

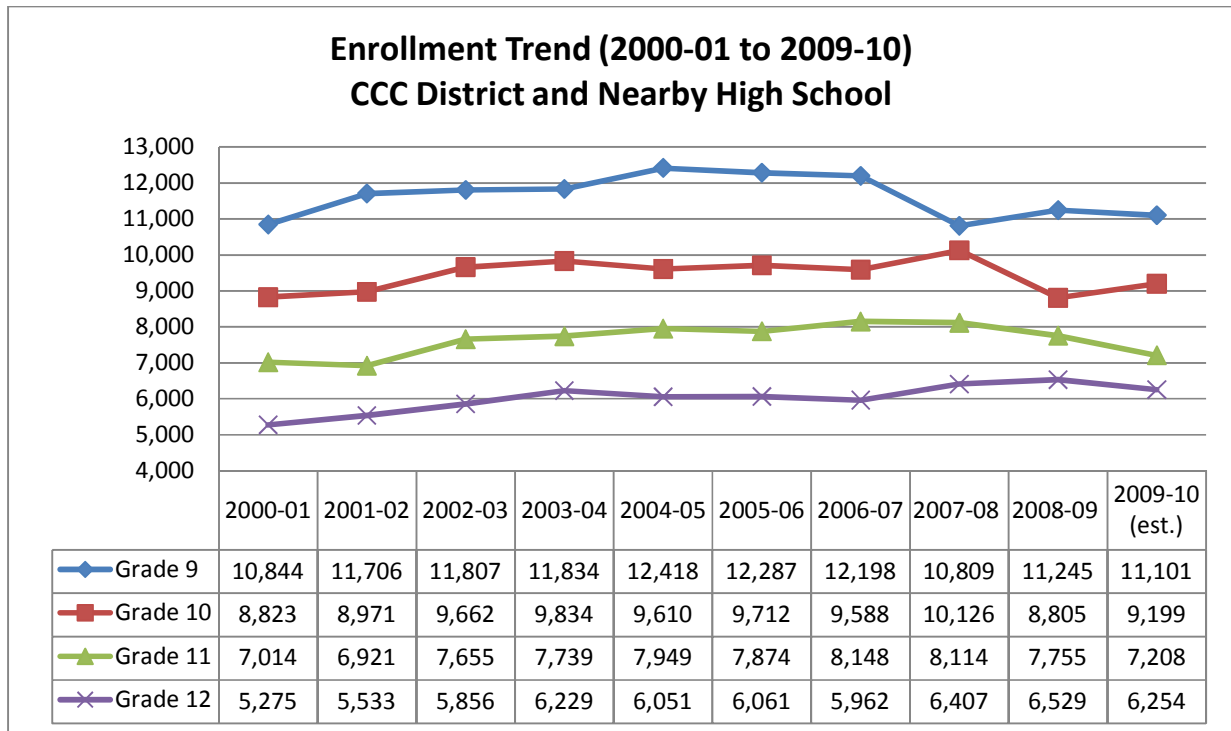
High School Enrollment Trends Compton Community College District and Local Area High Schools 2000-01 to 2009-10

This report profiles recent enrollment trends from local area high schools. Featured schools include those in the Compton, Lynwood, and Paramount districts along with Carson, Jordan Fremont, Gardena, King Drew and Locke High Schools. The last four are schools outside the Compton Community College District (CCCD) that feed larger enrollments to the college. The first table below summarizes trends for all high schools in the study. Each high school or district is featured separately below.

Enrollment trends are tracked in this report from 2000-01 through 2008-09, with estimates provided for 2009-10. Source data for these trends are from the California Department of Education, Educational Demographics Unit. Recent graduate enrollment figures are quoted from the California Postsecondary Education Commission (CPEC).

District-wide Trends

Local high school enrollments have been fairly stable since 2004-05 with a few exceptions. In 2008-09, grade 11 enrollments increased by over 350 students, precipitating a projected decrease in grade 12 enrollments by 275 students. In addition, grade 10 is expected to grow by nearly 400 students due to higher grade 9 enrollments in the area.



District and High School Trends

Breaking out the enrollment trends by district and high school paints a more varied picture with some schools/districts growing or remaining stable while others decline. The following tables provide enrollment levels by high school or district with the percentage annual change at the bottom of each.

