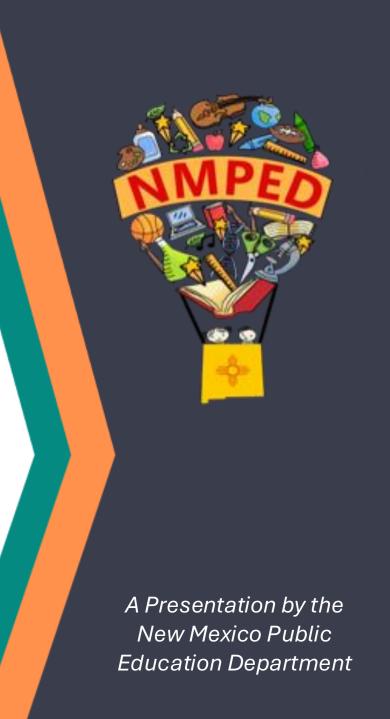
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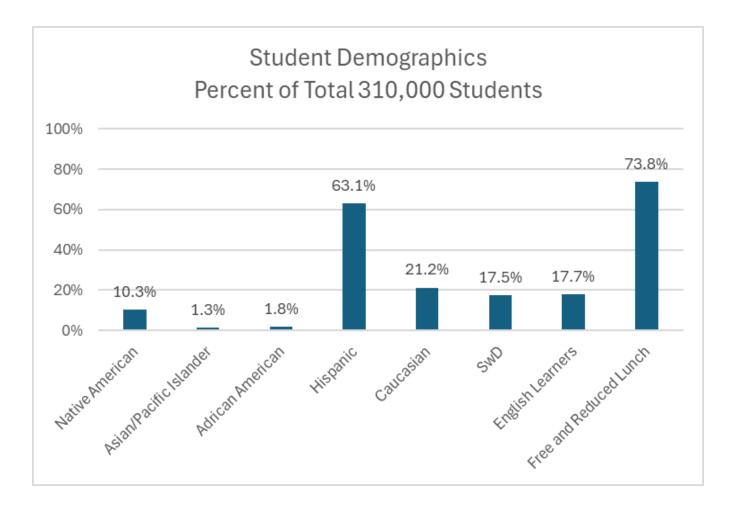
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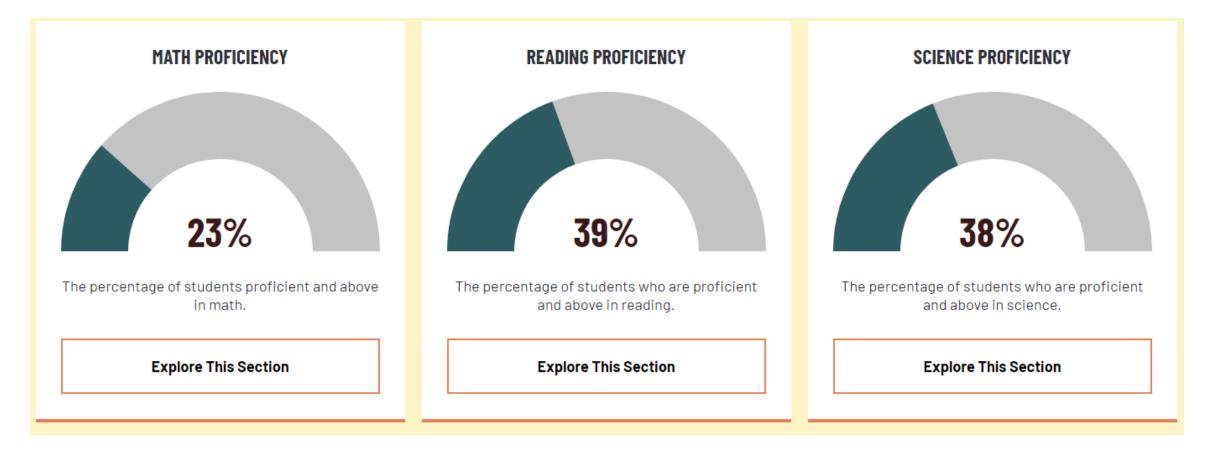


# 89 Districts100 State and District Charters50,000 Educators and Support Staff



### Student Achievement

2023/2024 Statewide Student Achievement (Grades 3-8 and 11)



### 2025 Legislative Proposals

- School Math Changes
  - Bill No: (SB235)
  - Sponsor: <u>William P. Soules</u>
- Advancing the Science of Reading Act
  - Bill No: (SB242)
  - Sponsor: <u>Mimi Stewart</u>
  - Sponsor: Debra M. Sariñana
- Special Education Act
  - Bill No: (SB38)
  - Sponsor: <u>Mimi Stewart</u>



