Overall Results

- In 2019, the average score of fourth-grade students in Shelby County (TN) was 205. This was lower than the average score of 212 for students in large cities.
- The average score for students in Shelby County (TN) in 2019 (205) was not significantly different from their average score in 2017 (203).
- The percentage of students in Shelby County (TN) who performed at or above the NAEP Proficient level was 19 percent in 2019. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2017 (16 percent).
- The percentage of students in Shelby County (TN) who performed at or above the NAEP Basic level was 49 percent in 2019. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2017 (45 percent).

Compare the Average Score in 2019 to Other Districts

In 2019, the average score in Shelby County (TN) (205) was significantly different from their average score in 2017 (203). This was lower than the average score of 212 for students in large cities.

Average Scores for District and Large Cities

Score Gaps for Student Groups

- In 2019, Black students had an average score that was 23 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2017 (33 points).
- In 2019, Hispanic students had an average score that was 20 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2017 (26 points).
- In 2019, female students in Shelby County (TN) had an average score that was higher than that for male students by 7 points.
- In 2019, students who were eligible for the National School Lunch Program (NSLP), had an average score that was 16 points lower than that for students who were not eligible. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2017 (18 points).