

# High School Graduation

High School Graduation measures the number and percentage of public school students entering ninth grade who graduate with their class four years later.

Source: Iowa Department of Education

County	2000			2008			2000-2008 Change
	Ninth Grade Enrollment	Graduates	Percentage	Ninth Grade Enrollment	Graduates	Percentage	
Adair	98	86	87.8%	87	83	95.4%	8.7%
Adams	54	50	92.6%	68	68	100.0%	8.0%
Allamakee	226	212	93.8%	224	218	97.3%	3.7%
Appanoose	191	155	81.2%	168	162	96.4%	18.8%
Audubon	71	65	91.5%	89	83	93.3%	1.9%
Benton	305	276	90.5%	325	301	92.6%	2.3%
Black Hawk	1,509	1,177	78.0%	1,421	1,168	82.2%	5.4%
Boone	327	288	88.1%	352	317	90.1%	2.3%
Bremer	450	416	92.4%	435	425	97.7%	5.7%
Buchanan	305	283	92.8%	237	227	95.8%	3.2%
Buena Vista	341	311	91.2%	295	263	89.2%	-2.2%
Butler	176	172	97.7%	148	146	98.6%	0.9%
Calhoun	184	172	93.5%	181	174	96.1%	2.8%
Carroll	244	239	98.0%	239	221	92.5%	-5.6%
Cass	257	235	91.4%	234	210	89.7%	-1.9%
Cedar	286	271	94.8%	305	276	90.5%	-4.5%
Cerro Gordo	498	442	88.8%	526	480	91.3%	2.8%
Cherokee	186	171	91.9%	157	150	95.5%	3.9%
Chickasaw	214	203	94.9%	159	156	98.1%	3.4%
Clarke	137	117	85.4%	136	128	94.1%	10.2%
Clay	221	211	95.5%	232	210	90.5%	-5.2%
Clayton	326	312	95.7%	215	207	96.3%	0.6%
Clinton	727	614	84.5%	651	584	89.7%	6.2%
Crawford	185	179	96.8%	276	254	92.0%	-4.9%
Dallas	561	510	90.9%	766	713	93.1%	2.4%
Davis	109	95	87.2%	108	103	95.4%	9.4%
Decatur	116	99	85.3%	70	67	95.7%	12.2%
Delaware	322	292	90.7%	281	272	96.8%	6.7%
Des Moines	533	485	91.0%	552	446	80.8%	-11.2%
Dickinson	246	224	91.1%	224	217	96.9%	6.4%
Dubuque	1,075	978	91.0%	1,164	1,025	88.1%	-3.2%
Emmet	175	162	92.6%	133	125	94.0%	1.5%
Fayette	366	346	94.5%	380	353	92.9%	-1.7%
Floyd	255	223	87.5%	232	199	85.8%	-1.9%
Franklin	197	184	93.4%	168	164	97.6%	4.5%
Fremont	96	92	95.8%	124	117	94.4%	-1.5%
Greene	179	170	95.0%	121	115	95.0%	0.1%
Grundy	164	149	90.9%	219	210	95.9%	5.5%
Guthrie	204	192	94.1%	194	189	97.4%	3.5%
Hamilton	222	213	95.9%	264	232	87.9%	-8.4%
Hancock	213	197	92.5%	178	167	93.8%	1.4%
Hardin	354	332	93.8%	230	213	92.6%	-1.3%
Harrison	299	280	93.6%	252	242	96.0%	2.5%
Henry	327	307	93.9%	274	247	90.1%	-4.0%
Howard	199	189	95.0%	197	182	92.4%	-2.7%
Humboldt	156	150	96.2%	143	131	91.6%	-4.7%
Ida	117	114	97.4%	127	123	96.9%	-0.6%
Iowa	222	216	97.3%	236	230	97.5%	0.2%
Jackson	310	278	89.7%	253	239	94.5%	5.3%
Jasper	490	387	79.0%	484	444	91.7%	16.2%
Jefferson	168	144	85.7%	168	151	89.9%	4.9%
Johnson	945	883	93.4%	1,090	1,023	93.9%	0.4%
Jones	279	253	90.7%	282	262	92.9%	2.5%
Keokuk	193	182	94.3%	154	149	96.8%	2.6%

