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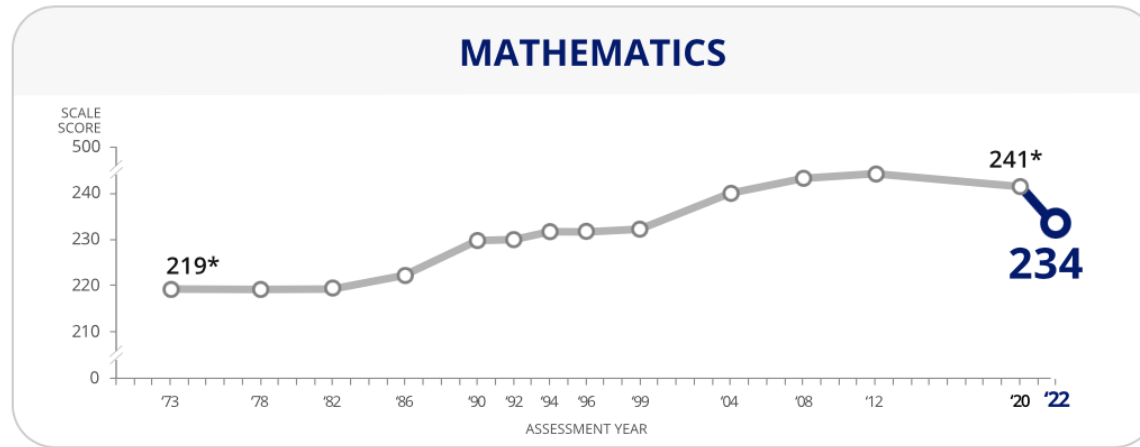
# NAEP Long-Term Trend Assessment Results: Reading and Mathematics



