

# SOURCES FOR RACIAL EQUITY REPORT CARDS

The sources for all data used in the Racial Equity Report Cards can be found below. The most recent data available was used in the Report Cards wherever possible.

- 2015-2016 School District Demographics
  - NC Dep't of Public Instruction, Data & Reports – Student Accounting (Grade, Race, Sex, 2015-2016) available at <http://www.dpi.state.nc.us/fbs/accounting/data/>.
- 2015-2016 Total District Population
  - NC Dep't of Public Instruction, Data & Reports – Student Accounting (Average Daily Membership, 2014-2015, Final) available at <http://www.dpi.state.nc.us/fbs/accounting/data/>.
  - *NOTE: Final Average Daily Membership data for 2015-2016 was not available in time for publication.*
- 2014 Child Population (Age 0-17)
  - National Center for Health Statistics (2015), available at [http://www.ojjdp.gov/ojstatbb/ezapop/asp/comparison\\_selection.asp?selState=1](http://www.ojjdp.gov/ojstatbb/ezapop/asp/comparison_selection.asp?selState=1).
- 2014-2015 Academic Achievement Data
  - NC Dep't of Public Instruction, 2014-15 School Report Cards, available at <http://www.dpi.state.nc.us/src/>.
  - *NOTE: 2015-2016 School Report Cards were not available at time of publication.*
- 2014-2015 In-School Suspensions
  - District-specific data obtained from public records from the NC Dep't of Public Instruction (received March 2016).
  - Statewide data obtained from NC Dep't of Public Instruction, Consolidated Data Report, 2014-15 (p.109), available at <http://www.dpi.state.nc.us/research/discipline/reports/>.
  - *NOTE: Data includes all in-school suspensions of a half-day or more. It does not include the 29,009 partial day suspensions (less than a half-day) given during the 2014-2015 school year.*
  - *NOTE: 2015-2016 Consolidated Data Report was not available at time of publication.*
- 2014-2015 Short-Term Suspensions, Long-Term Suspensions, and Expulsions
  - NC Dep't of Public Instruction, Consolidated Data Report, 2014-15, available at <http://www.dpi.state.nc.us/research/discipline/reports/>.
  - *NOTE: 2015-2016 Consolidated Data Report was not available at time of publication.*

- 2014-2015 Alternative Learning Program Placement
  - District-specific data obtained from public records from the NC Dep't of Public Instruction (received April 26, 2016).
  - Statewide data obtained from NC Dep't of Public Instruction, Consolidated Data Report, 2014-15 (p.115), available at <http://www.dpi.state.nc.us/research/discipline/reports/>.
  - *NOTE: Data includes all placements recorded by receiving Alternative Learning Program (ALP). ALP placements for explicitly disciplinary reasons (i.e. because of chronic misbehavior, instead of long-term suspension, after Exceptional Children hearing for discipline reasons, or because of felony charge) account for 52.3% of all ALP placements statewide.*
  - *NOTE: 2015-2016 Consolidated Data Report was not available at time of publication.*
- 2014-2015 Disciplinary Reassignments
  - District-specific data obtained from public records from the NC Dep't of Public Instruction (received March 2016).
  - Statewide data obtained from NC Dep't of Public Instruction, Consolidated Data Report, 2014-15 (p.111), available at <http://www.dpi.state.nc.us/research/discipline/reports/>.
  - *NOTE: Data includes all disciplinary incidents where school recorded Alternative Learning Program (ALP) placement as consequence, typically in response to a particular incident. Data does not capture all disciplinary ALP placements: for example, where a student is placed in an ALP due to chronic misbehavior rather than in response to a particular incident.*
  - *NOTE: 2015-2016 Consolidated Data Report was not available at time of publication.*
- 2015 Juvenile Complaints and Detention Admissions
  - Data obtained from public records from the NC Dep't of Public Safety (received July 6, 2016).
- 2015-2016 School-Based Juvenile Complaints
  - Data obtained from public records from the NC Dep't of Public Safety (received August 22, 2016).