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**Rishi Valmiki Eco School**



**Child Development Project**  
**DES-SSMT | BPE Society's High School, Bandra 2018-20**

**Annual report | 2019-20**  
**Summary | 2018-20**

# Introduction & Objectives

## Child Development Project

The project is designed & implemented through 3 main components-

### Remedial Classes

Deals with students who are unable to learn at regular pace and necessary remedial techniques.

### Nature Education

Nature lecture series through storytelling to make learning fun & imbibe important Life Skills

### Sublime Saturdays (Employee Engagement)

Volunteer mentors engaging with kids in learning and fun activities.

To bring academic & overall development in students, generate interest in studies and decrease the dropout rate while inculcating important life skills, through the means of Nature Education.



Knowledge &  
Remedial



Rekindling  
Interest



Life Skills



Engagement

# Remedial Education

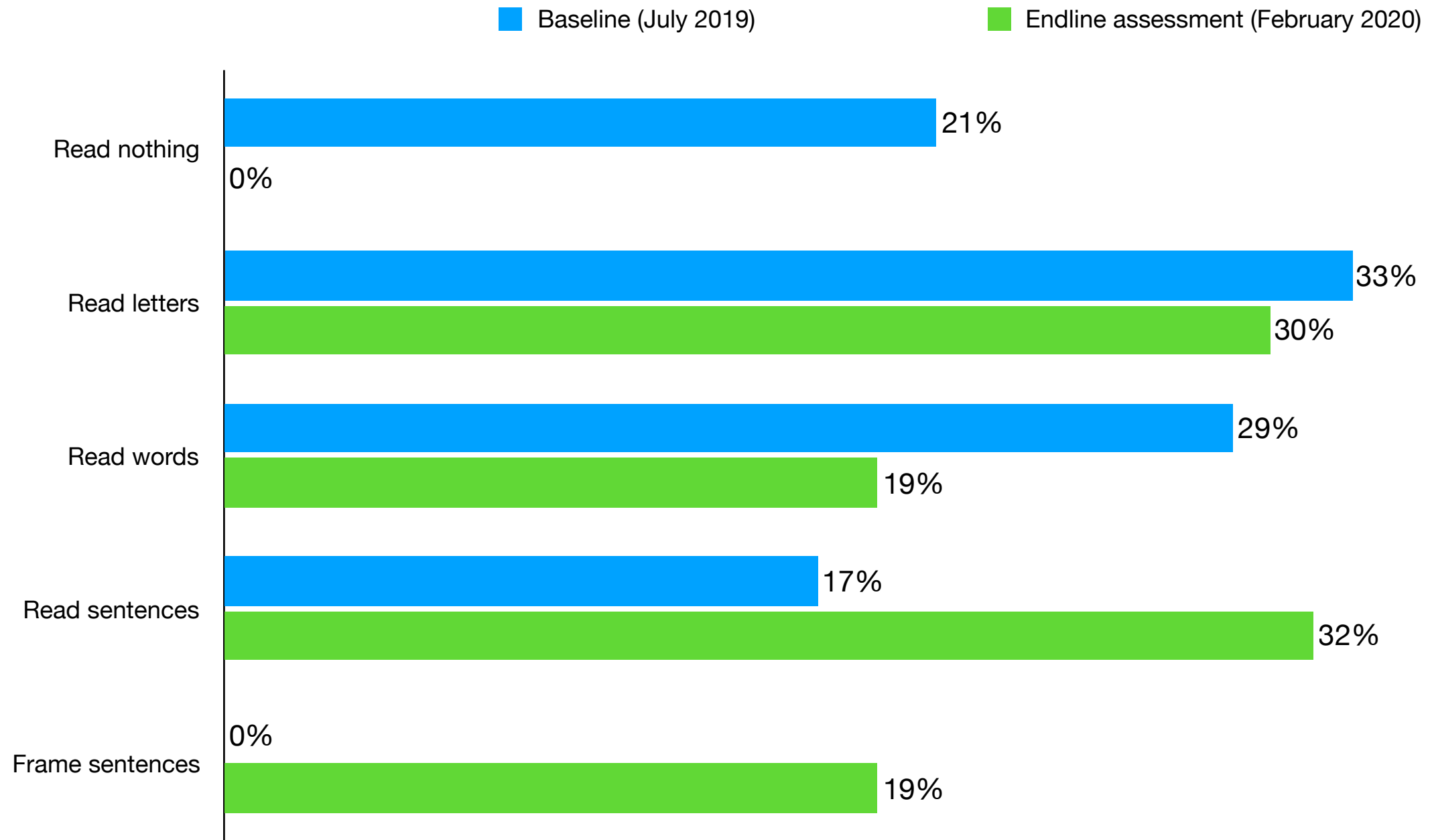




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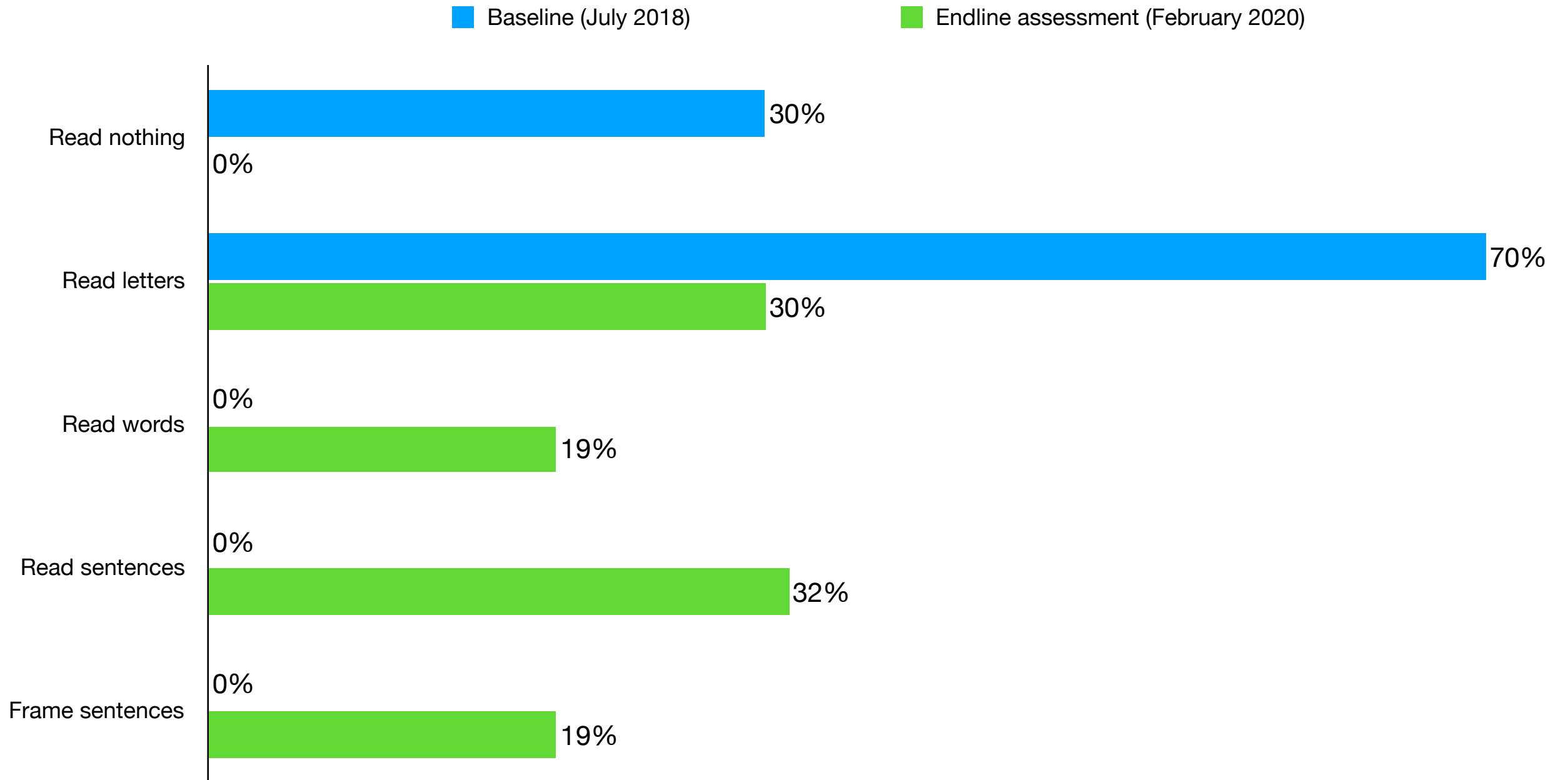


