# **State High School Graduation Rate (Four-Year Cohort)**

The Four-Year Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate (ACGR) is the number of students who graduate from high school in four years with a regular high school diploma, divided by the number of students who form the adjusted cohort for the graduating class.

The four-year cohort is based on the number of students who enter grade 9 for the first time adjusted by adding into the cohort any student who transfers in later during grade 9 or during the next three years and subtracting any student from the cohort who transfers out, emigrates to another country, transfers to a prison or juvenile facility, or dies during that same period.

For more information on the ACGR, visit the Information about Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate web page at <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/ad/acgrinfo.asp>.

## **2021–22 State High School Graduation Rate (Four-Year Cohort) by Student Group**

| **Student Group** | **Number of Students in Cohort** | **Number of Cohort Graduates** | **Cohort Graduation Rate** |
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| Statewide | 497,884 | 433,339 | 87.0% |
| Female | 241,220 | 216,558 | 89.8% |
| Male | 256,160 | 216,381 | 84.5% |
| Non-Binary | 504 | 400 | 79.4% |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 2,580 | 2,032 | 78.8% |
| Asian | 47,100 | 44,836 | 95.2% |
| Black or African American | 26,811 | 21,063 | 78.6% |
| Filipino | 13,587 | 12,968 | 95.4% |
| Hispanic or Latino | 273,928 | 232,030 | 84.7% |
| Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander | 2,390 | 2,028 | 84.9% |
| Two or More Races | 16,874 | 15,085 | 89.4% |
| White | 111,065 | 100,600 | 90.6% |
| English Learners | 70,376 | 50,524 | 71.8% |
| Foster Youth | 497,884 | 433,339 | 87.0% |
| Homeless | 33,764 | 24,629 | 72.9% |
| Socioeconomically Disadvantaged | 347,030 | 293,404 | 84.5% |
| Not Socioeconomically Disadvantaged | 150,854 | 139,935 | 92.8% |
| Students Receiving Migrant Education Services | 5,305 | 4,511 | 85.0% |
| Students with Disabilities | 63,360 | 46,744 | 73.8% |
| Students with No Reported Disabilities | 434,524 | 386,595 | 89.0% |

Note 1: Due to rounding, the sum of the cohort graduation rate may not total 100 percent.

Note 2: Socioeconomically disadvantaged (SED) students are defined as students: (1) who are eligible for the free or reduced-price lunch program (also known as the National School Lunch Program, or NSLP), or have a direct certification for free or reduced-price meals, or (2) who are migrant, homeless, or foster youth, or (3) where neither of the parents were a high school graduate.