Compton District

Compton district includes Compton, Centennial and Dominguez High Schools. All three schools are major feeders to the Compton Center (CC). The dramatic growth in 2005 reflects the increase in enrollment that Compton and Centennial experienced that year. But growth has stabilized and is expected to decrease slightly in 2009-10.

| | 2000-01 | 2001-02 | 2002-03 | 2003-04 | 2004-05 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 | 2008-09 | 2009-10 (est.) |
|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|
| Grade 9 | 2,035 | 2,079 | 2,051 | 1,906 | 2,163 | 2,195 | 2,240 | 2,019 | 2,057 | 1,935 |
| Grade 10 | 1,742 | 1,683 | 1,763 | 1,746 | 1,364 | 2,025 | 1,895 | 1,974 | 1,851 | 1,886 |
| Grade 11 | 1,241 | 1,250 | 1,512 | 1,446 | 1,485 | 1,477 | 1,659 | 1,608 | 1,683 | 1,578 |
| Grade 12 | 1,069 | 996 | 1,189 | 1,525 | 1,227 | 1,309 | 1,287 | 1,430 | 1,417 | 1,483 |
| Total | | 6,008 | 6,515 | 6,623 | 6,239 | 7,006 | 7,081 | 7,031 | 7,008 | 6,882 |
| % Change | | -1.3% | 8.4% | 1.7% | -5.8% | 12.3% | 1.1% | -0.7% | -0.3% | -1.8% |

Lynwood District

The Lynwood Unified School District consists of Lynwood High School. Lynwood High School is a moderate feeder to CCC. Lynwood has experienced solid growth from 2000 to 2004 followed by two years of small to moderate declines. There are large fluctuations in enrollment from 2007 to 2008 due to the district opening a new high school. Enrollment is expected to begin to stabilize in 2009-10.

| | 2000-01 | 2001-02 | 2002-03 | 2003-04 | 2004-05 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 | 2008-09 | 2009-10 (est.) |
|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|
| Grade 9 | 1,271 | 1,357 | 1,465 | 1,433 | 1,514 | 1,433 | 1,437 | 724 | 816 | 801 |
| Grade 10 | 1,169 | 1,172 | 1,298 | 1,419 | 1,368 | 1,401 | 1,201 | 1,726 | 760 | 857 |
| Grade 11 | 988 | 909 | 978 | 1,124 | 1,125 | 1,112 | 1,093 | 868 | 700 | 308 |
| Grade 12 | 701 | 800 | 853 | 842 | 898 | 901 | 840 | 779 | 876 | 706 |
| Total | 2,858 | 2,881 | 3,129 | 3,385 | 3,391 | 3,414 | 3,134 | 4,097 | 3,152 | 2,672 |
| % Change | | 2.6% | 8.4% | 4.9% | 1.8% | -1.2% | -5.7% | 30.7% | -23.1% | -15.2% |

Paramount District

The Paramount Unified School District consists of Paramount High School. The school is a moderate feeder to the CC. Paramount has experienced 7 years of continued growth with one exception (2005-06). Enrollments dipped very slightly in 2008-09 due to declines in grades 9-10.

| | 2000-01 | 2001-02 | 2002-03 | 2003-04 | 2004-05 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 | 2008-09 | 2009-10 (est.) |
|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|
| Grade 9 | 1,060 | 1,104 | 1,059 | 1,156 | 1,238 | 1,189 | 1,154 | 1,242 | 1,261 | 1,310 |
| Grade 10 | 952 | 1,032 | 1,058 | 1,028 | 1,122 | 1,153 | 1,143 | 1,235 | 1,236 | 1,255 |
| Grade 11 | 967 | 901 | 951 | 969 | 908 | 953 | 1,047 | 1,168 | 1,071 | 1,072 |
| Grade 12 | 833 | 827 | 842 | 784 | 811 | 751 | 830 | 923 | 965 | 885 |
| Total | 3,812 | 3,864 | 3,910 | 3,937 | 4,079 | 4,046 | 4,174 | 4,568 | 4,533 | 4,522 |
| % Change | | 1.4% | 1.2% | 0.7% | 3.6% | -0.8% | 3.2% | 9.4% | -0.8% | -0.2% |

