

2016 North Carolina Home School Statistical Summary

*Information from the 2015–2016 school term
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The home school statistical year begins each July 1 and concludes the following June 30.



North Carolina Home Schools
Number of Schools by County
 School Year: 15 –16

Alamance	1,078	Franklin	765	Pamlico	95
Alexander	384	Gaston	1,579	Pasquotank	416
Alleghany	71	Gates	103	Pender	526
Anson	150	Graham	140	Perquimans	96
Ashe	315	Granville	487	Person	346
Avery	169	Greene	87	Pitt	917
Beaufort	328	Guilford	2,764	Polk	240
Bertie	89	Halifax	276	Randolph	1,454
Bladen	248	Harnett	1,411	Richmond	226
Brunswick	904	Haywood	649	Robeson	797
Buncombe	2,730	Henderson	1,331	Rockingham	804
Burke	744	Hertford	79	Rowan	1,399
Cabarrus	1,838	Hoke	502	Rutherford	566
Caldwell	657	Hyde	52	Sampson	303
Camden	82	Iredell	1,520	Scotland	140
Carteret	753	Jackson	295	Stanly	573
Caswell	203	Johnston	1,769	Stokes	426
Catawba	1,142	Jones	111	Surry	743
Chatham	482	Lee	387	Swain	136
Cherokee	275	Lenoir	279	Transylvania	434
Chowan	100	Lincoln	598	Tyrrell	26
Clay	85	Macon	463	Union	2,609
Cleveland	852	Madison	353	Vance	342
Columbus	354	Martin	141	Wake	6,982
Craven	790	McDowell	523	Warren	94
Cumberland	1,888	Mecklenburg	5,607	Washington	100
Currituck	245	Mitchell	142	Watauga	403
Dare	279	Montgomery	210	Wayne	721
Davidson	1,519	Moore	773	Wilkes	784
Davie	403	Nash	714	Wilson	476
Duplin	243	New Hanover	1,269	Yadkin	316
Durham	1,226	Northampton	98	Yancey	242
Edgecombe	263	Onslow	1,477		
Forsyth	2,402	Orange	676	Grand Total	74,653

Number of Home Schools by Type
 School Year: 15 -16

Independent	29,594	39.6%
Religious	45,059	60.4%
Grand Total	67,804	100.0%

North Carolina Home Schools
Estimated Enrollment by Counties

School Year: 15–16

Alamance	1,755	Franklin	1,420	Pamlico	142
Alexander	653	Gaston	2,477	Pasquotank	634
Alleghany	108	Gates	204	Pender	809
Anson	241	Graham	211	Perquimans	152
Ashe	490	Granville	840	Person	551
Avery	236	Greene	137	Pitt	1,470
Beaufort	509	Guilford	4,239	Polk	401
Bertie	140	Halifax	420	Randolph	2,227
Bladen	409	Harnett	2,287	Richmond	305
Brunswick	1,385	Haywood	956	Robeson	1,129
Buncombe	4,121	Henderson	2,084	Rockingham	1,200
Burke	1,200	Hertford	119	Rowan	2,190
Cabarrus	2,963	Hoke	802	Rutherford	895
Caldwell	1,033	Hyde	95	Sampson	461
Camden	121	Iredell	2,402	Scotland	213
Carteret	1,026	Jackson	458	Stanly	904
Caswell	326	Johnston	2,843	Stokes	756
Catawba	1,858	Jones	210	Surry	1,096
Chatham	839	Lee	618	Swain	197
Cherokee	444	Lenoir	430	Transylvania	645
Chowan	147	Lincoln	979	Tyrrell	42
Clay	142	Macon	719	Union	4,299
Cleveland	1,374	Madison	567	Vance	514
Columbus	556	Martin	200	Wake	11,356
Craven	1,238	McDowell	793	Warren	168
Cumberland	3,011	Mecklenburg	8,773	Washington	146
Currituck	360	Mitchell	205	Watauga	659
Dare	414	Montgomery	348	Wayne	1,148
Davidson	2,449	Moore	1,336	Wilkes	1,195
Davie	675	Nash	1,126	Wilson	751
Duplin	367	New Hanover	1,968	Yadkin	516
Durham	1,983	Northampton	167	Yancey	384
Edgecombe	402	Onslow	2,427		
Forsyth	3,867	Orange	1,011	Grand Total	118,268

Note: All estimates are based on random 15–16 home school enrollment sampling and the actual number of home schools operating during that school term.

North Carolina Home School
ESTIMATED STATEWIDE ENROLLMENT BY AGE
School Year: 15–16

Age	15–16 Estimated Enrollment
6	9,255
7	11,784
8	9,687
9	9,985
10	10,042
11	10,208
12	10,406
13	10,443
14	9,853
15	10,349
16	8,824
17	7,432
Total	118,268

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