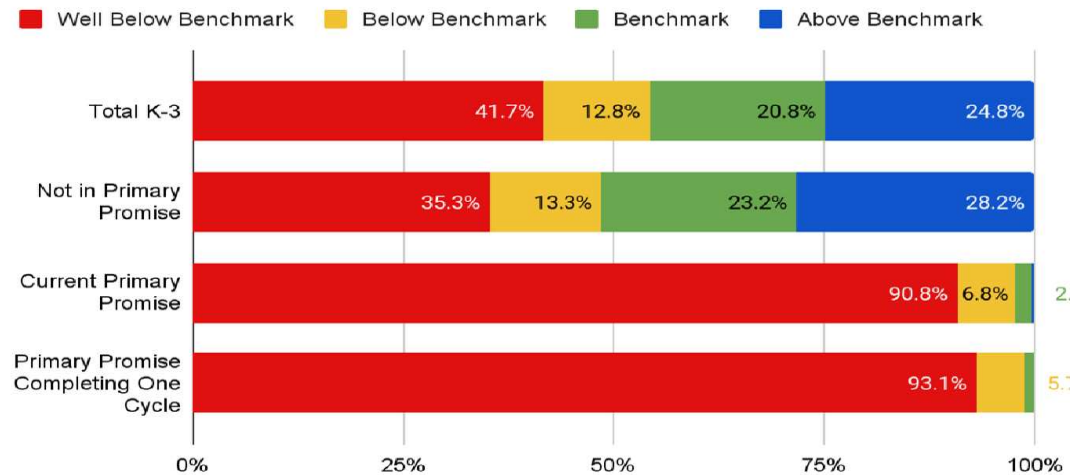


Primary Promise Literacy: Progress Update



- 319 out of 451 (71%) Primary Promise Literacy teachers hired
- 367 out of 451 (81%) Primary Promise instructional aides hired
- 12,374 students receiving daily small-group instruction



Source: Amplify, Inc. March 1, 2022

Primary Promise Literacy: Progress Update

DIBELS Change from BOY to MOY					
Student Group	#Students	Well Below Benchmark	Below Benchmark	Benchmark	Above Benchmark
Total K-3	119,473	-7.7%	0.1%	3.9%	3.7%
Not in Primary Promise	104,168	-6.3%	-0.8%	3.1%	4.1%
Current Primary Promise	12,535	-16.9%	7.6%	8.2%	1.1%
Primary Promise Completing One Cycle	6,478	-20.1%	9.8%	9.3%	1.0%

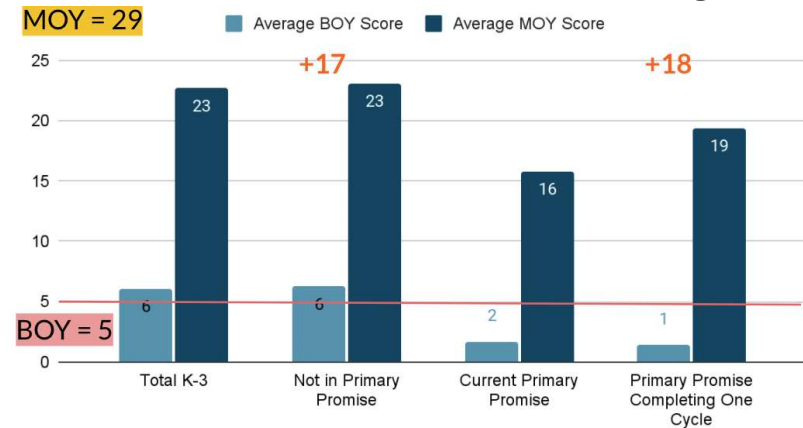
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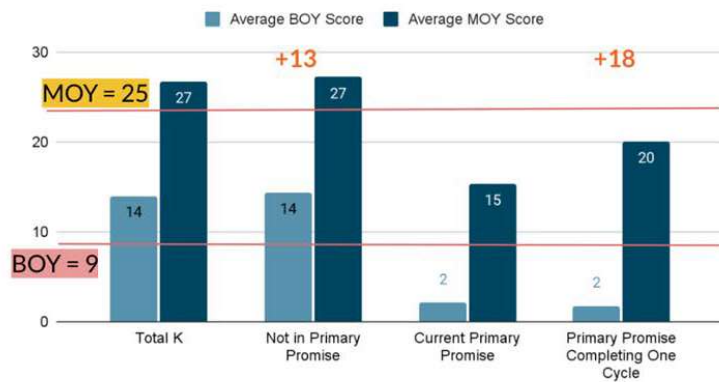
Grade K Student Growth on DIBELS Submeasures

