

ARKANSAS STATE SUMMARY REPORT

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Grade Range	PreK-12	No. of Schools Accredited	752
Total Enrollment	466,391	No. of Schools Accredited - Cited	276
State Percent of Students Eligible for Free/ Reduced Meals	54.2	No. of Schools Accredited - Probation	37

	2005/2006	2006/2007	2007/2008
Attendance Rate	94.3	94.3	94.3
Graduation Rate	71	76	68.2
Dropout Rate	3.2	3.6	3.3

*State Rate Calculated using NGA formula since 2006

AYP Indicators

	2005/2006	2006/2007	2007/2008
No. of Schools in Year One of School Improvement	107	114	104
No. of Schools in Year Two of School Improvement	80	63	88
No. of Schools in Year Three of School Improvement	90	NA	58
No. of Schools in Year Four of School Improvement	107	114	124
No. of Schools in Year Five of School Improvement	3	NA	NA
No. of Schools in Year One of School Improvement	1	NA	NA
Corrective Action	NA	73	NA
Restructuring	NA	79	NA

	2005/2006	2006/2007	2007/2008
Percent of Teachers Completely Satisfied	99	98.9	98.4
Percent of Teachers With Bachelors	63.8	65.2	62.4
Percent of Teachers With Masters	34.7	33.8	35.2
Percent of Teachers With Advanced Degree	0.6	0.56	0.6
Percent of Teachers Not Highly Qualified Teaching in High Poverty Schools	NA	2.58	9.6
Percent of Teachers Not Highly Qualified Teaching in Low Poverty Schools	NA	0.75	2.7
Percent of Teachers Not Highly Qualified at all School Economic Levels	NA	1.56	