

Four-Year Graduation Rate & College and Career Readiness Attainment



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2023 Four-Year Graduation Rate



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Calculating Four-Year Cohort Graduation Rate

The **four-year cohort** is based on the number of students who enter Grade 9 for the first time.

Each cohort is identified by the **base year** and the **graduation year**.

- The base year is the actual year a student is a first-time ninth grader.
- The graduation year is the year a student is expected to graduate within the four-year cohort.



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The 2023 Four-Year Cohort Graduation Rate is 90.04%



	2022 Four-Year Cohort Graduation Rate	2023 Four-Year Cohort Graduation Rate	Change
State of Alabama	88.21%	90.04%	+1.83%



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2023 College and Career Readiness Attainment



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College and Career Readiness (CCR) Indicators

College and Career Readiness (CCR) is determined based on the percentage of students enrolled in the four-year cohort who met at least one of the indicators below.

ACT Subtest Benchmark Score	ACT WorkKeys Silver or Higher Level	Advanced Placement Qualifying Score	International Baccalaureate Exam Qualifying Score	Approved College or Post-Secondary Credit in High School
Approved Industry Credential	Military Enlistment	Career Technical Education Completer (added July 2022)	In-School Youth Apprenticeship Program (added July 2022)	



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2023 College and Career Readiness Rate

The 2023 College and Career Readiness Attainment Rate is 84.20%

	2022 CCR Percentage Rate	2023 CCR Percentage Rate	Change
State of Alabama	79.07%	84.20%	+5.13%



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Questions about Data and Supports

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