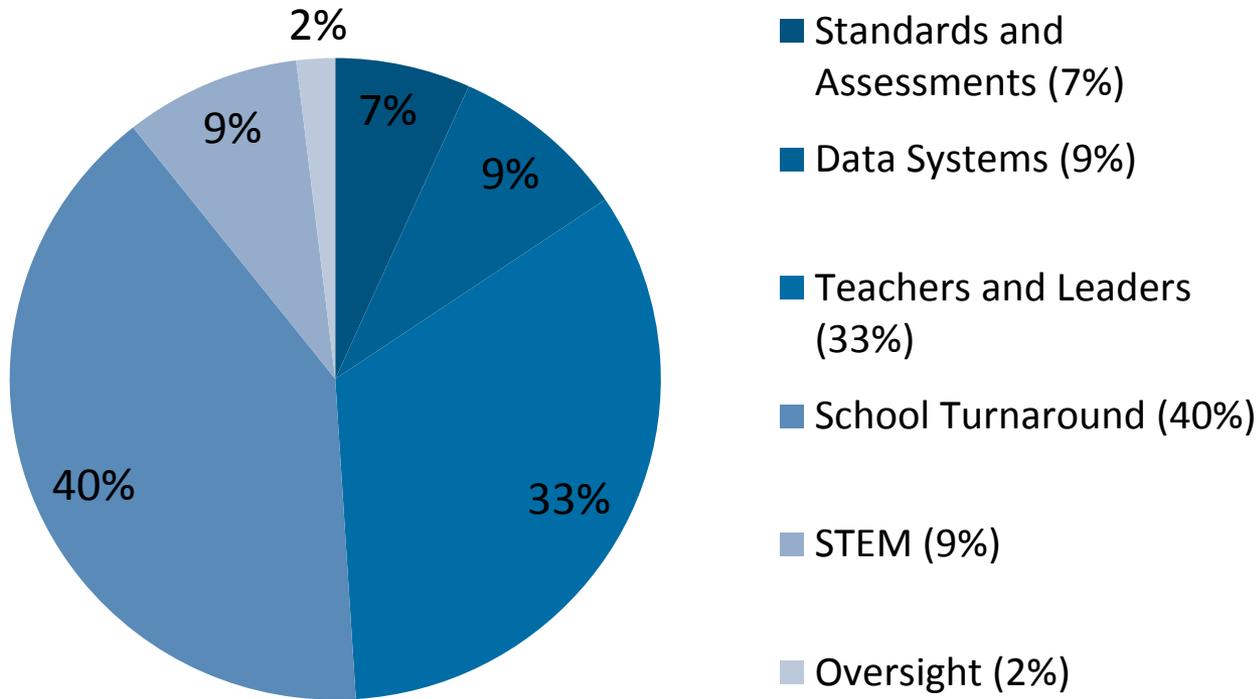




# **Race to the Top Program Update**

January 30, 2014

# State Funding



# Tennessee is executing a variety of initiatives in five priority areas

## Standards & Assessments

- Professional Development on the transition to the Common Core State Standards

## Data-Driven Instruction

- Teacher Data Dashboards
- TVAAS Resources

## Great Teachers & Leaders

- Teacher and Principal Evaluation
- Leadership Development Grants (TNLEAD)

## School Turnaround

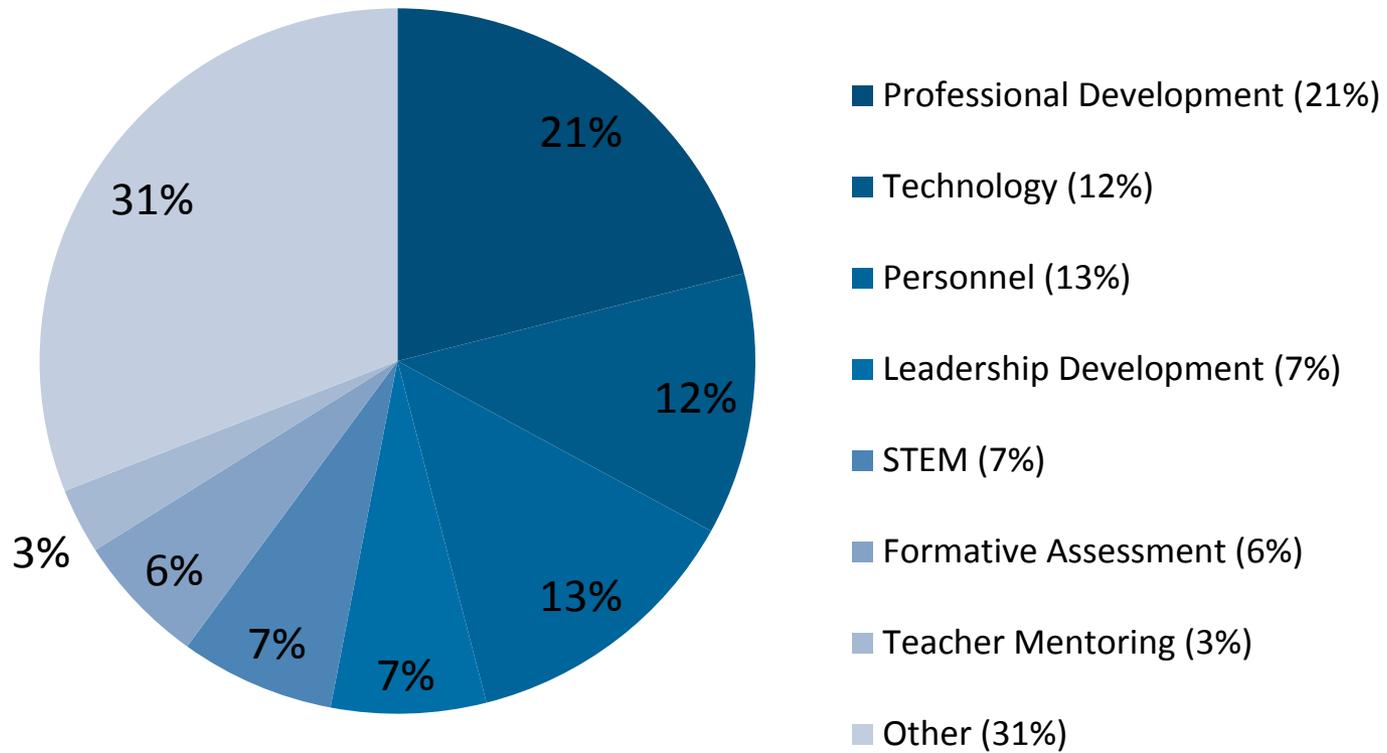
- Achievement School District
- Focus School Support
- College Access Network

