

Table 12.

States Ranked According to Relation of Public Elementary-Secondary School System Finance Amounts to \$1,000 Personal Income: Fiscal Year 2015

(In dollars. Detail may not add to total because of rounding. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see footnotes)

Rank	Elementary-secondary revenue							Current spending												
	State		From federal sources		From state sources		From local sources		State		Total ¹		Instruction			General administration		School administration		
	State	Total	State	Total	State	Total	State	Total	State	Total	State	Total	State	Salaries	State	Employee benefits	State	Total	State	Total
1.	US	43.42	US	3.60	US	20.45	US	19.37	US	37.97	US	23.26	US	14.66	US	5.88	US	0.71	US	2.05
2.	AK	72.61	AK	8.55	VT	52.34	NY	30.99	AK	65.57	NY	37.48	NY	20.59	AK	16.56	DC	2.16	AK	4.17
3.	WY	59.92	MS	6.58	AK	50.38	NJ	30.38	VT	54.09	AK	36.90	VT	19.83	NY	11.48	IL	1.76	VT	3.71
4.	VT	58.49	NM	6.54	AR	36.55	IL	27.66	NY	52.61	VT	33.28	NJ	17.99	IL	9.35	ME	1.54	MD	2.62
5.	NY	56.69	LA	6.36	HI	36.09	NE	27.06	NJ	49.60	NJ	29.73	WY	17.67	VT	8.70	ND	1.39	WV	2.60
6.	NJ	54.75	WV	5.49	WY	34.13	DC	26.61	WV	48.05	IL	27.71	AK	17.21	WV	8.26	NH	1.36	DE	2.60
7.	WV	52.39	SD	5.27	NM	33.95	PA	26.27	WY	46.05	WV	27.51	IA	17.07	MI	7.93	MS	1.32	SC	2.55
8.	IL	50.25	AR	5.21	WV	29.93	ME	25.99	IL	45.47	WY	27.38	NE	16.98	DE	7.82	MN	1.28	GA	2.53
9.	NM	49.57	KY	5.19	KS	29.47	NH	25.66	ME	43.75	NE	26.89	GA	16.93	NJ	7.56	MO	1.28	WY	2.50
10.	SC	49.15	MT	5.17	IN	28.76	CT	25.27	RI	42.85	PA	26.17	ME	16.74	PA	7.52	MT	1.25	MS	2.44
11.	ME	48.68	TX	4.72	MN	28.22	RI	24.68	GA	41.75	RI	26.10	WV	16.68	CT	7.47	NE	1.18	ME	2.43
12.	OH	48.05	SC	4.70	DE	26.95	OH	23.82	AR	41.74	GA	25.71	TX	16.45	WY	7.39	VT	1.17	NM	2.41
13.	AR	47.47	GA	4.67	MI	25.89	TX	23.18	SC	41.71	ME	25.65	RI	16.14	ME	7.28	PA	1.12	HI	2.41
14.	GA	47.39	AL	4.44	KY	25.54	MA	22.99	NM	41.62	DE	25.30	KY	15.94	RI	7.25	WI	1.10	NJ	2.39
15.	IA	46.72	AZ	4.28	IA	25.06	MD	22.92	PA	41.02	CT	25.04	NM	15.93	MD	6.96	OH	1.10	NV	2.38
16.	DE	46.64	TN	4.26	NV	23.88	WY	22.11	NE	41.00	IA	24.50	MN	15.92	IN	6.91	SD	1.06	KY	2.36
17.	PA	46.47	NC	4.06	WA	23.32	GA	21.52	DE	40.83	MA	24.28	IL	15.92	OR	6.81	KY	1.05	AL	2.33
18.	RI	46.26	OK	3.94	NY	23.14	SC	21.44	MS	40.56	NH	23.83	AR	15.69	NH	6.63	IA	1.02	OR	2.32
19.	KY	46.16	HI	3.93	SC	23.00	MO	20.65	KY	40.55	MD	23.80	DE	15.55	LA	6.53	AL	1.00	IL	2.30
20.	IN	45.76	MI	3.90	WI	22.95	VA	19.96	OH	40.08	OH	23.77	SC	15.49	UT	6.42	AR	0.97	CT	2.30
21.	NE	45.68	ID	3.83	AL	22.80	SD	19.89	IA	40.04	AR	23.50	MS	15.48	WI	6.33	LA	0.97	IA	2.27
22.	CT	45.27	CA	3.82	MS	22.75	LA	19.12	CT	39.87	MN	23.34	MD	15.29	GA	6.32	NJ	0.96	LA	2.21
23.	TX	44.89	MO	3.81	ID	22.74	IA	18.34	MD	38.42	KY	23.29	CT	15.18	KY	6.14	WY	0.94	IN	2.18
24.	MD	44.87	NE	3.78	UT	22.45	WI	17.98	MT	38.35	NM	23.20	MT	14.98	MA	6.09	OK	0.91	AR	2.18
25.	MS	44.82	ND	3.70	OR	22.22	MT	17.38	WI	38.33	SC	23.16	MO	14.97	NE	6.01	AK	0.90	KS	2.16
26.	MI	44.49	WY	3.68	NJ	22.14	CO	17.01	MI	38.04	MS	23.00	MA	14.92	IA	5.64	KS	0.89	NH	2.15
27.	KS	44.49	FL	3.65	ND	22.00	WV	16.97	NH	37.98	KS	22.66	NH	14.89	VA	5.56	WV	0.89	CA	2.15
28.	WI	44.11	RI	3.65	CA	21.42	OR	16.97	MA	37.88	MT	22.64	OH	14.79	NM	5.51	CT	0.88	UT	2.14
29.	LA	43.38	IL	3.62	GA	21.19	DE	16.44	AL	37.50	WI	22.38	WI	14.77	SC	5.44	NM	0.83	CO	2.14
30.	MT	43.04	UT	3.61	NC	20.89	UT	16.34	LA	37.44	MI	22.27	KS	14.49	OH	5.40	NY	0.80	MO	2.11
