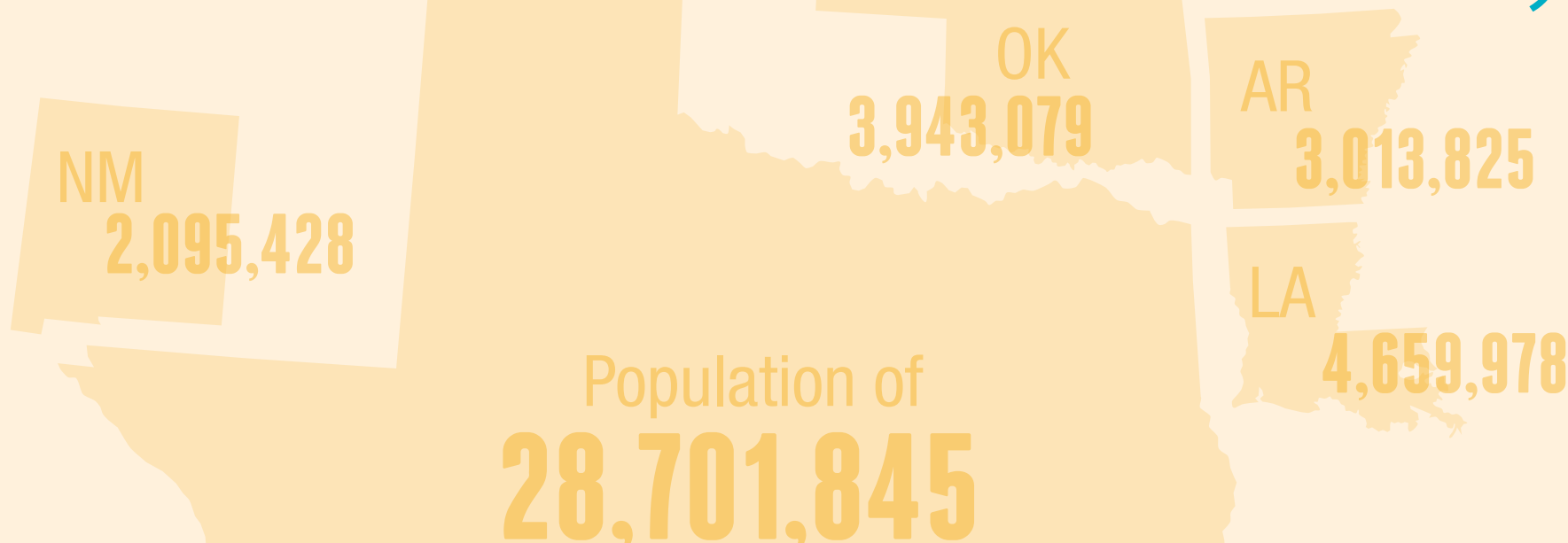


The Texas of TODAY is The United States of TOMORROW

Texas very likely represents the future of the United States, given the current shifts in demographics across the country. Diverse population, geography and an array of cultures are only a few of the benefits that make Texas an ideal place to perform public health research.

Texas is LARGE,



young AND diverse.

Texas also has the longest border with Mexico

1,250 MILES

In 2018, Texas had over 28 million people



37.8 median age in the U.S.

