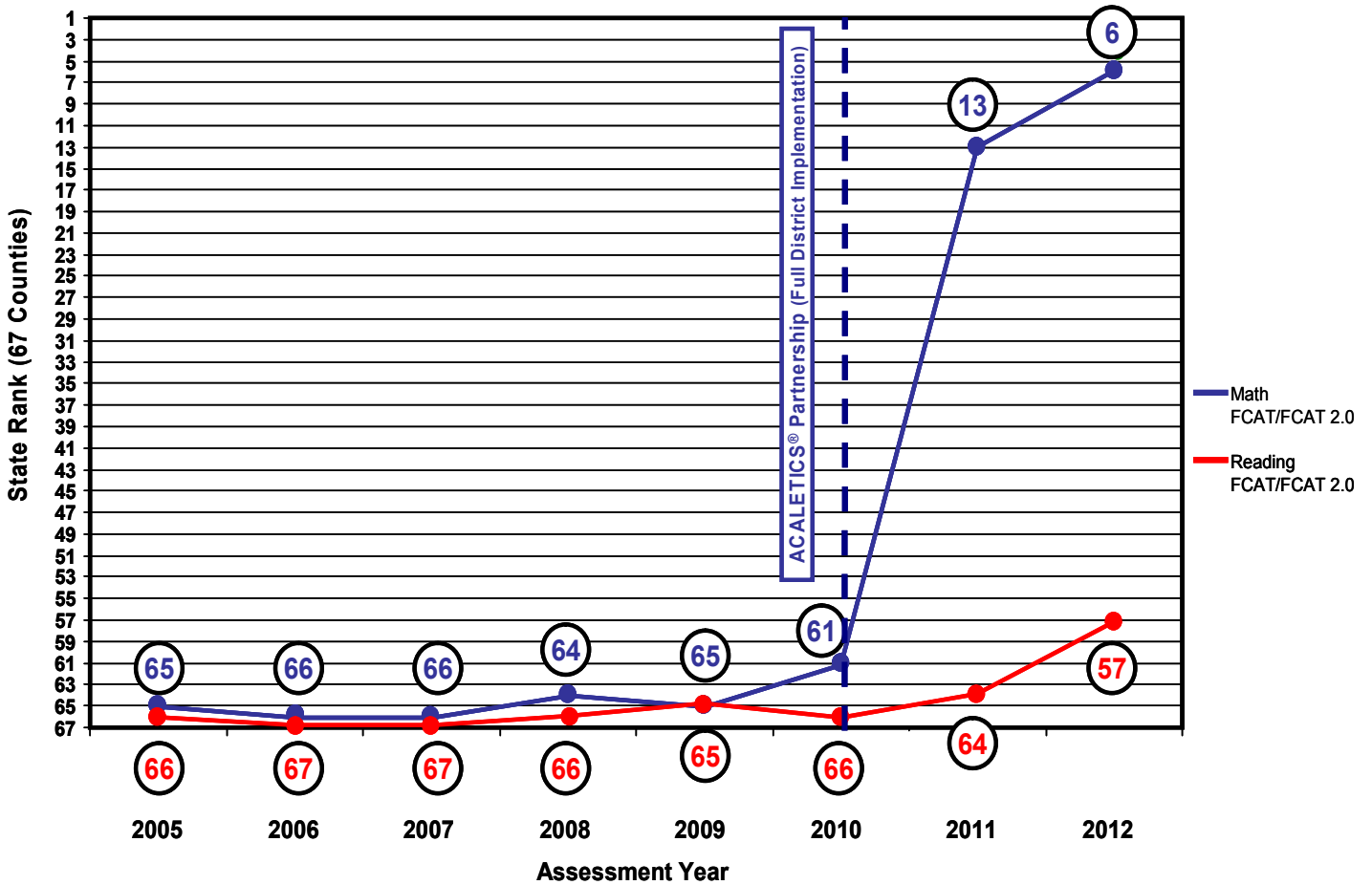


Breakthrough: Gadsden Conquers FCAT 2.0 Math Despite Reading

Despite more **rigorous** Math standards, changes in cut scores **and** challenges in Reading (ranked 4th lowest in the state for 2011), through its partnership with ACALETICS®, Gadsden County **third-graders** – for the second year in a row - achieved **breakthrough** results on the 2012 **FCAT 2.0 Math**. Prior to 2011, Gadsden has historically performed among the lowest 7 counties in Florida in Math; however, on the **2012 FCAT 2.0 Math**, Gadsden County ranked **#6** in the state with **70%** of its third-graders performing at or above proficiency compared to the State average of 58%.



**Gadsden County – Math vs. Reading FCAT/FCAT 2.0
Grade 3 State Ranking Trend**



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