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2020 - 2021 Early Exit and Dropout Rates for Grades 9 - 12

		Fall 2020 Enrollment	Adjusted Fall Enrollment (1)	Early Exit Non-Graduates			Total	Missing (5)	All Early Exit Non-Graduates		Dropouts Only	
				Earned HiSet (2)	Enrolled In College (3)	Dropped Out (4)			Annual Early Exit Percentage (6)	4 Year Cumulative Rate (6)	Annual Dropout Percentage (7)	4 Year Cumulative Rate (7)
	State Total	54,708	54,955	324	1	734	1,059	105	1.92%	7.47%	1.34%	5.24%
<u>District</u>	<u>School</u>											
Bedford	Bedford High School	1,479	1,480	1	0	3	4	0	0.27%	1.08%	0.20%	0.81%
Berlin	Berlin Senior High School	371	376	0	0	14	14	1	3.72%	14.08%	3.72%	14.08%
Bow	Bow High School	621	621	1	0	2	3	0	0.48%	1.92%	0.32%	1.28%
Ciaramont	Stevens High School	520	529	1	0	22	23	1	4.36%	16.35%	4.16%	15.63%
Colebrook	Colebrook Academy and Elementary School (H)	100	103	0	0	4	4	0	3.92%	14.79%	3.88%	14.65%
Concord	Concord High School	1,507	1,508	8	0	8	16	1	1.06%	4.18%	0.53%	2.11%
Contoocook Valley	Conval Regional High School	706	706	0	0	9	9	0	1.27%	5.00%	1.27%	5.00%
Conway	Kennett High School	736	738	0	0	6	6	0	0.81%	3.21%	0.81%	3.21%
Dover	Dover Senior High School	1,527	1,529	12	0	10	22	1	1.44%	5.63%	0.65%	2.59%
Dresden	Hanover High School	697	697	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Epping	Epping High School	248	248	1	0	2	3	0	1.21%	4.75%	0.81%	3.19%
Exeter Region Cooperative	Exeter High School	1,572	1,574	4	0	3	7	0	0.44%	1.77%	0.19%	0.76%
Fall Mountain Regional	Fall Mountain Regional High School	498	501	0	0	7	7	0	1.40%	5.47%	1.40%	5.47%
Farmington	Farmington Senior High School	241	242	0	0	4	4	0	1.65%	6.45%	1.65%	6.45%
Franklin	Franklin High School	266	272	2	0	13	15	0	5.49%	20.23%	4.78%	17.79%
Gilford	Gilford High School	493	494	7	0	6	13	1	2.62%	10.08%	1.21%	4.77%
Goffstown	Goffstown High School	1,046	1,049	7	0	7	14	0	1.33%	5.23%	0.67%	2.64%
Gorham Randolph Shelburne Cooperative	Gorham High School	141	141	0	0	1	1	0	0.71%	2.81%	0.71%	2.81%
Governor Wentworth Regional	Kingswood Regional High School	755	758	3	0	8	11	1	1.45%	5.68%	1.06%	4.16%
Haverhill Cooperative	Woodsville High School	218	218	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Hillsboro-Deering Cooperative	Hillsboro-Deering High School	382	382	1	0	6	7	0	1.83%	7.13%	1.57%	6.14%
Hinsdale	Hinsdale High School	132	133	0	0	1	1	0	0.75%	2.97%	0.75%	2.97%
Hollis-Brookline Cooperative	Hollis-Brookline High School	817	817	0	0	1	1	0	0.12%	0.49%	0.12%	0.49%
Hopkinton	Hopkinton High School	324	324	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Hudson	Alvirne High School	1,091	1,091	23	0	12	35	0	3.21%	12.22%	1.10%	4.33%
Inter-Lakes Cooperative	Inter-Lakes High School	290	291	4	0	5	9	0	3.09%	11.81%	1.72%	6.70%
Jaffrey-Rindge Cooperative	Conant High School	328	330	7	0	2	9	0	2.73%	10.47%	0.61%	2.40%
John Stark Regional	John Stark Regional High School	614	615	1	0	7	8	0	1.30%	5.10%	1.14%	4.48%
Kearsarge Regional	Kearsarge Regional High School	524	527	1	0	5	6	0	1.14%	4.48%	0.95%	3.74%
Keene	Keene High School	1,356	1,366	4	0	21	25	1	1.83%	7.13%	1.54%	6.01%
Laconia	Laconia High School	561	562	3	0	15	18	0	3.20%	12.21%	2.67%	10.26%
Lebanon	Lebanon High School	614	614	6	0	2	8	0	1.30%	5.10%	0.33%	1.30%
Lincoln-Woodstock Cooperative	Lin-Wood Public School (High)	85	86	0	0	3	3	0	3.49%	13.24%	3.49%	13.24%
