



Utah 2017 Graduation Rates

State Graduation Rate Highlights

- Utah's statewide graduation rate for the 2017 cohort is 86%.
- Utah high schools graduated 40,100 students.
- Over the past five years, Utah's graduation rate has steadily increased from 81% in 2013 to 86% in 2017.

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Current Utah Graduation Rates

For the 2017 cohort, Utah's graduation rate was 86.0%. This was 1.4 percentage points higher than the 2016 cohort rate of 84.6%. This increase was seen across all student groups except for Asians whose graduation rate remained the same. See Appendix A for a general background on how graduation rates are calculated.

Table 1: Utah 2017 Graduation and Dropout Rates by Student Group

Student Group	Graduation Rate	Dropout Rate
All Students	86%	11%
African American/Black	73%	20%
American Indian	74%	22%
Asian	89%	10%
Hispanic/Latino	77%	20%
Pacific Islander	86%	13%
White	88%	9%
Economically Disadv.	77%	19%
English Learner	67%	28%
Students w/Disabilities	69%	15%

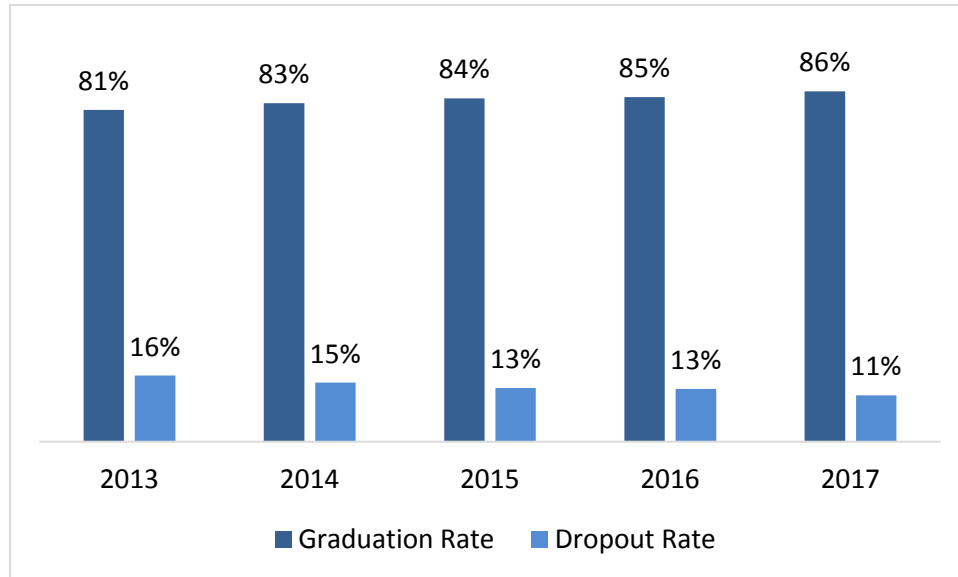


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Historical Utah Graduation Rates

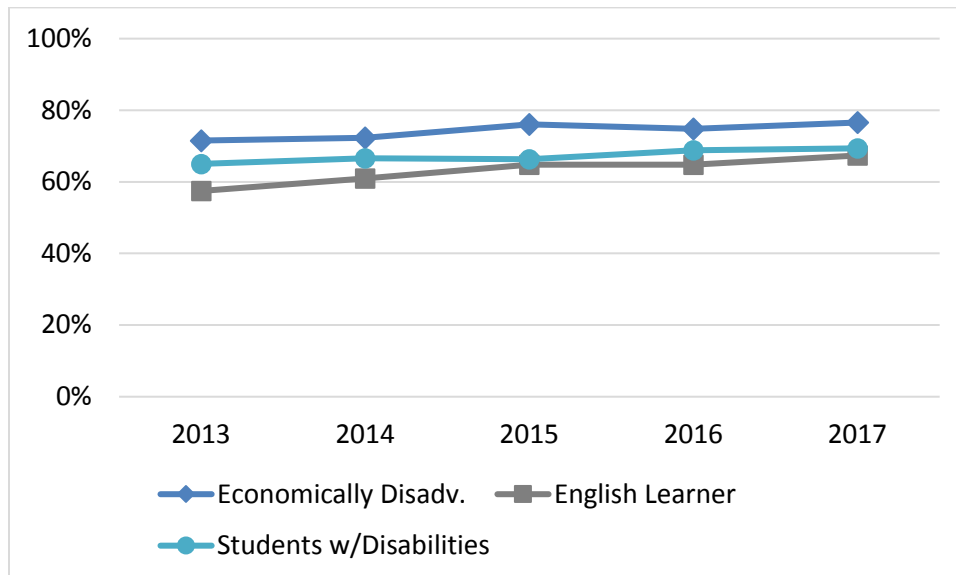
Utah's graduation rate has increased by 5 percentage points over the last five years. In the same period, the dropout rate has declined by 5 percentage points. Continuing students and other completers have remained fairly constant at about 2-3% of the cohort.

