



# The 2024 Class of Fidelity Scholars

In the fall of 2024, a second class of Fidelity Scholars began their academic year and are taking their first steps toward a financially stable future. This class brings the total number of scholars to 591 across seven regions (Massachusetts, North Carolina, Texas, Florida, New Jersey, New Mexico, and Washington, D.C.). Fidelity's most fundamental value is to empower individuals to strengthen and secure their financial future. By making higher education more accessible and affordable, the Fidelity Scholars Program has the potential to provide greater economic mobility and a pathway to generational wealth, improving long-term outcomes for students and communities.

**591** 

TOTAL SCHOLARS

#### 2023 LAUNCH STATES







#### **2024 EXPANSION STATES**















66% of Scholars are first in their families to attend college\*

#### SUPPORTING MULTIPLE PATHWAYS



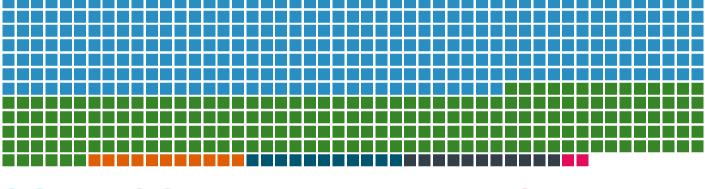
94%
Bachelor's Degree



**6%**Community College



### SCHOLARS BY ETHNICITY



55

Latino

11

Islander

Asian/Pacific

11

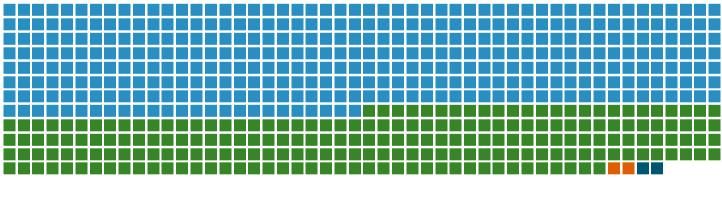
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**Ethnicity** 

2

American Indian/ Alaska Native

## SCHOLARS BY GENDER IDENTITY



370

**Female** 

**217**Male

Non-Binary

Pre

Prefer not to Answer



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\*66% first-generation represents all scholars, in both the Year 1 and Year 2 classes, in those regions.



Program is administered by UNCF.

The first round of applications for the 2025 Class of Scholars opens on

A component of Fidelity's Invest in My Education<sup>SM</sup> initiative, the Fidelity Scholars

October 1, 2024 and closes January 30, 2025. UNCF manages the application process. Interested students can visit the <u>UNCF portal</u> to indicate interest and learn more about eligibility.

