

VPK Update: Summer Debriefing

Provider



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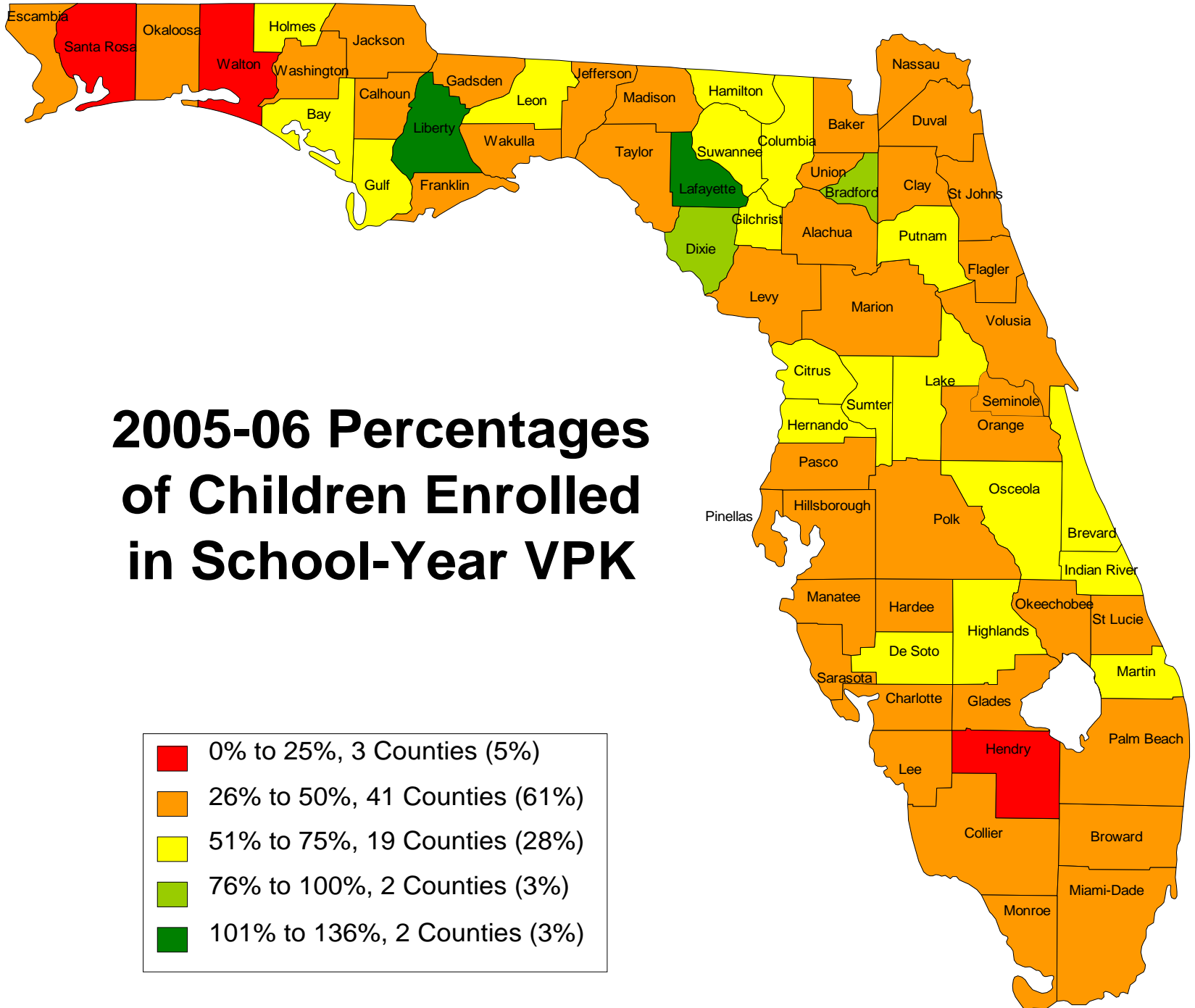
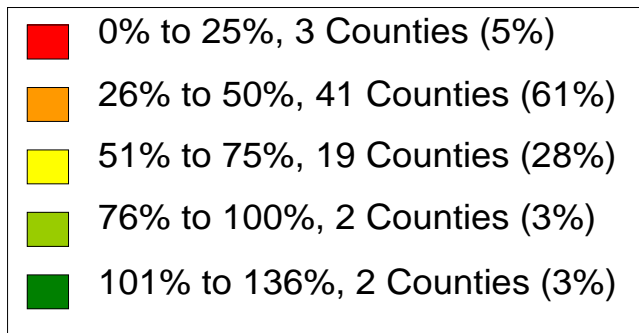


VPK Summer Program...

