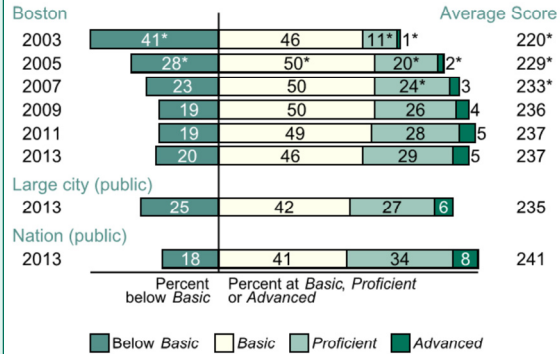


Overall Results

- In 2013, the average score of fourth-grade students in Boston was 237. This was not significantly different from the average score of 235 for public school students in large cities.
- The average score for students in Boston in 2013 (237) was not significantly different from their average score in 2011 (237) and was higher than their average score in 2003 (220).
- The score gap between higher performing students in Boston (those at the 75th percentile) and lower performing students (those at the 25th percentile) was 37 points in 2013. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2003 (33 points).
- The percentage of students in Boston who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 34 percent in 2013. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2011 (33 percent) and was greater than that in 2003 (12 percent).
- The percentage of students in Boston who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 80 percent in 2013. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2011 (81 percent) and was greater than that in 2003 (59 percent).

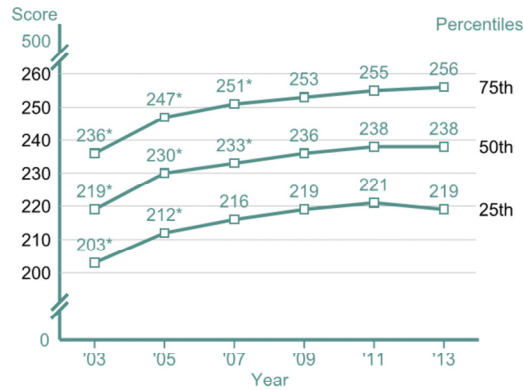
Achievement-Level Percentages and Average Score Results



\* Significantly different ( $p < .05$ ) from district's results in 2013. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.

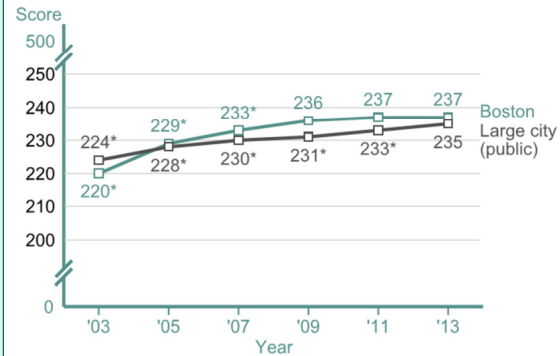
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Scores at Selected Percentiles



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Average Scores for District and Large Cities



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Results for Student Groups in 2013

Reporting Groups	Percent of students	Percentages at or above			Percent at Advanced
		Avg. score	Basic	Proficient	
Race/Ethnicity					
White	13	255	90	63	18
Black	34	228	73	22	1
Hispanic	42	233	79	27	2
Asian	8	259	96	67	18
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	2	‡	‡	‡	‡
Gender					
Male	53	237	79	35	5
Female	47	237	81	33	5
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	85	233	78	28	3
Not eligible	14	258	92	68	19

# 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 2013, Black students had an average score that was 27 points lower than White students. This performance gap was wider than that in 2003 (19 points).
- In 2013, Hispanic students had an average score that was 22 points lower than White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2003 (20 points).
- In 2013, male students in Boston had an average score that was not significantly different from female students.
- In 2013, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low family income, had an average score that was 25 points lower than students who were not eligible. This performance gap was wider than that in 2003 (15 points).