

Charter Schools in Manhattan



2025
2026

There are **53** charter schools currently operating in Manhattan, serving over **30,000** students—with **1 in 6** public school students in Manhattan attending a charter school. Manhattan charter schools serve more than twice the percentage of Black students than Manhattan district schools and nearly the same percentages of Hispanic students, English Language Learners, and students with IEPs.

90%

of charter school students in Manhattan are Black or Hispanic, while 64% are in district schools

Approximately

1 in 3

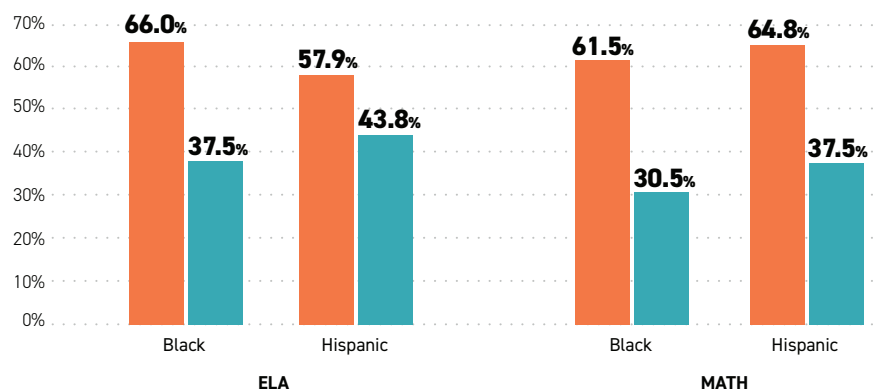
Black public school students in Manhattan attend a charter school.

80%

of Manhattan charter schools have been serving their communities for more than 10 years

Black and Hispanic students at Manhattan charter schools achieve higher rates of proficiency by significant margins in both ELA and math.

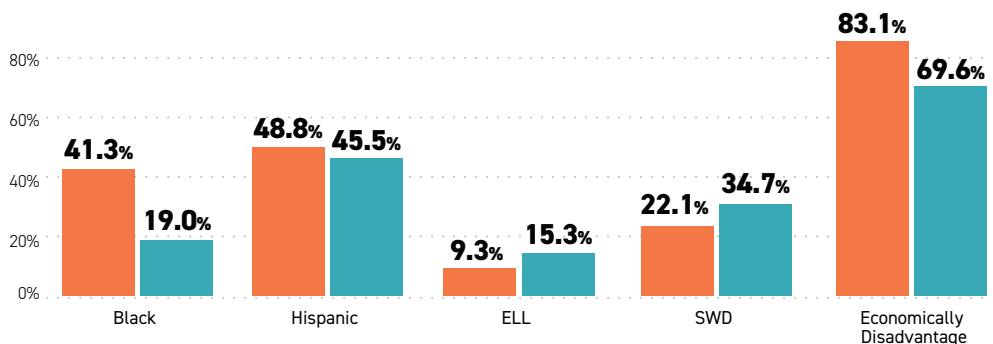
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Source: NYSED and NYC DOE Publicly Reported Assessment Data, 2023-24.

Manhattan charter schools serve more than twice the percentage of Black students than district schools and nearly the same percentage of Hispanic students. Over 83% of charter schools students in Manhattan are economically disadvantaged.

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Source: NYSED and NYC DOE Enrollment/Demographics Data, 2023-24.