



**Broward County Public Schools
Bilingual/ESOL Department**

December 2025

The District started using a new student information system (Focus) in the 2024-25 SY.

Total Enrollment (PK-12)	Number of Students	
District	234,927	100%
ESOL		
LY (Active ELL - Grades KG -12)	31,787	13.5%
LY-T (PreK)	999	0.4%
LP (Pending Testing)	190	0.02%
LF (Former ELL- Years 1 and 2)	10,977	4.7%
LA (Former ELL - Years 3 and 4)	8,838	3.8%
Total (LY + LY-T + LP + LF)	43,953	18.7%
Foreign Born	43,782	18.6%
Recent Immigrants (KG-12)		
Entered U.S. school in the 2025-26 SY	3,391	1.4%
Enrolled for less than three academic years	20,297	8.6%
Hispanic	92,477	39.4%

District	N
Number of languages represented	161
Number of countries represented	195

Top Spoken Languages in the District	N	
English	147,082	62.6%
Spanish	56,254	23.9%
Haitian-Creole	17,086	7.3%
Portuguese	3,854	1.6%
Russian	2,121	0.9%

Area	ELLs (KG-12)		Hispanic (PK-12)		Foreign Born (PK-12)		Recent Immigrants (KG-12)		Total Enrollment (PK-12)
North	8,153	13.3%	20,628	33.6%	10,395	16.9%	4,816	7.8%	61,462
Central	6,248	11.7%	16,734	31.2%	9,559	17.8%	4,424	8.3%	53,566
South	7,897	12.9%	29,905	48.9%	13,122	21.5%	5,863	9.6%	61,118
School Transf Off	2,457	25.1%	1,622	16.5%	1,686	17.2%	1,223	12.5%	9,801
Charter	7,027	14.5%	23,487	48.3%	9,001	18.5%	3,969	8.2%	48,590
Unassigned	5	1.3%	101	25.9%	19	4.9%	2	0.5%	390

English Language Learners (ELL) (Grades KG–12)

Number of Active (LY) and Former (LF) ELL Students Enrolled in Broward District

LP (Pending Testing)	LY- T (Active ELLs - PreK)	LY (Active ELL - Grades KG -12)	LF (Former ELL)	Total
190	999	31,787	10,977	43,953

Number of Active (LY) ELL Students Enrolled in Broward District

Grade Level

KG	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	Total
4,106	4,441	4,472	3,733	2,770	2,008	1,516	1,407	1,572	1,494	1,519	1,324	1,425	31,787
12.9%	14.0%	14.1%	11.7%	8.7%	6.3%	4.8%	4.4%	4.9%	4.7%	4.8%	4.2%	4.5%	100%

Language Classification

1/A1	2/A2	3/B1	4/B2	5/C1	6/C2	T	U	Other	Total
11,550	7,153	9,963	2,773	173	33	1	78	63	31,787
36.3%	22.5%	31.3%	8.7%	0.5%	0.1%	0.0%	0.2%	0.2%	100%

SWD Status

Non-SWD	27,537	86.6%
Gifted	32	0.1%
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SWD	4,250	13.4%
Autism Spectrum Dis.	1,056	3.3%
Deaf/Hard of Hearing	21	0.1%
Develop. Delayed	814	2.6%
Emotional/Behav. Dis.	19	0.1%
Intellectual Disability	120	0.4%
Language Impaired	307	1.0%
Orthopedically Imp.	17	0.1%
Other Health Impaired	322	1.0%
Specific Learning Dis.	1,069	3.4%
Speech Impaired	495	1.6%
Other	10	0.0%
Total	31,787	100%

Top Twenty Countries of Origin			
1st	Haiti	3,414	10.7%
2nd	Venezuela	2,087	6.6%
3rd	Colombia	2,016	6.3%
4th	Cuba	1,684	5.3%
5th	Brazil	1,439	4.5%
6th	Honduras	1,146	3.6%
7th	Chile	802	2.5%
8th	Guatemala	711	2.2%
9th	Dominican Republic	563	1.8%
10th	Nicaragua	553	1.7%
11th	Peru	544	1.7%
12th	Mexico	478	1.5%
13th	Ecuador	401	1.3%
14th	Russia	366	1.2%
15th	Ukraine	355	1.1%
16th	El Salvador	325	1.0%
17th	Argentina	322	1.0%
18th	Viet Nam	143	0.4%
19th	Israel	135	0.4%
20th	Spain	109	0.3%
	United States	12,834	40.4%
	Other Countries	1,360	4.3%
	Total (143 countries)	31,787	100%

