



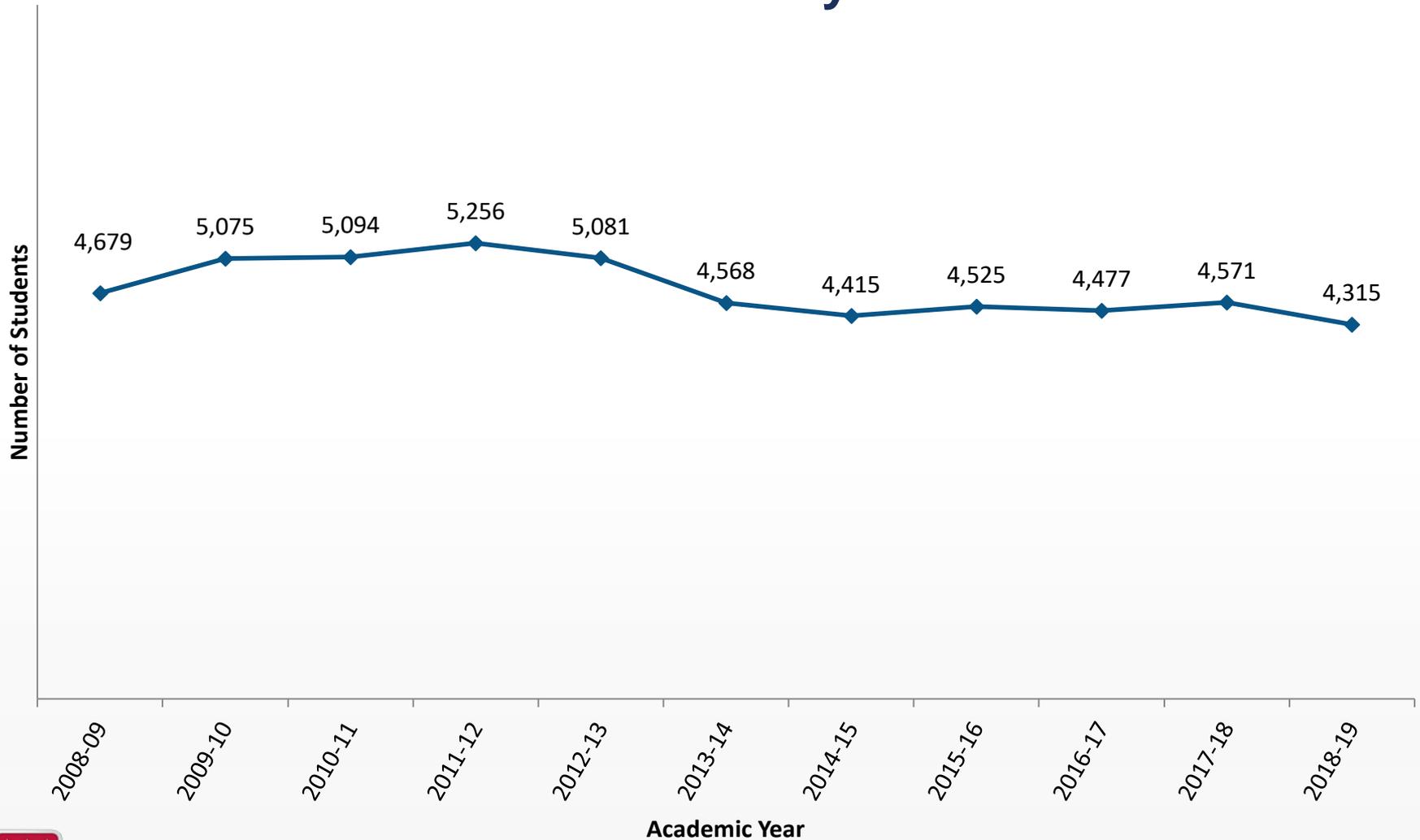
**District of Columbia Tuition
Assistance Grant Program**
(DCTAG)
Award Year 2018-19

September 2020

DCTAG Accomplishments

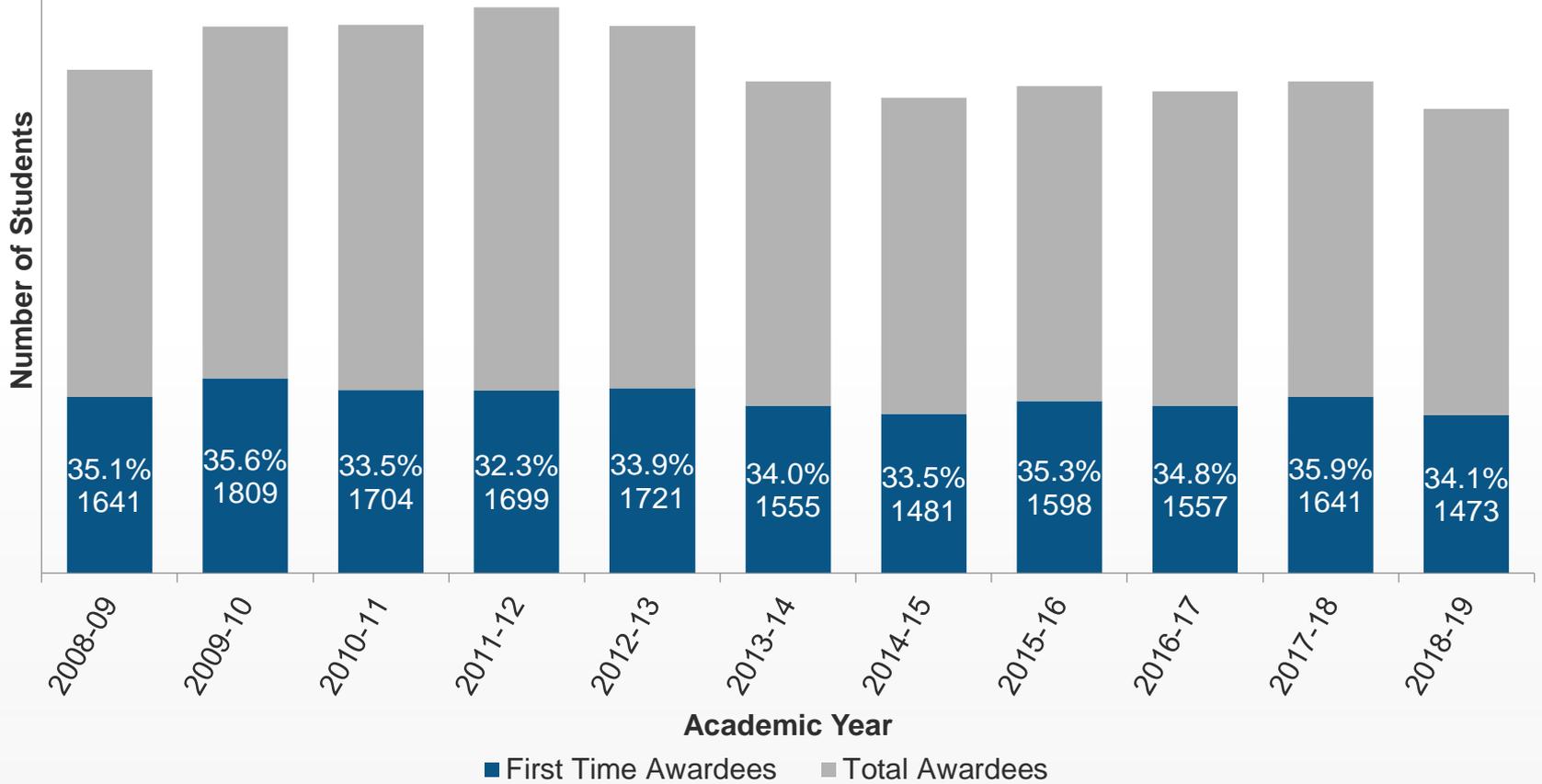
Since the first DCTAG awards were made in 2000, the program has helped 30,471* students enroll at more than 500 institutions across 50 states, the District of Columbia, and the US Virgin Islands.

