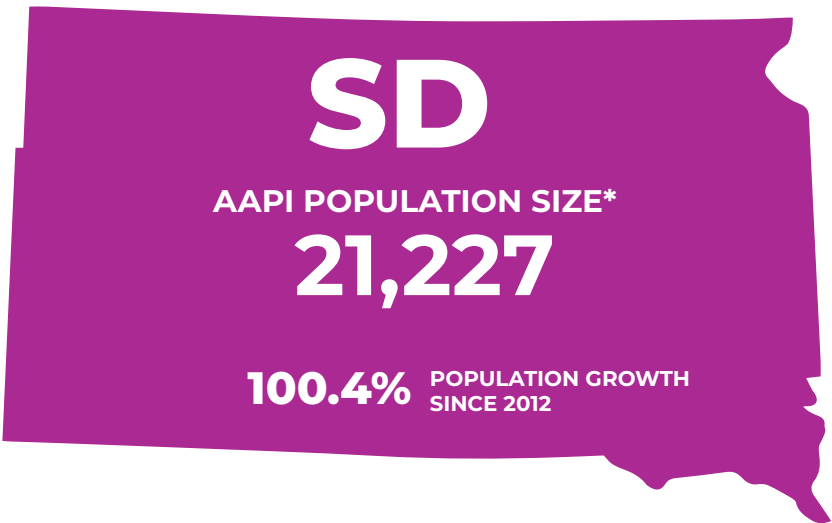


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<b>10,070</b> ELIGIBLE AAPI VOTERS*	<b>62.1%</b> AAPI VOTER ELIGIBILITY GROWTH (2012-2022)	<b>1.49%</b> AAPI SHARE OF ELECTORATE IN TENNESSEE
<b>5,664</b> FOREIGN BORN NONCITIZENS	<b>4,955</b> FOREIGN BORN CITIZENS	<b>7,986</b> NATIVE BORN CITIZENS

*\* Includes multi-racial population*

## LARGEST ASIAN AMERICAN ETHNIC GROUPS IN SOUTH DAKOTA

<b>Filipino</b> (3,893)	<b>Asian Indian</b> (2,705)	<b>Korean</b> (1,869)	<b>Chinese, except Taiwanese</b> (1,784)	<b>Burmese</b> (1,507)	<b>Japanese</b> (1,308)
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## LARGEST NHPI ETHNIC GROUPS IN SOUTH DAKOTA

<b>Native Hawaiian</b> (445)	<b>Other Micronesians</b> (225)	<b>Chamorro</b> (209)
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## AAPI CITIZEN VOTING AGE POPULATION (CVAP)

**28.6%**

Voters aged 50+

**35.3%**

Voters aged 18-29

## VOTER ENGAGEMENT *(National Level Data)*

- Voter contact falls short for AAPIs. In the 2022 Asian American Voter Survey (AAVS), 56% of Asian Americans had no or uncertain contact from the Democrats. 66% reported the same from the Republicans.
- Of contacted Asian American registered voters, 44% reported outreach from Democrats, 35% from Republicans, 39% from community groups. Comparatively, in 2016, 48% reported Democratic outreach, 16% from the Republicans.
- 37% of registered Asian Americans did not identify with either party, signaling need and opportunity for voter education via outreach.

## IMPORTANCE OF LANGUAGE ACCESS

Per the 2022 AAVS, of Asian Americans speaking non-English languages at home, 11% reported language barriers to voting and 42% stated voting assistance in their language would be utilized. *(National level data).*

**54.5%** of Asian American adults in SD **speak a language other than English at home.**

**26.7%** of Asian American adults in SD are **Limited English Proficient** (speak English less than “Very well”)

**Tagalog** (1,547) **Nepali** (1,401) **Hindi** (978) **Karen languages** (690) **Chinese** (575)

## TOP 5 ASIAN LANGUAGES SPOKEN IN SD

## SOCIOECONOMIC CHALLENGES IN SOUTH DAKOTA



About 12.8% Asian Americans and 11.9% NHPs in South Dakota live in poverty.



About 5.7% Asian Americans and 9.1% NHPs in South Dakota lack health insurance.



About 17.2% Asian Americans and 3.4% NHPs in South Dakota lack broadband access.