## **Overall Results**

- In 2013, the average score of fourth-grade students in Nebraska was 223. This was higher than the average score of 221 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Nebraska in 2013 (223) was not significantly different from their average score in 2011 (223) and in 1992 (221).
- The score gap between higher performing students in Nebraska (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 (41 points).
- The percentage of students in Nebraska who performed at or above the NAEP Proficient level was 37 percent in 2013. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2011 (36 percent) and was greater than that in 1992 (31 percent).
- The percentage of students in Nebraska who performed at or above the NAEP Basic level was 71 percent in 2013. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2011 (70 percent) and in 1992 (68 percent).



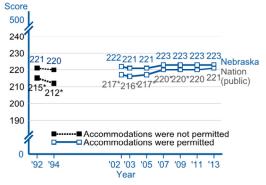


Department of Defense Education Activity (overseas and domestic schools).

In 2013, the average score in Nebraska (223) was

- lower than those in 12 states/jurisdictions
- higher than those in 20 states/jurisdictions
- not significantly different from those in 19 states/jurisdictions





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

NOTE: For information about NAEP accommodations, see <a href="http://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/about/inclusion.aspx">http://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/about/inclusion.aspx</a>.

## **Results for Student Groups in 2013**

			Percentages		
	Percent of	Avg.	at or above		Percent at
Reporting Groups	students	score	Basic Pi	roficient	Advanced
Race/Ethnicity					
White	70	229	77	43	10
Black	6	202	48	16	3
Hispanic	17	207	54	22	3
Asian	2	232	80	53	16
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	‡	<b>+</b>	<b>‡</b>	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	- #	‡	<b>+</b>	<b>‡</b>	‡
Two or more races	3	223	70	35	8
Gender					
Male	51	221	70	36	7
Female	49	225	72	39	9
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	45	209	56	23	3
Not eligible	55	234	83	49	13

# 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 27 points lower than White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1992 (28 points).
- In 2013, Hispanic students had an average score that was 22 points lower than White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1992 (19 points).
- In 2013, female students in Nebraska had an average score that was higher than male students by 4 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 25 points lower than students who were not eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2002 (22 points).