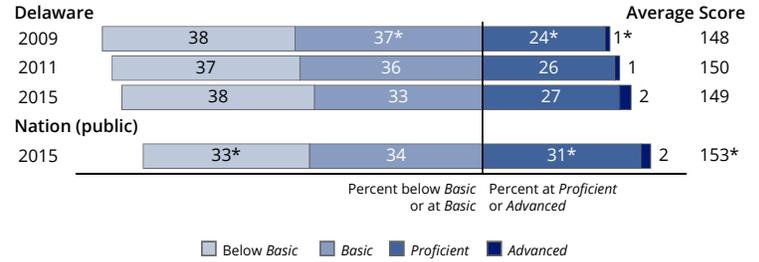


Overall Results

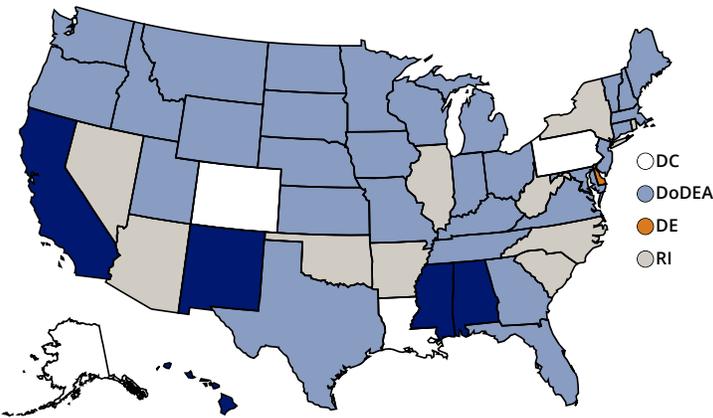
- In 2015, the average score of eighth-grade students in Delaware was 149. This was lower than the average score of 153 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Delaware in 2015 (149) was not significantly different from their average score in 2011 (150) and in 2009 (148).
- The percentage of students in Delaware who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 29 percent in 2015. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2011 (28 percent) and was greater than that in 2009 (25 percent).
- The percentage of students in Delaware who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 62 percent in 2015. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2011 (63 percent) and in 2009 (62 percent).

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.

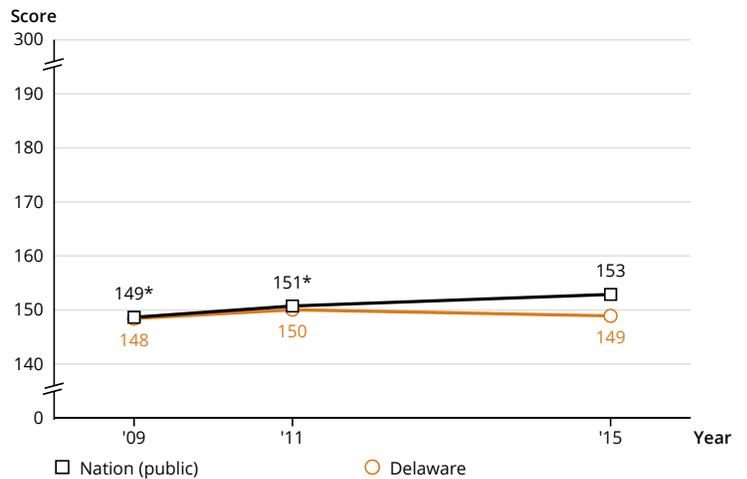
Compare the Average Score in 2015 to Other States/Jurisdictions



In 2015, the average score in Delaware (149) was
■ lower than those in 31 states/jurisdictions
■ higher than those in 5 states/jurisdictions
■ not significantly different from those in 10 states/jurisdictions
 5 states/jurisdictions did not participate in 2015

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

Average Scores for State/Jurisdiction and Nation (public)



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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 Advanced
Race/Ethnicity					
White	48	162	78	42	2
Black	33	129	39	11	#
Hispanic	13	142	54	18	#
Asian	4	176	89	63	7
American Indian/Alaska Native	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	2	‡	‡	‡	‡
Gender					
Male	51	150	63	31	2
Female	49	148	61	26	1
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	41	136	47	16	#
Not eligible	57	158	73	38	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.

Score Gaps for Student Groups

- In 2015, Black students had an average score that was 32 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was wider 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 (19 points).
- In 2015, male students in Delaware 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 (21 points).