Trends

* One observable trend in the data base is that Charter schools in this study tends to outperform their district neighbors. The top 5 schools are all charter schools while the bottom 5 are all district schools
* The School’s budget seems to negatively correlate with the performance of students in schools
* This trend was further since in the school size analysis where smaller schools outperformed their larger counterparts
* From the study, it seems clear that charter schools on average do better than district schools particularly in math where 93.62% of students pass compared to 66.55% for district schools.
* This creates a compelling policy case for proponents of charter schools as they can offer students in a low income district the opportunity to receive better education, however, a limitation of this study is that there are just 15 schools and there will need to be a larger population of schools analyzed to be able to give a definitive policy argument in favor of one schooling system over another.