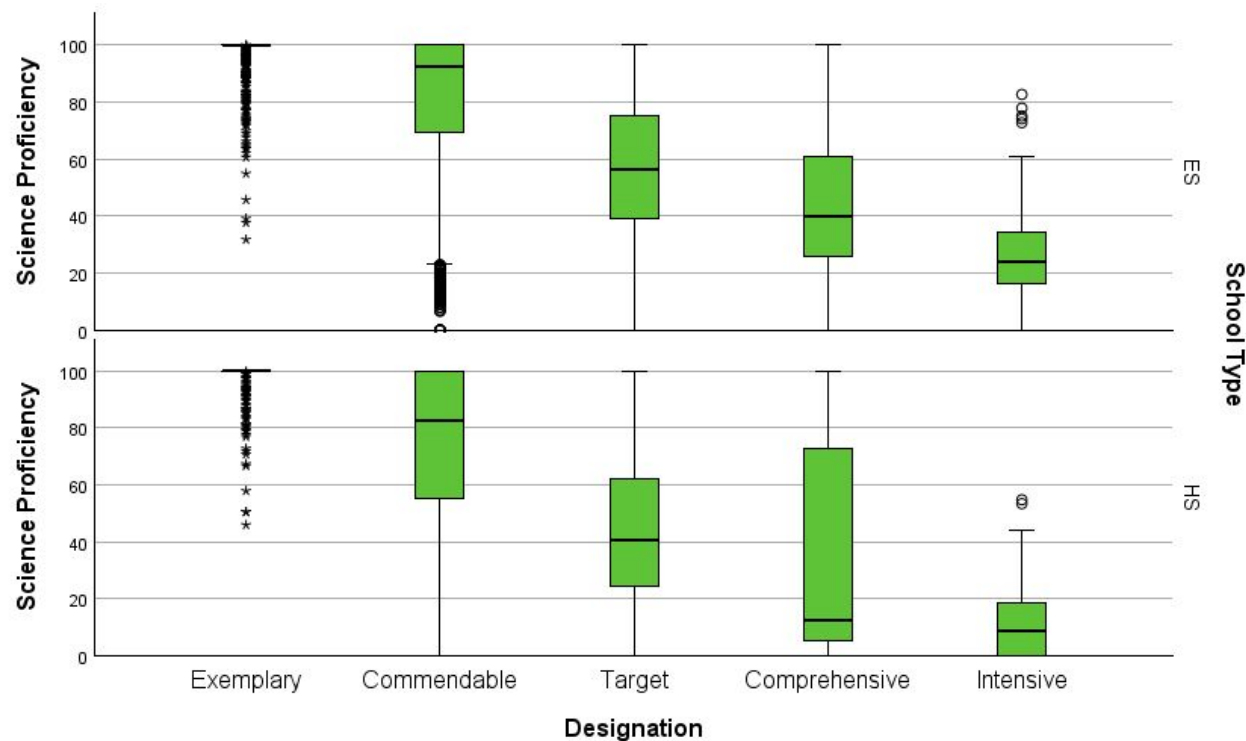
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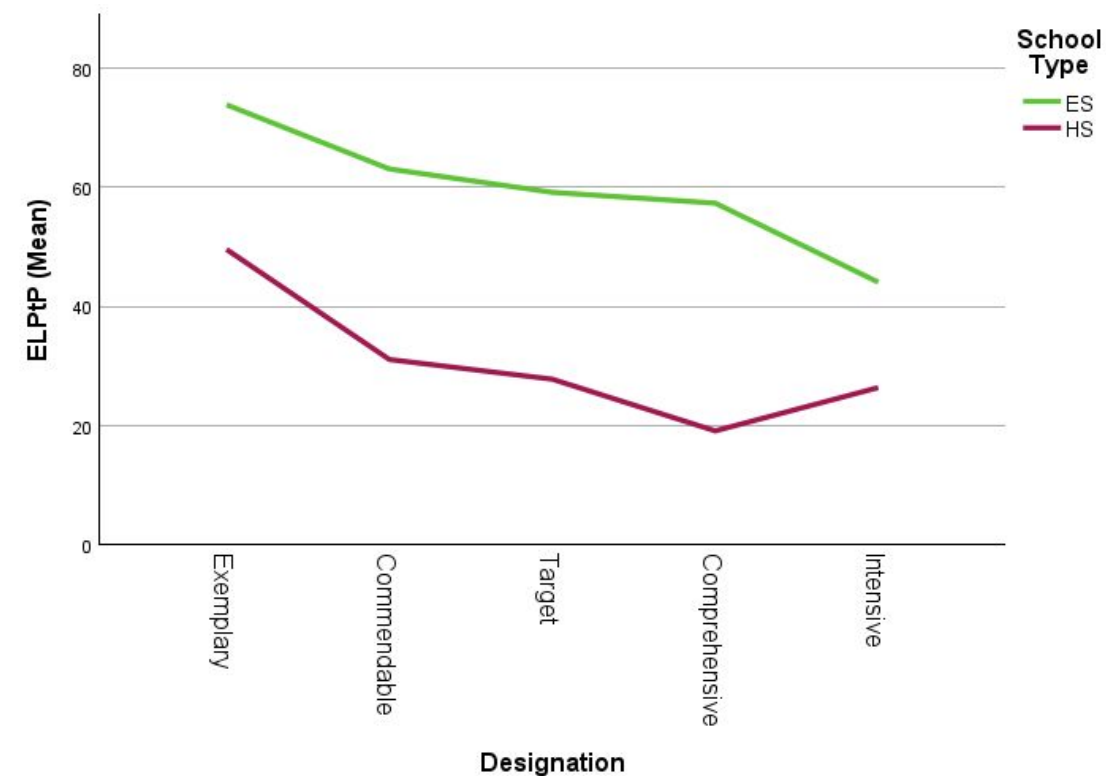
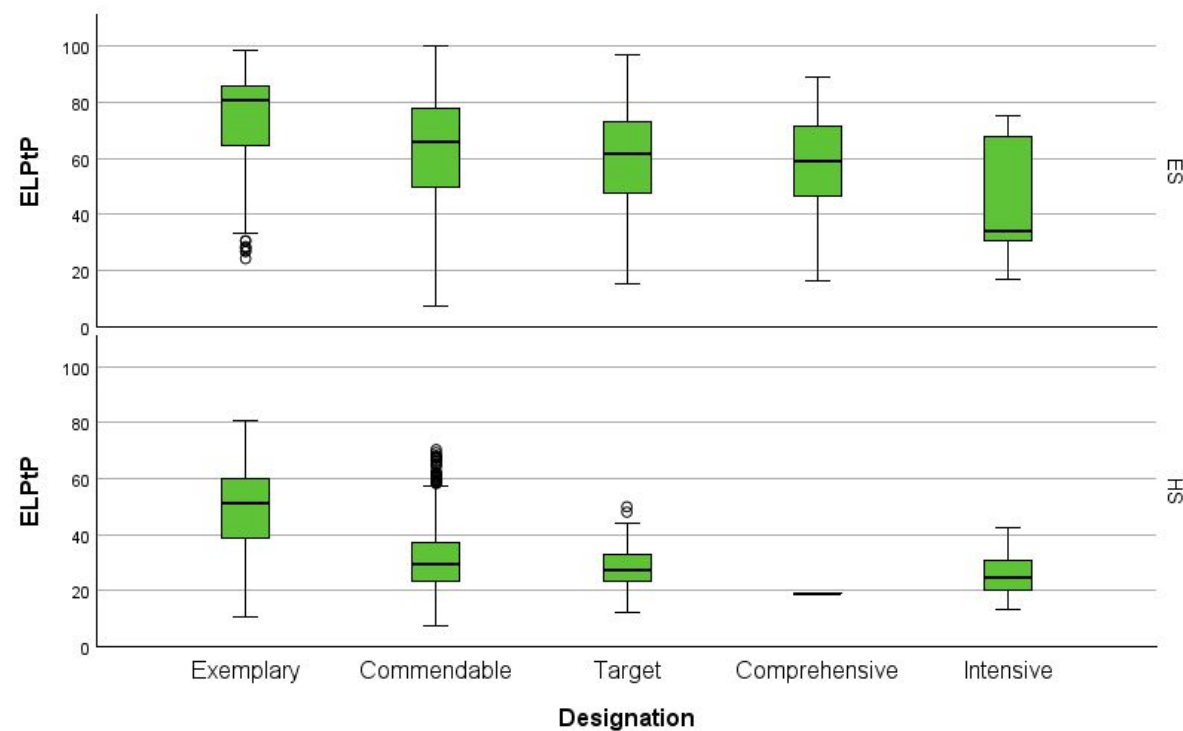
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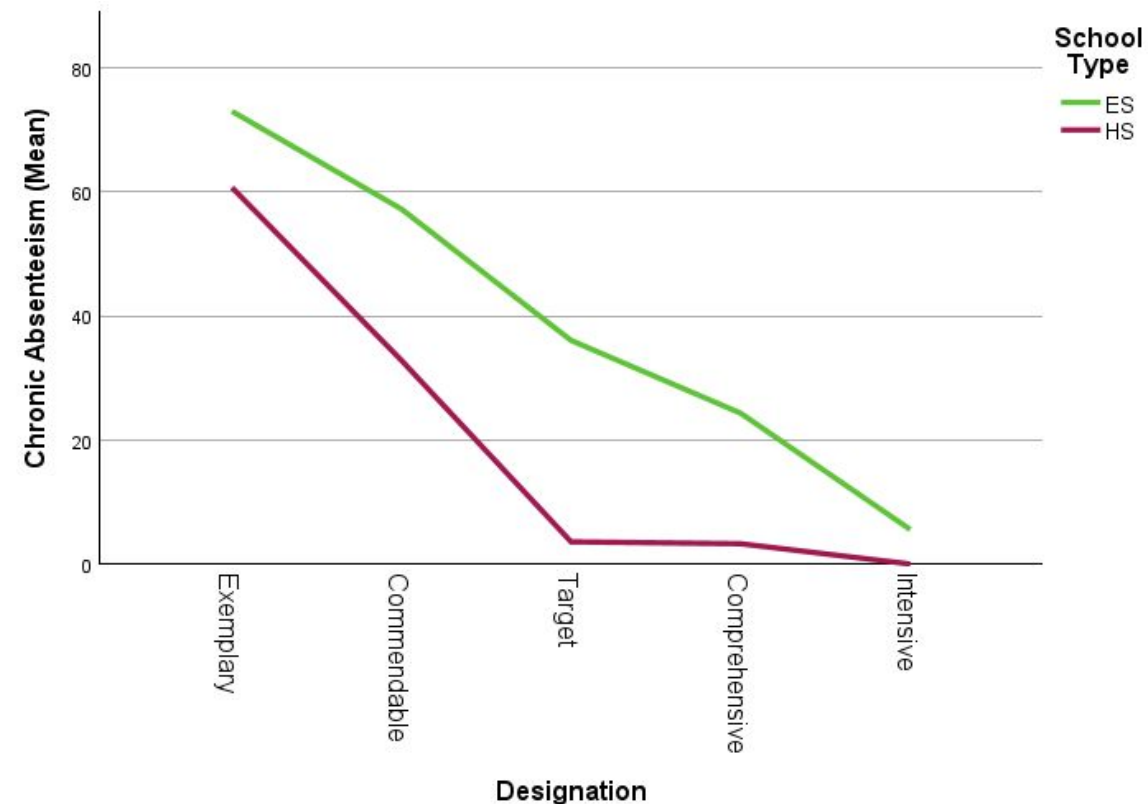
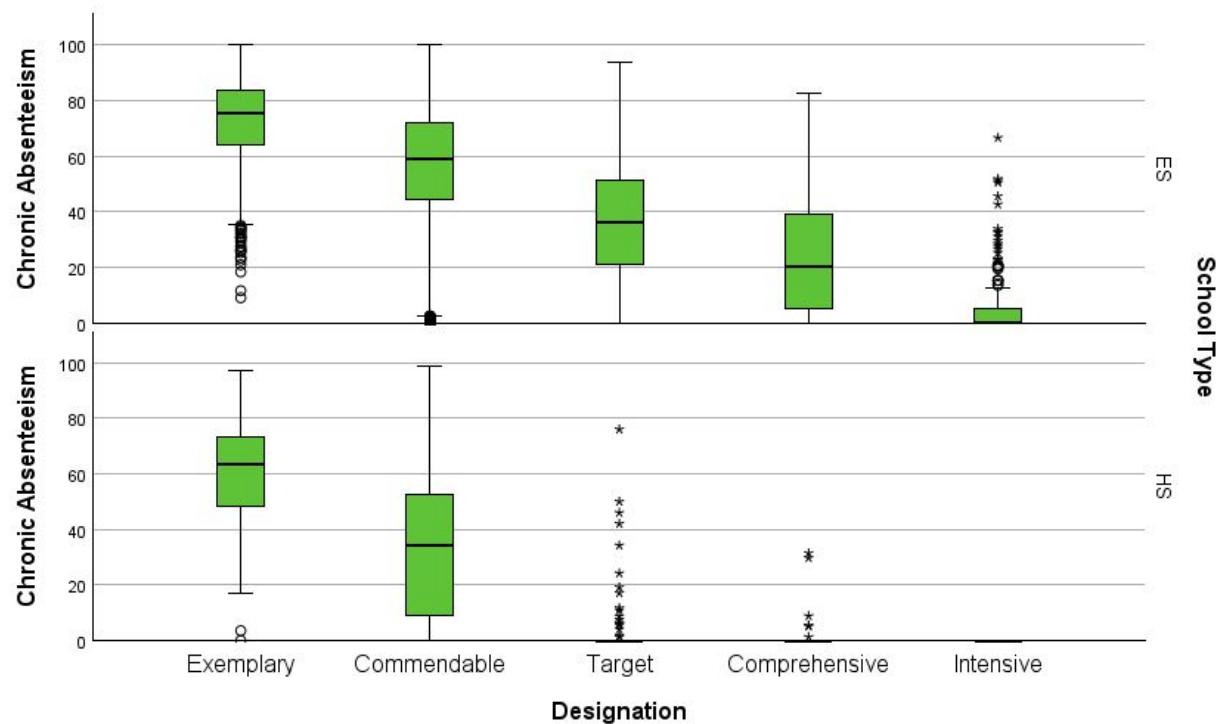
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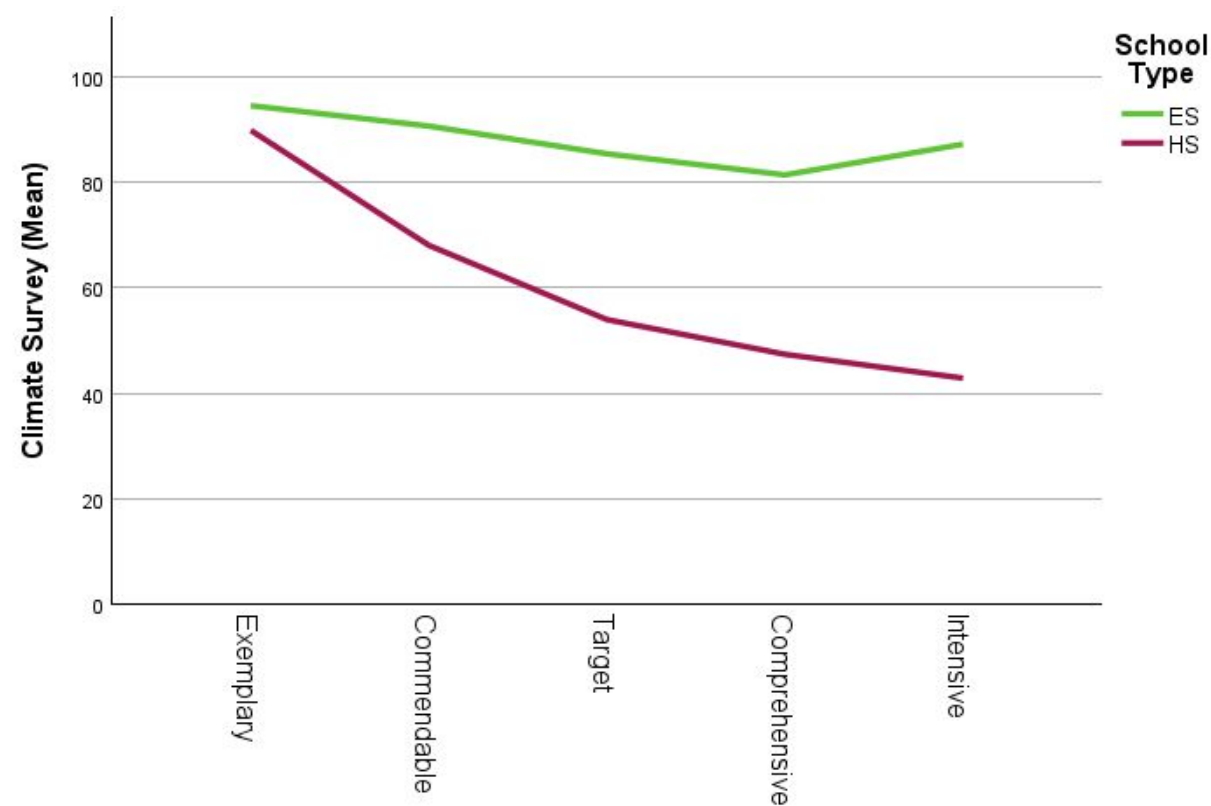
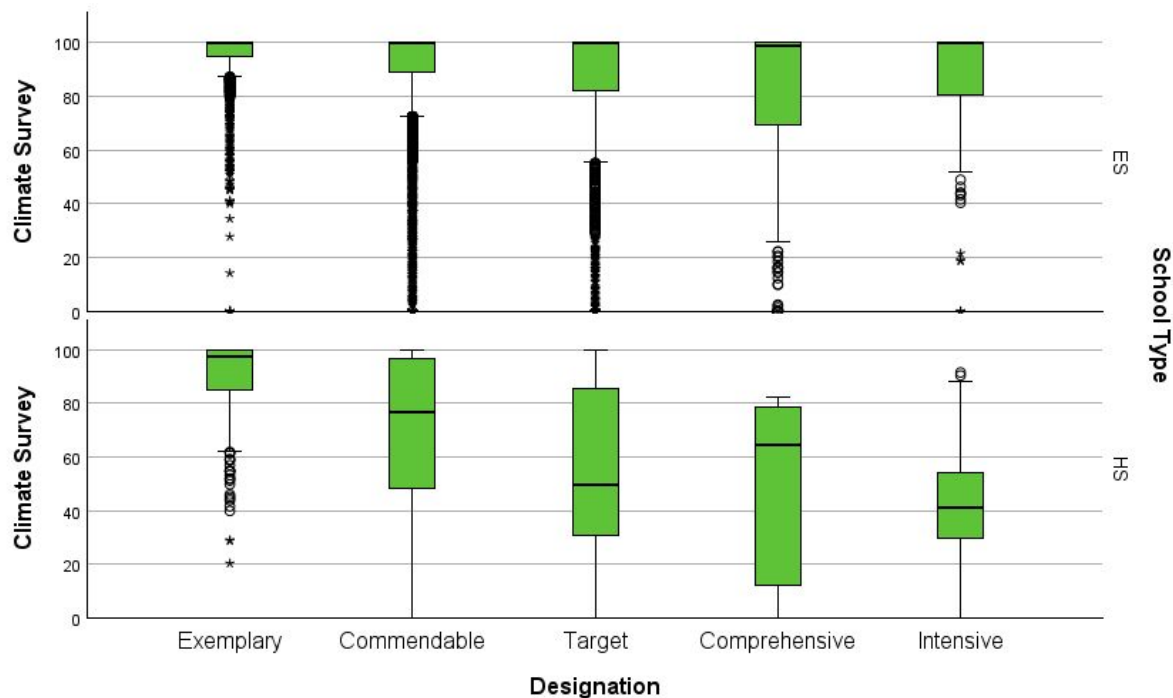
Chronic Absenteeism



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Climate Survey

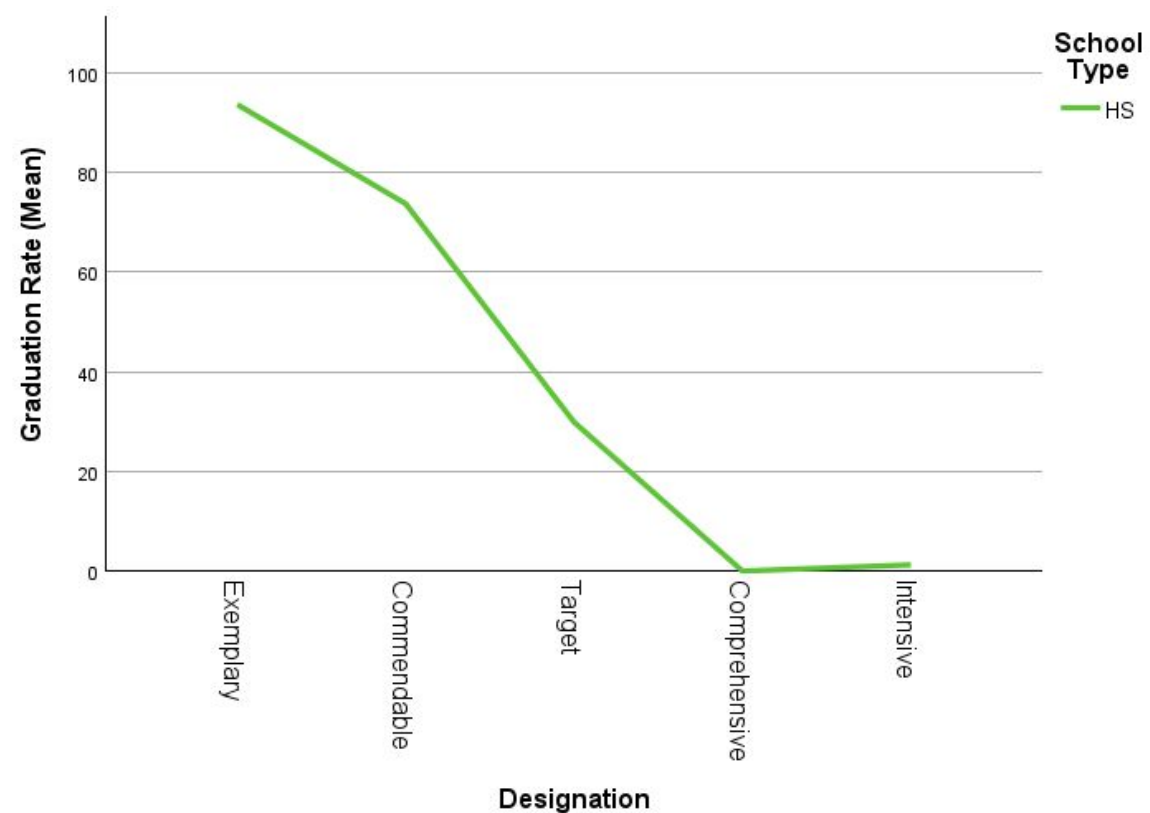
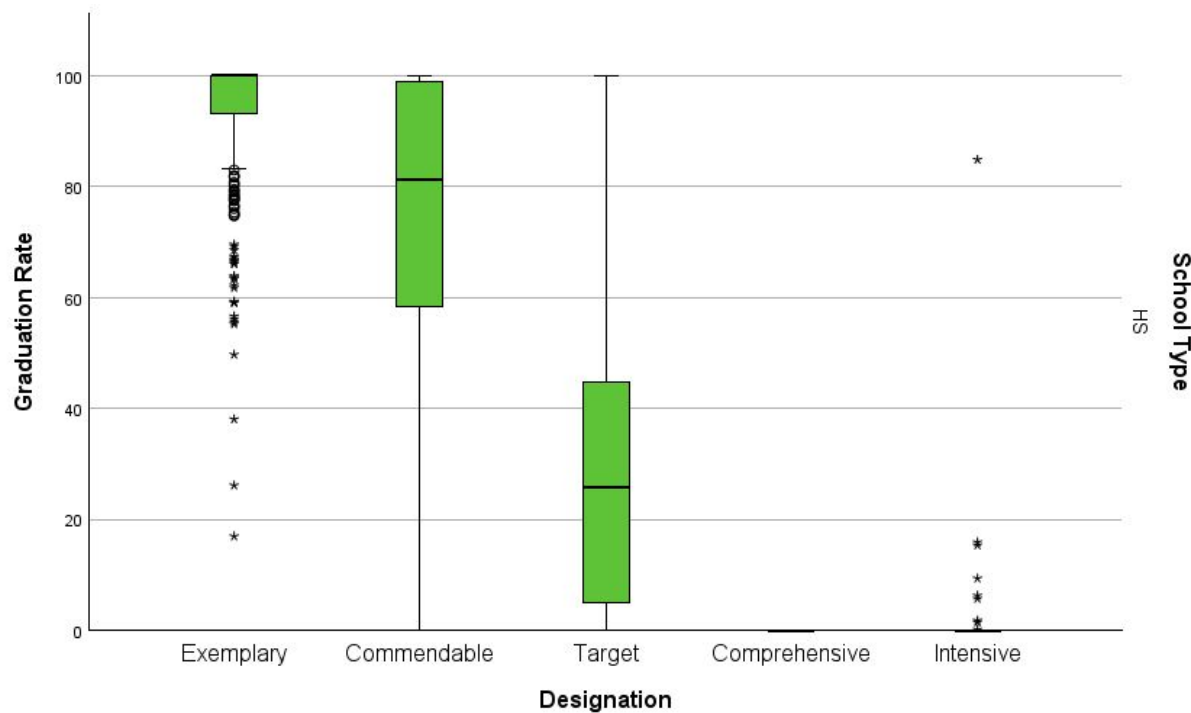


