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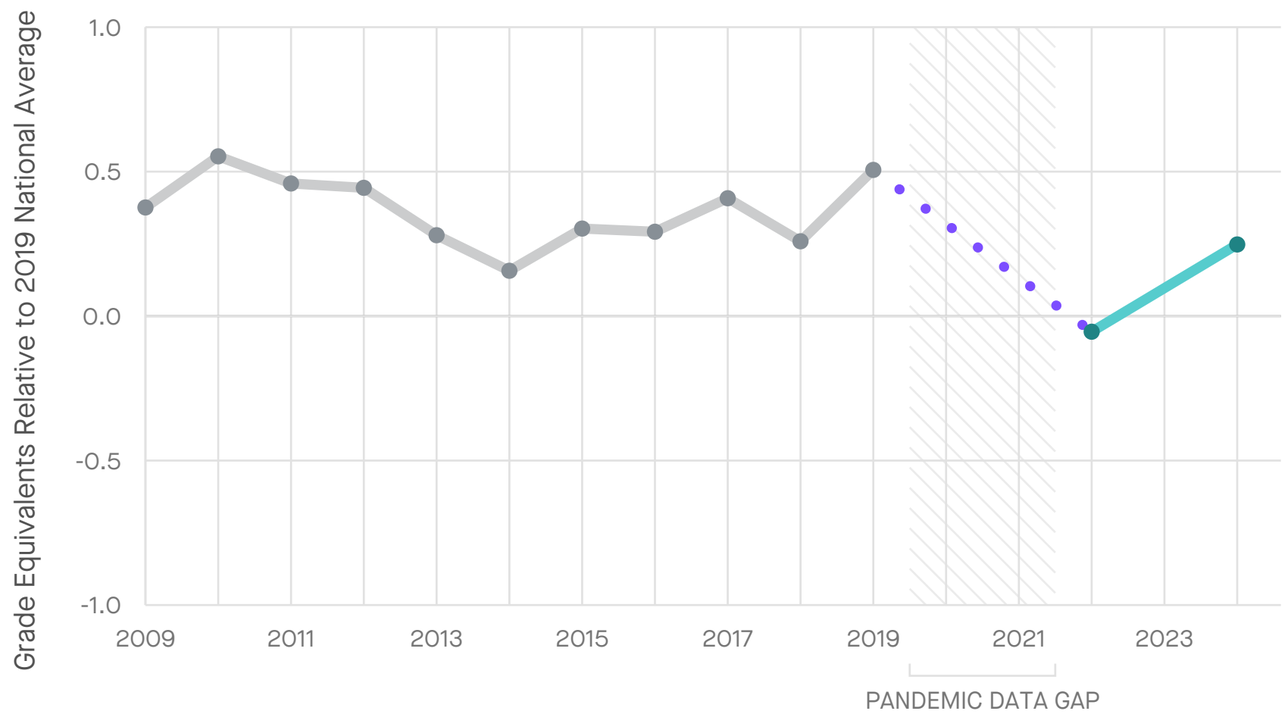
Math Performance, Grades 3-8, 2009-2024



Average Math Scores and Trends in Scores
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2019 Average	0.51
2022 Average	-0.05
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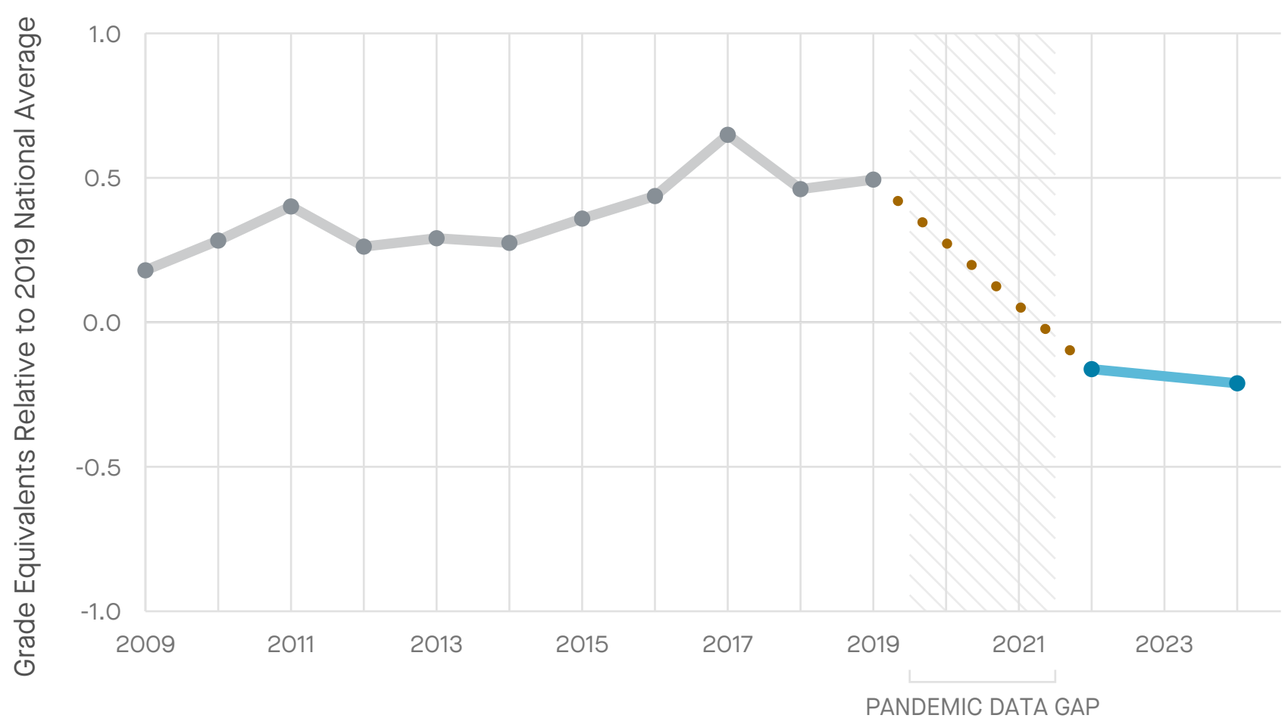
2019-2022 Change	-0.56
2022-2024 Change	+0.30
Since 2019	-0.26

Reading Performance, Grades 3-8, 2009-2024



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2019 Average	0.49
2022 Average	-0.16
2024 Average	-0.21
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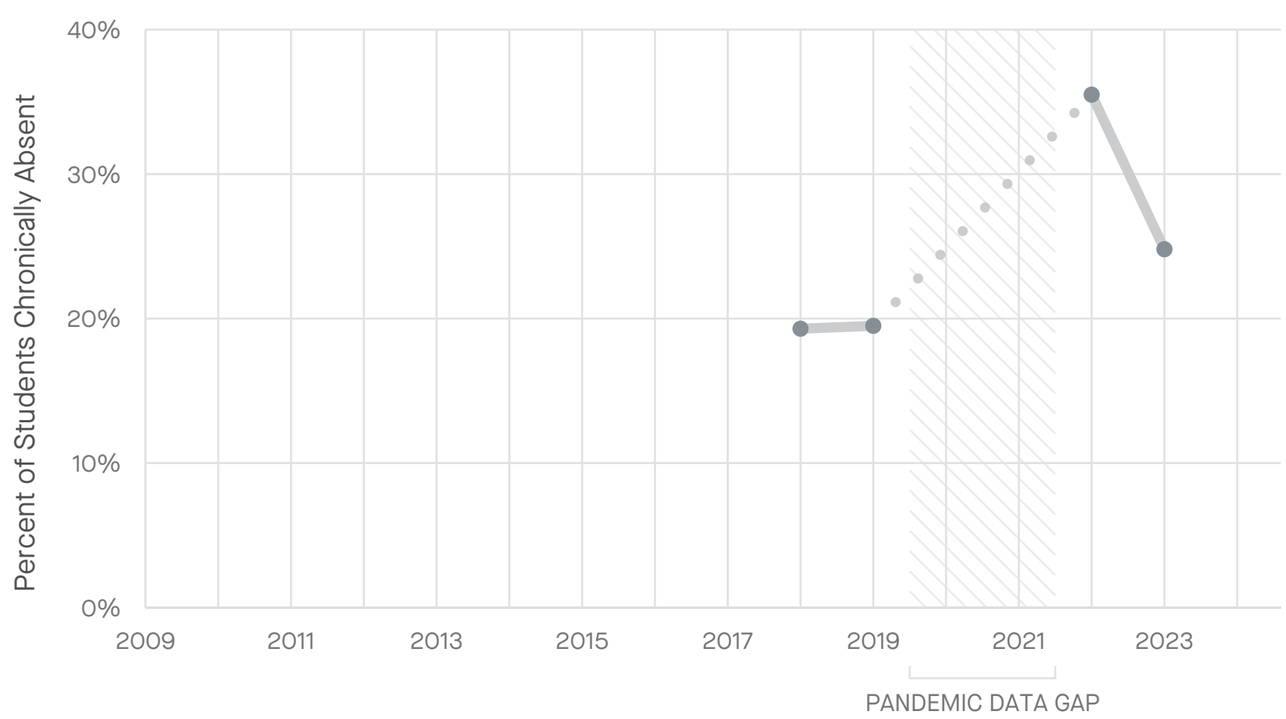
Since 2019	-0.70

