

FLORIDA SCHOOL COMPLETION

Beginning with the 1998-99 school year, the method of calculating the graduation rate for Florida's public high schools has been revised to track individuals by student I.D. numbers, beginning with their first-time enrollment in 9th grade. The new rate calculation accounts for incoming transfer students; outgoing transfer students are removed from the tracked population.

GRADUATION RATES BY DISTRICT

	1993-94 School	1994-95 School	1995-96 School	1996-97 School	1997-98 School	1998-99 School	99-2000 School	2000-01 School	2001-02 School
	Year								
Alachua	79.77%	75.16%	76.00%	78.36%	78.90%	63.34%	63.70%	61.20%	66.40%
Baker	87.37%	72.87%	77.89%	82.26%	67.05%	55.73%	54.30%	55.10%	60.80%
Bay	71.01%	68.45%	67.95%	70.77%	72.25%	55.93%	65.90%	68.30%	70.30%
Bradford	75.56%	75.81%	50.32%	61.20%	69.72%	60.41%	67.40%	70.80%	75.20%
Brevard	79.00%	76.20%	73.01%	72.40%	69.33%	63.98%	80.40%	86.80%	88.50%
Broward	64.05%	70.61%	73.26%	72.54%	71.10%	53.45%	63.90%	62.30%	65.20%
Calhoun	75.32%	80.57%	73.08%	68.13%	75.46%	83.53%	90.40%	86.80%	86.80%
Charlotte	82.51%	76.22%	76.48%	74.46%	70.98%	68.42%	71.70%	74.70%	75.80%
Citrus	82.93%	77.75%	77.26%	66.73%	65.40%	70.81%	72.30%	73.60%	71.20%
Clay	85.07%	85.04%	81.19%	83.84%	81.75%	65.30%	65.90%	67.30%	70.90%
Collier	93.99%	69.93%	75.52%	77.89%	69.25%	63.02%	63.30%	64.50%	68.20%
Columbia	75.69%	69.40%	71.33%	55.86%	61.42%	63.60%	61.80%	59.50%	68.10%
Dade	75.01%	73.95%	74.56%	73.83%	72.05%	53.23%	52.20%	53.90%	55.70%
DeSoto	75.21%	74.42%	80.08%	85.83%	70.21%	62.71%	67.50%	64.80%	69.70%
Dixie	61.70%	52.14%	50.26%	42.56%	65.34%	60.54%	71.20%	73.80%	75.10%
Duval	78.16%	77.35%	71.47%	68.71%	69.24%	58.65%	57.40%	55.90%	61.00%
Escambia	72.39%	64.40%	63.48%	68.25%	65.63%	62.59%	65.20%	65.20%	69.90%
Flagler	78.19%	86.17%	83.43%	88.72%	71.39%	63.52%	64.40%	67.40%	72.20%
Franklin	75.47%	62.28%	61.48%	74.11%	55.46%	71.17%	63.20%	65.80%	57.90%
Gadsden	62.86%	50.00%	52.01%	51.44%	55.74%	46.02%	50.70%	51.00%	52.40%
Gilchrist	73.68%	88.98%	77.18%	87.15%	74.11%	64.08%	55.40%	66.50%	69.60%
Glades	56.41%	58.11%	48.65%	58.82%	60.40%	66.66%	51.00%	54.80%	54.70%
Gulf	97.55%	80.10%	93.42%	85.20%	91.57%	80.00%	83.00%	81.50%	83.80%
Hamilton	79.59%	73.98%	67.89%	64.06%	64.76%	54.32%	70.40%	59.50%	67.90%
Hardee	83.00%	65.53%	55.59%	73.61%	72.54%	65.02%	65.50%	57.60%	67.60%
Hendry	77.44%	73.81%	72.95%	75.39%	60.31%	66.73%	59.80%	50.50%	52.10%
Hernando	75.25%	66.12%	73.09%	84.64%	66.15%	68.72%	67.40%	67.80%	74.00%
Highlands	77.57%	74.62%	71.80%	64.95%	77.01%	70.01%	64.70%	68.60%	58.60%
Hillsborough	78.57%	76.23%	76.70%	73.96%	72.83%	69.47%	71.40%	74.40%	77.50%
Holmes	82.72%	74.72%	83.97%	73.24%	75.86%	76.64%	73.50%	79.20%	79.80%
Indian River	72.41%	66.04%	72.85%	75.93%	65.32%	65.20%	64.90%	65.90%	78.90%
Jackson	79.19%	83.63%	75.25%	79.72%	76.14%	58.06%	49.80%	53.00%	59.60%
Jefferson	80.27%	71.86%	63.78%	58.97%	73.38%	62.58%	65.30%	78.80%	64.50%
Lafayette	76.60%	71.05%	90.91%	68.67%	89.53%	80.61%	65.50%	58.00%	69.00%
Lake	69.38%	61.88%	68.46%	75.28%	76.98%	65.02%	66.30%	67.50%	68.70%

