

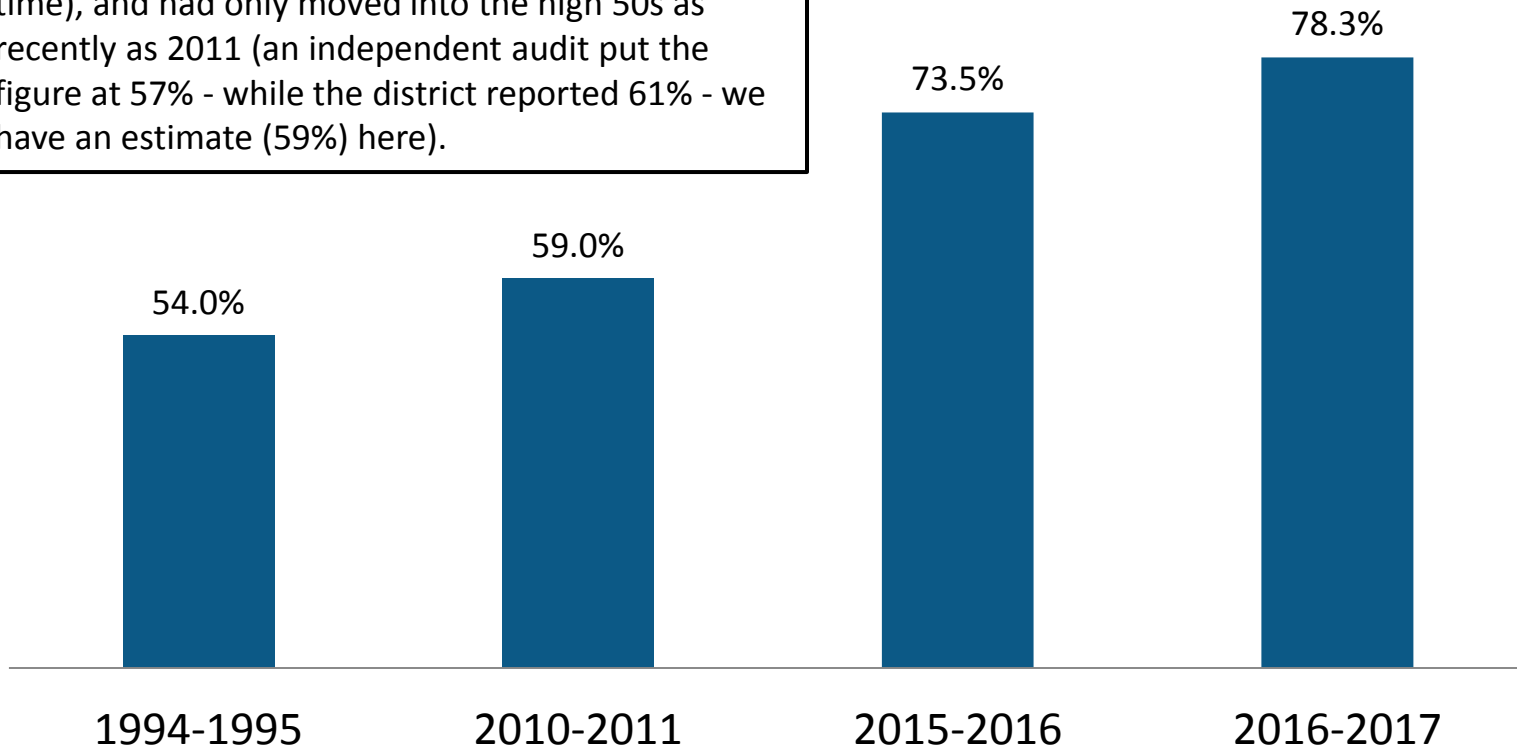


Newark School Progress Data

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Newark Public Schools Graduation Rates

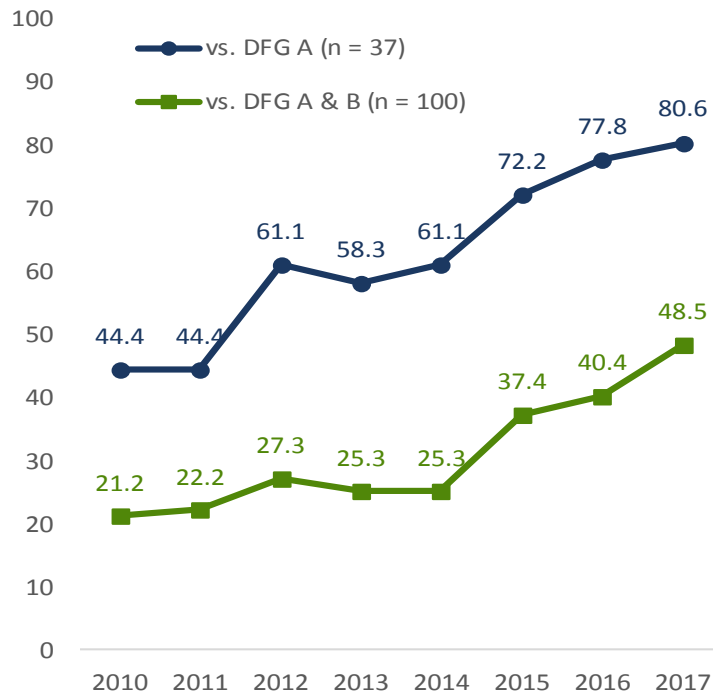
Graduation rates reached 78% for the 2016-2017 school year. This number was at 54% when the state took over in the 1995 (according to reporting at the time), and had only moved into the high 50s as recently as 2011 (an independent audit put the figure at 57% - while the district reported 61% - we have an estimate (59%) here).



