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Kindergarten Student **Enrollment:**

Public Schools

30,599 students (2005-06)

31,859 students (2006-07)

32,227 students (2007-08)

Private Schools 3,519 students (2005-06)

3,518 students (2006-07) 3,450 students (2007-08)

Public Schools

361 in 2007-08 school year

Offering Kindergarten:

2007-08 statewide average student-teacher ratio of 25.0 students per kindergarten

teacher

At-Risk Full Dav

Kindergarten Program Participation 2007-08:

114 schools located in 9 school districts and 2 charter schools

(Churchill, Douglas, Eureka, Lander, Lincoln, Lyon, Storey, White Pine S.D's

did not have a school eligible to participate in the program)

In addition to the 114 At-Risk schools funded for the 2007-08 school year, funding was provided to support the replacement of 15 FTE kindergarten teaching

positions that had previously been funded with SB 404 School Remediation

funding during the 2006-07 school year.

Qualification for At-Risk Full Day Kindergarten

Program:

55.1% or more of the students in the school are eligible for free and reduced lunch. (The percentage of free and reduced lunch students was established for eligible schools during the first year of the program in 2006-07. Funding provided by the 2007 Legislature continued the program only for the 114 schools

that received funding in 2006-07.)

At-Risk Full Day

Kindergarten Program **Funding:**

2007-08 school year funding - \$25,640,881

Supported 464.5 FTE Kindergarten teachers @ \$55,203 per teacher

2008-09 school year funding - \$40,834,698 (Includes \$13,361,760 earmarked for expanded full day kindergarten program that would have funded 229.5 additional

kindergarten teaching positions in at-risk schools.)

Support for the continuing 464.5 FTE Kindergarten teachers @ \$58.563 per

teacher at the 114 AT-Risk Schools.

Expanded Full Day Kindergarten Program

Funding:

The \$13,361,760 for expanded full day kindergarten programs in 2008-09 has been earmarked to be used to meet the 4.5% budget reduction request

of Governor Gibbons with the exception of \$3,000,000 being used by Clark County School District to expand full day kindergarten at 14 additional schools in

lieu of receiving \$3,000,000 in school consortia remediation funding.