

Overall Results

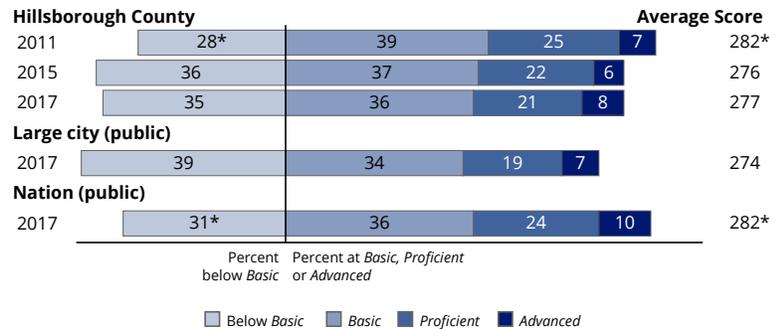
- In 2017, the average score of eighth-grade students in Hillsborough County was 277. This was not significantly different from the average score of 274 for public school students in large cities.
- The average score for students in Hillsborough County in 2017 (277) was not significantly different from their average score in 2015 (276) and was lower than their average score in 2011 (282).
- The percentage of students in Hillsborough County who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 29 percent in 2017. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2015 (27 percent) and in 2011 (32 percent).
- The percentage of students in Hillsborough County who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 65 percent in 2017. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2015 (64 percent) and was smaller than that in 2011 (72 percent).

Compare the Average Score in 2017 to Other Districts

In 2017, the average score in Hillsborough County (277) was

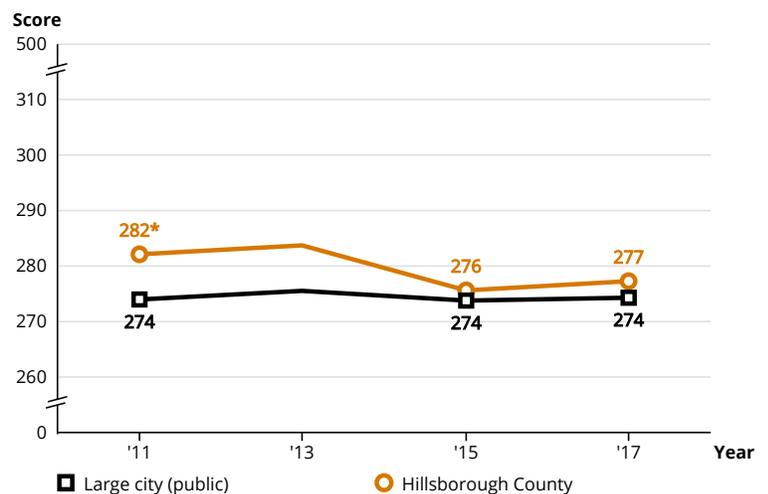
Lower Than 3 Districts	Not Significantly Different From 7 Districts	Higher Than 16 Districts
Austin Charlotte San Diego	Boston Chicago Duval County (FL) Guilford County (NC) Houston Miami-Dade New York City	Albuquerque Atlanta Baltimore City Clark County (NV) Cleveland Dallas Denver Detroit District of Columbia Fort Worth (TX) Fresno Jefferson County Los Angeles Milwaukee Philadelphia Shelby County (TN)

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.

Average Scores for District and Large Cities



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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
Race/Ethnicity					
White	35	292	81	41	12
Black	20	257	42	11	2
Hispanic	37	268	56	19	4
Asian	5	‡	‡	‡	‡
American Indian/Alaska Native	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	4	‡	‡	‡	‡
Gender					
Male	51	277	65	29	7
Female	49	277	64	29	8
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	51	262	50	14	3
Not eligible	47	293	80	44	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 2017, Black students had an average score that was 35 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2011 (30 points).
- In 2017, Hispanic students had an average score that was 24 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2011 (19 points).
- In 2017, male students in Hillsborough County 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 30 points lower than that for students who were not eligible. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2011 (28 points).