

Open Doors® Intensive English Programs (IEP) Data Release

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Intensive English Program (IEP) Survey



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Over 600 U.S.
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international
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Colleges and
Universities



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**Students
in-person at
U.S. programs**

**Students online
in the U.S.**

**Students
online outside
the U.S.**

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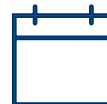
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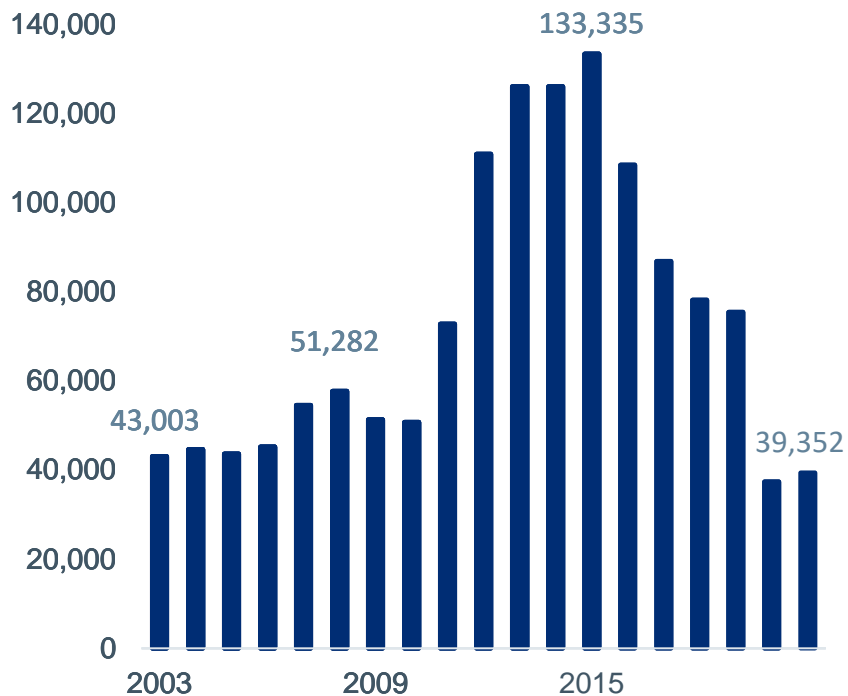
2021 Calendar
Year
(January – December)



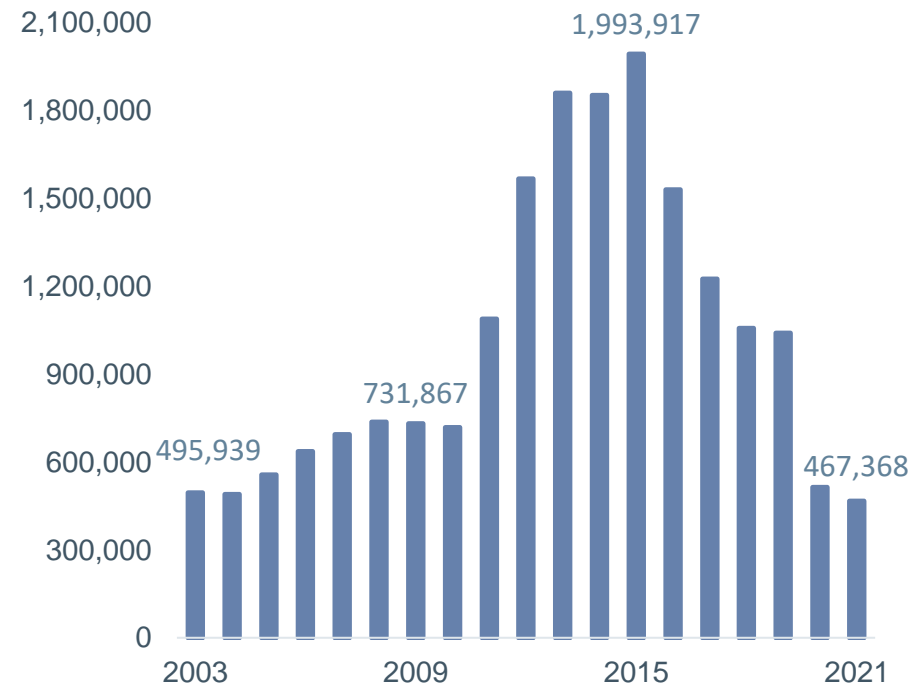
39,352 international students at 330 IEPs studied intensive English for **467,368** student-weeks in calendar year 2021.

