## CALIFORNIA EDUGATIONAL OPPORTUNITY REPORT Galifornia African American Students and Their Schools

## African American Student Demographics

## Elementary School Students



## Middle School Students



## High School Students



| 43\% $\square$ Latino |
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| $34 \% \quad \square$ White |
| $13 \% \quad \square$ Asian |
| $8 \%$ |
| $3 \%$ |

## African American Student Demographics

- 7\% of Elementary School Students are African American.
- $7.7 \%$ of Middle School Students are African American.
- 7.6\% of High School Students are African American.
- 61.9\% of African American students attend schools in which the majority of students are eligible for free and reduced price meals.
- $24.5 \%$ of African American students attend schools in which $1 / 3$ or more of students are English Language Learners.
- 35.8\% of African American students attend Program Improvement (PI) schools.
- 35.5\% of African American students attend high schools designated overcrowded by the state.

The educational opportunities of California students are correlated to their race and ethnicity. This fact sheet provides a glimpse at some key demographics regarding California's African American students. Other fact sheets provide similar data for California's Asian, Latino, and white students. We encourage the reader to read these fact sheets in conjunction with the California Educational Opportunity Report.

Percentage of California Students Attending Schools where Majority are Eligible for Free and Reduced Price Meals


## African American Student California School Enrollment

- Schools with qualified teacher shortages enroll $10 \%$ of all African American students.
- Schools with college preparatory course shortages enroll $62 \%$ of all African American high school students.


## California African American Students

 Class of 2007: Pathway to College

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The chart above shows the progress of California's African American students in the Class of 2007. All of the bars represent a percentage of the African American 9th graders enrolled in fall 2003. The 10th, 11th, and 12th Grade bars show that the size of the class shrinks each year. Grads 2007 and A-G Grads show how many African American students graduated and how many passed the A-G courses required for admission to a California State University or University of California campus. The final three bars show what proportion of the African American 9th graders enrolled in a California Community College, California State University, or University of California campus in fall 2007.

