

SPCSA Enrollment Data School Year 2020-21



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Annual Nevada Enrollment Data: “Validation Day”

- Annually on October 1st, the Nevada Department of Education (NDE) takes a snapshot of student enrollment across the state.
- These student-level enrollment data contain demographic information, including but not limited to race/ethnicity, Free or Reduced-Price Lunch (FRL) eligibility, whether the student has an Individual Education Program (IEP), and English Language Learner (ELL) status.
- Data are carefully validated by LEAs and charter schools.
- These enrollment data are used by the NDE, SPCSA, LEAs, charter schools, and other stakeholders for official federal and state reporting and funding.

SPCSA Enrollment Highlights

The official SPCSA enrollment for 2020-21 is **53,223 students.**

The SPCSA remains the **third largest LEA** in Nevada.

Almost **one third** of SPCSA students are **enrolled at Title I schools.**

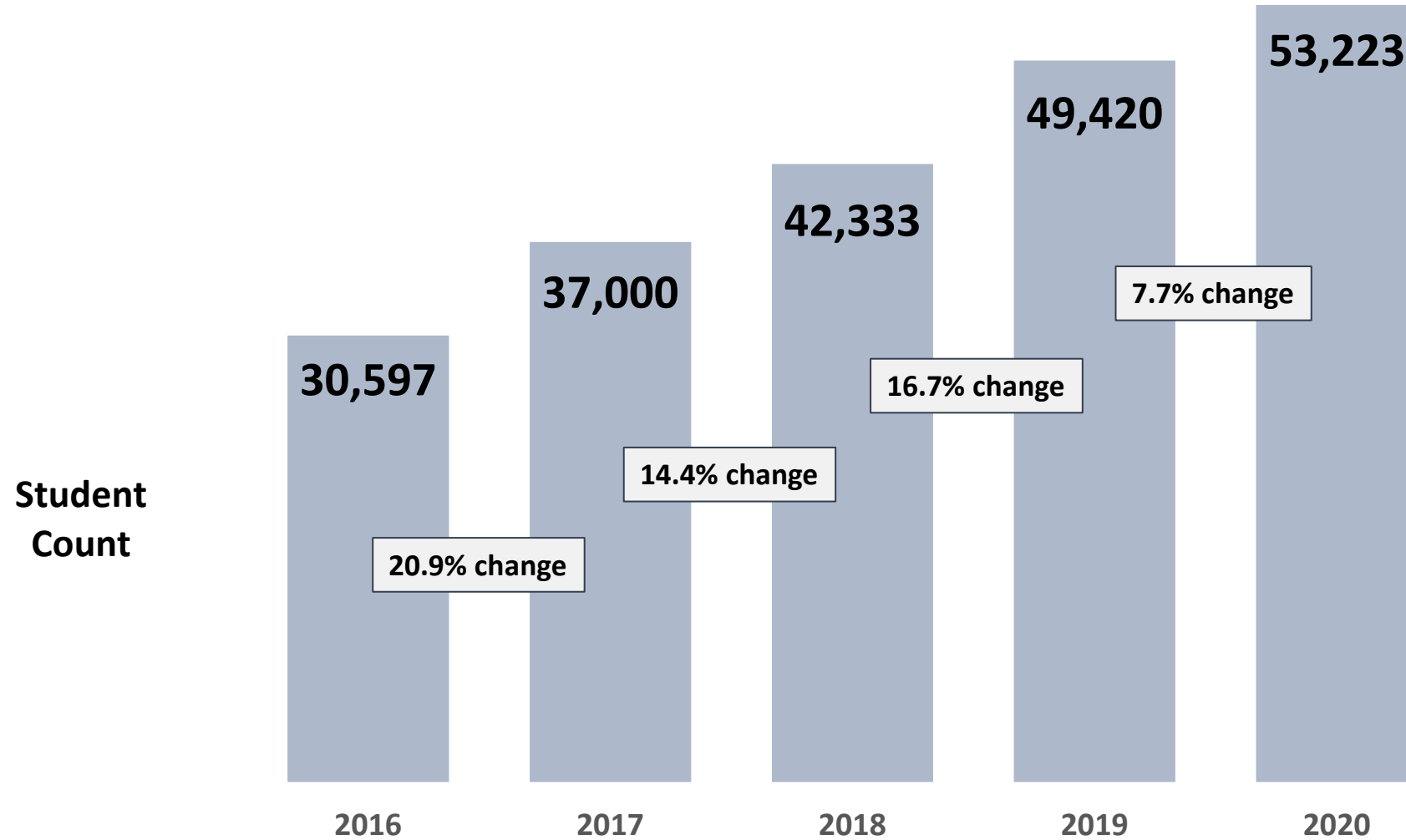
Year over year, SPCSA enrollment rates...

