Montana
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Student Count for ANB (Fall Collection Data Review)

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Data as of 2/8/2024 7:30 AM

|  | Fall Student <br> Count <br> FY2023 | Fall Student <br> Count FY <br> 2024 | Change | $\%$ <br> Change |
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| TOTAL | Specific <br> for <br> Decrease |  |  |  |



Overall student count change (includes net change with increases) Total number of budget units with enrolled students Budget units experienced significant student count decreases* Percent of budget units with significant student count decreases* Significant student count for ANB total*

| Elementary | 81,644 | 80,299 | $(1,345)$ | $-1.65 \%$ |
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23.9\% Percent of budget units with significant student count decreases* (1,369

| Middle School | 22,828 | 22,440 | (388) | $-1.70 \%$ |
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Overall M student count change (includes net change with increases) Total number of M budget units with enrolled students
M budget units experienced significant student count decreases* Percent of budget units with significant student count decreases* (600 Significant M student count for ANB total*

| High School | 45,315 | 45,240 | (75) $-0.17 \%$ |
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## C. Response from informal polling of districts performed November 2023

|  |  | District Count | RE: Student Count |
| ---: | :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1. | Large Grade Shifts | 11 | -198 |
| 2. | Shifts to another school district, homeschooling, private school. | 17 | -175 |
| 3. | Other (Left the state, boarder check station closing or other <br> local matter, smaller class/grade sizes entering the district, etc.) | 10 | -337 |
|  | Totals | 38 | -710 |

All information presented was gathered through informal phone conversations and is not to be considered formal evaluation.


[^0]:    * Districts included in significance include both a decline of greater than 5 students \& a $3 \%$ budget unit decline or greater.

