

Denver Public Schools COLORADO				
	DENVER		COLORADO	
	2000-2001	2005-2006	2000-2001	2005-2006
Number of Students	70,847	72,312	724,508	779,826
Percent Free & Reduced Price Lunch Eligible	60	65	27	33
Percent of Students with Individual Educational Plans	11	12	10	10
Percent of English Language Learners	28	36	8	13
Percent American Indian/Alaskan Native	1	1	1	1
Percent Asian/Pacific Islander	3	3	3	3
Percent African American	20	18	6	6
Percent Hispanic	53	58	22	27
Percent White	22	20	68	63
Number of FTE Teachers	4,178	3,974	41,983	45,841
Student-Teacher Ratio	17	18	17	17
Number of Schools	129	148	1,632	1,707
<b>District as a Percentage of the State's Public Schools</b>			<b>2000-2001</b>	<b>2005-2006</b>
Percent of Students			10	9
Percent of FRPL			22	18
Percent of IEPs			11	11
Percent of ELLs			32	26
Percent of Schools			8	9
Percent of Teachers			10	9

**DEMOGRAPHICS NOTES:**

Sources: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, "Public Elementary/Secondary School Universe Survey" and "Local Education Agency Universe Survey." (All data are labeled preliminary by NCES.)

**ASSESSMENT NOTES:**

**Test(s):** Colorado State Assessment Program

**Grades:** 3-10

**How Reported:**

Unsatisfactory, Partially Proficient, Proficient, and Advanced.

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Reading	Grade	Spring 2001	Spring 2002	Spring 2003	Spring 2004	Spring 2005	Spring 2006	Spring 2007	Avg. Yearly Change
	3								
At or Above Proficient		49	50	55	53	52	51	50	0.2
Unsatisfactory		18	22	16	17	20	23	22	0.7
	4								
At or Above Proficient		37	35	37	38	39	42	40	0.5
Unsatisfactory		30	31	28	25	29	24	31	0.2
	5								
At or Above Proficient		38	38	41	46	44	47	45	1.2
Unsatisfactory		27	29	27	25	25	25	28	0.2
	6								
At or Above Proficient		36	37	39	38	38	45	44	1.3
Unsatisfactory		24	23	23	27	27	23	24	0.0
	7								
At or Above Proficient		35	33	34	35	36	40	40	0.8
Unsatisfactory		22	28	30	31	30	28	31	1.5
	8								
At or Above Proficient		37	40	40	34	36	41	38	0.2
Unsatisfactory		21	20	22	28	29	25	29	1.3
	9								
At or Above Proficient		34	40	37	38	35	40	40	1.0
Unsatisfactory		19	20	19	18	20	25	20	0.2
	10								
At or Above Proficient		35	39	43	39	40	44	43	1.3
Unsatisfactory		19	21	18	19	19	21	20	0.2
	11								
At or Above Proficient									
Unsatisfactory									

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Reading	Grade	Spring 2001	Spring 2002	Spring 2003	Spring 2004	Spring 2005	Spring 2006	Spring 2007	Avg. Yearly Change
	3								
At or Above Proficient		72	72	75	74	71	70	71	-0.2
Unsatisfactory		8	9	7	8	9	11	10	0.3
	4								
At or Above Proficient		63	61	63	63	64	68	64	0.2
Unsatisfactory		13	13	12	11	13	10	13	0.0
	5								
At or Above Proficient		64	63	66	69	69	70	69	0.8
Unsatisfactory		12	14	13	11	11	12	13	0.2
	6								
At or Above Proficient		63	65	67	67	67	69	70	1.2
Unsatisfactory		12	10	10	11	11	10	10	-0.3
	7								
At or Above Proficient		63	59	61	61	64	64	65	0.3
Unsatisfactory		11	14	14	14	13	13	13	0.3
	8								
At or Above Proficient		63	65	66	64	64	66	63	0.0
Unsatisfactory		11	11	10	12	12	11	12	0.2
	9								
At or Above Proficient		63	66	65	66	65	66	66	0.5
Unsatisfactory		9	9	9	9	8	10	8	-0.2
	10								
At or Above Proficient		63	65	67	65	66	68	69	1.0
Unsatisfactory		9	10	9	9	9	9	8	-0.2
	11								
At or Above Proficient									
Unsatisfactory									



