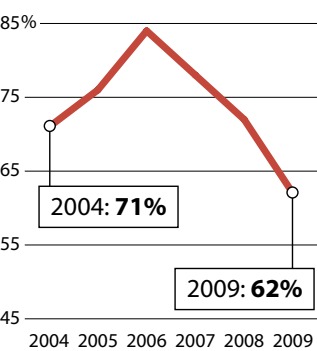


Fewer schools make the grade

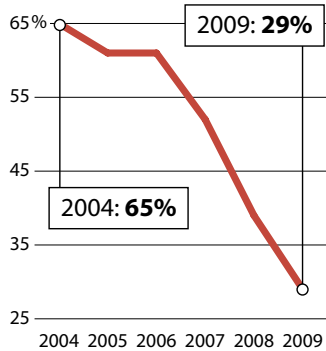
Seventy-one elementary/middle schools and seven high schools in the Rock River Valley made Adequate Yearly Progress this year, compared with 82 elementary/middle schools and 15 high schools in 2008.

SCHOOLS THAT MADE ADEQUATE YEARLY PROGRESS

Elementary and middle



High schools



Source: Illinois State Board of Education

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