# School Math Changes (SB235)



- Requires statewide strategic plans and curriculum improvements
- Requires professional learning plans for math instruction
- Requires math screener by second grade
- Implements early math intervention programs for students
- Requires parent notifications with specific plans
- Requiring endorsement for math coaches

# Advancing the Science of Reading Act (SB242)

- Requires the science of reading as the approach to statewide literacy instruction and teacher education
- Requires scientifically-based reading instruction to be incorporated in teacher preparation programs
- Eliminates references to balanced literacy and the three-cueing strategy for literacy instruction
- Enhances current interventions for students displaying characteristics of dyslexia through develop of intervention plans, progress monitoring, and parental notification



# Special Education Act (SB38)



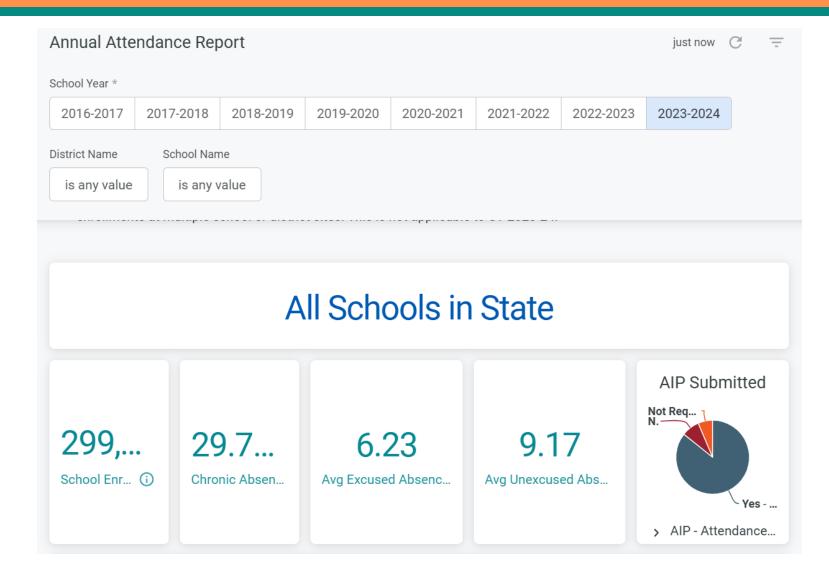
- Codifies the Office of Special Education, including appointment of the Director within PED
- Requires use of a department-approved individualized education plan (IEP) template
- Maintains interagency coordination between relevant state agencies
- Requires a state plan and annual reports
- Supports students through transitions
- Moves the ombud into the PED

### Data Accessibility and Transparency

- Attendance Data
- NM Vistas
- HQIM
- OpenBooks



### Attendance Portal



#### **The Attendance Portal**

provides 8 years of attendance data at the state, district, and school levels. Chronic absenteeism rates are published, and data breakdowns are available by tier, student group, and grade level.

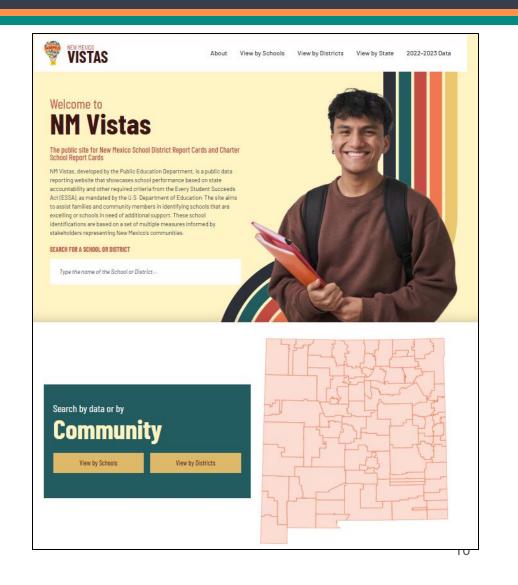
### **NM** Vistas

NM Vistas is a publicly accessible website, that provides education outcomes data for each school and reports school ratings based on multiple measures.

NM Vistas serves to:

- Ensure transparency and reciprocal accountability
- Meet U.S. Department of Education Requirements to publicly report school ratings
- Assist families and community members to identify schools that are excelling and/or schools that need additional support.