Although starting off well behind their peers on **DIBELS Phoneme Segmentation Fluency (PSF)** and **Nonsense Word Fluency (NWF)**, Primary Promise students are growing at a faster rate than other students.

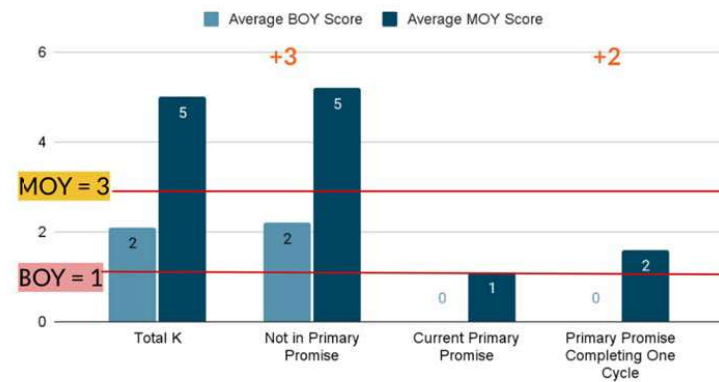
K Phonological Awareness: Segment Word into Phonemes



K Letter Sounds: Correct Letter Sounds



K Decoding: Words Read Correctly

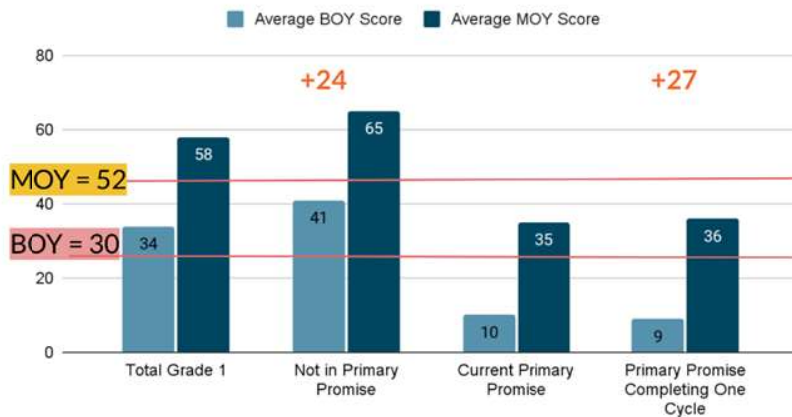




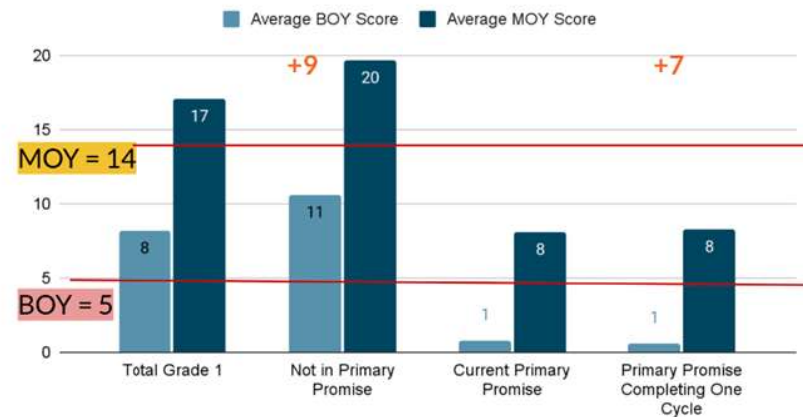
Grade 1 Student Growth on DIBELS Submeasures

Although starting off well behind their peers on **DIBELS Nonsense Word Fluency (NWF)**, Primary Promise students are growing at a faster rate than other students.

