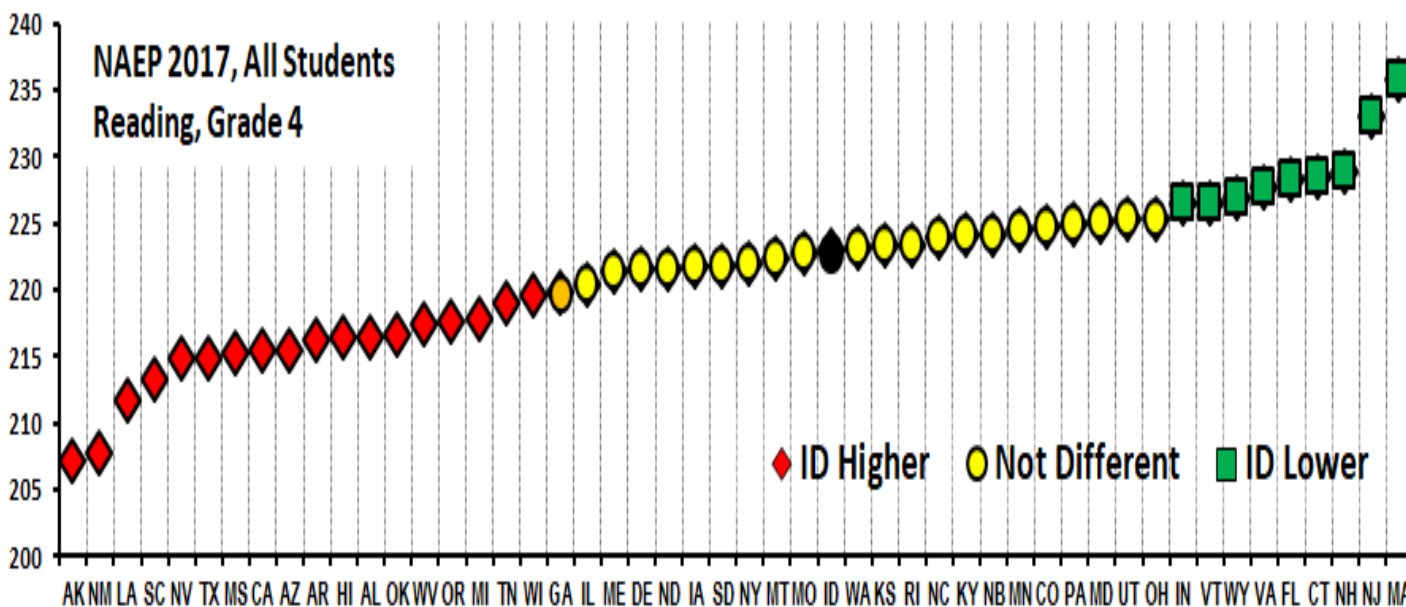




## Idaho Average Score vs. the Other States—All Students NAEP 2017 Reading, Grade 4

The National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) reading assessment used multiple-choice and constructed-response items to examine student knowledge and skills using grade-appropriate literary and informational texts. Scores range from zero (0) to 500, where 208 is *Basic* (meets grade-level expectations), 238 is *Proficient* (higher than grade level performance), and 268 is *Advanced*. NAEP does not sample students enrolled in virtual charter schools.



### NAEP 2017 Reading Assessment, Grade 4:

- Idaho's fourth graders had a NAEP 2017 average reading score that was *higher* than their peers in eighteen (18) states: AK, AL, AR, AZ, CA, HI, LA, MI, MS, NM, NV, OK, OR, SC, TN, TX, WI, and WV.
- Idaho's fourth graders had a NAEP 2017 average reading score that was *not significantly different* from their peers in twenty-two (22) states: CO, DE, GA, IA, IL, KS, KY, MD, ME, MN, MO, MT, NB, NC, ND, NY, OH, PA, RI, SD, UT, and WA.
- Idaho's fourth graders had a NAEP 2017 average reading score that was *lower* than their peers in nine (9) states: CT, FL, IN, MA, NH, NJ, VA, VT, and WY.
- Idaho's fourth graders in 2017 were *not statistically different* in reading knowledge and skills from their peers in public schools across the nation.

**Note:** Comparisons based on statistical tests (.05 level) using unrounded numbers that considered the magnitude of difference and standard errors. **Source:** U.S. Department of Education, Institute of Education Sciences, National Center for Education Statistics, National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP), 2017 Reading Assessment, Grade 4.