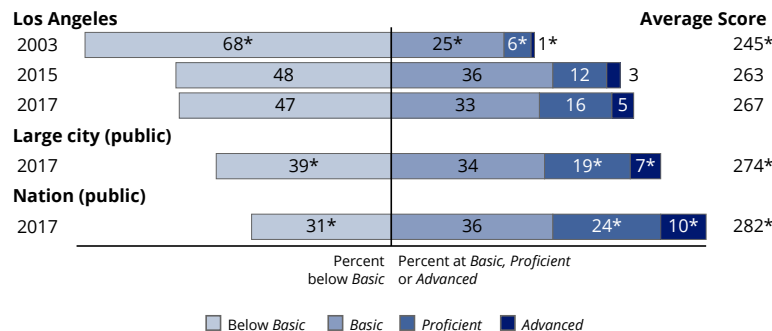


## Overall Results

- In 2017, the average score of eighth-grade students in Los Angeles was 267. This was lower than the average score of 274 for public school students in large cities.
- The average score for students in Los Angeles in 2017 (267) was not significantly different from their average score in 2015 (263) and was higher than their average score in 2003 (245).
- The percentage of students in Los Angeles who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 20 percent in 2017. This percentage was greater than that in 2015 (15 percent) and in 2003 (7 percent).
- The percentage of students in Los Angeles who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 53 percent in 2017. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2015 (52 percent) and was greater than that in 2003 (32 percent).

## Achievement-Level Percentages and Average Score Results



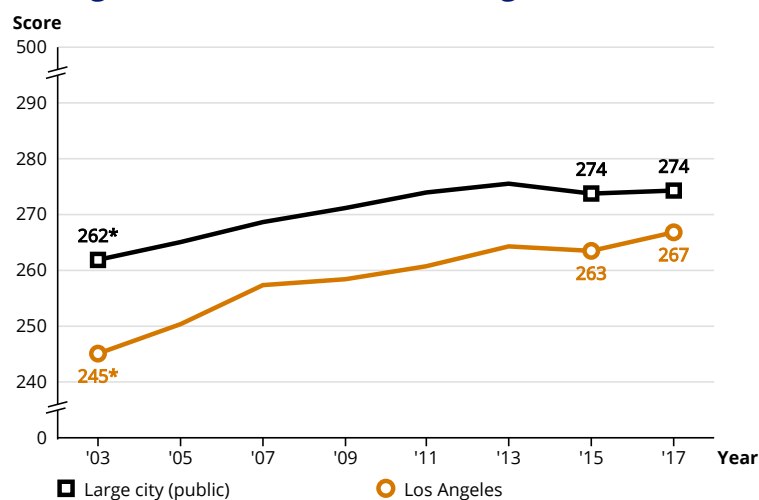
\* Significantly different ( $p < .05$ ) from district's results in 2017. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.  
NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding.

## Compare the Average Score in 2017 to Other Districts

In 2017, the average score in Los Angeles (267) was

Lower Than 14 Districts	Not Significantly Different From 4 Districts	Higher Than 8 Districts
Austin Boston Charlotte Chicago Clark County (NV) Denver Duval County (FL) Guilford County (NC) Hillsborough County Houston Jefferson County Miami-Dade New York City San Diego	Albuquerque Atlanta Dallas Fort Worth (TX)	Baltimore City Cleveland Detroit District of Columbia Fresno Milwaukee Philadelphia Shelby County (TN)

## Average Scores for District and Large Cities



\* Significantly different ( $p < .05$ ) from 2017. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.

## Results for Student Groups in 2017

Reporting Groups	Percentage of students	Avg. score	Percentage at or above Basic	Percentage at or above Proficient	Percentage at or above Advanced
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>					
White	11	298	84	51	17
Black	9	254	38	12	2
Hispanic	72	260	47	13	1
Asian	7	302	85	56	21
American Indian/Alaska Native	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
<b>Gender</b>					
Male	51	267	54	21	5
Female	49	266	53	19	4
<b>National School Lunch Program</b>					
Eligible	59	260	47	14	2
Not eligible	41	276	62	29	8

# 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 2017, Black students had an average score that was 45 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2003 (43 points).
- In 2017, Hispanic students had an average score that was 38 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2003 (37 points).
- In 2017, male students in Los Angeles had an average score that was not significantly different from that for female students.
- In 2017, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low family income, had an average score that was 16 points lower than that for students who were not eligible. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2003 (5 points).