International IEP enrollment

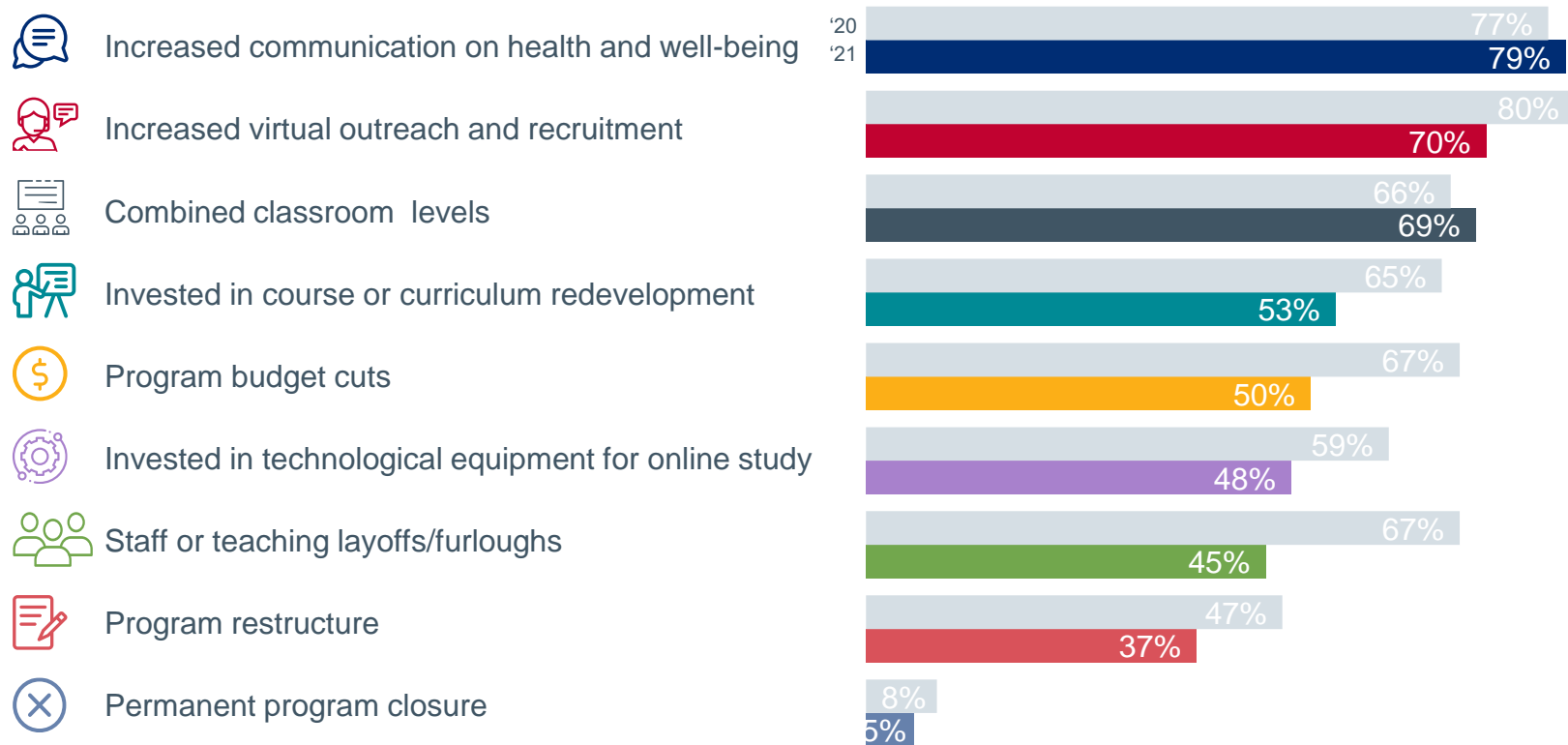
Students:



