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# Florida Tax Credit Scholarship Program

## September 2019 Quarterly Report

The Florida Tax Credit (FTC) Scholarship Program was established in 2001 to encourage private, voluntary contributions from corporate donors to non-profit scholarship funding organizations (SFOs) that award scholarships to children from low-income families. Two Scholarship Funding Organizations (SFOs) are approved to participate for the 2019-20 school year. A corporation can receive a dollar-for-dollar tax credit up to 100% of its state income tax liability. The program also includes credits against the insurance premium tax for contributions to eligible non-profit SFOs, credits against severance taxes on oil and gas production, self-accrued sales tax liabilities of direct pay permit holders, and alcoholic beverage taxes on beer, wine, and spirits. The maximum amount the state may award is \$873 million in credits for the 2019-20 fiscal year. This program expands educational opportunities and school choice for children of families that have limited financial resources.

This report contains private school and student statistics for the September 2019 payment period of the 2019-20 school year. Percentages are rounded.

The next quarterly report will be available: November 2019

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## FTC Student Participation and Funding by District

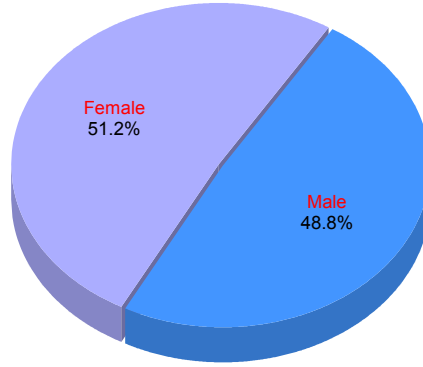
DISTRICTID	DISTRICT NAME	STUDENTS	STU%	TOTAL FUNDED	FUND%
1	ALACHUA	934	0.93%	1,540,974	0.91%
2	BAKER	83	0.08%	142,208	0.08%
3	BAY	134	0.13%	224,789	0.13%
4	BRADFORD	163	0.16%	254,503	0.15%
5	BREVARD	2,369	2.37%	3,937,468	2.34%
6	BROWARD	9,609	9.61%	16,335,217	9.69%
7	CALHOUN				
8	CHARLOTTE	392	0.39%	660,545	0.39%
9	CITRUS	550	0.55%	914,574	0.54%
10	CLAY	509	0.51%	855,966	0.51%
11	COLLIER	457	0.46%	873,084	0.52%
12	COLUMBIA	535	0.53%	893,307	0.53%
13	DADE	23,205	23.20%	40,050,378	23.76%
14	DESOTO	89	0.09%	150,439	0.09%
15	DIXIE	63	0.06%	106,947	0.06%
16	DUVAL	7,620	7.62%	12,729,825	7.55%
17	ESCAMBIA	1,921	1.92%	3,186,966	1.89%
18	FLAGLER	482	0.48%	806,451	0.48%
19	FRANKLIN	34	0.03%	35,560	0.02%
20	GADSDEN	408	0.41%	714,888	0.42%
21	GILCHRIST	59	0.06%	104,392	0.06%
22	GLADES	26	0.03%	45,780	0.03%
23	GULF	31	0.03%	38,677	0.02%
24	HAMILTON	104	0.10%	178,387	0.11%
25	HARDEE	43	0.04%	72,733	0.04%
26	HENDRY	256	0.26%	435,201	0.26%
27	HERNANDO	823	0.82%	1,222,777	0.73%
28	HIGHLANDS	605	0.60%	981,897	0.58%
29	HILLSBOROUGH	5,493	5.49%	9,220,384	5.47%
30	HOLMES				
31	INDIAN RIVER	320	0.32%	514,794	0.31%
32	JACKSON	109	0.11%	135,826	0.08%
33	JEFFERSON	87	0.09%	152,956	0.09%
34	LAFAYETTE	23	0.02%	39,089	0.02%
35	LAKE	1,639	1.64%	2,740,603	1.63%
36	LEE	1,265	1.26%	2,148,750	1.27%
37	LEON	687	0.69%	1,135,794	0.67%
38	LEVY	225	0.22%	387,403	0.23%
39	LIBERTY				
40	MADISON	29	0.03%	48,622	0.03%
41	MANATEE	842	0.84%	1,383,479	0.82%
42	MARION	1,971	1.97%	3,140,145	1.86%
43	MARTIN	294	0.29%	458,451	0.27%
44	MONROE	70	0.07%	122,229	0.07%
45	NASSAU	220	0.22%	367,204	0.22%
46	OKALOOSA	488	0.49%	783,487	0.46%
47	OKEECHOBEE	160	0.16%	257,090	0.15%
48	ORANGE	9,355	9.35%	15,797,376	9.37%
49	OSCEOLA	3,615	3.61%	6,065,863	3.60%
50	PALM BEACH	3,302	3.30%	5,772,259	3.42%
51	PASCO	1,429	1.43%	2,316,733	1.37%
52	PINELLAS	3,679	3.68%	6,201,534	3.68%
53	POLK	3,944	3.94%	6,454,001	3.83%
54	PUTNAM	384	0.38%	621,114	0.37%
55	ST. JOHNS	491	0.49%	781,407	0.46%
56	ST. LUCIE	1,683	1.68%	2,836,366	1.68%
57	SANTA ROSA	468	0.47%	739,106	0.44%
58	SARASOTA	691	0.69%	1,184,801	0.70%
59	SEMINOLE	1,446	1.45%	2,410,833	1.43%
60	SUMTER	89	0.09%	153,163	0.09%
61	SUWANNEE	416	0.42%	714,436	0.42%
62	TAYLOR	164	0.16%	281,556	0.17%
63	UNION	35	0.03%	56,834	0.03%
64	VOLUSIA	3,158	3.16%	5,261,221	3.12%
65	WAKULLA	75	0.07%	129,177	0.08%
66	WALTON	65	0.06%	105,409	0.06%
67	WASHINGTON	97	0.10%	143,022	0.08%
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>100,030</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>168,585,615</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