Students Awarded DCTAG: by Award Year



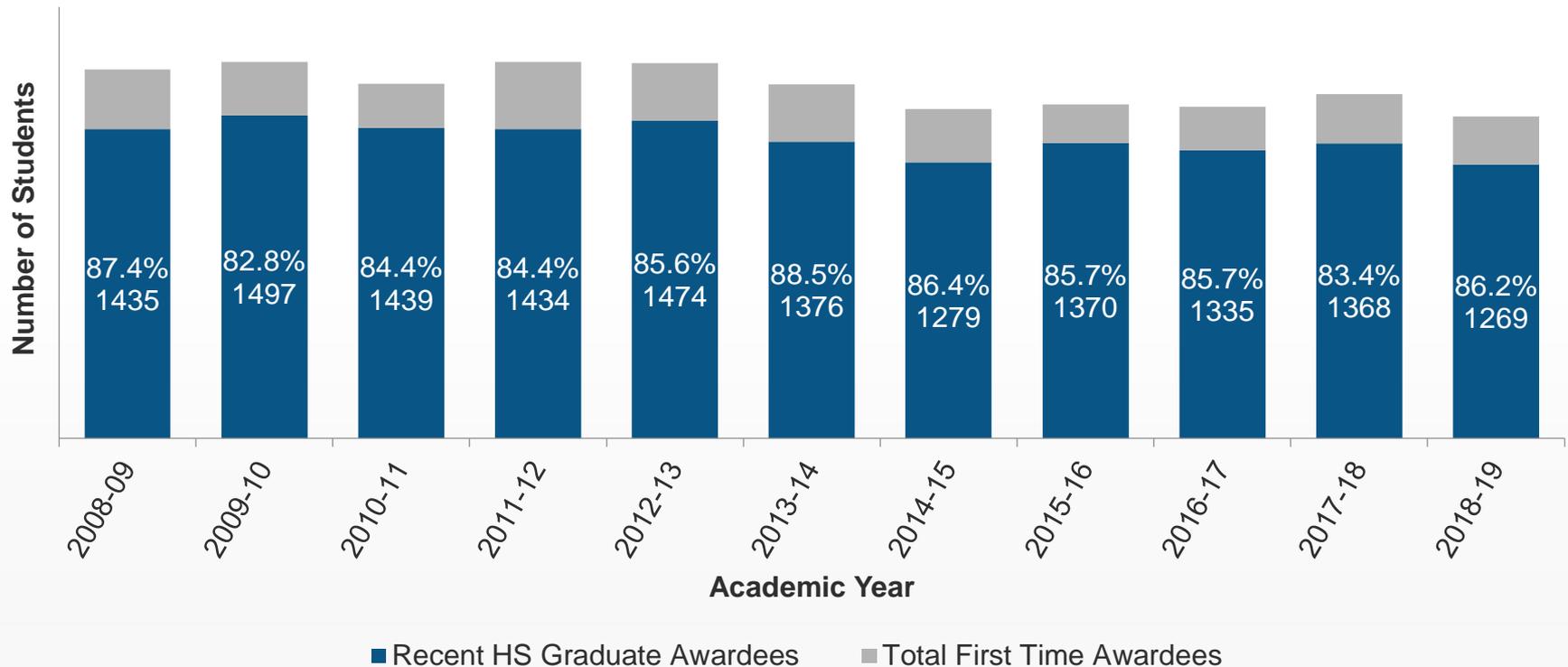
DCTAG First Time Awardees

This graph shows the number and percentage of DCTAG students who received a DCTAG award for the first time in the given academic year.

