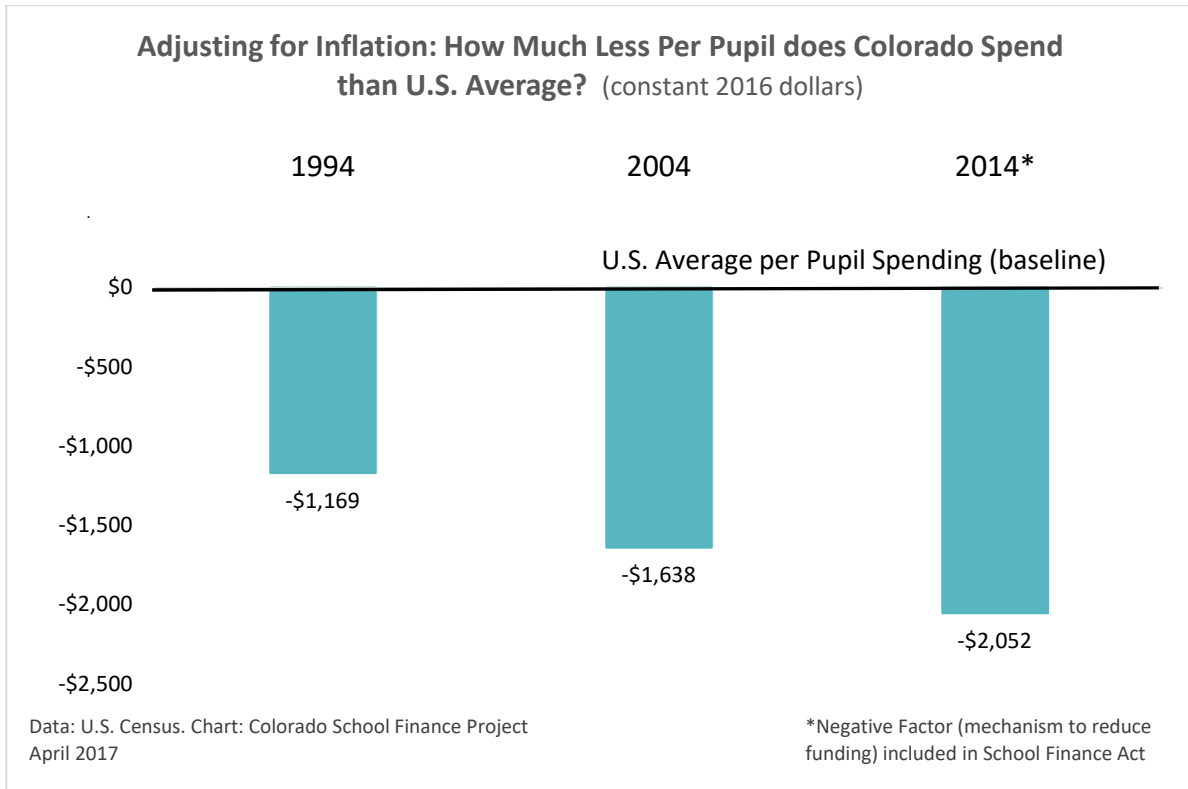


For over twenty years, the per pupil spending gap between Colorado and the U.S. average has continued to grow. In the early to mid-90's the gap was less than \$500 per student. By 2013-14 the gap increased to between \$2,000 to \$2,700 per pupil.



Adjusting for inflation, Colorado went from spending about \$1,000 less per student in FY1993-94 to over \$2,000 less in FY 2013-14. U.S. Census Data.