Increased for students identifying as **Asian, Black/African American, or Hispanic/Latino.**

Increased for economically disadvantaged students (**FRL**), students with disabilities (**IEP**), and English Language Learners (**ELLs**).

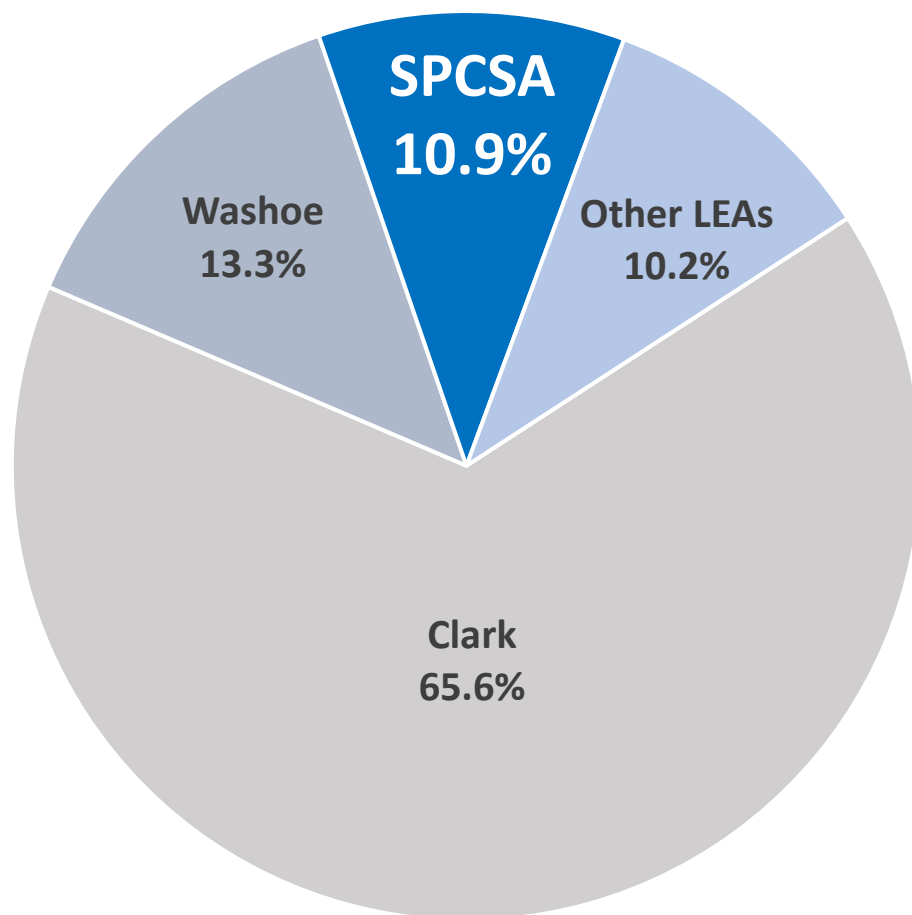
Decreased for students identifying as **White.**

