



STILL THINK THAT GOOD ATTENDANCE IN KINDERGARTEN DOESN'T MATTER?

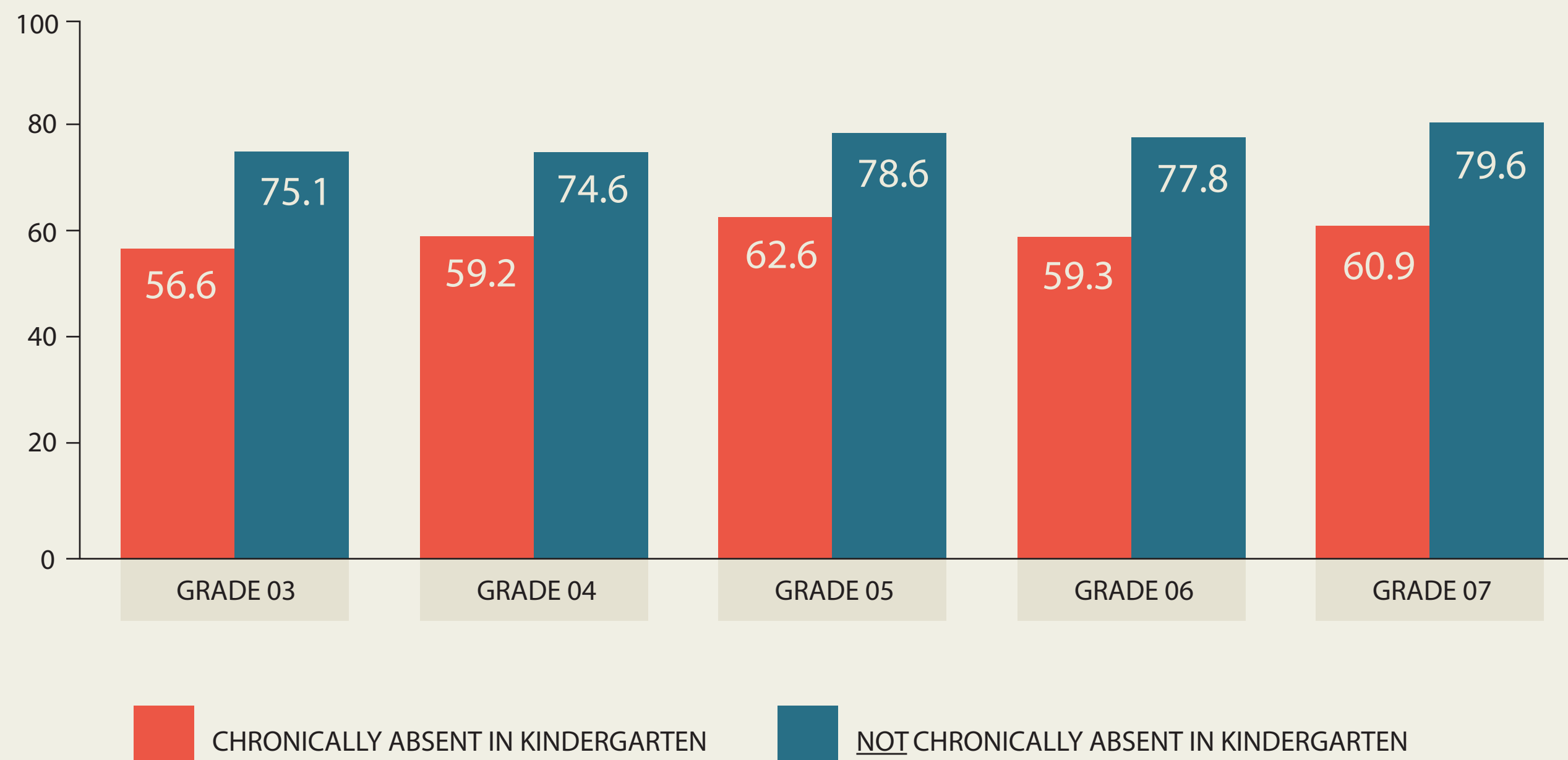


THINK AGAIN



PROFICIENCY OR HIGHER IN (NECAP) READING

This graphic shows the Rhode Island kindergarteners who stayed in RI public schools through grade 7. Those with regular attendance were more likely to be proficient in reading 7 years later.



ATTENDANCE MATTERS

(Chronic Absenteeism is when a student is not in school for 10% or more of the time.)

