

***U.S. Department of Education
2006 No Child Left Behind – Blue Ribbon Schools Program***

Statistical Summary of National Participation

Public Schools:	
Public Schools: Total # Nominated by CSSO ^a	309
Public Schools: Total # of Nominated Applied	274
Public Schools: Total # of Nominated Recognized	242
Public Schools: Percentage of Nominated Recognized.....	78%
Private Schools:	
Private Schools: Total # Self-Nominated to CAPE ^b	103
Private Schools: Total # of Nominated by CAPE	50
Private Schools: Total # of Nominated Recognized.....	50
All Schools:	
Total # of Schools Nominated by CSSO and by CAPE.....	359
Total # of Nominated Schools Applied.....	324
Total # of Nominated Schools Recognized as NCLB-BRS	292
Percentage of Nominated Schools Recognized as NCLB-BRS.....	81%
Number of States Represented	42

a Chief State School Officers
b Council for American Private Education

Additional Information

Public Schools Only:

Geographic Area	
Rural	37
Small city or town in rural area	51
Suburban	85
Suburban School with characteristics typical of an urban school	33
Urban or large central city	36

Types of Schools

Elementary Schools	156
Middle Schools	31
High Schools	48
K-12 Schools	4
Charter	3

Assessment Criteria and % of Students from Disadvantaged Backgrounds

Schools in top 10% in their state with at least 40% of students from disadvantaged backgrounds	48
Schools with dramatically improving student performance in their state with at least 40% of students from disadvantaged backgrounds	70
Schools in top 10% with less than 40% of students from disadvantage backgrounds	124

Private Schools Only:

Geographic Area	
Rural	1
Small city or town in rural area	8
Suburban	25
Suburban School with characteristics typical of an urban school	5
Urban or large city	11

Types of Schools

Elementary Schools	49
Middle Schools	0
High Schools	1
K-12 Schools	0

Affiliation

Catholic	43
Christian	1
Independent	2
Jewish	1
Lutheran	3

Characteristics of all schools selected

	Smallest # of Students	Largest # of Students		Lowest % of Students	Average % of Students	Highest % of Students
Schools in top 10% in their state with at least 40% of students from disadvantaged backgrounds	108	1726	Poverty	40	56	100
			LEP	0	7	49
			Mobility	1	13	31
Schools with dramatically improving student performance in their state with at least 40% of students from disadvantaged backgrounds	82	1115	Poverty	40	60	100
			LEP	0	10	63
			Mobility	0	18	52
Schools in top 10% with less than 40% of students from disadvantage backgrounds	125	2505	Poverty	0	11	39
			LEP	0	3	29
			Mobility	0	7	78

***By State 2006 Blue Ribbon Schools Program
(Public & Private)***

State	Public Schools			Private Schools		
	Nominated by CSSO	Applied	Recognized	Self-Nominated to CAPE	Nominated by CAPE	Recognized
Alabama	5	2	2			
Alaska	3	3	2			
Arizona	5	1		1	1	1
California	35	35	31	9	4	4
Colorado	5	4	4	1	1	1
Connecticut	4	3	2	1	1	1
Delaware	3	3	3			
District of Columbia	3	3	1			
Florida	13	12	7	11	5	5
Georgia	8	6	6	3		
Hawaii	3	3	3			
Illinois	16	15	14	8	4	4
Indiana	9	8	7	10	7	7
Iowa	5	5	4			
Kansas	5	5	5			
Kentucky	5	4	4	8	4	4
Louisiana	6	6	5	3		
Maryland	6	6	6	1		
Massachusetts	2	2	1			
Michigan				2	1	1
Minnesota	8	8	8	2	1	1
Mississippi	4	4	3			
Missouri	8	7	4	1		
Montana	3	3	3			
Nebraska	4	4	4	1		
New Jersey	9	5	3	3	1	1
New York	19	17	14	1		
North Carolina	6	6	5	7	2	2
North Dakota	2	2	2			
Ohio	14	12	11	6	3	3
Oklahoma	6	6	6	1		
Pennsylvania	14	6	6	4	2	2
South Carolina	5	5	4	1		
South Dakota	4	3	2			
Tennessee	6	6	6			
Texas	26	26	26	12	10	10
Utah	3	2	2			
Virginia	7	7	7	6	3	3
Washington	7	7	7			
West Virginia	3	3	3			
Wisconsin	8	8	8			
Wyoming	2	1	1			
Total	309	274	242	103	50	50