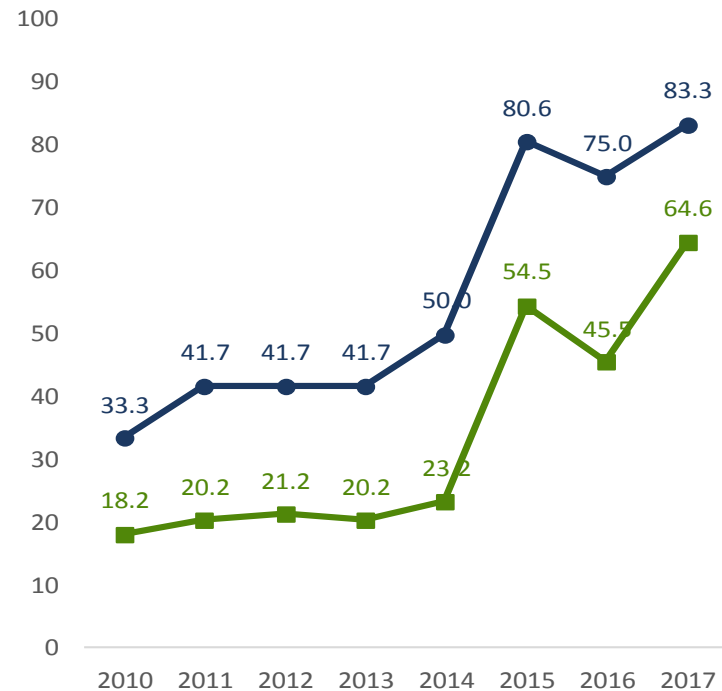
City of Newark (ALL STUDENTS) improvement compared to Similar NJ Districts 3-8

Newark's improvement becomes apparent when comparing proficiency rates across all school models in Newark with those similar cities from across New Jersey. This ranking methodology allows us to go back to the NJASK in 2011. Compared to the 37 most demographically similar districts in the state, Newark has risen from the 33rd percentile in 2010, to the 83rd percentile in Math, and from the 44th to the 81st percentile in English.

