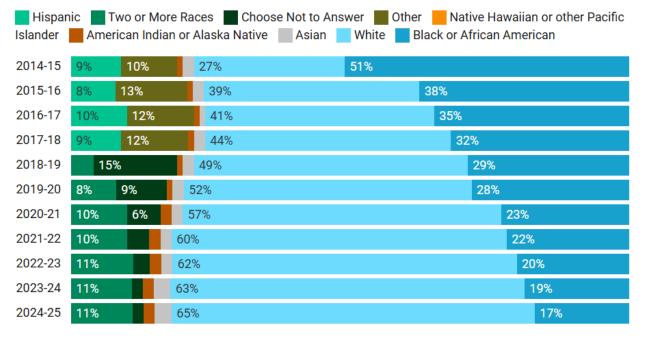


North Carolina's Opportunity Scholarship Voucher Recipient Demographics 2014-24

Since North Carolina's Opportunity Scholarship voucher program launched in 2014-15, the proportion of Black students has dropped steadily while the proportion of White students has grown. In 2014-15, Black students made up 51% of the recipients and White students made up 27%. By November 2024-25, the percentage of Black students had dropped to 17%, while the percentage of White students had grown to 65%.

Percentage of Opportunity Scholarship Voucher Recipients by Race

Percentage of voucher recipients by race from 2014-15 through November 2024-25.



Ethnicity

In 2018-19 NCSEAA began tracking ethnicity and race separately. Hispanic students made up 12% of Opportunity Scholarship voucher recipients In 2018-19. By 2024-25, the percentage of Hispanic students had grown to 15%. Eighty-five percent of the recipients selected the label Not-Hispanic or chose not to answer.

Data Source: NCSEAA