Score change between 2020 and 2022

**5**

Largest score drop in reading since 1990



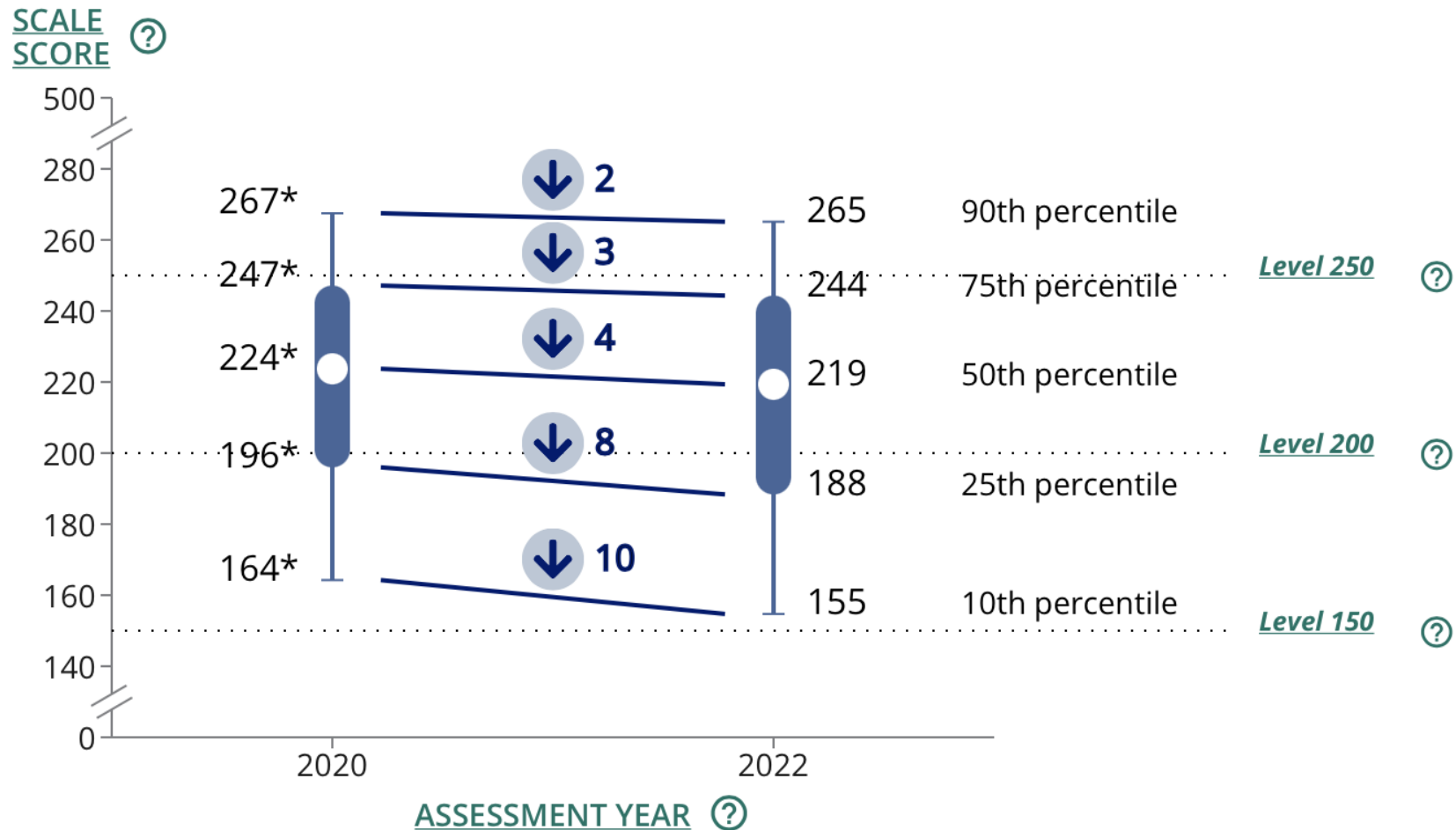
Score change between 2020 and 2022

