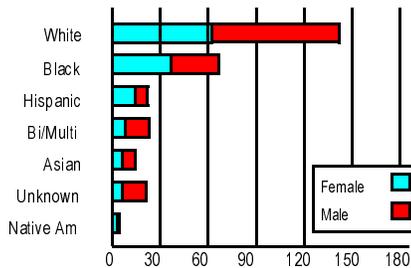




**Department of Defense Education Activity  
Ansbach Elementary School (K-6)  
1998/99 School Profile  
Dorothy Blem, Principal**

**School Characteristics**

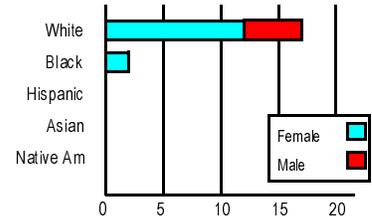
**Student Enrollment - 293**



Grade	#
K	53
1	55
2	39
3	45
4	43
5	33
6	25
Total	293

Sponsor Affiliation	
Marine	<.5%
Army	94%
Navy	<.5%
Air Force	<.5%
Coast Guard	<.5%
Non-US Military	<.5%
US Civilians	5%
Non-US Civilians	<.5%

**Professional Staffing**



Special Programs			
Grade Offered	Program	#	%
PK-12	Special Education	26	9%
K-8	TAG	45	15%
K-12	ESL	25	9%
1	Reading Recovery	N/A	N/A
7-12	AVID	N/A	
AP Courses Offered		N/A	
Students Taking AP Courses		N/A	N/A

Teacher Experience	
Years	Teachers
New	10
1-2	0
3-9	4
10-20	4
> 20	8

**Mobility Rate  
34% Per Year**

School Staff	
Category	FTE
Administrators	1
Classroom Teachers	14
Special Education	0.5
Other Professionals	4.5

Teacher Education	
Degree	% Teachers
BA/BS	39 %
MA/MS	61 %
Doctorate	0 %

**Principal's Highlights**

Ansbach Elementary School is located in Katterbach, Germany. This modern two story building with 14 classrooms also has special facilities for the nurse, cafeteria, host nation, gym, computer lab, music and art.

Ansbach Elementary School serves a diverse population of children with an array of special programs and staff. The school motto, "Learning For A Lifetime," is reflected in core curriculum. The NT Pentium computer lab went on-line in September, 1998, providing access to Internet research.

The information center provides a wide range of reading and research materials, including 16 LAN computers to support the Accelerated Reader Program, CD-ROM programs and OPAC. Ansbach Elementary School meets the challenge of the 21st Century by establishing the information center as the focal point of the school.

Ansbach Elementary School has pride in its School Home Partnership Program, its host of parent volunteers, and in its professional and diverse teaching staff.

**DoDEA Strategic Plan: School Improvement Implementation  
School Year 98/99 Priorities**

**Goal 3: Student Achievement And Citizenship**

**Benchmark 3.1: Increase Proficiency in Reading Lang Arts, and Soc. Studies.....**

The number of students participating in the Accelerated Reader Program has increased greatly this year. Bookit Bingo and two Book Fairs have also helped to provide students more chances for pleasure reading. The information center and the computer lab are on LAN and provide avenues for Internet and OPA.

**Goal 4: Math And Science Achievement**

**Benchmark 4.2: Narrow Achievement Gap between Racial/Ethnic/Gender Grps.....**

Mathland and The Problem Solver have been implemented by 100% of the classroom teachers at Ansbach Elementary School. Teachers have attended multiple training sessions in science and mathematics at the district level. Three teachers participated in Jason X training, and a schoolwide science expo was held in May.

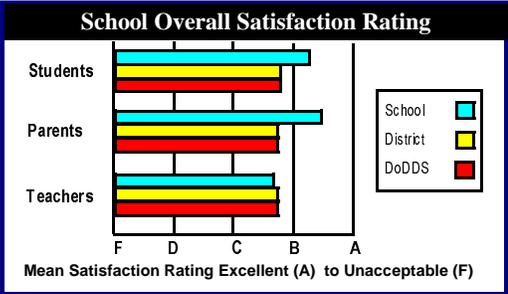
**Goal 10: Organizational Development**

**Benchmark 10.7: Effective Communication Sys. for all DoDEA constituencies.....**

Ansbach Elementary School continued to provide constant communication with the community through its outstanding weekly parent newsletters. Parent/Student Handbooks were revised and parents were actively involved in PTSA fund-raisers, study trips and the school-wide Volksmarch.

