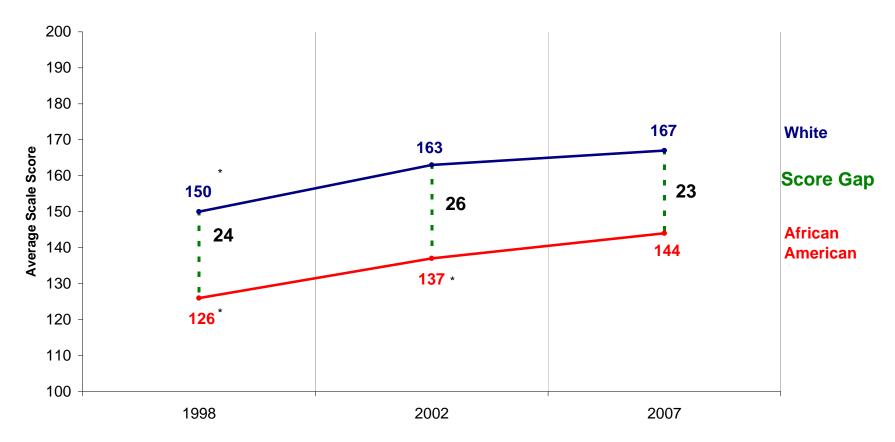
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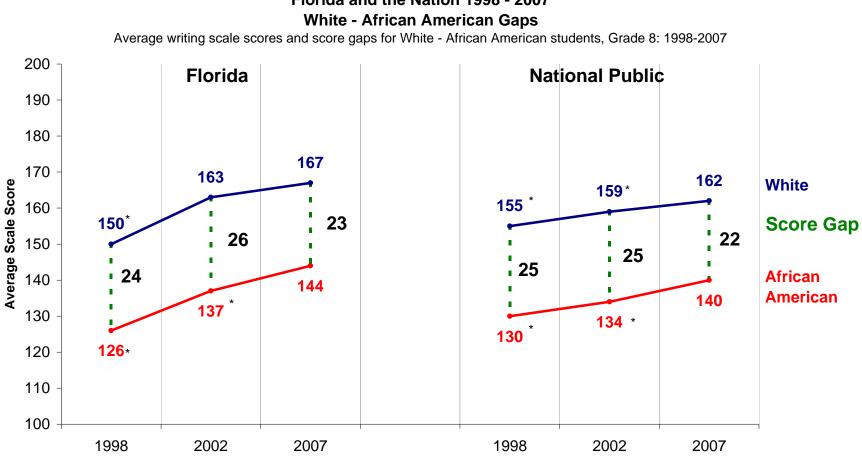
Average writing scale scores and score gaps for White - African American students, Grade 8: 1998-2007



NOTE: The NAEP Writing scale ranges from 0 to 300. Observed differences are not necessarily statistically significant.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, Institute of Education Sciences, National Center for Education Statistics, National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP), 1998, 2002 and 2007 Writing Assessments.

NOTE: Gap did not close between 1998 and 2007.



NAEP Writing Grade 8 Florida and the Nation 1998 - 2007 White - African American Gaps

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Florida NAEP Writing Grade 8 White - Hispanic Gaps Average writing scale scores and score gaps for White - Hispanic students, Grade 8: 1998-2007

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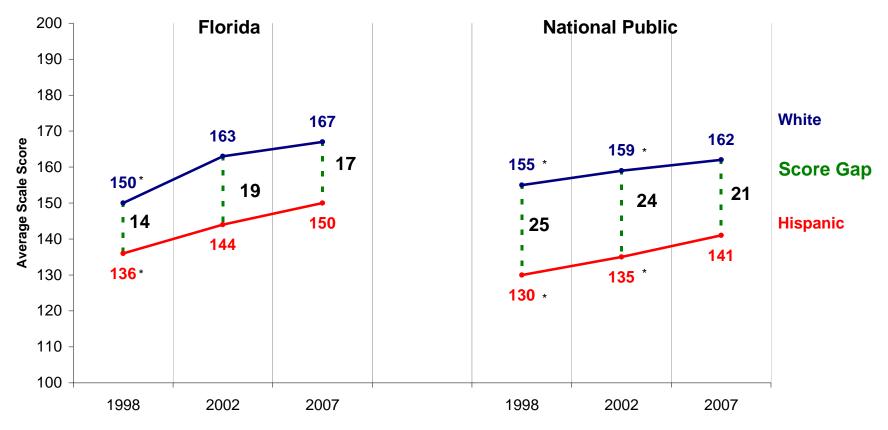
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NAEP Writing Grade 8 Florida and the Nation 1998 - 2007 White - Hispanic Gaps

