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The Delaware Department of Education (DDOE) collects annual attendance and enrollment reporting information for all Delaware nonpublic schools pursuant to 14 Del.C. § 2704:. This selfreported information, as well as school and demographic data, is compiled into the Annual Delaware Nonpublic School Report.

Nonpublic schools (NPS) are defined in 14 Del.C. §2703A and 14 DE Admin.C. $\S 255$ and include singlefamily homeschools, multi-family homeschools and private schools. In order to have an open or active nonpublic school in Delaware, the NPS must register with the Delaware Department of Education (DDOE) as well as report enrollment and attendance annually.

Average Daily Membership (ADM) is reported as the total enrollment days per student per school. Average Daily Attendance (ADA) is reported as the total of days attended per student per school. The percentage of average daily membership and attendance is reported in the annual report.

The DDOE does not provide, endorse, accredit, approve or monitor curriculum for any nonpublic school (private or homeschool), or validate any type of credential provided by those schools. Students and parents/guardians must investigate the school themselves and ask if they are accredited. Students and parents/guardians may wish to contact a college, university, training program, licensing entities, or employer to determine if they will accept the diploma from the nonpublic school under consideration.

Additional Nonpublic School Data requests can be made by emailing NPS@doe.k12.de.us

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## Nonpublic Schools and Enrollment

School Year 2020-2021

| Nonpublic School Type | School <br> Count | DE Student <br> Enrollment | All Student <br> Enrollment |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Single-family Home School | 2,663 | 4,512 | 4,515 |
| Multi-family Home School | 89 | 402 | 435 |
| Private School | 101 | 13,256 | 15,829 |
| Total | $\mathbf{2 , 8 5 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 8 , 1 7 0}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 , 7 7 9}$ |

## Nonpublic Schools and Enrollment by Year

School Year 2019-2020 to School Year 2020-2021

| Nonpublic School Type | $2019-20$ | $2020-21$ | Change |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Single-family Home Schools | 1,602 | 2,663 | 1,061 |
| DE Students | 2,770 | 4,512 | 1,742 |
| All Students | 2,779 | 4,515 | 1,736 |
| Multi-family Home Schools | 57 | 89 | 32 |
| DE Students | 269 | 402 | 133 |
| All Students | 323 | 435 | 112 |
| Private Schools | 88 | 101 | 13 |
| DE Students | 12,692 | 13,256 | 564 |
| All Students | 15,074 | 15,829 | 755 |
| Total Nonpublic Schools | $\mathbf{1 , 7 4 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 , 8 5 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 1 0 6}$ |
| Total DE Students | $\mathbf{1 5 , 7 3 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 8 , 1 7 0}$ | $\mathbf{2 , 4 3 9}$ |
| Total All Students | $\mathbf{1 8 , 1 7 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 , 7 7 9}$ | $\mathbf{2 , 6 0 3}$ |

## Nonpublic School Enrollment by Year

School Year 2010-2011 to School Year 2020-2021

|  | DE Student | Year Change | \% Change | All Students | Year Change | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2010 | 20,842 | $(1,099)$ | -5.01\% | 23,804 | $(1,215)$ | -4.86\% |
| 2011 | 19,931 | (911) | -4.37\% | 22,795 | $(1,009)$ | -4.24\% |
| 2012 | 18,263 | $(1,668)$ | -8.37\% | 21,038 | $(1,757)$ | -7.71\% |
| 2013 | 18,790 | 527 | 2.89\% | 21,425 | 387 | 1.84\% |
| 2014 | 17,265 | $(1,525)$ | -8.12\% | 19,823 | $(1,602)$ | -7.48\% |
| 2015 | 16,844 | (421) | -2.44\% | 19,517 | (306) | -1.54\% |
| 2016 | 17,772 | 928 | 5.51\% | 20,545 | 1,028 | 5.27\% |
| 2017 | 16,732 | $(1,040)$ | -5.85\% | 19,396 | $(1,149)$ | -5.59\% |
| 2018 | 15,639 | $(1,093)$ | -6.53\% | 18,177 | $(1,219)$ | -6.28\% |
| 2019 | 15,731 | 92 | 0.59\% | 18,176 | (1) | -0.01\% |
| 2020 | 18,170 | 2,439 | 15.50\% | 20,779 | 2,603 | 14.32\% |