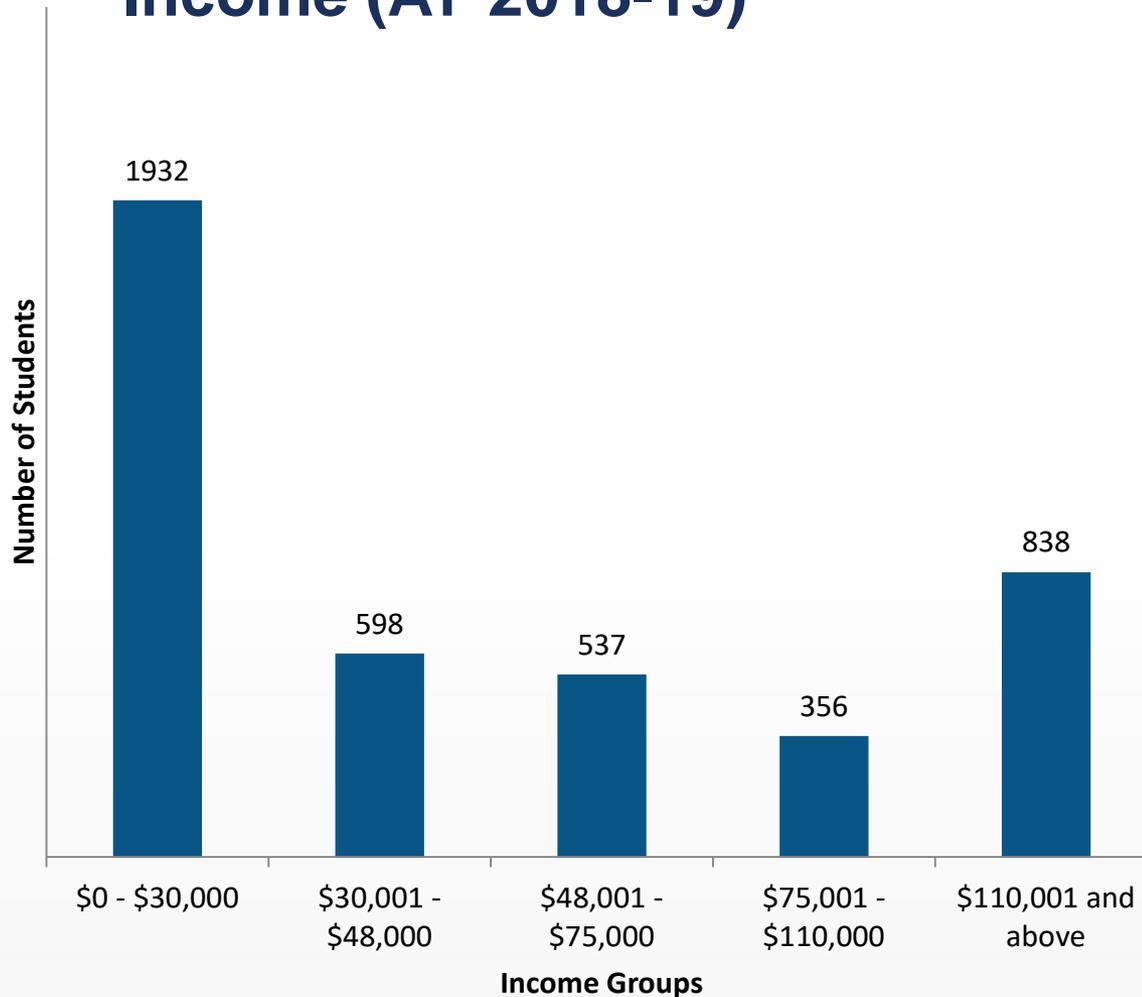


DCTAG Recent High School Graduate Awardees

This graph shows the number and percentage of DCTAG first-time awardees in the given academic year who graduated from high school in the previous academic year.



Students Awarded DCTAG: by Household Income (AY 2018-19)



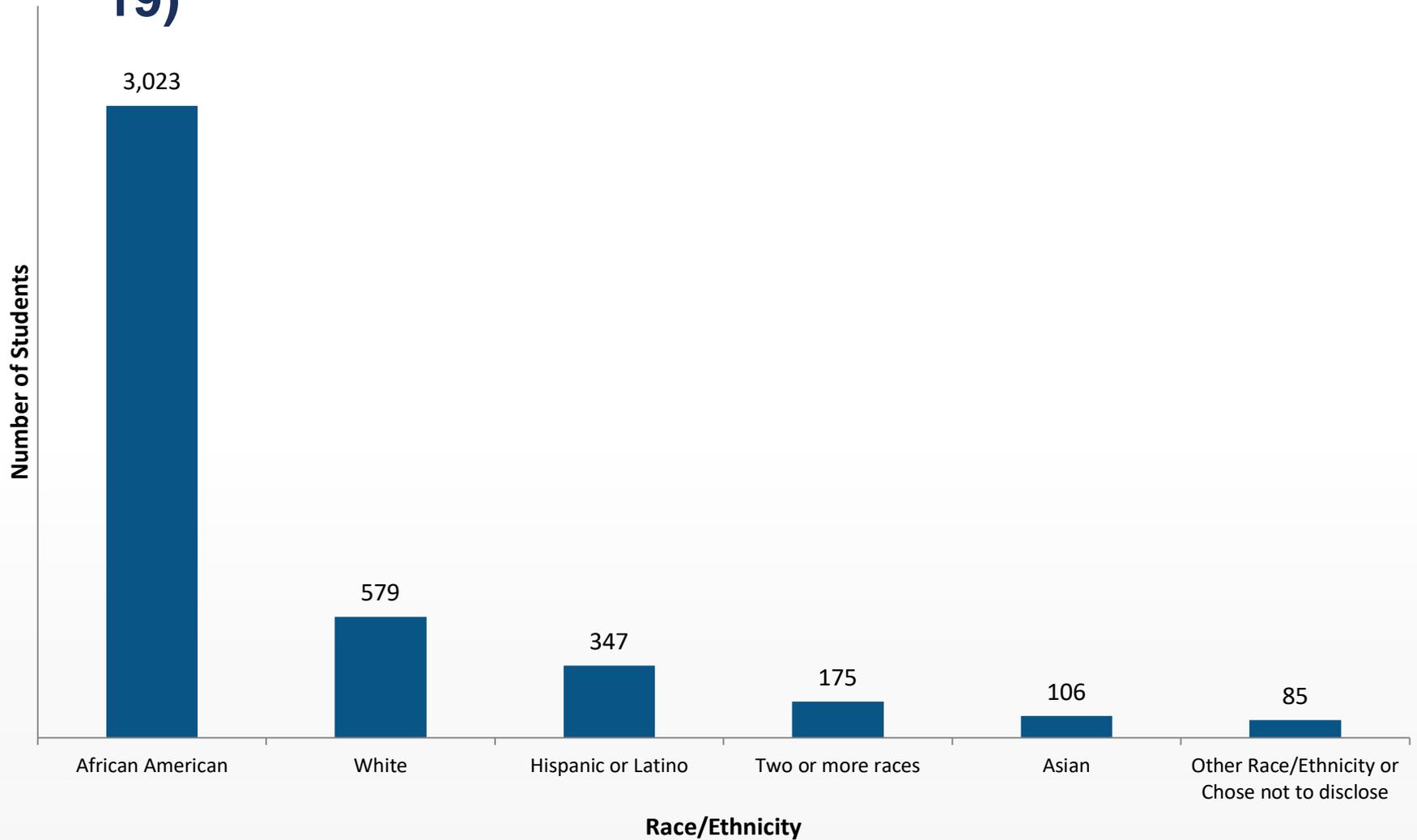
- The 2018 median household income for the District of Columbia was \$82,604.¹
- The 2018 median household income for the United States was \$60,293.¹
- The 2018 median household income for DCTAG recipients was \$34,143.



