Factbook: Foster Youth
Institutional Effectiveness, Research \& Planning
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## Definitions and notes

All tallies represent unduplicated headcounts reported for students with foster youth status for the given fall term.

## Foster youth status

Students with foster youth status have been or are currently in court-ordered out-of-home placement.
Examples of out-of-home placements include:

1. Foster home
2. Group home
3. Court-ordered placement with a relative.

Foster Students Overall Chart


Foster Students Overall Table

| Term | foster |
| :---: | :---: |
| Fall 2014 | 544 |
| Fall 2015 | 485 |
| Fall 2016 | 469 |
| Fall 2017 | 457 |
| Fall 2018 | 467 |

Foster Students by Age Chart




Foster Students by Age Count

| Age | Fall | Fall | Fall | Fall | Fall |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 8}$ |  |
| 19 and under | 151 | 141 | 127 | 143 | 113 |
| $20-24$ | 257 | 216 | 199 | 187 | 186 |
| $25-34$ | 94 | 89 | 103 | 95 | 123 |
| 35 and over | 42 | 39 | 40 | 32 | 45 |
| Total | 544 | 485 | 469 | 457 | 467 |

Foster Students by Age Percent

| Age | Fall | Fall | Fall | Fall | Fall |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 19 and under | $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 8}$ |
| $20-24$ | $47.76 \%$ | $29.07 \%$ | $27.08 \%$ | $31.29 \%$ | $24.20 \%$ |
| $25-34$ | $17.28 \%$ | $18.54 \%$ | $42.43 \%$ | $40.92 \%$ | $39.83 \%$ |
| 35 and over | $7.72 \%$ | $8.04 \%$ | $8.53 \%$ | $7.00 \%$ | $9.64 \%$ |
| Total | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ |

Foster Students by Gender Chart
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$20-$


Foster Students by Gender Count

| Gender | Fall | Fall | Fall | Fall | Fall |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 8}$ |
| Female | 334 | 312 | 289 | 283 | 306 |
| Male | 196 | 161 | 168 | 163 | 154 |
| Unknown | 14 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 7 |
| Total | 544 | 485 | 469 | 457 | 467 |

Foster Students by Gender Percent

| Gender | Fall | Fall | Fall | Fall | Fall |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 8}$ |
| Female | $61.40 \%$ | $64.33 \%$ | $61.62 \%$ | $61.93 \%$ | $65.52 \%$ |
| Male | $36.03 \%$ | $33.20 \%$ | $35.82 \%$ | $35.67 \%$ | $32.98 \%$ |
| Unknown | $2.57 \%$ | $2.47 \%$ | $2.56 \%$ | $2.41 \%$ | $1.50 \%$ |
| Total | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ |


| 40- | Ethnicity |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | - American Indian or Alaska Native |
|  | - Asian |
| (1) | - Black or African American |
| - | - Hispanic/Latino |
| - | - Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander |
|  | - Two or More Races |
|  | - Unknown |
| $20-$ | - White |



## Foster Students by Ethnicity Count

| Ethnicity | Fall <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ | Fall <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ | Fall <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | Fall <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | Fall <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 8}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| American Indian or Alaska <br> Native | 3 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 3 |
| Asian | 24 | 20 | 14 | 10 | 11 |
| Black or African American | 79 | 66 | 70 | 69 | 65 |
| Hispanic/Latino | 334 | 306 | 300 | 291 | 288 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other <br> Pacific Islander | 2 | NA | 1 | 1 | NA |
| Two or More Races | 26 | 21 | 17 | 25 | 29 |
| Unknown | 43 | 27 | 31 | 27 | 24 |
| White | 33 | 40 | 34 | 30 | 47 |
| Total | 544 | 485 | 469 | 457 | 467 |

## Foster Students by Ethnicity Percent

| Ethnicity | Fall <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ | Fall <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ | Fall <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | Fall <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | Fall <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 8}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| American Indian or Alaska <br> Native | $0.55 \%$ | $1.03 \%$ | $0.43 \%$ | $0.88 \%$ | $0.64 \%$ |
| Asian | $4.41 \%$ | $4.12 \%$ | $2.99 \%$ | $2.19 \%$ | $2.36 \%$ |
| Black or African American | $14.52 \%$ | $13.61 \%$ | $14.93 \%$ | $15.10 \%$ | $13.92 \%$ |
| Hispanic/Latino | $61.40 \%$ | $63.09 \%$ | $63.97 \%$ | $63.68 \%$ | $61.67 \%$ |
| Native Hawaiian or Other <br> Pacific Islander | $0.37 \%$ | NA | $0.21 \%$ | $0.22 \%$ | NA |
| Two or More Races | $4.78 \%$ | $4.33 \%$ | $3.62 \%$ | $5.47 \%$ | $6.21 \%$ |
| Unknown | $7.90 \%$ | $5.57 \%$ | $6.61 \%$ | $5.91 \%$ | $5.14 \%$ |
| White | $6.07 \%$ | $8.25 \%$ | $7.25 \%$ | $6.56 \%$ | $10.06 \%$ |
| Total | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ |

Data was sourced from MIS ST and SG files and the Cerritos College Student Information System. The full-term reporting criteria is defined as student headcount status STD7 of A, B, C or F, to match California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office Data Mart figures. Race/ethnicity distributions will not match Data Mart due to a coding issue that was remediated locally.

