
Performance Measures

Elementary and Secondary Education

Administration of the Comprehensive Education Strategy

High School Graduates Earning Diploma Plus

The figures below represent the percent of high school graduates earning Diploma Plus college credit or an industry credential through Advanced Placement courses, college courses, and/or industry-approved Career and Technical Education credentials. These opportunities allow for students to obtain the skills and real-world experience required by the workforce in priority sectors. Data has a 1 year lag.

	<i>Reporting Period: State Fiscal Year</i>				
<i>Frequency: Annual</i>	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target	50%	54%	58%	63%	67%
Actual	48%	49%	49%	--	--

Low Income State-funded High-quality Pre-K Enrollment

The figures below represent the percent of four-year-old children from low-income families enrolled in high-quality, state-funded pre-kindergarten programs.

	<i>Reporting Period: State Fiscal Year</i>				
<i>Frequency: Annual</i>	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target	21%	23%	14%	18%	18%
Actual	12%	14%	14%	--	--

State-funded High-quality Pre-K Enrollment

The figures below represent the percent of four-year-old children enrolled in high-quality, state-funded pre-kindergarten programs.

	<i>Reporting Period: State Fiscal Year</i>				
<i>Frequency: Annual</i>	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target	20%	22%	20%	24%	24%
Actual	15%	20%	20%	--	--

Student Chronic Absenteeism Rate

The figures below represent the percent of students who are chronically absent in a year (absent for 10 percent or more of the school year). [Note: In 2020, the U.S. Department of Education waived accountability reporting for all states due to the effects of the pandemic, which impacted the 2021 target.]

	<i>Reporting Period: State Fiscal Year</i>				
<i>Frequency: Annual</i>	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target	--	24%	32%	30%	28%
Actual	27.6%	34.1%	29.0%	--	--

Student Graduation Rate

The figures below represent the state four-year graduation rate. [Note: Graduation rate is an accountability measure reported on a one-year lag. Rhode Island is required to evaluate and publicly report on graduation rate, per federal requirements. In 2020, the U.S. Department of Education waived accountability reporting for all states due to the effects of the pandemic, which impacted the 2021 target.]

	<i>Reporting Period: State Fiscal Year</i>				
<i>Frequency: Annual</i>	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target	--	85%	87%	89%	89%
Actual	84.0%	83.7%	83.5%	--	--
