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SPECIAL REPORT

Examining Annual Targets for Indicator 5: Educational Environments

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The Office of Special Education Programs (OSEP) at the U.S. Dept. of Education has released [each state's 2022 State Performance Plan \(SPP\) and Annual Performance Report \(APR\)](#) which includes new annual targets for results and compliance indicators 1-17 for years 2020 through 2025. Details are available [here](#).

This special report examines each state's annual targets for the SPP Indicator 5, which measures the percentage of students with IEPs ages 5 (in kindergarten) through 21 being served in various educational environments* as shown in the table below.

A. Inside the regular classroom 80% or more of the day;
B. Inside the regular classroom less than 40% of the day;
C. In separate schools, residential facilities, or homebound/hospital placements

**Percentage of day spent inside the regular classroom is defined as the number of hours the student spends each day inside the regular classroom, divided by the total number of hours in the school day (including lunch, recess, and study periods), multiplied by 100. NOTE: Students who spend between 40% and 79% inside the regular classroom are not included in these targets.*

Below are the state targets for Indicator 5. As directed by OSEP, the state's [2025 target must reflect improvement over the baseline data](#). Improvement would be expressed by positive numbers for 5A and negative numbers for 5B and 5C. The baseline data is 2020 unless noted.

The amount of improvement varies dramatically across states. Some states established targets that reflect only minimal improvement over 6 years (CO, IL, KS, NE, MI, NH, NJ, NC, NM) while other states established targets that reflect very substantial improvement (CA, HI, IA, MS, NV). The targets set by states for Indicator 5A for 2025 also vary dramatically across states (see chart on page 11) as does the amount of change between 2020 and 2025 (see chart on page 12). A state's current 5A performance should be taken into consideration when evaluating the amount of improvement proposed.

Alabama Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/AL-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	83.92%	83.92%	83.92%	83.92%	83.92%	84.42%
Target B <=	7.21%	6.96%	6.71%	6.46%	6.21%	5.96%
Target C <=	2.26%	2.26%	2.26%	2.26%	2.26%	2.21%

Alaska Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/AK-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	66.80%	67.00%	67.40%	67.80%	68.20%	68.60%
Target B <=	10.29%	10.30%	10.20%	10.10%	10.00%	9.90%
Target C <=	2.30%	2.30%	2.20%	2.20%	2.10%	2.10%

Arizona Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/AZ-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	68.05%	68.84%	69.63%	70.42%	71.21%	72.00%
Target B <=	13.70%	13.58%	13.46%	13.34%	13.22%	13.10%
Target C <=	2.76%	2.70%	2.64%	2.58%	2.52%	2.46%

Arkansas Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/AR-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	57.32%	57.70%	58.07%	58.45%	58.82%	59.20%
Target B <=	12.08%	11.98%	11.88%	11.78%	11.68%	11.58%
Target C <=	1.99%	1.99%	1.99%	1.99%	1.99%	1.99%

California Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/CA-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	58.00%	60.00%	62.00%	64.00%	67.00%	70.00%
Target B <=	19.50%	18.00%	16.50%	15.00%	13.50%	12.00%
Target C <=	3.40%	3.20%	3.00%	2.80%	2.60%	2.40%

Colorado Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/CO-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	78.98%	77.69%	78.02%	78.34%	78.67%	78.99%
Target B <=	5.03%	5.28%	5.21%	5.15%	5.09%	5.02%
Target C <=	2.20%	2.22%	2.22%	2.21%	2.20%	2.19%

Connecticut Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/CT-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	67.00%	67.25%	67.50%	68.00%	68.50%	69.00%
Target B <=	7.20%	7.20%	7.20%	7.20%	7.20%	7.20%
Target C <=	7.30%	7.25%	7.20%	7.15%	7.10%	7.05%

Delaware Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/DE-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	64.54%	65.54%	66.54%	67.54%	68.54%	69.54%
Target B <=	15.09%	14.59%	14.09%	13.59%	13.09%	12.59%
Target C <=	4.93%	4.73%	4.43%	4.03%	3.53%	3.03%

District of Columbia Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/DC-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	58.19%	60.00%	62.00%	62.00%	65.00%	65.00%
Target B <=	16.80%	14.00%	14.00%	14.00%	14.00%	14.00%
Target C <=	7.73%	9.00%	9.00%	8.00%	7.00%	7.00%

Florida Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/FL-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	76.73%	77.69%	77.70%	78.00%	78.50%	78.60%
Target B <=	13.35%	13.35%	13.20%	12.90%	12.80%	12.70%
Target C <=	3.23%	3.23%	3.00%	2.90%	2.80%	2.70%