SPCSA Total Enrollment Trend



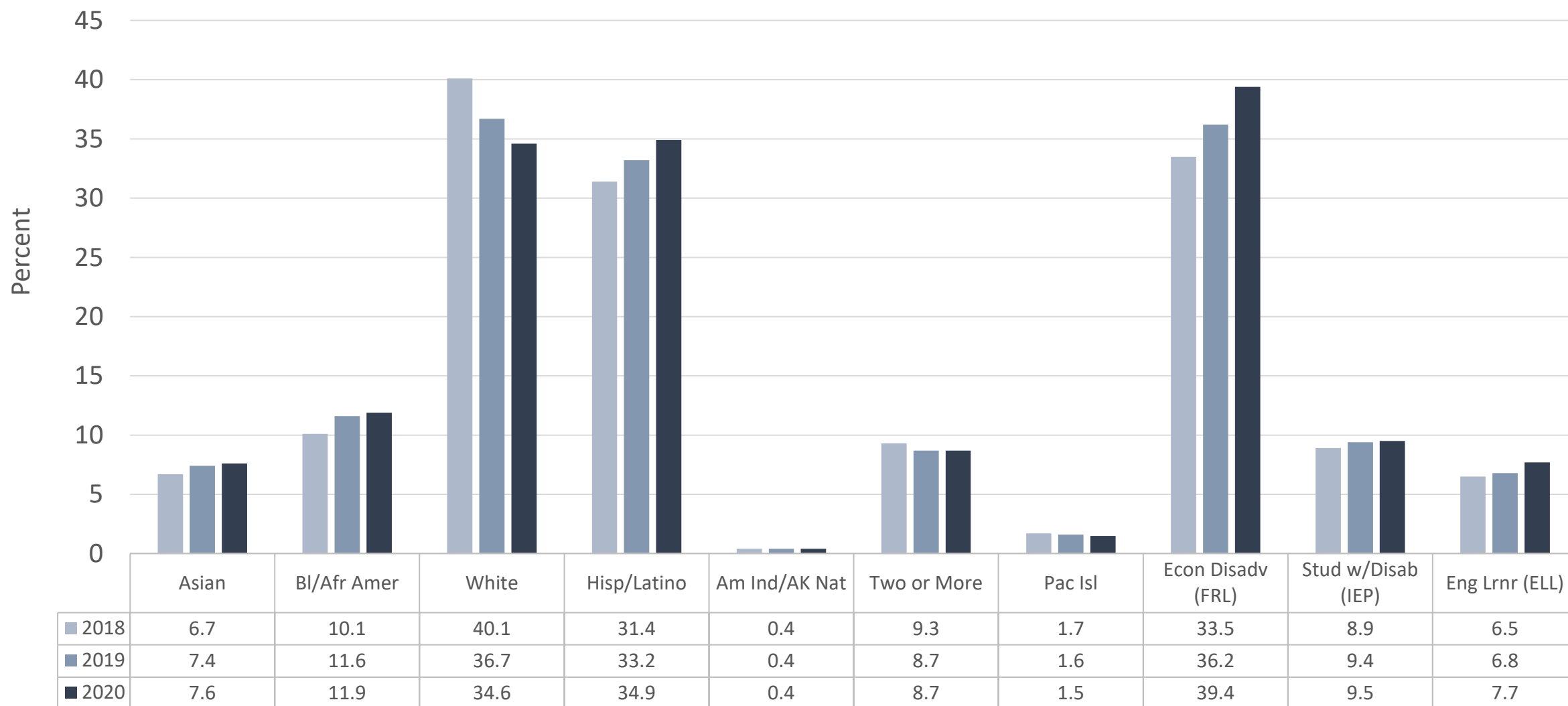
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2020 Enrollment Across Nevada