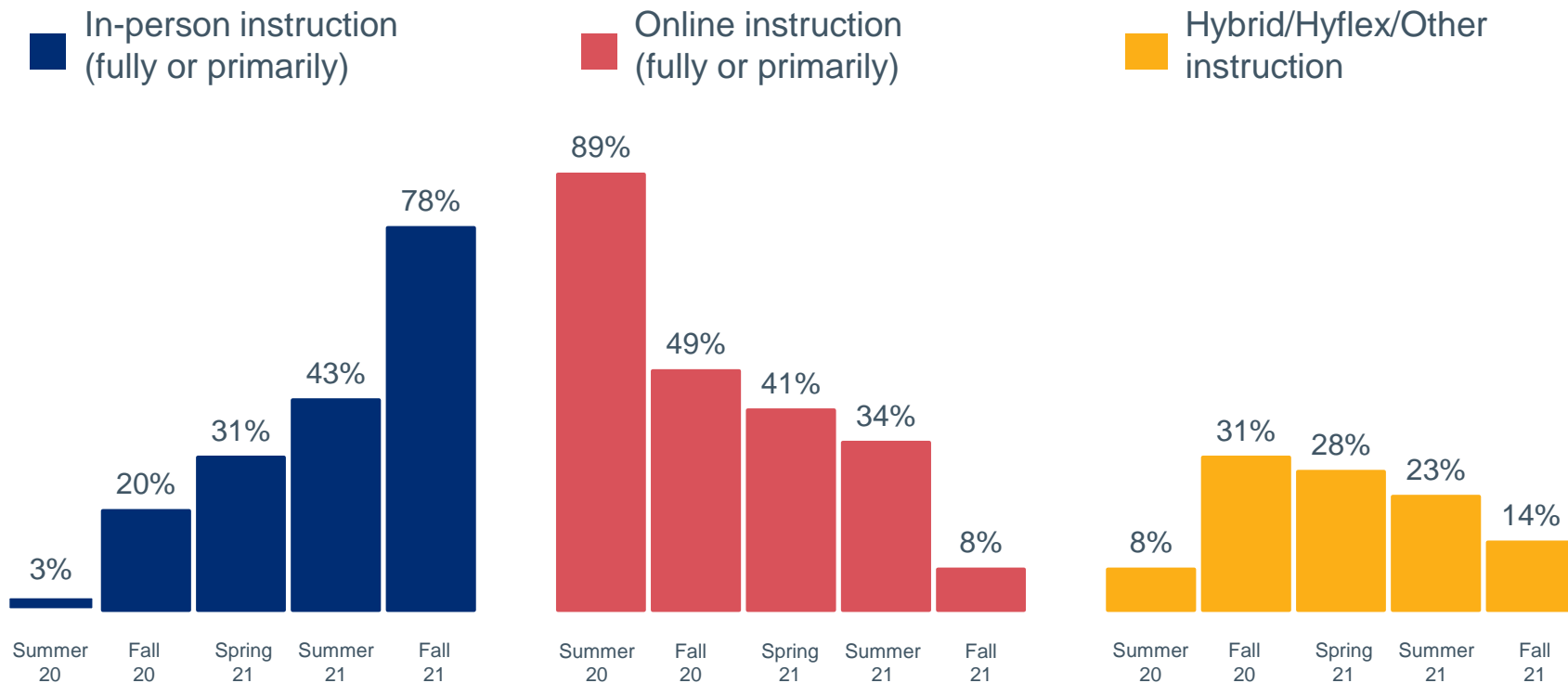
Student-weeks



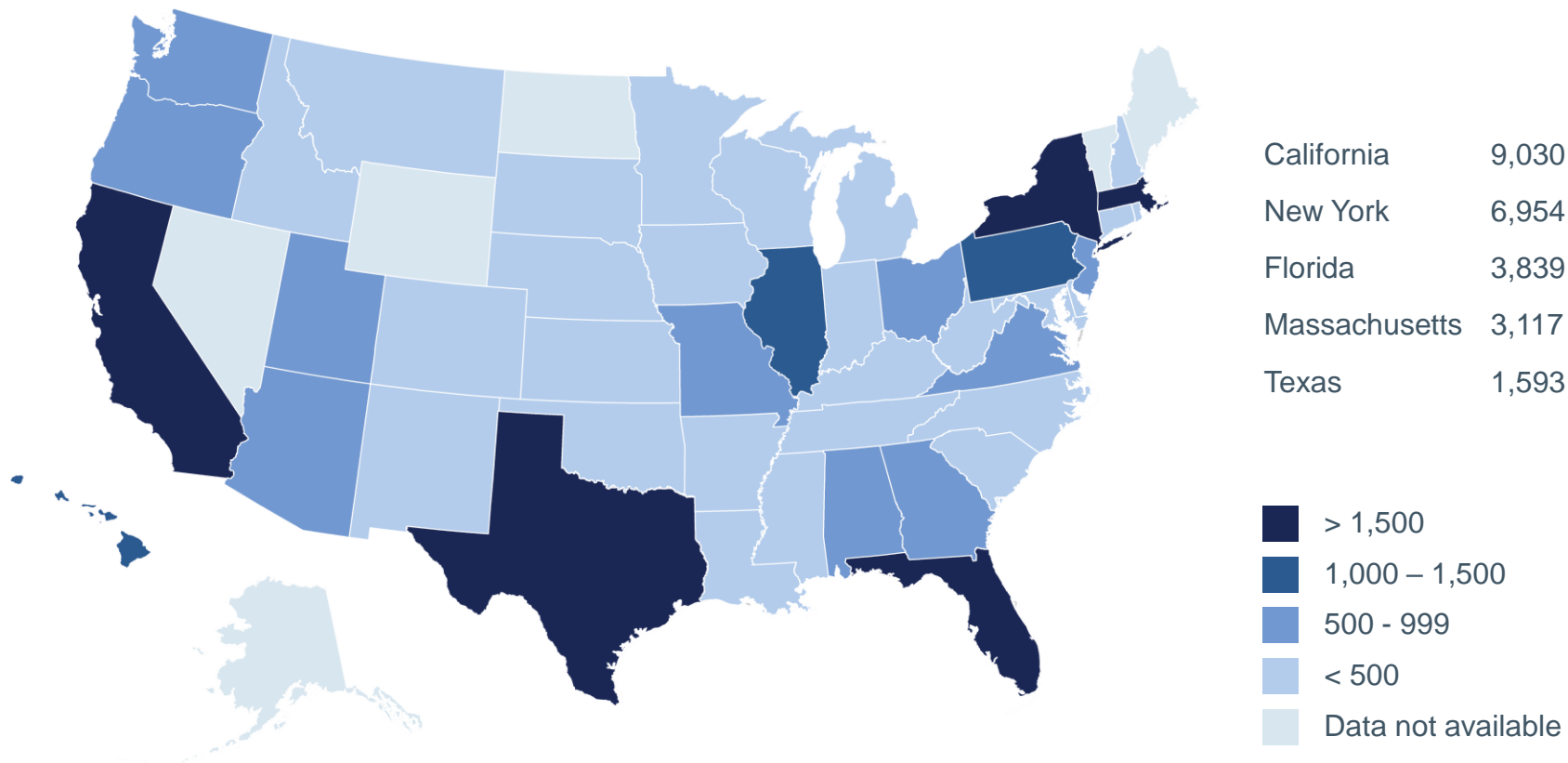
Intensive English program