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# **FLORIDA TAX CREDIT**

## **Scholarship Program**

### **SEPTEMBER QUARTERLY REPORT**

#### **2010**

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 (SFO) that award scholarships to children from low-income families. A corporation can receive a dollar-for-dollar tax credit up to 75% of its state income tax liability. The program has since been expanded to provide credits against the insurance premium tax for contributions to eligible non-profit SFO's, 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 \$140 million in credits for the 2010-2011 fiscal year. This program expands educational opportunities and school choice for children of families that have limited financial resources.

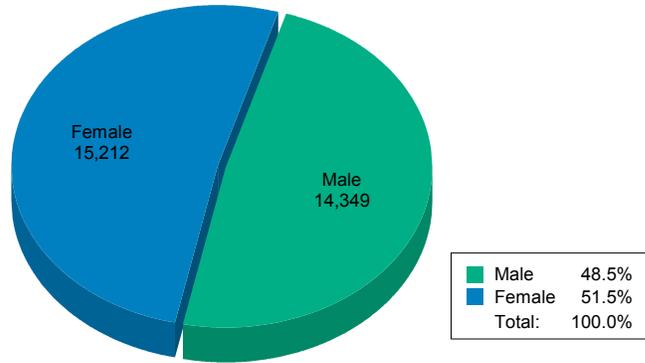
Next quarterly report will be available: November 2010

## FTC Student Enrollment by District, September 2010-2011

DISTRICTID	DISTRICT NAME	SCHOOLS	%	STUDENTS	%
1	ALACHUA	19	1.8%	273	0.9%
2	BAKER	1	0.1%	14	0.0%
3	BAY	4	0.4%	21	0.1%
4	BRADFORD	5	0.5%	190	0.6%
5	BREVARD	43	4.1%	958	3.2%
6	BROWARD	82	7.9%	1,970	6.7%
8	CHARLOTTE	6	0.6%	103	0.3%
9	CITRUS	7	0.7%	193	0.7%
10	CLAY	12	1.2%	148	0.5%
11	COLLIER	11	1.1%	83	0.3%
12	COLUMBIA	5	0.5%	121	0.4%
13	DADE	173	16.7%	7,037	23.8%
15	DIXIE	1	0.1%	33	0.1%
16	DUVAL	88	8.5%	2,932	9.9%
17	ESCAMBIA	15	1.4%	523	1.8%
18	FLAGLER	3	0.3%	78	0.3%
19	FRANKLIN	1	0.1%	16	0.1%
20	GADSDEN	4	0.4%	137	0.5%
21	GILCHRIST	2	0.2%	50	0.2%
22	GLADES	1	0.1%	14	0.0%
24	HAMILTON	2	0.2%	22	0.1%
26	HENDRY	1	0.1%	20	0.1%
27	HERNANDO	7	0.7%	215	0.7%
28	HIGHLANDS	8	0.8%	152	0.5%
29	HILLSBOROUGH	60	5.8%	1,400	4.7%
31	INDIAN RIVER	6	0.6%	78	0.3%
32	JACKSON	2	0.2%	14	0.0%
33	JEFFERSON	1	0.1%	15	0.1%
34	LAFAYETTE	1	0.1%	30	0.1%
35	LAKE	17	1.6%	392	1.3%
36	LEE	22	2.1%	328	1.1%
37	LEON	16	1.5%	369	1.2%
38	LEVY	2	0.2%	46	0.2%
40	MADISON	1	0.1%		
41	MANATEE	11	1.1%	183	0.6%
42	MARION	20	1.9%	664	2.2%
43	MARTIN	6	0.6%	130	0.4%
44	MONROE	1	0.1%	22	0.1%
45	NASSAU	3	0.3%	62	0.2%
46	OKALOOSA	6	0.6%	174	0.6%
47	OKEECHOBEE	2	0.2%	32	0.1%
48	ORANGE	89	8.6%	3,548	12.0%
49	OSCEOLA	19	1.8%	1,165	3.9%
50	PALM BEACH	38	3.7%	766	2.6%
51	PASCO	18	1.7%	269	0.9%
52	PINELLAS	59	5.7%	880	3.0%
53	POLK	33	3.2%	734	2.5%
54	PUTNAM	3	0.3%	160	0.5%
55	ST. JOHNS	5	0.5%	143	0.5%
56	ST. LUCIE	8	0.8%	212	0.7%
57	SANTA ROSA	2	0.2%	28	0.1%
58	SARASOTA	19	1.8%	225	0.8%
59	SEMINOLE	27	2.6%	680	2.3%
60	SUMTER	1	0.1%	36	0.1%
61	SUWANNEE	3	0.3%	146	0.5%
62	TAYLOR	1	0.1%		
64	VOLUSIA	31	3.0%	1,259	4.3%
65	WAKULLA	3	0.3%	36	0.1%
66	WALTON	1	0.1%		
67	WASHINGTON	1	0.1%		
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>1,039</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>29,561</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

