# Nation's Report Card 

## 2015 Science State Snapshot Report

 Georgia - Grade 4 • Public Schools
## Overall Results

- In 2015, the average score of fourth-grade students in Georgia was 152. This was not significantly different from the average score of 153 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Georgia in 2015 (152) was higher than their average score in 2009 (144).
- The percentage of students in Georgia who performed at or above the NAEP Proficient level was 35 percent in 2015. This percentage was greater than that in 2009 ( 27 percent).
- The percentage of students in Georgia who performed at or above the NAEP Basic level was 74 percent in 2015. This percentage was greater than that in 2009 ( 66 percent).


## Compare the Average Score in 2015 to Other States/Jurisdictions



In 2015, the average score in Georgia (152) waslower than those in 23 states/jurisdictions
higher than those in 6 states/jurisdictions
not significantly different from those in 17 states/jurisdictions
$\square 5$ states/jurisdictions did not participate in 2015
DoDEA = Department of Defense Education Activity (overseas and domestic schools)

| Reporting Groups | Percentage of students | Avg. score | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Perce } \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { Basic } \end{aligned}$ | entage at above Proficient | Percentage Advanced |
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| Race/Ethnicity |  |  |  |  |  |
| White | 43 | 166 | 89 | 51 | 1 |
| Black | 35 | 135 | 56 | 16 | \# |
| Hispanic | 15 | 143 | 67 | 25 | \# |
| Asian | 4 | 175 | 93 | 61 | 3 |
| American Indian/Alaska Native | \# | $\ddagger$ | $\ddagger$ | $\ddagger$ | $\ddagger$ |
| Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander | \# | $\ddagger$ | $\ddagger$ | $\ddagger$ | $\ddagger$ |
| Two or more races | 3 | 162 | 85 | 43 | 2 |
| Gender |  |  |  |  |  |
| Male | 51 | 152 | 74 | 36 | 1 |
| Female | 49 | 152 | 74 | 34 | 1 |
| National School Lunch Program |  |  |  |  |  |
| Eligible | 62 | 142 | 64 | 23 | \# |
| Not eligible | 32 | 169 | 92 | 55 | 1 |

## Score Gaps for Student Groups

* Significantly different ( $p<.05$ ) from 2015. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.
Achievement-Level Percentages and Average Score Results

\# Rounds to zero.
* Significantly different ( $p<.05$ ) from state's results in 2015. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.
NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding.
Average Scores for State/Jurisdiction and Nation (public)

\# Rounds to zero.
$\ddagger$ Reporting standards not met.
NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding, and because the "Information not available" category for the National School Lunch Program, which provides free/reduced-price lunches, is not displayed. Black includes African American and Hispanic includes Latino. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin.

