

**Grade 9 Five-Year Extended Longitudinal Graduation, Completion, and Dropout Rates,  
by Instructional Program and Special Population, Texas Public Schools,  
Class of 2008, Fall 2008 and Fall 2009**

Group	Status date	Class	-Graduated-		-Continued-		-Received GED-		-Dropped out-	
			Number	Rate (%)	Number	Rate (%)	Number	Rate (%)	Number	Rate (%)
Limited English proficient	Fall 2008	13,787	6,092	44.2	3,374	24.5	75	0.5	4,246	30.8
	Fall 2009	13,061	7,096	54.3	908	7.0	97	0.7	4,960	38.0
Special education	Fall 2008	34,357	23,996	69.8	5,089	14.8	307	0.9	4,965	14.5
	Fall 2009	34,021	26,294	77.3	2,038	6.0	423	1.2	5,266	15.5

*Note.* A dash (-) indicates data are not reported to protect student anonymity. When the number of students represented by a final status is not reported, the corresponding class size is presented in intervals of 50 to provide a general idea of the number of students in the class while maintaining student anonymity. In a class of <150, for example, the number of students is between 100 and 149.