

Using data from the 2021-2022 school year, Kentucky's new accountability system will provide an overall color-coded rating for each school, district and the state ranging from red (lowest) to blue (highest).

The cut scores below define performance expectations for each indicator and the overall school rating. For 2021-2022, state indicators will be evaluated on status only. The cut scores determine how schools are reported in the online colored dashboard required by state law.

2021-2022 State Indicators Cut Scores

School Level	Indicators	Very Low	Low	Medium	High	Very High
Elementary	State Assessment Results in Reading/Mathematics	0-31.9	32.0-53.9	54.0-69.9	70.0-80.9	81.0-125
	State Assessment Results in Science/ Social Studies/Writing	0-33.9	34.0-49.9	50.0-66.9	67.0-75.9	76.0-125
	English Learner Progress	0-33.9	34.0-47.9	48.0-57.9	58.0-64.9	65.0-140
	Quality of School Climate and Safety	0-66.9	67.0-73.9	74.0-76.9	77.0-81.9	82.0-100



School Level	Indicators	Very Low	Low	Medium	High	Very High
Middle	State Assessment Results in Reading/Mathematics	0-35.9	36.0-54.9	55.0-64.9	65.0-72.9	73.0-125
	State Assessment Results in Science/ Social Studies/Writing	0-32.9	33.0-47.9	48.0-58.9	59.0-68.9	69.0-125
	English Learner Progress	0-15.9	16.0-23.9	24.0-30.9	31.0-44.9	45.0-140
	Quality of School Climate and Safety	0-58.9	59.0-63.9	64.0-67.9	68.0-74.9	75.0-100



School Level	Indicators	Very Low	Low	Medium	High	Very High
High	State Assessment Results in Reading/Mathematics	0-38.9	39.0-52.9	53.0-64.9	65.0-76.9	77.0-125
	State Assessment Results in Science/ Social Studies/Writing	0-31.9	32.0-46.9	47.0-54.9	55.0-62.9	63.0-125
	English Learner Progress	0-9.9	10.0-23.9	24.0-30.9	31.0-44.9	45.0-140
	Quality of School Climate and Safety	0-53.9	54.0-58.9	59.0-63.9	64.0-67.9	68.0-100
	Postsecondary Readiness	0-58.9	59.0-75.9	76.0-87.9	88.0-94.9	95.0-125
	Graduation	0-85.9	86.0-91.9	92.0-94.9	95.0-97.9	98.0-100



2021- 2022 Accountability Overall Cut Scores

School Level	Red	Orange	Yellow	Green	Blue
Elementary Schools	0-34.9	35.0-52.9	53.0-68.9	69.0-78.9	79.0 or more
Middle Schools	0-36.9	37.0-50.9	51.0-61.9	62.0-70.9	71.0 or more
High Schools	0-47.9	48.0-58.9	59.0-66.9	67.0-77.9	78.0 or more