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<b>Reading</b>	Grade	Spring 2001	Spring 2002	Spring 2003	Spring 2004	Spring 2005	Spring 2006	Spring 2007	Avg. Yearly Change
<b>AT OR ABOVE PROFICIENT</b>	<b>4</b>								
<i>Denver</i>									
African-American				34	40	36	37	38	1.0
Alaskan Native/Am. Indian				33	27	45	45	33	0.0
Asian/Pacific Islander				48	54	54	62	62	3.5
Hispanic				26	26	27	32	28	0.5
White				72	70	73	74	76	1.0
<i>Colorado</i>									
African-American		41	40	43	47	46	49	47	1.0
Alaskan Native/Am. Indian		43	47	46	49	52	60	50	1.2
Asian/Pacific Islander		59	59	65	68	69	74	74	2.5
Hispanic		40	36	40	40	41	46	41	0.2
White		73	73	74	75	76	79	76	0.5
									Total Change
<b>Gap</b>									
African-American (D)-White (S)				-40	-35	-40	-42	-38	2.0
Hispanic (D)-White (S)				-48	-49	-49	-47	-48	0.0
<b>UNSATISFACTORY</b>	<b>4</b>								
<i>Denver</i>									
African-American				29	22	30	25	32	0.8
Alaskan Native/Am. Indian				31	27	30	23	31	0.0
Asian/Pacific Islander				18	12	18	12	14	-1.0
Hispanic				35	32	35	29	38	0.8
White				8	9	8	8	9	0.3
<i>Colorado</i>									
African-American		25	24	22	18	22	19	24	-0.2
Alaskan Native/Am. Indian		22	20	20	18	19	13	21	-0.2
Asian/Pacific Islander		13	12	11	7	9	7	8	-0.8
Hispanic		25	27	24	22	25	20	26	0.2
White		7	7	7	6	7	5	7	0.0
									Total Change
<b>Gap</b>									
African-American (D)-White (S)				22	16	23	20	25	3.0
Hispanic (D)-White (S)				28	26	28	24	31	3.0

<b>Mathematics</b>	Grade	Spring 2001	Spring 2002	Spring 2003	Spring 2004	Spring 2005	Spring 2006	Spring 2007	Avg. Yearly Change
<b>AT OR ABOVE PROFICIENT</b>	<b>4</b>								
<i>Denver</i>									
African-American						34	36	42	4.0
Alaskan Native/Am. Indian						36	44	35	-0.5
Asian/Pacific Islander						59	73	75	8.0
Hispanic						37	39	43	3.0
White						74	76	78	2.0
<i>Colorado</i>									
African-American						45	48	51	3.0
Alaskan Native/Am. Indian						50	58	56	3.0
Asian/Pacific Islander						75	81	84	4.5
Hispanic						46	50	52	3.0
White						77	79	81	2.0
									Total Change
<b>Gap</b>									
African-American (D)-White (S)						-43	-43	-39	4.0
Hispanic (D)-White (S)						-40	-40	-38	2.0
<b>UNSATISFACTORY</b>	<b>4</b>								
<i>Denver</i>									
African-American						31	28	26	-2.5
Alaskan Native/Am. Indian						33	26	25	-4.0
Asian/Pacific Islander						13	7	7	-3.0
Hispanic						26	23	24	-1.0
White						7	7	7	0.0
<i>Colorado</i>									
African-American		20	19	18					-1.0
Alaskan Native/Am. Indian		14	13	14					0.0
Asian/Pacific Islander		5	4	3					-1.0
Hispanic		17	16	16					-0.5
White		5	4	4					-0.5
									Total Change
<b>Gap</b>									
African-American (D)-White (S)						26	24	22	-4.0
Hispanic (D)-White (S)						21	19	20	-1.0

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Achievement Gap (Denver Subgroup vs State)

Reading	Grade	Spring 2001	Spring 2002	Spring 2003	Spring 2004	Spring 2005	Spring 2006	Spring 2007	Avg. Yearly Change
<b>AT OR ABOVE PROFICIENT</b>	<b>8</b>								
<i>Denver</i>									
African-American				39	33	34	38	34	-1.3
Alaskan Native/Am. Indian				42	25	35	41	39	-0.8
Asian/Pacific Islander				55	50	51	62	59	1.0
Hispanic				26	21	24	29	25	-0.3
White				71	72	71	75	75	1.0
<i>Colorado</i>									
African-American		43	46	49	43	44	47	43	0.0
Alaskan Native/Am. Indian		50	54	53	49	48	53	52	0.3
Asian/Pacific Islander		63	66	70	69	69	70	71	1.3
Hispanic		35	37	39	36	38	41	39	0.7
White		73	76	77	75	76	78	75	0.3
									Total Change
<b>Gap</b>									
African-American (D)-White (S)				-38	-42	-42	-40	-41	-3.0
Hispanic (D)-White (S)				-51	-54	-52	-49	-50	1.0
<b>UNSATISFACTORY</b>	<b>8</b>								
<i>Denver</i>									
African-American				21	27	25	24	28	1.8
Alaskan Native/Am. Indian				24	29	25	16	33	2.3
Asian/Pacific Islander				14	12	18	14	17	0.8
Hispanic				29	35	38	33	37	2.0
White				8	9	11	9	8	0.0
<i>Colorado</i>									
African-American		20	18	16	21	20	19	22	0.3
Alaskan Native/Am. Indian		13	16	14	18	19	15	17	0.7
Asian/Pacific Islander		11	9	8	7	8	8	8	-0.5
Hispanic		23	23	23	25	25	23	25	0.3
White		7	6	6	7	6	6	6	-0.2
									Total Change
<b>Gap</b>									
African-American (D)-White (S)				15	20	19	18	22	7.0
Hispanic (D)-White (S)				23	28	32	27	31	8.0