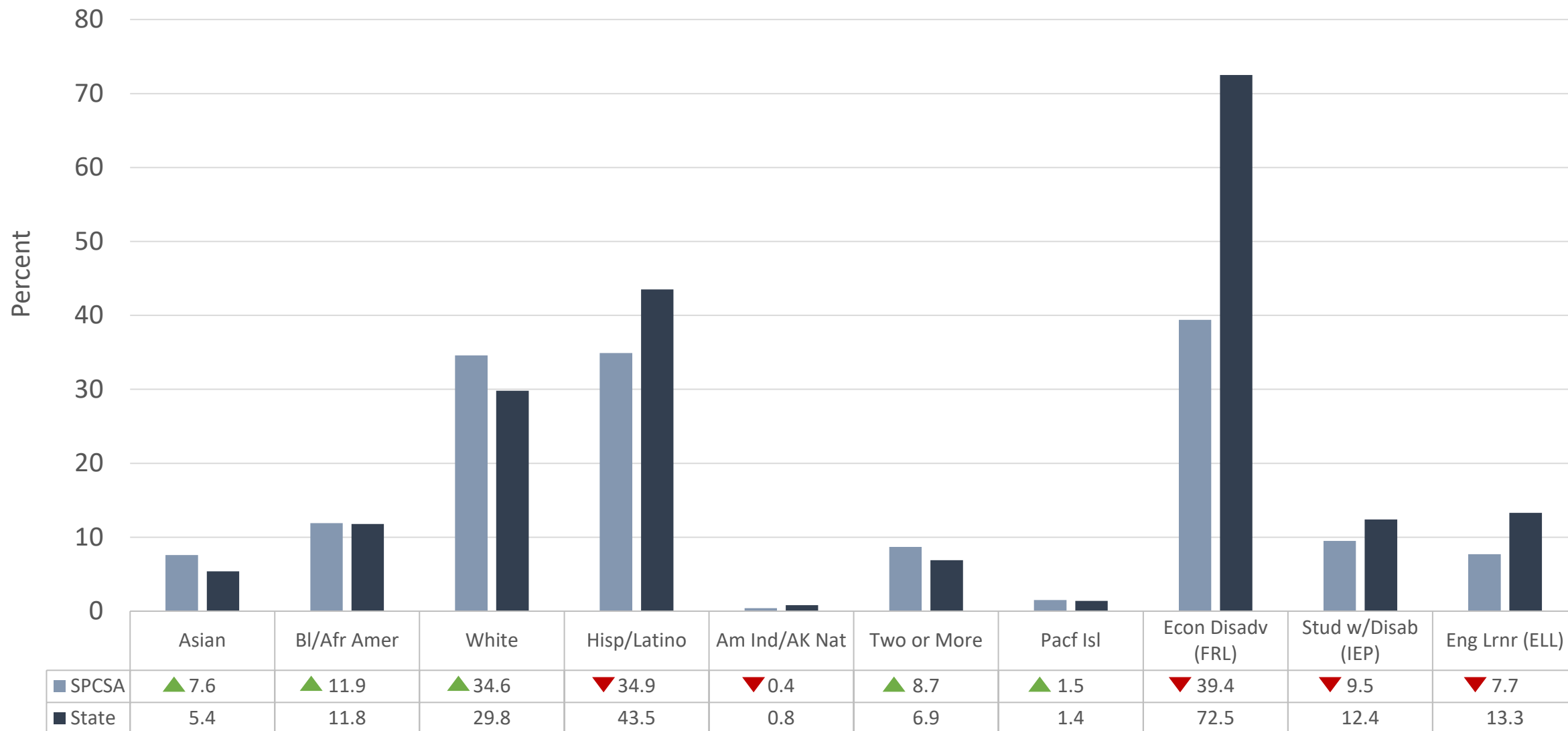
Entity	Enrollment	% of State
State	486633	-
Clark	319293	65.6
Washoe	64988	13.3
SPCSA	53223	10.9
Elko	9609	1.9
Lyon	8823	1.8
Carson	7836	1.6
Douglas	5400	1.1
Nye	5394	1.1
Churchill	3247	0.6
Humboldt	3306	0.6
Lander	1027	0.2
White Pine	1228	0.2
Lincoln	886	0.1
Mineral	572	0.1
Pershing	656	0.1
Storey	448	<0.1
Eureka	324	<0.1
University	234	<0.1
Esmeralda	101	<0.1
Correctional	38	<0.1

