

**Report of Children with Disabilities (IDEA) Exiting Special Education
by Basis of Exit and Age (OSEP002)**

This report provides the U.S. Department of Education, Office of Special Education Programs, and state education agencies (SEAs) with the student counts for Children with Disabilities (IDEA) ages 14 through 21 by basis of exit and age. This report shows aggregate data across all disability categories. These data come from File Spec C009: Children with Disabilities (IDEA) Exiting Special Education. This is Data Group 85: Children with Disabilities (IDEA) Exiting Special Education Tables, Category Set A, Subtotal 1 (Basis of Exit), Subtotal 2 [Age (Exiting)], and Education Unit Total.

School Year: 2015-2016
State: NORTH CAROLINA

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Student counts for Children with Disabilities (IDEA) exiting special education by basis of exit and age.

Student counts by basis of exit and age	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Total
Transferred to regular education	509	427	360	349	168	20	*	*	1,847
Graduated with regular high school diploma	*	*	*	2,858	4,175	976	141	60	8,234
Received a certificate	*	*	*	124	200	112	58	133	629
Reached maximum age								77	77
Died	9	10	16	16	*	*	*	*	65
Moved, known to be continuing	1,402	1,428	1,314	965	505	165	59	26	5,864
Dropped out			675	712	570	237	65	21	2,280
Total	1,920	1,865	2,391	5,024	5,624	1,516	332	324	18,996

Source: U.S. Department of Education, EDFacts (SY 2015-2016)

Percentages for Children with Disabilities (IDEA) exiting special education by basis of exit and age.

Percentages by basis of exit and age	14 (Percent)	15 (Percent)	16 (Percent)	17 (Percent)	18 (Percent)	19 (Percent)	20 (Percent)	21 (Percent)	Total (Percent)
Transferred to regular education	27.56%	23.12%	19.49%	18.90%	9.10%	1.08%	0.43%	0.32%	100.00%
Graduated with regular high school diploma	0.00%	0.00%	0.29%	34.71%	50.70%	11.85%	1.71%	0.73%	100.00%
Received a certificate	0.00%	0.00%	0.32%	19.71%	31.80%	17.81%	9.22%	21.14%	100.00%
Reached maximum age								100.00%	100.00%
Died	13.85%	15.38%	24.62%	24.62%	9.23%	9.23%	1.54%	1.54%	100.00%
Moved, known to be continuing	23.91%	24.35%	22.41%	16.46%	8.61%	2.81%	1.01%	0.44%	100.00%
Dropped out			29.61%	31.23%	25.00%	10.39%	2.85%	0.92%	100.00%
Total	10.11%	9.82%	12.59%	26.45%	29.61%	7.98%	1.75%	1.71%	100.00%

Source: U.S. Department of Education, EDFacts (SY 2015-2016)