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Kossuth	207	199	96.1%	170	156	91.8%	-4.5%
Lee	505	429	85.0%	462	387	83.8%	-1.4%
Linn	2,104	1,946	92.5%	2,563	2,278	88.9%	-3.9%
Louisa	221	175	79.2%	255	218	85.5%	8.0%
Lucas	136	112	82.4%	106	103	97.2%	18.0%
Lyon	192	186	96.9%	151	146	96.7%	-0.2%
Madison	192	184	95.8%	219	209	95.4%	-0.4%
Mahaska	267	221	82.8%	232	211	90.9%	9.9%
Marion	428	378	88.3%	481	459	95.4%	8.0%
Marshall	473	434	91.8%	574	466	81.2%	-11.5%
Mills	210	189	90.0%	196	183	93.4%	3.7%
Mitchell	162	148	91.4%	148	146	98.6%	8.0%
Monona	145	130	89.7%	134	128	95.5%	6.5%
Monroe	106	98	92.5%	89	81	91.0%	-1.6%
Montgomery	160	139	86.9%	158	140	88.6%	2.0%
Muscatine	678	498	73.5%	570	485	85.1%	15.8%
O'Brien	231	207	89.6%	229	200	87.3%	-2.5%
Osceola	75	72	96.0%	75	68	90.7%	-5.6%
Page	237	206	86.9%	227	213	93.8%	8.0%
Palo Alto	162	156	96.3%	148	147	99.3%	3.1%
Plymouth	359	342	95.3%	332	319	96.1%	0.9%
Pocahontas	107	101	94.4%	112	108	96.4%	2.2%
Polk	3,952	3,343	84.6%	5,085	4,083	80.3%	-5.1%
Pottawattamie	971	840	86.5%	1,296	1,050	81.0%	-6.3%
Poweshiek	230	216	93.9%	241	215	89.2%	-5.0%
Ringgold	85	81	95.3%	57	52	91.2%	-4.3%
Sac	200	193	96.5%	153	151	98.7%	2.3%
Scott	2,097	1,831	87.3%	2,153	1,804	83.8%	-4.0%
Shelby	219	207	94.5%	169	159	94.1%	-0.5%
Sioux	362	345	95.3%	348	328	94.3%	-1.1%
Story	896	850	94.9%	864	818	94.7%	-0.2%
Tama	272	238	87.5%	179	159	88.8%	1.5%
Taylor	98	91	92.9%	84	75	89.3%	-3.8%
Union	221	173	78.3%	150	136	90.7%	15.8%
Van Buren	119	113	95.0%	94	90	95.7%	0.8%
Wapello	562	428	76.2%	521	446	85.6%	12.4%
Warren	584	517	88.5%	668	638	95.5%	7.9%
Washington	238	218	91.6%	263	254	96.6%	5.4%
Wayne	76	67	88.2%	105	99	94.3%	7.0%
Webster	418	341	81.6%	469	390	83.2%	1.9%
Winnebago	228	209	91.7%	221	204	92.3%	0.7%
Winneshiek	247	238	96.4%	233	229	98.3%	2.0%
Woodbury	1,390	1,140	82.0%	1,434	1,170	81.6%	-0.5%
Worth	92	80	87.0%	106	100	94.3%	8.5%
Wright	235	212	90.2%	208	200	96.2%	6.6%
State	37,759	33,504	88.7%	38,960	34,562	88.7%	0.0%
Rural	7,616	7,046	92.5%	7,000	6,629	94.7%	2.4%
Small Urban	15,204	13,470	88.6%	14,890	13,514	90.8%	2.4%
Metropolitan	14,939	12,988	86.9%	17,070	14,419	84.5%	-2.8%
United States	3,561,847	2,553,844	71.7%	4,013,000	3,026,000	75.4%	5.2%