



# *A Vision for Oklahoma Education*

*Interim Study  
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Oklahoma's Business Case for  
**EDUCATION REFORM**



Oklahoma Educated Workforce Initiative

Give Every Student a  
Shot at Their Dream  
Job



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Ensure Business Has a  
Seat at the Table



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Create an Atmosphere  
of Mutual Respect and  
Opportunity For All  
Career Paths



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Demand Better  
Collaboration Among  
All Levels of Education



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Support Those  
Committed to Change



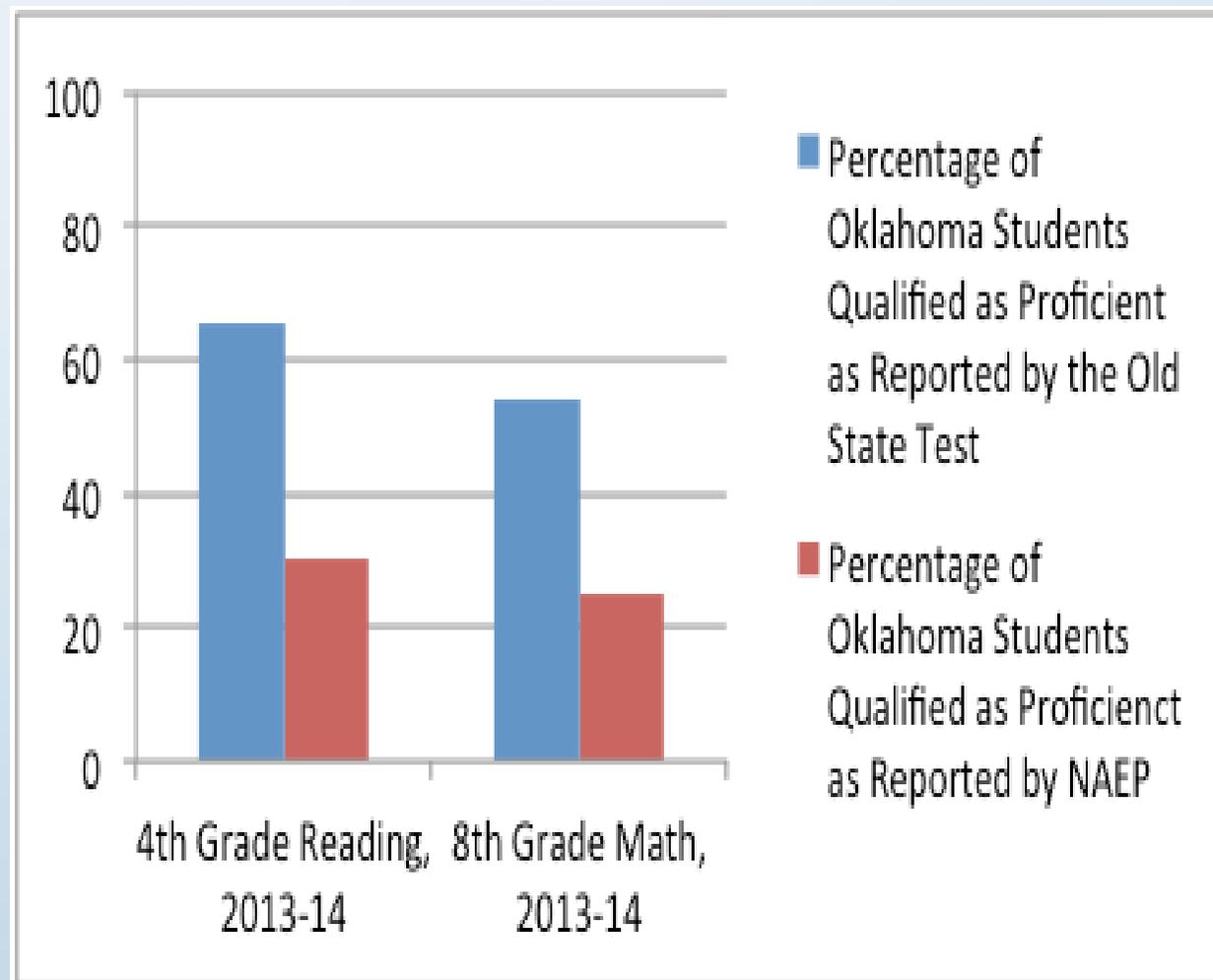
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Be Honest with  
Students and Parents

