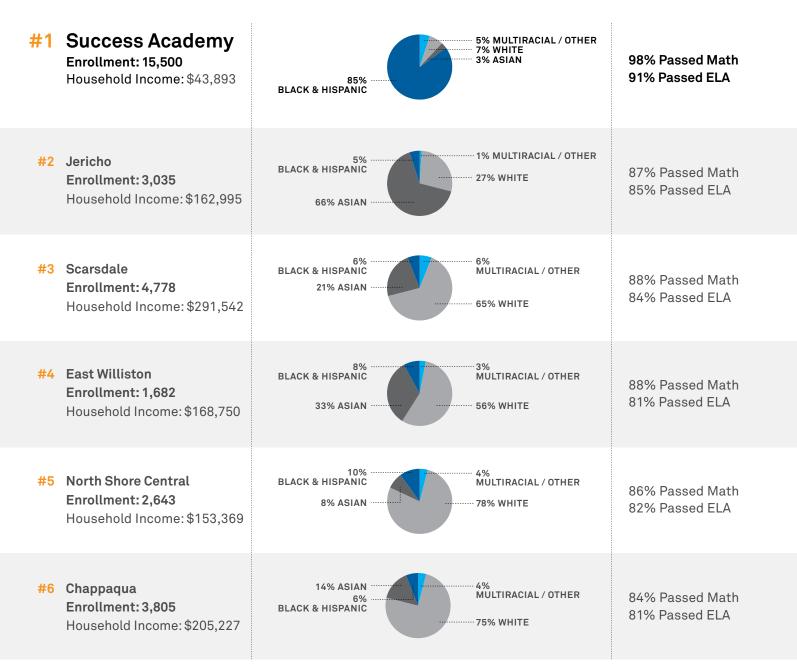


2018 NEW YORK STATE EXAMS

Success Academy: #1 in New York

With 47 schools and 17,000 scholars this year, the Success Academy network is now the size of the state's seventh-largest school district and educates one in 60 New York City public school students. On this year's state exams, 98% of Success scholars passed math and 91% passed ELA — making Success #1 for student achievement in New York State.

The State's Top School Districts



Success Academy is not technically a school district; it's a charter management organization that operates public charter schools. Demographic data is based on 2018 test-takers in grades 3–8 from NYSED.

Success Academy enrollment is from 2017–18, and enrollment from other districts reflects NYSED records for the school year 2016–17 (the most recent data available). Ranks are calculated based on the average passing rates for both ELA and math.

For Success Academy, household income is based on the median family income for the U.S. Census tract of every test-taker. For other districts, household income reflects U.S. Census data on median income for families in the municipality.

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Success Academy Scholars Reverse the Achievement Gap

NYC has some of the most segregated schools in the country, and most low-income students of color are concentrated in the worst schools. Historically, this meant that wealthier white and Asian students reaped the educational rewards. However, Success Academy is proving that children learn across all kinds of artificial demographic divides. For example, 90% of SA scholars with disabilities and 98% of economically disadvantaged SA scholars passed math, in contrast to 43% of students citywide.

