



# New Jersey Student Learning Assessment – Science (NJSLA-S)



## NJSLA-Science

- Is a federally required state assessment administered to students in grades 5, 8, and 11
- Provides a snapshot of student performance on the New Jersey Student Learning Standards for Science (NJSLS-Science).
- Was developed in collaboration with NJ educators, the New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE), and New Jersey's contracted science vendors
- Is significantly different from the New Jersey Assessment of Skills and Knowledge (NJ ASK) because NJSLS-Science are more rigorous standards and NJSLA-Science focuses on the application of science knowledge and skills rather than memorization of content.

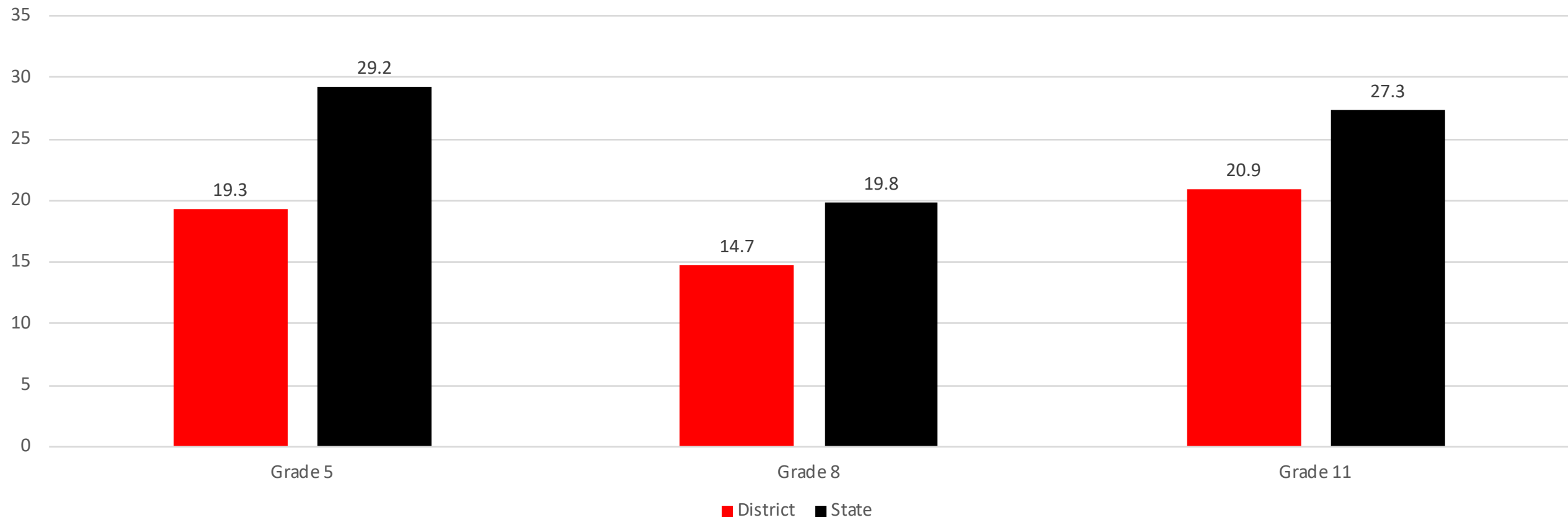


## NJSLA-Science District Results

Grade	Number of Students	% Met or Exceeded Expectation	State Average	Difference
5	212	19.3	29.2	-9.9
8	191	14.7	19.8	-5.1
11	191	20.9	27.3	-6.4



