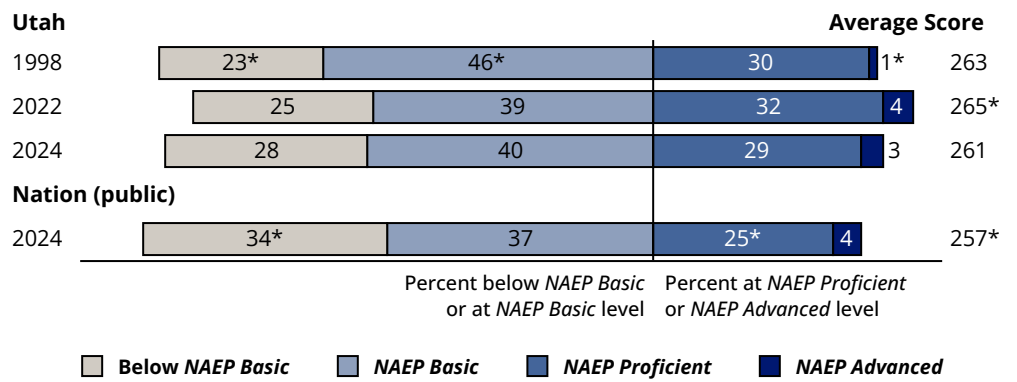


OVERALL RESULTS

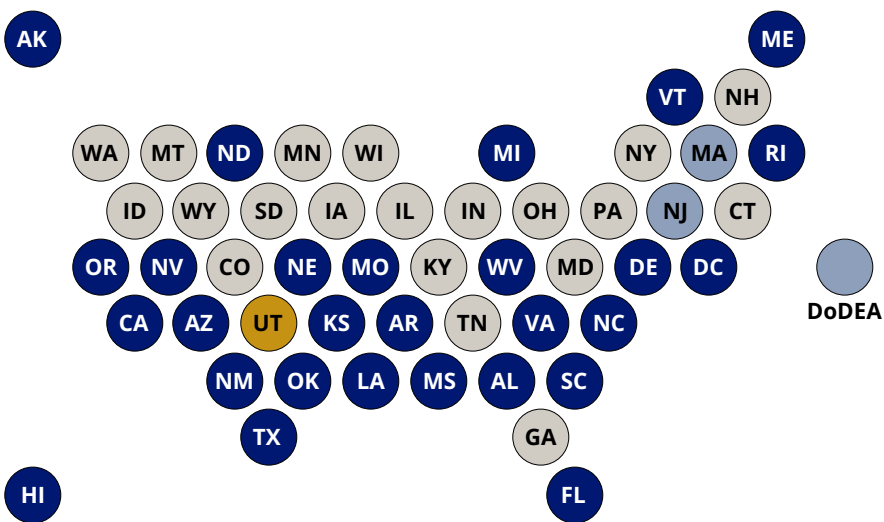
- In 2024, the average score of eighth-grade students in Utah was 261. This was higher than the average score of 257 for students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Utah in 2024 (261) was lower than their average score in 2022 (265) and was not significantly different from their average score in 1998 (263).
- The percentage of students in Utah who performed at or above the *NAEP Proficient* level was 31 percent in 2024. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2022 (36 percent) and in 1998 (31 percent).
- The percentage of students in Utah who performed at or above the *NAEP Basic* level was 72 percent in 2024. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2022 (75 percent) and was smaller than that in 1998 (77 percent).

NAEP ACHIEVEMENT-LEVEL PERCENTAGES AND AVERAGE SCORE RESULTS



* Significantly different ($p < .05$) from the state's results in 2024. 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.

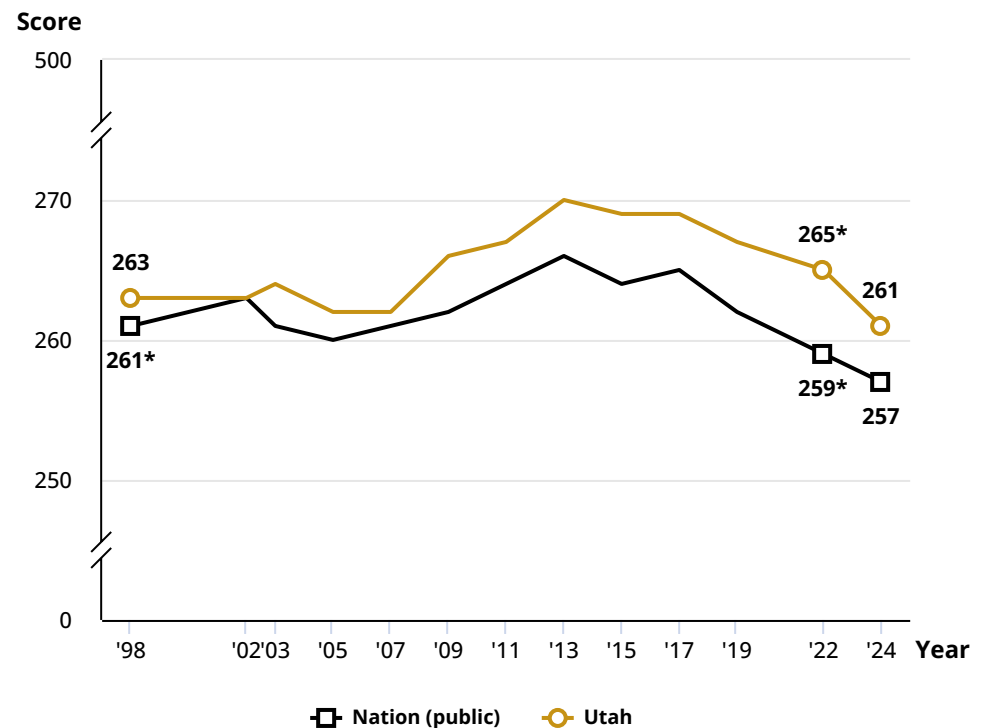
COMPARE THE AVERAGE SCORE IN 2024 TO OTHER STATES/JURISDICTIONS



In 2024, the average score in Utah (261) was
■ lower than those in 3 states/jurisdictions
■ higher than those in 28 states/jurisdictions
■ not significantly different from those in 20 states/jurisdictions

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

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



* Significantly different ($p < .05$) from 2024. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.

RESULTS FOR STUDENT GROUPS IN 2024

REPORTING GROUPS	PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS	AVG. SCORE	PERCENTAGE AT OR ABOVE NAEP BASIC	PERCENTAGE AT NAEP PROFICIENT	PERCENTAGE AT NAEP ADVANCED
Race/ethnicity					
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	248	58	17	1
Asian	2	‡	‡	‡	‡
Black	1	‡	‡	‡	‡
Hispanic	20	245	55	20	1
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or More Races	4	261	70	32	4
White	71	266	77	35	3
Gender					
Male	52	258	69	28	2
Female	48	265	75	35	4
Economically disadvantaged status					
Economically disadvantaged	28	246	56	19	1
Not economically disadvantaged	71	268	78	37	4

‡ Reporting standards not met.
NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding, and because the "Information not available" category for the Economically Disadvantaged Status 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 2024, because reporting standards were not met.
- In 2024, Hispanic students had an average score that was 21 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (21 points).
- In 2024, male students in Utah had an average score that was lower than that for female students by 7 points.
- In 2024, students who were identified as economically disadvantaged had an average score that was 22 points lower than that for students who were identified as not economically disadvantaged. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (20 points).