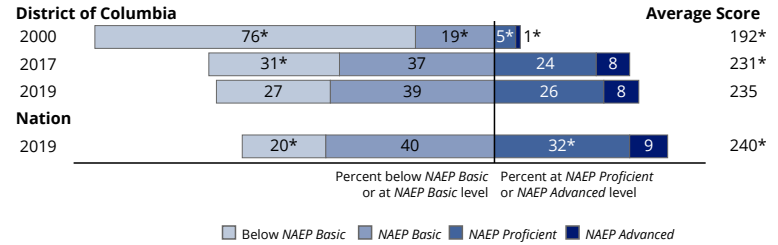


### Overall Results

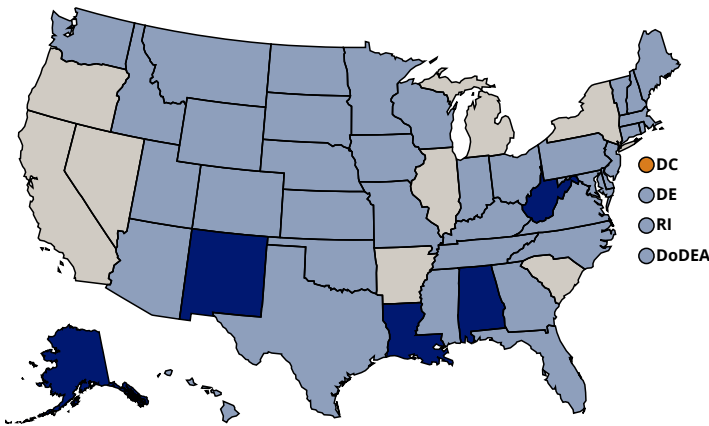
- In 2019, the average score of fourth-grade students in District of Columbia was 235. This was lower than the average score of 240 for students in the nation.
- The average score for students in District of Columbia in 2019 (235) was higher than their average score in 2017 (231) and in 2000 (192).
- The percentage of students in District of Columbia who performed at or above the *NAEP Proficient* level was 34 percent in 2019. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2017 (32 percent) and was higher than that in 2000 (5 percent).
- The percentage of students in District of Columbia who performed at or above the *NAEP Basic* level was 73 percent in 2019. This percentage was higher than that in 2017 (69 percent) and in 2000 (24 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.

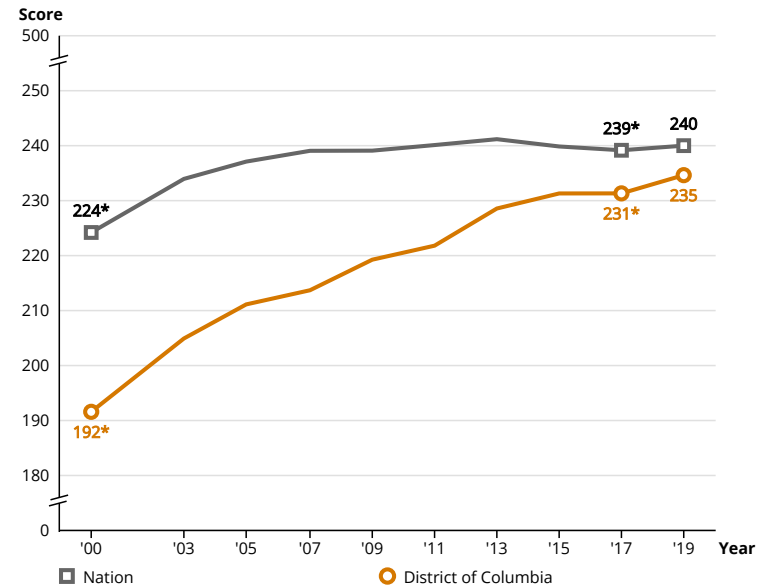
### Compare the Average Score in 2019 to Other States/Jurisdictions



In 2019, the average score in District of Columbia (235) was  
■ lower than those in 38 states/jurisdictions  
■ higher than those in 5 states/jurisdictions  
■ not significantly different from those in 8 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	
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>					
White	13	273	97	84	37
Black	65	226	67	22	2
Hispanic	18	233	73	33	4
Asian	2	†	†	†	†
American Indian/Alaska Native	#	†	†	†	†
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	†	†	†	†
Two or more races	3	†	†	†	†
<b>Gender</b>					
Male	50	235	73	35	9
Female	50	234	73	33	7
<b>National School Lunch Program</b>					
Eligible	73	226	67	23	2
Not eligible	27	258	89	64	24

# 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 2019, Black students had an average score that was 47 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was narrower than that in 2000 (66 points).
- In 2019, Hispanic students had an average score that was 40 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was narrower than that in 2000 (64 points).
- In 2019, male students in District of Columbia 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 32 points lower than that for students who were not eligible. This performance gap was that in 2000 (32 points).