Georgia Baseline: 2019 Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/GA-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	62.73%	63.73%	64.73%	65.73%	66.73%	67.73%
Target B <=	16.58%	16.58%	16.08%	15.58%	15.08%	15.08%
Target C <=	1.48%	1.48%	1.38%	1.38%	1.28%	1.28%

Hawaii Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/HI-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	50.71%	53.00%	55.00%	57.00%	59.00%	61.00%
Target B <=	16.30%	15.80%	15.30%	14.80%	14.30%	13.80%
Target C <=	0.96%	0.96%	0.95%	0.95%	0.94%	0.94%

Idaho Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/ID-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	63.75%	63.80%	63.85%	64.90%	66.00%	67.05%
Target B <=	9.58%	9.55%	9.52%	9.18%	8.87%	8.55%
Target C <=	1.11%	1.10%	1.09%	1.05%	1.01%	0.97%

Illinois Baseline year: 2019. Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/IL-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	52.70%	52.90%	53.10%	53.30%	53.50%	53.70%
Target B <=	12.37%	12.35%	12.33%	12.31%	12.29%	12.27%
Target C <=	6.39%	6.38%	6.37%	6.36%	6.35%	6.34%

Indiana Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/IN-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	77.45%	77.70%	77.95%	78.20%	78.45%	78.70%
Target B <=	7.97%	7.87%	7.77%	7.67%	7.57%	7.47%
Target C <=	1.65%	1.55%	1.45%	1.34%	1.24%	1.14%

Iowa Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/IA-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	72.30%	73.10%	75.84%	76.95%	79.69%	80.81%
Target B <=	7.00%	6.50%	6.50%	6.00%	6.00%	6.00%
Target C <=	1.70%	1.60%	1.50%	1.40%	1.30%	1.15%

Kansas Baseline year: 2019. Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/KS-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	70.50%	70.75%	71.00%	71.25%	71.50%	71.75%
Target B <=	7.02%	7.00%	7.00%	7.00%	7.00%	6.95%
Target C <=	2.20%	2.19%	2.18%	2.17%	2.16%	2.15%

Kentucky Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/KY-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	75.00%	74.99%	75.24%	75.49%	76.00%	77.00%
Target B <=	8.38%	8.38%	8.15%	7.91%	7.44%	6.50%
Target C <=	1.55%	1.55%	1.51%	1.48%	1.40%	1.25%

Louisiana Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/LA-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	72.00%	72.00%	72.50%	73.00%	73.50%	74.00%
Target B <=	9.50%	9.50%	9.50%	9.40%	9.40%	9.40%
Target C <=	1.20%	1.20%	1.20%	1.10%	1.10%	1.10%

Maine Baseline: 2019. Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/ME-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	56.11%	56.11%	56.33%	56.33%	56.66%	57.00%
Target B <=	10.78%	10.42%	10.07%	9.71%	9.36%	9.00%
Target C <=	3.46%	3.46%	3.46%	3.34%	3.22%	3.10%

Maryland Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/MD-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	70.71%	71.00%	71.25%	71.50%	71.75%	72.00%
Target B <=	12.00%	11.75%	11.50%	11.25%	11.00%	10.75%
Target C <=	6.41%	6.25%	6.00%	5.75%	5.50%	5.25%

Massachusetts Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/MA-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	65.49%	65.49%	65.49%	65.49%	67.49%	67.99%
Target B <=	13.32%	13.32%	13.32%	13.32%	12.92%	12.82%
Target C <=	6.44%	6.44%	6.44%	6.44%	6.04%	5.94%

Michigan Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/MI-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	69.92%	69.92%	70.00%	70.25%	70.50%	70.75%
Target B <=	9.93%	9.93%	9.75%	9.70%	9.65%	9.60%
Target C <=	4.98%	4.98%	4.98%	4.97%	4.96%	4.95%

Minnesota Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/MN-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	62.30%	62.80%	63.30%	63.80%	64.30%	64.80%
Target B <=	10.10%	9.90%	9.80%	9.70%	9.60%	9.50%
Target C <=	3.90%	3.85%	3.80%	3.75%	3.70%	3.65%

Mississippi Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/MS-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	77.00%	78.00%	80.00%	82.00%	83.00%	85.00%
Target B <=	13.00%	12.00%	11.00%	10.00%	10.00%	10.00%
Target C <=	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%

Missouri Baseline: 2019. Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/MO-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	57.40%	57.60%	57.80%	58.00%	58.00%	58.00%
Target B <=	8.40%	8.40%	8.40%	8.30%	8.30%	8.30%
Target C <=	3.60%	3.60%	3.60%	3.60%	3.60%	3.50%

Montana Baseline: 2019 Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/MT-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	52.50%	52.60%	52.70%	52.80%	52.90%	53.20%
Target B <=	11.10%	11.00%	10.90%	10.80%	10.70%	10.60%
Target C <=	1.40%	1.30%	1.20%	1.10%	1.00%	0.90%

Nebraska Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/NE-B-SPP-FFY20.docx> See notes at page 31.