Lisbon Regional	Lisbon Regional School (High)	104	104	0	0	3	3	0	2.88%	11.05%	2.88%	11.05%
Litchfield	Campbell High School	433	433	2	0	0	2	0	0.46%	1.83%	0.00%	0.00%
Littleton	Littleton High School	219	219	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Londonderry	Londonderry Senior High School	1,432	1,432	17	0	4	21	0	1.46%	5.73%	0.28%	1.11%
Manchester	Manchester Memorial High School	1,363	1,377	7	0	33	40	15	2.84%	10.88%	2.40%	9.25%
Manchester	Manchester Central High School	1,245	1,247	3	0	43	46	24	3.69%	13.96%	3.45%	13.10%
Manchester	Manchester West High School	789	799	6	0	49	55	19	6.89%	24.85%	6.13%	22.36%
Manchester	Manchester School of Technology (High School)	383	383	0	0	4	4	8	1.04%	4.11%	1.04%	4.11%
	Manchester District Total	3,780	3,806	16	0	129	145	66	3.79%	14.31%	3.39%	12.88%
Mascenic Regional	Mascenic Regional High School	254	256	1	0	7	8	0	3.13%	11.93%	2.73%	10.50%
Mascoma Valley Regional	Mascoma Valley Regional High School	348	348	1	0	4	5	1	1.44%	5.62%	1.15%	4.52%
Merrimack	Merrimack High School	1,176	1,184	7	0	15	22	1	1.87%	7.26%	1.27%	4.97%
Merrimack Valley	Merrimack Valley High School	769	770	3	0	4	7	1	0.91%	3.59%	0.52%	2.06%
Milford	Milford High School	750	753	0	0	6	6	0	0.80%	3.15%	0.80%	3.15%
Milton	Nute High School	128	129	2	0	3	5	1	3.88%	14.63%	2.33%	8.98%

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Monadnock Regional	Monadnock Regional High School	471	474	1	0	14	15	0	3.16%	12.07%	2.95%	11.30%
Moultonborough	Moultonborough Academy	141	142	2	0	2	4	0	2.80%	10.73%	1.41%	5.52%
Nashua	Nashua High School South	1,831	1,843	2	0	27	29	0	1.57%	6.15%	1.47%	5.73%
Nashua	Nashua High School North	1,618	1,631	1	0	36	37	0	2.27%	8.78%	2.21%	8.54%
	Nashua District Total	3,449	3,474	3	0	63	66	0	1.90%	7.39%	1.81%	7.06%
Newfound Area	Newfound Regional High School	381	386	7	0	9	16	1	4.13%	15.54%	2.33%	9.01%
Newmarket	Newmarket Jr.-Sr. High School	309	309	0	0	1	1	2	0.32%	1.29%	0.32%	1.29%
Newport	Newport Middle High School (High)	297	301	0	0	8	8	0	2.67%	10.25%	2.66%	10.21%
Northumberland	Groveton High School	123	125	0	0	4	4	0	3.20%	12.20%	3.20%	12.20%
Oyster River Coop	Oyster River High School	834	834	2	0	1	3	2	0.36%	1.43%	0.12%	0.48%
Pelham	Pelham High School	601	604	2	0	8	10	0	1.66%	6.46%	1.32%	5.19%
Pembroke	Pembroke Academy	755	770	0	0	16	16	0	2.08%	8.06%	2.08%	8.06%
Pemi-Baker Regional	Plymouth Regional High School	637	637	14	0	5	19	0	2.97%	11.37%	0.78%	3.10%
Pittsburg	Pittsburg School (High)	30	31	0	0	1	1	0	3.23%	12.29%	3.23%	12.29%
Pittsfield	Pittsfield High School	153	154	7	0	9	16	0	10.39%	35.52%	5.84%	21.41%
Portsmouth	Portsmouth High School	1,078	1,078	4	0	3	7	1	0.65%	2.57%	0.28%	1.11%
Profile	Profile Senior High School	136	136	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Raymond	Raymond High School	351	353	2	0	4	6	0	1.70%	6.63%	1.13%	4.46%
Rivendell	Rivendell Academy (H)	51	52	0	0	1	1	0	1.92%	7.47%	1.92%	7.47%
Rochester	Bud Carlson Academy	44	60	11	0	31	42	0	79.25%	99.81%	51.67%	94.54%
Rochester	Spaulding High School	1,347	1,356	1	0	13	14	0	1.03%	4.07%	0.96%	3.78%
	Rochester District Total	1,391	1,416	12	0	44	56	0	3.98%	14.99%	3.11%	11.86%
Salem	Salem High School	1,131	1,135	7	0	6	13	0	1.15%	4.50%	0.53%	2.10%
Sanborn Regional	Sanborn Regional High School	614	616	3	0	5	8	0	1.30%	5.09%	0.81%	3.21%
