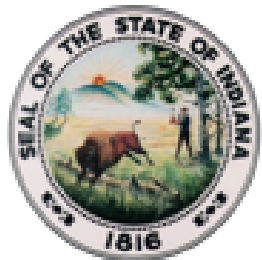


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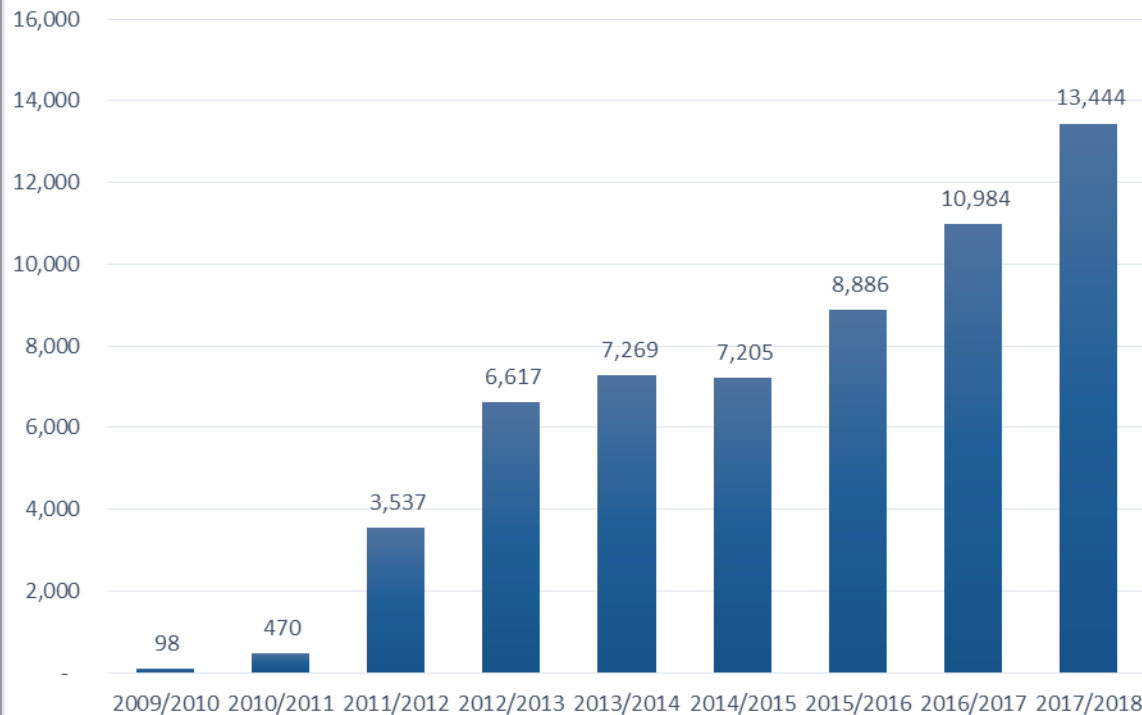
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# Virtual Charter School Enrollment (09/10 – 17/18)

Total Virtual Charter School Enrollment

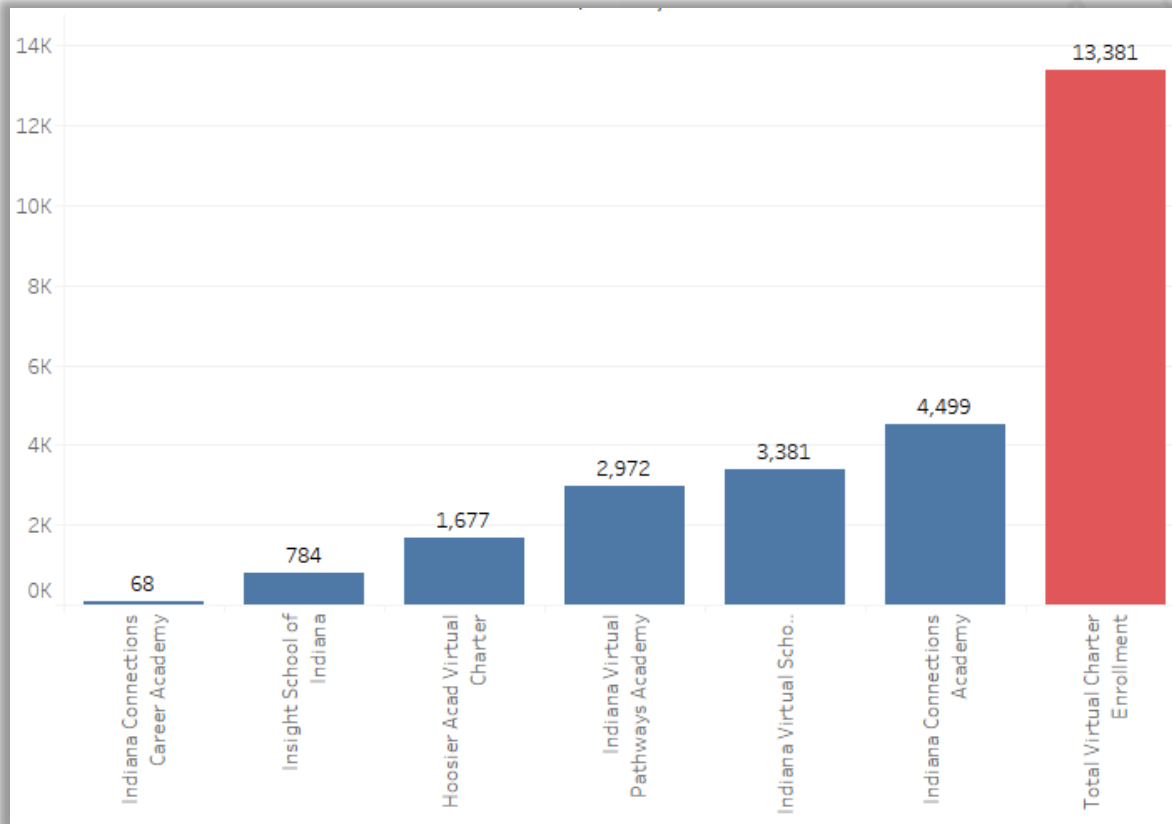


- Total enrollment in virtual charters has increased each year since 2009/2010.
- Result of additional virtual charter options and the expansion of existing schools.



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# Virtual Charter School Enrollment by School (17/18)