Find your schools at: https://nmvistas.org



# NM HQIM Materials Matter Dashboard



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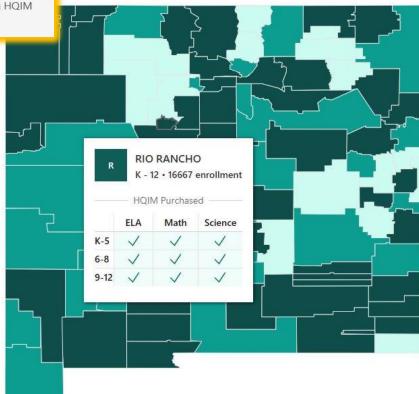
#### High-quality instructional materials (HQIM) matter for students and teachers.

Research shows that access to HQIM dramatically improves educational outcomes. The New Mexico Public Education Department (PED) is committed to making HQIM available across the state to ensure every student gets a great education—no matter where they begin.

- A data dashboard and heatmap
- Displays information about the instructional materials purchased by districts for core instruction
- Identifies if those materials are high-quality as reviewed by NM educators

#### https://nmmaterialsmatter.ped.nm.gov/

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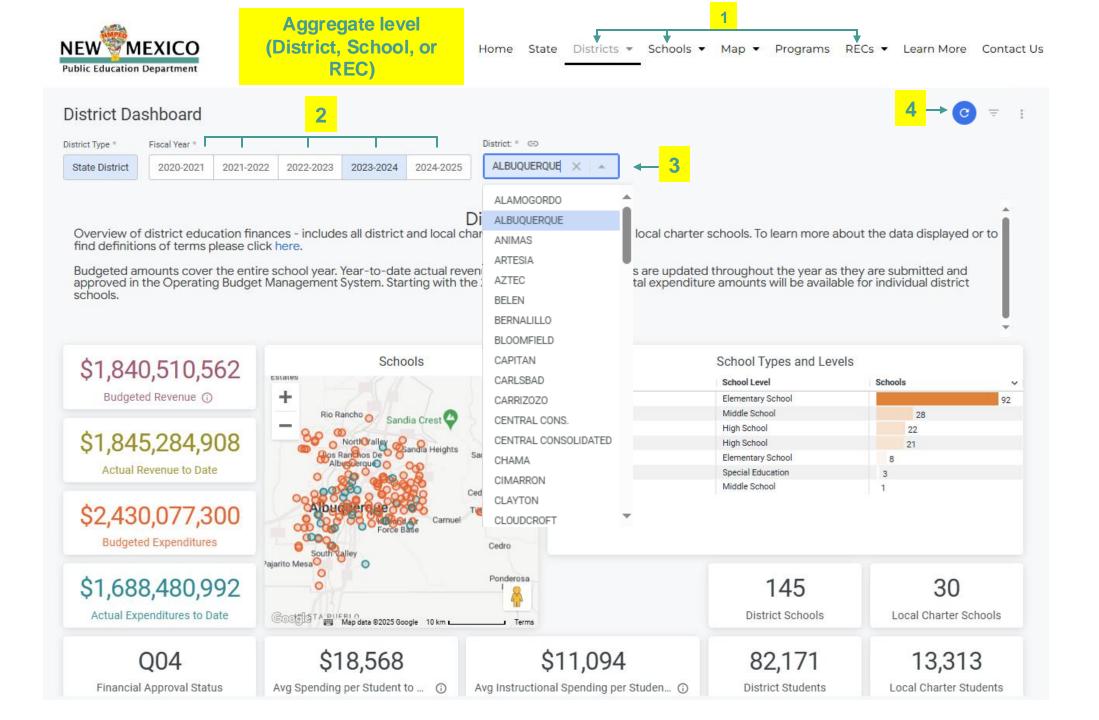
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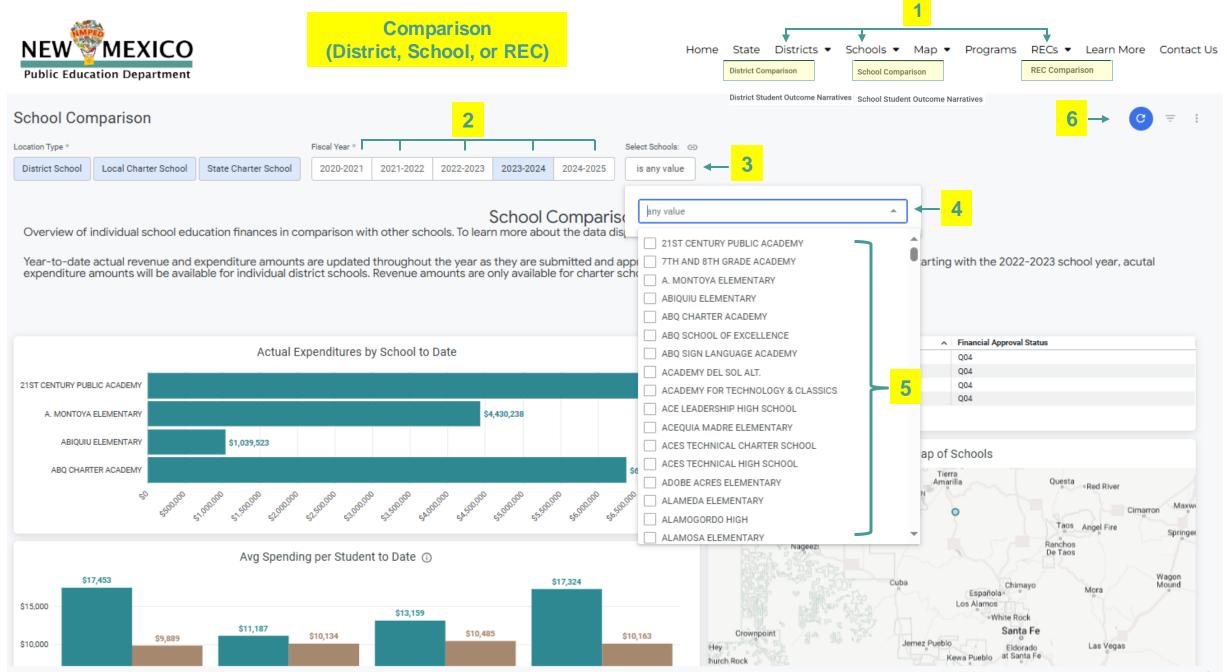
Open Books provides access to financial information of New Mexico school districts and charter schools as well as at the school-level at school districts.

