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Florida Tax Credit Scholarship Program

February 2017 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) have been approved to participate for the 2016-17 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 \$559 million in credits for the 2016-17 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 2016, November 2016, and February 2017 payment periods of the 2016-17 school year. Percentages are rounded.

Next quarterly report will be available: July 2017

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FTC Student Participation and Funding by District

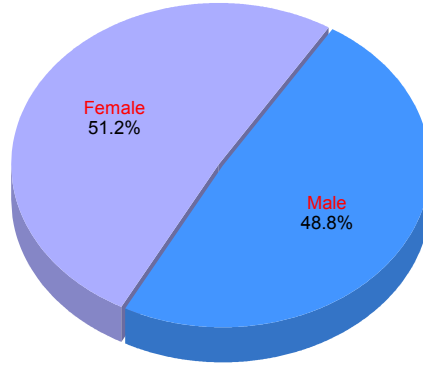
| DISTRICTID | DISTRICT NAME | STUDENTS | STU% | TOTAL FUNDED | FUND% |
|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|
| 1 | ALACHUA | 760 | 0.77% | 3,033,574 | 0.75% |
| 2 | BAKER | 94 | 0.10% | 340,767 | 0.08% |
| 3 | BAY | 184 | 0.19% | 721,268 | 0.18% |
| 4 | BRADFORD | 204 | 0.21% | 775,531 | 0.19% |
| 5 | BREVARD | 2,492 | 2.53% | 10,102,392 | 2.51% |
| 6 | BROWARD | 8,944 | 9.08% | 37,127,503 | 9.21% |
| 8 | CHARLOTTE | 451 | 0.46% | 1,852,028 | 0.46% |
| 9 | CITRUS | 555 | 0.56% | 2,225,937 | 0.55% |
| 10 | CLAY | 527 | 0.54% | 1,998,677 | 0.50% |
| 11 | COLLIER | 447 | 0.45% | 1,827,885 | 0.45% |
| 12 | COLUMBIA | 459 | 0.47% | 1,813,989 | 0.45% |
| 13 | DADE | 25,019 | 25.41% | 105,015,891 | 26.06% |
| 14 | DESOTO | 118 | 0.12% | 484,718 | 0.12% |
| 15 | DIXIE | 66 | 0.07% | 262,609 | 0.07% |
| 16 | DUVAL | 7,233 | 7.35% | 29,101,304 | 7.22% |
| 17 | ESCAMBIA | 1,735 | 1.76% | 6,890,537 | 1.71% |
| 18 | FLAGLER | 476 | 0.48% | 1,944,862 | 0.48% |
| 19 | FRANKLIN | 34 | 0.03% | 74,054 | 0.02% |
| 20 | GADSDEN | 378 | 0.38% | 1,545,989 | 0.38% |
| 21 | GILCHRIST | 47 | 0.05% | 192,499 | 0.05% |
| 22 | GLADES | 30 | 0.03% | 124,096 | 0.03% |
| 23 | GULF | 38 | 0.04% | 111,158 | 0.03% |
| 24 | HAMILTON | 83 | 0.08% | 286,896 | 0.07% |
| 25 | HARDEE | 12 | 0.01% | 45,246 | 0.01% |
| 26 | HENDRY | 203 | 0.21% | 794,748 | 0.20% |
| 27 | HERNANDO | 904 | 0.92% | 3,323,231 | 0.82% |
