

The Colorado School Finance Project (CSFP) would like to offer our expertise and knowledge as a resource to the Interim Committee on School Finance. The following lists the research and analysis we have either participated in or done for the legislature, Colorado Department of Education, and school districts. We look forward to the opportunity to share our knowledge and expertise with the members of the Interim Committee.

Resources Available from the Colorado School Finance Project

Item / Description	Analysis Commissioned By
2005 Interim Committee to Study the Financing of Public Schools	Legislature (SJR05-047)
2009 Interim Committee to Study the Financing of Public Schools	Legislature (HJR09-1020)
Average Daily Membership Study Colorado's Achievement Plan for Kids (CAP4K) Study of Assessment Use in Colorado Districts and Schools HB14-1202 Standards and Assessments Task Force	Legislature (SB10-008) / CDE Legislature (SB08-212) Legislature (HB14-1202) / CDE
4-Day School Week Analysis	School Districts
BEST Program - facilities	School Districts
Consolidation / Deconsolidation of School Districts	School Districts
Equity Analysis	School Districts
Mill Levy Analysis	School Districts
School Trust Lands	School Districts
State Profile Data and Changes - 1997 - 2017	School Districts
School District Impact of 8 years of Underfunding (Budget Stabilization Factor)	School Districts
School District Mill and Bond Elections	School Districts

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