English Language Arts

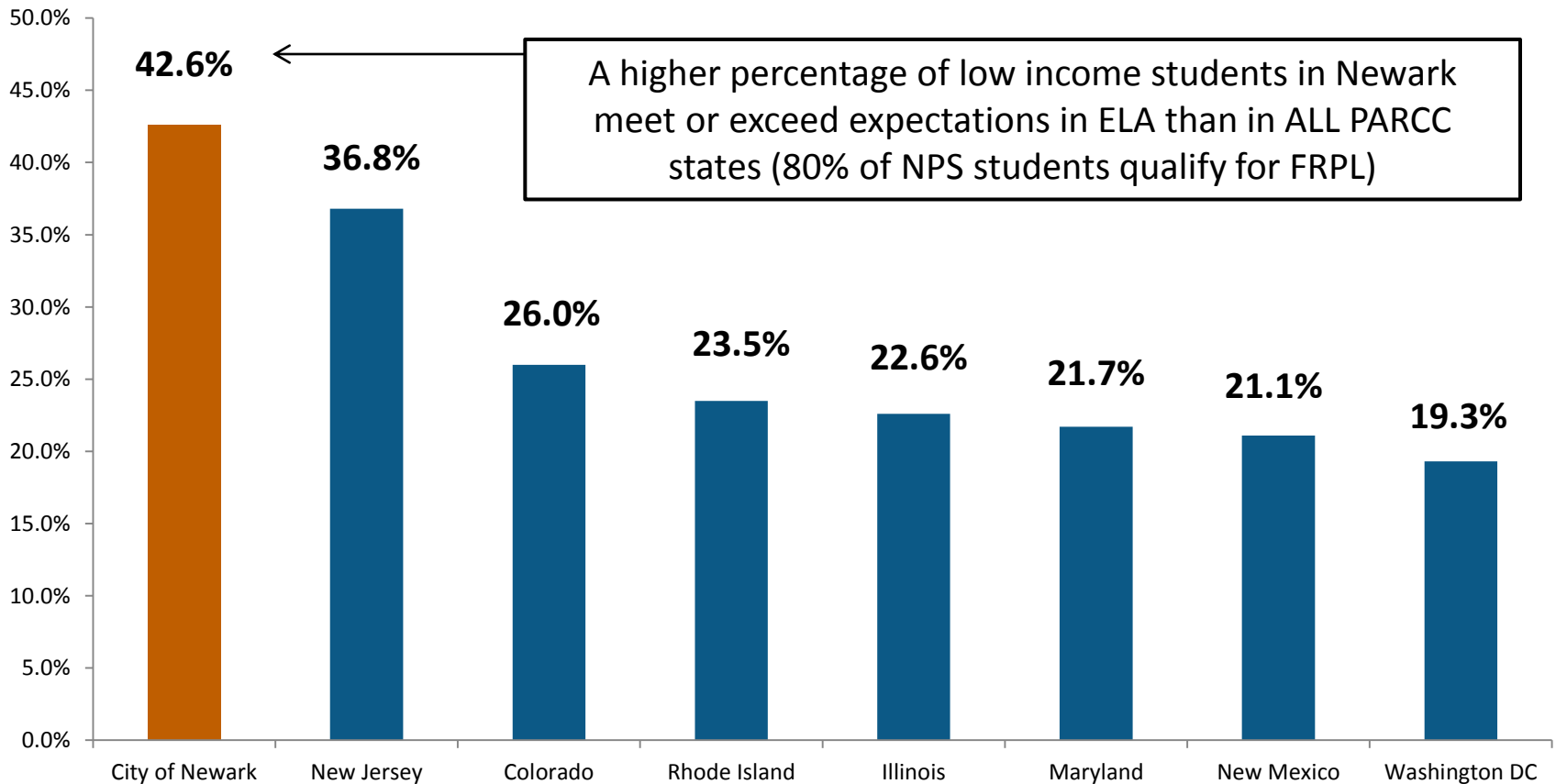


Math

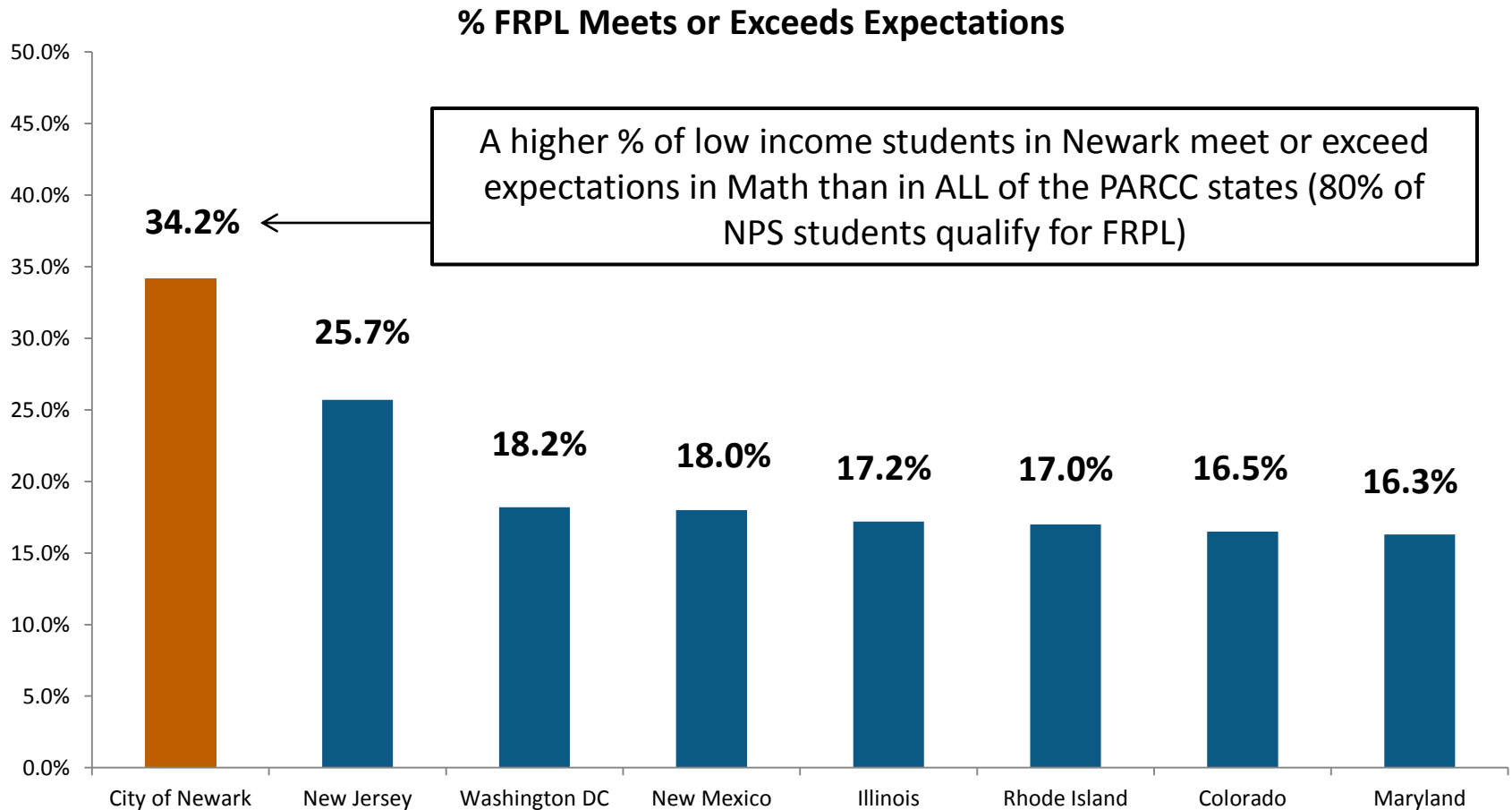


City of Newark (FRPL) vs. PARCC States (FRPL) ELA 3-8

