



SOUTHWEST & U.S. TOTALS

FINANCES	Ariz.	Calif.	Colo.	Hawaii	Nev.	N.M.	Utah	U.S. Total
Per pupil expenditures 2006-2007*	\$5,896	\$9,156	\$9,592	\$11,529	\$7,060	\$10,106	\$6,060	\$10,212
Average teacher salaries 2006-2007*	\$45,941	\$63,640	\$45,833	\$51,922	\$45,342	\$42,780	\$40,566	\$50,816
Total education expenditures 2006-2007 (in thousands)*	\$7,173,295	\$71,621,917	\$8,516,443	\$2,102,552	\$3,912,360	\$3,426,307	\$3,377,264	\$552,375,427
State budget allocations for education FY 2006 (percent of total state budget) †	20.9%	25.0%	23.5%	24.3%	16.0%	22.4%	25.3%	21.5%
School administration expenditures per pupil 2003-2004	\$310	\$509	\$484	\$540	\$439	\$454	\$305	\$466
Per-capita income 2006	\$31,949	\$39,358	\$39,587	\$36,826	\$39,015	\$29,725	\$29,769	\$36,629
SCHOOL AND CLASSROOM CHARACTERISTICS								
Number of public high school graduates 2006-07*	70,440	373,970	44,990	10,550	20,840	18,260	29,980	2,911,720
Pupil/teacher ratio: 2005-2006 †	21.3	20.8	17.0	16.3	19.0	14.8	22.1	15.7
Total enrollment 2006*	1,089,000	6,451,000	775,000	182,000	424,000	318,000	514,000	48,948,000
Percent total minority enrollment 2005-2006**	53%	66%	37%	80%	54%	69%	18%	42%
Percent LEP/ELL students 2005-2006**	16%	24%	13%	10%	15%	19%	10%	9%
Percent of students with IEPs 2005-2006**	18%	11%	10%	12%	11%	20%	13%	14%
Percent of 4-year-olds enrolled in state Pre-K programs 2005-2006	6%	10%	14%	No program	2%	7%	No program	20%
Teen birth rate per 1,000 in population 2004	60.1	39.5	43.9	36.1	51.1	60.8	34.0	41.1
Percent of children (10-17) overweight 2003	12%	13%	10%	13%	12%	17%	8%	15%
Percent of children uninsured 2005-2006	17%	14%	14%	6%	17%	19%	14%	12%
ACHIEVEMENT								
SAT® scores								
2002 Verbal	520	496	543	488	509	551	563	504
2002 Math	523	517	548	520	518	543	559	516
2007 Critical Reading	519	499	560	484	500	555	558	502
2007 Math	525	516	565	506	506	546	556	515
2007 Writing	502	498	549	473	480	540	544	494
Percent of graduates taking SAT® 2007	32%	49%	24%	61%	41%	12%	6%	48%
ACT® composite score								
2002	21.3	21.4	20.1	22.0	21.3	20.0	21.4	20.8
2007	21.8	22.1	20.4	22.3	21.5	20.2	21.7	21.2
Percent of graduates taking ACT® 2007	18%	15%	100%	20%	29%	60%	70%	42%
AP® exams 2007								
Percent of students scoring 3 or above	54.6%	58.7%	60.9%	60.8%	49.9%	44.5%	65.9%	59.0%
NAEP results								
2002 Reading Grade 4	205	206	N/A	208	209	208	222	217
2007 Reading Grade 4	210	209	224	213	211	212	221	220
2002 Reading Grade 8	257	250	N/A	252	251	254	263	263
2007 Reading Grade 8	255	251	266	251	252	251	262	261
2003 Math Grade 4	229	227	235	227	228	223	235	234
2007 Math Grade 4	232	230	240	234	232	228	239	239
2003 Math Grade 8	271	267	283	266	268	263	281	276
2007 Math Grade 8	276	270	286	269	271	268	281	280

NOTES

Percentages are based on schools and agencies reporting. Percentages may not add up to 100 because of rounding.

* Estimated

** Data used in calculating statistic is preliminary

† Most current data available at press time