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	81.16%	81.32%	81.47%	81.63%	81.78%	81.94%
Target B <=	5.72%	5.72%	5.71%	5.71%	5.70%	5.70%
Target C <=	2.38%	2.36%	2.35%	2.33%	2.31%	2.30%

Nevada Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/NV-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	63.60%	65.00%	67.00%	69.00%	71.00%	73.00%
Target B <=	14.01%	13.50%	13.00%	12.00%	11.00%	10.00%
Target C <=	1.39%	1.36%	1.36%	1.36%	1.36%	1.36%

New Hampshire Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/NH-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	74.00%	74.00%	74.50%	75.00%	75.00%	75.00%
Target B <=	7.00%	6.50%	6.50%	6.20%	6.18%	6.18%
Target C <=	2.05%	2.05%	2.05%	2.05%	2.05%	2.05%

New Jersey Baseline year: 2019 Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/NJ-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	45.00%	45.00%	45.50%	45.50%	46.00%	46.00%
Target B <=	14.75%	14.75%	14.50%	14.50%	14.25%	14.25%
Target C <=	6.75%	6.75%	6.50%	6.50%	6.25%	6.25%

New Mexico Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/NM-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	51.53%	51.68%	51.83%	51.98%	52.13%	52.28%
Target B <=	16.59%	16.08%	15.57%	15.06%	14.55%	14.04%
Target C <=	0.39%	0.38%	0.37%	0.36%	0.35%	0.34%

New York Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/NY-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	58.20%	58.25%	58.75%	59.00%	59.50%	60.00%
Target B <=	18.14%	18.00%	17.80%	17.50%	17.25%	17.00%
Target C <=	5.20%	5.10%	5.00%	4.90%	4.80%	4.75%

North Carolina Baseline: 2018 Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/NC-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	68.70%	68.75%	68.80%	68.85%	68.90%	68.95%
Target B <=	12.03%	12.00%	12.00%	11.50%	11.50%	11.25%
Target C <=	1.68%	1.63%	1.58%	1.53%	1.48%	1.43%

North Dakota Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/ND-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	73.24%	73.24%	73.45%	73.67%	74.12%	75.00%
Target B <=	6.42%	6.42%	6.42%	6.42%	5.71%	5.00%
Target C <=	1.58%	1.58%	1.58%	1.58%	1.41%	1.25%

Ohio Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/OH-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	64.80%	65.00%	66.00%	67.00%	68.00%	69.00%
Target B <=	11.86%	11.80%	11.75%	11.50%	11.25%	11.00%
Target C <=	3.62%	3.60%	3.56%	3.54%	3.53%	3.51%

Oklahoma Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/OK-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	71.00%	71.50%	72.00%	72.50%	73.00%	75.75%
Target B <=	8.00%	8.00%	8.00%	7.50%	7.50%	6.65%
Target C <=	0.75%	0.75%	0.73%	0.73%	0.71%	0.60%

Oregon Baseline year: 2019 Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/OR-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	75.00%	76.00%	77.00%	77.00%	78.00%	79.00%
Target B <=	9.25%	9.00%	8.70%	8.40%	8.00%	7.80%
Target C <=	1.80%	1.70%	1.60%	1.60%	1.50%	1.40%

Pennsylvania Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/PA-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	61.48%	61.48%	62.36%	63.24%	64.12%	65.00%
Target B <=	9.62%	9.62%	9.62%	9.08%	8.54%	8.00%
Target C <=	4.81%	4.81%	4.81%	4.81%	4.81%	4.00%

Rhode Island Baseline year: 2019 Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/RI-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	76.50%	77.00%	77.50%	78.00%	78.50%	79.00%
Target B <=	11.00%	10.50%	10.00%	9.50%	9.00%	8.50%
Target C <=	3.50%	3.00%	2.50%	2.00%	1.50%	1.00%

South Carolina Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/SC-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	63.96%	63.61%	64.18%	64.75%	65.33%	65.90%
Target B <=	15.34%	14.39%	14.06%	13.73%	13.39%	13.06%
Target C <=	1.19%	1.18%	1.17%	1.16%	1.15%	1.14%

