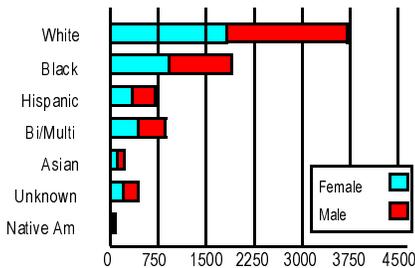


**Department of Defense Education Activity
Wuerzburg District (PK-12)
1998/99 District Profile
Virginia Mitchener, Superintendent**

District Characteristics

Student Enrollment - 7,770



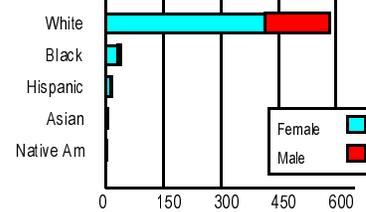
Grade	#
PreK	164
K	906
1	964
2	851
3	778
4	713
5	648
6	552
7	541
8	470
9	378
10	354
11	250
12	201
Total	7770

Sponsor Affiliation	
Marine	<.5%
Army	92%
Navy	<.5%
Air Force	<.5%
Coast Guard	<.5%
Non-US Military	<.5%
US Civilians	7%
Non-US Civilians	<.5%

Teacher Experience	
Years	Teachers
New	77
1-2	19
3-9	68
10-20	211
> 20	303

Mobility Rate
42% Per Year

Professional Staffing



School Staff	
Category	FTE
Administrators	27
Classroom Teachers	459.5
Special Education	49.5
Other Professionals	101.5

Teacher Education	
Degree	% Teachers
BA/BS	31 %
MA/MS	67 %
Doctorate	2 %

Superintendent's Highlights

The Wuerzburg District serves a diverse population across a wide geographical area at 19 elementary, middle and high schools. Guided by the DoDEA Strategic Plan, the District continues to foster high expectations, instructional leadership and excellence in teaching to realize our primary mission of helping all students achieve in a caring and safe environment.

As the implementation of the District Improvement Plan proceeds; our emphasis on the interrelationship of curriculum, instruction, and assessment, as the infrastructure for student success, continues to guide our efforts as a District Team. To this end we have conducted several assessment pilot projects, which have yielded positive results in terms of student achievement.

In support and recognition of excellence in education, the Wuerzburg District has sponsored the following student activities: K-6 Reading/Language Arts Festival, 7-12 Writer's Workshop, Foreign Language Festival, and Model US Senate.

Looking ahead, the Wuerzburg District will continue to focus on the delivery of quality educational programs in order to effectively meet the needs of all students.

**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 district provided continued support to schools as they fully implemented the new Reading/Language Arts Standards and Literacy Place Program at grade K-6. Orientation and training was provided to all English Teachers in preparation for the implementation of the new Language Arts program at grades 7-12.

Goal 4: Math And Science Achievement

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

Classroom research in HS mathematics using Caine & Caine's model and the Myers-Briggs, teacher inservices in Inquiry-Based Science Standards, Teaching for Understanding, and assessments designed to modify instruction, supported previous research on Best Practices for narrowing the achievement gap.

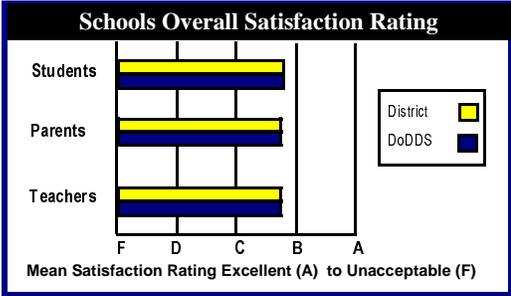
Goal 10: Organizational Development

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

Effective communication among all DoDEA constituencies is important for the stakeholders of our educational system. To this end, the District's focus has been on implementing more efficient ways of communicating. A District Advisory Council was formed to work more closely with the military communities.