Graph 1: Utah Graduation and Dropout Rates, 2013-2017



Economically disadvantaged, English learners, and students with disabilities have all made gains in their graduation rates over the past five years.

Graph 2: Utah Graduation Rate by Student Group, 2013-2017





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All ethnicities and races have also made gains over the past five years. American Indians had an especially notable increase with their graduation rate increasing by 9 percentage points over the past 5 years and by 4 percentage points over the last year. The graduation rate for Hispanic/Latino and Pacific Islander students also increased significantly over the past 5 years with increases of 9 percentage points.

Graph 3: Utah Graduation Rate by Race/Ethnicity, 2013-2017

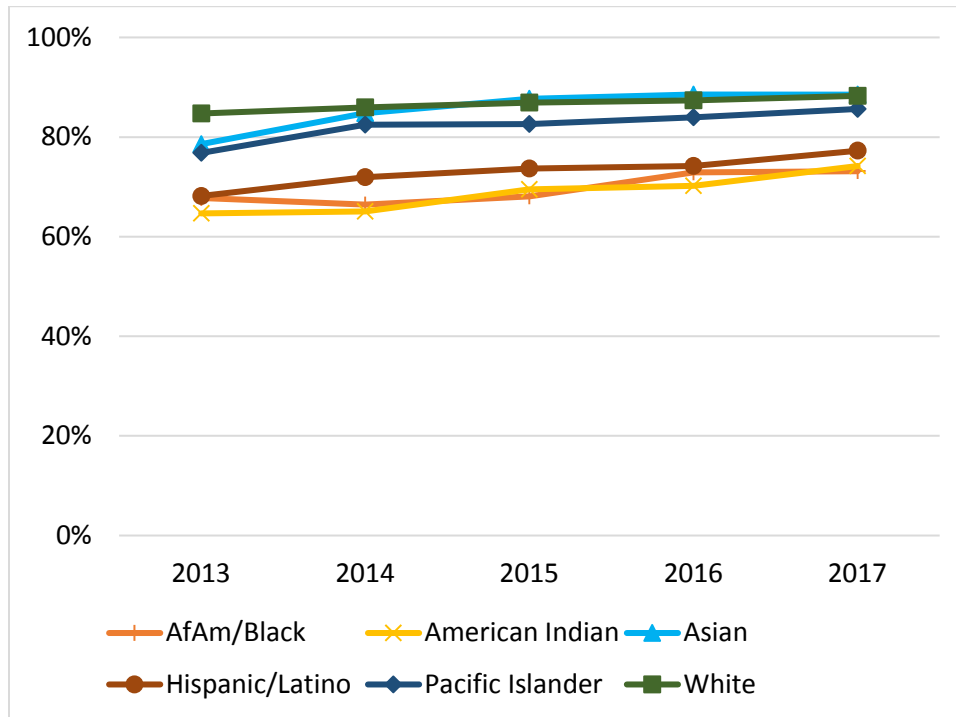


Table 2: Utah Graduation Rate by Student Group and School Year

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
All Students	81%	83%	84%	85%	86%
AfAm/Black	68%	66%	68%	73%	73%
American Indian	65%	65%	69%	70%	74%
Asian	79%	85%	88%	89%	89%
Hispanic/Latino	68%	72%	74%	74%	77%
Pacific Islander	77%	82%	83%	84%	86%
White	85%	86%	87%	87%	88%
Economically Disadv.	72%	72%	76%	75%	77%
English Learner	57%	61%	65%	65%	67%
Students w/Disabilities	65%	67%	66%	69%	69%

