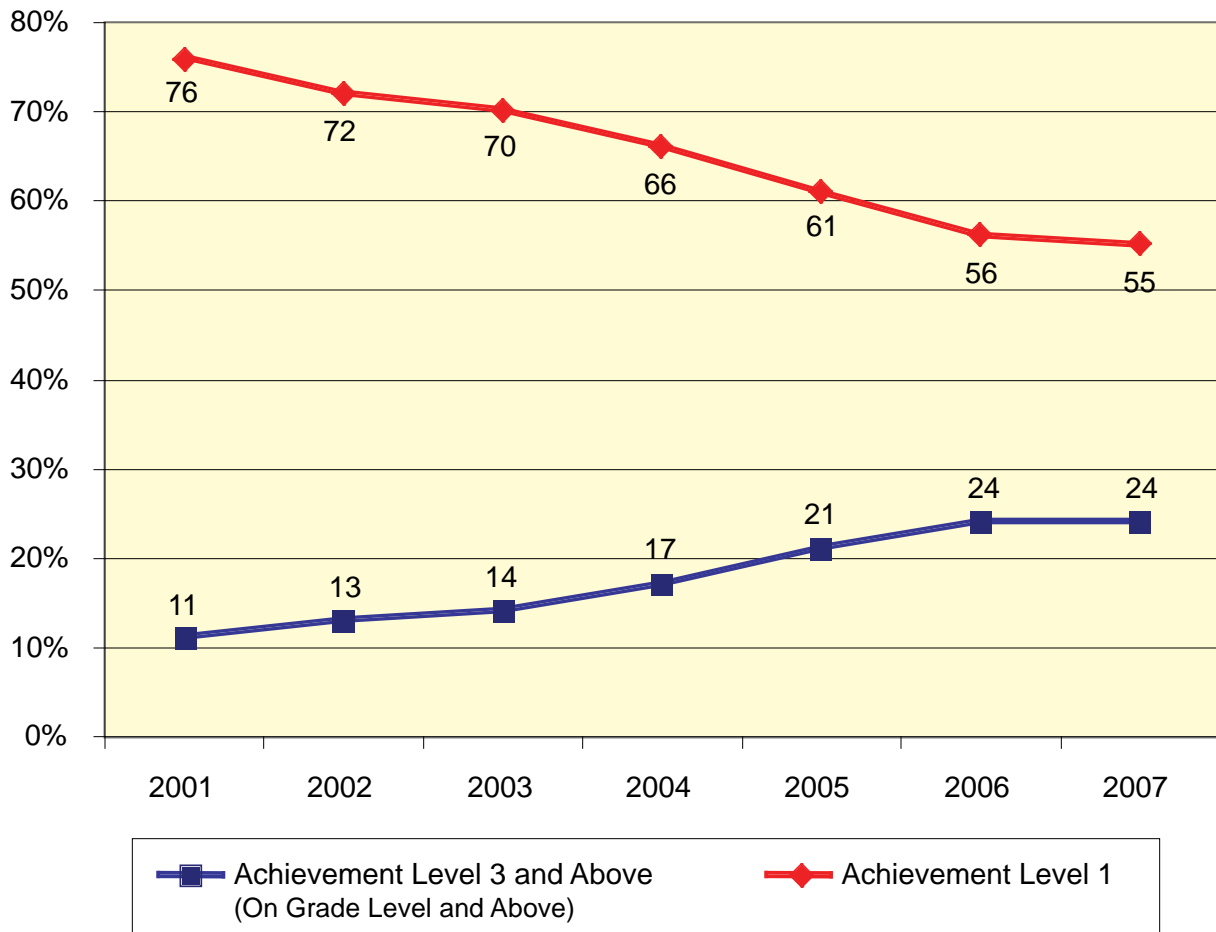


# FCAT Reading by Achievement Level English Language Learners Grades 3-10



In 2007, 24 percent of English Language Learners in Grades 3-10 were performing at or above Achievement Level 3 (on grade level and above) on FCAT Reading. This is an increase from 11 percent in 2001, 13 percent in 2002, 14 percent in 2003, 17 percent in 2004, 21 percent in 2005, and is equal to 24 percent in 2006. In 2007, 55 percent of English Language Learners in Grades 3-10 were performing at Achievement Level 1 on FCAT Reading. This is a decrease from 76 percent in 2001, 72 percent in 2002, 70 percent in 2003, 66 percent in 2004, 61 percent in 2005, and 56 percent in 2006.

\*English Language Learners (ELLs), formerly referred to as Limited English Proficient (LEP) students, includes students enrolled in classes specifically designed to increase their academic and language proficiency.

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