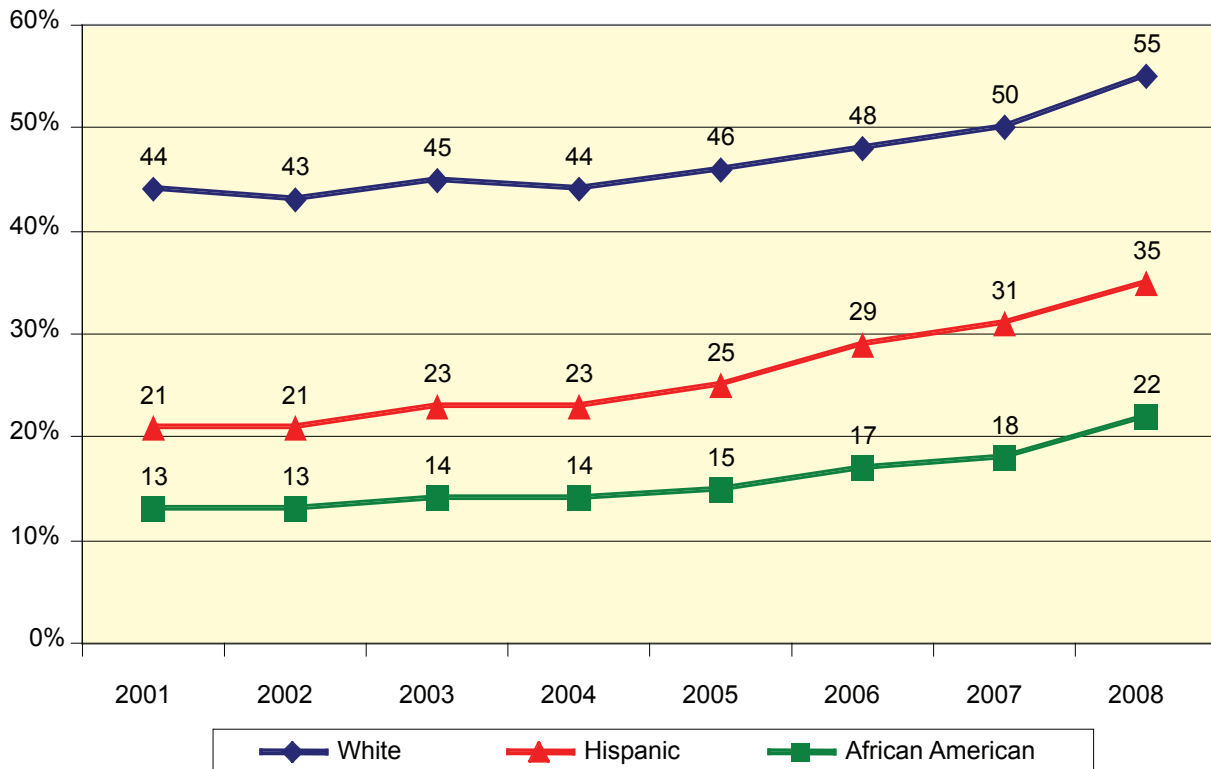


FCAT Reading Achievement Level 3 and Above (On Grade Level and Above) Grades 9 and 10



In 2008, 55 percent of White students in Grades 9 and 10 were performing at or above Achievement Level 3 (on grade level and above) on FCAT Reading. This is an increase from 44 percent in 2001, 43 percent in 2002, 45 percent in 2003, 44 percent in 2004, 46 percent in 2005, 48 percent in 2006, and 50 percent in 2007. In 2008, 35 percent of Hispanic students in Grades 9 and 10 were performing at or above Achievement Level 3 (on grade level and above) on FCAT Reading. This is an increase from 21 percent in 2001, 21 percent in 2002, 23 percent in 2003, 23 percent in 2004, 25 percent in 2005, 29 percent in 2006, and 31 percent in 2007. In 2008, 22 percent of African American students in Grades 9 and 10 were performing at or above Achievement Level 3 (on grade level and above) on FCAT Reading. This is an increase from 13 percent in 2001, 13 percent in 2002, 14 percent in 2003, 14 percent in 2004, 15 percent in 2005, 17 percent in 2006, and 18 percent in 2007.

Source: K20 Education Data Warehouse
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