**NORTH DAKOTA**

**Building a Grad Nation 2016**

**Low-Income Students**
Nationally, low-income students make up more than half of public school students and are less likely to graduate than their peers.

3 in 10 North Dakota students are low-income

**Graduation Rate Gap:**

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<td>2014</td>
<td>92.6%</td>
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20.5 Points

**Minority Students**

**ACGR Increase From 2011 to 2014**

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<td><strong>WHITE</strong></td>
<td>90.2%</td>
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<td>76.4%</td>
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<td>74.4%</td>
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13.8 Points

**Students With Disabilities**
The majority of students with disabilities (SWD) can graduate on time with a regular diploma when given the right supports.

11.4% of students in North Dakota are Students With Disabilities

ACGR Students With Disabilities 69.9%

ACGR Non-SWD 89.4%

Grad Rate Gap Students With Disabilities and Non-SWD 19.5%
North Dakota’s Largest School Districts

Percent of Graduating Cohort Within the State

- **Bismarck 1**: 12.1%
- **Fargo 1**: 11.1%
- **Grand Forks 1**: 6.9%
- **West Fargo 6**: 6.8%
- **Minot 1**: 6.6%

North Dakota’s 5 Largest School Districts account for 43.6 percent of the state’s total graduating cohort

### 2014 ACGR

- **Bismarck 1**: 88%
- **Fargo 1**: 85%
- **Grand Forks 1**: 89%
- **West Fargo 6**: 83%
- **Minot 1**: 87%

### *High Schools Below 67%*

- **1,555** Students Enrolled at High Schools with a Graduation Rate Below 67%
- **2** High Schools with a Graduation Rate Below 67%

*High Schools with 300 or more students.

### 2014 ACGR (%) by Subgroup

- **Bismarck 1**: Black 75, Hispanic 75, White 92, Low-Income 57
- **Fargo 1**: Black 72, Hispanic 75, White 89, Low-Income 62
- **Grand Forks 1**: Black 90, Hispanic 90, White 77, Low-Income 90
- **West Fargo 6**: Black 74.5, Hispanic 75, White 87, Low-Income 67
- **Minot 1**: Black 90, Hispanic 75, White 87, Low-Income 67

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