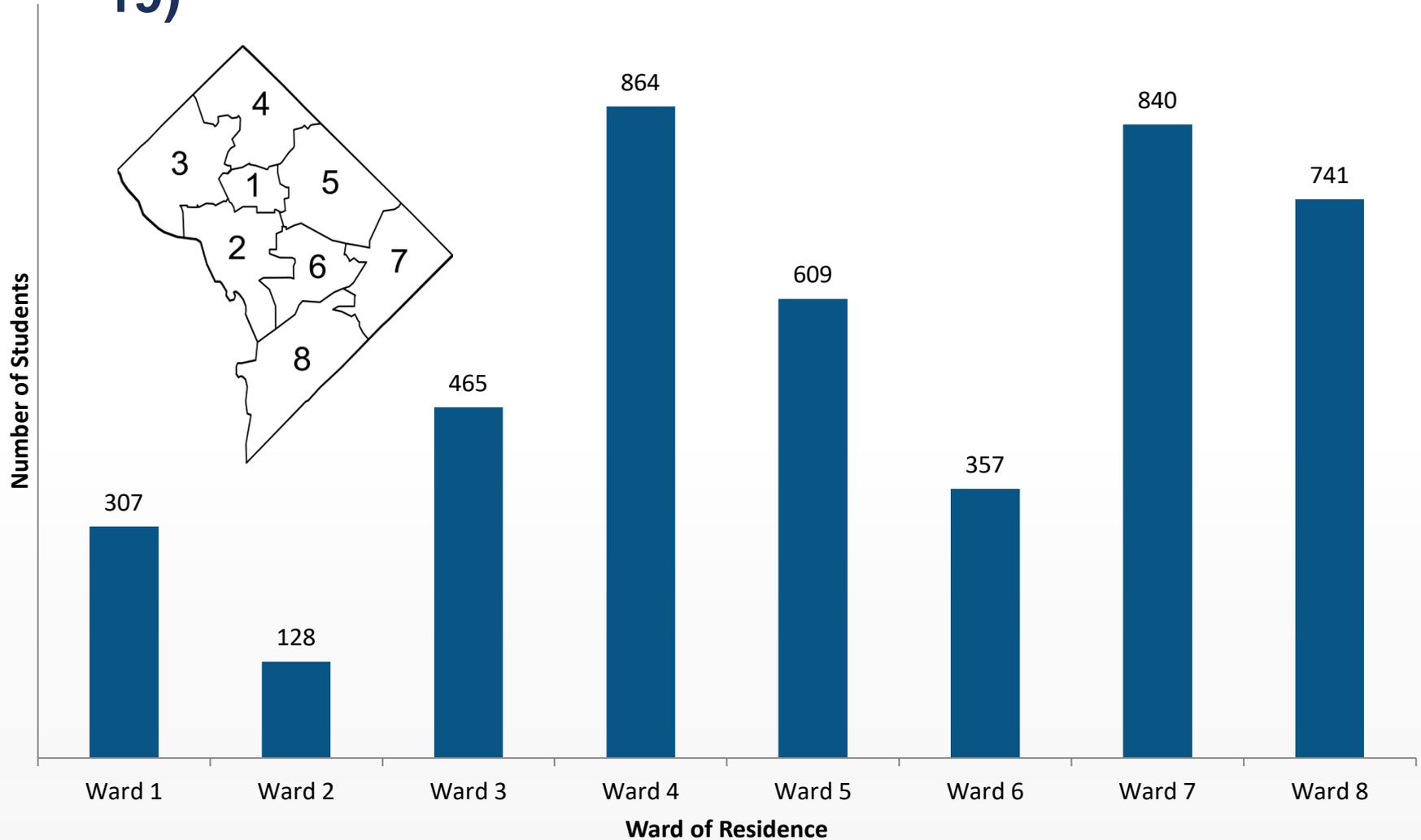
¹ US Census Bureau. American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates.

*54 DCTAG recipients documented a negative taxable income

Students Awarded DCTAG: by Race (AY 2018-19)

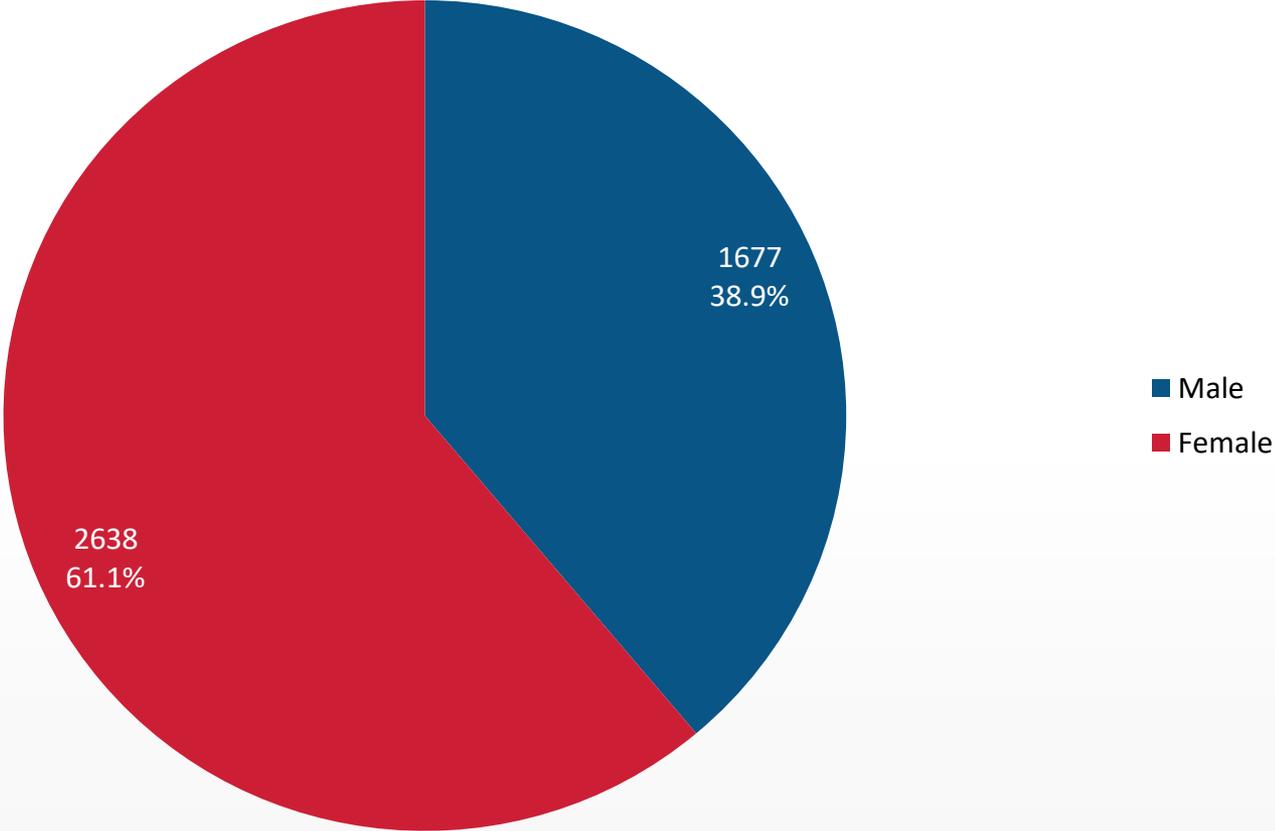


Students Awarded DCTAG: by Ward (AY 2018-19)

