Ed Week Per Pupil Spending Comparison*
Dollars Above or Below the U.S. Average

Vermont
New York
Wyoming
Alaska
Connecticut
New Jersey
New Hampshire
Pennsylvania
Maine
Rhode Island
District of Columbia
Delaware
Massachusetts
Nebraska
North Dakota
Hawaii
Montana
Illinois
Iowa
Maryland
Minnesota
Ohio
Michigan
West Virginia
U.S. Average
Wisconsin
Louisiana
Arkansas
Oregon
Missouri
Kansas
Indiana
South Carolina
South Dakota
Kentucky
Washington
New Mexico
Virginia
Alabama
California
Mississippi
Georgia
Colorado
Florida
Tennessee
North Carolina
Oklahoma
Nevada
Idaho
Texas
Arizona
Utah

* Data: Education Week Counts database, former comparisons used Quality Counts data, using 2016 data

-6,000 -4,000 -2,000 0 2,000 4,000 6,000 8,000

States Spending above the U.S. Average

States Spending below the U.S. Average

U.S. Average $12,756

Colorado in 2016
Per Pupil Spending: $10,053
Amount below U.S. Average: $2,703
in 2003: $551 less
in 2010: $2,518 less
in 2014: $2,658 less

2017 Rank: 42 of 51
2003 rank: 37 of 51
2010 rank: 42 of 51
2014 rank: 41 of 51