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**PUBLIC FUNDS $$\rightarrow$$ PRIVATE SCHOOLS**

**$25 MILLION**

**FY 2013**

**IN TAX PAYER DOLLARS**

$25 Million in Vouchers

**STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS 2012**

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

- **PUBLIC**
  - WHITE: 47.4%
  - BLACK: 1.2%
  - HISPANIC: 0.8%
  - ASIAN: 1.6%
  - NATIVE AMERICAN: 4%

- **PRIVATE**
  - WHITE: 80.4%
  - BLACK: 2.5%
  - HISPANIC: 2.6%
  - ASIAN: 0.3%
  - NATIVE AMERICAN: 0.9%

**Whites in Private Schools 1998-2012**

- **1998**: 21.3%
- **2012**: 19.4%

**Black, Hispanic, and Native American in Private Schools 1998-2012**

- **1998**: 4.4%
- **2012**: 4.3%

**Overrepresentation of Whites in Private Schools**

- **1998**
  - All Students: +28.4%
  - Private: 100%
- **2012**
  - All Students: 26.6%
  - Private: 0%

**3rd Highest in the Nation**

- **1998**: 56.1% of school-age children in LA were white, but 84.5% of private school students were white.
- **2012**: 53.8% of school-age children in LA were white, but 80.4% of private school students were white.

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

- **PUBLIC**: 14.2%
- **PRIVATE**: 52.3%

**5th HIGHEST GAP IN THE NATION 2012**

In Louisiana, 14.2 percent of white students in public schools attend virtually segregated public schools. In private schools, 52.3 percent of white students attend virtually segregated schools.