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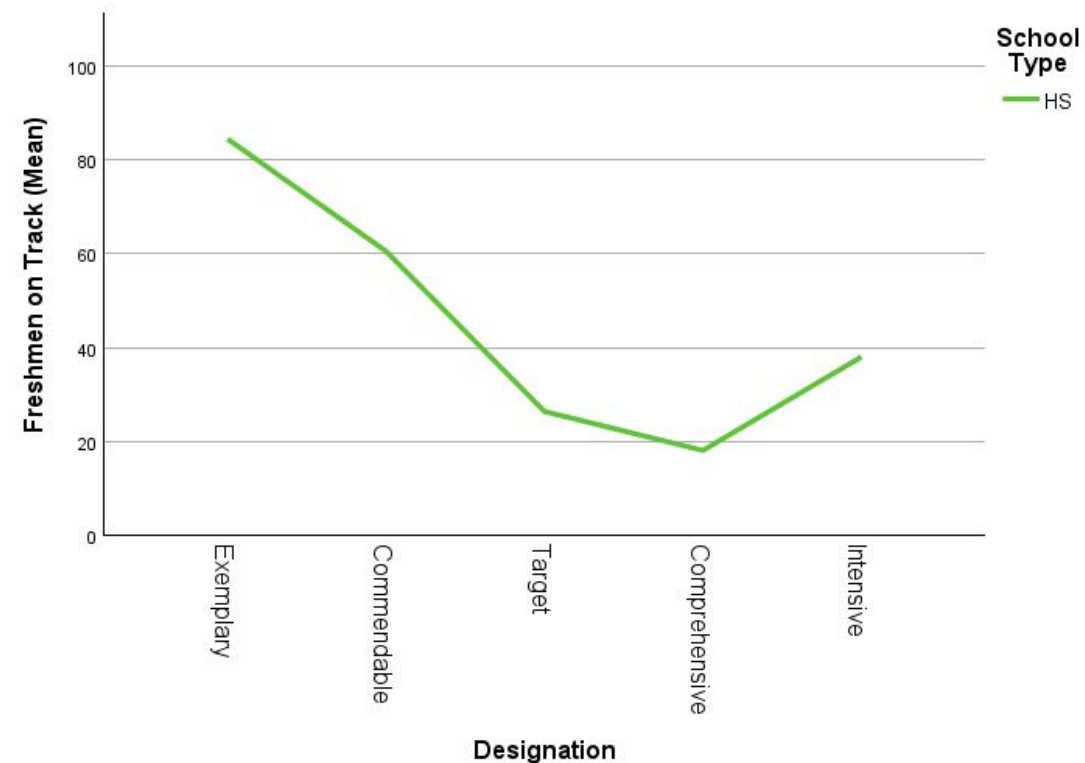
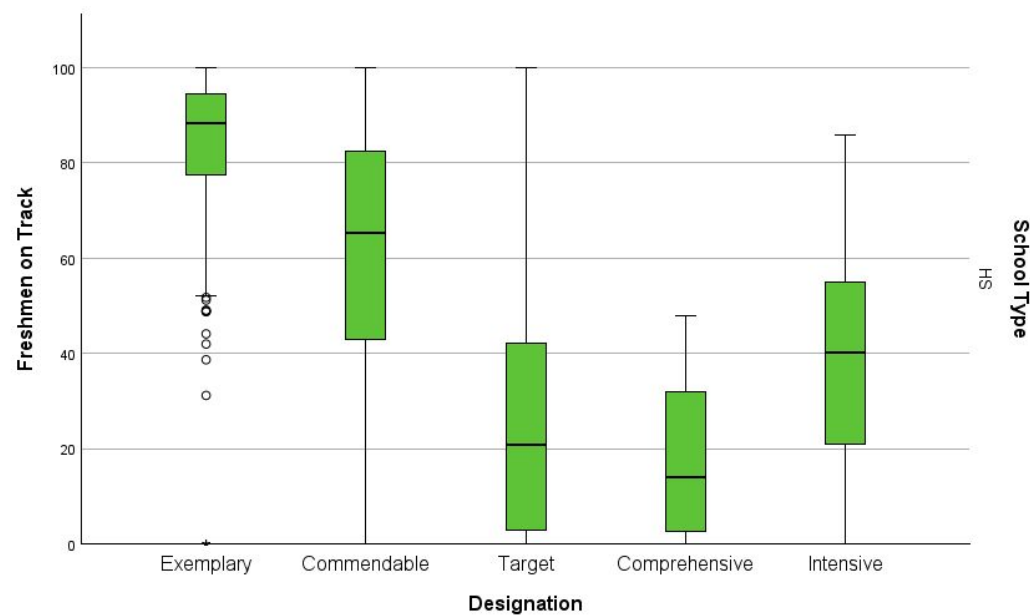
Graduation Rate



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Freshmen on Track

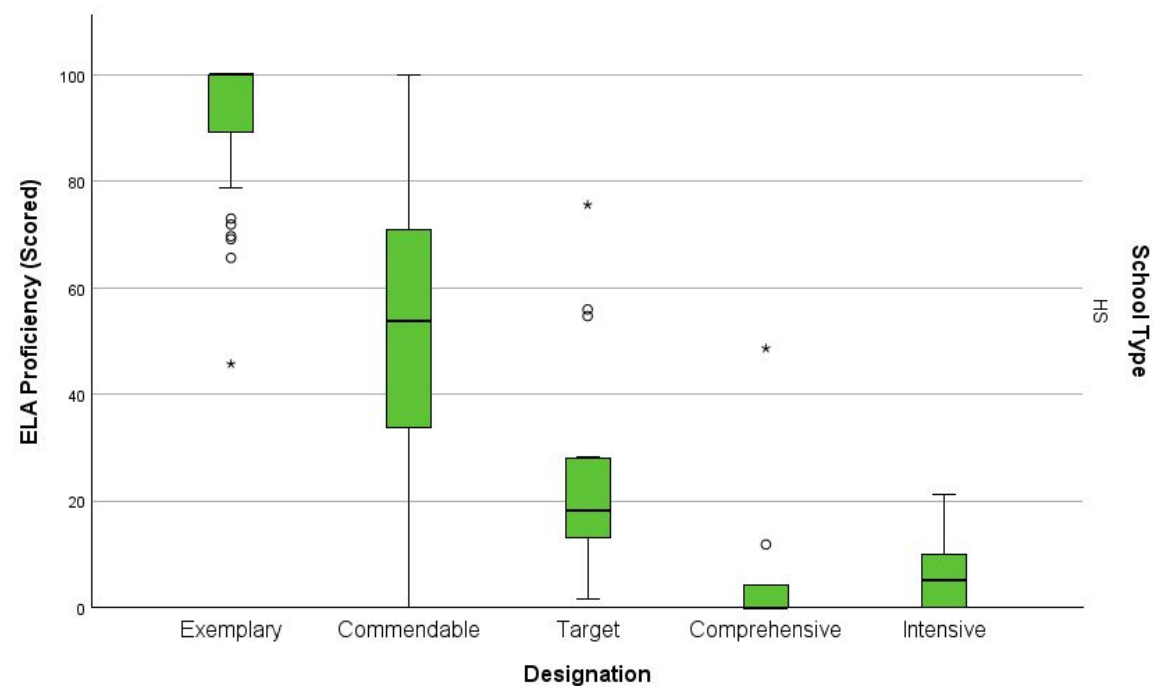
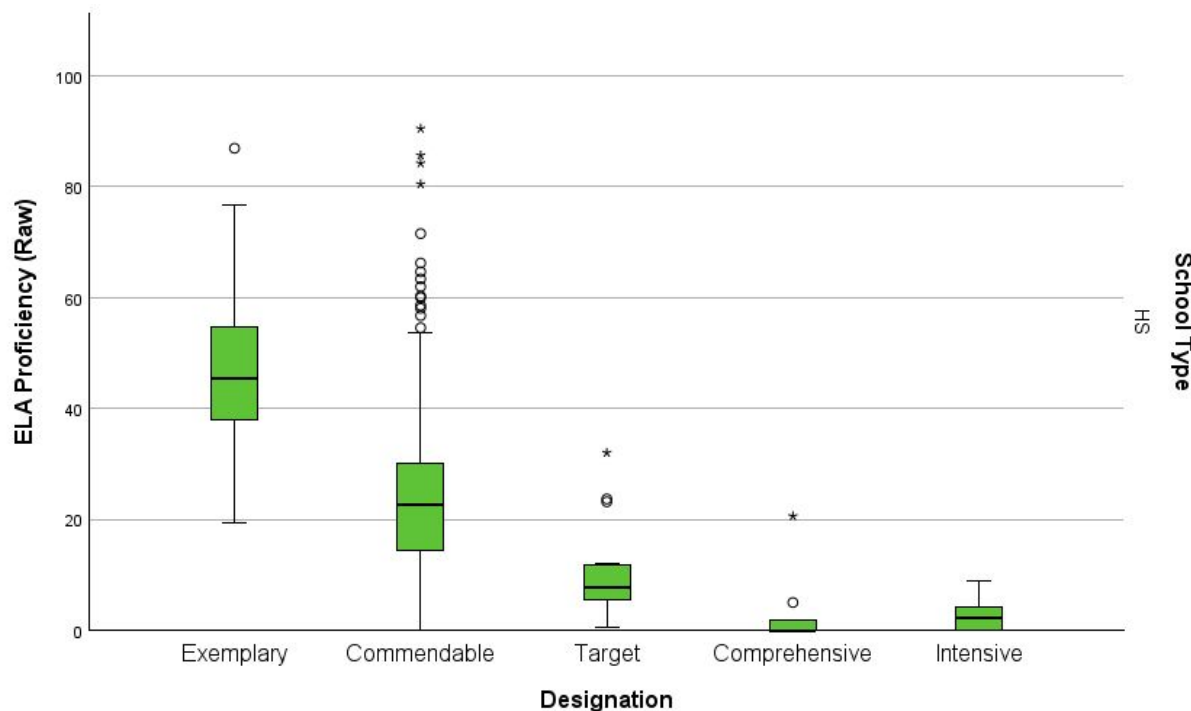


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Indicator Distributions

by Designation [Raw vs. Scored]

ELA Proficiency (Raw vs. Scored, HS Only)



Computation

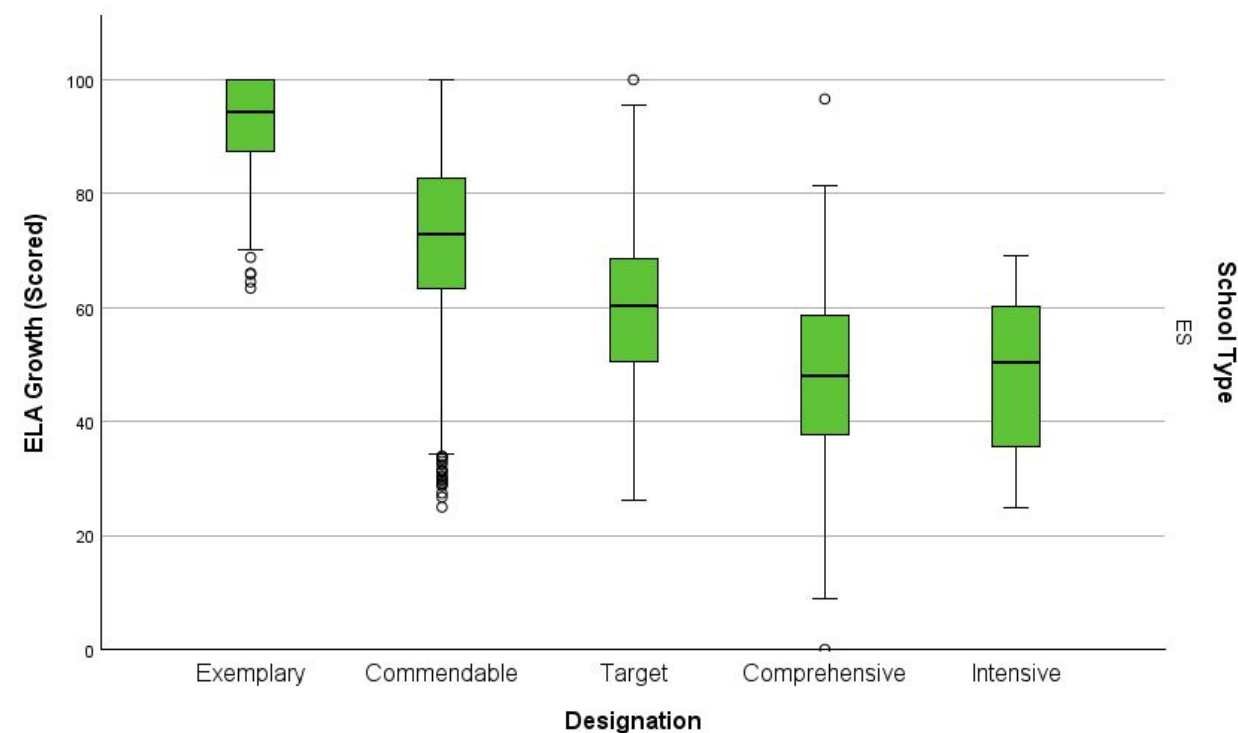
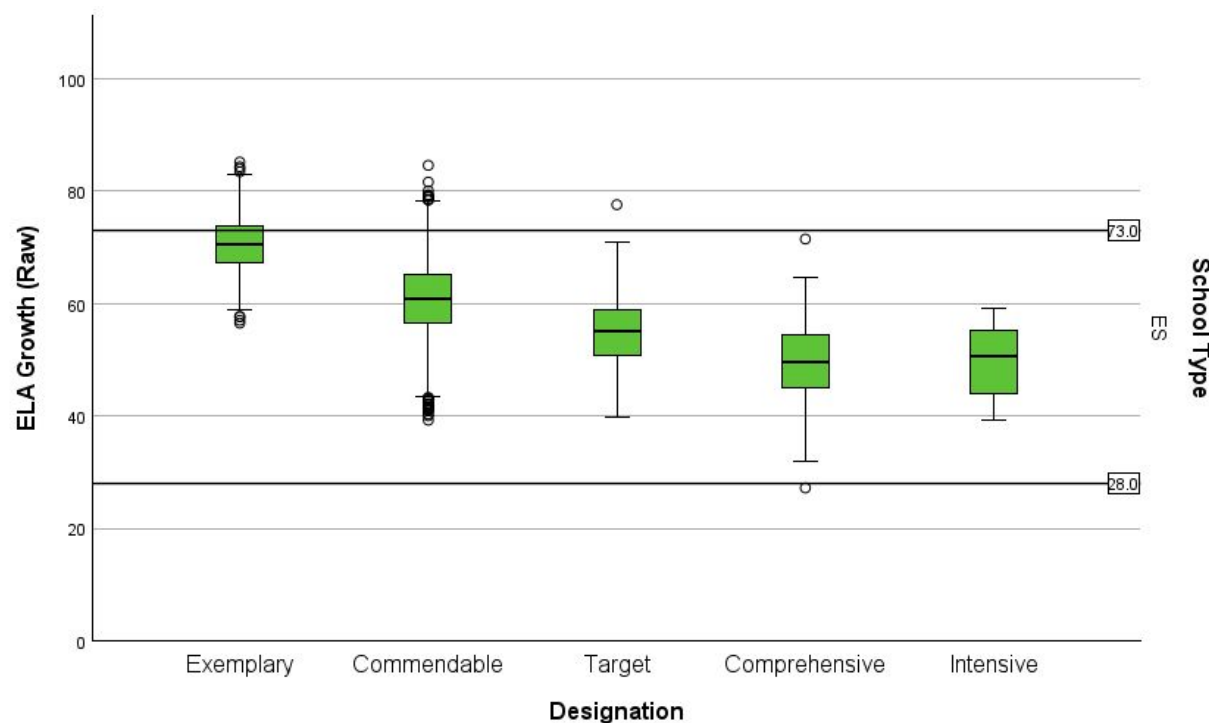
$0 \leq (\%ELAProf / \%ELATargetProf) < 1$
 $(\%ELAProf / \%ELATargetProf) \geq 1$



$((\%ELAProf / \%ELATargetProf) * 100)$ Points
 100 Points

ELA Growth

(Raw vs. Scored, ES Only)



Computation

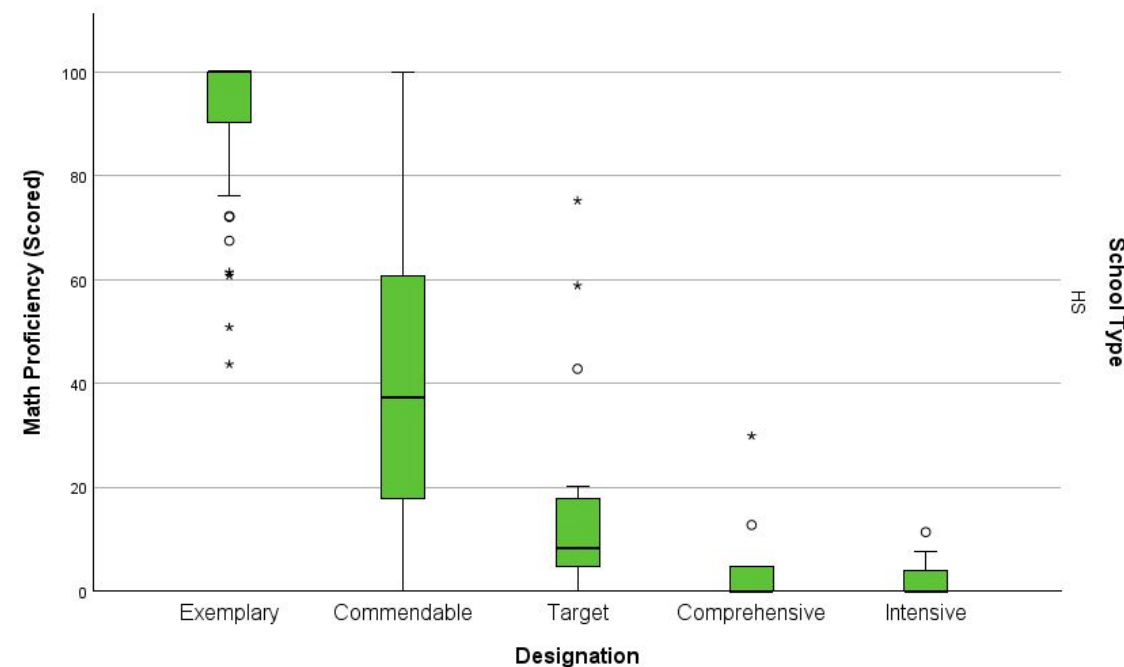
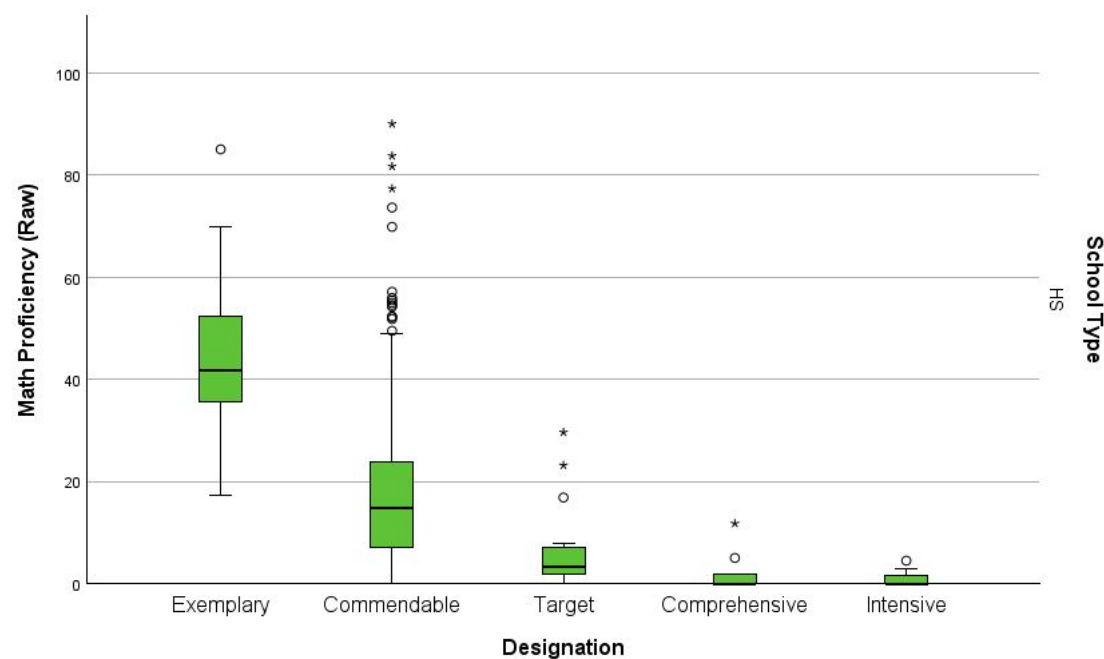
MeanSGP \leq 28
 28 < MeanSGP < 73
 MeanSGP \geq 73



0 Points
 (MeanSGP * 2.22 - 62.22) Points
 100 Points

Math Proficiency

(Raw vs. Scored, HS Only)



Computation

$0 \leq (\% \text{MathProf} / \% \text{MathTargetProf}) < 1$
Points



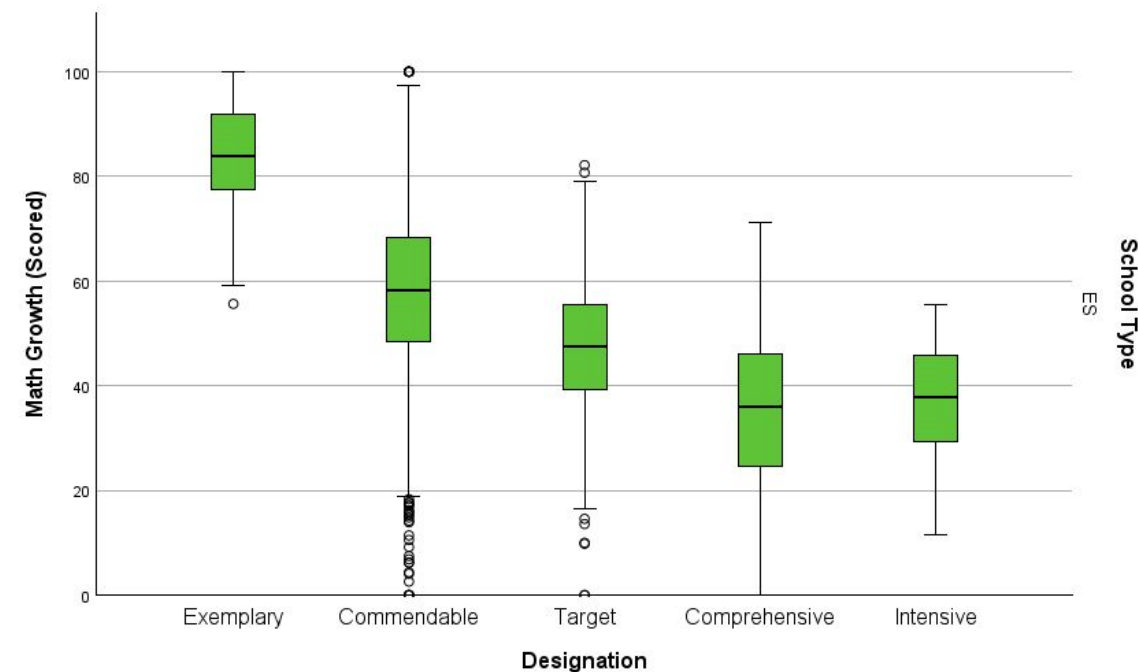
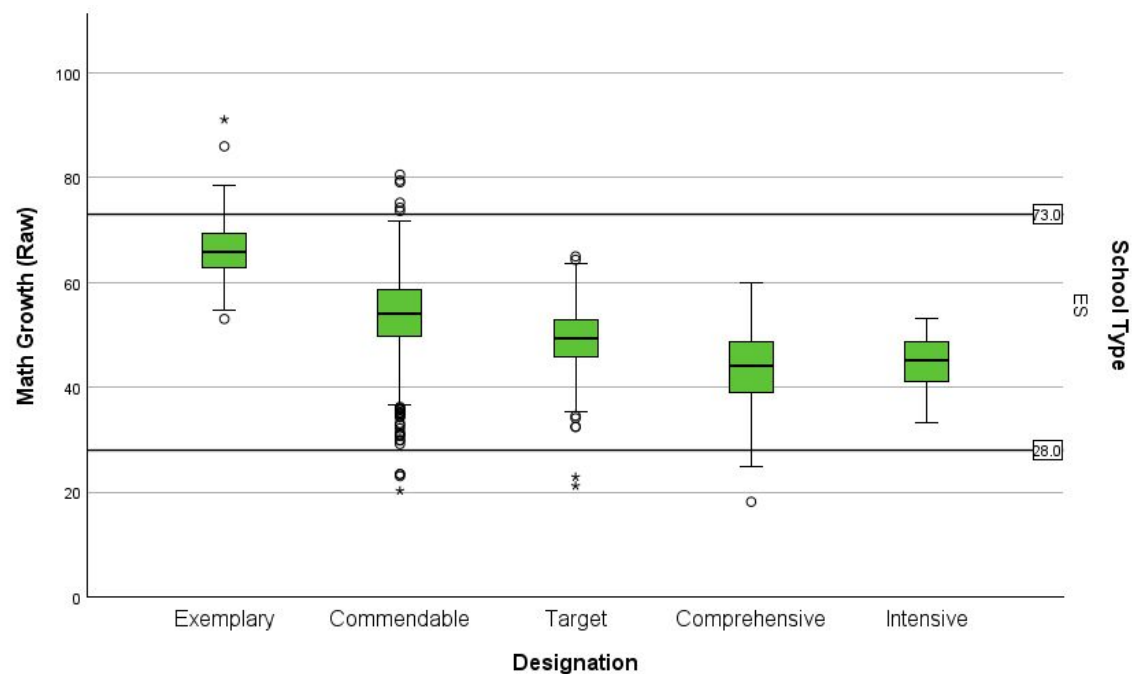
$(\% \text{MathProf} / \% \text{MathTargetProf}) \geq 1$

