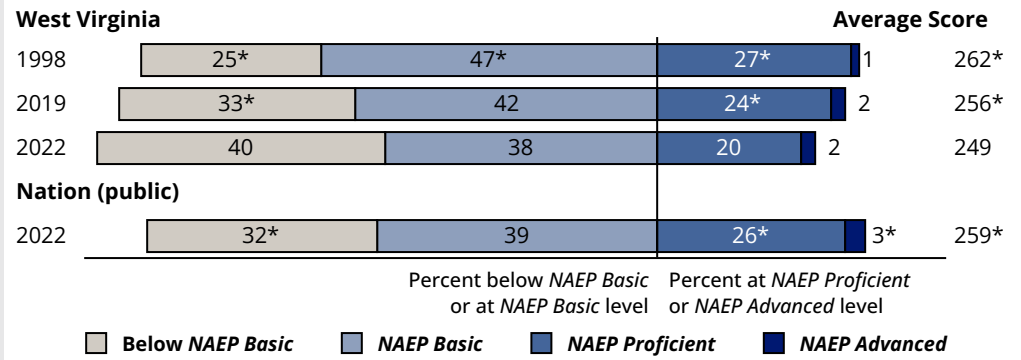


OVERALL RESULTS

- In 2022, the average score of eighth-grade students in West Virginia was 249. This was lower than the average score of 259 for students in the nation.
- The average score for students in West Virginia in 2022 (249) was lower than their average score in 2019 (256) and in 1998 (262).
- The percentage of students in West Virginia who performed at or above the *NAEP Proficient* level was 22 percent in 2022. This percentage was smaller than that in 2019 (25 percent) and in 1998 (28 percent).
- The percentage of students in West Virginia who performed at or above the *NAEP Basic* level was 60 percent in 2022. This percentage was smaller than that in 2019 (67 percent) and in 1998 (75 percent).

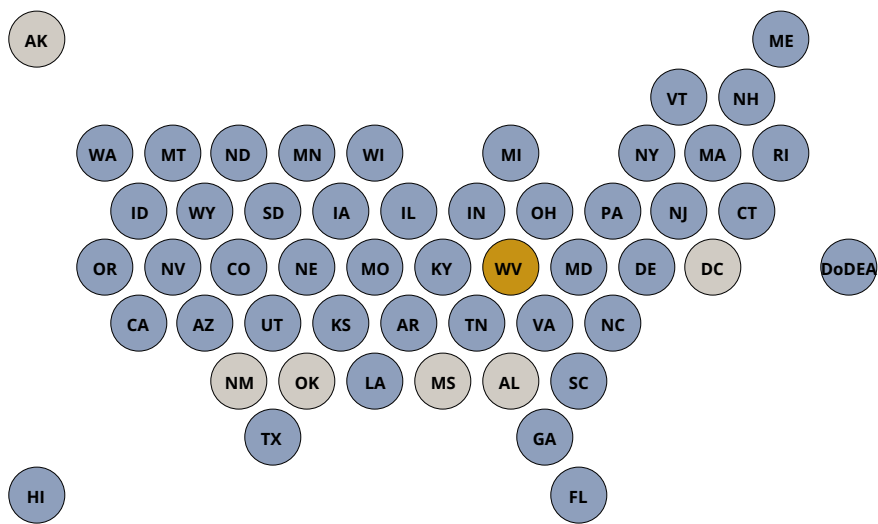
NAEP ACHIEVEMENT-LEVEL PERCENTAGES AND AVERAGE SCORE RESULTS



* Significantly different ($p < .05$) from the state's results in 2022. 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.

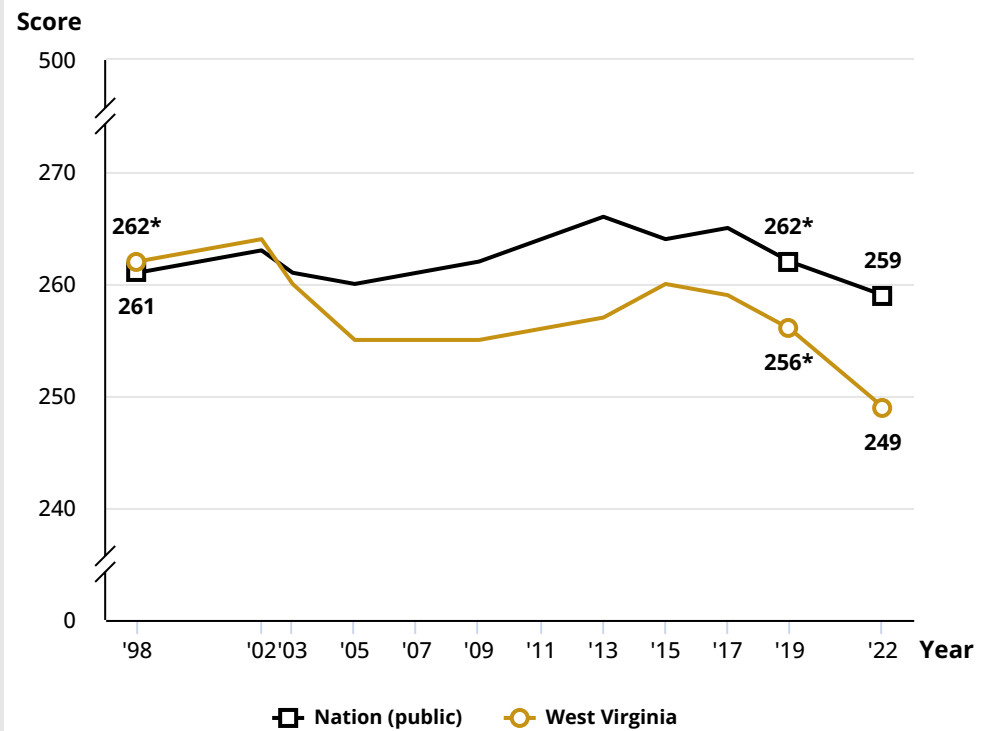
COMPARE THE AVERAGE SCORE IN 2022 TO OTHER STATES/JURISDICTIONS



In 2022, the average score in West Virginia (249) was
■ lower than those in 45 states/jurisdictions
■ higher than those in 0 states/jurisdictions
■ not significantly different from those in 6 states/jurisdictions

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

AVERAGE SCORES FOR STATE/JURISDICTION AND THE NATION (PUBLIC)



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RESULTS FOR STUDENT GROUPS IN 2022

REPORTING GROUPS	PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS	AVG. SCORE	PERCENTAGE AT OR ABOVE NAEP BASIC	PERCENTAGE AT NAEP PROFICIENT	PERCENTAGE AT NAEP ADVANCED
Race/Ethnicity					
White	89	250	61	22	2
Black	4	232	41	10	1
Hispanic	2	‡	‡	‡	‡
Asian	1	‡	‡	‡	‡
American Indian/Alaska Native	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or More Races	4	‡	‡	‡	‡
Gender					
Male	51	244	56	18	1
Female	49	255	64	25	3
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	47	240	50	14	1
Not eligible	52	258	69	28	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 2022, Black students had an average score that was 17 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (14 points).
- Data are not reported for Hispanic students in 2022, because reporting standards were not met.
- In 2022, male students in West Virginia had an average score that was lower than that for female students by 11 points.
- In 2022, students who were eligible for the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) 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 1998 (13 points).