% FRPL Meets or Exceeds Expectations

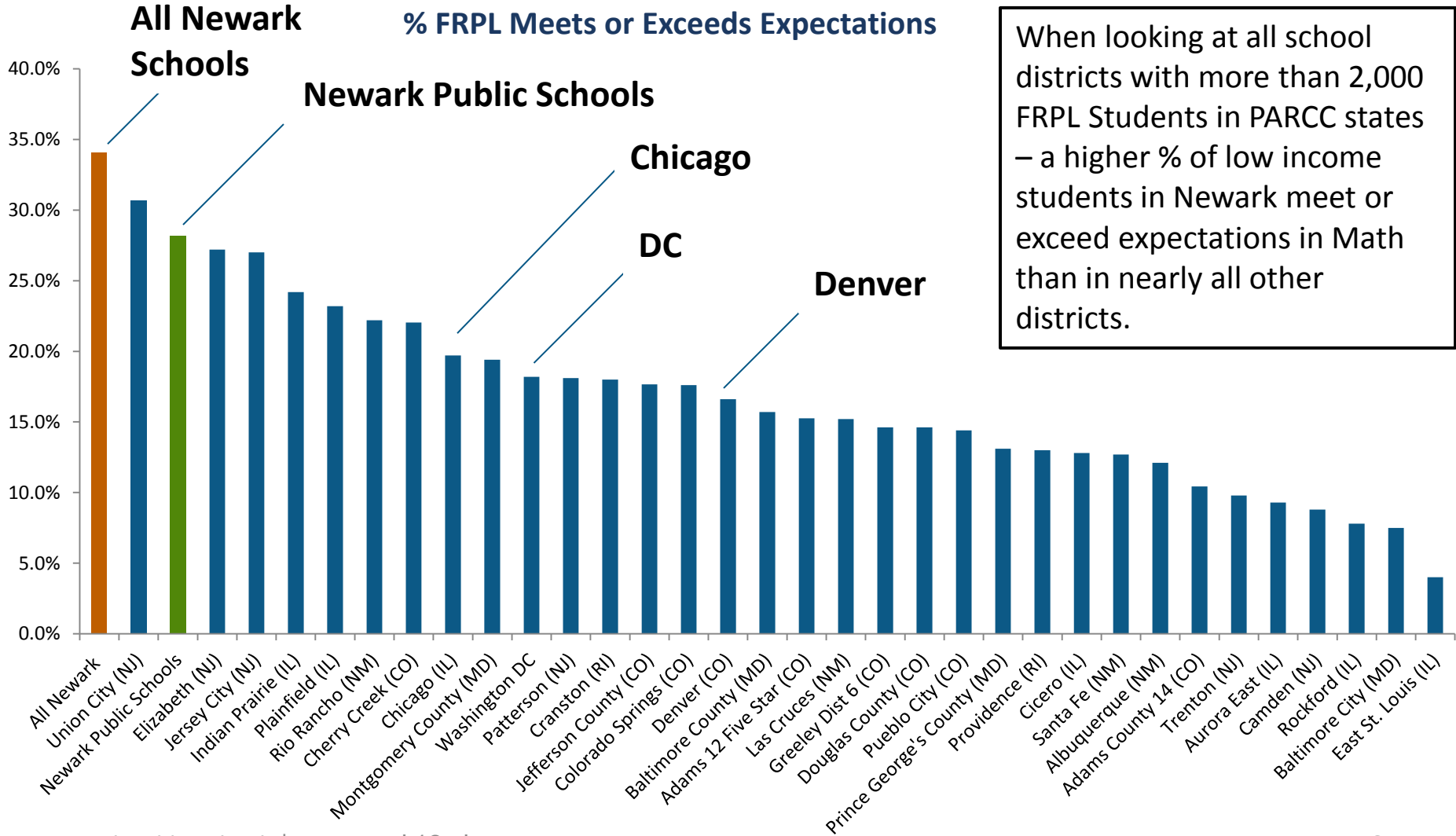


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Newark Schools (FRPL) v. Other PARCC Districts Math 3-8

