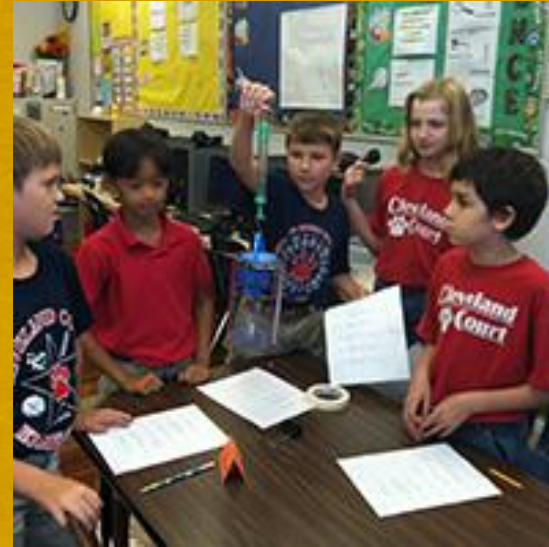




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**Jacqueline Byrd, Superintendent
McLaughlin Middle School**

VISION & MISSION

OUR VISION

All students will receive the knowledge and the skills necessary to be productive citizens.

OUR MISSION

Our mission is to provide a high quality education for all students.

ACHIEVEMENTS

No district schools earned
an "F"

3 of 6
(50%)