Top Twenty Spoken Languages			
1st	Spanish	19,675	61.9%
2nd	Haitian-Creole	6,705	21.1%
3rd	Portuguese	1,500	4.7%
4th	Russian	971	3.1%
5th	English	913	2.9%
6th	Vietnamese	277	0.9%
7th	Hebrew	241	0.8%
8th	Ukrainian	211	0.7%
9th	French	177	0.6%
10th	Arabic	139	0.4%
11th	Chinese	124	0.4%
12th	Bengali, Bangla	86	0.3%
13th	Turkish	81	0.3%
14th	Urdu	71	0.2%
15th	Mandarin	40	0.1%
16th	Jamaican Creole	38	0.1%
17th	Hindi	35	0.1%
18th	Malayalam	32	0.1%
19th	Tagalog	31	0.1%
20th	Italian	27	0.1%
	Other Languages	413	1.3%
	Total (109 languages)	31,787	100%

Race/Ethnicity		
American Indian	30	0.1%
Asian	937	2.9%
Black	7,500	23.6%
Hispanic	20,407	64.2%
Pacific Islander	15	0.0%
White	2,770	8.7%
Multi-Racial	128	0.4%
Total	31,787	100%



English Language Learners (ELL) (Grades KG–12)

Time in ESOL Program

First Year	Up to 2 Years	Up to 3 Years	Up to 4 Years	Up to 5 Years	Up to 6 Years	6 Years or More	Total
5,911	8,354	7,791	4,640	2,859	1,055	1,177	31,787
18.6%	26.3%	24.5%	14.6%	9.0%	3.3%	3.7%	100%

Free/Reduced Lunch

FRL	NON-FRL	Total
20,699	11,088	31,787
65.1%	34.9%	100%

School Type

Public	Charter	Center	Agency	Total
24,428	7,027	331	1	31,787
76.8%	22.1%	1.0%	0.003%	100%

Gender

Female	Male	TOTAL
14,870	16,917	31,787
46.8%	53.2%	100%

504 Plans

Yes	No	TOTAL
223	31,564	31,787
0.7%	99.3%	100%



Foreign-Born Students (Grades PK–12)

Number of Foreign-Born Students Enrolled in Broward District

Grade Level

PK	KG	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	Total
486	1,824	2,204	2,444	2,622	2,839	3,040	3,362	3,577	4,022	4,083	4,287	4,260	4,732	43,782
1.1%	4.2%	5.0%	5.6%	6.0%	6.5%	6.9%	7.7%	8.2%	9.2%	9.3%	9.8%	9.7%	10.8%	100%

Top Twenty Countries of Origin

1st	Haiti	5,987	13.7%	9th	Chile	1,285	2.9%	17th	Bahamas	738	1.7%
2nd	Venezuela	5,452	12.5%	10th	Guatemala	1,089	2.5%	18th	Russia	735	1.7%
3rd	Colombia	3,993	9.1%	11th	Peru	1,061	2.4%	19th	El Salvador	687	1.6%
4th	Brazil	2,933	6.7%	12th	Mexico	929	2.1%	20th	Ukraine	597	1.4%
5th	Jamaica	2,711	6.2%	13th	Argentina	872	2.0%				
6th	Cuba	2,552	5.8%	14th	Puerto Rico	819	1.9%		Other Countries	6,529	14.9%
7th	Honduras	1,990	4.5%	15th	Nicaragua	779	1.8%		Total (195 countries)	43,782	100%
8th	Dominican Republic	1,303	3.0%	16th	Ecuador	741	1.7%				

Top Twenty Most Frequently Spoken Languages

1st	Spanish	22,740	51.9%	9th	French	282	0.6%	17th	Telugu	77	0.2%
2nd	English	7,620	17.4%	10th	Arabic	202	0.5%	18th	Tagalog	74	0.2%
3rd	Haitian-Creole	6,644	15.2%	11th	Bengali, Bangla	163	0.4%	19th	Rumanian, Romanian	59	0.1%
4th	Portuguese	2,334	5.3%	12th	Chinese	161	0.4%	20th	Malayalam	58	0.1%
5th	Russian	1,188	2.7%	13th	Hindi	129	0.3%				
6th	Vietnamese	334	0.8%	14th	Turkish	116	0.3%		Other Languages	819	1.9%
7th	Hebrew	320	0.7%	15th	Urdu	87	0.2%		Total (127 languages)	43,782	100%
8th	Ukrainian	298	0.7%	16th	Jamaican Creole	77	0.2%				



Active Recent Immigrant (Grades K-12; 2025-26 School Year)

Number of 2025-26 Recent Immigrant Students Enrolled in Broward District

Grade Level

KG	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	Total
1,764	145	156	114	127	126	137	122	152	163	154	144	87	3,391
52.0%	4.3%	4.6%	3.4%	3.7%	3.7%	4.0%	3.6%	4.5%	4.8%	4.5%	4.2%	2.6%	100%

