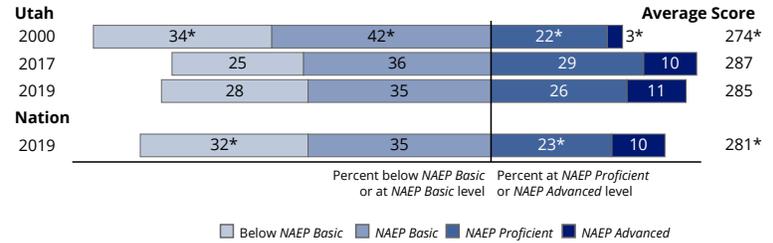


Overall Results

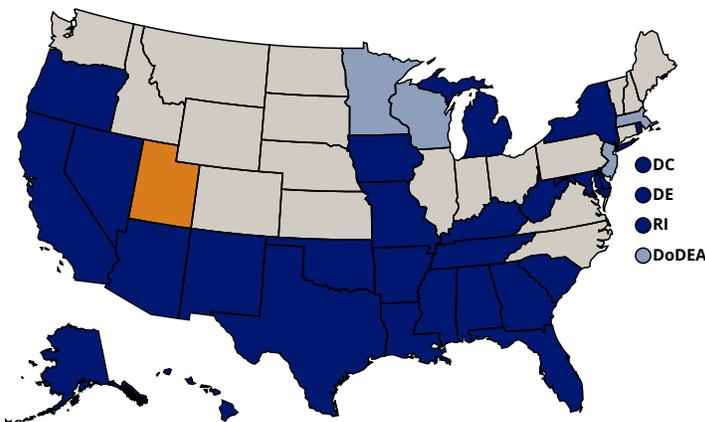
- In 2019, the average score of eighth-grade students in Utah was 285. This was higher than the average score of 281 for students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Utah in 2019 (285) was not significantly different from their average score in 2017 (287) and was higher than their average score in 2000 (274).
- The percentage of students in Utah who performed at or above the *NAEP Proficient* level was 37 percent in 2019. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2017 (39 percent) and was higher than that in 2000 (25 percent).
- The percentage of students in Utah who performed at or above the *NAEP Basic* level was 72 percent in 2019. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2017 (75 percent) and was higher than that in 2000 (66 percent).

NAEP Achievement-Level Percentages and Average Score Results



* Significantly different ($p < .05$) from state's results in 2019. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.
NOTE: NAEP achievement levels are to be used on a trial basis and should be interpreted and used with caution. Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding.

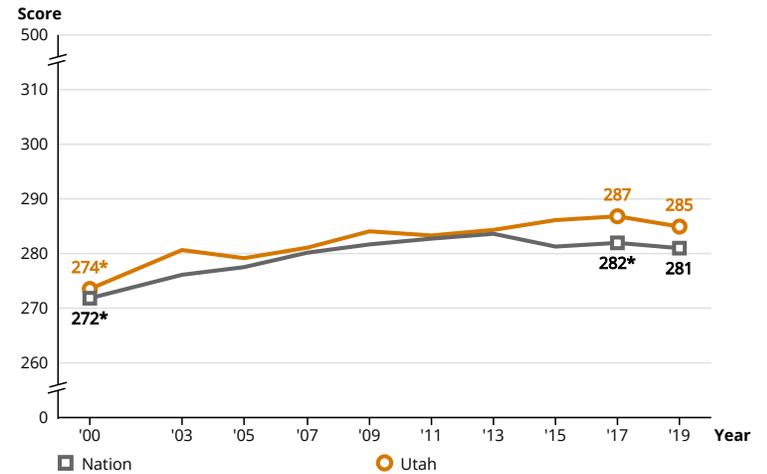
Compare the Average Score in 2019 to Other States/Jurisdictions



In 2019, the average score in Utah (285) was
■ lower than those in 5 states/jurisdictions
■ higher than those in 27 states/jurisdictions
■ not significantly different from those in 19 states/jurisdictions

DoDEA = Department of Defense Education Activity (overseas and domestic schools)
NOTE: Puerto Rico was not included in the comparison results.

Average Scores for State/Jurisdiction and Nation



* Significantly different ($p < .05$) from 2019. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.

Results for Student Groups in 2019

Reporting Groups	Percentage of students	Avg. score	Percentage at or above NAEP		Percentage at NAEP Advanced
			Basic	Proficient	
Race/Ethnicity					
White	75	291	79	43	13
Black	1	‡	‡	‡	‡
Hispanic	18	263	50	15	2
Asian	2	‡	‡	‡	‡
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	257	40	10	1
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	3	294	83	48	11
Gender					
Male	51	286	73	40	12
Female	49	284	72	35	9
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	33	266	54	19	4
Not eligible	65	295	82	47	14

‡ 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

- Data are not reported for Black students in 2019, because reporting standards were not met.
- In 2019, Hispanic students had an average score that was 29 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2000 (33 points).
- In 2019, male students in Utah had an average score that was not significantly different from that for female students.
- In 2019, students who were eligible for the National School Lunch Program (NSLP), had an average score that was 28 points lower than that for students who were not eligible. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2000 (26 points).