

# Student Success Report

2020-2021



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# Guiding Principles

## ○ LOVE PRINCIPLE: NURTURE

We focus on the individual child, nurturing his/her social and emotional needs.

## ○ EMPATHY PRINCIPLE: SERVICE

We encourage students to use their gifts and talents to solve problems to help make the world a better place.



## ○ GOLDBLOCKS PRINCIPLE: CHALLENGE

We meet students in their ZONE with work that is not too easy, nor too frustrating for them.

## ○ NO CHILD LEFT BORED PRINCIPLE: PASSIONATE INTERESTS

We provide frequent opportunities for authentic, interdisciplinary learning based on students' interests.

## ○ POWER PRINCIPLE: MOTIVATION

We give students voices and choices in their learning. Students get to participate in classroom AND school-wide decision making on issues that affect them.

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# Mission

The Galileo School for Gifted Learning provides innovative, research-based education in a nurturing environment for gifted and talented students and those who want to learn in a gifted learning environment that will challenge and motivate them to pursue their passionate interests in service to others.

# Vision

The goal of the Galileo School for Gifted Learning is to engage our students through an integrated curriculum using science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) content while simultaneously providing them with the guidance to see its applications and purpose through history, literature, and the arts; thereby producing our country's next generation of independent thinkers.

# Core Values

Kindness rules our hearts.

Intellectual curiosity and honesty rule our minds.

Perseverance and respect for others guide our behavior.

# School Advisory Board

**Mr. Stephen Schenck**, Owner of Spinnaker Technology, Inc, Former Deputy Mayor, City of Oviedo and Galileo Founding Board Member

**Ms. Mari Rains**, Program Director, Florida Institute of Government at UCF

**Dr. Taylor Wenzel**, Associate Lecturer, Reading Education

**Dr. Joyce Nutta**, Professor, UCF World Languages Education

**Dr. Mary Little**, UCF Professor of Exceptional Student Education and Program Coordinator

**Dr. Elizabeth Dooley**, Provost and Vice-President for Academic Affairs, UCF

**Dr. Jeanette Garcia**, Assistant Professor UCF Department of Health Sciences

**Dr. Derek Cavilla**, Campus Director, Futures Academy in Walnut Creek, CA., and former Galileo Director of Curriculum and Instruction

**Ms. Nancy Chrisman**, President and Founder, Emergent Foundation, Inc., and Emergent Consulting 121.

# School Governing Board

**Dr. Michele Gregoire Gill – Chair**

**Mr. Javier Rivera – Vice Chair**

**Dr. Debbie L. Hahs-Vaughn - Secretary**

**Mr. Kevin Miller**

**Mr. Caleb Edwards**

**Mr. Rich Margadonna**

**Mr. Joe MacLaren**

**Ms. Treva Marshall**

**Mr. Jason Brodeur**



# Student Performance

- **Middle School Performance:**

- COVID-19 No Data Available for Algebra EOC
- COVID-19 No Data Available for Civics EOC

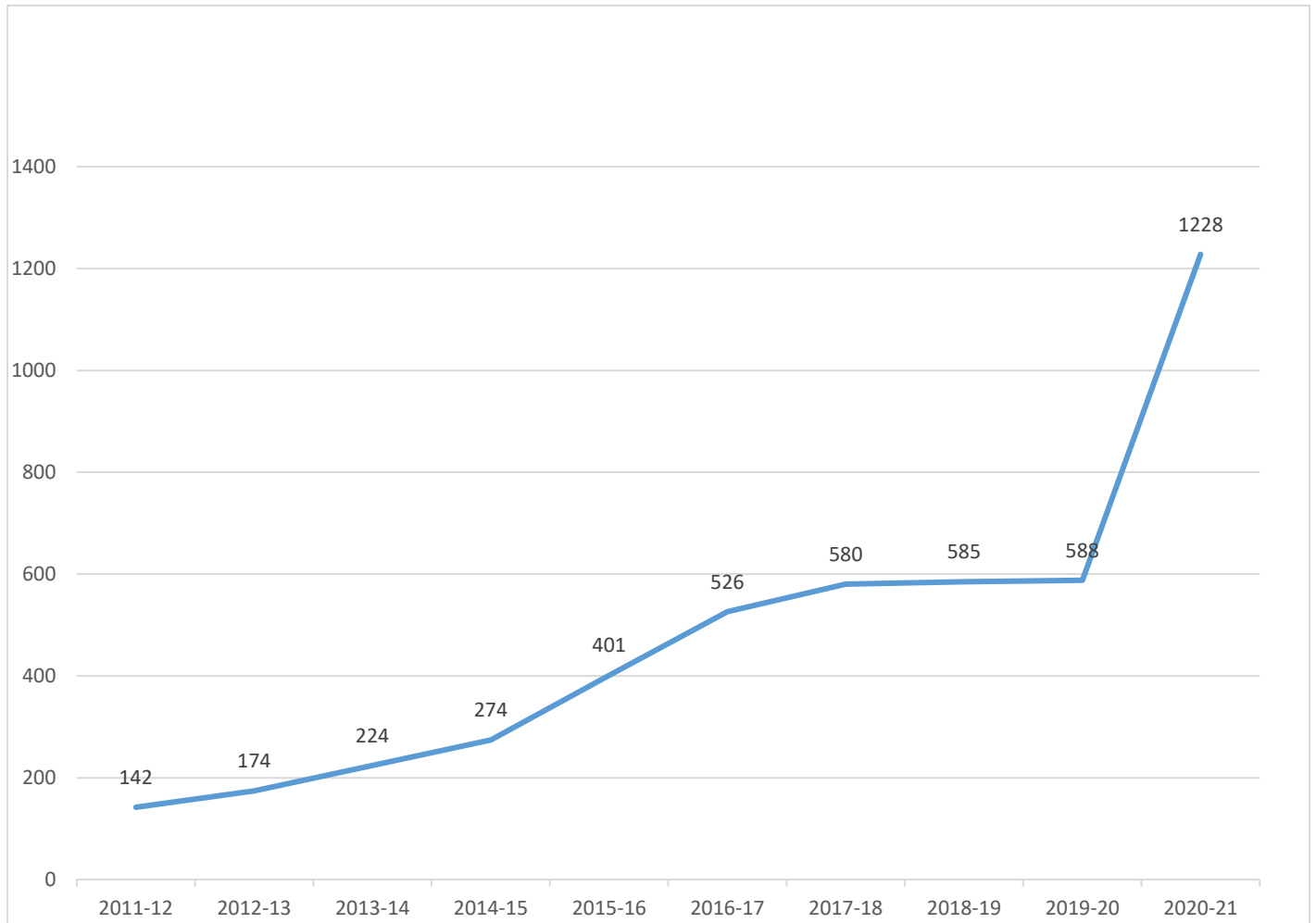
- **Elementary School Performance:**

Proficiency data not available due to COVID-19 for FSA reading

- **School Wide Performance:**

- We are an A Rated School.