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

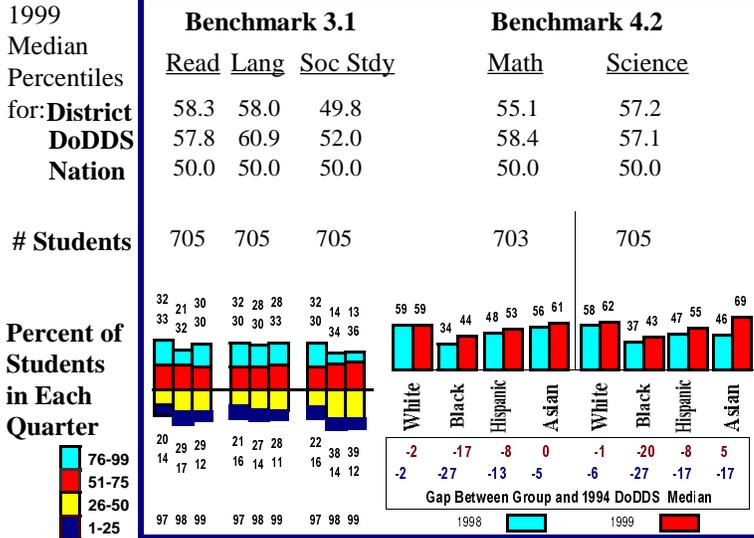
A comprehensive, District-wide teacher training program emphasizing the integration of technology into the curriculum and engaged learning is an ongoing Educational Technologist initiative. The use of the Internet as an educational tool in the classroom is becoming much more wide-spread throughout the District.



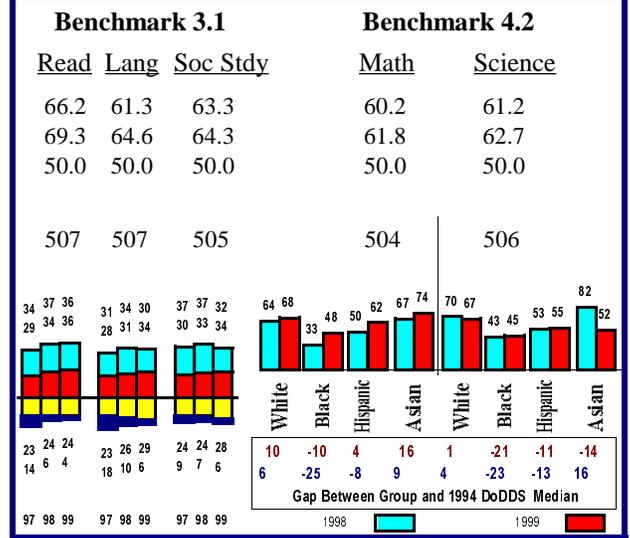
Goal 8: Parental Participation

Benchmark 8.1: Implement/Evaluate Multi-Tiered School-Home Partnership. School Home Community Partnership (SHCP) continues to be a major thrust in the Wuerzburg District. Tutor-mentorship increased. Communication between school, parents and community measurably improved in all schools. Commands and communities took a very active role in promoting learning for children.

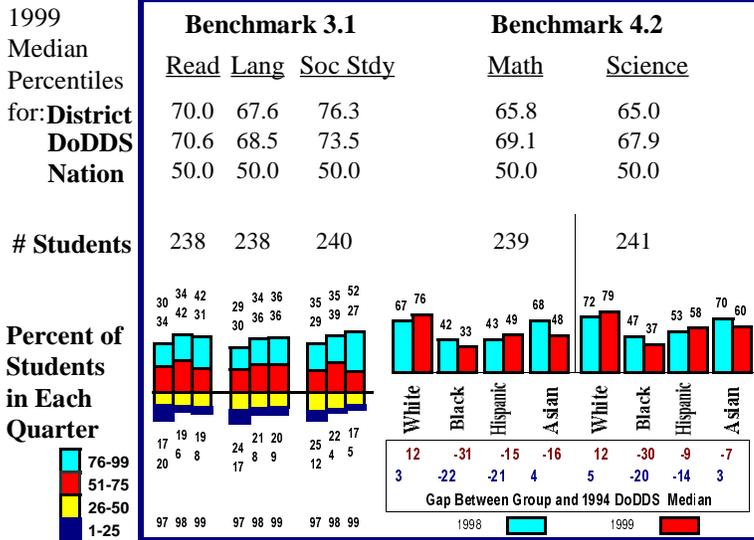
Grade 3



Grade 7



Grade 11



SAT Results

	District	DoDDS	Nation
% Participating	98	58%	62%
	99	65%	63%
Math Avg Score	98	462	505
	99	461	501
Verbal Avg Score	98	492	511
	99	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	633	Met	29%	60%	7%	4%	1%
5	98	595	Met	20%	75%	5%	1%	0%
5	99	572	Met	18%	77%	4%	0%	1%
8	97	416	Met	27%	49%	16%	8%	1%
8	98	443	Met	26%	51%	18%	4%	1%
8	99	380	Not Met	29%	39%	25%	7%	1%
10	97	321	Met	35%	40%	19%	5%	0%
10	98	276	Not Met	33%	41%	14%	9%	2%
10	99	283	Met	37%	50%	10%	2%	0%