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# INDICATOR 1

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# MONITORING AND COMPLIANCE GUIDE

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## Indicator 1: Graduation

### Definition

Percent of youth with Individual Education Programs (IEPs) graduating from high school with a regular diploma (20 U.S.C. 1416 (a)(3)(A)).

### Monitoring Cycle

Annually each local education agency (LEA) submits their termination records through the DOE-TR data collection using the Data Exchange system.

### Measurement

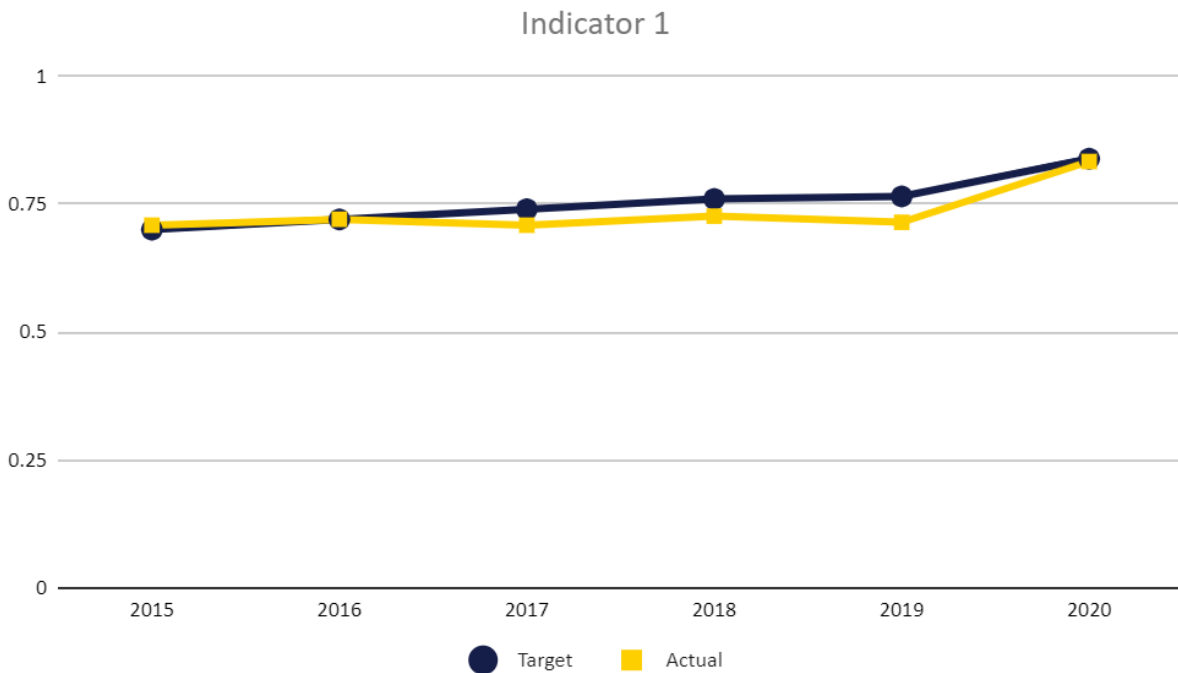
Calculation for percentage of graduates is as follows:

$$\frac{\text{No. Graduating with a Regular Diploma of Any Designation}}{\text{No. Graduating} + \text{No. Receiving Certificate} + \text{No. Reaching Maximum Age} + \text{No. Dropping Out}}$$

for all children/students aged 14 to 21 only. This indicator is lagged one year.

## State Targets

### Historical Data



**Target Data**

<b>Target Year</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2024</b>	<b>2025</b>
<b>Target Data</b>	84.33%	84.88%	85.33%	85.88%	86.33%

**Results Driven Accountability (RDA)**

An alternate calculator of Indicator 1 is used for RDA. The calculation data is obtained from the federal cohort graduate data from the Office of Accountability as follows:

$$\frac{\text{No. of Four-Year Cohort Members Graduating with a Regular Diploma of Any Designation}}{\text{No. of Four-Year Cohort Members}}$$

Cohorts are defined by the accountable corporation. The data is lagged one year.

**Scoring/Quintiles:** Each LEA is assigned to a size group based on its total pupil enrollment, adjusted by interlocals as follows:

- Large: more than 10,000
- Medium: 2,501-10,000
- Small: 1,001-2,500
- Extra Small: 1,000 and below (Public school corporations only)
- Charter/Lab/State: under 1,000

Each LEA with 10 or more students in a category is scored. If less than 10 students are in the category a score of N/A is awarded. Only schools that meet the N-size of ten are included in the population for calculation of quintiles within each group, which forms the basis for scoring. Points are then awarded as follows:

5 Separate Enrollment Groups	
Quintile	Score
Top 20% of LEAs	5
Next 20%	4
Next 20%	3
Next 20%	2
Bottom 20%	1

## Technical Assistance

Level	Resources
Universal	Request Technical Assistance with the Office of Student Support and Accessibility using this <a href="#">form</a> .
Targeted	
Intensive	