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	1993-94 School	1994-95 School	1995-96 School	1996-97 School	1997-98 School	1998-99 School	99-2000 School	2000-01 School	2001-02 School
	Year								
Lee	85.50%	80.01%	82.47%	83.73%	75.89%	69.35%	67.80%	65.90%	66.00%
Leon	70.86%	72.59%	74.15%	80.64%	70.19%	64.65%	67.30%	64.20%	74.30%
Levy	58.04%	58.68%	73.01%	90.91%	60.47%	61.24%	65.90%	55.70%	57.00%
Liberty	92.98%	78.48%	85.54%	86.36%	85.57%	71.71%	72.70%	82.00%	77.50%
Madison	64.73%	65.22%	66.95%	70.64%	72.05%	67.46%	56.30%	68.40%	63.80%
Manatee	71.48%	68.60%	61.16%	61.55%	59.58%	56.23%	61.40%	65.20%	68.90%
Marion	67.41%	65.99%	68.74%	76.76%	71.87%	57.91%	60.30%	65.20%	69.10%
Martin	74.80%	79.84%	70.86%	78.11%	68.30%	60.64%	83.30%	85.40%	84.40%
Monroe	70.77%	66.46%	77.54%	77.30%	73.55%	70.98%	72.00%	68.50%	74.20%
Nassau	67.27%	61.30%	72.63%	72.67%	72.84%	73.71%	67.90%	55.10%	76.70%
Okaloosa	89.60%	86.98%	82.10%	82.73%	78.87%	77.08%	77.50%	76.80%	83.70%
Okeechobee	82.37%	67.65%	64.24%	69.89%	72.83%	62.71%	64.30%	63.60%	67.60%
Orange	77.78%	76.53%	78.53%	65.68%	70.59%	51.33%	49.50%	59.80%	68.30%
Osceola	85.31%	80.86%	75.57%	73.31%	81.95%	55.67%	58.90%	58.40%	66.10%
Palm Beach	79.55%	66.17%	74.86%	67.18%	73.81%	58.19%	63.60%	64.90%	66.60%
Pasco	76.51%	74.63%	69.56%	72.15%	73.56%	63.50%	64.80%	65.90%	71.70%
Pinellas	83.54%	75.11%	75.08%	78.39%	72.43%	65.26%	64.30%	64.40%	66.40%
Polk	69.62%	70.29%	64.15%	68.96%	71.12%	53.26%	55.30%	52.60%	66.90%
Putnam	57.22%	49.51%	51.10%	57.07%	57.10%	65.80%	61.20%	62.90%	71.10%
St. Johns	74.16%	75.24%	76.07%	84.75%	75.35%	72.03%	74.90%	77.10%	76.10%
St. Lucie	65.14%	62.97%	60.78%	62.73%	61.07%	63.45%	62.90%	69.60%	77.00%
Santa Rosa	78.01%	75.68%	73.59%	76.36%	69.73%	75.38%	73.50%	75.40%	85.50%
Sarasota	82.50%	75.44%	79.90%	77.35%	79.87%	62.96%	63.40%	70.30%	71.80%
Seminole	81.02%	73.61%	78.65%	81.38%	75.06%	63.26%	67.00%	70.90%	77.80%
Sumter	66.49%	56.83%	67.04%	76.80%	74.50%	71.42%	74.80%	73.10%	72.10%
Suwannee	67.49%	72.21%	67.16%	70.07%	62.57%	60.60%	57.70%	60.70%	71.20%
Taylor	65.28%	57.78%	82.63%	75.52%	66.15%	61.40%	55.10%	58.20%	68.70%
Union	80.17%	64.57%	81.40%	73.53%	83.89%	61.03%	58.80%	63.20%	78.40%
Volusia	86.45%	81.17%	82.04%	79.79%	76.85%	70.07%	74.90%	77.00%	81.50%
Wakulla	76.30%	78.60%	80.08%	75.53%	70.74%	76.23%	73.70%	72.50%	81.20%
Walton	76.97%	79.78%	74.29%	76.42%	79.61%	68.88%	75.40%	72.10%	69.90%
Washington	87.01%	102.86%	89.52%	84.55%	81.85%	65.93%	69.00%	70.50%	70.10%
State	75.64%	72.94%	73.22%	73.18%	71.89%	60.23%	62.30%	63.80%	67.90%

