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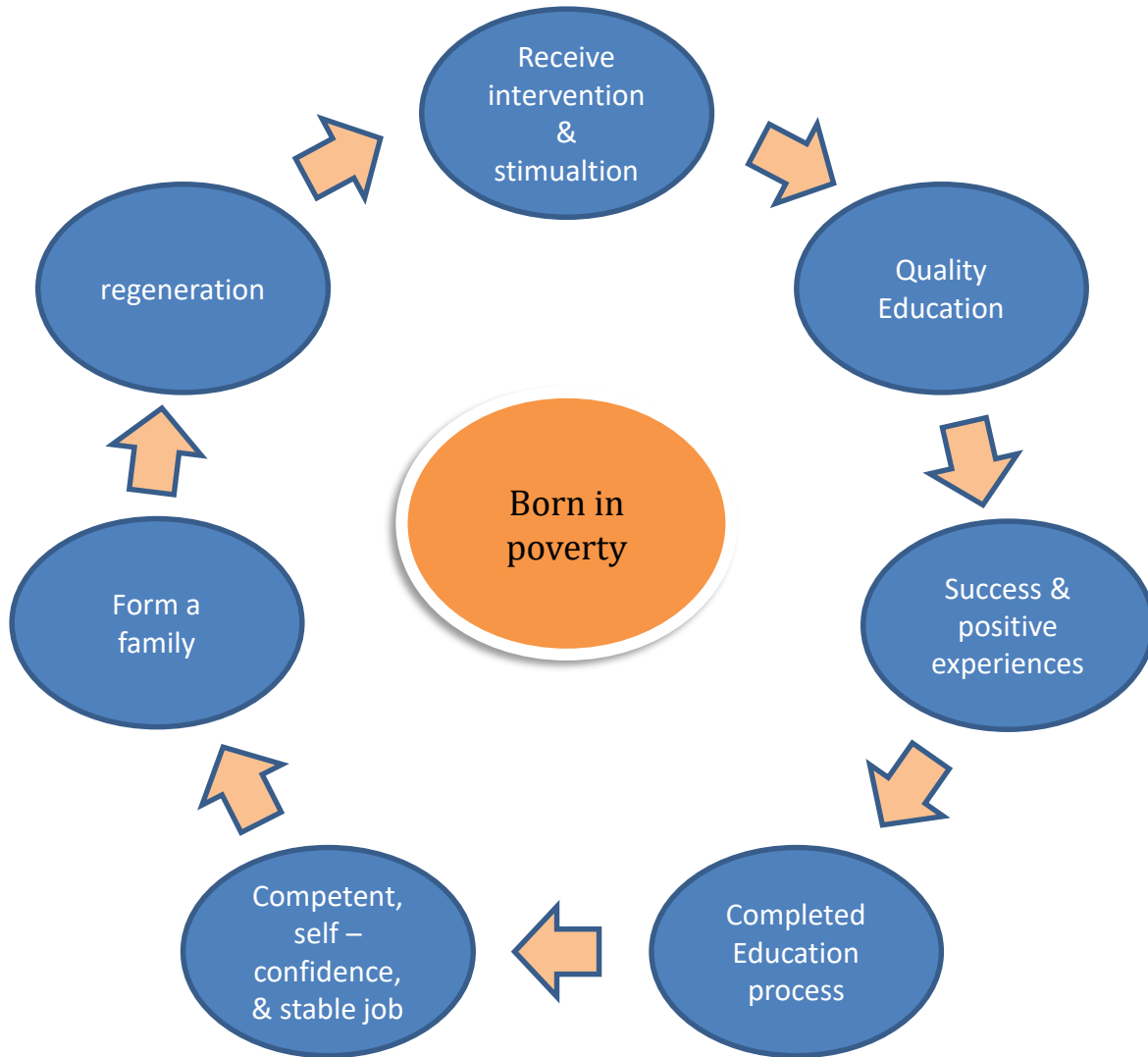
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