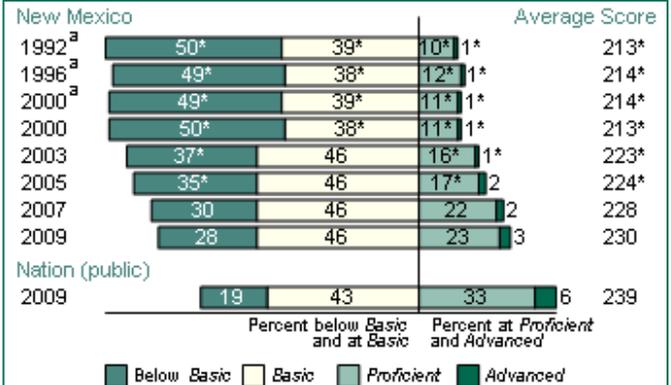


**Overall Results**

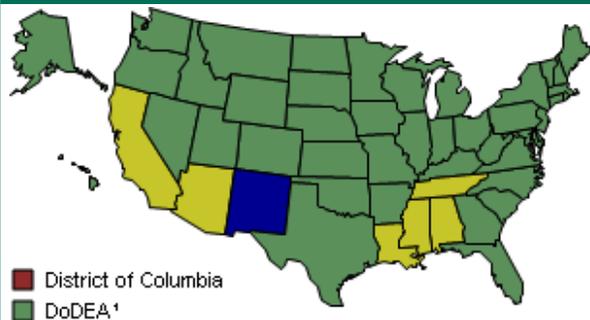
- In 2009, the average score of fourth-grade students in New Mexico was 230. This was lower than the average score of 239 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in New Mexico in 2009 (230) was not significantly different from their average score in 2007 (228) and was higher than their average score in 1992 (213).
- In 2009, the score gap between students in New Mexico at the 75th percentile and students at the 25th percentile was 39 points. This performance gap was not significantly different from that of 1992 (40 points).
- The percentage of students in New Mexico who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 26 percent in 2009. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2007 (24 percent) and was greater than that in 1992 (11 percent).
- The percentage of students in New Mexico who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 72 percent in 2009. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2007 (70 percent) and was greater than that in 1992 (50 percent).

**Achievement-Level Percentages and Average Score Results**



\* Significantly different ( $p < .05$ ) from state's results in 2009.  
<sup>a</sup> Accommodations not permitted.  
 NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding.

**Compare the Average Score in 2009 to Other States/Jurisdictions**

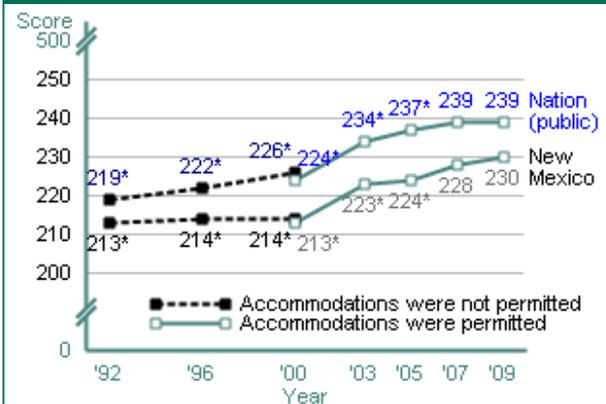


<sup>1</sup> Department of Defense Education Activity schools (domestic and overseas).

In 2009, the average score in **New Mexico** was

- lower than those in 44 states/jurisdictions
- higher than that in 1 state/jurisdiction
- not significantly different from that in 6 states/jurisdictions

**Compare the Average Score to Nation (public)**



\* Significantly different ( $p < .05$ ) from 2009.

**Results for Student Groups in 2009**

Reporting Groups	Percent of students	Avg. score	Percentages at or above		Percent at Advanced
			Basic	Proficient	
<b>Gender<sup>1</sup></b>					
Male	51	231	72	27	4
Female	49	229	71	25	2
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>					
White	28	245	88	47	7
Black	3	225	67	19	2
Hispanic	58	224	66	18	1
Asian/Pacific Islander	2	‡	‡	‡	‡
American Indian/Alaska Native	9	217	57	14	#
<b>National School Lunch Program<sup>1</sup></b>					
Eligible	68	223	64	17	1
Not eligible	32	245	89	45	7

# Rounds to zero. ‡ 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, and the "Unclassified" category for race/ethnicity are not displayed.

**Score Gaps for Student Groups**

- In 2009, male students in New Mexico had an average score that was not significantly different from that of female students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1992 (0 point).<sup>1</sup>
- In 2009, Black students had an average score that was 20 points lower than that of White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1992 (22 points).
- In 2009, Hispanic students had an average score that was 21 points lower than that of White students. This<sup>1</sup> performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1992 (21 points).
- In 2009, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of poverty, had an average score that was 22 points lower than that of students who were not eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1996 (24 points).