### NJSLA District vs. State



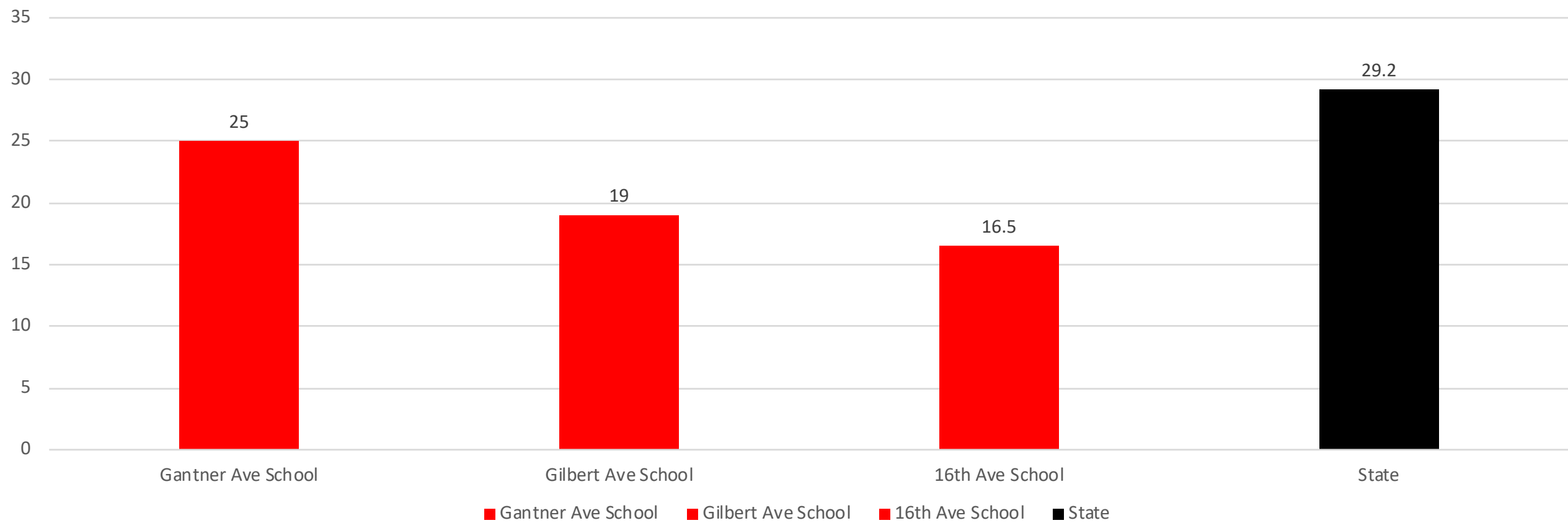


# NJSLA-Science Elementary Results

School	Number of Students	% Met or Exceeded Expectation	State Average	Difference
Gantner Ave School	48	25	29.2	-4.2
Gilbert Ave School	79	19	29.2	-10.2
16 <sup>th</sup> Ave School	85	16.5	29.2	-12.7