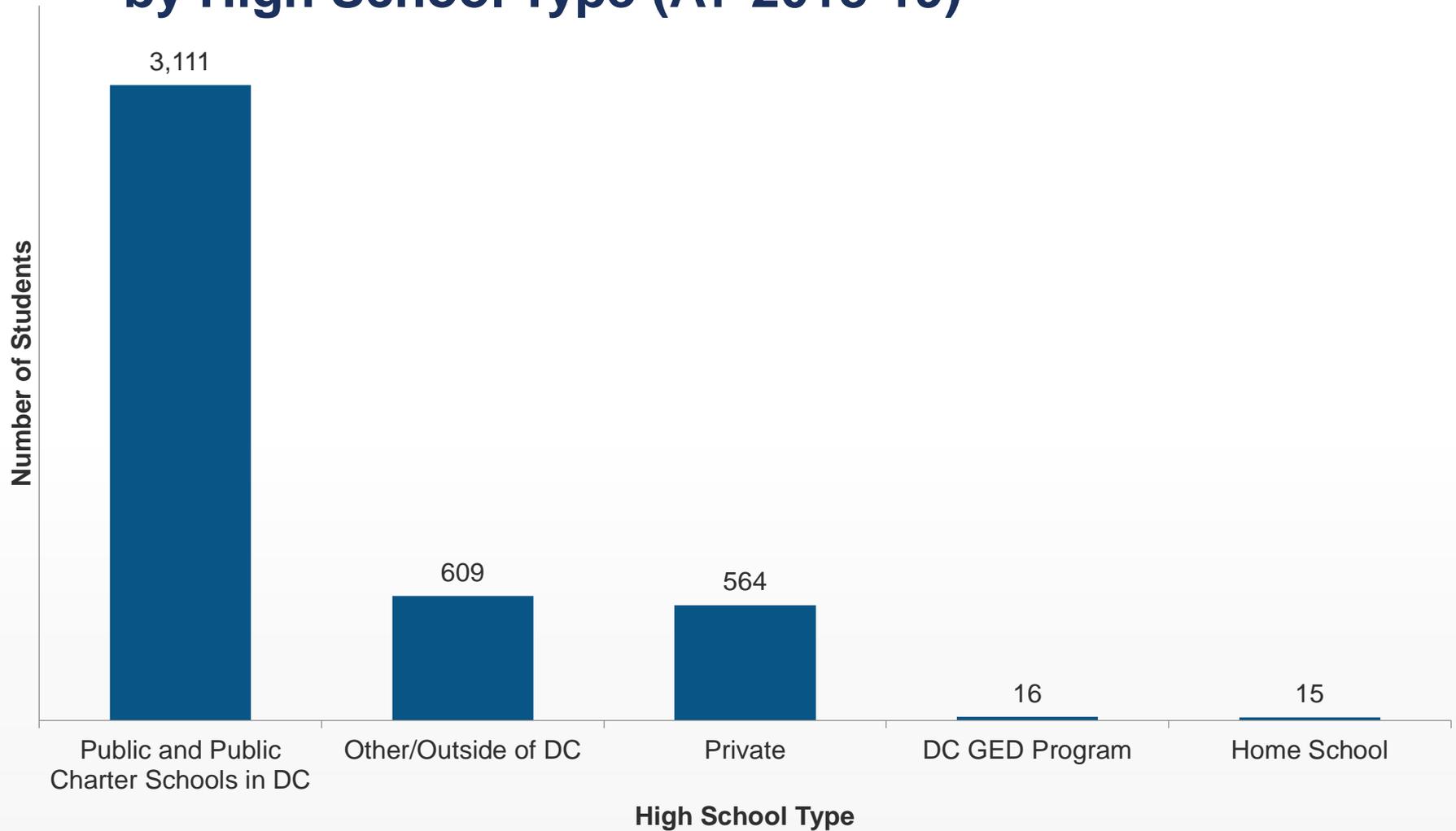


*4 students awarded with unknown ward

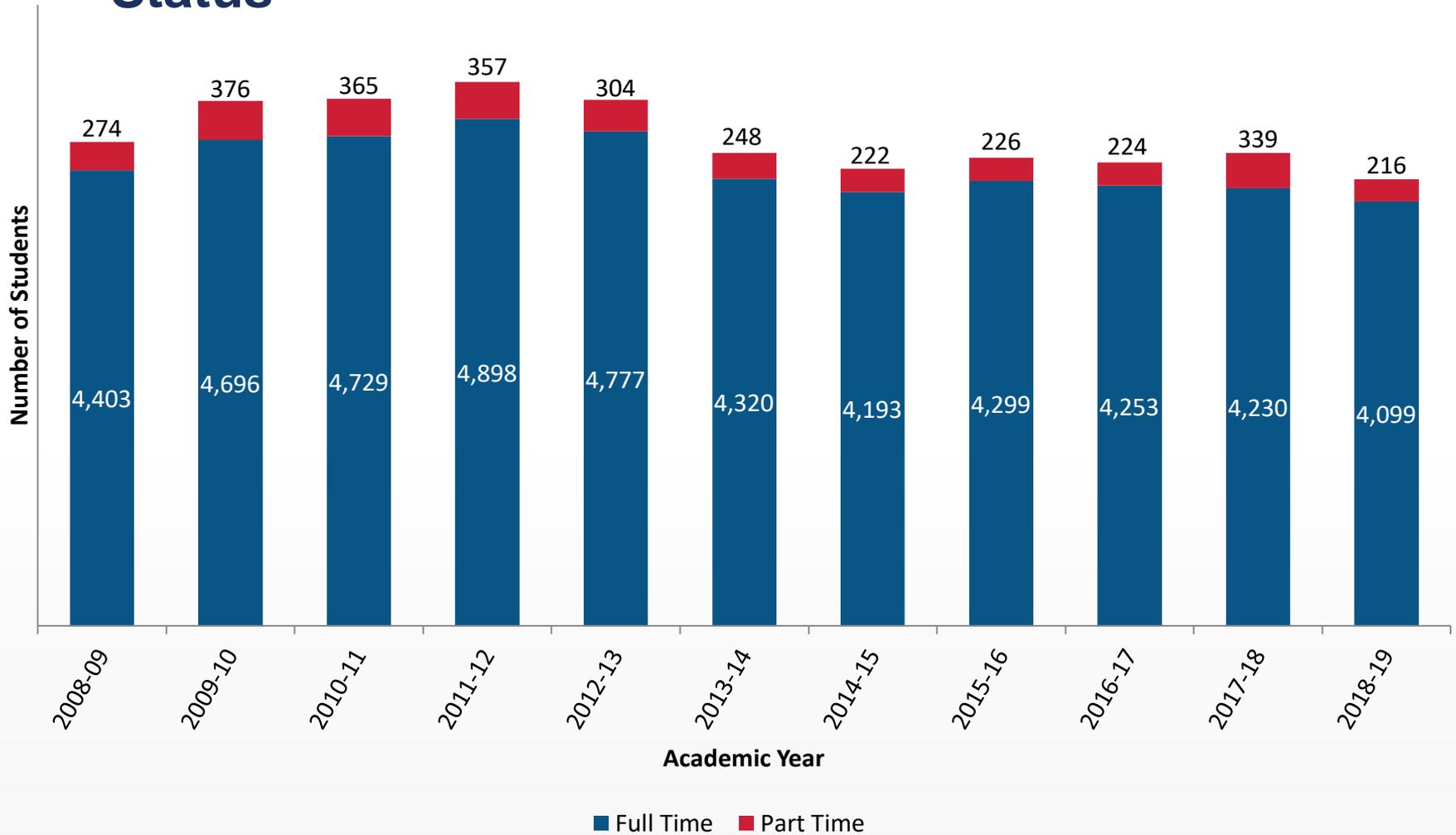
Students Awarded DCTAG: by Gender (AY 2018-19)