impacts due to COVID-19



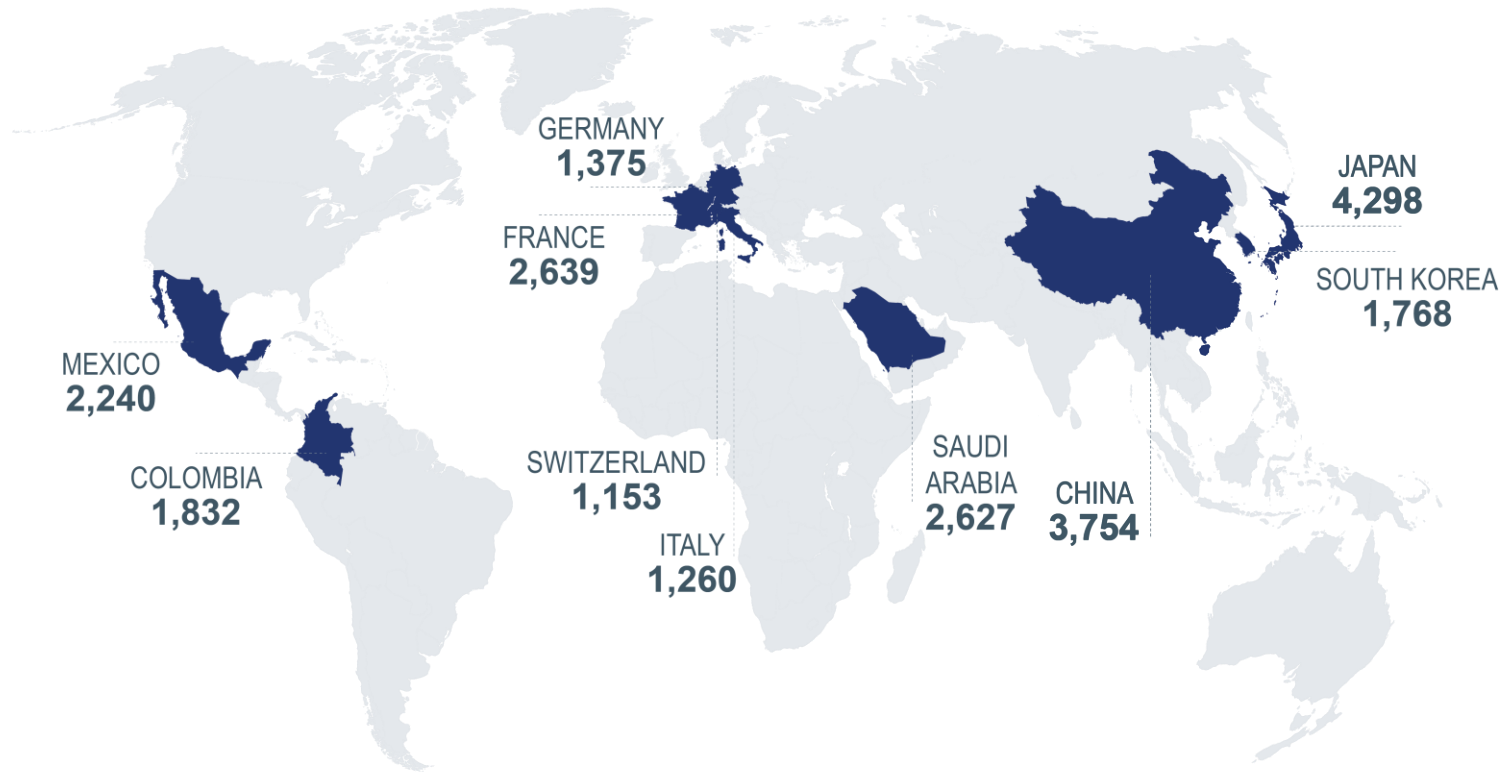
Majority of IEPs have returned to in-person instruction