4,499

Indiana  
Connections  
Academy

3,381

Indiana  
Virtual  
School

2,972

Indiana Virtual  
Pathways  
Academy

1,677

Hoosier Virtual  
Charter School

784

Insight School  
of Indiana

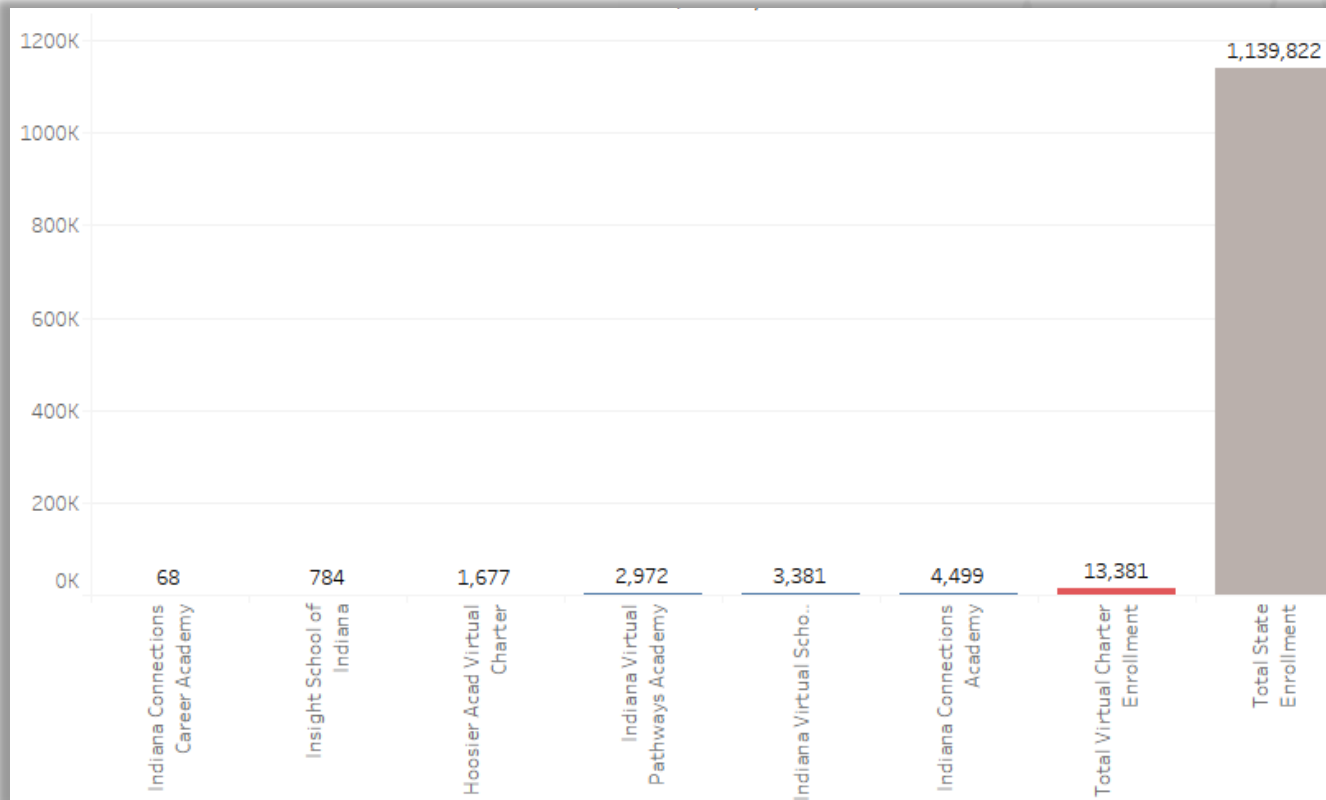
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Indiana  
Connections  
Career Academy



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# Virtual Charter School Enrollment by School (17/18)



2018

1.2%

Percentage of Indiana public school students enrolled in Virtual Charter School.

1.0% 2017

0.8% 2016

0.6% 2015

0.6% 2014



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# Corporation of Legal Residence

## 288

Number of traditional Indiana school corporations that had at least one student of legal residence choose to enroll in a virtual charter school in 17/18.

1031	Indianapolis Public Schools
545	Fort Wayne Community Schools
325	South Bend Community School Corp
321	Evansville Vanderburgh School Corp
313	Vigo County School Corp



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# Previous School Type Upon Enrollment In a Virtual Charter School (16/17)

## Where did the students come from?

Where did the students come from that were entering the Virtual Charter Schools in the 2016-2017 school year?

School	Another Public School	Another Virtual School	Non-Public School	Outside Indiana School System
Indiana Virtual School	58.62%	3.42%	2.04%	35.91%
Hoosier Academy Virtual Charter School	66.68%	1.64%	3.84%	27.84%
Insight School of Indiana	41.63%	47.36%	1.06%	9.95%
Indiana Connections Academy	72.81%	2.55%	4.00%	20.65%

[11](#) 98.09% of the students entering Insight School of Indiana from another Virtual Charter School were enrolled at Hoosier Academy Virtual Charter School in the 2015-2016 school year.



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# Previous School Type Upon Enrollment In a Virtual Charter School (17/18)

## Enrollment ~ Where did the students come from?

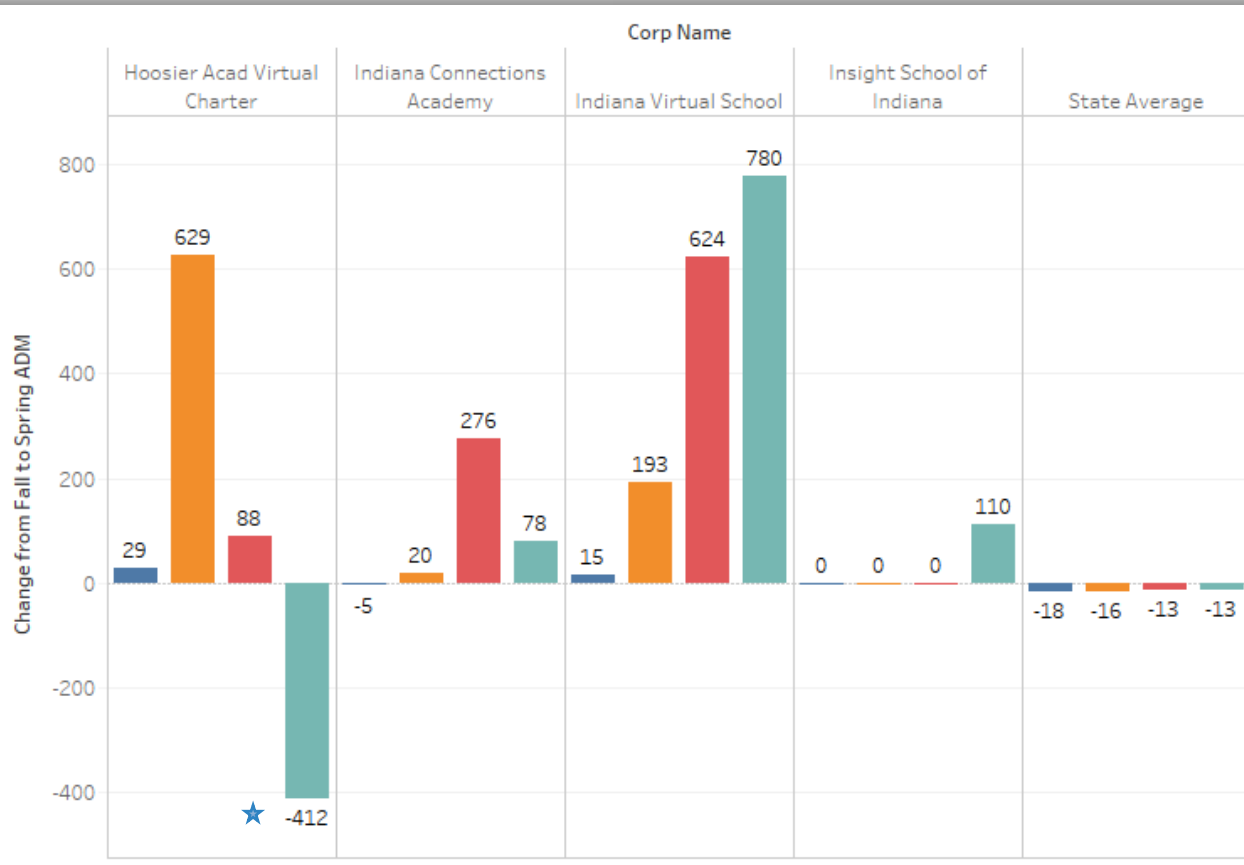
Where did the students come from that were entering the Virtual Charter Schools in the 2017-2018 school year?