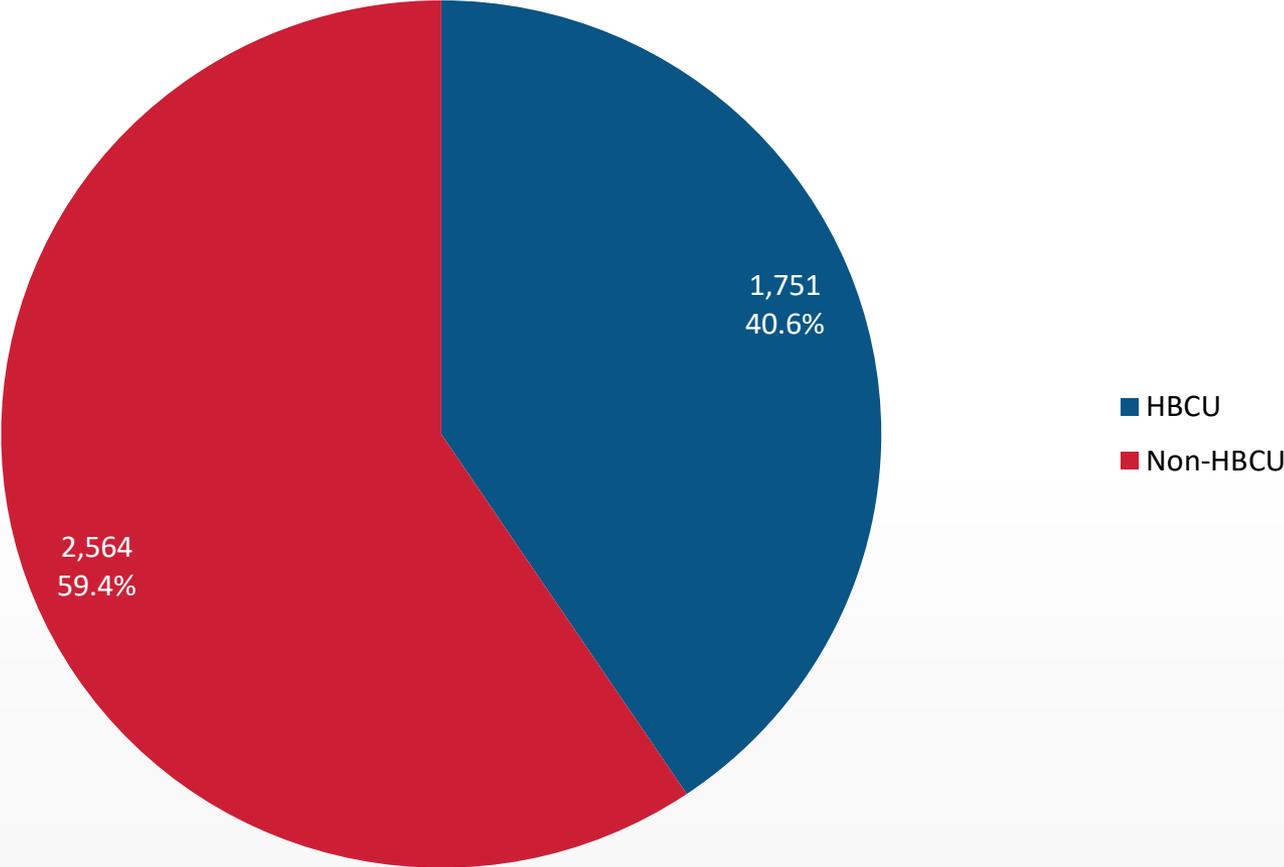
Students Awarded DCTAG: by High School Type (AY 2018-19)