Absenteeism, Grades 3-8, 2009-2024



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2019-2023 Change	+0.05
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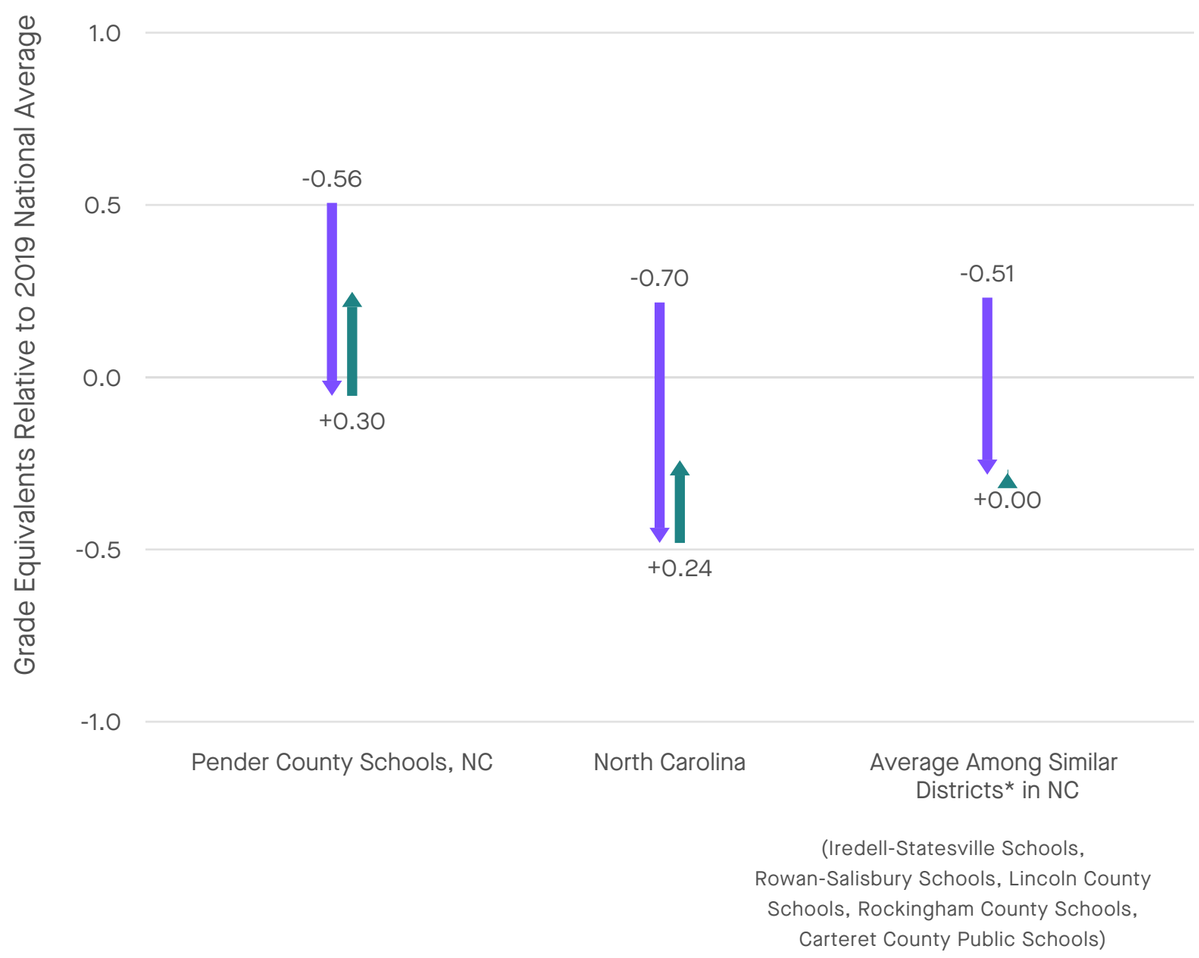
Math Performance in Pender County Schools vs. North Carolina and Similar Districts, Grades 3-8, 2019-2024



Average Math Scores and Trends in Scores

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	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
Pender County Schools, NC	0.51	-0.05	0.25	↓ -0.56	↑ 0.30	↓ -0.26
North Carolina	0.22	-0.48	-0.24	↓ -0.70	↑ 0.24	↓ -0.46
Similar Districts* in North Carolina	0.23	-0.28	-0.28	↓ -0.51	↑ 0.00	↓ -0.51

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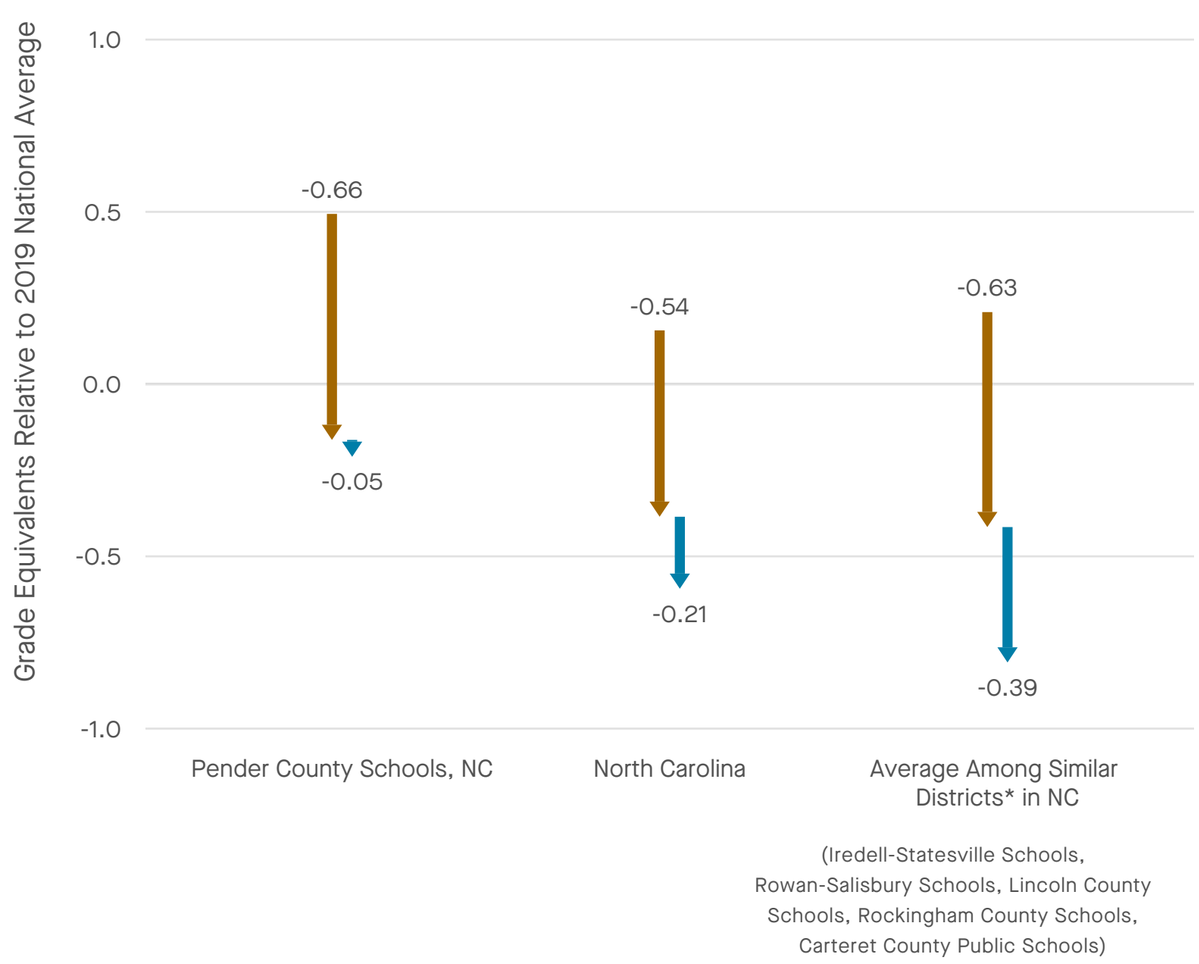

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	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
Pender County Schools, NC	0.49	-0.16	-0.21	↓ -0.66	↓ -0.05	↓ -0.70
North Carolina	0.16	-0.38	-0.59	↓ -0.54	↓ -0.21	↓ -0.75
Similar Districts* in North Carolina	0.21	-0.42	-0.81	↓ -0.63	↓ -0.39	↓ -1.02

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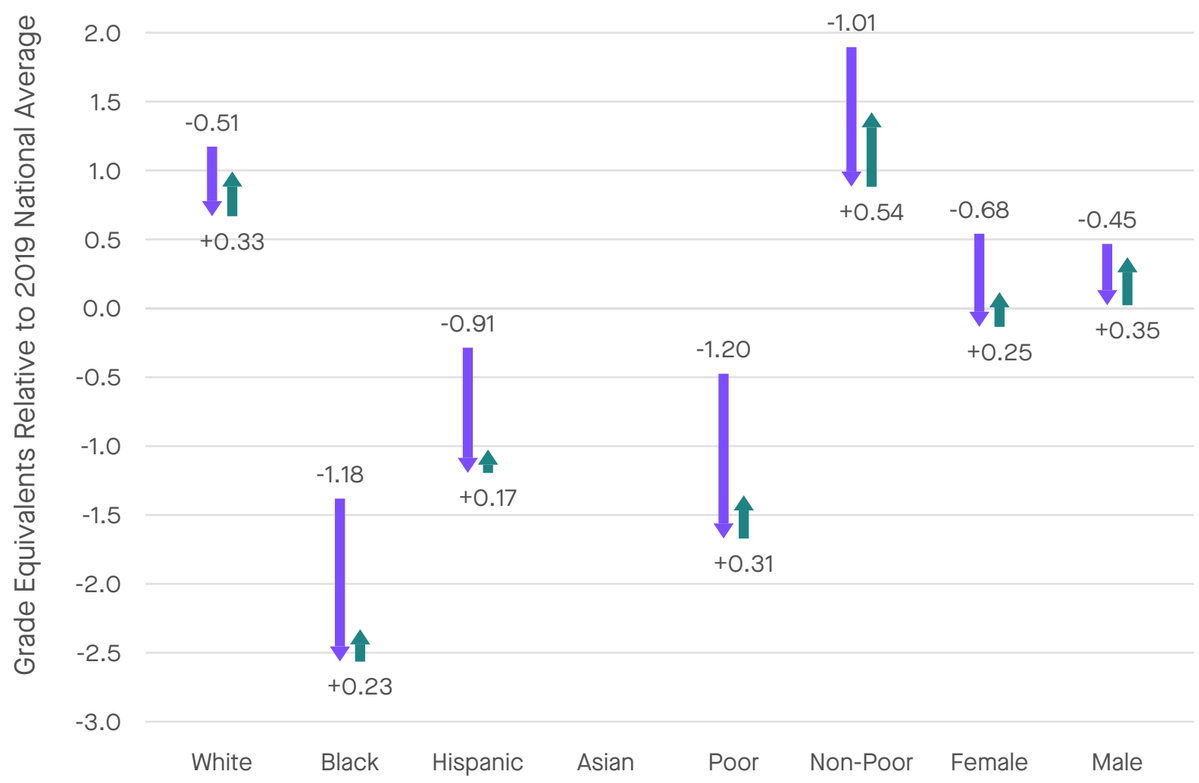
Math Performance by Subgroup, Grades 3-8, 2019-2024



