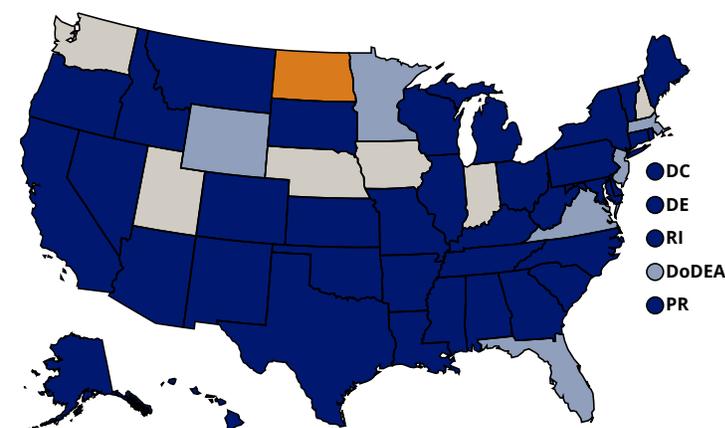


Overall Results

- In 2017, the average score of fourth-grade students in North Dakota was 244. This was higher than the average score of 239 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in North Dakota in 2017 (244) was not significantly different from their average score in 2015 (245) and was higher than their average score in 2000 (230).
- The percentage of students in North Dakota who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 46 percent in 2017. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2015 (45 percent) and was greater than that in 2000 (25 percent).
- The percentage of students in North Dakota who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 85 percent in 2017. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2015 (88 percent) and was greater than that in 2000 (73 percent).

Compare the Average Score in 2017 to Other States/Jurisdictions



In 2017, the average score in North Dakota (244) was

- lower than those in 7 states/jurisdictions
- higher than those in 39 states/jurisdictions
- not significantly different from those in 6 states/jurisdictions

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

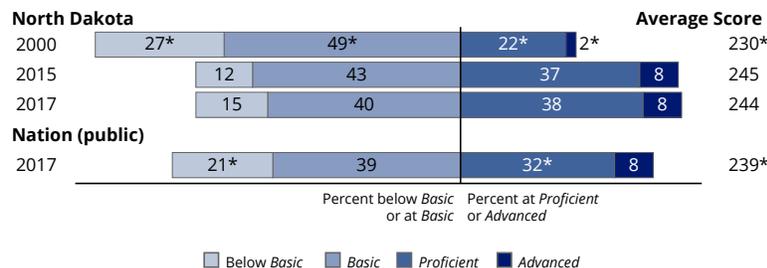
Results for Student Groups in 2017

Reporting Groups	Percentage of students	Avg. score	Percentage at or above		Percentage at Advanced
			Basic	Proficient	
Race/Ethnicity					
White	79	248	89	52	10
Black	4	229	70	24	3
Hispanic	5	231	73	23	3
Asian	1	‡	‡	‡	‡
American Indian/Alaska Native	8	225	68	16	2
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	3	239	85	37	3
Gender					
Male	52	246	86	48	10
Female	48	243	85	44	6
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	34	233	75	29	3
Not eligible	65	250	91	54	11

Rounds to zero.
‡ Reporting standards not met.

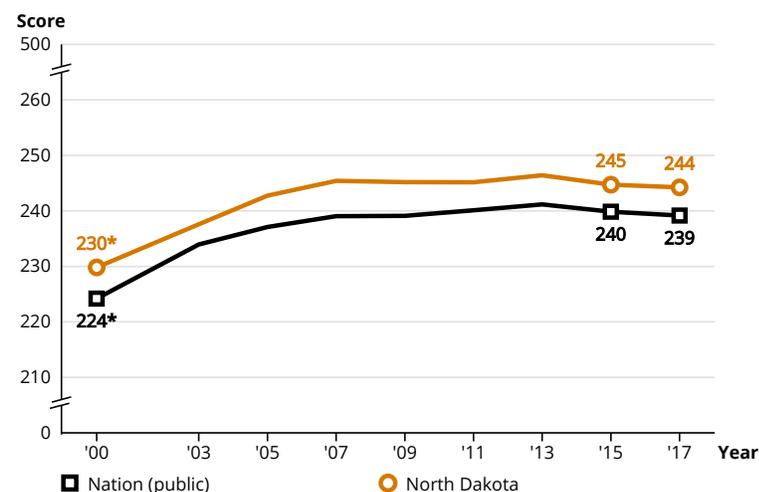
NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding, and because the "Information not available" category for the National School Lunch Program, which provides free/reduced-price lunches, is not displayed. Black includes African American and Hispanic includes Latino. Race categories exclude Hispanic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

Achievement-Level Percentages and Average Score Results



* Significantly different ($p < .05$) from state's results in 2017. 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 2017. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.

Score Gaps for Student Groups

- In 2017, Black students had an average score that was 19 points lower than that for White students. Data are not reported for Black students in 2000, because reporting standards were not met.
- In 2017, Hispanic students had an average score that was 18 points lower than that for White students. Data are not reported for Hispanic students in 2000, because reporting standards were not met.
- In 2017, male students in North Dakota had an average score that was higher than that for female students by 3 points.
- In 2017, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low family income, had an average score that was 18 points lower than that for students who were not eligible. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2000 (17 points).