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# TABLE 1 ENROLLMENT IN K-12 PUBLIC EDUCATION

	1992-93	2008-09	2012-13	2013-14	Change Over 5 Years*	Change From 1992-93 to 2013-14
ENROLLMENT						
- FUNDED PUPIL COUNT	585,283	778,108	817,645	830,831	6.8%	42.0%
- MEMBERSHIP		817,796	862,621	875,554	7.1%	
STUDENTS IN SPECIAL						
EDUCATION	76,374	83,302	89,182	90,747	8.9%	18.8%
- Percentage of Funded						
Pupil Count	13.0%	10.7%	10.9%	10.9%		
STUDENTS FROM FAMILIES ELIGIBLE FOR FREE PRICE LUNCH - Percentage of Funded Pupil Count	123,514 21.1%	234,481 30.1%	297,129 36.3%	295,406 35.6%	26.0%	139.2%
r upii count	21.170	30.170	30.370	33.070		
STUDENTS FROM FAMILIES ELIGIBLE FOR						
REDUCED LUNCH - Percentage of Funded		58,509	61,730	62,968	7.6%	
Pupil Count		7.5%	7.5%	7.6%		

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# TABLE 1 (CONT.) ENROLLMENT IN K-12 PUBLIC EDUCATION (CONT.)

	1992-93	2008-09	2012-13	2013-14	Change Over 5 Years*
ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS					
<ul><li>- Two Year ELL Funded</li><li>Count^</li><li>- Percentage of Funded</li><li>Pupil Count</li></ul>		48,774 6.3%	38,632 4.7%	35,695 4.3%	-26.8%
ELL Served - Percentage of Funded Pupil Count		101,596 13.1%	124,680 15.2%	126,730 15.3%	24.7%
INSTANCES OF MOBILITY - Percentage of Funded Pupil Count		249,765 32.1%	154,415 18.9%	151,096 18.2%	-39.5%
GIFTED STUDENTS - Percentage of Funded Pupil Count		56,091 7.2%	66,379 8.1%	66,651 8.0%	18.8%

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TABLE 2 NUMBER OF TEACHERS, TEACHERS PER 1,000, AND AVERAGE SALARY IN K-12 PUBLIC EDUCATION

	COLORADO					
	1992-93	2008-09	2012-13	2013-14	Change Over 5 Years*	Change From 1992-93 to 2013-14
NUMBER OF TEACHERS	33,243	48,740	48,958	50,228	3.1%	51.1%
TEACHERS PER 1,000						
STUDENTS	56.8	62.6	59.9	60.5	-3.5%	6.4%
- National	53.7	65.5	63.2	63.0	-3.9%	17.3%
AVERAGE SALARY	\$33,578	\$48,485	\$49,118	\$49,606	2.3%	47.7%
- National	\$35,029	\$54,354	\$56,065	\$56,610	4.2%	61.6%
ADJUSTED FOR						
INFLATION	\$59,131	\$53,334	\$50,493	\$49,606	-7.0%	-16.1%
- National	\$58,183	\$58,811	\$56,906	\$56,610	-3.7%	-2.7%

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TABLE 3
PER STUDENT CURRENT SPENDING AND REVENUES FOR K-12 PUBLIC EDUCATION

## **COLORADO**

	COLORADO					
	1992-93	2008-09	2012-13^	2013-14	Change Over 5 Years*	U.S. Change (5 Year)
(1) CURRENT PER						
STUDENT SPENDING**		\$9,214	\$9,825	\$9,700	5.3%	
- National	\$5,160	\$10,345	\$10,923	\$11,355	9.8%	
Adjusted for Inflation		\$10,135	\$10,100	\$9,700	-4.3%	1.4%
(2)STATE/LOCAL REVENUE PER						
STUDENT**		\$9,907	\$9,942	\$10,209	3.0%	
- National	\$5,237	\$10,388	\$10,902	\$11,169	7.5%	
Adjusted for Inflation		\$10,898	\$10,220	\$10,209	-6.3%	-5.3%
State/Local Revenue without Overrides		\$9,022	\$8,956	\$9,230		
Adjusted for Inflation		\$9,924	\$9,207	\$9,230		
(3)BREAKDOWN OF CURR. OPER. REV. BY SOURCE**						
(3a) State		\$4,701	\$4,498	\$4,829	2.7%	6.1%
(3b) Local		\$5,206	\$5,444	\$5,380	3.3%	9.0%
(3c) Federal		\$715	\$837	\$809	13.1%	7.8%
(3d) State Share		44.3%	41.7%	43.8%		
(3e) Local Share		49.0%	50.5%	48.8%		
(3f) Federal Share		6.7%	7.8%	7.3%		