Mathematics	Grade	Spring 2001	Spring 2002	Spring 2003	Spring 2004	Spring 2005	Spring 2006	Spring 2007	Avg. Yearly Change
<b>AT OR ABOVE PROFICIENT</b>	<b>8</b>								
<i>Denver</i>									
African-American				6	8	9	14	14	2.0
Alaskan Native/Am. Indian				11	16	8	12	20	2.3
Asian/Pacific Islander				31	35	35	49	45	3.5
Hispanic				5	8	9	14	14	2.3
White				39	42	44	50	54	3.8
<i>Colorado</i>									
African-American		14	15	14	16	20	22	22	1.3
Alaskan Native/Am. Indian		21	26	23	24	26	29	33	2.0
Asian/Pacific Islander		49	50	52	56	59	61	63	2.3
Hispanic		15	15	15	18	21	22	23	1.3
White		48	49	48	51	55	56	57	1.5
									Total Change
<b>Gap</b>									
African-American (D)-White (S)				-42	-43	-46	-42	-43	-1.0
Hispanic (D)-White (S)				-43	-43	-46	-42	-43	0.0
<b>UNSATISFACTORY</b>	<b>8</b>								
<i>Denver</i>									
African-American				64	68	59	58	58	-1.5
Alaskan Native/Am. Indian				61	62	40	55	49	-3.0
Asian/Pacific Islander				37	31	33	28	26	-2.8
Hispanic				64	64	58	57	52	-3.0
White				29	26	23	22	19	-2.5
<i>Colorado</i>									
African-American		54	51	53	54	45	46	43	-1.8
Alaskan Native/Am. Indian		41	40	40	45	36	36	32	-1.5
Asian/Pacific Islander		20	17	18	17	14	14	12	-1.3
Hispanic		48	46	52	48	41	45	40	-1.3
White		19	18	21	18	14	15	13	-1.0
									Total Change
<b>Gap</b>									
African-American (D)-White (S)				43	50	45	43	45	2.0
Hispanic (D)-White (S)				43	46	44	42	39	-4.0



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Reading	Grade	Spring 2001	Spring 2002	Spring 2003	Spring 2004	Spring 2005	Spring 2006	Spring 2007	Avg. Yearly Change
English Language Learners									
	4			14	13	10	15	21	1.8
				45	42	52	41	37	-2.0
	8			17	12	7	7	9	-2.0
				35	47	58	55	60	6.3

Mathematics

English Language Learners									
	4					25	30	46	10.5
						31	29	18	-6.5
	8			7	5	4	9	9	0.5
				69	71	68	72	61	-2.0

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Reading	Grade	Spring 2001	Spring 2002	Spring 2003	Spring 2004	Spring 2005	Spring 2006	Spring 2007	Avg. Yearly Change
Students w/Disabilities									
	4			12	13	14	12	12	0.0
				63	60	65	64	69	1.5
	8			12	10	9	8	11	-0.3
				52	63	65	63	66	3.5

Mathematics

Students w/Disabilities									
	4					17	14	19	1.0
						56	56	55	-0.5
	8			3	3	4	4	7	1.0
				76	81	81	82	79	0.8

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English Language Learners									
	4			19	19	18	23	22	0.8
				39	35	42	32	34	-1.3
	8			17	13	9	14	12	-1.3
				37	41	43	41	43	1.5

Mathematics

English Language Learners									
	4					28	35	44	8.0
						26	22	17	-4.5
	8			8	8	8	9	9	0.3
				64	63	57	63	55	-2.3

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Students w/Disabilities									
	4	23	21	22	24	25	27	24	0.2
		44	47	46	42	46	41	48	0.7
	8	19	18	19	17	20	19	17	-0.3
		42	43	41	49	45	47	49	1.2

Mathematics

Students w/Disabilities									
	4					32	33	34	1.0
						32	31	33	0.5
	8	8	7	7	8	10	9	10	0.3
		63	64	68	71	65	68	65	0.3