$((\% \text{MathProf} / \% \text{MathTargetProf}) * 100)$

100 Points

Math Growth

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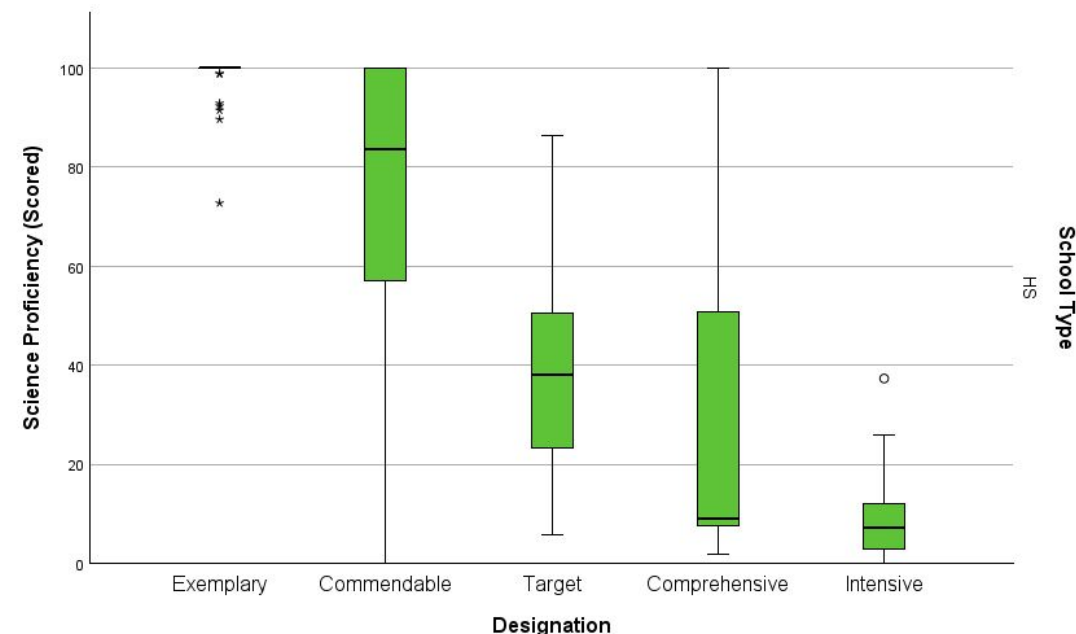
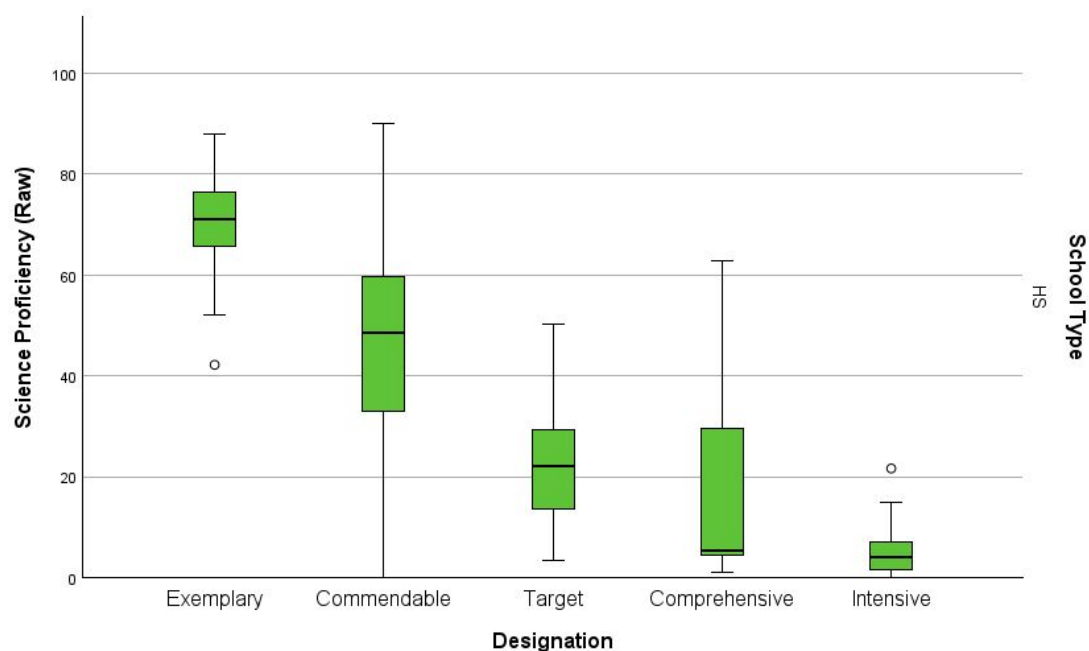
Computation

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Science Proficiency (Raw vs. Scored, HS Only)



Computation

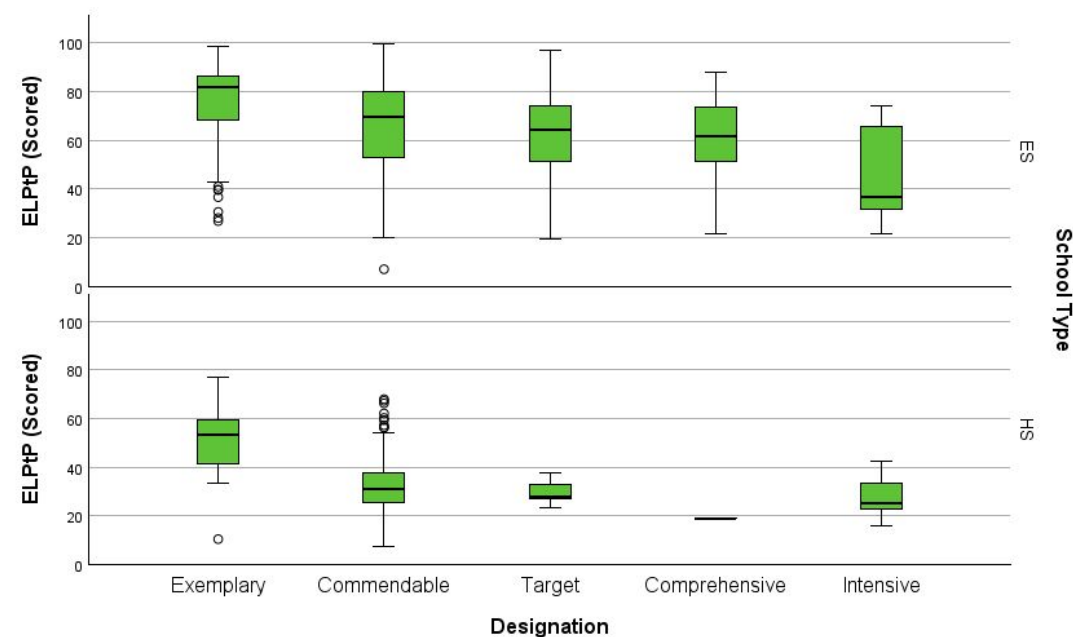
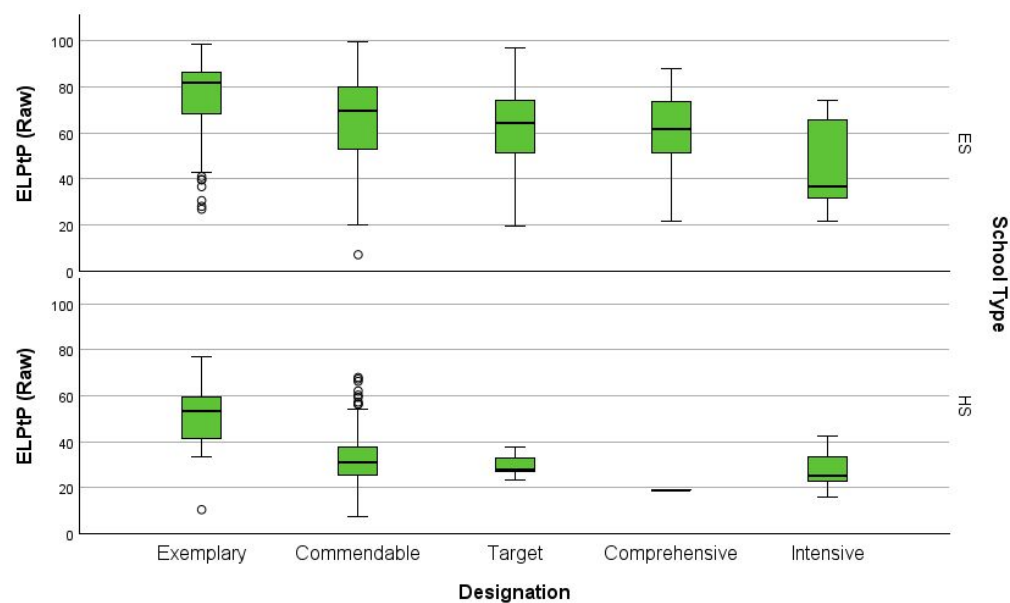
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$((\%SciProf / \%SciTargetProf) * 100)$ Points
 100 Points

ELPtP

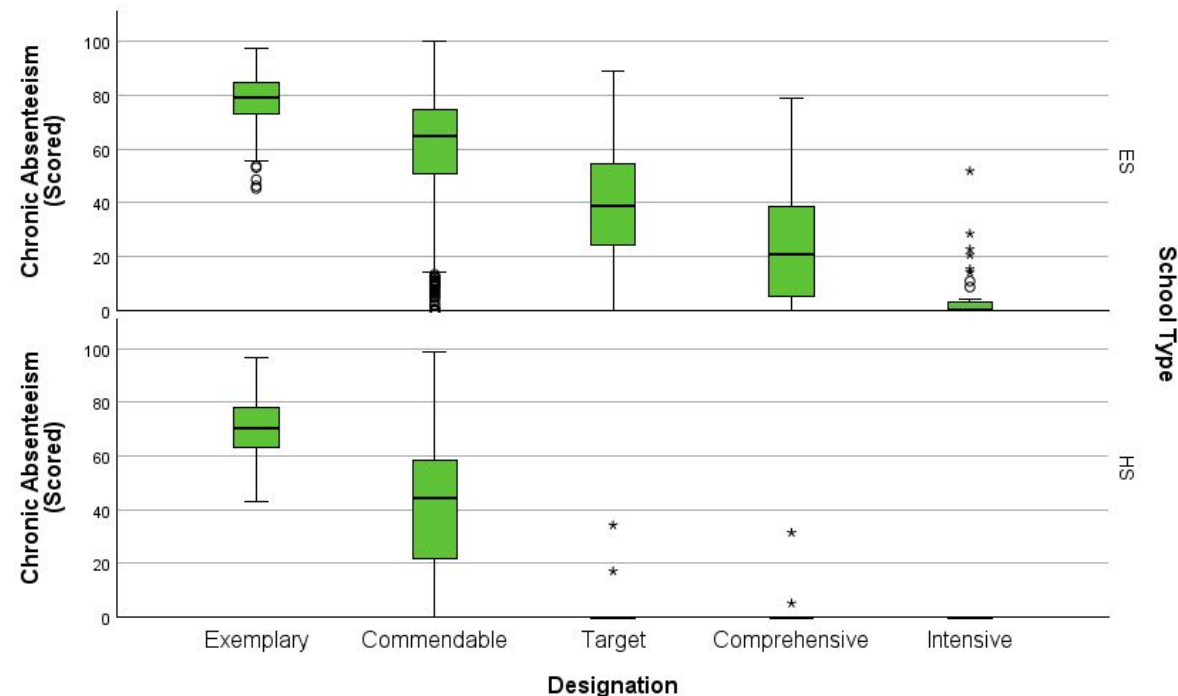
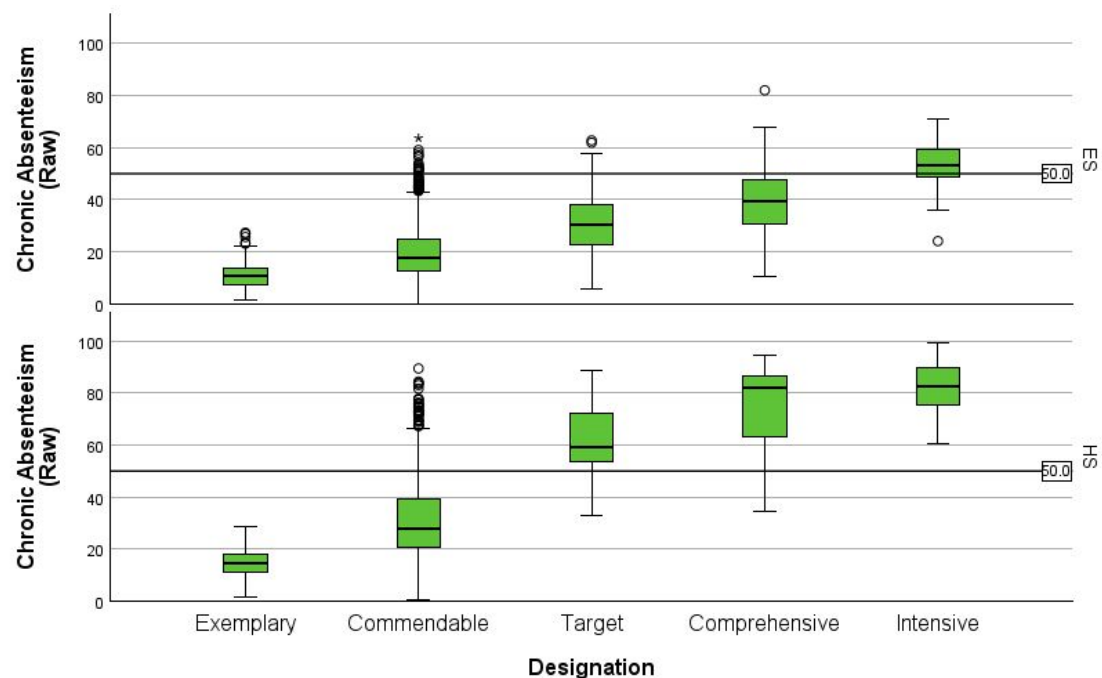
(Raw vs. Scored)



Raw and scored values are identical

Chronic Absenteeism

(Raw vs. Scored)



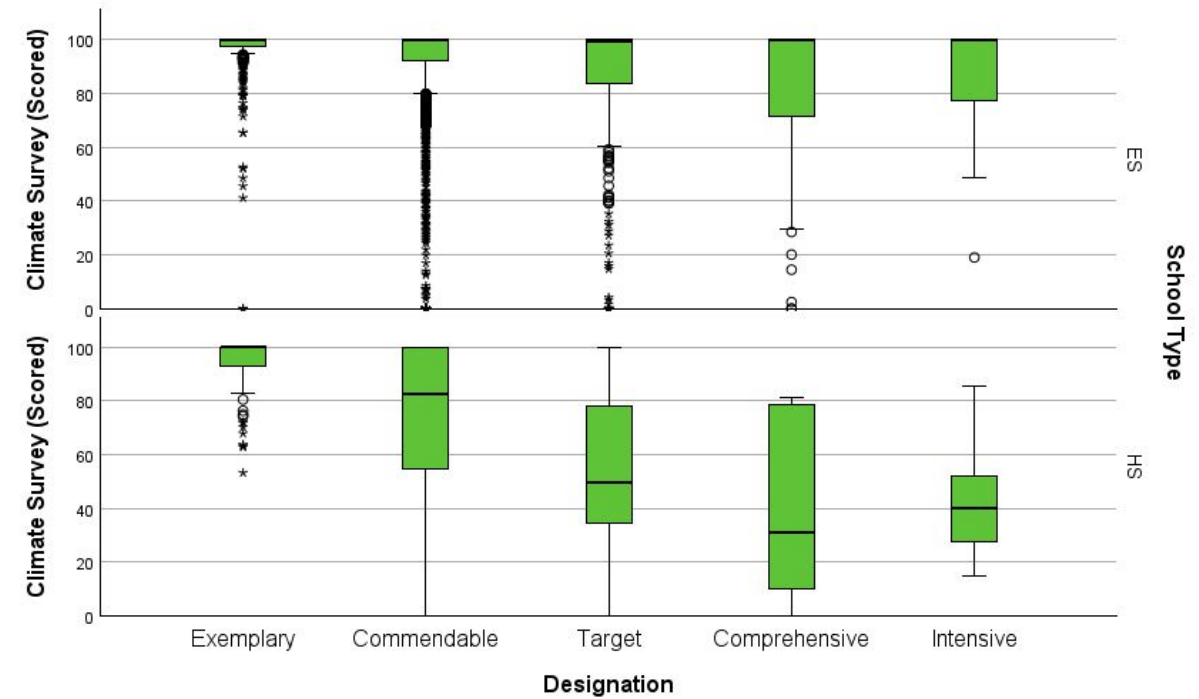
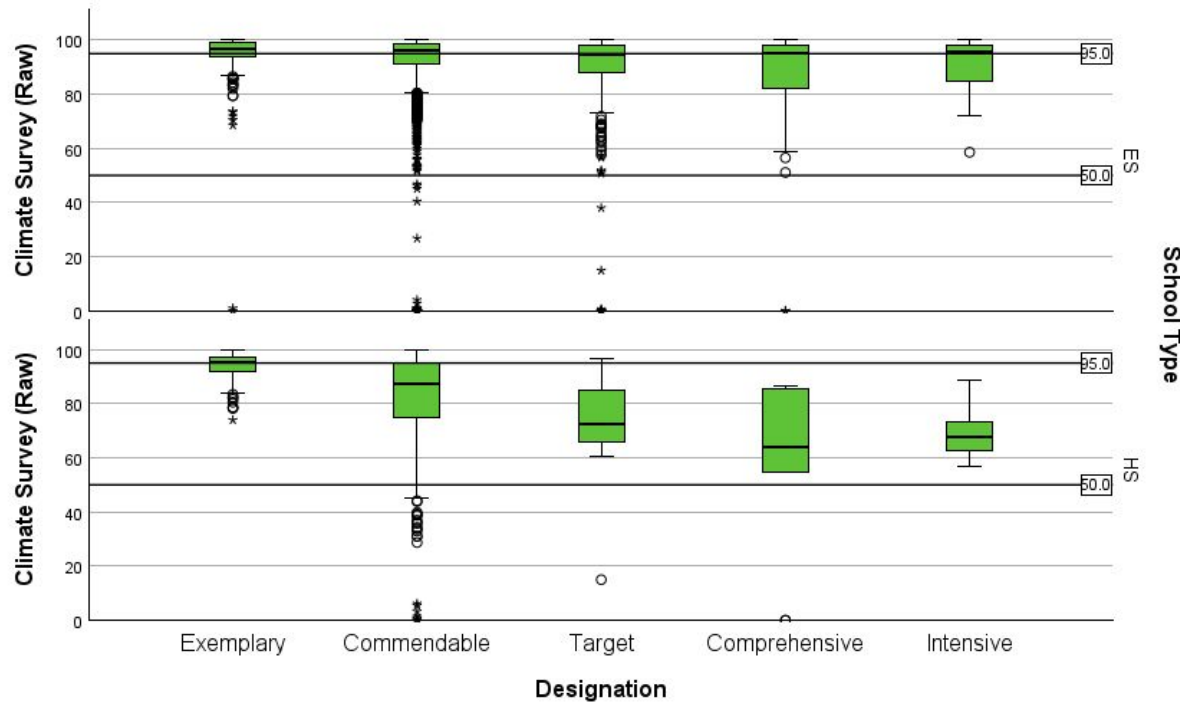
Computation

0% ≤ ChronicAbsent < 50%
ChronicAbsent ≥ 50%



(100 – ChronicAbsent*2) Points
0 Points

Climate Survey [Participation] (Raw vs. Scored)



Computation

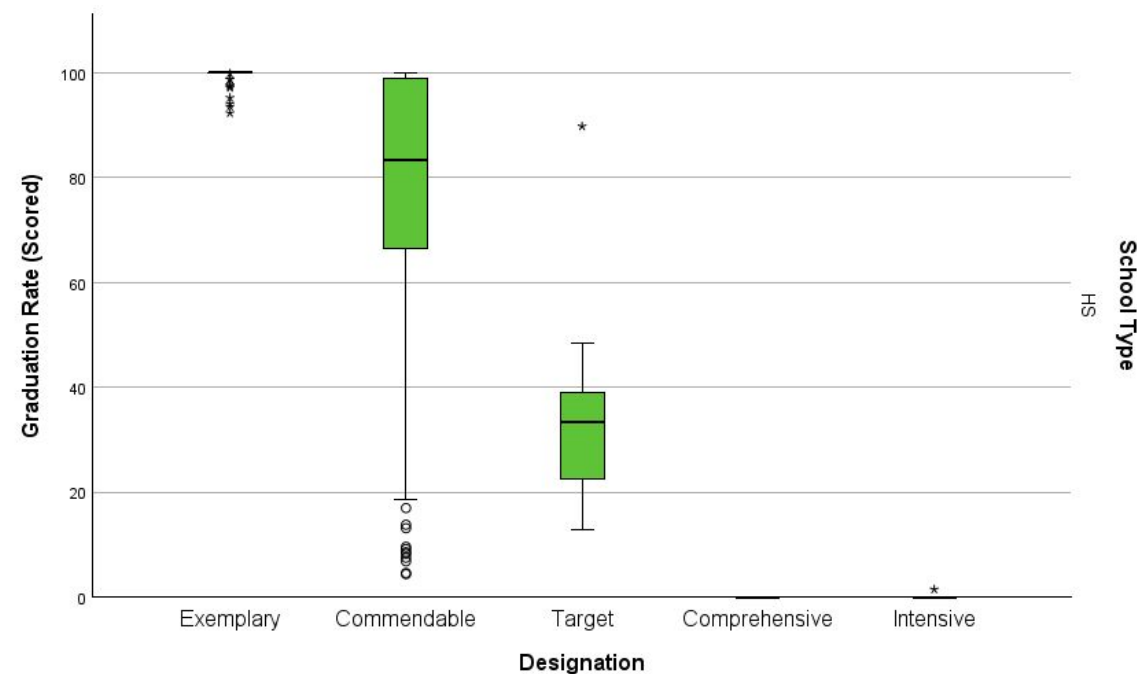
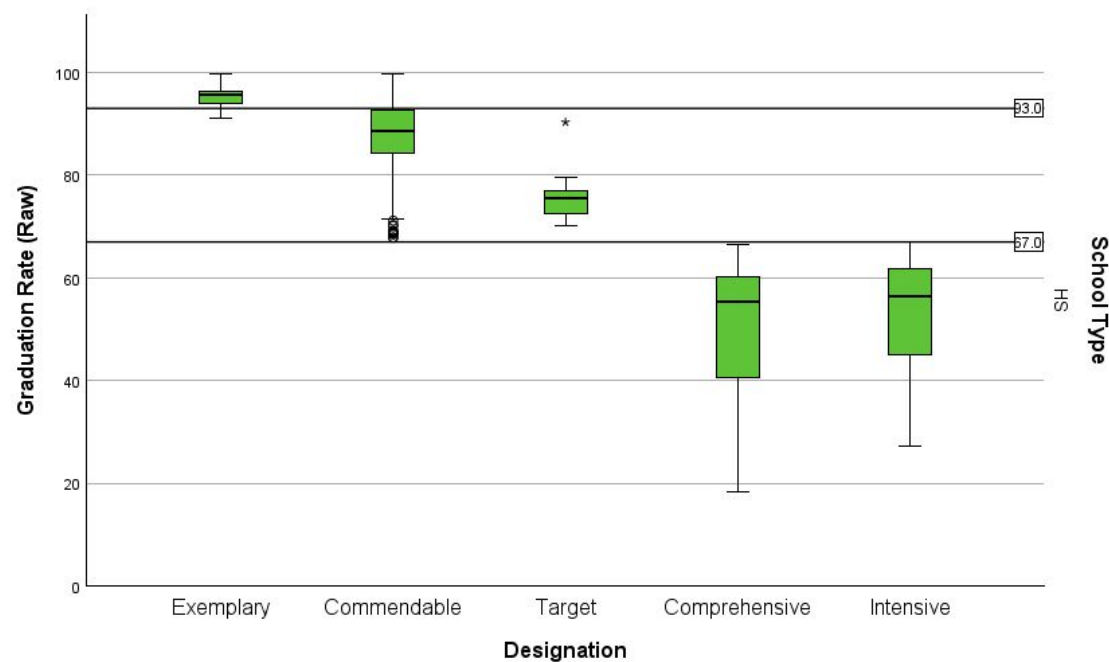
$0\% \leq \text{ClimateSurvey} \leq 50\%$
 $50\% < \text{ClimateSurvey} < 95\%$
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0 Points
 $(\text{ClimateSurvey} * 2.22 - 111.11)$ Points
 100 Points

Graduation Rate

(Raw vs. Scored, HS Only)