DROPOUT RATES BY DISTRICT

99-2000 School	2000-01	2001-02
School		
Year	School Year	School Year
6.30%	6.10%	5.20%
3.00%	4.20%	3.50%
3.50%	1.60%	1.50%
2.40%	5.00%	3.60%
2.00%	2.40%	0.80%
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Nassau	3.69%	3.14%	4.05%	3.59%	3.20%	3.20%	3.90%	4.90%	3.30%
Okaloosa	3.50%	3.26%	3.70%	3.44%	3.00%	4.40%	4.10%	3.70%	3.00%
Okeechobee	8.82%	7.86%	8.70%	7.55%	6.25%	6.60%	5.40%	5.10%	4.60%
Orange	4.34%	4.42%	3.70%	4.65%	5.19%	5.70%	6.80%	4.90%	2.80%
Osceola	4.95%	6.56%	4.61%	6.62%	5.28%	6.10%	5.50%	4.20%	4.60%
Palm Beach	6.07%	5.78%	4.24%	5.21%	4.26%	3.80%	3.20%	2.50%	2.60%
Pasco	4.93%	4.95%	4.70%	5.06%	5.12%	5.50%	4.40%	4.30%	3.40%
Pinellas	6.51%	4.22%	4.16%	4.56%	3.00%	3.70%	3.10%	4.20%	5.20%
Polk	6.52%	5.03%	6.01%	6.95%	7.18%	8.70%	5.90%	5.80%	2.90%
Putnam	6.35%	7.93%	5.81%	3.99%	3.37%	3.70%	3.80%	2.40%	2.20%
St. Johns	8.14%	6.24%	3.42%	7.05%	1.47%	2.50%	2.30%	2.40%	2.10%
St. Lucie	6.18%	6.39%	6.39%	5.77%	5.35%	4.70%	4.50%	1.60%	1.30%
Santa Rosa	2.57%	2.56%	2.86%	3.82%	2.47%	2.10%	2.00%	2.20%	1.80%
Sarasota	4.82%	6.26%	3.78%	4.23%	4.24%	7.60%	3.60%	3.10%	3.10%
Seminole	3.29%	4.70%	2.77%	2.48%	2.61%	2.10%	3.40%	1.00%	1.30%
Sumter	7.33%	8.14%	10.19%	6.91%	5.67%	3.60%	3.90%	3.90%	2.50%
Suwannee	3.67%	4.88%	3.89%	5.49%	5.34%	3.40%	4.20%	5.30%	3.00%
Taylor	7.67%	5.56%	5.03%	5.45%	4.60%	3.60%	4.40%	1.80%	2.60%
Union	2.13%	4.75%	4.21%	2.81%	3.31%	1.70%	3.40%	3.50%	1.80%
Volusia	4.40%	5.55%	2.95%	2.90%	2.15%	1.80%	1.60%	1.40%	1.50%
Wakulla	2.94%	3.38%	3.99%	3.37%	4.22%	4.40%	2.70%	2.50%	5.10%
Walton	3.51%	4.12%	6.07%	4.14%	2.56%	5.30%	4.90%	4.50%	4.90%
Washington	3.14%	2.08%	1.00%	2.30%	1.85%	2.90%	2.30%	2.70%	2.60%
State	5.63%	5.24%	5.02%	5.42%	4.81%	5.40%	4.60%	3.80%	3.20%

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT PROFILE

(Table indicates highest level achieved.)