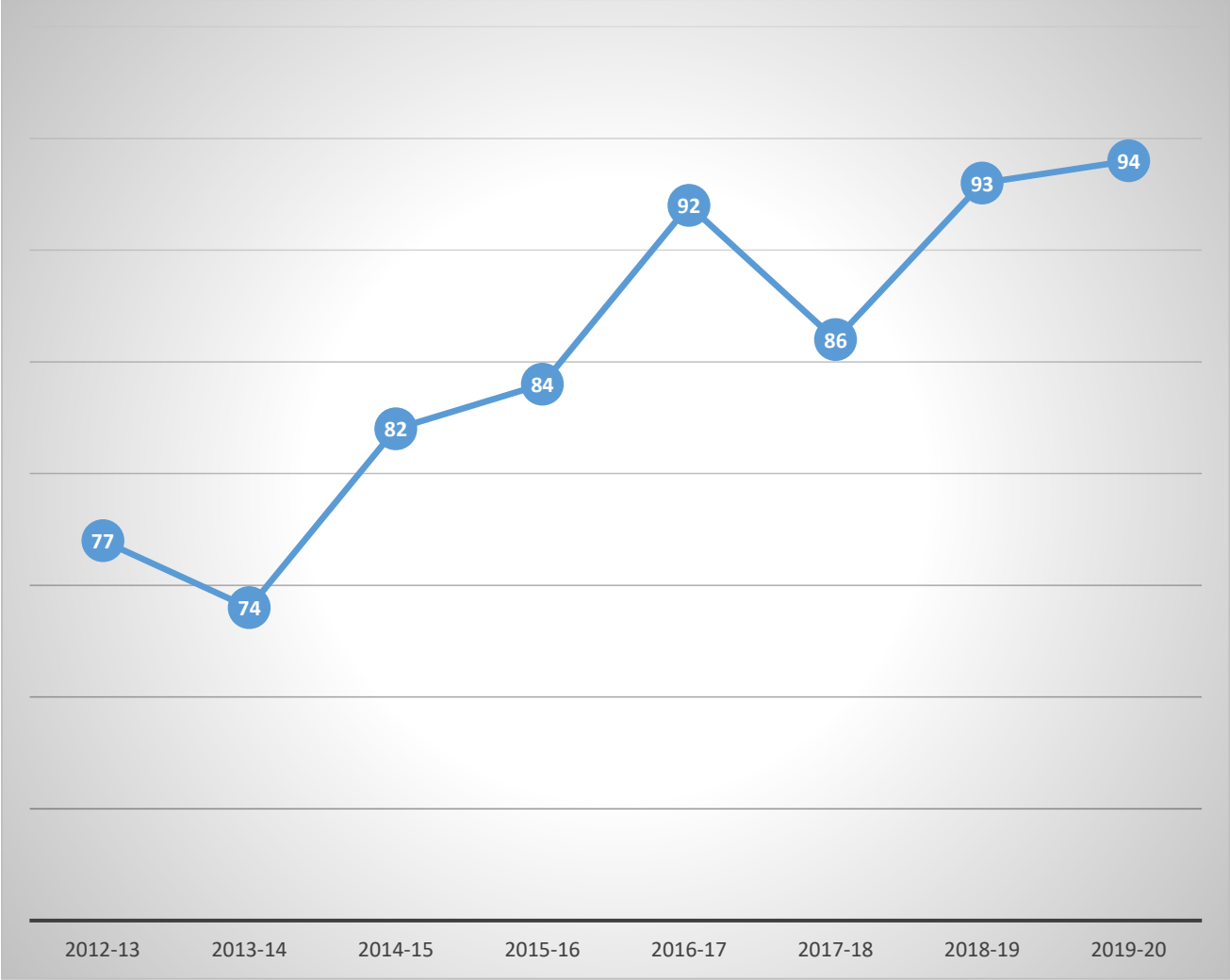
# Enrollment



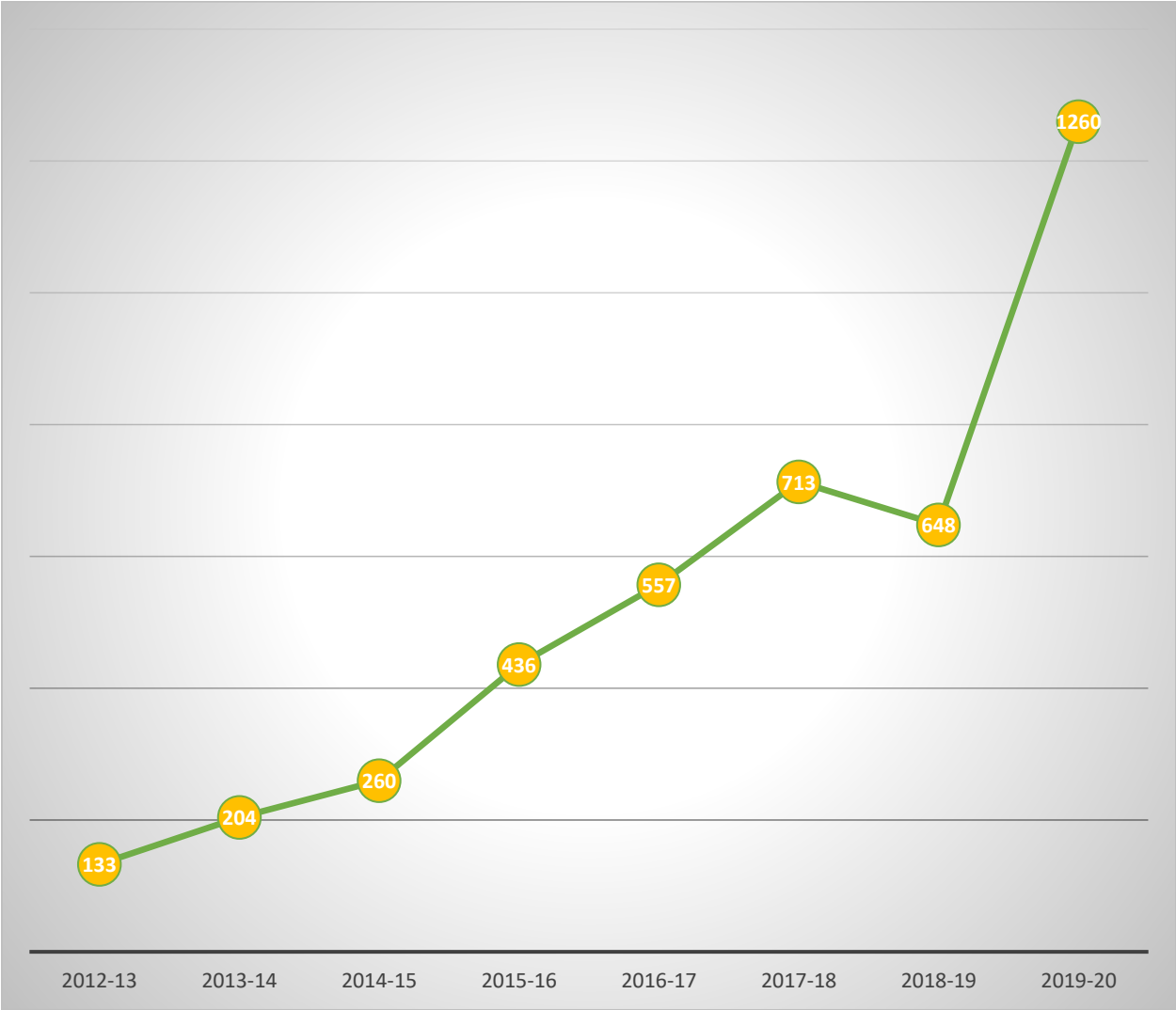
\*\*Enrollment based on two campuses\*\*