School	Another Public School	Another Virtual School	Non-Public School	Outside Indiana School System
Indiana Virtual School	63.63%	4.67%	2.31%	29.38%
Indiana Virtual Pathways Academy	25.22%	48.51%	0.78%	25.49%
Hoosier Academy Virtual Charter School	58.03%	0.98%	1.31%	39.67%
Insight School of Indiana	71.37%	12.94%	1.57%	14.12%
Indiana Connections Academy	73.62%	3.98%	3.65%	18.76%
Indiana Connections Career Academy	49.30%	32.39%	5.63%	12.68%



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# Change in Enrollment - Fall to Spring Count Date (16/17)



## Top 4

The four virtual charter schools opened prior to 17/18 averaged the greatest influx of students from Fall to Spring count between 13/14 and 16/17.

403 Indiana Virtual School

110 Insight School of Indiana

92 Indiana Connections Academy

83 Hoosier Academy Virtual Charter

31 M S D Decatur Township

(15) State Average

★ SBOE prohibited Hoosier Virtual from enrolling more students in 16/17, and the school decided not to seek renewal and will close at the end of the 17/18 school year.



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# Number of Consecutive Years a Student is Enrolled (Average & Median)

## Enrollment Term

Looking at the three schools that have been in existence for at least 5 years, and students who were in at least the 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, what is the average number of consecutive years students have been enrolled?

School	Average		Median	
	2017	2018	2017	2018
Indiana Virtual School	1.35	1.32	1	1
Hoosier Academy Virtual Charter School	2.00	2.96	1	3
Indiana Connections Academy	1.92	1.90	1	1

*Average number of consecutive years students have been enrolled  
(students in Kindergarten and first grade removed)*[\[1\]](#)



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# Grade Level of Enrolling Students (Average & Median)

## Enrollment ~ At what grade level are students entering?

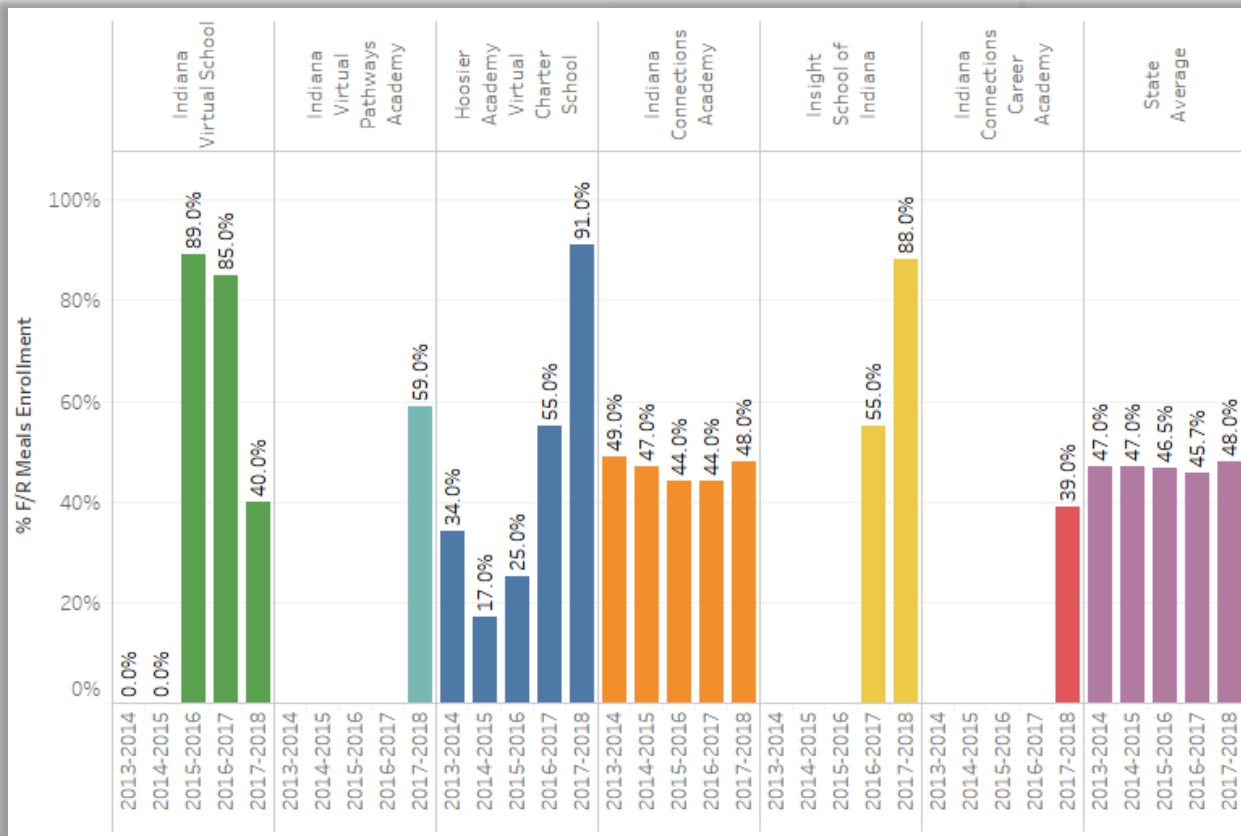
What is the average grade of those entering a virtual charter school in 2016-2017?

School	Grades served 17-18	Average		Median	
		2017	2018	2017	2018
Indiana Virtual School	6-12	10.62	10.17	11	11
Indiana Virtual Pathways Academy	9-12	-	11.74	-	12
Hoosier Academy Virtual Charter School	K-12	6.64	6.30	8	7
Insight School of Indiana	7-12	9.95	9.69	10	10
Indiana Connections Academy	K-12	8.14	7.85	9	9
Indiana Connections Career Academy	9-11	-	10.15	-	10



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# Enrollment - % of Free/Reduced Price Meals



