



**College Readiness Report for:  
SALT LAKE CITY SD**

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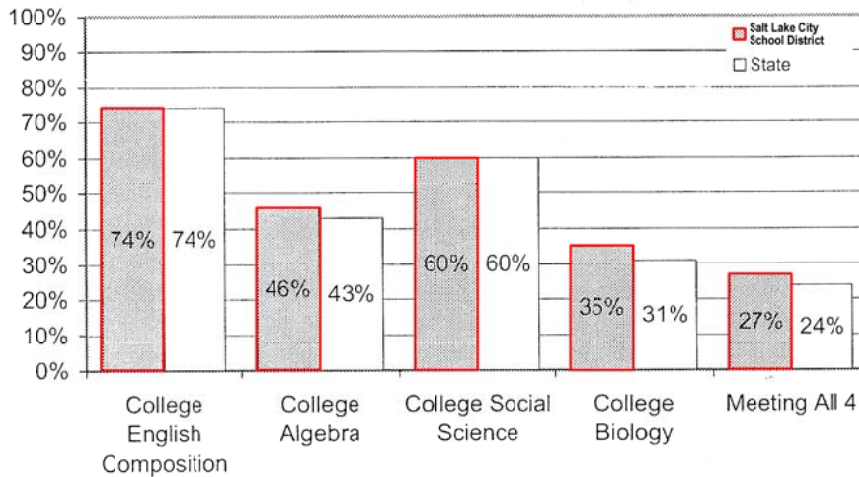
This report reflects the achievement of your graduates on the ACT over time and an indication of the extent to which they are prepared for college-level work. The ACT consists of curriculum-based tests of educational development in English, mathematics, reading, and science designed to measure the skills needed for success in first year college coursework. Table 1 shows the five-year trend of your high school's ACT-tested graduates. From this table you can determine:

- Changes in the number and percentage of participants
- Score changes in subject areas and the ACT composite
- How your graduates compare with state averages

**Table 1: Five Year Trend - Average ACT Scores**

| Grad Year        | Total Tested |               | English     |             | Mathematics |             | Reading     |             | Science     |             | Composite   |             |
|------------------|--------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|                  | Local        | State         | Local       | State       | Local       | State       | Local       | State       | Local       | State       | Local       | State       |
| 2001-2002        | 728          | 21,010        | 20.8        | 20.7        | 21.1        | 20.8        | 22.5        | 22.0        | 21.5        | 21.4        | 21.6        | 21.4        |
| 2002-2003        | 694          | 21,007        | 20.8        | 20.7        | 21.0        | 20.7        | 22.5        | 22.0        | 21.6        | 21.4        | 21.6        | 21.3        |
| 2003-2004        | 721          | 20,856        | 21.1        | 20.9        | 21.0        | 20.9        | 22.3        | 22.2        | 21.6        | 21.4        | 21.6        | 21.5        |
| 2004-2005        | 667          | 20,593        | 21.2        | 21.1        | 21.0        | 21.0        | 22.3        | 22.2        | 21.4        | 21.4        | 21.6        | 21.5        |
| <b>2005-2006</b> | <b>652</b>   | <b>21,561</b> | <b>21.4</b> | <b>21.2</b> | <b>21.3</b> | <b>21.0</b> | <b>22.7</b> | <b>22.4</b> | <b>21.8</b> | <b>21.6</b> | <b>22.0</b> | <b>21.7</b> |

**Figure 1. Percent of ACT-Tested Students College Ready**



**Are Your Students Ready for College?**

While students will pursue a variety of paths after high school, all students should be prepared for college and work. Through collaborative research with postsecondary institutions nationwide, ACT has established the following as college readiness benchmark scores for designated college courses:

- \* English Composition: 18 on ACT English Test
- \* Algebra: 22 on ACT Math Test
- \* Social Science: 21 on ACT Reading Test
- \* Biology: 24 on ACT Science Test

A benchmark score is the minimum score needed on an ACT subject-area test to indicate a 50% chance of obtaining a B or higher or about a 75% chance of obtaining a C or higher in the corresponding credit-bearing college courses.