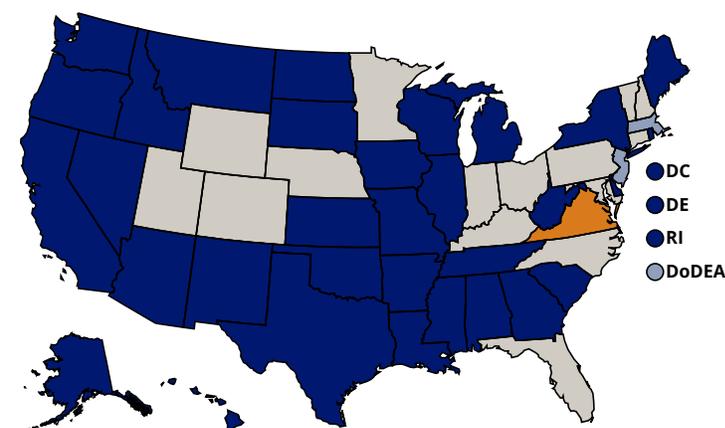


## Overall Results

- In 2017, the average score of fourth-grade students in Virginia was 228. This was higher than the average score of 221 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Virginia in 2017 (228) was not significantly different from their average score in 2015 (229) and was higher than their average score in 1998 (217).
- The percentage of students in Virginia who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 43 percent in 2017. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2015 (43 percent) and was greater than that in 1998 (30 percent).
- The percentage of students in Virginia who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 74 percent in 2017. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2015 (74 percent) and was greater than that in 1998 (62 percent).

## Compare the Average Score in 2017 to Other States/Jurisdictions



In 2017, the average score in Virginia (228) was

- lower than those in 3 states/jurisdictions
- higher than those in 33 states/jurisdictions
- not significantly different from those in 15 states/jurisdictions

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

## Results for Student Groups in 2017

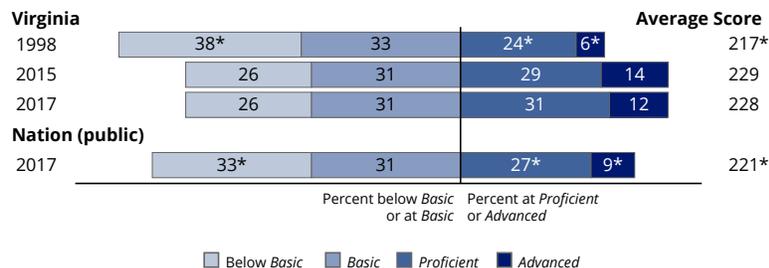
Reporting Groups	Percentage of students	Avg. score	Percentage at or above		Percentage at Advanced
			Basic	Proficient	
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>					
White	48	237	83	54	16
Black	22	210	56	21	2
Hispanic	17	214	62	29	6
Asian	7	244	88	63	25
American Indian/Alaska Native	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	5	232	79	48	11
<b>Gender</b>					
Male	51	226	73	42	10
Female	49	229	75	44	13
<b>National School Lunch Program</b>					
Eligible	41	213	60	25	4
Not eligible	58	238	84	56	17

# Rounds to zero.

‡ Reporting standards not met.

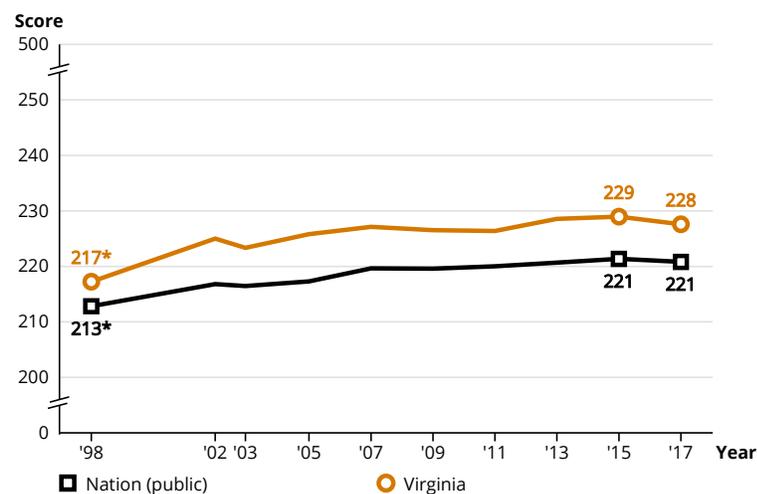
NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding, and because the "Information not available" category for the National School Lunch Program, which provides free/reduced-price lunches, is not displayed. Black includes African American and Hispanic includes Latino. Race categories exclude Hispanic 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 27 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (27 points).
- In 2017, Hispanic students had an average score that was 23 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (18 points).
- In 2017, female students in Virginia 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 26 points lower than that for students who were not eligible. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (27 points).