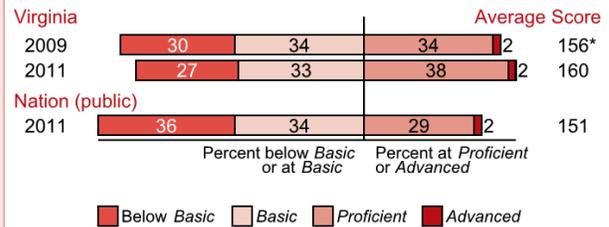


Overall Results

- In 2011, the average score of eighth-grade students in Virginia was 160. This was higher than the average score of 151 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Virginia in 2011 (160) was higher than their average score in 2009 (156).
- In 2011, the score gap between students in Virginia at the 75th percentile and students at the 25th percentile was 43 points. This performance gap was not significantly different from that of 2009 (43 points).
- The percentage of students in Virginia who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 40 percent in 2011. This percentage was greater than that in 2009 (36 percent).
- The percentage of students in Virginia who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 73 percent in 2011. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2009 (70 percent).

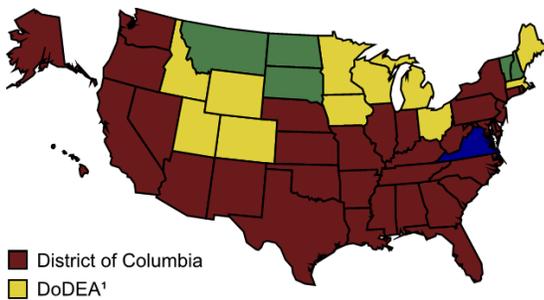
Achievement-Level Percentages and Average Score Results



* Significantly different ($p < .05$) from state's results in 2011. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.

NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding.

Compare the Average Score in 2011 to Other States/Jurisdictions

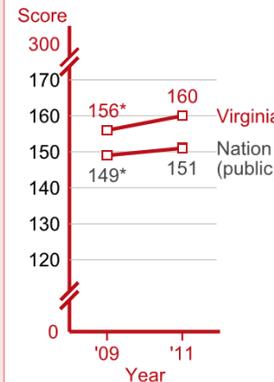


¹ Department of Defense Education Activity (overseas and domestic schools).

In 2011, the average score in **Virginia** (160) was

- lower than those in 5 states/jurisdictions
- higher than those in 34 states/jurisdictions
- not significantly different from those in 12 states/jurisdictions

Average Scores for State/Jurisdiction and Nation (public)



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Results for Student Groups in 2011

Reporting Groups	Percent of students	Avg. score	Percentages at or above		Percent at Advanced
			Basic	Proficient	
Race/Ethnicity					
White	57	169	84	51	3
Black	22	138	48	15	#
Hispanic	11	145	58	24	#
Asian	6	172	86	55	5
American Indian/Alaska Native	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	4	171	83	53	7
Gender					
Male	51	161	74	43	3
Female	49	158	72	38	2
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	32	144	55	22	#
Not eligible	68	167	82	49	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 2011, Black students had an average score that was 31 points lower than White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2009 (31 points).
- In 2011, Hispanic students had an average score that was 24 points lower than White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2009 (22 points).
- In 2011, male students in Virginia had an average score that was not significantly different from female students.
- In 2011, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low family income, had an average score that was 23 points lower than students who were not eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2009 (22 points).