# Student Retention

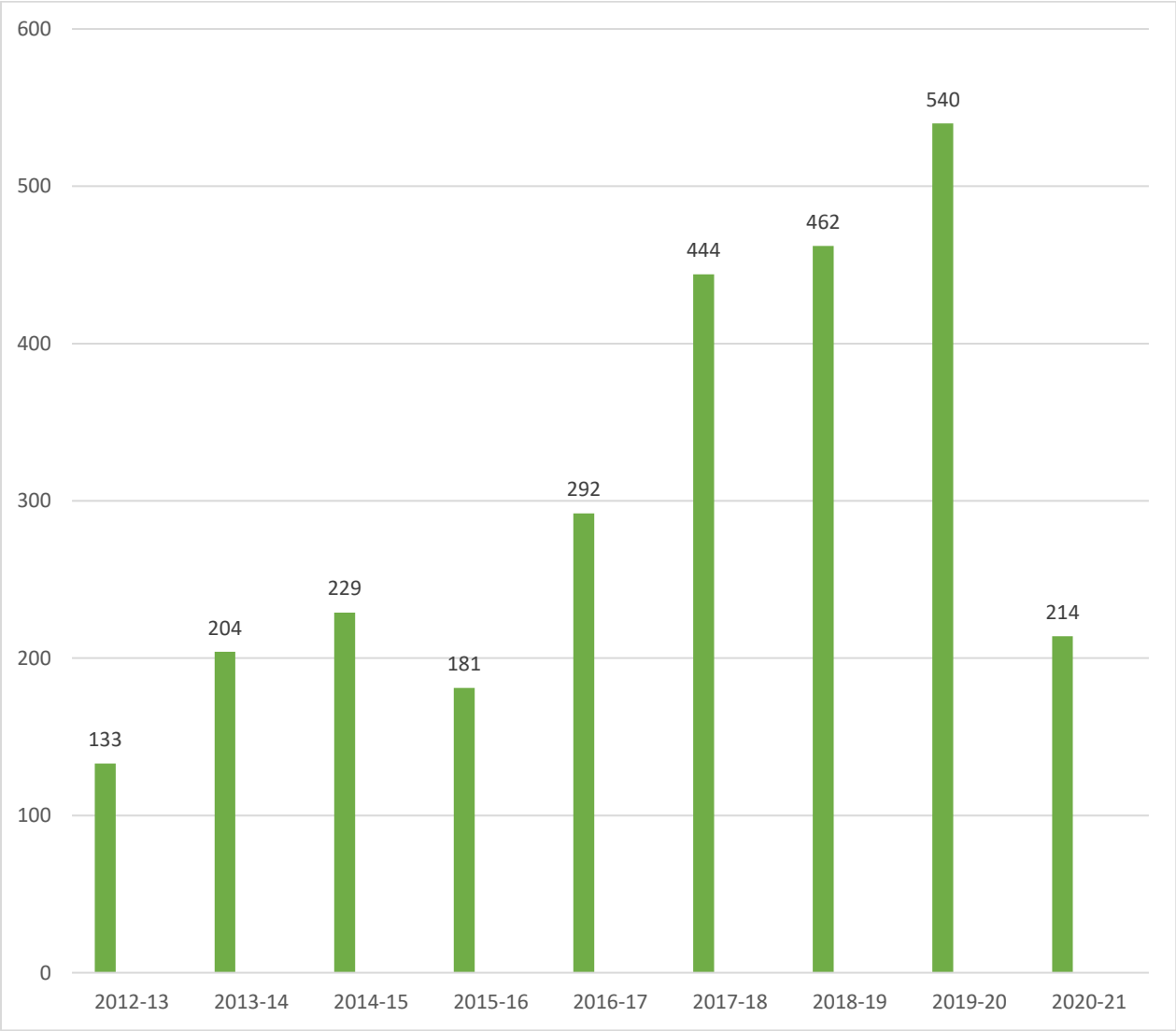


# Lottery Applications



\*2019-20 data shows applications for two campuses

# Student Waiting List

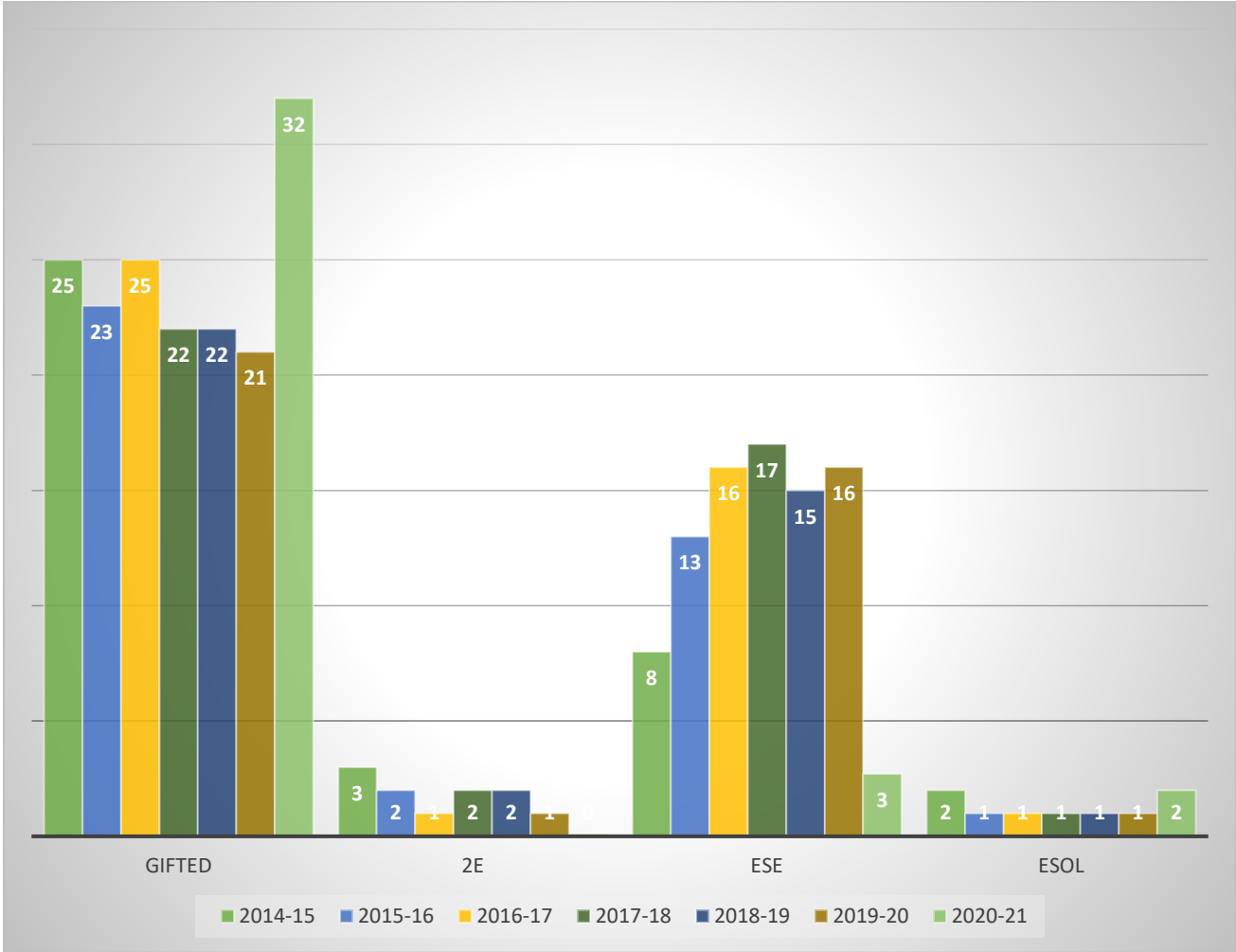


