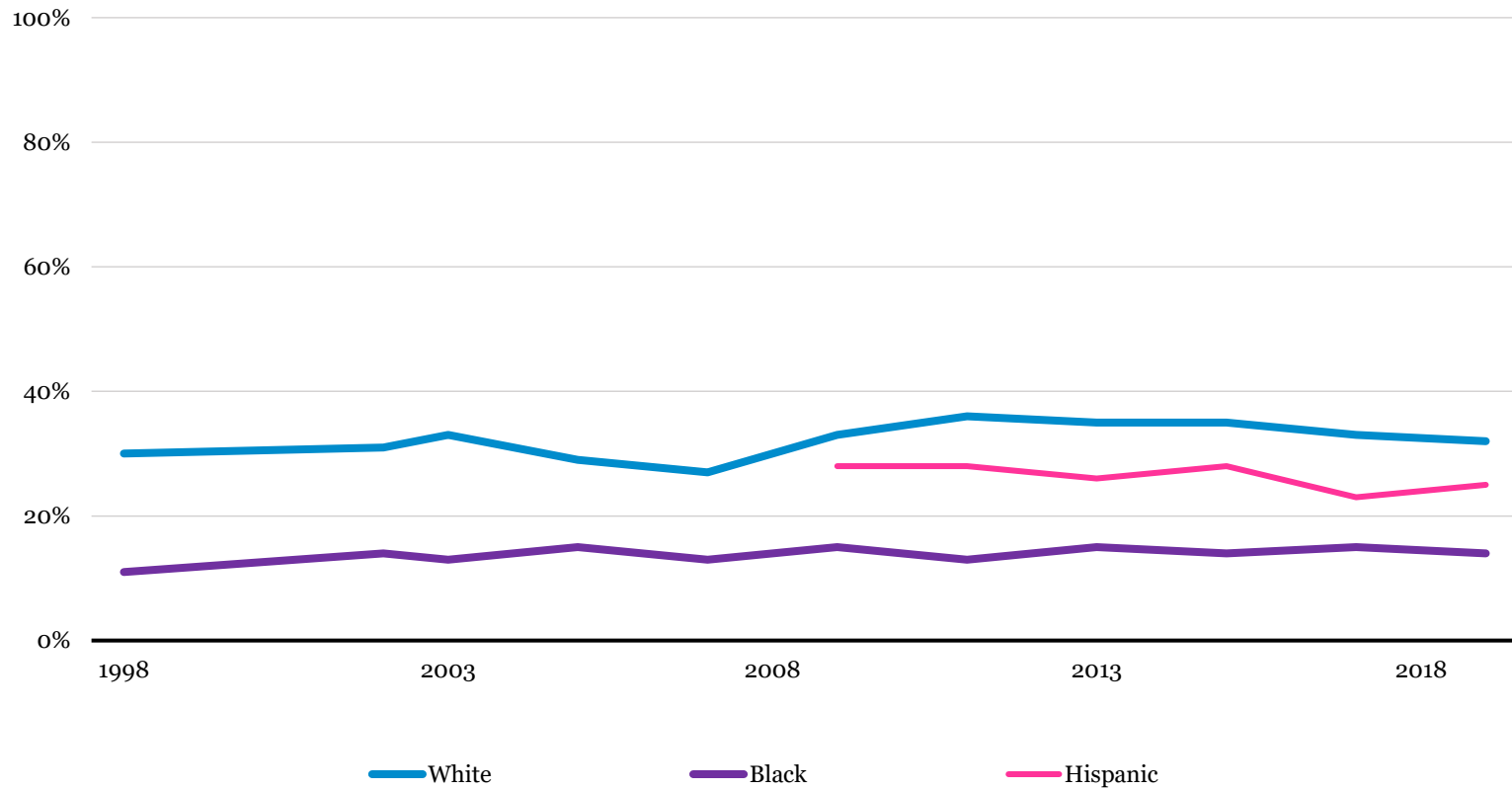


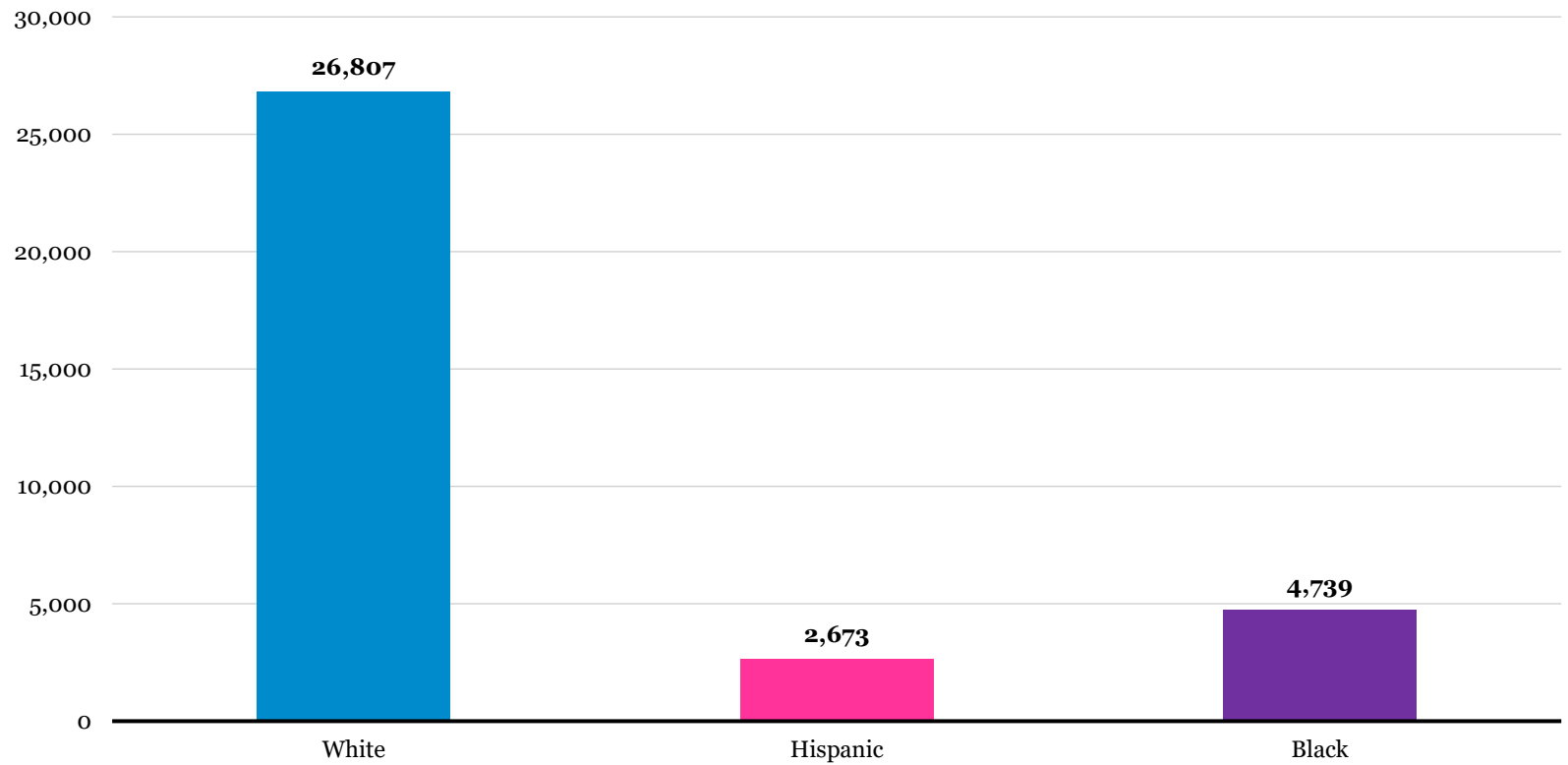
### Reading Proficiency Among 8th Grade Kentucky Students

% scoring "proficient" on NAEP assessment



Source: NAEP Data Explorer

**Number of Kentucky 8th Graders Reading Below Proficiency in 2019, by Race**



Source: NAEP Data Explorer; Kentucky Department of Education