34.3 median age in Texas

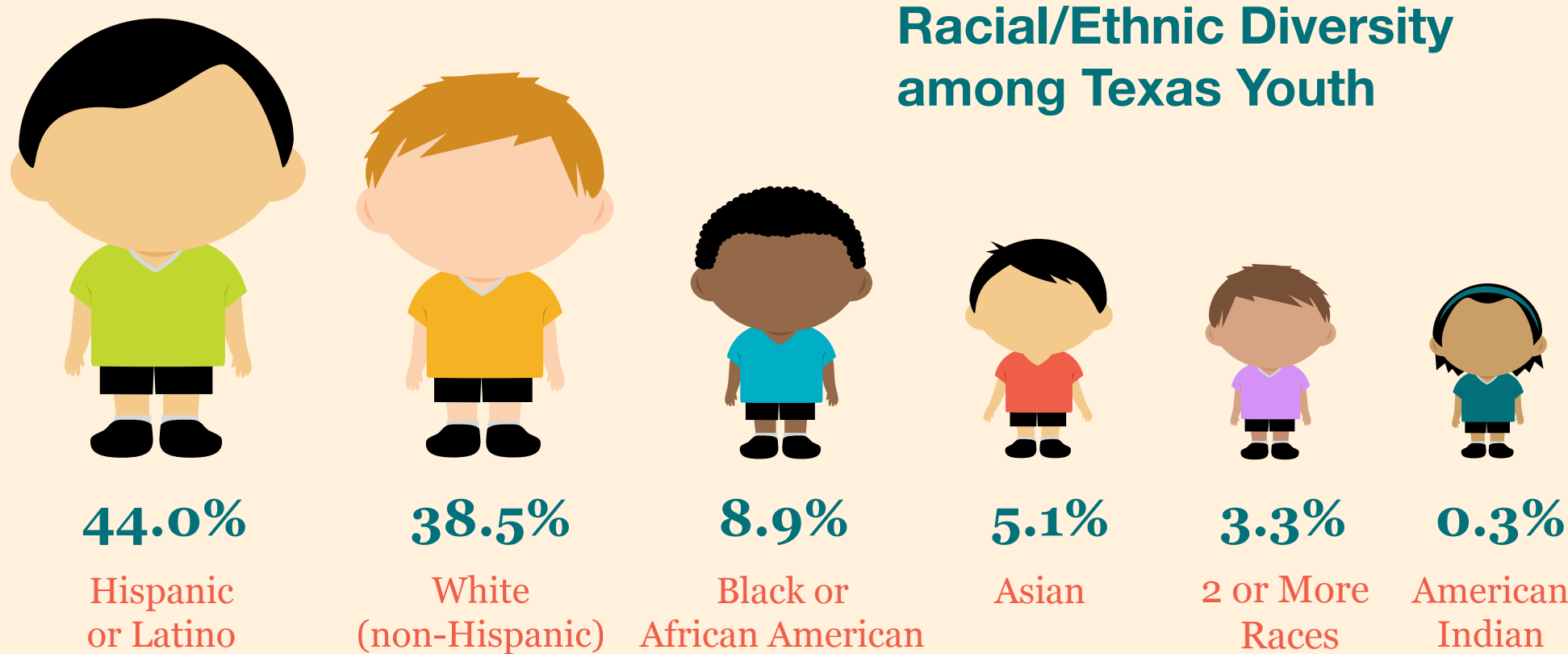
One THIRD of Texas' population is under the age of 18.

Texas children represent

10%

of all children in the United States

Racial/Ethnic Diversity among Texas Youth

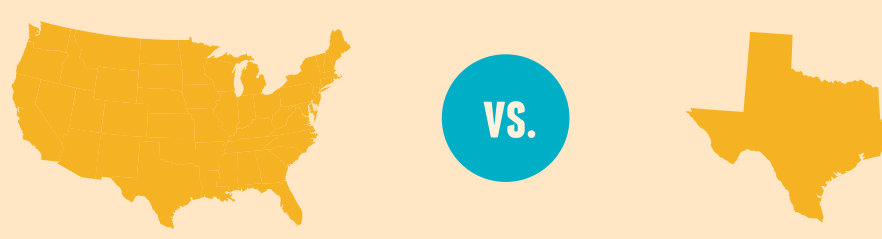


Perhaps the biggest demographic shift that has occurred in the last 10 years is the increased number of minority, particularly Hispanic, children in the U.S.

In 2010, Texas had over 4 million immigrant residents, representing

16.7%

of the state's total population



Given current shifts in demographics across the country, Texas very likely represents the future of the U.S.

- large and growing Hispanic population
- representative Black population
- growing Asian population
- decreasing White population

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