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Irregular/no attendance: 10

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# Nature Education





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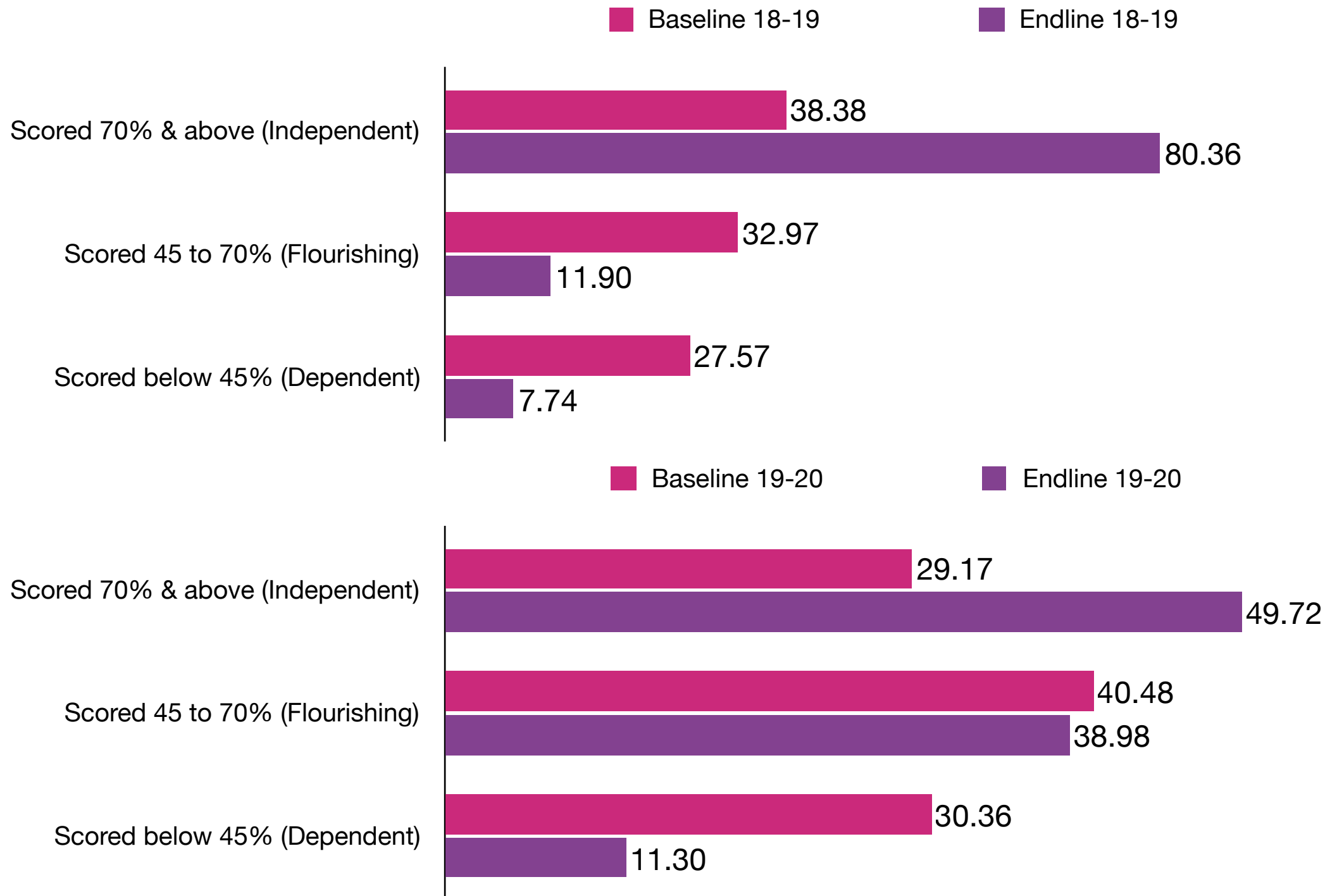
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# Nature Education - Knowledge