See Appendix B for Graduation, Dropout, Continuing Student, and Other Completer Rates for cohorts 2013-2017.



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Utah Graduation Rates by Local Education Agency (LEA) and School

Table 3: Utah Graduation Rate 2015-2017, and Cohort Counts 2017

		2017 Cohort Count	2017 Graduation Rate	2016 Graduation Rate	2015 Graduation Rate
ALPINE DISTRICT	Alpine District	5,527	92%	91%	92%
	American Fork High	769	96%	97%	95%
	Lehi High	450	93%	92%	93%
	Lone Peak High	868	95%	95%	95%
	Mountain View High	403	95%	91%	93%
	Orem High	359	95%	93%	91%
	Pleasant Grove High	690	92%	94%	94%
	Polaris High School	170	55%	62%	69%
	Skyridge High School	426	95%		
	Summit High	48	44%	60%	56%
	Timpanogos High	493	93%	93%	95%
	Westlake High	835	94%	90%	94%
BEAVER DISTRICT	Beaver District	112	85%	83%	82%
	Beaver High	80	85%	83%	84%
	Milford High	30-39	80-89%	80-89%	70-79%
BOX ELDER DISTRICT	Box Elder District	918	84%	87%	88%
	Bear River High	318	92%	94%	90%
	Box Elder High	509	88%	89%	93%
	Dale Young Community High	85	35%	56%	52%
CACHE DISTRICT	Cache District	1,232	95%	94%	94%
	Cache High	106	92%	82%	75%
	Mountain Crest High	307	91%	95%	96%
	Ridgeline High School	296	≥98%		
	Sky View High	522	96%	96%	95%
CANYONS DISTRICT	Canyons District	2,595	86%	85%	85%
	Alta High	461	94%	92%	95%
	Brighton High	485	87%	92%	94%
	Corner Canyon High	527	95%	94%	95%
	Diamond Ridge High School	49	61%	70-79%	

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	Entrada	30-39	<10%	9%	44%
	Hillcrest High	545	77%	85%	83%
	Jordan High	476	87%	88%	88%
CARBON DISTRICT	Carbon District	229	96%	97%	96%
	Carbon High	187	≥98%	≥98%	97%
	Lighthouse High	30-39	≥90%	≥90%	≥95%
DAGGETT DISTRICT	Daggett District	10-19	≥80%	≥80%	≥80%
	Manila High	10-19	≥80%	≥80%	≥80%
DAVIS DISTRICT	Davis District	5,003	94%	94%	93%
	Bountiful High	487	95%	96%	96%
	Clearfield High	575	92%	92%	90%
	Davis High	861	98%	97%	97%
	Layton High	616	94%	94%	93%
	Mountain High	131	96%	96%	87%
	Northridge High	554	94%	93%	91%
	Renaissance Academy	66	50%	38%	40-49%
	Syracuse High	632	95%	96%	94%
	Viewmont High	580	96%	96%	96%
	Woods Cross High	495	95%	94%	94%
DUCHESNE DISTRICT	Duchesne District	378	89%	84%	84%
	Altamont High	54	≥95%	≥90%	≥95%
	Duchesne High	60	93%	94%	89%
	Tabiona High	10-19	≥80%	≥80%	≥80%
	Union High	246	87%	79%	81%
EMERY DISTRICT	Emery District	157	90%	90%	91%
	Emery High	141	91%	94%	94%
	Green River High	10-19	≥80%	70-79%	≥80%
GARFIELD DISTRICT	Garfield District	74	88%	88%	92%
	Bryce Valley High	10-19	≥80%	80-89%	≥80%
	Escalante High	10-19	≥80%	70-79%	≥80%
	Panguitch High	40	85%	90%	≥90%
GRAND DISTRICT	Grand District	121	86%	86%	88%
	Grand County High	121	86%	86%	88%
GRANITE DISTRICT	Granite District	5,248	75%	73%	72%
	Cottonwood High	400	79%	75%	72%