	Pop. 18	Less than	9th- 12th	H.S.
COUNTY	& over	9th	non	Grad
		grade	grad	
Alachua	174,193	4,832	13,390	31,913
Baker	16,145	1,293	3,494	6,609
Bay	112,573	5,380	17,140	35,016
Bradford	20,408	1,525	4,119	7,976
Brevard	371,896	12,102	43,646	107,491
Broward	1,241,557	65,072	171,184	354,889
Calhoun	10,017	1,181	1,992	3,820
Charrlotte	119,437	4,783	17,646	42,586
Citrus	97,897	5,177	16,892	37,019
Clay	101,555	3,212	12,238	32,263
Collier	201,570	17,740	23,196	53,990
Columbia	42,214	2,687	8,771	14,707
DeSoto	24,960	5,372	4,735	8,514
Dixie	10,781	1,194	2,523	4,303
Duval	574,206	23,904	81,782	170,599
Escambia	225,170	10,077	31,109	65,168
Flager	40,902	1,270	4,783	12,987
Franklin	9,059	679	2,278	3,314
Gadsden	33,136	3,457	6,527	11,925
Gilchrist	10,923	806	2,592	3,948
Glades	8,241	838	1,796	2,964
Gulf	10,462	821	2,031	3,851
Hamilton	10,201	999	3,079	3,471
Hardee	19,494	4,619	3,943	6,072
Hendry	25,324	6,129	5,932	7,423
Hernando	106,199	5,441	18,177	40,083
Highlands	70,534	6,214	12,660	24,332
Hillsborough	746,902	46,355	105,219	200,812
Holmes	14,275	1,570	3,401	5,362
Indian River	91,308	5,866	12,400	26,658
Jackson	36,318	3,808	7,400	11,937
Jefferson	9,969	949	1,804	3,257
Lafayette	5,510	685	1,155	2,163
Lake	167,838	9,462	26,364	57,621

COUNTY	Pop. 18 & over	Less than 9th grade	9th- 12th non grad	H.S. Grad
Lee	354,602	18,816	48,657	115,917
Leon	188,605	4,568	15,089	33,214
Levy	26,310	1,799	5,430	9,981
Liberty	5,486	539	1,402	2,195
Madison	13,969	1,328	3,252	4,854
Manatee	209,610	12,444	29,656	67,034
Marion	203,646	12,051	33,988	73,399
Martin	103,222	4,997	11,990	29,040
Miami-Dade	1,695,940	227,630	312,996	390,396
Monroe	66,139	3,085	7,520	19,484
Nassau	43,243	2,291	6,369	15,131
Okaloosa	128,692	4,386	12,380	36,387
Okeechobee	26,869	4,026	6,072	8,869
Orange	670,765	34,079	93,123	173,370
Osceola	126,281	7,260	20,393	42,993
Palm Beach	891,900	50,289	108,827	240,183
Pasco	275,528	15,724	47,698	100,886
Pinellas	744,427	28,646	97,666	221,477
Polk	366,367	29,109	67,605	123,162
Putnam	53,087	4,613	11,801	19,511
St. Johns	94,836	3,008	9,823	23,757
St. Lucie	149,401	10,105	25,693	48,415
Santa Rose	86,615	3,217	10,463	25,276
Sarasota	273,249	9,342	28,871	83,104
Seminole	272,913	8,777	25,878	67,564
Sumter	44,718	2,710	7,980	17,239
Suwannee	26,495	2,206	5,189	10,210
Taylor	14,509	1,156	3,296	5,974
Union	10,502	719	2,229	4,053
Volusia	353,887	16,241	50,038	112,319
Wakulla	16,995	1,004	2,923	5,953
Walton	31,780	2,249	5,681	10,457
Washington	16,044	1,724	2,788	6,458

SOURCE: U.S. Census 2000.