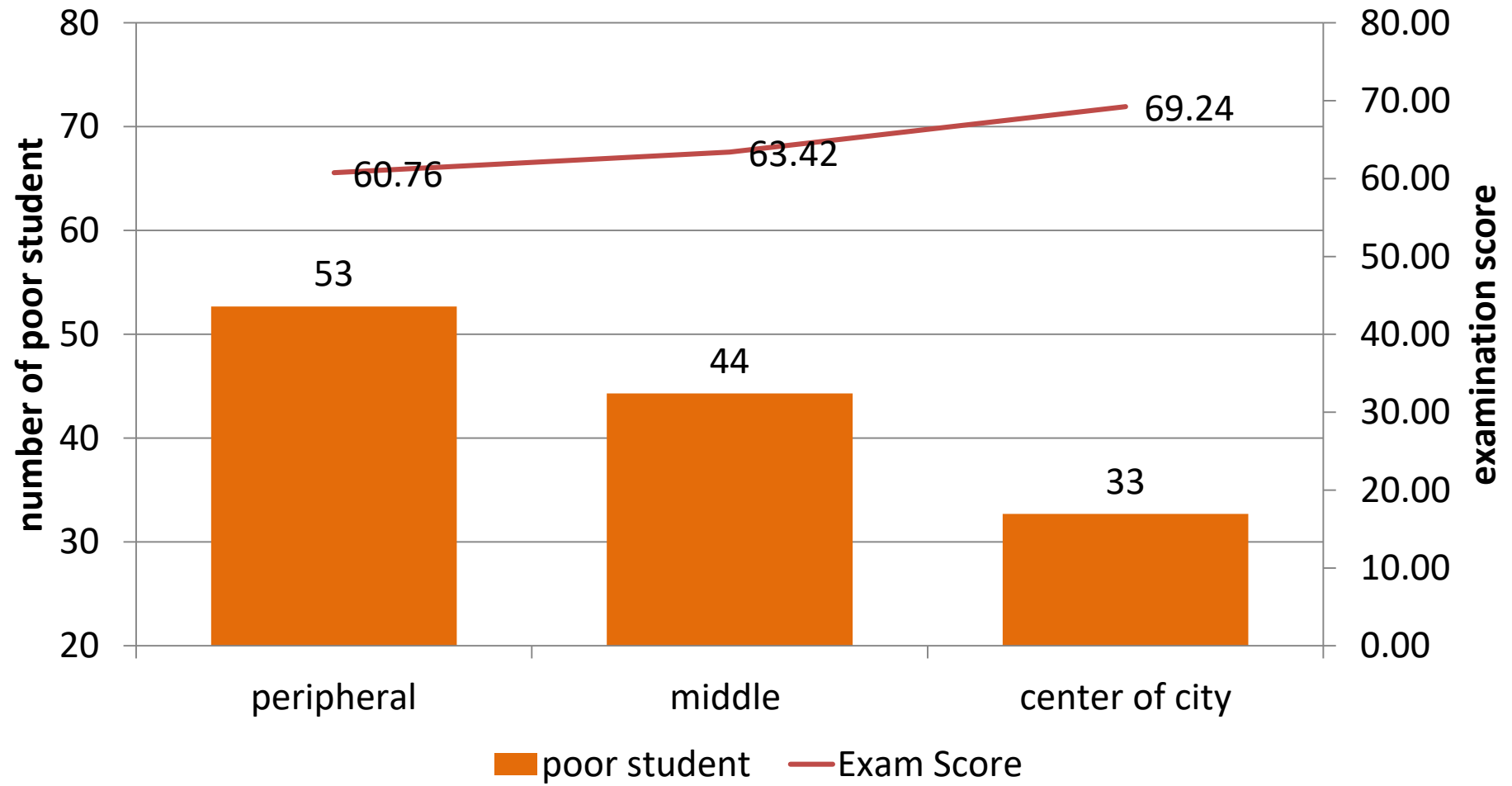
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