



# *Students Come First* Technology Task Force

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## *Vision*

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# Student Achievement Measures

- Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) results
- 3<sup>rd</sup> graders reading at grade level based on the Idaho Reading Indicator (IRI)



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# Where We Are Today

**100**  
students



**91%**

of Idaho students graduate from high school



**46%**

of Idaho high school graduates will go on to postsecondary education



**40%**

of high school graduates will need remediation in postsecondary education



**38%**

of students will not return to postsecondary education the second year



**34%**

of Idahoans have a postsecondary degree or certificate (25 years or older)



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# National Assessment of Educational Progress

- In Math, only 8 states scored higher than Idaho eighth graders.
- In Reading, 14 states scored higher than Idaho eighth graders.



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# How U.S. and Idaho Compare

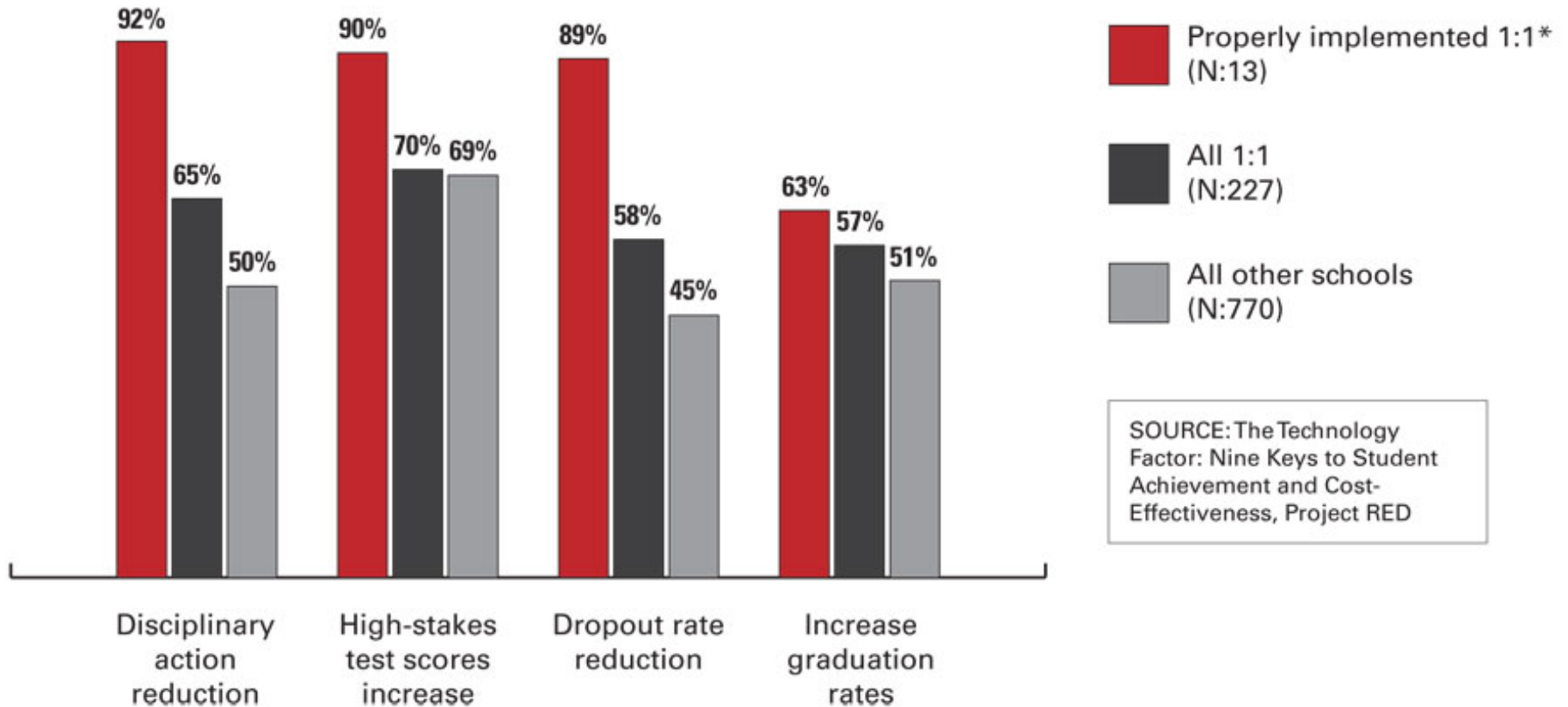
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| 1. Taiwan          | 14. Australia     |
| 2. Hong Kong       | 15. Germany       |
| 3. Korea           | 16. Austria       |
| 4. Finland         | 17. Massachusetts |
| 5. Switzerland     | 18. Slovenia      |
| 6. Belgium         | 19. Denmark       |
| 7. Netherlands     | 20. Minnesota     |
| 8. Liechtenstein   | ...               |
| 9. New Zealand     | 49. United States |
| 10. Czech Republic | ...               |
| 11. Japan          | 71. Idaho         |
| 12. Canada         |                   |
| 13. Macao          |                   |



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**Chart 3.3 1:1 Works when properly implemented**



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