Jordan High School (Long Beach)

Jordan High School is closely situated and is a major feeder to the CC. Jordan saw stable growth between 2000 and 2005 followed by two years of moderate declines. Declines are expected through 2009-10 but at a slower rate. This dip should not significantly affect recruitment efforts at the high school.

| | 2000-01 | 2001-02 | 2002-03 | 2003-04 | 2004-05 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 | 2008-09 | 2009-10 (est.) |
|-----------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| Grade 9 | 1,111 | 1,093 | 1,221 | 1,184 | 1,226 | 1,184 | 1,234 | 1,197 | 1,147 | 1,133 |
| Grade 10 | 1,054 | 1,094 | 1,093 | 1,249 | 1,170 | 1,186 | 1,115 | 1,130 | 1,103 | 1,077 |
| Grade 11 | 961 | 1,017 | 960 | 1,019 | 1,080 | 997 | 974 | 980 | 1,035 | 1,093 |
| Grade 12 | 775 | 881 | 861 | 888 | 907 | 912 | 805 | 850 | 819 | 789 |
| Total | 3,901 | 4,085 | 4,135 | 4,340 | 4,383 | 4,279 | 4,128 | 4,157 | 4,104 | 4,092 |
| % Change | | 4.7% | 1.2% | 5.0% | 1.0% | -2.4% | -3.5% | 0.7% | -1.2% | -0.3% |

Carson High School

Carson High School is a moderate distance from the CC and is a modest feeder school. After experiencing continued growth for four years, there were three years of slight decline. But the school appears to be slowly rebounding with a growth of 2% in 2008-09. It is expect that the growth will continue in 2009-10. This translates into about 30 additional prospects.

| | 2000-01 | 2001-02 | 2002-03 | 2003-04 | 2004-05 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 | 2008-09 | 2009-10 (est.) |
|-----------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| Grade 9 | 1,030 | 1,241 | 1,249 | 1,235 | 1,248 | 1,221 | 1,206 | 1,223 | 1,239 | 1,208 |
| Grade 10 | 864 | 848 | 950 | 929 | 932 | 992 | 942 | 879 | 890 | 902 |
| Grade 11 | 703 | 692 | 711 | 758 | 769 | 754 | 810 | 783 | 821 | 831 |
| Grade 12 | 538 | 562 | 537 | 526 | 601 | 581 | 562 | 591 | 597 | 626 |
| Total | 3,135 | 3,343 | 3,447 | 3,448 | 3,550 | 3,548 | 3,520 | 3,476 | 3,547 | 3,567 |
| % Change | | 6.6% | 3.1% | 0.0% | 3.0% | -0.1% | -0.8% | -1.3% | 2.0% | 0.5% |

Gardena High School

Gardena High School is a closely situated and is a modest feeder to CCC. Gardena has averaged about 4% growth in the past 6 years. The high school should grow by nearly 7% in 2009-10 due to consistent past growth and a larger freshman class in 2008-09. However, the 2009 graduating class is expected to be considerably smaller due to declines in grades 10-12.

| | 2000-01 | 2001-02 | 2002-03 | 2003-04 | 2004-05 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 | 2008-09 | 2009-10 (est.) |
|-----------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| Grade 9 | 980 | 1,064 | 962 | 1,055 | 992 | 1,117 | 1,381 | 917 | 1,438 | 1,510 |
| Grade 10 | 816 | 845 | 932 | 848 | 986 | 879 | 842 | 988 | 716 | 1,123 |
| Grade 11 | 634 | 654 | 743 | 671 | 792 | 886 | 738 | 743 | 546 | 396 |
| Grade 12 | 464 | 474 | 504 | 551 | 570 | 496 | 453 | 555 | 461 | 339 |
| Total | 2,894 | 3,037 | 3,141 | 3,125 | 3,340 | 3,378 | 3,414 | 3,203 | 3,161 | 3,368 |
| % Change | | 4.9% | 3.4% | -0.5% | 6.9% | 1.1% | 1.1% | -6.2% | -1.3% | 6.5% |

