

Senator Anitere Flores Florida-Senate District 39



Families



125,684 Children under the age of 18 (24.7% of the total population)

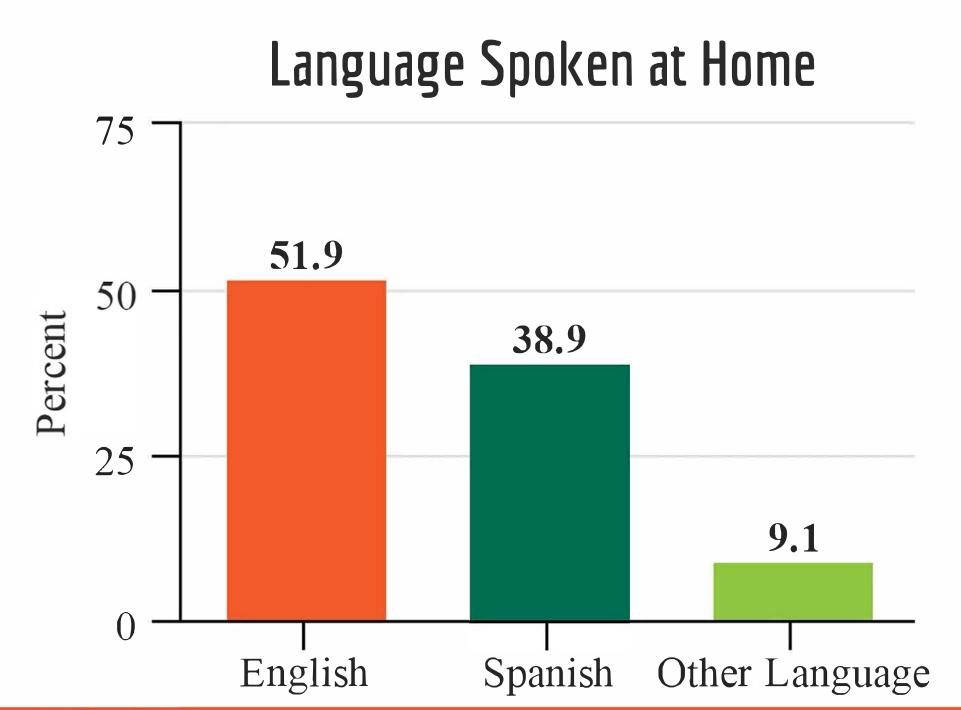
From a total of 54,606 families:



28,494 (52.2%) are headed by single parents



Of the 18,309 grandparents living with their grandchildren $\frac{28.7\%}{}$ are responsible for those children



Economy and Health

25,319 Families and 53,465 Children under 18 live

in poverty

14.0%

of Children under 18 live with parents who lack secure employment

14.8% of Teens 16-19 are not in school and **not** working

15,494 Children have no health insurance



Education



8,889 3 and 4 year olds are enrolled in school (56.9%)



75.4% High School students graduated on time

We need policies that ensure that all of Florida's Children have:



Quality early childhood educational experiences

Programs that focus on preventing juvenile justice involvement, child abuse and neglect, and substance use and abuse

Economic and educational opportunities that help parents support their families