SPCSA Student Group Enrollment Trends



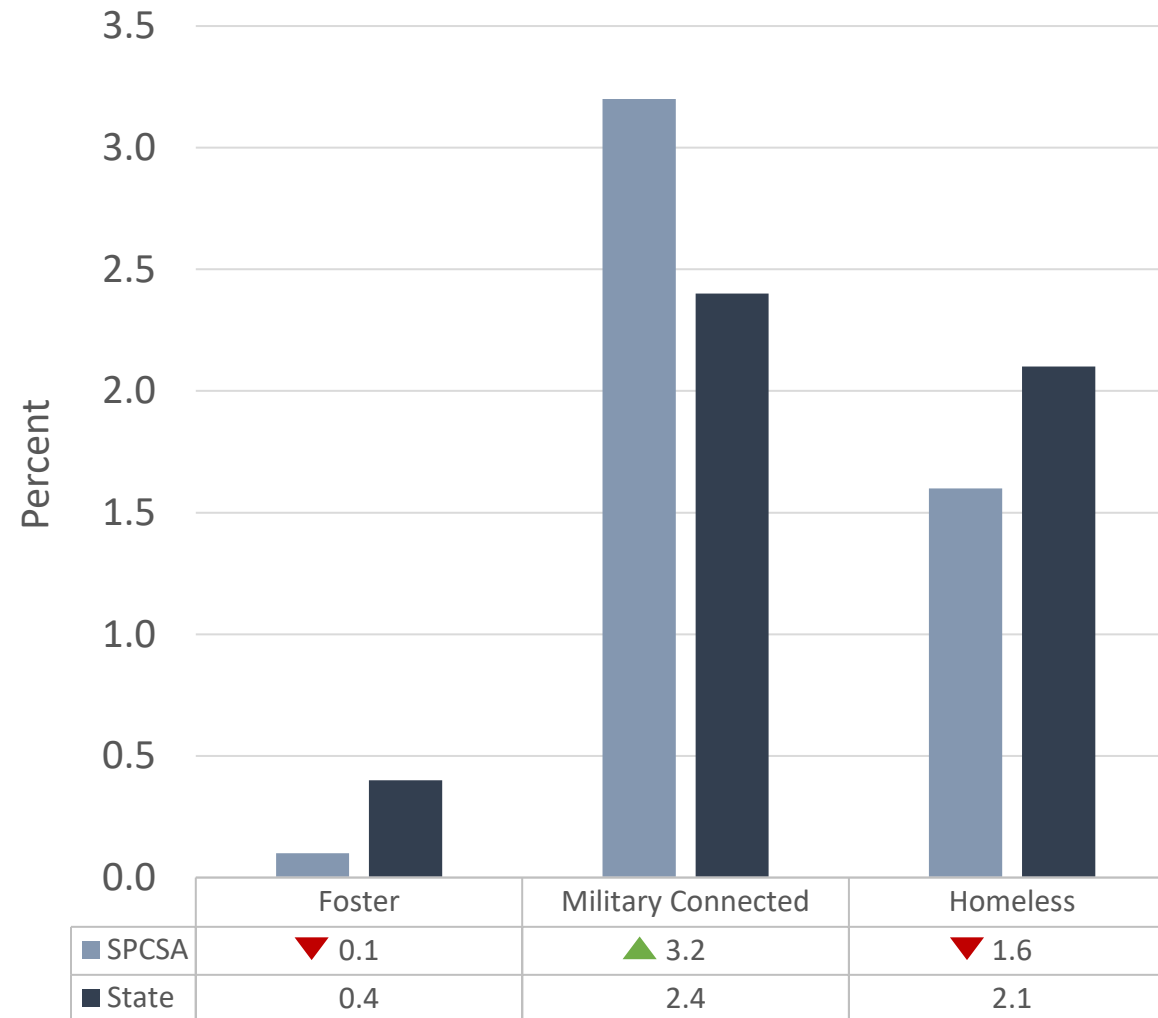
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2020 SPCSA vs. State Student Group Enrollment



