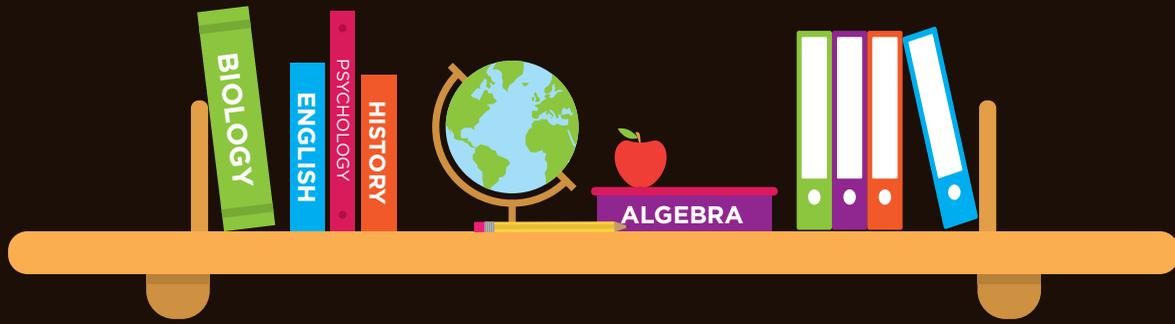


THE FLORIDA PRE K-12 EDUCATION LANDSCAPE



1.7 MILLION STUDENTS CHOOSE

School choice is now mainstream. Of Florida's 3.7 million PreK-12 students, 46 percent attended a school of their choice during the 2016-17 school year.

299,999

in **Choice and Magnet** programs at 1,712 district schools



287,227

in **Open Enrollment** in 52 school districts



279,920

in 654 **Charter Schools** privately operated under contract with districts



237,886

in **Private Schools** paying on their own



139,757

in **Career and Professional Academies** at 458 high schools



134,948

in private **PreKindergarten Scholarships** for 4-year-olds



98,936

in **Tax Credit Scholarships** for low-income students at 1,733 private schools



87,462

in **Home Education** while reporting results to districts



43,619

in **Advanced International Certificate** programs for 11th and 12th graders



35,968

in **McKay Scholarships** for special-needs students (31,499 in private schools and 4,469 in district schools)



15,482

in full-time **Virtual Instruction**



14,004

in **International Baccalaureate** at district schools



8,056

in **Gardiner Scholarships** for special-needs students



7,398

in **Lab Schools and Lab Charter Schools** run by five universities



3,717

in **School Transfers** related to state or federal performance thresholds



= 1,694,379 STUDENTS AT SCHOOLS OF THEIR CHOICE

Source | 2016-17 Florida Department of Education data