## New Americans in Washington, D.C.



**13.5%** of Washingtonians are foreign born

13.1% are Latino or Asian



**37.8%** of immigrants in the state are naturalized U.S. citizens

**10.5%** of registered voters are New Americans



**86.6%** of children with immigrant parents are U.S. citizens

**90.8%** of children with immigrant parents are English proficient



**84.8%** of naturalized citizens have a high school diploma or higher

8,419 foreign students contribute

**\$301.9 M** to the state's economy



Make up **16.8%** of the workforce.

**6.1%** of the workforce is unauthorized.

## **DID YOU KNOW?**

Washington, D.C. would lose

\$1.1 billion

in economic activity and about **5,400 jobs** if all nauthorized immigrant

unauthorized immigrants were removed.

Latino-owned businesses had sales and receipts of **\$975 million** and employed **7,201** people

Asian-owned businesses had sales and receipts of **\$1.8 billion** and employed **11,998** people

The purchasing power of Latinos is **\$2.6 billion**. Asian buying power totaled **\$1.9 billion**.

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