Gr. 1 Letter Sounds: Correct Letter Sounds



Gr. 1 Decoding: Words Read Correctly

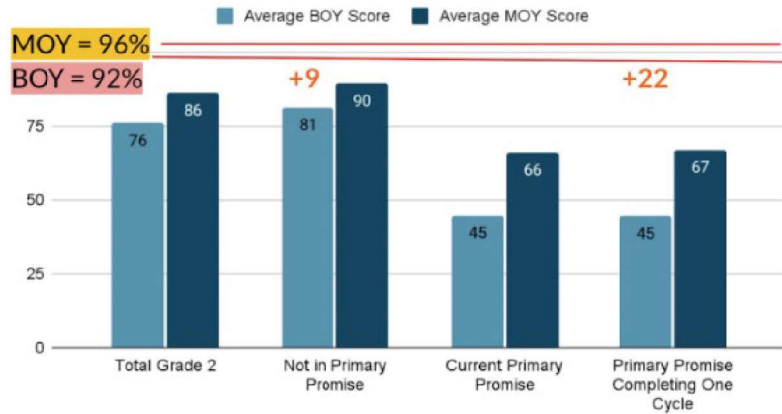




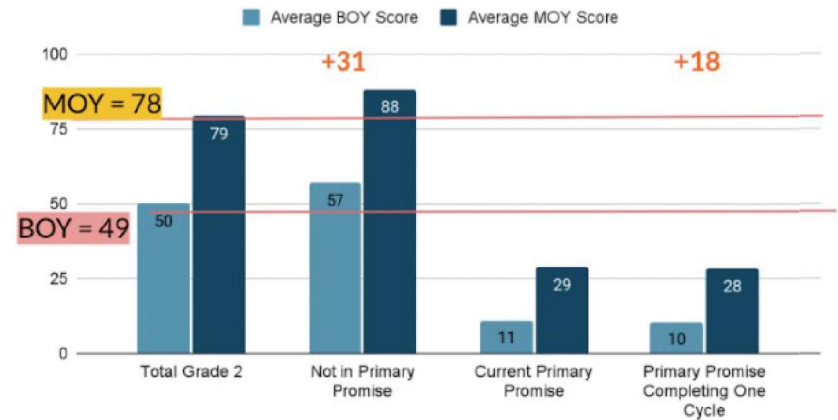
Grade 2 Student Growth on DIBELS Submeasures

Although starting off well behind their peers in **DIBELS Oral Reading Fluency (ORF)**, Primary Promise students are growing at a faster rate than other students.

