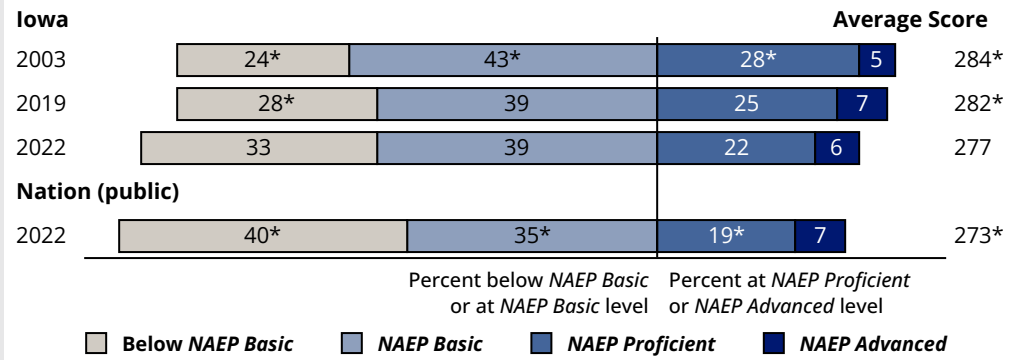


OVERALL RESULTS

- In 2022, the average score of eighth-grade students in Iowa was 277. This was higher than the average score of 273 for students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Iowa in 2022 (277) was lower than their average score in 2019 (282) and in 2003 (284).
- The percentage of students in Iowa who performed at or above the *NAEP Proficient* level was 28 percent in 2022. This percentage was smaller than that in 2019 (33 percent) and in 2003 (33 percent).
- The percentage of students in Iowa who performed at or above the *NAEP Basic* level was 67 percent in 2022. This percentage was smaller than that in 2019 (72 percent) and in 2003 (76 percent).

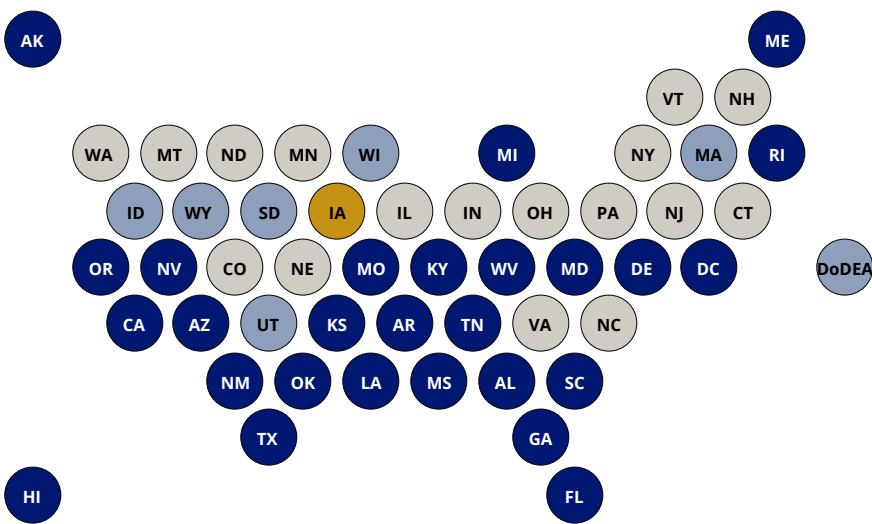
NAEP ACHIEVEMENT-LEVEL PERCENTAGES AND AVERAGE SCORE RESULTS



* 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.

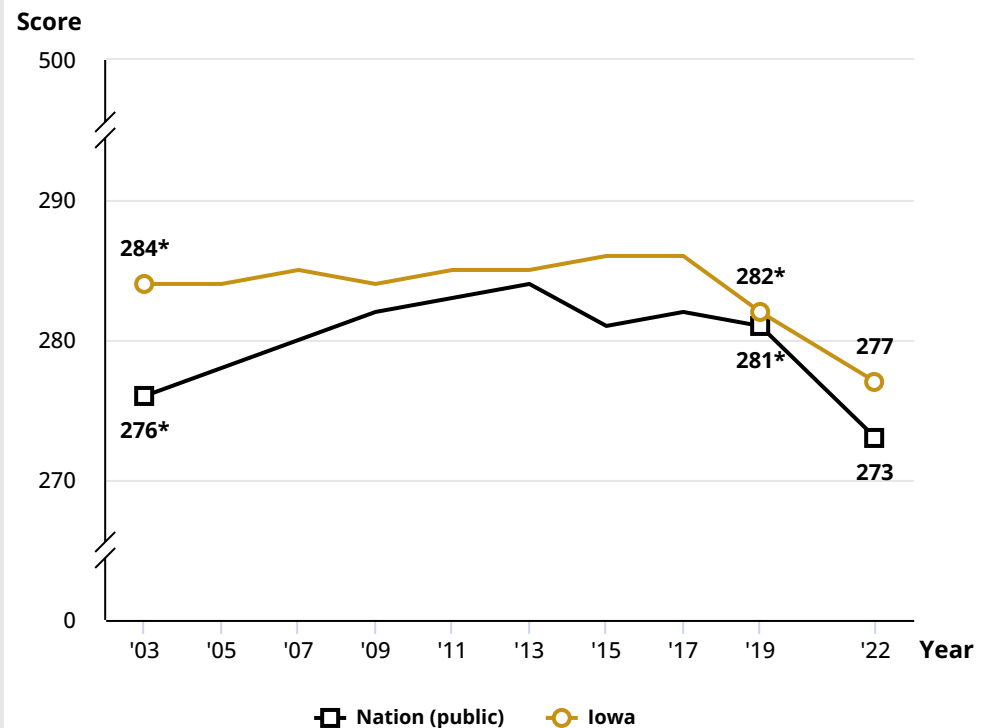
COMPARE THE AVERAGE SCORE IN 2022 TO OTHER STATES/JURISDICTIONS



In 2022, the average score in Iowa (277) was
■ lower than those in 7 states/jurisdictions
■ higher than those in 27 states/jurisdictions
■ not significantly different from those in 17 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 THE NATION (PUBLIC)



* Significantly different ($p < .05$) from 2022. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.

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	76	283	74	33	7
Black	6	248	31	9	1
Hispanic	11	256	43	7	#
Asian	2	‡	‡	‡	‡
American Indian/Alaska Native	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or More Races	4	261	50	13	2
Gender					
Male	52	278	68	30	7
Female	48	276	66	27	5
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	36	258	46	11	1
Not eligible	63	288	79	38	8

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 36 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2003 (30 points).
- In 2022, Hispanic 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 2003 (32 points).
- In 2022, male students in Iowa had an average score that was not significantly different from that for female students.
- In 2022, students who were eligible for the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) had an average score that was 30 points lower than that for students who were not eligible. This performance gap was wider than that in 2003 (24 points).