

Colorado School Finance Project

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**Percent Total Taxable Resources
Spent on Education 2010-11**

Source: Quality Counts 2014, 2010-11 Data, Education Week

Rank	State	Percent of Total Taxable	
		Per Pupil Spending	Resources Spent on K-12
1	VERMONT	\$17,388	5.5%
2	NEW JERSEY	\$14,920	4.8%
3	WEST VIRGINIA	\$14,147	4.5%
4	NEW YORK	\$16,835	4.5%
5	MAINE	\$15,063	4.4%
6	MICHIGAN	\$10,833	4.4%
7	NEW HAMPSHIRE	\$14,556	4.2%
8	CONNECTICUT	\$14,751	4.1%
9	RHODE ISLAND	\$14,794	4.1%
10	WISCONSIN	\$12,587	4.1%
11	PENNSYLVANIA	\$13,741	4.1%
12	OHIO	\$11,897	4.1%
13	ARKANSAS	\$11,536	4.1%
14	MARYLAND	\$13,060	4.0%
15	ALASKA	\$17,554	4.0%
16	SOUTH CAROLINA	\$9,877	4.0%
17	ILLINOIS	\$11,375	3.9%
18	INDIANA	\$10,415	3.8%
19	GEORGIA	\$9,430	3.8%
20	NEW MEXICO	\$10,547	3.8%
21	KANSAS	\$11,584	3.7%
22	MASSACHUSETTS	\$13,127	3.6%
23	MINNESOTA	\$11,043	3.6%
24	IOWA	\$11,696	3.6%
25	MISSISSIPPI	\$9,542	3.6%
	U.S.	\$11,864	3.6%
26	MONTANA	\$14,489	3.5%
27	KENTUCKY	\$10,446	3.5%
28	MISSOURI	\$10,459	3.5%
29	NEBRASKA	\$13,643	3.4%
30	ALABAMA	\$9,959	3.4%
31	IDAHO	\$8,471	3.3%
32	TEXAS	\$8,778	3.2%
33	ARIZONA	\$8,495	3.2%
34	UTAH	\$6,905	3.2%
35	CALIFORNIA	\$8,341	3.1%
36	OKLAHOMA	\$9,075	3.1%
37	VIRGINIA	\$9,573	3.0%
38	COLORADO	\$9,160	3.0%
39	HAWAII	\$12,588	3.0%
40	WYOMING	\$19,534	3.0%
41	WASHINGTON	\$9,262	2.9%
42	FLORIDA	\$9,752	2.9%
43	TENNESSEE	\$9,230	2.9%
44	NEVADA	\$8,454	2.9%
45	LOUISIANA	\$12,454	2.8%
46	OREGON	\$10,413	2.8%
47	NORTH DAKOTA	\$13,592	2.7%
48	SOUTH DAKOTA	\$11,742	2.5%
49	NORTH CAROLINA	\$8,758	2.5%
50	DELAWARE	\$12,258	2.4%

Colorado 2010-11

Percent of Total Taxable Resources Spent on K-12: 3.0%.

The national average is 3.6%.
Highest: 5.5%
Lowest: 2.4%

Colorado Ranks: 38.
10 states rank lower.
37 rank higher.

U.S. Average: 3.6%

Colorado: 3.0%