

RESEARCH BRIEF

Contract Dual Enrollment at NOVA: Fall 2023

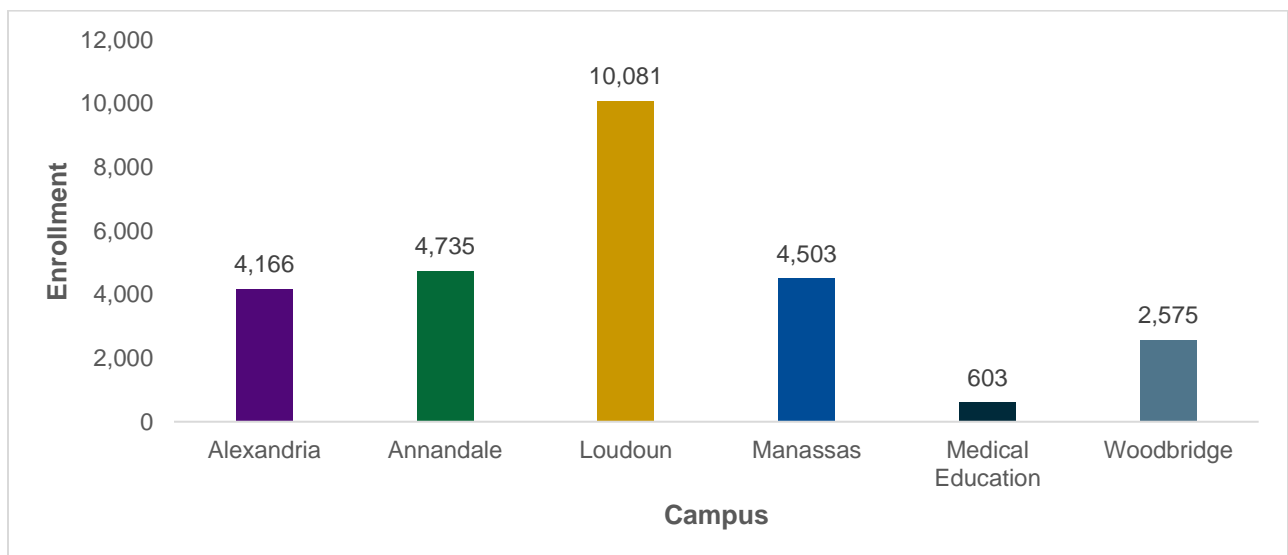
This research brief presents data on students enrolled in contract dual enrollment courses in high schools affiliated with Northern Virginia Community College (NOVA) during the Fall 2023 semester. The Northern Virginia region encompasses eight public school divisions: Alexandria City, Arlington County, Fairfax County, Falls Church City, Loudoun County, Manassas City, Manassas Park City, and Prince William County.

Key Findings

- The total enrollment across all contract dual enrollment courses was 26,663, of which 604 were NOVA online with an unduplicated headcount of 18,038.
- The total credit hours taken was 75,326 hours, for a FTES of 5,022.
- The top 5 high schools in terms of enrollment were FCPS On-Line campus, Arlington Career Center, Chantilly High School, Battlefield High School, and Woodgrove High School.
- The Loudoun Campus had the highest enrollment percentage of Fall 2023 dual enrolled students.

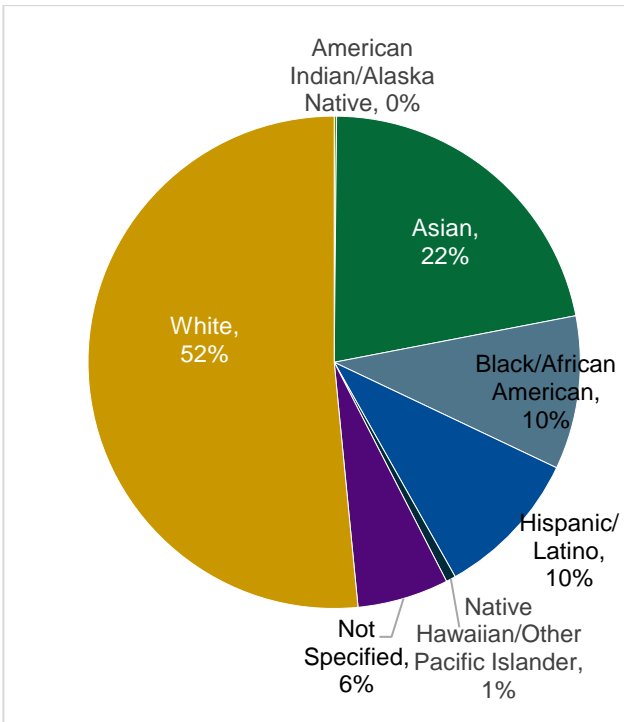
The Loudoun Campus had over double the enrollment (10,081 contract dual enrollment students) compared to the next highest campus, Annandale (4,735 students). Alexandria and Manassas had similar enrollment, in the 4,000 range.

Figure 1. Breakdown of Contract Dual Enrollment by Campus: Fall 2023



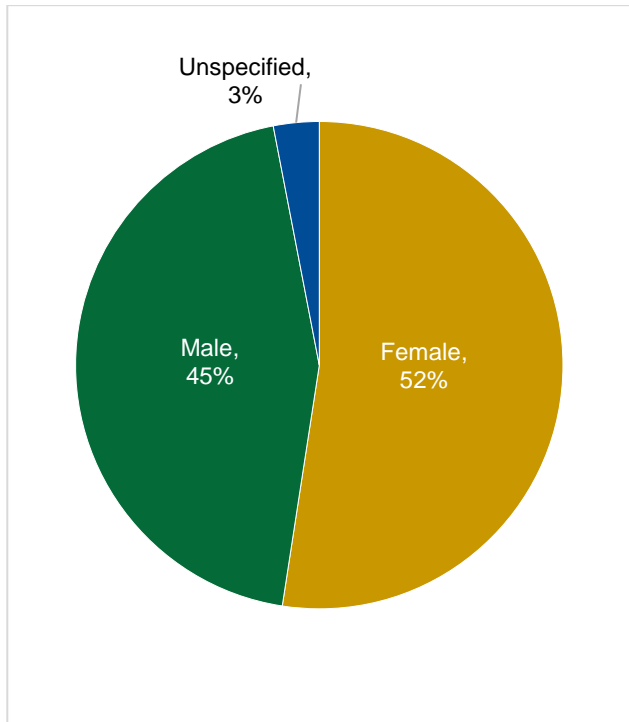
The majority of dual enrollment students in Fall 2023 (52 percent) were white. 22 percent of dual enrollment students were Asian, 10 percent were Black/African American, and 10 percent were Hispanic/Latino. More than half of dual enrollment students (52 percent) were female.

Figure 2. Breakdown of Contract Dual Enrollment by Ethnicity: Fall 2023



Note: values in Figure 2 may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Figure 3. Breakdown of Contract Dual Enrollment by Gender: Fall 2023



The most enrolled DE course in Fall 2023 was College Composition 1, with 8,133 students. United States Government and Politics and United States History to 1877 were also popular courses, with a combined 6,260 students.

Figure 4. Enrollment in Top 5 Contract Dual Enrollment Courses at NOVA: Fall 2023