Gr. 2 Reading Accuracy: Percent of Words Read Correctly



Gr. 2 Reading Fluency: Word Read Per Minute

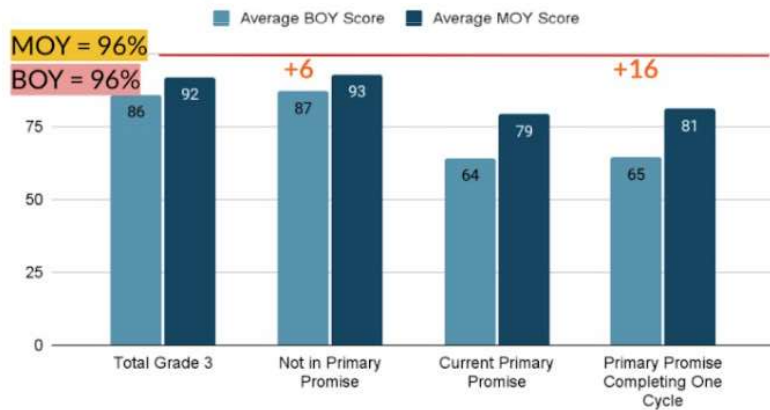




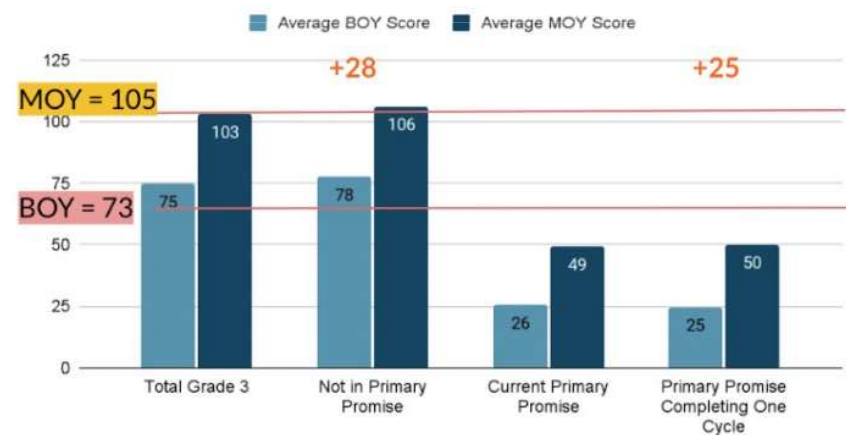
Grade 3 Student Growth on DIBELS Submeasures

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Gr. 3 Reading Accuracy: Percent of Words Read Correctly



Gr. 3 Reading Fluency: Word Read Per Minute





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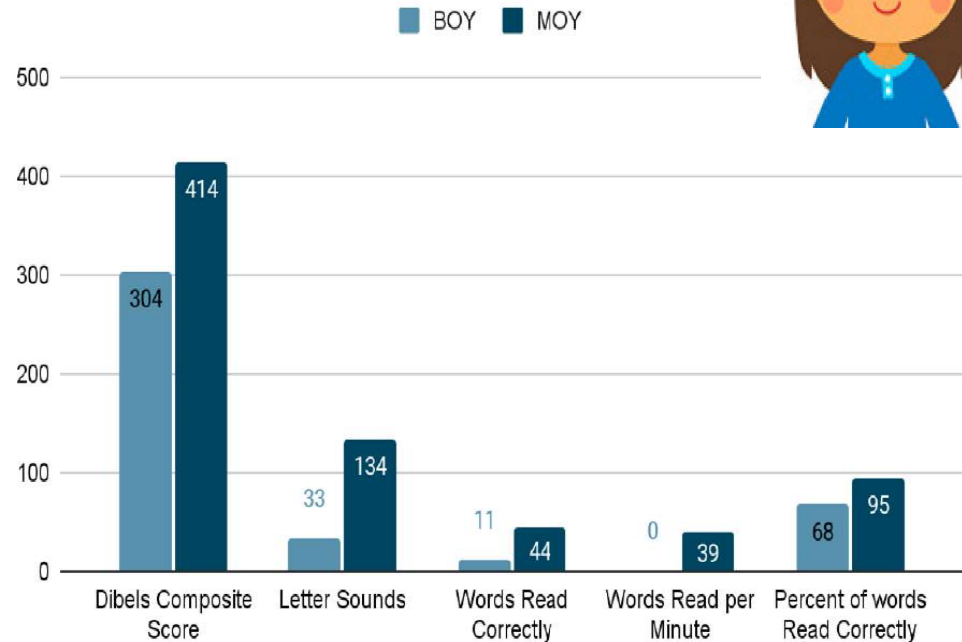
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“Primary Promise is invaluable. We have seen a lot of growth with our students as a result of the work that my instructional aide and I do. Our students’ **growth is exponential**. We are **consistent, and explicit** in our support of students. We are using the **structured literacy approach** and that is making a big difference. We work together with the classroom teachers to make sure **instruction is coherent, aligned and consistent**. We **motivate students** to grow. They know what level they are at and set goals for their growth. Melanie V. is just one example of success. We collaborate with her parents and classroom teacher on a **personalized plan** and to create goals for her literacy growth. We are providing the skills instruction and practice in class and **her family is supporting** with sight word review and daily reading time. **She has built up a lot of confidence** and her love of reading has just grown and grown. She has moved from **red to green!**”



Lisa Quon, Primary Promise Teacher
Aragon Elementary
Local District Central, BD 5

Melanie moved from well-below benchmark at BOY to benchmark at MOY!