Average Math Scores and Trends in Scores

in Grade Level Equivalents Relative to the 2019 National Average

	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
White	1.17	0.67	0.99	↓ -0.51	↑ 0.33	↓ -0.18
Black	-1.38	-2.56	-2.33	↓ -1.18	↑ 0.23	↓ -0.95
Hispanic	-0.29	-1.20	-1.02	↓ -0.91	↑ 0.17	↓ -0.74
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Poor	-0.47	-1.67	-1.36	↓ -1.20	↑ 0.31	↓ -0.88
Non-Poor	1.90	0.88	1.42	↓ -1.01	↑ 0.54	↓ -0.47
Female	0.54	-0.14	0.12	↓ -0.68	↑ 0.25	↓ -0.42
Male	0.47	0.02	0.37	↓ -0.45	↑ 0.35	↓ -0.10

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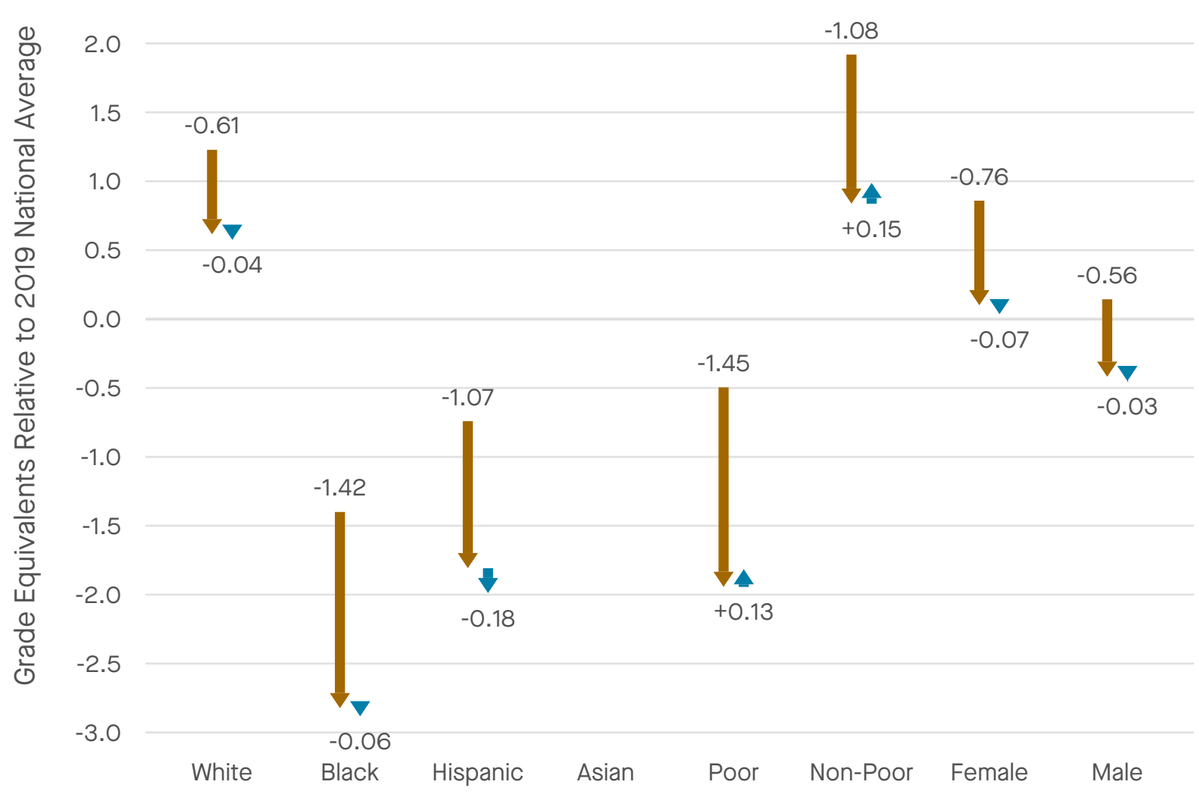

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	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
White	1.23	0.61	0.57	↓ -0.61	↓ -0.04	↓ -0.65
Black	-1.40	-2.82	-2.88	↓ -1.42	↓ -0.06	↓ -1.48
Hispanic	-0.74	-1.81	-1.99	↓ -1.07	↓ -0.18	↓ -1.25
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Poor	-0.50	-1.94	-1.81	↓ -1.45	↑ 0.13	↓ -1.32
Non-Poor	1.92	0.84	0.99	↓ -1.08	↑ 0.15	↓ -0.93
Female	0.86	0.10	0.04	↓ -0.76	↓ -0.07	↓ -0.82
Male	0.14	-0.42	-0.45	↓ -0.56	↓ -0.03	↓ -0.59

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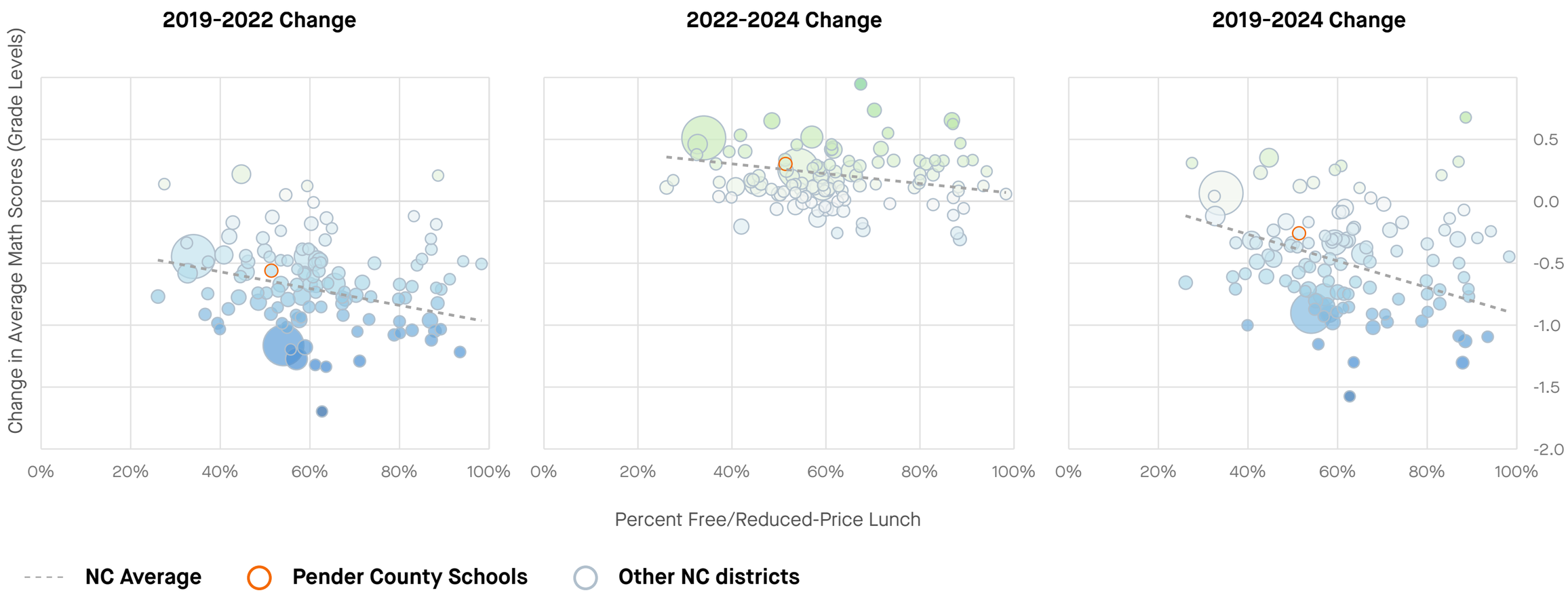
Change in Math Performance in North Carolina Districts vs. Percent Free/Reduced-Price Lunch, Grades 3-8, 2019-2024



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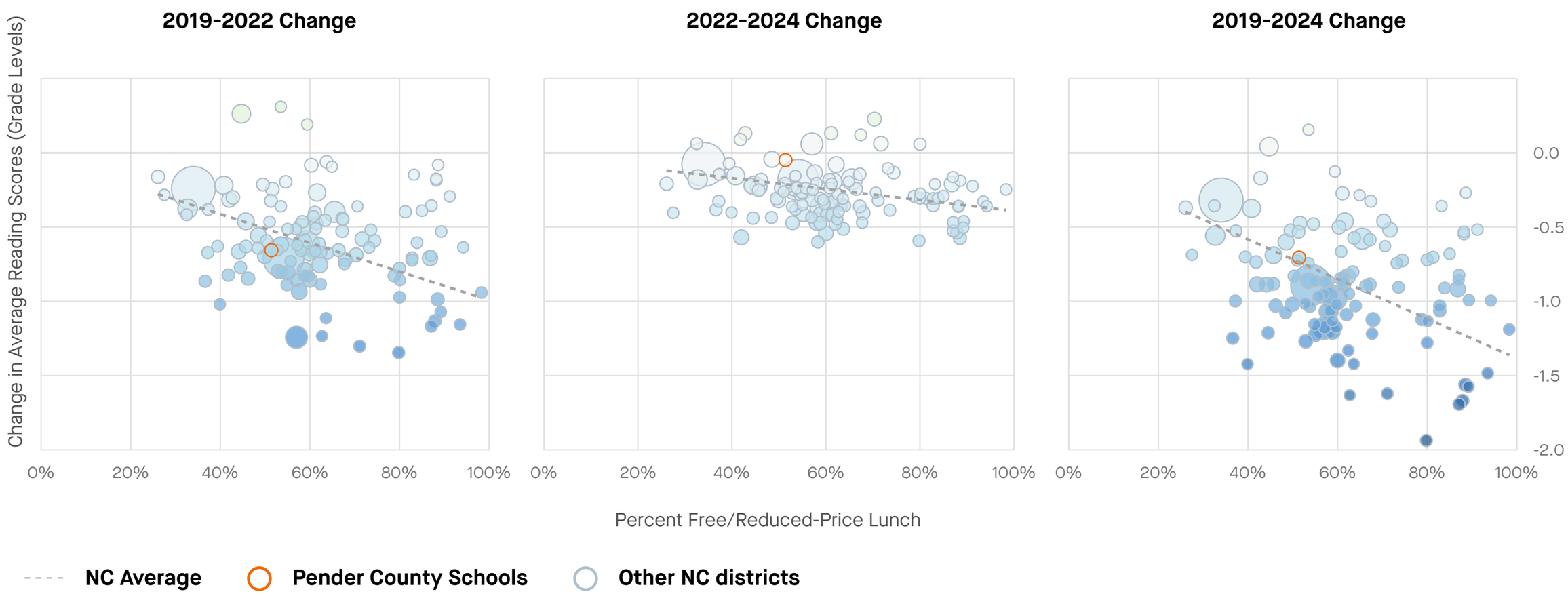

