



National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) Results Comparison

- 1. In Arizona, there is very little difference between charter and district school average scale scores.**

Arizona				
Grade/Subject	Charter		District	
	Average Scale Score	Standard Error	Average Scale Score	Standard Error
4th Reading	207	4.8	210	1.8
4th Math	235	4.7	232	1.2
8th Reading	260	10.9	255	1.3
8th Math	282	9.5	275	1.3

According to NAEP, "Standard Error" is a measure of sampling variability and measurement error for a statistic.

- 2. On the national level, average scale scores between all charter schools and district schools are very close. Comparing Arizona charter schools to district schools at the national level only very small differences exist.**

Nation				
Grade/Subject	Charter		District	
	Average Scale Score	Standard Error	Average Scale Score	Standard Error
4th Reading	214	2.3	220	0.3
4th Math	234	1.7	239	0.2
8th Reading	260	1.9	261	0.2
8th Math	273	2.7	280	0.2

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