- School district, state, and federal funds and budgets, including supports for atrisk students, bilingual services, and special education services
- Actual expenditures for schools and local education agencies, including salary and benefits, program expenditures, and administrative costs

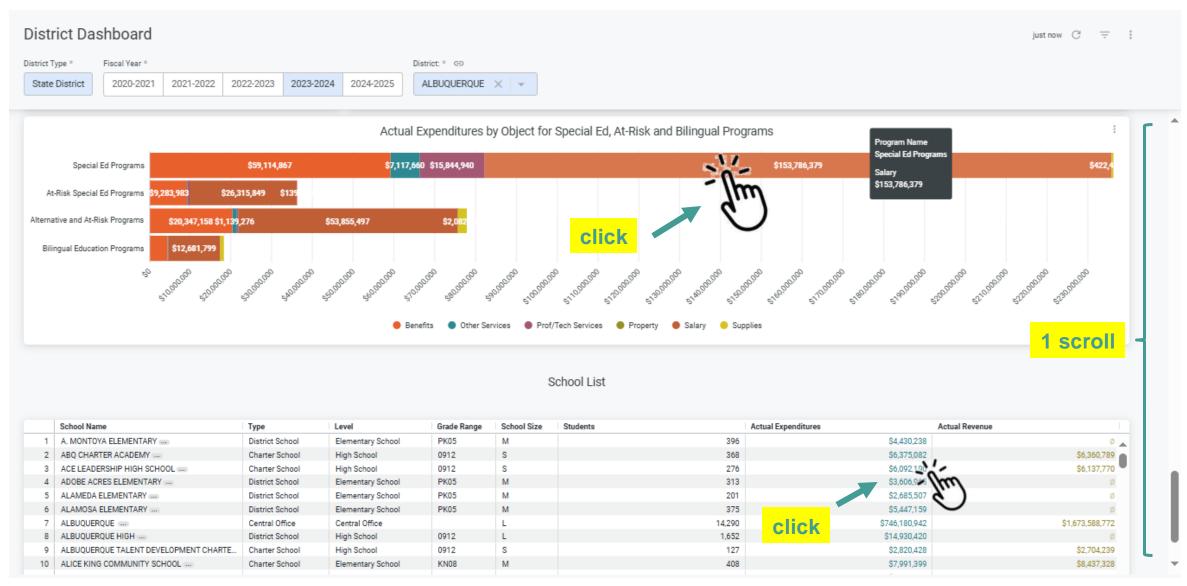


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### New Mexico Summer Reading Program



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### Thank you!

