

**Chart #3**  
**Mississippi High Schools**  
**-- Class of 2002 --**  
**High School Graduation**  
**and**  
**College Readiness Rates**

**If student outcomes do not improve, this data suggests that if those who do NOT graduate are combined with those who graduate NOT college ready, the percentage of all students NOT college ready will be 80.2 percent, or 395,386 of the roughly 493,000 students currently in the public school system.**