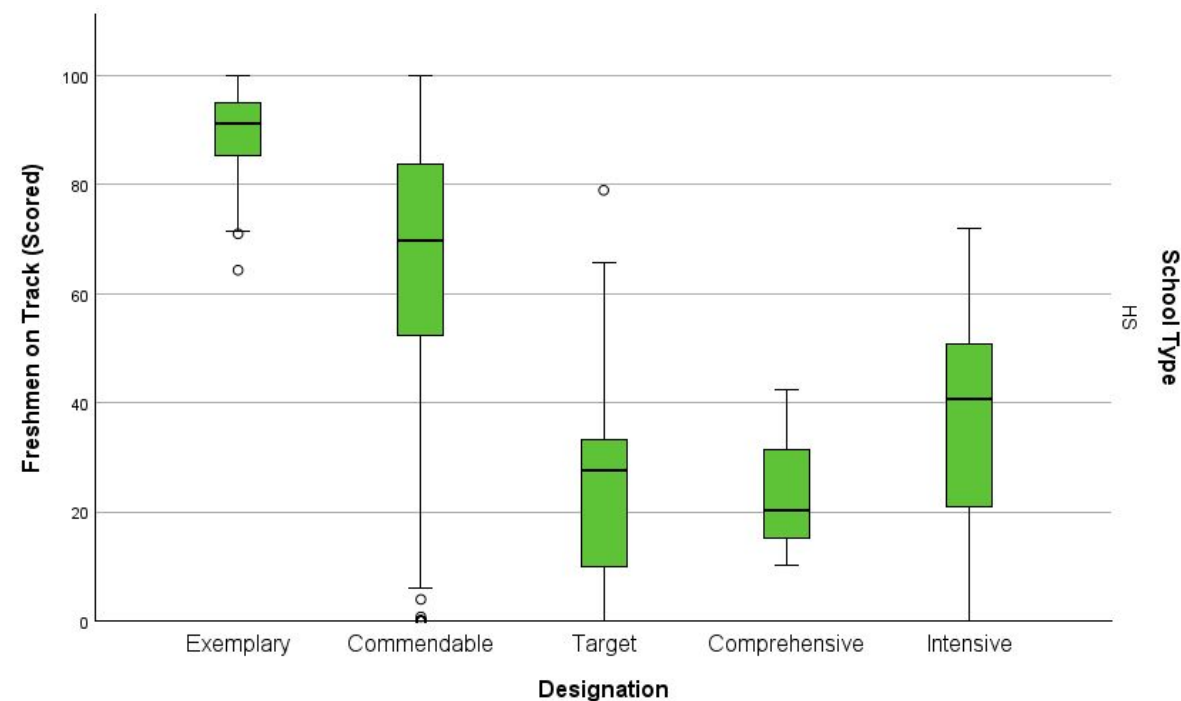
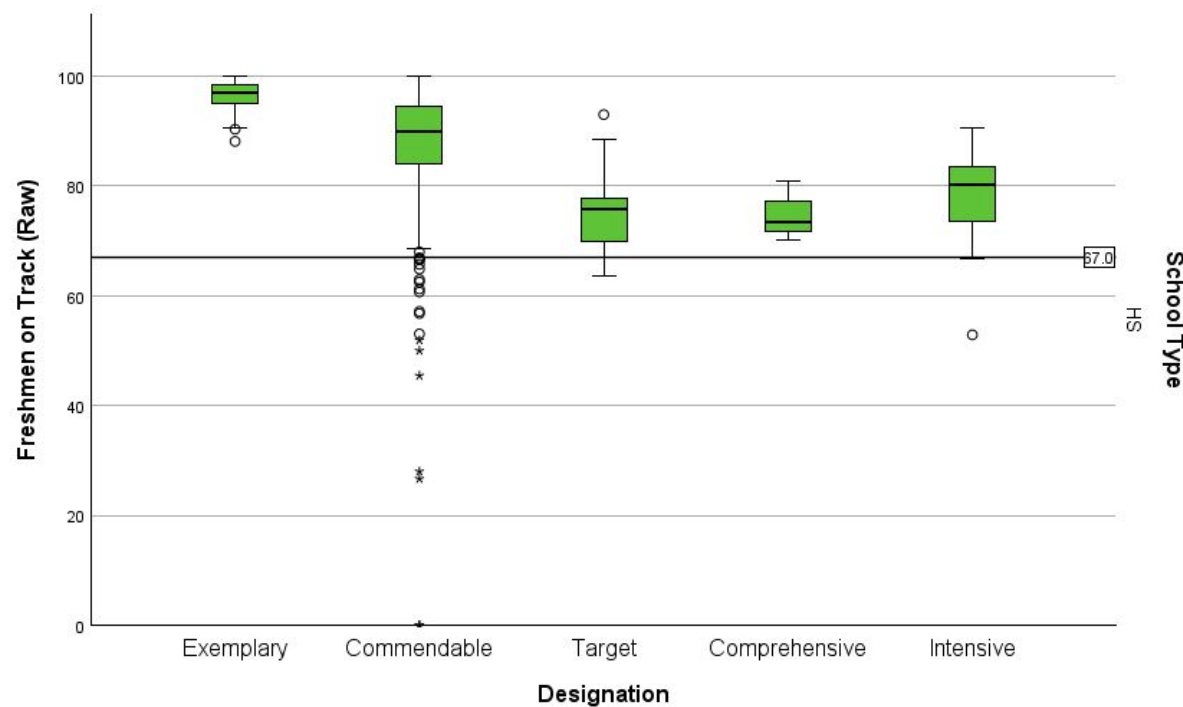
Computation

$0\% \leq \text{GradRate} \leq 66.667\%$
 $66.667\% < \text{GradRate} < 93\%$
 $\text{GradRate} \geq 93\%$



0 Points
 $(\text{GradRate} * 3.7975 - 253.16456)$ Points
 100 Points

Freshmen on Track (Raw vs. Scored, HS Only)



Computation

0% ≤ OnTrack ≤ 67%
67% < OnTrack < 100%
GradRate ≥ 67%

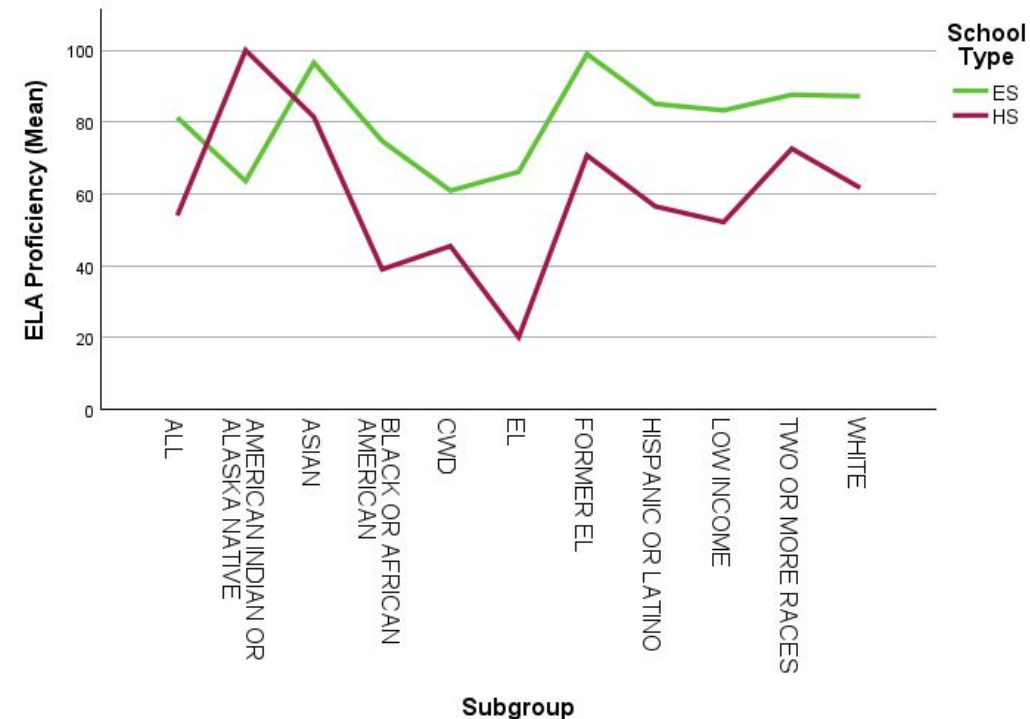
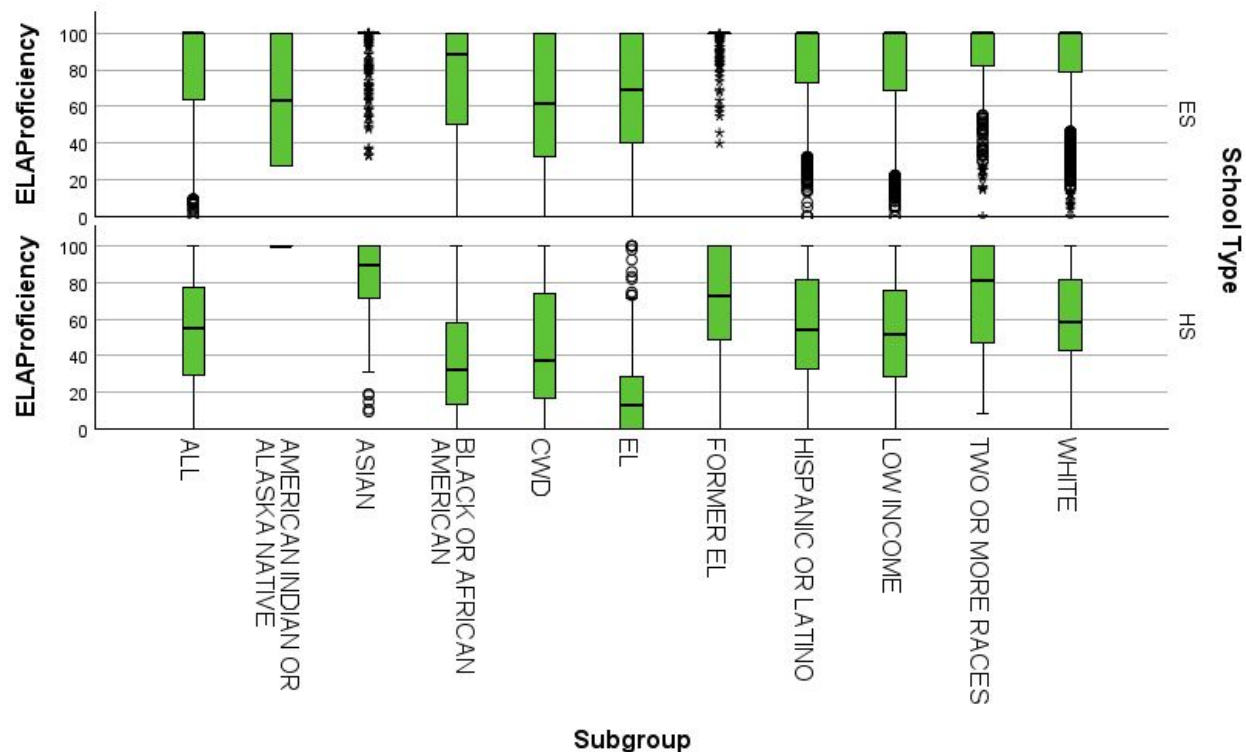


0 Points
((OnTrack – 66.6)*3) Points
100 Points

Indicator Distributions

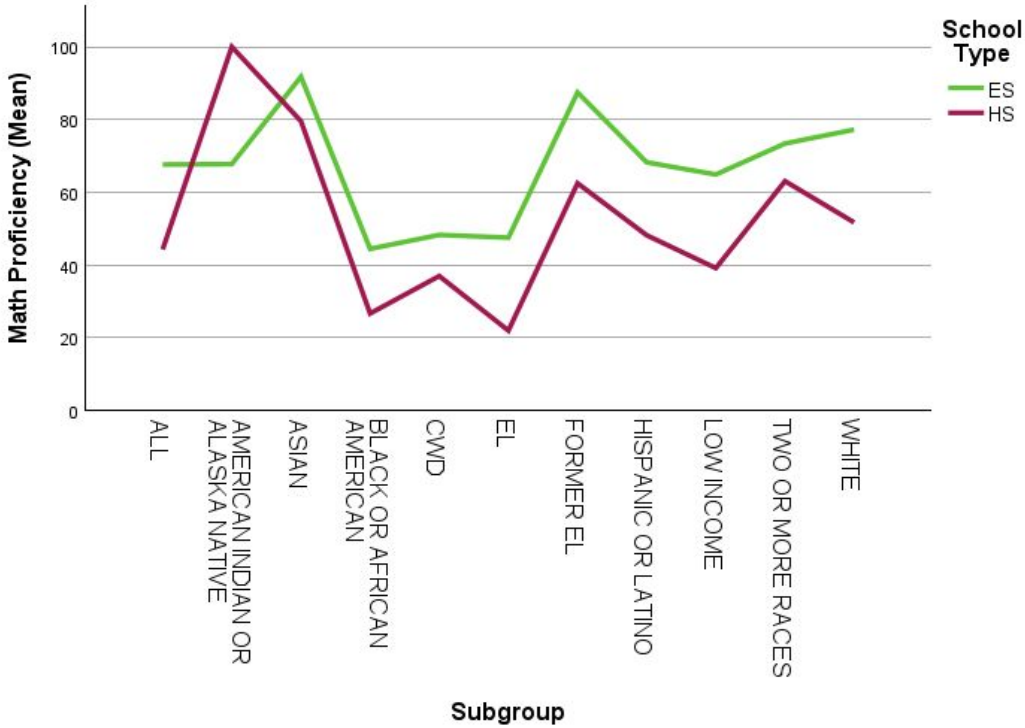
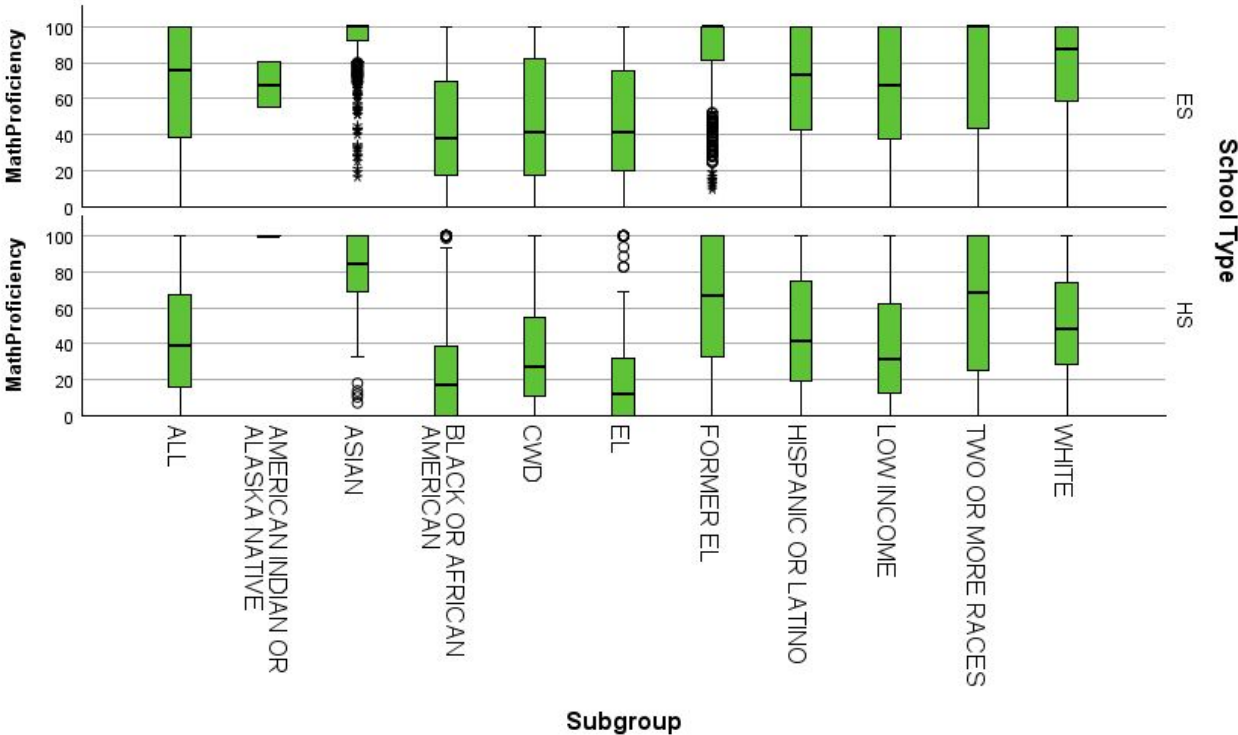
by Subgroup [Scored Values]

