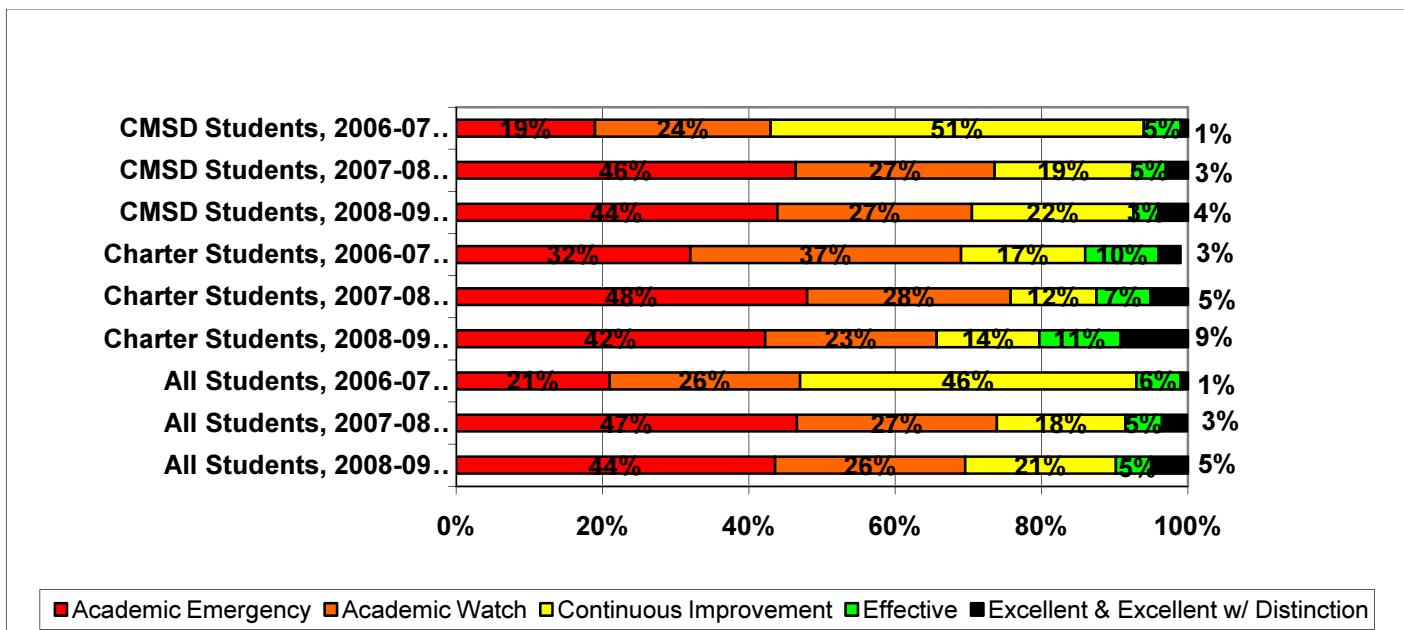


Detailed Analysis of School Performance in Cleveland (2008-09)

**Graph I: Percent of Cleveland Students in Public Schools by State Designation
(2006-07, 2007-08, and 2008-09)**



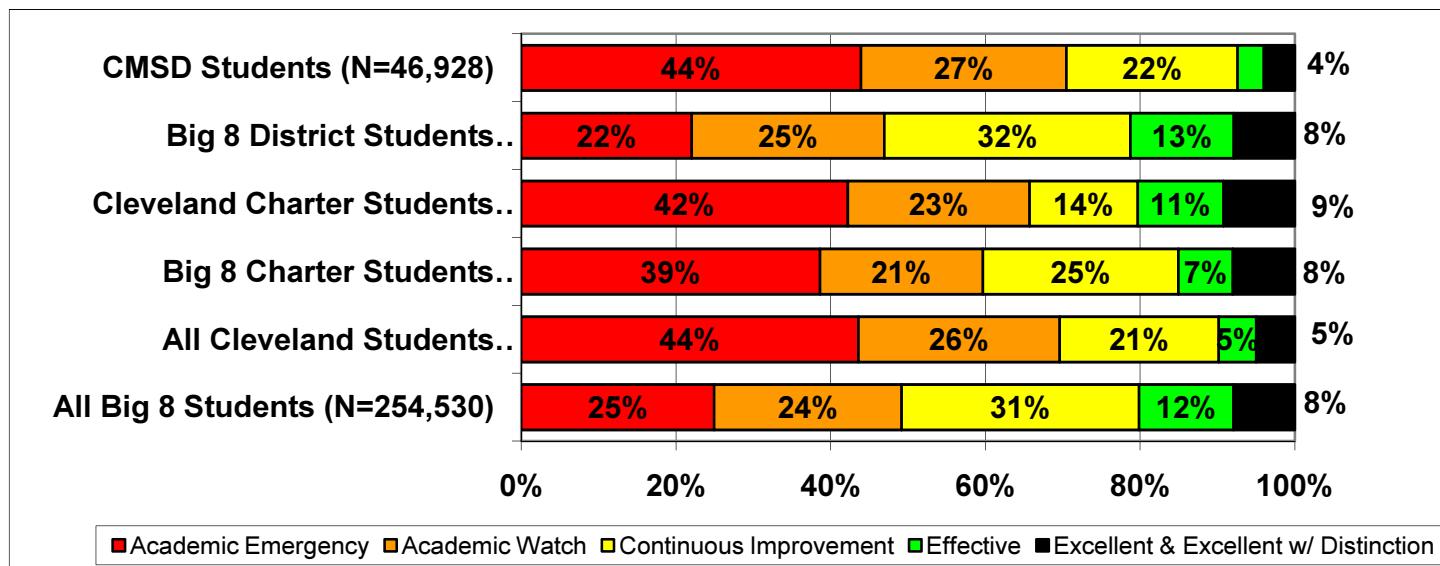
Source: Ohio Department of Education interactive Local Report Card