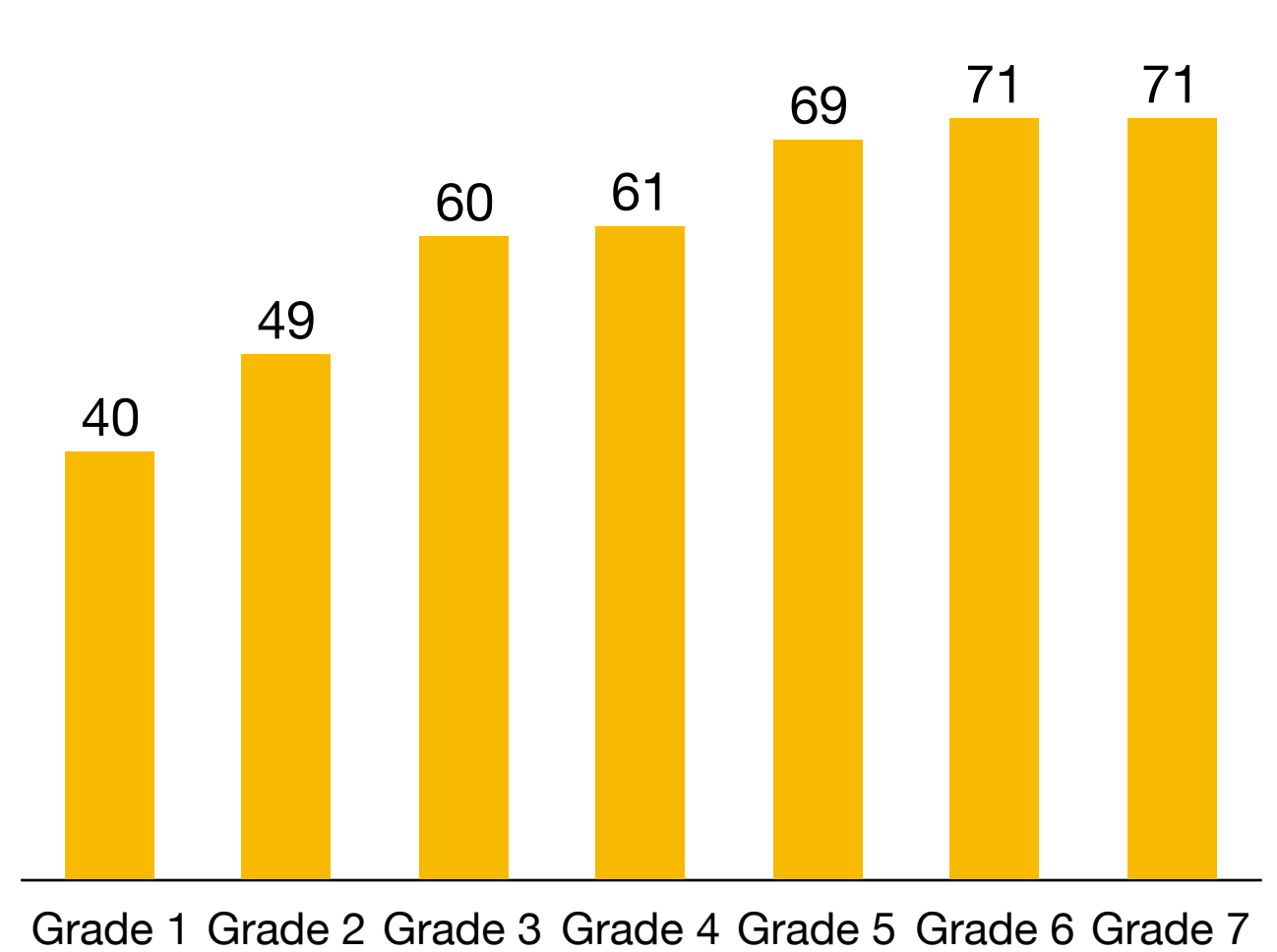
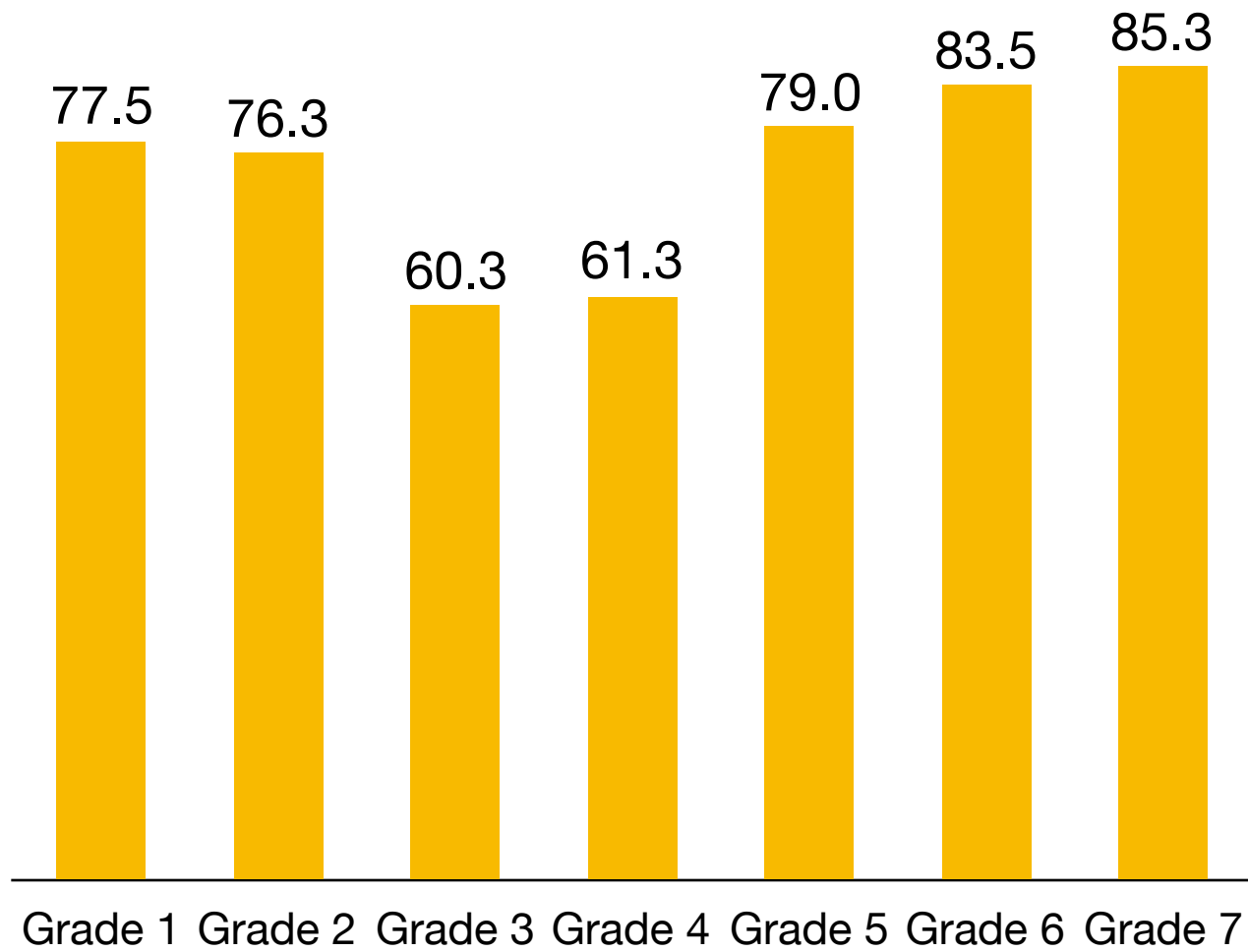