| 28 | HIGHLANDS | 487 | 0.49% | 1,937,428 | 0.48% |
| 29 | HILLSBOROUGH | 4,612 | 4.68% | 19,017,413 | 4.72% |
| 30 | HOLMES | 29 | 0.03% | 101,242 | 0.03% |
| 31 | INDIAN RIVER | 328 | 0.33% | 1,268,011 | 0.31% |
| 32 | JACKSON | 120 | 0.12% | 409,423 | 0.10% |
| 33 | JEFFERSON | 92 | 0.09% | 356,254 | 0.09% |
| 34 | LAFAYETTE | 39 | 0.04% | 141,628 | 0.04% |
| 35 | LAKE | 1,585 | 1.61% | 6,494,493 | 1.61% |
| 36 | LEE | 1,180 | 1.20% | 4,777,690 | 1.19% |
| 37 | LEON | 615 | 0.62% | 2,453,114 | 0.61% |
| 38 | LEVY | 216 | 0.22% | 878,205 | 0.22% |
| 39 | LIBERTY | | | | |
| 40 | MADISON | 18 | 0.02% | 64,076 | 0.02% |
| 41 | MANATEE | 766 | 0.78% | 3,046,283 | 0.76% |
| 42 | MARION | 1,990 | 2.02% | 7,893,559 | 1.96% |
| 43 | MARTIN | 340 | 0.35% | 1,265,087 | 0.31% |
| 44 | MONROE | 147 | 0.15% | 587,918 | 0.15% |
| 45 | NASSAU | 189 | 0.19% | 755,007 | 0.19% |
| 46 | OKALOOSA | 431 | 0.44% | 1,687,558 | 0.42% |
| 47 | OKEECHOBEE | 164 | 0.17% | 644,075 | 0.16% |
| 48 | ORANGE | 9,521 | 9.67% | 39,342,714 | 9.76% |
| 49 | OSCEOLA | 3,627 | 3.68% | 14,922,198 | 3.70% |
| 50 | PALM BEACH | 3,054 | 3.10% | 12,690,591 | 3.15% |
| 51 | PASCO | 1,442 | 1.46% | 5,648,671 | 1.40% |
| 52 | PINELLAS | 3,710 | 3.77% | 15,199,180 | 3.77% |
| 53 | POLK | 3,404 | 3.46% | 13,462,398 | 3.34% |
| 54 | PUTNAM | 339 | 0.34% | 1,328,330 | 0.33% |
| 55 | ST. JOHNS | 416 | 0.42% | 1,591,214 | 0.39% |
| 56 | ST. LUCIE | 1,700 | 1.73% | 6,982,151 | 1.73% |
| 57 | SANTA ROSA | 219 | 0.22% | 817,060 | 0.20% |
| 58 | SARASOTA | 685 | 0.70% | 2,783,621 | 0.69% |
| 59 | SEMINOLE | 1,325 | 1.35% | 5,315,908 | 1.32% |
| 60 | SUMTER | 112 | 0.11% | 466,885 | 0.12% |
| 61 | SUWANNEE | 370 | 0.38% | 1,503,806 | 0.37% |
| 62 | TAYLOR | 167 | 0.17% | 679,108 | 0.17% |
| 63 | UNION | 55 | 0.06% | 198,408 | 0.05% |
| 64 | VOLUSIA | 3,142 | 3.19% | 13,045,631 | 3.24% |
| 65 | WAKULLA | 106 | 0.11% | 388,919 | 0.10% |
| 66 | WALTON | 64 | 0.07% | 243,253 | 0.06% |
| 67 | WASHINGTON | 155 | 0.16% | 589,232 | 0.15% |
| TOTAL: | 66 | 98,457 | 100.00% | 403,008,374 | 100.00% |