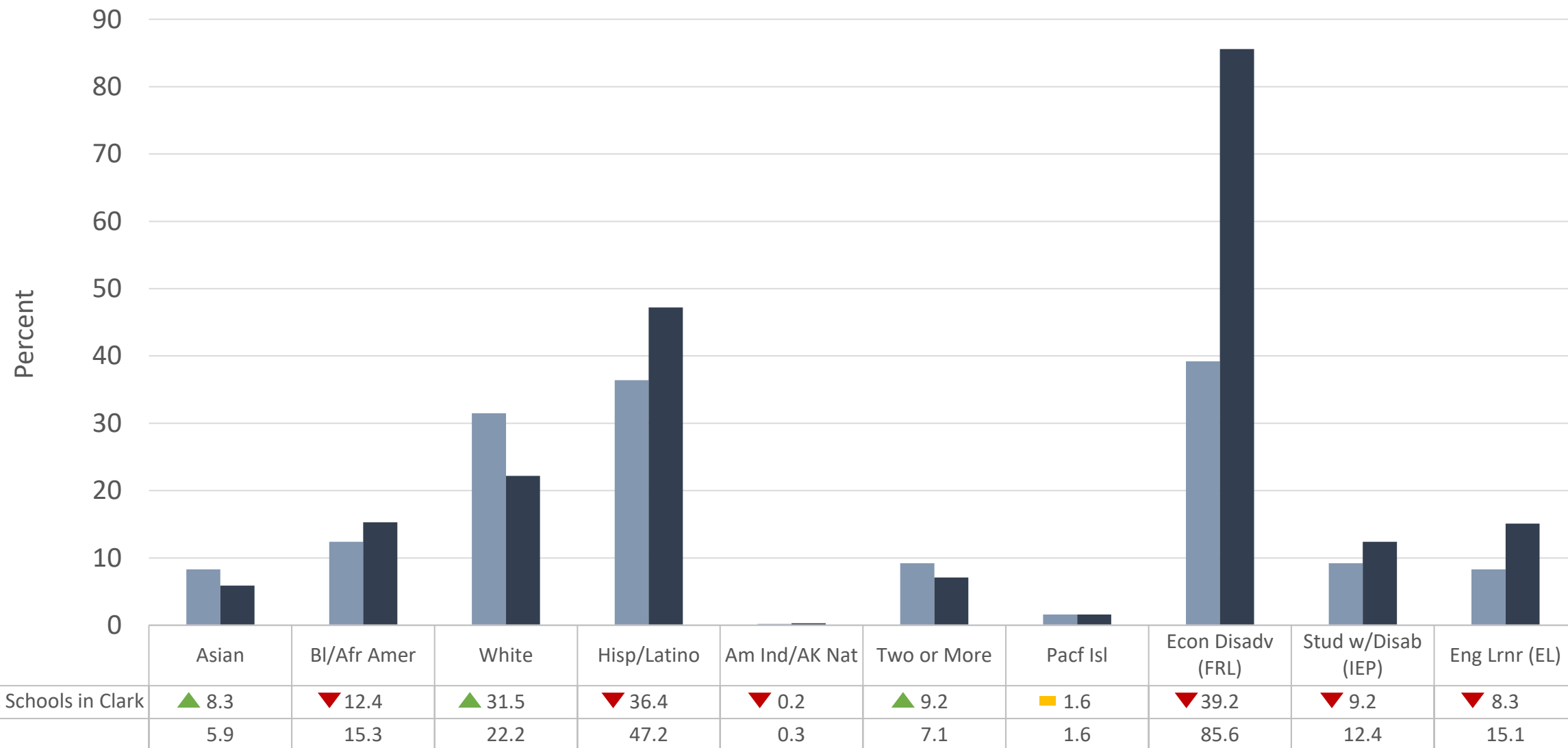
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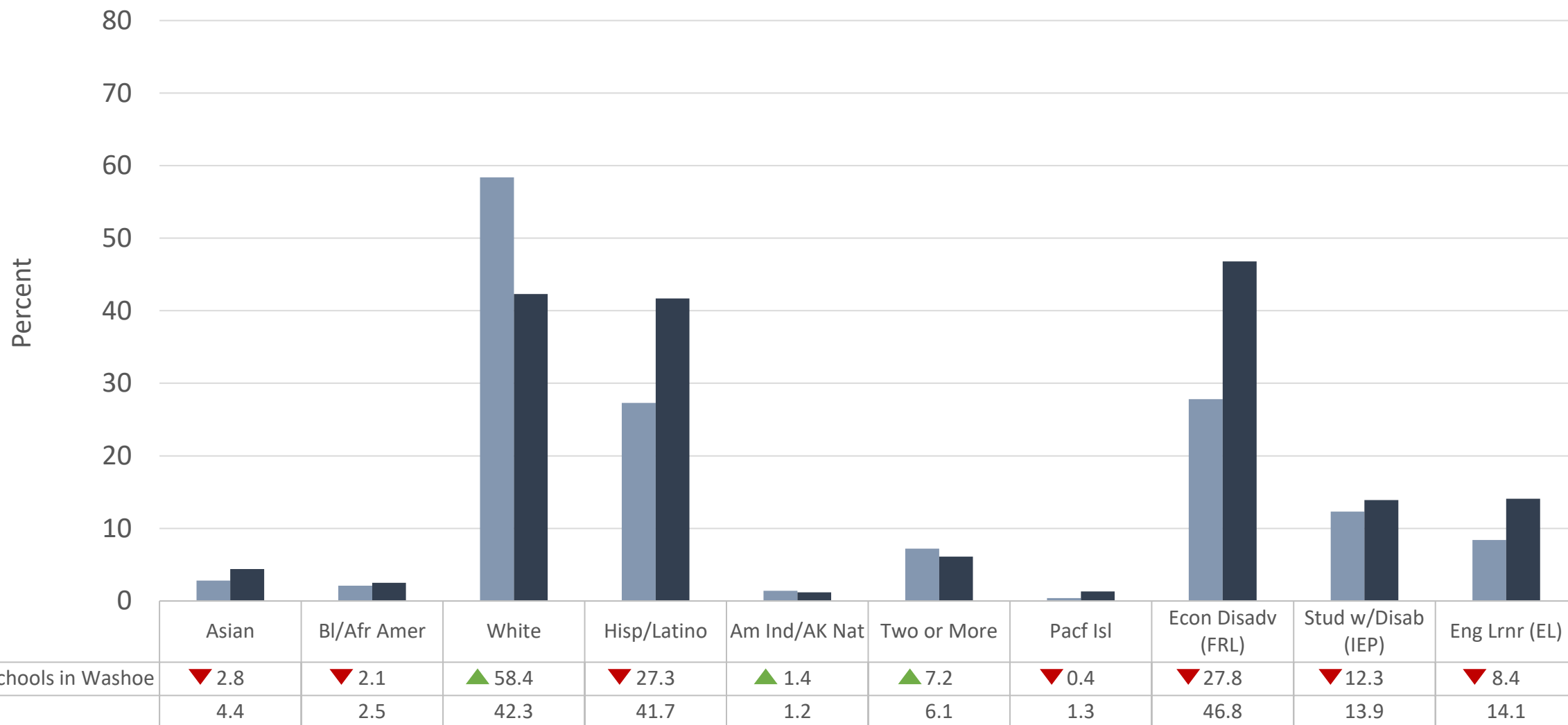
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SPCSA Schools in Clark vs. Clark