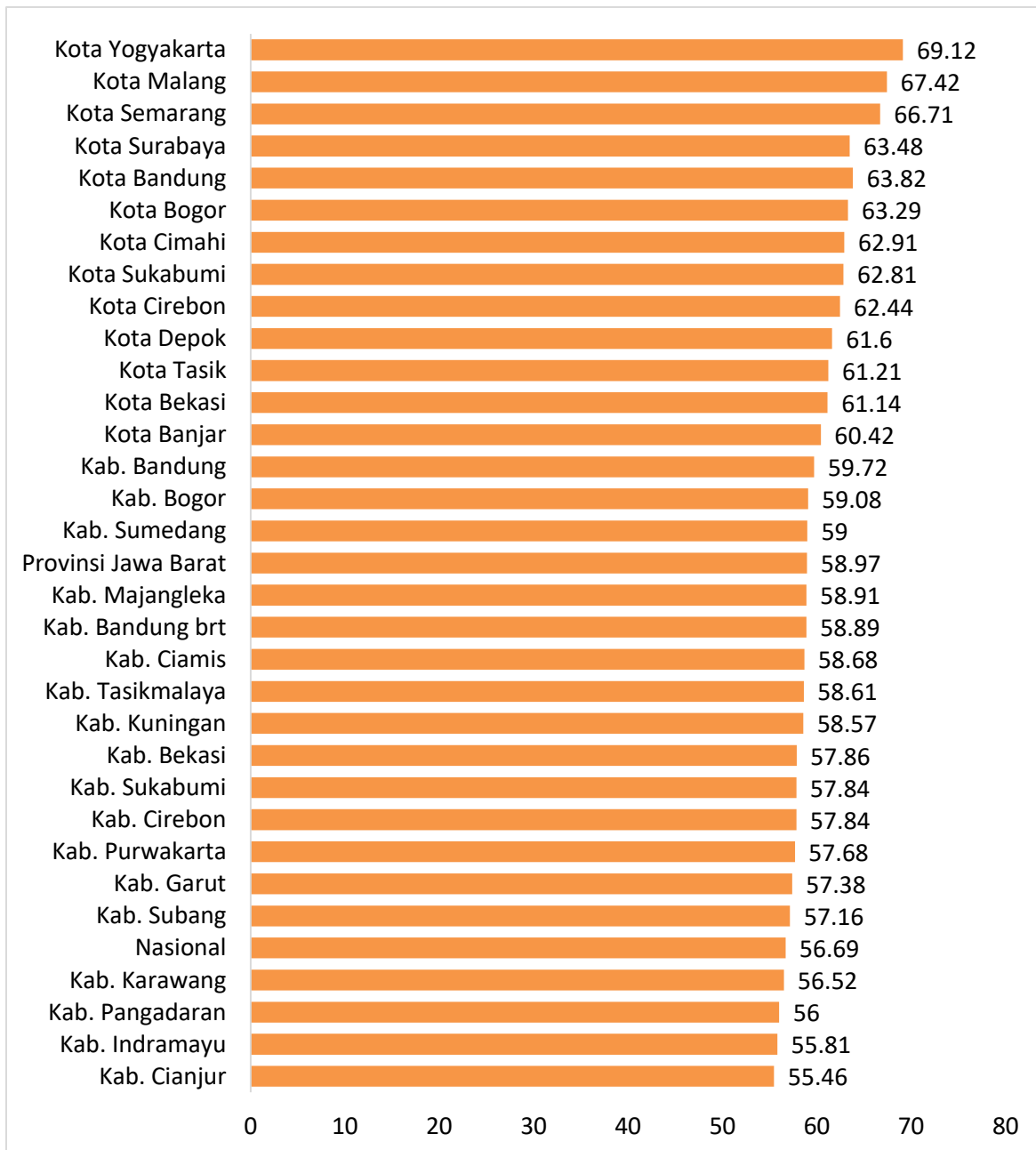
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# Poor student mostly go to poor schools



