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.

5 in 10 Washington students are low-income

Graduation Rate Gap:

- Non-Low-Income: 88%
- Low-Income: 66.8%

21.2 Points

Minority Students

ACGR Increase From 2011 to 2014

Grad Rate Gap

- White: +1.9%
- Black: +3%
- Hispanic: +4.5%

Grad Rate Gap

- Black and White Students: 12.9 Points
- Hispanic and White Students: 13.4 Points

Students With Disabilities

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

- 10.8% of students in Washington are Students With Disabilities
- 55.8% ACGR Students With Disabilities
- 80.9% ACGR Non-SWD
- 25.1% Grad Rate Gap Students With Disabilities and Non-SWD
Seattle Public Schools 4.5%
Evergreen School District (Clark) 2.7%
Spokane School District 2.6%
Kent School District 2.5%
Tacoma School District 2.5%

Washington’s 5 Largest School Districts account for 14.8 percent of the state’s total graduating cohort.

2014 ACGR

Seattle Public Schools 76%
Evergreen School District (Clark) 80%
Spokane School District 83%
Kent School District 79%
Tacoma School District 78%

*High Schools Below 67%

10,218 Students Enrolled at High Schools with a Graduation Rate Below 67%
14 High Schools with a Graduation Rate Below 67%

*High Schools with 300 or more students.

2014 ACGR (%) by Subgroup

Seattle Public Schools
Evergreen School District (Clark)
Spokane School District
Kent School District
Tacoma School District

Black
Hispanic
White
Low-Income

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