

Table 226. Type of School Attended By Student and Household Characteristics: 1993 and 2003

[In percent, except total in thousands (33,900 represent 33,900,000. For students in grades 1 to 12. Includes homeschooled students enrolled in public or private school 9 or more hours per week. Based on the Parent and Family Involvement Survey of the National Household Education Survey Program; see source and Appendix III for details]

| Characteristic | Public | | | | Private | | | |
|---|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------|
| | Assigned | | Chosen | | Church-related | | Not church-related | |
| | 1993 | 2003 | 1993 | 2003 | 1993 | 2003 | 1993 | 2003 |
| Total students (1,000) | 33,900 | 35,300 | 4,700 | 7,400 | 3,200 | 4,000 | 700 | 1,100 |
| Percent distribution | 79.9 | 73.9 | 11.0 | 15.4 | 7.5 | 8.4 | 1.6 | 2.4 |
| Grade level: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 5 | 78.6 | 71.6 | 11.6 | 16.6 | 8.3 | 9.7 | 1.5 | 2.1 |
| 6 to 8 | 81.3 | 75.0 | 9.9 | 14.5 | 7.4 | 7.9 | 1.5 | 2.5 |
| 9 to 12 | 80.6 | 76.0 | 11.2 | 14.4 | 6.5 | 6.9 | 1.8 | 2.6 |
| Race/ethnicity: | | | | | | | | |
| White, non-Hispanic | 81.0 | 74.7 | 8.6 | 12.9 | 8.6 | 9.7 | 1.8 | 2.7 |
| Black, non-Hispanic | 77.2 | 68.1 | 18.6 | 24.0 | 3.4 | 5.7 | 0.8 | 2.2 |
| Other, non-Hispanic | 73.0 | 70.1 | 14.9 | 19.3 | 9.0 | 7.2 | 3.1 | 3.4 |
| Hispanic ¹ | 79.2 | 77.9 | 13.7 | 15.1 | 6.4 | 6.2 | 0.7 | 0.8 |
| Family type: | | | | | | | | |
| Two-parent household | 80.1 | 73.6 | 9.3 | 14.1 | 8.8 | 9.7 | 1.8 | 2.6 |
| One-parent household | 78.9 | 74.5 | 15.2 | 18.3 | 4.8 | 5.3 | 1.1 | 1.9 |
| Nonparent guardians | 83.7 | 74.7 | 13.5 | 20.0 | 2.1 | 3.7 | 0.7 | 1.5 |
| Parents' education: | | | | | | | | |
| Less than high school | 83.6 | 77.6 | 13.7 | 19.7 | 2.4 | 2.1 | 0.2 | 0.6 |
| High school diploma or equivalent | 83.5 | 79.3 | 11.4 | 15.8 | 4.6 | 3.7 | 0.5 | 1.2 |
| Some college, including vocational/technical | 79.8 | 75.8 | 11.1 | 15.8 | 7.7 | 6.7 | 1.4 | 1.7 |
| Bachelor's degree | 75.8 | 69.0 | 9.2 | 13.7 | 12.5 | 14.5 | 2.6 | 2.8 |
| Graduate/professional degree | 72.7 | 66.2 | 9.8 | 14.1 | 13.1 | 14.1 | 4.4 | 5.6 |
| Region: ² | | | | | | | | |
| Northeast | 77.8 | 73.5 | 9.3 | 11.6 | 10.5 | 11.0 | 2.4 | 3.9 |
| South | 82.0 | 75.9 | 10.9 | 15.8 | 5.4 | 6.1 | 1.7 | 2.1 |
| Midwest | 79.6 | 71.6 | 10.4 | 14.4 | 9.2 | 12.1 | 0.8 | 1.9 |
| West | 78.7 | 73.6 | 13.4 | 18.6 | 6.5 | 5.8 | 1.5 | 2.0 |

¹ Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race. ² For composition of regions see map, inside front cover.