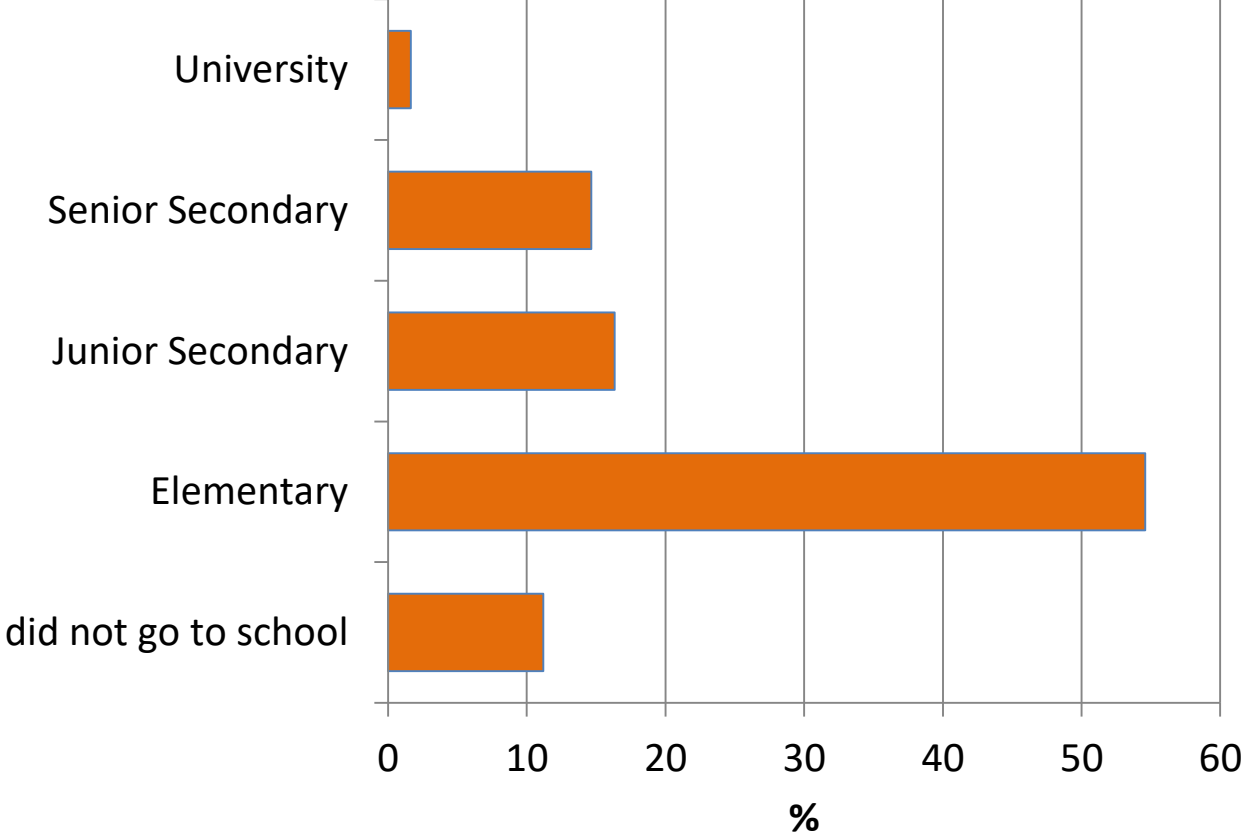
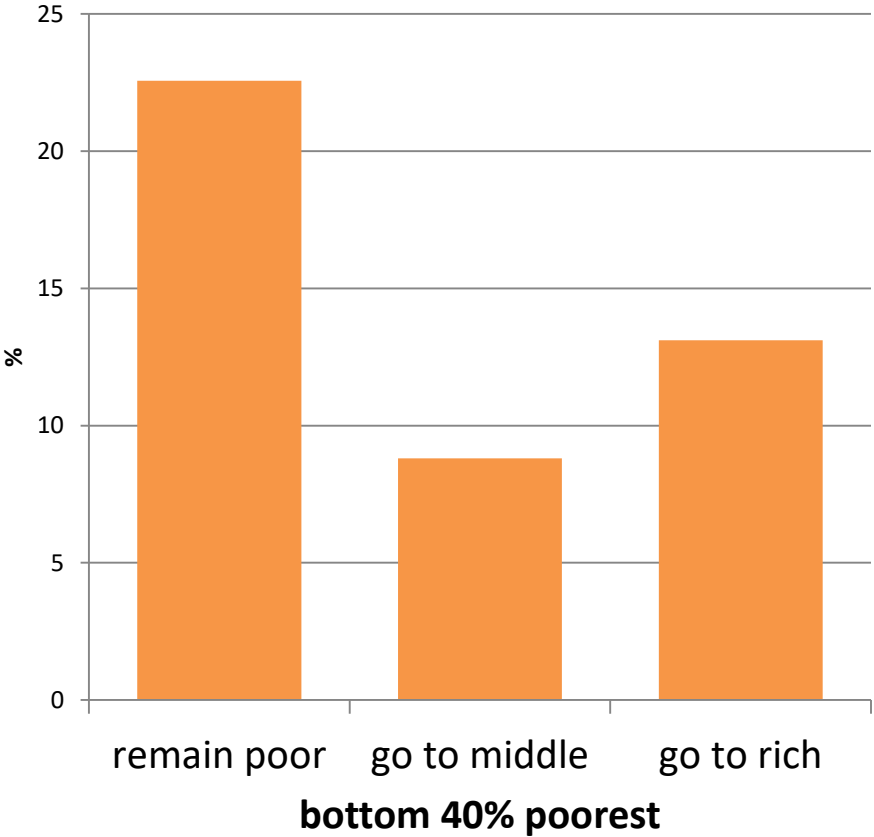


Score of Teacher Competency Test, 2016

It happens  
because.....

- Inequality in education services
- Selection of new student based on academic achievement

# Low quality education contribute to poverty trap



# What should we do?

- It needs to develop clear road map on equity of education quality including education infrastructure and teacher quality;
- Government need to identify some innovative modalities in improving education quality
  - i.e. shanghai model of entrusted school where quality school team provide assistance to less qualified schools;
- Poor student quota policy is good move but need to be improved especially in the preparation of teacher and school to manage poor student;
- Improving the selection mechanism where the ranking system could be not the only system to be established.
  - Some countries introduced *charter school* model where the selection of new student is conducted randomly (*lottery*). Applying professional management and quality infrastructure, some charter schools with many poor students show significant results.