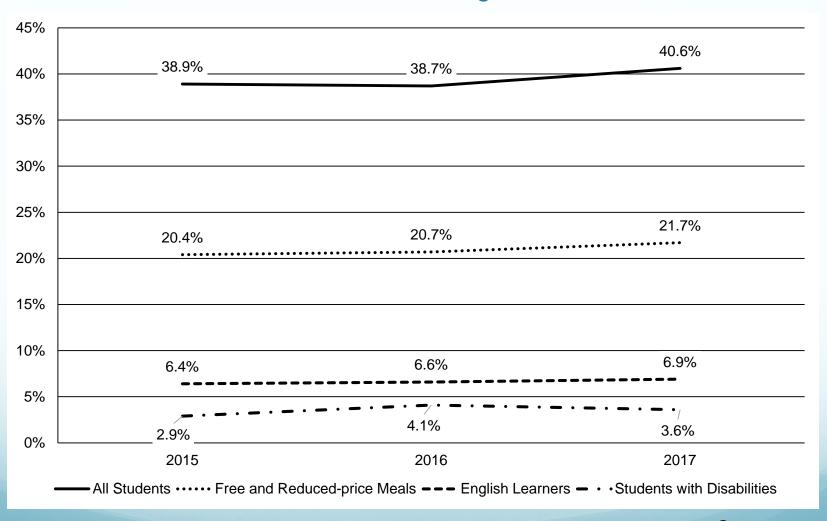
Nation's Report Card

- Maryland is in the middle of the pack on NAEP scores in 2015
 - o 29th in 4th grade math
 - o 26th in 4th grade reading
 - o 25th in 8th grade math
 - o 18th in 8th grade reading
- Since 2003, the national average has increased between 1% and 3%
- Maryland's NAEP scores have mirrored this trend

Maryland PARCC Proficiency Rates by Student Group in 2015-2017 English/Language Arts Grades 3 through 8



U.S. Rankings on PISA

Year (Countries Tested)	<u>Reading</u>	<u>Math</u>	<u>Science</u>
2000 (32)	15	19	14
2003 (41)	18	28	22
2006 (57)	NR	34	28
2009 (65)	17	30	22
2012 (65)	24	36	28
2015 (72)	23	39	25

PISA: Programme for International Student Assessment Source: National Center on Education and the Economy

Funding Equity

- Maryland ranks 11th in the U.S. in per student expenditures
- Maryland has the nation's highest median household income
- Maryland spends 5% less on schools serving poor students than on schools serving wealthy communities
- Maryland is 9th most regressive state in funding equity

What We've Learned

- 66% of jobs that the current generation of students will be filling will require some post-secondary credential be it a college degree or industry credential
- In Maryland 47% of adults have a college degree and 3% have a high-quality post-secondary certificate
- Less than 25% of high school graduates complete a career and technical education (CTE) program, well below the rate of top performing countries
- Maryland needs to dispel the notion that CTE programs are only for those students who are less academically inclined
- To compete globally Maryland needs to improve these numbers

Maryland Public School Hires 2010 to 2015