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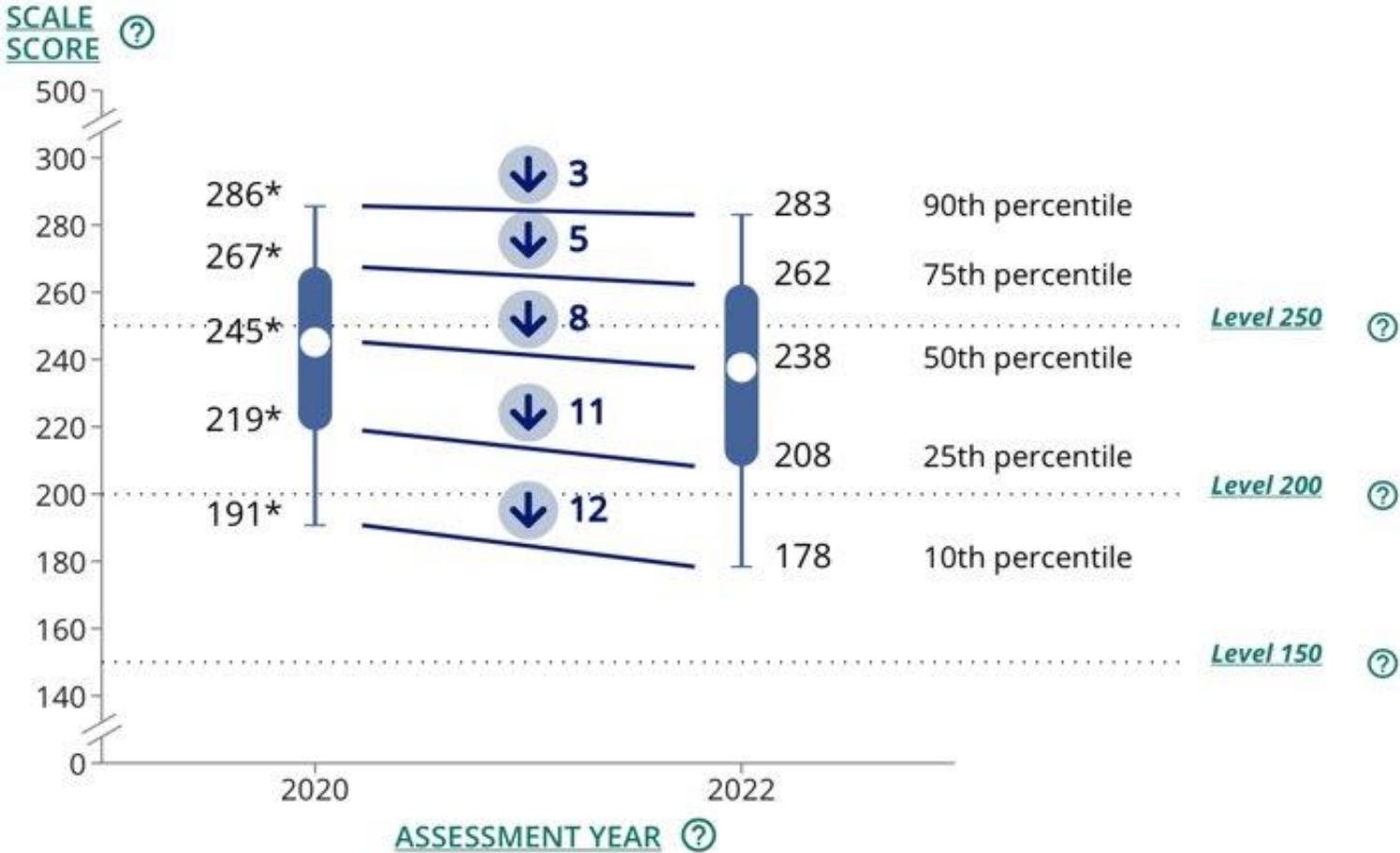
First ever score drop in mathematics

