

## **Teacher Workforce Diversity**

The student body in Washington public schools is considerably more diverse than the state's teaching workforce. As shown below, there are about five times as many students of color as teachers of color in the state, and the gap has grown considerably over time.

Source: Goldhaber, D., Theobald, R., & Tien, C. (2018). Educator and Student Diversity in Washington State: Gaps and Historical Trends. The Washington Educational Research Association Education Journal, 10(2), p. 3-9.