## Nonpublic School Enrollment by Grade

School Year 2020-2021

| Grade | Single-family Homeschools |  | Multi-family Homeschools |  | Private Schools |  | Total |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | DE Student | All Students | DE Student | All Students | DE Student | All Students | DE Student | All Students |
| Kindergarten | 471 | 471 | 28 | 28 | 1,213 | 1,325 | 1,712 | 1,824 |
| 1 | 376 | 376 | 43 | 43 | 880 | 956 | 1,299 | 1,375 |
| 2 | 346 | 346 | 26 | 27 | 850 | 926 | 1,222 | 1,299 |
| 3 | 372 | 372 | 34 | 34 | 811 | 874 | 1,217 | 1,280 |
| 4 | 363 | 364 | 30 | 31 | 833 | 912 | 1,226 | 1,307 |
| 5 | 357 | 357 | 22 | 22 | 858 | 957 | 1,237 | 1,336 |
| 6 | 358 | 358 | 34 | 38 | 998 | 1,093 | 1,390 | 1,489 |
| 7 | 366 | 366 | 18 | 18 | 947 | 1,072 | 1,331 | 1,456 |
| 8 | 312 | 312 | 27 | 28 | 1,083 | 1,219 | 1,422 | 1,559 |
| 9 | 263 | 263 | 27 | 29 | 1,159 | 1,537 | 1,449 | 1,829 |
| 10 | 235 | 236 | 36 | 43 | 1,128 | 1,527 | 1,399 | 1,806 |
| 11 | 217 | 217 | 35 | 47 | 1,170 | 1,592 | 1,422 | 1,856 |
| 12 | 189 | 190 | 35 | 40 | 1,187 | 1,619 | 1,411 | 1,849 |
| Ungraded Elem | 189 | 189 | 1 | 1 | 97 | 144 | 287 | 334 |
| Ungraded Sec | 98 | 98 | 6 | 6 | 42 | 76 | 146 | 180 |
| Total | 4,512 | 4,515 | 402 | 435 | 13,256 | 15,829 | 18,170 | 20,779 |

Nonpublic School Enrollment by Race and Ethnicity
School Year 2020-2021

| Race and Ethnicity | Single-family Homeschools |  | Multi-family Homeschools |  | Private Schools |  | Total |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | DE Student | All Students | DE Student | All Students | DE Student | All Students | DE Student | All Students |
| African American | 464 | 465 | 44 | 44 | 1,816 | 1,976 | 2,324 | 2,485 |
| American Indian | 41 | 41 | 3 | 3 | 32 | 39 | 76 | 83 |
| Asian | 67 | 67 | 3 | 3 | 917 | 1,100 | 987 | 1,170 |
| Caucasian | 3,307 | 3,307 | 295 | 327 | 9,711 | 11,807 | 13,313 | 15,441 |
| Hawaiian | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| Hispanic | 344 | 344 | 27 | 29 | 1,750 | 1,960 | 2,121 | 2,333 |
| Multi-Racial | 631 | 633 | 56 | 57 | 753 | 860 | 1,440 | 1,550 |
| Did not include | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 34 | 16 | 35 |