\* Significantly different ( $p < .05$ ) from 2022.

# NAEP Long-Term Trend Assessment Results: Reading

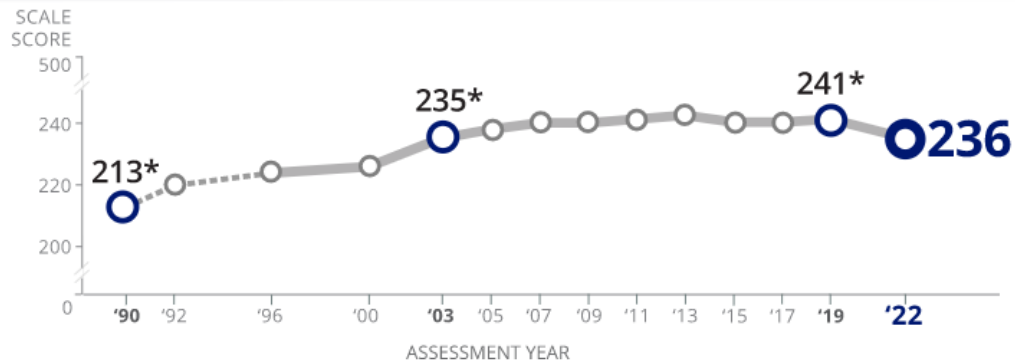


# NAEP Long-Term Trend Assessment Results: Mathematics



# 2022 | NAEP Mathematics Assessment | Highlights

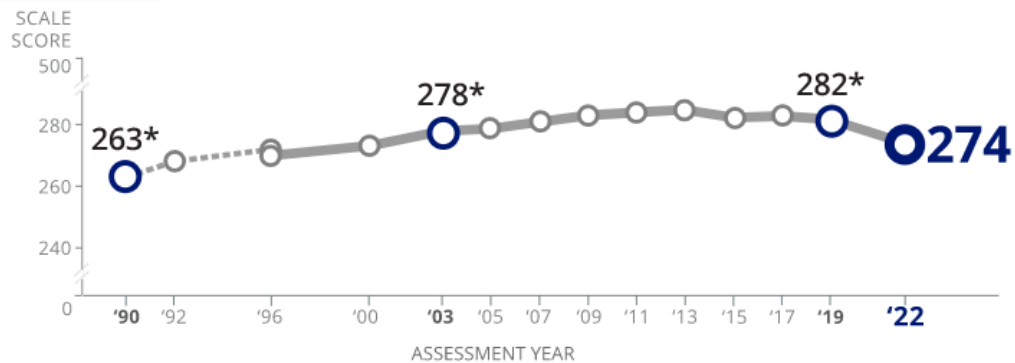
## GRADE 4



↑ **23pts**  
compared to 1990

↓ **5pts**  
compared to 2019

## GRADE 8

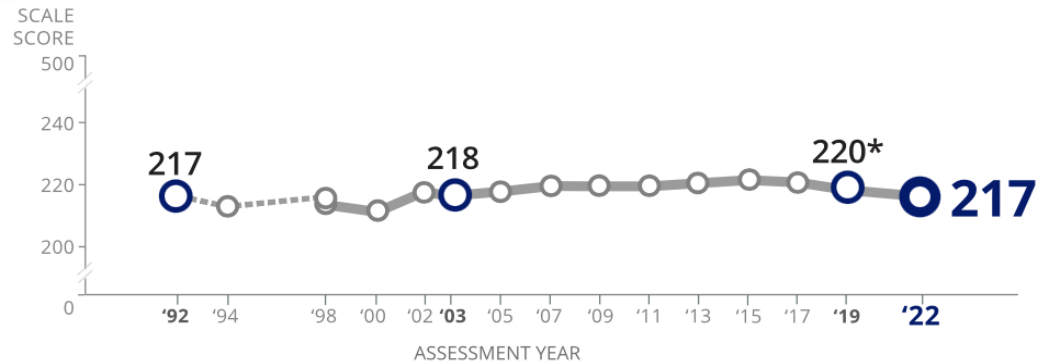


↑ **12pts**  
compared to 1990

↓ **8pts**  
compared to 2019

# 2022 | NAEP Reading Assessment | Highlights

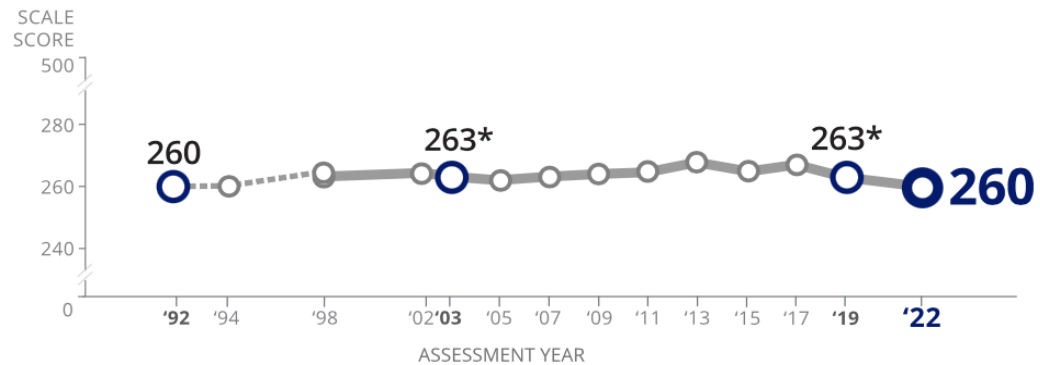
## GRADE 4



  
No significant  
score change  
compared to 1992

 **3pts**  
compared to 2019

## GRADE 8



  
No significant  
score change  
compared to 1992

 **3pts**  
compared to 2019



# Topeka Public Schools—Dedicated to Dual Language





# Lowell Joint School District—ARTS for ALL





A photograph of the United States Capitol building in Washington, D.C., taken from a low angle. The building's iconic dome and neoclassical architecture are prominent. The sky is a mix of blue, green, and yellow, suggesting a sunset or sunrise. The foreground shows the wide, paved steps leading up to the building.

