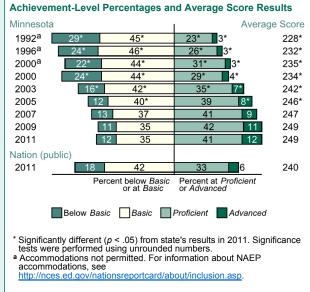
Overall Results

- In 2011, the average score of fourth-grade students in Minnesota was 249. This was higher than the average score of 240 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Minnesota in 2011 (249) was not significantly different from their average score in 2009 (249) and was higher than their average score in 1992 (228).
- In 2011, the score gap between students in Minnesota at the 75th percentile and students at the 25th percentile was 38 points. This performance gap was not significantly different from that of 1992 (40 points).
- The percentage of students in Minnesota who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 53 percent in 2011. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2009 (54 percent) and was greater than that in 1992 (26 percent).
- The percentage of students in Minnesota who performed at or above the NAEP Basic level was 88 percent in 2011. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2009 (89 percent) and was greater than that in 1992 (71 percent).



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



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

In 2011, the average score in Minnesota (249) was

- lower than those in 2 states/jurisdictions
- higher than those in 47 states/jurisdictions
- not significantly different from those in 2 states/jurisdictions

Average Scores for State/Jurisdiction and Nation (public) Score 500 246* 247 249 249 250 ■ Minnesota 235*234* 240 234*237*239*239*240(public) -0--0-28 230 226 220 224 222* 119* 210

Significantly different (p < .05) from 2011. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.

Year

---■ Accommodations were not permitted --- Accommodations were permitted

'03 '05 '07 '09 '11

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

'00

Results for Student Groups in 2011

		Perce	entages at	
Percent of	Avg.	or	above	Percent at
students	score	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
73	255	94	60	14
9	225	63	23	3
9	230	73	28	2
5	253	87	57	16
2	233	74	30	4
#	‡	#	‡	#
2	237	77	39	6
50	250	88	54	13
50	248	88	52	11
38	235	78	33	3
62	258	94	65	17
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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

'96

200

0

'92

- 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 1992 (38 points).
- In 2011, 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 2011, male students in Minnesota 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 1996 (20 points).

