While Monroe County is performing better than the Indiana state average, there is still room for improvement.

**School Enrollment**

- 11,122 Total MCCSC 2015-2016
- 2,808 Total RBB 2015-2016
- Number of remains stable over most recent 5-10 years

**Graduation Rates**

- 95% MCCSC
- 94% Edgewood High School

According to the Indiana Department of Education, the assessment requirement for graduation can be met in three ways:

1. Pass English 10 and Algebra I End of Course Assessments OR the Grade 10 ISTEP+ in English Language Arts and Mathematics
2. Fulfill the requirements of the EVIDENCE-BASED WAIVER
3. Fulfill the requirements of the WORK-READINESS WAIVER

Waiver grader requires 80% attendance, maintenance of a C average in graduation required, completion of state approved coursework for graduation requirements, passing the graduation exam in each subject and not passed a class on per school year.

**Food For Thought**

Graduation rates among students receiving food assistance are much lower than graduation rates among those requiring little or no food assistance.

What can we do to make the playing field more equal?