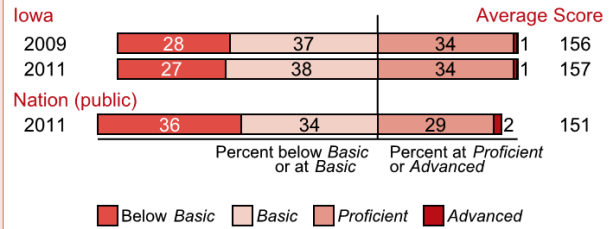


Overall Results

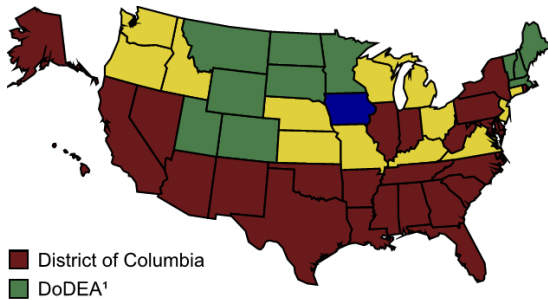
- In 2011, the average score of eighth-grade students in Iowa was 157. This was higher than the average score of 151 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Iowa in 2011 (157) was not significantly different from their average score in 2009 (156).
- In 2011, the score gap between students in Iowa at the 75th percentile and students at the 25th percentile was 38 points. This performance gap was not significantly different from that of 2009 (39 points).
- The percentage of students in Iowa who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 35 percent in 2011. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2009 (35 percent).
- The percentage of students in Iowa who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 73 percent in 2011. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2009 (72 percent).

Achievement-Level Percentages and Average Score Results



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

Compare the Average Score in 2011 to Other States/Jurisdictions

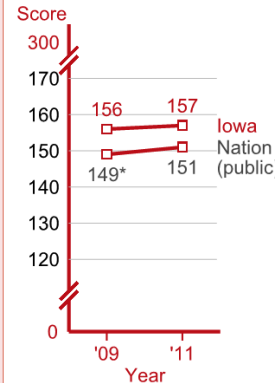


¹ Department of Defense Education Activity (overseas and domestic schools).

In 2011, the average score in Iowa (157) was

- lower than those in 12 states/jurisdictions
- higher than those in 26 states/jurisdictions
- not significantly different from those in 13 states/jurisdictions

Average Scores for State/Jurisdiction and Nation (public)



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

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	82	161	77	39	1
Black	5	128	34	10	#
Hispanic	8	143	57	15	#
Asian	2	‡	‡	‡	‡
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	2	‡	‡	‡	‡
Gender					
Male	51	159	75	38	1
Female	49	155	72	33	1
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	38	147	60	22	#
Not eligible	62	164	81	44	1

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 32 points lower than White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2009 (33 points).
- In 2011, Hispanic students had an average score that was 17 points lower than White students. This performance gap was narrower than that in 2009 (26 points).
- In 2011, male students in Iowa had an average score that was higher than female students by 4 points.
- In 2011, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low family income, had an average score that was 17 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 (20 points).