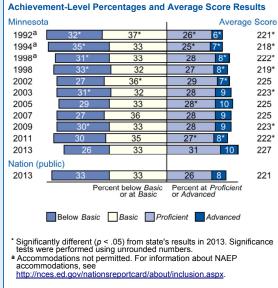
Overall Results

- In 2013, the average score of fourth-grade students in Minnesota was 227. This was higher than the average score of 221 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Minnesota in 2013 (227) was higher than their average score in 2011 (222) and in 1992 (221).
- The score gap between higher performing students in Minnesota (those at the 75th percentile) and lower performing students (those at the 25th percentile) was 45 points in 2013. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1992 (43 points).
- The percentage of students in Minnesota who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 41 percent in 2013. This percentage was greater than that in 2011 (35 percent) and in 1992 (31 percent).
- The percentage of students in Minnesota who performed at or above the NAEP Basic level was 74 percent in 2013. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2011 (70 percent) and was greater than that in 1992 (68 percent).



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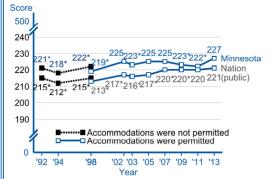
Compare the Average Score in 2013 to Other States/Jurisdictions



¹ Department of Defense Education Activity (overseas and domestic schools). In 2013, the average score in Minnesota (227) was

- lower than those in 4 states/jurisdictions
- higher than those in 30 states/jurisdictions
- not significantly different from those in 17 states/jurisdictions





* Significantly different (p < .05) from 2013. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.

NOTE: For information about NAEP accommodations, see http://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/about/inclusion.aspx.

Results for Student Groups in 2013

			Percentages		
	Percent of	Avg.	at or a	bove	Percent at
Reporting Groups	students	score	Basic Pr	oficient	Advanced
Race/Ethnicity					
White	72	233	80	47	12
Black	9	208	55	21	3
Hispanic	7	207	53	23	3
Asian	7	223	68	44	13
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	‡	‡	#	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	#	‡
Two or more races	3	215	61	27	7
Gender					
Male	51	223	70	37	8
Female	49	231	78	46	13
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	36	209	56	23	3
Not eligible	64	237	84	52	14

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 2013, Black students had an average score that was 25 points lower than White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1992 (34 points).
- In 2013, Hispanic students had an average score that was 25 points lower than White students. Data are not reported for Hispanic students in 1992, because reporting standards were not met.
- In 2013, female students in Minnesota had an average score that was higher than male students by 8 points.
- In 2013, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low family income, had an average score that was 28 points lower than students who were not eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (30 points).