As of September 7, 2006:

- ❑ 11,990 children (11% of the total number of four-year-olds who participated in 2005-06)
- ❑ 61/67 school districts provided summer VPK programs in approximately 258 schools
- ❑ 8,625 children (72% of the total) were enrolled

2005-06 Percentages of Children Enrolled in School-Year VPK



Summer VPK Evaluation: Provider Survey

- ❑ Total Responses: 494
- ❑ Total Counties Responding: 49
 - ❑ Total Private Provider Responses: 43
 - ❑ Total Public School Responses: 451

 - ❑ Total Center Director Responses: 37
 - ❑ Total District Administrator Responses: 48
 - ❑ Total Other Responses: 41
 - ❑ Total Principal Responses: 68
 - ❑ Total VPK Teacher Responses: 300

“ Describe the most significant success you experienced”

- ❑ 59% of those who responded stated children's growth and readiness for kindergarten as their most significant success

“The growth of the children was incredible. They are much more prepared for kindergarten.”

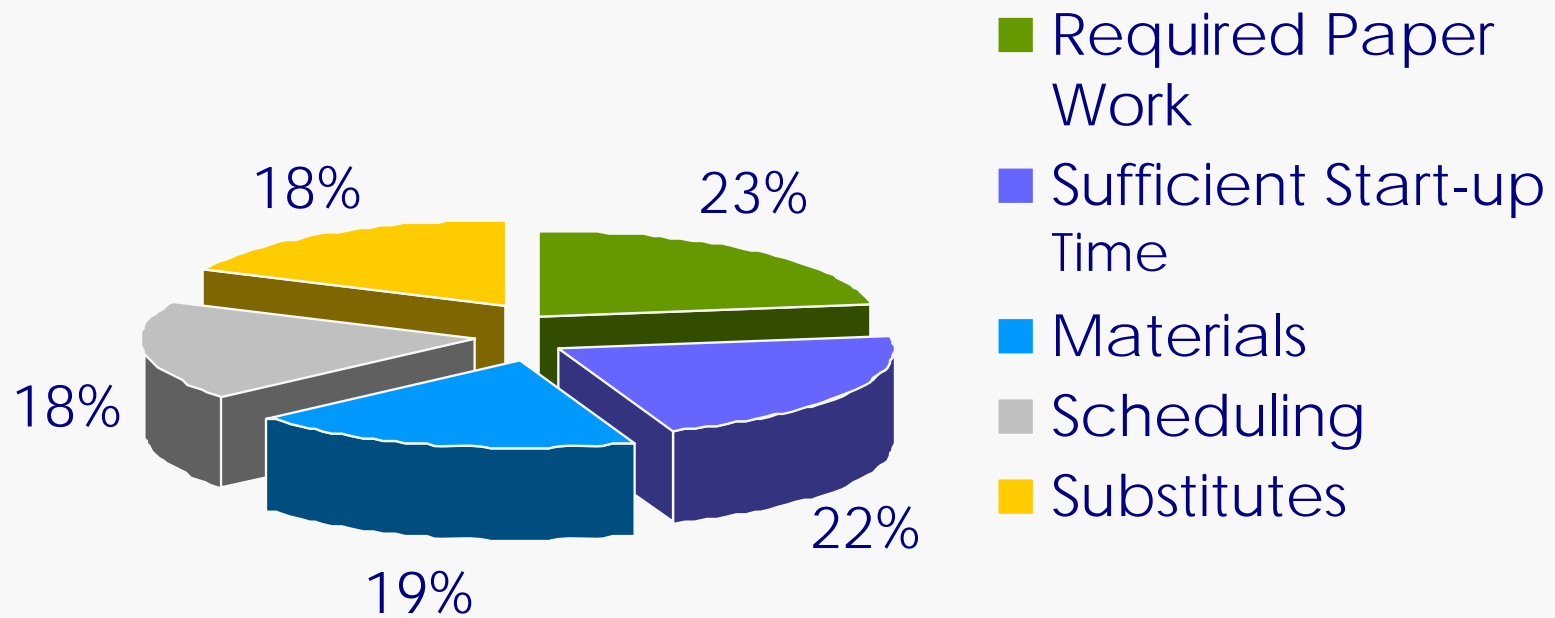
- ❑ 26% considered the Summer VPK program an over all success

“Parents, students, and teachers said they liked the program and want it to continue”

- ❑ 4% thought parent satisfaction was one of their major successes

- ❑ 11% stated teacher satisfaction was their most significant success

“What were the biggest challenges you faced...?”



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