ELA Proficiency



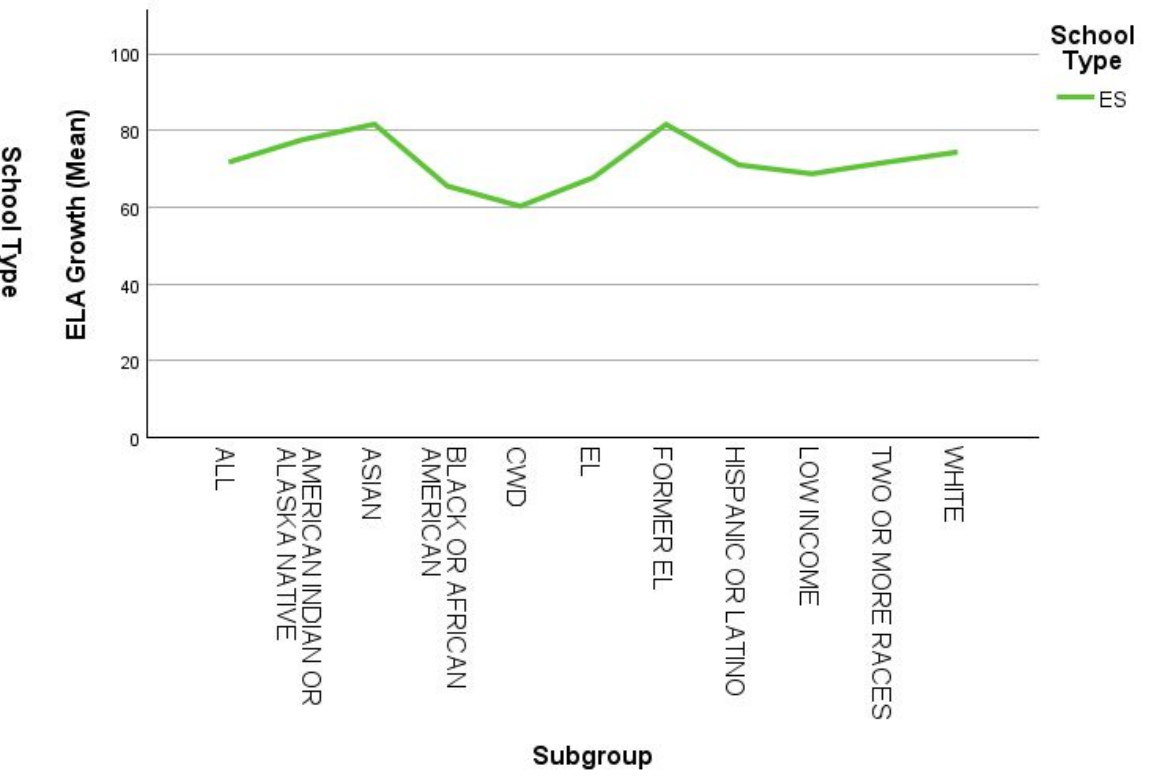
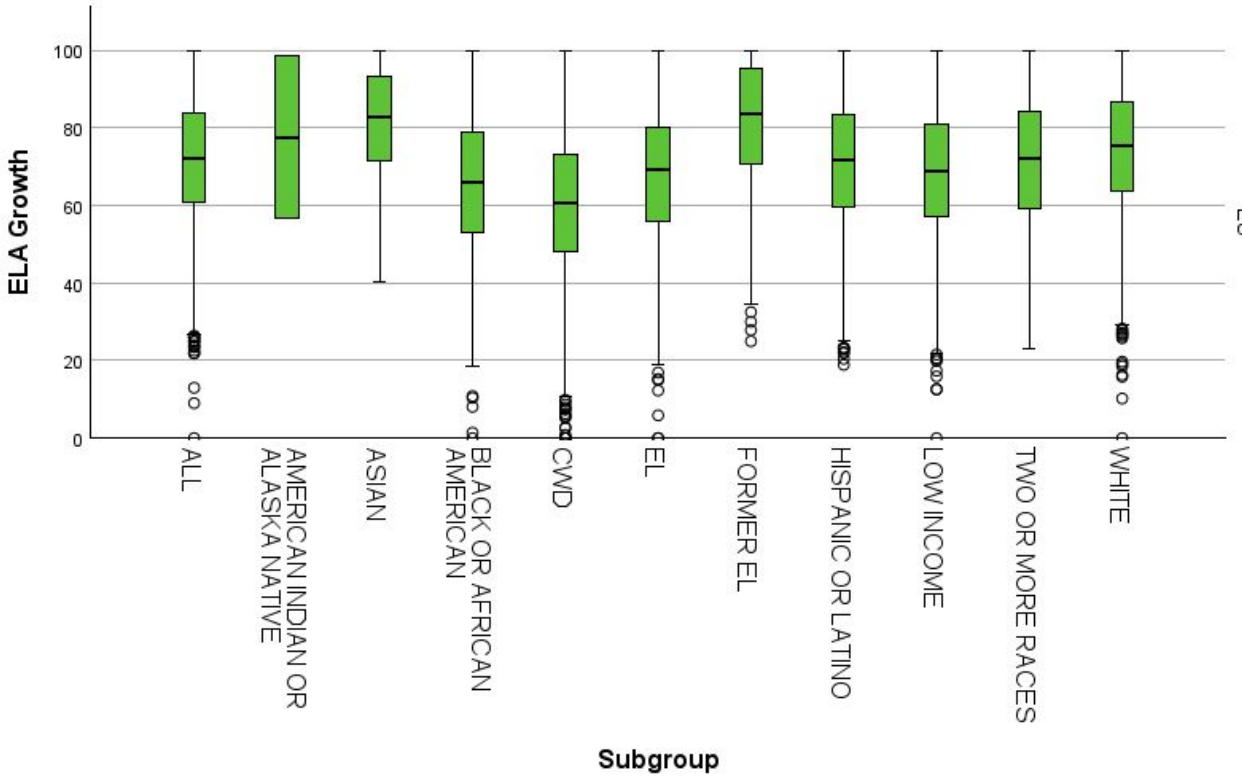
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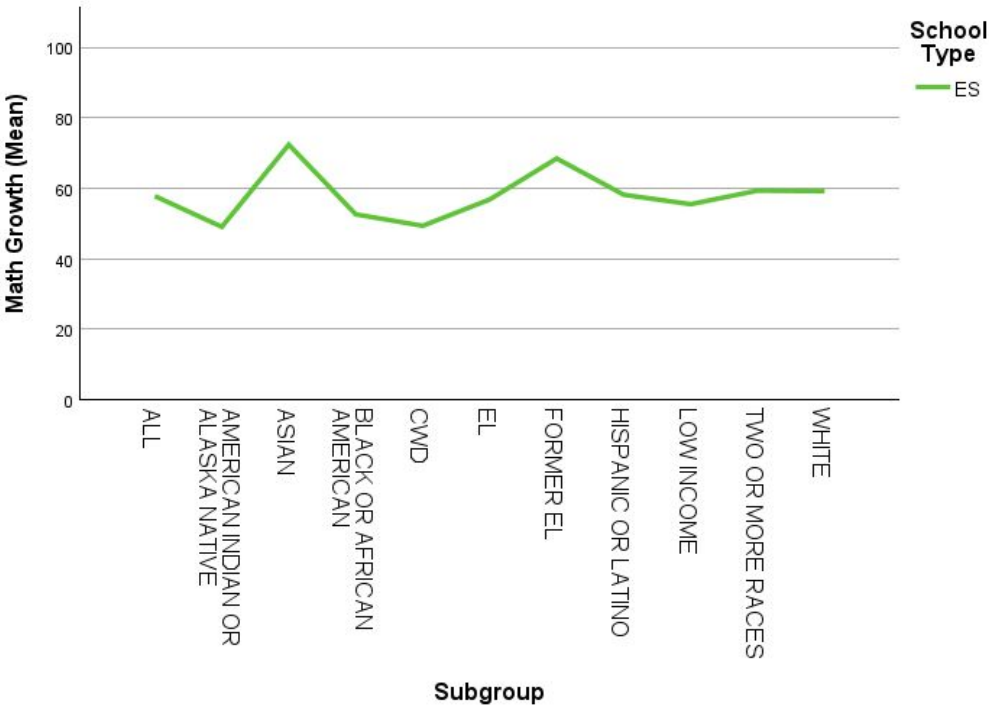
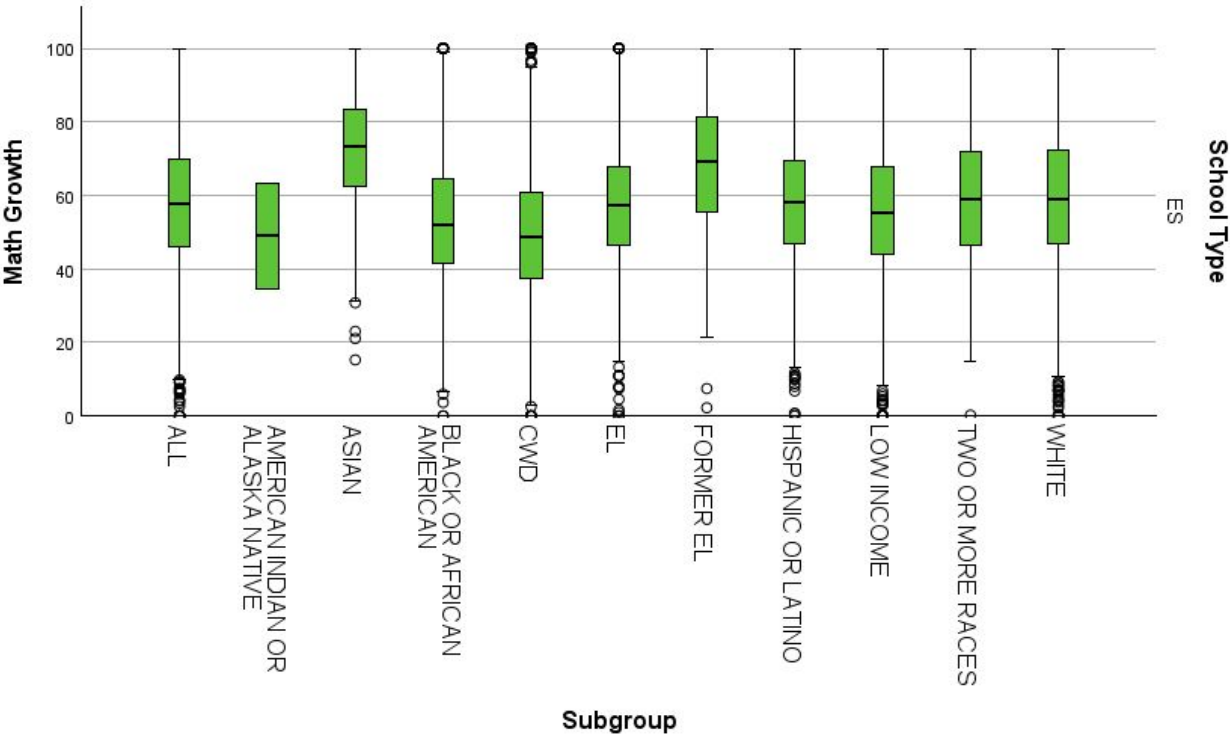
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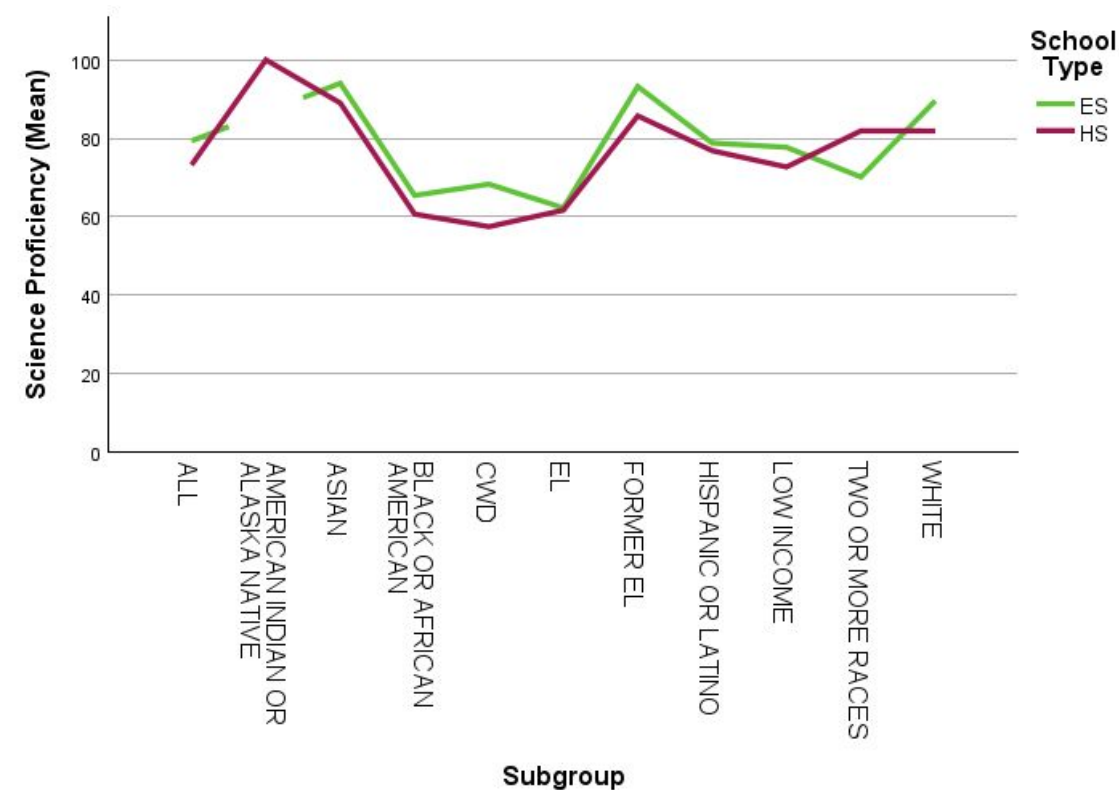
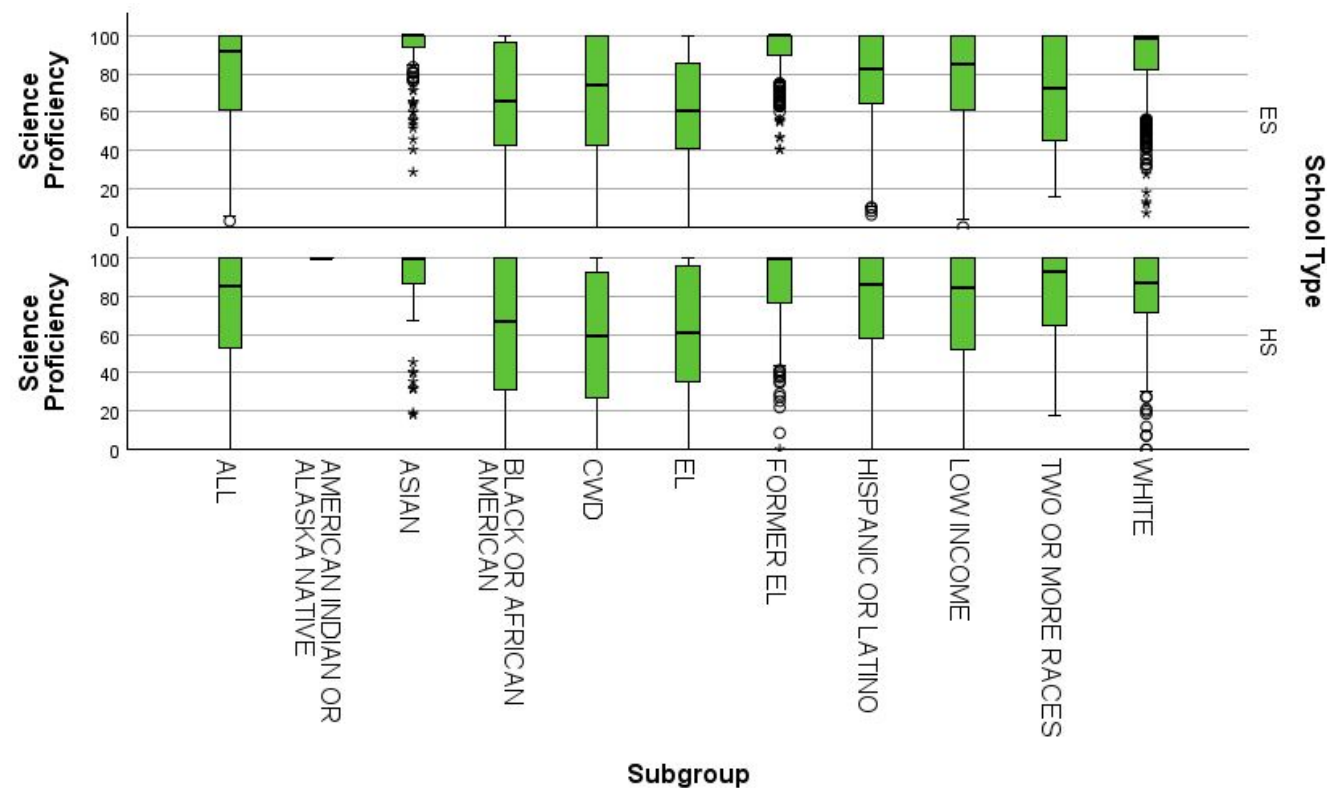
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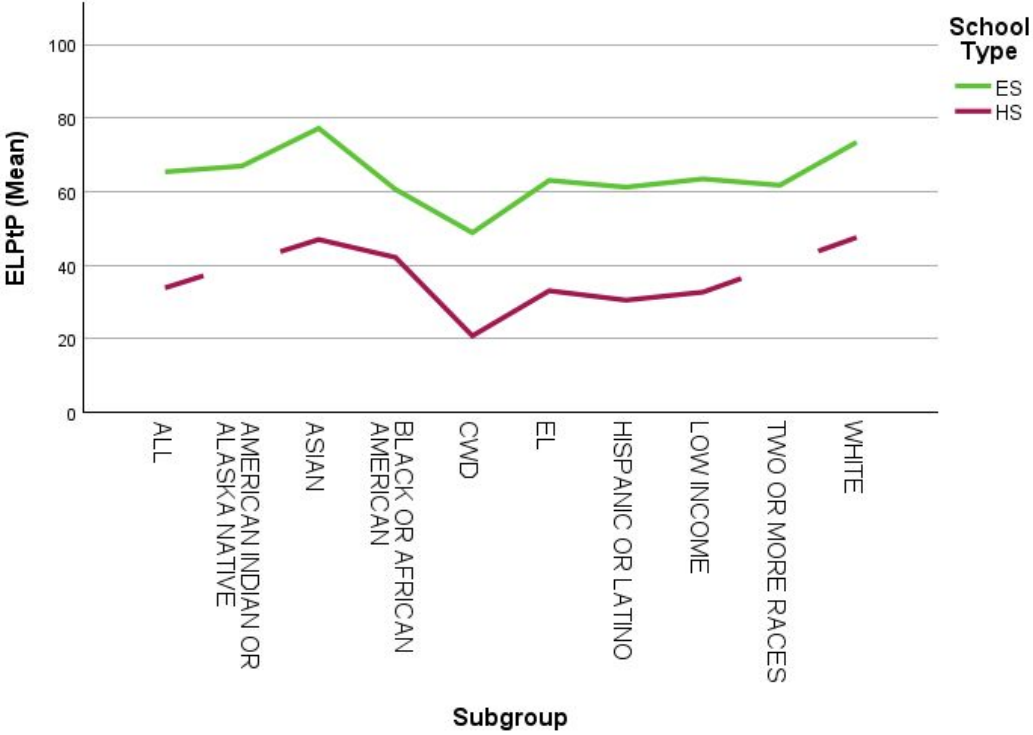
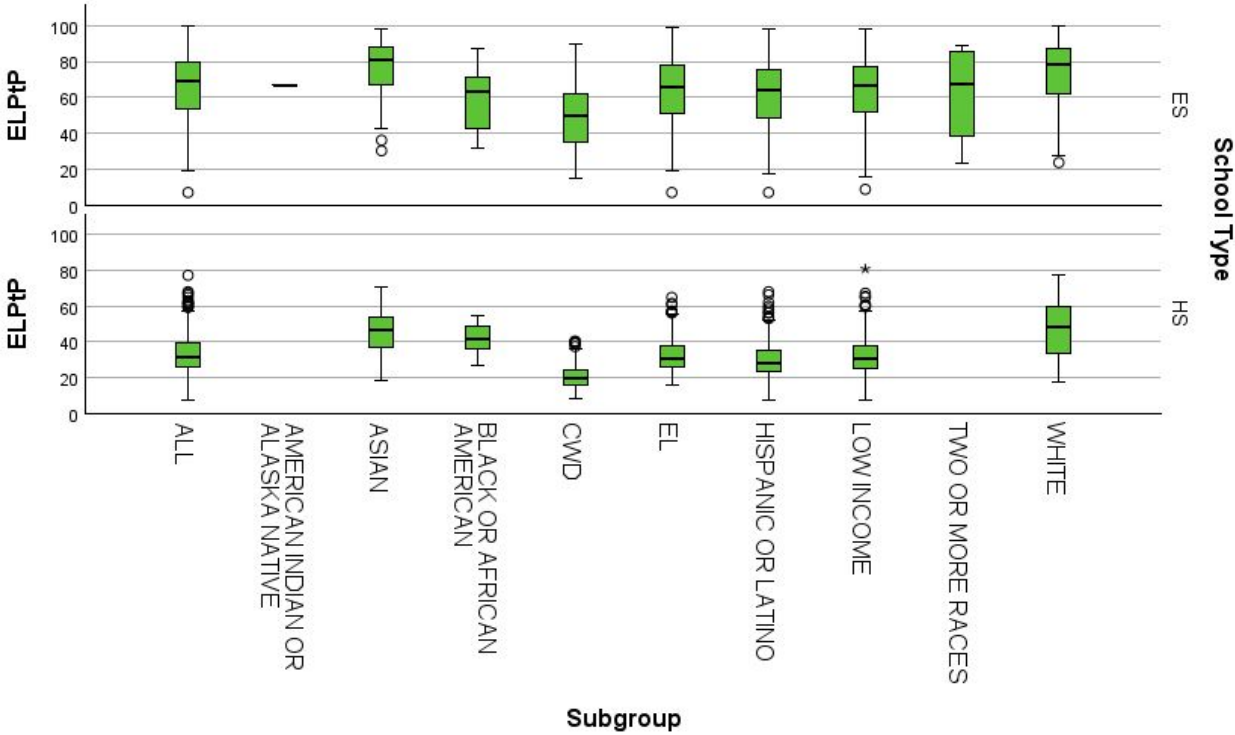
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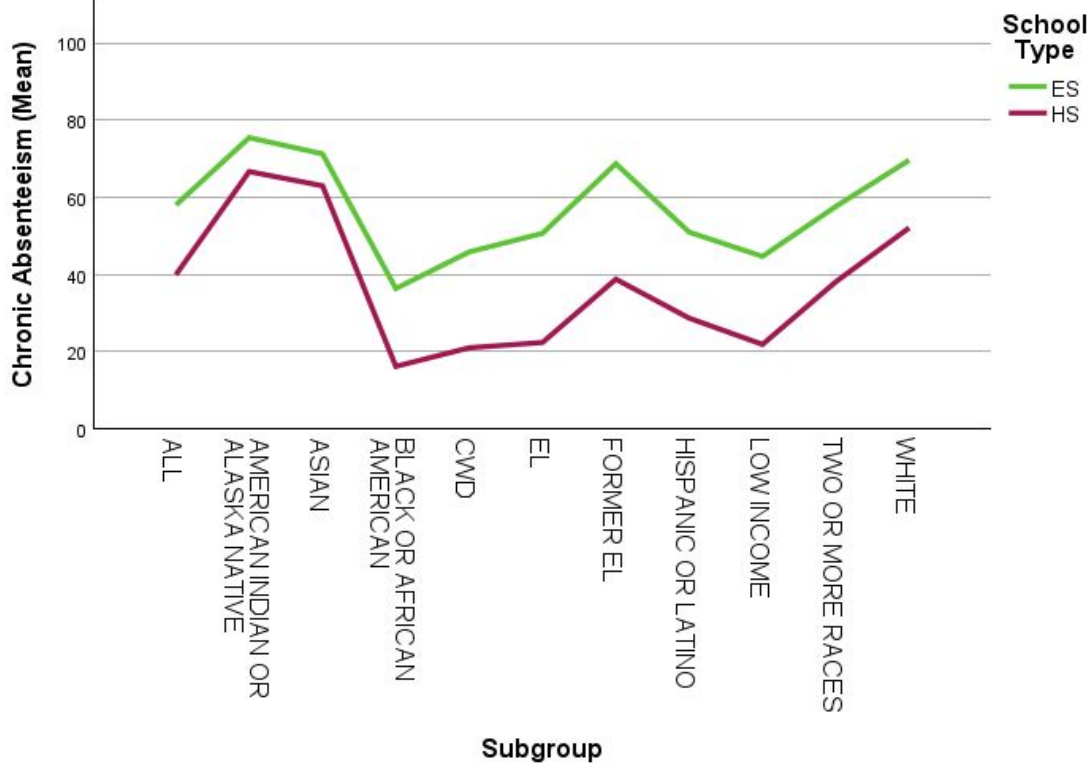
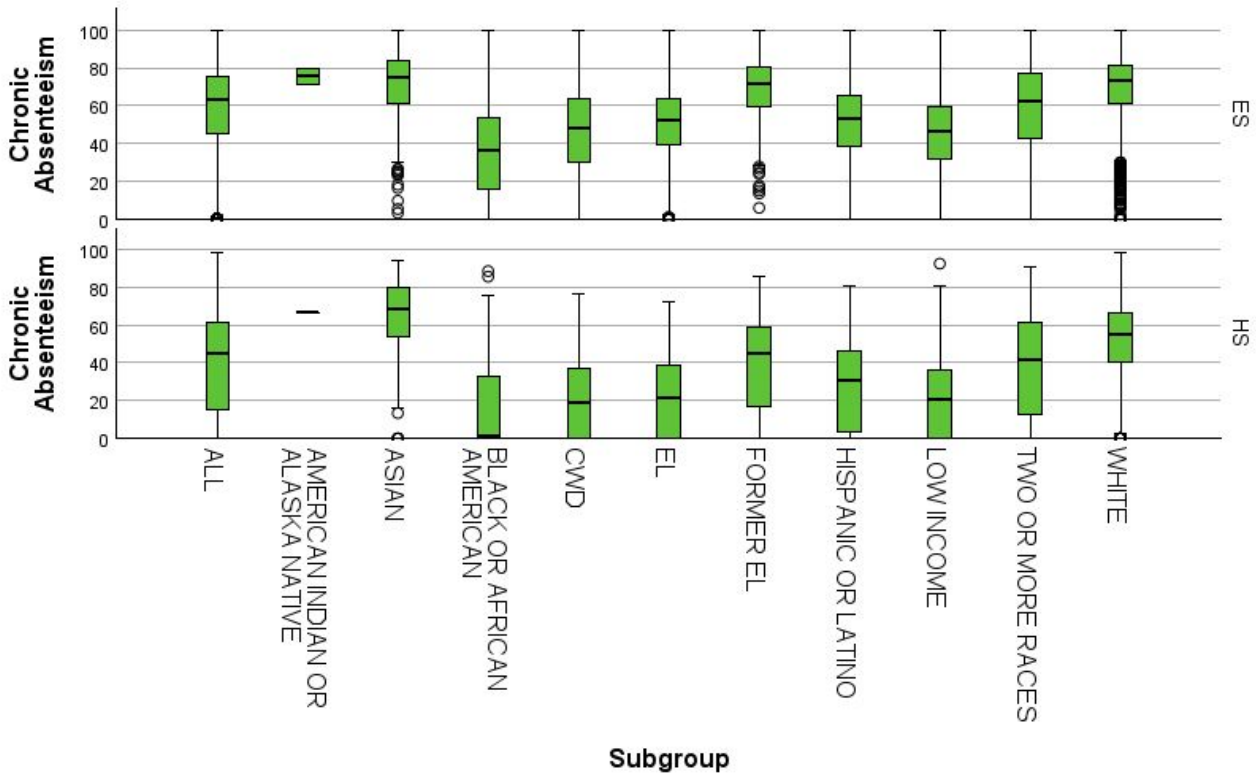
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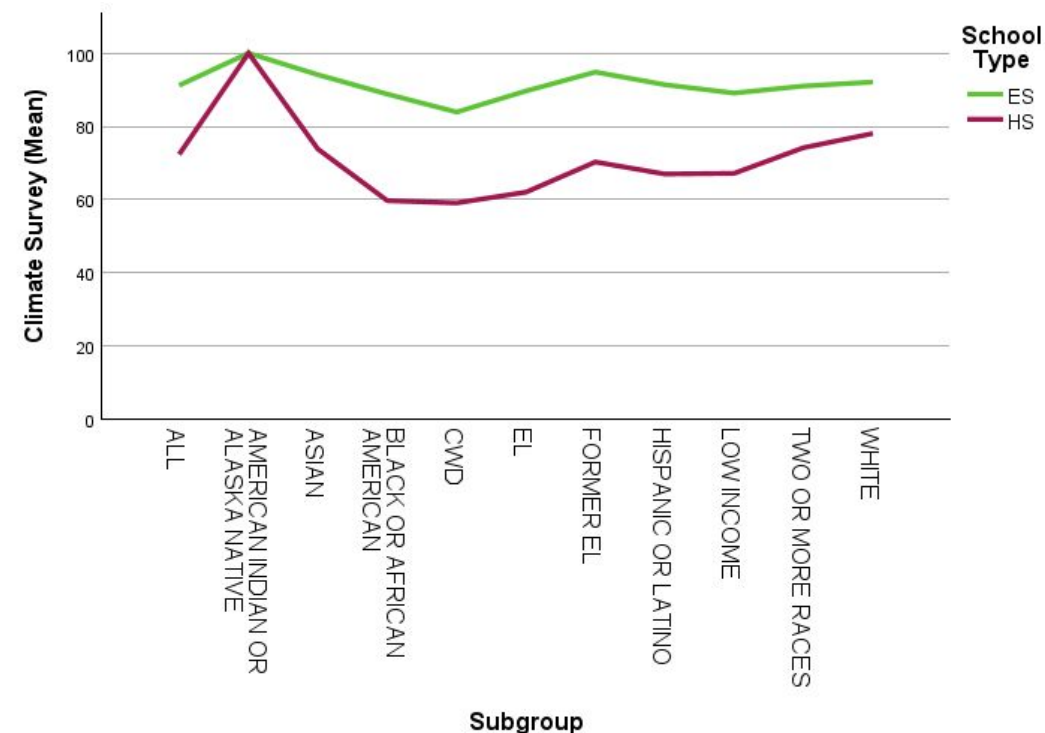
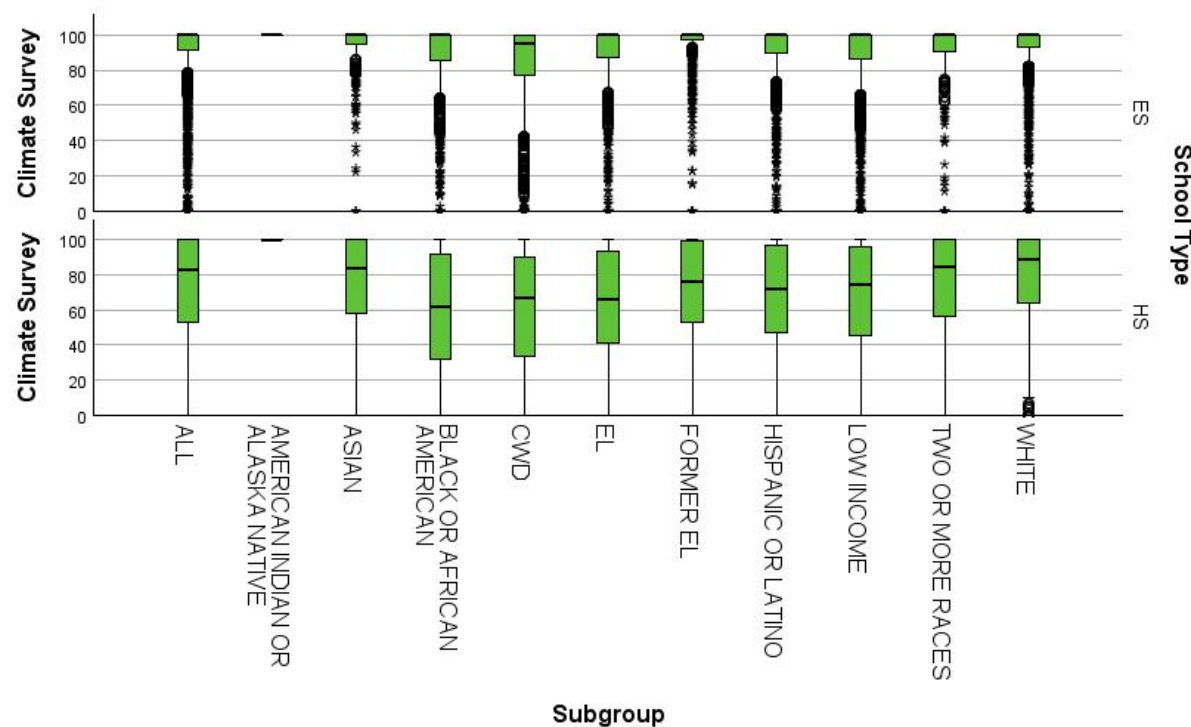
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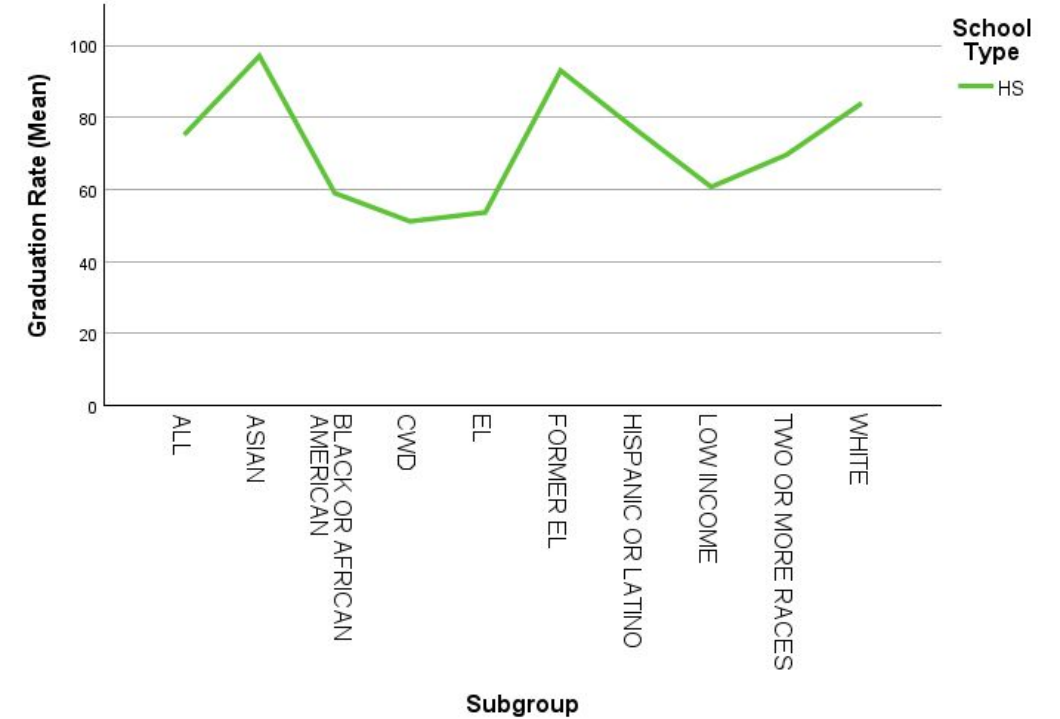