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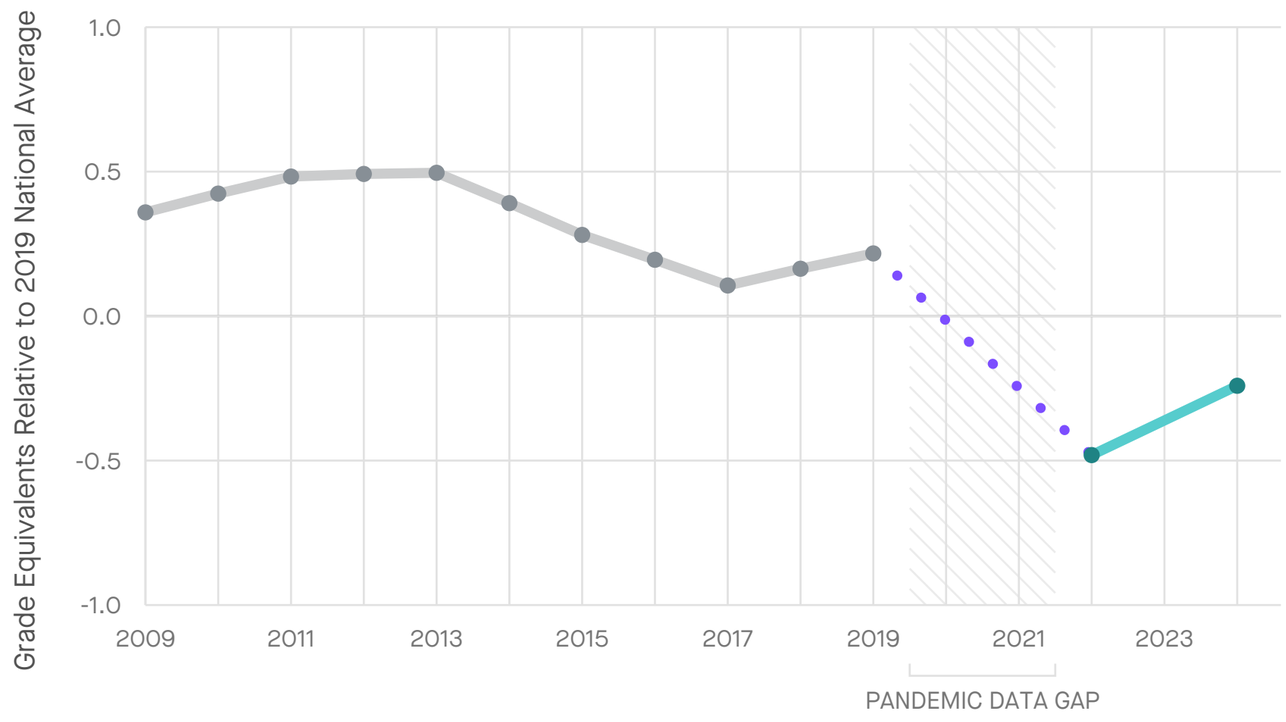

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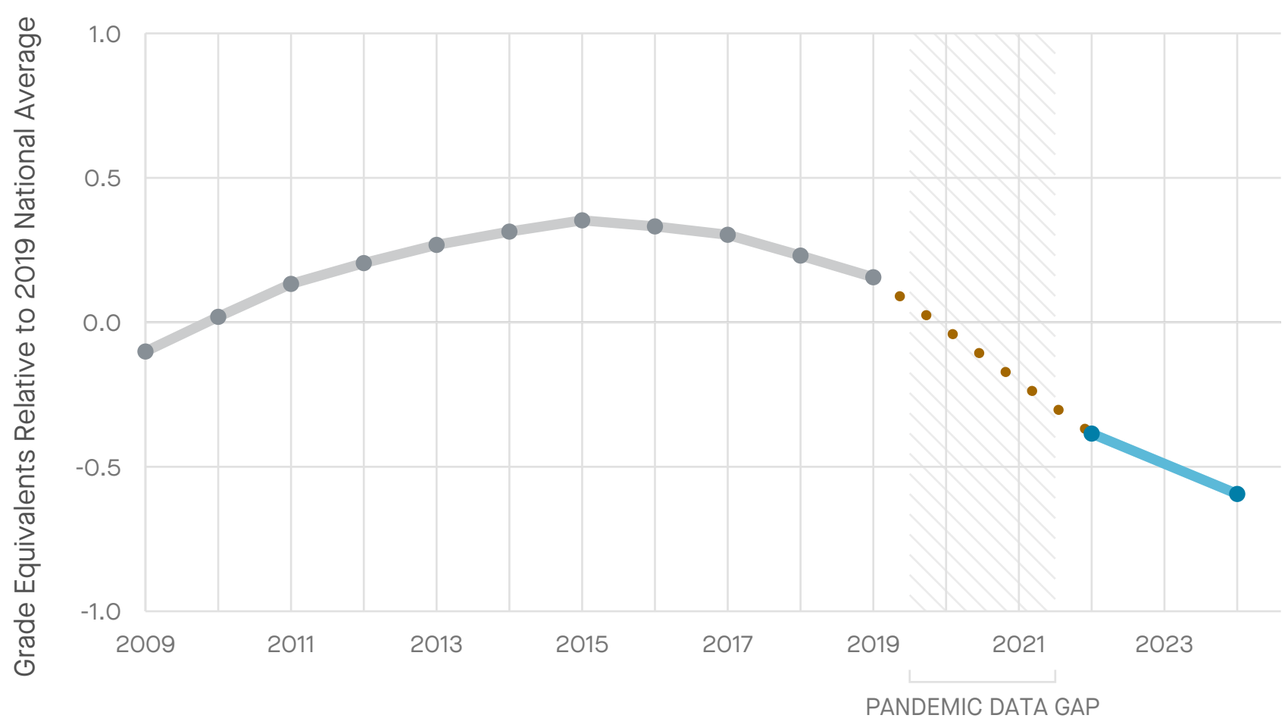

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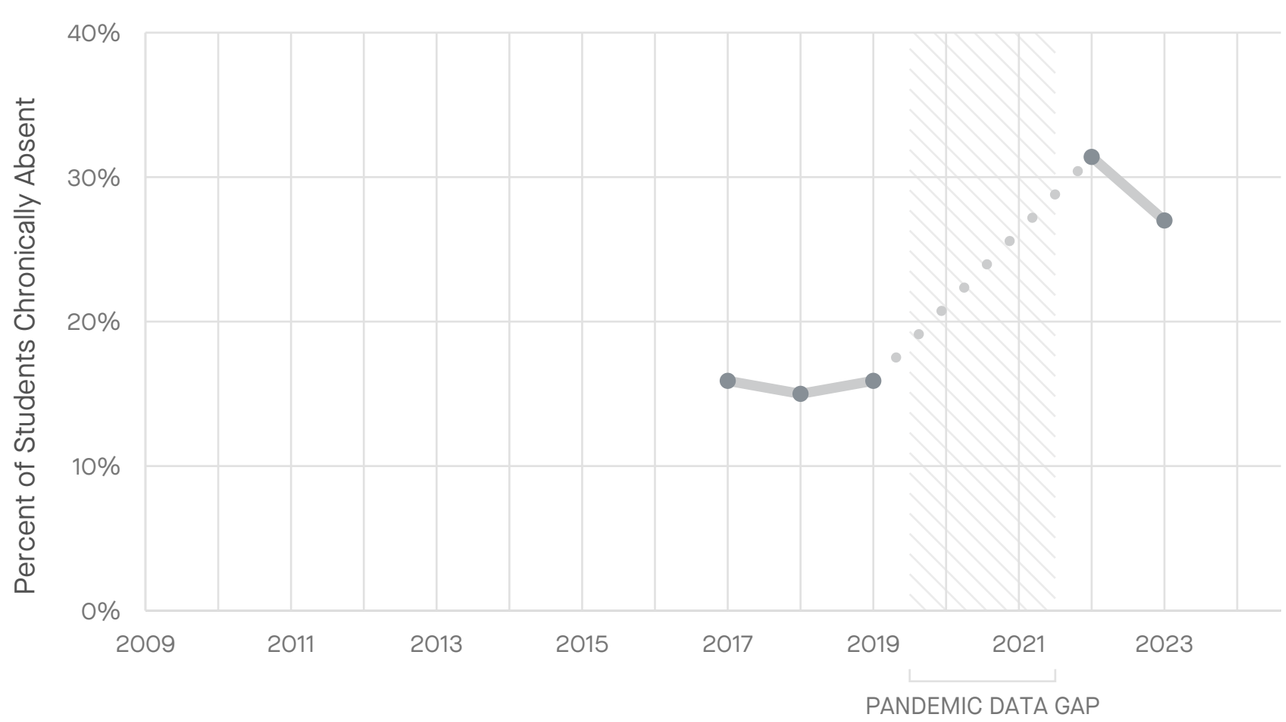