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	Cyprus High	573	87%	76%	76%
	Granger High	788	77%	77%	73%
	Granite Connection High	528	17%	23%	27%
	Hunter High	632	88%	89%	85%
	Kearns High	516	83%	84%	79%
	Olympus High	503	89%	87%	90%
	Skyline High	511	95%	93%	96%
	Taylorville High	547	84%	87%	81%
	Youth Educational Support School	205	13%	12%	8%
IRON DISTRICT	Iron District	684	87%	82%	87%
	Canyon View High	238	93%	88%	92%
	Cedar City High	301	90%	85%	91%
	Parowan High	52	≥95%	≥95%	92%
	Southwest Educational Academy	93	53%	48%	58%
JORDAN DISTRICT	Jordan District	4,311	87%	87%	85%
	Bingham High	788	94%	93%	93%
	Copper Hills High	914	91%	92%	92%
	Herriman High	827	93%	91%	92%
	Riverton High	699	92%	93%	94%
	Valley High School	498	64%	61%	59%
	West Jordan High	536	85%	84%	77%
JUAB DISTRICT	Juab District	192	97%	97%	96%
	Juab High	192	97%	97%	96%
KANE DISTRICT	Kane District	89	≥95%	92%	≥95%
	Kanab High	66	≥95%	90%	94%
	Lake Powell High School	n<10	n<10	n<10	n<10
	Valley High	20-29	≥90%	≥90%	≥90%
LOGAN CITY DISTRICT	Logan City District	436	85%	84%	84%
	Logan High	436	85%	84%	84%
MILLARD DISTRICT	Millard District	215	90%	93%	87%
	Delta High	130	86%	90%	85%

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	Eskdale High	n<10	n<10	n<10	n<10
	Millard High	80	≥95%	≥95%	90%
MORGAN DISTRICT	Morgan District	208	91%	92%	93%
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MURRAY DISTRICT	Murray District	539	77%	79%	80%
	Murray High	532	78%	79%	81%
NEBO DISTRICT	Nebo District	2,499	91%	90%	90%
	Landmark High	309	65%	60%	57%
	Maple Mountain High	506	97%	96%	95%
	Payson High	448	95%	95%	93%
	Salem Hills High	396	96%	95%	94%
	Spanish Fork High	387	95%	96%	96%
	Springville High	442	94%	91%	94%
NORTH SANPETE DISTRICT	North Sanpete District	214	75%	76%	80%
	North Sanpete High	164	89%	88%	91%
	North Sanpete Special Purpose School	50	30%	40%	36%
NORTH SUMMIT DISTRICT	North Summit District	80	94%	≥95%	≥95%
	North Summit High	80	94%	≥95%	≥95%
OGDEN CITY DISTRICT	Ogden City District	983	75%	68%	68%
	Ben Lomond High	418	83%	76%	77%
	George Washington High	133	39%	29%	25%
	Ogden High	413	82%	76%	78%
PARK CITY DISTRICT	Park City District	408	94%	91%	93%
	Park City High	407	94%	93%	95%
PIUTE DISTRICT	Piute District	20-29	≥90%	80-89%	≥90%
	Piute High	20-29	≥90%	80-89%	≥90%
PROVO DISTRICT	Provo District	1,203	77%	71%	71%
	Eschool@Provo School District	140	18%	9%	17%
	Independence High	116	50%	32%	32%
	Provo High	433	89%	87%	82%

