

***U.S. Department of Education  
2004 No Child Left Behind – Blue Ribbon Schools Program***

***Statistical Summary of National Participation\****

Total # of Schools Nominated by CSSO** or CAPE*** .....	366
Total # of Public Schools Nominated .....	316
Total # of Private Schools Sent to CAPE .....	50
Total # of Nominated Schools Applied .....	311
Total # of Nominated Public Schools Applied .....	261
Total # of Private Schools Nominated by CAPE .....	50
Total # of Nominated Schools Selected as NCLB-BRS .....	289
Total # of Nominated Public Schools Selected .....	239
Total # of Nominated Private Schools Selected .....	50
Percentage of Nominated Schools Selected as NCLB-BRS .....	79%
Percentage of Nominated Public Schools Selected .....	76%
Percentage of Nominated Private Schools Selected .....	100%
Number of States or Entities (District of Columbia, Bureau of Indian Affairs, or the Department of Defense Education Agency) with schools selected as NCLB-BRS .....	44

\*\* *Chief State School Offices*

\*\*\* *Council for American Private Education*

## *Additional Information\**

### **Public Schools Only:**

<b>Geographic Area</b>	
Rural	33
Small city or town in rural area	63
Suburban	67
Suburban School with the characteristics of an urban school	30
Urban or large central city	46

### **Types of Schools**

Elementary Schools	172
Middle Schools	30
High Schools	33
K-12 Schools	4

### **Assessment Criteria and % of Students from Disadvantaged Backgrounds**

Schools in top 10% in their state with students equal to or greater than 40% poverty	43
Schools in top 10% in their state with students less than 40% poverty	115
Schools with dramatically improving student performance with students with high poverty	81

### **Private Schools Only:**

<b>Geographic Area</b>	
Rural	0
Small city or town in rural area	5
Suburban	30
Suburban School with the characteristics of an urban school	5
Urban or large city	10

### **Types of Schools**

Elementary Schools	45
Middle Schools	1
High Schools	3
K-12 Schools	1

### **Affiliation**

Catholic	28
Christian	4
Independent	11
Jewish	2
Lutheran	5

### **Characteristics of all schools selected:**

	<b>Mean</b>	<b>Median</b>	<b>Lowest</b>	<b>Highest</b>	<b>Size of Schools</b>	
Poverty	30%	22%	0%	100%	Largest School	3663
LEP	5%	0%	0%	57%	Smallest School	37
Mobility	11%	7%	0%	66%	Mean	519
					Median	417

**By State 2004 No Child Left Behind - Blue Ribbon Schools Program  
(Public & Private)**

State	# Schools Nominated		# Schools Applied		# Schools Recognized	
	Private	Public	Private	Public	Private	Public
Alaska	0	3	0	3	0	3
Arizona	1	5	1	4	1	4
Bureau of Indian Affairs	0	0	0	0	0	0
California	6	35	6	34	6	33
Colorado	1	5	1	5	1	5
Connecticut	0	4	0	4	0	3
Delaware	0	3	0	2	0	2
District of Columbia	0	3	0	3	0	3
Florida	7	15	7	8	7	5
Georgia	4	8	4	8	4	8
Hawaii	0	3	0	3	0	2
Illinois	2	16	2	14	2	12
Indiana	7	8	7	8	7	7
Iowa	1	5	1	4	1	3
Kansas	0	5	0	5	0	5
Kentucky	2	5	2	4	2	4
Louisiana	2	6	2	5	2	4
Maine	0	3	0	2	0	2
Maryland	0	6	0	6	0	6
Massachusetts	0	2	0	2	0	2
Minnesota	0	9	0	8	0	8
Mississippi	1	4	1	4	1	3
Missouri	1	8	1	8	1	6
Montana	0	3	0	1	0	1
Nebraska	1	3	1	3	1	3
New Hampshire	0	3	0	3	0	3
New Jersey	1	9	1	9	1	7
New York	1	19	1	11	1	10
North Carolina	3	10	3	8	3	7
North Dakota	0	3	0	3	0	3
Ohio	3	14	3	14	3	14
Oklahoma	0	6	0	4	0	4
Pennsylvania	0	13	0	6	0	6
Puerto Rico	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rhode Island	0	3	0	1	0	1
South Carolina	0	5	0	5	0	5
South Dakota	0	3	0	2	0	2

State	# Schools Nominated		# Schools Applied		# Schools Recognized	
Tennessee	0	6	0	5	0	5
Texas	4	26	4	18	4	15
Virginia	1	7	1	5	1	5
Washington	0	8	0	6	0	6
West Virginia	0	3	0	3	0	3
Wisconsin	1	8	1	8	1	7
Wyoming	0	3	0	2	0	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>239</b>