## STEM

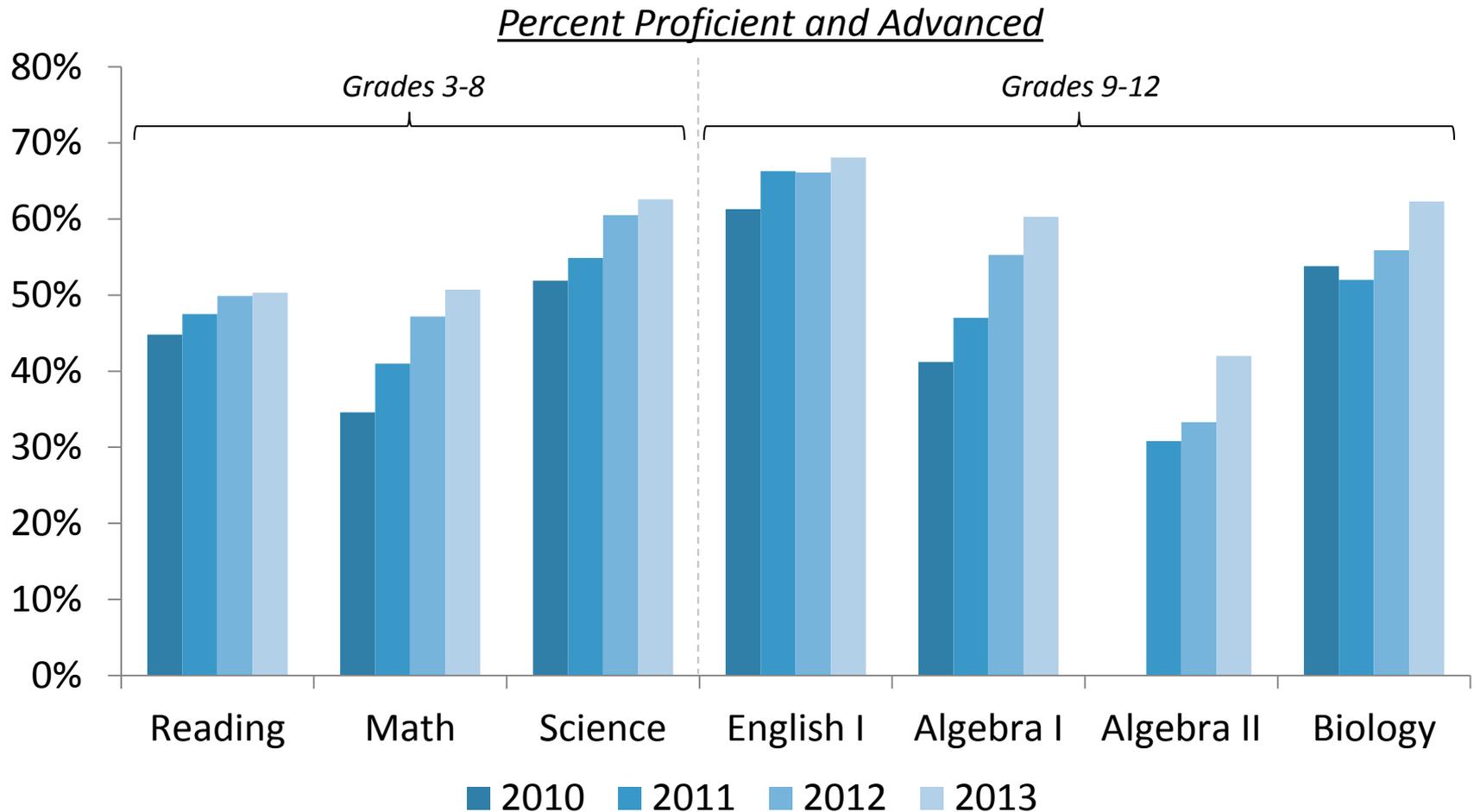
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# District Initiatives