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	Timpview High	503	92%	86%	89%
RICH DISTRICT	Rich District	42	≥95%	≥90%	≥90%
	Rich High	42	≥95%	≥90%	≥90%
SALT LAKE DISTRICT	Salt Lake District	1,849	79%	76%	74%
	East High	421	90%	91%	81%
	Highland High	403	88%	90%	88%
	Horizonte Instr. & Trn. Ctr.	434	50%	37%	46%
	Innovations High School	104	88%	88%	77%
	West High	487	84%	83%	80%
	SAN JUAN DISTRICT	San Juan District	246	87%	85%
	Monticello High	43	≥95%	89%	85%
	Monument Valley High	30-39	≥90%	93%	80-89%
	Navajo Mountain High	n<10	n<10	60-69%	60-69%
	San Juan High	92	93%	86%	88%
	Whitehorse High	67	67%	77%	77%
SEVIER DISTRICT	Sevier District	342	85%	85%	81%
	Cedar Ridge High	51	24%	35%	30%
	North Sevier High	71	≥95%	94%	91%
	Richfield High	121	≥98%	93%	93%
	South Sevier High	99	94%	94%	93%
SOUTH SANPETE DISTRICT	South Sanpete District	264	91%	89%	91%
	Gunnison Valley High	89	≥95%	92%	91%
	Manti High	161	91%	92%	94%
	South Sanpete Education Support Center	10-19	40-49%	30-39%	n<10
SOUTH SUMMIT DISTRICT	South Summit District	106	79%	91%	88%
	South Summit High	106	79%	91%	88%
TINTIC DISTRICT	Tintic District	20-29	80-89%	80-89%	70-79%
	Tintic High	20-29	80-89%	80-89%	70-79%

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	West Desert High School	n<10	n<10	n<10	
TOOELE DISTRICT	Tooele District	1,023	88%	91%	92%
	Blue Peak High	30-39	50-59%	60%	60-69%
	Dugway	n<10	n<10		
	Grantsville High	171	92%	93%	89%
	Stansbury High	391	92%	94%	97%
	Tooele High	398	86%	90%	91%
	Wendover High	20-29	80-89%	80-89%	≥90%
UINTAH DISTRICT	Uintah District	476	86%	79%	81%
	Ashley Valley Educ. Ctr.	97	54%	52%	43%
	Uintah High	379	94%	88%	91%
WASATCH DISTRICT	Wasatch District	470	91%	89%	92%
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WASHINGTON DISTRICT	Washington District	2,208	89%	88%	89%
	Desert Hills High	427	97%	95%	96%
	Dixie High	364	93%	96%	94%
	Enterprise High	69	≥95%	≥95%	≥95%
	Hurricane High	296	89%	89%	88%
	Millcreek High	94	61%	65%	59%
	Pine View High	381	92%	91%	89%
	Snow Canyon High	369	95%	93%	93%
	Southwest High	136	40%	46%	40-49%
	Utah Online 7-12	42	90%	≥90%	50-59%
	Water Canyon High	20-29	80-89%		
WAYNE DISTRICT	Wayne District	30-39	≥90%	90%	≥90%
	Wayne High	30-39	≥90%	90%	≥90%
WEBER DISTRICT	Weber District	2,565	85%	83%	82%
	Bonneville High	416	92%	90%	88%
	Fremont High	696	93%	94%	94%
	Roy High	493	90%	89%	84%
	Two Rivers High	274	42%	36%	34%
	Weber Basin Job Corps	79	47%	41%	39%

