Georgia Snapshot

Demographics

1.8 million
PK - 12th grade students

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PK - 12 Enrollment

8% Other
37% Black
41% White
15% Hispanic

64.0%
of 4-year olds enrolled in publicly funded pre-K programs, including:

2.4% in Head Start
60.0% in state pre-K

High School

high school graduation rate: 79%

28% of students who took the ACT met all 4 college-readiness benchmarks

including

8% Black
21% Hispanic
40% White

Percentage of students meeting ACT STEM benchmark 21%

NAEP Reading & Math

Percentage of students scoring at or above Proficient

4th

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22% Low-Income
11% SWD
10% ELL

21% Low-Income
14% SWD
6% ELL

8th

31% 8th

35% 8th

24% Low-Income
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4% ELL

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Arrows indicate direction of change of 0.1 or more in the percentages from 2013 to 2017. SWD = Students With Disabilities; ELL = English Language Learners

Beyond Secondary

postsecondary enrollment rate for recent HS grads 68%

50% of 4-year college students who graduated in 6 years or less

37% of adults ages 25+ with a postsecondary credential

14% of adults ages 25+ without a high school diploma

Source: SREB, 2018 Georgia State Progress Report