## 2020-2021 Breakdown

PRE-K	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
8	96	12	14	33	1	2	0	42	6

# Demographics:

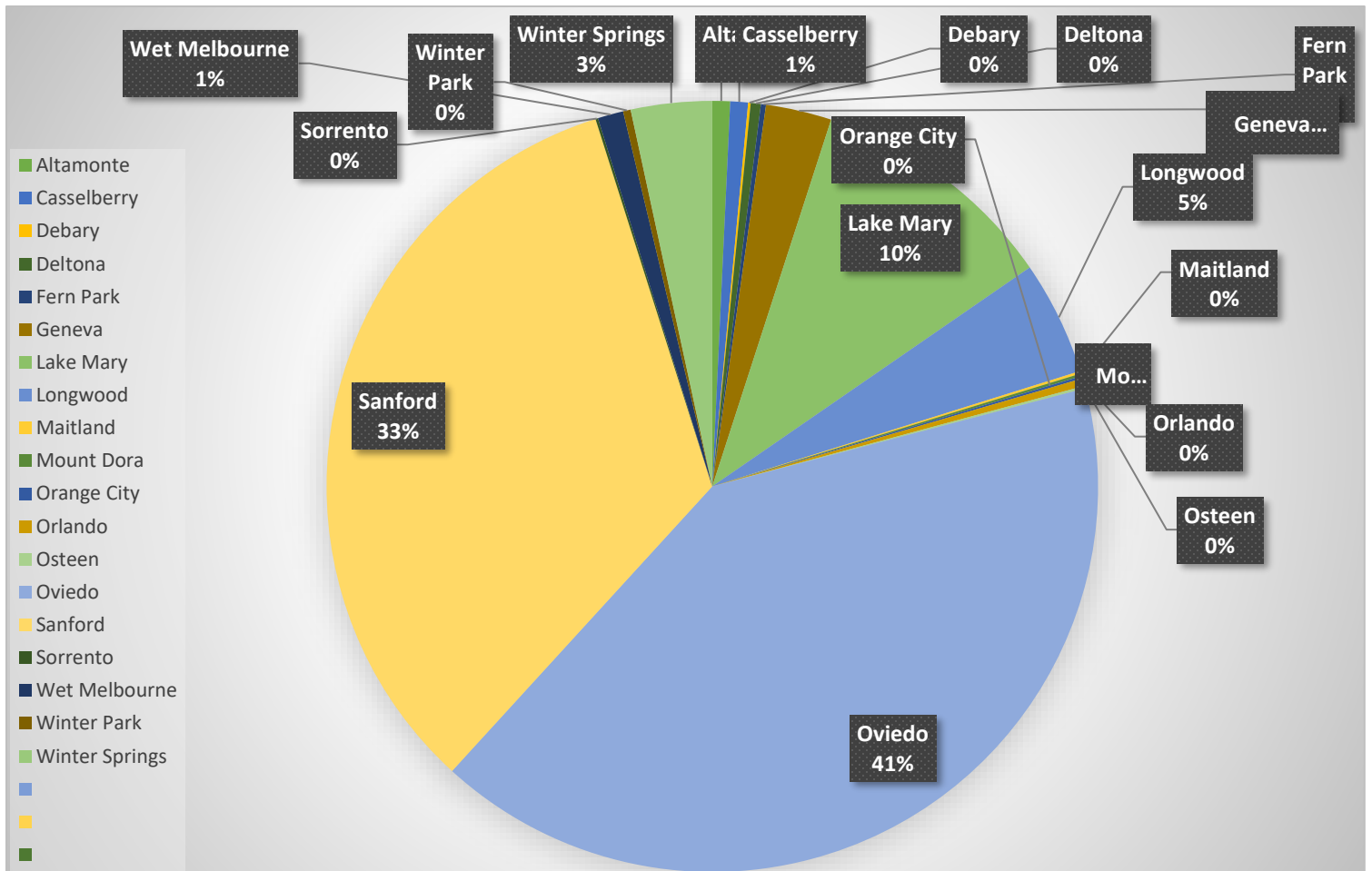
## Student Learning Needs (by Percent)