### Elementary Schools vs. State



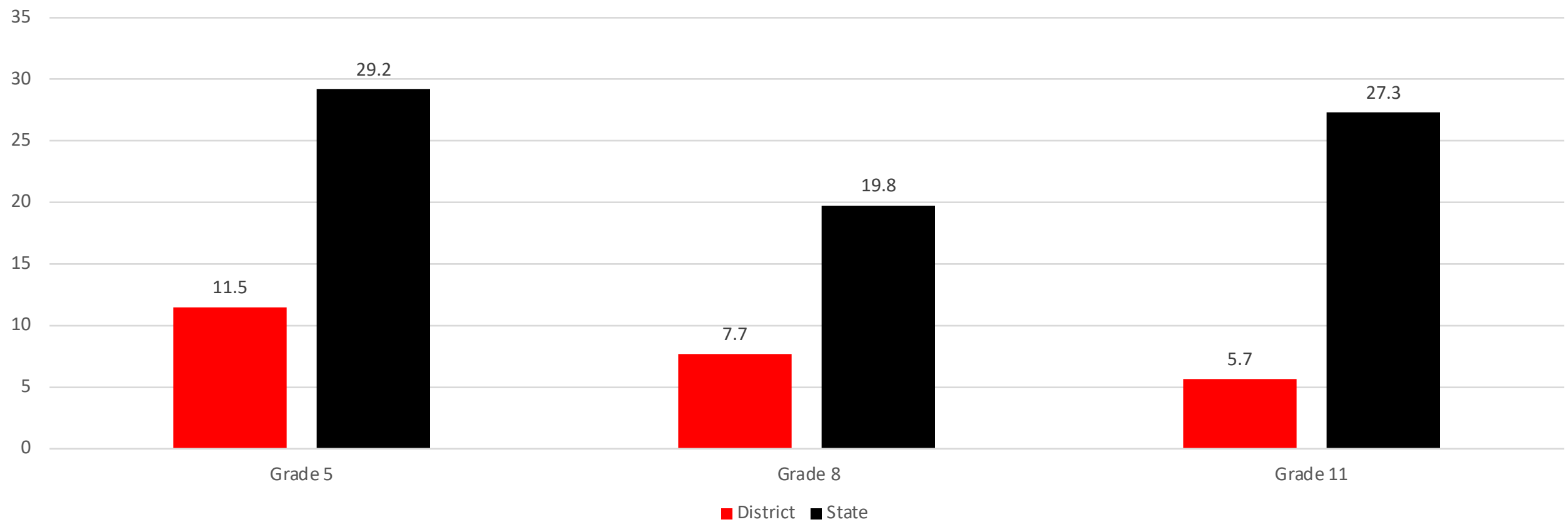


## NJSLA-Science Subgroup: Hispanic

Grade	Number of Students	% Met or Exceeded Expectation	State Average	Difference
5	78	11.5	29.2	-17.7
8	65	7.7	19.8	-12.1
11	70	5.7	27.3	-21.6



### Hispanic vs. State





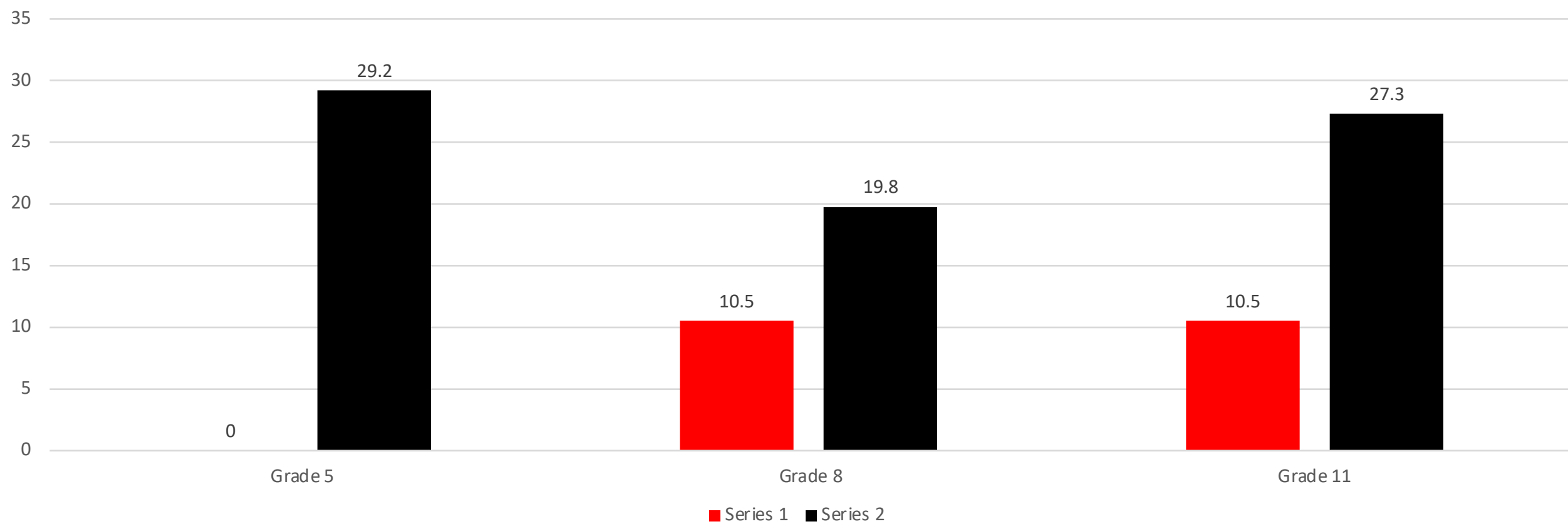


## NJSLA-Science Subgroup: Black/African American

Grade	Number of Students	% Met or Exceeded Expectation	State Average	Difference
5	21	0.0	29.2	-29.2
8	19	10.5	19.8	-9.3
11	19	10.5	27.3	-16.8



