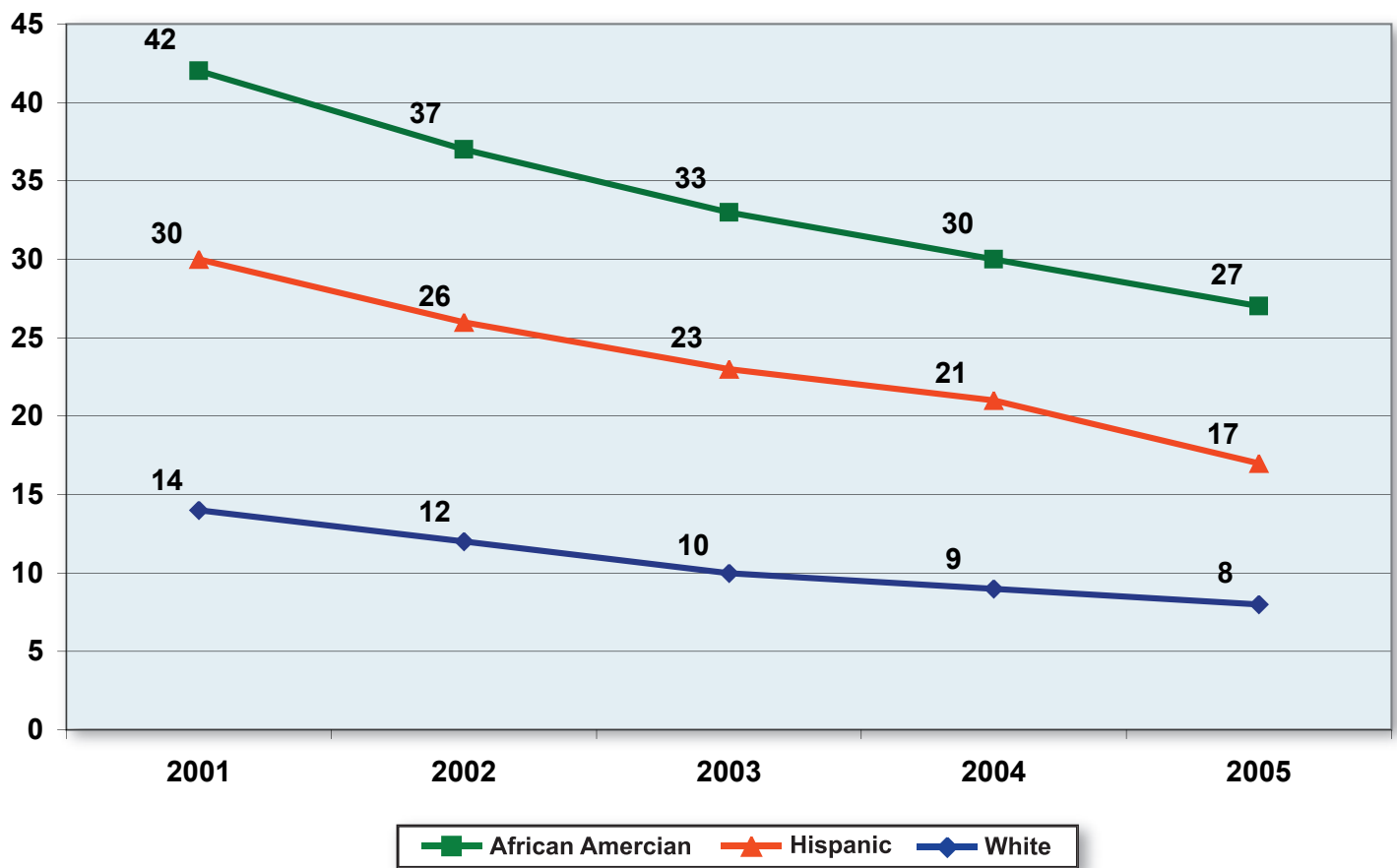


FCAT Mathematics Students at Achievement Level 1 Grade 3



In 2005, 8 percent of Florida's white third graders scored in achievement level 1 on FCAT Mathematics. This represents a decrease from 14 percent in 2001, 12 percent in 2002, 10 percent in 2003, and 9 percent in 2004 for a total decrease of 6 percentage points since 2001 for white third graders. In 2005, 17 percent of Florida's Hispanic third graders scored in achievement level 1 on FCAT Mathematics. This represents a decrease from 30 percent in 2001, 26 percent in 2002, 23 percent in 2003, and 21 percent in 2004 for a total decrease of 13 percentage points since 2001 for Hispanic third graders. In 2005, 27 percent of Florida's African American third graders scored in achievement level 1 on FCAT Mathematics. This represents a decrease from 42 percent in 2001, 37 percent in 2002, 33 percent in 2003, and 30 percent in 2004 for a total decrease of 15 percentage points since 2001 for African American third graders.

Source: Florida Department of Education