

2015 Profile of Education Giving: Highlights

ABAG is excited to present highlights from our *2015 Profile of Education Giving*, which aggregates data about our members' investments in education. In 2015, ABAG disseminated an online survey to all ABAG members. We received responses from 50 ABAG members about the education-related organizations they support and their education focus areas. The full *Profile of Education Giving* provides ABAG members with a clear picture of the scope of education-related grantmaking among our membership and helps members connect with colleagues who also care about specific education issues.

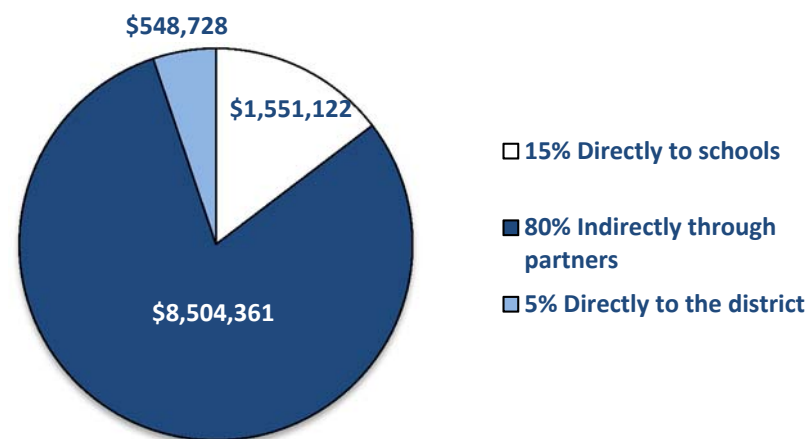
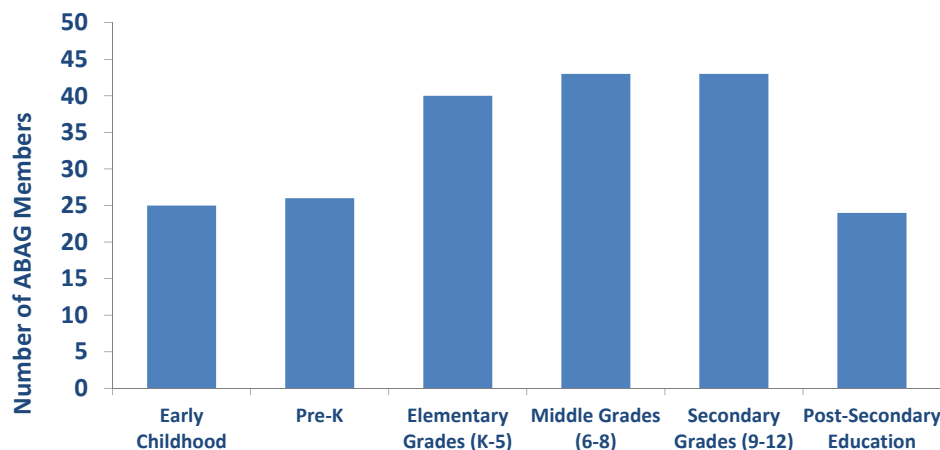
OVERVIEW

In 2014, ABAG members contributed more than \$49.2 million to education efforts through more than 1,000 grants to more than 475 organizations. Nearly half of the respondents (27 ABAG members) fund efforts toward system-wide education reform, such as advocacy work by the ACLU of Maryland.

ABAG members support education efforts for all ages, with an emphasis on K-12.

In 2014, ABAG members gave more than \$10.6 million to organizations working with Baltimore City Public Schools, to individual schools, and the district itself.

Grantmaking by Grade Levels



EDUCATION FOCUS AREAS

ABAG members support a wide array of education focus areas.

More than half of the survey respondents support activities for students during after school or extended school hours. Nearly half support efforts to improve teaching quality and teacher development; financial literacy; and college scholarships