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

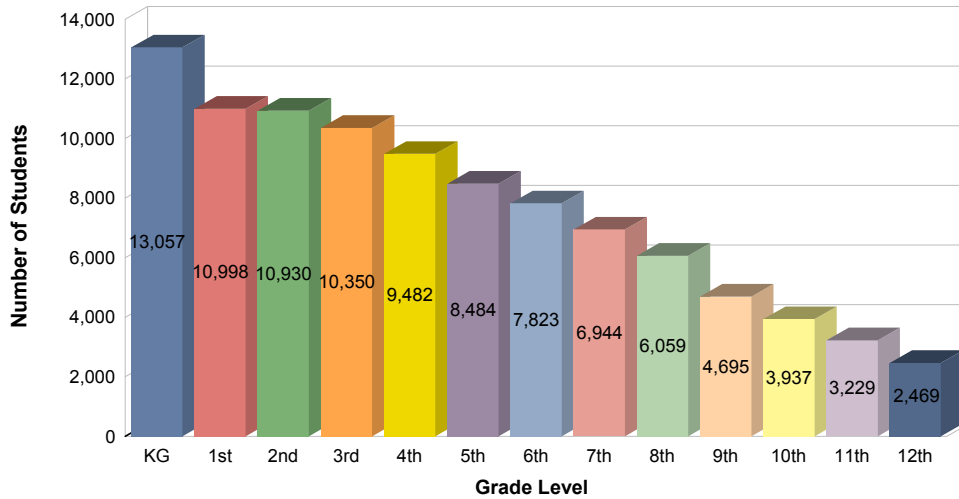
| DISTRICT | DISTRICT NAME | SCHOOLS |
|---------------|---------------|--------------|
| 1 | ALACHUA | 20 |
| 2 | BAKER | 3 |
| 3 | BAY | 6 |
| 4 | BRADFORD | 5 |
| 5 | BREVARD | 53 |
| 6 | BROWARD | 152 |
| 8 | CHARLOTTE | 9 |
| 9 | CITRUS | 7 |
| 10 | CLAY | 16 |
| 11 | COLLIER | 13 |
| 12 | COLUMBIA | 11 |
| 13 | DADE | 423 |
| 14 | DESOTO | 1 |
| 15 | DIXIE | 2 |
| 16 | DUVAL | 112 |
| 17 | ESCAMBIA | 24 |
| 18 | FLAGLER | 3 |
| 19 | FRANKLIN | 1 |
| 20 | GADSDEN | 5 |
| 21 | GILCHRIST | 2 |
| 22 | GLADES | 1 |
| 23 | GULF | 1 |
| 24 | HAMILTON | 3 |
| 25 | HARDEE | 1 |
| 26 | HENDRY | 4 |
| 27 | HERNANDO | 14 |
| 28 | HIGHLANDS | 9 |
| 29 | HILLSBOROUGH | 84 |
| 31 | INDIAN RIVER | 9 |
| 32 | JACKSON | 2 |
| 33 | JEFFERSON | 4 |
| 34 | LAFAYETTE | 1 |
| 35 | LAKE | 28 |
| 36 | LEE | 28 |
| 37 | LEON | 21 |
| 38 | LEVY | 4 |
| 40 | MADISON | 1 |
| 41 | MANATEE | 21 |
| 42 | MARION | 30 |
| 43 | MARTIN | 6 |
| 44 | MONROE | 3 |
| 45 | NASSAU | 6 |
| 46 | OKALOOSA | 8 |
| 47 | OKEECHOBEE | 4 |
| 48 | ORANGE | 138 |
| 49 | OSCEOLA | 40 |
| 50 | PALM BEACH | 59 |
| 51 | PASCO | 32 |
| 52 | PINELLAS | 81 |
| 53 | POLK | 52 |
| 54 | PUTNAM | 5 |
| 55 | ST. JOHNS | 11 |
| 56 | ST. LUCIE | 19 |
| 57 | SANTA ROSA | 4 |
| 58 | SARASOTA | 23 |
| 59 | SEMINOLE | 38 |
| 60 | SUMTER | 1 |
| 61 | SUWANNEE | 3 |
| 62 | TAYLOR | 2 |
| 63 | UNION | 1 |
| 64 | VOLUSIA | 44 |
| 65 | WAKULLA | 3 |
| 66 | WALTON | 3 |
| 67 | WASHINGTON | 2 |
| TOTAL: | 64 | 1,722 |

FTC Student Enrollment by Gender



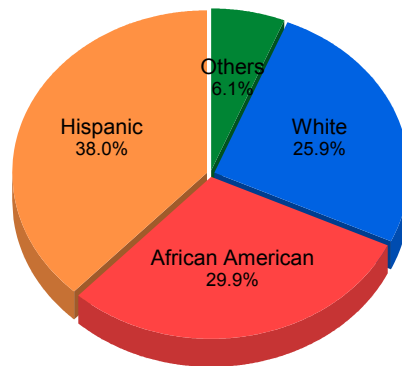
| <u>GENDER</u> | <u>STUDENTS</u> | <u>PERCENTAGE</u> |
|---------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Male | 48,049 | 48.8% |
| Female | 50,408 | 51.2% |
| Total: | 98,457 | 100.0% |

