

# **COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA**

**Department of Correctional Education** 

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The Honorable Robert F. McDonnell Governor of Virginia State Capital Patrick Henry Building, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor 1111 E. Broad St. Richmond, Virginia 23219

Members of the Virginia General Assembly General Assembly Building Richmond, Virginia 23219

Dear Governor McDonnell and Members of the Virginia General Assembly:

Section 22.1-344 of the Code of Virginia requires the Virginia Department of Correctional Education to compile on a quarterly basis certain demographic data on its students and to report this data annually to the Governor and Members of the General Assembly. Attached is the report for the 2011 calendar year.

I hope you will find the report useful, responsive and informative. If I can answer any questions or provide any further information, please do not hesitate to call me.

With kind personal regards, I remain

Sincerely,

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# Quarterly Report to the General Assembly Department of Correctional Education (DCE) Student Demographic and Educational Statistics Calendar Year 2011

# Juvenile Institutions

### Table 1: Demographic Data

		First Quarter		Second Quarter		Third Quarter		Fourth Quarter	
Race		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Black		423	65%	433	66%	411	67%	402	69%
White		141	22%	143	22%	129	21%	124	21%
Other		84	13%	83	13%	75	12%	56	10%
	TOTAL	648	100%	659	100%	615	100%	582	100%
Age									
Under 14	A CARLON AND A CARLO	2	0%	1	0%	0	0%	0	0%
14-17		335	52%	339	51%	294	48%	283	49%
18-21	2.1	311	48%	319	48%	321	52%	299	51%
Not Indicated		0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
	TOTAL	648	100%	659	100%	615	100%	582	100%
Gender									
Female		23	4%	31	5%	30	5%	29	5%
Male		625	96%	628	95%	585	95%	553	. 95%
	TOTAL	648	100%	659	100%	615	100%	582	100%

Table 2: Educational Level (based on Woodcock-Johnson Psychoeducational Battery Test)

	First Quarter		Second Quarter		Third Quarter		Fourth Quarter			
Intake (All students tested at the Reception & Diagnostic Center)										
Below Grade 4	16	10%	14	11%	10	9%	15	16%		
Grade 4 - Grade 8	92	57%	80	63%	63	54%	47	51%		
Grade 9 - Grade 12	38	23%	19	15%	29	25%	20	22%		
Higher than Grade 12	16	10%	13	10%	15	13%	10	11%		
TOTAL	162	100%	126	100%	117	100%	92	100%		
Discharge (Students who had	d been enroll	ed for at l	east 12 mont	hs prior to	release)					
Below Grade 4	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	10%		
Grade 4 - Grade 8	8	40%	4	25%	1	20%	5	50%		
Grade 9 - Grade 12	9	45%	6	38%	3	60%	3	30%		
Higher than Grade 12	3	15%	6	38%	1	20%	1	10%		
TOTAL	20	100%	16	100%	5	100%	10	100%		

For educational testing purposes, only those students who have been enrolled for a minimum of 12 consecutive months are tested because of the limitations of the testing instrument. The Woodcock-Johnson is valid only if the interval between tests is at least 12 calendar months.

## Table 3: Educational Disability at Intake

	First Quarter		Second Quarter		Third Quarter		Fourth Quarter	
Intellectual Disability	4	6%	1	2%	1	2%	4	7%
Hearing Impairment	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	2%
Speech/Language Imp.	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Visually Impaired	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Emotional Disability	17	27%	19	33%	. 19	40%	24	41%
Other Health Impairment	10	16%	14	25%	14	30%	22	24%
Orthopedic Impaired	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
504	2	3%	3	5%	4	9%	0	0%
Autism	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Specific Learning Dis.	27	44%	18	32%	8	17%	8	24%
Deaf-Blindness	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Multiple Disabilities	2	3%	2	4%	1	2%	0	0%
Developmental Delay	0	0%	0	0%	. 0	0%	0	0%
Traumatic Brain Injury	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
ADHD	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
TOTAL	62	100%	57	100%	47	100%	59	97%
Total of all Intake						2		
Overall %								

Reflects distribution of students below age 22 who were identified as eligible for Special Education services prior to incarceration. \*Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 ensures protection for any student who has been identified with a physical or mental disability or has a history of a disability which substantially limits a major life activity.

