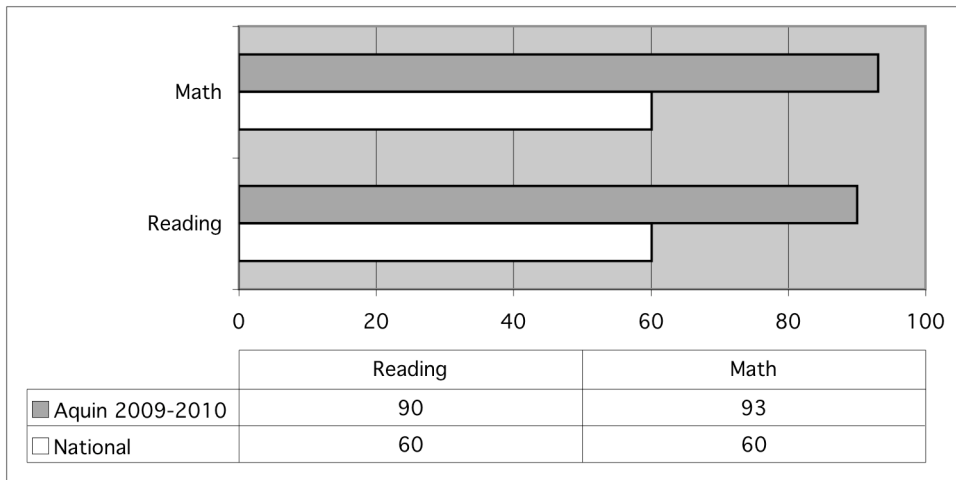


Aquin Elementary Iowa Tests of Basic Skills (ITBS) 2009-2010 Progress Compared to the Nation.

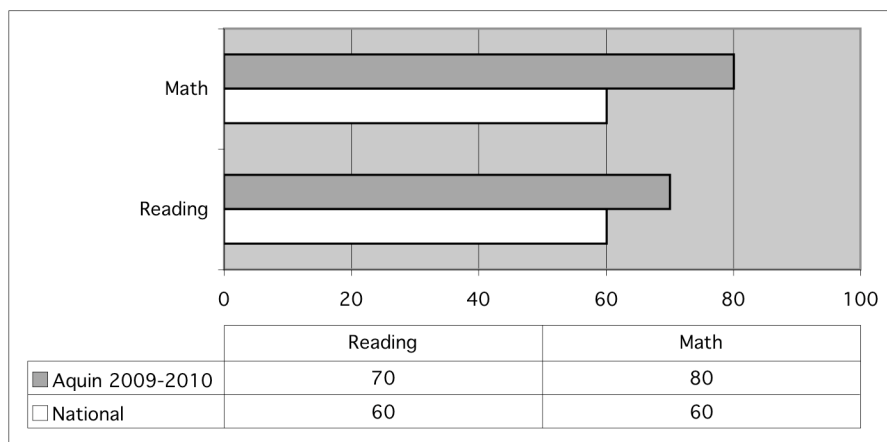
Excellence in education at Aquin Elementary School is very important to us. We strive to educate the entire person by focusing on each pupil's spiritual, academic, emotional, social, cultural, and physical growth needs. We also believe it is important to provide parents the results of their investment in Aquin. We take great pride in this opportunity to report Aquin's achievement and successes using the Iowa Tests of Basic Skills (ITBS) results for all 4th grade and 8th grade students. To provide an illustration of the success Aquin is experiencing, results are contrasted with the ITBS results of the nation for comparative reasons.



4th Grade Proficiency in Math and Reading

The graph above compares Aquin's 4th grade student Reading and Math (ITBS) Proficiency trend line data with that of the nation's. Students are identified as proficient by having a score of 41% or higher on the ITBS Reading and Math test totals. Aquin's 4th grade students achieved 90% proficiency in reading which constitutes 30 percentage points above the national level. Aquin students achieved 93% proficiency in math which constitutes 33 percentage points above the national level.

8th Grade Proficiency in Math and Reading



The graph above compares Aquin's student Reading and Math (ITBS) Proficiency trend line data with that of the nation for students in grade 8. Students are identified as proficient by having a score of 41% or higher on the ITBS Reading and Math test totals. Aquin's 8th grade students achieved 70% proficiency in reading and 80% in math. This constitutes 10 percentage points over the national level in reading, and 20 percentage points over the national level in math.