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In 1998, 2.9 percent of B, H, NA, students in Alabama were in private schools. In 2012, it was 3 percent.

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Whites in Private Schools 1998-2012

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In Alabama, 22.8 percent of white students in public schools attend virtually segregated public schools. In private schools, 59.4 percent of white students attend virtually segregated schools.

**PUBLIC FUNDING OF PRIVATE SCHOOLS THROUGH:** TAX CREDIT SCHOLARSHIPS

$30 MILLION CAP

IN TAX PAYER DOLLARS

$30 Million in Tax Credit Scholarships

PUBLIC FUNDS $$$ PRIVATE SCHOOLS

White students make up a much larger share of the student body in private schools than in public schools.

**STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS**

2012

**PERCENT OF WHITE STUDENTS IN VIRTUALLY SEGREGATED SCHOOLS***

36.6% GAP

7th HIGHEST GAP IN THE NATION 2012

*Schools where ≥90% of student body is white