# The Honesty Gap



# OKLAHOMA'S COMMON EDUCATION SYSTEM IS BROKEN



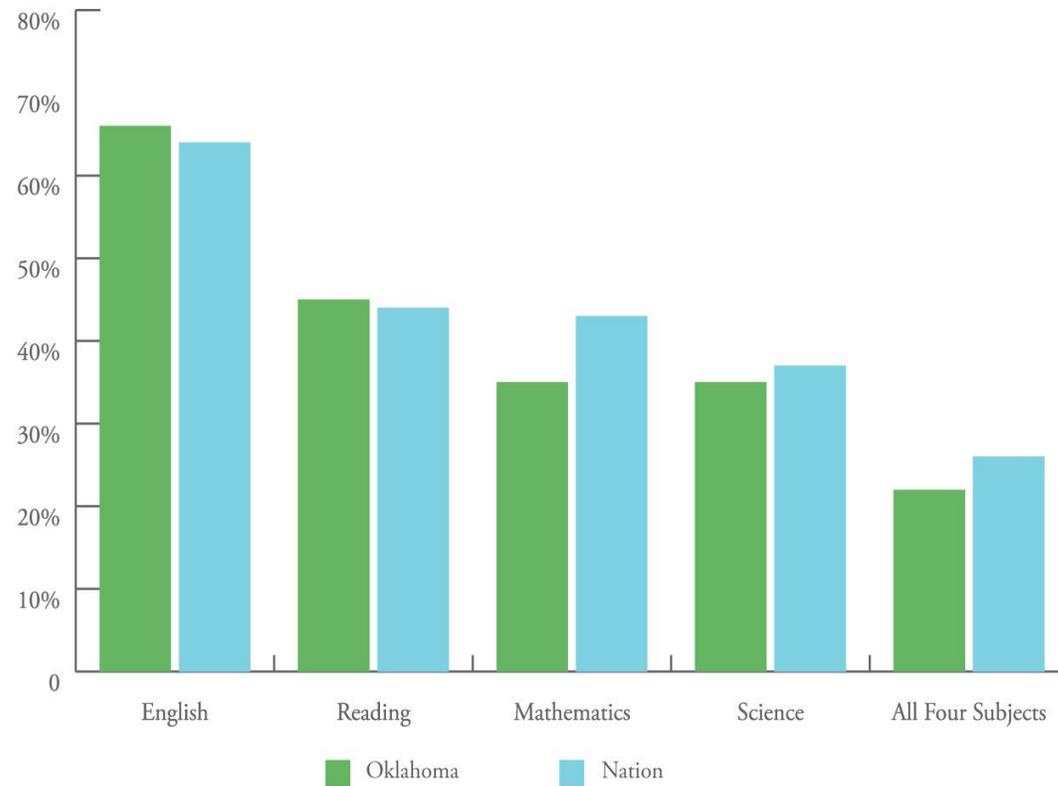
of Oklahoma 8<sup>th</sup> graders are not proficient in math



of Oklahoma 8<sup>th</sup> graders are not proficient in reading

## WHAT WILL YOU DO TO CHANGE IT?

Percent of 2014 ACT-TEsted High School Graduates Meeting ACT College Readiness Benchmarks by Subject



40 percent of college-bound Oklahoma high school grads are required to take at least one remedial class.



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Tomorrow's Workforce is in Today's Classrooms