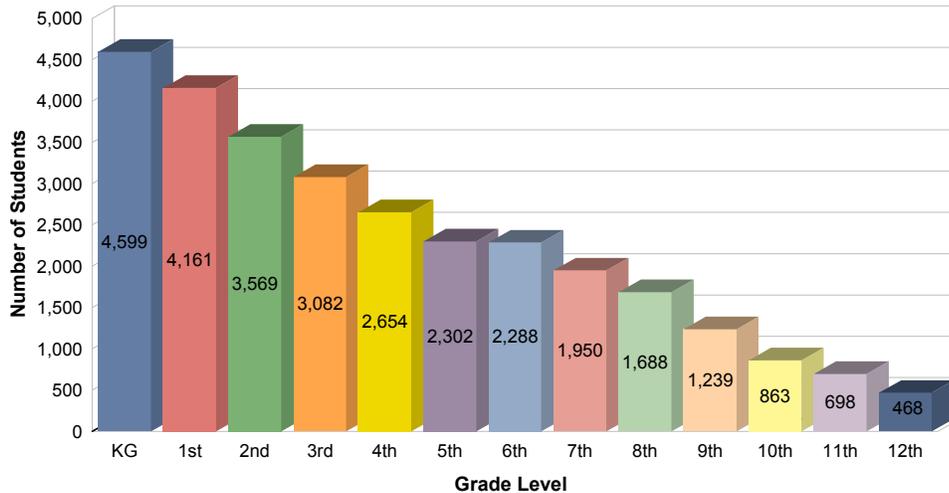
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## FTC Student Enrollment by Gender



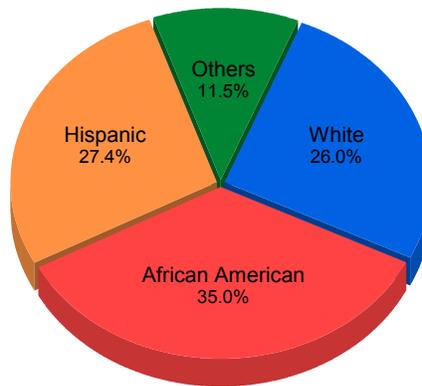
<u>GENDER</u>	<u>STUDENTS</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE</u>
Male	14,349	48.5%
Female	15,212	51.5%
<b>Total:</b>	<b>29,561</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

## FTC Student Enrollment by Grade Level



<u>GRADE LEVEL</u>	<u>STUDENTS</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE</u>
KG	4,599	15.6%
1st	4,161	14.1%
2nd	3,569	12.1%
3rd	3,082	10.4%
4th	2,654	9.0%
5th	2,302	7.8%
6th	2,288	7.7%
7th	1,950	6.6%
8th	1,688	5.7%
9th	1,239	4.2%
10th	863	2.9%
11th	698	2.4%
12th	468	1.6%
<b>Total:</b>	<b>29,561</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