Source: Amplify, Inc. March 1, 2022

Primary Promise Break Through Teams

Over 5,120 additional students showing accelerated growth.

Break Through Teams (BTTs) engage in short 10 week cycles of improvement.

Cross functional teams progress monitor students bi-weekly to track progress against a SMART Goal.

Phonological Awareness: Segment Words into Phonemes	Average BOY	Average of MOY	Average Change
Grade K BTT	2	23	+21
Grade 1 BTT	17	37	+20

Letter Sounds: Correct Letter Sounds	Average BOY	Average of MOY	Average Change
Grade K BTT	3	25	+22
Grade 1 BTT	18	49	+31
Grade 2 BTT	36	65	+29

Decoding: Words Read Correctly	Average BOY	Average MOY	Average Change
Grade K BTT	0	3	+3
Grade 1 BTT	2	13	+11
Grade 2 BTT	8	19	+11

Reading Fluency: Words Read Per Minute	Average BOY	Average MOY	Average Growth
Grade 1 BTT	8	18	+10
Grade 2 BTT	26	55	+29

Reading Accuracy: Percent of Words Read Correctly	Average BOY	Average MOY	Average Change
Grade 1 BTT	27	52	+25
Grade 2 BTT	68	83	+15

Primary Promise Teachers and Primary Promise Break Through Teams work together to provide tier I and tier II support for students at varying levels of need.



Primary Promise Literacy: Progress Update ²⁵

Promising Practices to Continue

- Pairing of Primary Promise teacher and instructional aide provides targeted instruction and guided reinforcement of lessons
 - Training and monthly learning anchored to science of teaching reading
 - Coherence across local districts and schools
 - Breakthrough Teams (cycles of improvement) are also producing accelerated growth
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Practices to Consider Adding

- Action Seminars involving school administrators and teams
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Practices that Present Challenges

- Ongoing staffing availability and balancing impact to classrooms



Primary Promise Math: Progress Update



Implementation by the Numbers

- 105 out of 229 (46%) Primary Promise Math teachers hired
- 145 out of 229 (63%) Primary Promise Math instructional aides hired
- 3,149 students receiving daily small-group instruction

Implementation Progress

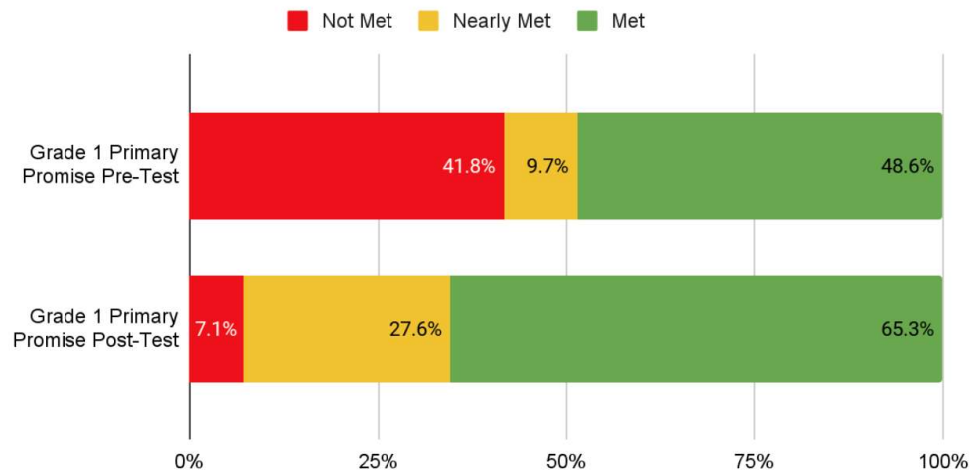
- Fall intervention cycle ended on December 17th and included grades 1, 2 and 3
- Fall focus: Operations and Algebraic Thinking
- Post test results show substantial growth
- Second intervention cycle is underway. The focus is Counting and Cardinality for Grade K and Numbers and Operations, Base 10 in Grades 1-3
- Post testing for intervention cycle 2 will be completed from March 28th through April 1st