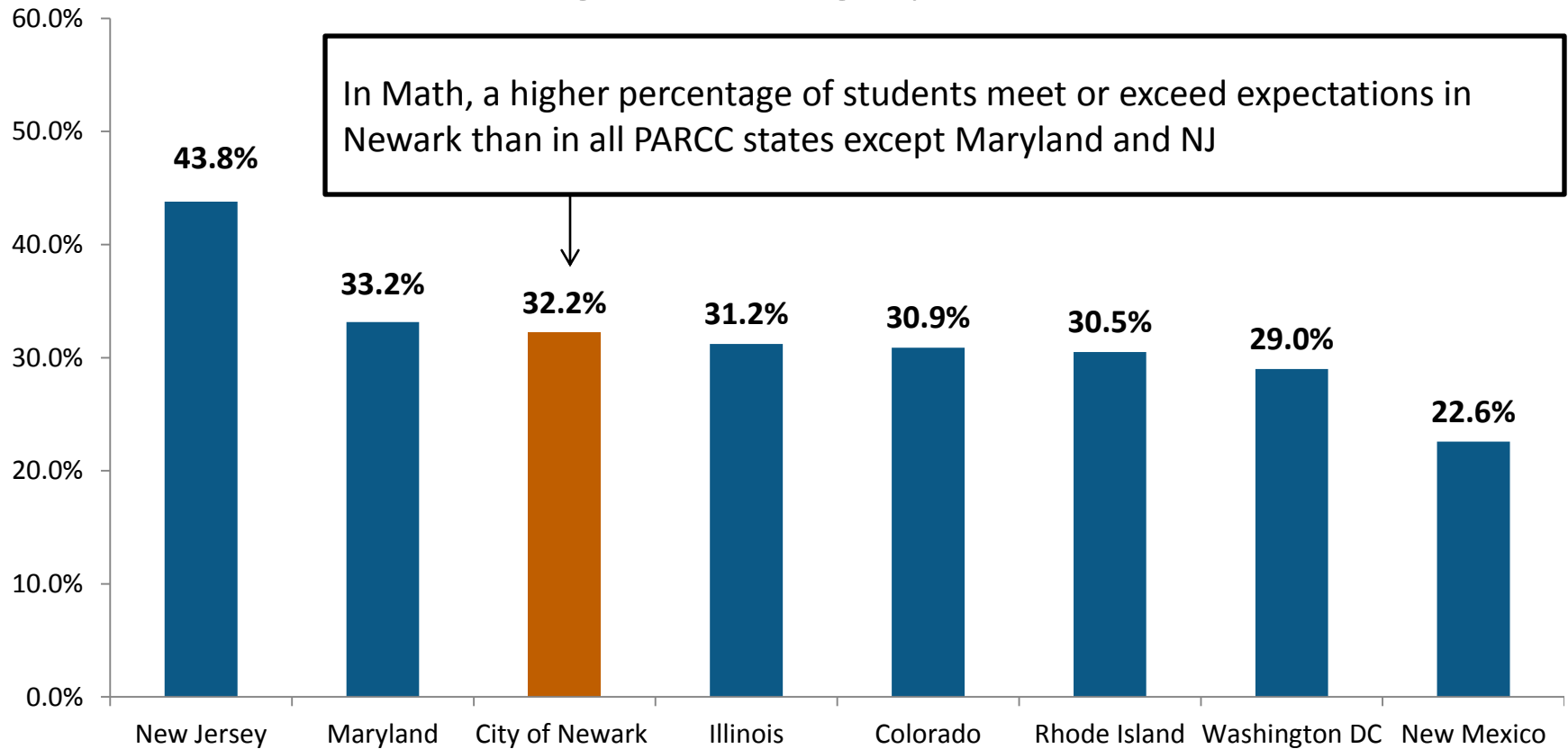
(Including all districts with more than 2,000 FRPL Students)



When looking at all school districts with more than 2,000 FRPL Students in PARCC states – a higher % of low income students in Newark meet or exceed expectations in Math than in nearly all other districts.

