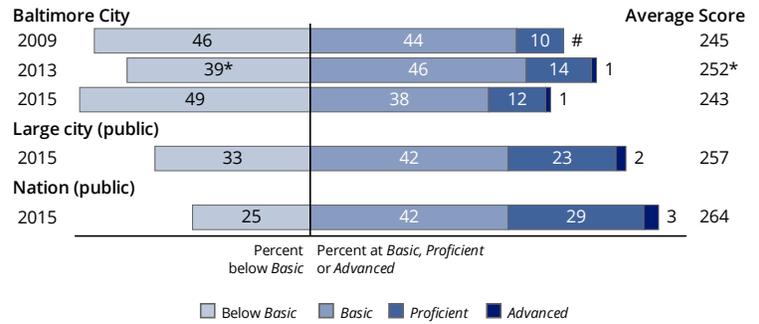


Overall Results

- In 2015, the average score of eighth-grade students in Baltimore City was 243. This was lower than the average score of 257 for public school students in large cities.
- The average score for students in Baltimore City in 2015 (243) was lower than their average score in 2013 (252) and was not significantly different from their average score in 2009 (245).
- The percentage of students in Baltimore City who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 13 percent in 2015. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2013 (16 percent) and in 2009 (10 percent).
- The percentage of students in Baltimore City who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 51 percent in 2015. This percentage was smaller than that in 2013 (61 percent) and was not significantly different from that in 2009 (54 percent).

Achievement-Level Percentages and Average Score Results



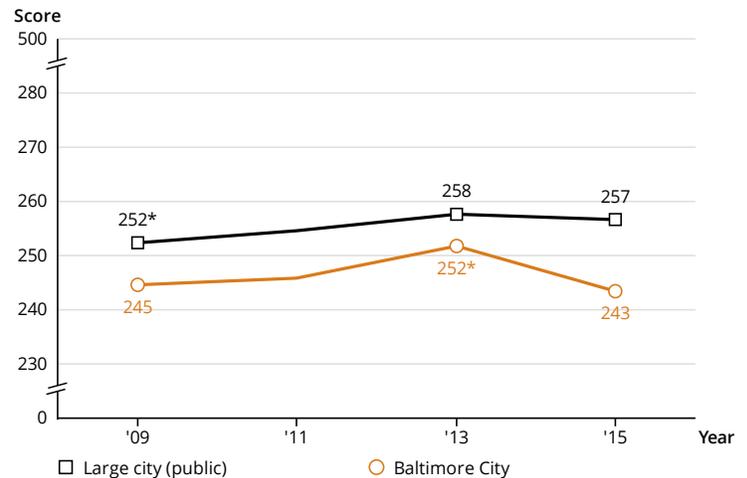
* Significantly different ($p < .05$) from district's results in 2015. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.
Rounds to zero.
NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding.

Compare the Average Score in 2015 to Other Districts

In 2015, the average score in Baltimore City (243) was

Lower Than 15 Districts	Not Significantly Different From 4 Districts	Higher Than 1 District
Albuquerque Atlanta Austin Boston Charlotte Chicago Dallas Duval County (FL) Hillsborough County Houston Jefferson County Los Angeles Miami-Dade New York City San Diego	Cleveland District of Columbia Fresno Philadelphia	Detroit

Average Scores for District and Large Cities



* Significantly different ($p < .05$) from 2015. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.

Results for Student Groups in 2015

Reporting Groups	Percentage of students	Avg. score	Percentage at or above Basic	Percentage at or above Proficient	Percentage at or above Advanced
Race/Ethnicity					
White	8	268	76	36	7
Black	82	240	48	10	#
Hispanic	8	246	55	17	#
Asian	1	‡	‡	‡	‡
American Indian/Alaska Native	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	1	‡	‡	‡	‡
Gender					
Male	49	239	46	11	#
Female	51	248	56	15	1
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	76	241	48	11	#
Not eligible	23	252	62	20	2

Rounds to zero.

‡ Reporting standards not met.

NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding, and because the "Information not available" category for the National School Lunch Program, which provides free/reduced-price lunches, is not displayed. Black includes African American and Hispanic includes Latino. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin.

Score Gaps for Student Groups

- In 2015, Black students had an average score that was 28 points lower than that for White students. Data are not reported for White students in 2009, because reporting standards were not met.
- In 2015, Hispanic students had an average score that was 22 points lower than that for White students. Data are not reported for White and Hispanic students in 2009, because reporting standards were not met.
- In 2015, female students in Baltimore City had an average score that was higher than that for male students by 9 points.
- In 2015, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low family income, had an average score that was 12 points lower than that for students who were not eligible. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2009 (15 points).