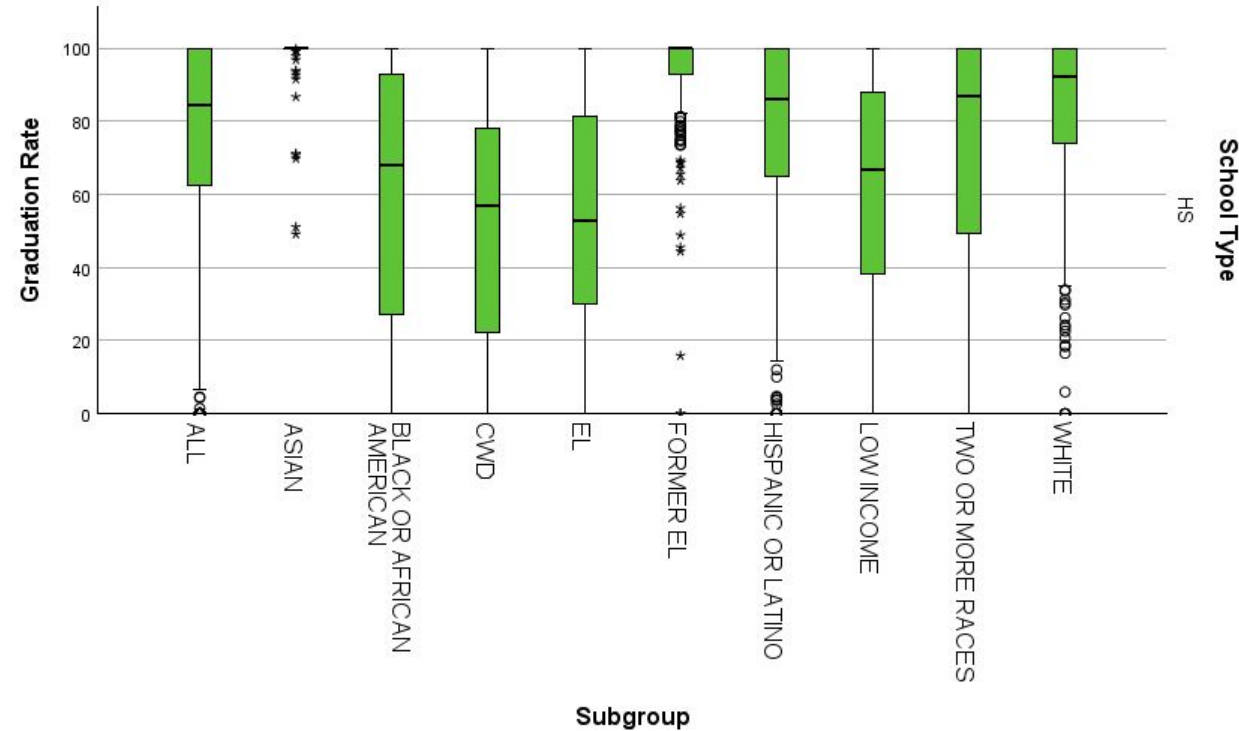
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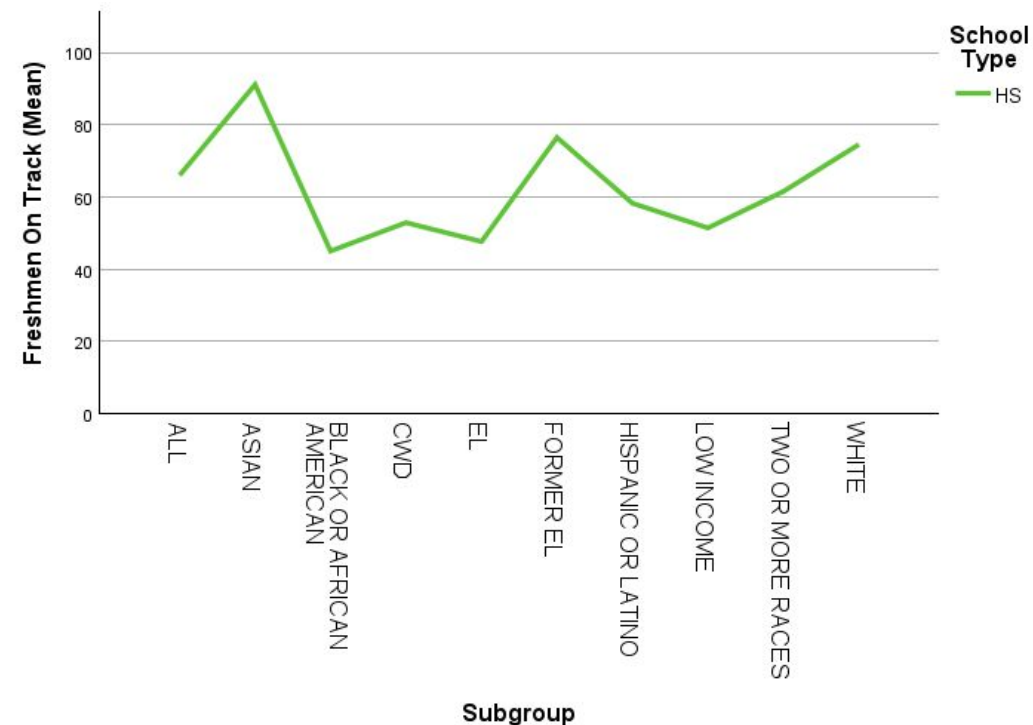
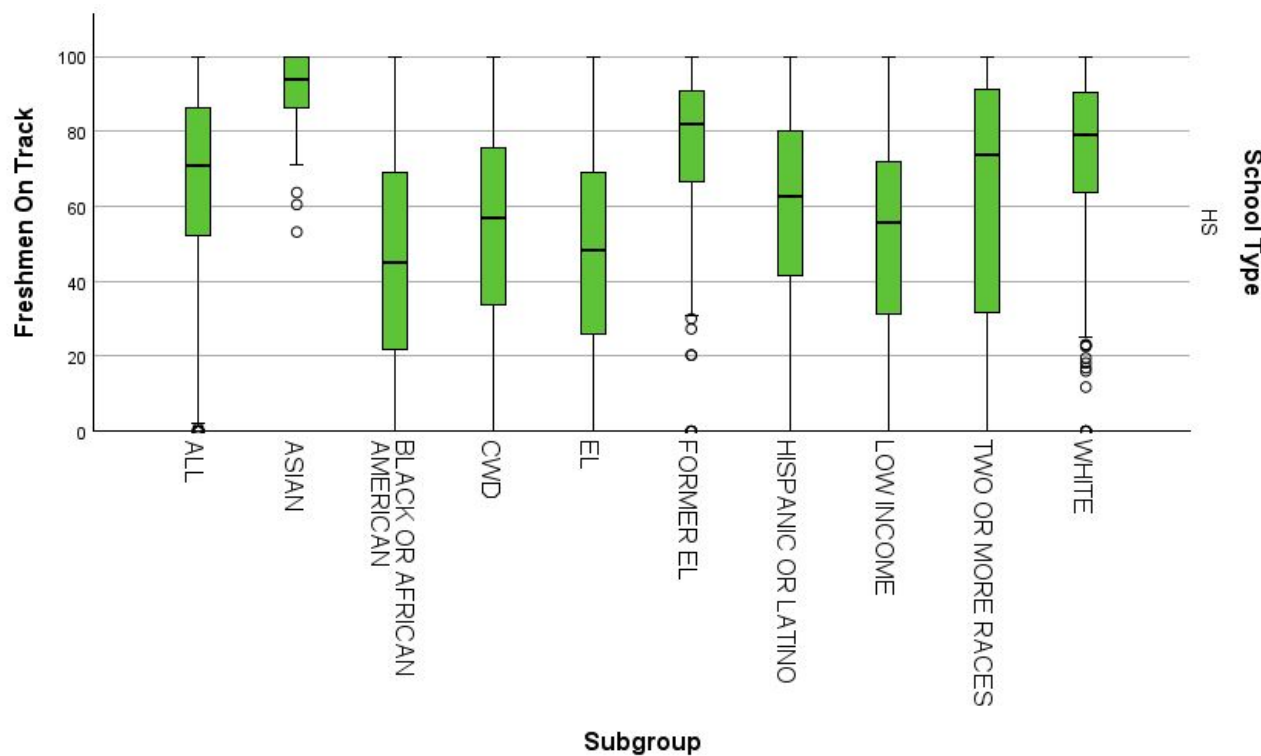
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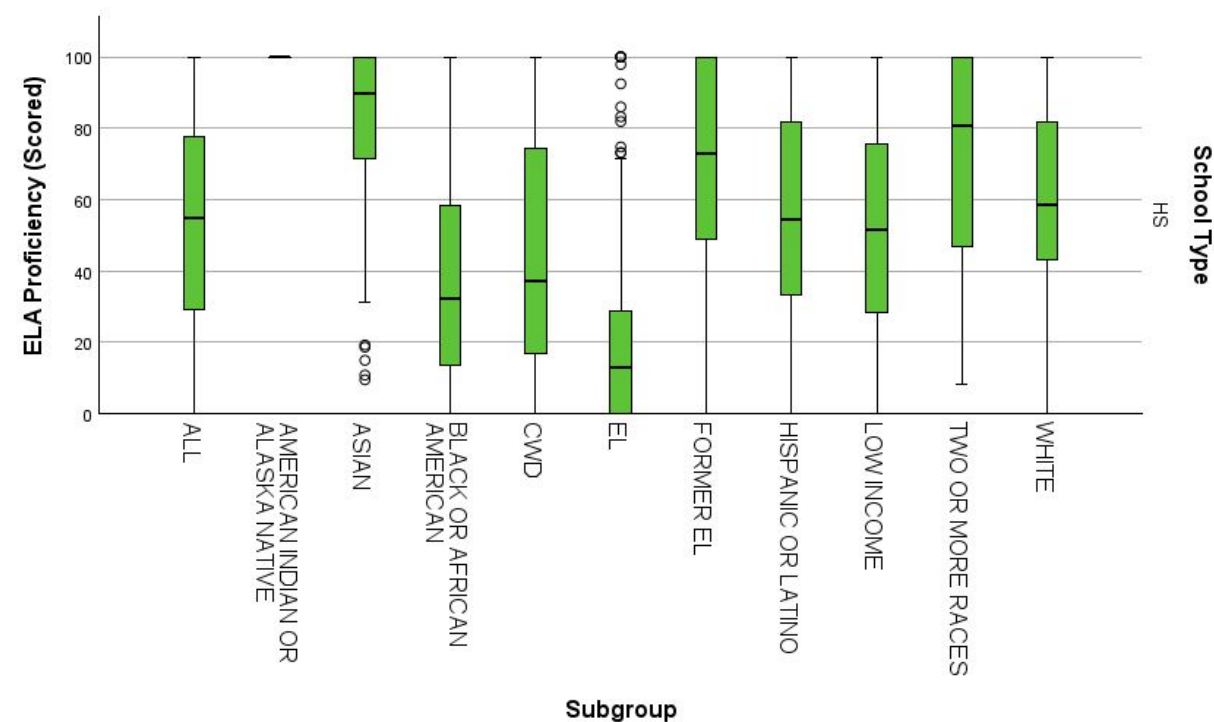
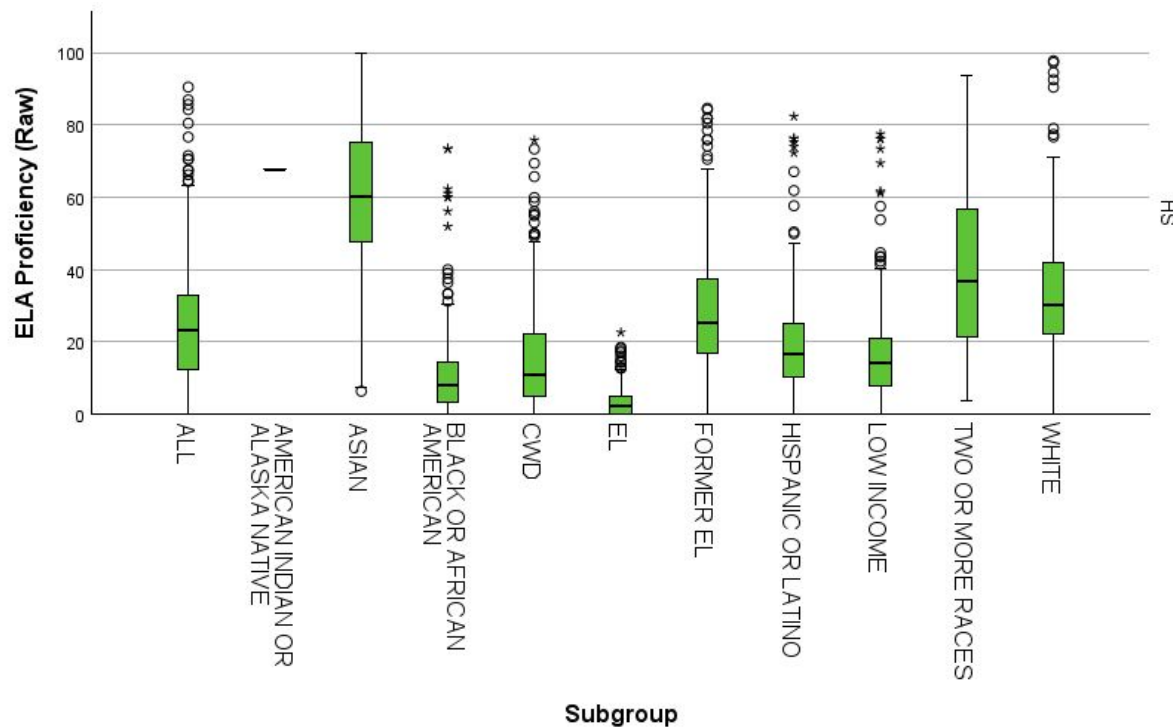
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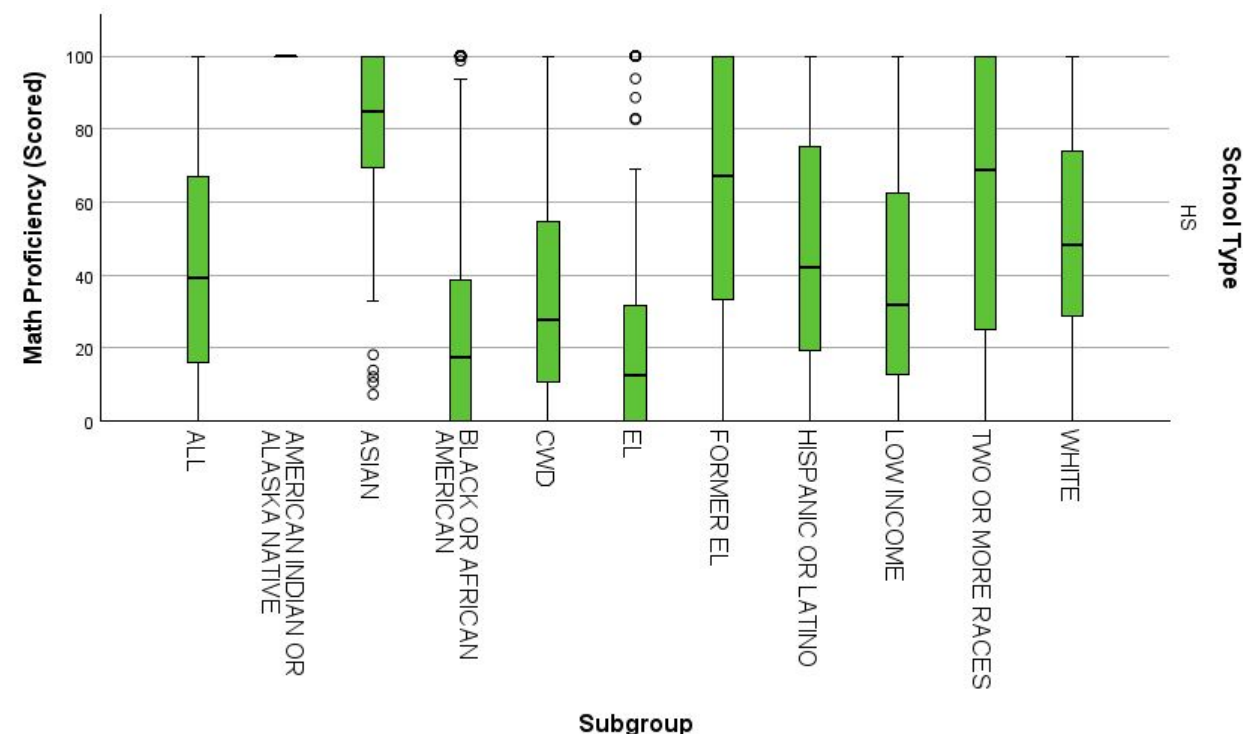
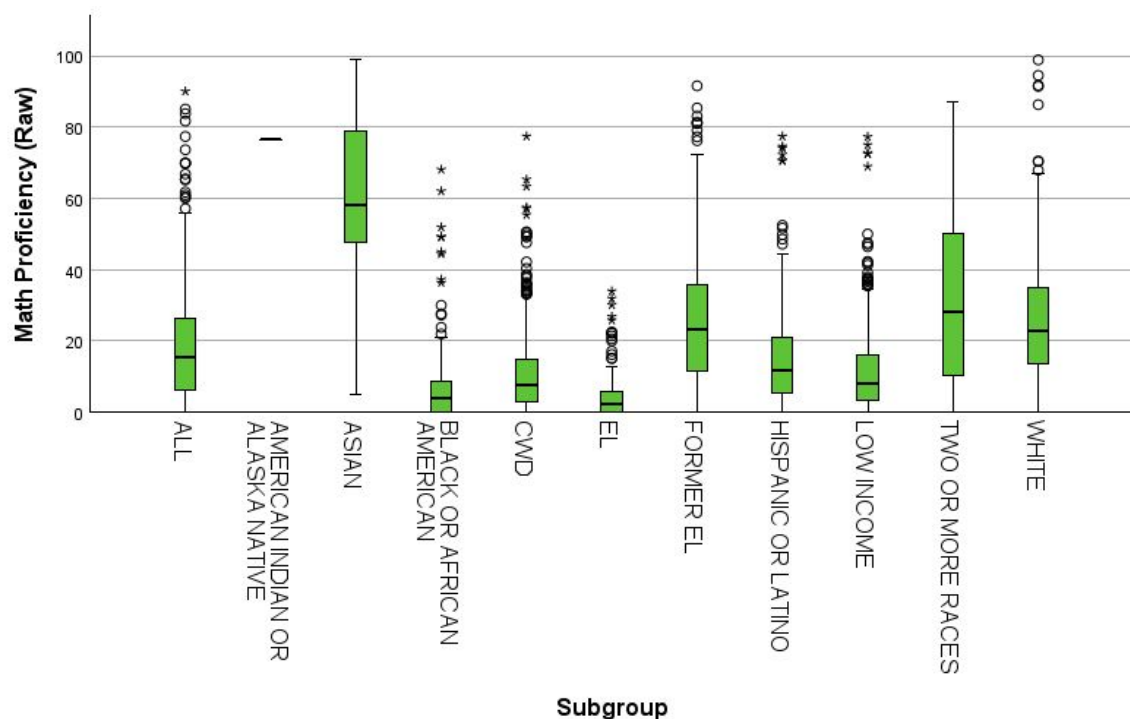
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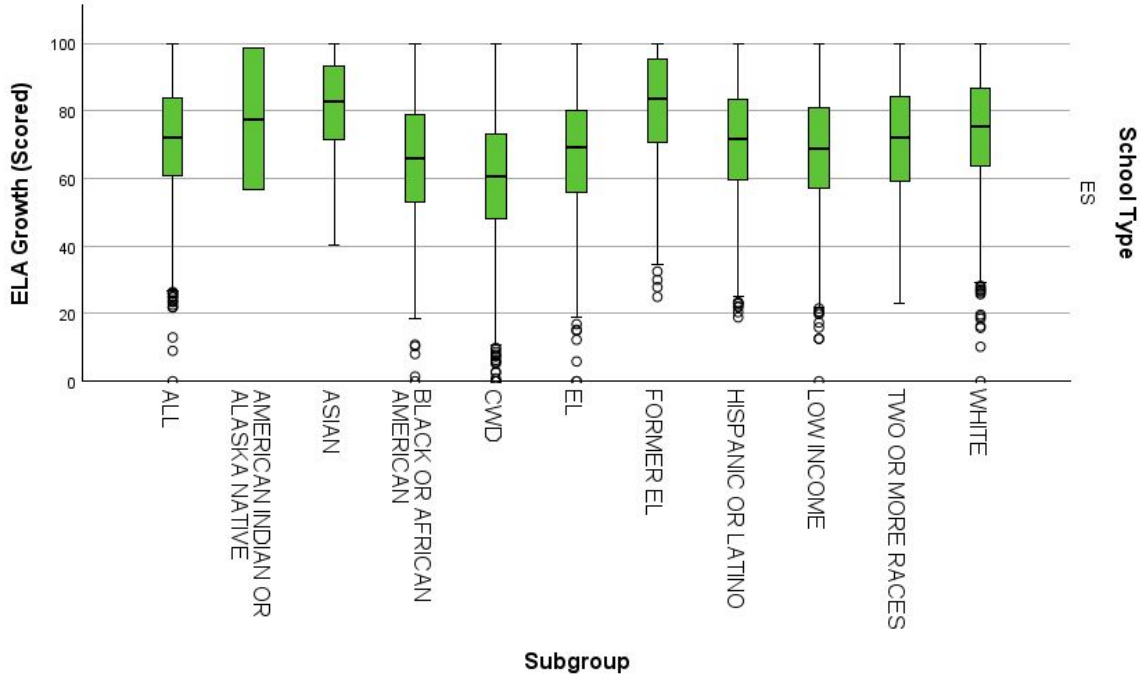
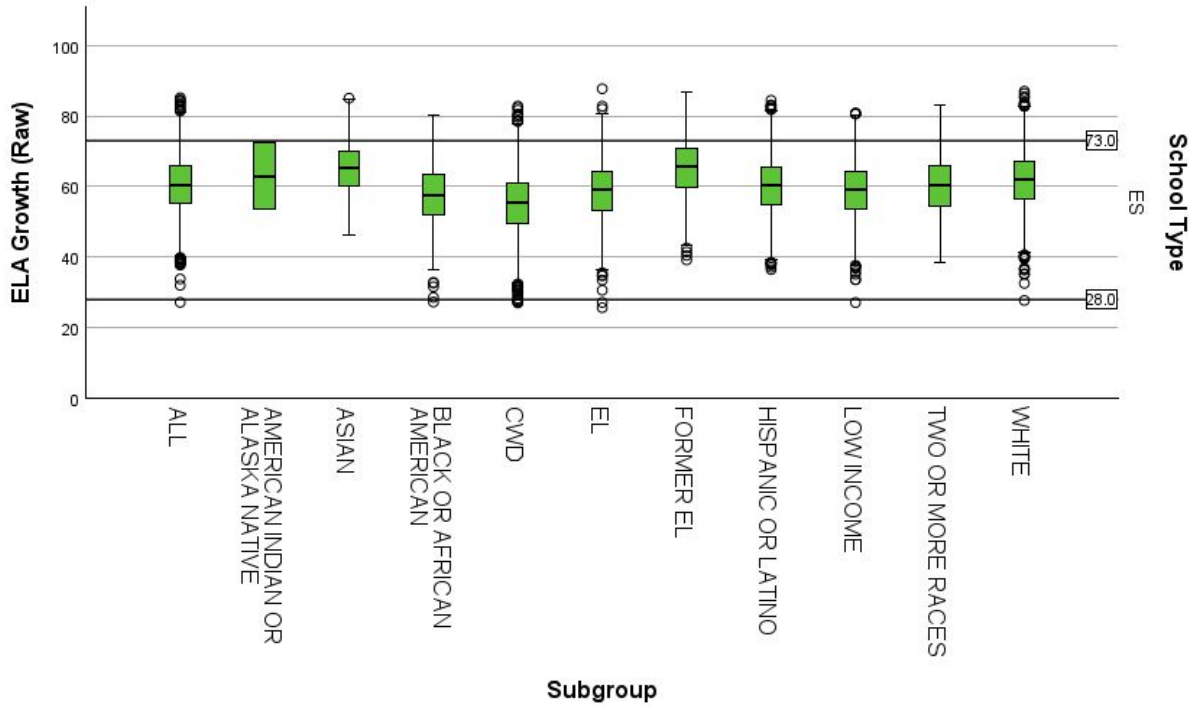
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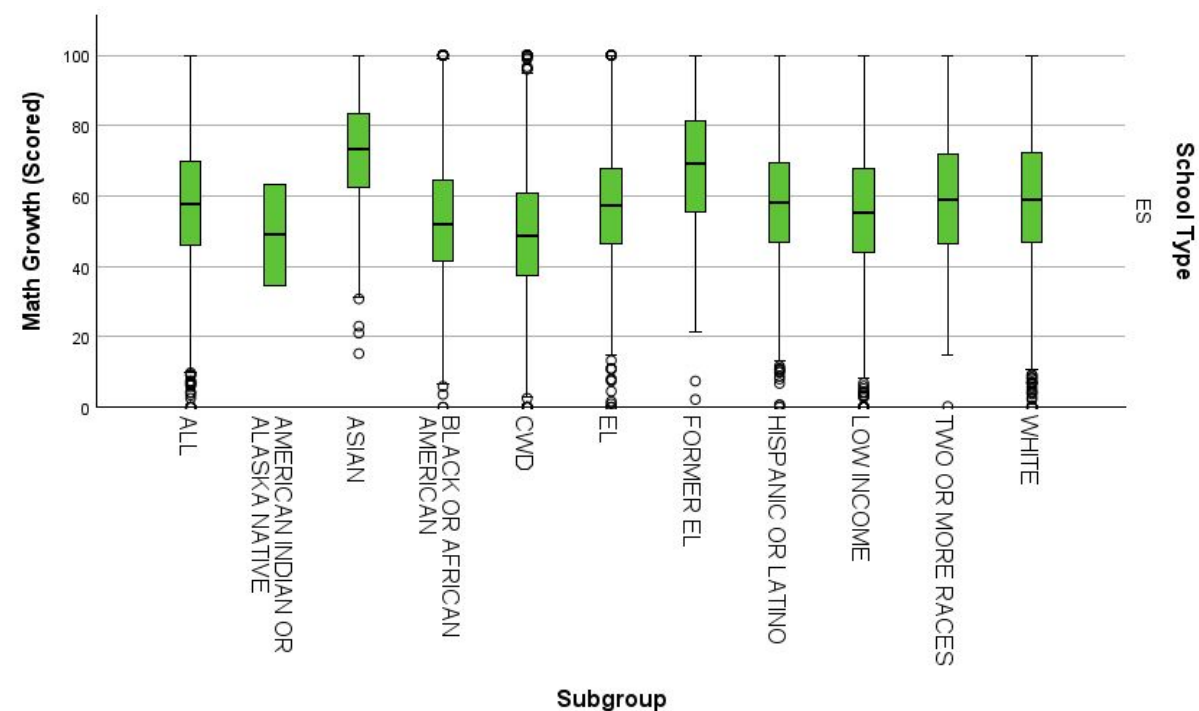
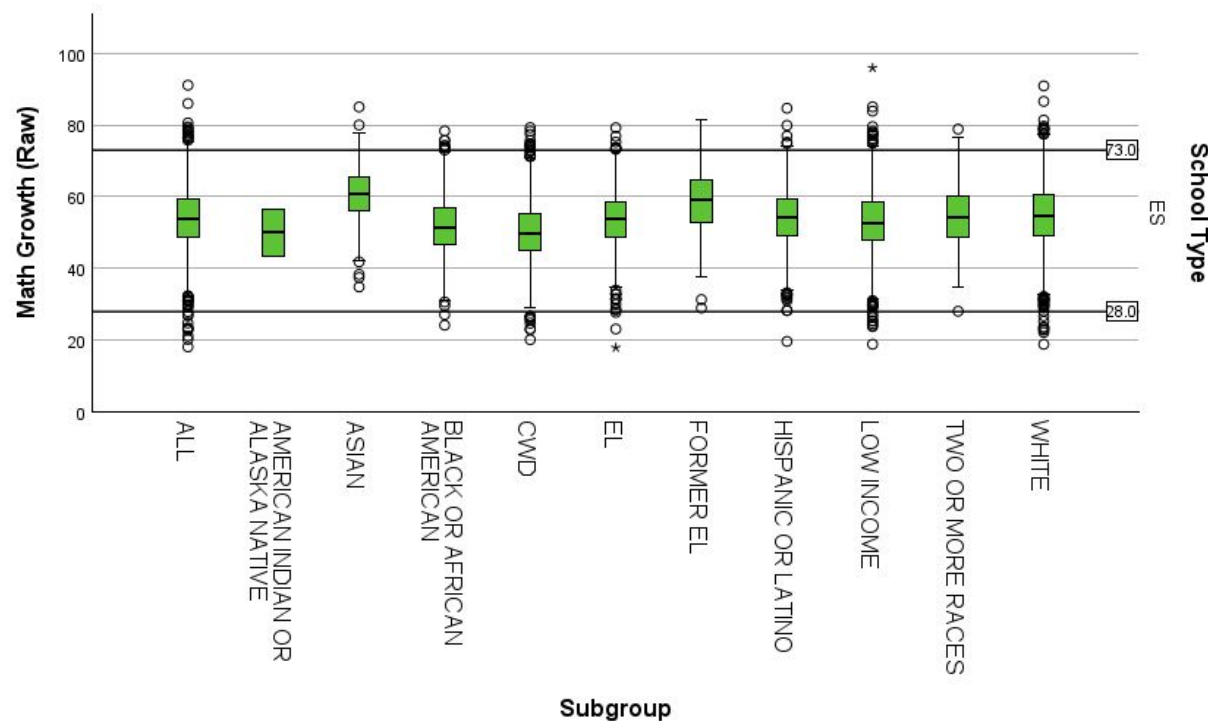
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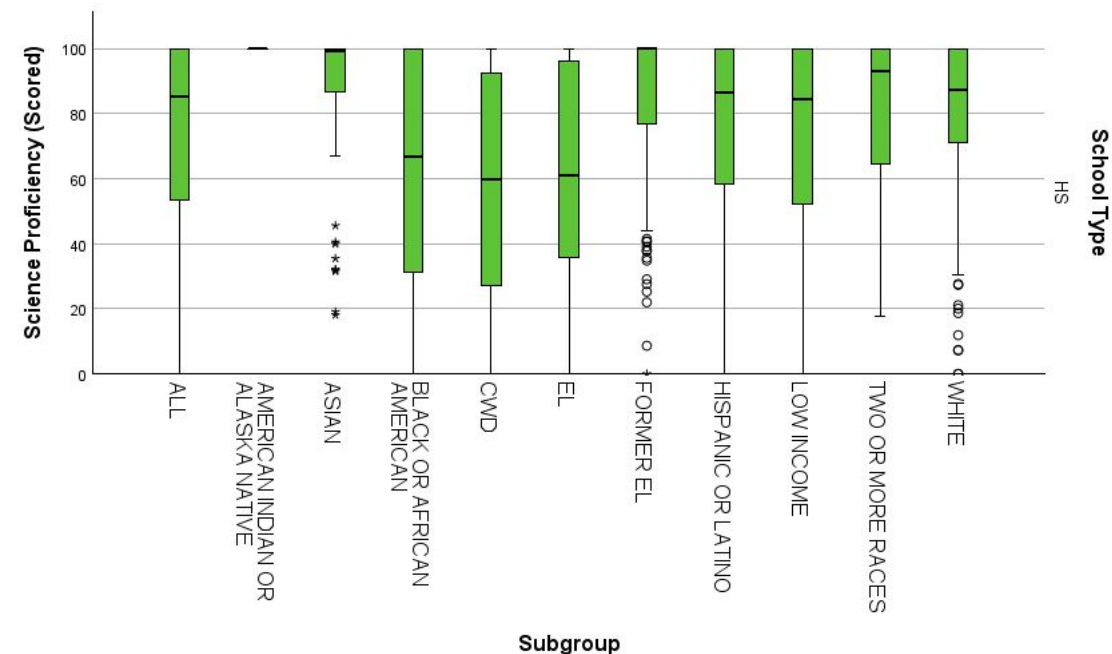
