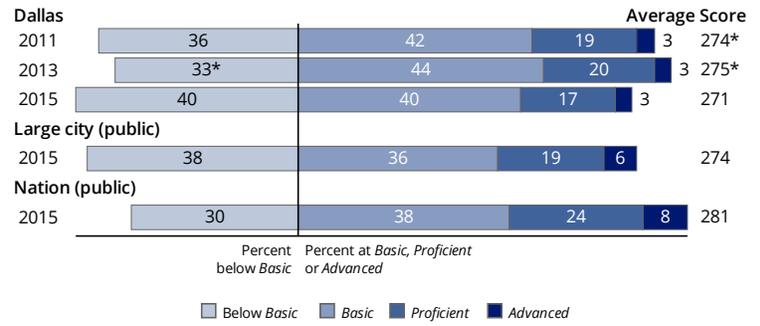


Overall Results

- In 2015, the average score of eighth-grade students in Dallas was 271. This was not significantly different from the average score of 274 for public school students in large cities.
- The average score for students in Dallas in 2015 (271) was lower than their average score in 2013 (275) and in 2011 (274).
- The percentage of students in Dallas who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 20 percent in 2015. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2013 (23 percent) and in 2011 (22 percent).
- The percentage of students in Dallas who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 60 percent in 2015. This percentage was smaller than that in 2013 (67 percent) and was not significantly different from that in 2011 (64 percent).

Achievement-Level Percentages and Average Score Results



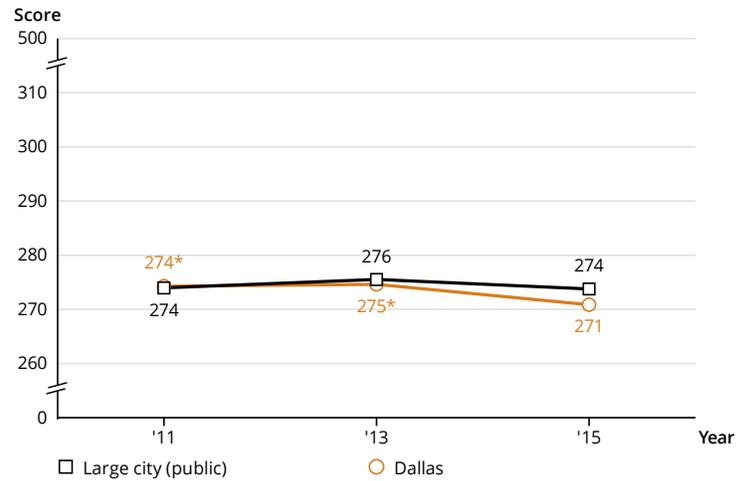
* Significantly different ($p < .05$) from district's results in 2015. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.
NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding.

Compare the Average Score in 2015 to Other Districts

In 2015, the average score in Dallas (271) was

Lower Than Districts (7)	Not Significantly Different From Districts (6)	Higher Than Districts (7)
Austin Boston Charlotte Duval County (FL) Hillsborough County Houston San Diego	Albuquerque Chicago Jefferson County Miami-Dade New York City Philadelphia	Atlanta Baltimore City Cleveland Detroit District of Columbia Fresno Los Angeles

Average Scores for District and Large Cities



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Results for Student Groups in 2015

Reporting Groups	Percentage of students	Avg. score	Percentage at or above Basic	Percentage at Proficient	Percentage at Advanced
Race/Ethnicity					
White	4	‡	‡	‡	‡
Black	22	261	47	10	1
Hispanic	72	272	62	22	2
Asian	1	‡	‡	‡	‡
American Indian/Alaska Native	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Gender					
Male	50	271	59	21	3
Female	50	271	61	19	3
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	90	269	58	18	2
Not eligible	10	287	73	40	13

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, Hispanic students had an average score that was 12 points higher than that for Black students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2011 (11 points).
- In 2015, male students in Dallas had an average score that was not significantly different from that for female students.
- In 2015, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low family income, had an average score that was 18 points lower than that for students who were not eligible. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2011 (14 points).