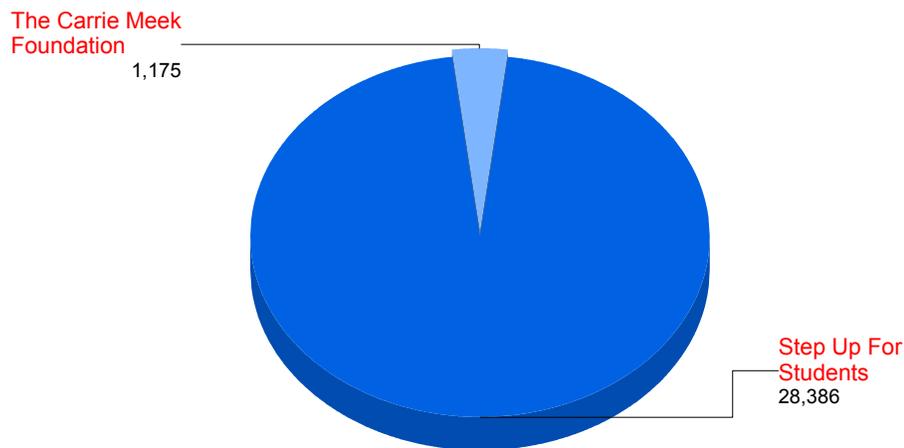
## FTC Student Enrollment by Race/Ethnicity



<u>RACE</u>	<u>STUDENTS</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE</u>
White	7,692	26.0%
African American	10,357	35.0%
Hispanic	8,110	27.4%
Others *	3,402	11.5%
<b>Total:</b>	<b>29,561</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

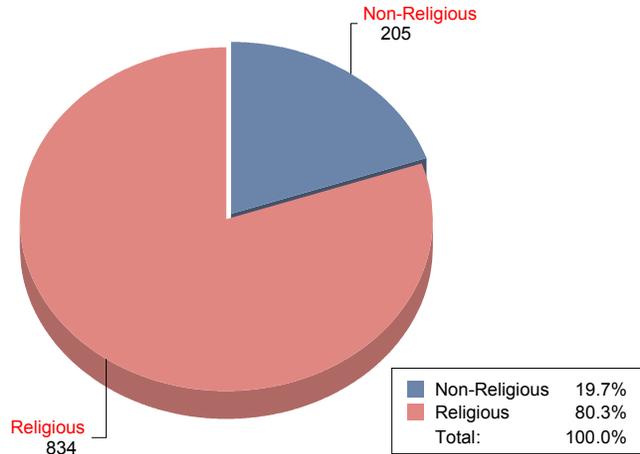
\*Others" include students who are Asian, Native American, Multiracial, and race not reported.

## FTC Student Enrollment by SFO



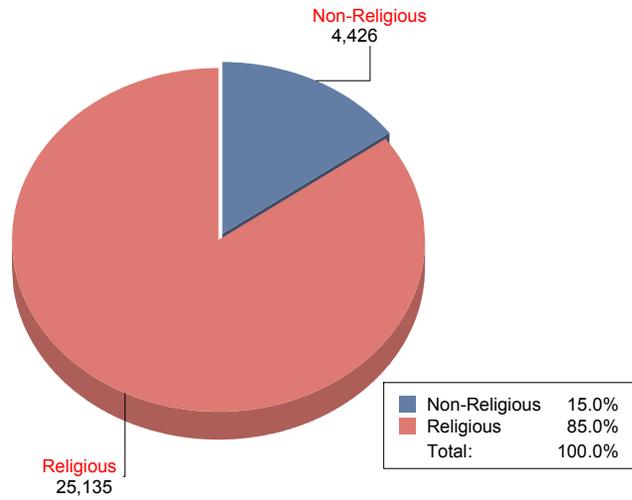
<u>SFO</u>	<u>STUDENTS</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE</u>
Step Up For Students	28,386	96.0%
The Carrie Meek Foundation	1,175	4.0%
<b>Total:</b>	<b>29,561</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

## Private Schools Participating in FTC by Type



<u>SCHOOL TYPE</u>	<u>SCHOOLS</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE</u>
Non-Religious	205	19.7%
Religious	834	80.3%
<b>Total:</b>	<b>1,039</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	4,426	15.0%
Religious	25,135	85.0%
<b>Total:</b>	<b>29,561</b>	<b>100.0%</b>