

Snapshot of High School Drop Out and Education Attainment Rates

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Shelby County Education Attainment

10%

Less than
High School

56%

High School
Diploma

34%

Bachelor's Degree
or Higher

Shelby County Adult Education Attainment (25 & Up), by Zip Code

Highest Education Attainment Bachelors or higher

38018: 76%
38120: 71%
38138: 69%
38103: 61%

Lowest Education Attainment Less than high school

38132: 54%
38108: 27%
38122: 25%
38118: 20%

High School Drop Out Rates, Youth (Ages 16-19) in the Midsouth

Highest Dropout Counties

Itawamba County, MS: 13.60% drop out
Benton County, MS: 10.40% drop out
Union County, MS: 7.30% drop out
Coahoma County, MS: 6.40% drop out
Pontotoc County, MS: 5.80% drop out

Lowest Dropout Counties

Hardeman County, TN: 0.0% drop out
Tippah County, MS: 0.0% drop out
Prentiss County, MS: 0.80% drop out
Tate County, MS: 0.90% drop out
Quitman County, MS: 1.30% drop out

Data source: American Community Survey 5-Year Estimate (2018-2023)



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