Note: Blanks indicate less than 11 students per district and are not displayed but calculated in total in order to protect student confidentiality.

## Private Schools by District Serving FTC Students

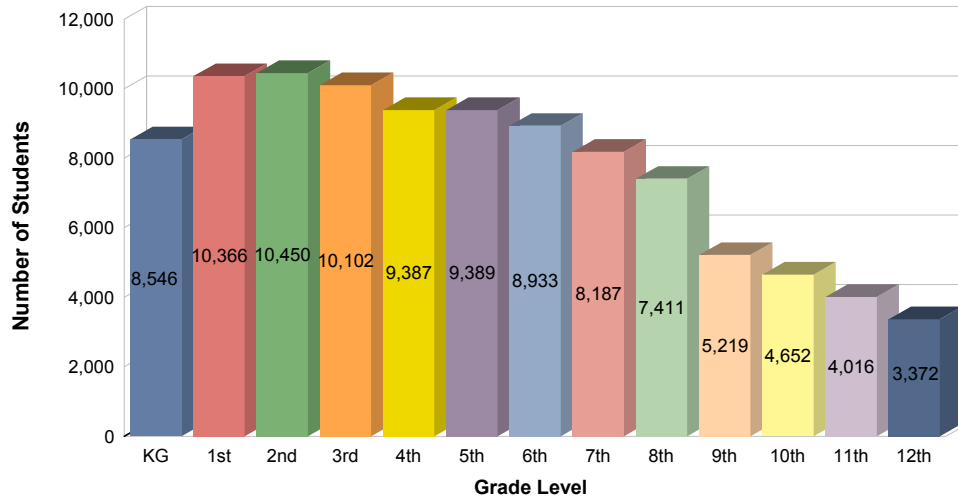
DISTRICT	DISTRICT NAME	SCHOOLS
1	ALACHUA	21
2	BAKER	2
3	BAY	5
4	BRADFORD	3
5	BREVARD	52
6	BROWARD	159
8	CHARLOTTE	8
9	CITRUS	7
10	CLAY	13
11	COLLIER	15
12	COLUMBIA	10
13	DADE	418
14	DESOTO	1
15	DIXIE	2
16	DUVAL	108
17	ESCAMBIA	27
18	FLAGLER	4
19	FRANKLIN	1
20	GADSDEN	3
21	GILCHRIST	2
22	GLADES	1
23	GULF	1
24	HAMILTON	2
25	HARDEE	1
26	HENDRY	3
27	HERNANDO	16
28	HIGHLANDS	9
29	HILLSBOROUGH	94
31	INDIAN RIVER	9
32	JACKSON	3
33	JEFFERSON	3
34	LAFAYETTE	1
35	LAKE	26
36	LEE	29
37	LEON	23
38	LEVY	4
40	MADISON	1
41	MANATEE	20
42	MARION	30
43	MARTIN	6
44	MONROE	3
45	NASSAU	8
46	OKALOOSA	9
47	OKEECHOBEE	5
48	ORANGE	135
49	OSCEOLA	42
50	PALM BEACH	70
51	PASCO	32
52	PINELLAS	86
53	POLK	58
54	PUTNAM	5
55	ST. JOHNS	17
56	ST. LUCIE	27
57	SANTA ROSA	9
58	SARASOTA	27
59	SEMINOLE	41
60	SUMTER	1
61	SUWANNEE	5
62	TAYLOR	2
64	VOLUSIA	50
65	WAKULLA	2
66	WALTON	5
67	WASHINGTON	2
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>1,784</b>

