



# FOSTER CARE REPORT CARD

## 2019-2020



Chairpersons Huebert and Baumgardner,

As mandated by Governor Kelly's Executive Order No. 20-53, the Department for Children and Families (DCF) in cooperation with the Kansas State Department of Education (KSDE), is providing you the 2019-20 Foster Care Report Card.

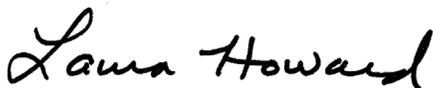
The report card includes 2019-20 school year data elements including:

- A. Graduation rate of students in foster care
- B. Number and percentage of students in foster care who were promoted to the next grade level
- C. State standardized assessment scores for students in foster care, including the number and percentage of students meeting academic standards as determined by the state board of education
- D. Number and percentage of students in foster care enrolled in any preschool-aged at-risk program, Kansas preschool pilot program or early childhood special education program under section 619 of part B of the individuals with disabilities act
- E. Number and percentage of students in foster care who participated in the mental health intervention team pilot program or a similar mental health program
- F. Total number of students in foster care enrolled in a school district or accredited non-public school and disaggregated number and percentage of students in foster care enrolled in school districts and accredited nonpublic schools
- G. De-identified disaggregated race and ethnicity data for each data set required

Please note that KSDE does not have available data related to percentage of students in foster care who were suspended or expelled during the school year. These two data sets were part of the EO.

DCF and KSDE stand ready to answer any questions you might have.

Sincerely,

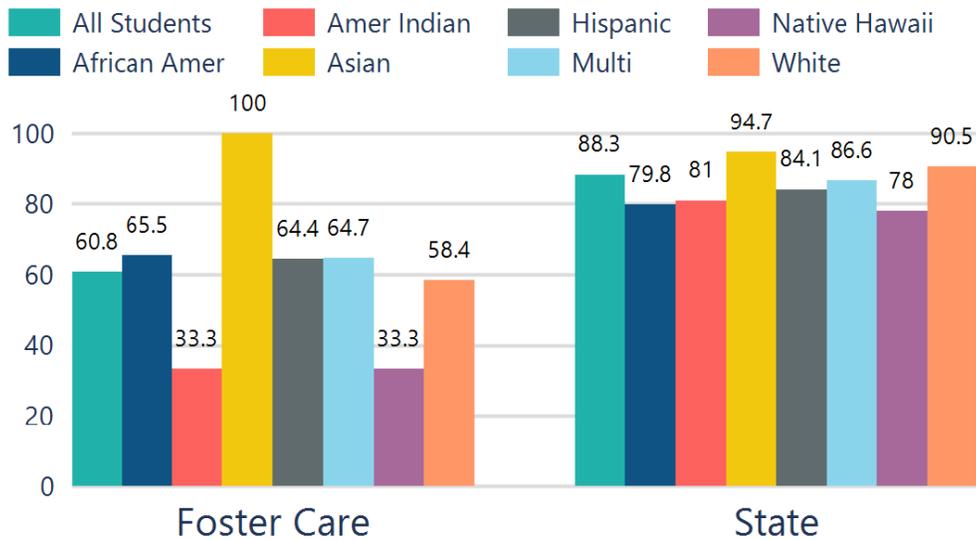


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## GRADUATION RATE

The four-year adjusted cohort graduation rate is the percentage of foster students and subgroups of foster students in a cohort, adjusted for transfers into and out of the school district or state, who graduate with a regular high school diploma within four years of entering high school.



## PROMOTED TO NEXT GRADE LEVEL

Subgroup	Total Number	Percent
All Foster Care Students	3328	50.7
African-American Students	468	7.1
American Indian or Alaska Native	52	0.8
Asian	14	0.2
Hispanic	491	7.5
Multi-Racial	275	4.2
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	13	0.2
White	2015	30.7

## SUSPENSIONS & EXPULSIONS

No data is available for suspensions and expulsions of foster care students.



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## STANDARDIZED ASSESSMENT SCORES

State Academic Success — State Assessment scores are displayed by student subgroup over three years time in three subjects: Math, English Language Arts (ELA), and Science.

