

Literacy Instruction

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Board of Education Goal

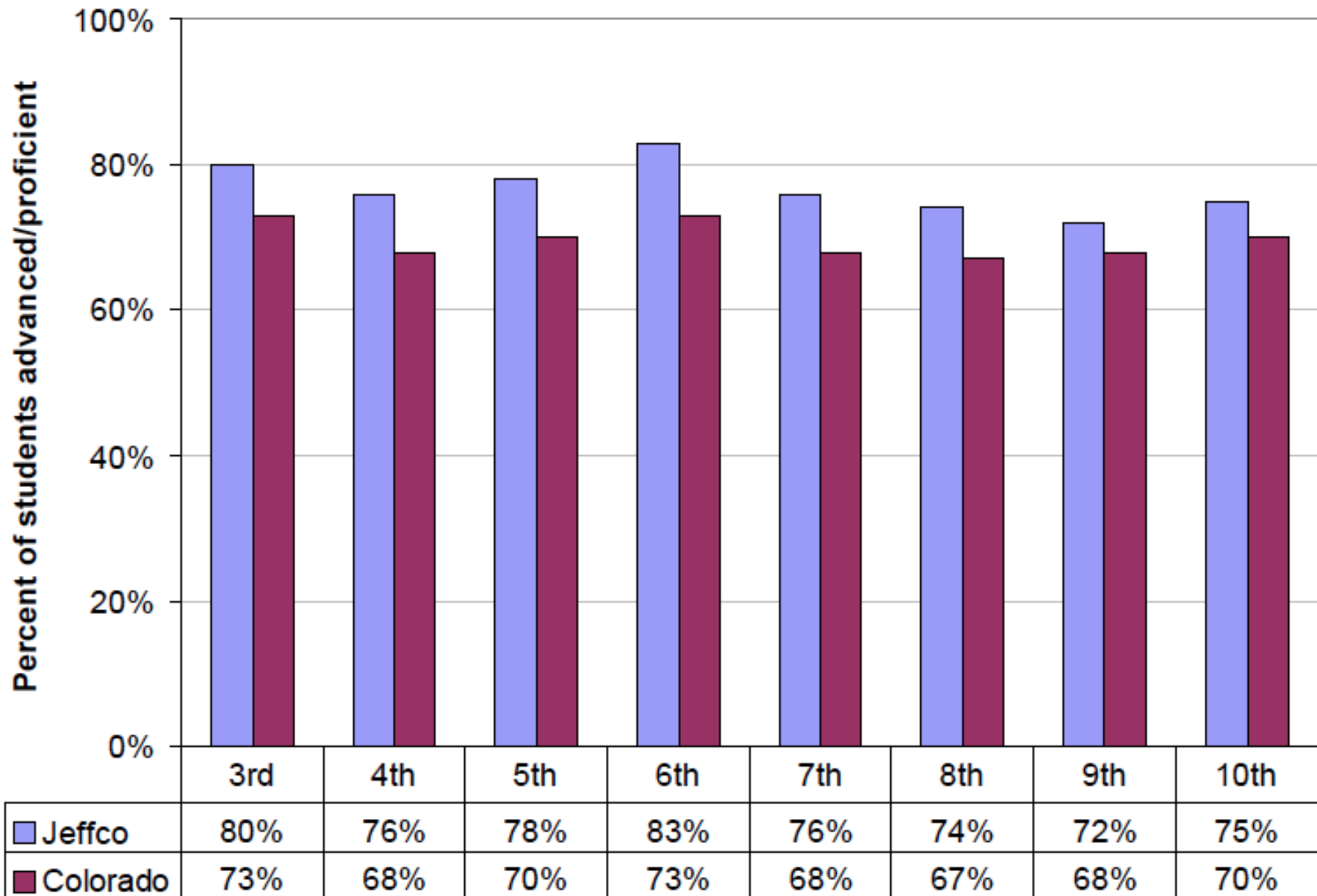
Increase the percentage of third graders reading at proficient and advanced from 80% to 85%. Reduce the percentage of students in the unsatisfactory category by 1%.