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	Weber High	566	94%	94%	93%
	Weber Innovation High School	20-29	80-89%		
CHARTER SCHOOLS					
ACADEMY FOR MATH ENGINEERING & SCIENCE (AMES)	Academy for Math Engineering & Science (AMES)	123	97%	≥98%	96%
AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF UTAH	American International School of Utah	124	64%	56%	67%
AMERICAN LEADERSHIP ACADEMY	American Leadership Academy	130	86%	92%	82%
AMERICAN PREPARATORY ACADEMY	American Preparatory Academy - Accelerated School	79	90%	78%	71%
	American Preparatory Academy - Draper #3	10-19	70-79%	n<10	
ATHENIAN eACADEMY	Athenian eAcademy	20-29	30-39%	n<10	
BEEHIVE SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY ACADEMY (BSTA)	Beehive Science & Technology Academy (BSTA)	20-29	≥90%	≥80%	70-79%
CITY ACADEMY	City Academy	20-29	50-59%	73%	70-79%
DAVINCI ACADEMY	Davinci Academy	62	89%	88%	90%
EAST HOLLYWOOD HIGH	East Hollywood High	123	67%	75%	67%
FAST FORWARD HIGH	Fast Forward High	98	77%	80%	67%
FREEDOM PREPARATORY ACADEMY	Freedom Preparatory Academy	30-39	≥90%	80-89%	
INTECH COLLEGIATE HIGH SCHOOL	Intech Collegiate High School	45	≥95%	≥95%	≥90%
ITINERIS EARLY COLLEGE HIGH	Itineris Early College High	122	93%	94%	91%
KAIROS ACADEMY	Kairos Academy	30-39	20-29%	10-19%	<20%
KARL G. MAESER PREPARATORY ACADEMY	Karl G. Maeser Preparatory Academy	91	≥95%	≥95%	85%

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LUMEN SCHOLAR INSTITUTE	Lumen Scholar Institute	20-29	40-49%	30-39%	
MANA ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	Mana Academy Charter School	10-19	40-49%	n<10	n<10
MERIT COLLEGE PREPARATORY ACADEMY	Merit College Preparatory Academy	46	87%	93%	71%
MOUNTAIN HEIGHTS ACADEMY	Mountain Heights Academy	87	62%	73%	60%
NO. UT. ACAD. FOR MATH ENGINEERING & SCIENCE (NUAMES)	No. UT. Acad. for Math Engineering & Science (NUAMES)	214	≥98%	95%	≥98%
PARADIGM HIGH SCHOOL	Paradigm High School	88	73%	77%	85%
PINNACLE CANYON ACADEMY	Pinnacle Canyon Academy	56	89%	≥95%	≥95%
PIONEER HIGH SCHOOL FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS	Pioneer High School for the Performing Arts	69	57%	88%	53%
PROVIDENCE HALL	Providence Hall	90	≥95%	89%	80-89%
ROCKWELL CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL	Rockwell Charter High School	107	97%	≥98%	≥98%
ROOTS CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL	Roots Charter High School	30-39	60-69%	30-39%	
SALT LAKE CENTER FOR SCIENCE EDUCATION	Salt Lake Center for Science Education	45	≥95%	93%	80-89%
SALT LAKE SCHOOL FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS	Salt Lake School for the Performing Arts	64	89%	76%	72%
SPECTRUM ACADEMY	Spectrum Academy - NSL	41	22%	30%	20-29%
SUCCESS ACADEMY	Success DSU	66	≥95%	≥95%	≥95%
	Success SUU	43	≥95%	≥95%	≥95%
SUMMIT ACADEMY HIGH SCHOOL	Summit Academy High School	103	83%	81%	80%
TERRA ACADEMY	Terra Academy	20-29	80-89%	50-59%	

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TUACAHN HIGH SCHOOL FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS	Tuacahn High School For The Performing Arts	96	88%	90%	86%
UINTAH RIVER HIGH	Uintah River High	20-29	50-59%	60-69%	40-49%
UTAH CAREER PATH HIGH SCHOOL	Utah Career Path High School	47	79%	80-89%	57%
UTAH CONNECTIONS ACADEMY	Utah Connections Academy	161	50%	42%	36%
UTAH COUNTY ACADEMY OF SCIENCE (UCAS)	Utah County Academy of Science (UCAS)	134	≥98%	96%	≥98%
UTAH INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL	Utah International Charter School	58	38%	10-19%	n<10
UTAH MILITARY ACADEMY	Utah Military Academy	30-39	80-89%	89%	80-89%
UTAH VIRTUAL ACADEMY	Utah Virtual Academy	232	38%	42%	34%
VANGUARD ACADEMY	Vanguard Academy	10-19	60-69%		
VENTURE ACADEMY	Venture Academy	50	84%	86%	94%
WALDEN SCHOOL OF LIBERAL ARTS	Walden School of Liberal Arts	20-29	≥90%	≥90%	80-89%
WINTER SPORTS SCHOOL	Winter Sports School	30-39	≥90%	≥90%	≥90%