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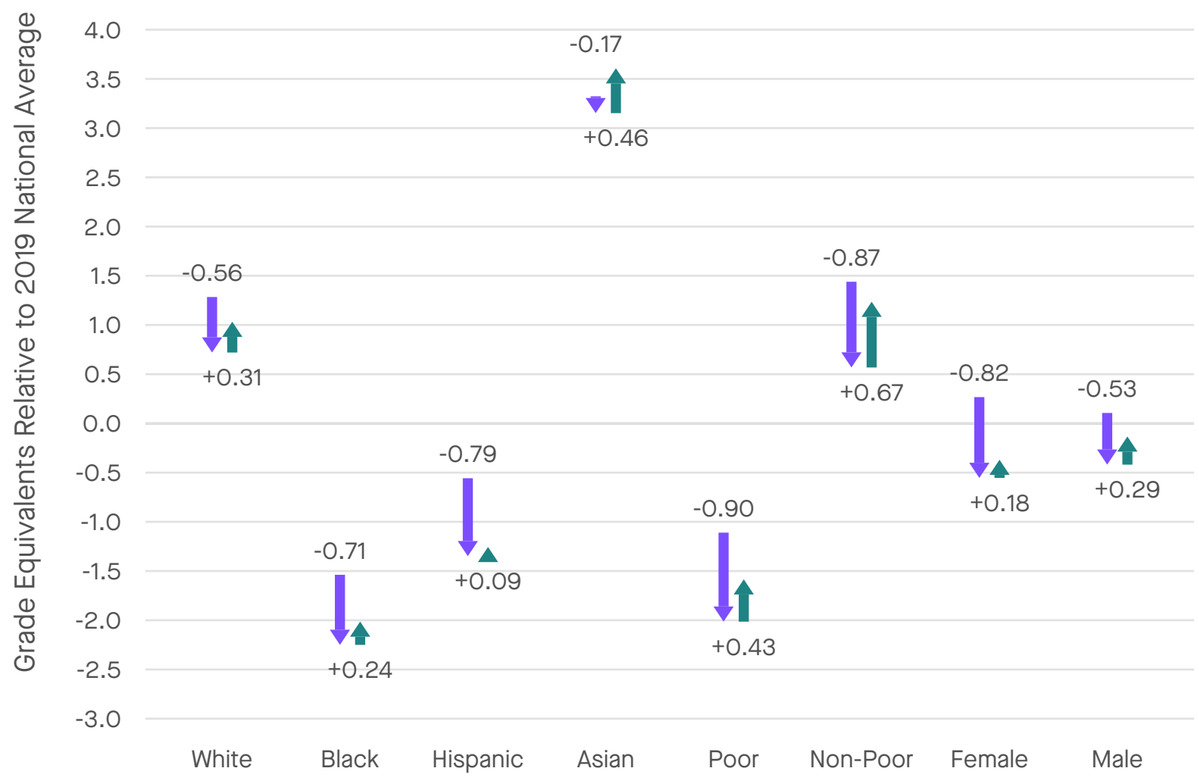

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	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
White	1.28	0.72	1.03	-0.56	0.31	-0.25
Black	-1.54	-2.25	-2.01	-0.71	0.24	-0.47
Hispanic	-0.56	-1.35	-1.25	-0.79	0.09	-0.70
Asian	3.32	3.15	3.61	-0.17	0.46	0.28
Poor	-1.11	-2.01	-1.58	-0.90	0.43	-0.47
Non-Poor	1.44	0.57	1.24	-0.87	0.67	-0.20
Female	0.27	-0.55	-0.37	-0.82	0.18	-0.64
Male	0.11	-0.42	-0.13	-0.53	0.29	-0.24

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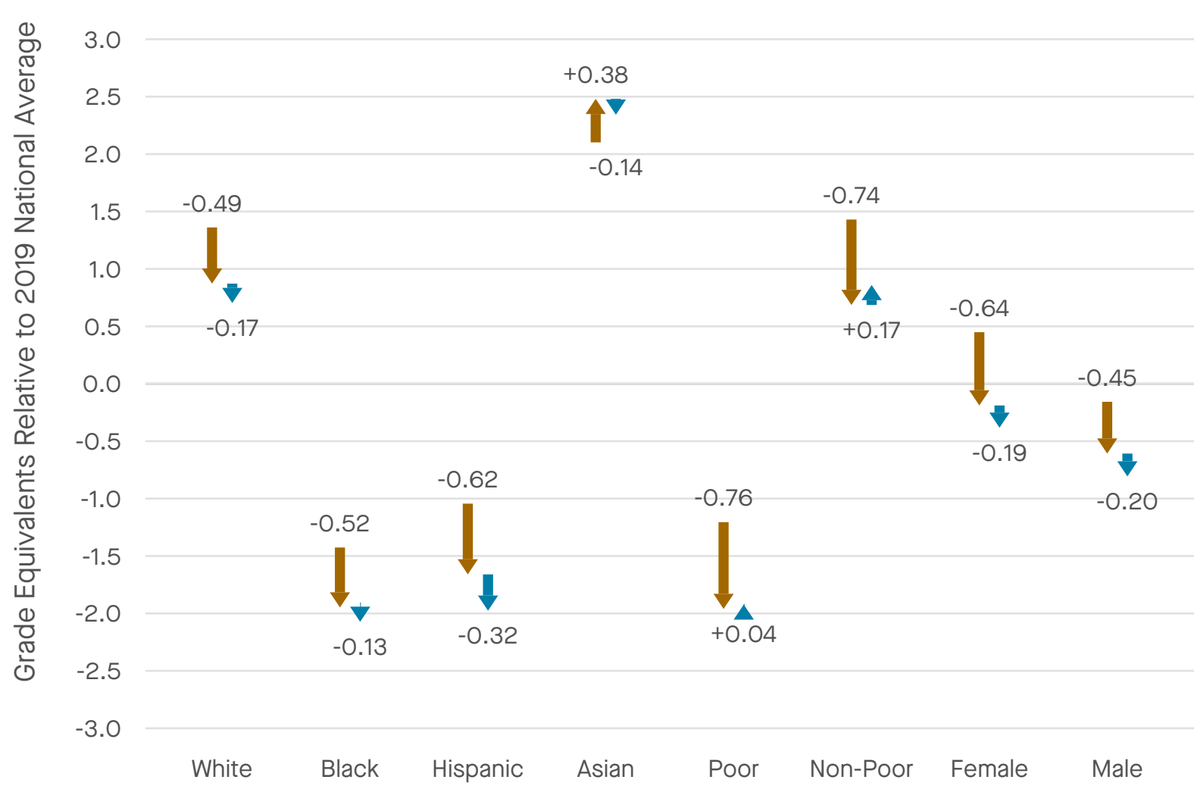

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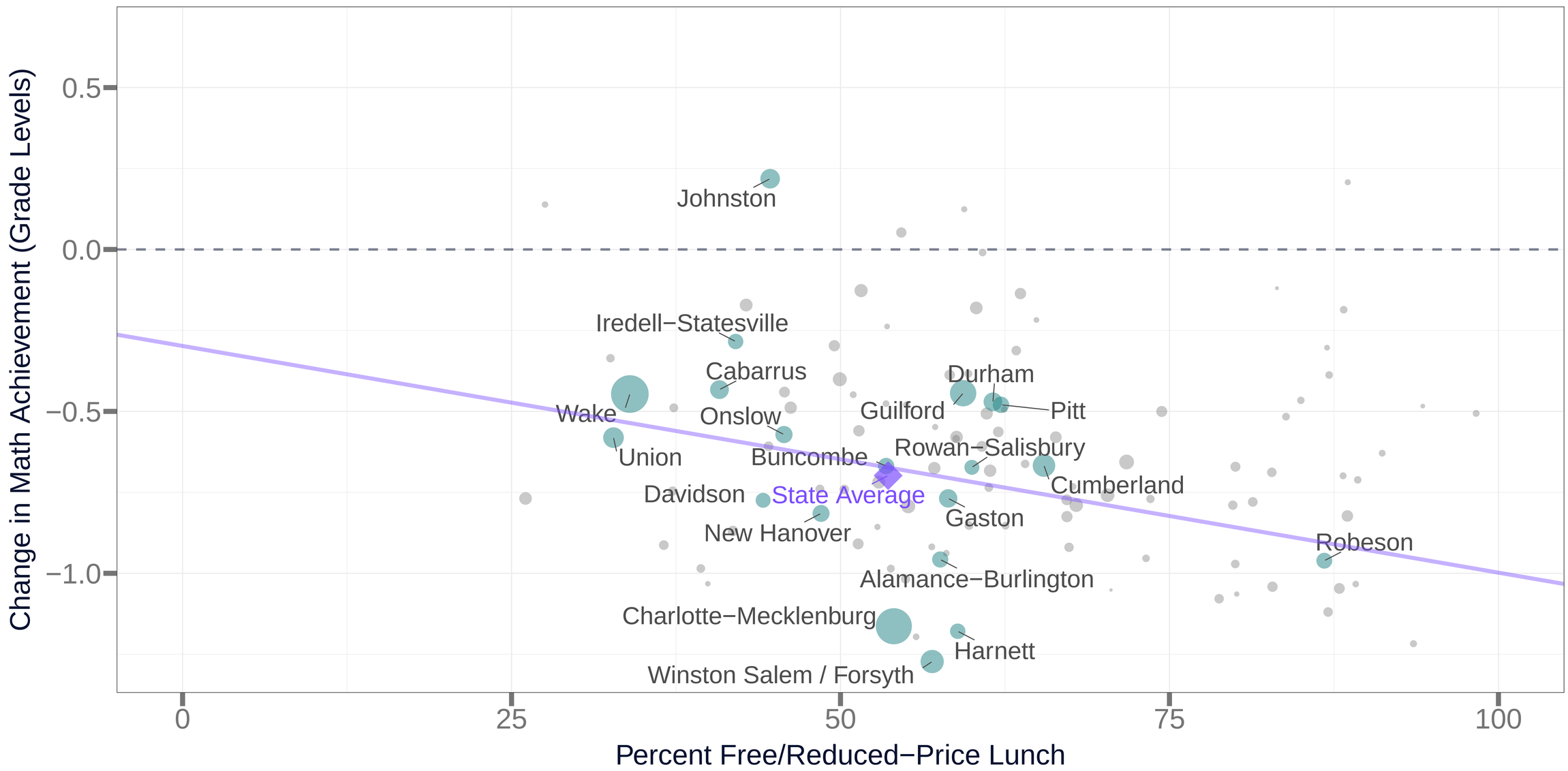
	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
White	1.36	0.87	0.70	-0.49	-0.17	-0.66
Black	-1.43	-1.95	-2.07	-0.52	-0.13	-0.65
Hispanic	-1.04	-1.66	-1.98	-0.62	-0.32	-0.93
Asian	2.10	2.48	2.34	0.38	-0.14	0.24
Poor	-1.21	-1.96	-1.92	-0.76	0.04	-0.72
Non-Poor	1.43	0.69	0.86	-0.74	0.17	-0.57
Female	0.45	-0.19	-0.38	-0.64	-0.19	-0.83
Male	-0.16	-0.61	-0.81	-0.45	-0.20	-0.65

