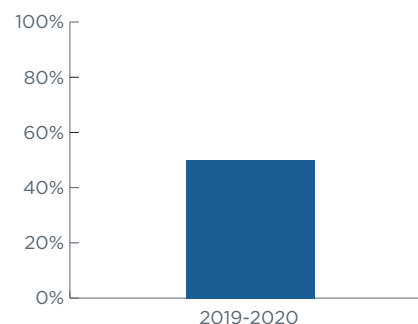


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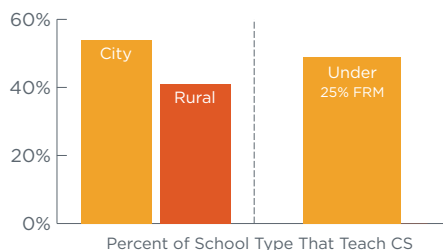
State Plan	The Tennessee Department of Education presented the Tennessee Computer Science State Education Plan to the legislature in April 2020 and posted a timeline for each recommendation on the department website.
Yes	
Standards	The state published a comprehensive set of K-12 computer science standards in July 2020.
Yes	
Funding	PC 651 (FY 2021) includes \$518K for computer science education, including professional development, within the Governor's Future Workforce Initiative.
Yes	
Certification	Teachers with existing licensure can obtain the Computer Science Employment Standard endorsement after completing approved professional development. An initial license in computer science requires completing academic coursework and passing the Praxis CS exam.
Yes	
Preservice	The state has approved a teacher preparation program in computer science, but it is not yet posted on the state website.
In Progress	
CS Supervisor	The state does not yet have a dedicated computer science education supervisor position.
No	
All HS Offer	The state does not yet require that all secondary schools offer computer science.
No	
Grad Credit	Computer science can count as a mathematics credit for graduation.
Yes	
IHE Admission	The state does not yet allow computer science to count as a core admission requirement at institutions of higher education.
No	

Tennessee has CSTA chapters.

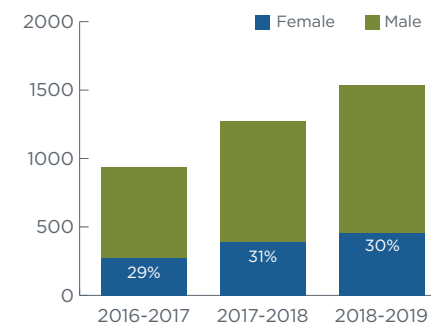
High Schools Teaching CS



High Schools Teaching CS by School Type



AP CS Student Participation



Access and Participation by Race/Ethnicity

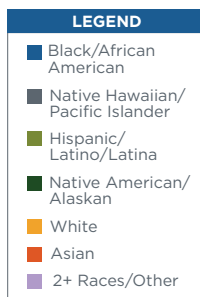
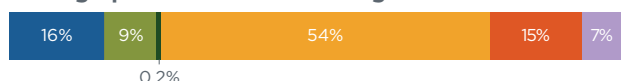
Overall Student Demographics



Demographics in Schools Teaching AP CS

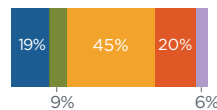


Demographics of Students Taking AP CS Exams

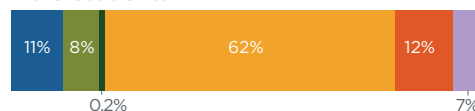


AP CS Participation by Race/Ethnicity and Gender

Female Students



Male Students



Total Number of CS Exams Taken

Black students are 1.5 times less likely than their white and Asian peers to take an AP CS exam when they attend a school that offers it.