

**2024-2025**  
**Four-Year Cohort Graduation Rate**  
**&**  
**College and Career Readiness Attainment**



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# Four-Year Graduation Rate



# 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 and graduate on-time within four academic years.

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 Grad Year is the year a student is expected to graduate within the four-year cohort.



# 2024 and 2025 Graduation Rate Comparison

<b>State of Alabama</b>	<b>2024 Four-Year Cohort Graduation Rate</b>	<b>2025 Four-Year Cohort Graduation Rate</b>	<b>Change</b>
	<b>91.56%</b>	<b>92.77%</b>	<b>+1.21%</b>





# College and Career Readiness Attainment



# College and Career Readiness Indicators

College and career readiness is determined based on the percentage of students enrolled in the four-year cohort who met at least one of the College and Career Readiness Indicators listed below.

<b>ACT Subtest Benchmark Score</b>	<b>ACT WorkKeys Silver or Higher Level</b>	<b>Advanced Placement Exam Qualifying Score</b>	<b>International Baccalaureate Exam Qualifying Score</b>	<b>Approved College or Postsecondary Credit in High School</b>
<b>Approved Industry Credential</b>	<b>Military Enlistment</b>	<b>Career and Technical Education Completer</b>	<b>In-School Youth Apprenticeship Program</b>	



# 2024 and 2025 CCR Rate Comparison

<b>State of Alabama</b>	<b>2024 CCR Percentage Rate</b>	<b>2025 CCR Percentage Rate</b>	<b>Change</b>
	<b>87.88%</b>	<b>90.70%</b>	<b>+2.82%</b>



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