# Nature Education - average attendance

■ Average attendance 2018-19

■ Average attendance 2019-20

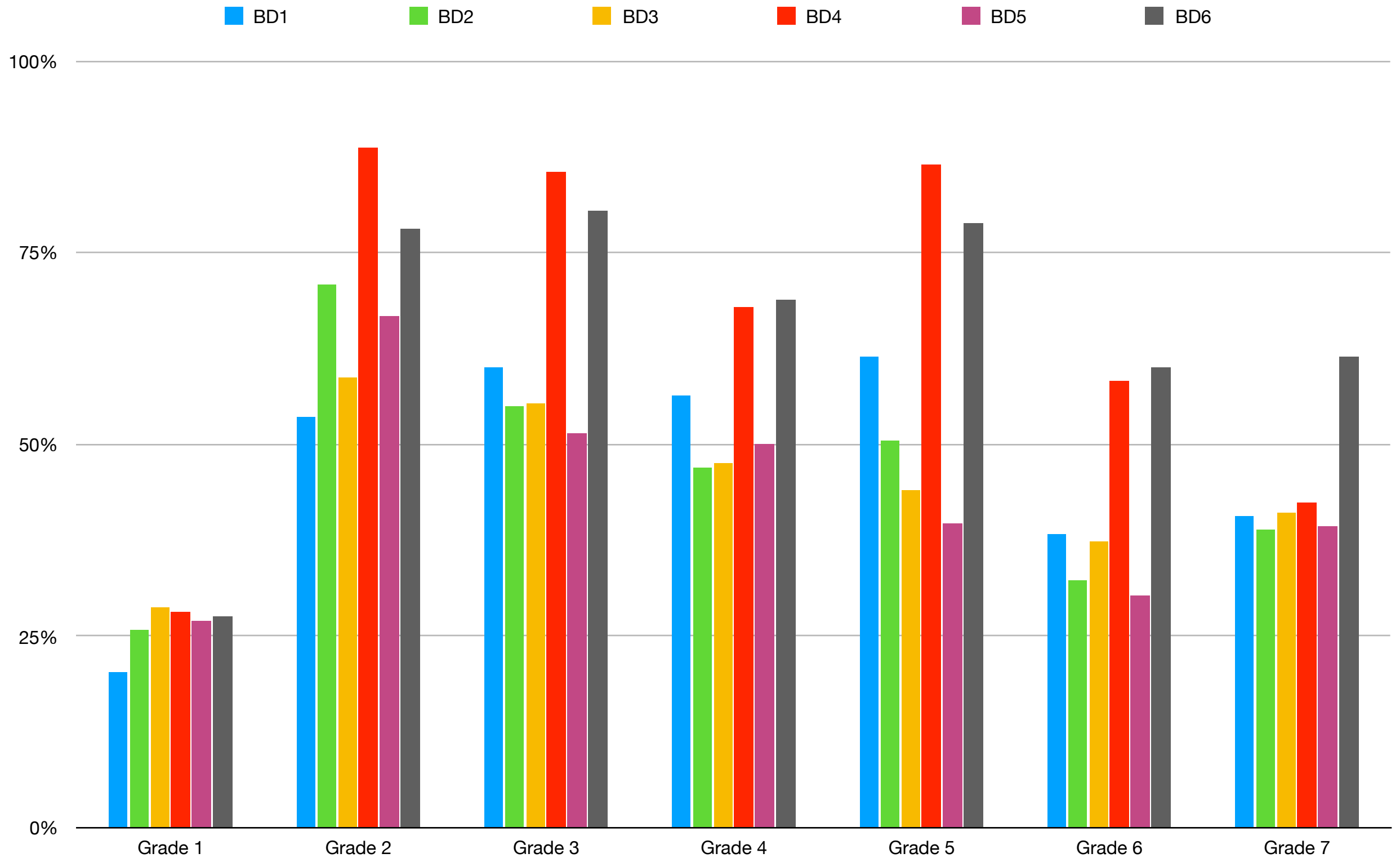






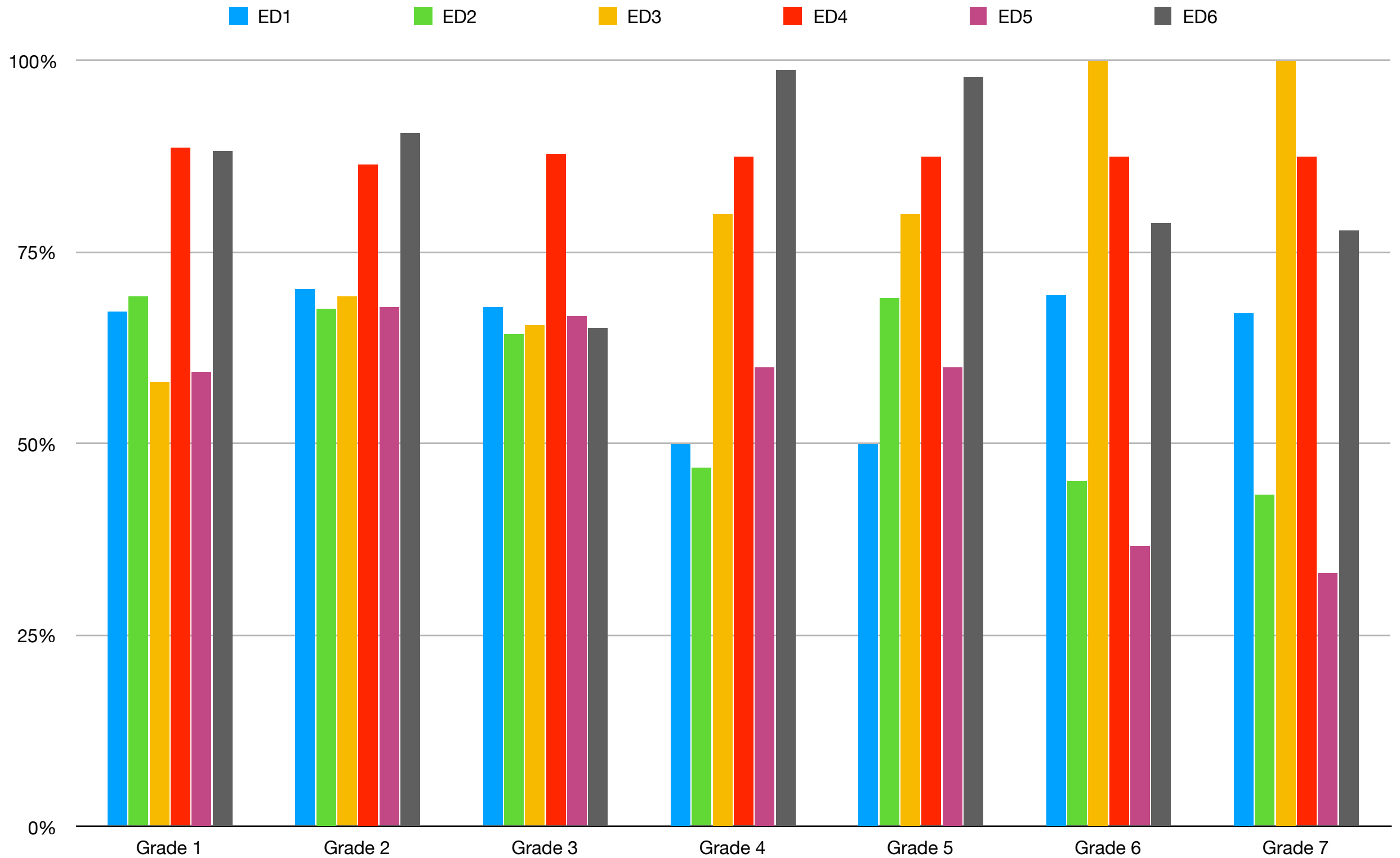
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- D3 - Self- efficacy & confidence
- D4 - Respect & sensitivity
- D5 - Critical thinking & problem solving
- D6 - Behaviour