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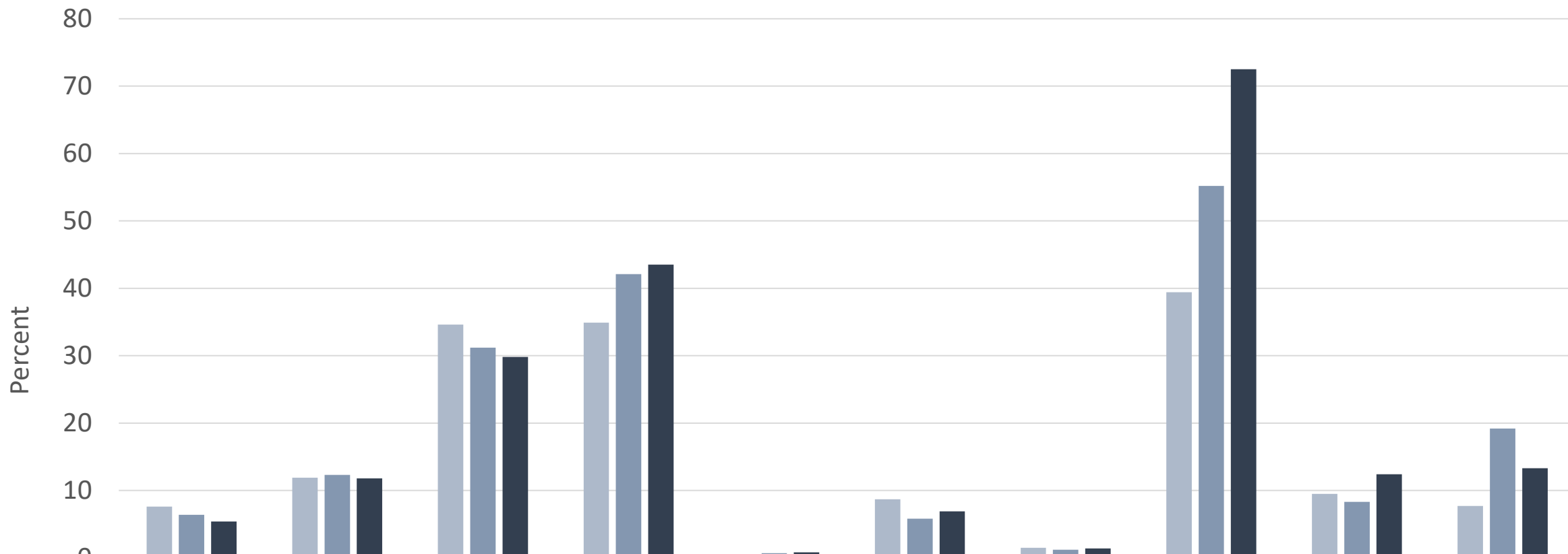
SPCSA Schools in Washoe vs. Washoe