Change in Math Achievement 2019−2022
by Percent FRPL in North Carolina Districts



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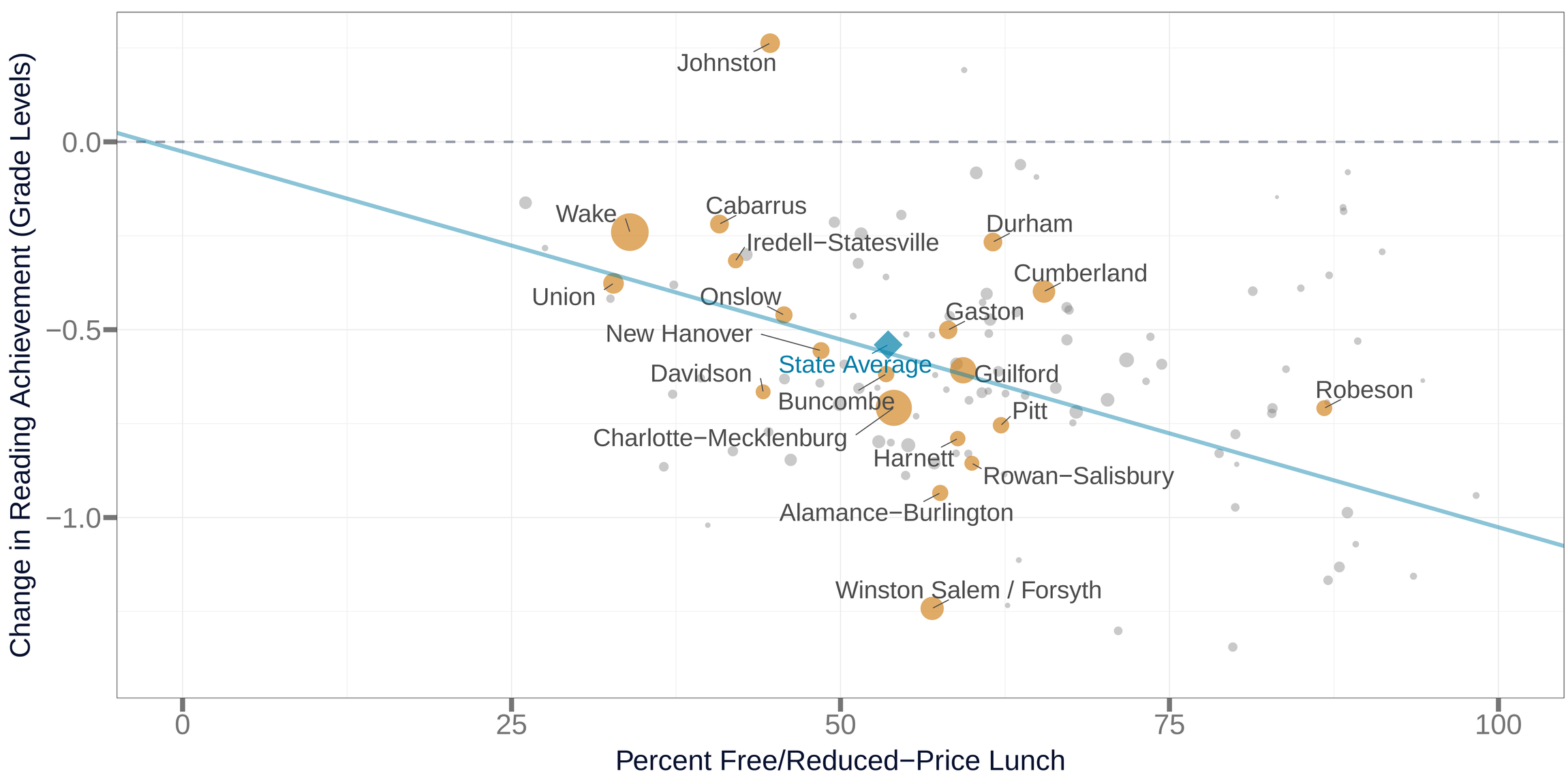

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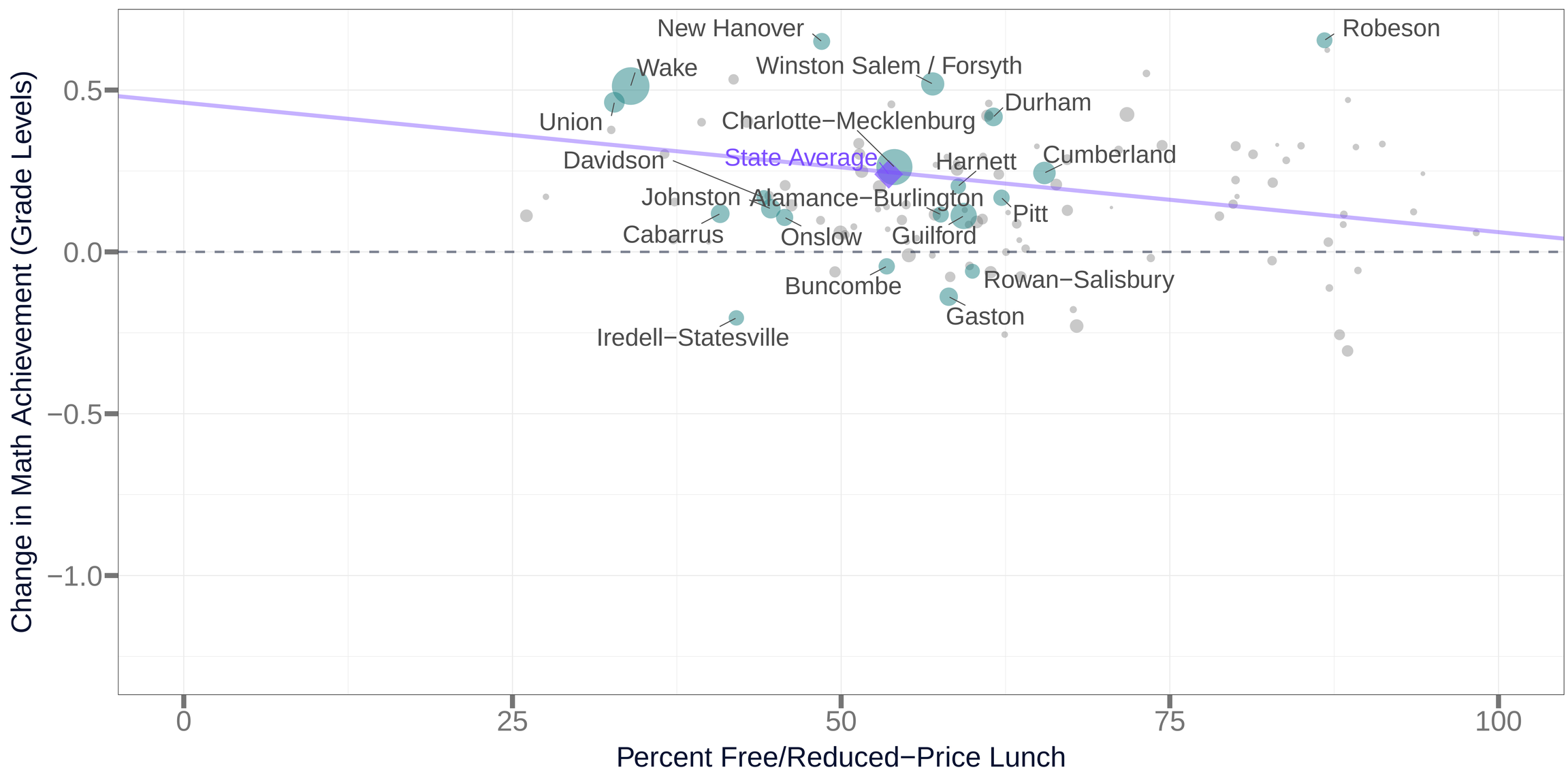

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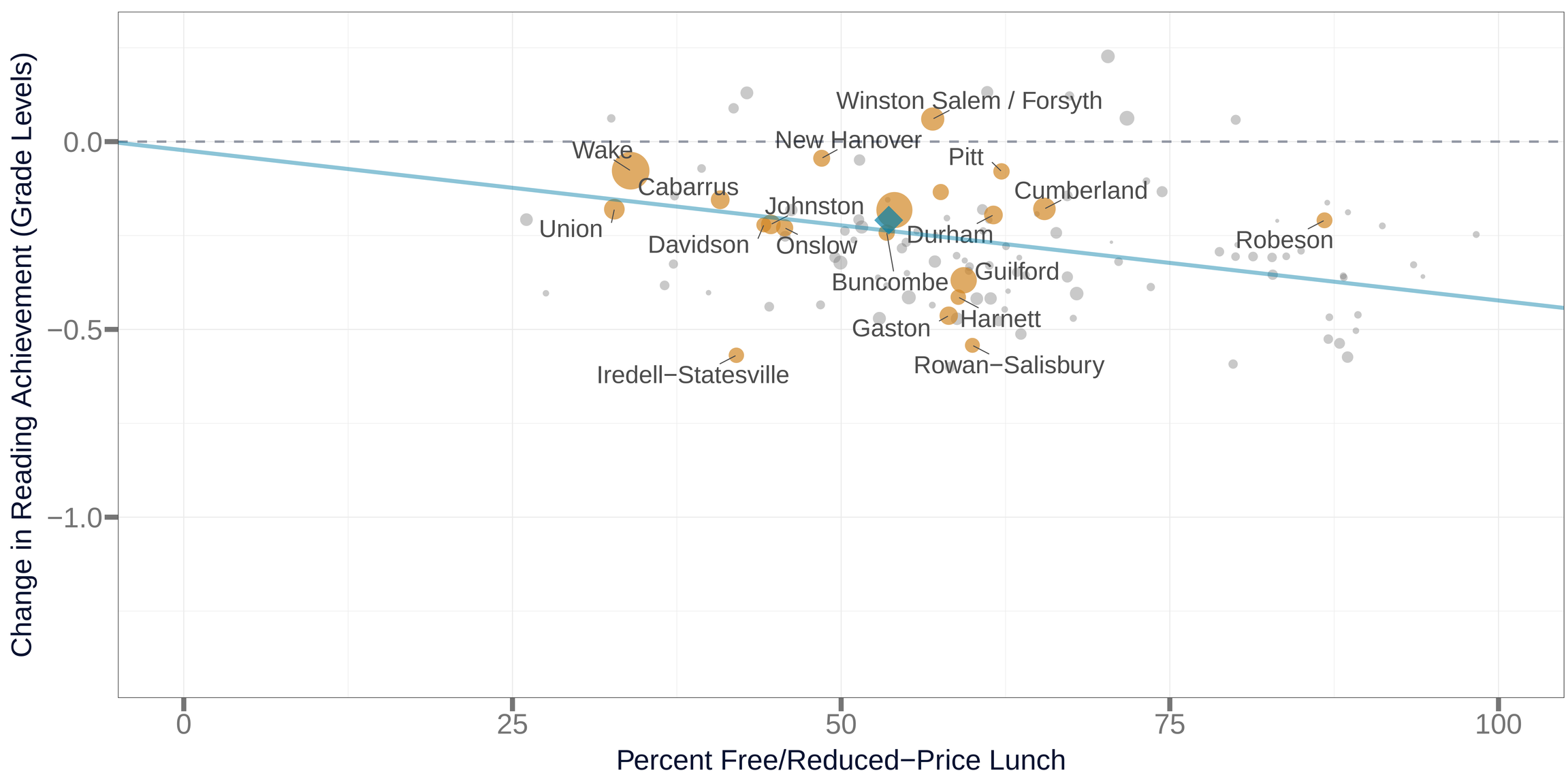

