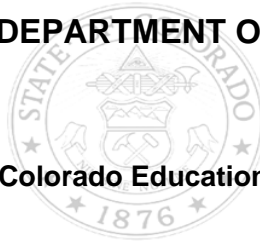


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2007 Colorado Education Facts

	<u>Fall 2003</u>	<u>Fall 2004</u>	<u>Fall 2005</u>	<u>Fall 2006</u>	<u>Fall 2007</u>	<u>Percent Change From Fall 2006</u>
Number of School Districts	178	178	178	178	178	0.0%
Public School Student Membership *	757,668	766,657	780,708	794,026	802,639	1.1%
Number of Charter Schools	96	96	126	142	141	-0.7%
Charter School Student Membership *	31,529	36,932	44,254	52,332	56,772	8.5%
Home Based Student Membership	8,591	7,081	6,906	6,205	7,445	20.0%
Non-Public School Student	56,832	56,136	56,665	56,118	60,945	8.6%

* Charter Schools are public schools. Charter School Student Membership data is included in the Public School Student Membership counts.

Fall 2007 Pupil Membership by Type of Public School		
<u>School Type</u>	<u>Number of Schools</u>	<u>Student Membership</u>
Elementary*	1034	407,288
Middle/Junior High	289	143,157
Senior High	343	228,098
Pre-Kindergarten-12	22	13,752
Alternative High	45	6,735
Other	38	3,609
Total	1,771	802,639

* Includes PK or Kindergarten only schools

Fall 2007 Pupil Membership by Type of Non-Public School		
<u>School Type</u>	<u>Number of Schools</u>	<u>Student Membership</u>
Prekindergarten/Kindergarten	213	11,546
Elementary	169	29,628
Middle/Junior High	4	123
Senior High	31	6,936
Special Education	3	446
Combined	79	12,266
Total	499	60,945

Fall 2007 Pupil Membership by Ethnic Group		
<u>Ethnic/Racial Group</u>	<u>Membership Count</u>	<u>Percent</u>
American Indian	9,411	1.2%
Asian	27,664	3.4%
Black	47,936	6.0%
Hispanic	224,250	27.9%
White	493,378	61.5%
Total	802,639	100.0%

October 2007 One-Day Membership Count			
<u>Grade</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Total Count</u>
PK	11,902	13,970	25,872
K	29,784	31,792	61,576
1	30,984	32,368	63,352
2	30,245	31,831	62,076
3	29,492	30,918	60,410
4	29,155	30,295	59,450
5	28,518	29,703	58,221
6	28,427	29,811	58,238
7	28,260	30,139	58,399
8	28,497	29,951	58,448
9	30,786	32,669	63,455
10	29,825	31,020	60,845
11	27,909	28,980	56,889
12	27,302	28,106	55,408
Ungraded			
Total	391,086	411,553	802,639

Graduation Rates for Class of 2007		
	<u>Number of Graduates</u>	<u>Graduation Rate</u>
Total	45,628	75.0
Male	22,199	71.5
Female	23,429	78.6
American Indian	445	58.9
Asian	1,635	83.5
Black	2,417	65.4
Hispanic	8,100	57.1
White	33,031	82.1

Dropout Rates for 2006-2007 School Year*		
	<u>Number of Dropouts</u>	<u>Dropout Rate</u>
Total	18,027	4.4
Male	9,975	4.7
Female	8,052	4.0
American Indian	385	7.1
Asian	336	2.6
Black	1,595	5.8
Hispanic	8,428	8.0
White	7,283	2.8

*STATE TOTALS (INCLUDING ALTERNATIVE SCHOOLS)