



Statistical Portrait of Hispanics in the United States, 2006

Table 21. Educational Attainment by Race and Ethnicity: 2006

Universe: 2006 resident population ages 25 and older

	Less than 9th grade	9th to 12th grade	High school graduate	Some college	College graduate	Total
Hispanic	5,738,143	3,813,145	6,779,109	4,781,159	2,951,657	24,063,213
Native born	983,024	1,470,642	3,196,529	2,878,673	1,542,190	10,071,058
Foreign born	4,755,119	2,342,503	3,582,580	1,902,486	1,409,467	13,992,155
White alone, not Hispanic	4,777,330	10,556,942	42,337,876	38,978,198	41,170,709	137,821,055
Black alone, not Hispanic	1,273,319	3,149,062	7,375,194	6,157,453	3,640,639	21,595,667
Asian alone, not Hispanic	735,434	528,794	1,536,855	1,651,499	4,381,969	8,834,551
Other, not Hispanic	220,427	408,983	1,133,036	1,159,600	744,334	3,666,380
Total	12,744,653	18,456,926	59,162,070	52,727,909	52,889,308	195,980,866
Percent Distribution						
Hispanic	23.8	15.8	28.2	19.9	12.3	100.0
Native born	9.8	14.6	31.7	28.6	15.3	100.0
Foreign born	34.0	16.7	25.6	13.6	10.1	100.0
White alone, not Hispanic	3.5	7.7	30.7	28.3	29.9	100.0
Black alone, not Hispanic	5.9	14.6	34.2	28.5	16.9	100.0
Asian alone, not Hispanic	8.3	6.0	17.4	18.7	49.6	100.0
Other, not Hispanic	6.0	11.2	30.9	31.6	20.3	100.0
All	6.5	9.4	30.2	26.9	27.0	100.0

Note: "College graduate" refers to a person who has attained at least a bachelor's degree.

Source: Pew Hispanic Center tabulations of 2006 American Community Survey (1% IPUMS)