South Dakota Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/SD-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	75.96%	75.96%	76.68%	77.18%	77.68%	78.68%
Target B <=	5.57%	5.57%	5.57%	5.57%	5.50%	5.50%
Target C <=	1.67%	1.67%	1.67%	1.67%	1.67%	1.65%

Tennessee Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/TN-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	72.64%	73.78%	74.92%	76.06%	77.20%	78.34%
Target B <=	11.25%	11.07%	10.89%	10.71%	10.53%	10.35%
Target C <=	1.37%	1.19%	1.01%	0.83%	0.55%	0.37%

Texas Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/TX-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	71.84%	73.00%	73.00%	74.00%	74.00%	75.00%
Target B <=	14.07%	14.00%	13.00%	12.00%	11.00%	10.00%
Target C <=	0.80%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	0.79%

Utah Baseline year: 2018 Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/UT-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	65.12%	65.12%	65.79%	66.47%	67.81%	70.50%
Target B <=	9.71%	9.71%	9.43%	9.16%	8.61%	7.50%
Target C <=	2.78%	2.78%	2.77%	2.75%	2.68%	2.65%

Vermont Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/VT-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	80.00%	80.00%	81.00%	81.00%	82.00%	82.00%
Target B <=	4.50%	4.50%	4.10%	4.10%	3.80%	3.80%
Target C <=	6.50%	6.50%	6.25%	6.25%	6.00%	6.00%

Virginia Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/VA-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	71.60%	72.10%	72.60%	73.10%	73.60%	74.10%
Target B <=	8.40%	8.15%	7.90%	7.65%	7.40%	7.15%
Target C <=	3.91%	3.81%	3.71%	3.61%	3.51%	3.41%

Washington Baseline year: 2005 Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/WA-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

Submitted targets not accepted by OSEP. See notes page 38

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	60.00%	61.70%	63.40%	65.10%	66.80%	68.50%
Target B <=	12.20%	12.13%	12.06%	11.99%	11.92%	11.85%
Target C <=	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%

West Virginia Baseline year: 2019 Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/WV-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	67.11%	67.61%	68.11%	68.61%	69.11%	69.61%
Target B <=	6.47%	6.30%	6.20%	6.10%	6.00%	5.90%
Target C <=	1.49%	1.40%	1.40%	1.40%	1.40%	1.40%

Wisconsin Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/WI-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

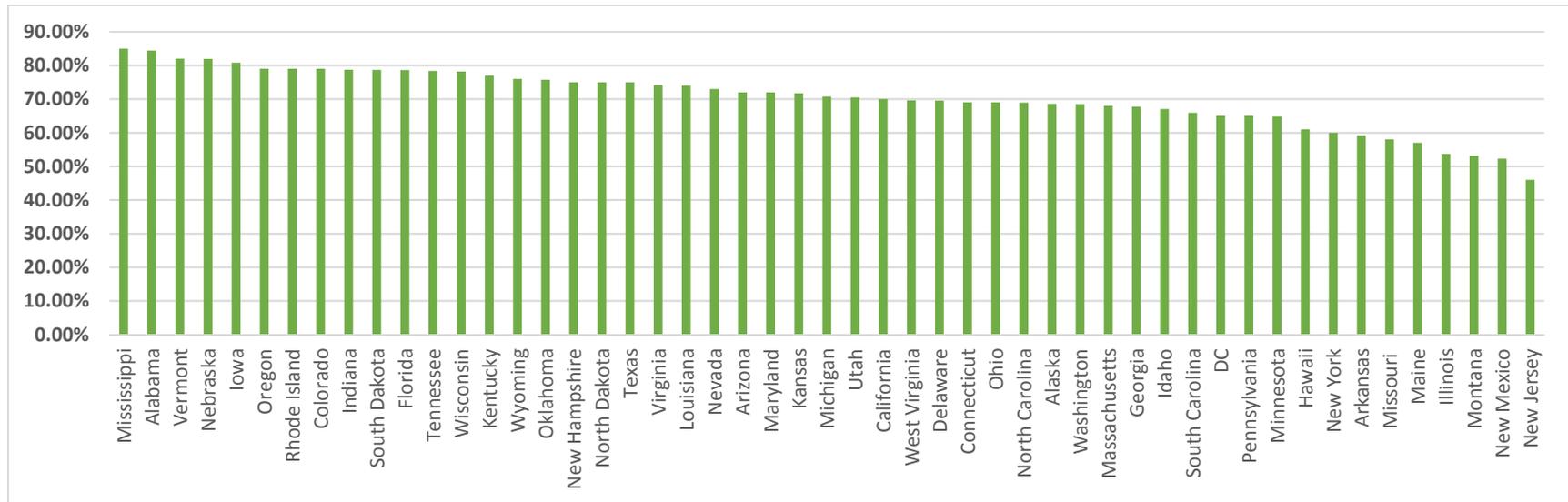
FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	73.85%	74.33%	75.43%	76.38%	77.28%	78.18%
Target B <=	7.46%	7.46%	7.27%	7.05%	6.84%	6.64%
Target C <=	1.25%	1.23%	1.21%	1.19%	1.18%	1.17%

