



# 2022 ILLINOIS REPORT CARD

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## What's New with Accountability?

All schools will receive a new [Annual Summative Designation](#) on the 2022 Illinois Report Card for the first time since 2019. The summative designation is based on [multiple indicators](#) of school performance. ISBE made changes to the 2022 Annual Summative Designation calculation rules to respond to the impact of COVID-19 on schools. Key changes include:

- **ELA and Math Proficiency:** Setting new [annual targets](#) for English language arts and math proficiency are now set for pairs of grades at the elementary level (third and fourth, fifth and sixth, seventh and eighth) and for Grade 11 at high school;
- **Science Proficiency:** Substituting science participation rates for proficiency rates from school year 2022. Participation rates of 95% or higher receive 100 points. Participation rates below 75% receive 0 points. The remaining 100 points are distributed proportionally between 95% and 75%.
- **Student Growth:** Considering two types of student growth percentiles (either cohort or baseline referenced) to use whichever better reflects student growth throughout the state.
- **Chronic Absenteeism:** Creating tiered scoring bands to incentivize improvements or stable rates of chronic absenteeism. (If the SY 2022 rate declined from SY 2021 by more than 7.5%, award 25% bonus; if SY 2022 declined 5.01 to 7.5%, award 20% bonus; if SY 2022 declined 2.51 to 5%, award 15% bonus; if SY 2022 declined .01 to 2.5%, award 10% bonus; and if SY 2022 did not decline, consider its proximity to SY 2019, and if SY2022 is no more than 5% greater than the rate in SY 2019, award a 5% bonus).
- **English Learner Progress to Proficiency:** Giving all students identified as English learners in SY 2021 an additional year to their timeline (six years instead of five years, using the student's score from SY 2020 as the prior year score, and thus excluding from the calculation EL students newly identified SY 2021).
- **Graduation Rate:** Condensing to a single scoring formula for the weighted adjusted cohort four-, five-, and six-year graduation rate indicator. A weighted composite graduation rate  $\geq 93$  receives 100 points and a weighted composite graduation rate  $\leq 66.667$  receives 0 points.
- **School Improvement Status:** Creating a path to exit school improvement status early for three categories of schools newly identified in 2022. Schools eligible for early exit include:
  - o Schools missing significant amounts of data in SY 2021 (e.g., with assessment rates for all or one or more student demographic groups below 70%): Schools will exit if 2023 rates of participation are  $\geq 95\%$  and the 2023 designation is Commendable or Exemplary
  - o Newly identified schools in the top 30 percent of performance in 2019 (whose 2019 index score was  $\geq 70.5$  if an elementary school,  $\geq 74.5$  if a high school): Schools will exit if the 2023 designation is Commendable or Exemplary.
  - o Schools with significant demographic shifts from SY 2019 (that have had a 30% or more change to the enrollments of the "all student" group or one or more student demographic groups from SY 2019 (e.g., 2019 enrollment  $\pm$  2019 enrollment\*.3): Schools will exit if changes to enrollments from 2022 to 2023 are within the 30% margin and the 2023 designation is Commendable or Exemplary.