Black/African Americans vs. State



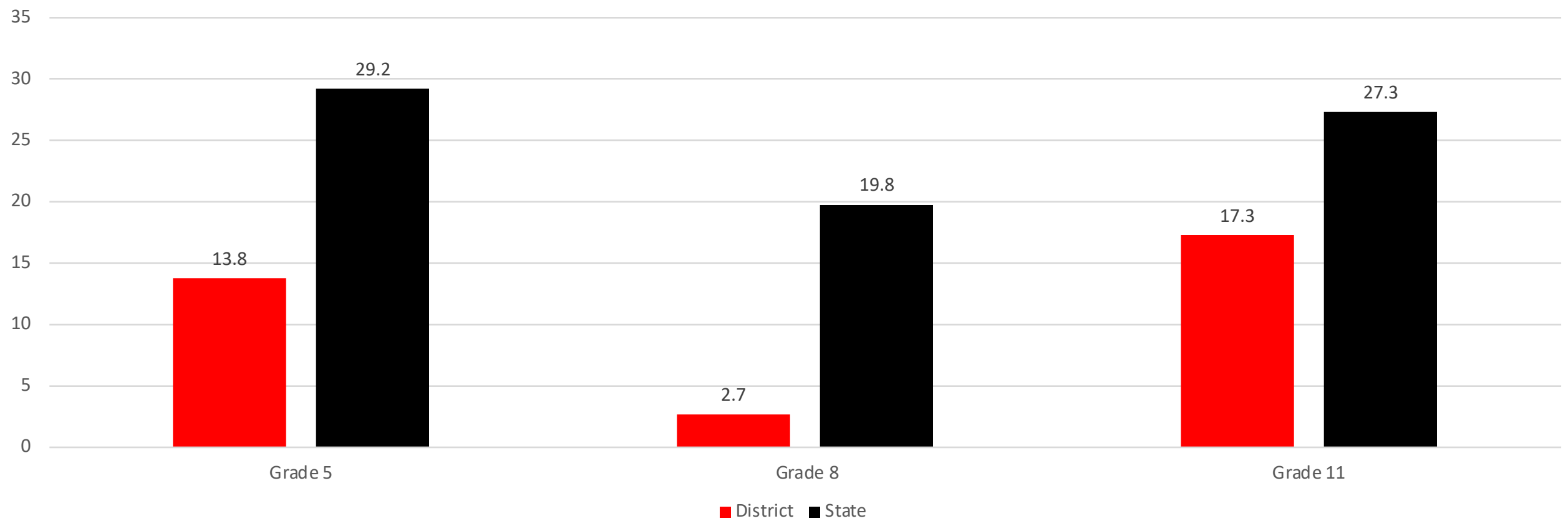


## NJSLA-Science Subgroup: Economically Disadvantaged

Grade	Number of Students	% Met or Exceeded Expectation	State Average	Difference
5	80	13.8	29.2	-15.4
8	73	2.7	19.8	-17.1
11	75	17.3	27.3	-10



