Reading 2009

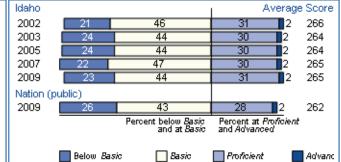
State Snapshot Report

### **Overall Results**

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- In 2009, the average score of eighth-grade students in Idaho was 265. This was higher than the average score of 262 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Idaho in 2009 (265) was not significantly different from their average score in 2007 (265) and was not significantly different from their average score in 2002 (266).
- In 2009, the score gap between students in Idaho at the 75th percentile and students at the 25th percentile was 42 points. This performance gap was not significantly different from that of 2002 (40 points).
- The percentage of students in Idaho who performed at or above the NAEP Proficient level was 33 percent in 2009. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2007 (32 percent) and was not significantly different from that in 2002 (34 percent).
- The percentage of students in Idaho who performed at or above the NAEP Basic level was 77 percent in 2009. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2007 (78 percent) and was not significantly different from that in 2002 (79 percent).

## **Achievement-Level Percentages and Average Score Results**



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

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

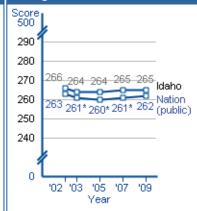


<sup>1</sup> Department of Defense Education Activity schools (domestic and overseas).

In 2009, the average score in Idaho was

- lower than those in 14 states/jurisdictions
- higher than those in 19 states/jurisdictions
- not significantly different from those in 18 states/jurisdictions

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



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

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

	Percent of	Δνα		entages at	Percent at
Reporting Groups		-		Proficient	
Gender					
Male	51	259	71	26	1
Female	49	271	83	40	3
Race/Ethnicity					
White	82	269	82	37	2
Black	1	‡	#	‡	‡
Hispanic	14	241	50	11	#
Asian/Pacific Islander	2	‡	#	‡	‡
American Indian/Alaska Native	2	‡	‡	‡	‡
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	36	254	66	21	1
Not eligible	62	271	83	39	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 Idaho had an average score that was higher than that of male students.
- Data are not reported for Black students in 2009, because reporting standards were not met.
- In 2009, Hispanic students had an average score that was 28 points lower than that of White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2002 (21 points).
- In 2009, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low income, had an average score that was 17 points lower than that of students who were not eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch. This performance gap was wider than that in 2002 (11 points).

NOTE: Statistical comparisons are calculated on the basis of unrounded scale scores or percentages.