King/Drew Medical Magnet High School

King/Drew Medical Magnet High is a moderate distance from CC and is a modest feeder school. There has been a steady decline in growth from 2003 to 2006. However, there was a slight increase in 2007-08 and 2008-09 given the higher 8th and 9th grade enrollment levels. A moderate decrease is expected for the 2009-10 academic year.

| | 2000-01 | 2001-02 | 2002-03 | 2003-04 | 2004-05 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 | 2008-09 | 2009-10 (est.) |
|----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|
| Grade 9 | 501 | 524 | 572 | 523 | 467 | 477 | 529 | 580 | 479 | 467 |
| Grade 10 | 459 | 473 | 406 | 492 | 481 | 470 | 408 | 451 | 475 | 392 |
| Grade 11 | 331 | 373 | 436 | 360 | 437 | 344 | 339 | 359 | 410 | 432 |
| Grade 12 | 117 | 274 | 293 | 320 | 283 | 351 | 323 | 279 | 315 | 360 |
| Total | 1,408 | 1,644 | 1,707 | 1,695 | 1,668 | 1,642 | 1,599 | 1,669 | 1,679 | 1,651 |
| % Change | | 16.8% | 3.8% | -0.7% | -1.6% | -1.6% | -2.6% | 4.4% | 0.6% | -1.7% |

Locke High School

Locke High School is a modest feeder to CC. Locke saw stable, even dramatic growth between 2000 and 2005, with peak growth occurring in 2002-03. That was followed by moderate declines between 2005 and 2007. In 2008, Locke High School reopened as six small college prep schools known as the Locke Family of High Schools. Due to this change, fluctuations in enrollment should be expected.

| | 2000-01 | 2001-02 | 2002-03 | 2003-04 | 2004-05 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 | 2008-09 | 2009-10 (est.) |
|----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|
| Grade 9 | 956 | 979 | 1,318 | 1,300 | 1,451 | 1,406 | 1,236 | 919 | 829 | 808 |
| Grade 10 | 631 | 636 | 723 | 772 | 883 | 595 | 541 | 731 | 617 | 557 |
| Grade 11 | 430 | 452 | 474 | 527 | 531 | 580 | 640 | 538 | 685 | 578 |
| Grade 12 | 222 | 281 | 292 | 245 | 295 | 317 | 354 | 425 | 487 | 620 |
| Total | 2,239 | 2,348 | 2,807 | 2,844 | 3,160 | 2,898 | 2,771 | 2,613 | 2,618 | 2,563 |
| % Change | | 4.9% | 19.5% | 1.3% | 11.1% | -8.3% | -4.4% | -5.7% | 0.2% | -2.1% |

Fremont High School

Fremont High School is a moderate distance from CC. It sends relatively few students to the Compton Center each year. Fremont has seen a mix of growth and decline between 2001 and 2007. The most dramatic increase occurred in 2006-07. But there was a moderate decline in 2008-09 due to 11th grade enrollment levels. Declines are expected to continue in 2009-10.

| | 2000-01 | 2001-02 | 2002-03 | 2003-04 | 2004-05 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 | 2008-09 | 2009-10 (est.) |
|----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|
| Grade 9 | 1,900 | 2,265 | 1,910 | 2,042 | 2,119 | 2,065 | 1,781 | 1,988 | 1,979 | 1,929 |
| Grade 10 | 1,136 | 1,188 | 1,439 | 1,351 | 1,304 | 1,011 | 1,501 | 1,012 | 1,157 | 1,152 |
| Grade 11 | 759 | 673 | 890 | 865 | 822 | 771 | 848 | 1,067 | 804 | 919 |
| Grade 12 | 556 | 438 | 485 | 548 | 459 | 443 | 508 | 575 | 592 | 446 |
| Total | 4,351 | 4,564 | 4,724 | 4,806 | 4,704 | 4,290 | 4,638 | 4,642 | 4,532 | 4,446 |
| % Change | | 4.9% | 3.5% | 1.7% | -2.1% | -8.8% | 8.1% | 0.1% | -2.4% | -1.9% |

Future Trends

The last set of tables and charts below show enrollment trends by school level or type. Growth/decline is represented both in real counts and as percentage of change from the previous year. As noted, a recent 3-year average rate of change is also provided.

