

Table 1. Average Percentage of Students Who Were in the Ninth-Grade for the First-Time by Selected School Characteristics, 2004-05

School Characteristic	Indiana (n = 339)	
	%	SD
Locale		
City	76.8%	15.432
Suburb	92.3%	9.802
Town	90.6%	9.230
Rural	92.0%	9.843
School Size		
50 to 299	91.1%	7.686
300 to 799	92.1%	9.818
800 to 1,199	89.9%	12.301
1,200 to 1,999	84.2%	14.890
2,000 or more	87.2%	12.024
Percent of Students Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Lunch		
20% or less	94.1%	8.408
21-39%	90.4%	9.513
40% or more	78.8%	16.720
Calculated Pupil/Teacher Ratio (School Resources)¹		
15 or less	88.0%	14.064
16 to 19	90.3%	11.303
20 or more	90.3%	11.310
Percent Minority Students		
Less than 10%	92.5%	8.841
10-49%	85.2%	14.133
50-80%	68.5%	15.140
81-89%	76.5%	20.669
90% or more	69.5%	15.600
Overall	89.9%	11.807

¹Calculated Pupil/Teacher Ratio is a calculated variable (total reported students divided by total full-time equivalency classroom teachers) which is used as a proxy measure for available school resources and is not to be interpreted as a measure of class size.

Note: Includes only regular schools.

Table 2. Number and Percent of High Schools by Percentage of Ninth Grade Students Who Were First-Time Ninth Graders in 2004-05

Percentage of Ninth Grade Students Who Were First-Time Ninth Graders in 2004-05	Indiana (n = 339)	
	n	%
60% or less	9	2.7%
61 to 69%	11	3.2%
70 to 79%	36	10.6%
80 to 89%	82	24.2%
90 to 100%	201	59.3%
Total	339	

Note: Includes only regular schools.

Table 3. Number and Percent of High Schools Students by Percentage of Ninth Grade Students Who Were First-Time Ninth Graders in 2004-05

Percentage of Ninth Grade Students Who Were First-Time Ninth Graders in 2004-05	Indiana (n = 339)	
	n	%
60% or less	14,153	4.6%
61 to 69%	13,619	4.4%
70 to 79%	35,033	11.4%
80 to 89%	74,356	24.1%
90 to 100%	171,004	55.5%
Total	308,165	

Note: Includes only regular schools.