FTC Student Enrollment by Grade Level



| <u>GRADE LEVEL</u> | <u>STUDENTS</u> | <u>PERCENTAGE</u> |
|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| KG | 13,057 | 13.3% |
| 1st | 10,998 | 11.2% |
| 2nd | 10,930 | 11.1% |
| 3rd | 10,350 | 10.5% |
| 4th | 9,482 | 9.6% |
| 5th | 8,484 | 8.6% |
| 6th | 7,823 | 7.9% |
| 7th | 6,944 | 7.1% |
| 8th | 6,059 | 6.2% |
| 9th | 4,695 | 4.8% |
| 10th | 3,937 | 4.0% |
| 11th | 3,229 | 3.3% |
| 12th | 2,469 | 2.5% |
| Total: | 98,457 | 100.0% |

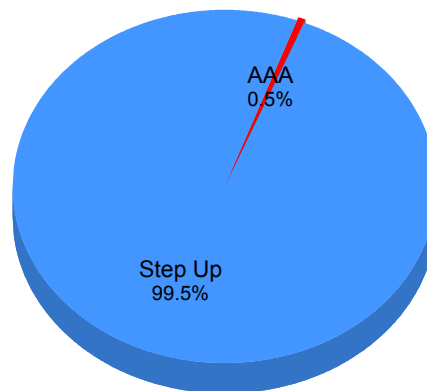
FTC Student Enrollment by Race/Ethnicity



| <u>RACE</u> | <u>STUDENTS</u> | <u>PERCENTAGE</u> |
|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| White | 25,520 | 25.9% |
| African American | 29,448 | 29.9% |
| Hispanic | 37,462 | 38.0% |
| Others * | 6,027 | 6.1% |
| Total: | 98,457 | 100.0% |

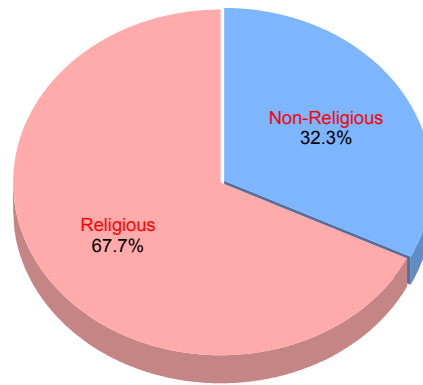
*Others" include students who are Asian, Native American, Multiracial, and race not reported.

FTC Student Enrollment by SFO



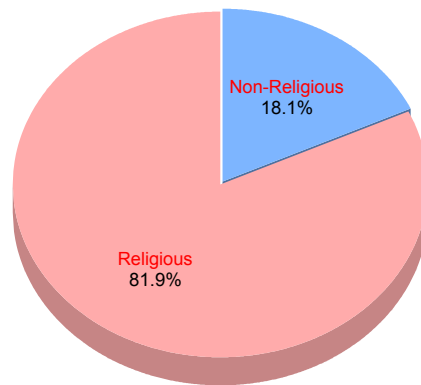
| <u>SFO</u> | <u>STUDENTS</u> | <u>PERCENTAGE</u> |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Step Up For Students | 97,926 | 99.5% |
| AAA Scholarship Foundation, LLC | 531 | 0.5% |
| Total: | 98,457 | 100.0% |

Private Schools Participating in FTC by Type



| <u>SCHOOL TYPE</u> | <u>SCHOOLS</u> | <u>PERCENTAGE</u> |
|--------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Non-Religious | 557 | 32.3% |
| Religious | 1,165 | 67.7% |
| Total: | 1,722 | 100.0% |

FTC Student Enrollment by Type of Private School



| <u>SCHOOL TYPE</u> | <u>STUDENTS</u> | <u>PERCENTAGE</u> |
|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Non-Religious | 18,037 | 18.1% |
| Religious | 81,780 | 81.9% |
| Total: | 99,817 * | 100.0% |

* Indicates that 1,360 students (duplicated) attended more than one private school (Religious and Non-Religious) during the September 2016, November 2016, and February 2017 reporting periods.