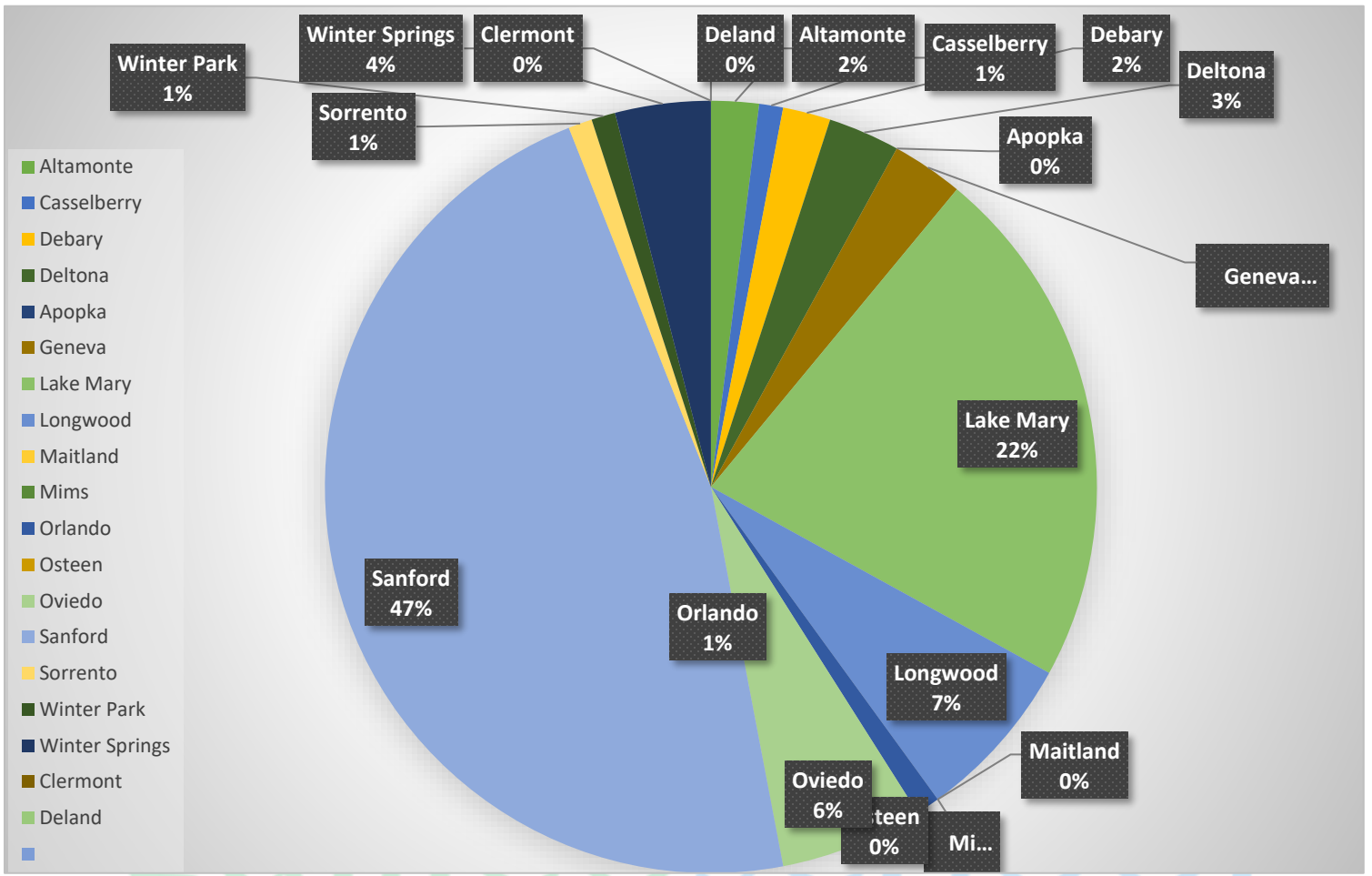
\*\*\*Data displayed for two campuses

# Demographics: Student Geography

## Riverbend



# Skyway

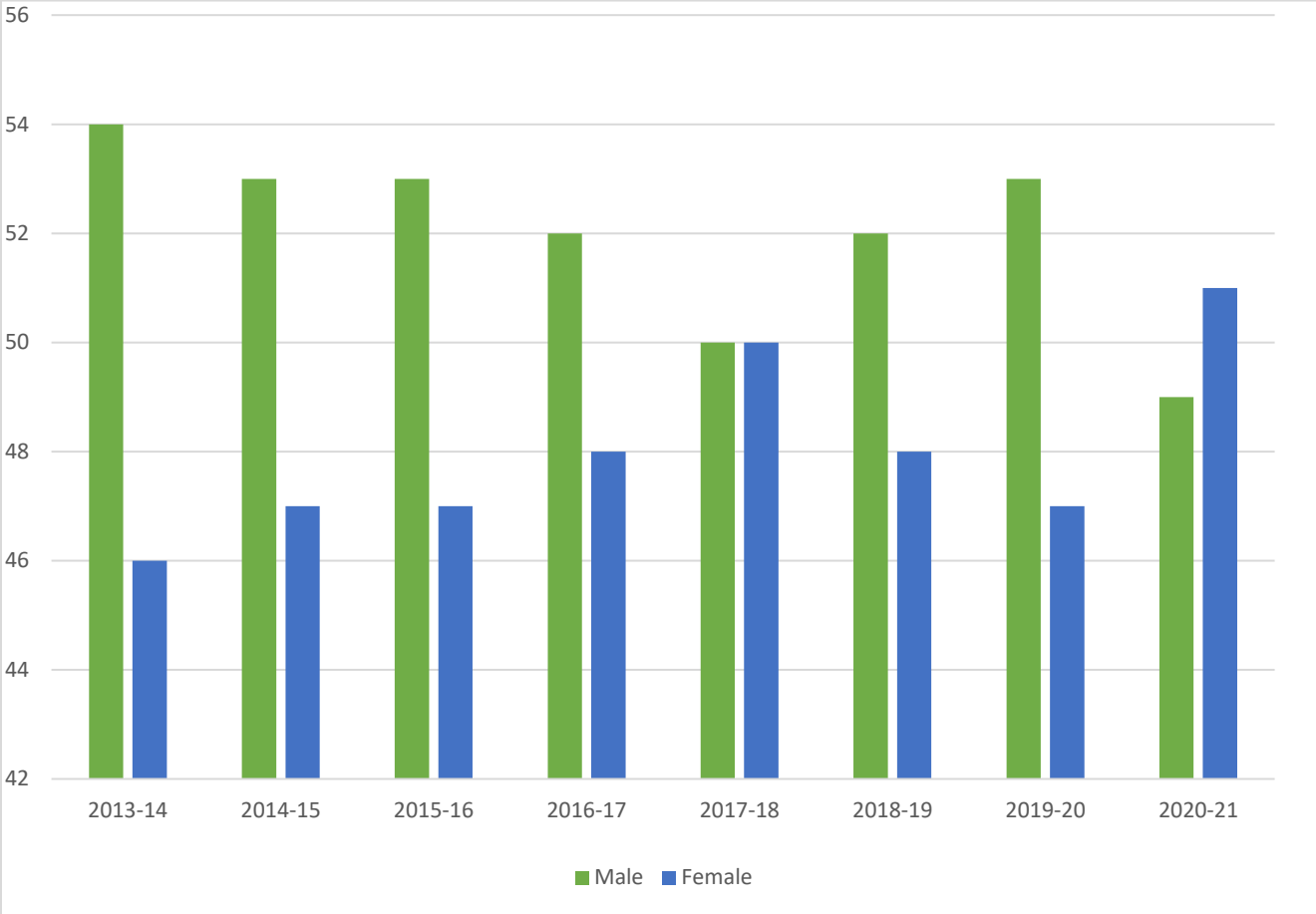


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# Demographics:

