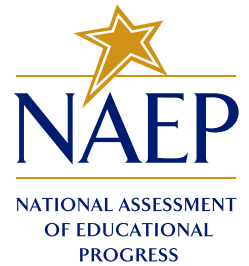
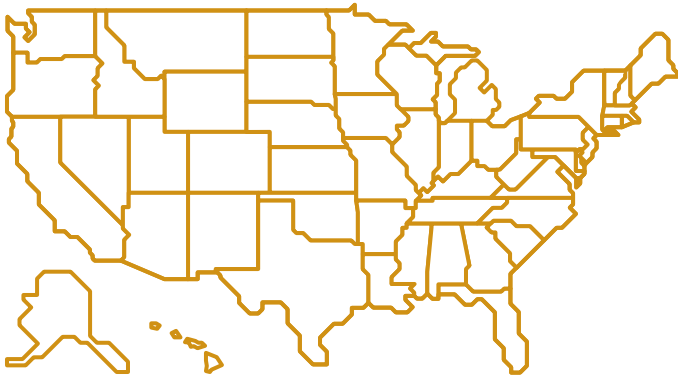


NAEP Survey Questionnaires 101



NAEP Survey Questionnaires (SQs): Learn how your child's participation helps improve your school and schools around the country.



What is NAEP?

The National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) is the largest nationally representative and continuing assessment of what students in the United States know and can do in various subjects.



What are NAEP SQs?

NAEP SQs are administered as part of the NAEP assessment and collect contextual information about students' opportunities to learn in and out of the classroom.

Who completes NAEP SQs?



STUDENTS

How often do you use the Internet for homework at home?



TEACHERS

How many years have you worked as an elementary or secondary teacher?



PRINCIPALS

Does your school offer online mathematics courses for credit?

Responses to NAEP SQs are confidential and not linked to individual students. This information helps explain what factors affect student performance and contributes to NAEP results overall.

How do NAEP and NAEP SQs work together?



PERFORMANCE

NAEP assessments measure what students know and can do in various subjects, including mathematics, reading, science, and writing.



CONTEXT

Responses to NAEP SQs put NAEP assessment results into context and allow for meaningful comparison between student groups.



Who uses the data from NAEP and NAEP SQs?

POLICYMAKERS

SCHOOL DISTRICTS

EDUCATORS

RESEARCHERS

MEDIA

What is the value of the NAEP assessment?

How states and districts use NAEP results.



North Carolina - In 2005, results from the NAEP reading assessment revealed that eighth-grade students in North Carolina scored below the national average. In response, the state deployed more than 200 literacy coaches to middle schools around the state to help teachers reach students with reading difficulties before they made the transition to high school.



Detroit, MI - In 2009, NAEP results indicated low reading scores among Detroit students in both grades 4 and 8. In response, the Detroit Free Press partnered with Detroit Public Schools to create a new Reading Corps initiative encouraging volunteers to serve as reading tutors in schools.

To learn more about NAEP, visit nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard

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