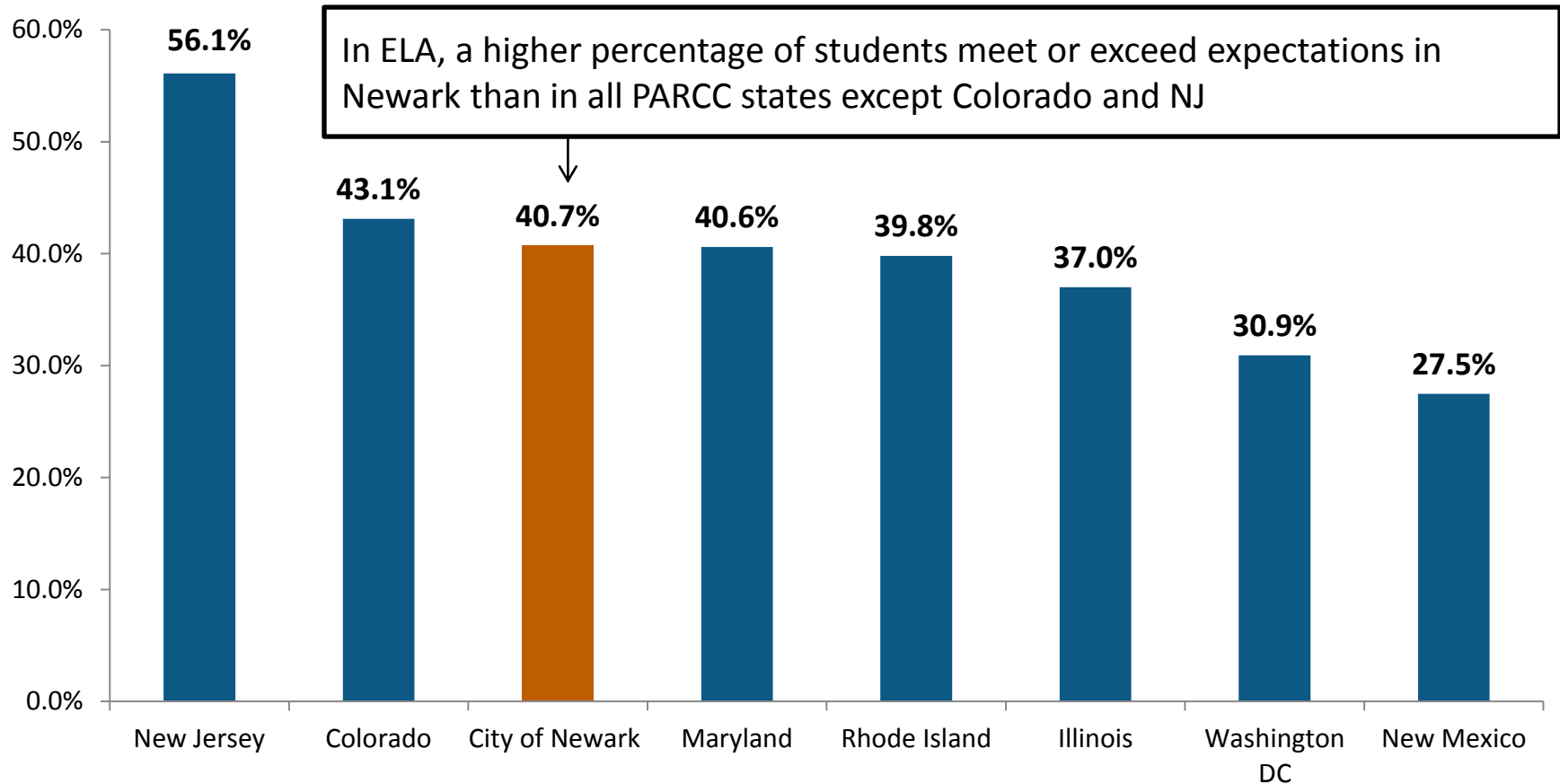
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% Students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations - 2017 Results



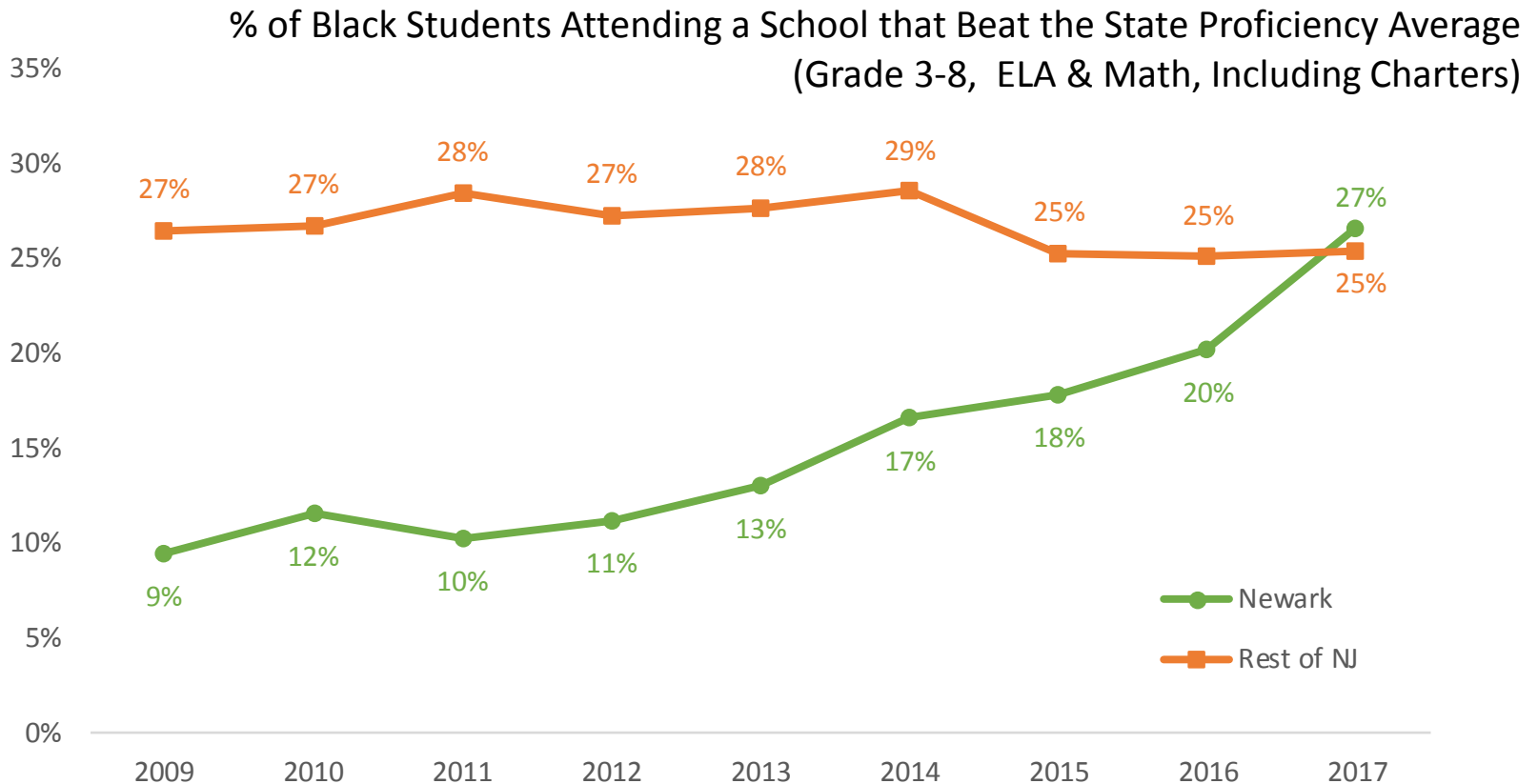
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% Students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations - 2017 Results