Shaker Regional	Belmont High School	364	365	1	0	3	4	0	1.10%	4.31%	0.82%	3.25%
Somersworth	Somersworth High School	409	414	5	0	7	12	0	2.91%	11.15%	1.69%	6.59%
Souhegan Cooperative	Souhegan Coop High School	707	708	2	0	3	5	0	0.71%	2.80%	0.42%	1.68%
Sunapee	Sunapee Sr. High School	138	138	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Timberlane Regional	Timberlane Regional High School	1,047	1,050	6	0	13	19	0	1.81%	7.04%	1.24%	4.86%
White Mountains Regional	White Mountains Regional High School	358	365	0	0	8	8	1	2.20%	8.51%	2.19%	8.48%
Wilton-Lyndeborough Cooperative	Wilton-Lyndeboro Senior High School	161	162	0	0	3	3	0	1.85%	7.20%	1.85%	7.20%
Windham	Windham High School	1,020	1,020	6	0	0	6	0	0.59%	2.33%	0.00%	0.00%
Winnacunnet Cooperative	Winnacunnet High School	1,097	1,099	7	0	12	19	0	1.73%	6.74%	1.09%	4.30%
Winnisquam Regional	Winnisquam Regional High School	447	450	5	0	8	13	0	2.89%	11.06%	1.78%	6.92%
Public Academies and Joint Maintenance Agreement												
Prospect Mountain High School		440	441	0	0	3	3	0	0.68%	2.69%	0.68%	2.69%
Coe-Brown Northwood Academy		673	675	0	0	4	4	1	0.59%	2.35%	0.59%	2.35%
Pinkerton Academy		3,153	3,163	64	0	31	95	6	2.97%	11.37%	0.98%	3.86%
Public Charter Schools												
Granite State Arts Academy Charter School		114	114	1	0	2	3	0	2.63%	10.12%	1.75%	6.84%
North Country Charter Academy (H)		47	49	0	0	5	5	0	10.20%	34.98%	10.20%	34.98%
LEAF Charter School		71	71	0	0	1	1	0	1.41%	5.52%	1.41%	5.52%
Cochecho Academy for the Arts		42	44	0	0	2	2	0	4.55%	16.98%	4.55%	16.98%
Kreiva Academy Public Charter School (H)		72	72	1	0	0	1	1	1.39%	5.44%	0.00%	0.00%
Great Bay Charter School (H)		94	94	3	0	0	3	1	3.19%	12.17%	0.00%	0.00%
Spark Academy of Advanced Technologies Charter		34	34	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Ledyard Charter School		34	34	0	0	1	1	4	2.94%	11.26%	2.94%	11.26%
CSI Charter School		28	34	0	0	13	13	0	38.24%	85.45%	38.24%	85.45%
Academy for Science and Design Charter (H)		222	222	1	0	1	2	0	0.90%	3.54%	0.45%	1.79%
Virtual Learning Academy (H)		379	379	0	1	7	8	3	1.85%	7.19%	1.85%	7.19%
PACE Career Academy Charter School		61	63	0	0	6	6	1	9.52%	32.99%	9.52%	32.99%
Making Community Connections Charter School (H)		36	36	1	0	9	10	2	27.78%	72.79%	25.00%	68.36%
Making Community Connections Charter School -		54	56	8	0	4	12	0	21.43%	61.89%	7.14%	25.65%
	Making Community Connections Charter School District Total	90	92	9	0	13	22	2	23.91%	66.48%	14.13%	45.63%
Next Charter School		75	75	1	0	0	1	0	1.33%	5.23%	0.00%	0.00%
The Founders Academy Charter School (H)		133	133	0	0	0	0	2	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Compass Classical Academy Charter School (H)		12	12	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

Foot Notes

(1) October 1, 2020 enrollment plus Early Exits that left before October 1st.

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<i>(2) These are students that exited high school during the 20-21 school year but subsequently received a high school equivalency certificate from the State of NH as a result of testing at one of the NH high school equivalency testing centers. Only students that have voluntarily granted access to their high school transcripts have been counted on this high school report. Any student who did not grant access to their transcripts or who received a high school equivalency certificate from another state could not be verified and therefore has been counted as "Dropped Out."</i>											