### Economically Disadvantaged vs. State



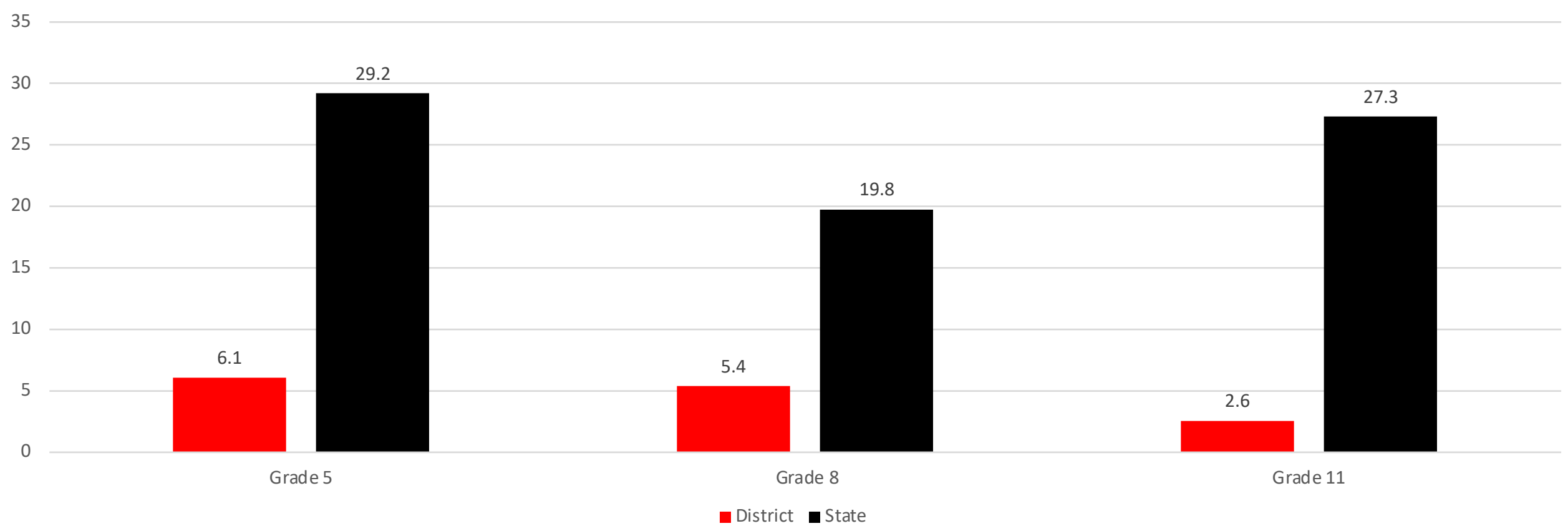


## NJSLA-Science Subgroup: Special Education

Grade	Number of Students	% Met or Exceeded Expectation	State Average	Difference
5	33	6.1	29.2	-23.1
8	37	5.4	19.8	-14.4
11	39	2.6	27.3	-24.7



### Special Ed vs. State



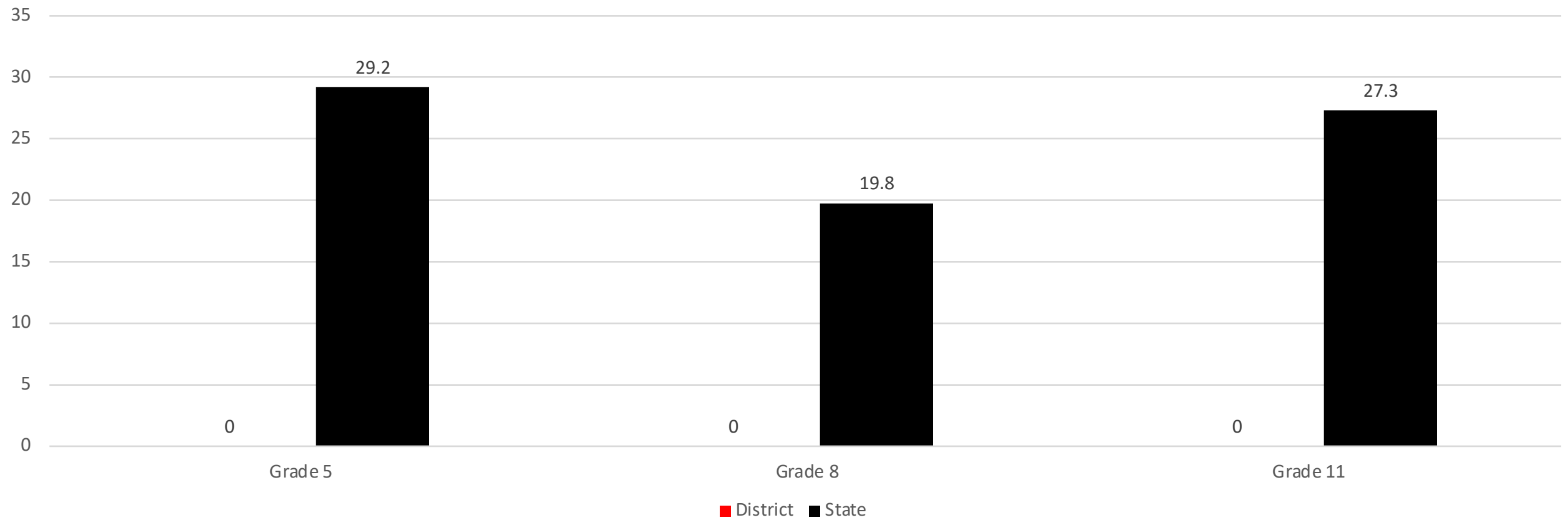


# NJSLA-Science Subgroup: 504

Grade	Number of Students	% Met or Exceeded Expectation	State Average	Difference
5	3	0.0	29.2	-29.2
8	12	0.0	19.8	-19.8
11	11	0.0	27.3	-27.3



### 504 vs. State







## NJSLA-Science Subgroup: English Language Learners

Grade	Number of Students	% Met or Exceeded Expectation	State Average	Difference
5	7	0.0	29.2	-29.2
8	7	0.0	19.8	-19.8
11	9	0.0	27.3	-27.3



### ELL vs. State

