

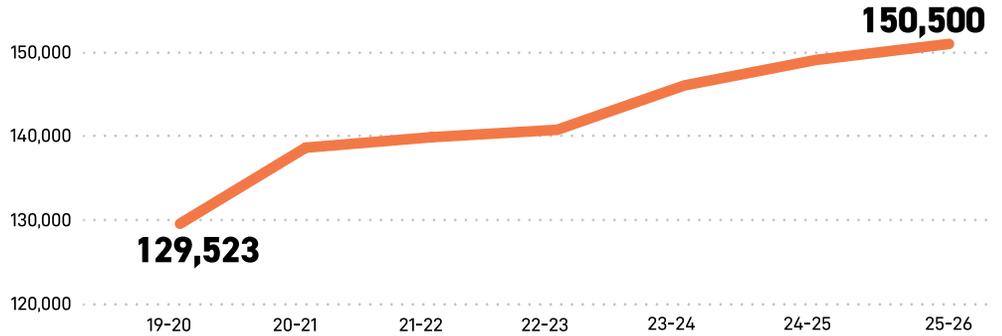
NYC Charter School Enrollment & Growth

2025
2026

150,500
public charter school students
across all 5 boroughs

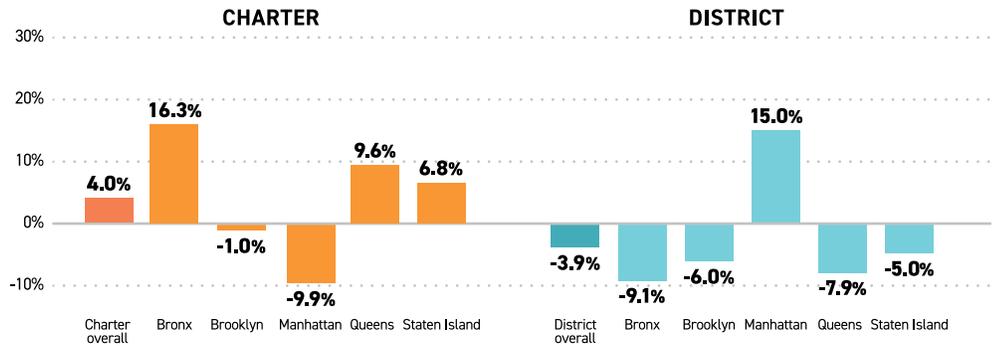
CHARTER SCHOOL GROWTH IN NEW YORK CITY, 2019-2026

Based on preliminary data, estimated New York City charter school enrollment grew by nearly 2% over the past school year.



16.1%
of NYC public school students
in grades K to 12 attend a
charter school.

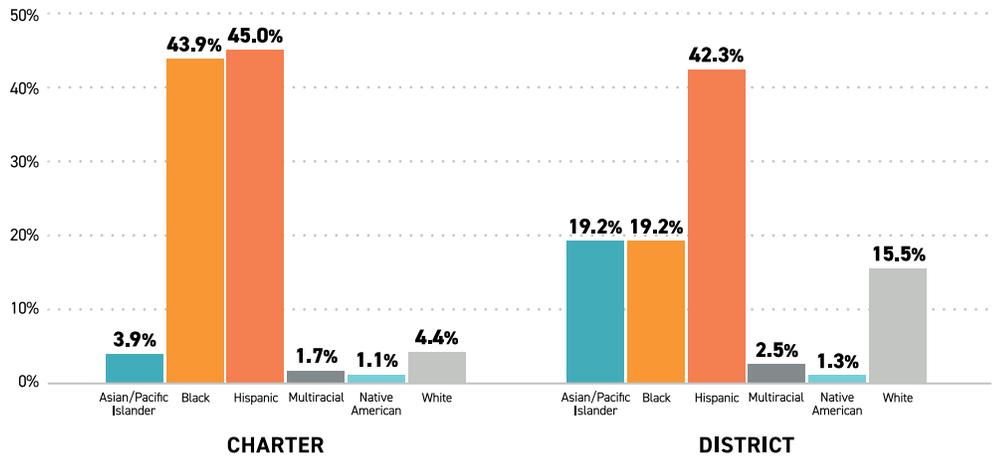
BOROUGH ENROLLMENT CHANGES, CHARTER V. DISTRICT, 25-26 SY



11%
of all charter school students are
English Language learners

DEMOGRAPHIC SUBGROUPS, DISTRICT VS. CHARTER, 25-26 SY

More than 1 in 3 (37%) Black students in NYC elementary grades (K to 5) are enrolled in a charter school.



Source: Enrollment data prior to 2025-26 is from [NYC Public Schools Demographics Snapshot, school-level data](#). Enrollment data for the 2025-26 SY is from [NYS Information and Reporting Services, Preliminary School Level Data by Grade 2025-26](#).