

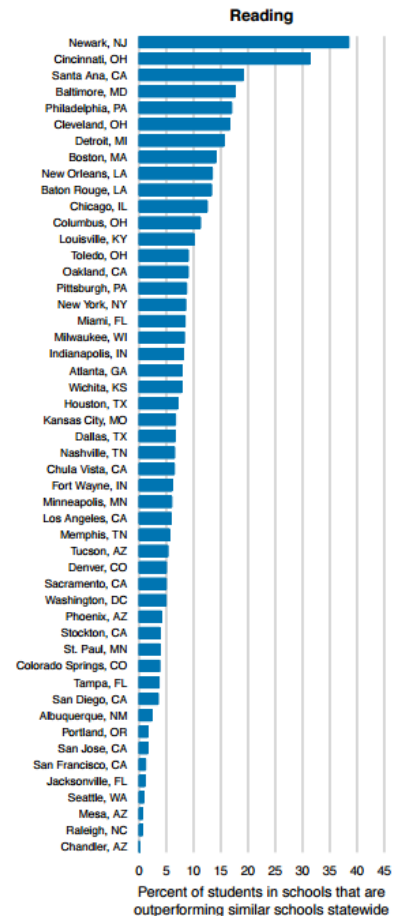
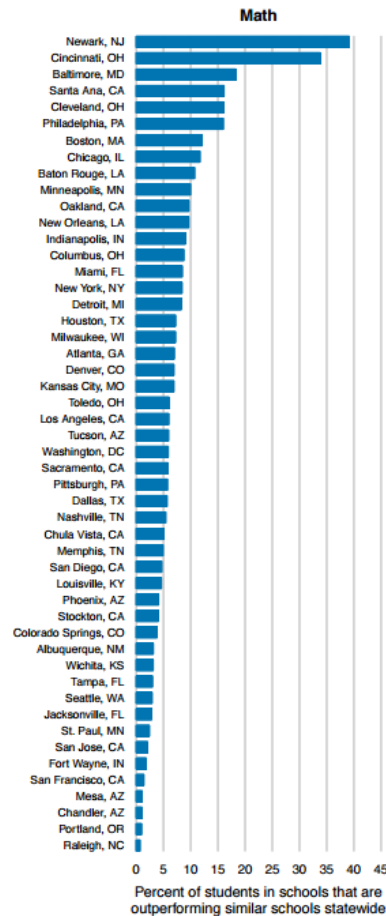
# RESEARCH SUMMARY: NEWARK PUBLIC SCHOOLS BEATING THE ODDS

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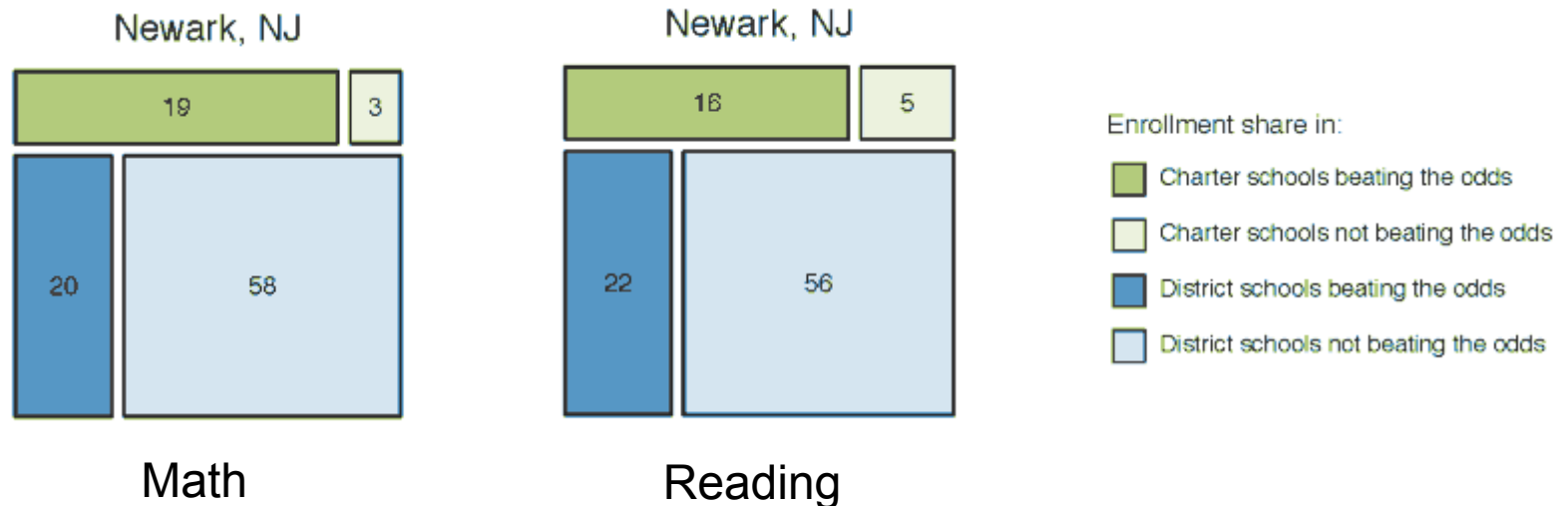
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- The Center for Reinventing Public Education (CRPE) reports that in a study of 50 cities across the country, only about 8 percent of disadvantaged students were enrolled in “beat the odds” schools.
- The report identifies Newark as an outlier, with close to 40% of students enrolled in “beat the odds” schools in both Math and Reading.
- Newark provides a significantly higher portion of students with access to “beat the odds schools” than any of the other cities studied.



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- When examining the share of students in “beat the odds” schools across Newark, significant portions come from both the charter and traditional public school sectors.



- While a higher proportion of students enrolled in charter schools are “beating the odds, a higher percentage of students overall in Newark that are in beat the odds schools are enrolled in traditional public schools.

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- The combination of “beat the odds” schools across both charters and traditional public schools combine to provide Newark students with more access to beat the odds schools than any other city that was studied.



Math

Reading

Enrollment share in:

- Charter schools beating the odds
- Charter schools not beating the odds
- District schools beating the odds
- District schools not beating the odds

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- CRPE defined “Beating the Odds” Schools broadly as schools that outpaced demographically similar schools statewide.
- To learn more about “beat the odds” schools, click here: <http://www.crpe.org/thelens/no-one-has-monopoly-beating-odds>
- To read the full CRPE “Measuring Up” study, click here: [http://www.crpe.org/sites/default/files/measuringup\\_10.2015.pdf](http://www.crpe.org/sites/default/files/measuringup_10.2015.pdf)