

Plainfield

Public Charter School Facts

April 2025

\$25,000

DISTRICT

\$18,200

CHARTERS



Charter schools in Plainfield receive \$6,800 less, per-pupil, than district schools.

ENROLLMENT



5

NUMBER OF CHARTER SCHOOLS



3,235

CHARTER ENROLLMENT



970

CHARTER WAITLIST TOTAL

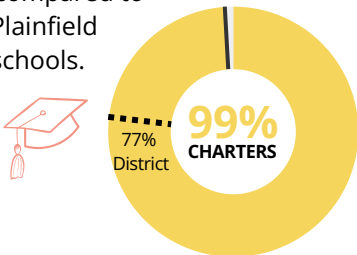
SCHOOLS

- College Achieve Central Charter School (2015, K-12)
- Cresthaven Academy Charter School (2016, K-8)
- The Barack Obama Green Charter High School (2010, 6-12)
- The Queen City Academy Charter School (2000, K-12)
- Union County TEAMS (Technology, Engineering, Architecture, Mathematics and Science) Charter School (2005, K-12)

Parentheses contain the year each charter school opened and the current grade levels it serves.

GRADUATION

Plainfield public charter high schools are graduating **99%** of students within 4 years compared to **77%** in Plainfield district schools.



ATTENDANCE



DISTRICT
29%

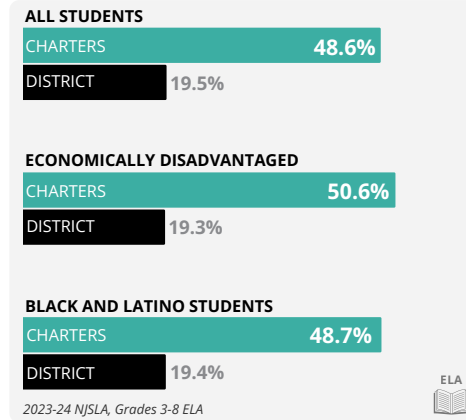
of students are chronically absent

CHARTERS
14%

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PERFORMANCE

Student Achievement, 2023-24
(Proficiency Rates)



DEMOGRAPHICS

25%

Black



74%

Latino



84%

Economically Disadvantaged



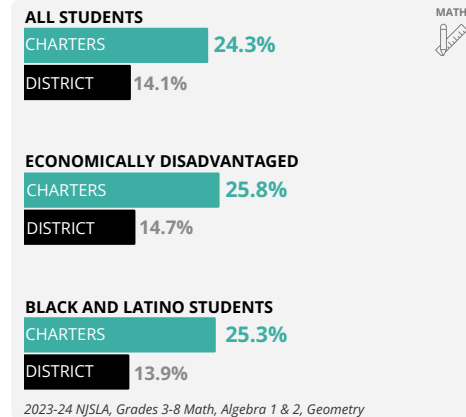
8%

Special Needs



14%

English Language Learners



SCHOOLS BY GRADES SERVED



1

K-8 School



1

Middle-High School



3

K-12 Schools

SOURCES: School count (NJDOE Public School Directory, pulled April 2025); Graduation Rates (2024 NJDOE Performance Reports); Enrollment & Demographics (2024-25 State Aid Notices & 2023-24 Fall Enrollment); Waitlists (Annual Reports and school records); Funding (2024-25 State Aid Figures)



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