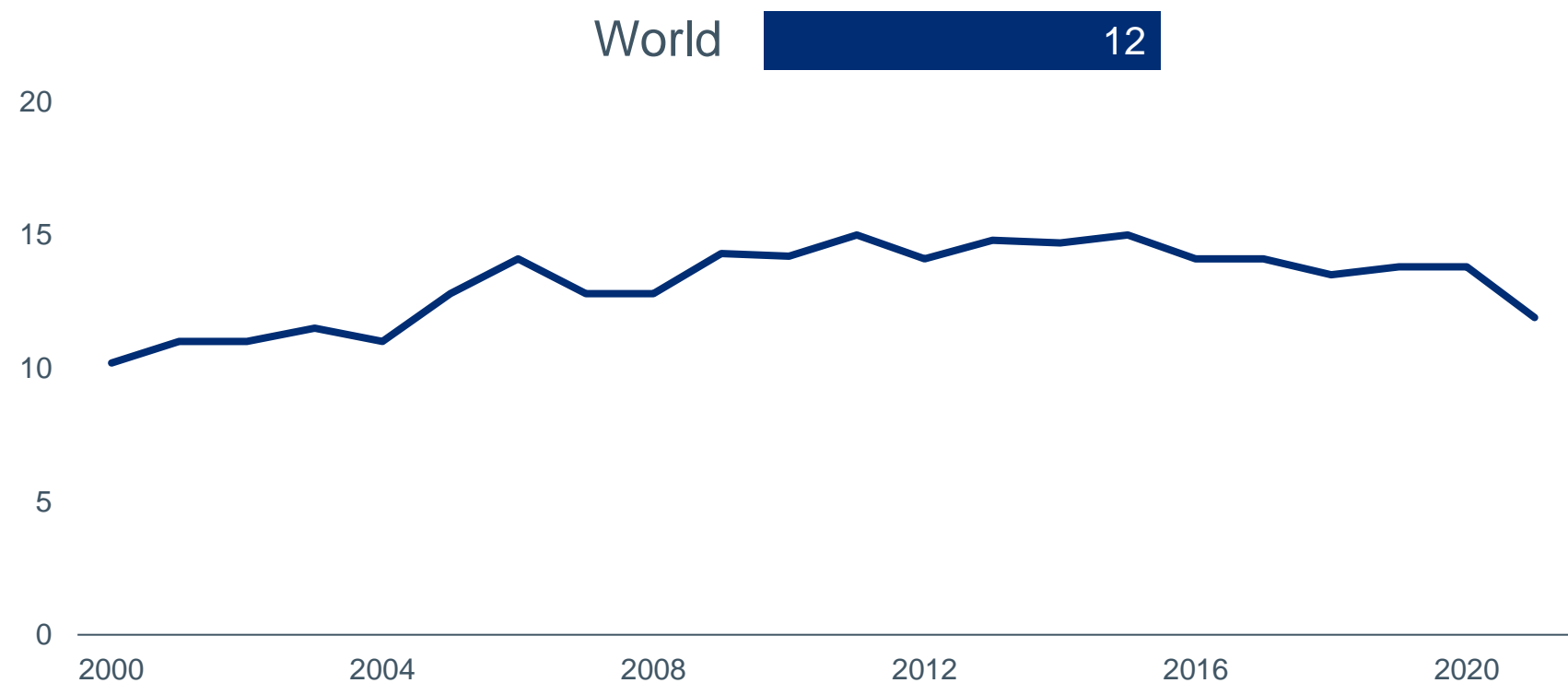
IEP Enrollments by State



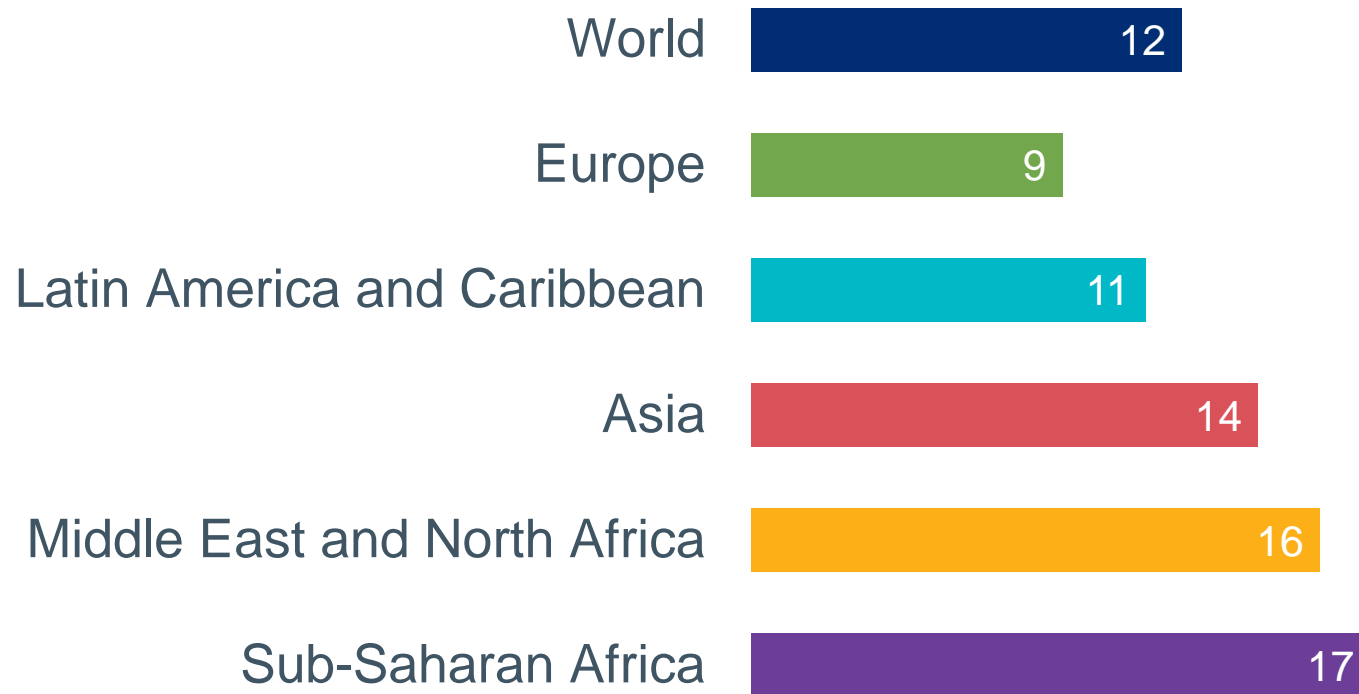
IEP Top Places of Origin in 2021



Average IEP Weeks per Student



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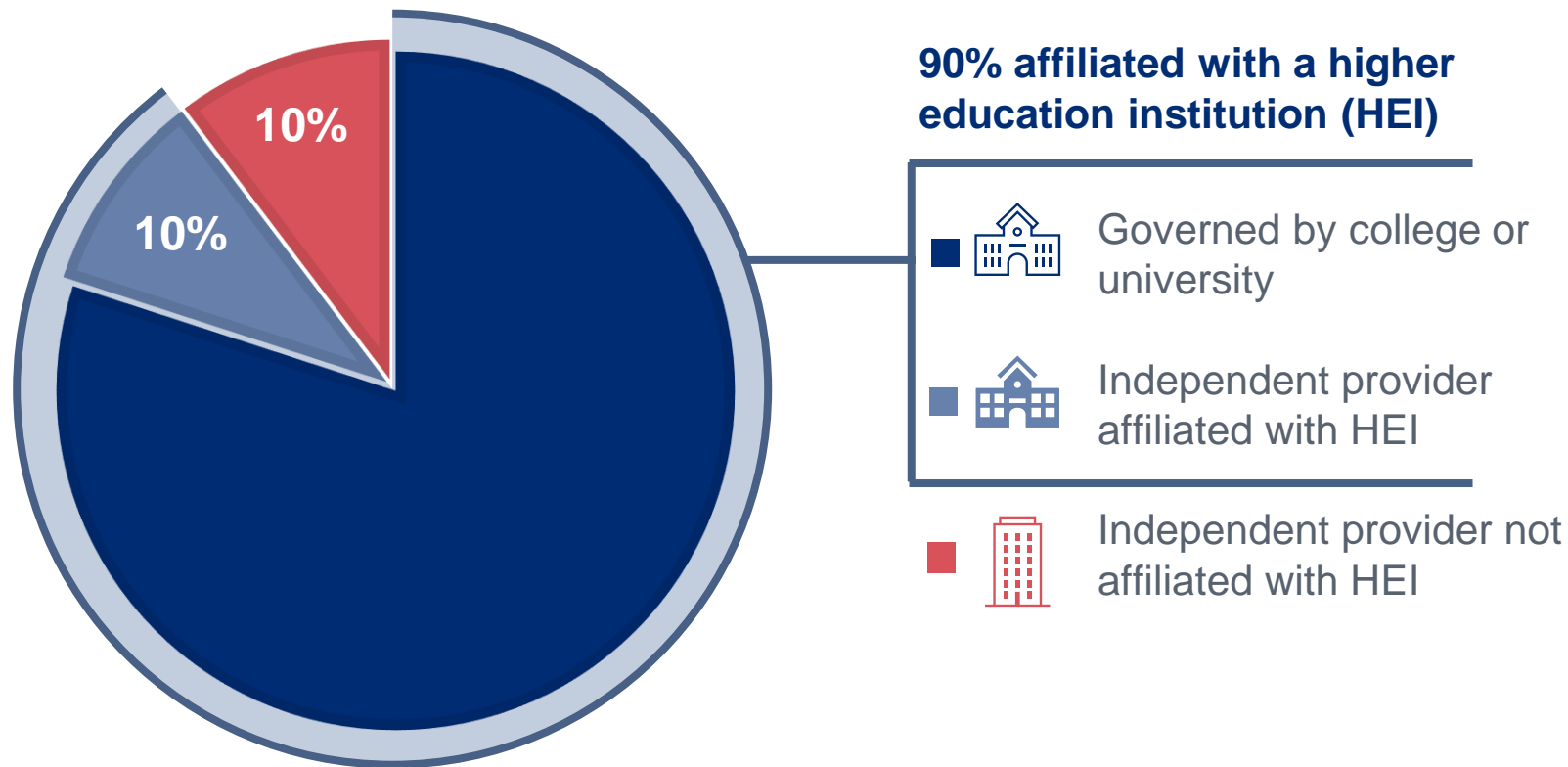


In 2021, **32%** of IEP students intend to continue further (non-IEP) study in the United States.