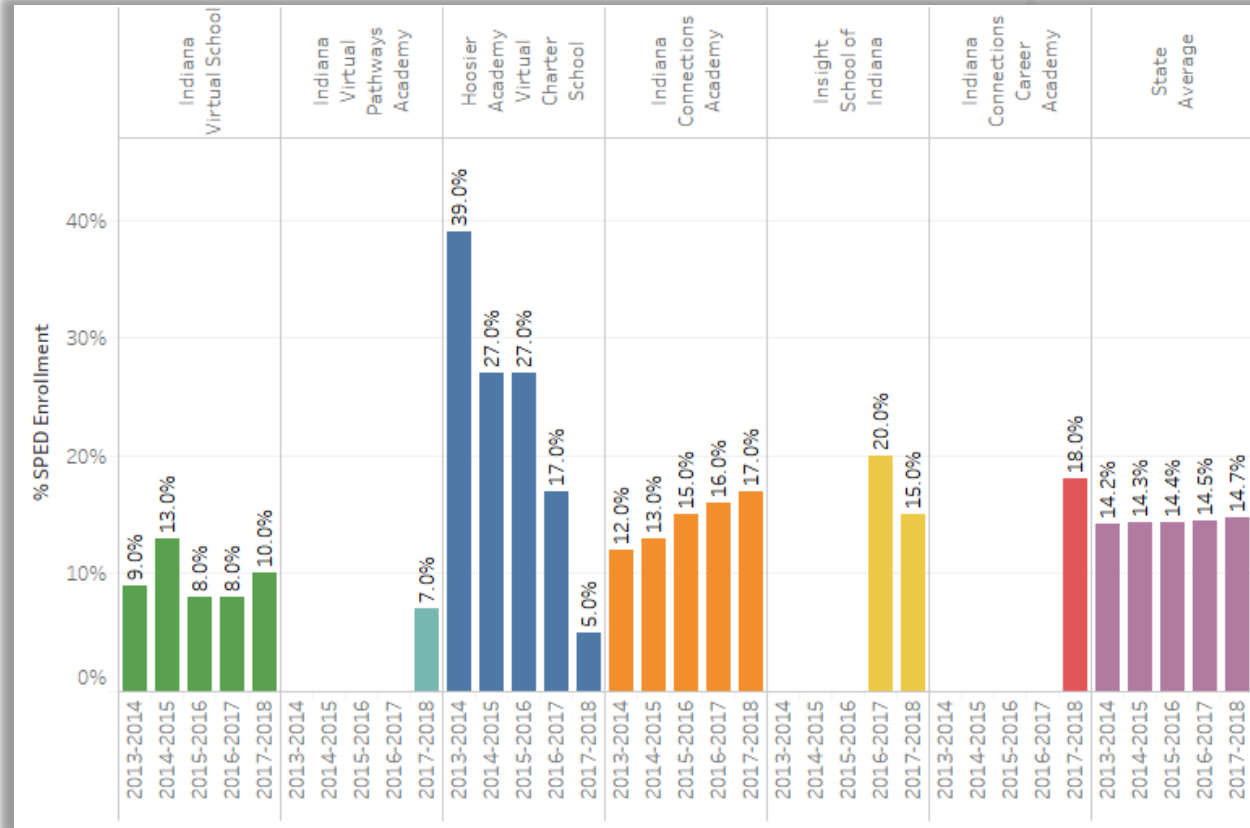
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Virtual Charter Schools are at or above the state average for % of students who qualify for F/R meals in 17/18.



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# Enrollment - % of Students w. Special Needs



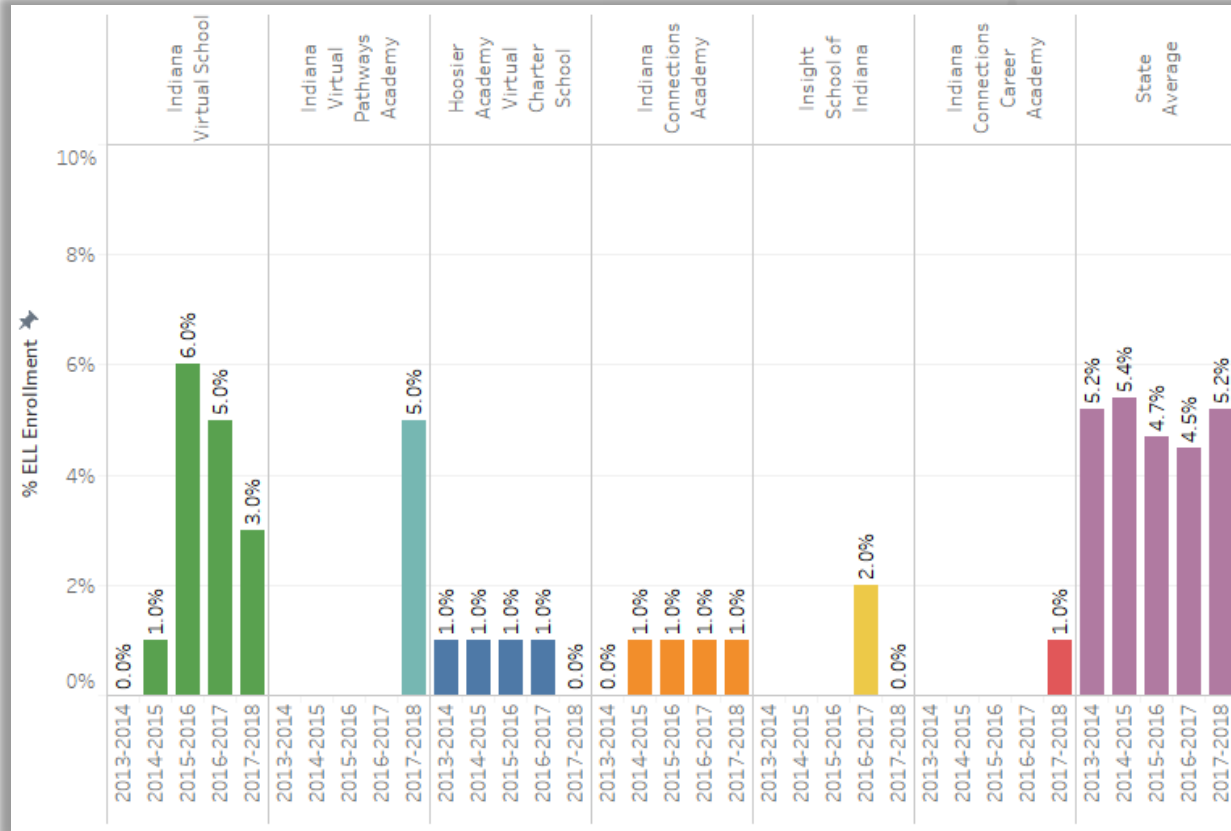
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Virtual Charter Schools we at or above the state average for % of students with special needs in 17/18.



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# Enrollment - % of English Language Learners



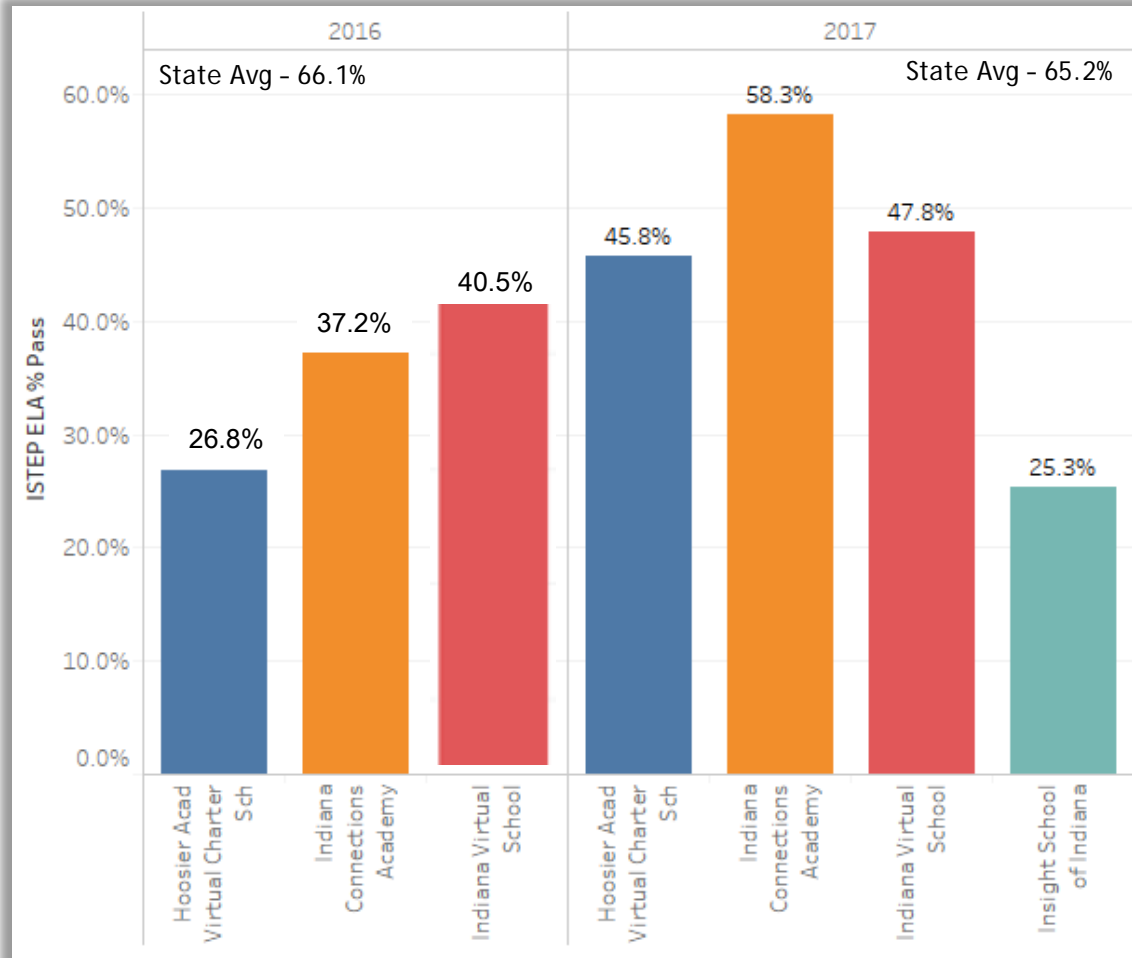
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Virtual Charter Schools we at or above the state average for % of English learners in 17/18.