Improved Outcomes for African American Students

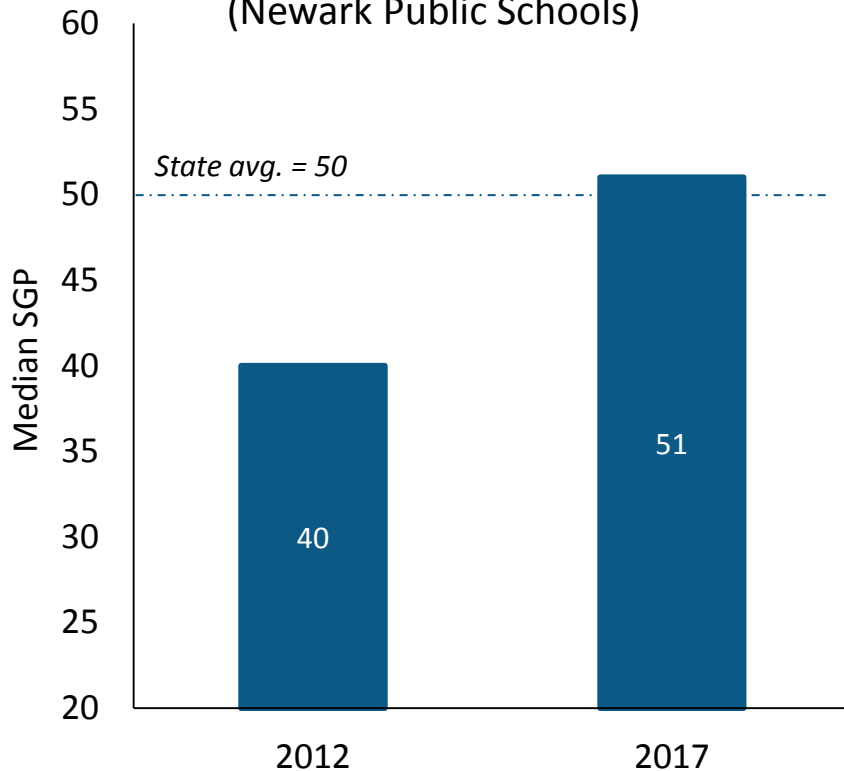
Black students in Newark are now more likely to attend a school that performs better than the state average in reading and math than their African American peers in other parts of New Jersey. The likelihood of this has tripled since 2009 in Newark, while it has been flat in the rest of the state.



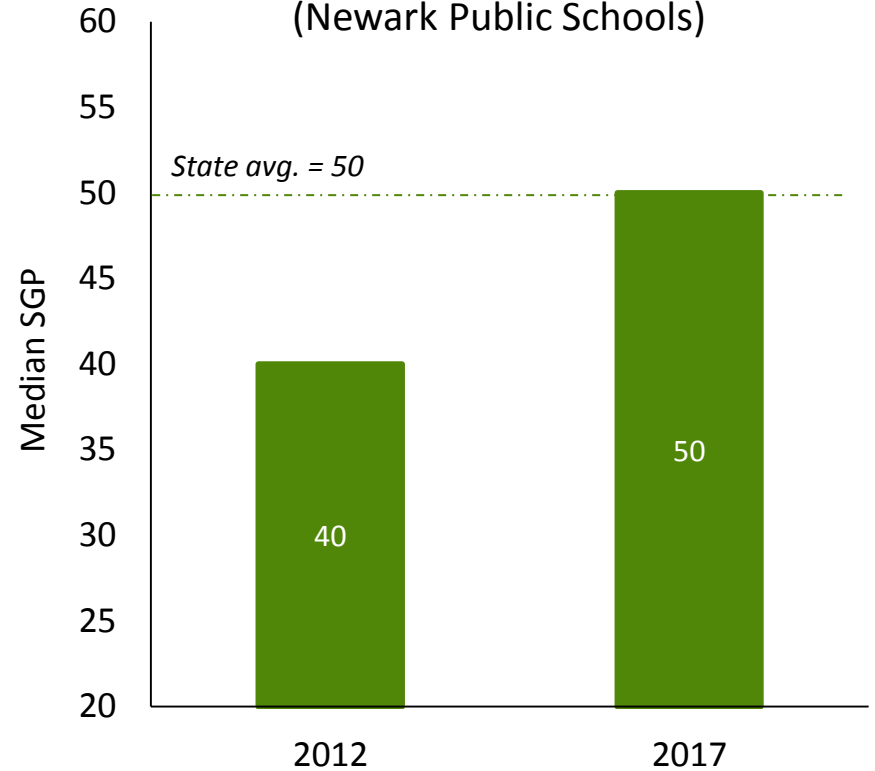
NPS Student Growth Percentile

For the first time this year, Newark students grew at or above state averages in both ELA and Math

