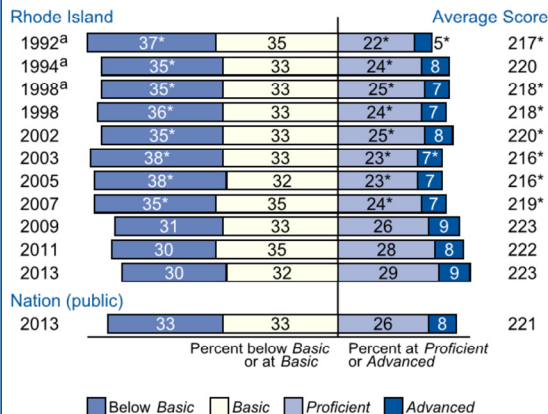


Overall Results

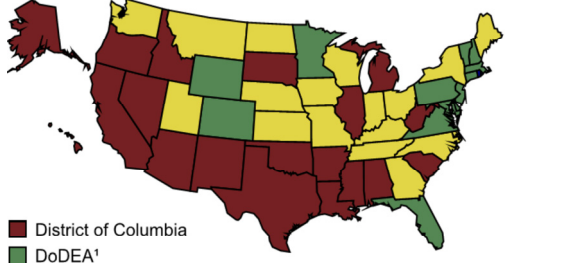
- In 2013, the average score of fourth-grade students in Rhode Island was 223. This was higher than the average score of 221 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Rhode Island in 2013 (223) was not significantly different from their average score in 2011 (222) and was higher than their average score in 1992 (217).
- The score gap between higher performing students in Rhode Island (those at the 75th percentile) and lower performing students (those at the 25th percentile) was 47 points in 2013. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1992 (45 points).
- The percentage of students in Rhode Island who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 38 percent in 2013. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2011 (35 percent) and was greater than that in 1992 (28 percent).
- The percentage of students in Rhode Island who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 70 percent in 2013. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2011 (70 percent) and was greater than that in 1992 (63 percent).

Achievement-Level Percentages and Average Score Results



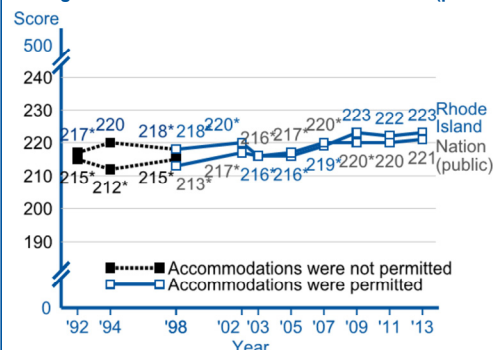
* Significantly different ($p < .05$) from state's results in 2013. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.
^a Accommodations not permitted. For information about NAEP accommodations, see <http://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/about/inclusion.aspx>.
 NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding.

Compare the Average Score in 2013 to Other States/Jurisdictions



¹ Department of Defense Education Activity (overseas and domestic schools).
 In 2013, the average score in **Rhode Island** (223) was
 ■ lower than those in 14 states/jurisdictions
 ■ higher than those in 20 states/jurisdictions
 ■ not significantly different from those in 17 states/jurisdictions

Average Scores for State/Jurisdiction and Nation (public)



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Results for Student Groups in 2013

Reporting Groups	Percent of students	Avg. score	Percentages at or above		Percent at Advanced
			Basic	Proficient	
Race/Ethnicity					
White	63	233	81	48	12
Black	9	205	52	18	1
Hispanic	22	201	47	17	3
Asian	3	224	71	41	10
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	2	‡	‡	‡	‡
Gender					
Male	51	218	65	32	6
Female	49	228	75	43	11
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	49	206	53	19	3
Not eligible	51	239	86	55	15

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.

Score Gaps for Student Groups

- In 2013, Black students had an average score that was 28 points lower than White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1992 (31 points).
- In 2013, Hispanic students had an average score that was 32 points lower than White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1992 (40 points).
- In 2013, female students in Rhode Island had an average score that was higher than male students by 11 points. This performance gap was wider than that in 1992 (4 points).
- In 2013, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low family income, had an average score that was 32 points lower than students who were not eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (35 points).