

**South Dakota Special Education Performance Information  
State Report Card for 2019-20**

**South Dakota Statewide**

| Indic# | Indicator                                 | Measurement   | 2019-20<br>Target | 2018-19<br>State Rate | 2019-20<br>State Rate | Did State<br>Meet the<br>Target ? |
|--------|---|---|-------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1      | Graduation Rate^                          | Percent of youth with IEPs graduating from high school with a regular diploma in four years   | 85.00%            | 62.98%                | 72.14%                | N                                 |
| 2      | Drop Out Rate^                            | Percent of youth with IEPs dropping out of high school.   | 2.40%             | 3.01%                 | 2.55%                 | N                                 |
| 3      | Statewide Assessment                      | <i>Participation and proficiency of children with disabilities on statewide assessments:</i>  |                   |                       |                       |                                   |
| 3B     | Participation Rate                        | Reading   | 99.40%            | 99.32%                |                       | N/A                               |
|        |   | Math  | 99.40%            | 99.22%                |                       | N/A                               |
| 3C     | Proficiency Rate                          | Reading   | 33.31%            | 18.43%                |                       | N/A                               |
|        |   | Math  | 28.82%            | 16.73%                |                       | N/A                               |
| 4      | Suspension / Expulsion Rate^              | <i>Rates of suspension and expulsion:</i>   |                   |                       |                       |                                   |
| 4A     | Suspension / Expulsion Rate, Overall      | What percent of districts have a significant discrepancy in the rates of suspensions/expulsions of children with disabilities for greater than 10 days in a school year?  | 0.00%             | 0.00%                 | 0.00%                 | Y                                 |
| 4B     | Suspension / Expulsion Rate, By Ethnicity | What percent of districts have a significant discrepancy by race/ethnicity in the rates of suspensions/ expulsions of children with disabilities for greater than 10 days in a school year and is this significant discrepancy the result of policies, practices, and procedures? | 0.00%             | 0.00%                 | 0.00%                 | Y                                 |
| 5      | LRE for Students                          | <i>Percent of children with IEPs aged 6 through 21 served:</i>  |                   |                       |                       |                                   |
| 5A     | Regular Classroom                         | Inside the regular class 80% or more of the day   | 68.00%            | 72.08%                | 73.91%                | Y                                 |
| 5B     | Separate Classroom                        | Inside the regular class less than 40% of the day   | 6.00%             | 5.57%                 | 5.38%                 | Y                                 |
| 5C     | Separate Facilities                       | In separate schools, residential facilities, or homebound/hospital placements   | 3.29%             | 1.99%                 | 1.99%                 | Y                                 |

Note: The state test was not administered in spring 2020 due to COVID; thus, there is no data for Indicator 3.

^Per OSEP requirements, data from the previous year is used for Indicators 1, 2, and 4.

^^The state rate for 4 represents the percent of districts that had a significant discrepancy in suspension/expulsion rates.

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| <b>6</b>  | LRE for Preschool Students                  | <i>Percent of children with IEPs aged 3 through 5 attending:</i>   |                |                    |                    |                             |
| <b>6A</b> | Regular Classroom                           | Regular childhood program and receiving the majority of special education and related services in the regular early childhood program.   | 21.65%         | 23.33%             | 23.79%             | Y                           |
| <b>6B</b> | Separate Classroom                          | Separate special education class, separate school, or residential facility.  | 16.16%         | 14.85%             | 13.62%             | Y                           |
| <b>7</b>  | Child Outcomes                              | <i>Percent of preschool children with IEPs</i>   |                |                    |                    |                             |
| <b>7A</b> | Social-emotional skills                     | Summary 1: Of those children who entered the program below age expectations, the percent that substantially increased their rate of growth by the time exited.   | 79.35%         | 67.11%             | 67.74%             | N                           |
|           |   | Summary 2: Percent of children who were functioning within age expectations by the time exited.  | 84.35%         | 71.79%             | 73.43%             | N                           |
| <b>7B</b> | Acquisition and use of Knowledge and Skills | Summary 1: Of those children who entered the program below age expectations, the percent that substantially increased their rate of growth by the time exited.   | 69.50%         | 56.71%             | 57.74%             | N                           |
|           |   | Summary 2: Percent of children who were functioning within age expectations by the time exited.  | 57.96%         | 51.89%             | 47.74%             | N                           |
| <b>7C</b> | Use of appropriate behaviors                | Summary 1: Of those children who entered the program below age expectations, the percent that substantially increased their rate of growth by the time exited.   | 71.60%         | 58.35%             | 60.06%             | N                           |
|           |   | Summary 2: Percent of children who were functioning within age expectations by the time exited.  | 73.60%         | 66.13%             | 66.72%             | N                           |
| <b>8</b>  | Parent Involvement                          | Percent of parents with a child receiving special education services who report that schools facilitated parent involvement as a means of improving services and results for children with disabilities. | 79.00%         | 87.77%             | 87.74%             | Y                           |

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| 9      | DispropR/E                             | What percent of districts have disproportionate representation of racial and ethnic groups in special education that is the result of inappropriate identification?                                     | 0.00%          | 0.00%              | 0.00%              | Y                           |
| 10     | DispropR/E, Disability Category        | What percent of districts have disproportionate representation of racial and ethnic groups in specific disability categories that is the result of inappropriate identification?                        | 0.00%          | 0.00%              | 0.00%              | Y                           |
| 11     | 25 School Day Timeline for Evaluations | Percent of children with parental consent to evaluate, who were evaluated and eligibility determined within the 25 School Day Timeline for Evaluations.   | 100.00%        | 99.94%             | 99.85%             | N                           |
| 12     | Transition from Part C to Part B       | Percent of children referred by Part C prior to age 3, who are found eligible for Part B, and who have an IEP developed and implemented by their third birthdays.                                       | 100.00%        | 96.84%             | 94.20%             | N                           |
| 13     | Transition Planning on IEP by age 16   | Percent of youth aged 16 and above with an IEP that includes coordinated, measurable, annual IEP goals and transition services that will reasonably enable the student to meet the postsecondary goals. | 100.00%        | 83.59%             | 87.18%             | N                           |
| 14     | Post-secondary Outcomes                | Percent of youth who are no longer in secondary school, had IEPs in effect at the time they left school, and were enrolled in post-secondary education/training or employed.                            |                |                    |                    |                             |
| 14A    | Measurement A                          | Percent of youth enrolled in higher education within one year of leaving high school.   | 15.50%         | 16.93%             | 22.96%             | Y                           |
| 14B    | Measurement B                          | Percent of youth competitively employed within one year of leaving high school plus Measurement A.  | 68.50%         | 70.61%             | 66.35%             | N                           |
| 14C    | Measurement C                          | Percent of youth enrolled in any other type of postsecondary education/training or employed in any other type of employment plus Measurement B.   | 82.00%         | 82.11%             | 80.82%             | N                           |

\*\*The state rate for 9 and 10 represent the percent of districts with disproportionate representation based on inappropriate identification.