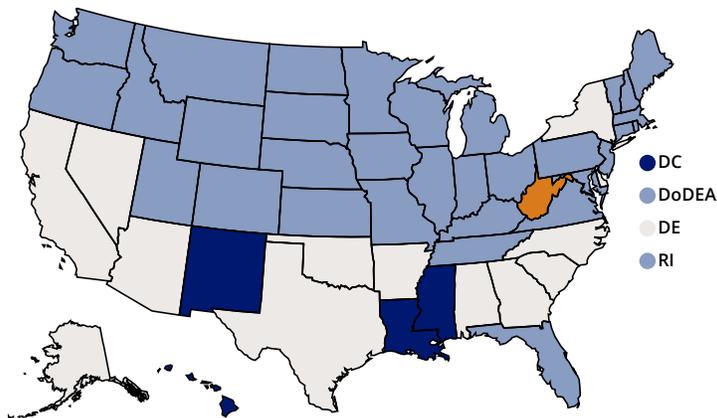


Overall Results

- In 2015, the average score of eighth-grade students in West Virginia was 260. This was lower than the average score of 264 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in West Virginia in 2015 (260) was higher than their average score in 2013 (257) and was not significantly different from their average score in 1998 (262).
- The percentage of students in West Virginia who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 27 percent in 2015. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2013 (25 percent) and in 1998 (28 percent).
- The percentage of students in West Virginia who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 72 percent in 2015. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2013 (70 percent) and in 1998 (75 percent).

Compare the Average Score in 2015 to Other States/Jurisdictions



In 2015, the average score in West Virginia (260) was

- lower than those in 33 states/jurisdictions
- higher than those in 5 states/jurisdictions
- not significantly different from those in 13 states/jurisdictions

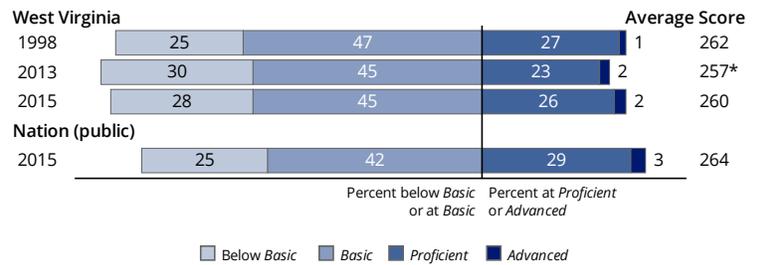
DoDEA = Department of Defense Education Activity (overseas and domestic schools)

Results for Student Groups in 2015

Reporting Groups	Percentage of students	Avg. score	Percentage at or above Basic	Percentage at Proficient	Percentage at Advanced
Race/Ethnicity					
White	92	261	73	27	2
Black	5	250	59	20	#
Hispanic	2	‡	‡	‡	‡
Asian	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
American Indian/Alaska Native	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	1	‡	‡	‡	‡
Gender					
Male	51	256	68	23	1
Female	49	264	76	32	2
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	64	256	67	22	1
Not eligible	36	268	81	36	3

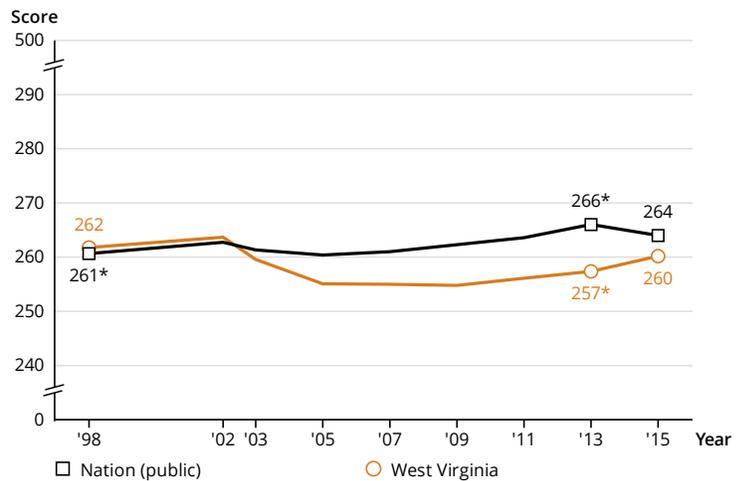
Rounds to zero.
‡ Reporting standards not met.
NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding, and because the "Information not available" category for the National School Lunch Program, which provides free/reduced-price lunches, is not displayed. Black includes African American and Hispanic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

Achievement-Level Percentages and Average Score Results



* 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)



* 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 10 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (14 points).
- Data are not reported for Hispanic students in 2015, because reporting standards were not met.
- In 2015, female students in West Virginia had an average score that was higher than that for male students by 8 points. This performance gap was narrower than that in 1998 (13 points).
- In 2015, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low family income, had an average score that was 13 points lower than that for students who were not eligible. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (13 points).