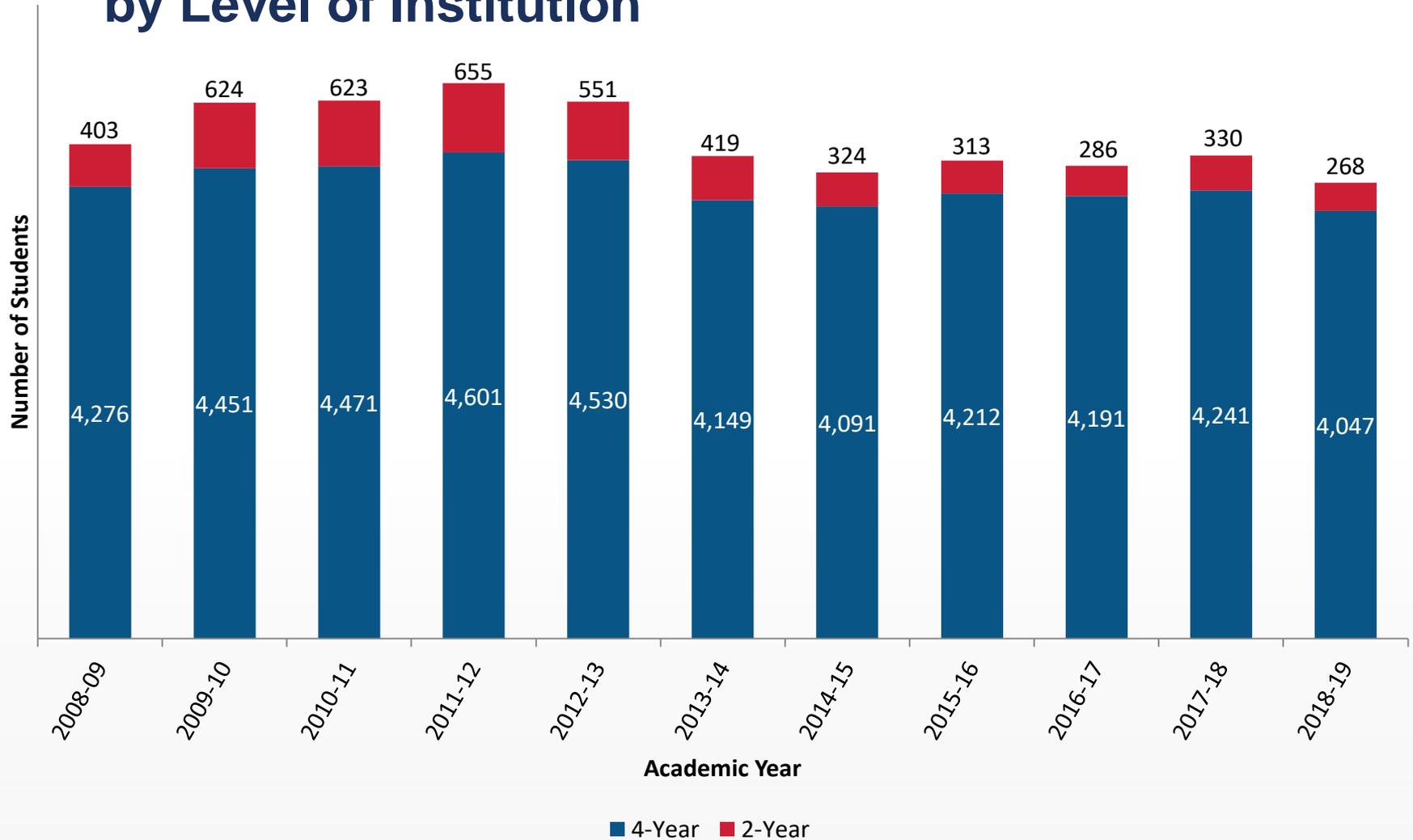
Students Awarded DCTAG: by Enrollment Status



Students Awarded DCTAG: by HBCU (AY 2018-19)



Students Awarded DCTAG: by Level of Institution



DCTAG Enrollment and Awards: by Institution State (AY 2018-19)

Rank	State	Students	Awards	Rank	State	Students	Awards	Rank	State	Students	Awards
1	VA	892	\$7,099,853	18	LA	30	\$120,979	35	KS	n<10	n<10
2	MD	783	\$5,943,420	19	CO	27	\$239,871	36	ME	n<10	n<10
3	NC	461	\$3,679,388	20	IN	26	\$240,000	37	NH	n<10	n<10
4	DC	436	\$1,006,868	21	MA	24	\$222,890	38	UT	n<10	n<10
5	PA	407	\$3,396,175	22	NJ	20	\$185,003	39	MT	n<10	n<10
6	DE	187	\$1,543,867	23	KY	17	\$139,450	40	MN	n<10	n<10
7	GA	142	\$599,278	24	TN	15	\$120,851	41	HI	n<10	n<10
8	WV	114	\$1,011,708	25	TX	14	\$117,748	42	NM	n<10	n<10
9	SC	105	\$740,586	26	OR	13	\$126,666	43	NV	n<10	n<10
10	CA	81	\$712,829	27	AZ	11	\$100,000	44	VI	n<10	n<10
11	OH	81	\$675,546	28	WA	10	\$90,427	45	IL	n<10	n<10
12	FL	79	\$465,805	29	MS	10	\$90,000	46	RI	n<10	n<10
13	NY	75	\$651,380	30	OK	10	\$83,228	Total		4315	\$31,536,511
14	WI	66	\$628,321	31	MO	n<10	n<10				
15	MI	55	\$515,000	32	AR	n<10	n<10				
16	VT	55	\$504,000	33	CT	n<10	n<10				
17	AL	35	\$208,292	34	IA	n<10	n<10				

