

Student Mobility & Inward/Outward Migration Comments

FALL 2016

- The 2015-2016 school year, for first time in six years had a lower level of student mobility than the previous year. During 2014-2015 we recorded 1,393 who move in or out of our District, which was equivalent to 40% of our October 1 enrollment. This past year our inward and outward migration total was 1,101 which is still however 32% of our September 7, 2016 total enrollment.
- Last year's net loss in the mobility of student was 179 students. This amount was the second straight negative trend of mobility loss in students.
- During the past eight years, we have only had a net gain of 141 students through inward and outward migration. During this same time period our enrollment increased by 910. It is apparent that smaller graduating classes and much larger kindergarten numbers entering our school system has impacted our enrollment more than students moving in and out of the district even though our mobility percentage remains very high.
- Utah leads the list of states for net inward migration at +71 in the past eight years, followed by California (+34) and Washington (+31).
- More new students enrolled from Texas than any other state this past year. However, we had more than fifteen states in which we recorded net losses in enrollment. California and Minnesota had -29 and -27 respectively.
- The District showed a total net increase of 31 students from the various parochial schools from September of 2015 to September of 2016.
- In the past year we enrolled students from 36 states and 10 different countries with five of those countries being located in Africa.
- In the past eight years we have had 163 students drop out of school and 138 students who acquired an early graduation.

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Outward Migration (September 15, 2015 - September 15, 2016)			
In-State Transfers (OUT)		Out-of-State Transfers (OUT)	
Minot	12	California	41
Bismarck	11	Minnesota	40
South Heart	10	Texas	34
Richardton/Taylor	9	Montana	31
Williston	9	Washington	29
New England	7	Colorado	22
Belfield	6	Florida	18
Killdeer	6	Idaho	17
Fargo	5	South Dakota	15
New Town	5	Utah	15
Beach	4	Arizona	12
West Fargo	4	North Carolina	12
Beulah	3	Nevada	11
Elgin	3	Michigan	10
Jamestown	3	Oklahoma	10
Tower City	3	Oregon	7
Hebron	2	Wisconsin	7
Watford City	2	Wyoming	7
Devils Lake	1	Indiana	6
Hettinger	1	Tennessee	6
Hunter	1	Arkansas	5
Mandaree	1	Illinois	5
Mott	1	Louisiana	5
Rolette	1	Missouri	5
Rolette	1	New York	5
Rugby	1	Kansas	4
Scranton	1	New Mexico	4
		Pennsylvania	4
Parochial - Trinity High	8	Canada	3
Parochial - Adventist Christian	4	Connecticut	2
Parochial - Trinity East	2	Kentucky	2
Parochial - Unknown	2	Massachusetts	2
Parochial - Hope Christian	2	South Carolina	2
Parochial - Trinity West	1	Alabama	1
		Alaska	1
Transfer to Home School	2	Iowa	1
Agency Placed	15	Maine	1
Dropped Out	30	Nebraska	1
Early Graduated	25	New Jersey	1
Deceased	1	Ohio	1
Unknown Location Moved To	11	Mexico	14
		Germany	3
		France	2
Total	216	Total	424
TOTAL STUDENTS OUT OF DPS		640	

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Inward Migration (September 1, 2015 - September 15, 2016)			
In-State Transfers (IN)		Out-of-State Transfers (IN)	
Minot	13	Texas	32
Killdeer	11	Montana	19
Bismarck	9	Idaho	15
Hebron	8	Arizona	13
Belfield	7	Minnesota	13
Richardton/Taylor	7	California	12
Williston	7	Michigan	12
Mandan	6	New Mexico	12
South Heart	6	Oregon	12
Fargo	5	Wyoming	12
Beach	4	Oklahoma	11
Beulah	3	Utah	11
Bowman	3	Florida	10
Glen Ullin	3	Colorado	9
Medora	3	Ohio	8
Trenton	3	South Dakota	6
Wahpeton	3	Louisiana	4
Berthold	2	Missouri	4
Bottineau	2	Washington	4
Halliday	2	Hawaii	3
Langdon	2	Arkansas	2
Marmarth	2	Kentucky	2
New Town	2	Mississippi	2
Velva	2	Nebraska	2
Ashley	1	Alaska	1
Belcourt	1	Canada	1
Fairfield	1	Georgia	1
Flasher	1	Illinois	1
Mandaree	1	Indiana	1
Mott	1	Kansas	1
Nedrose	1	Massachusetts	1
Tioga	1	Nevada	1
West Fargo	1	New Jersey	1
		New York	1
		North Carolina	1
		Pennsylvania	1
		Wisconsin	1
Parochial - Trinity West	15	Burundi	6
Parochial - Trinity East	11	Mexico	5
Parochial - Trinity High	10	Philippines	4
Parochial - Hope Christian	7	Zimbabwe	3
Parochial - Adventist Christian	5	China	2
Parochial - Montessori	2	Congo	1
		Ghana	1
Agency Placed into DPS	4	Nigeria	1
Transfer from Home School	15	Jamaica	1
		Thailand	1
Total	193	Total	268
TOTAL STUDENTS INTO DPS		461	