English Language Arts (Newark Public Schools)

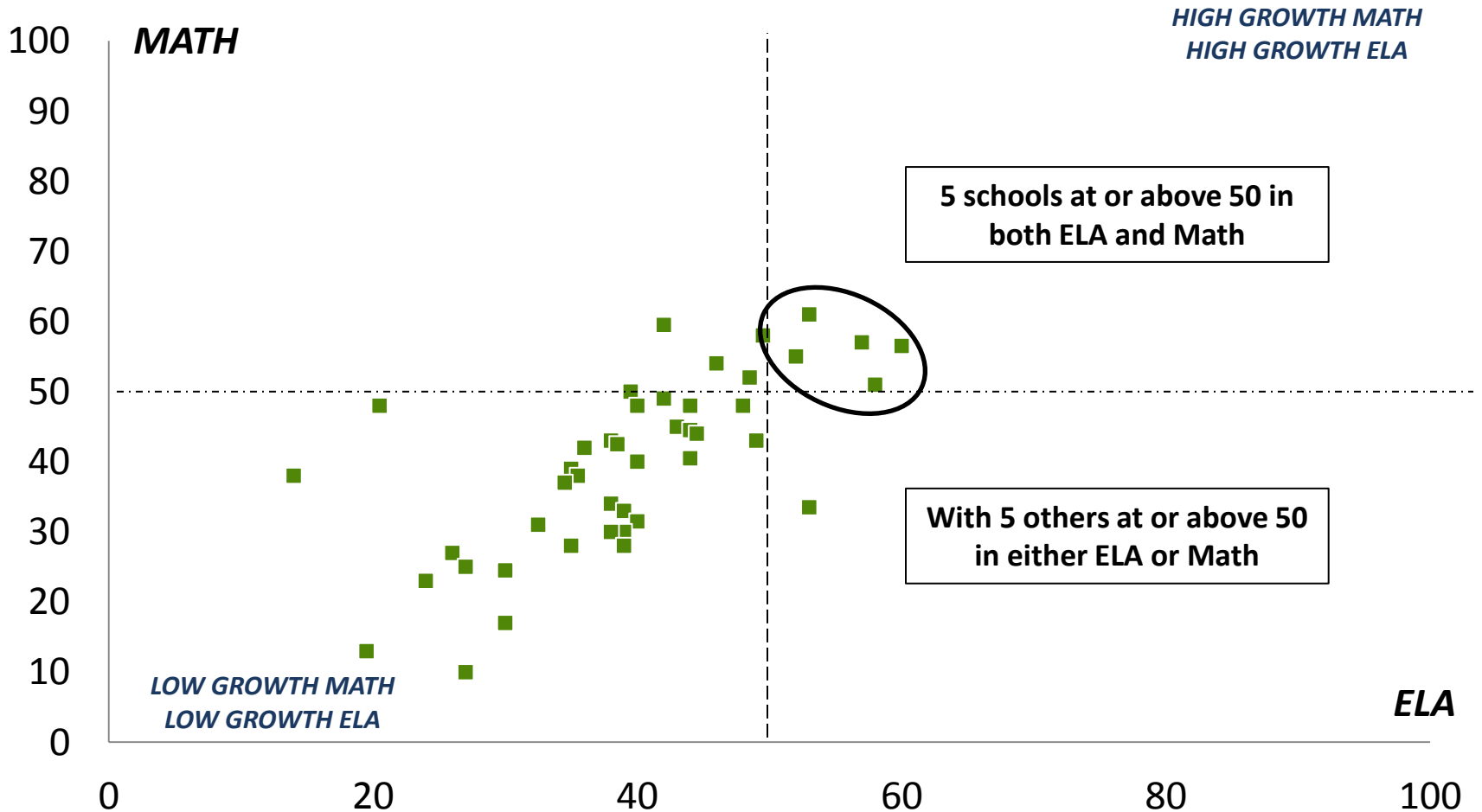


Math (Newark Public Schools)



NPS 2012 SCHOOL-LEVEL SGP SCORES

Back in 2012 (the first year student growth data is publicly available) only a handful of our schools were growing faster than state averages in either English or Math.



NPS 2017 SCHOOL-LEVEL SGP SCORES

In 2017, many more schools are growing faster than state averages. This means that today, there are thousands more Newark students in schools where they are learning as much as or more than their academic peers across the state in both English and math.