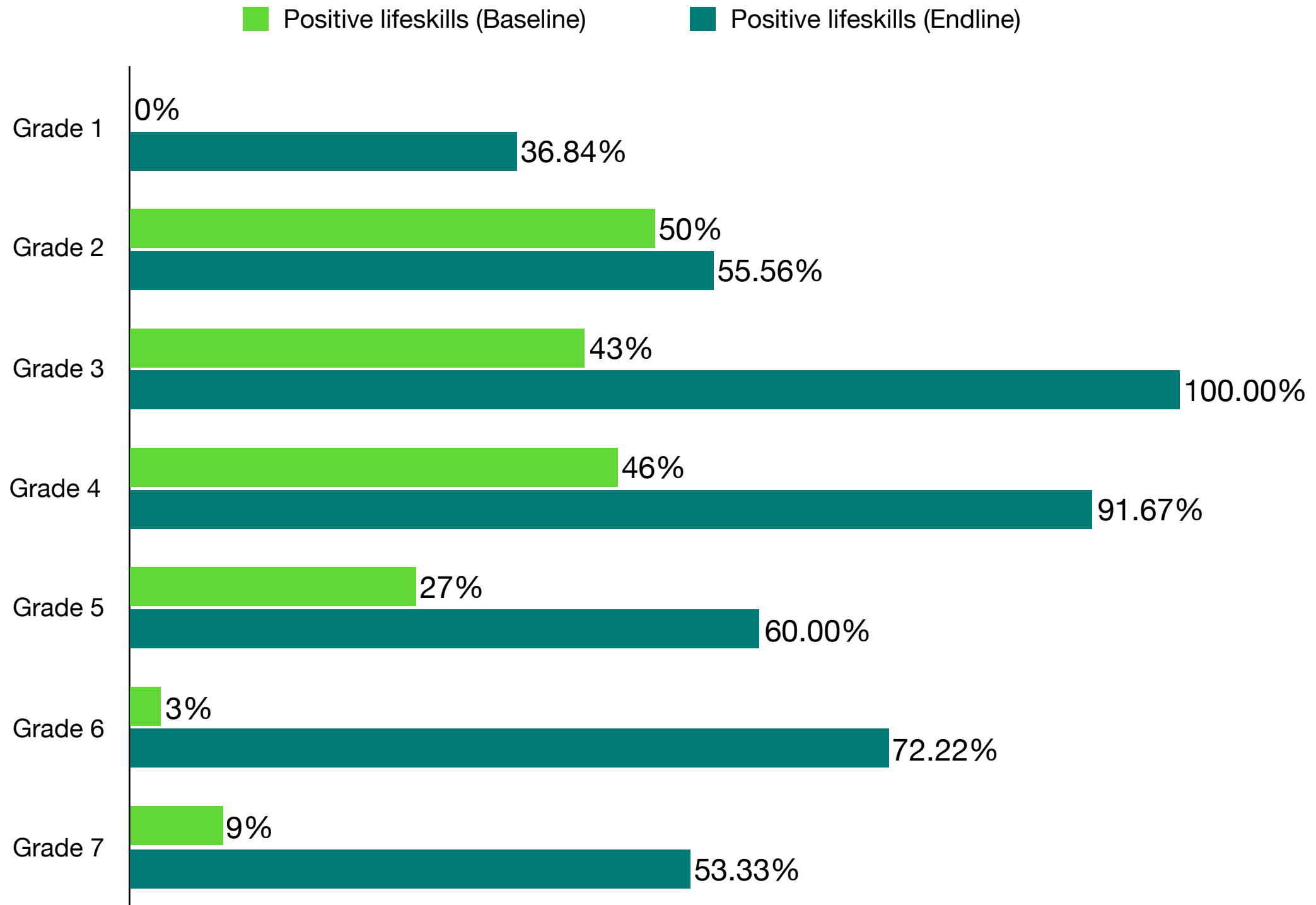
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# Nature Education - Life Skills