Inward and Outward Migration - Totals Since Sept. 16, 2008 to Sept. 12, 2016)

In State Transfers (IN)	
Bismarck	112
South Heart	64
Trinity High School	65
Williston	64
Minot	59
Trinity West	51
Richardton/Taylor	48
Belfield	47
Killdeer	46
Trinity East	43
Hope Christian	38
Mandan	34
New England	33
Hebron	29
Watford City	27
Fargo	26
Bowman	22
Beulah	22
Hettinger	17
Wahpeton	17
West Fargo	16
Beach	12
Mott/Regent	11
Stanley	10
Billings Co	13
Grand Forks	9
Mandaree	8
Hankinson	5
Cities Less Than 5	146
TOTAL	1094

Home Education	64
Agency Placed In	61
Foreign Exchange Students	10
Hospital Care	1
TOTAL	1230

Percent from In State	28%
Percent from Out of State	68%
Other	4%

Out-of-State Transfers (IN)	
Texas	204
Montana	201
Colorado	184
Idaho	168
California	154
Utah	145
Minnesota	140
Washington	130
Arizona	116
Wyoming	110
South Dakota	84
Florida	72
Nevada	70
Oregon	70
Michigan	61
Oklahoma	58
Wisconsin	53
Louisiana	42
New Mexico	34
Tennessee	30
Missouri	30
Pennsylvania	29
Iowa	28
North Carolina	27
Nebraska	26
Georgia	24
Ohio	23
Kentucky	22
Illinois	21
Kansas	20
Virginia	17
Arkansas	15
Indiana	14
New Jersey	13
South Carolina	11
Mississippi	11
New York	6
7 States Less Than 5	42
Mexico	65
Other Countries	59
TOTAL	2629

TOTAL STUDENTS IN 3859

In State Transfers (OUT)	
Bismarck	179
Richardton/Taylor	90
South Heart	77
Trinity High	69
Belfield	58
Williston	58
Minot	46
Mandan	40
Trinity West	40
Killdeer	35
Trinity East	32
New England	31
Hebron	29
Hope Christian	27
Watford City	27
West Fargo	23
Fargo	23
Mott/Regent	21
Beach	21
Bowman	20
Beulah	14
Billings County	10
Lignite	6
Twin Buttes	6
Garrison	5
New Town	5
Cities/Schools Less Than 5	181
TOTAL	1173

Miscellaneous (OUT)	
Drop Outs	163
Early Graduation	138
Agency Placed	101
Home School	62
Unknown New City	37
Expelled	5
Deceased	2
SUB TOTAL	508

Percent In State (OUT)	32%
Percent Out of State (OUT)	55%
Misc. Out	14%

Out of State Transfers (OUT)	
Texas	202
Montana	178
Colorado	149
Idaho	120
California	130
Minnesota	127
South Dakota	88
Arizona	83
Washington	99
Wyoming	71
Utah	74
Oklahoma	68
Florida	67
Oregon	46
Georgia	31
Nevada	40
Tennessee	31
New Mexico	28
Missouri	29
Pennsylvania	27
Wisconsin	30
Ohio	19
Nebraska	19
Iowa	18
Louisiana	21
Michigan	25
Arkansas	19
North Carolina	24
Indiana	14
Illinois	5
States Less Than 5	93
Mexico	44
Other Countries	18
SUB TOTAL	2037

TOTAL STUDENTS OUT 3718

NET GAIN INWARD MIGRATION
8 Year Total - 9/9/2008 TO 9/15/2016
141