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Appendix A: Background on Graduation Rates

The Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) requires the State to calculate a four-year cohort rate. Utah implemented a federally defined cohort graduation rate in 2008. The graduation rate for the 2017 cohort includes all students who started ninth grade in the 2013-14 school year, plus students who transferred into the Utah public education system after ninth grade.

Students in the cohort have four possible final outcomes:

- Graduate
- Continuing Student
- Other Completer
- Dropout

The “Graduate” category includes students who have earned a basic high school diploma or an adult education high school diploma achieved by September 30 following the end of their cohort school year. “Continuing Students” are students who have been allowed to continue attending school beyond their senior year, or those who transferred to higher education or the Utah College of Applied Technology (UCAT) without first receiving a high school diploma. Students considered “Other Completers” include those who completed the General Education Development test (GED) or a Certificate of Completion or students with disabilities who participated in the Utah Alternate Assessment (UAA). The “Dropout” category includes students who have not completed graduation requirements, such as those who have withdrawn, dropped out, or have been expelled.



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Appendix B: Utah State Graduation, Dropout, Continuing Student, and Other Completion Rates, 2013-2017*

		All Students	AfAm/Black	American Indian	Asian	Hispanic/ Latino	Pacific Islander	White	Economically Disadvantaged	English Learner	Students with Disabilities
2017	Cohort	46,651	700	581	880	7,786	780	34,828	14,190	1,759	4,615
	Graduates	86%	73%	74%	89%	77%	86%	88%	77%	67%	69%
	Other Completers	1%	2%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	1%	1%	<1%	2%
	Continuing Students	2%	5%	3%	1%	2%	<1%	2%	3%	4%	14%
	Dropouts	11%	20%	22%	10%	20%	13%	9%	19%	28%	15%
2016	Cohort	45,306	628	601	864	7,434	747	34,052	13,590	1,910	4,505
	Graduates	85%	73%	70%	89%	74%	84%	87%	75%	65%	69%
	Other Completers	<1%	1%	1%	<1%	<1%	1%	<1%	1%	1%	2%
	Continuing Students	2%	4%	2%	1%	1%	<1%	2%	2%	3%	13%
	Dropouts	13%	22%	27%	10%	24%	14%	10%	22%	31%	16%
2015	Cohort	43,857	627	626	843	6,988	660	33,266	13,191	1,793	4,153
	Graduates	84%	68%	69%	88%	74%	83%	87%	76%	65%	66%
	Other Completers	<1%	2%	2%	2%	<1%	<1%	1%	1%	2%	3%
	Continuing Students	2%	4%	3%	<1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%	14%
	Dropouts	13%	25%	26%	10%	24%	16%	10%	20%	30%	17%
2014	Cohort	43,047	599	613	874	6,731	691	32,832	11,308	1,952	4,024
	Graduates	83%	66%	65%	85%	72%	82%	86%	72%	61%	67%
	Other Completers	1%	1%	<1%	<1%	1%	<1%	1%	1%	2%	3%
	Continuing Students	1%	3%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	13%
	Dropouts	15%	29%	31%	13%	26%	15%	12%	24%	35%	17%
2013	Cohort	42,688	636	600	887	6,459	664	32,883	12,916	2,024	4,022
	Graduates	81%	68%	65%	79%	68%	77%	85%	72%	57%	65%
	Other Completers	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%
	Continuing Students	1%	2%	2%	<1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	10%
	Dropouts	16%	28%	31%	20%	29%	21%	13%	25%	38%	22%

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