## FTC Student Enrollment by Gender



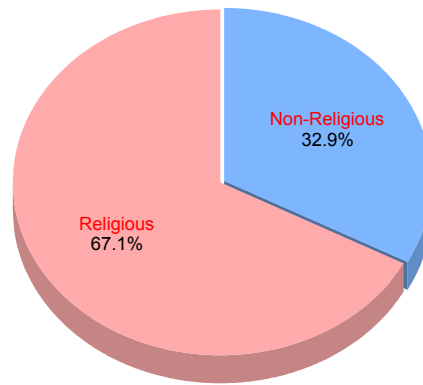
<u>GENDER</u>	<u>STUDENTS</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE</u>
Male	48,787	48.8%
Female	51,243	51.2%
<b>Total:</b>	<b>100,030</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

## FTC Student Enrollment by Grade Level



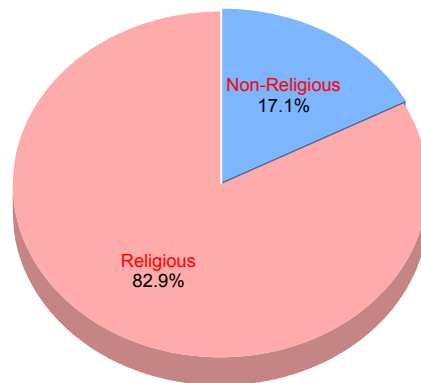
<u>GRADE LEVEL</u>	<u>STUDENTS</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE</u>
KG	8,546	8.5%
1st	10,366	10.4%
2nd	10,450	10.4%
3rd	10,102	10.1%
4th	9,387	9.4%
5th	9,389	9.4%
6th	8,933	8.9%
7th	8,187	8.2%
8th	7,411	7.4%
9th	5,219	5.2%
10th	4,652	4.7%
11th	4,016	4.0%
12th	3,372	3.4%
<b>Total:</b>	<b>100,030</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

## Private Schools Participating in FTC by Type



<u>SCHOOL TYPE</u>	<u>SCHOOLS</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE</u>
Non-Religious	587	32.9%
Religious	1,197	67.1%
<b>Total:</b>	<b>1,784</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

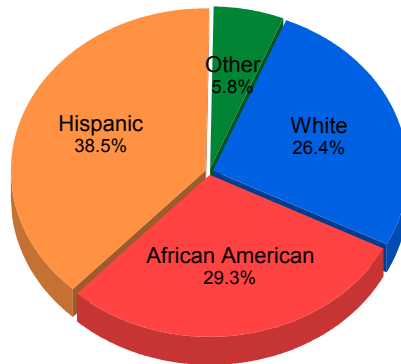
## FTC Student Enrollment by Type of Private School



<u>SCHOOL TYPE</u>	<u>STUDENTS</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE</u>
Non-Religious	17,126	17.1%
Religious	83,081	82.9%
<b>Total:</b>	<b>100,207 *</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

\* Indicates that 177 students (duplicated) attended more than one private school (Religious and Non-Religious) during the September 2019 reporting period.

## FTC Student Enrollment by Race/Ethnicity



<u>RACE</u>	<u>STUDENTS</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE</u>
White	26,440	26.4%
African American	29,290	29.3%
Hispanic	38,521	38.5%
Other*	5,779	5.8%
<b>Total:</b>	<b>100,030</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

\* "Other" include students who are Asian, Native American, Multiracial, and race not reported.