



GOAL Academy High School  
Administrative Office  
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Dear GOAL Academy Students, Parents and Stakeholders,

This statement is to inform the stakeholders of GOAL Academy that the school has been identified as a Comprehensive Support School for the reason of a Low Graduation Rate. Under Federal legislation, ESSA, schools with a graduation rate lower than 67% for three consecutive years receive this designation. The method for determining graduation rate is determined by CDE and more information on graduation rates can be found at:

<https://www.cde.state.co.us/communications/2021gradrate>

Several strategies have been identified and are in implementation to improve the graduation rate.

GOAL Academy tracks an internal graduation rate which is calculated by determining the number of students who graduate divided by the number of students who are within reach of graduation after the first half of the year. The internal graduation rate was 80% in 2021 and increased to 88% in 2022.

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