An Overview of Racial Segregation in Denver Public Schools

How Has Racial Segregation in Denver Public Schools Changed Over Time?

**Percent of Students in Schools with 90-100% Students of Color**

- Black: 0% (1990) to 11% (2014)
- Latino: 15% (1990) to 52% (2014)
- White: 70% (1990) to 70% (2014)

Busing ends after court ruling in 1995

**Percent of Students in Schools with >50% White Students**

- Black: 0% (1990) to 8% (2014)
- Latino: 13% (1990) to 22% (2014)
- White: 5% (1990) to 49% (2014)

Busing ends after court ruling in 1995

Note: Charts expand upon data from Chungmei Lee, "Denver Public Schools: Resegregation, Latino Style." Harvard University: The Civil Rights Project. (January 2006).
WHAT DO DENVER SCHOOLS LOOKS LIKE?

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<tr>
<th>Schools with 90-100% Students of Color</th>
<th>Less Segregated Schools (between 50-90% students of color)</th>
<th>Students in Schools with &gt;50% White Students</th>
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<td>Number of schools</td>
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<td>104 schools (55% of all DPS schools)</td>
<td>53 schools (28% of all DPS schools)</td>
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<td>Location</td>
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<td>SE: 1 school</td>
<td>SE: 13 schools</td>
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<td>SW: 31 schools</td>
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<td>NNE: 2 schools</td>
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<td>FNE: 38 schools</td>
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<td>NW: 32 schools</td>
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<td>36% of these schools are Green or Blue on the district SPF (compared to 48% of all district schools)</td>
<td>67% of these schools are Green or Blue</td>
<td>94% of these schools are Green or Blue. The other 6% are new and do not have SPF ratings.</td>
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Racial Composition in Denver Public Schools

WHICH SCHOOLS ARE THE MOST INTEGRATED?
SCHOOLS WITH 50-75% STUDENTS OF COLOR (29 OF 188 SCHOOLS)

- Academia Ana Marie Sandoval
- Centennial ECE-8
- East High School
- Denison Montessori
- DCIS
- Denver Green School
- Denver Online High School
- Denison Public Montessori
- Dora Moore ECE-8
- DSST: Stapleton High School
- DSST: Stapleton Middle School
- Ellis Elementary
- George Washington High School
- Gilpin Montessori
- Girls Athletic Leadership School
- Grant Ranch ECE-8
- Hamilton Middle
- Highline Academy
- Hill Campus of Arts and Sciences
- Kaiser Elementary
- McKinley-Thatcher Elementary
- Merrill Middle
- Montclair Elementary
- Morey Middle School
- Palmer Elementary
- Skinner Middle
- South High School
- Thomas Jefferson High School
- Valdez Elementary

DO DENVER CHILDREN ATTEND DENVER PUBLIC SCHOOLS?

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<th>DPS Student Population</th>
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Note: All demographic data is based on 2014-2015 school year enrollment.