**Benchmark 10.8: Establish technology for teachers and administrators.....**

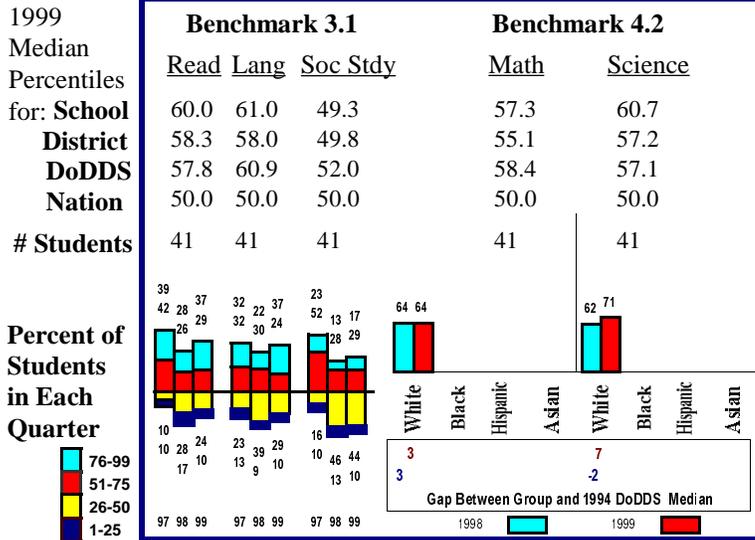
This year nine teachers participated in computer training through the University of Maryland. The focus of this training was incorporating technology in the classroom. Because of this training, students in grades 2-6 completed outstanding technological projects incorporating PowerPoint, Internet, Digital Cameras, etc.



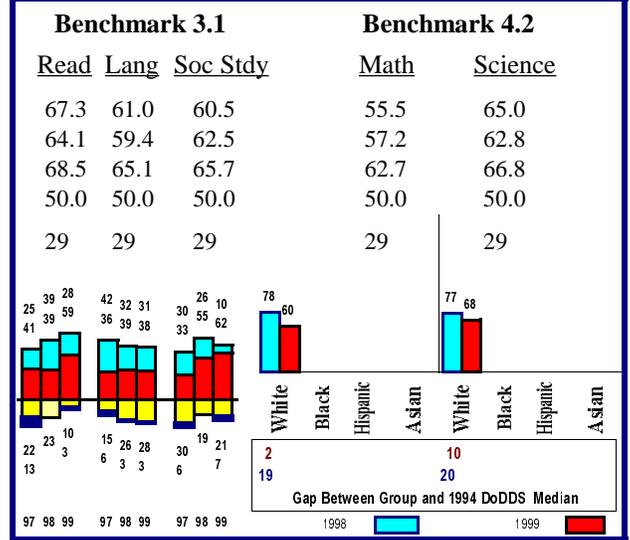
### Goal 8: Parental Participation

**Benchmark 8.1: Implement/Evaluate Multi-Tiered School-Home Partnership.**  
 Ansbach Elementary School continues to encourage parent involvement at each grade level. Parent volunteers have helped in each classroom as well as in the information center and the cafeteria. They have also helped to run several Bookit Bingo sessions and two very successful Book Fairs.

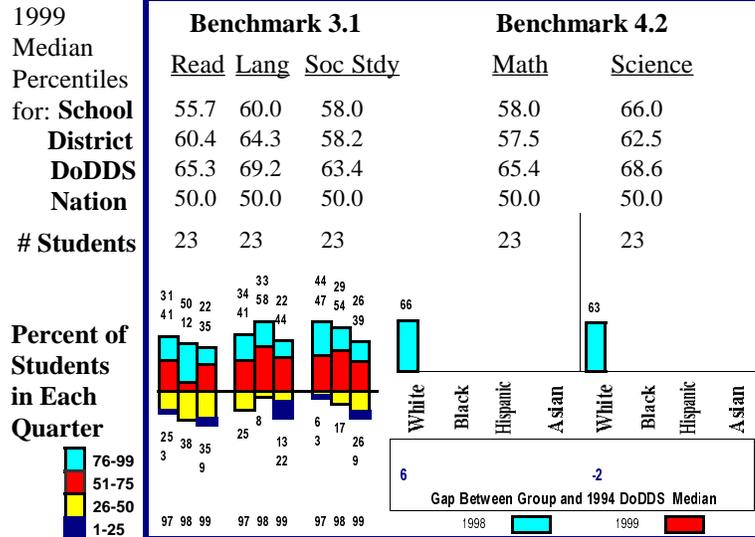
### Grade 3



### Grade 5



### Grade 6



### SAT Results

	School	District	DoDDS	Nation
% Participating	98	NA	58%	62%
	99	NA	65%	63%
Math Avg Score	98	NA	462	505
	99	NA	461	501
Verbal Avg Score	98	NA	492	511
	99	NA	483	506

### Notes

**Customer Satisfaction Survey:** The Overall Satisfaction Ratings above are only a part of the full report available for each school, district, area, and system. This report provides indepth information on topics such as technology, curriculum, parent involvement/communication, school buses and other topics.

**CTBS Test Results:** A Percentile score indicates the % of students nationally who scored below that score. Quarter(s) are the four percentile ranges: 1-25th, 26-50th, 51-75th, and 76-99th. Gaps are the differences between the group median percentiles and the 1994 DoDDS baseline medians.

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### DoDEA Writing Assessment

Grade	Yr	Number Tested	Benchmark Criteria 75% => Proficient	Percent at Each Performance Level				
				Distinguished	Proficient	Apprentice	Novice/ Undeveloped	Not Scoreable
				5	97	31	Met	19%
5	98	30	Met	17%	80%	3%	0%	0%
5	99	25	Met	4%	96%	0%	0%	0%