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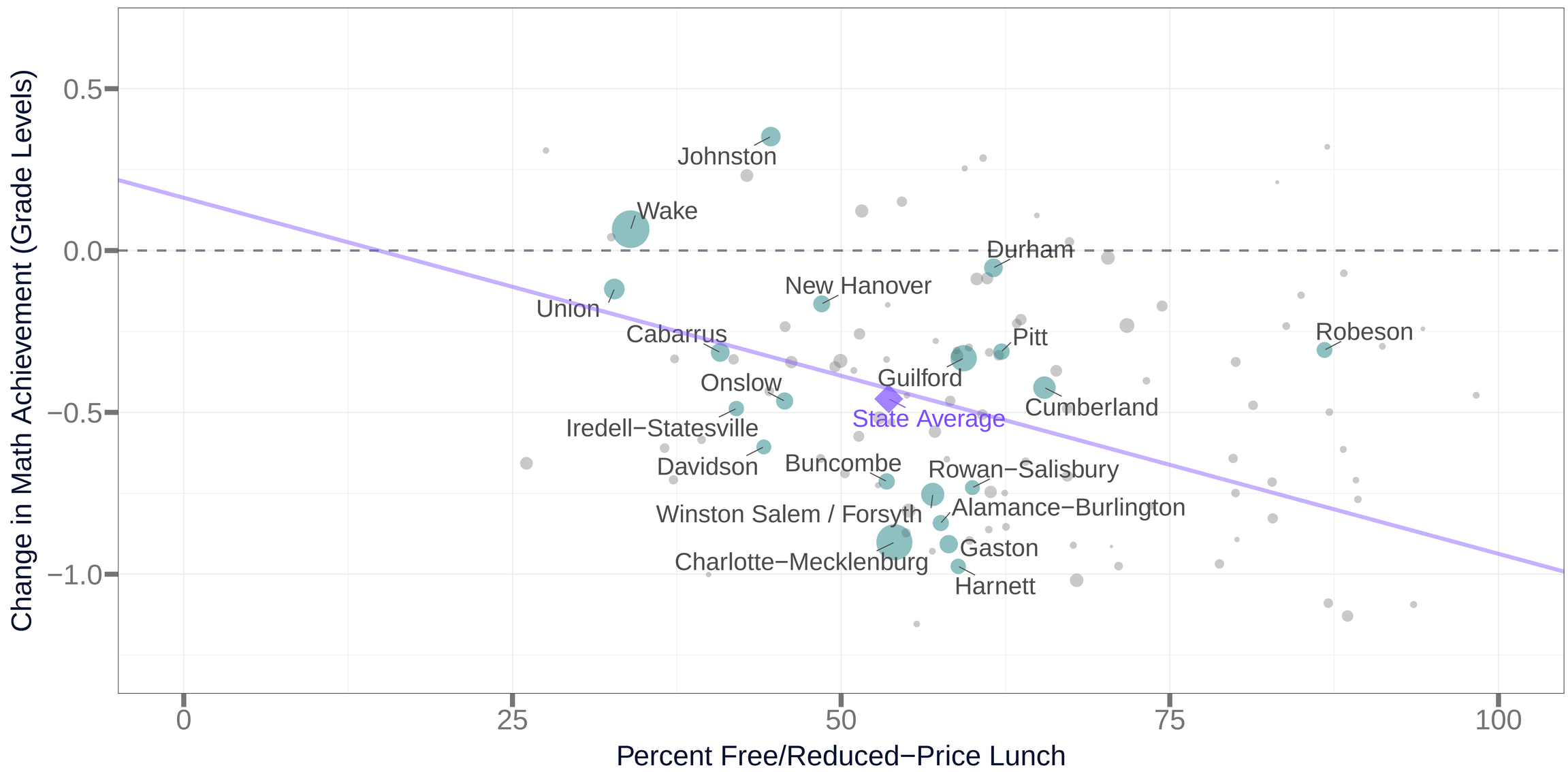

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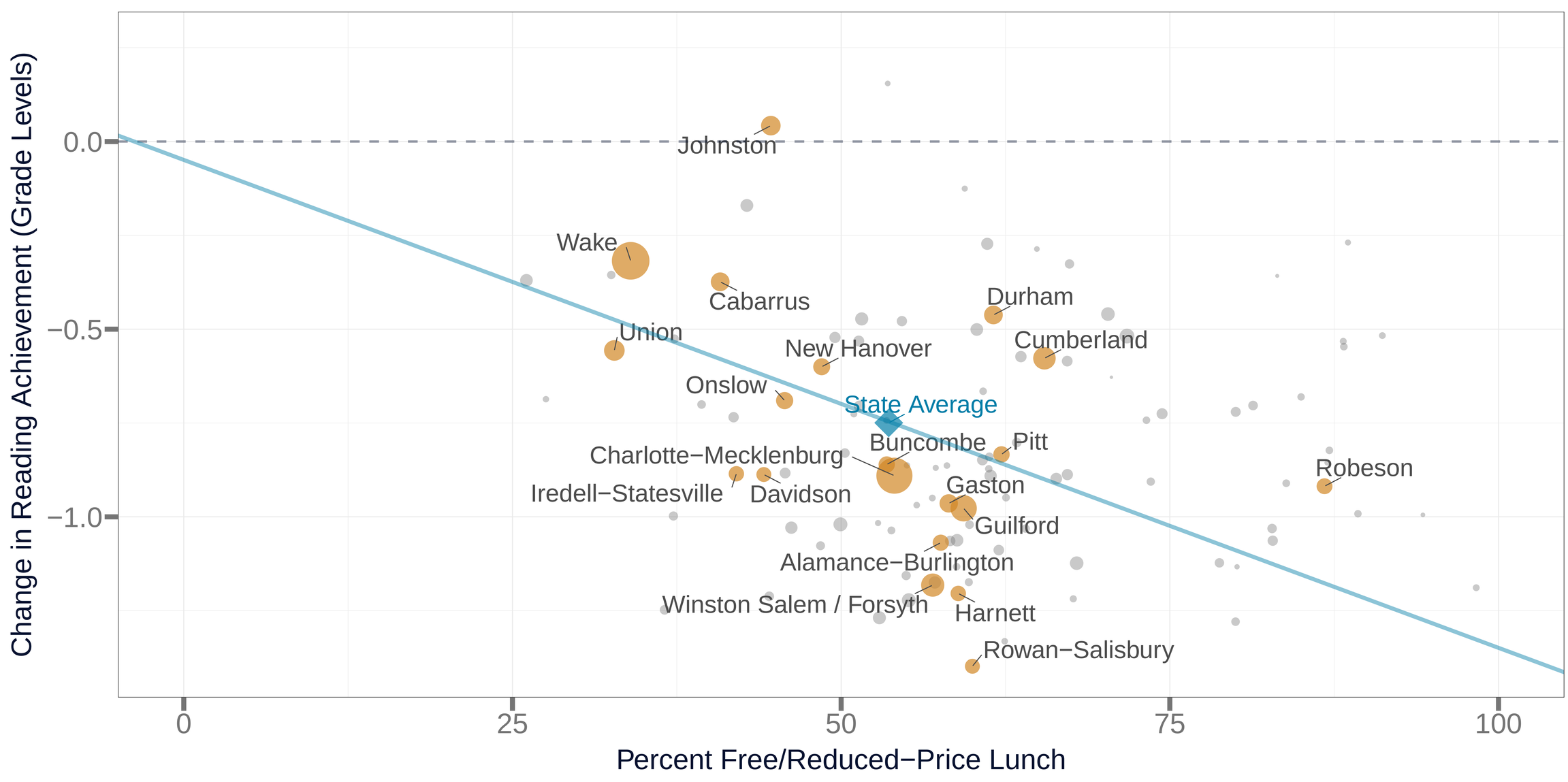