*'All Students' includes students who reside outside of Delaware

## Nonpublic School Enrollment by District of Residence

School Year 2020-2021

| District of Residence | Single-family <br> Homeschools | Multi-family <br> Homeschools | Private <br> Schools | Total |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Appoquinimink School District | 474 | 37 | 948 | $\mathbf{1 , 4 5 9}$ |
| Brandywine School District | 288 | 20 | 2,617 | $\mathbf{2 , 9 2 5}$ |
| Caesar Rodney School District | 436 | 17 | 315 | $\mathbf{7 6 8}$ |
| Cape Henlopen School District | 225 | 8 | 166 | $\mathbf{3 9 9}$ |
| Capital School District | 312 | 20 | 348 | $\mathbf{6 8 0}$ |
| Christina School District | 516 | 69 | 2,627 | $\mathbf{3 , 2 1 2}$ |
| Colonial School District | 231 | 23 | 1,115 | $\mathbf{1 , 3 6 9}$ |
| Delmar School District | 66 | 5 | 33 | $\mathbf{1 0 4}$ |
| Indian River School District | 408 | 54 | 283 | $\mathbf{7 4 5}$ |
| Lake Forest School District | 268 | 25 | 161 | $\mathbf{4 5 4}$ |
| Laurel School District | 115 | 17 | 135 | $\mathbf{2 6 7}$ |
| Milford School District | 268 | 7 | 196 | $\mathbf{4 7 1}$ |
| Red Clay Consolidated School District | 336 | 44 | 3,384 | $\mathbf{3 , 7 6 4}$ |
| Seaford School District | 156 | 19 | 179 | $\mathbf{3 5 4}$ |
| Smyrna School District | 247 | 17 | 202 | $\mathbf{4 6 6}$ |
| Woodbridge School District | 163 | 14 | 146 | $\mathbf{3 2 3}$ |
| Out-of-State or Did not Report | 6 | 39 | 2,974 | $\mathbf{3 , 0 1 9}$ |
| Total | $\mathbf{4 , 5 1 5}$ | $\mathbf{4 3 5}$ | $\mathbf{1 5 , 8 2 9}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 , 7 7 9}$ |

## Nonpublic School Enrollment by District of Residence and Year

School Year 2019-2020 to School Year 2020-2021

| District of Residence | $2019-2020$ | $2020-2021$ | Change | \% Change |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Appoquinimink School District | 1,243 | 1,459 | 216 | $17.38 \%$ |
| Brandywine School District | 2,649 | 2,925 | 276 | $10.42 \%$ |
| Caesar Rodney School District | 613 | 768 | 155 | $25.29 \%$ |
| Cape Henlopen School District | 311 | 399 | 88 | $28.30 \%$ |
| Capital School District | 588 | 680 | 92 | $15.65 \%$ |
| Christina School District | 2,957 | 3,212 | 255 | $8.62 \%$ |
| Colonial School District | 1,342 | 1,369 | 27 | $2.01 \%$ |
| Delmar School District | 61 | 104 | 43 | $70.49 \%$ |
| Indian River School District | 413 | 745 | 332 | $80.39 \%$ |
| Lake Forest School District | 287 | 454 | 167 | $58.19 \%$ |
| Laurel School District | 216 | 267 | 51 | $23.61 \%$ |
| Milford School District | 399 | 471 | 72 | $18.05 \%$ |
| Red Clay Consolidated School District | 3,702 | 3,764 | 62 | $1.67 \%$ |
| Seaford School District | 301 | 354 | 53 | $17.61 \%$ |
| Smyrna School District | 369 | 466 | 97 | $26.29 \%$ |
| Woodbridge School District | 280 | 323 | 43 | $15.36 \%$ |
| Out-of-State or Did not Report | 2,445 | 3,019 | 574 | $23.48 \%$ |
| Total | $\mathbf{1 8 , 1 7 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 , 7 7 9}$ | $\mathbf{2 , 6 0 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 4 . 3 2 \%}$ |

*'All Students' includes students who reside outside of Delaware
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## Nonpublic School Graduates

School Year 2019-2020

| 2020 Graduates | Single-family Homeschools |  | Multi-family Homeschools |  | Private Schools |  | Total |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | DE Student | All Students | DE Student | All Students | DE Student | All Students | DE Student | All Students |
|  | 101 | 103 | 37 | 49 | 619 | 799 | 757 | 951 |

Nonpublic School Average Daily Attendance/Membership
School Year 2019-2020

| ADA/ADM <br> Range | Single-family <br> Homeschools | Multi-family <br> Homeschools | Private <br> Schools | Total |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $0 \%-10 \%$ | - | - | - | - |
| $10 \%-20 \%$ | - | - | - | - |
| $20 \%-30 \%$ | - | - | - | - |
| $30 \%-40 \%$ | 1 | - | - | 1 |
| $40 \%-50 \%$ | 2 | - | 2 | 4 |
| $50 \%-60 \%$ | 8 | 1 | - | 9 |
| $60 \%-70 \%$ | 9 | - | 2 | 11 |
| $70 \%-80 \%$ | 13 | 27 | 2 | 3 |