## Gender (by Percent)

### Riverbend



# Skyway Campus



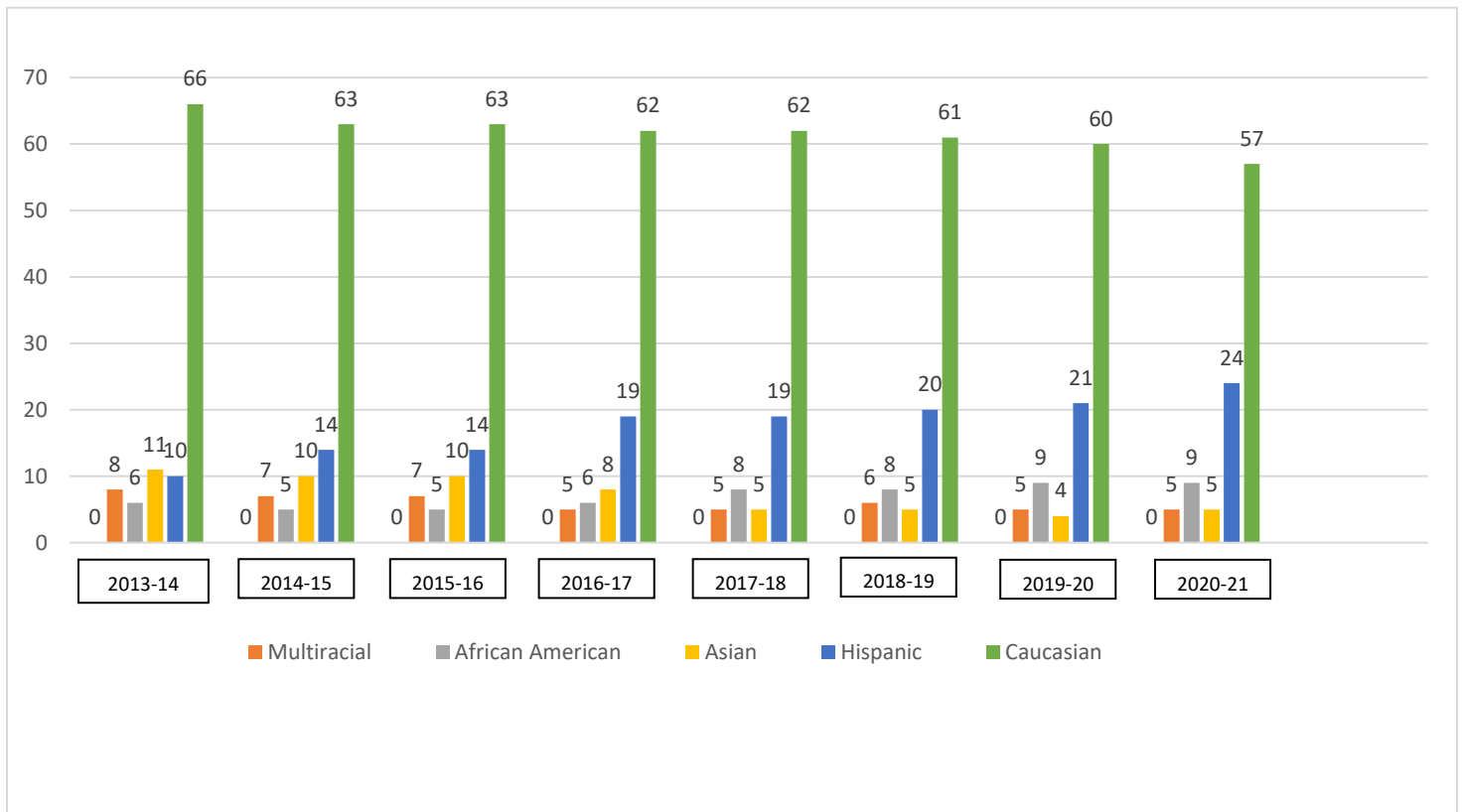
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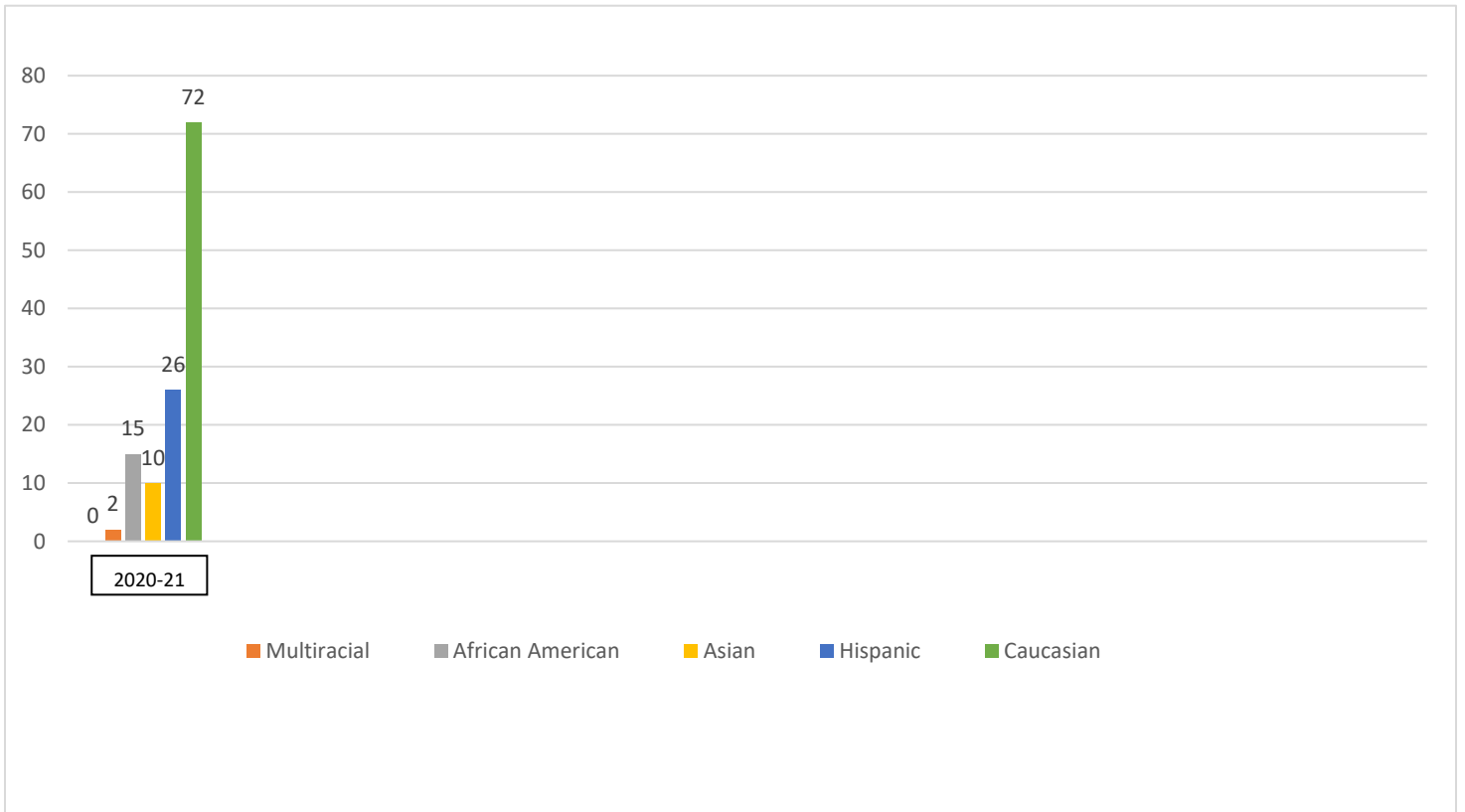
# Demographics:

