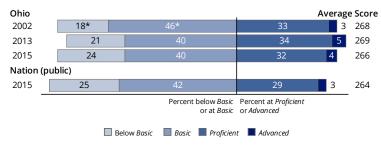
### **2015** Reading State Snapshot Report

Ohio • Grade 8 • Public Schools

#### **Overall Results**

- In 2015, the average score of eighth-grade students in Ohio was 266. This was not significantly different from the average score of 264 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Ohio in 2015 (266) was not significantly different from their average score in 2013 (269) and in 2002 (268).
- The percentage of students in Ohio who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 36 percent in 2015. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2013 (39 percent) and in 2002 (35 percent).
- The percentage of students in Ohio who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 76 percent in 2015. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2013 (79 percent) and was smaller than that in 2002 (82 percent).

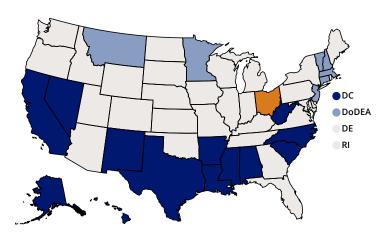
### Achievement-Level Percentages and Average Score Results



<sup>\*</sup> Significantly different (p < .05) from state's results in 2015. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.

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# Compare the Average Score in 2015 to Other States/Jurisdictions



In 2015, the average score in Ohio (266) was

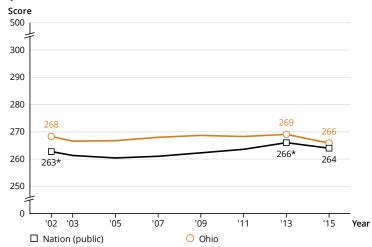
lower than those in 8 states/jurisdictions

higher than those in 14 states/jurisdictions

not significantly different from those in 29 states/jurisdictions

DoDEA = Department of Defense Education Activity (overseas and domestic schools)

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



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#### **Results for Student Groups in 2015**

	Percentage			entage at	Percentage
	of	Avg.		above	at
Reporting Groups	students	score	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
Race/Ethnicity					
White	74	271	81	41	4
Black	16	245	55	14	1
Hispanic	3	255	68	26	1
Asian	2	272	72	49	13
American Indian/Alaska Native	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islande	r #	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	4	260	72	28	2
Gender					
Male	51	261	72	31	2
Female	49	271	80	41	5
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	48	252	64	20	1
Not eligible	52	279	87	50	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 2015, Black students had an average score that was 26 points lower than that for White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2002 (27 points).
- In 2015, Hispanic students had an average score that was 15 points not significantly different from that for White students. Data are not reported for Hispanic students in 2002, because reporting standards were not met.
- In 2015, female students in Ohio had an average score that was higher than that for male students by 10 points.
- In 2015, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low family income, had an average score that was 27 points lower than that for students who were not eligible. This performance gap was wider than that in 2002 (16 points).