Wyoming Baseline year: 2019 Source: <https://sites.ed.gov/idea/files/WY-B-SPP-FFY20.docx>

FFY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Target A >=	73.93%	73.93%	74.00%	74.06%	75.74%	76.00%
Target B <=	5.42%	5.42%	5.37%	5.32%	4.70%	4.50%
Target C <=	1.68%	1.68%	1.61%	1.55%	1.24%	0.97%

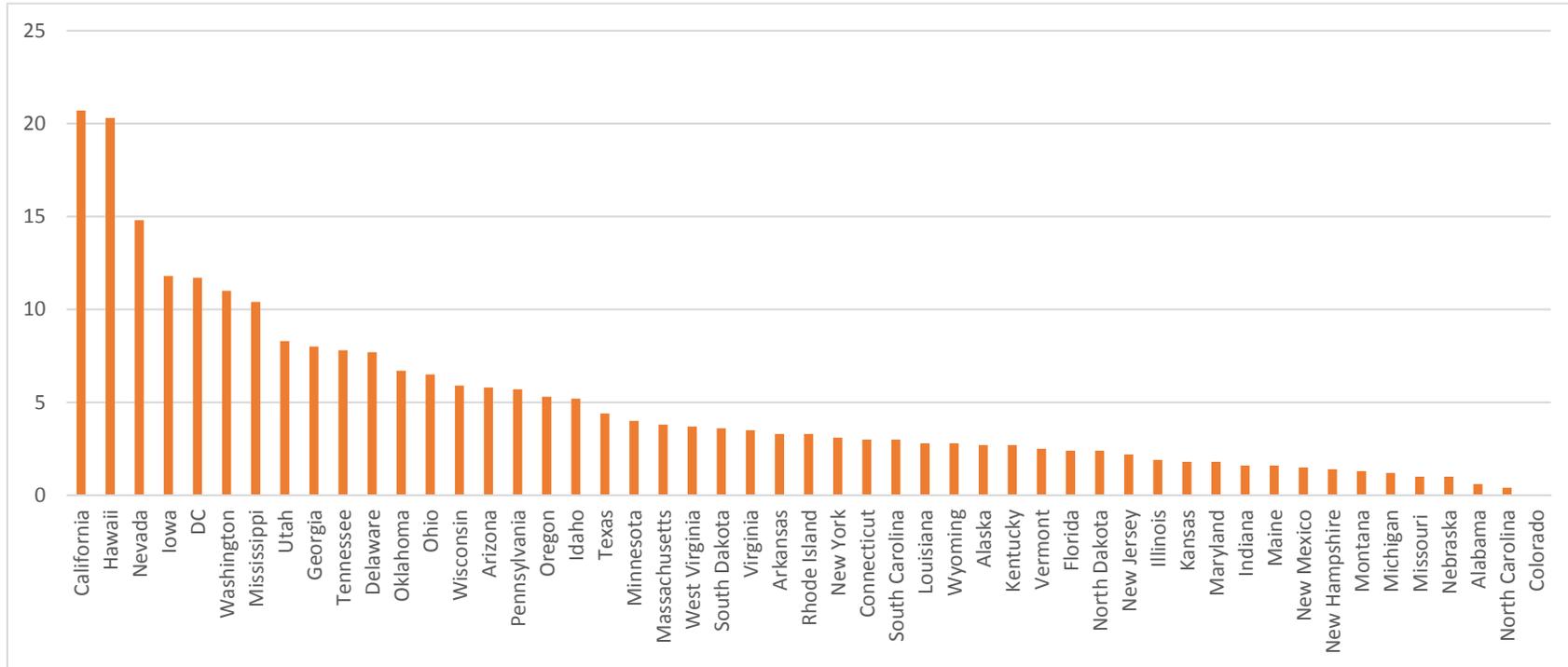
State Targets for Indicator 5A for School Year 2025-2026

Percent of Students with Disabilities Educated Inside the Regular Class 80% or more of the day



State targets range from a high of 85% in Mississippi to a low of 46% in New Jersey

Percent Change 2020 - 2025 Target 5A
Percent of Students with Disabilities Inside the Regular Class 80% or more of the day



Percent of Change range from a high of +20.7% in California to a low of 0% in Colorado