Note: This chart does not include students in schools that are unrated and students attending charter e-schools.

Percent of Cleveland Students in Public Schools (District and Charter) by State Designation.
 Graph I shows the percent of Cleveland students in district and charter schools by state designation for the 2006-07, 2007-08, and 2008-09 school years.

The percent of Cleveland students (district and charter) attending schools rated “D” or “F” by the state fell only slightly in 2008-09. Nearly three-quarters (70 percent) of all Cleveland students were in a school rated Academic Emergency or Academic Watch. This is in contrast to 74 percent in the 2007-08 school year. Cleveland charter school students were significantly more likely to attend a school rated Effective or Excellent (including Excellent with Distinction) than their district counterparts. One in five charter school students went to an “A” or “B” rated school, versus 7 percent of Cleveland Metropolitan School District students.

Graph II: Percent of Cleveland Students in Public Schools by State Designation versus the Big 8 Average*

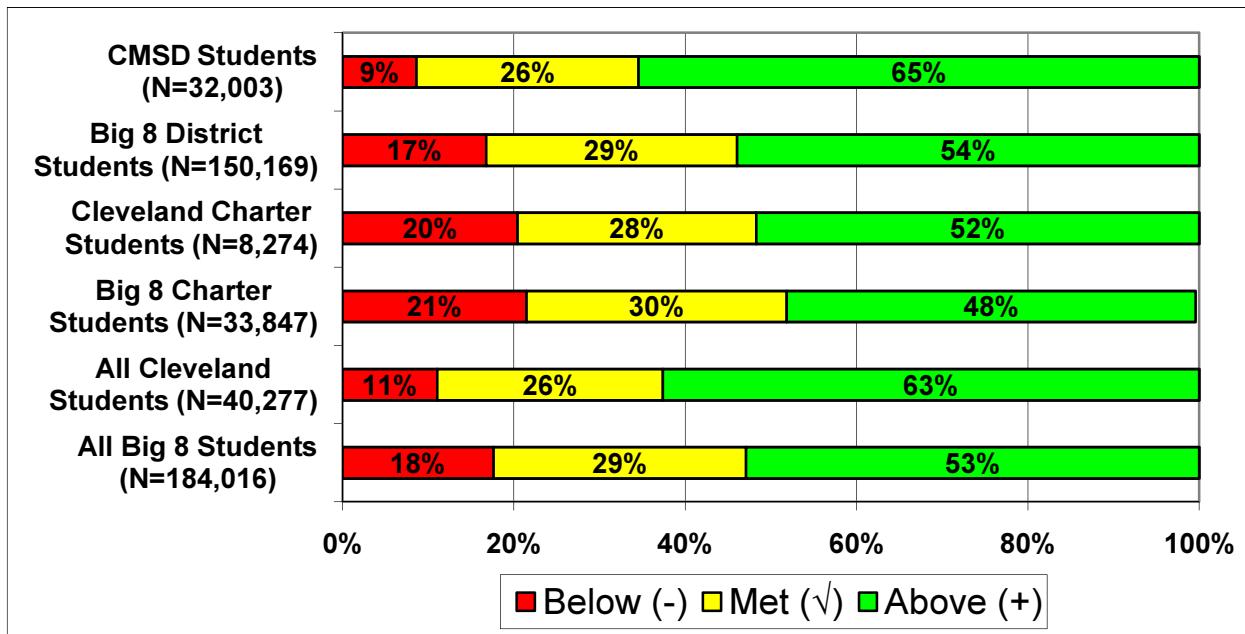


Percent of Cleveland Students in Public Schools by State Designation versus the Big 8 Average. Graph II shows how Cleveland district and charter school students performed against the Big 8 averages for district and charter performance. This helps to put the performance of students in Cleveland into a larger context (e.g., how do they perform against other urban students in Ohio?)