Overall, Los Angeles county K-12 enrollment has been on a steady decline since 2002-03. This trend is evident in enrollment across our local school systems. Kindergarten enrollment peaked in 2001-02 while Elementary and Middle Schools peaked in 2003-04. High school enrollment peaked in 2007-08. Enrollment decline is expected to continue in 2009-10 at elementary and high school levels, with a modest increase projected from the middle school level.

Table 1: Total Enrollments by School Type

| School Type | 2000-01 | 2001-02 | 2002-03 | 2003-04 | 2004-05 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 | 2008-09 | 2009-10 (est.) |
|--------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|
| Kindergarten | 5,764 | 5,841 | 5,464 | 5,267 | 5,179 | 4,886 | 4,591 | 5,187 | 4,472 | 4,369 |
| Elementary | 30,372 | 30,757 | 30,838 | 30,000 | 28,827 | 27,041 | 25,389 | 23,693 | 24,084 | 23,244 |
| Middle | 15,193 | 16,029 | 16,861 | 17,358 | 16,742 | 16,161 | 15,419 | 14,994 | 14,482 | 15,228 |
| High School | 30,296 | 31,406 | 33,286 | 33,816 | 34,352 | 34,071 | 34,032 | 35,456 | 34,334 | 33,762 |
| Total | 81,625 | 84,033 | 86,449 | 86,441 | 85,100 | 82,159 | 79,431 | 79,330 | 77,372 | 76,603 |

Table 2: Percentage Change from Previous Year

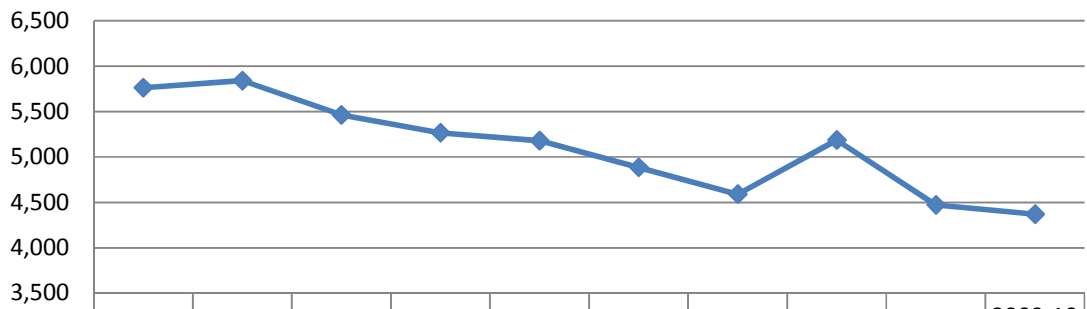
| School Type | 2001-02 | 2002-03 | 2003-04 | 2004-05 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 | 2008-09 | 2009-10 (est.) | 3-yr Avg* |
|--------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|-----------|
| Kindergarten | 1.3% | -6.5% | -3.6% | -1.7% | -5.7% | -6.0% | 13.0% | -13.8% | -2.3% | -3.6% |
| Elementary | 1.3% | 0.3% | -2.7% | -3.9% | -6.2% | -6.1% | -6.7% | 1.7% | -3.5% | -4.3% |
| Middle | 5.5% | 5.2% | 2.9% | -3.5% | -3.5% | -4.6% | -2.8% | -3.4% | 5.2% | -1.4% |
| High School | 3.7% | 6.0% | 1.6% | 1.6% | -0.8% | -0.1% | 4.2% | -3.2% | -1.7% | 0.8% |
| Total | 3.0% | 2.9% | 0.0% | -1.6% | -3.5% | -3.3% | -0.1% | -2.5% | -1.0% | -1.7% |

* Average change from 2004-05 through 2006-07.

The following three charts graphically display enrollment trends by each school type. All schools show dramatic declines in recent years, perhaps due to families with younger children moving to more affordable housing inland or out of state. Another possibility is that families who remain in the area send their children to schools outside their home district.