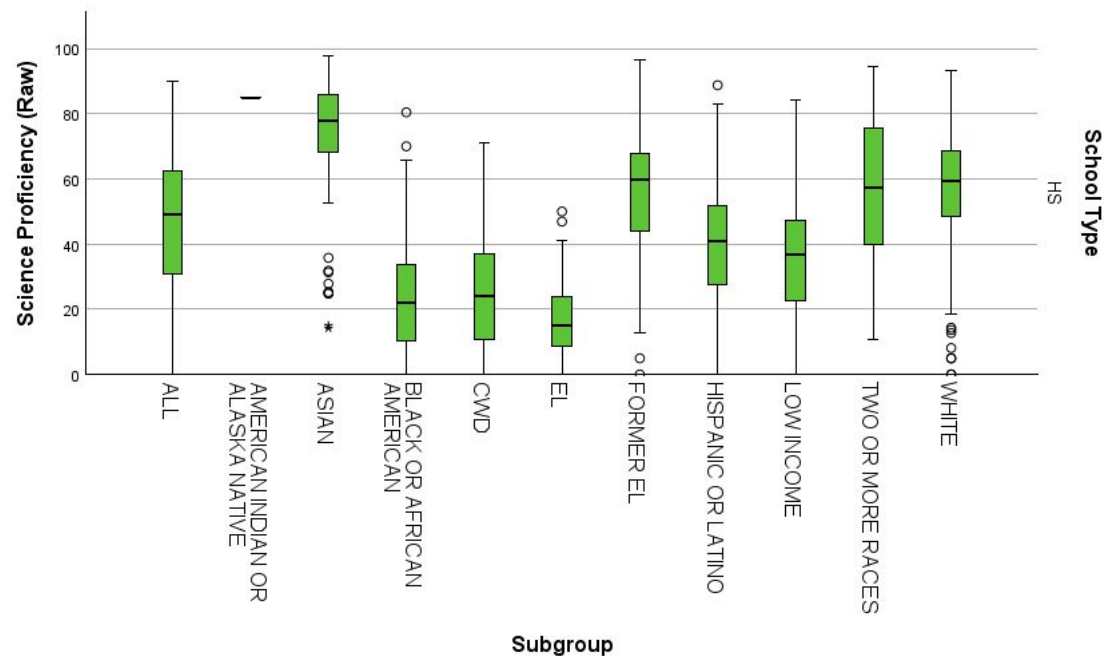
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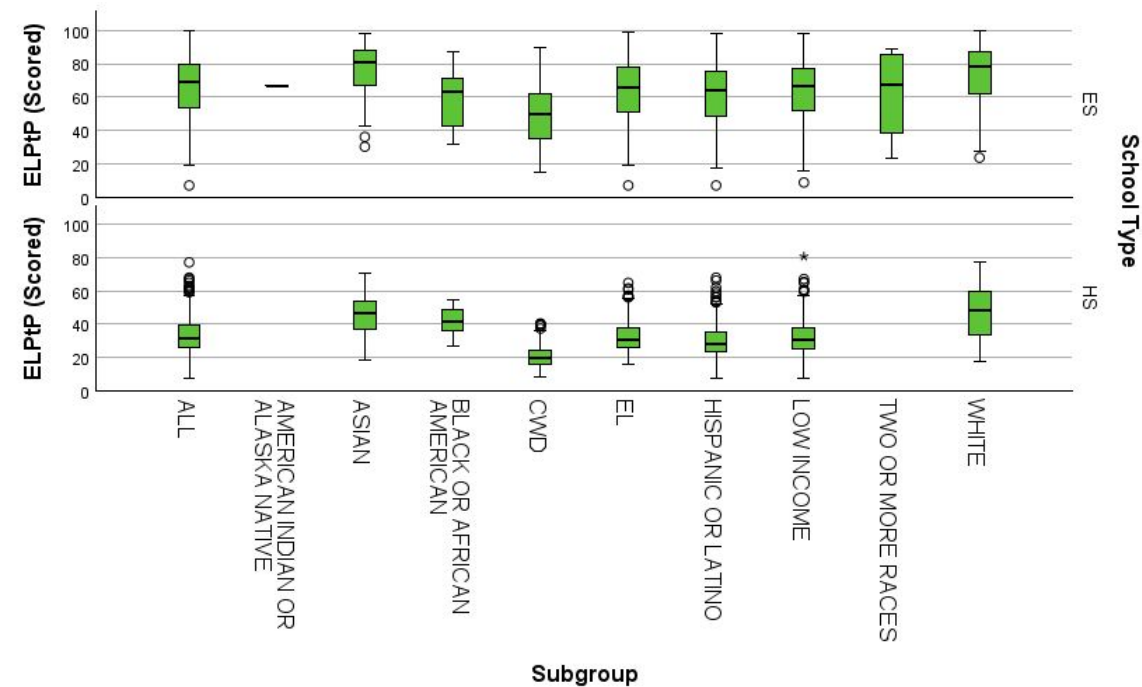
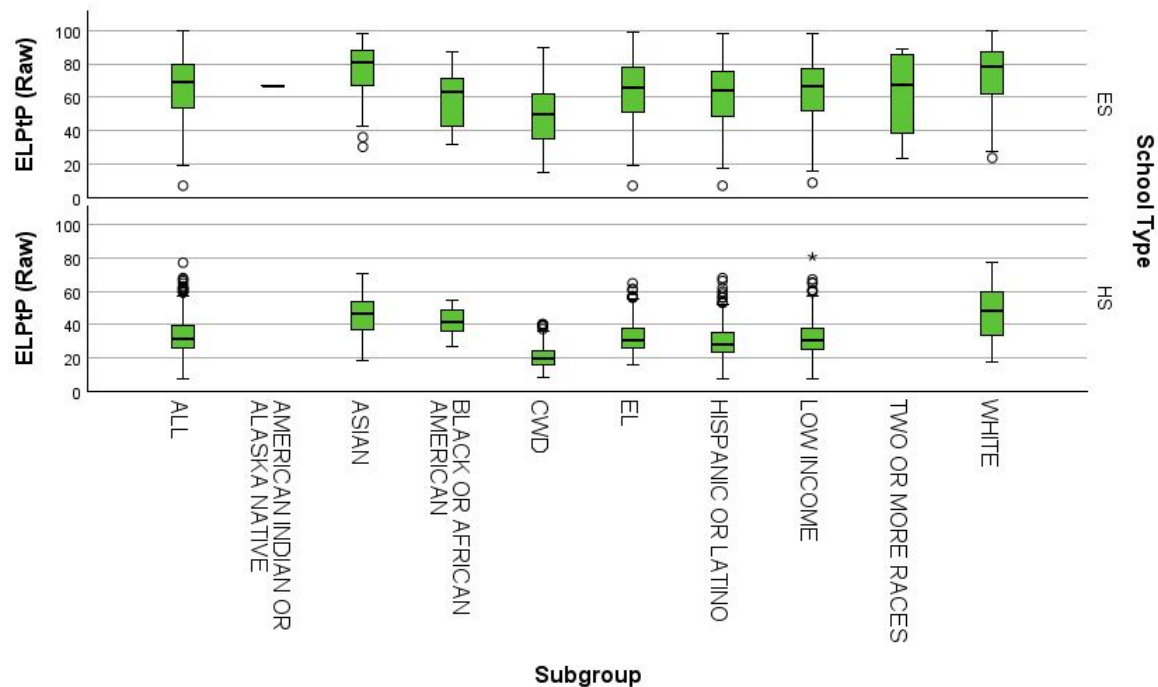
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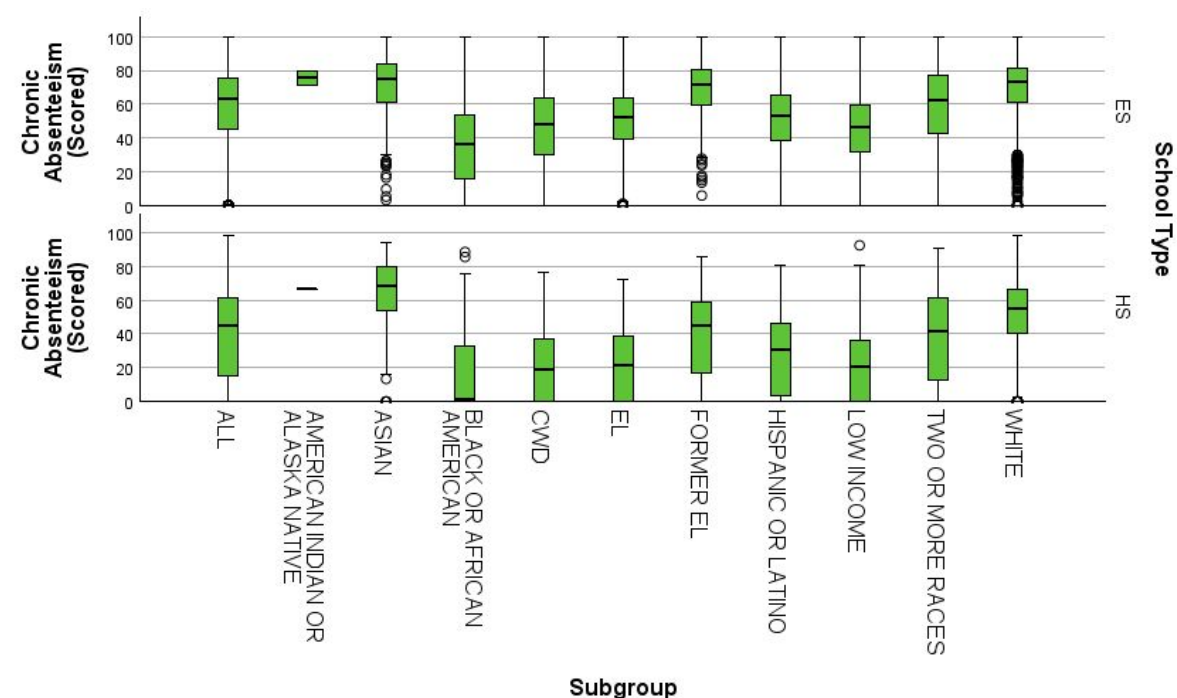
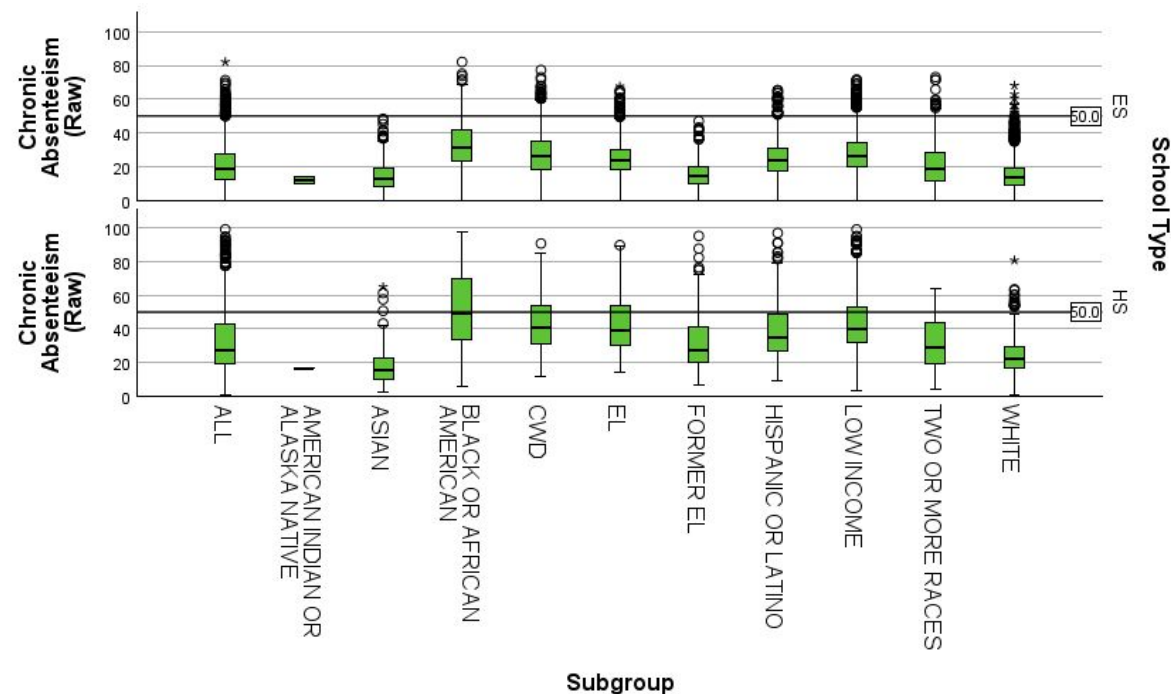
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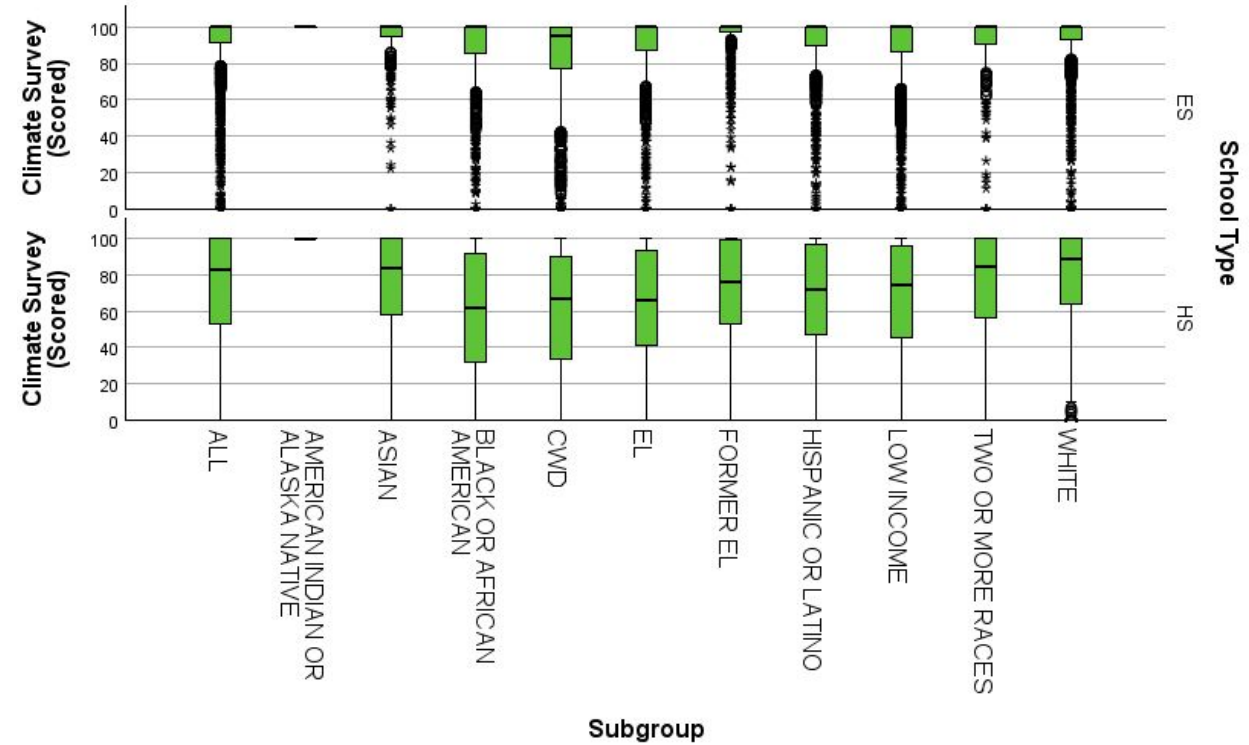
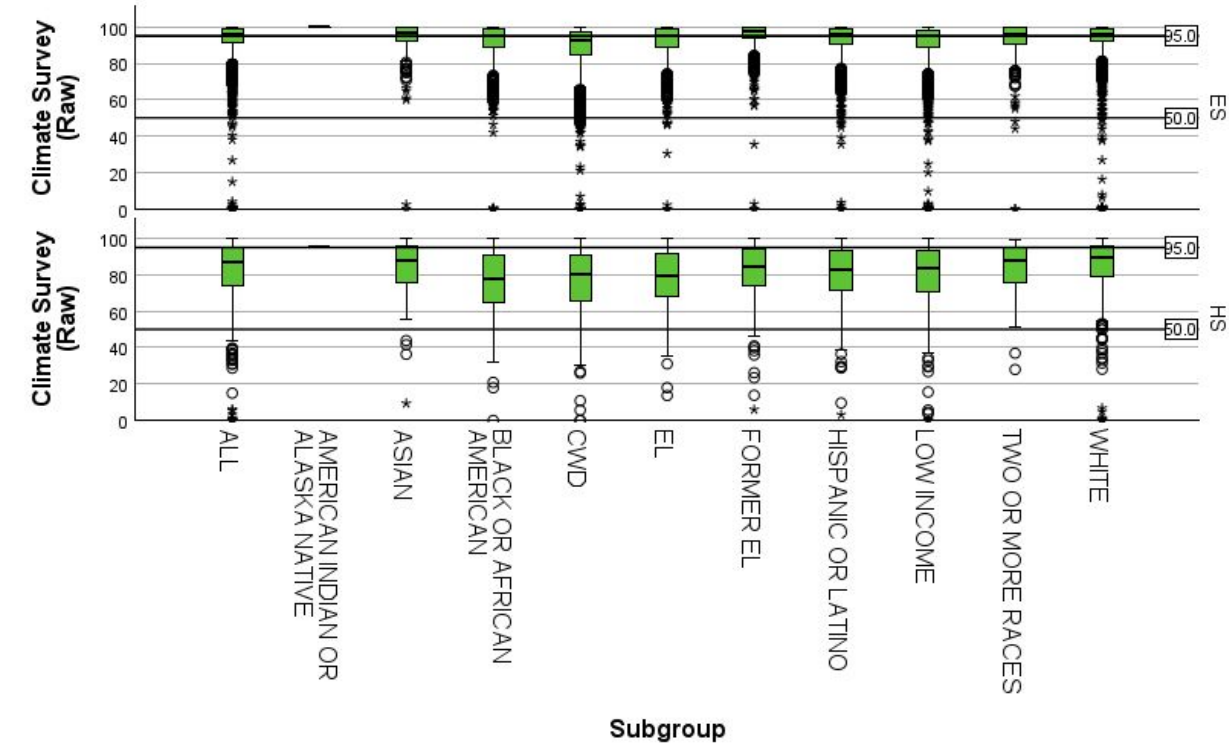
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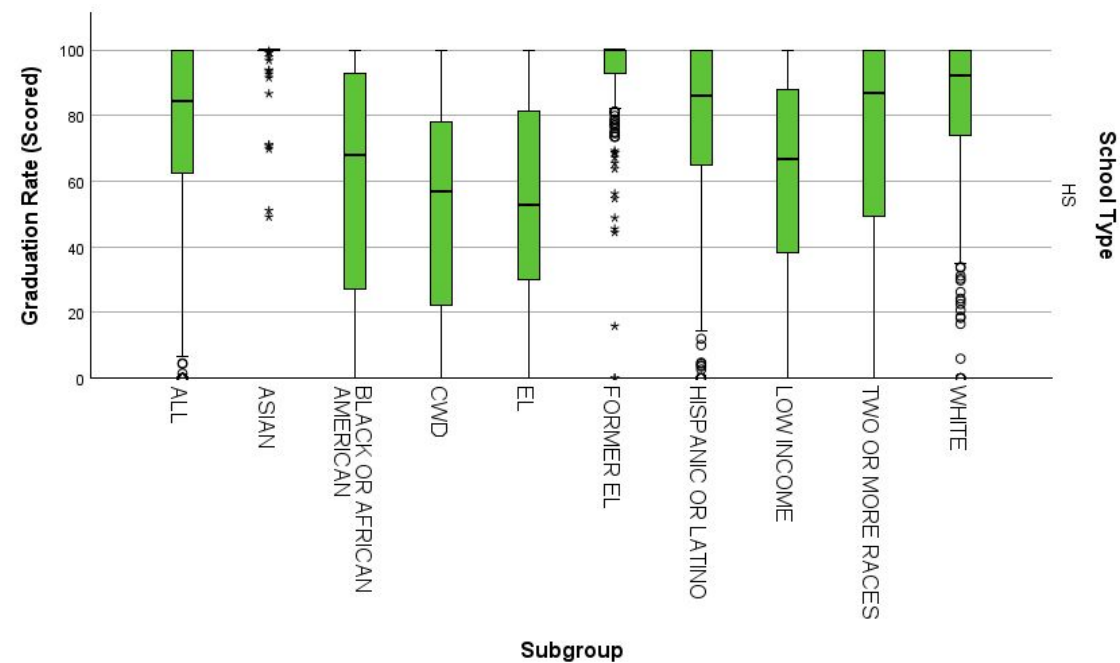
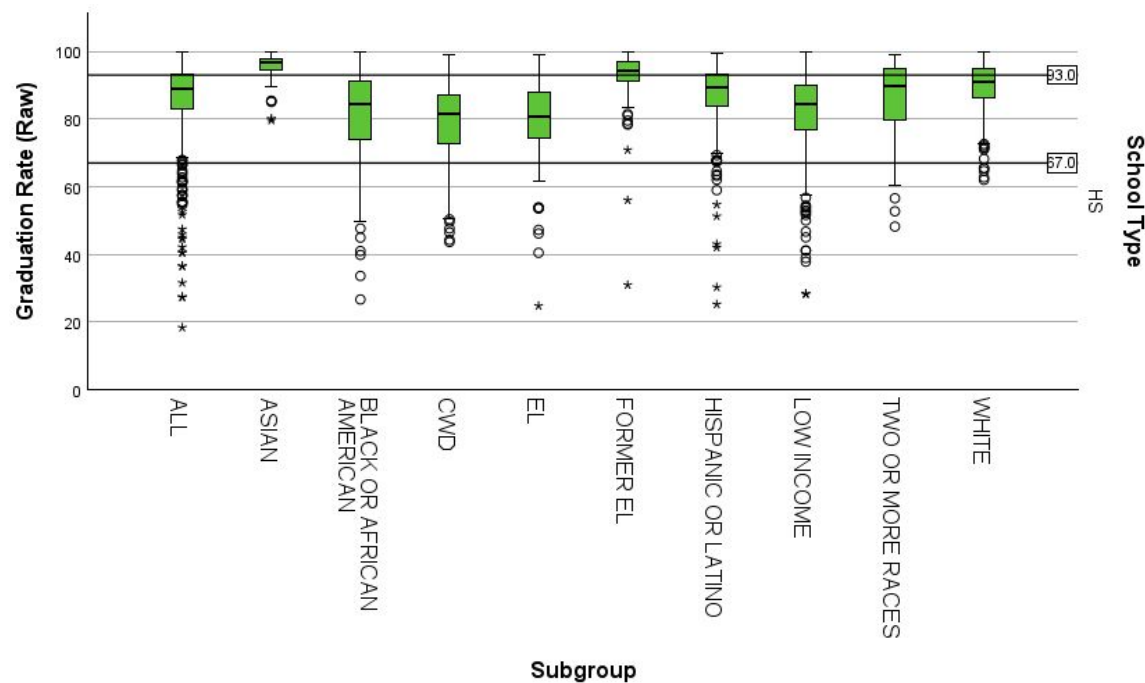
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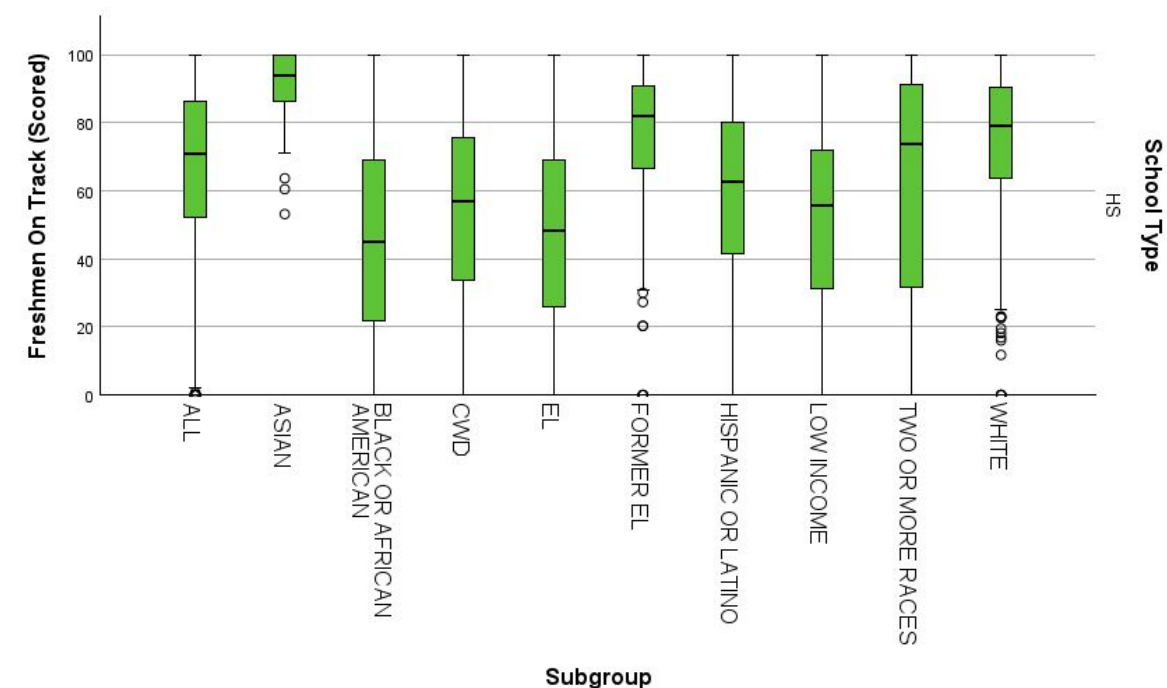
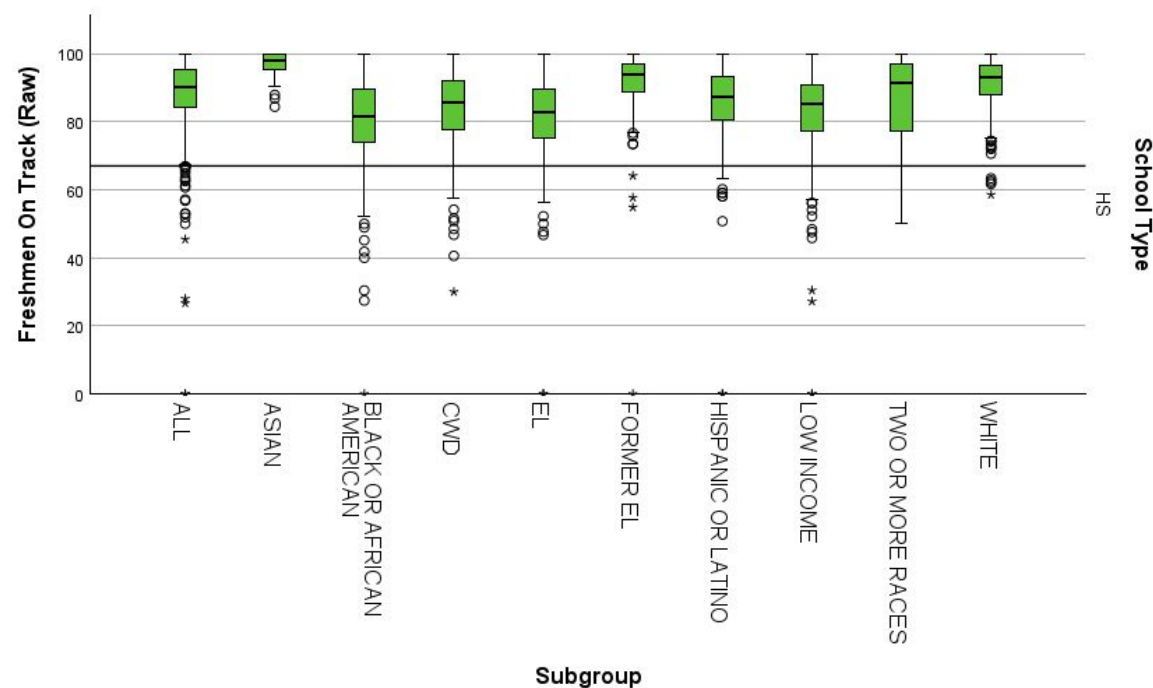
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Indicator Relationships & Weights