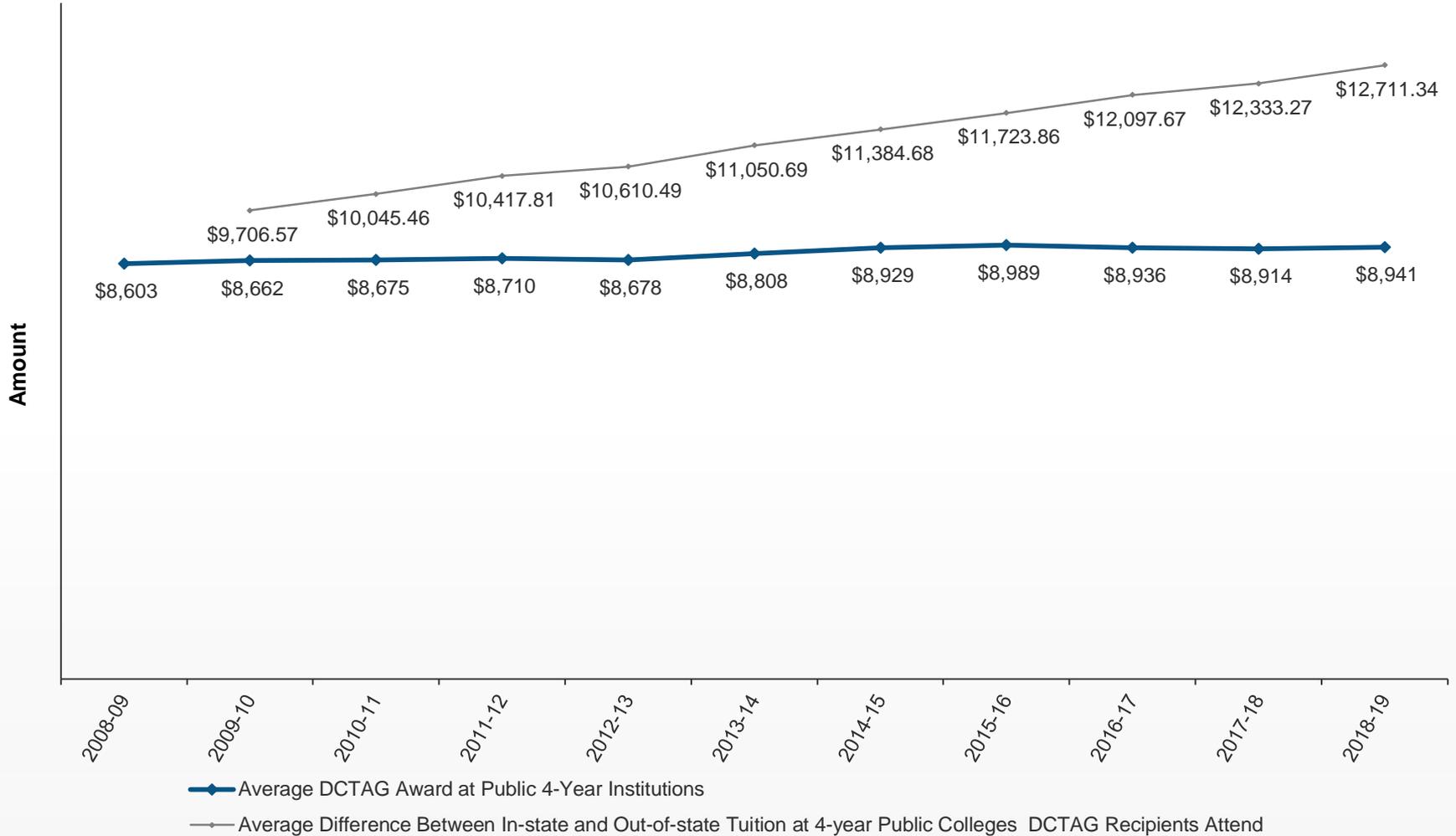
DCTAG Appropriations



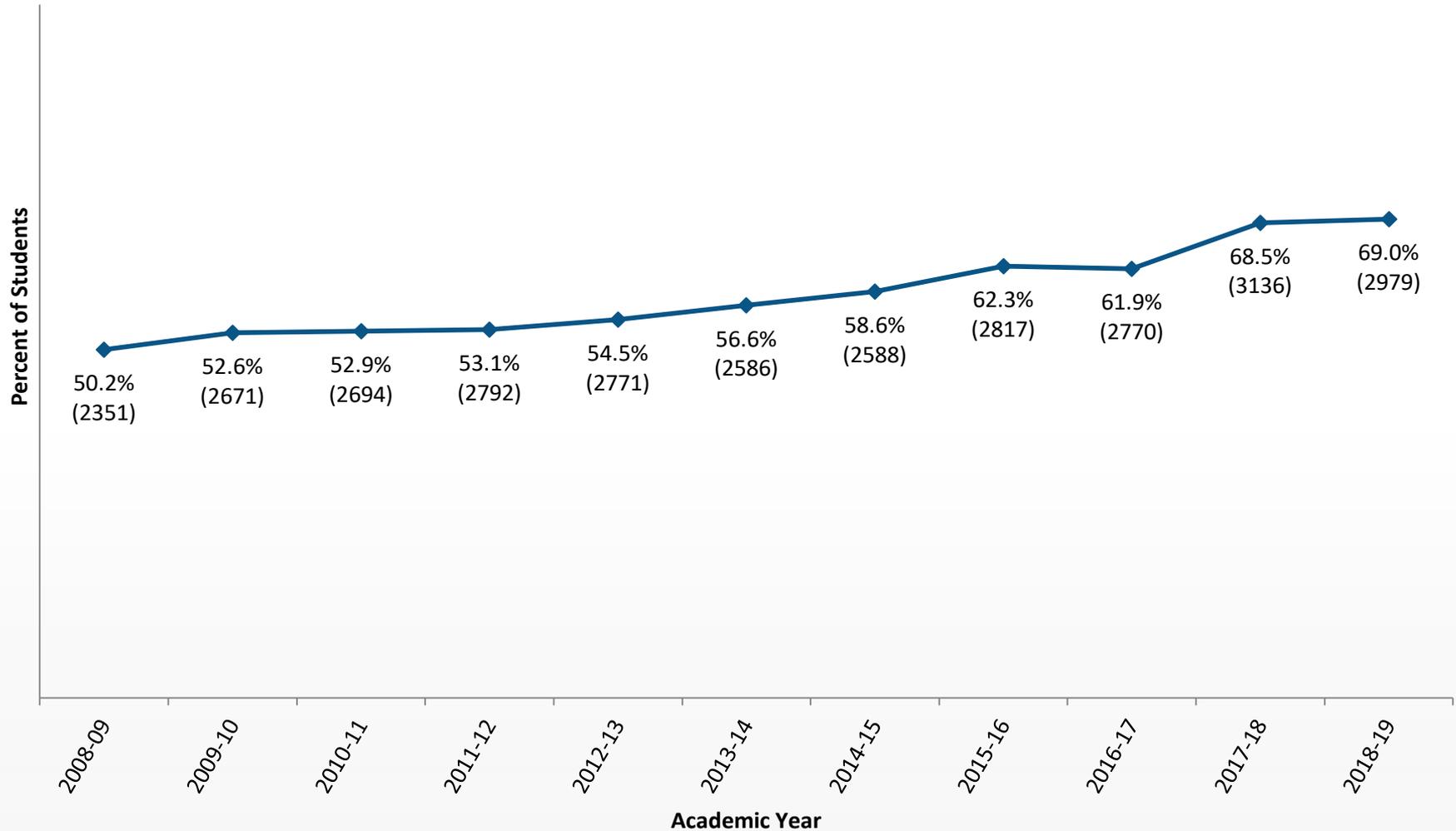
DCTAG: Total Amount Awarded



DCTAG: Average Award at Public 4-Year Institutions



Student Receiving Maximum Eligible DCTAG Award*



*Reflects students receiving maximum \$10,000 awards at public institutions and students receiving maximum \$2,500 at private institutions.

DCTAG Policy Changes Relevant to Data Presented

As of AY 2017-18

- Maximum award amount at public community colleges increased from \$2,500 to \$10,000
- Maximum age increased from 24 to 26
- Six-year eligibility limit changed to reflect years receiving award rather than years since initial postsecondary enrollment

As of AY 2016-17

- Income threshold lowered to \$750,000 for students beginning their undergraduate course of study between AY 2016-17 and 2018-19.

DCTAG Policy Changes That Will Impact Future Reports

As of AY 2019-20

- Income threshold lowered to \$500,000 for students beginning their undergraduate course of study in AY 2019-20 onward.

Changes Related to COVID-19 Public Health Emergency

For AY 2020-21 Only

- Extended deadline to accommodate federal tax deadline and changes in postsecondary enrollment.
- Allowed submission of processed D-40 Tax Returns rather than certified D-40 Tax Returns.