<i>(3) These are early exit students who have not earned a high school equivalency certificate but have enrolled in at least one college course. National Student Clearinghouse data, which contains enrollment verification for 96% of US two and four year college students, was used to identify enrollment. Students who have earned a high school equivalency certificate and have entered college without graduating are only counted once – under high school equivalency. They are not double counted under both categories.</i>											
<i>(4) Dropouts are early exit, non-graduates that have not been identified as either receiving a high school equivalency certificate or enrolling in college. These are students reported by their schools as dropouts. Students under the age of 18 are not considered a dropout until the school have done their due diligence to locate the student. Previously, repeat dropouts were not reported again. As of 2019-2020, the guidance has changed to include repeat dropouts in the count and therefore they are included in this count.</i>											
<i>(5) The total number of students under the age of 18 and reported as a W9 (truant).</i>											
<i>Definition of an early exiter: For 2020-2021, any student who completed the 2019-2020 school year but did not return to school in September 2020, or who left high school during the 2020-2021 school year and did not return to high school by October 1, 2021. The definition does not include students who were home schooled, suspended, temporarily expelled, truants, incarcerated; or who completed a high school program (diploma or certificate), transferred to another high school, or died.</i>											
<i>Definition of a dropout: For 2020-2021, any early exiter who has not received a high school equivalency certificate or been enrolled in college or reported as truant (W9) prior to the compilation of this report.</i>											
<i>Annual Early Exit Rate = Early Exit count, divided by the October 1, 2020 enrollment plus Early Exits that left before October 1st.</i>											
<i>Annual Dropout Rate = Dropouts divided by the October 1, 2020 enrollment plus students that dropped out before October 1st.</i>											
<i>Cumulative Rates = 1 - (1 - annual rate)⁴. This formula applies the annual rate to a progressively declining base population. The cumulative rate represents the percentage of current students who will early exit or drop out before reaching graduation if the annual rate does not change. This rate is not applicable to Charter Schools due to high migration.</i>											
<i>(6) The total number of early exit, non-graduates has been used to calculate annual and cumulative percentages. These are comparable to prior years "dropout" rates. The rate formulas are explained above.</i>											
<i>(7) The annual and cumulative percentages have been calculated using only the "Dropped Out" sub-category count. The rate formulas are explained above.</i>											
<i>In the past, different enrollment adjustments were used for high migration Charter schools. Starting with 2014 - 2015 school year, October 1st enrollment is used for all schools.</i>											