

# Iowa is Delivering Remarkable Results!



Following Iowa's landmark early literacy legislation, we've seen an **11% increase** from third to fourth grade in English language arts from 2024 to 2025.



Results show an **increase of 7% in science** for 10th grade from 2024 to 2025 following inclusion of science proficiency in the statewide accountability system.



**45% of all Iowa seniors** completed at least one high-quality work-based learning experience while in high school. This is an increase of over **76% in the last two years.**



Chronic absenteeism in Iowa dropped from **25.6% to 15.8%**, a nearly **10 percentage point decrease** in the past three years.



Nearly **56% of Iowa schools** are performing in the top three of six rating categories, **up from 46%** of schools last year with the same high expectations.



Comprehensive schools improved an **average of 5.6%** on their overall accountability score, following 6,000 hours of Department school-based coaching.



Nearly **99%** of Iowa's nearly 38,000 full-time teaching positions were filled for the 2025-26 school year