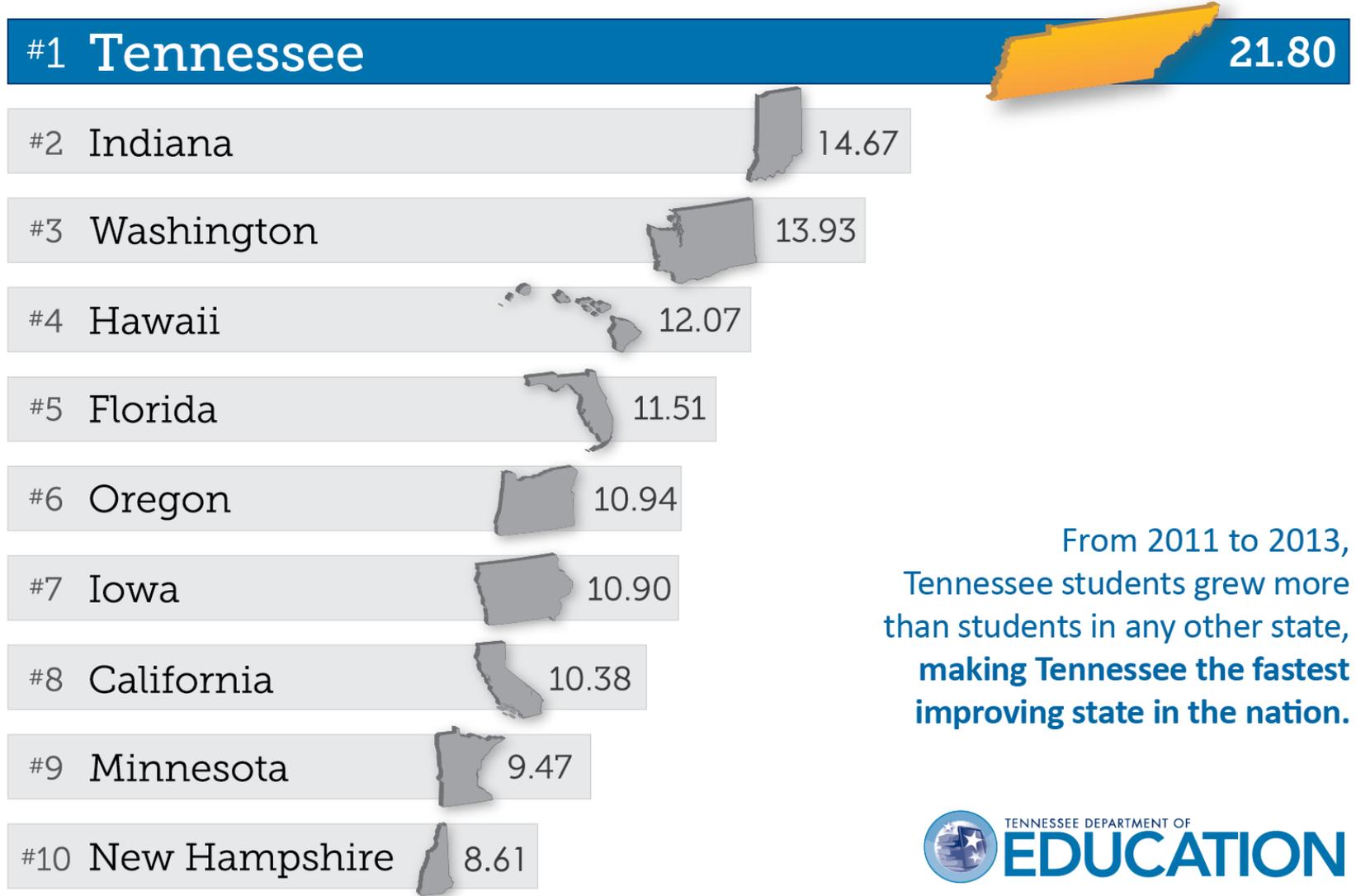


# On TCAP, we have made progress each year since moving to new assessments in 2010



# Largest Growth on 2013 NAEP

National Assessment of Educational Progress, scale score growth across all four tests



From 2011 to 2013, Tennessee students grew more than students in any other state, **making Tennessee the fastest improving state in the nation.**



# Tennessee is in the final year of the grant

## ➤ Current Status

- Nearly 70% of funds spent to date
- No Cost Extensions

## ➤ Sustainability

- Re-organization
- Capacity Building

# Questions

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