Current Achievement Data

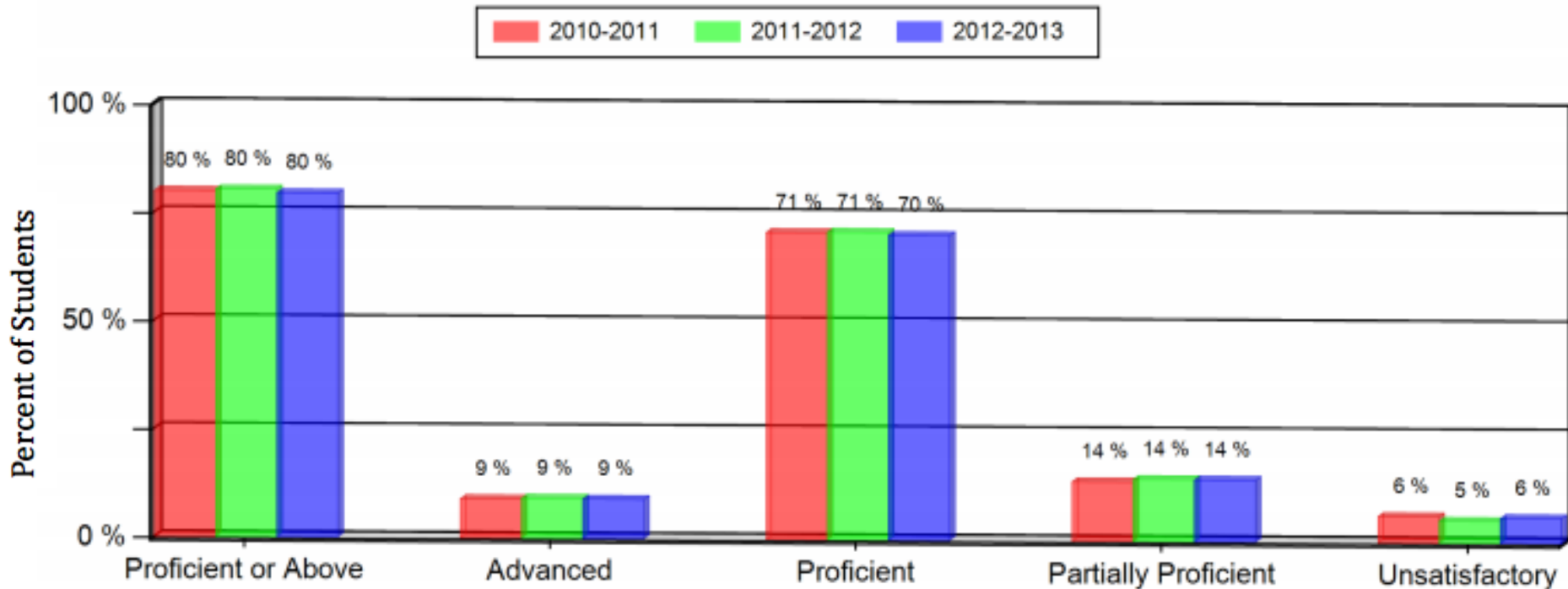


2013

Jeffco and Colorado - TCAP READING



Grade 3 Reading CSAP/TCAP Trends

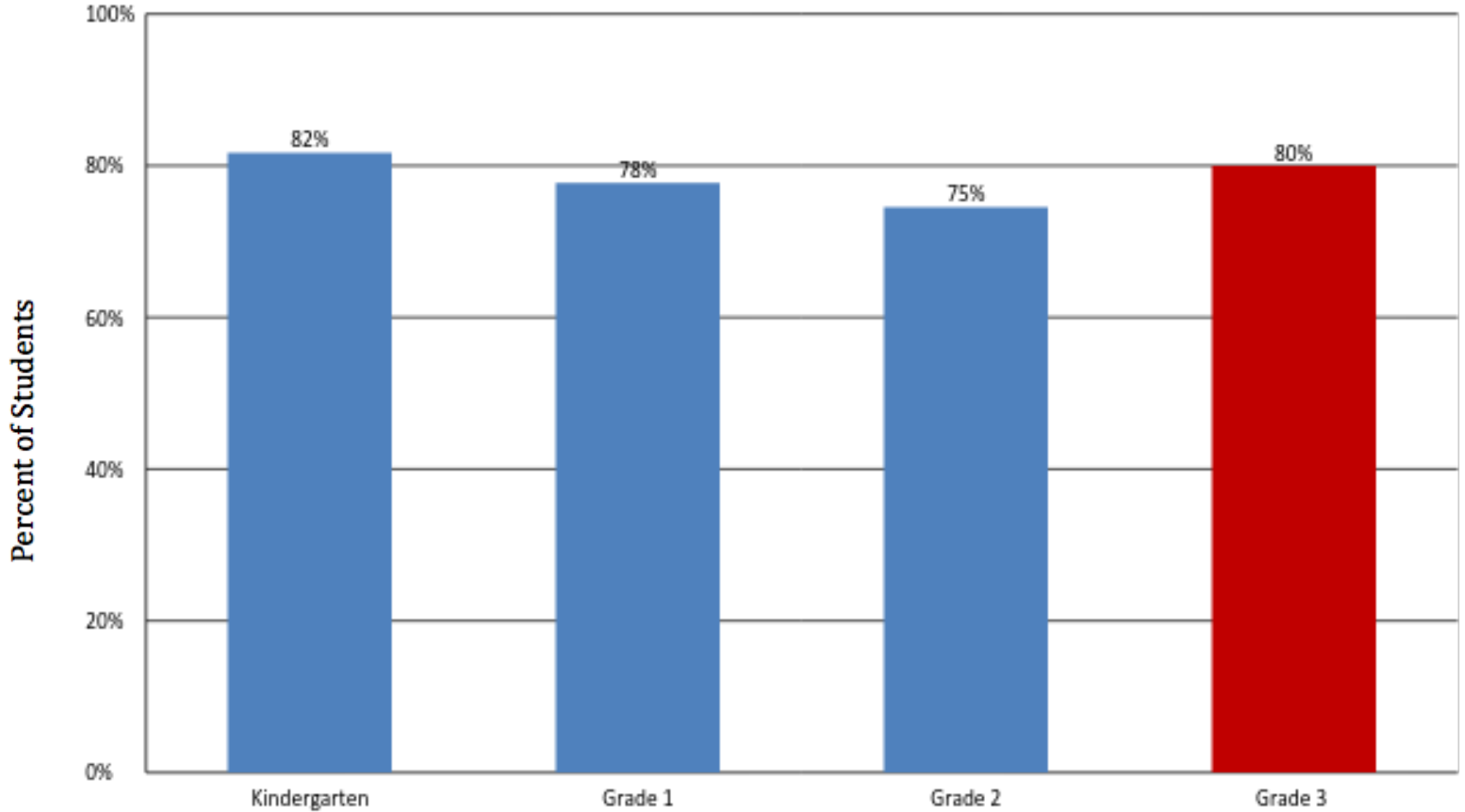


2012-13 Counts

Advanced - 545 students
Proficient - 4,242 students

Partially Proficient - 860 students
Unsatisfactory - 347 students

2013 Percent of Students Developed on BEAR (blue) or Proficient /Advanced on TCAP Reading (red)



*BEAR (Basic Early Assessment of Reading) is a K-2 summative reading assessment.

Note: Chart does not display trends. Each grade reflects unique students.

Leveraging Our Knowledge

Data Points

- UIPs
- Instructional Rounds
- Extended Time Initiatives

Achievement Directors, Educational Research and Design, and Principals

- Examine district and school level data
- Identify areas of concern as well as pockets of excellence
- Examine current research

What will it take to achieve the goal

- People
- Professional Learning
- Time and Materials



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 - 19 - Literacy Interventionists to provide explicit instruction for identified students at identified schools
 - 2 - English Language Arts teacher on special assignment

What will it take to achieve the goal

- Professional Learning

- explicit learning opportunities for primary teachers
 - release time and/or additional pay
 - ongoing throughout the year
- explicit training for literacy interventionists
 - ongoing training throughout the year
- side by side support
 - data analysis
 - progress monitoring
 - observations
 - feedback
 - coaching



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- Time

- extended support for identified students during the school day
- extended school year
 - summer school opportunity for identified students

- Materials

- Interventions for identified students



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To provide a
quality education
that prepares
ALL children
for a successful
future.....