Month Enrolled U.S. School

AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	Total
2,781	217	170	99	98	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,391
82.0%	6.4%	5.0%	2.9%	2.9%	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100%

Top Twenty Countries of Origin

1st	Haiti	377	11.1%	9th	Honduras	115	3.4%	17th	India	58	1.7%
2nd	Brazil	327	9.6%	10th	Mexico	95	2.8%	18th	Ukraine	66	1.9%
3rd	Colombia	297	8.8%	11th	Peru	90	2.7%	19th	Argentina	53	1.6%
4th	Jamaica	236	7.0%	12th	Ecuador	71	2.1%	20th	Nicaragua	48	1.4%
5th	Chile	192	5.7%	13th	Russia	70	2.1%				
6th	Cuba	180	5.3%	14th	Israel	68	2.0%		Other Countries	646	19.1%
7th	Venezuela	153	4.5%	15th	Canada	67	2.0%		Total (126 countries)	3,391	100%
8th	Dominican Republic	115	3.4%	16th	Guatemala	67	2.0%				

Top Twenty Most Frequently Spoken Languages

1st	Spanish	1,413	41.7%	9th	French	30	0.9%	17th	Filipino	12	0.4%
2nd	English	625	18.4%	10th	Vietnamese	23	0.7%	18th	Telugu	8	0.2%
3rd	Haitian-Creole	603	17.8%	11th	Arabic	20	0.6%	19th	Azerbaijani	5	0.1%
4th	Portuguese	213	6.3%	12th	Chinese	18	0.5%	20th	German	5	0.1%
5th	Russian	131	3.9%	13th	Hindi	18	0.5%				
6th	Hebrew	61	1.8%	14th	Tagalog	16	0.5%		Other Languages	93	2.7%
7th	Turkish	36	1.1%	15th	Bengali, Bangla	14	0.4%		Total (68 languages)	3,391	100%
8th	Ukrainian	33	1.0%	16th	Urdu	14	0.4%				



Active Recent Immigrant (Grades K–12)

Number of Recent Immigrant Students (Grades K–12) Enrolled in Broward District

Grade Level

KG	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	Total
1,821	2,193	2,342	1,393	1,280	1,312	1,313	1,377	1,508	1,449	1,518	1,370	1,421	20,297
9.0%	10.8%	11.5%	6.9%	6.3%	6.5%	6.5%	6.8%	7.4%	7.1%	7.5%	6.7%	7.0%	100%

School Year Enrolled U.S. School

2022-23 School Year	2023-24 School Year	2024-25 School Year	2025-26 School Year	Total
2,900	7,293	6,713	3,391	20,297
14.3%	35.9%	33.1%	16.7%	100%

Top Twenty Countries of Origin

1st	Haiti	3,388	16.7%	9th	Peru	555	2.7%	17th	Argentina	350	1.7%
2nd	Colombia	1,939	9.6%	10th	Dominican Republic	516	2.5%	18th	Bahamas	300	1.5%
3rd	Venezuela	1,749	8.6%	11th	Nicaragua	510	2.5%	19th	India	233	1.1%
4th	Cuba	1,644	8.1%	12th	Mexico	481	2.4%	20th	Canada	231	1.1%
5th	Brazil	1,322	6.5%	13th	Guatemala	458	2.3%				
6th	Jamaica	1,191	5.9%	14th	Russia	448	2.2%		Other Countries	2,547	12.5%
7th	Chile	896	4.4%	15th	Ukraine	412	2.0%		Total (176 countries)	20,297	100%
8th	Honduras	730	3.6%	16th	Ecuador	397	2.0%				

Top Twenty Most Frequently Spoken Languages

1st	Spanish	10,237	50.4%	9th	Vietnamese	119	0.6%	17th	Urdu	40	0.2%
2nd	Haitian-Creole	3,992	19.7%	10th	Arabic	86	0.4%	18th	Jamaican Creole	34	0.2%
3rd	English	2,678	13.2%	11th	Turkish	77	0.4%	19th	Malayalam	33	0.2%
4th	Portuguese	994	4.9%	12th	Bengali, Bangla	63	0.3%	20th	Telugu	29	0.1%
5th	Russian	755	3.7%	13th	Hindi	57	0.3%				0.0%
6th	Ukrainian	228	1.1%	14th	Chinese	53	0.3%		Other Languages	386	1.9%
7th	Hebrew	181	0.9%	15th	Filipino	45	0.2%		Total (105 languages)	20,297	100%
8th	French	166	0.8%	16th	Tagalog	44	0.2%				