



2021 Annual Delaware Nonpublic School Report

December 2021



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 self-reported 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. §255 and include single-family 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.

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Nonpublic Schools and Enrollment

School Year 2021-2022

Nonpublic School Type	School Count	DE Student Enrollment	All Student Enrollment
Single-family Home School	2,643	4,443	4,445
Multi-family Home School	83	386	414
Private School	101	13,145	15,630
Total	2,827	17,974	20,489

Nonpublic Schools and Enrollment by Year

School Year 2020-2021 to School Year 2021-2022

Nonpublic School Type	2020-21	2021-22	Change
Single-family Home Schools	2,663	2,643	20
DE Students	4,512	4,443	69
All Students	4,515	4,445	70
Multi-family Home Schools	89	83	6
DE Students	402	386	16
All Students	435	414	21
Private Schools	101	101	0
DE Students	13,256	13,145	111
All Students	15,829	15,630	199
Total Nonpublic Schools	2,853	2,827	26
Total DE Students	18,170	17,974	196
Total All Students	20,779	20,489	290

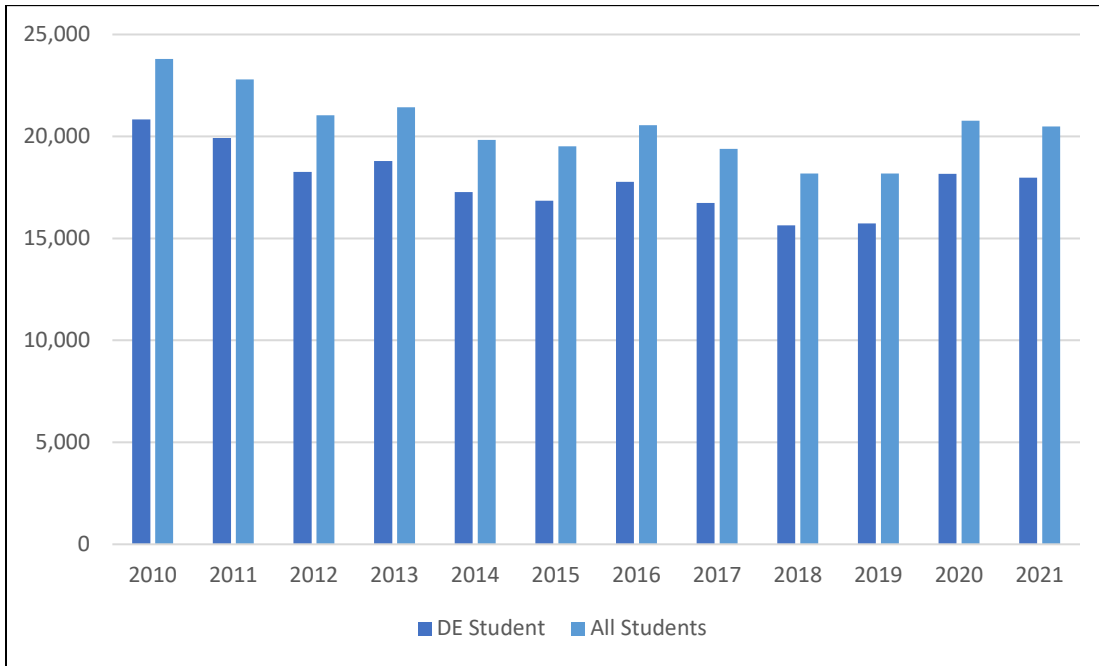
Nonpublic School Enrollment by Year

School Year 2010-2011 to School Year 2022-2022

	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%
2021	17,974	-196	-1.08%		20,489	-290	-1.40%

Nonpublic School Enrollment by Year

School Year 2010-2011 to School Year 2022-2022



**'All Students' includes students who reside outside of Delaware
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Nonpublic School Enrollment by Grade

