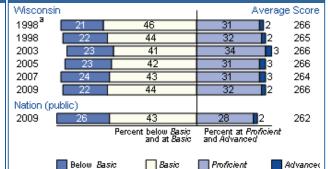
### Overall Results

- In 2009, the average score of eighth-grade students in Wisconsin was 266. This was higher than the average score of 262 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Wisconsin in 2009 (266) was not significantly different from their average score in 2007 (264) and was not significantly different from their average score in 1998 (265).
- In 2009, the score gap between students in Wisconsin at the 75th percentile and students at the 25th percentile was 42 points. This performance gap was not significantly different from that of 1998 (41 points).
- The percentage of students in Wisconsin who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 34 percent in 2009. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2007 (33 percent) and was not significantly different from that in 1998 (34 percent).
- The percentage of students in Wisconsin who performed at or above the NAEP Basic level was 78 percent in 2009. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2007 (76 percent) and was not significantly different from that in 1998 (78 percent).

## Achievement Level Percentages and Average Score Results



a Accommodations not permitted.

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

# Compare the Average Score in 2009 to Other States/Jurisdictions

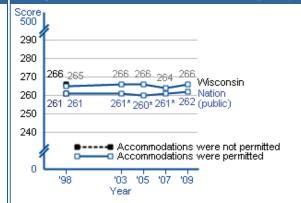


<sup>1</sup> Department of Defense Education Activity schools (domestic and overseas).

In 2009, the average score in Wisconsin was

- lower than those in 11 states/jurisdictions
- higher than those in 20 states/jurisdictions
- not significantly different from those in 20 states/jurisdictions

## Average Scores for State/Jurisdiction and Nation (public)



\* Significantly different (p < .05) from 2009.

#### **Results for Student Groups in 2009**

	Percent of	Ava.		entages at above	Percent at
Reporting Groups			Basic	Proficient	Advanced
Gender					
Male	51	260	74	27	1
Female	49	271	82	41	3
Race/Ethnicity					
White	79	271	84	39	3
Black	10	238	48	9	#
Hispanic	6	250	60	15	1
Asian/Pacific Islander	3	265	75	34	3
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	‡	#	#	‡
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	30	249	61	18	1
Not eligible	67	273	85	41	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, and the "Unclassified" category for race/ethnicity are not displayed.

#### Score Gaps for Student Groups

- In 2009, female students in Wisconsin had an average score that was higher than that of male students.
- In 2009, Black students had an average score that was 33 points lower than that of White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (35 points).
- In 2009, Hispanic students had an average score that was 21 points lower than that of White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (13 points).
- In 2009, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low income, had an average score that was 24 points lower than that of students who were not eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (20 points).