



The National Coalition on School Diversity (NCSD) is a network of national civil rights organizations, university-based research centers, and state and local coalitions working to expand support for government policies that promote school diversity and reduce racial isolation. We also support the work of state and local school diversity practitioners. Our work is informed by an advisory panel of scholars and academic researchers whose work relates to issues of equity, diversity, and desegregation/integration.

## POLICY ISSUE BRIEFS

Reaffirming the Role of School Integration in K-12 Education Policy (December 2009)

Issue Brief #1: Key Principles for ESEA Reauthorization (February 2011)

Issue Brief #2: Federally Funded Charter Schools Should Foster Diversity (March 2011)

Issue Brief #3: Recommendations for Choice Program Provisions in the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (April 2011)

Issue Brief #4: Federal Support for School Integration—A Status Report (March 2013)

Issue Brief #5: Linking Housing and School Integration Policy: What Federal, State, and Local Governments Can Do (March 2015)

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The National Coalition on School Diversity aims to increase real time, two-way communication between advocates and researchers on key contested questions.



The NCSD has convened a group of leading researchers to help us ensure that our advocacy efforts are informed by the most current, methodologically

sound research on school integration.

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## **RESEARCH BRIEFS**

- #1: School Racial and Economic Composition & Math and Science Achievement
- #2: How the Racial and Socioeconomic Composition of Schools and Classrooms Contributes to Literacy, Behavioral Climate, Instructional Organization, and High School Graduation Rates
- #3: The Impact of Racially Diverse Schools in a Democratic Society
- #4: What We Know About School Integration, College Attendance, and the Reduction of Poverty
- #5: School Integration and K-12 Educational Outcomes: A Quick Synthesis of Social Science Evidence
- #6: Magnet School Student Outcomes: What the Research Says
- #7: The Reciprocal Relationship Between Housing and School Integration
- #8: How Non-Minority Students Also Benefit from Racially Diverse Schools
- #9: Regional Educational Equity Policies: Learning from Inter-District **Integration Programs**

## SCHOOL DIVERSITY RESEARCH NETWORK

Our School Diversity Research Network is a vehicle for connecting both emerging and already-established school diversity scholars and researchers with one another and with integration program practitioners. By forming this community of school diversity researchers and joining them with practitioners, we hope to greatly expand what we know about school diversity in theory and practice. Through this network, NCSD:

- supports scholarly inquiry into school diversity models and evaluation of individual programs;
- compiles and disseminates this research in accessible formats for the benefit of practitioners, policymakers, and community advocates; and
- makes high-quality research and evaluation more accessible to practitioners in the context of an educational reform climate that emphasizes evidence-based practice.

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