

**Table 3.18-- SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS OF PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS:
2001-2002 TO 2016-2017**

[In percent unless otherwise noted. Includes all public schools, schools] with the exception of public charter]

| School year | Average daily attendance | | Students who are not suspended 1/ | 9th grade retention rate 2/ | Dropout rate 3/ 4/ | Graduate on-time 4/ 5/ |
|-------------|--------------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| | Elementary | Secondary | | | | |
| 2001-2002 | 94.5 | 92.2 | 93.5 | 13.9 | (NA) | 78.9 |
| 2002-2003 | 94.5 | 92.2 | 94.3 | 14.3 | 14.3 | 80.0 |
| 2003-2004 | 94.7 | 92.2 | 95.0 | 14.5 | 15.1 | 79.9 |
| 2004-2005 | 94.3 | 92.2 | 94.7 | 15.3 | 14.8 | 79.6 |
| 2005-2006 | 94.1 | 92.1 | 94.6 | 15.3 | 15.4 | 79.5 |
| 2006-2007 | 94.4 | 92.2 | 94.1 | 15.1 | 16.1 | 79.3 |
| 2007-2008 | 94.4 | 91.6 | 94.5 | 14.1 | 15.7 | 80.3 |
| 2008-2009 | 94.5 | 91.3 | 94.5 | 12.5 | 15.4 | 80.1 |
| 2009-2010 | 94.9 | 92.1 | 95.1 | 12.5 | 16.3 | 79.7 |
| 2010-2011 | 94.7 | 93.1 | 95.0 | 12.2 | 15.7 | 80.8 |
| 2011-2012 | 94.6 | 93.2 | 95.2 | 11.0 | 15.1 | 81.4 |
| 2012-2013 | 94.3 | 93.0 | 95.6 | 10.8 | 14.3 | 82.9 |
| 2013-2014 | 94.5 | 93.2 | 96.1 | 9.4 | 14.1 | 82.5 |
| 2014-2015 | 94.8 | 93.3 | 95.8 | 9.1 | 14.0 | 82.4 |
| 2015-2016 | 94.8 | 93.5 | 96.2 | 8.6 | 13.7 | 82.7 |
| 2016-2017 | 94.7 | 93.1 | 96.3 | 8.4 | 14.4 | 82.5 |

NA Not available.

1/ Students who are "offense-free" that is, they have not committed offenses which result in suspension from school.

2/ Students who are not promoted to the next grade level.

3/ Percent of high school students who enter 9th grade at a school, do not return to the same school, and are either officially exited as a "drop-out" or whose exit status is undetermined. The dropout rate is that of the previous school year. In the school year 2004-05 a new reporting system for dropouts began, resulting in figures that are non-comparable to past years' figures.

4/ Starting in 2010-2011 the new Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate methodology is used for a brief explanation 'See Trend Report Guide'.

5/ High school students who had completed high school within four years of their 9th grade entry date.

Source: Hawaii State Department of Education, *Trend Report: Educational and Fiscal Accountability*, <<http://arch.k12.hi.us/school/trends/trends.html#>> accessed February 14, 2018.