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# ISTEP+ ELA - % Pass (Grades 3-8)



All virtual charter schools lagged behind the state average in 2016 and 2017.

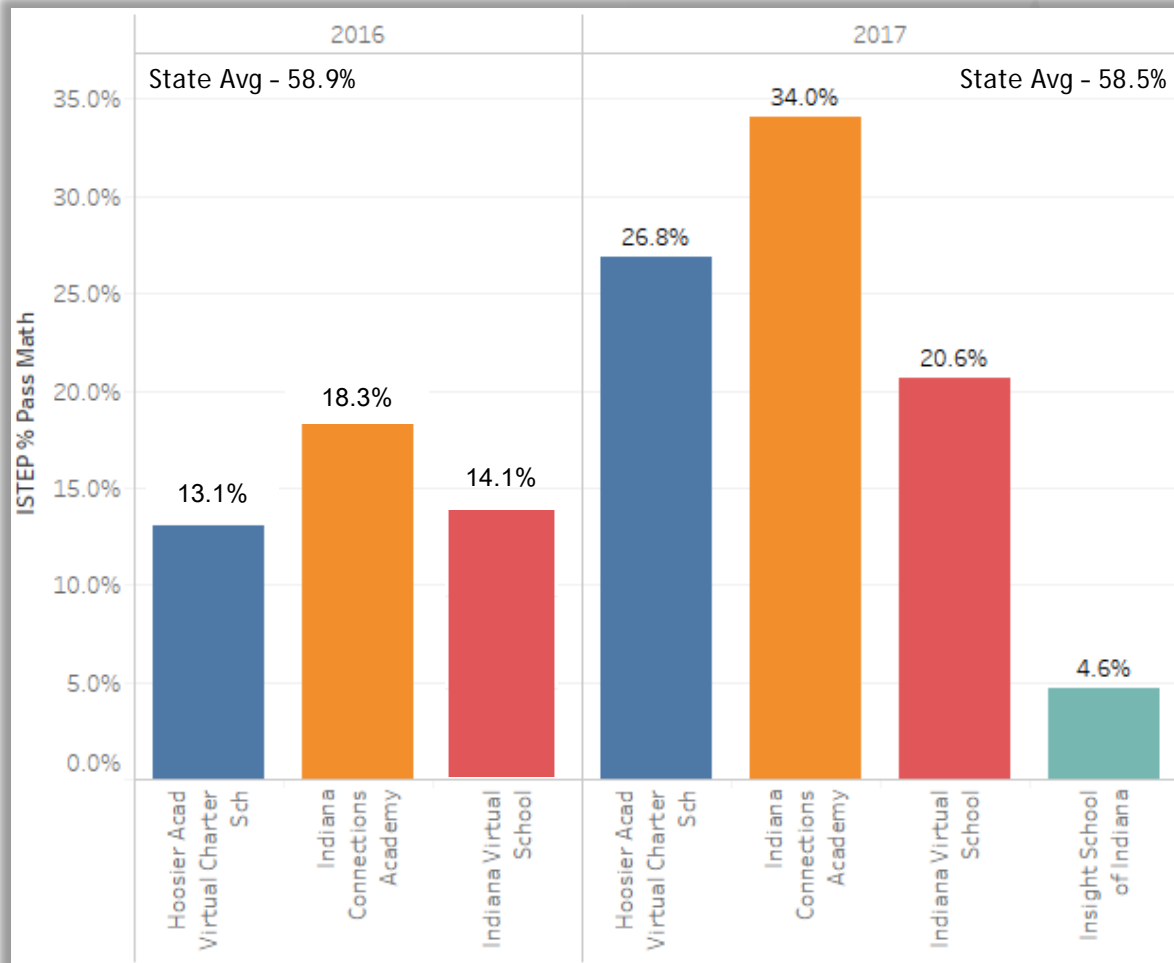
All virtual charter schools improved performance between 2016 and 2017.<sup>1</sup>

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# ISTEP+ Math - % Pass (Grades 3-8)



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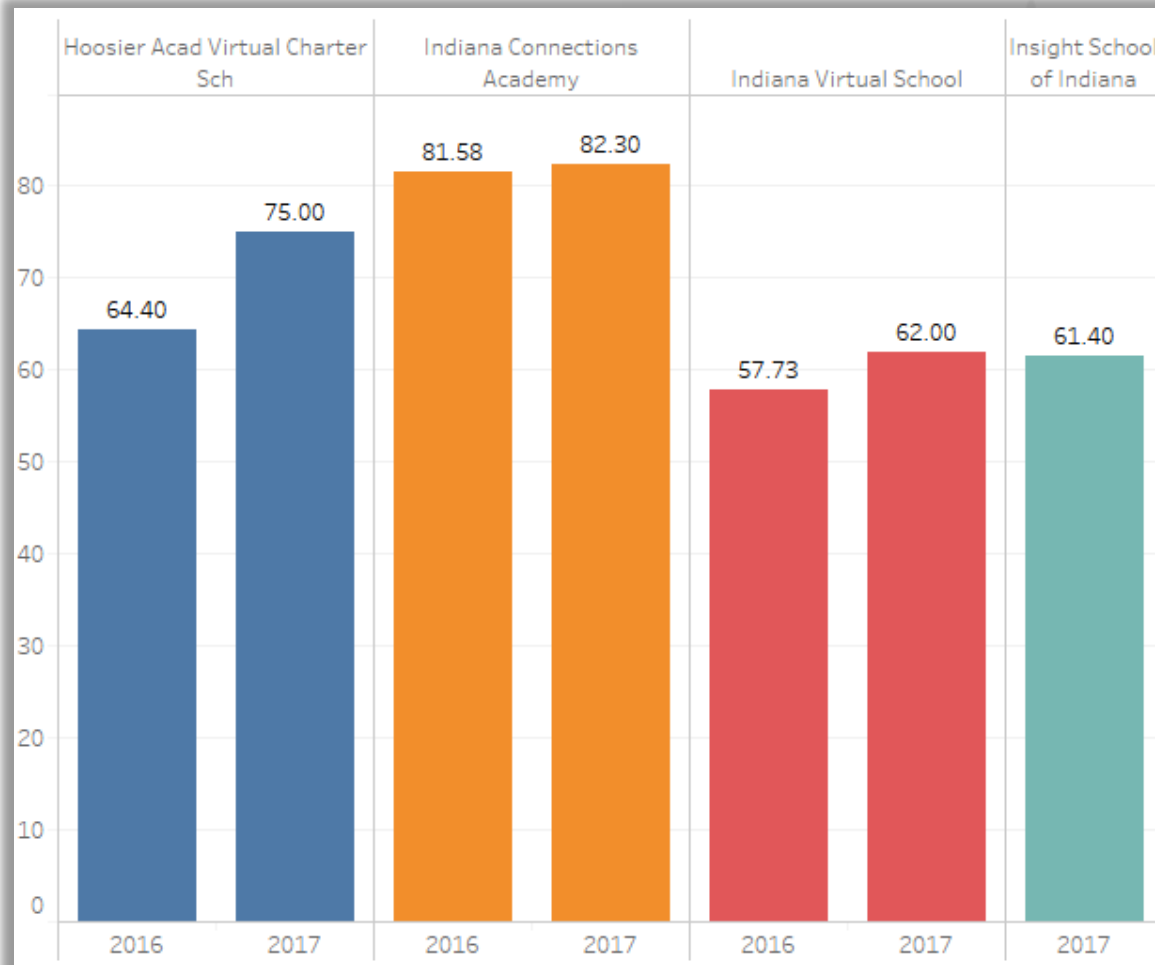
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# ISTEP+ - Total Growth Points (Grades 4-8)