Cleveland Metropolitan School District students were more likely to attend a school rated “D” or “F” by the state, as compared to their Big 8 District peers. Nearly three in four (71 percent) of Cleveland Metropolitan School District students went to a school in Academic Emergency or Academic Watch, while just under one half (47 percent) of Big 8 District students went to similar schools. Charter school students in Cleveland are more likely than both their district peers and Big 8 charter school peers to attend a school that is Effective or Excellent (including Excellent with Distinction). One in five charter students in Cleveland attend a school ranked “A” or “B,” compared to 8 percent of charter students in the Big 8 districts, and only 7 percent of Cleveland Metropolitan School District students.

* The Big 8 districts are defined as Ohio’s largest urban districts: Akron, Canton, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, Dayton, Toledo, and Youngstown.

Graph III: Percent of Cleveland Students in Public Schools by Value-added Composite Score versus the Big 8 Average (2008-09)



Source: Ohio Department of Education interactive Local Report Card

Note: This chart does not include students in schools that did not receive a value-added composite score or students attending charter e-schools.

Percent of Cleveland Students in Public Schools by Value-added Composite Score versus the Big 8 Average. Ohio's local report cards include each school's "value-added"—how much progress students in grades four through eight made in reading and math over the course of one year compared to how much the state expected them to gain (for a detailed explanation go to:

http://www.edexcellence.net/detail/news.cfm?news_id=735&id=130). Using this information Ohio determines if each school made "Above Expected Growth," "Expected Growth," or "Below Expected Growth."

Students in public schools in Cleveland (district and charter) are less likely than their Big 8 peers to attend a school that failed to meet the state's growth expectations (11 percent of Cleveland students versus 18 percent of Big 8 students). More than 90 percent of students in Cleveland Metropolitan School District attend a school that achieved at least one year of academic growth last year, outpacing the Big 8 districts (at 83 percent) and Cleveland charter schools (at 80 percent).

Table I: Cleveland Public Schools (District and Charter) Ranked by Performance Index Score

The following pages list Cleveland's public charter and district schools ranked by Performance Index (PI) score[†] for the 2008-09 school year. Numerous other performance indicators are also included, but the Performance Index score was selected for ranking the schools because it provides an overall indication of how well students perform on all tested subjects in grades 3 through 8 and the Ohio Graduation Test.

We strongly encourage readers to look closely at the number of standards met and the number of standards possible. A school with a large number of possible standards and possible standards met has gotten a large percentage of students to the state proficiency goals.

We also encourage readers to consider schools' value-added results. Where the Performance Index reflects student achievement at one point in time, value-added tells us how a school is doing at helping its students make progress from year to year. For more on value-added, see Fordham's value-added primer on our website:

http://www.edexcellence.net/detail/news.cfm?news_id=735&id=130.

[†] The Performance Index score is calculated by multiplying the percentage of students that are untested, below basic/limited, basic, proficient, accelerated, or advanced by weights ranging from 0 for untested to 1.2 for advanced students. The totals are then summed up to obtain the school or district's PI score. PI scores range from 0 to 120, and the state has set the goal for all schools to achieve a PI score of 100 or better. For a complete description of how the Ohio Department of Education calculates the PI score see their website here:

<http://www.ode.state.oh.us/GD/DocumentManagement/DocumentDownload.aspx?DocumentID=29878>.