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# **Adult Institutions**

### Table 1: Demographic Data

3		First Qu	arter	Second	Quarter	Third Q	uarter	Fourth	Quarter
Race		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Black		6677	67%	6717	67%	6515	67%	6170	67%
White		3065	31%	3039	30%	2958	30%	2832	31%
Other		277	3%	287	3%	281	3%	276	3%
	TOTAL	10019	100%	10043	100%	9754	100%	9278	100%
Age									
14-17		1	0%	2	0%	0	0%	0	0%
18-21		498	5%	509	5%	470	5%	424	5%
22-35		5041	50%	5003	50%	4799	49%	4469	48%
36-50		3394	34%	3411	34%	3342	34%	3242	35%
Over 50	·	1085	11%	1118	11%	1143	12%	1143	12%
Not Indicated		0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
v	TOTAL	10019	100%	10043	100%	9754	100%	9278	100%
Gender									
Female		1083	11%	1018	10%	1090	11%	1026	11%
Male		8932	89%	9021	90%	8662	89%	8250	89%
Not Indicated		4	0%	4	0%	2	0%	2	0%
	TOTAL	10019	100%	10043	100%	9754	100%	9278	100%

### Table 2: Educational Disability at Intake

	First Qu	arter	Second	Quarter	Third Quarter		Fourth Quarter	
Intellectual Disability	0	0%	1	9%	0	0%	1	5%
Hearing Impairment	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Speech/Language Imp.	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	5%
Visually Impaired	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Emotional Disability	9	53%	3	27%	8	62%	6	27%
Other Health Impairment	3	18%	2	18%	1	8%	6	27%
Orthopedic Impaired	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
504	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Autism	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Specific Learning Dis.	5	29%	4	36%	4	31%	8	36%
Deaf-Blindness	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Multiple Disabilities	0	0%	1	9%	- 0	0%	0	0%
Developmental Delay	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Traumatic Brain Injury	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
ADHD	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
TOTAI	17	100%	11	100%	13	100%	22	100%

This distribution reflects a quarterly breakdown of the number of students age 22 and under who have been previously identified as eligible for special education services. Percentages reflect the number of students identified in each handicapping condition. Since DOC does not report totals for this age group, percentages do not report the number of students identified eligible for special education services in comparison to the total number incarcerated for that age group.

Table 3: Adult Basic Educational Levels (	(ABE)
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	First Quarter		Second Q	uarter	Third Quarter		Fourth Quarter	
Lowest educational level								
upon entry								
ABE I	10	2%	10	2%	13	2%	8	2%
ABE II	112	23%	104	22%	109	21%	126	26%
ABE III	168	35%	169	36%	197	38%	200	40%
ABE IV	153	32%	149	32%	162	31%	136	28%
ABE V	29	6%	26	6%	29	6%	15	3%
ABE VI	5	1%	7	2%	12	2%	9	2%
TOTAL	477	100%	465	100%	522	100%	494	100%
Highest educational level								
before discharge								
ABE I	7	1%	10	2%	13	2%	2	0%
ABE II	49	10%	104	22%	109	21%	70	14%
ABE III	113	24%	169	36%	197	38%	132	27%
ABE IV	149	31%	149	32%	162	31%	162	33%
ABE V	111	23%	26	6%	29	6%	97	20%
ABE VI	48	10%	7	2%	12	2%	31	6%
TOTAL	477	100%	465	100%	522	100%	494	100%

## Table 4: ABE (Eligible/Enrolled/Waiting)

	First Quarter	Second Quarter	Third Quarter	Fourth Quarter
Eligible	11,066	11,629	11,467	11636
Enrolled	3,552	3,747	3,931	3902
Waiting	2,214	2,342	2,234	2183