Special analysis: IEP by program types

Types of intensive English programs



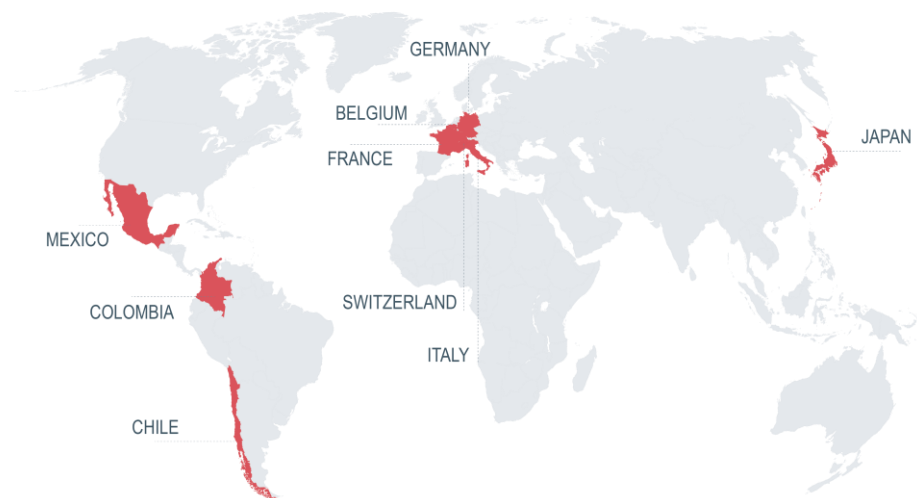
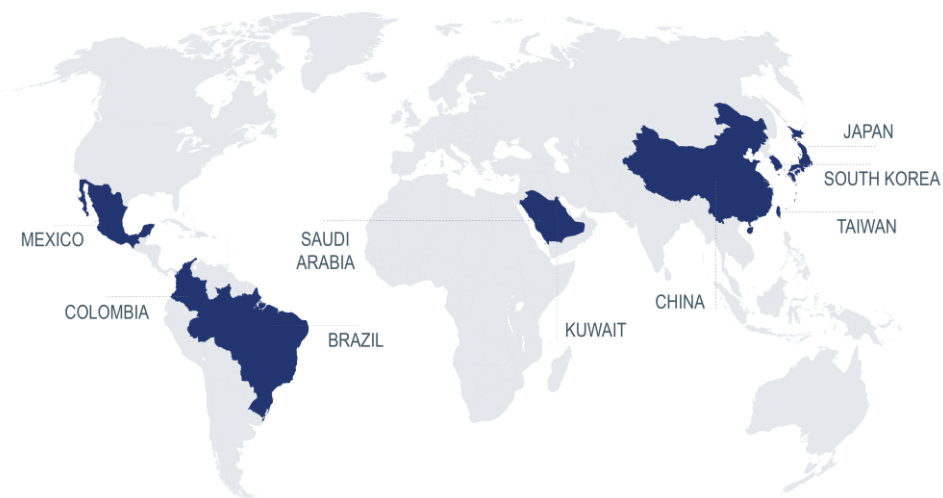
IEP Top Places of Origin 2021



**Affiliated with a higher
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**Not Affiliated with a higher
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Average IEP Weeks by Institutional Type



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Full Time

16

Part Time

10



**Not Affiliated with a higher
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Full Time

9

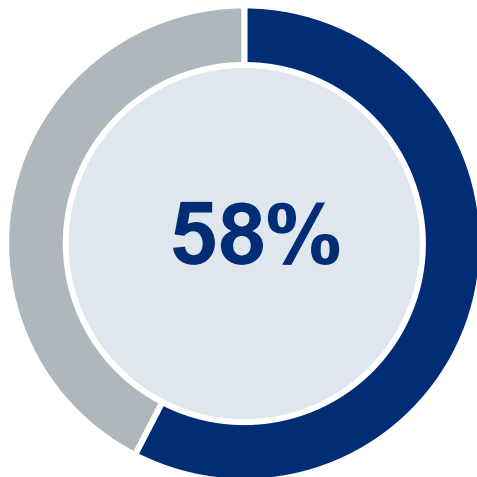
Part Time

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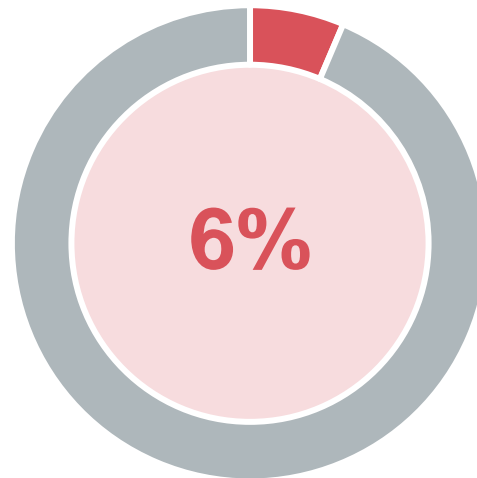
Percent of IEP students intending to pursue further non-IEP study at U.S. institutions



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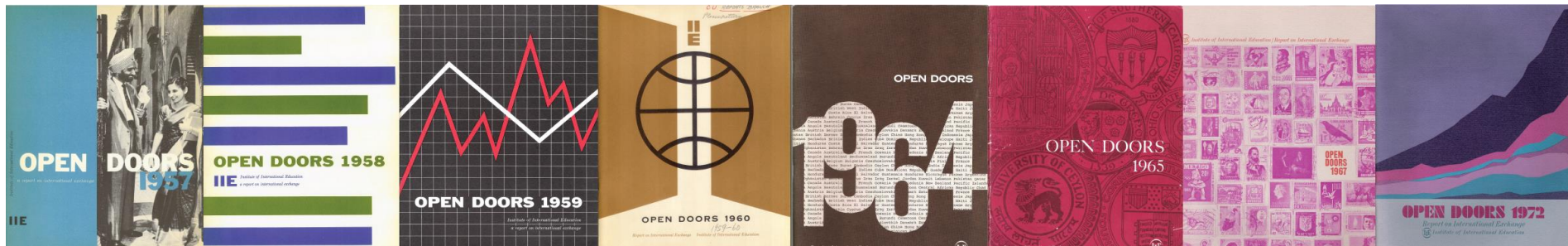
Special Analysis: Year on year