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2020 New SPCSA School Enrollment

(Amplus Rainbow, Explore, GALS, Mater East, NSHS Dwtm Henderson, NSHS NW, Pinecrest NNV)



	Asian	BI/Afr Amer	White	Hisp/Latino	Am Ind/AK Nat	Two or More	Pacf Isl	Econ Disadv (FRL)	Stud w/Disab (IEP)	Eng Lrnr (ELL)
SPCSA	7.6	11.9	34.6	34.9	0.4	8.7	1.5	39.4	9.5	7.7
New Schools	6.4	12.3	31.2	42.1	0.7	5.8	1.2	55.2	8.3	19.2
State	5.4	11.8	29.8	43.5	0.8	6.9	1.4	72.5	12.4	13.3

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SPCSA Enrollment Changes by FRL, IEP, and ELL: 2019 vs. 2020

≥ 25% Percent Change from 2019 to 2020

FRL

School	2019 FRL	2020 FRL	% Change
Legacy SW	18.6	45.2	143.0
Legacy Cadence	25.1	47.3	88.4
Legacy N Valley	26.1	45.7	75.0
Doral Saddle	18.6	27.2	46.2
Doral Red Rock	14.3	19.7	37.7
NSHS Downtown	62.3	83.9	34.6
Leadership Acad	16.0	21.2	32.5
Silver Sands	25.7	33.8	31.5
Somerset Aliante	17.0	22.0	29.4
Pinecrest Inspirada	9.8	12.5	27.5
NSHS Summerlin	32.5	40.7	25.2

IEP

School	2019 IEP	2020 IEP	% Change
Mater Northern NV	10.9	15.0	37.6
Quest Northwest	8.6	11.3	31.3
CASLV Tamarus	6.0	7.8	30.0
CASLV Windmill	3.5	4.4	25.7

ELL

School	2019 ELL	2020 ELL	% Change
Amplus Durango	1.4	3.7	164.2
Somerset Sky Pointe	1.1	2.1	90.9
Pinecrest St Rose	1.4	2.4	71.4
CASLV Windmill	3.0	4.9	63.3
Oasis ACAD	2.0	3.0	50.0
Founders ACAD	4.8	6.7	39.5
Somerset Aliante	2.6	3.5	34.6
NV Connections Acad	1.2	1.6	33.3
CASLV Sandy Ridge	2.1	2.7	28.5
Freedom Classical Acad	9.3	11.8	26.8

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Conclusions

- The official SPCSA enrollment for the 2020-21 school year is 53,223 students—a 7.7% increase over the 2019-20 school year.
- The SPCSA remains the third largest local education agency (LEA) in Nevada.
- Almost one third of SPCSA students are enrolled at Title I schools.
- Year over year, SPCSA enrollment rates:
 - Increased for students identifying as Asian, Black/African American, or Hispanic/Latino.
 - Increased for economically disadvantaged students (FRL), students with disabilities (IEP), and English Language Learners (ELLs).
 - Decreased for students identifying as White.
- The SPCSA aims to serve a population representative of the state and the districts its schools are located within.
 - Despite year over year rate increases, the SPCSA continues to serve proportionately:
 - Fewer students identifying as Hispanic/Latino.
 - Fewer economically disadvantaged students (FRL), students with disabilities (IEP), and English Language Learners (ELLs).
 - However, as evidenced by new school enrollment data, the SPCSA is making progress toward that goal.

Glossary of Acronyms

ELL	English Language Learners
FERPA	Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (federal law protecting student privacy)
FRL	Free and Reduced-Price Lunch for economically disadvantaged students
IEP	Individualized Education Programs for students with disabilities
LEA	Local Educational Agency
NSPF	Nevada School Performance Framework (annual school star ratings)
SPCSA	State Public Charter School Authority
SY	School Year