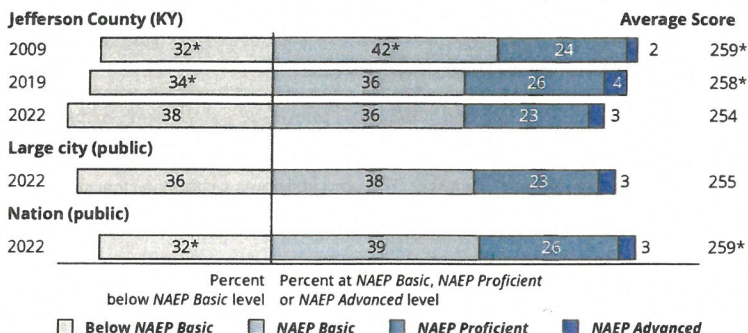


OVERALL RESULTS

- In 2022, the average score of eighth-grade students in Jefferson County was 254. This was not significantly different from the average score of 255 for students in large cities.
- The average score for students in Jefferson County in 2022 (254) was lower than their average score in 2019 (258) and in 2009 (259).
- The percentage of students in Jefferson County who performed at or above the NAEP Proficient level was 26 percent in 2022. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2019 (30 percent) and in 2009 (26 percent).
- The percentage of students in Jefferson County who performed at or above the NAEP Basic level was 62 percent in 2022. This percentage was smaller than that in 2019 (66 percent) and in 2009 (68 percent).

NAEP ACHIEVEMENT-LEVEL PERCENTAGES AND AVERAGE SCORE RESULTS



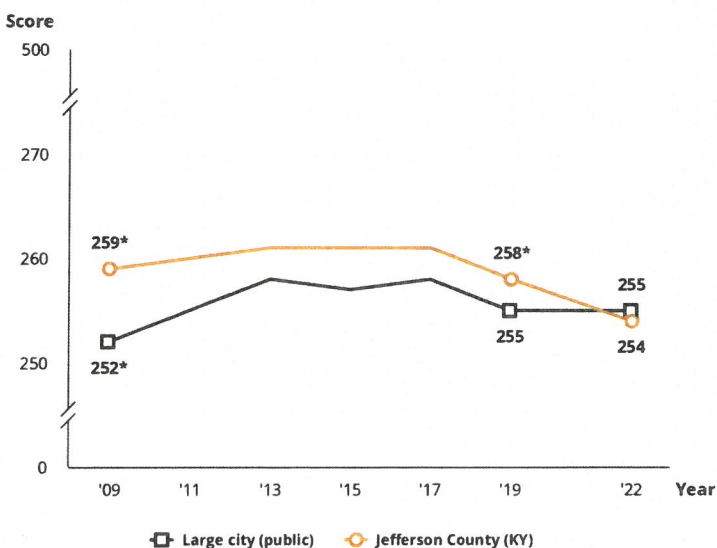
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COMPARE THE AVERAGE SCORE IN 2022 TO OTHER DISTRICTS

In 2022, the average score in Jefferson County (KY) (254) was

Lower Than 3 Districts	Not Significantly Different From 12 Districts	Higher Than 10 Districts
Hillsborough County Miami-Dade San Diego	Atlanta Austin Boston Charlotte Chicago Clark County Denver District of Columbia Duval County Guilford County Los Angeles New York City	Albuquerque Baltimore City Cleveland Dallas Detroit Fort Worth Houston Milwaukee Philadelphia Shelby County

AVERAGE SCORES FOR DISTRICT AND LARGE CITIES



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RESULTS FOR STUDENT GROUPS IN 2022

REPORTING GROUPS	PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS	AVG. SCORE	PERCENTAGE AT OR ABOVE NAEP BASIC	PERCENTAGE AT NAEP PROFICIENT	PERCENTAGE AT NAEP ADVANCED
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>					
White	38	266	74	37	4
Black	38	238	46	12	1
Hispanic	14	251	58	23	1
Asian	4	†	†	†	†
American Indian/Alaska Native	#	†	†	†	†
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	†	†	†	†
Two or More Races	5	†	†	†	†
<b>Gender</b>					
Male	51	248	56	21	2
Female	49	259	68	30	4
<b>National School Lunch Program</b>					
Eligible	68	245	54	17	1
Not eligible	32	272	78	43	7

# 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

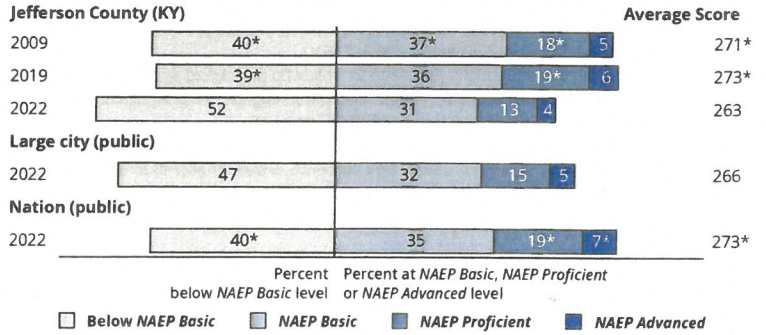
- In 2022, Black students had an average score that was 28 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2009 (22 points).
- In 2022, Hispanic students had an average score that was 15 points lower than that for White students. Data are not reported for Hispanic students in 2009, because reporting standards were not met.
- In 2022, male students in Jefferson County had an average score that was lower than that for female students by 11 points.
- In 2022, students who were eligible for the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) had an average score that was 27 points lower than that for students who were not eligible. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2009 (23 points).

