Are our West TN Children Learning to Read? 3rd Grade Reading proficiency, TN Department of Education, 2012

Numbers in Parentheses = School Free/Reduced Lunch Rate Caution: Numbers higher than those reported by the Nation's Report Card: www.education-consumers.org/NAEP.

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