## Race and Ethnicity (by Percent)

### Riverbend Campus



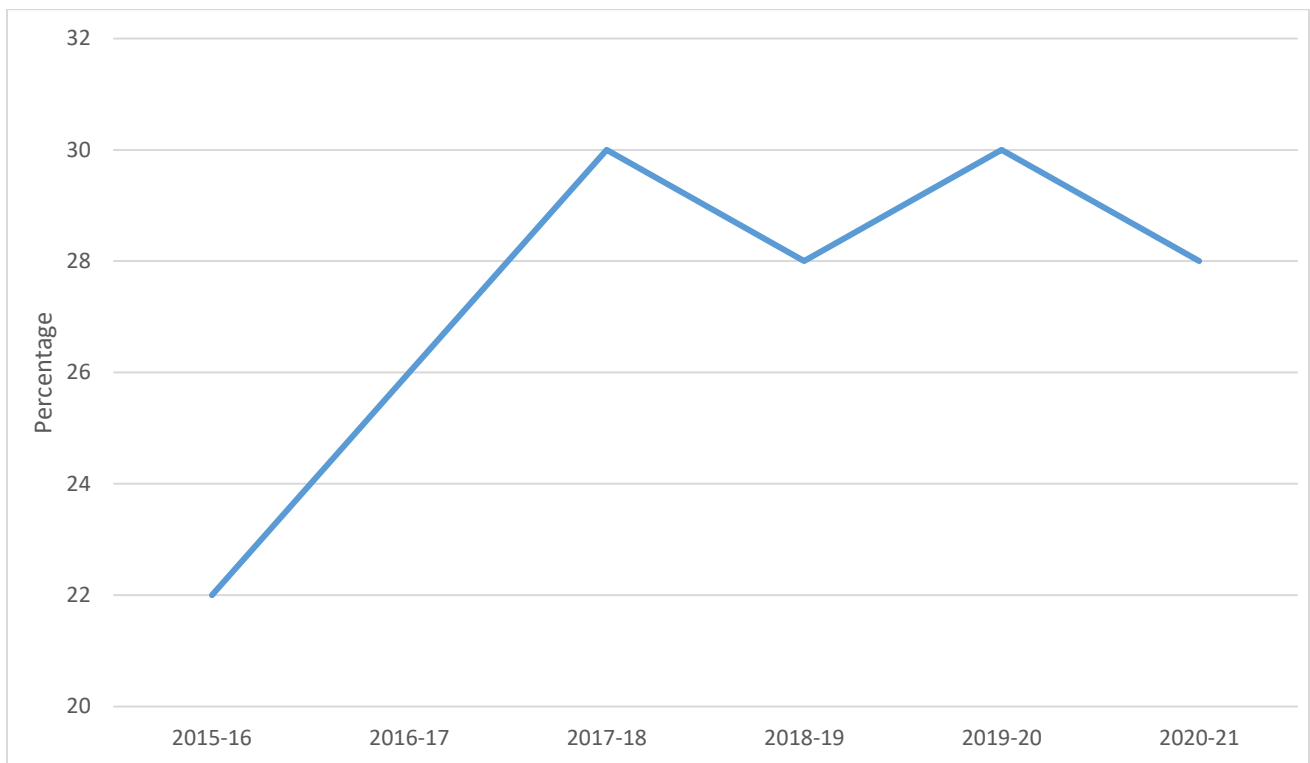
# Skyway Campus



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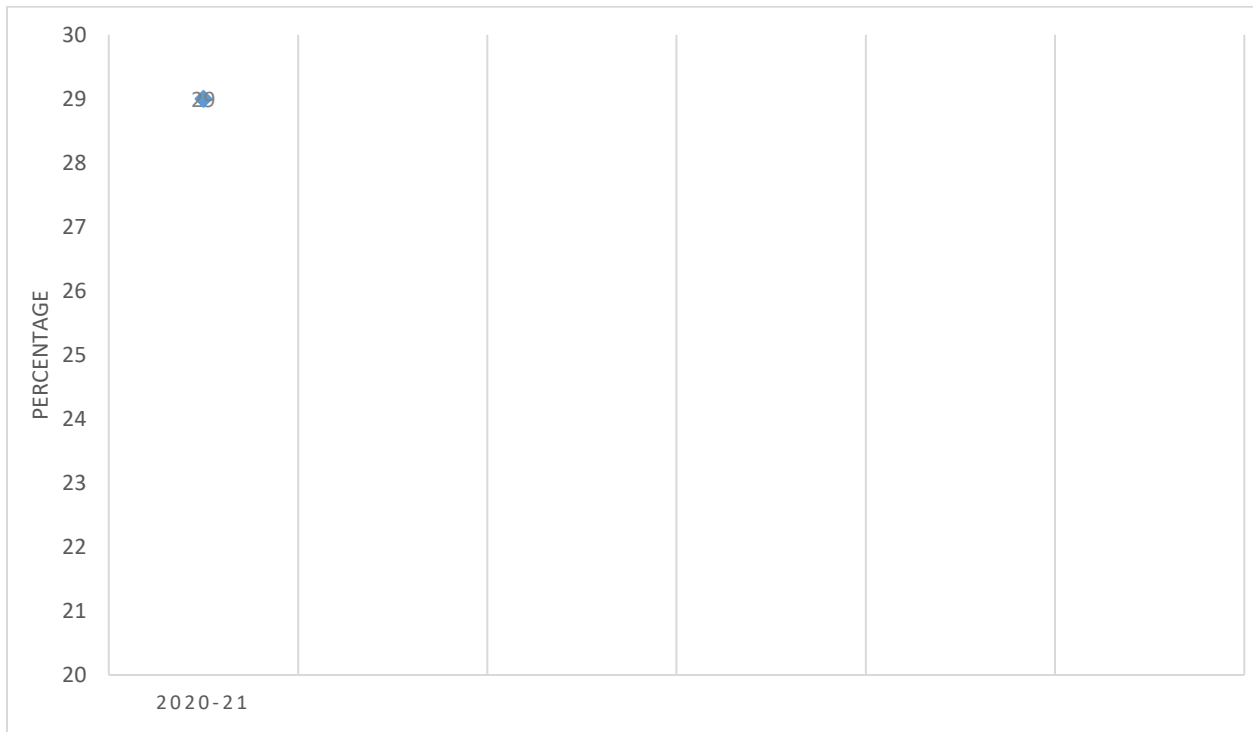
# Demographics: Free and Reduced Lunch (by Percent)