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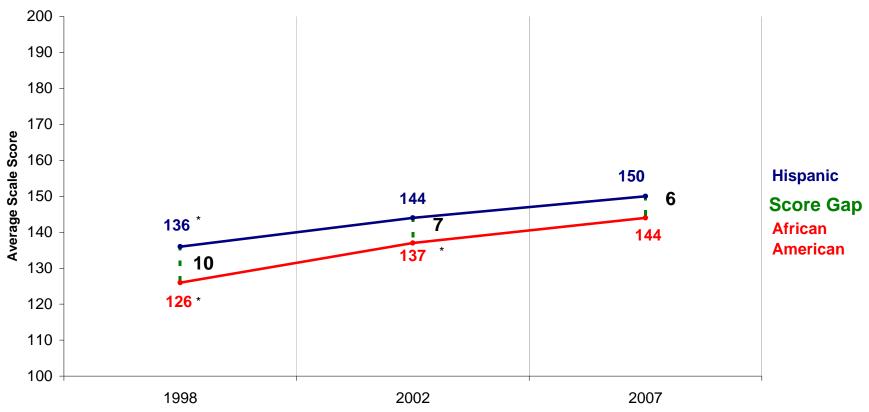
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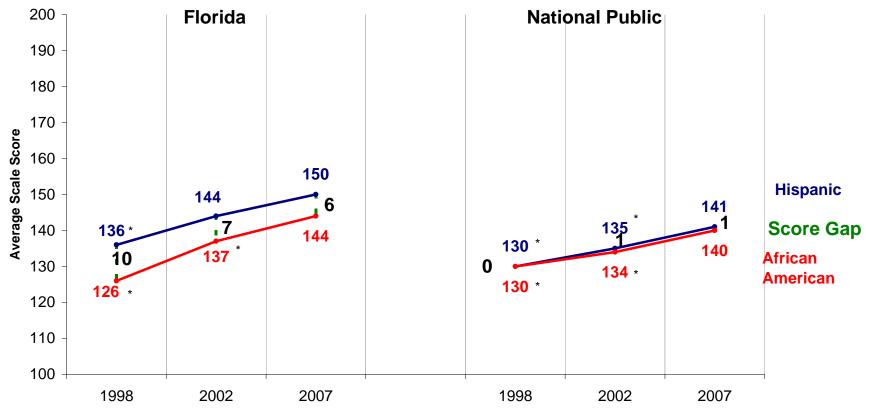
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### NAEP Writing Grade 8 Florida and the Nation 1998 - 2007 African American - Hispanic Gaps

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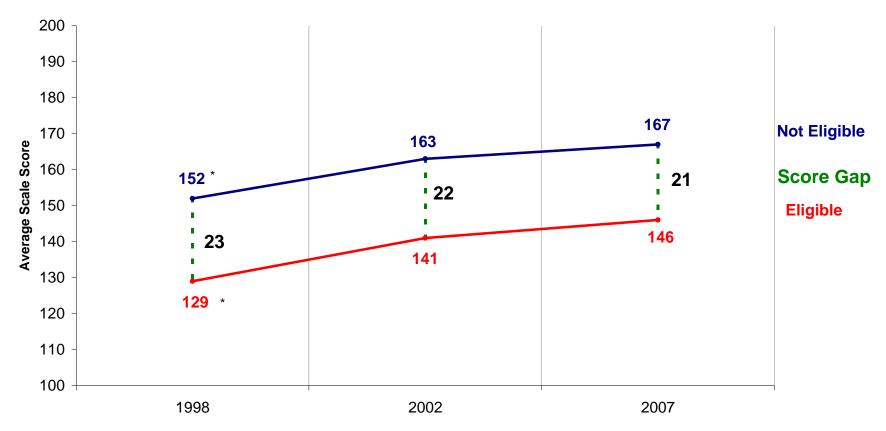
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Florida NAEP Writing Grade 8 National School Lunch Program Eligibility Gaps

