

## 2015 Trial Urban District Assessment (TUDA) Report Card in Reading and Mathematics

The purpose of this session is to provide a more in-depth briefing on the TUDA findings than was possible during the August 2015 embargoed briefing that covered national, state, and initial TUDA results for reading and math.

Twenty-one districts participated in the 2015 mathematics and reading assessments:

- Albuquerque
- Atlanta
- Austin
- Baltimore City
- Boston
- Charlotte
- Chicago
- Cleveland
- Dallas
- Detroit
- District of Columbia (DCPS)
- Duval County (FL)
- Fresno
- Hillsborough County (FL)
- Houston
- Jefferson County (KY)
- Los Angeles
- Miami-Dade
- New York City
- Philadelphia
- San Diego

### 2015 TUDA Reading Results

In 2015, the percentage of fourth-grade students performing at or above the *Proficient* level in reading ranged by 35 points (from 6 to 41 percent) across the 21 participating districts, and the percentage of eighth-grade students at or above *Proficient* ranged by 26 points (from 7 to 33 percent).

- In 2015, the percentages of fourth-grade students performing at or above *Proficient* in the following districts were higher than in large cities nationally: Austin, Charlotte, Duval County (FL), Hillsborough County (FL), Jefferson County (KY), and Miami-Dade.
- In 2015, the percentages of eighth-grade students performing at or above *Proficient* in the following districts were higher than in large cities nationally: Austin, Charlotte, Duval County (FL), Jefferson County (KY), Miami-Dade, and San Diego.

See more 2015 TUDA Reading Results:

[http://www.nationsreportcard.gov/reading\\_math\\_2015/#reading/district?grade=4](http://www.nationsreportcard.gov/reading_math_2015/#reading/district?grade=4)

### 2015 TUDA Mathematics Results

In 2015, the percentage of fourth-grade students performing at or above the Proficient level in math ranged by 47 points (from 5 to 51 percent) across the 21 participating districts, and the percentage of eighth-grade students performing at or above the Proficient level ranged by 34 points (from 4 to 39 percent).

- In 2015, the percentages of fourth-grade students performing at or above Proficient in the following districts were higher than in large cities nationally: Austin, Charlotte, Duval County (FL), Hillsborough County (FL), and Miami-Dade.
- In 2015, the percentages of eighth-grade students performing at or above Proficient in the following districts were higher than in large cities nationally: Austin, Boston, Charlotte, and San Diego.

See more 2015 TUDA Math Results:

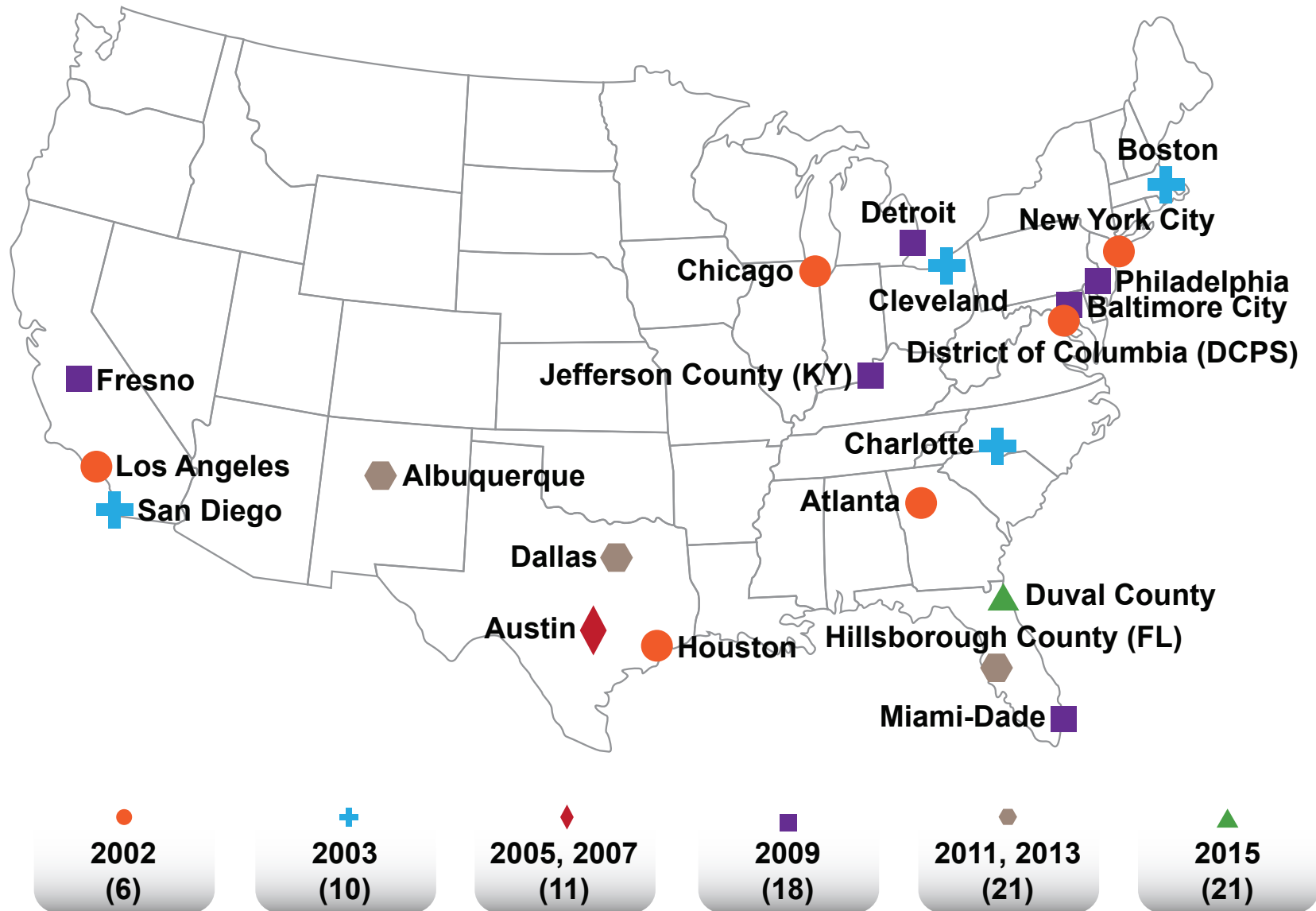
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### Changes in Scores Between 2013 and 2015

See the average scores and score-point changes between 2013 and 2015 for public school students, by participating district:

[http://www.nationsreportcard.gov/reading\\_math\\_2015/files/2015\\_2013\\_TUDA\\_trends\\_summary.pdf](http://www.nationsreportcard.gov/reading_math_2015/files/2015_2013_TUDA_trends_summary.pdf)

## Map of Districts Participating in the 2015 Trial Urban District Assessment (TUDA)



Symbols indicate the first year each district participated in TUDA.

This map does not include Milwaukee Public Schools, which participated in 2011 and 2013, but declined to participate in the 2015 TUDA.