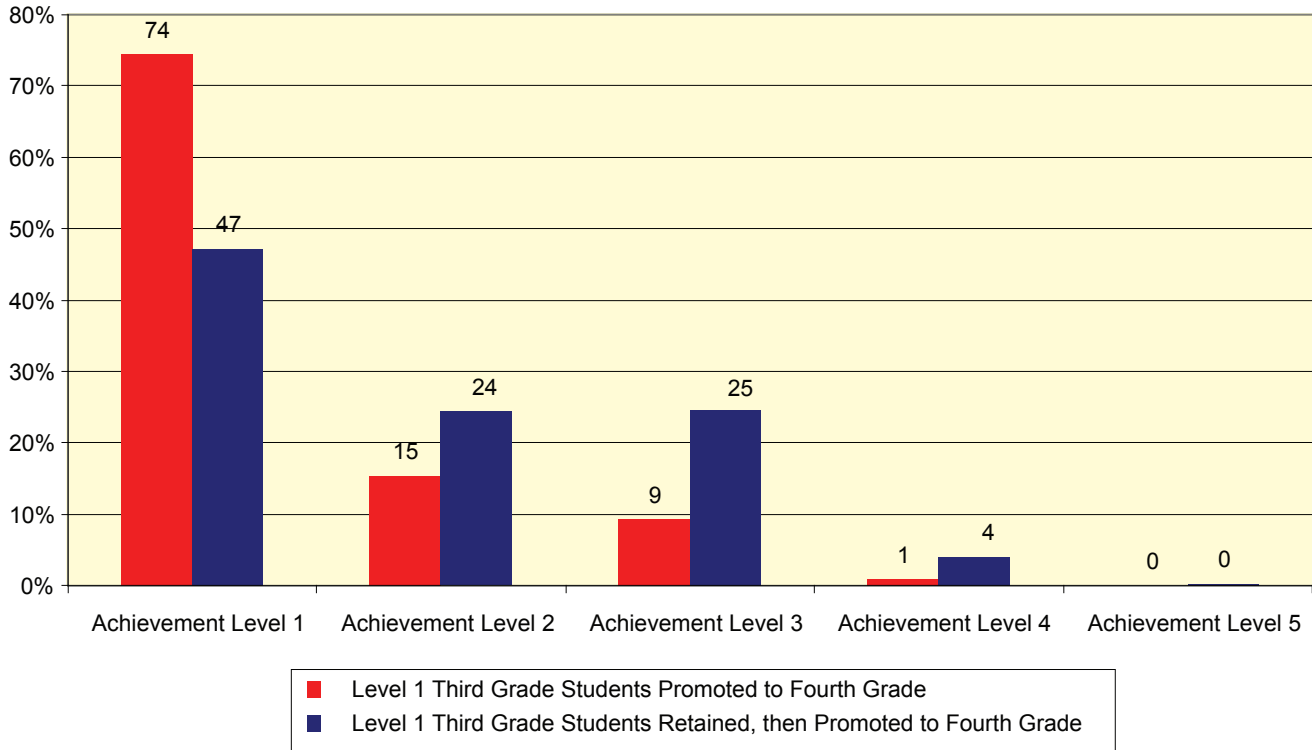


# Retained Level 1 Third Grade Students Outperform Promoted Level 1 Students on FCAT Reading Grade 4



In 2008, 47 percent of Fourth Grade students that repeated Third Grade in 2006-07 scored at Achievement Level 1 on the Grade 4 FCAT Reading compared to 74 percent of Fourth Grade students that were promoted to Grade 4 in 2006-07 and scored at Achievement Level 1 on Grade 3 FCAT Reading the prior year. Twenty-four percent of Third Grade repeaters scored at Achievement Level 2 on Grade 4 FCAT Reading compared to 15 percent that were promoted. Twenty-five percent of repeaters scored at Achievement Level 3 on Grade 4 FCAT Reading compared to 9 percent that were promoted. Four percent of repeaters scored at Achievement Level 4 on Grade 4 FCAT Reading compared to 1 percent that were promoted.

Source: K20 Education Data Warehouse  
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