

**Table 3.17-- STANFORD ACHIEVEMENT TEST RESULTS FOR PUBLIC
SCHOOL GRADES 3, 6, 8, AND 10: 1996 AND 1997**

[Percent of students taking test]

Subject and level	Norm	Grade 3		Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 10	
		1996	1997	1996	1997	1996	1997	1996	1997
Reading:									
Below average	23	39	37	30	23	36	35	27	31
Average	54	49	53	53	58	46	49	54	50
Above average	23	13	10	17	19	17	16	18	20
Math:									
Below average	23	26	26	22	20	28	33	22	30
Average	54	49	51	54	54	51	46	59	50
Above average	23	25	23	24	26	21	21	19	19

Source: *Honolulu Star-Bulletin*, October 17,1997; *The Honolulu Advertiser*, October 17, 1997.