Rhode Island

Profile of Rhode Island public schools

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Characteristics of students attending school in Rhode Island

- 14.0% White
- 5.0% Black
- 4.0% Hispanic
- 3.9% Asian
- 2.2% Native American
- 0.6% Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander

Using Information

Information Works! School Year 2007-08

Breakdown by school level
- Elementary Schools: 197
- Middle Schools: 50
- High Schools: 53
- Elementary / Middle Schools: 4
- Middle / High Schools: 1
- Elementary / Middle / High Schools: 3

Breakdown by school type
- Public schools operated by local school districts: 290
- Public schools operated by the state through Boards of Trustees: 4
- Public charter schools operated by local districts: 3
- Public charter schools, independently operated: 6
- Collaboratives: 1
- Publicly operated preschools: 3

STUDENTS

- Total number: 148,474

TEACHERS

- Total number: 14,599

DISTRICTS

- Total number: 48

SCHOOLS

- Total number: 308

Number and percent of schools in each classification

- Made AYP: 193 (82%)
- Did not make AYP: 158 (6%)
- Did not make AYP: Schools with caution: 12 (82%)
- Did not make AYP: Insufficient progress: 23 (12%)

Types of schooling

- Public
- Other Public Schools
- Home Schooled
- Nonpublic

Student eligibility for subsidized-lunch programs

- 38.0% Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Lunch
- 62.0% Not Eligible
- 14.0% English as a Second Language (ESL)
- 8.9% African-American
- 3.1% Asian
- 0.7% Hispanic
- 95.0% General Education

Students receiving ESL/bilingual-education services

- 3.6% English as a Second Language (ESL)
- 1.4% Native American
- 0.7% Asian

Students receiving special-education services

- 5.7% Self-contained
- 0.04% Homebound/Hospitalized