## Riverbend Campus



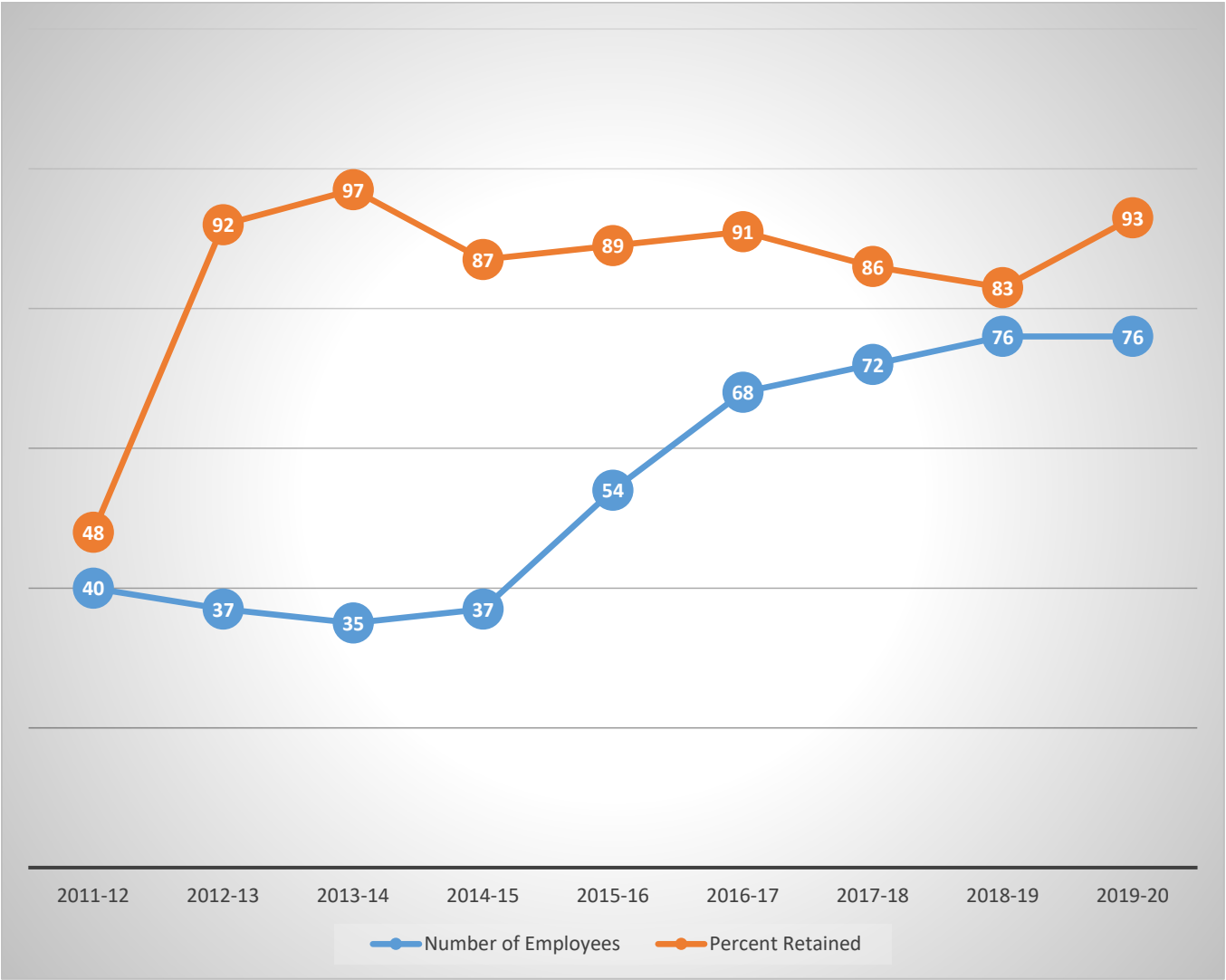
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# Skyway Campus



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# Faculty/Staff Retention





PLAYGROUND Magazine’s 2016, 2017, 2018, & 2019 Family Favorite Award Winner for Public Elementary School

Voted “Best Charter Middle School in the Orlando Area”

by Niche, 2017-18

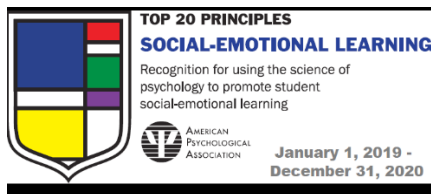


Voted “Best Middle School Teachers in the Orlando Area” by Niche, 2018-19



“A” Rated School determined by the Florida Department of Education

Founder, Dr. Gill, recognized as Woman of Distinction at UCF for her work with Galileo School, 2015



American Psychological Association's "Social-Emotional Learning Honor Roll" badge, 2019-2020

American Psychological Association's Golden Psi Award, 2015



Five Star School, 2014-2019

FDOE Certified High-Performing  
Charter School



UCF Professional Development  
Schools Consortium, 2014, 2015,  
2016, 2017, 2018, and 2019

2015-2020 Best of Sanford Awards – Charter Schools  
(Sanford Business Hall of Fame)





2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19 School of Excellence



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2017 Life Changer of the Year Nominee –  
Alisha Kearns – Kindergarten Teacher



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