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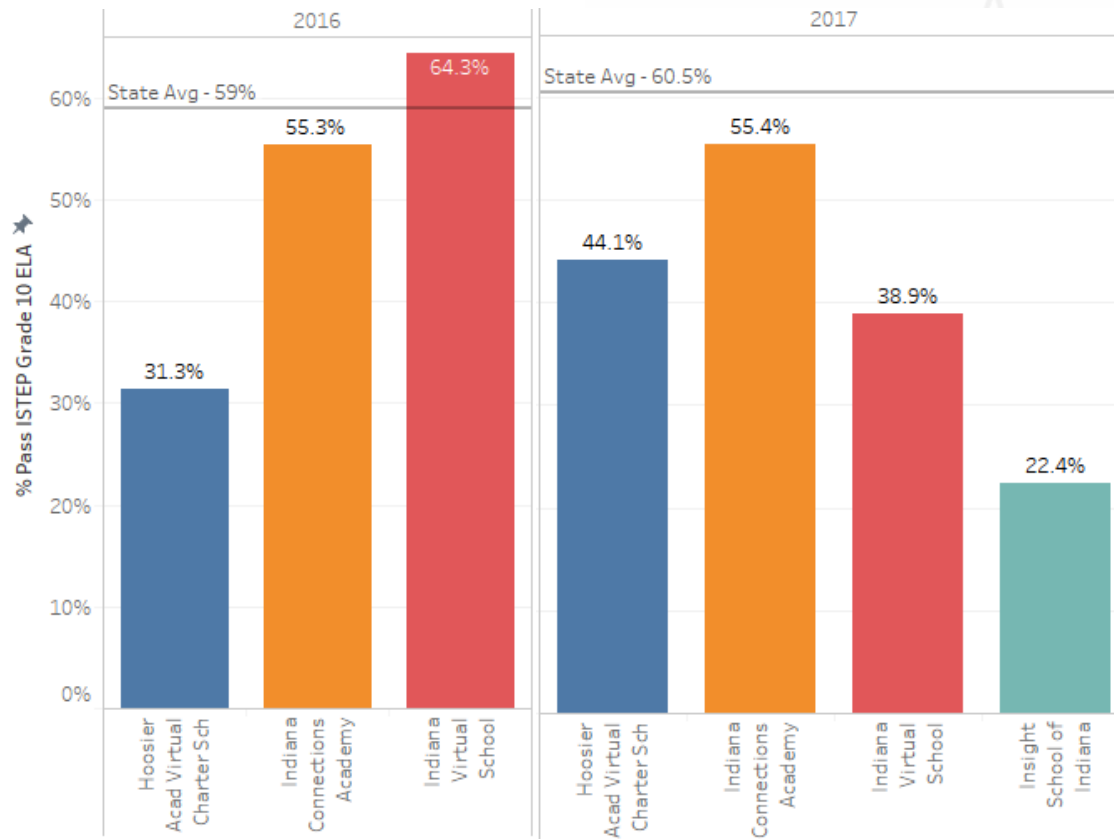
All virtual charter schools were in the bottom 11% statewide.



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# ISTEP 10 ELA - % Pass (Grades 10)



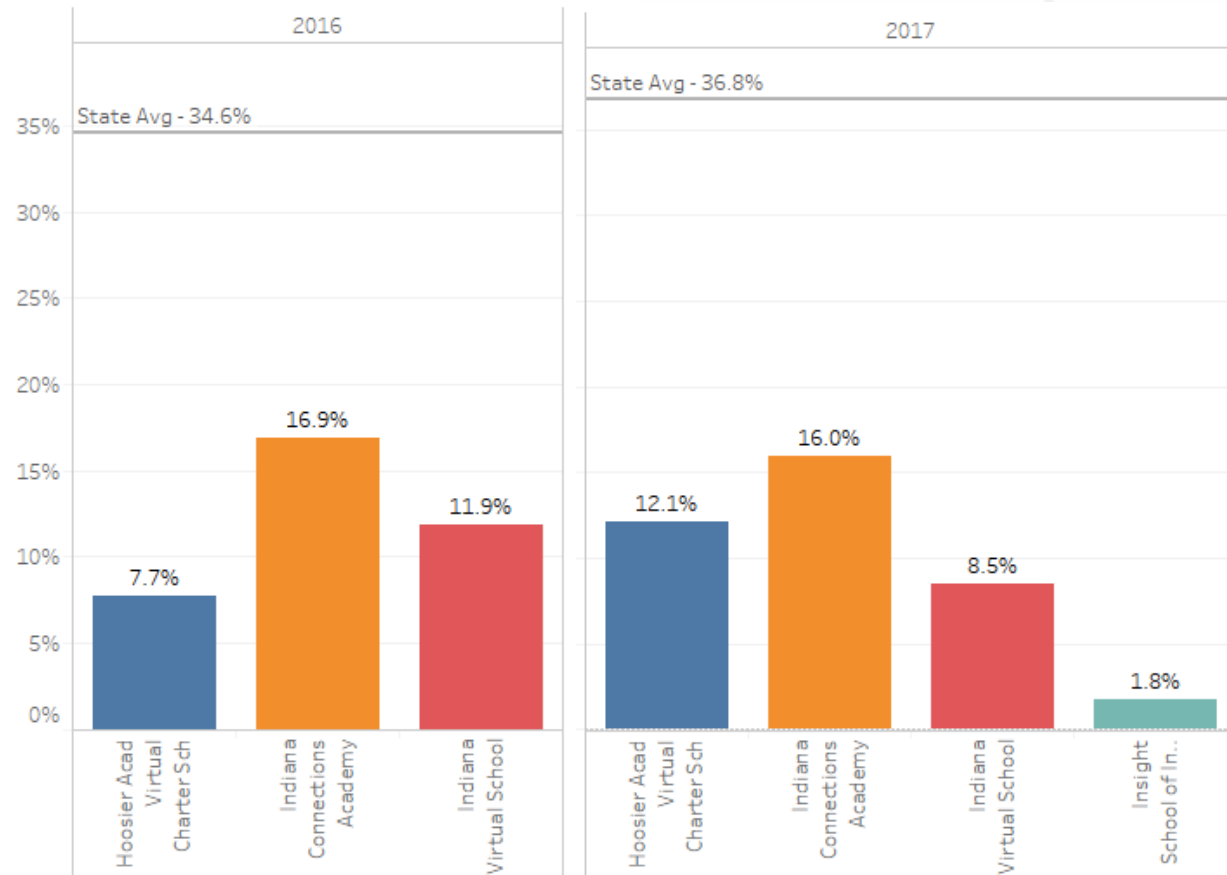
Indiana Virtual School exceeded the state average in 2016.