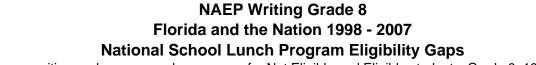
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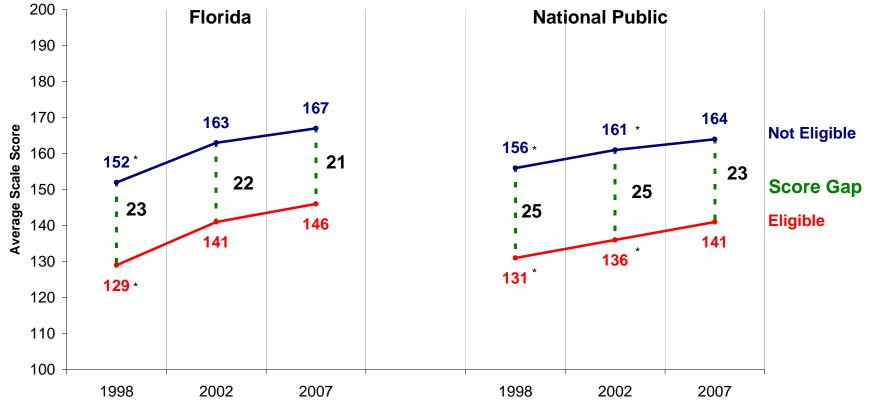
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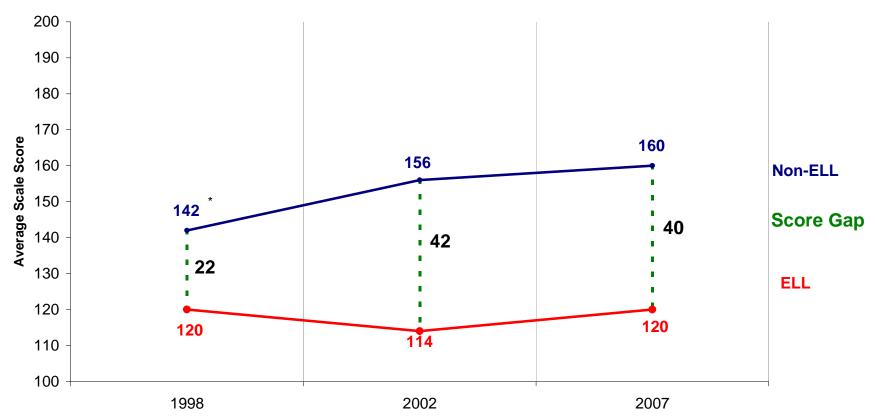
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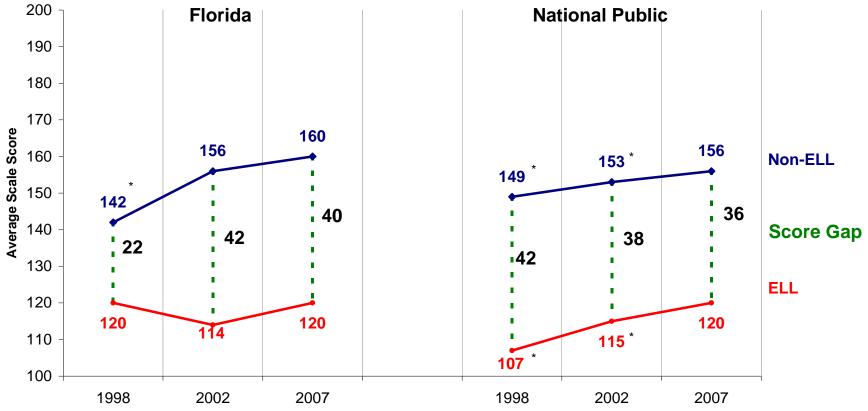
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### NAEP Writing Grade 8 Florida and the Nation 1998 - 2007 English Language Learner Gaps

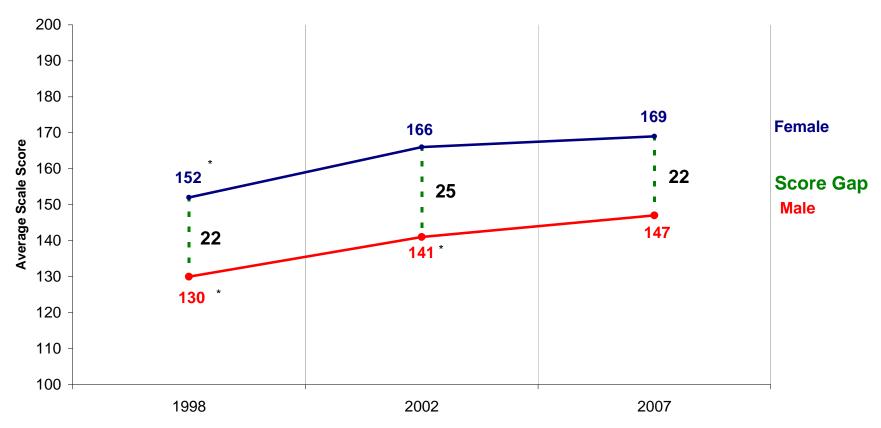
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Florida NAEP Writing Grade 8 **Gender Gaps** Average writing scale scores and score gaps for Female and Male students, Grade 8: 1998-2007



