

Colorado School Finance Project

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Colorado and Neighboring States, 2007-08 Per Pupil Spending
US Census and NCES Statistics (2010 reported)

US Census Bureau 2007-08 Data, Public Education Finances					
	Per Pupil Spending			Amount spent on K-12 per \$1,000 of Personal Income	
	Rank	Amount	Per Pupil Spending Above or Below (-) Colorado	Rank	Amount
US		\$10,259	\$1,180	-	42.14
Colorado	36	\$9,079	-	45	35.25
Arizona	49	\$7,608	-\$1,471	48	34.36
California	23	\$9,863	\$784	39	38.83
Kansas	27	\$9,667	\$588	20	43.53
Montana	28	\$9,666	\$587	24	42.47
Nebraska	29	\$9,577	\$498	27	41.53
Nevada	44	\$8,285	-\$794	49	33.80
New Mexico	37	\$9,068	-\$11	11	47.23
N. Dakota	26	\$9,675	\$596	38	39.25
Oklahoma	48	\$7,685	-\$1,394	36	39.81
S. Dakota	42	\$8,367	-\$712	46	35.05
Texas	43	\$8,320	-\$759	21	43.41
Wyoming	7	\$13,840	\$4,761	9	48.66
	Highest: NY	\$17,173	\$8,094	Highest: AK	68.18
	Lowest: UT	\$5,765	-\$3,314	Lowest: DC	26.33

US: Census Bureau, Public Education Finances, Jun 2010. Data from 2007-08

National Center of Education Statistics (NCES)			
	2007-08 Per Pupil Spending		
	Rank	Amount	Per Pupil Spending Above or Below (-) Colorado
US	-	\$10,297	\$1,145
Colorado	35	\$9,152	-
Arizona	48	\$7,727	-\$1,425
California	28	\$9,706	\$554
Kansas	25	\$9,883	\$731
Montana	26	\$9,786	\$634
Nebraska	18	\$10,565	\$1,413
Nevada	44	\$8,187	-\$965
New Mexico	33	\$9,291	\$139
N. Dakota	32	\$9,324	\$172
Oklahoma	49	\$7,683	-\$1,469
S. Dakota	42	\$8,535	-\$617
Texas	43	\$8,350	-\$802
Wyoming	8	\$13,856	\$4,704
	Highest: NJ	\$17,620	\$8,468
	Lowest: UT	\$5,978	-\$3,174

National Center of Education Statistics (NCES), 2010. Data from 2007-08