

**Annual Dropout Rates, by Ethnicity, Socioeconomic Status, Gender, and Grade Span, 2006-07,
Texas Public Schools**

| Group | Grade span | Dropouts | Students | Rate (%) |
|----------------------------|-------------|----------|-----------|----------|
| African American | Grades 7-8 | 740 | 102,967 | 0.7 |
| | Grades 9-12 | 11,550 | 199,825 | 5.8 |
| | Grades 7-12 | 12,290 | 302,792 | 4.1 |
| Asian/Pacific Islander | Grades 7-8 | 41 | 22,011 | 0.2 |
| | Grades 9-12 | 613 | 43,765 | 1.4 |
| | Grades 7-12 | 654 | 65,776 | 1.0 |
| Hispanic | Grades 7-8 | 1,626 | 307,440 | 0.5 |
| | Grades 9-12 | 30,200 | 558,007 | 5.4 |
| | Grades 7-12 | 31,826 | 865,447 | 3.7 |
| Native American | Grades 7-8 | 10 | 2,454 | 0.4 |
| | Grades 9-12 | 133 | 4,771 | 2.8 |
| | Grades 7-12 | 143 | 7,225 | 2.0 |
| White | Grades 7-8 | 471 | 254,861 | 0.2 |
| | Grades 9-12 | 9,922 | 527,469 | 1.9 |
| | Grades 7-12 | 10,393 | 782,330 | 1.3 |
| Economically disadvantaged | Grades 7-8 | 1,647 | 358,256 | 0.5 |
| | Grades 9-12 | 24,330 | 567,425 | 4.3 |
| | Grades 7-12 | 25,977 | 925,681 | 2.8 |
| Female | Grades 7-8 | 1,338 | 335,173 | 0.4 |
| | Grades 9-12 | 23,923 | 651,518 | 3.7 |
| | Grades 7-12 | 25,261 | 986,691 | 2.6 |
| Male | Grades 7-8 | 1,550 | 354,560 | 0.4 |
| | Grades 9-12 | 28,495 | 682,319 | 4.2 |
| | Grades 7-12 | 30,045 | 1,036,879 | 2.9 |

Note. A dash (-) indicates data are not reported to protect student anonymity. When the number of dropouts is not reported, the total number of students is presented in intervals of 15 to provide a general idea of the number of students in the group while maintaining student anonymity. A group of <150, for example, the number of students is between 136 and 149. A dot (.) indicates there were no students in the group or, in rare cases, that a reporting anomaly prevented calculation of the rate.