All virtual charter schools lagged behind the state average in 2017.



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# ISTEP 10 Math - % Pass (Grades 10)



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# ISTEP 10 - Total Growth Points (Grades 10)



The state average for high school growth points in 2017 for Grade 10 was 100.4.

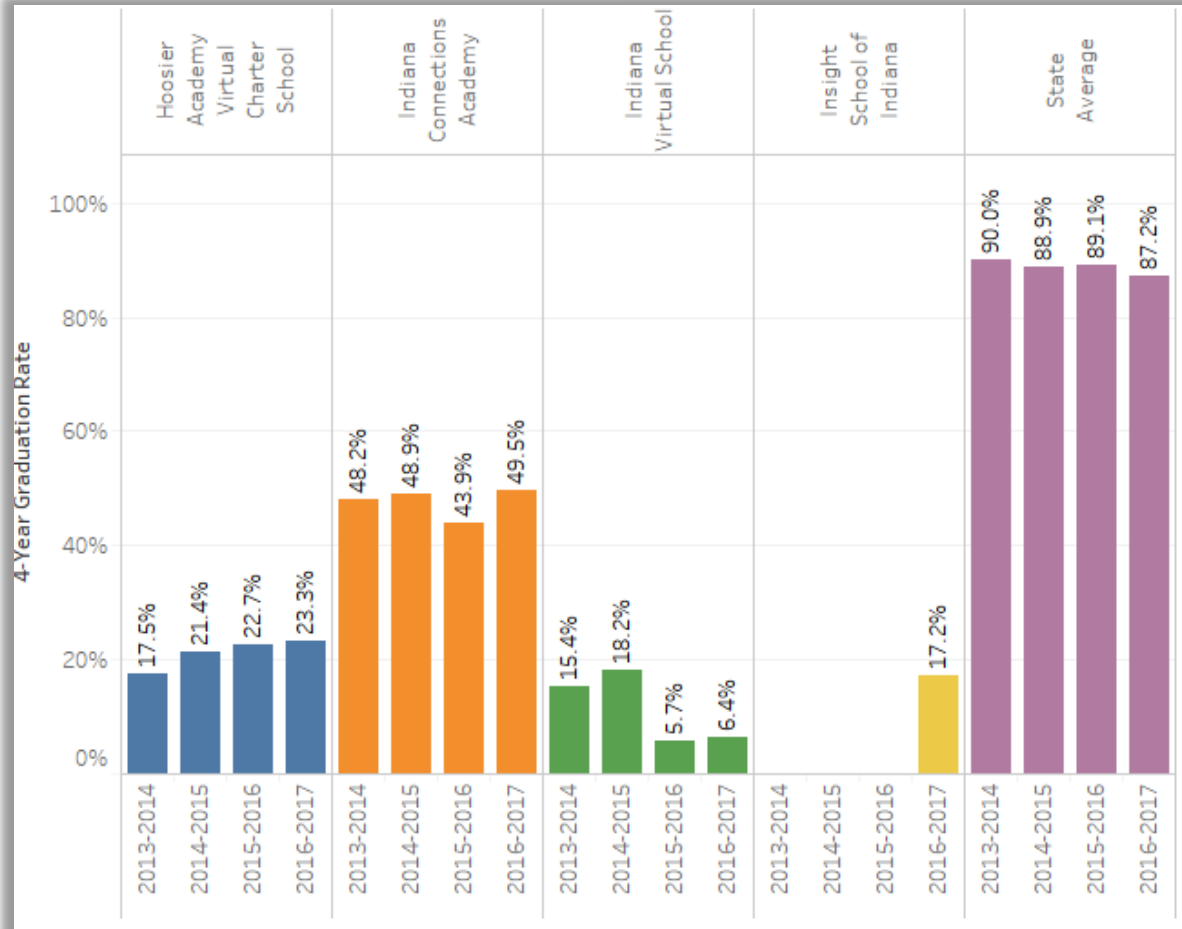
All virtual charter schools lagged behind the state average for high school growth in 2017.

All virtual charter schools fell within the bottom 3% statewide for high school growth.



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# 4-Year Graduation Rates (13/14 – 16/17)



All virtual charter schools lagged behind the state average in 2016 and 2017.

All virtual charter schools fell within the bottom 8% statewide.

Across all virtual charter schools, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade are the largest cohort of students.



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# Grade Level of Enrolling Students (Average & Median)

## Enrollment ~ At what grade level are students entering?

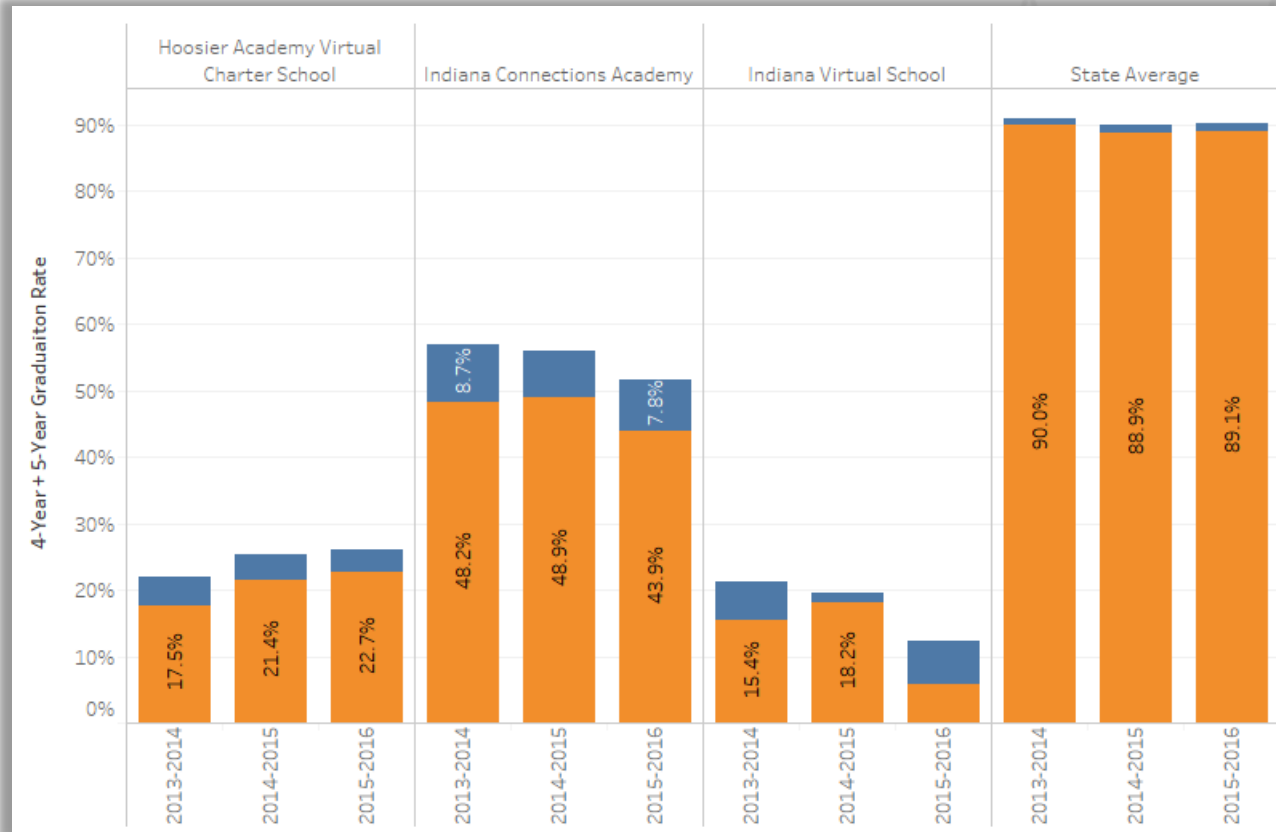
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# 4-Year + 5-Year Graduation Rates (13/14 - 15/16)