Grade 1 Primary Promise Math Update

Gr. 1 Primary Promise Math Intervention Cycle Pre-and-Post Results:
Operations and Algebraic Thinking



Grade 1 Operations and Algebraic Thinking

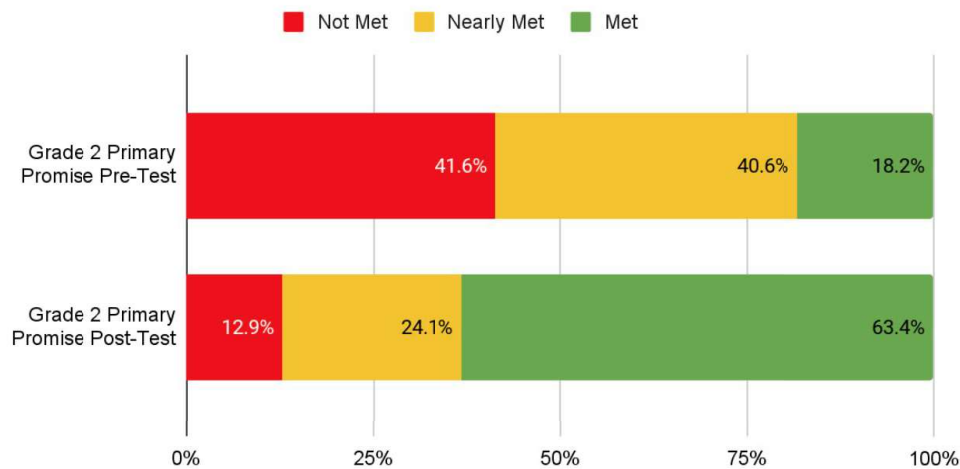
- Represent and solve problems involving addition and subtraction.
- Understand and apply properties of operations and the relationship between addition and subtraction.
- Add and subtract within 20.
- Work with addition and subtraction equations.

Source: Edulastic Dashboard, March 12, 2022



Grade 2 Primary Promise Math Update

Gr. 2 Primary Promise Math Intervention Cycle Pre-and-Post Results:
Operations and Algebraic Thinking



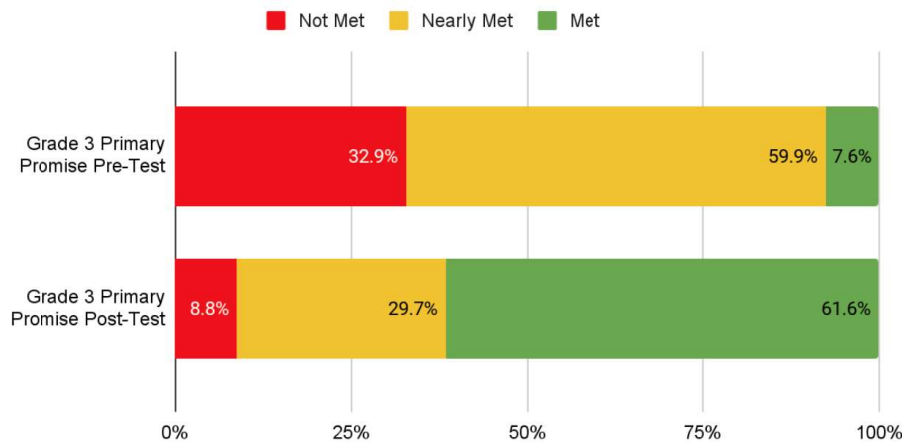
Grade 2 Operations and Algebraic Thinking

- Represent and solve problems involving addition and subtraction.
- Add and subtract within 20.
- Work with equal groups of objects to gain foundations for multiplication.