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# TABLE 4 RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN/LOCAL REVENUE FOR K-12 PUBLIC EDUCATION AND PERSONAL INCOME

		COLO				
	1992-93	2008-09	2012-13	2013-14	Change Over 5 Years*	U.S. Change (5 Year)
(1) STATE/LOCAL						
REVENUE (MILLIONS)		\$7,708.6	\$8,128.9	\$8,481.9	10.0%	8.8%
(1a) STATE		\$3,657.6	\$3,677.4	\$4,012.1	9.7%	7.4%
(1b) LOCAL		\$4,051.0	\$4,451.5	\$4,469.8	10.3%	10.3%
Overrides in Local^		\$688.3	\$806.5	\$813.7		
(2) PERSONAL INCOME (MILLIONS)		\$209,270.0	\$243,709.0	\$254,031.0	21.4%	17.9%
(3) STATE/LOCAL REVENUE AS A PERCENT OF						
PERSONAL INCOME		3.68%	3.34%	3.34%	30pp	
- National	4.19%	4.15%	3.84%	3.93%		
(4) NEGATIVE						
FACTOR (MILLIONS)			\$1,011.4	\$1,004.3		

### **NOTES AND TERMS**

Tables 1 - 4: \*Change figures are between 2008-09 and 2013-14

Tables 2 and 3: The rates of inflation for Colorado are: 76.1% between 1992-93 and 2013-14; 10% between 2008-09 and 2013-14;

2.8% between 2012-13 and 2013-14.

### TABLE 1 AND 1 (CONT.)

^CDE changed the way ELL students are counted, resulting in a decrease in count, but districts must serve all ELL students.

Terms defined below.

### TABLE 2

Note: 1992-93 figures are actually 1993-94 values.

### TABLE 3

\*\*Current operating spending includes federal funds. ^2010-11 was the first year of the

Negative Factor in the School

Finance Act.

### TABLE 4

Note: National figures for percent of personal income include capital revenue. Colorado figures do not. "pp" means percentage point change.

### **TABLE 4: MILL LEVY OVERRIDES**

Override Per Pupil: District Mill Levy Override.

^ \$813.6M generated by 113 districts that have passed Mill Levy Overrides. Of the dollars generated, 20 districts generate 87.3% (\$709.9M) of the revenues: Academy, Adams 12, Aurora, Boulder, Cherry Creek, Colorado Springs, Denver, Douglas, Durango, Eagle, Falcon, Jefferson County, Littleton, Mesa Valley, Poudre, Roaring Fork, St. Vrain, Summit, Thompson, and Westminster. The remaining 93 districts generated the other 12.8% of the Mill Levy Override dollars. 65 districts (36.5%) have no Mill Levy Override.

### TABLE 1 TERMS

Funded Pupil Count: Student count reflecting funding associated with student.

Membership: Students enrolled in a school district

### STUDENTS IDENTIFIED AS:

Students in Special Education: Identified and are receiving services that are included in the student disabilities act.

Students from Families Eligible for Free Price Lunch: Identified meeting the Federal requirements for income and free lunch.

Students from Families Eligible for Reduced Price Lunch: Identified meeting the Federal requirements for income o free and reduced lunch.

**ELL:** English Language learners: Students districts serve whose primary language is not English.

Two Year ELL Funded: Students whose primary language is not English and receive services from the school district though receive no funding.

**Instances of Mobility**: Students who move from one school to another during the course of the year.

**Gifted Students**: Identified at the district level as gifted.