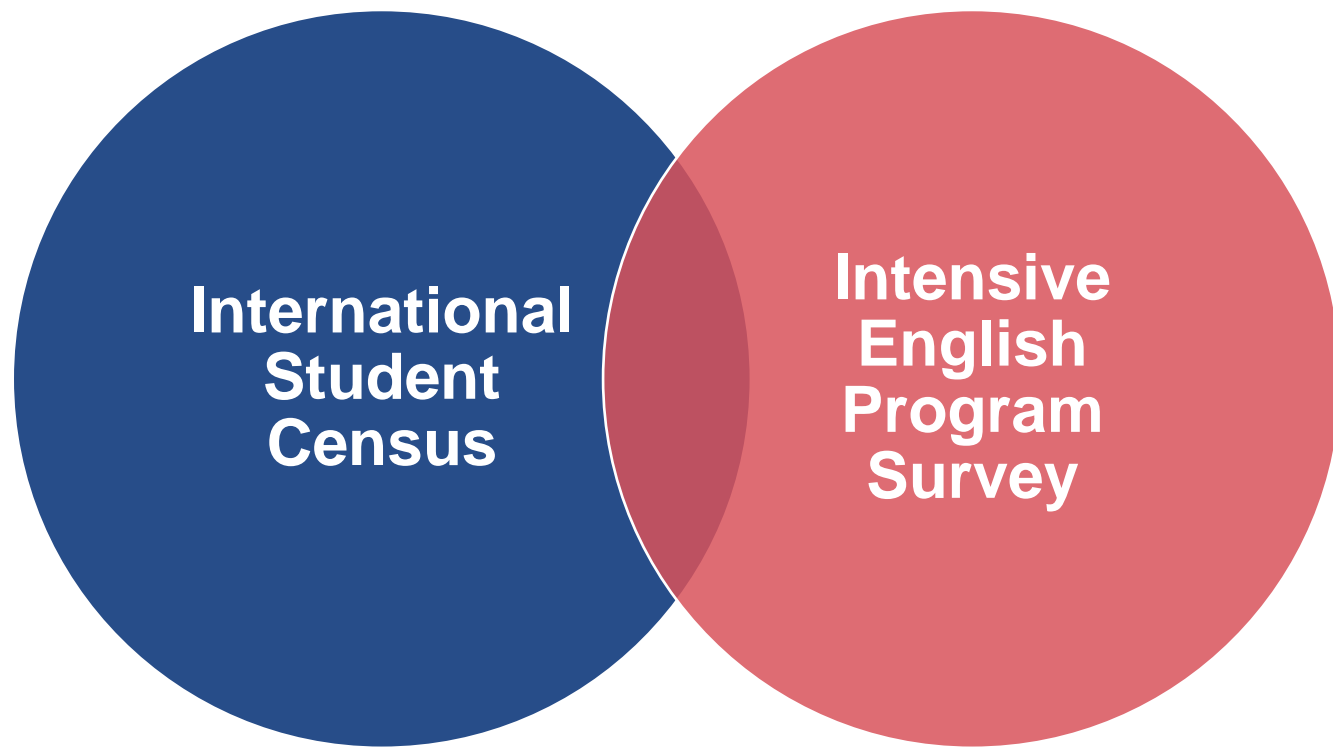


**Year over year
comparison from IEPs
reporting in both 2020
and 2021 found**

**-29% students
-31% student weeks**

IEP Data and the International Student Census





International Student Census

Only accredited higher
education institutions

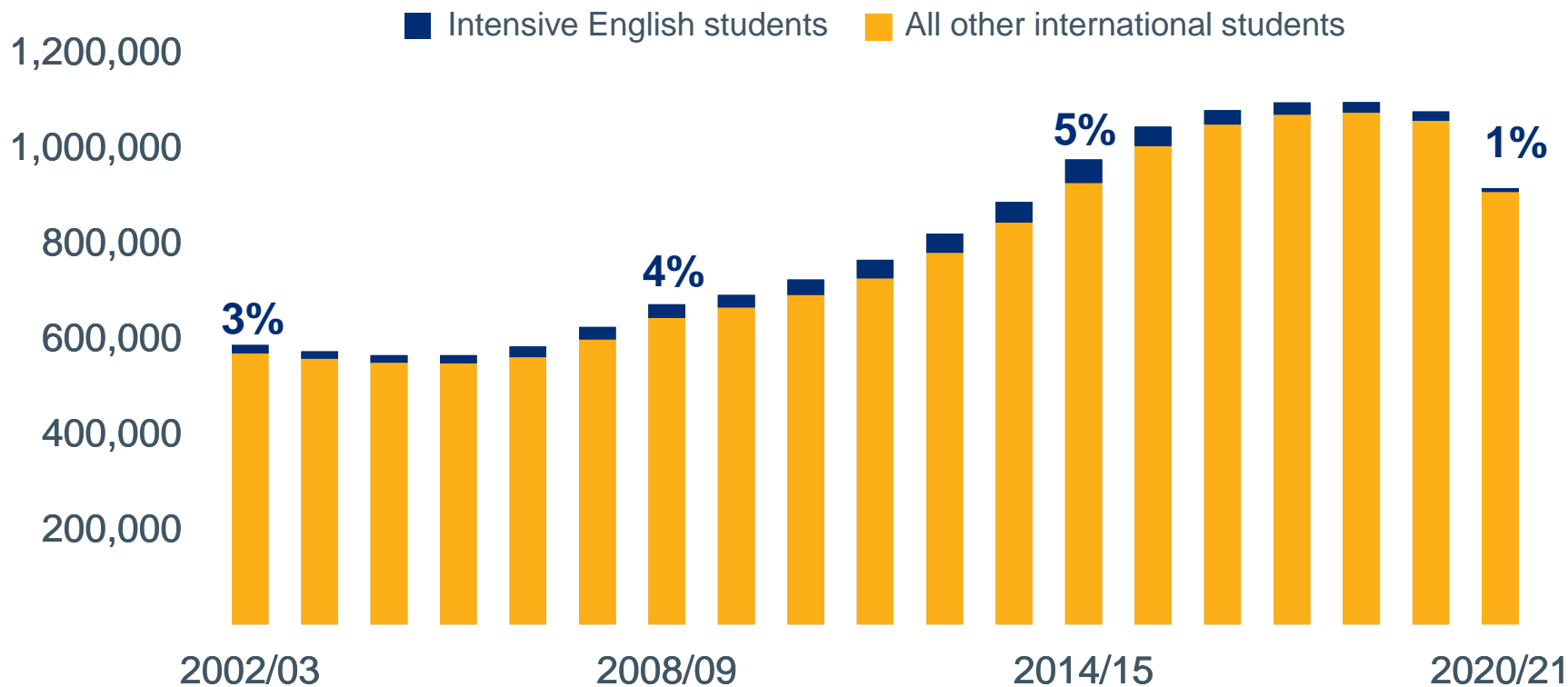
2020/21 academic
year