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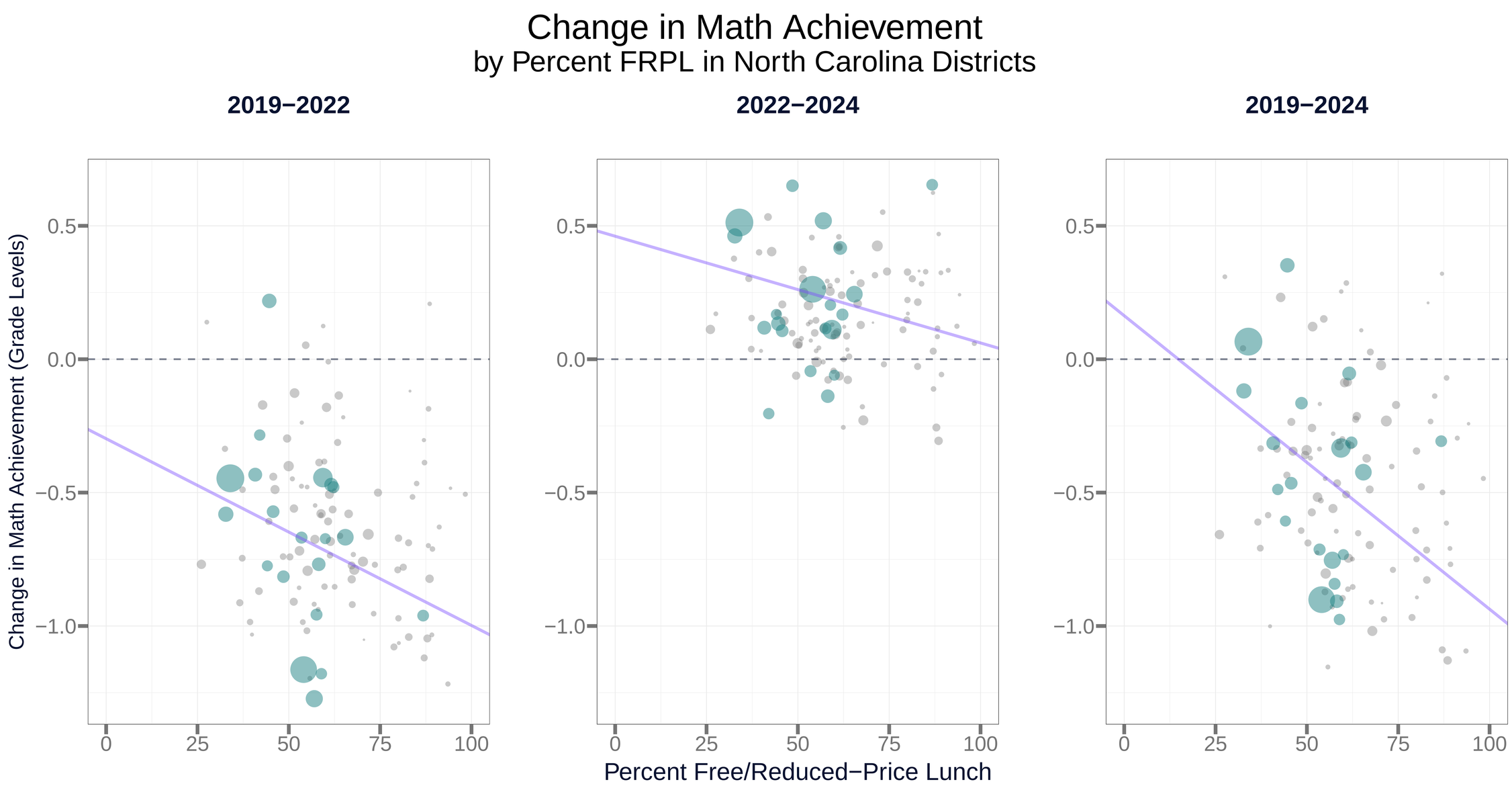

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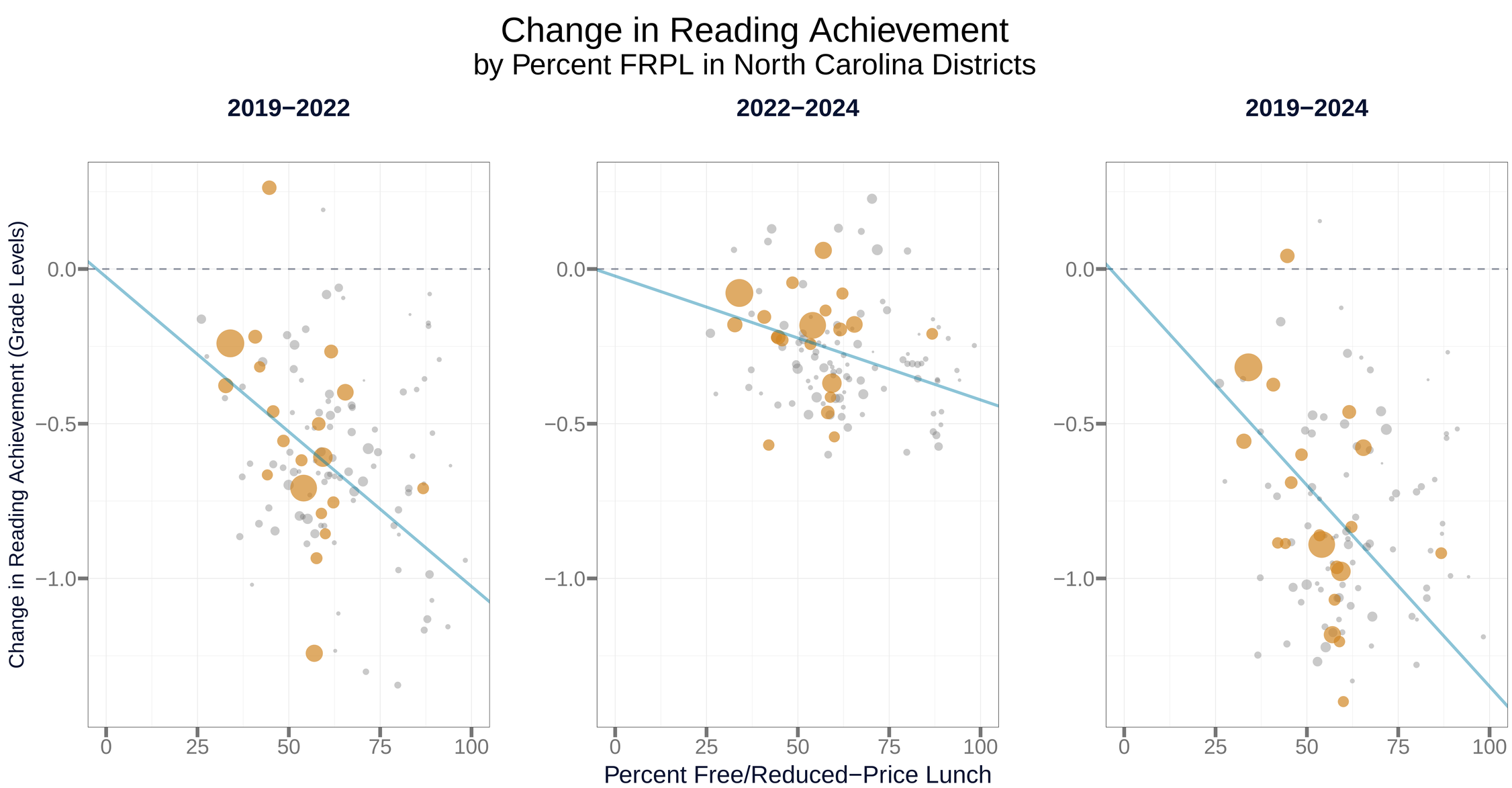

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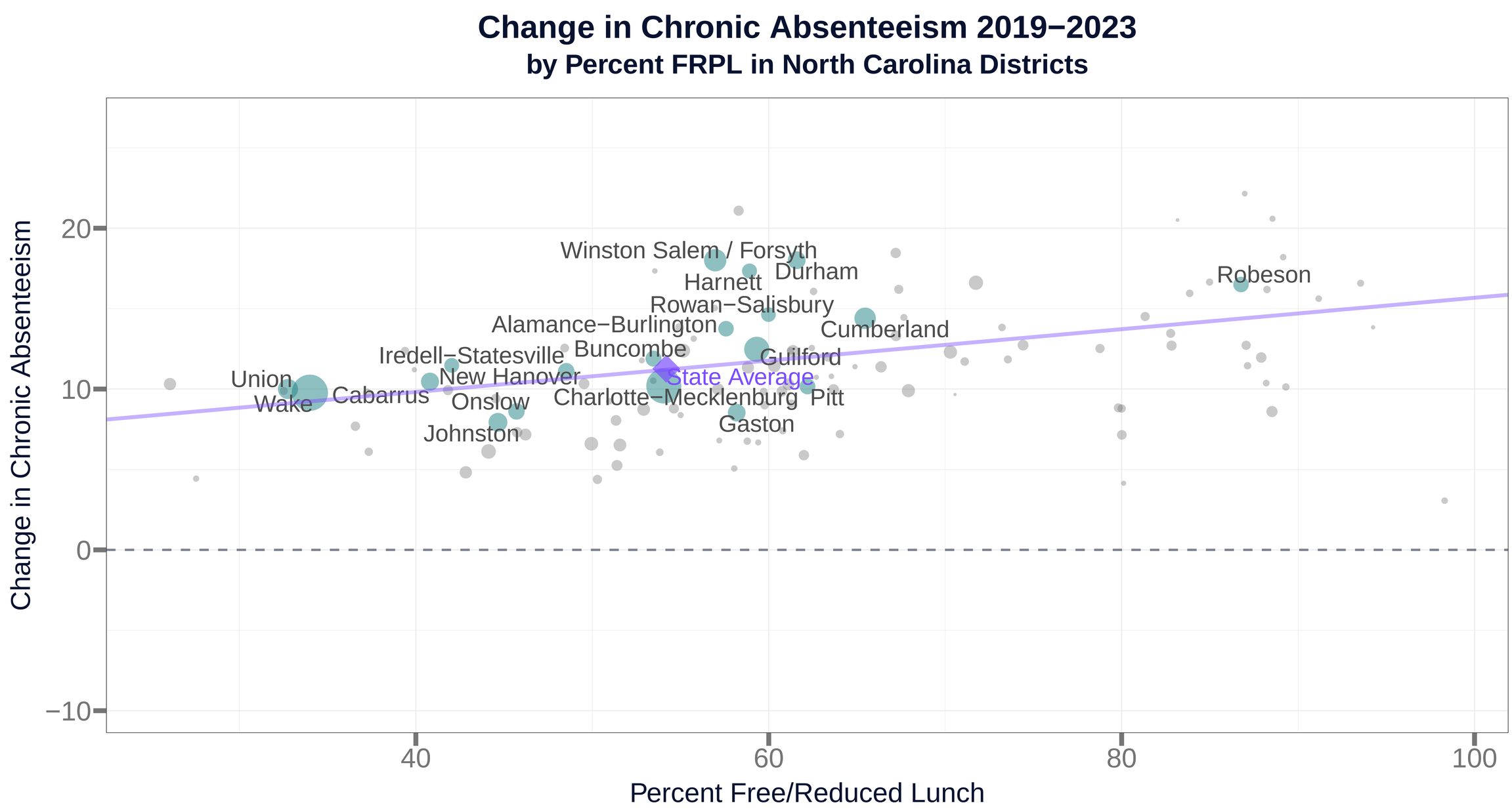

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