School Year 2021-2022

Grade	Single-family Homeschools		Multi-family Homeschools		Private Schools		Total	
	DE Students	All Students	DE Students	All Students	DE Students	All Students	DE Student	All Students
Kindergarten	368	368	27	27	1,211	1,323	1,606	1,718
1	398	398	22	22	991	1,069	1,411	1,489
2	352	352	30	30	924	1,006	1,306	1,388
3	321	321	20	20	912	998	1,253	1,339
4	367	367	20	20	900	979	1,287	1,366
5	361	361	23	24	933	1,036	1,317	1,421
6	352	352	31	31	962	1,083	1,345	1,466
7	346	346	32	32	1,075	1,178	1,453	1,556
8	356	356	29	29	945	1,077	1,330	1,462
9	292	292	33	35	1,066	1,430	1,391	1,757
10	250	250	34	39	1,032	1,416	1,316	1,705
11	221	222	39	47	1,022	1,399	1,282	1,668
12	208	209	38	50	1,029	1,412	1,275	1,671
Ungraded Elem.	132	132	3	3	111	163	246	298
Ungraded Sec.	119	119	5	5	32	61	156	185
Total	4,443	4,445	386	414	13,145	15,630	17,974	20,489

Nonpublic School Enrollment by Race and Ethnicity

School Year 2021-2022

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	547	547	37	37	1,928	2,105	2,512	2,689
American Indian	39	39	2	2	18	23	59	64
Asian	48	48	6	6	929	1,102	983	1,156
Caucasian	2,933	2,933	259	285	8,710	10,645	11,902	13,863
Hawaiian	2	2	-	-	11	12	13	14
Hispanic	373	373	36	38	1,041	1,137	1,450	1,548
Multi-Racial	501	503	46	46	508	606	1,055	1,155
Total	4,443	4,445	386	414	13,145	15,630	17,974	20,489

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Nonpublic School Enrollment by District of Residence

School Year 2021-2022

District of Residence	Single-family Homeschools	Multi-family Homeschools	Private Schools	Total
Appoquinimink School District	374	36	1,148	1,558
Brandywine School District	271	18	2,544	2,833
Caesar Rodney School District	371	7	345	723
Cape Henlopen School District	230	3	143	376
Capital School District	317	24	368	709
Christina School District	513	97	2,610	3,220
Colonial School District	215	22	1,234	1,471
Delmar School District	77	3	36	116
Indian River School District	449	41	258	748
Lake Forest School District	274	20	187	481
Laurel School District	133	16	144	293
Milford School District	279	8	215	502
Red Clay Consolidated School District	332	42	3,275	3,649
Seaford School District	184	18	163	365
Smyrna School District	272	17	190	479
Woodbridge School District	150	8	168	326
Out-of-State or Did not Report	4	34	2602	2640
Total	4,445	414	15,630	20,489

Nonpublic School Enrollment by District of Residence and Year

School Year 2020-2021 to School Year 2021-2022

District of Residence	2020-2021	2021-2022	Change	% Change
Appoquinimink School District	1,459	1,558	99	6.35%
Brandywine School District	2,925	2,833	-92	-3.25%
Caesar Rodney School District	768	723	-45	-6.22%
Cape Henlopen School District	399	376	-23	-6.12%
Capital School District	680	709	29	4.09%
Christina School District	3,212	3,220	8	0.25%
Colonial School District	1,369	1,471	102	6.93%
Delmar School District	104	116	12	10.34%
Indian River School District	745	748	3	0.40%
Lake Forest School District	454	481	27	5.61%
Laurel School District	267	293	26	8.87%
Milford School District	471	502	31	6.18%
Red Clay Consolidated School District	3,764	3,649	-1,124	-3.15%
Seaford School District	354	365	3,295	2.48%
Smyrna School District	466	479	-101	2.51%
Woodbridge School District	323	326	156	0.92%
Out-of-State or Did not Report	3,019	2640	-379	-14.36%
Total	20,779	20,489	-290	-1.42%

Nonpublic School Graduates

School Year 2020-2021

	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
2021 Graduates	173	176	43	48	1,197	1,628	1,413	1,852

Nonpublic School Average Daily Attendance/Membership

School Year 2020-2021

ADA/ADM Range	Single-family Homeschools	Multi-family Homeschools	Private Schools	Total
0%-10%	8	2	8	18
10%-20%	-	-	1	1
20%-30%	1	-	1	2
30%-40%	2	-	-	2
40%-50%	6	-	1	7
50%-60%	11	1	-	12
60%-70%	19	2	-	21
70%-80%	21	1	2	24
80%-90%	46	2	8	56
90%-100%	2,560	80	78	2,718
Total	2,674	88	99	2,861