Virtual charter schools help more students graduate in 5 years than the state average.

Even with the fifth year included, virtual charters lag far behind the state graduation rate.

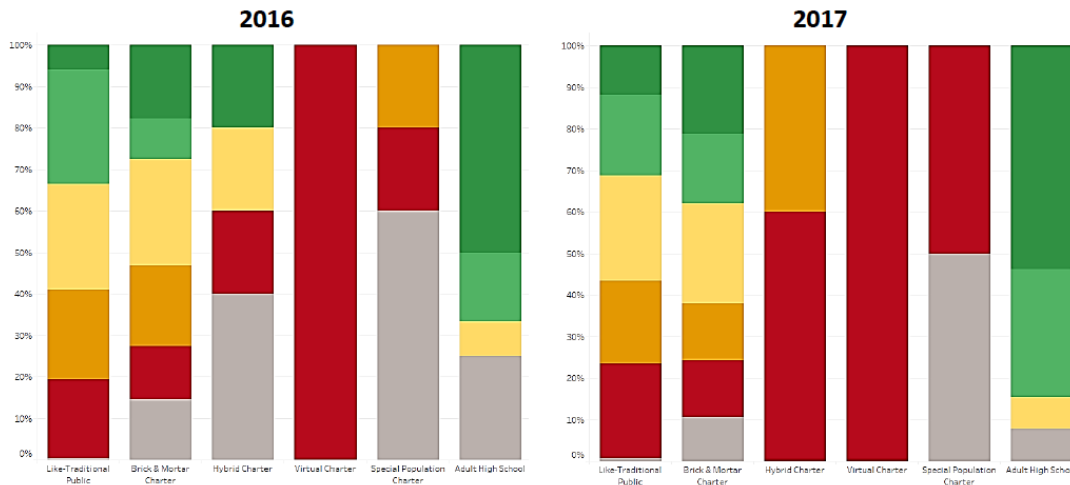


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# A-F Letter Grades (15/16 – 16/17)

Figure O: A-F Letter Grades by School Type

School Type	2016							2017						
	Total Schools	A	B	C	D	F	No Grade	Total Schools	A	B	C	D	F	No Grade
Like-Traditional Public	345	5.8%	27.2%	25.2%	21.4%	18.8%	1.4%	342	11.4%	19.0%	24.6%	19.3%	25.1%	0.6%
Brick & Mortar Charter	62	17.7%	9.7%	25.8%	19.4%	12.9%	14.5%	69	20.3%	15.9%	21.7%	13.0%	13.0%	15.9%
Hybrid Charter	5	20.0%		20.0%		20.0%	40.0%	5				40.0%	60.0%	
Virtual Charter	3					100.0%		4					100.0%	
Special Pop. Charter	5				20.0%	20.0%	60.0%	3						100.0%
Adult High School	12	50.0%	16.7%	8.3%	0.0%		25.0%	12	58.3%	33.4%	8.3%			



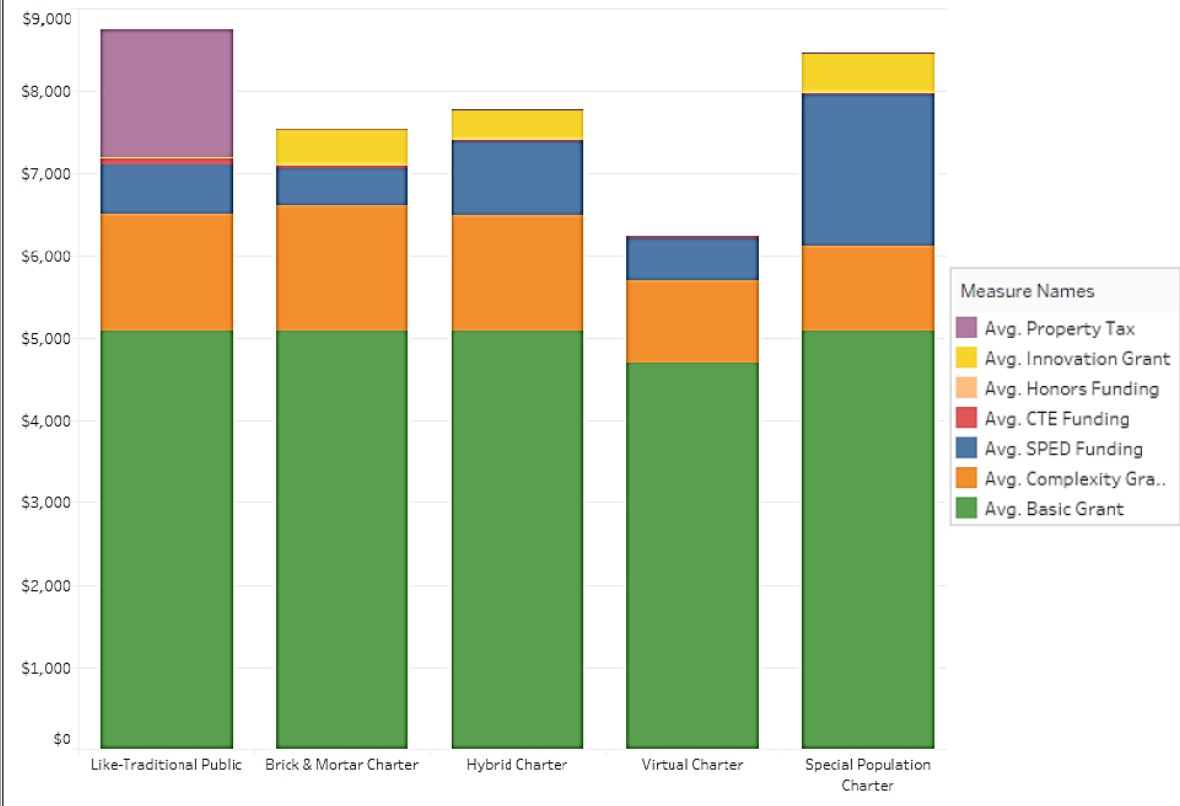
As reported in the *SBOE Formal Evaluation of the Overall State of Charter School Outcomes in Indiana*, all Virtual Charter Schools received an F rating the past two years.



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# Tuition Support by School Model (16/17)

Figure R: FY 2017 Average Per-Pupil Funding by Sub-Grant



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