Grade 3 Primary Promise Math Update

Gr. 3 Primary Promise Math Intervention Cycle Pre-and-Post Results: Operations and Algebraic Thinking



Grade 3 Operations and Algebraic Thinking

- Represent and solve problems involving multiplication and division.
- Understand properties of multiplication and the relationship between multiplication and division.
- Multiply and divide within 100.
- Solve problems involving the four operations, and identify and explain patterns in arithmetic.



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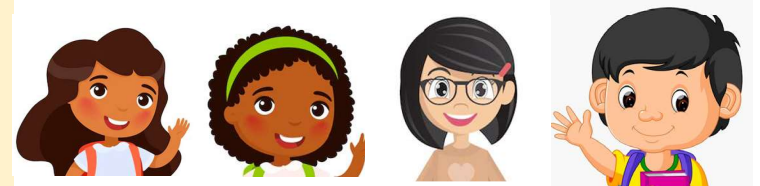
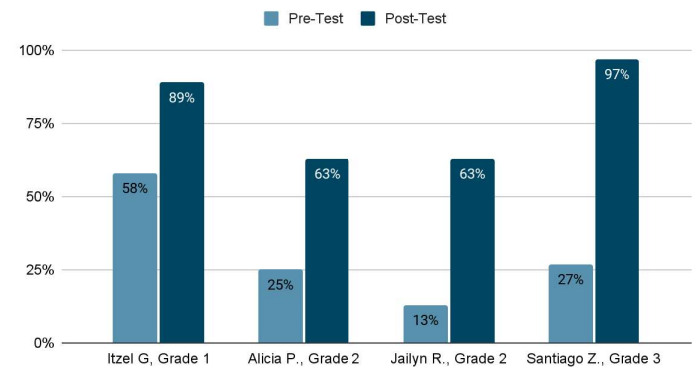
“The growth of my students is so amazing. It's not just their **academic achievement**, but also their **social emotional growth**. We see students who start in the **lowest percentile on the math pre-test**. Some were having challenges recognising numbers. Now they are adding and subtracting numbers, and some of them are multiplying and dividing numbers. **How they see themselves as students has been transformed**. Some of my students were displaying behaviors at the start of the year in their regular class, but in small group they are engaged and they understand. **Their new learning and success is changing how they work with their teacher and other students in the regular class**. I get to pull out my K- 3 students for small group, and I also push into their classrooms during the math time to support them during **tier 1 instruction**. **Math isn't isolated** so the instructional aides and I help them tackle math problems, solve them and communicate their reasoning while they also work on math skills. I also do **demo lessons and coaching** for other teachers. I am showing them how to support students who need the **tier 2 instruction**. I co-facilitate **parent workshops** to show how math is a universal language and there are many strategies to solve the same problem. Parent are learning how **skills build upon each other** and it was important to let children use their own strategies to solve problems.

Katie Vargas de Chenu, Primary Promise Math Teacher
Malabar Street Elementary School
Local District East, BD 2



Look at how much they grew from the pre-test to the post-test in operations and algebraic thinking!

Points scored



Source: Edulastic Dashboard, March 12, 2022



Primary Promise Math: Progress Update

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Promising Practices to Continue

- Monthly professional development and training aligned to the Math Theory of Action and that supports high leverage instructional practices
- Coherence across local districts and schools as well as standards
- Primary Promise Math teachers build the capacity of others through team teaching, model lessons, peer collaboration, lab days, etc.
- Supplemental Building Fact Fluency Kits are being used for intervention
- Math Recovery Specialist Training is underway, and it involves coaching, case studies and calibration
- Math Breakthrough Teams in progress in every local district

Practices to Consider Adding

- Action Seminars involving school administrators and teams

Practices that Present Challenges

- Ongoing staffing availability and balancing impact to classrooms