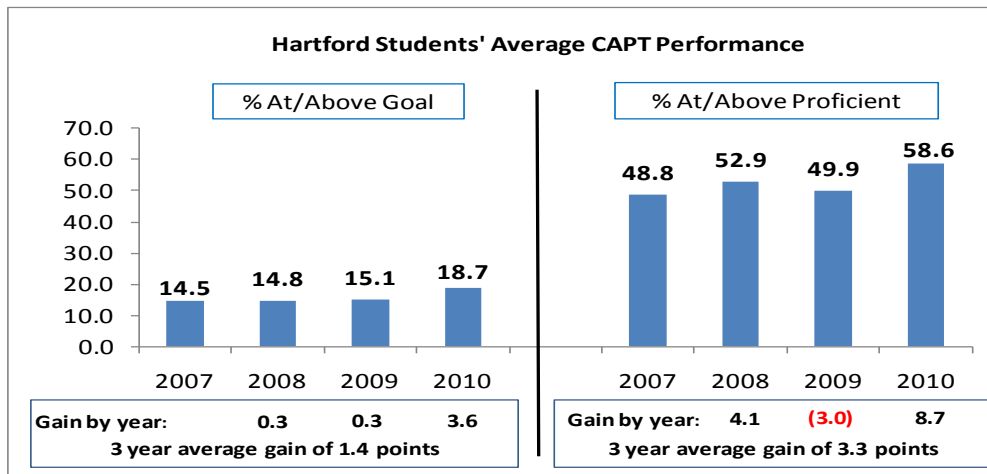
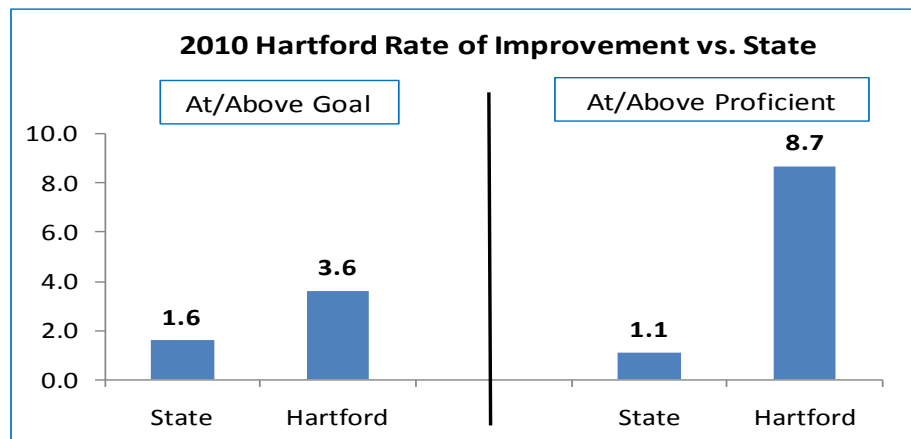


## Hartford Public Schools - 2010 CAPT Snapshot

The Connecticut Academic Performance Test (CAPT) is administered annually to students in the 10 grade. The information below summarizes Hartford's performance over the last three years (per state reported data) and compares Hartford to state averages. Due to its lower performing status, we believe it is equally important for Hartford schools to measure the performance of their students at both the Goal and Proficient levels to better gauge progress.



- The percent of students performing in 2010 at/above Goal increased by 3.6 points over 2009 and, relative to at/above Proficient, Hartford students increased by 8.7 points.
- The last three years have demonstrated an average yearly improvement of 1.4 points at Goal and 3.3 points at Proficient, and Hartford's 2010 CAPT results showed very solid gains after a flat and/or declining 2009. The three year average gain is certainly encouraging.
- Solid gains were posted in several redesigned high schools in 2010 which indicates further progress in the District's overall reform plans. Efforts to increase high school student performance at Goal level must continue to be emphasized.



- In 2010, Hartford's CAPT gains were over two times that of the rest of the State when measured using at/above Goal level and approximately 8 times when measured using at/above Proficient level.
- Hartford's performance on the CAPT test is still well below State averages at 31 points relative to Goal and 24 points relative to Proficient level. However, solid progress has been made this year, particularly in the Proficient level, but much work remains to close the high school achievement gap.