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Rank	Building Name	Type	PI Score 08-09	PI Score 07-08	Designation 08-09	Overall AYP 08-09	# of standards met 08-09	# of standards possible 08-09	Value-added Composite 08-09	Enrollment	Grade Span
1	Valley View Elementary School	District	107.2	0	Excellent	Met	2	3	--	106	K-3,P
2	John Hay Campus High School	District	106.2	100.5	Excellent	Met	12	12	--	673	9-12
3	Intergenerational School, The	Charter	102.9	97.5	Excellent	Met	12	12	Above	175	K-8
4	Constellation Schools: Old Brooklyn Community Elementary	Charter	102	102.1	Excellent	Met	6	6	Met	243	K-4
5	Whitney Young School	District	100.2	97.7	Excellent	Met	19	21	Above	380	6-12
6	Citizens Academy	Charter	100.1	91.4	Excellent	Met	7	10	Above	390	K-8
7	Constellation Schools: Purtis Community Elementary	Charter	99.4	95.6	Excellent	Met	6	6	Above	194	K-8
8	Early Childhood Development	District	98.4	104	Effective	Not Met	2	3	--	99	K-3,P
9	Constellation Schools: Westspark Community Elementary	Charter	98.2	87.3	Effective	Met	5	6	Above	269	K-4
10	Cleveland Entrepreneurship Preparatory School	Charter	98.1	91.4	Effective	Met	9	10	--	237	6-8
11	Riverside School	District	97.7	98.1	Effective	Not Met	15	19	Met	545	K-8
12	Cleveland School Of The Arts High School	District	97.4	97.1	Excellent	Met	15	19	Above	558	7-12
13	Phoenix Village Academy Primary 2	Charter	96.7	73.9	Effective	Not Met	1	3	Above	53	K-12
14	Horizon Science Acad Cleveland	District	95.4	102.1	Effective	Met	11	12	--	517	6-12
15	Louisa May Alcott Elementary School	District	95.1	94.6	Effective	Not Met	7	10	Above	235	K-5
16	Warner Girls Leadership Academy	District	94.1	0	Excellent	Not Met	3	3	--	163	K-3,P
17	Douglas MacArthur	District	92.7	0	Effective	Not Met	1	3	--	136	K-3,P
18	Art	Charter	92	95	Effective	Met	5	6	Above	127	K-9
19	Garrett Morgan Sch Of Science School	District	91.4	101.4	Effective	Met	7	12	--	208	9-12
20	Constellation Schools: Madison Community Elementary	Charter	88.9	91.7	Cont. Improvement	Met	7	15	Below	229	K-8
21	Jane Addams Business Careers High School	District	88.7	78.9	Cont. Improvement	Not Met	3	12	--	398	9-12
22	Horizon Science Academy-Cleveland Middle School	Charter	88.1	85.4	Cont. Improvement	Met	6	10	Above	121	K-8
23	Carl F Shuler	District	87.7	87.6	Cont. Improvement	Not Met	4	12	--	363	9-12
24	Benjamin Franklin	District	87.6	82.9	Cont. Improvement	Not Met	8	19	Above	656	P,K-8
25	Newton D Baker School	District	87	93.3	Cont. Improvement	Not Met	6	19	Below	567	P,K-8
26	Cleveland School of Arts (Dike Campus)	District	86.7	81.3	Effective	Met	5	12	Above	371	K-6,P
27	William C Bryant Elementary School	District	86.4	83.8	Cont. Improvement	Met	7	19	Above	427	P,K-8
28	James Ford Rhodes High School	District	86	86.9	Cont. Improvement	Not Met	3	12	--	1360	9-12
29	Martin Luther King Jr Career Campus	District	85.6	79.4	Cont. Improvement	Not Met	4	12	--	502	9-12
30	Kenneth W Clement	District	85.1	0	Cont. Improvement	Not Met	1	3	--	129	K-3,P
31	Tremont Montessori School	District	85	79.7	Cont. Improvement	Not Met	6	19	Above	377	P,K-8
32	SuccessTech Academy School	District	84.8	84.5	Cont. Improvement	Not Met	5	12	--	243	9-12
33	Max S Hayes High School	District	83.7	77.1	Cont. Improvement	Not Met	1	12	--	498	9-12
34	Louis Agassiz School	District	83.5	88.9	Cont. Improvement	Not Met	5	19	Above	338	K-8
35	John Marshall High School	District	83.3	82.1	Cont. Improvement	Not Met	4	12	--	1668	9-12
36	Oliver H Perry Elementary School	District	82.1	79.9	Cont. Improvement	Not Met	3	19	Met	409	P,K-8
37	Marion C Seltzer Elementary School	District	80.9	77.3	Cont. Improvement	Not Met	4	19	Above	574	K-8
38	Waterson-Lake School	District	80.6	77.5	Cont. Improvement	Not Met	2	19	Above	533	K-8
39	Grim Academy	District	80.4	87.8	Cont. Improvement	Not Met	4	11	--	196	9-10

	Cleveland Academy for Scholarship Technology and Leadership	Charter	42.5	41.6	Academic Emergency	Not Met	1	12	--	275	12 UNG	9-
139		Charter	42.5	41.6	Academic Emergency	Not Met	1	12	--	275	12 UNG	9-
140	Promise Academy	Charter	42.2	63.1	Academic Emergency	Not Met	3	12	--	448	9-12	
141	Option Complex	District	38.3	37.3	Academic Emergency	Not Met	0	8	--	156	6-9	
142	Genesis Academy	District	37.4	54.3	Academic Emergency	Not Met	0	11	--	92	9-10	
143	Life Skills Of Northeast Ohio	Charter	37.3	35.9	Academic Emergency	Not Met	0	12	--	405	9-10	

Source: *Ohio Department of Education*

Notes: 1) Rankings are based on Performance Index score for the 2008-09 school year. 2) Schools without a Performance Index score were removed.

* These schools were tied for the same ranking number.