### Math Assessment

Subgroup	Level	2017-18		2018-19		2019-20	
		#	%	#	%	#	%
All Foster Care Students	Level 1	1307	51.25	1174	50.25	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	908	35.60	849	36.34	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	292	11.45	270	11.55	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	43	1.68	43	1.84	N/A	N/A
African-American Students	Level 1	211	68.72	172	62.54	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	74	24.10	81	29.45	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	18	5.86	20	7.27	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	Level 1	18	40.00	13	38.23	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	20	44.44	18	52.94	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	N/A	N/A	0	0.00	N/A	N/A
Asian	Level 1	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	0	0.00	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	0	0.00	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	Level 1	190	51.49	189	54.62	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	131	35.50	125	36.12	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	44	11.92	29	8.38	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Multi-Racial	Level 1	100	48.54	92	47.66	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	78	37.86	75	38.86	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	25	12.13	22	11.39	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	Level 1	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	0	0.00	0	0.00	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	0	0.00	0	0.00	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	0	0.00	0	0.00	N/A	N/A
White	Level 1	781	48.38	702	47.49	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	603	37.36	549	37.14	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	200	12.39	194	13.12	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	30	1.85	33	2.23	N/A	N/A

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## English Language Arts Assessment

Subgroup	Level	2017-18		2018-19		2019-20	
		#	%	#	%	#	%
All Foster Care Students	Level 1	1321	51.46	1231	52.20	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	845	32.91	750	31.80	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	344	13.40	321	13.61	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	57	2.22	56	2.37	N/A	N/A
African-American Students	Level 1	209	66.77	166	60.14	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	77	24.60	82	29.71	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	19	6.07	27	9.78	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	Level 1	21	45.65	20	60.60	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	16	34.78	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	N/A	N/A	0	0.00	N/A	N/A
Asian	Level 1	N/A	N/A	0	0.00	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	0	0.00	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	0	0.00	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	Level 1	205	56.31	193	54.98	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	113	31.04	119	33.90	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	39	10.71	36	10.25	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Multi-Racial	Level 1	98	47.80	95	47.73	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	65	31.70	70	35.17	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	36	17.56	30	15.07	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	Level 1	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	0	0.00	0	0.00	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	0	0.00	0	0.00	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	0	0.00	0	0.00	N/A	N/A
White	Level 1	781	47.91	752	50.50	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	572	35.09	469	31.49	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	242	14.84	221	14.84	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	35	2.14	47	3.15	N/A	N/A

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## Science Assessment

Subgroup	Level	2017-18		2018-19		2019-20	
		#	%	#	%	#	%
All Foster Care Students	Level 1	561	51.99	497	55.09	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	332	30.76	251	27.82	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	153	14.17	125	13.85	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	33	3.05	29	3.21	N/A	N/A
African-American Students	Level 1	89	71.77	82	67.21	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	25	20.16	25	20.49	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	N/A	N/A	14	11.47	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	Level 1	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	Level 1	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	0	0.00	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	N/A	N/A	0	0.00	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	Level 1	91	54.81	90	69.76	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	48	28.91	32	24.80	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	25	15.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Multi-Racial	Level 1	45	51.72	31	48.43	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	26	29.88	25	39.06	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	15	17.24	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	Level 1	0	0.00	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	N/A	N/A	0	0.00	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	0	0.00	0	0.00	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	0	0.00	0	0.00	N/A	N/A
White	Level 1	326	48.08	283	49.73	N/A	N/A
	Level 2	226	33.33	165	28.99	N/A	N/A
	Level 3	100	14.74	96	16.87	N/A	N/A
	Level 4	26	3.83	25	4.39	N/A	N/A

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## PRESCHOOL AT-RISK ENROLLMENT

The number and percentage of students in foster care enrolled in any preschool overseen by the Kansas State Department of Education (at-risk, preschool pilot program or special education).

Subgroup	Total Number	Percent
All Foster Care Students	615	2.11
African-American Students	70	11.38
American Indian or Alaska Native	7	1.14
Asian	1	0.16
Hispanic	89	14.47
Multi-Racial	47	7.64
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0.00
White	401	65.20

## PARTICIPATION IN MENTAL HEALTH INTERVENTION TEAM PILOT PROGRAM

Subgroup	Total Number	Percent
All Foster Care Students	481	7.3
African-American Students	82	17.1
American Indian or Alaska Native	11	2.3
Asian	0	0.0
Hispanic	58	12.1
Multi-Racial	55	11.4
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	3	0.6
White	272	56.6

## TOTAL FOSTER CARE STUDENT ENROLLMENT & DEMOGRAPHICS