31.	MN	43.01	VT	3.56	OH	20.80	MS	15.49	OR	37.10	OR	22.05	VA	14.17	MN	5.38	IN	0.73	MT	2.11
32.	OR	42.67	KS	3.53	MT	20.49	FL	15.45	KS	37.07	TX	21.67	NC	14.09	AL	5.27	TN	0.72	MI	2.06
33.	UT	42.40	OR	3.49	MD	19.41	KY	15.42	IN	36.45	MO	21.61	PA	14.06	MS	5.19	ID	0.69	NC	2.05
34.	MO	42.27	IN	3.48	ME	19.34	AZ	14.99	MO	36.34	UT	21.36	AL	13.77	HI	5.13	MI	0.63	TX	2.05
35.	NH	42.01	NV	3.44	IL	18.98	TN	14.90	MN	35.96	AL	21.33	HI	13.55	NV	4.93	VA	0.55	VA	2.04
36.	MA	41.84	OH	3.43	CT	18.15	MI	14.70	TX	35.93	LA	21.10	UT	13.48	ND	4.76	RI	0.54	OH	2.04
37.	AL	41.11	ME	3.35	RI	17.94	OK	13.93	HI	35.53	VA	20.98	TN	13.44	CA	4.69	TX	0.54	RI	2.01
38.	HI	40.97	IA	3.32	LA	17.91	AL	13.87	VA	34.47	HI	20.88	IN	13.22	NC	4.67	GA	0.51	NE	1.97
39.	WA	38.26	DE	3.25	MO	17.82	AK	13.68	UT	34.04	IN	20.74	LA	12.96	ID	4.55	OR	0.50	TN	1.96
40.	CA	38.18	WI	3.18	PA	17.17	IN	13.52	ND	32.97	NC	20.34	ND	12.93	MT	4.54	CO	0.49	WI	1.96
41.	NV	37.80	DC	3.15	OK	17.10	CA	12.94	CA	32.95	TN	20.28	ID	12.86	TN	4.54	MA	0.48	WA	1.91
42.	ND	37.49	PA	3.03	TX	16.99	MN	12.44	TN	32.94	CA	19.69	MI	12.80	MO	4.51	DE	0.44	NY	1.85
43.	VA	37.34	WA	2.91	MA	16.91	WA	12.03	NV	32.90	ND	19.26	CA	12.65	AR	4.47	NV	0.43	ID	1.80
44.	CO	36.03	CO	2.68	TN	16.65	ND	11.79	NC	32.53	NV	18.89	NV	12.49	KS	4.45	SC	0.40	OK	1.72
45.	SD	36.01	NY	2.56	CO	16.34	KS	11.49	WA	32.37	ID	18.62	SD	12.41	WA	4.29	AZ	0.39	ND	1.63
46.	TN	35.81	MD	2.54	VA	14.95	NV	10.47	ID	31.25	WA	18.30	WA	12.26	OK	3.80	MD	0.37	MA	1.59
47.	ID	35.68	VA	2.43	NE	14.84	ID	9.12	OK	31.02	SD	18.09	OR	12.15	SD	3.54	NC	0.36	FL	1.58
48.	OK	34.96	MN	2.35	NH	14.04	NM	9.08	SD	30.56	FL	17.50	CO	11.97	CO	3.33	WA	0.35	PA	1.57
49.	NC	33.60	NH	2.32	AZ	12.64	NC	8.65	CO	30.29	CO	17.18	OK	11.06	AZ	3.21	UT	0.33	SD	1.50
50.	AZ	31.91	NJ	2.24	FL	12.49	AR	5.70	FL	28.56	OK	17.14	FL	10.32	FL	3.08	CA	0.32	MN	1.42
51.	FL	31.60	MA	1.93	SD	10.85	VT	2.59	AZ	27.88	AZ	15.04	AZ	10.27	TX	2.77	FL	0.26	DC	1.39
	DC	29.77	CT	1.85	DC	X	HI	0.95	DC	20.94	DC	12.00	DC	9.06	DC	1.68	HI	0.19	AZ	1.31

X Not applicable.

¹ Includes amounts not shown separately.

Note: See Appendix B for a description of state-specific reporting anomalies. Revenue from and payments to other school systems are excluded to avoid double counting. Expenditures for adult education, community services, and other non-elementary-secondary programs are also excluded. Some data appear under local sources for Hawaii's state-operated school system for consistency with data presented for all other school systems. Data used to calculate rankings is from the U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis; Internet release date (for revised state personal income estimates): September 28, 2016 (2014 data). Annual Survey of School System Finances statistics include the finances of charter schools whose charters are held directly by a government or a government agency. Charter schools whose charters are held by nongovernmental entities are deemed to be out of scope for the Annual Survey of School System Finances.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2015 Annual Survey of School System Finances. Data are not subject to sampling error, but for information on nonsampling error and definitions, see introductory text. Data users who create their own estimates from these tables should cite the U.S. Census Bureau as the source of the original data only.