

Overall Results

- In 2015, the average score of fourth-grade students in Jefferson County was 236. This was not significantly different from the average score of 234 for public school students in large cities.
- The average score for students in Jefferson County in 2015 (236) was not significantly different from their average score in 2013 (234) and in 2009 (233).
- The percentage of students in Jefferson County who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 34 percent in 2015. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2013 (33 percent) and in 2009 (31 percent).
- The percentage of students in Jefferson County who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 77 percent in 2015. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2013 (75 percent) and in 2009 (72 percent).

Compare the Average Score in 2015 to Other Districts

In 2015, the average score in Jefferson County (236) was

Lower Than Districts 5	Not Significantly Different From Districts 6	Higher Than Districts 9
Austin Charlotte Duval County (FL) Hillsborough County Miami-Dade	Boston Chicago Dallas District of Columbia Houston San Diego	Albuquerque Atlanta Baltimore City Cleveland Detroit Fresno Los Angeles New York City Philadelphia

Results for Student Groups in 2015

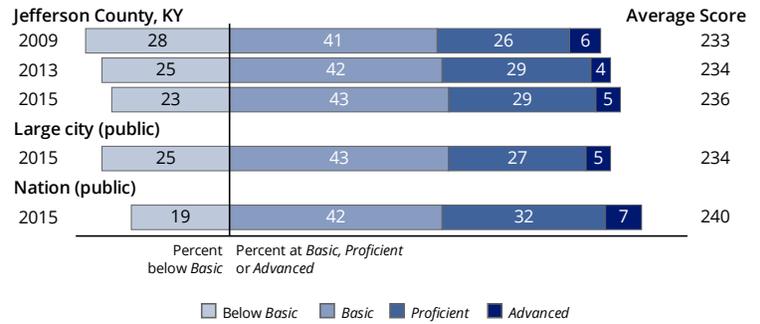
Reporting Groups	Percentage of students	Avg. score	Percentage at or above Basic	Percentage at or above Proficient	Percentage at or above Advanced
Race/Ethnicity					
White	48	245	86	47	7
Black	35	225	67	17	1
Hispanic	10	226	66	21	2
Asian	4	‡	‡	‡	‡
American Indian/Alaska Native	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	3	‡	‡	‡	‡
Gender					
Male	49	238	78	38	7
Female	51	233	76	30	3
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	71	229	71	24	2
Not eligible	28	252	91	57	11

Rounds to zero.

‡ Reporting standards not met.

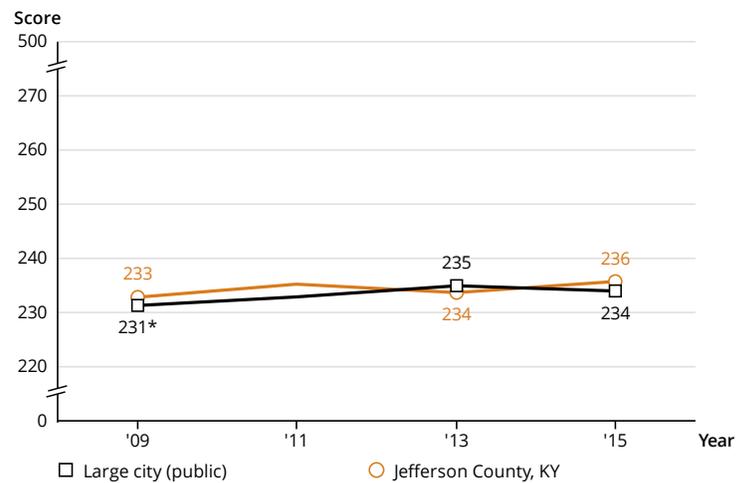
NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding, and because the "information not available" category for the National School Lunch Program, which provides free/reduced-price lunches, is not displayed. Black includes African American and Hispanic includes Latino. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin.

Achievement-Level Percentages and Average Score Results



NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding.

Average Scores for District and Large Cities



* Significantly different ($p < .05$) from 2015. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.

Score Gaps for Student Groups

- In 2015, Black students had an average score that was 20 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was narrower than that in 2009 (27 points).
- In 2015, Hispanic students had an average score that was 19 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2009 (17 points).
- In 2015, male students in Jefferson County had an average score that was not significantly different from that for female students.
- In 2015, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low family income, had an average score that was 22 points lower than that for students who were not eligible. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2009 (29 points).