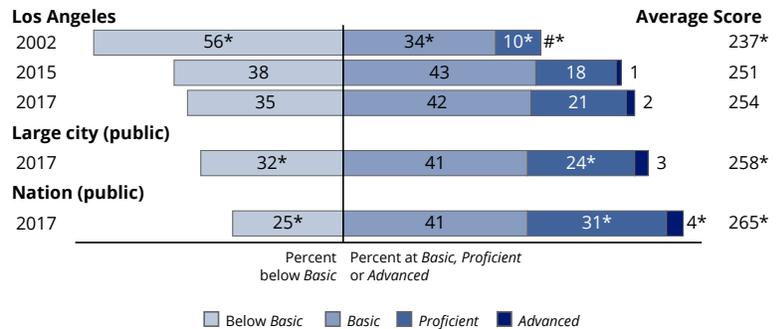


Overall Results

- In 2017, the average score of eighth-grade students in Los Angeles was 254. This was lower than the average score of 258 for public school students in large cities.
- The average score for students in Los Angeles in 2017 (254) was not significantly different from their average score in 2015 (251) and was higher than their average score in 2002 (237).
- The percentage of students in Los Angeles who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 23 percent in 2017. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2015 (20 percent) and was greater than that in 2002 (10 percent).
- The percentage of students in Los Angeles who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 65 percent in 2017. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2015 (62 percent) and was greater than that in 2002 (44 percent).

Achievement-Level Percentages and Average Score Results



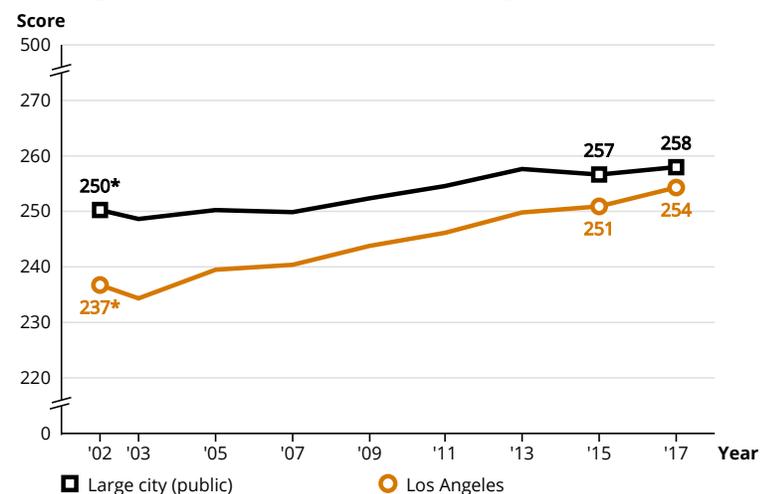
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* Significantly different ($p < .05$) from district's results in 2017. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.
NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding.

Compare the Average Score in 2017 to Other Districts

In 2017, the average score in Los Angeles (254) was

Lower Than 12 Districts	Not Significantly Different From 3 Districts	Higher Than 11 Districts
Austin Boston Charlotte Chicago Clark County (NV) Denver Duval County (FL) Guilford County (NC) Hillsborough County Jefferson County Miami-Dade San Diego	Albuquerque Atlanta New York City	Baltimore City Cleveland Dallas Detroit District of Columbia Fort Worth (TX) Fresno Houston 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 Advanced
Race/Ethnicity					
White	11	276	86	47	5
Black	9	249	62	15	1
Hispanic	72	248	60	16	1
Asian	7	285	91	57	9
American Indian/Alaska Native	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Gender					
Male	51	249	60	18	1
Female	49	260	71	28	3
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	58	249	60	18	1
Not eligible	41	262	73	30	3

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 26 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2002 (28 points).
- In 2017, Hispanic students had an average score that was 27 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2002 (34 points).
- In 2017, female students in Los Angeles had an average score that was higher than that for male students by 11 points.
- In 2017, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low family income, had an average score that was 13 points lower than that for students who were not eligible. Data are not reported for students who were not eligible and eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch in 2002, because reporting standards were not met.