NOTE: The NAEP reading scale ranges from 0 to 500. Results presented in this report are based on public school students only. Statistical comparisons are calculated on the basis of unrounded scale scores or percentages. Score gap results for "White," "Black," and "Hispanic" presented in this report are based on the 6-category race/ethnicity variable with data available starting in early 1990s. Read more about how to interpret NAEP results from the reading assessment at [interpret results](#). For more information and additional comparisons please visit the [Nation's Report Card](#) and [NAEP Data Explorer](#).  
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, Institute of Education Sciences, National Center for Education Statistics, National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP), 2009–2022 Reading Assessments.

OVERALL RESULTS

- In 2022, the average score of eighth-grade students in Jefferson County was 263. This was not significantly different from the average score of 266 for students in large cities.
- The average score for students in Jefferson County in 2022 (263) was lower than their average score in 2019 (273) and in 2009 (271).
- The percentage of students in Jefferson County who performed at or above the *NAEP Proficient* level was 17 percent in 2022. This percentage was smaller than that in 2019 (26 percent) and was not significantly different from that in 2009 (22 percent).
- The percentage of students in Jefferson County who performed at or above the *NAEP Basic* level was 48 percent in 2022. This percentage was smaller than that in 2019 (61 percent) and in 2009 (60 percent).

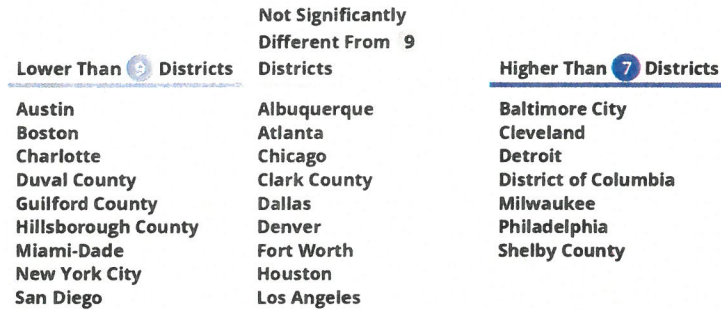
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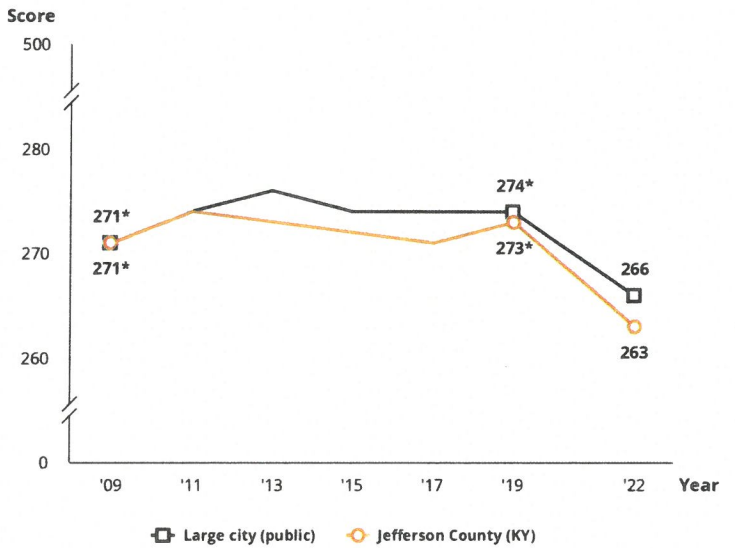
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COMPARE THE AVERAGE SCORE IN 2022 TO OTHER DISTRICTS

In 2022, the average score in Jefferson County (KY) (263) was



AVERAGE SCORES FOR DISTRICT AND LARGE CITIES



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RESULTS FOR STUDENT GROUPS IN 2022

REPORTING GROUPS	PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS	AVG. SCORE	PERCENTAGE AT OR ABOVE NAEP BASIC	PERCENTAGE AT NAEP PROFICIENT	PERCENTAGE AT NAEP ADVANCED
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>					
White	38	278	67	28	7
Black	38	245	28	4	#
Hispanic	14	257	43	15	2
Asian	4	‡	‡	‡	‡
American Indian/Alaska Native	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or More Races	5	‡	‡	‡	‡
<b>Gender</b>					
Male	51	263	48	17	4
Female	49	262	48	17	4
<b>National School Lunch Program</b>					
Eligible	70	252	38	8	1
Not eligible	30	288	72	40	12

# Rounds to zero.

‡ Reporting standards not met.

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SCORE GAPS FOR STUDENT GROUPS

- In 2022, Black students had an average score that was 33 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2009 (32 points).
- In 2022, Hispanic students had an average score that was 21 points lower than that for White students. Data are not reported for Hispanic students in 2009, because reporting standards were not met.
- In 2022, male students in Jefferson County had an average score that was not significantly different from that for female students.
- In 2022, students who were eligible for the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) had an average score that was 35 points lower than that for students who were not eligible. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2009 (30 points).