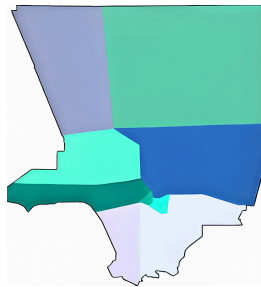


# 2023-24 COUNTYWIDE HOMELESS YOUTH KEY INSIGHTS

## COUNTY OVERVIEW



**80**  
School Districts

**370**  
Charter Schools

**1,351,126**  
K-12 total enrollment

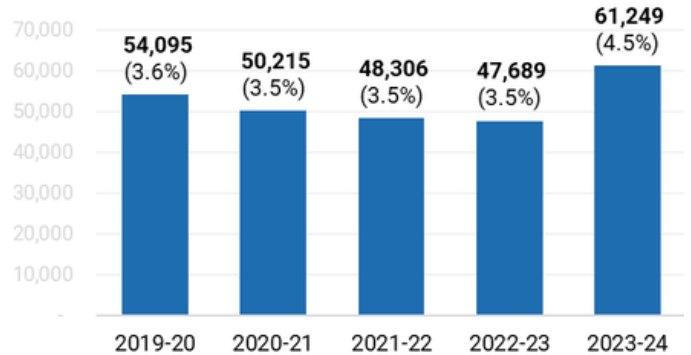
**61,249** K-12 students identified  
(28.4% increase)

**65,840** 0-12 grade homeless children  
and youth served [1]  
(13.4% increase)

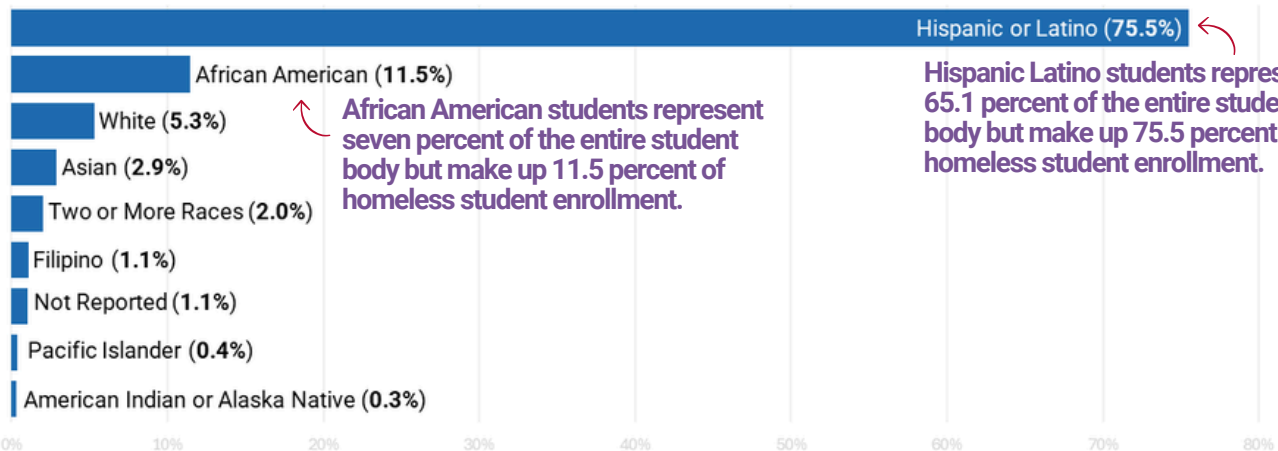
## MULTI-YEAR ENROLLMENT

Homeless student enrollment continues to increase, surpassing pre-covid levels, even as general enrollment is decreasing.

K-12 Homeless Youth Cumulative Enrollment



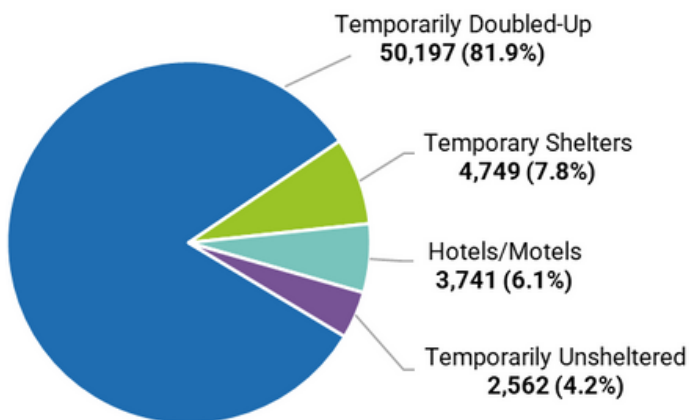
## ENROLLMENT BY RACE AND ETHNICITY



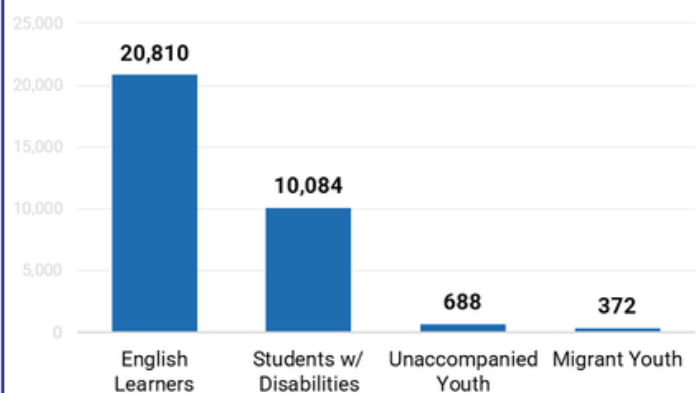
African American students represent seven percent of the entire student body but make up 11.5 percent of homeless student enrollment.

Hispanic Latino students represent 65.1 percent of the entire student body but make up 75.5 percent of homeless student enrollment.

## ENROLLMENT BY DWELLING TYPE



## ENROLLMENT BY SUBGROUP



**Note:** Data are not mutually exclusive and therefore not summative to the cumulative enrollment total.

## ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE AND OUTCOMES

Students experiencing homelessness often fare worse academically compared to most similar socioeconomically disadvantaged students, despite their shared socioeconomic status, underscoring the unique and heightened obstacles they encounter.

|                                  | Homeless Youth | Socioeconomically Disadvantaged | All Students |
|----------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Stability Rates                  | 73.9%          | 89.5%                           | 90.4%        |
| Chronic Absenteeism              | 37.2%          | 25.9%                           | 22.0%        |
| Suspension Rates                 | 3.7%           | 2.3%                            | 1.9%         |
| Four-Year Graduation Rates       | 78.2%          | 85.2%                           | 86.7%        |
| Met UC/CSU Reqs.                 | 34.7%          | 55.8%                           | 59.5%        |
| ELA - Met or Exceeded Standards  | 29.3%          | 40.2%                           | 48.1%        |
| Math - Met or Exceeded Standards | 18.3%          | 28.4%                           | 36.5%        |

**Notes:** All data in this infographic were sourced from California Department of Education [DataQuest](#) unless otherwise labeled.

[1] Sourced from the [CA Annual Homeless Education Data Collection Report](#). The definition of "served" includes homeless children who have been served in any way through McKinney-Vento funds. Services would include both direct services, as outlined in Section 723 of the McKinney-Vento Act, and indirect services, such as those provided by a staff member whose position is supported through the EHCY.