

Where Alaskans Go After Graduating from High School

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Who goes to college or career training?



Attend postsecondary education

Students from **low-income** families were **half** as likely to attend college as other students

APS Eligible students were **3.6x** more likely to attend college

Where do they attend?



Stay in Alaska for education

29% Leave Alaska for education

Top states
Washington, Oregon
California, Arizona

18% mix of attending education both in-state & out-of-state

6% of students attended **Workforce Training** centers in Alaska

*Not including UA certificates/workforce training

APS Eligible students were **2.5x** more likely to leave state for college

Who lives in Alaska?



The number of **college participants** returning to Alaska **declined by 15% points** from 2008 to 2014



of the students who leave for education return to Alaska

Students from **Low-income** families were **1.5x** more likely to stay in Alaska



of the classes of 2006-2009 were **Alaska Residents** as of 2014



College Graduates were **3x** as likely to leave Alaska

of UA students **UA Scholars** are **2.4x** more likely to stay in Alaska

Non-Graduates: Students who attended some college out-of-state but did not graduate were **1.3x** more likely to return to Alaska

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