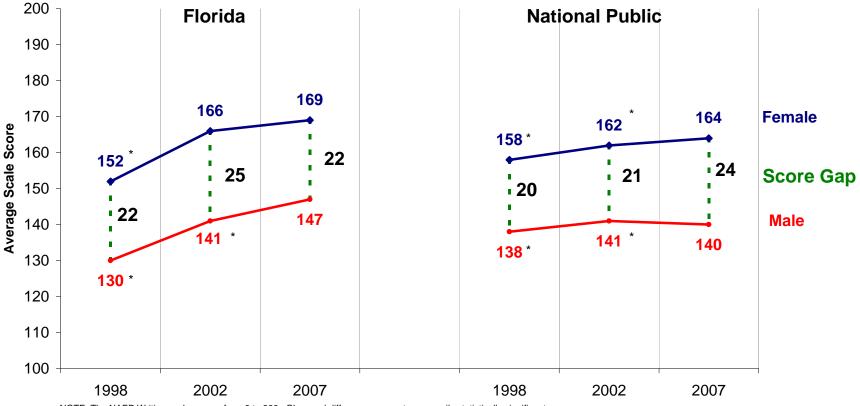
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NAEP Writing Grade 8 Florida and the Nation 1998 - 2007 Gender Gaps

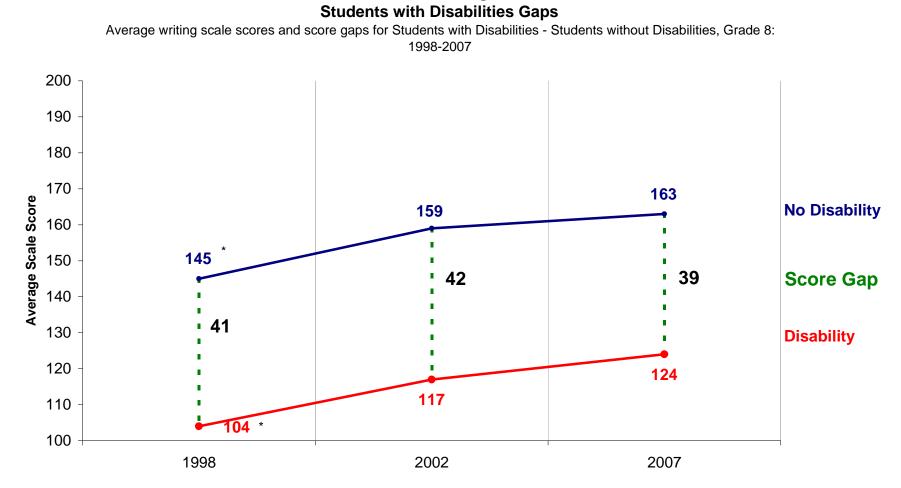
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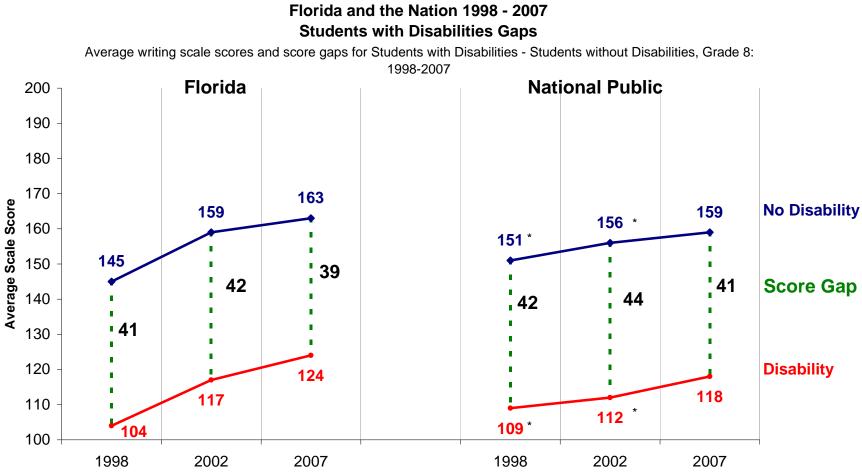


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