<b>2019-20</b>	Grade	Grade 2	Grade 3	Grade 4	Grade 5	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8	<b>TOTAL</b>
<b>Total no of students as per the school's register</b>	31	30	33	30	36	38	49	46	<b>293</b>
<b>Total number of children as per RVES sessions</b>	21	25	28	29	34	37	41	45	<b>260</b>
<b>Highest no of present students for lectures</b>	18	18	24	23	31	36	43	35	<b>228</b>
<b>2018-19</b>									
<b>Total no of students as per the school's register</b>	33	33	30	30	33	44	35	41	<b>279</b>
<b>Total number of children as per RVES sessions</b>	33	33	29	27	31	44	35	41	<b>273</b>
<b>Highest no of present students for lectures</b>	31	31	24	24	33	43	33	37	<b>256</b>



# Engagement - Sublime Saturdays





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Date	Standard	Topic
6 July 2019	8th Grade	World population Day
13 July 2019	7th Grade	Evolving with Finches
20 July 2019	6th Grade	English Workshop
10 August 2019	5th Grade	World Snakes Day
31 August 2019	5th Grade	World Elephants day (Eco-Friendly Ganesha)
14 August 2019	6th Grade	Spoken English
28 August 2019	7th Grade	Angles in Nature
16 November 2019	6th Grade	Geography Day- Characteristics of Air
30 November 2019	8th Grade	National Education day- English story-making
7 December 2019	7th Grade	Math Day- Venn Diagrams
7 December 2019	8th Grade	Chemistry Day- Acids and Bases
4 January 2020	6th Grade	Basic English Grammar
4 January 2020	7th Grade	Basic English Grammar
18 January 2020	5th Grade	Geography day-Incredible India
18 January 2020	8th Grade	Geography day-Incredible India

# Engagement - other events

Date	Audience	Topic
15 August 2019	5 Secondary students	Independence Day Nature Trail at SGNP
31 August 2019	BPE Teachers and Employees from Lodha	Teacher's and Employee Engagement
18 September 2019	Primary Section Parents	Positive Parenting Workshop
21 September 2019	7th & 8th Grade students	Personality development workshop: Risky and Responsible
25 September 2019	Secondary Section Parents	Positive Parenting Workshop
16 November 2019	6th Grade students	Children's Day
13 December 2019	BPE Teachers and Employees from Lodha	Teacher's Day Out
24 December 2019	5th, 6th, 7th Grade students	Annual day: Nature Drama- Jivo Jivasya Jivana
7 January 2020	5th, 6th, 7th Grade students	Field trip to Saguna Baug
9 January 2020	Primary Section students	Field trip to Sanjay Gandhi National Park



# Parent Engagement



Mothers Sports Day



Fathers sports Day



Parenting Workshop



# Teachers Engagement









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# Other activities for children



Risky & Responsible Behaviour



Naturalist Training



Children's Day



Annual Day Participation



# Field Trip- Saguna Baug, SGNP





# Stories from the ground



“Some students from my 7<sup>th</sup> grade class are always seen scribbling in their notebooks throughout my class. Initially I thought they were completing their notebooks. Later, upon checking I noticed that they were noting down pointers of what I was teaching. The names of the animals, their characteristics and facts about them. They also love solving the crosswords I make.”

- **Masira Shaikh (Educator)**

“I was very happy with today’s session because I finally learnt how to connect with my child. My son hardly ever listens to what I say, when I tell him to study or anything. But from today’s session I learned that I shouldn’t force him and let him accept at his own pace. I’m grateful to Jasmine ma’am for that. Please keep similar sessions in the future.” -

**Babita Sardar, mother of Aayan Sardar, 4th standard.**



# Stories from the ground



“**Bhushan** started attending remedial session in 2018 when he was in grade 7. He displayed mild to moderate level of hyperactivity, he used to be very fidgety and showed no interest in learning. However, play way method of teaching and encouragement from teacher really motivated this child. Even though his level of hyperactivity remains at more or less the same level, he has started grasping the concepts taught very well. He is able to read 4 to 5 letter words and sight words. He reads sentences and he has also showed improvement in vocabulary skills. He now understands meanings of the words taught and even tries to converse in english”

“I learnt that responsibility also means responsibility to oneself, which is to take care of our own body. Ma’am taught us about personal space and good-touch and bad-touch, how we must stand up for ourselves if anyone tries to take this away from us.” -

**Faizan, 8th grade**



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“The students of 7th grade had forgotten the ‘Theory of Evolution’ that was taught to them in 5th grade History and this session helped them revise what was taught to them two years ago through more fun games and activities rather than traditional teaching methods. This activity benefitted them as they still, 5 months later remember how humans came from apes, dogs from Wolves and house cats from their prehistoric vicious feline relatives.

The topic focussed on evolution of Darwin's Finches but it began with a small introductory session on the basics of evolution. In the introduction was mentioned how Homo sapiens came into existence.”

**- Nikita Pimple (Program Manager)**





# Upcoming Events

**Festival**  
**Summer Camp**

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