Analyses

Goals

- Determine the indicator missingness patterns in the data
- Evaluate the relationship between these patterns and index score distributions
- Evaluate the bivariate relationships amongst indicators as well as index score via correlations
- Compare the policy weights with estimated semi-partial correlations to inspect impact of multicollinearity

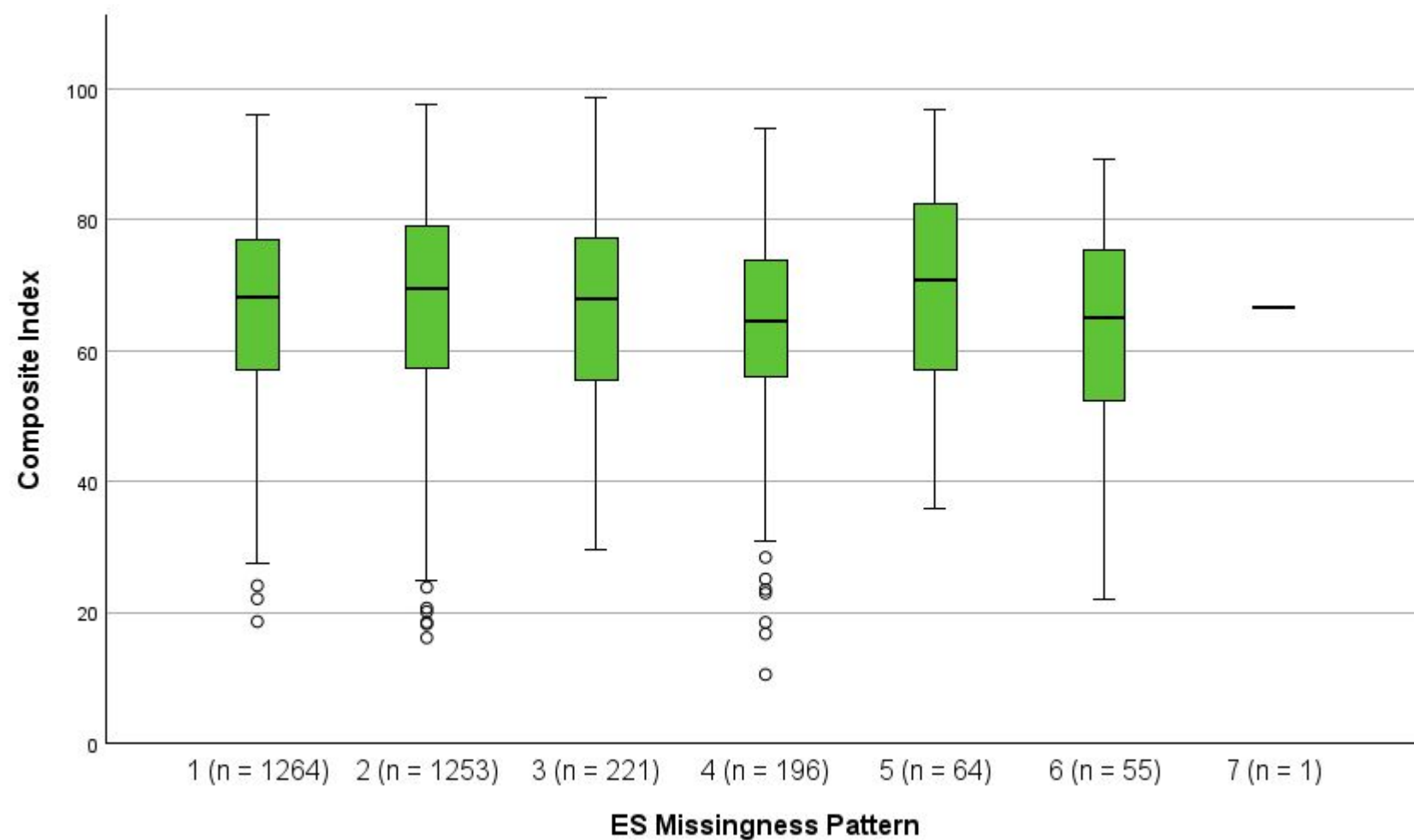
Notes

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Policy Weights (Elementary Schools)

Pattern ID	# Schools	ELA Prof	ELA Growth	Math Prof	Math Growth	Science Prof	ELPtP	Chronic Absent	Climate Survey
1	1264	7.5	25	7.5	25	5	5	20	5
2	1253	8.04	26.79	8.04	26.79	5.36	X	20	5
3	221	8.65	28.85	8.65	28.85	X	X	20	5
4	196	8.65	28.85	8.65	28.85	X	X	25	X
5	64	8.04	26.79	8.04	26.79	X	5.36	20	5
6	55	8.04	26.79	8.04	26.79	X	5.36	25	X
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Index Score (Elementary Schools)



Estimated Semi-partial Correlations vs. Policy Weights (Elementary Schools)

Indicator	Missingness Pattern											
	1 (n = 1264)		2 (n = 1253)		3 (n = 221)		4 (n = 196)		5 (n = 64)		6 (n = 55)	
	Semi-partial	Policy	Semi-partial	Policy	Semi-partial	Policy	Semi-partial	Policy	Semi-partial	Policy	Semi-partial	Policy
ELA Prof	0.06	0.08	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.05	0.08	0.09	0.08
ELA Growth	0.20	0.25	0.22	0.27	0.28	0.29	0.25	0.29	0.18	0.27	0.23	0.27
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Math Growth	0.22	0.25	0.25	0.27	0.36	0.29	0.32	0.29	0.24	0.27	0.29	0.27
Science Prof	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.05	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
ELPtP	0.06	0.05	X	X	X	X	X	X	0.03	0.05	0.03	0.05
Chronic Absent	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.24	0.20	0.25	0.25	0.18	0.20	0.24	0.25
Climate Survey	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.05	0.08	0.05	X	X	0.07	0.05	X	X

Deviations of estimated weights from policy weights are a reflection of the multicollinearity amongst predictors

VIF = 1 → No multicollinearity.

VIF > 5 → Moderate multicollinearity.

VIF > 10 → Severe multicollinearity.



Pearson's r for ELA Prof and Math Prof = .84 [Model 1]

Pearson's r for ELA Prof and Math Prof = .92 [Model 5]

Correlations (Elementary Schools) (I)

Correlations [Model 1, n = 1264]

		Composite Index	ELAProficiency	ELAGrowth	MATHProficiency	MATHGrowth	SciProficiency	ELPtP	ChronicAbsent	ClimateSurvey
Pearson Correlation	Composite Index	1.000	.822	.735	.836	.716	.813	.295	.748	.208
	ELAProficiency	.822	1.000	.553	.842	.394	.842	.146	.598	.076
	ELAGrowth	.735	.553	1.000	.408	.617	.432	.015	.268	.089
	MATHProficiency	.836	.842	.408	1.000	.410	.860	.323	.697	.111
	MATHGrowth	.716	.394	.617	.410	1.000	.371	.092	.274	.081
	SciProficiency	.813	.842	.432	.860	.371	1.000	.251	.692	.114
	ELPtP	.295	.146	.015	.323	.092	.251	1.000	.317	.098
	ChronicAbsent	.748	.598	.268	.697	.274	.692	.317	1.000	.197
	ClimateSurvey	.208	.076	.089	.111	.081	.114	.098	.197	1.000

Correlations [Model 2, n = 1253]

		Composite Index	ELAProficiency	ELAGrowth	MATHProficiency	MATHGrowth	SciProficiency	ChronicAbsent	ClimateSurvey
Pearson Correlation	Composite Index	1.000	.807	.674	.809	.681	.739	.746	.203
	ELAProficiency	.807	1.000	.409	.814	.293	.798	.703	.091
	ELAGrowth	.674	.409	1.000	.280	.584	.214	.178	.080
	MATHProficiency	.809	.814	.280	1.000	.344	.813	.741	.113
	MATHGrowth	.681	.293	.584	.344	1.000	.209	.180	.096
	SciProficiency	.739	.798	.214	.813	.209	1.000	.776	.110
	ChronicAbsent	.746	.703	.178	.741	.180	.776	1.000	.108
	ClimateSurvey	.203	.091	.080	.113	.096	.110	.108	1.000

$r > .90$

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Correlations (Elementary Schools) (II)

Correlations [Model 3, n = 221]								
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Pearson Correlation	Composite Index	1.000	.672	.738	.664	.757	.582	.075
	ELAProficiency	.672	1.000	.437	.747	.196	.536	-.061
	ELAGrowth	.738	.437	1.000	.230	.505	.138	.007
	MATHProficiency	.664	.747	.230	1.000	.290	.587	-.050
	MATHGrowth	.757	.196	.505	.290	1.000	.134	.065
	ChronicAbsent	.582	.536	.138	.587	.134	1.000	-.073
	ClimateSurvey	.075	-.061	.007	-.050	.065	-.073	1.000

Correlations [Model 4, n = 196]							
		Composite Index	ELAProficiency	ELAGrowth	MATHProficiency	MATHGrowth	ChronicAbsent
Pearson Correlation	Composite Index	1.000	.658	.760	.704	.686	.744
	ELAProficiency	.658	1.000	.262	.834	.116	.664
	ELAGrowth	.760	.262	1.000	.340	.574	.311
	MATHProficiency	.704	.834	.340	1.000	.134	.698
	MATHGrowth	.686	.116	.574	.134	1.000	.179
	ChronicAbsent	.744	.664	.311	.698	.179	1.000

$r > .90$

$r > .65$

Correlations (Elementary Schools) (III)

Correlations [Model 5, n = 64]

		Composite Index	ELAProficiency	ELAGrowth	MATHProficiency	MATHGrowth	ELPtP	ChronicAbsent	ClimateSurvey
Pearson Correlation	Composite Index	1.000	.793	.850	.813	.822	.290	.744	.270
	ELAProficiency	.793	1.000	.604	.918	.398	.220	.696	.162
	ELAGrowth	.850	.604	1.000	.588	.689	.257	.424	.182
	MATHProficiency	.813	.918	.588	1.000	.488	.214	.667	.145
	MATHGrowth	.822	.398	.689	.488	1.000	.148	.420	.187
	ELPtP	.290	.220	.257	.214	.148	1.000	.227	.104
	ChronicAbsent	.744	.696	.424	.667	.420	.227	1.000	.126
	ClimateSurvey	.270	.162	.182	.145	.187	.104	.126	1.000

Correlations [Model 6, n = 55]

		Composite Index	ELAProficiency	ELAGrowth	MATHProficiency	MATHGrowth	ELPtP	ChronicAbsent
Pearson Correlation	Composite Index	1.000	.746	.864	.670	.688	.390	.740
	ELAProficiency	.746	1.000	.516	.797	.281	.278	.597
	ELAGrowth	.864	.516	1.000	.479	.566	.363	.509
	MATHProficiency	.670	.797	.479	1.000	.153	.389	.538
	MATHGrowth	.688	.281	.566	.153	1.000	.150	.205
	ELPtP	.390	.278	.363	.389	.150	1.000	.259
	ChronicAbsent	.740	.597	.509	.538	.205	.259	1.000

$r > .90$

$r > .65$

Elementary Schools

	Complete Data (n = 1264)		
	Semi-partial	Policy	Composite
ELA Prof	0.06	0.08	0.07
ELA Growth	0.20	0.25	0.12
Math Prof	0.07	0.08	0.09
Math Growth	0.22	0.25	0.12
Science Prof	0.04	0.05	0.04
ELPtP	0.06	0.05	0.01
Chronic Absent	0.20	0.20	0.55
Climate Survey	0.05	0.05	0.01



Lower composite weight



Lower composite weight

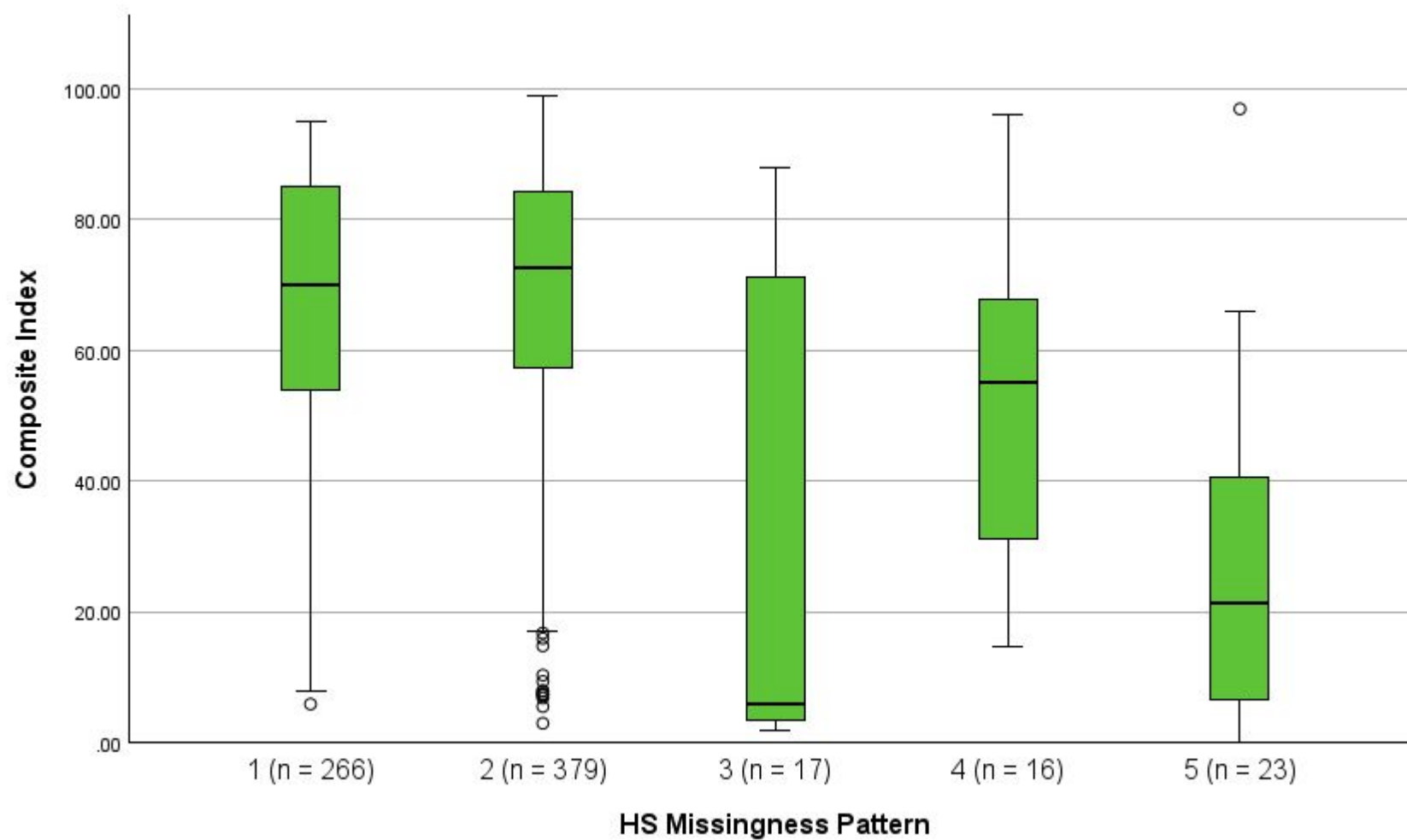


Higher composite weight

Policy Weights (High Schools)

Pattern ID	# Schools	ELA Prof	Math Prof	Science Prof	ELPtP	Chronic Absent	Climate Survey	Grad Rate	Fresh On Track
1	266	7.5	7.5	5	5	10	6.67	50	8.33
2	379	8.04	8.04	5.36	X	10	6.67	53.57	8.33
3	17	8.04	8.04	5.36	X	15	10	53.57	X
4	16	28.13	28.13	18.75	X	10	6.67	X	8.33
5	9	8.65	8.65	X	X	15	10	57.69	X
6	4	8.65	8.65	X	X	10	6.67	57.69	8.33
7	3	7.5	7.5	5	5	15	10	50	X
8	3	28.13	28.13	18.75	X	15	10	X	X
9	2	22.5	22.5	15	15	10	6.67	X	8.33
10	1	8.04	8.04	X	5.36	10	6.67	53.57	8.33
11	1	22.5	22.5	15	15	15	10	X	X

Index Score (High Schools)



Estimated Semi-partial Correlations vs. Policy Weights (High Schools)

Indicator	Missingness Pattern			
	1 (n = 266)		2 (n = 379)	
	Semi-partial	Policy	Semi-partial	Policy
ELA Prof	0.03	0.08	0.05	0.08
Math Prof	0.03	0.08	0.06	0.08
Science Prof	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.05
ELPtP	0.02	0.05	X	X
Chronic Absent	0.07	0.10	0.08	0.10
Climate Survey	0.09	0.07	0.09	0.07
Grad Rate	0.39	0.50	0.51	0.54
Fresh On Track	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.08

Deviations of estimated weights from policy weights are a reflection of the multicollinearity amongst predictors.

VIF = 1 → No multicollinearity.

VIF > 5 → Moderate multicollinearity.

VIF > 10 → Severe multicollinearity.



Pearson's r for ELA Prof and Math Prof = .966,
other prof corrls also > .80 [Model 1]

Correlations (High Schools)

Correlations [Model 1, n = 266]

		Composite Index	ELA Proficiency	Math Proficiency	Science Proficiency	ELPtP	Chronic Absenteeism	Climate Survey	Graduation Rate	Freshmen On Track
Pearson Correlation	Composite Index	1.000	.844	.830	.791	.414	.783	.275	.939	.751
	ELA Proficiency	.844	1.000	.961	.823	.488	.764	.160	.663	.604
	Math Proficiency	.830	.961	1.000	.801	.498	.746	.155	.643	.604
	Science Proficiency	.791	.823	.801	1.000	.371	.772	.225	.626	.519
	ELPtP	.414	.488	.498	.371	1.000	.410	.050	.280	.343
	Chronic Absenteeism	.783	.764	.746	.772	.410	1.000	.274	.593	.596
	Climate Survey	.275	.160	.155	.225	.050	.274	1.000	.156	.100
	Graduation Rate	.939	.663	.643	.626	.280	.593	.156	1.000	.663
	Freshmen On Track	.751	.604	.604	.519	.343	.596	.100	.663	1.000

Correlations [Model 2, n = 379]

		Composite Index	ELA Proficiency	Math Proficiency	Science Proficiency	Chronic Absenteeism	Climate Survey	Graduation Rate	Freshmen On Track
Pearson Correlation	Composite Index	1.000	.731	.712	.653	.735	.322	.933	.627
	ELA Proficiency	.731	1.000	.831	.698	.646	.186	.520	.420
	Math Proficiency	.712	.831	1.000	.605	.602	.171	.514	.395
	Science Proficiency	.653	.698	.605	1.000	.651	.229	.446	.434
	Chronic Absenteeism	.735	.646	.602	.651	1.000	.280	.534	.531
	Climate Survey	.322	.186	.171	.229	.280	1.000	.181	.206
	Graduation Rate	.933	.520	.514	.446	.534	.181	1.000	.495
	Freshmen On Track	.627	.420	.395	.434	.531	.206	.495	1.000

$r > .90$

$r > .65$

High Schools

	Complete Data (n = 266)		
	Semi-partial	Policy	Composite
ELA Prof	0.03	0.08	0.09
Math Prof	0.03	0.08	0.10
Science Prof	0.03	0.05	0.05
ELPtP	0.02	0.05	0.01
Chronic Absent	0.07	0.10	0.09
Climate Survey	0.09	0.07	0.03
Grad Rate	0.39	0.50	0.55
Fresh On Track	0.07	0.08	0.08



Lower semi-partial correlation

Findings

- Indicator correlations are generally highest for expected pairings such as:
 - proficiency variables with one another
 - chronic absenteeism and proficiency variables
 - graduation rate and proficiency variables
 - freshmen on track and proficiency variable

However, strength of correlations depend notably on sample of schools.

- In elementary schools, ELPtP and Climate Survey have the lowest correlations with other variables ($r < .30$ generally). For the Climate Survey, this is due to many schools getting the maximum score.
- For high schools, model 1 reveals strong multicollinearity issues (esp. for ELA and Math proficiency), resulting in differences between semi-partial correlations and policy weights for several variables.
- For high schools, schools that have complete data or that are only missing ELPtP information are outperforming other high schools with other missingness patterns.
- For high schools, composite weights are very similar to policy weights while for elementary schools there are notable differences for ELA and math proficiency variables and chronic absenteeism



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