**\$123 billion for K-12 public schools  
in the American Rescue Plan**

**\$3 billion for IDEA**

**\$7 billion to help close  
the Homework Gap.**





# **Midterm Election Recap:**

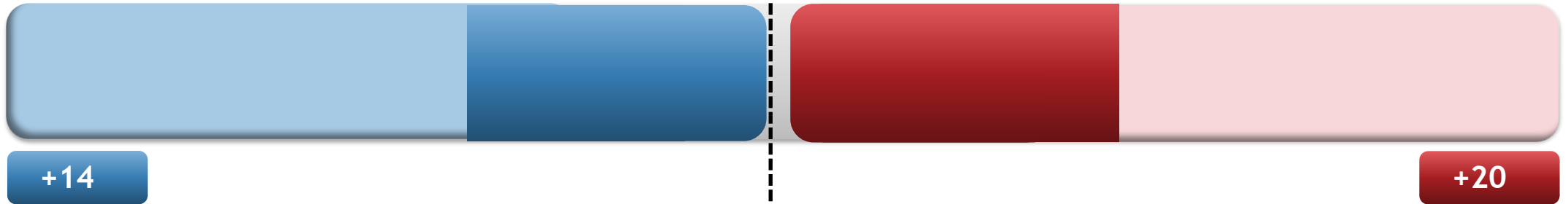
**Lame Duck Look Ahead & 118th Congress Agenda**

# Where do we stand?

## Senate: One seat left in play

Democrats **50**

**49\*** Republicans



36 no election

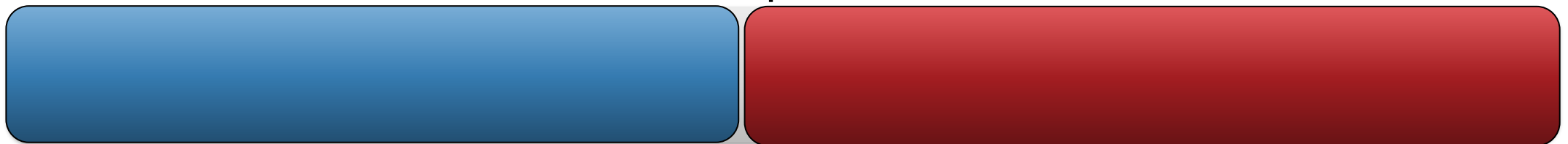
51 needed for GOP control  
50 for Dems

29 no election

## House: Four seats left in play

Democrats **213**

**221** Republicans



As of: November 28, 2022 11:00 AM

218

\*Please note: Two Republicans top Alaska's ranked choice voting system but the race has yet to be called. With Alaska, Republicans total 49 seats versus Democrats' 50 seats thus far.

# Potential 118<sup>th</sup> Congressional Agenda

The House is in Republican hands but with a historically narrow majority. Neither party will have close to 60 in the Senate. Bipartisan solutions and coalitions will be necessary.

However, who holds the gavel matters. Some potential agenda items for House Republicans include:

- Border security is expected to be of high priority and the first issue Republican legislators will act on
- Fostering energy independence and reducing gas prices
- Fighting inflation and lowering the cost of living
- Confronting privacy in technology and social media
- Reducing federal spending and negotiating concessions for any increase in debt ceiling
- Oversight and investigations of the Biden administration
- Increased scrutiny on nominations
- Investigate corporate ESG policies and impact to the economy

# NSBA Priorities

- Providing support for historically disadvantaged students;
- Increasing broadband access and closing the homework gap;
- Ensuring that each classroom is staffed with a highly qualified teacher;
- Providing support for students with disabilities and mental health needs; and
- Addressing learning loss because of the pandemic.



**Thank You!**