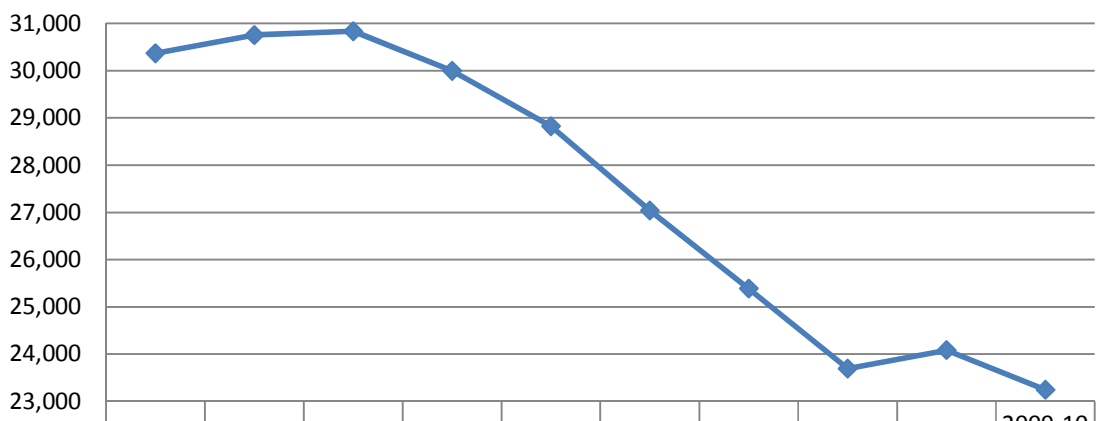
Many of the students representing the “peak” on the middle school chart (2003-04) are now enrolled in local high schools. High schools will likely experience a dip as the 2005-06 and later cohorts progress through secondary education. The college should consider these declines in their long term enrollment plans.

Enrollment Trend (2000-01 to 2009-10) Local Kindergarten



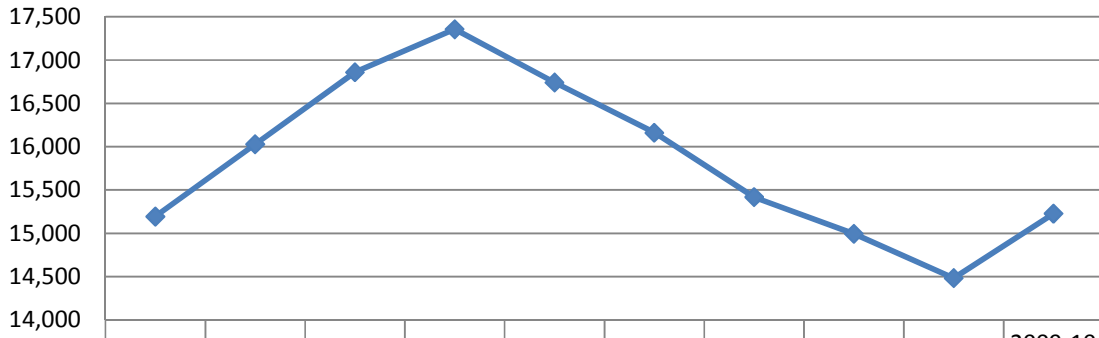
| | 2000-01 | 2001-02 | 2002-03 | 2003-04 | 2004-05 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 | 2008-09 | 2009-10 (est.) |
|----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|
| ◆ Kindergarten | 5,764 | 5,841 | 5,464 | 5,267 | 5,179 | 4,886 | 4,591 | 5,187 | 4,472 | 4,369 |

Enrollment Trend (2000-01 to 2009-10) Local Elementary Schools



| | 2000-01 | 2001-02 | 2002-03 | 2003-04 | 2004-05 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 | 2008-09 | 2009-10 (est.) |
|--------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|
| ◆ Elementary | 30,372 | 30,757 | 30,838 | 30,000 | 28,827 | 27,041 | 25,389 | 23,693 | 24,084 | 23,244 |

**Enrollment Trend (2000-01 to 2009-10)
Local Middle Schools**



| | 2000-01 | 2001-02 | 2002-03 | 2003-04 | 2004-05 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 | 2008-09 | 2009-10 (est.) |
|----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------------------|
| ◆ Middle | 15,193 | 16,029 | 16,861 | 17,358 | 16,742 | 16,161 | 15,419 | 14,994 | 14,482 | 15,228 |