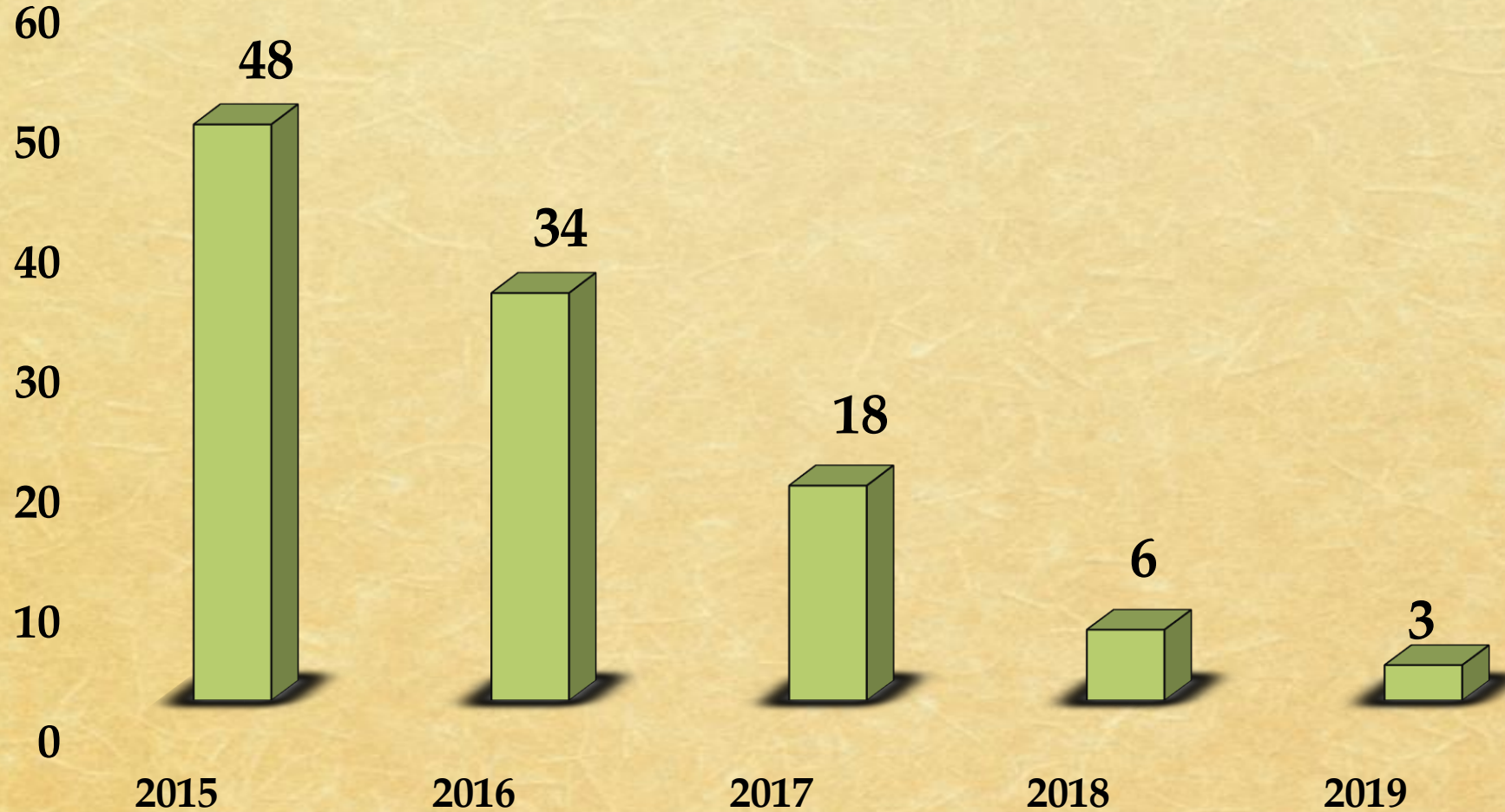
DA schools improved a
letter grade

Graduation Rate increased to
80.4% compared to 75.4%

District Grade

B

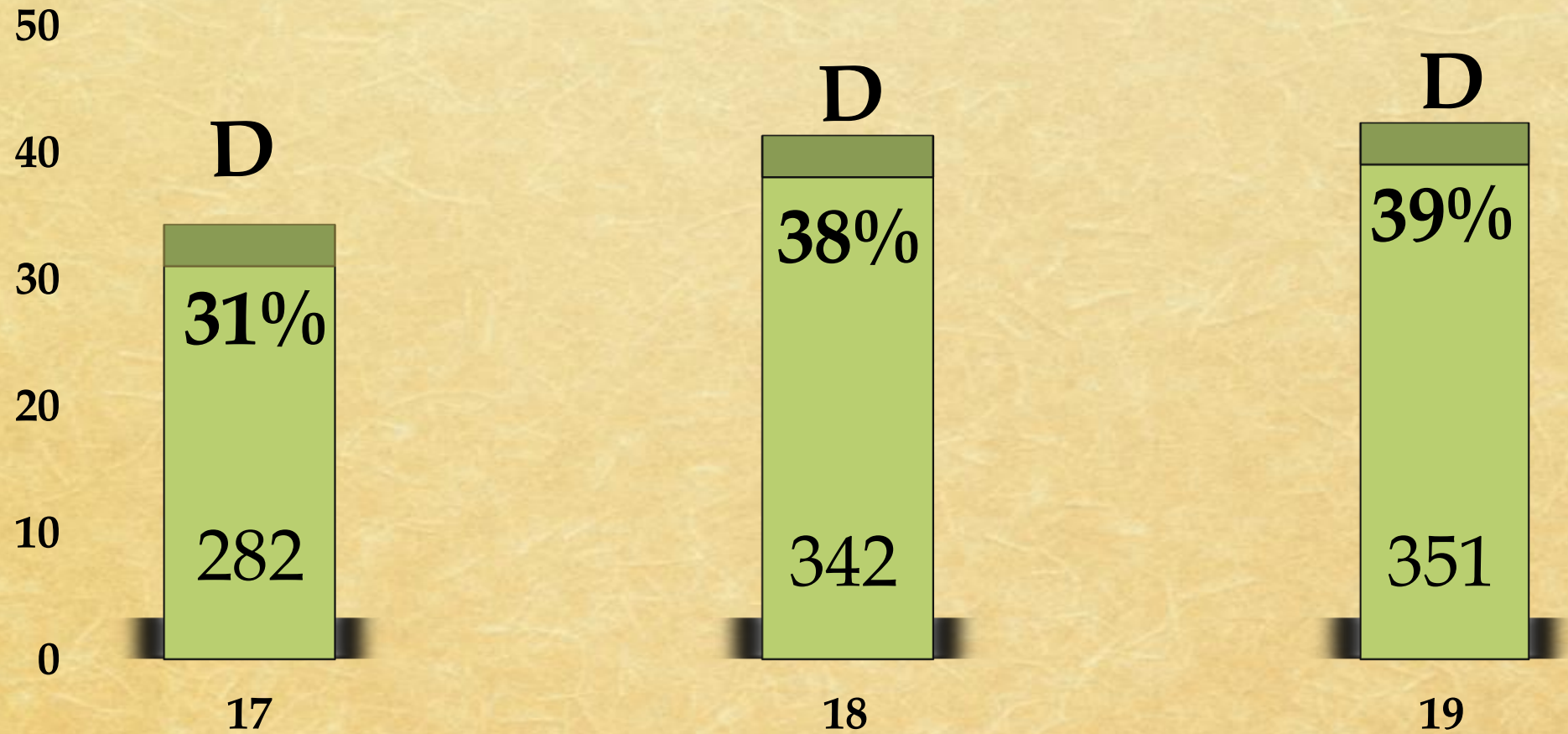
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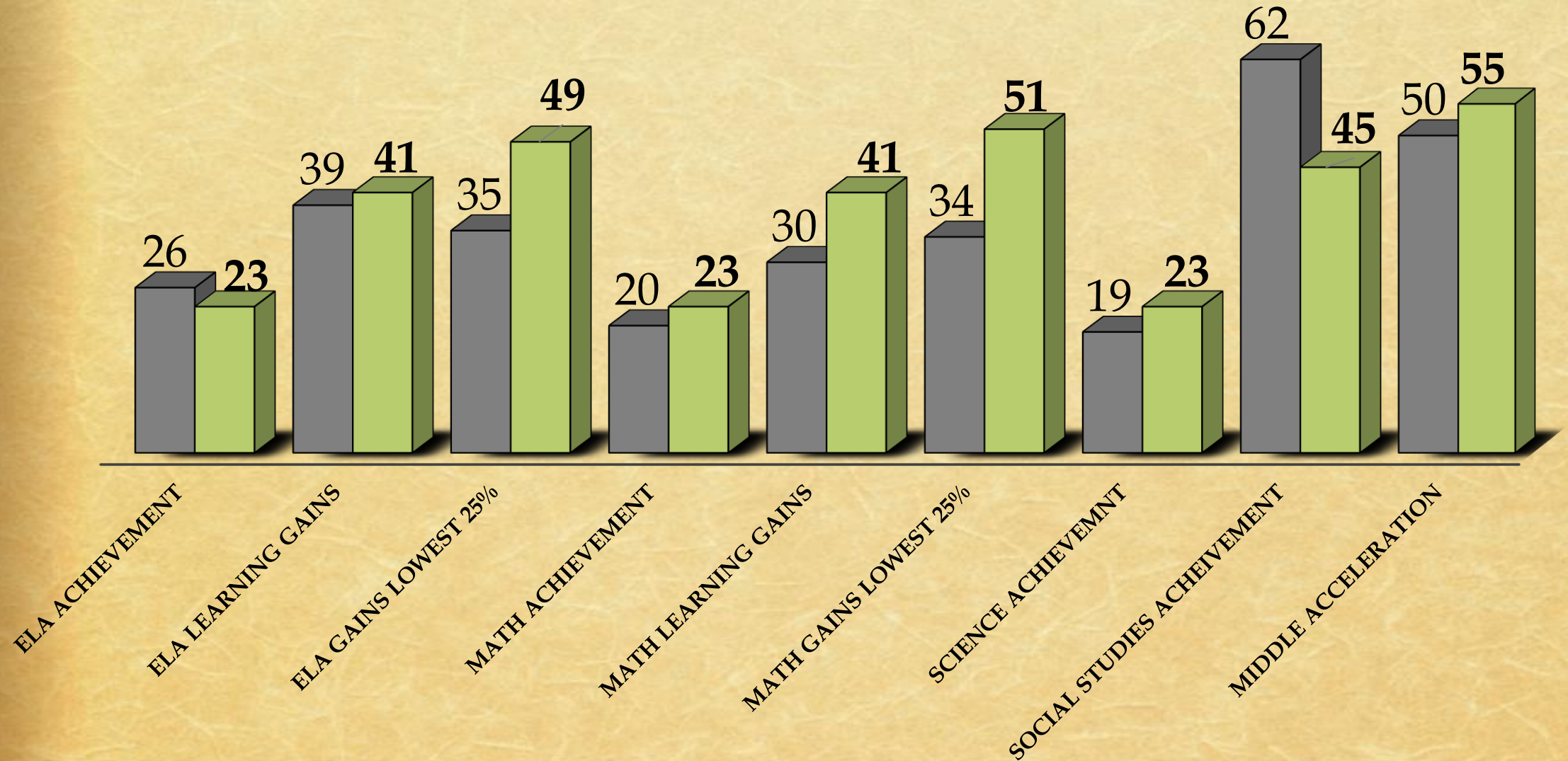
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McLaughlin Middle School Grades



McLaughlin School Data



Priorities for McLaughlin & Educational Directions

- ◆ Start school fully staffed and ready for an effective opening
- ◆ Authority of school leadership, staffing and curriculum design
- ◆ Provide high quality professional development for teachers
- ◆ Focus planning and professional learning communities on analyzing student work
- ◆ Monitor academic progress with feedback to teachers
- ◆ Set clear student performance and classroom teacher expectations
- ◆ Provide intensive teacher support in all tested areas focused on improving core instruction
- ◆ Closely monitor student progress and adjust priorities as needed
- ◆ Implement on site professional development for staff through Florida Southern College

Keys to Effectiveness with Educational Directions

- ◆ Focus on student performance and the work that students are expected to complete
- ◆ Identifying priority needs and managing results
- ◆ Embedded PD, Planning and PLC practices
- ◆ Ability to coordinate and focus district support
- ◆ Strong belief in relationships



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