In 2017, the average score of fourth-grade students in New Hampshire was 229. This was higher than the average score of 221 for public school students in the nation.

The average score for students in New Hampshire in 2017 (229) was lower than their average score in 2015 (232) and was not significantly different from their average score in 1998 (226).

The percentage of students in New Hampshire who performed at or above the NAEP Proficient level was 43 percent in 2017. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2015 (46 percent) and was greater than that in 1998 (37 percent).

The percentage of students in New Hampshire who performed at or above the NAEP Basic level was 75 percent in 2017. This percentage was smaller than that in 2015 (79 percent) and was not significantly different from that in 1998 (74 percent).

In 2017, the average score in New Hampshire (229) was lower than those in 3 states/jurisdictions and higher than those in 42 states/jurisdictions and not significantly different from those in 6 states/jurisdictions.

Data are not reported for Black students in 2017, because reporting standards were not met.

In 2017, Hispanic students had an average score that was 15 points lower than that for White students. Data are not reported for Hispanic students in 1998, because reporting standards were not met.

In 2017, female students in New Hampshire had an average score that was not significantly different from that for male students.

In 2017, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low family income, had an average score that was 25 points lower than that for students who were not eligible. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (19 points).