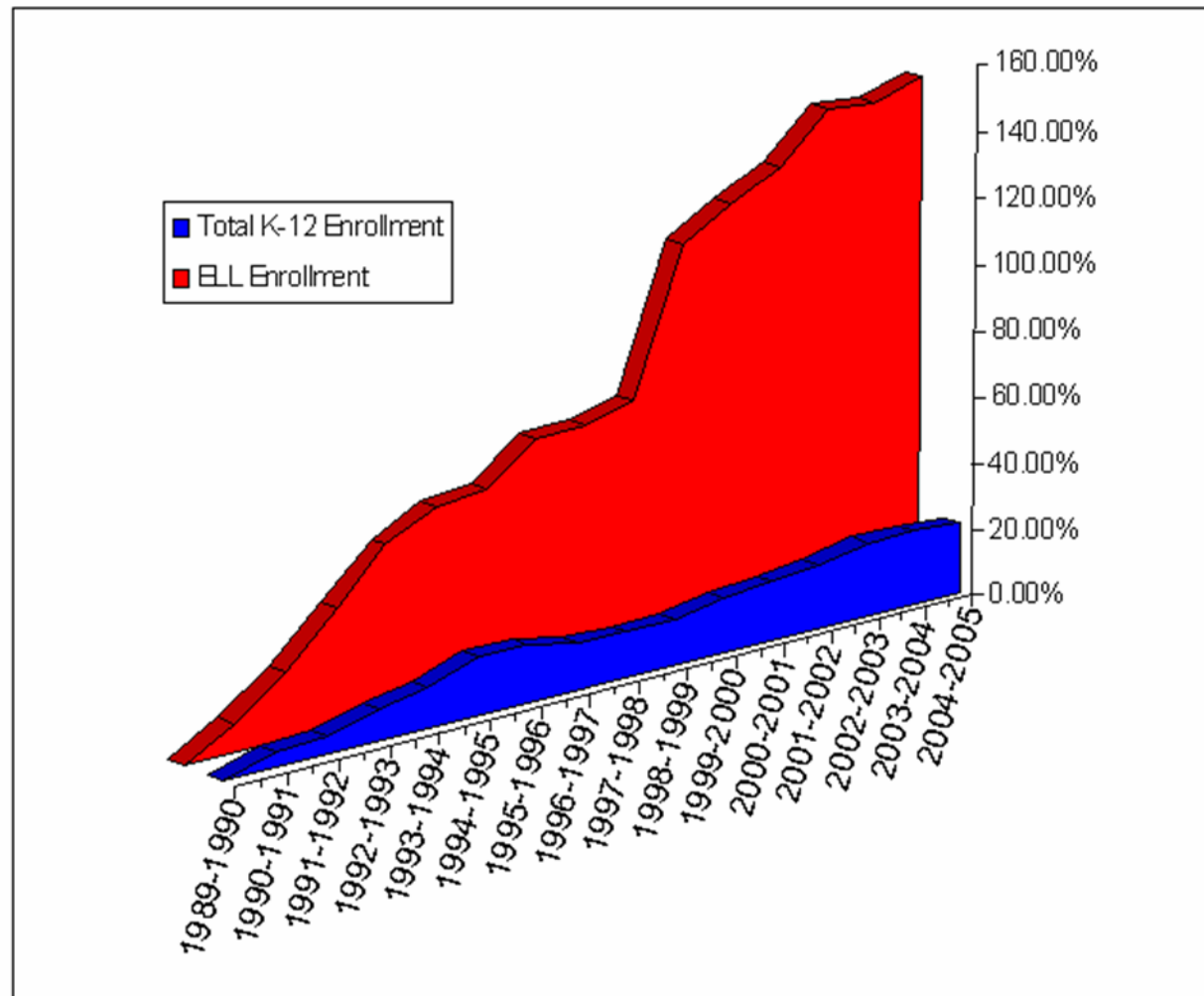


A Healthy Dose of Reality

Relative Growth in ELL and Total Enrollment in U.S. Schools, 1989-90 to 2004-2005



SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education's survey of the states' limited English proficient students and available educational programs and services, 1991-92 through 2001-2002 summary reports. Supplemented by state publications (1988-99 data), enrollment totals from the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES), 2004-2005 Consolidated State Performance Reports, and data reported by states.