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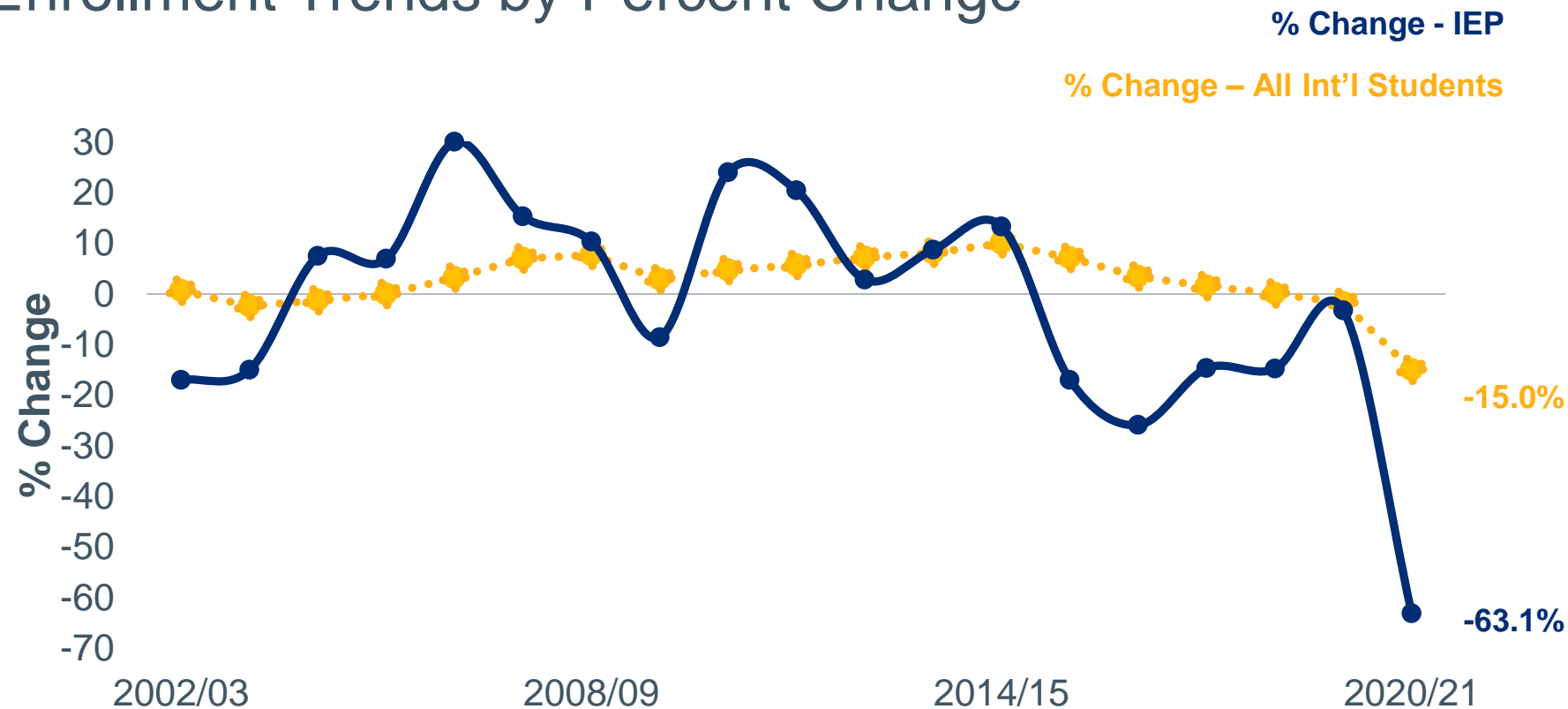
IEPs in higher
education and
independent providers

January 2021 –
December 2021

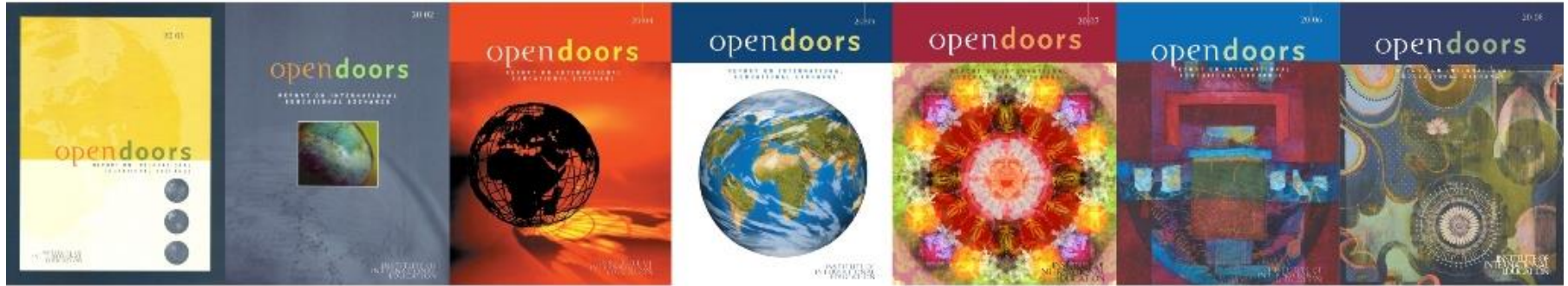
IEP Enrollment as a Percent of All International Students



Enrollment Trends by Percent Change



Additional Resources



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